



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 575

Name in full Archibald Ash Age 73

Address St Anthony

Married S Single Single Height 5'6 1/2" Weight 136

Color Light Hair Light Eyes Brown

Other distinguishing marks None

Nearest relative Father George Ed.

Address Red Bay St J B Dale

Dependents None

Occupation Electric Engineer Present Wage 1500 per week

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment _____

I, Archibald Ash, do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty and that I will faithfully serve His Majesty in any place where I may be needed (or in the Colony of Newfoundland as the case may be) against all his enemies and opposers whatsoever according to the conditions of my service.

Archibald Ash

Declared before me this 7 day
of October 1914

Cluny Macpherson
Capt V.M.O.

Sept 22

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

Reg. No. 578

Name Archibald Ash

Apparent age 23 years months. Height 5 feet 6½ inches.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded inches.
 { Range of expansion inches.

Distinctive marks Hair: Light, Eyes: Brown

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin George Edward Ash, Red Bay, Straits of Belle Isle,
Newfoundland | Relationship Father

Particulars as to Marriage.

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.
 (c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Re-serve not allowed to reckon towards G. O. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>22/9/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>22nd September '14</u>									
		<u>Promoted to Lt. Col. do</u>		<u>25/9/14</u> <u>185/6/15</u>					
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to (date of discharge) years days									
" " " Pension " (") "									

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.
Reg. No. 575

Name **Arohibald Ash**
 Apparent age **23** years _____ months. Height **5** feet **6½** inches.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded _____ inches.
 Range of expansion _____ inches.
 Distinctive marks **Hair: Light, Eyes: Brown.**

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin **George Edward Ash, Red Bay, Straits of Belle Isle, Newfoundland** | Relationship **Father.**

Particulars as to Marriage.

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.
 (c) Present address. (d) Signature of Officer verifying entry from certificate.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d) Verified from certificate.
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Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate.

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from 22/9/14									
Joined at St. John's on 22nd September '14									
<i>H.A. 23/2/17</i>									
<i>Embarked S.S. Florida for Lark 3rd 1914</i>									
<i>Embarked Southampton 3-10-16</i>									
<i>Embarked 4-10-16</i>									
<i>Joined Battalion 14-10-16</i>									
<i>Killed in Action 23-2-17</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to 23-2-17 (date of discharge) 2 years 155 days									}
" " " Pension " (") " " " " " "									

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

The Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

NO STAMP REQUIRED

Dept. of Militia,
St. John's.

Red Bay Aug 5th 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 575 Rank Sergeant
Name Archibald
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Geo. E. Ash (Sgd.)

Father Relationship.

Red Bay.



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The accompanying Victoria Medal and Ribbon War Medal

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

Fold Here

Signature

Date

Address

1570

SEP 13 1921

1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**
is/are forwarded herewith to

Mr. George Ed. Ash (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 675 Rank Sergt.

Name Archibald Ash

Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Registered Parcel with Enclosures

Signature George E Ash

Date Sept 25th 1921

Address Red Bay.

[P.T.O.]

*Bank of Montreal,
St. John's, Nfld.*

Twenty sixth
February
1921.

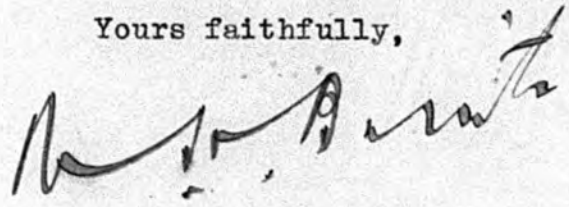
C.R. 575

Lieut. Col. W. F. Rendell,
Department of Militia,
City.

Dear Sir:-

We beg to acknowledge receipt
of your letter of the 24th instant, and have
to thank you for the information contained
therein.

Yours faithfully,



Manager.

See 2313

Feb 24th, 1921

The Manager
Bank of Montreal

Dear Sir:-

I regret that your letter of Jan. 10th had not been previously acknowledged, it had not been brought to my notice.

Lance Cpl. Archibald Ash was killed in action on the 23rd February 1917, his next of kin, according to our records, is his father, George Edward Ash of Red Bay, Straits of Belle Isle

Pte. Jos. Crane was killed in action on the 14th April, 1917, his next of kin is his father, William H. Crane of Tilton, C.B.

Yours faithfully,

Lt.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

*Bank of Montreal,
St. John's, Nfld.*

Twenty eighth
February
1921.

The Department of Militia,
City.

Dear Sirs:-

With reference to our letter
of the 10th ultimo, kindly enable us to reply
to the letter from our Ottawa Branch requesting
the addresses of Lance-Corporal Archibald Ash
and Joseph Crane.

Yours faithfully,


Manager.

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R

Bank of Montreal,

St. John's, Nfld.

Tenth
January
1921.

The Department of Militia,
City.

C.R. 575

Dear Sirs:-

We have received a request from
our Ottawa Branch asking for the last recorded
addresses of Lance-Corporal Archibald Ash, 1st
Newfoundland Regiment and Joseph Crane, 1st Nfld.
Regt.

Kindly enable us to reply.

Yours faithfully,

Smith
Manager.

copy

*address
ref K.*

575 Ash
2313 Crane

K.m.a.

Arch. Ash K. in R. 23/2/17. Geo. Ed. Ash, Red Bay. Str. of Belle (father)
Joe. Crane " 14/4/17 Wm. H. Crane Lilton C.B. (?)

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. *275* Name *Ash, a*

I certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above named soldier.

Name *George E. Ash*

Date *July 13 - 1920*

Place *Red Bay*

N.B. For completion and return to the Department of Militia
insert in corner of envelope "AB 64"

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RECEIPT

C.R. # 575

575 Sergeant

NO.....NAME.....A. Ash.....

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I HAVE RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA TWO BIBLES OF OAKLEAF IN RESPECT OF THE ABOVE NAMED SOLDIER.

DATE.....th Sept 7 1920.....NAME.....Geo E Ash.....

PLACE.....Red Bay.....
Straits Belles Isle

C.R. 575

Red Bay

Sept 7th 1920

Lieut. Col. W. J. Rendell
Depart. Militia

St Johns

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find receipt duly signed
for yours of the July 25 - enclosing Oak Leaf Emblem
in respect of No 575 Sergeant A. Ash (deceased)
I would like to advise if further communication
respecting the same is to be issued you would do me
a favour to address to the above address as any
communication addressed to St. Anthony is so long
in transit. Thus to address it direct would mean that
it would be in my hands weeks earlier. Thanking you
in anticipation for complying with my wishes.

Yours Very Truly

Geo. E. Ash

Red Bay.

COPY.

C.R. 575

For original see M-37-4

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Memorandum.

NO. 748/108.

From:
High Commissioner for Newfoundland,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.1.,
E N G L A N D.

To:
Chief Staff Officer,
Department of Militia,
St. John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

3rd May 1920.

Subject: a Reply.
CERTIFICATES FOR MENTIONS IN DESPATCHES. May 18th 1920.

I am enclosing herewith
Certificates for Mention in
Despatches in respect of the
following:-

Lieut. R.R. Holloway. (Deceased).
No. 535, Sgt. A. Ash. (Deceased).
" 249, L/C. A.F. Jusseau.
" 402, Pte. F.M. O'Neil.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

(Sgd). V. Gordon,
SECRETARY.

Certificates received
and are being distributed
to those entitled thereto.

Lieut. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.

M

June 21, 1917

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that information, with respect to the gravesite of No. 575, Sergeant A. Ash, has now been received from the Pay and Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London.

Rev. A. Clayton, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, reports Sergeant Ash was interred at Combles.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. George Edward Ash,
St. Anthony.

MENTIONS IN DESPACHES.

575 Sergt. A. Ash.

Authority

London Gazette 1/6/17

Daily Orders 1st Bn. 6/6/17

88th Brigade Lists

"On 27th January when another unit had made a successful attack Sgt. Ash went out in front and bandaged up wounded under very heavy shell fire . He directed the stretcher bearers and made several trips with them. Later on he went out three times searching the ground for wounded till he was satisfied no more remained. The fire was very heavy the whole time and he showed a total disregard for danger and a great example to the stretcher bearers working with him. "

C.R. 575

Extract of Code Telegram received from Major Timewell
May 30, 1917.

D 575 Ash.

Mentioned ~~in despatch~~ by Sir Douglas Gaig despatch dated
April 9th, as deserving special attention.

Original in M 37-4

C.R. 575

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit Newfoundland
Regiment, 3rd Echelon, G.H.C., March 31, 1917.

#575 Sergt. A. Ash.

Died 24/2/17. Interned Combles, U.7.c.5.9. Reported by Rev.
A. Clayton. 1st Inf. Regt.

575 ash

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Newfoundland Postal Telegraphs

Office Stamp and Date

MAR 5 1901

Prefix SERVICE MESSAGE

Time received.....by.....Time sent.....by.....

From

To

basualty clerk

copy of yours 3rd Rev. Party
Red Bay delivered to Rev party
at Forteau

Postal

foundland Postal Telegraphs

SERVICE MESSAGE

Office Stamp and Date

Time received.....by.....Time sent.....by.....

From

To

Casualty Clerk

Deer Lake advises yours of
3rd Meth. Minister St Anthony
held owing line trouble
Postal

C.R. 575

Extract from Casualties received from P.&R. Office, London,
Mar. 3, 1917.

D 575 Ash.

Killed in action Feb. 23rd.

C.R. 575

Extract from Casualties received from P.&.R.Office, London,
Mar.3,1917.

D 575 Ash.

Killed in action Feb.23rd.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission ; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

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I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Red Bay Labrador

Signature of Sender _____

Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated 3rd March, 1917.

To Rev. B. P. Pardy,
Red Bay Labrador.
St. Anthony

Regret to inform you Record Office London today reports that No. 575, Sergt. Archibald Ash, son of Mr. George E. Ash, of Red Bay, was Killed in Action on February 23rd. Kindly inform relatives.

J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

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I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender

Geo. Bennett

Address

Line Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

Dated

3rd March, 1917.

To

Mr. George E. Ash,

~~Red Bay, Labrador.~~

St. Anthony

Regret to inform you that the Record Office London today reports that No. 575, Sergt. Archibald Ash, was Killed in Action on February 23rd.

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR. This message is not to be sent until receiving office advises message to Rev. B.P. Pardy has been delivered and acted upon.

FOR TYPEWRITER

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CASUALTIES

Killed In Action 28/ 2/17.

575 Ash Sergt. A.

Authority: 3rd Echelon Orders
No. 10. C.
28/2/17
Received 3/2/17-



C.R. 575

C.R. 575

Extract of Nominal Roll Draft (All Ranks) to 1st Bn.,
B.E.F. Embarked Southampton.

575 Sergt. A. Ash.

3410-16.

C.R. 575

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's per S.S.
"Florizel" Oct. 4. 1914.

575 Ash Arch.

C.R. 575

Archibald Ash was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT onSept. 22nd/14
Regimental No. 575 was allotted to pto Archibald Ash.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

C.R. 375
1531

Regiment or Corps *2/1st Newfoundland.*
 Rank *Sgt.* Surname *Ash* Christian Name *Archibald*
 Religion *Methodist* Age on Enlistment *23* years *—* months.
 Enlisted (a) *20.9.14* Terms of Service (a) *Duration* Service reckons from (a) *20.9.14*
 Date of promotion to present rank *3.2.16* Date of appointment to lance rank *—*
 Extended { *—* } Re-engaged { *—* } Qualification (b) *—*
 or Corps Trade and Rate *—*

Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c. during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ... <i>Southampton 2.10.16</i>			
		Disembarked ... <i>Raven 4.10.16</i>			
		Joined Battalion <i>14 OCT 1916</i>			
		With <i>41st T. 28.1.17</i>			
<i>24.2.17</i>	<i>O.C. Unit</i>	<i>Killed in Action</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>23.2.17</i>	<i>B 213</i>
		<i>J. M. Bunchell</i>	<i>CAPTAIN</i>		
		<i>for Officer i/c No. 1 Regular Infantry Section</i>			
		<i>General Headquarters, 3rd Echelon.</i>			

COPY SENT TO
 O.C. H.Q.
 ST. JOHN'S, N.F.L.D.
Received 20/3/17
 NO. *8347*
 DATED *8.3.17*

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C.
 [313] W9043/1195 100m 12/14as 28 58

Forms
B. 121.
22.

Number of Sheet

131.70.9.L.D Regiment of *Infantry*

Signature of O. C. Company *G. J. Cash, Capt.*

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Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay			
No. <i>XX</i>	<i>Ash. A</i>	Age on <i>23</i> years <i> </i> months	<i>Electrical Engr.</i>					
Joined _____	Date _____	Place and Date of Enlistment <i>20. 9. 1917</i>	Religion <i>Reth.</i>					
Joined _____	Date _____	<i>27/9/17</i> { with Colours <i>2 1/2</i> years.	Place of Birth <i>St. Anthony</i>					
Joined _____	Date _____	Period of { with Reserve <i>2 1/2</i> years.						

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness.	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispenating with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
		<i>Sgt</i>		<i>Killed in Action 23/11</i>					

To be carried over

B. Ash

575.

P. + P. O.

To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only.
 Army Form B. 178^a to be used for Special Reserve recruits
 and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Ash Christian Name Archibald

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish _____ County _____

Examined ... { on _____ day of _____ 191 .
 at _____

Declared Age ... 23 years _____ days.

Trade or Occupation ... Elec. Engineer

Height ... 5 feet, 6 1/2 inches.

Weight ... 136 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. _____ inches.
 Range of Expansion _____ inches.

Physical Development ... _____

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... _____ Right _____ Left _____
 Number _____

When Vaccinated ... _____

Vision ... { R.E.—V—
 L.E.—V—

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { _____

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... { _____

Approved by (Signature) _____
 (Rank) _____

Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at St Johns. N.F.L.D.
 on _____ day of _____ 191 .

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>Newfoundland</u>	<u>575</u>

Became non-effective by _____

on _____ day of _____ 191 .

(Signature) _____
 (Rank) _____

Table III.—Boards ; Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, etc. ; Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service ; Issue of Surgical Appliances ; Particulars of Dental Treatment, etc.

Date	Brief details, and signature
	<u>I. V.</u> 2
10. 4. 15	Vac. April 10 th 1915
7. 8. 15	Fit for foreign service.
29. 9. 16	Paralytic Throat Inoc. T. A. B. J. H. W.
30. 9. 16	Fit for foreign service J. H. W.

Table IV.—Service Table.

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation

Forwarded with the Compliments

of the Secretary of the War Office.

Sgt Ash A

War Office,

6. 3. 1917.



ORIGINAL.

FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36 or from other official documentary sources



REGIMENT or CORPS } 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } A Company

Regtl. No. 575 Rank Sergeant

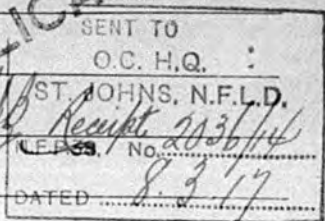
Name Ash, A.

Died { Date February 23rd., 1917. Place France. Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 24/2/17.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

DUPLICATE.



* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Burial { Place Not yet received. Date do By whom reported

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand. (b) in Small Book (if at Base) do (c) as a separate document do

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } H. B. Nicholl Capt. for Lt. Col., Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1, 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 28/2/17.

Regimental Number 575

Company E

THE
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's Forces under the following conditions:

For the duration of the present war, or until my discharge.

Subject to the Army Act, the King's Regulations, and to such ordinances as may apply or may be made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act, 5 George V., Chapter IV.

Signed L Corp A Ash

Witness S Robertson

Dated at



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PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. *575.*

Rank

Sergeant
Francis

Name

Ash. A.
23rd February

Died (a) *Intestate*

at

on the

of *1917.*

Deserted at

on the

of *191 .*

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

{ *Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.*

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[Form 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month	<i>23</i>	<i>217</i>	<i>10 9 11</i> ✓
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	191				Messing allowance days at from to			
	"				Kit allowance			
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	"				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Consolidated stoppage				Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>10</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>11</i> ✓	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	<i>10</i>	<i>9</i>		£	<i>10</i>	<i>9</i>
			<i>11</i>				<i>11</i>	

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b).

Dated at *NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT*
this *25* day of *VICTORIA ST., LONDON, SW*

191 .

Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
(b) Words in Italic to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.



595

A csh

575

✓ Sixty

411 Manager Bank of Montreal

= 60

Commence 20th March 1915

= 60

Geo. J. Corby - Capt

A csh
Recd Corp'l.

Castle Edinburgh
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Ash. a. Serp.

575

Pay Day

again

I am Yours truly

Geo E Ash

50 per day
of favor
Bank of
Montreal
manager
Red Bay

Sept 29th 1917.

of M Maddick.

Deputy Paymaster
Department of Militia

Sir

As father & dependents of
the late Sergeant ^{Ash} Ash I would
like to know if I come under the
heading of recipients of the
pension ~~list~~ allotted to those
who are left behind. In writing
I may say that I will be glad to
give you all information regarding
myself & circumstances when
you apply for the same.

Trusting to hear from



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1914

945

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the Appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of *Ash, Archibald*

aged *24*

conducted at *R. N. M. D. S. F. Institute.*

Date: *Sept. 19 / 14*

Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST

FINDING

- 1 *no*
- 2 *no*
- 3 *no*
- 4 *no*
- 5 *no*
- 6 *no*
- 7 *yes*
- 8 *yes*
- 9 *no*
- 10 *n*
- 11 *n*
- 12 *n*
- 13 *n*
- 14 *n*
- 15 *n*
- 16 *n*
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- 26 *n*
- 27 *n*
- 28 *n*
- 29 *n*
- 30 *n*
- 31 *n*
- 32 *n*

8 or 9 years ago.

5' 7"

33" - 36"

135

\$40 a month.

Father, George Edward Ash, Red Bay, Labrador.

no

875

Signature of Medical Examiner:

Fit. J. G. Kati.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. 575

Rank Sergeant

Name Ash, A.

Died^(a) Intestate

at France

on the 23rd of February 1917.

Deserted at

on the of 191 .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

*Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.*

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

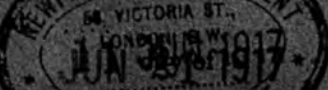
[Form 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.		
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month 23/2/17	10	9	11 ✓		
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to					
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to					
	191				Messing allowance days at from to					
	"				Kit allowance					
	"									
	"									
	Consolidated stoppage									
	Balance due by the Paymaster	10	9	11	Balance due to the Paymaster					
		£	10	9	11		£	10	9	11

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to / / and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance is correctly chargeable to the Public.

Dated this



[Signature]
PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS
Paymaster.

- a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
- b) Words in italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

PAY LIST. to **191 . Voucher No.**

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. 575 Rank Sergeant Name Ash, A.
 Died^(a) Intestate at France on the 23rd of February 1917.
 Deserted at on the of 191 .

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
 58, VICTORIA ST.,
 LONDON, E.C. 1.
 1 JAN 23 1917

A. A. Munnell
 Paymaster.

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CHECKED 11/6/17

PAY LIST.

to

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	191				Messing allowance days at from to			
	"				Kit allowance			
	"				and produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	"				and of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					and Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	10	9	11	Balance due to the Paymaster			
	£ 10 9 11				£ 10 9 11			

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the

debtor balance **AND CONTINGENT** is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b).

Dated at
this



[Signature]
1917
Paymaster.

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CHECKED 11.6.17

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October, 30th., 1917.

George E. Ash Esq.,
Red Bay,
Indian Islands.

Dear Sir.-

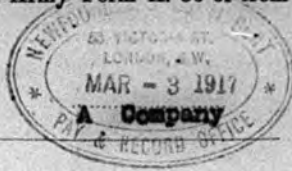
With reference to your letter of Sept., 29th.,
I have been instructed to state, that your claim for
pension, will be considered at as early a date as
possible.

Yours faithfully,

Sec retary.

DUPLICATE. FIELD SERVICE.

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36 or from other official documentary sources.



REGIMENT } **1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.** Squadron, }
 or } Troop, Battery }
 CORPS } or Company }

Regtl. No. **575** Rank **Sergeant**

Name **Ash, A.**

Died { Date **February 23rd., 1917.**
 Place **France.**
 Cause of Death* **Killed in Action.**

Nature and Date of Report **B 213, 24/2/17.**

By whom made **O.C., Unit.**

* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Burial { Place **Not yet received.**
 Date **do**
 By whom reported _____

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) **Not to hand.**
 (b) in Small Book (if at Base) **do**
 (c) as a separate document **do**

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Signature of Officer in charge } *H. Birchell* Capt. for Lt. Col.,
 of Section Adjutant-General's } **Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1,**
 Office at the Base } **3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.**

Station and Date **3rd. Echelon, 28/2/17.**

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$57.57
100

Apr. 9th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Fifty five ——— 57
700 Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay Estate.
balance 57.57

M. H. Jones

Ch. No. 557	Initials. K.W.
Pay Ledger 170	Initials. J. H. [unclear]
Gen. Ledger	Initials. [unclear]

Regtl. No. Rank

[Handwritten signature]

No. 575

Rank Sgt.

Name A. Ash

Walter A. Jones
