



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

of war

Regimental No. 903.

Name in full Levi Bellows Age 20

Address Curling

Married
Single Height 5' 8 1/2 Weight 165

Color Dark Hairs Black Eyes Brown

Other distinguishing marks Small Birth Marks under Chin

Nearest relative (Father) Robert Bellows

Address Curling

Dependents

Occupation Lab. Foreman Present Wage \$65 per mo.

Previous service 1915

Decorations

General Remarks 12

Date of Enlistment

Re-engage for
Levi Bellows
12

I, Levi Bellows do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

Levi Bellows
Sgt.

Declared before me this 21st day of January 1914

Ensign

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)
Applicable to all ranks.

Reg. No. 903

Name Levi Bellows

Apparent age 20 years months. Height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Dark, Hair: Black, Eyes: Brown
Other distinguishing marks: Small birth mark under chin

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Robert Bellows, Curling, Nfld.
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 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 <u>4/1/15</u>									
Joined at <u>St Johns</u> on <u>July 4th /15</u>									
		<u>Promoted to L. Corp</u>		<u>19/6/15</u>					
		<u>Cpl</u>		<u>15/11/15</u>					
<u>Embarked S.S. Stephens 20th</u>					<u>Embarked H.C.F. 20th</u>	<u>Re-embarked New and continued for</u>			
<u>Cairo 31st Embarked for Halifax 13th</u>					<u>night of 19-20</u>	<u>St. J.</u>	<u>Evacuated and arrived</u>		
<u>Nov. 18th Proceeded to Aug 16th Embarked Port Aug 14th</u>					<u>Re-embarked Barreille 23rd</u>	<u>Wounded 1-7-16</u>			
<u>Admitted 8th P.S.N.R. Car 27-16 Discharged to Queen 4-7-16</u>					<u>Serjt 14th</u>	<u>Admitted 140th Frac. 2nd</u>			
<u>Discharged to 130th 21-10-16 Admitted 60th Queen 24th</u>					<u>Rejoined unit 18-11-16</u>				
<u>Admitted New Zealand Amiens Collyette Hand L Child 10th</u>					<u>Discharged to Base Depot 14th</u>	<u>Reduced to</u>			
<u>rank 3rd Lt. 24th Rejoined 24th Missing 14th</u>					<u>Pension of War annuity 23rd</u>				
<u>Released Arrived with 25-12-18. Arrived 27-12-18. Arrived 27-12-18. Parlayed</u>					<u>to 25-2-19. Re-embarked for demobilization 30-2-19</u>	<u>Arrived Nfld 8-2-19</u>			
<u>Demobilization St. John's 20-4-19</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>20-4-19</u> (date of discharge) <u>4</u> years <u>107</u> days									
" " " Pension (") " " " " " "									

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)
Applicable to all ranks.

Reg. No. 993

Name Levi Bellows
 Apparent age 30 years months. Height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded inches.
 { Range of expansion inches.
 Distinctive marks Color: Dark, Hair: Black, Eyes: Brown
Other distinguishing marks: Small birth mark under chin

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Promoted to <u>R. Ppl</u> <u>19/6/15</u>									
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<u>Cairo 31st</u> Embarked for <u>Gallipoli 13th</u> Landed <u>Sulva Bay</u> night of <u>19-20</u> <u>Sept 15</u> Evacuated and arrived									
<u>Rec. 15th</u> Proceeded to <u>Suez 16th</u> Embarked <u>1st Aug 14th</u> Disembarked <u>Barrett 22nd</u> <u>Hounded 1-7-16</u>									
Admitted <u>87th</u> <u>P.S.N. 2nd bat 2-7-16</u> Discharged to <u>Green 4-7-16</u> <u>Sept. 14th</u> Admitted <u>140th Trac. Pains 2nd</u>									
Discharged to <u>Base 27-10-16</u> Admitted <u>6000th Gen. Discharged 24th</u> <u>Wounded with 13-11-16</u>									
Admitted <u>New Zealand Amiens Cellulite Band 1st child 10th</u> Discharged to <u>Base depot 14th</u> <u>Redness to</u>									
<u>ranks 3rd Prov. Co. 24th</u> <u>Revised 13th</u> <u>6th</u> <u>Missing 14th</u> <u>Resumer of War Library 23rd</u>									
Released <u>Arrived 25-12-18</u> <u>Arrived 27-12-18</u> <u>Arrived 27-12-18</u> <u>Penbury</u>									
<u>to 28-2-19</u> <u>in Newfoundland for demobilization 30-1-19</u> <u>Arrived 8-2-19</u>									
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To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Bellows. Christian Name Levi.

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	2	Jan		191
	at	St Johns.	at	
Declared Age	29	years		days
Trade or Occupation	Loco Fireman			
Height	5	feet	8 1/2	inches
Weight			165	lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded		39	inches
	Range of expansion		42	inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R. E.—V=	9/6	R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=	9/6	L. E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Clay Macpherson</i>			
(Rank)	Capt.			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St Johns.	at	
	on	21 day of Jan	on	day of 191
		Corps.		Corps.
		Regtl. No.		Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	1st Nfd. Regt. 903			
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
<p style="text-align: center;">J.V</p> <p>20, H, 15- Vac</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>It is hereby certified that this soldier has been before the Standing Medical Board and has been classified as <u>B</u> for discharge on demobilisation. Medical category <u>1.4.19</u></i></p> <p style="text-align: right;"> <i>[Signature]</i> <small>Captain Assistant Adjutant Discharge Department</small> </p>

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
St John's Wood	Jan 21. 15	20 Mar 15			
T.S. "Stephano"	20 Mar 15	22 Mar 15			
T.S. ORDUNA	20 Mar 15	20 Mar 15			
Edinburgh Central	20 Mar 15				



Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps New Zealand

Regimental No. 903

Rank Private

Name Bellows L

Enlisted (a) Jan 24/15

Terms of Service (a) 1 year

Service reckons from (a) Jan 24/15

Date of promotion to present rank

14.9.16

Date of appointment to lance rank

Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os.

Extended Duration of

re-engaged

Aug 15/15

Qualification (b)

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., 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	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's, NZLD.		20/3/15	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15	
		Embk'd Port Suez		14/3/16	
		Disembk'd MARSEILLES		22/3/16	
	87 FA	Gd C.P.W. Rbar transf	C.C.S.	2.7.16	E.O. 11968.
	1 Mch/16	Admitted	France	3.7.16	NA 602.
	22/7	Des to Base	Renew	4.7.16	NA 581.
	22/7	Prolegand	Refused	14/9/16	O.D. 10 34 B.
	140 FA	Proc Radios transf	C.C.S.	12.10.16	E.O. 4361
	6 1/2	at W.P.D.	Renew	14.10.16	NA. 3346.
	29 1/2	Joined	Renew	22/10/16	New base.

(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) e.g., Signaller, Shoing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. [P.T.O.]

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 86, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 86, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
	2 nd Co. Dep. Dis Contus Arm. P.		France	18/10/16	HA 3451
	Unit Re-joined Battalion		France	13 NOV 1916	B 213
	88 F.A. Admitted Septic Cellulitis L. Hand transf 88 B.P.S.			10/1/17	ED 8666
	12 Lt Admitted D ₅ D ₂		France	17/1/17	HA 6073
	29 F.B.D. joined Base Dep.		France	14/2/17	Non Roll
17.3.17	OC. Re-joined Battalion		Unit	6 MAR 1917	B 213
1 MAR 1917	OC. En. MISSING		France	14 APR 1917	B 213
	War Office Prisoner of War in Germany				Off. German Report
	Captured at Monchy			14.4.17	forwarded by Geneva Red Cross, 20.7.17.
					<i>J. Edwards</i>
					Major

O. i/c No. 1 Reg. Infantry Section
G. H. Q. 3rd Echelon.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 903 Rank Pfc Name Bellows Len
 Intended place of residence Bay of St. John's
 2. Occupation Loc. Fireman
 Classification of soldier B Medical Category 2

DEMOBILIZATION!

3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of.....

Eligible for Service Gratuity

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.

Place ST. JOHN'S
 Date APR 4 1919
 Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, of all financial responsibility in my connection.

Place and date ST. JOHN'S
4-4-19
 Signature of soldier L. Bellows
 Signature of witness J.A. Bowley

CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

6. I hereby certify that I am in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.

Place and Date ST. JOHN'S
4-4-19
 Signature of soldier L. Bellows
 Signature of witness J.A. Bowley

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 2-1-15 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 6-4-19 Plus 14 days Service 1570

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer i/c Records, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.

Place ST. JOHN'S
 Date APR 6 1919
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.

Place St. John's, Nfld
 Date April 20/1919
 Officer i/c Records
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Cit. B. 20/19/1900

58
78
31
50
107



Department of Militia, Newfoundland

Medical Department

Medical Report on an Invalid

NOTES:—

- (a) This report is solely concerned with Pensions.
- (b) A single copy only is required.
- (c) "Aggravated" being now a technical term, carrying right to pension, discrimination in its use is essential.
- (d) Be as brief as possible compatible with lucidity.
- (e) Avoid dubiety—"perhaps" "possibly" "might" and the like.
- (f) Only sufficient clinical data need be given to establish the degree of disability and assist the Board in arriving at a decision.

STATEMENT OF CASE

Station *S. golms*

Date *April 18/19*

Signature

1. Unit *Royal Newfoundland*

5. Age last birthday *35*

2. Regimental No. *900*

6. Enlisted on *23/12/14*

3. Rank *Sergt.*

at *Bay of Islands*

4. Name *Ballouso Lewi*

7. Former trade or occupation *fireman (L.S.C.)*

8. Disability *Shortness of breath*

Signature

Place

Rank

Date

9. History *was taken prisoner 14th April 17 - was practically starved - since arriving home has been unable to do any work without getting out of breath - & complains pain in region of heart. occasional*

10. What is his present condition? Looks in perfect condition
 (This is the important question. Be Heart sounds normal -
 brief—the clearer the case the less regular. Heart action
 need be written. Read note f above.) auscultation lungs shows
 slight blowing sounds on R-
 side over 3 & 4 ribs - otherwise
 normal.

11. Was sanatorium advised and refused? No
operation

12. Do you recommend discharge as 7/20
 permanently unfit?

Signature J. G. Kean
 Rank or Qualification Capt - Reserve

Remarks if any by Officer i/c Hospital.

Place 5 Signature

Date Rank

Opinion of the Medical Board

In para. 13, the President should write "may" or "cannot" at x
Erase inapplicable words

13. For pension purposes, the disability x May be considered as ~~aggravated by~~ due to

(a) Service during this war. (b) ~~Climatic.~~ (c) ~~Ordinary Military Service~~
Remarks if any:—

14. Does the Board concur in preceding report? (see Sect. 10) If not give differing opinion and additional findings.

*Yes - a slow pulse with some
irregularity of irregularity in heart's action.
Easily tired & short of breath on exertion.*

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market? 40%.

(b) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market lessened by that portion of his disability to or incurred during service?
(State in percentage.) 40% 3 months

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?

17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperance (b) Misconduct

18. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:— (a) Reasonable (b) Unreasonable

Remarks if any:—

19. If fit subject for Hospital do you recommend admittance to } General Hospital,
Naval and Military Con-
valescent Hospital,
Jensen Tuberculosis Camp.

20. We recommend discharge from ~~retention in~~ the Army

Remarks if any:—

[Signature]
.....
President

Signatures *[Signature]*
.....
[Signature]
.....

Place *[Signature]*

Date *Apr 1/19*

APPROVED

Station

Date



Clay Macpherson Major
.....
Administrative Medical Officer



Descriptive Return of a Soldier Discharged on Account of Disability.

INSTRUCTIONS—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Pensions and Disabilities Board.

This section should be completed in the Hospital at which a man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, or, if the man is not in Hospital, by the Medical Officer of the Unit or Command Depot. The Soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification depends on his confirming this declaration. The "Rank," "Station" and "Date" should be in his own handwriting.

The form will then be attached to the Proceedings of the man's Medical Board and will be forwarded to the O. i/c Records together with the remainder of the man's documents.

Changes occurring in the description subsequent to the date of admission to pension should be noted in red ink.

Name in full *Levi Bellows*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *903*

Intended address *Bay of Islands*

Height on discharge *5* Feet *10*

Color of hair on discharge *Black*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Grey.*

Descriptive Marks

Figure on discharge *Tall*

Christian name of Father *Robert*

Christian name of Mother *Annie*

Wife's maiden name in full *—*

Date and place of marriage *—*

Christian names of children *—*

Place and date of soldier's birth *Bay of Islands 1893 Sept 1st*

Nature and locality of civil employment required

I declare that I am the soldier referred to above and that all the particulars contained in the above statement are, to the best of my knowledge, correct

(Soldier's signature in full)

L. Bellows

(Rank)

Private

Station

St. John's

Date

28.3.19

I certify that the above named soldier signed the foregoing declaration in my presence, and that the above description and details are, to the best of my knowledge correct.

Medical Officer i/c Hospital.
Unit, or Command Depot.

Station

Date

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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Forms
B. 121.
89.

Regiment of *Newfoundland*

Number of Sheets *1*
Signature of O. C. Company *Lt March Capt.*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay	
No.	<i>903 Bellows Levi</i>	Age on	<i>20</i> years — months	<i>booc. Fireman</i>		
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>SE Dublin Jan 24 1915</i>	Religion		
Joined	Date	Period of	<i>4</i> with Colours <i>36 1/2</i> with Reserve	Place of Birth		
Joined	Date					

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>Edinburgh Castle</i>	<i>22/4/15</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>Making disturbance in Billiard Room striking two women without provocation answering an R.C.O.</i>	<i>Pte. Driscoll R. Butler P. Loughman Corporal DeLune</i>	<i>2 days BB</i>	<i>23/4/15</i>	<i>Capt March</i>	<i>SR</i>
				<i>Demobilized</i>	<i>S. Johns</i>	<i>20 79</i>			
				To be carried over					

Army Form B. 121.

Statement Re Treatment, while Prisoner in Germany
from April 14th 1917 to Xmas Day 1918 of Sergeant
Levi Bellows 903, Newfoundland Regiment.

Volunteered at Curling Dec. 23rd 1914, was in Infantry at
Monchy April 14th 1917, ordered to take objective 5 a.m. and went
over, reached our objective at say 5.30, lost heavily. My ammunition
all gone and only 100 left of the Battalion, we were outflanked and
surrounded and with ~~me~~ 4 others were taken by the enemy and marched
clear of our shell fire at a village behind the enemy line. I was
stripped of shoulder badges, my watch, cigarettes etc. we were taken
at 6.30 a.m. and were marching until midnight, with only one piece of
black bread and water, we got with our helmets by road side.

We were billeted at Douai, France had very little food for 3 days
and the third day were told we would be sent to Germany, instead we
were sent to a Fort in Lille, France and about 60 in a cell close con-
finement, slept on concrete floor, no bedding whatever, floor wet, a
barrel, size of a barrel size of pork in the corner was our water
closet, never removed until it was flowed, then would be emptied by
Prisoners under escort and then lime was put around the corner for
disinfectant which almost blinded us for some hours.

For food $\frac{1}{2}$ Black bread and small quantity of so called sour soup
which we couldn't eat, for 24 hours and with that a small ^{drop} ~~stick~~ of
water.

After 4 days we were marched to train and we were too weak to walk
but helped one another and went to village and put into a shed without
door or windows and spent 7 weeks working on railways and Depots, no
bedding and food say $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. bread and 2 oz. sausage and soup of sour
croot and turnips for a day, we worked from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. with half
hour for lunch, but we had eaten all before we left. In the evening
would get sour croot.

If a man straightened his back to rest, his bread would be stopped
next day, men got weak, and were hit with sticks or rifles and kicked

by the guards who were armed . If a man fainted I often saw a bucket of water thrown over him as he lay.

I saw an old Australian who couldn't walk to shed in the evening beaten by the escort, from the effects of which he died soon after.

After 7 weeks of reprisal for which we had no payment, we were removed to another place and given straw sacks and one blanket, and food about same as before and put to work in the forest making charcoal 7 hours a day.

We got to Germany ~~Emas~~ 1917 to Fredericksfield Camp and there on our arrival we were so bad the doctor ordered us to bed for 4 days and other British Prisoners tended on us, after 11 days went to---camp, where we had some parcels from the Red Cross of England which were in g good condition, we could write a Post card one week and a letter the next, which were censored.

I received at Gustrow all parcels and letters and money sent to me from Newfoundland. I worked there on parcel post for the prisoners while at Gustrow and while there we gave away our German food for firing to cook our own food by parcels Red Cross on which we mostly lived while there.

After getting our parcels we had not much hardship in clothes or food, and had a bath once a week.

After Armistice we went by train to Sea port and by steamer to Denmark and from Denmark to Scotland.

(Sgd). Levi Bellows, Sergt. (903)

Curling East.

Taken before me at Curling Bay of Islands

March 10th 1920.

William Scott, J.P.

Magistrate.

Statement

Re
Treatment of
Prisoners
in
Germany
in
War

Carlina B. Ochs
Newfoundland

Feb 1920 *C.O.S.*

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fire, at a village behind the enemy line, I was
stripped of shoulder Badges, my watch, cigarettes etc,
we were taken at 6.30 A.M. & were marching until
midnight, with only 1 piece Black bread & water,
we got with our Helmets by road side.

We were billeted at Douai France, had every
little food for 3 days and 3rd day were told we
would be sent to Germany, instead we were sent to
a Fort in Lille F. and about 60 in a cell close
confinement, slept on concrete floor, no bedding
what ever, floor wet, a barrel size of Port barrel
in the corner was our Water Closet, never removed
until it was over-flowed, then would be emptied by
Prisoners under escort & then Chlor of Lime was put
around the corner for disinfectant - which almost
blinded us for some hours.

For food 1/4 lb Black bread and small quantity
of so called Sours Broot - which we could not eat, for
24 hours & with that a small drop of water.

After 4 days we were marched to Grain & most were too weak to walk, but helped one another, and went to a Village, and put into a Shed without doors or windows and spent 4 weeks, working on Railways and Depots, no Bedding and food say $3/4$ lb Bread & 2 oz Sausage & Soup of Sour Croot & Turnips for a day, we worked from 6. A.M. to 4. P.M. with half hour for Lunch, but we had eaten all before we left, in the evening would get Sour Croot.

If a man straightened his back to rest, his bread would be stopped next day, men got weak, and were hit with sticks or Rifles and flogged by the guards who were armed, if a man fainted, I often saw a bucket of water thrown over him as he lay.

I saw an old Australian who could not walk to Shed in the evening beaten by the Escort, from the effects of which he died soon after.

After 4 weeks of reprisal for which we had no payment, we were removed to another place and given straw sacks & one blanket, and food about same as before & put to work in the Forest making Charcoal 4 hours a day.

We got to Germany & was 1914 to Fredericksfield Camp & there on our arrival we were so bad the Doctor ordered us to bed for 4 days and other British Prisoners tended on us, after 11 days went to Gustow Camp, where we had some parcels

from the Red Cross of England which were in good condition, we could write a Post-Card one week & a letter the next, which were censored.

I received at Gustrów all parcels & letters & money sent to me from Newfoundland. I worked these on Parcel Post for the Prisoners while at Gustrów & while there we gave away our German food for firing to cook our own food by Parcels Red Cross on which we mostly lived while there.

After getting our Parcels we had not much hardship in clothes or food, & had a Bath once a week.

After Armistice we went by Train to Seaport and by Steamer to Denmark & from Denmark to Iceland

Signed Levi Bellows, Sergt-
Curling East. No 903

Taken before me
at Curling Board

March 10th 1920

Wm. Keast, Jr.
Magistrate



Magistrate's Office.

Bon Islands M
Mch 10th 1920

To Militia Dept.
St. John's.

Memo.

This Lt Soldier
came from a distant part
of Bonados and did not
bring the usual form
sent to him.

No doubt you can
find that part of it.

Wm. Scott, Jr.

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STATEMENT OF PRISONER OF WAR.

Statement Re Treatment, while Prisoner in Germany
from April 14th 1917 to Xmas Day 1918 of Sergeant
Levi Bellows 903, Newfoundland Regiment.

Volunteered at Curling Dec. 23rd 1914, was in Infantry at
Monchy April 14th 1917, ordered to take objective 5 a.m. and went
over, reached our objective at say 5.30, lost heavily. My ammunition
all gone and only 100 left of the Battalion, we were outflanked and
surrounded and with ~~the~~ 4 others were taken by the enemy and marched
clear of our shell fire at a village behind the enemy line. I was
stripped of shoulder badges, my watch, cigarettes etc. we were taken
at 6.30 a.m. and were marching until midnight, with only one piece of
black bread and water, we got with our helmets by road side.

We were billeted at Douai, France had very little food for 3 days
and the third day were told we would be sent to Germany, instead we
were sent to a Fort in Lille, France and about 60 in a cell close con-
finement, slept on concrete floor, no bedding whatever, floor wet, a
barrel, size of a barrel size of pork in the corner was our water
closet, never removed until it was flowed, then would be emptied by
Prisoners under escort and then lime was put around the corner for
disinfectant which almost blinded us for some hours.

For food $\frac{1}{2}$ Black bread and small quantity of so called sour soup
which we couldn't eat, for 24 hours and with that a small ^{drop} ~~stick~~ of
water.

After 4 days we were marched to train and we were too weak to walk
but helped one another and went to village and put into a shed without
door or windows and spent 7 weeks working on railways and Depots, no
bedding and food say $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. bread and 2 oz. sausage and soup of sour
croot and turnips for a day, we worked from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. with half
hour for lunch, but we had eaten all before we left. In the evening
would get sour croot.

If a man straightened his back to rest, his bread would be stopped
next day, men got weak, and were hit with sticks or rifles and kicked

by the guards who were armed . If a man fainted I often saw a bucket of water thrown over him as he lay.

I saw an old Australian who couldn't walk to shed in the evening beaten by the escort, from the effects of which he died soon after.

After 7 weeks of reprisal for which we had no payment, we were removed to another place and given straw sacks and one blanket, and food about same as before and put to work in the forest making charcoal 7 hours a day.

We got to Germany Xmas 1917 to Fredericksfield Camp and there on our arrival we were so bad the doctor ordered us to bed for 4 days and other British Prisoners tended on us, after 11 days went to---camp, where we had some parcels from the Red Cross of England which were in good condition, we could write a Post card one week and a letter the next, which were censored.

I received at Gustrow all parcels and letters and money sent to me from Newfoundland. I worked there on parcel post for the prisoners while at Gustrow and while there we gave away our German food for firing to cook our own food by parcels Red Cross on which we mostly lived while there.

After getting our parcels we had not much hardship in clothes or food, and had a bath once a week.

After Armistice we went by train to Sea port and by steamer to Denmark and from Denmark to Scotland.

(Sgd). Levi Bellows, Sergt. (903)

Curling East.

Taken before me at Curling Bay of Islands
March 10th 1920.

William Scott, J.P.

Magistrate.

File No. 1572

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

	NAME OF CORRESPONDENT OR PURPORT OF COMMUNICATION	Cross References
	<i>Bellows</i> <u><i>Bellows Levi</i></u>	125-4

~~903~~

Date	P.A. or B.F.	Initials	Referred to	FOR REMARKS	Initials	Date
				(If purpose for which referred cannot be expressed on one line, add minute to file and enter here "With Minute")		

P. No. 1575

#903

Bellows Levi

Pension @ $5\frac{3}{2}$ from $1\frac{1}{2}$ to $20\frac{10}{21}$

5143.

P. No 1575

Bellows Levi

Pension @ 7^{97} from 1.1.20 to 20.4.20

5^{32} 21.4.20 31.12.20

10% Increase

29 22

44 33

7 35

73 - 55

7 35

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Pension No. 1575

Regt. No. 903 Rank Sgt Name Levi Bellows

Corps. served with Royal Newfoundland Regt

Date of Medical Board October 25. 21

Pensionable Disability Nil for _____ months.

Pension granted: \$ Nil per month for _____ months.

Total authorized amount \$ Nil

or Gratuity granted: \$ _____ payable in _____ equal monthly installments.

Granted to:-

Name Levi Bellows

Address Bay of Islands
City.

NOTED
DATE 7/11/21
INITIALS RS ✓

Date case disposed of: NOV 19 1921

Approved by:

Members of Board

NOTED
DATE 7/11/21
INITIALS MM

Chairman.
[Signature]

Remarks:

Report of Medical Board.

Station St. John's, Nfld. Date OCTOBER 25TH., 1921.
 No. and Rank 903 SERGEANT Age 23 YEARS Height 5'10"
 Name LEVI BELLOWES Complexion FAIR
 Unit Royal Newfoundland Eyes GREY Hair BLACK
 Address BAY OF ISLANDS
 Former Trade FIREMAN
 Enlisted at ST. JOHN'S On 23.12.14 (The Board will please note how the soldier's appearance corresponds with above description).
 Disease or Disability Original WEAKNESS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH ON EXERTION

Subsequent

Present Condition (Compare with previous Board)

Wt. 166 1/2 lbs June 26. Well developed, healthy looking. Heart action normal, good response to exertion. Nothing in lungs.

THE ENTIRE DISABILITY: To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a livelihood in the general labour market?

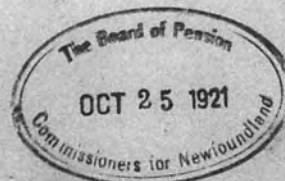
PENSIONABLE DISABILITY: To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened by that proportion of his disability due to or incurred during service? *nil*

Recommendation of Medical Board

Members of Board

[Signature]

[Signature]



1575

Nov. 7, 1931.

Mr. Levi Bellows,
Bay of Haida,
City.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to inform you
that at your last Medical Board, your disability was found
to be not NIL.

You are therefore, under the War
Pension's Act, not entitled to any further pension from this De-
partment.

Yours faithfully,

SECRETARY.

BT.

Oct. 3rd/21

The Station Agent,
Curling,
Bay of Islands.

Dear Sir:-

Kindly supply Ex-Pte. Levi Bellows with first class passage, meals and sleeper to St. John's and charge same to the Board of Pension Commissioners for Nfld.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

EBD.

1575'

October 27th/21

The Reid Newfoundland Co.,
City.

Dear Sirs:-

Kindly supply Ex-Pte. Levi Bellows with first class passage, meals and sleeper, to Curling and charge same to the Board of Pension Commissioners for Nfld.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

EBD.

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THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pension No.. 1575

Regt. No. 903 Rank Sgt. Name Levi Bellows

Corps Served with ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Date of Medical Board March 26/21

Pensionable disability 10% for 6 months

Pension Granted: \$5.32 per month for 6 months

Total Authorized amount \$31.92

or Gratuity Granted:

\$ Payable in equal monthly instalments.

Granted to:-

Name Levi Bellows

Address Bay of Islds.

NOTED
DATE 9-4-21
INITIALS BCL ✓

Date case disposed of

Approved by:

Members of Board

A. C. C. P. Chairman

W. H. Brown

NOTED
DATE 9/4/21
INITIALS MMY

Remarks:

FORM FOR HISTORY AND MEDICAL RE-EXAMINATIONS OF PENSIONERS.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

TO MEDICAL EXAMINER:
Medical Report required; review date:—

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland,
Date MARCH 15, 1921.

AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

The Secretary, Board of Pension
Commissioners for Newfoundland.

Per.....

Regimental No. 903 Rank SERGEANT
Name LEVI BELLOWES. ADDRESS: BAY OF ISLANDS.
Unit ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

DESCRIPTION OF PENSIONER:

Apparent Age 23 YEARS Height 5' 10" Colour of Eyes GREY
Complexion FAIR Colour of Hair BLACK Weight

Marks of Identification:

APRIL 1ST., 1919:

LOOKS IN PERFECT CONDITION. HEART SOUNDS NORMAL. REGULAR HEART'S ACTION. AUSCULTATION LUNGS SHOWS SLIGHT BLOWING SOUNDS IN RIGHT SIDE OVER THIRD AND FOURTH RIBS, OTHERWISE NORMAL. A SLOW PULSE WITH SOME SUSPICION OF IRREGULARITY IN HEART'S ACTION. EASILY TIRED AND SHORT OF BREATH ON EXERTION.

AUGUST 14TH., 1919:

HEART SOUNDS NORMAL. IN APRIL WEIGHT 193 (WITH CLOTHES) WEIGHT NOW 170 (WITH CLOTHES) BLOWING SOUNDS OVER REGION OF THIRD AND FOURTH RIBS SLIGHT.

OCTOBER 14TH., 1919:

HEART SOUNDS NORMAL. WEIGHT 170 LBS. CANNOT DETECT BLOWING BREATHING. WEAKNESS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH ON EXERTION. HEART CONDITION NORMAL.

MAY 20TH., 1920:

HEART SOUNDS NORMAL. SLIGHT BLOWING BREATHING OVER THIRD AND FOURTH RIBS. WEIGHT 165 LBS. WEAKNESS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH ON EXERTION.

SEPTEMBER 30TH., 1920:

BLOWING BREATHING OVER RIGHT THIRD AND FOURTH RIBS. HEART NORMAL. WEAKNESS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH ON EXERTION, MORE MARKED. WEIGHT WITH CLOTHES 155

DISABILITY FOR WHICH PENSION HAS BEEN AWARDED:

WEAKNESS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH ON EXERTION.

MEDICAL REPORT.

(1) Are you satisfied that the man presenting himself for examination is the pensioner named and described on page 1?

Yes

(2) Give a definite detailed description of the present condition.

Heart-normal, Weakness and shortness of breath on exertion. Blowing breathing over right-third and fourth ribs. Weight-with clothes 155 lbs.

Special Questions:—

This is to certify that I have read, or have heard read, the above description of my disabling condition, that I find it to be correctly and satisfactorily stated, and have not withheld any information concerning any disability resulting from service. I also wish to state that my complaints are:— (If there are no complaints, it will be so stated.)

Signature

F. Fisher

Pensioner's signature

Lee Bellows

of Witness

3 (a) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has been contracted, or aggravated, while on Active Service.-

Weakness and shortness of breath on exertion

(b) NON-PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has not been contracted or aggravated, while on Active Service.)

4 (a) To what extent, if any, have the disabilities diminished or increased since last examination? *Remains about same*

(b) If increased or undiminished, is increase or failure to diminish due to intemperance, improper conduct or neglect to exercise reasonable care required by the nature of the disabling condition?

5 Will disabilities materially increase or diminish? *Should diminish with rest-*

6 Are the disabilities permanent? *No*

7 (a) Is pensioner wearing an artificial appliance for disability due to or aggravated by service? *no necessary*

(b) Should he continue to do so? *—*

(c) If so, is any alteration in the form of the present appliance recommended? *—*

(d) If any appliance is necessary? *No*

8 (a) Would treatment reduce the pensioner's disability, or increase his comfort? *yes*

(b) Nature of treatment advised *Rest-at-home*

(c) Is pensioner willing to accept treatment advised? *yes*

(d) If not, is his refusal reasonable? *—*

Approved by Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland APR 2 1917

REFUSAL OF TREATMENT:—This is to certify that I thoroughly understand the nature of the treatment advised (To be completed when treatment advised has been refused.)

and refuse to accept the same for the following reasons:

Pensioner's signature

The foregoing report submitted by

Signature *F. Fisher* Medical Examiner.

Place *Curlew*

Date *March 26th*

Members (of a Board)

The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the representative of the District Office of the Board of Pension Commissioners.

(In cases in which medical re-examination is being made by a medical practitioner in accordance with the second to last paragraph of page 1 hereof the medical practitioner will fill in such answers.)

9 (a) Has pensioner married since last medical re-examination? *Married about 1 year*

9 (b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a wife? *—*

10 (a) Has a child been born to pensioner since last medical re-examination? *No*

10 (b) If, so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a child? *—*

11 If pensioner was married, has his wife died since last medical re-examination? *No*
(State date of death.)

12 Have any of pensioner's children died since last medical re-examination? *—*
(State date of death and names of children who have died.)

Place *Curlew*

Date *March 26th*



Head of District Office, (or Medical Practitioner.)

F. Fisher

THE BOARD OF PENSION INVESTIGATORS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pension No. 1575

Regt. No. 905 Rank Sergt. Name Levi Bellows,

Corps served with ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Date of Medical Board September 30th., 1920.

Pensionable disability 10% for 6 months

Pension Granted: \$ 5.32 per month for 6 months

Total Authorized amount \$ 31.92

or Gratuity Granted:

\$ 31.92 Payable in _____ equal monthly instalments.

Granted to:-

Name Levi Bellows,

Address Bay of Islands.

Date case disposed of _____

Approved by:

Members of Board

W. G. Brown Chairman

J. G. Jones

W. G. Brown

S. G. G. G.

Remarks:

FORM FOR HISTORY AND MEDICAL RE-EXAMINATIONS OF PENSIONERS.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

TO MEDICAL EXAMINER:
Medical Report required; review date:—

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland,

Date Sept. 22, 1920.

AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

The Secretary, Board of Pension
Commissioners for Newfoundland.

Per.....

Regimental No. 903 Rank SERGEANT
Name LEVI BEDLWS ADDRESS : BAY OF ISLANDS.
Unit ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

DESCRIPTION OF PENSIONER:

Apparent Age 22 YEARS Height 5' 10" Colour of Eyes GREY
Complexion FAIR Colour of Hair BLACK Weight

Marks of Identification:

APRIL 1ST., 1919:

LOOKS IN PERFECT CONDITION. HEART SOUNDS NORMAL. REGULAR HEART'S ACTION. AUSCULTATION LUNGS SHOWS SLIGHT BLOWING SOUNDS IN RIGHT SIDE OVER THIRD AND FOURTH RIBS, OTHERWISE NORMAL. A SLOW PULSE WITH SOME SUSPICION OF IRREGULARITY IN HEART'S ACTION. EASILY TIRED AND SHORT OF BREATH ON EXERTION.

AUGUST 14TH., 1919:

HEART SOUNDS NORMAL. IN APRIL WEIGHT 193 (WITH CLOTHES) WEIGHT NOW 170 (WITH CLOTHES) BLOWING SOUNDS OVER REGION OF THIRD AND FOURTH RIBS SLIGHT.

OCTOBER 14TH., 1919:

HEART SOUNDS NORMAL. WEIGHT 170 LBS. CANNOT DETECT BLOWING BREATHING. WEAKNESS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH ON EXERTION. HEART CONDITION NORMAL.

MAY 20TH., 1920:

HEART SOUNDS NORMAL. SLIGHT BLOWING BREATHING OVER THIRD AND FOURTH RIBS WEIGHT 165 LBS. WEAKNESS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH ON EXERTION.

DISABILITY FOR WHICH PENSION HAS BEEN AWARDED:

WEAKNESS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH ON EXERTION

MEDICAL REPORT.

(1) Are you satisfied that the man presenting himself for examination is the pensioner named and described on page 1?

yes

(2) Give a definite detailed description of the present condition.

Blowing breathing over right-third & fourth ribs. Heart-normal. Weakness and shortness of breath on exertion more marked. Weight with clothes 155 lbs.

has not been obliged to be hospitalized since joining

0/0

Heart - faint and irregular
Suffered from -
treatment -
of -

Special Questions:—

1/11/1918

This is to certify that I have read, or have heard read, the above description of my disabling condition, that I find it to be correctly and satisfactorily stated, and have not withheld any information concerning any disability resulting from service. I also wish to state that my complaints are:—
(If there are no complaints, it will be so stated.)

Signature

F. Fisher

Pensioner's signature

Levi Bellows

of Witness

3 (a) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has been contracted, or aggravated, while on Active Service.-

Weakness and shortness of breath on exertion

(b) NON-PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has not been contracted or aggravated, while on Active Service.)

4 (a) To what extent, if any, have the disabilities diminished or increased since last examination?

Have increased slightly

(b) If increased or undiminished, is increase or failure to diminish due to intemperance, improper conduct or neglect to exercise reasonable care required by the nature of the disabling condition?

Having been obliged to work too hard

5 Will disabilities materially increase or diminish? *Should diminish*

6 Are the disabilities permanent? *No*

7 (a) Is pensioner wearing an artificial appliance for disability due to or aggravated by service? *No*

(b) Should he continue to do so? *—*

(c) If so, is any alteration in the form of the present appliance recommended? *—*

(d) If any appliance is necessary? *Not necessary*

8 (a) Would treatment reduce the pensioner's disability, or increase his comfort? *Yes*

(b) Nature of treatment advised *Rest - fresh air & forced feeding*

(c) Is pensioner willing to accept treatment advised? *Says he cannot accept*

(d) If not, is his refusal reasonable? *treatment as he has a wife & mother and father to support*

REFUSAL OF TREATMENT:—This is to certify that I thoroughly understand the nature of the treatment advised (To be completed when treatment advised has been refused.)

and refuse to accept the same for the following reasons: *Impossible to remain*

idle. Takes all my time to get enough for dependents to live

The foregoing report submitted by Pensioner's signature *Geo Bellows*

Signature *F Fisher* Medical Examiner.

Place *Quirling*

Date *Sept. 30*

Approved 10/9/30 W.S.P.

Members (of a Board)

The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the representative of the District Office of the Board of Pension Commissioners.

(In cases in which medical re-examination is being made by a medical practitioner in accordance with the second to last paragraph of page 1 hereof the medical practitioner will fill in such answers.)

9 (a) Has pensioner married since last medical re-examination? *married last Monday April*

9 (b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a wife? *—*

10 (a) Has a child been born to pensioner since last medical re-examination? *yes child dead born*

10 (b) If, so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a child? *—*

11 If pensioner was married, has his wife died since last medical re-examination? *No*
(State date of death.)

12 Have any of pensioner's children died since last medical re-examination?
(State date of death and names of children who have died.)

Place *Quirling*

Date *Sept. 30*



F Fisher
Head of District Office,
(or Medical Practitioner.)

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEW YORK AND

FOR THE HISTORY AND HEALTH INVESTIGATIONS OF PENSIONERS

AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
The number of years of service
The number of years of pension
The number of years of disability

NAME
ADDRESS
DATE OF BIRTH
AGE
SEX
MARRIAGE

REMARKS
The following is a list of the pensioners who have been awarded a pension on the basis of disability...

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DISABILITY FOR WHICH PENSION HAS BEEN AWARDED:

REMARKS

REMARKS
The following is a list of the pensioners who have been awarded a pension on the basis of disability...

Disability for which pension has been awarded:—

THE BOARD OF PENSION AND STIPENDS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pension No.. 1575

Regt. No. 903 Rank SGT. Name LEVI BELLOWS.

Corps Served with ROYAL N.W.FOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Date of Medical Board MAY 20TH. 1920.

Pensionable disability 10% for 6 months

Pension Granted: \$ 5.32 per month for 6 months

Total Authorized amount \$ 31.92

or Gratuity Granted:
Payable in _____ equal monthly instalments.

Granted to:-

Name Levi Bellows.

Address Bay of Islands.

Date case disposed of _____

Approved by:

Members of Board

[Signature] Chairman

[Signature]

Remarks:

[Handwritten signatures and initials]

Levi Bellows
[Signature]

THE DECLARATION AT BOTTOM MUST BE COMPLETED.

This Form applies to ALL Pensioners.

CLAIM FOR PENSION

TO THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

If your address has been changed, correct this address. Lenie Bellows Pension No. 1575 (This space to be left blank.)
Curling
Bay of Islands

I hereby solemnly declare that my name, address and pension number are correctly set forth above and that I am entitled to a pension from the Dominion of Newfoundland for the coming month.
(This declaration applies to female pensioners only.)

I hereby solemnly declare that I have not contracted marriage since my pension was first awarded to me.
(This allowance applies to Pensioners receiving allowances for children.)

I hereby solemnly declare that the undermentioned children are being cared for by me and that I am entitled to receive allowances for them; that the boys are under the age of sixteen years; that the girls are under the age of seventeen years; and that none of the undermentioned children have contracted marriage or have died.

PARTICULARS OF CHILDREN.

	NAME IN FULL	DATE OF BIRTH			NAME IN FULL	DATE OF BIRTH	
		Day	Month			Year	Day
1					6		
2					7		
3					8		
4					9		
5					10		

(This declaration applies to married disabled pensioners only.)

I hereby solemnly declare that I am the wife of the above named pensioner. Wife must sign (or make mark) here.....

If Pensioner cannot write he or she must make his or her mark in the presence of a Postmaster or in the presence of a representative of the Board of Pension Commissioners or before a Commissioner for the taking of Oaths or Bank Manager.

ALL PENSIONERS MUST SIGN (OR MAKE MARK) HERE..... L. Bellows

DECLARATION BY A DISINTERESTED PERSON

I Archibald Leggs of Curling T.H.W.
(Name in full) (Street and Number)
St. Johns Dist. in the (Province or State) of
(City, town or village)

in the..... hereby solemnly declare that: I have known the person who signed the foregoing Claim for Pension for 4 years, and I verily believe that (he or she) is the pensioner (he or she) represents (himself or herself) to be; that the foregoing claim for Pension was made and signed in my presence by the said pensioner, that I have read the foregoing claim for Pension, that the facts stated therein are true and that the children named therein are all alive.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath.

Declared and subscribed before me
at Curling this 31 day of May 1919
Signature J. P. [unclear]
Address Curling Nfld
Signature Archibald Leggs
Address Curling
Occupation Draper

NOTE.—This declaration must be signed THIS MONTH before a representative of the Board of Pension Commissioners or before a person authorized to administer an oath.

FORM FOR HISTORY AND MEDICAL RE-EXAMINATIONS OF PENSIONERS**THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.**

TO MEDICAL EXAMINER:
 Medical Report required; review date:—
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland,

Date MARCH 18TH. 1920.The Secretary, Board of Pension
Commissioners for Newfoundland.

Per.....

Regimental No. **903.**Rank **SERGT.**Name **LEVI BELLOWS.**Unit **ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND**ADDRESS: **BAY OF ISLANDS.**

DESCRIPTION OF PENSIONER:

Apparent Age **28**Height **5'10"**Colour of Eyes **GREY**Complexion **FAIR**

Colour of Hair

BLACK

Weight

Marks of Identification:

APRIL 1ST, 1919

Looks in perfect condition. Heart sounds normal. Regular Heart's
 action Auscultation. Lungs shows slight blowing sounds in right
 side over third and fourth ribs, otherwise normal.

AUGUST 14TH, 1919

Heart sounds normal. In April weight 193 (with clothes) Weight
 now 170. (with clothes) Blowing sounds over region of third and fourth
 ribs slight.

DISABILITY;— **WEAKNESS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH ON EXERTION.**

REPORT ON HISTORY AND MEDICAL EXAMINATION OF PENSIONERS

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Sir John's Newfoundland

DALHOUSIE ST. ST. JOHN'S

The Secretary, Board of Pensions
Commissioners for Newfoundland

PHYSICAL EXAMINER

Name of Examinee (with number, review date)

AS SOOT & FOSTER

Pension No. 607

Rank LEVT

REGIMENT ROYAL NEW BRUNSWICK

REGIMENT OF PIONEERS

Height 5' 10"

Local of birth

Complexion

Color of Hair

BLACK

Weight

Place of birth

Age

Looks in better condition. Heart sounds normal. Lungs show slight bluish tinge in right side over the 6th rib, otherwise normal.

Number of teeth

Teeth normal. A few well set (with spaces) white
now 200 (with spaces) - showing some even wear of teeth and some
also slight.

REMARKS: -
WEAKNESS AND DEPRESSION OF VISION

MEDICAL REPORT.

- (1) Are you satisfied that the man presenting himself for examination is the pensioner named and described on page 12 *yes*
- (2) Give a definite detailed description of the present condition.

*Heart sounds normal
Slight blowing breathing over stum
and fourth ribs. Weight - 165 lbs
Weakness and shortness of
breath on exertion.*

Special Questions:—

The answers to the foregoing questions are to be filed in by the representative of the District Office of the Board of Pension Commissioners.

- 9 (a) Has the pensioner married since his medical re-examination?
- 9 (b) Has he been receiving the additional allowance for a child?
- 10 (a) Has a child been born to pensioner since last medical re-examination?
- 10 (b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a child?

This is to certify that I have read, or have heard read, the above description of my disabling condition, that I find it to be correctly and satisfactorily stated, and have not withheld any information concerning any disability resulting from service. I also wish to state that my complaints are:—
(If there are no complaints, it will be so stated.)

12 Have any of pensioner's children died since last medical re-examination? (State date of death and name of children who have died.)

Signature *F. Fisher* Pensioner's signature *Sam. Butler*
of Witness

3 (a) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has been contracted, or aggravated, while on Active Service.)

Weakness and shortness of breath

(b) NON-PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has not been contracted, or aggravated, while on Active Service.)

Nil

4 (a) To what extent, if any, have the disabilities diminished or increased since last examination?

About stationary

(b) If increased or undiminished, is increase or failure to diminish due to intemperance, improper conduct or neglect to exercise reasonable care required by the nature of the disabling condition?

5 Will disabilities materially increase or diminish?

Should diminish

6 Are the disabilities permanent?

With treatment No

7 (a) Is pensioner wearing an artificial appliance for disability due to or aggravated by service?

No

(b) Should he continue to do so?

No

(c) If so, is any alteration in the form of the present appliance recommended?

—

(d) If any appliance is necessary?

No

8 (a) Would treatment reduce the pensioner's disability, or increase his comfort?

Yes

(b) Nature of treatment advised.

Rest & treatment at sanatorium

(c) Is pensioner willing to accept treatment advised?

Yes

(d) If not, is his refusal reasonable?

—

REFUSAL OF TREATMENT:—This is to certify that I thoroughly understand the nature of the treatment advised and refuse to accept the same for the following reasons:

(To be completed when treatment advised has been refused.)

.....

The foregoing report submitted by

Pensioner's signature *Lea Bellows*

Signature *F Fisher*

Medical Examiner.

Place *Lombing*

Date *May 20th - 20*

Members (of a Board)

The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the representative of the District Office of the Board of Pension Commissioners.

(In cases in which medical re-examination is being made by a medical practitioner in accordance with the second to last paragraph of page 1 hereof the medical practitioner will fill in such answers.)

9 (a) Has pensioner married since last medical re-examination? *Yes*

9 (b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a wife? *No*

10 (a) Has a child been born to pensioner since last medical re-examination? *No*

10 (b) If, so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a child? *—*

11 If pensioner was married, has his wife died since last medical re-examination? *No*

(State date of death.)

12 Have any of pensioner's children died since last medical re-examination? *—*

(State date of death and names of children who have died.)



Place *Lombing*

Date *May 23 - 20*

F Fisher
Suggest 10% Bonus
Army Macpherson told

Head of District Office. (or Medical Practitioner.)

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pension No. 1575

Regt. No. 903 Rank Sgt Name Levi Bellows

Corps served with ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Date of Medical Board Oct 17/19

Pensionable Disability 1570 for 6 months

Pension Granted: \$ 7.97 per month for 6 months

Total Authorized amount \$ 47.82
7.97 x 6 = 47.82

or Gratuity Granted: Payable in equal monthly instalments

Granted to:

Name Levi Bellows

Address Bay of Islands

Date case disposed of _____

Approved by:

Members of Board

Lucie no. Chairman

W. Parsons

Leto
pro.
Geo.

Remarks:

7.97
12
94.44 8
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MEMBER
BOND

N.M.D. Form 98.

The Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland

1575

In replying please mention Date and

All communications should be addressed to the
DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES,
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA, NFLD.

No.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

October 14th., 1919.

To:— F. Fisher, Esq., M. D.,
Curling, Bay of Islands.From:—The Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Sir:—

The Board of Pension Commissioners requiring a report on the
Pensioner named in the margin, kindly notify him to appear before
you AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Name

903, SGT. LEVI BELLOWES

You will find a form on which to record your examinations on
pages 2 and 3.Pensioner will be notified to appear before you on whatever
date you will find convenient.

Address

BAY OF ISLANDS.

If another Registered Medical Practitioner is in your neigh-
bourhood, or likely to be there during the week, it is preferable that
you should both examine the Pensioner at the same time, and both
sign report.

The form when **fully** completed, signed and dated, is to be re-
turned by the president of the Board of Medical Examiners to the
undersigned.

If the pensioner neglects to present himself for examination
within a reasonable period, you will please telegraph the fact to the
undersigned.

If it is necessary for the pensioner to travel, in order to present
himself for examination, bills for Transport should be certified by
you and forwarded to the undersigned.

The fee laid down by the Board of Pension Commissioners for
such examination is ~~One dollar (\$1.00)~~ for each Doctor for each
examination.

(\$3.00)

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

THE SECRETARY

BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NFLD.

DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES.

TO THE MEDICAL BOARD, OR MEDICAL EXAMINER

The Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland requires a report on the present condition of the pensioner named on page one of this form.

The object of the report is to enable the Board to decide the question of continuance of pension.

The identity of the pensioner should be established, to prevent personation; for that purpose the description of the pensioner follows:

(If incomplete or imperfect, amplification or correction is required)

DESCRIPTION OF PENSIONER:—

Apparent age..... 26 Height..... 5' 10" Colour of Eyes..... GREY
Complexion..... FAIR . COLOUR OF HAIR: BLACK Marks of Identification

A description of the disabling condition of the pensioner, as given by the Board of Medical Officers held on AUGUST 14th 1919 and other necessary information, follows:—

Condition of Pensioner:—

HEART SOUNDS NORMAL. IN APRIL WEIGHT (WITH CLOTHES) 193.
WEIGHT NOW 170 (WITH CLOTHES) BLOWING SOUNDS OVER REGION
OF THIRD AND FOURTH RIBS SLIGHT.
WEAKNESS AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH ON EXERTION.

DISABILITY: SHORTNESS OF BREATH.

Signature (or mark) of the pensioner, for identification only, to be procured at the time of examination, and placed on page 4.

N.B.—The description of the pensioner should record all marks or peculiarities by which he may be identified.

The description of the condition of the pensioner, history, &c., as given above contains the essential information available to assist the Medical Board in making its report.

The whole purpose of the Medical Report on page 3 is to give an accurate description of the condition of the pensioner.

PENSIONERS MUST NOT BE INFORMED OF THE EXTENT AT WHICH THEIR
DISABILITY IS ESTIMATED

MEDICAL REPORT

(An answer to each of these questions is desired; they are not to be altered. If further space is required for the answers, please use page 4.)

- (1) Are you satisfied that the man presenting himself for examination is the pensioner named on page 1, and described on page 2?
- (2) Give a DEFINITE DETAILED DESCRIPTION of the PRESENT STATE of the DISABLING CONDITION, stating time and cause of any appreciable change in the extent of the DISABILITY. If there is a new disabling condition not described on page 2, it is essential that a complete history of its origin be given, and if attributed to service, the reasons for this opinion should be definitely stated.

(Each disabling condition should be separately and conjointly estimated.)

Heart sounds normal. Weight - 170
 Cannot detect blowing breathing
 weakness and shortness of breath
 on exertion

Disability: Weakness and shortness
 of breath.

Heart condition normal

- (3) To what extent, if any, has disability diminished or increased since last examination? If increased, is increase due to intemperance or improper conduct?

Diminished slightly

- (4) Will it materially increase or diminish? *With treatment should diminish*
- (5) Is the disability permanent? *No*

- (6) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market?

(Extent should be stated in percentages)

..... 50%

- (7) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened by that portion of his disability due to or incurred during service?

(State in percentage.)

..... 50%

- (8) Would treatment reduce the pensioner's disability or increase his comfort?

yes

- (9) If so, is pensioner willing to accept such treatment, and when? *yes, any time*

If not, why?

(Recommendations regarding nature, etc., of treatment may be made on page 4.)

Place *London* President

Date *Oct. 17/19*

..... Members

Pensioner's Signature L. Bellows
Signature of Witness F. Fisher

CONTINUATION



*Approved for 15% 6 mos.
Clary Macpherson Lt. Col*

- The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the medical examiner.
- 8 (a) Has the pensioner married since last medical re-examination?
 - 8 (b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance?
 - 9 (a) Has a child been born to pensioner since last medical re-examination?
 - 9 (b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance?
 - 10 If pensioner was married, has his wife died since last medical re-examination?
.....
 - 11 Have any of pensioner's children died since last medical re-examination?
.....

Place Curling
Date Oct. 17/19
F. Fisher
Medical Examiner.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pension No. 1578

Reg't. No. 403 Rank Sgt Name Levi Bellows

Corps served with ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Date of Medical Board 1-4-19

Pensionable disability 40% for 3 months

Pension granted:

\$2.25 per month for 3 months

or Gratuity granted:

\$ payable in equal monthly insts.

Granted to:

Name Levi Bellows

Address Bay of Islands

OK
[Signature]

Date case disposed of APR 9 1919

Approved by:

Members of Board

[Signature] Chairman
[Signature]
W. J. Parsons

Remarks:

paid ?



Department of Militia, Newfoundland
Medical Department

Medical Report on an Invalid

NOTES :

- (a) This report is solely concerned with Pensions.
- (b) A single copy only is required.
- (c) "Aggravated" being now a technical term, carrying right to pension, discrimination in its use is essential.
- (d) Be as brief as possible compatible with lucidity.
- (e) Avoid dubiety—"perhaps," "possibly," "might" and the like.
- (f) Only sufficient clinical data need be given to establish the degree of disability and assist the Board in arriving at a decision.

STATEMENT OF CASE

Station.....**ST. JOHN'S**.....

Date.....**APRIL 1ST 1919**.....

- | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| 1. Unit <i>Royal Newfoundland</i> | 5. Age last birthday 25 |
| 2. Regimental No. 903 | 6. Enlisted on 23/12/14. |
| 3. Rank SGT. | at BAY OF ISLDS. |
| 4. Name BELLOWS LEVI | 7. Former trade or occupation FIREMAN (LOCO.) |

8. Disability
SHORTNESS BREATH.

9. History
 WAS TAKEN PRISONER APRIL 14/17. WAS PRACTICALLY STARVED SINCE ARRIVING HOME H
 HAS BEEN UNABLE TO WORK WITHOUT GETTING OUT OF BREATH & COMPLAINS PAIN IN REGION
 OF HEART OCCASIONALLY.

10. What is his present condition ?

LOOKS IN PERFECT CONDITION HEART SOUNDS NORMAL REGULAR HEART'S ACTION AUSCUL-
(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above).

LUNGS SHOWS SLIGHT BLOWING SOUNDS IN R. SIDE OVER 3RD. & 4TH. RIBS OTHERWISE NORMAL

Department of Military Medicine

11. Was ^{sanatorium} advised and refused ? **NO.**
operation

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit ? **YES.**

STATEMENT OF CASE

..... Signature **S.G. KEAN.**.....

..... Rank or Qualification **CAPT.**.....

Remarks if any by Officer in Charge Hospital.

Place Signature

Date Rank

Opinion of the Medical Board

In para. 13, the President should write "may" or "cannot" at x
Erase inapplicable words

13. For pension purposes, the disability x MAY be considered as aggravated by:—
due to
- (a) Service during this war. (b) ~~Climate~~. (c) ~~Ordinary Military Service~~
Remarks if any:—
14. Does the Board concur in preceding report? (see Sect. 10). If not give differing opinion and additional findings.

YES. A SLOW PULSE WITH SOME SUSPICION OF IRREGULARITY IN HEART'S ACTION EASILY TIRED & SHORT OF BREATH ON EXERTION.

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market? **40%.**
- (b) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market lessened by that portion of his disability to or incurred during service? **40% 3 MONTHS.**
- (State in percentage.)
- Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?
17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperance (b) Misconduct
18. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:— (a) Reasonable (b) Unreasonable
- Remarks if any:—

19. If fit subject for Hospital do you recommend admittance to { General Hospital
Naval and Military Convalescent Hospital,
Jensen Tuberculosis Camp.
20. We recommend discharge from retention in the Army
- Remarks if any:—

..... N. S. FRASER
President

Signatures..... J. S. TAIT

..... L. PATERSON..... MAJOR

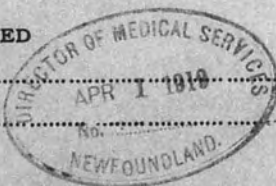
Place ST. JOHN'S

Date APRIL 1ST. 1919

APPROVED

Station

Date



(SGD) CLUNY MACPHERSON..... MAJOR.....
Administrative Medical Officer.

CODV

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. **903** Rank **Pte** Name **Bellows, Levi**
Intended place of residence **Bay of Islands**

2. Occupation **Locomotive Fireman**
Classification of soldier **B** Medical Category **E**

3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of **DEMOBILIZATION**

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.

Place **ST. JOHN'S** (sgnd) **H. Mews, Lt.**
Date **APR 4 1919** for **Commanding Discharge Depot**
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, of all financial responsibility in my connection.

Place and date **ST. JOHN'S** (sgnd) **H. Bellows**
APR 4 1919 Signature of soldier
" **J. H. Snow, Lt.**
Signature of witness

CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

6. I hereby certify that I am in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.

Place and Date **ST. JOHN'S** (sgnd) **H. Bellows**
APR 4 1919 Signature of soldier
" **W. J. Eaton**
Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service **2-1-15** No of days on Military
Discharged from service **6-4-19 plus 14 days** Service **1570**

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer i/c Records, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.

Place **ST. JOHN'S** (sgnd) **[Signature]**
APR 6 1919 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
Date

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.

Place
Date
Officer i/c Records
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

N.M.D. Form 98.

The Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland

In replying please mention Date and

All communications should be addressed to the
DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES,
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA, NFLD.

No.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

August 6th., 1919.

To:— F. Fisher, Esq., M. D.,
Curling, Bay of Islands.

From:—The Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Sir:—
The Board of Pension Commissioners requiring a report on the Pensioner named in the margin, kindly notify him to appear before you AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Name

903, Sgt. Levi Bellows

You will find a form on which to record your examinations on pages 2 and 3.

Pensioner will be notified to appear before you on whatever date you will find convenient.

Address

Bay of Islands.

If another Registered Medical Practitioner is in your neighbourhood, or likely to be there during the week, it is preferable that you should both examine the Pensioner at the same time, and both sign report.

The form when fully completed, signed and dated, is to be returned by the president of the Board of Medical Examiners to the undersigned.

If the pensioner neglects to present himself for examination within a reasonable period, you will please telegraph the fact to the undersigned.

If it is necessary for the pensioner to travel, in order to present himself for examination, bills for Transport should be certified by you and forwarded to the undersigned.

The fee laid down by the Board of Pension Commissioners for such examination is ~~One dollar (\$1.00)~~ for each Doctor for each examination.

(\$3.00)

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

Cluny Macpherson

DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES.

TO THE MEDICAL BOARD, OR MEDICAL EXAMINER

The Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland requires a report on the present condition of the pensioner named on page one of this form.

The object of the report is to enable the Board to decide the question of continuance of pension.

The identity of the pensioner should be established, to prevent personation; for that purpose the description of the pensioner follows:

(If incomplete or imperfect, amplification or correction is required)

DESCRIPTION OF PENSIONER:—

Apparent age.....26.....Height.....5' 10".....Colour of Eyes.....GREY.....
Complexion.....FAIR.....COLOUR OF HAIR: BLACK.....Marks of Identification.....

A description of the disabling condition of the pensioner, as given by the Board of Medical Officers held on APR. 1st 1919, and other necessary information, follows:—

Condition of Pensioner:—

LOOKS IN PERFECT CONDITION. HEART SOUNDS NORMAL. REGULAR HEART'S ACTION. AUSCULTATION LUNGS SHOWS SLIGHT BLOWING SOUNDS IN RIGHT SIDE OVER 3RD AND 4TH RIBS, OTHERWISE NORMAL.

DISABILITY: SHORTNESS OF BREATH.

Signature (or mark) of the pensioner, for identification only, to be procured at the time of examination, and placed on page 4.

N.B.—The description of the pensioner should record all marks or peculiarities by which he may be identified.

The description of the condition of the pensioner, history, &c., as given above contains the essential information available to assist the Medical Board in making its report.

The whole purpose of the Medical Report on page 3 is to give an accurate description of the condition of the pensioner.

**PENSIONERS MUST NOT BE INFORMED OF THE EXTENT AT WHICH THEIR
DISABILITY IS ESTIMATED**

MEDICAL REPORT

(An answer to each of these questions is desired; they are not to be altered. If further space is required for the answers, please use page 4.)

- (1) Are you satisfied that the man presenting himself for examination is the pensioner named on page 1, and described on page 2? *Yes*
- (2) Give a DEFINITE DETAILED DESCRIPTION of the PRESENT STATE of the DISABLING CONDITION, stating time and cause of any appreciable change in the extent of the DISABILITY. If there is a new disabling condition not described on page 2, it is essential that a complete history of its origin be given, and if attributed to service, the reasons for this opinion should be definitely stated.

(Each disabling condition should be separately and conjointly estimated.)

Heart-sounds normal. In April weighed 193 (with clothes) Weighs now 170 (with clothes). Blowing sounds over region of 3rd and 4th ribs slight. Disability: Weakness and shortness of breath on exertion.

- (3) To what extent, if any, has disability diminished or increased since last examination? If increased, is increase due to intemperance or improper conduct? *About same*
- (4) Will it materially increase or diminish? *Should diminish*
- (5) Is the disability permanent? *No*
- (6) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market?

(Extent should be stated in percentages)

25%

- (7) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened by that portion of his disability due to or incurred during service?

(State in percentage.)

25%

- (8) Would treatment reduce the pensioner's disability or increase his comfort?

Yes

- (9) If so, is pensioner willing to accept such treatment, and when? *Yes any time*
If not, why?

(Recommendations regarding nature, etc., of treatment may be made on page 4.)

Place *London* President

Date *Aug. 14th*

Members

Pensioner's Signature Leri Bellows
Signature of Witness T. Fisher

CONTINUATION

Approved for 20% 3 mos.
Clayton Macpherson
Major



The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the medical examiner.

- 8 (a) Has the pensioner married since last medical re-examination? No
- 8 (b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance? _____
- 9 (a) Has a child been born to pensioner since last medical re-examination? No
- 9 (b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance? _____
- 10 If pensioner was married, has his wife died since last medical re-examination? _____
- 11 Have any of pensioner's children died since last medical re-examination? _____

Place Carling
Date Aug 14/19
Medical Examiner T. Fisher

PENSION No. 1575

REG'T No. 903

RANK Sergeant

H. Q. No.

SOLDIER'S NAME Bellows Levi

BLOCK No.

DATE PENSION COMMENCES 21-7-19

PENSIONER'S NAME Bellows Levi

WIFE'S NAME

CHILDREN'S NAMES

ANNUAL RATE	PERIOD	MONTHLY RATE	EXPIRES	AMT. PAYABLE	AUTHORIZED AMOUNT	BY
\$135.96	3	\$10.63	21-10-19	\$31.89	\$31.89	
94.44	6	\$7.97	21-4-20	\$47.82	47.82	CCD
\$63.84	6	\$5.32	20-10-20	\$31.92	\$31.92	
63.84	6	5.32	20-4-21	31.92	31.92	
\$63.84	6	\$5.32	20-10-21	\$31.92	\$31.92	CCD
		NIL		NIL		

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CREDIT

TOTAL PAYMENTS	DATE	PERIOD	DED.	ABSTRACT	CHEQUE		TOTAL AMOUNT PAID	AUTHORIZED AMOUNT	BALANCE DUE	
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	SEP 1	SEP				43.34	24.80	24.80 s	31.89 -	7.09 Cr
24.80	OCT 1	OCT				45.87	6.73	31.53 s	31.89 -	.36 Cr
	DEC 1	DEC				88.83	18.59	18.59 s	47.82 -	29.23 Cr
18.59	JAN 1	JAN				94.32	7.97	26.56 s	47.82 -	21.26 Cr
26.56	FEB 1	FEB				109.92	7.97	34.53 s	47.82 -	13.29 Cr
34.53	MAR 1	MAR				125.07	7.97	42.50 s	47.82 -	5.32 Cr
42.50	APR 1	APR				140.53	5.31	47.81 s	47.82 -	.01 Cr
	JUN 1	4 JUN				186.69	12.41	12.41 s	31.92 -	19.51 Cr
12.41	JUL 1	JUL					5.32	17.73 s	31.92 -	14.19 Cr
17.73	AUG 1	AUG					5.32	23.05 s	31.92 -	8.87 Cr
23.05	SEP 1	SEP					5.32	28.37 s	31.92 -	3.55 Cr
28.37	OCT 1	OCT					3.55	31.92 s	31.92 -	.00 Cr
	OCT 1	1				63.79	1.59	1.59 s	31.92 -	30.33 Cr
1.59	NOV 1	NOV					5.32	6.91 s	31.92 -	25.01 Cr
6.91	DEC 1	DEC					5.32	12.23 s	31.92 -	19.69 Cr

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Dec. 3rd/19

Mrs. Annora Bellows,
Curling,
Bay-of-Islands.

Dear Madam:-

Would you kindly have the attached Medical
Form filled in by a Doctor concerning your
Husband's condition.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

WHP/LBD.

1872

Sept. 2. 1919

Sir:-

The Medical Board that examined you has reported your condition, and you will be paid the sum of \$ per month for 3 months, ending Oct. 19. 1919

Not later than ten days prior to the close of this period you will be advised to submit yourself for re-examination to determine the continuance or otherwise of your allowance.

I enclose payment ^{24.50} ~~in advance for~~ from July 20 to Sept 30

Yours truly,


Asst. Secy.

*Lewis Bellamy Esq
Bay of Islands*

L. Bellows.

903.

P. R. G.

//////////////////////////////////// Chief Staff Officer (London).

11th August 9

10404/216/P&A
The Secretary,
War Office,
WHITEHALL. S.W.1.

Sir:-

NO. 903 PTE. L. BELLOWS.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

With reference to your letter 105/Infy/3064 A.G.3.L):
7/7/19 (4564): Proceedings of the trial of the above named
soldier are returned to you, necessary copies having been taken.

Thanking you for the information furnished.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Major,
For Chief Staff Officer (London).

WF/FK.

Cables and Telegrams:
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone:
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS.

ENCLOSURE

N. F. P/38.

ORIGINAL

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 10405/550/P&A

C.R. 903

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.

To
The Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

11th August 1919.

WF/FK.

SUBJECT:

No. 903 PTE. L. BELLOWS.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated December 10th. 1919 101

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

With further reference to your memorandum 115/903, 31/3/19 (3222): and this office reply thereon: Copy of Proceedings of Court Martial held at Vignacourt 31/3/17, together with minutes of correspondence exchanged with the Secretary, War Office are enclosed.

It is observed that sentence of three months Field Punishment No. 1 was remitted by the General Officer Commanding 29th Division on 8/4/17. Bellows should therefore be credited with 92 days Pay and Field Allowance at £1.10 per day = £101.20; relative N.F.P.54 is enclosed, please.

J. H. Marshall
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Payment has been made to Pte. Bellows, please.

W. P. Headlee

Lt. Col.
C.S.O.

for Minister of Militia.

V 6544

✓ 21/120 J.C.

Stammlager:

Principal-camp:

oder

or

Lazarett:

Hospital:

Limburg a. L.

Datum der Ausfertigung:

Date:

Tag:

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Zuname:

Surname:

Bellows

Vorname:

Christian name:

Lenz

Rang:

Rank:

Pf.

Reg. oder Korps:

Reg. or Corps:

1 Newfoundl. Regt.

Reg. Nr.:

Reg. Nr.:

Komp.:

Komp.:

9.

Erkennungsmarke Nr.:

Number of identification disc.:

903

Gefangennahme:

Capture:

Ort:

Place:

Monchy

Datum:

Date:

14. 4. 17

Ob verwundet,

Whether wounded,

Bezeichnung der Wunde:

Description of wound:

Geburt:

Birth:

Ort:

Place:

Newfoundl.

Datum:

Date:

1. 8. 85


Heimatort:

Home place:

Adresse des nächsten Verwandten:

Address of next-of-kin:

Bellows Bay of Islands




Change of address:

903 Pte.L.Bellows,
Kriegsgefangenen-Stammlager,
Friedrichsfeld.

Card to Miss J.Scott, Hawick dated Sept.23rd 1917.



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3062/2/P.W.

26th February 1918.

903, Sergeant L. Bellows,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Kriegsgefangenenlager,
Gustrow, Mecklenberg, Germany.

Reference your communication of 17/12/17 to the Canadian Red Cross Society. One parcel of clothing (first issue) was sent to you on 20/9/17. Two more parcels (second issue) were sent on 4/12/17, another on 14/12/17, and a pair of gloves and cap on 9/2/18. It is hoped that you have received the earlier parcels ere now, and that the later ones may be received in due course.

GB/JC

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From: 903 Sgt. Levi Bellows, Gustrow i.M.
To Canadian Red Cross Society.

F. Bellows
17th Decr. 1917.

I shall be glad if you will kindly note my change of address and arrange to have packets sent on. Up to date I have received no clothes from the Regiment. Will you please advise them.

1385/1/P.W.

28th January 1918.

903, Private E. L. Bellows,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Kriegsgefangenen-Stammlager,
Friedrichsfeld, Germany. ✓

With reference your letter 14/10/17 (253): remittances of 10/- per month can be sent to you out of your pay if you so wish. Meanwhile in compliance with your request two amounts of 10/- are being sent: one to-day and the other during the first week of February.

The Newfoundland War Contingent Association have been advised regarding your food parcels and will give the matter attention.

J.M.
GB/JC

2157/4/P&A



Secretary,
N.W.C.A.
Victoria Street,
London, S. W.

11th Feb

8

903, Pte. Levi Bellows.

Refer to your memo of 8/2/18 1389.

Postal Order for 8/- has been forwarded
to the Central Prisoners of War Committee,
for transmission to Pte. Bellows.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O.I/c Records

FM/S

Ref to Com

2/19

[Handwritten signature]



**THE NEWFOUNDLAND WAR CONTINGENT
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MISS S. KNOX.

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BANK OF MONTREAL.

58, Victoria Street.

Westminster.

8th February 1918.

Memo. to The Chief Paymaster and Officer i/c. Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.

Enclosed is postal order for 8/- which has been sent by
the Mother of 903 Pte. Levi Bellows, who is a prisoner of war,
now at Gustrow. We shall be glad if you will kindly forward
this to Pte. Bellows.

S. Knox

Secretary.

THE NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT PAY & RECORDS OFFICE	
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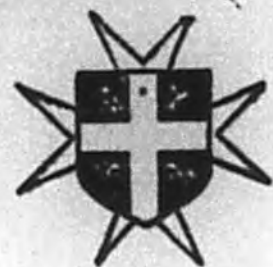
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BRITISH RED CROSS & ORDER OF ST. JOHN
CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

4, Thurloe Place, S.W.



F 967

13th Feb. 1918

Received from Newfoundland Contingent.

the sum of _____ Pounds

Eight Shillings _____ pence

for forwarding _____

CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

L — 8/-

E. Heath Jones

FINANCIAL SECRETARY.

2157/4/pfa.

BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY.

THE ORDER OF ST. JOHN
OF JERUSALEM IN ENGLAND.

CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

Lieut.-Col. IMPEY, Secretary.

Cheques should be made payable to Central Prisoners of War Committee, and crossed Barclay & Co., not negotiable.

Telegrams: Prisoners, South Kensington, London.
Telephone: Kensington 7040.

Nearest Stations { BROMPTON ROAD TUBE.
SOUTH KENSINGTON.

Please reply to:
THE SECRETARY,
Central Prisoners of War Committee
and quote..... **FINANCE DEPT:**

F. 967 McC/MF

4, THURLOE PLACE
(Nearly opposite the Brompton Oratory),
LONDON, S.W.7.

BRANCH
Pay 13th February 1918
ACTED UPON
BY [Signature]
DATE 19/2/18

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

Enclosed please find our receipt for the sum of £ - : 8 : 0 ,
to be forwarded to Pte L. Bellows, 903, Newfoundland Contgt.
a Prisoner of War in GERMANY
as per your instructions of 11th Feb:

We would point out that you will receive a further receipt, under
our name, issued by AMERICAN EXPRESS COY: who act as
our Forwarding Agents, and same will reach you in due course.

Yours faithfully

The Paymaster & O. i/c Records
Newfoundland Contingent,
58 Victoria St: S W

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No. 1570
Rec'd. 14 FEB 1918
Ack'd. [Signature]
Ans'd. [Signature]
File No.

CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

RECEIPT FOR REMITTANCE TO PRISONER



4, THURLOE PLACE, S.W. 7,
LONDON, 15th. February. 1918.

Reference No. 6623

Received from Paymaster & Officer i/c Records. Newfoundland Contingent.
the sum of 8/- (eight shillings) 58 Victoria Street. S.W. 7

Sterling.

The equivalent of which, Mks. 8.80

is to be remitted, at Sender's Risk, to the Commandant of the Prisoners of War Camp at—
Kriegsgefangenenlager. Gustrow i/Meckl.

With request that same be paid to—

Rank and Name Pte. Levi Bellows.

Regimental No. ~~1st~~ 903

Regiment (in full) Ist. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

MEMO. This amount is sent by
Mother of Payee.

FOR CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE,
AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, AS AGENTS.

Cashier.

NOTE.—The above reference number must be quoted in any enquiry or correspondence relative to the remittance. The amount of the remittance, and address of the payee, as shown on this receipt, should be carefully checked, and any discrepancy immediately brought to the attention of the COMMITTEE.

This remittance will be delivered to the Commandant of the Camp in which the party for whom it is ultimately intended is detained, or to his authorised deputy, and while every effort will be made by the Agents of the Committee to ensure the money reaching the rightful Payee, they cannot under existing conditions give any guarantee or assume any responsibility.



BRITISH RED CROSS & ORDER OF ST. JOHN
CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.



4, Thurloe Place, S.W.

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1745

2nd May

1918

Received from Newfoundland Comdt.

the sum of Pounds

ten

Shillings

pence

for

forwarding

CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

E. Heath Jones

FINANCIAL SECRETARY.

L 10/-



BRITISH RED CROSS & ORDER OF ST. JOHN
CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

4, Thurloe Place, S.W.



F 1931

23rd May 1918

Received from the Newfoundland Contingent

the sum of one Pounds

five Shillings five pence

for forwarding

CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

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E. He [Signature]

FINANCIAL SECRETARY.

BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY.

THE ORDER OF ST. JOHN
OF JERUSALEM IN ENGLAND.

CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

Lieut.-Col. IMPEY, Secretary.

Cheques should be made payable to Central Prisoners of War Committee, and crossed Barclay & Co., not negotiable

Telegrams: Prisoners, South Kensington, London.
Telephone: Kensington 7040.

Nearest Stations { BROMPTON ROAD TUBE
SOUTH KENSINGTON.

Please reply to:
THE SECRETARY.

Central Prisoners of War Committee
and quote.....

FINANCE DEPT:

4, THURLOE PLACE

(Nearly opposite the Brompton Oratory).

LONDON, S.W.7.

F. 1745 McC/MF

3rd May

1918

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

Enclosed please find our receipt for the sum of £ - : **10** : **0**,

to be forwarded to **Pte L Bellows**

a Prisoner of War in **GERMANY**

as per your instructions of **1/5/18**

We would point out that you will receive a further receipt, under
our name, issued by **AMERICAN EXPRESS COY:**
our Forwarding Agents, and same will reach you in due course.

The Chief Paymaster & O/ ^{Yours faithfully} _{1/c}
Newfoundland Contingent,
58 Victoria St: S W

E. HEATH-JONES,
Financial Secretary.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.		
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P & A.		
B & E		
P.S.		

Cheque No VC 520168

BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY.

THE ORDER OF ST. JOHN
OF JERUSALEM IN ENGLAND.

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SOUTH KENSINGTON.

Please reply to:
THE SECRETARY.

Central Prisoners of War Committee,
and quote Finance Dept.

4, THURLOE PLACE

(Nearly opposite the Brompton Oratory).

LONDON, S.W.7.

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McC/KN

May 25th 1918

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

Enclosed please find our receipt for the sum of £ 1 : 5 : 5 ,

to be forwarded to Pte. L. Bellows 903 ,

a Prisoner of War in Germany

as per your instructions of 22nd May 1918

We would point out that you will receive a further receipt, under

our name, issued by The American Express Co. who act as

our Forwarding Agents, and same will reach you in due course.

Yours faithfully,

E. HEATH-JONES,

Financial Secretary.

Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street, S.W.

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V/C

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CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

RECEIPT FOR REMITTANCE TO PRISONER OF WAR.



4, THURLOE PLACE, S.W. 7,
LONDON, 8th. May. 1918.

Reference No. **7634**

Received from Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records. Newfoundland Contgt.
58 Victoria Street. S.W.I.

the sum of 10/- (ten shillings) Sterling.

The equivalent of which, Mks. 10.50

is to be remitted, at Sender's Risk, to the Commandant of the Prisoners of War Camp at—
Head Camp. Gustrow i/Meckl.

With request that same be paid to—

Rank and Name Pte. Levi Bellows.
Regimental No. 903
Regiment (in full) Ist. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

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MEMO. This amount is sent by
Miss M. Bellows.
66 Wareham St. Medford. Mass. U.S.A.

For CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE,
AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, AS AGENTS.

[Signature]
Cashier.

NOTE.—The above reference number must be quoted in any enquiry or correspondence relative to the remittance. The amount of the remittance, and address of the payee, as shown on this receipt, should be carefully checked, and any discrepancy immediately brought to the attention of the COMMITTEE.

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CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE

RECEIPT FOR REMITTANCE TO PRISONER OF WAR.

4, THURLOE PLACE, S.W. 7,

LONDON, 31st May 1918



Reference No. 7936

Received from Newfoundland Contingent, 58, Victoria Street, S.W.1.
the sum of One Pound Five Shillings & Fivepence, (£1. 5. 5.)
Sterling.

The equivalent of which, Mks. 29.20

is to be remitted, at Sender's Risk, to the Commandant of the Prisoners of War Camp at—
Barr. 52 N, Head Camp, Gustrow Mecklenburg.

With request that same be paid to—

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Rank and Name Pte. L. Billows,
Regimental No. 903
Regiment (in full) Royal Newfoundland.

Memo. From Miss Billows

For CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE,
AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, AS AGENTS.

G. Kee

Cashier

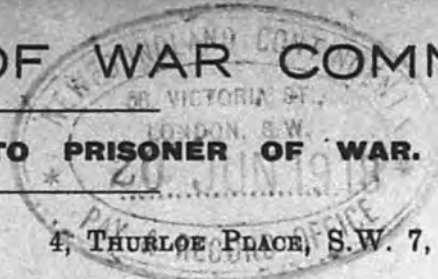
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CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

RECEIPT FOR REMITTANCE TO PRISONER OF WAR.



4, THURLOE PLACE, S.W. 7,

LONDON, 17th. June, 1918.

Reference No. 8240

Received from Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records, Newfoundland Contgt
58 Victoria Street. S.W.I.
the sum of £1. 0. 0. (one pound)

Sterling.

The equivalent of which, Mks. 23.00

is to be remitted, at Sender's Risk, to the Commandant of the Prisoners of War Camp at—

Head Camp. Barracke 52.N.

Gustrow. Mecklenburg.

With request that same be paid to—

Rank and Name Pte. L. Bellows.

Regimental No. 903

Regiment (in full) Royal Newfoundland Regt.

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Rht.*

MEMO. This amount is sent by Miss M. Bellows. 66 Wareham St. Medford. Mass. U.S.A.

FOR CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE,
AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, AS AGENTS

Cashier.

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34

58 Victoria Street.

Westminster.

26th April 1918.

MEMO. to The Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.

Enclosed herewith is cheque for one guinea (£1.1/-)
sent by Miss M. Bellows, 66 Warcham St. Medford. Mass. U.S.A.
per the American Red Cross Society for the benefit of
903 Levi Bellows; this might be sent out to him in the

instalments permitted.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT	
PAY & RECORDS OFFICE.	
Ref. Nos IN	3797
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P & E.	
P.S.	

S. Knox

Secretary.

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The Secretary,
N.W.C.A.,
34, Victoria St,
S.W.1.

April 29th. 1918

Re. 903. Levi Bellews.

Reference your memo 26/4/18 3797,
enclosed cheque for £1.0.0. sent by Miss Bellews
66, Wareham St, Medford. Mass. U.S.A. on account
of the above-named soldier of Royal Newfoundland
Regt.

This amount will be remitted to him in
two instalments through ~~our~~ Prisoners of War
Committee.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

FM/NM

6760/3/P.W.

Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,
England,

4th May, 1918.

903, Private L. Bellows,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Gefangenenlager,
Barrack 52.N.,
Gustrow, Mecklenburg,
Germany.

With reference to your postcard of 19/3/18 to the Association, two remittances of 10/- have been sent to you from your pay, one in February and the other in March. This remittances will be continued if you so desire.

One guinea (£1-1-0) has been received from Miss Bellows, Medford, Mass., to be used for your benefit. This is being sent to you in two installments, 10/- on 1/5/18, and 11/- on 1/6/18.

Please notify this Office of any change of your address which is at present understood to be as now indicated.

GB/JC

7699/31/P&A

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS.
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1.
ENGLAND.

Secretary,
N. W. C. A.
34, Victoria St.
London, S.W.1.

16th May 8

903, Private L. Bellows,
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

With reference to your ^{memo} ~~letter~~
8/5/18 (4196) enclosing cheque sent by
Miss Bellows, 66, Wareham St. Medford,
Mass. U.S.A. on account of the above
named soldier, this amount is being
remitted through the Central Prisoners
of War Committee, in one ~~sum~~ *instalment*

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

FM/S

From: 903 Sgt. L. Bellows, R. Nfld Regt.,
Barrack No. 52.N, Head Camp,
Gustrow i.M., Germany.

✓ 29/5/18.

(6126)

Pay
Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 4th May 1918. (Ref. 6760/3/P.W.), please discontinue ~~remittances~~ remittances from my pay. Many thanks for sending on cash received from my sister. Please continue to do the same with any further sums received from her.

If possible will you kindly send me a Cap Badge and Shoulder Numerals.

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd) LEVI BELLOWS. (Sgt.)

Pay Ledgers
AW
Date

10-7-18

No. 11539/4/P.W.

Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,
England,

22nd July, 1918.

No. 903 Private L. Bellows,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Baracke Nr. 52.N.,
Gustrow i/Mecklenburg,
Germany.

With reference to your postcard of 29/5/18 (6126):
monthly remittances have been discontinued as from 1/3/18.
Any further amounts received at this Office from your
sister will be forwarded to you as requested.
Badges will be sent with your next issue of clothing.

GB/JC

Please advise this Office of any change of your address,
which is at present understood to be as now indicated.

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Corps.	Unit.	Rank.	Reg. No.	Surname.	Christian Names.
Newfoundland	1st	Pte	903	BELLOWS.	Levi

Date of Capture.	Place Captured.	Last Place of Internment.	Born in the year	Term of Service.	Date of Enlistment.	Married or Single.
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Medical Category.	Address.	Date of Arrival at the Camp.	Date of Departure from the Camp.	Industrial Group.	Trade or Occupation.
A.	11 Gordon St. Ayr. Scotland	25 ¹² / ₁₈	27 DEC 1918		Fireman

For Repatriation Overseas after the War.
Yes

DEFENCE.

The accused makes no statement.

Evidence of Character taken after finding.

**Capt. A. Raley, 1st Newfoundland Regiment
sworn, states:-**

**I produce certified true copy of A.F.B.122
relating to the accused. The accused has
been on active service since 21/8/15, has
served in Gallipoli and France and has been
wounded twice.**

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TRIAL OF NO. 903 SERGT. L. BELLOWS, 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

PROSECUTION.

1st Witness.

No. 2892 Cpl. D. J. McLean, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, sworn, states:-

At Camps I'Amiens on March 28th, 1917, about 6 p.m. Sergt. Bellows came into my billet. He was drunk. He became disorderly and ordered some men out of the billet, afterwards striking Pte. Snow. About this time I heard the report of a rifle in the billet.

2nd Witness.

No. 789 Sergt. R. Waterfield, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, sworn, states:-

At Camps I'Amiens on March 28th, 1917, shortly after 6 p.m. I found Sergt. Bellows drunk in a billet. I placed the accused in arrest.

3rd Witness.

No. 2232. Sergt. P. Beeson, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, sworn, states:-

I heard At Camps I'Amiens on March 28th, 1917, about 6 p.m. I was in my billet, I heard a disturbance outside, so I came out and saw accused going about among the men and shouting. I then went back to my billet. Shortly afterwards some of them men saying that he had a rifle, I then came out again to see who had the rifle and accused was standing in the door with the rifle in his hand. Shortly after he fired the rifle and I then went over and disarmed him. The accused was drunk. I actually saw the accused fire the rifle.

Cross Examined.

Q. Was the rifle pointed any anybody?

A. No, at the ground.

4th Witness.

No. 1329. Pte. R. Redmer, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, sworn, states:-

At Camps I'Amiens on March 28th, 1917, about 6 p.m. I was outside my billet, washing. Sergt. Bellows came up to me and said "Do you like my looks" or words to that effect. I replied "Yes". He then hit me twice and I reported the matter to the Regimental Police. The accused was drunk. I also saw the accused strike Pte. Hearn twice.

5th Witness.

No. 1024 Pte. A. Hearn, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, sworn, states:-

At Camps I'Amiens on March 28th 1917 about 6 p.m. I was coming out of my billet and Sergt. Bellows came up and said something to me, but I didn't understand what it was. He then struck me.

6th Witness.

No. 2879 Pte. L. J. Snow, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, sworn, states:-

At Camps I'Amiens on March 28th 1917, about 6 p.m. I was in my billet and Sergt. Bellows came in and said something to me which I did not understand. I was just going to ask him what it was when he struck me in the face. I went into another part of the billet and the accused followed me and struck me several times.

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I heard At Camps I'Amiens on March 28th, 1917, about 6 p.m. I was in my billet, I heard a disturbance outside, so I came out and saw accused going about among the men and shouting. I then went back to my billet. Shortly afterwards some of them men saying that he had a rifle, I then came out again to see who had the rifle and accused was standing in the door with the rifle in his hand. Shortly after he fired the rifle and I then went over and disarmed him. The accused was drunk. I actually saw the accused fire the rifle.

Cross Examined.

Q. Was the rifle pointed any anybody?

A. No, at the ground.

4th Witness. No. 1329. Pte. R. Redman, 1st Newfoundland Regiment,
sworn, states:-

At Camps I'Amiens on March 28th, 1917, about 6 p.m. I was outside my billet, washing. Sergt. Bellows came up to me and said "Do you like my looks" or words to that effect. I replied "Yes". He then hit me twice and I reported the matter to the Regimental Police. The accused was drunk. I also saw the accused strike Pte. Hearn twice.

5th Witness. No. 1024 Pte. A. Hearn, 1st Newfoundland Regiment,
sworn, states:-

At Camps I'Amiens on March 28th 1917 about 6 p.m. I was coming out of my billet and Sergt. Bellows came up and said something to me, but I didn't understand what it was. He then struck me.

6th Witness. No. 2879 Pte. L. J. Snow, 1st Newfoundland Regiment,
sworn, states:-

At Camps I'Amiens on March 28th 1917, about 6 p.m. I was in my billet and Sergt. Bellows came in and said something to me which I did not understand. I was just going to ask him what it was when he struck me in the face. I went into another part of the billet and the accused followed me and struck me several times.

Part II.

144 Court-Martial.

No. 903 Sgt. L. Bellows, D Coy, arrested Mar. 28/17, charged with drunkenness and striking a private and conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, was tried by F.G.C.M. on 31/3/17, found guilty, and sentenced.. Reduced to ranks and 3 months F.P. No.1. Confirmed by G.O.C. 88th Bde. 3/4/17.

145 Admitted Hospital.

2456 Pte. J. Squires, A Coy
2152 " S. Hussey, B "

146 Discharged Hospital.

436 Sgt. A. Webber, A Coy.
2790 Pte. S.A. Morris, B "
2579 " E. Byrne, D "

147 Evacuations.

1614 Pte. W.H. Adey, A Coy.

148 Awards. Awards by the C.O. this day:

- No. 2470 Pte. W.J. Maidment, B Coy, make good loss of steel helmet. 8/-
- No. 2661 Pte. P. Hatcher, B Coy, make good loss of steel helmet. 8/=.
- No. 655 Pte. Wilcox, C Coy, make good loss of steel helmet. 8/-.
- No. 2162 Pte. W. Donnelly, D Coy, awarded 28 days F.P. No.1. Absent from foot inspection at 9.30 a.m. Absent from 10.30 a.m. parade.
- No. 2653 Pte. F. Power, D Coy, make good loss of steel helmet. 8/-
- No. 1961 Pte. A. Keefe, D Coy, deprived 7 days pay. Drunk in billet.
- No. 2428 Pte. A. Somerton, C Coy, make good loss of steel helmet. 8/-

(Sgt) A. Raley,
Capt. & Adjt.,
Nfld. Regt.

ORDERS

By Lt. Col. J. Forbes Robertson, M.C., Comdg. 1st Nfld. Regt.,

7/4/17.

Part I.



155 O. Orders.

Orders have not yet been received, but march tomorrow will probably be about 08.00

Part II.



149 Promotions, Etc.

No. 1741 C.S.M. R. Postlethwaite, B Coy is promoted 2nd Lieut. to date from 5/4/17.

MINUTES OF CORRESPONDENCE.

From Chief Paymaster & O.i/c.Recds.
58 Victoria Street,
LONDON. S.W.

To Officer Commanding,
1st Batt. R.Nfld.Regt.,
B.E.F. France.

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I have the honour to be Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
903 Pte. L. Bellows.

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Kindly take necessary steps to verify Pte. Bellow's statement and advise whether any action should be taken by this Office, please.

(Signed) H.A. Timewell. Major,
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c.Recds.

LONDON. S.W.
4/1/19.

From O.C. R.Nfld.Regt.
To Paymaster.

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(Sgd) A.E. Bernard, Major.
Commanding 1st Bn.R.Nfld.Regt.

FRANCE.
17/1/19.

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17/1/19.

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58, Victoria Street.

To O/C. Depot R.Nfld.Regt.
Hazeley Down Camp,
WINCHESTER.

903 PTE. L. BELLOWS.
R. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

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He chose the former course and was taken prisoner in the
attack. This money has since been charged to his
account and he now claims for re-fund of the sum of
\$102.00. Kindly refer this matter to the O.C. 1st
Battalion to ascertain whether his records show as
Bellows claims, that his sentence was promulgated or
whether he is labouring under a misapprehension.

Will you kindly advise whether any reply has been
received from the 88th Brigade and if not what further steps may
be taken in this matter, please.

(Signed) H. A. Timewell (Major).
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c.Recds.

LONDON. S.W.1.
7/5/19.

From 1st Battalion, R.Nfld.Regt.

To C.P. & O.i/c.Recds.
58 Victoria Street,
LONDON. S.W.1.

No reply has yet been received from 88th Brigade.
Orders relating to this case will be found in your office.

(Signed) A.E. Bernard. Lt.Col.
Commanding 1st Batt. R.Nfld.Regt.

WINCHESTER.
14/5/19.

From Chief Paymaster & O.i/c.Recds.
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WINCHESTER.
14/5/19.

106/8/P&A.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I.C. RECORDS.
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
53, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON S.W. 1.
ENGLAND.

SUSPENSE

CLEARED

Officer Commanding,
1/Bn. Royal Nfld. Regt.,
B. E. F.
FRANCE.

O. C.

R. N. R.

Paymaster.

Pay & Record Office.

4th January, 9

12/1/18

903, PTE. L. BELLOWS.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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(sd) A. E. BERNARD, Major,
Comdg. 1st. Bn. R. Nfld. Regiment.

574
17/1/19.

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that this crime came through
against me and I have been
stopped three months pay.

Would you please have
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records.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your obedient Servant,
903, Pte. L. Bellows."

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of 3 Months F.P.No. 1., having
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form of advice.

Kindly take necessary
steps to verify Pte. Bellow's
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any action should be taken by
this Office, please.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

FM/MM.

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~~Paymaster~~
~~O. St. Batt~~

58 Victoria St.
Dec 30th 1918
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

B. E. F.

Sir; on 4th April 1917 whilst
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S.P.I.

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records.

I have the honour to be
Sir your obedient servant.
903 Plt L. Bellows

Royal Newfoundland

Regt.

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O/C. Depot. R. Nfld. Regt.,
Hazeley Down Camp,
WINCHESTER. FM/PK.

Pay & Record Office.

7th May 9.

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R. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

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please.

Major.
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c.Recds.

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ENCLOSURE

MEMORANDUM.

From
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
83, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1

LIEUT. COL.
From
COMMANDING 1st Bn. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

To
O/C. Depot. R. Nfld. Regt.,
Hazeley Down Camp,
WINCHESTER. FM/FK

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
83, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1
ANSWER. NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pay & Record Office.

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14/5/1919
No reply yet
been received from
88th Brigade
826/16
Orders relating to
This case will be
forwarded in your
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A. Brown (LIEUT. COL.)
COMMANDING 1st Bn. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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MINUTES OF CORRESPONDENCE.

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I have the honour to be Sir,
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903 Pte. L. Bellows.

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Kindly take necessary steps to verify Pte. Bellow's statement and advise whether any action should be taken by this Office, please.

(Signed) H.A. Timewell. Major,
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c.Recds.

LONDON. S.W.
4/1/19.

From O.C. R.Nfld.Regt.
To Paymaster.

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(Sgd) A.E. Bernard, Major.
Commanding 1st Bn. R.Nfld.Regt.

FRANCE.
17/1/19.

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NEWFOUNDLAND
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ENGLAND.

Secretary,
Newfoundland War Contingent
Association,
34, Victoria St. S.W.
FM/NM.

Pay & Record Office.

25th, June. 8

903. PTE. LEVI BELLOWES.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your
memoranda 20/6/18 (5614) and
22/6/18, (5646), the former cov-
ering a draft for £2.10.5d. for
credit to Pte. Bellowes's account.

As previously arranged,
pending your further instructions,
remittances of £1.0.0. per month
are being forwarded to him.

Chief Paymaster & i/c. Records.
Major,



THE NEWFOUNDLAND WAR CONTINGENT
— ASSOCIATION. —

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34 58, Victoria Street,
Westminster.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

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B.R.N.

P.S.

Memorandum to Chief Paymaster,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

With reference to the sums of money remitted for the benefit of Private Levi Bellows, No. 903, Prisoner of War in Germany, an allowance might be made to him of £1 per month out of them, as they are not required for the supply of food parcels.

S. Knox

Secretary



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MISS S. KNOX.**

**BANKERS
BANK OF MONTREAL.**

34, 58, Victoria Street.

Westminster.

20th June 1918.

Memo to The Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.

We enclose draft for £2.10.5 and shall be glad
if you will place this to the credit of Pte. Levi Bellows, 903.

S. Knox

Secretary.

*Return to me for
Admin*

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
NO. OF DRAFTS
AMOUNT
DATE
BY
FOR
REMARKS
5614
1027/37
<i>[Signature]</i>

No. 903 Rank Rte Name Bellows L.

Pay	F.A. Wkg	Total	N.E.P/33
7.00	10	1.10	✓
Less Allotment		50	
Net Rate		60	

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Cash Rec 139	28 ¹² / ₁₈	20	0	0										
Cheque 11244	30 ¹² / ₁₈	40	0	0										

✓
\$ 75.9.3

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The Minister of Militia
St. John's
Newfoundland

Forfeiture of Pay.

BC

***** Debit Pay and Record Office London

903 Pte. Bellows L

Sentence of 3 mths 101 20
F.P.No.1. awarded
51/3/17 by F.C.C.M.
remitted by General
Officer Commanding 29th
Division on the 8/4/17
Credit 92 dys @ \$1.10.

CHECKED.
L.H.
12. 8. 19.

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The Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

11th August 9

NO. 903 PTE. L. BELLOWS.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

With further reference to your memorandum 115/903, 31/3/19 (3222) and this office reply thereon: Copy of Proceedings of Court Martial held at Vignacourt 31/3/17 together with minutes of correspondence exchanged with the Secretary, War Office, are enclosed.

It is observed that sentence of three months Field Punishment No. 1 was remitted by the General Officer Commanding 29th Division on 8/4/17. Bellows should therefore be credited with 92 days Pay and Field Allowance at ~~\$1.20~~ \$101.20 Relative N.FP.54 is enclosed, please.

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Form for Assembly and Proceedings of Field
General Court Martial.^(a)

PROCEEDINGS.

* State the place and country.

At* **VIENACOURT**, this **thirty-first** day
of **March**, 19**17**.

A.
Order convening the Court.

† This or the following paragraph should be used according to circumstances, the one not required being ruled through.

† [If Troops are not on Active Service.]

Whereas complaint has been made to me, the undersigned, an Officer in Command of ~~60th Inf. Brigade~~, in the above-named country, that the persons named in the annexed Schedule, being subject to Military Law, and under my Command, have committed the offences in the said Schedule mentioned, being offences against the property or person of inhabitants or of residents in the above-mentioned country.

[If Troops are on Active Service.]

Whereas it appears to me, the undersigned, an officer in Command of **60th Inf. Brigade**, on active service, that the persons named in the annexed Schedule, and being subject to Military Law, have committed the offences in the said Schedule mentioned.

And I am of opinion that it is not practicable that such offences should be tried by an ordinary General Court Martial; ~~and that it is not practicable to delay the trial for reference to a superior qualified Officer.~~

‡ Omit except where convening Officer is not a Commanding Officer, and is below rank of Field Officer.

I hereby convene a Field General Court Martial to try the said persons, and to consist of—

<i>President.</i>		
Rank.	Name.	Regiment.
Major	W.H. Middleton	2/Hants Regt.
<i>Members.</i>		
Rank.	Name.	Regiment.
Capt.	B. Butler	Newfoundland Regiment
Lieut.	W. Sharkey	1st Essex Regiment

§ Omit except where the Court Martial consists of two Officers only.

[§ I am of opinion that three Officers are not available, having due regard to the public service.]

(Signed)

D. G. Caley, Brig. Gen.
Commanding 60th Inf. Brigade.

(a) See Rules of Procedure, 105-123.

I certify that the above Court assembled on the **1st & 3rd** day of **April, 1917**, and duly tried the persons named in the said Schedule, and that the plea, finding, and sentence in the case of each such person were as stated in the third and fourth columns of that Schedule.

B.
Certificate of
President as to
proceedings.

Signed this **3rd** day of **April** 19 **17**

W. H. Middleton, Major.
President of the Court Martial.

I have dealt with the findings and sentences in the manner stated in the last column of the said Schedule, and, subject to what I have there stated, I hereby confirm the above findings and sentences.

C.
Confirmation

[*And I am of opinion that it is not practicable, having due regard to the public service, to delay the cases for confirmation by any superior qualified authority.]

* Omit ex-
cepting where
under rules it
is ordinarily
the duty of
the Confirming
Officer to
reserve the
case.

Signed this **3rd** day of **April** 19 **17**

D. E. Coley, Brig. Gen.
~~Commanding 88th Infs. Bde.~~
Field [or General] Officer in the Force
[or Commanding]

Promulgated by me and necessary extracts taken this fourth day of April, 1917

A. Raley,
Capt. & Adjutant,
1st Newfoundland Regiment.

Communication promulgated by me and necessary extracts taken this sixteen day of April, 1917.

Kevin J. Keegan,
1st. & Adjutant

I have dealt with the reserved findings and sentences in the manner stated in the last column of the Schedule, and, subject to what I have there stated, I hereby confirm the said reserved findings and sentences.

D.
Confirmation
of reserved
sentences.

Signed this _____ day of _____ 19 .

General [Field] Officer in the Force.

Subject to what I have stated in the last column of the Schedule, I hereby confirm the (finding and) sentence of death in the case of _____, and of penal servitude in the case of _____

E.
Confirmation
of sentence of
death or penal
servitude.

[*and in the case of the above sentences of death I am of opinion that by reason of† it is not practicable, having due regard to the public service, to delay the case for confirmation by any qualified Officer superior to myself.]

* Omit where confirmed by Officer in Chief Command.

† State, according to the circumstances, the nature of the country, or the great distance, or the operations of the enemy.

Signed this _____ day of _____ 19 .

*General [Field] Officer
in Chief Command of the Forces.*

SCHEDULE.

Date **1st & 3rd April**19 **17**.

No.

Name of Alleged Offender (a)	Offence charged	Plea	Finding, and if Convicted, Sentence (b)	How dealt with by Confirming Officer
Case No. 903. L. Bellows of Foundland Regiment of His Majesty's Forces is with	(i) When on Active Service Drunkness. (ii) When on Active Service striking a soldier. (iii) Conduct to the preju- dice of good order and Military discipline. (Discharging his rifle in villets). Sec. 40.	Not Guilty. Not Guilty. Not Guilty.	Guilty. Guilty. Guilty. Reduction to the ranks 3 months P.P.No.1.	Confirmed D.G.Caley, Brig Gen. 3/4/17. Remit 3 months P.P. No.1. Beuvor de Lisle, Maj. General, Commanding 29th Div.

(a) If the name of the person charged is unknown, he may be described as unknown, with such addition as will identify him.

(b) Recommendation to mercy to be inserted in this column.

G.G. Caley, Brig. Gen.

Convening Officer.

W.H. Middleton, Major.

President.

Form for Assembly and Proceedings of Field General Court Martial.^(a)

PROCEEDINGS.

* State the place and country.

At* **VIGNACOURT**, this **thirty-first** day
of **March** **FRANCE**, 19**17**.

A.
Order convening the Court.

† This or the following paragraph should be used according to circumstances, the one not required being ruled through.

† [If Troops are not on Active Service.]

Whereas complaint has been made to me, the undersigned, an Officer in Command of _____, in the above-named country, that the persons named in the annexed Schedule, being subject to Military Law, and under my Command, have committed the offences in the said Schedule mentioned, being offences against the property or person of inhabitants or of residents in the above-mentioned country.

[If Troops are on Active Service.]

Whereas it appears to me, the undersigned, an officer in Command of **88th Inf. Brigade**, on active service, that the persons named in the annexed Schedule, and being subject to Military Law, have committed the offences in the said Schedule mentioned.

And I am of opinion that it is not practicable that such offences should be tried by an ordinary General Court Martial;

‡ Omit except where convening Officer is not a Commanding Officer, and is below rank of Field Officer.

‡ ~~[and that it is not practicable to delay the trial for reference to a superior qualified Officer.]~~

I hereby convene a Field General Court Martial to try the said persons, and to consist of—

President.

Rank. Name. Regiment.

~~Major~~ ~~W.H. Middleton~~ ~~2/Hants Regt.~~

Members.

Rank. Name. Regiment.

~~Capt.~~ ~~E. Butler~~ ~~Newfoundland Regiment~~

~~Lieut.~~ ~~W. Sherkey~~ ~~1st Essex Regiment.~~

[§I am of opinion that three Officers are not available, having due regard to the public service.]

(Signed)

~~D.C. Caley, Brig. Gen.~~
~~Commanding 88th Inf. Brigade.~~

(a) See Rules of Procedure, 105-123.

§ Omit except where the Court Martial consists of two Officers only.

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I certify that the above Court assembled on the **1st & 3rd** day of **April, 1917**, and duly tried the persons named in the said Schedule, and that the plea, finding, and sentence in the case of each such person were as stated in the third and fourth columns of that Schedule.

B.
Certificate of
President as to
proceedings.

Signed this **3rd** day of **April** 1917 .

~~W. H. Middleton, Major,~~
President of the Court Martial.

I have dealt with the findings and sentences in the manner stated in the last column of the said Schedule, and, subject to what I have there stated, I hereby confirm the above findings and sentences.

C.
Confirmation

* Omit excepting where under rules it is ordinarily the duty of the Confirming Officer to reserve the case.

[*And I am of opinion that it is not practicable, having due regard to the public service, to delay the cases for confirmation by any superior qualified authority.]

Signed this **3rd** day of **April** 1917 .

~~D. E. Caley, Brig. Gen.~~
~~Commanding 88th. Inf. Bde.~~
~~Field [or General] Officer in the Force~~
~~[or Commanding]~~

Promulgated by me and necessary extracts taken this fourth day of April, 1917

A. Raley,
Capt. & Adjutant,
1st Newfoundland Regiment.

Communication promulgated by me and necessary extracts taken this sixteenth day of April, 1917.

Kevin J. Keegan,
Lt. & Adjutant

I have dealt with the reserved findings and sentences in the manner stated in the last column of the Schedule, and, subject to what I have there stated, I hereby confirm the said reserved findings and sentences.

D.
Confirmation
of reserved
sentences.

Signed this _____ day of _____ 19 .

General [Field] Officer in the Force.

Subject to what I have stated in the last column of the Schedule, I hereby confirm the (finding and) sentence of death in the case of _____, and of penal servitude in the case of _____

E.
Confirmation
of sentence of
death or penal
servitude.

[*and in the case of the above sentences of death I am of opinion that by reason of†

it is not practicable, having due regard to the public service, to delay the case for confirmation by any qualified Officer superior to myself.]

* Omit where confirmed by Officer in Chief Command.

† State, according to the circumstances, the nature of the country, or the great distance, or the operations of the enemy.

Signed this _____ day of _____ 19 .

*General [Field] Officer
in Chief Command of the Forces.*

SCHEDULE.

Date **1st & 3rd April** 19 **17**.

No.

Name of Alleged Offender (a)	Offence charged	Plea	Finding, and if Convicted, Sentence (b)	How dealt with by Confirming Officer
The accused No. 903. Sergt. L. Bellows of 1st Newfoundland Regiment a soldier of His Majesty's Imperial Forces is charged with	(i) When on Active Service	Not Guilty.	Guilty.	Confirmed
	(ii) When on Active Service striking a soldier.	Not Guilty.	Guilty.	D.G. Caley Brig 3/4/17.
	(iii) Conduct to the prejudice of good order and Military discipline.	Not Guilty.	Guilty.	Remit 3 months No.1.
	(Discharging his rifle in billets). Sec. 40.			Reduction to the ranks 3 months F.P.No.1.

(a) If the name of the person charged is unknown, he may be described as unknown, with such addition as will identify him.

(b) Recommendation to mercy to be inserted in this column.

G.G. Caley, Brig.Gen.
Convening Officer.

W.H. Middleton, Major.
President.

SCHEDULE.

Date **1st & 3rd April**19 **17.**

No.

Name of Alleged Offender (a)	Offence charged	Plea	Finding, and if Convicted, Sentence (b)	How dealt with by Confirming Officer
<p>The accused No. 905. Sergt. L. Bellows of 1st Newfoundland Regiment a soldier of His Majesty's Imperial Forces is charged with</p>	<p>(i) When on Active Service Not Guilty. Drunkenness. (ii) When on Active Service striking a soldier. Not Guilty. (iii) Conduct to the prejudice of good order and Military discipline. (Discharging his rifle in billets). Sec. 40.</p>	<p>Not Guilty. Not Guilty. Not Guilty.</p>	<p>Guilty. Guilty. Guilty. Reduction to the ranks 3 months F.P.No.1.</p>	<p>Confirmed D.G.Caley Brig 3/4/17. Remit 3 months No.1. Beauver de Lis Maj. G Commanding 29t</p>

(a) If the name of the person charged is unknown, he may be described as unknown, with such addition as will identify him.

(b) Recommendation to mercy to be inserted in this column.

G.G. Caley, Brig.Gen.
Convening Officer.

H.H. Middleton, Major.
President.

8281/161/P&A

The Secretary
War Office

2/6/19.

Sir,

903 Pte.L.Bellows Royal Nfld.Regt.

With reference to the enclosed minutes of correspondence relating to the above named soldier : I have the honour to ask whether further information can be obtained from General Headqtrs France to enable the Minister of Militia to deal with the case.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant;

Chief Staff Officer (London).
Major,

105/Infy/3064 (A G 3 L)

War Office

7/7/19

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 2nd ultimo 8281/161/P&A I am directed to forward herewith proceedings of the trial of 903 Pte. L. Bellows Royal Newfoundland Regiment from which it will be seen that the sentence of three months Field Punishment No.1. was remitted by the General Officer Commanding, 29th Division on 8th April, 1917.

The enclosures to your communication under reply are returned herewith and I am to request that the proceedings of the trial may be returned to this department as early as possible.

I am Sir

Your obedient servant,

Sgd. ??? Staff Capt
for Major General
Director of Personal Services.

To Chief Staff Officer.

All further communications on this subject should be addressed to—
The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W.1.
and the following number quoted.

Telephone : VICTORIA 9400.
105/Infy/3064 (A.G.S.L.)

WAR OFFICE,
LONDON, S.W.1.

yth.
July 1919

Sir,

With reference your letter of the 2nd ultimo, 8281/161/P & A I am directed to forward herewith Proceedings of the trial of No.903, PRIVATE L. BELLOWS, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, from which it will be seen that the sentence of Three Months Field Punishment No.1, was remitted by the General Officer Commanding, 29th Division on 8th April 1917.

The enclosures to your communication under reply are returned herewith and I am to request that the Proceedings of the trial ^{may} ~~should~~ be returned to this Department as early as possible.

Proceedings
etc.

I am,
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
P. F. Nos. 101
Rec'd 8 JUL 1919
cf. Nos. 001
Director of

Your obedient Servant,

A. Nichols
Staff Capt.

for Major General.
Personal Services.

The Chief Staff Officer,
Pay & Record Office,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street, S.W.

SUSPENSE
CLEARED

2nd June 9

8281/161/P&A

The Secretary,
War Office,
WHITEHALL. S.W.

Sir:-

903 PTE. L. BELLOWS.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

With reference to the enclosed minutes of correspondence relating to the above named soldier: I have the honour to ask whether further information can be obtained from General Headquarters, France, to enable the Minister of Militia to deal with the case.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

4564
8/7/19

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

No. 115/903

From
MINISTER OF MILITIA,
 ST. JOHN'S,
 NEWFOUNDLAND

To
**Chief Paymaster & O.I/c Records
 Pay & Record Office,
 58, Victoria Street
 London S.W.1.**

March 31st 1919

FM/FK.

8810

SUBJECT:

REPLY

No. 903 Pte. L. Bellows.

Dated 31st May 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

The above mentioned soldier states that he was stopped three months pay for F.P. No. 1 awarded by Court Martial in France sometime in April 1917. He claims that this sentence was remitted before the attack of April 14th 1917 as he was given the option (by Capt. Rowsell then O.C. "G" Company) of going over the top with sentence remitted or staying behind and finishing his sentence. He chose the former course and was taken a prisoner in the attack. This money has since been charged to his account and he now claims for re-fund of the sum of \$102.00. Kindly refer this matter to the O.C. 1st Battalion to ascertain whether his records show as Bellows claims, that his sentence was promulgated or whether he is labouring under a misapprehension.

Copy of memorandum to Officer Commanding, 1st Battalion, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, 7/5/19, and his reply thereon 14/5/19, is enclosed.

The following is an extract of Daily Orders relating to this soldier:-

144. Court Martial.
 No. 903 Sgt. L. Bellows D. Coy, arrested Mar. 28/17, charged with drunkenness and striking a private and conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, was tried by F.G.C.M. on 31/3/18, found guilty, and sentenced. Reduced to ranks and 3 months F.P. No. 1. Confirmed by G.O.C. 88th Bde. 3/4/17.

J. R. Bennett

R. R. Rawson
 Major,
 Chief Staff Officer (London).

OFFIC.
 2222 Minister of Militia.

FAE/MP.

WRK

C O P Y

From Chief Paymaster & O i/c.Reeds
58 Victoria Street,
LONDON. S.W.

To O/C. Depot, R.Nfld.Regt.
Hazeley Down Camp,
WINCHESTER.

Pay & Record Office.

7th May 1919.

903 PTE. L. BELLOWS.
R. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to attached memo exchanged with you
4/1/19 and 12/1/19 (574): The following enquiry has been
received from the Minister of Militia 115/903, 31/3/19 (3222):

"The above mentioned soldier states that he was stopped
"three months pay for F.P. No. 1 awarded by Court Martial
"in France some time in April, 1917. He claims that this
"sentence was remitted before the attack of April 18th,
"1917 as he was given the option by Capt. Rowsell (then
"O.C. "C" Company) ofgoing over the top with sentence
"remitted or staying behind and finishing his sentence. He
"chose the former course and was taken prisoner in the attack.
"This money has since been charged to his account and he
"now claims for re-fund of the sum of \$102.00. Kindly
"refer this matter to O.C. 1st Battalion to ascertain whether
"his records show as Bellows claims, that his sentence
"was promulgated or whether he is labouring under a mis-
"apprehension.

Will you kindly advise whether any reply has been received
from the 88th Brigade, and if not what further steps may be taken
in this matter, please.

(Signed) H.A.Timewell, Major.
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c.Reeds.

From Vice
To Versa.

14/5/19.

No reply has yet been received from 88th Brigade, Orders

relating to this case will be found in your office.

(Signed) A. E. Bernard Lt. Col.
Commanding 1st Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Bellows, Levi.

903

Ray Sept

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

Report of Demobilization
Travelling Board, held on soldier for
discharge.

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date 29.3.19

Regimental No. 903

Name Bellows L

Address Bay of Solds

Present Medical Category F

Recommended for:— { (a) ~~Immediate discharge~~

(b) ~~Standing Medical Board~~

..... R.H. Lant Capt

O.C. Discharge Depot.

..... W. P.

Senior Medical Officer

..... J. W.

M. O. Depot

Civil Re-establishment Committee



I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have had an interview with the Vocational Officer of the Civil Re-establishment Committee or other recognized vocational agent of the Committee who has explained to me the provisions made by the Committee for the industrial re-training of disabled or partially disabled sailors and soldiers as well as the readiness of the Committee to assist any returned sailors and soldiers (whether disabled or not) to find employment. My decision is as follows:

*To resume former occupation
(Fireman)*

L. Bellows
Signature of Man.

Reg. No. *903*

J. H. Brown
Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

ST. JOHN'S.

Place

Date

191

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 903 Rank PLT Name Bellows Leo
 Date of Enlistment 2.1.15 Address Bay of St. Johns District St. George's
 Occupation Loco. Fireman Classification for Discharge Medical Category
 Recommendation S.M.B. Permanently unfit Disability Rating 100% 37 mva
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	B 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	B 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 3.4.19

H. News H.
C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am in a position to resume civilian occupation.

L. Bellows

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00

(b) Clothing Supplied

A.M. Clouston H.

Date 4-4-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *R 1169 T 1169* to his home
 at *Bay of Sees* and Release Certificate No. *1965* issued

Date *4-4-19*

J.A. Brown
 Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection
 therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to *20-4-19*

Date *4-4-19*

SUBJECT TO ADJUSTMENT OF OVERSEAS PAY ACCT.

J.W. H. Murs
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *6-4-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P 36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date *4-4-19*

J.A. Brown
 Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.
 Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

Date *APR 6 1919*

R.H. Sait
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

Received the above noted documents from O. C. Discharge Depot.

Date

April 20, 1919

#906 Pte. Levi Bellows,

Bay of Islands.

Dear Sir :-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate
No. 1902."

Yours truly

Captain,
Paymaster & Officer in Charge Records

April 25, 1919

#905 Pte. Levi Bellows,

Curling,

Bay of Islands.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your application I enclose cheque
for Seventy dollars (\$70.00), being amount of first payment
due you on account of the "War Service Gratuity."

Yours truly

Paymaster & O.i/c Records

Capt.

17201

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who claims War Service Gratuity under Order-in-Council dated January 28th. 1919.

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration There must be no blanks and no dashes, if any questions are not applicable, the words "NOT APPLICABLE" must be written out.

On completion this Declaration is to be returned to THE OFFICER I/C RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

Christian name..... *David* 2. Surname..... *Reelows*

3. Rank..... *Private* 4. Regtl. No..... *903*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *Cuning*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *Dec. 23rd 1914*

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....

..... *none*

8. Relationship of such dependents..... *not applicable*

9. Address in full of such dependents..... *not applicable*

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?..... *not applicable*

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates and particulars of such service.....

..... *no. I went overseas March 1915*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas..... *four years three months*

..... *1.3*

13. Have you had more than one enlistment? If so, give particulars of discharge and re-enlistments, and under what regimental numbers.

no

14. Have you already received any payment of Post Discharge pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amount you and your dependents have already received and by whom paid.

no

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge?

no

16. Have you, during the present war, served in the Imperial Forces?

no

17. Are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity in the nature of Post Discharge Pay from the Imperial Forces? If so, state amount received, or to which you are entitled.

no

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England?

no

(b) If so, was such reversion in consequence of Misconduct or inefficiency?

not applicable

19. Are you now serving in the R.A.F.? If not give - (a) date of discharge

April 4th 1919

no

(b) Reason for discharge

Demobilization

20. Did you at any time serve at the front in an actual theatre of War? If so give particulars of places, and dates of such service.

Gallipoli 1915 France 1916-1917

Germany 1918

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com. (b) If so are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee.

no

not applicable

And I make this solemn declaration, conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under Oath.

Signature of Applicant: *L Bellows*

Place of Residence: *Lawrence St. Johns*

Declared before me at: *John* day of *April* 19*19*.

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public, Justice of the Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits. *Chas. B. Hunt*
Horay P. P. P.

POST DISCHARGE PAY.			War Service	Net amount
Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	Gratuity	due
.....	<i>6 mes.</i>	<i>1470 00</i>
.....
.....
Certified Correct.			Paymaster.	<i>2 yte</i>

Burling

Bay of Islands

May 30th 1916

Dear Sir

Sending photo of my son Pto Levi
Bellows Regt - no 403. he is a heavy built - man
height - about - 5 feet 11 inches and weight about
one hundred and ninety pounds. he has ~~reddish~~
dark Brown hair and Brown eyes and tan complexion
the one is standing up is L Bellows.

Yours truly

Anora Bellows.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 101 ²⁰/_{xx}

Oct 20 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of One hundred ²⁰ ~~and one~~ Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

Ch. No. 16561	Initials. EW
Pay Ledger 313	Initials. WR
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regt. No. *[Signature]*

Rank

No. 903

Rank Pt

Name

L. Bellow

When sending cheque please advise
Bellow that this amt is
Remittance of Wounded pay 1917

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 61 ¹⁹/₁₀₀

ap 9 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Sixty one ¹⁹/₁₀₀ Dollars.
~~amount~~
balance of Pay.

to
Cheque mailed pay of Credits
May 6/19
Rank

Ch. No.	15509	Initials	EW
Pay Ledger	322	Initials	JH
Gen. Ledger		Initials	

Regtl. No.

No. 903. Rank Plt

Name L. Bellows

ST. JOHN'S, APR 4 - 191

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Plt. L. Bellows

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Feb 8th /19 to Apr 6th /19

A.C.R.
903. Plt. L. Bellows 59 80

REGIMENT	<u>B 9 mgd</u>
OR. NO.	<u>15109</u>
IND. LEADER	INITIALS <u>jet</u>
PAY LEADER	INITIALS
SER. LEADER	INITIALS <u>fo</u>

Certified correct for \$ 59.

Recd.
W. G. Louston

R-J

for Billeting Officer.

L. Bellows

C.R. 903.

RECEIPT.

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No 903 Name L. Bellows

Witness. J. Batters

Date 16/12/19

Place Cooking Bay of Islands

ENCLOSURE

DUPLICATE.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 10405/550/P&A

C.R. 903

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
56, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.

To
The Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

11th August 1919

WF/PK.

SUBJECT :

No. 903 PTE. L. BELLOWS.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.
Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated December 10th. 1919 191

Please return **ORIGINAL** and retain **DUPLICATE.**

With further reference to your memorandum 115/903, 31/3/19 (3222): and this office reply thereon: Copy of Proceedings of Court Martial held at Vignacourt 31/3/17, together with minutes of correspondence exchanged with the Secretary, War Office are enclosed.

It is observed that sentence of three months Field Punishment No. 1 was remitted by the General Officer Commanding 29th Division on 8/4/17. Bellows should therefore be credited with 92 days Pay and Field Allowance at \$1.10 per day = \$101.20; relative N.F.P.54 is enclosed, please.

F.H.M.
Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Payment has been made to Pte. Bellows, please.

Lt. Col.
G.S.O.

for Minister of Militia.

The Secretary
War Office

2/6/19.

Sir,

903 Pte.L.Bellows Royal Nfld.Regt.

With reference to the enclosed minutes of correspondence relating to the above named soldier : I have the honour to ask whether further information can be obtained from General Headqtrs France to enable the Minister of Militia to deal with the case.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant;

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

105/Infy/3064 (A G 3 L)

War Office

7/7/19

✓ Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 2nd ultimo 8281/161/P&A I am directed to forward herewith proceedings of the trial of 903 Pte. L. Bellows Royal Newfoundland Regiment from which it will be seen that the sentence of three months Field Punishment No.1. was remitted by the General Officer Commanding, 29th Division on 8th April. 1917.


The enclosures to your communication under reply are returned herewith and I am to request that the proceedings of the trial may be returned to this department as early as possible.

I am Sir

Your obedient servant

To Chief Staff Officer.

Sgd. ??? Staff Capt
for Major General
Director of Personal Services.



TRIAL OF NO. 903 SERGT. L. BELLOWS, 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

PROSECUTION.

1st Witness. No. 2892 Cpl. D. J. McLean, 1st. Newfoundland Regiment,
sworn, states:-

At Camps l'Amienois on March 28th, 1917, about 6 p.m. Sergt. Bellows came into my billet. He was drunk. He became disorderly and ordered some men out of the billet, afterwards striking Pte. Snow. About this time I heard the report of a rifle in the billet.

2nd Witness. No. 789 Sergt. R. Waterfield, 1st Newfoundland Regiment,
sworn, states:-

At Camps l'Amienois on March 28th, 1917, shortly after 6 p.m. I found Sergt. Bellows drunk in a billet. I placed the accused in arrest.

3rd Witness. No. 2232. Sergt. P. Beeson, 1st Newfoundland Regiment,
sworn, states:-

I heard,

At Camps l'Amienois on March 28th, 1917, about 6 p.m. I was in my billet, I heard a disturbance outside, so I came out and saw accused going about among the men and shouting. I then went back to my billet. Shortly afterwards some of them men saying that he had a rifle, I then came out again to see who had the rifle and accused was standing in the door with the rifle in his hand. Shortly after he fired the rifle and I then went over and disarmed him. The accused was drunk. I actually saw the accused fire the rifle.

Cross Examined.

Q. Was the rifle pointed at anybody?

A. No, at the ground.

4th Witness. No. 1329. Pte. R. Redman, 1st Newfoundland Regiment,
sworn, states:-

At Camps l'Amienois on March 28th, 1917, about 6 p.m. I was outside my billet, washing. Sergt. Bellows came up to me and said "Do you like my looks" or words to that effect. I replied "Yes". He then hit me twice and I reported the matter to the Regimental Police. The accused was drunk. I also saw the accused strike Pte. Hearn twice.

5th Witness. No. 1024 Pte. A. Hearn, 1st Newfoundland Regiment,
sworn, states:-

At Camps l'Amienois on March 28th 1917 about 6 p.m. I was coming out of my billet and Sergt. Bellows came up and said something to me, but I didn't understand what it was. He then struck me.

6th Witness. No. 2879 Pte. L. J. Snow, 1st Newfoundland Regiment,
sworn, states:-

At Camps l'Amienois on March 28th 1917, about 6 p.m. I was in my billet and Sergt. Bellows came in and said something to me which I did not understand. I was just going to ask him what it was when he struck me in the face. I went into another part of the billet and the accused followed me and struck me several times.



D E F E N C E.

The accused makes no statement.

Evidence of Character taken after finding.

Capt. A. Raley, 1st Newfoundland Regiment
sworn, states:-

I produce certified true copy of A.F.B.122
relating to the accused. The accused has
been on active service since 21/8/15, has
served in Gallipoli and France and has been
wounded twice.

**Form for Assembly and Proceedings of Field
General Court Martial.^(a)**

PROCEEDINGS.

* State the place and country.

At* VIGNACOURT, this thirty-first day
of March FRANCE, 1917.

A.
Order convening the Court.

† This or the following paragraph should be used according to circumstances, the one not required being ruled through.

†[If Troops are not on Active Service.]

Whereas complaint has been made to me, the undersigned, an Officer in Command of _____, in the above-named country, that the persons named in the annexed Schedule, being subject to Military Law, and under my Command, have committed the offences in the said Schedule mentioned, being offences against the property or person of inhabitants or of residents in the above-mentioned country.

[If Troops are on Active Service.]

Whereas it appears to me, the undersigned, an officer in Command of 88th Inf. Brigade, on active service, that the persons named in the annexed Schedule, and being subject to Military Law, have committed the offences in the said Schedule mentioned.

And I am of opinion that it is not practicable that such offences should be tried by an ordinary General Court Martial;

‡ Omit except where convening Officer is not a Commanding Officer, and is below rank of Field Officer.

‡ ~~and that it is not practicable to delay the trial for reference to a superior qualified Officer.~~XXXXXXXXXXXX

I hereby convene a Field General Court Martial to try the said persons, and to consist of—

<i>President.</i>		
Rank.	Name.	Regiment.
Major	W. H. Middleton	2/Hants Regt.

<i>Members.</i>		
Rank.	Name.	Regiment.
Capt.	E. Butler	Newfoundland Regiment
Lieut.	W. Sherkey	1st Essex Regiment.

§ Omit except where the Court Martial consists of two Officers only.

[§I am of opinion that three Officers are not available, having due regard to the public service.]

(Signed)

D. G. Galey, Brig. Gen.
Commanding 88th Inf. Brigade.

(a) See Rules of Procedure, 105-123.

I certify that the above Court assembled on the 1st & 3rd days of April, 1917, and duly tried the persons named in the said Schedule, and that the plea, finding, and sentence in the case of each such person were as stated in the third and fourth columns of that Schedule.

B.
Certificate of
President as to
proceedings.

Signed this 3rd day of April 1917.

W. H. Middleton, Major.
President of the Court Martial.

I have dealt with the findings and sentences in the manner stated in the last column of the said Schedule, and, subject to what I have there stated, I hereby confirm the above findings and sentences.

C.
Confirmation

[*And I am of opinion that it is not practicable, having due regard to the public service, to delay the cases for confirmation by any superior qualified authority.]

* Omit excepting where under rules it is ordinarily the duty of the Confirming Officer to reserve the case.

Signed this 3rd day of April 1917.

D. E. Caley, Brig. Gen.
Commanding 88th Inf. Bde.
Field [or General] Officer in the Force
[or Commanding]

Promulgated by me and necessary extracts taken this fourth day of April, 1917

A. Raley,
Capt. & Adjutant,
1st Newfoundland Regiment.

Communication promulgated by me and necessary extracts taken this sixteenth day of April, 1917.

Kevin J. Keegan.
Lt. & Adjutant

I have dealt with the reserved findings and sentences in the manner stated in the last column of the Schedule, and, subject to what I have there stated, I hereby confirm the said reserved findings and sentences.

D.
Confirmation
of reserved
sentences.

Signed this _____ day of _____ 19 .

General [Field] Officer in the Force.

Subject to what I have stated in the last column of the Schedule, I hereby confirm the (finding and) sentence of death in the case of _____, and of penal servitude in the case of _____
[*and in the case of the above sentences of death I am of opinion that by reason of† it is not practicable, having due regard to the public service, to delay the case for confirmation by any qualified Officer superior to myself.]

E.
Confirmation
of sentence of
death or penal
servitude.

* Omit where confirmed by Officer in Chief Command.
† State, according to the circumstances, the nature of the country, or the great distance, or the operations of the enemy.

Signed this _____ day of _____ 19 .

*General [Field] Officer
in Chief Command of the Forces.*

ORIGINAL

No.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./54

No. 479

To: The Minister of Militia
St. John's
Newfoundland

" " Company.

MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of
Forfeiture of Pay.

NOTE:- Charge under Column
~~Credit~~ Debit Pay and Record Office London

BC

Regtl No.	Rank & Name		Particulars and Authority	AMOUNT					
				£	s	d	£	s	d
903	Pte.	Bellows L	Sentence of 3 mths F.P.No.1. awarded 31/3/17 by F.G.S.M. remitted by General Officer Commanding 29th Division on the 8/4/17 Credit 92 dys @ \$1.10.	101	20				
				101	20				

OK
CMB

CHECKED
C.N.
12.8.19.

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,

12th Aug. 1919

F.W. Marshall
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made
in the Pay Book " " Company for period / / to / /

Dated at



O.C. " " Company,
Battalion.

ORIGINAL of this FORM to be COMPLETED and RETURNED INTACT to Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent, 58 Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.
DUPLICATE to accompany PAY BOOK as VOUCHER.

DUPLICATE

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905	Pte.	Bellows L	Sentence of 3 mths F.P.No.1. awarded 31/3/17 by F.G.S.M. remitted by General Officer Commanding 29th Division on the 8/4/17 Credit 92 dys @ 51.10.	101	20			
CHECKED. <i>6/11</i> 12.8.19				101	20			

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,

18th Aug. 1919

F.W. Marshall
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

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No. of Paper *422*


PERSONAL EFFECTS.

Name *Bellows L.*

C.R. *903*

Rank *Private*

Regiment *ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.*

Article	Where stored	Notified by
<p><i>1 Package</i> <i>Containing:-</i> <i>1 Razor ✓</i> <i>1 Book ✓</i></p>		
	<p>Final Disposal</p>	
	<p><i>BK</i></p>	

Remarks: *Casualty Advice:— Repatriated, 30-1-19*
Next of Kin:— Father:— Robert Bellows,
Curling, N.F.

✓

C O P Y

From Chief Paymaster & O i/c.Recds
58 Victoria Street,
LONDON. S.W.

To O/C. Depot, R.Nfld.Regt.
Hazeley Down Camp,
WINCHESTER.

Pay & Record Office.

7th May 1919.

903 PTE. L. BELLOWS.
R. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to attached memo exchanged with you
4/1/19 and 12/1/19 (574): The following enquiry has been
received from the Minister of Militia 115/903, 31/3/19 (3222):

"The above mentioned soldier states that he was stopped
"three months pay for F.P. No. 1 awarded by Court Martial
"in France some time in April, 1917. He claims that this
"sentence was remitted before the attack of April 1stth,
"1917 as he was given the option by Capt. Rowsell (then
"O.C. "C" Company) of going over the top with sentence
"remitted or staying behind and finishing his sentence. He
"chose the former course and was taken prisoner in the attack.
"This money has since been charged to his account and he
"now claims for re-fund of the sum of £102.00. Kindly
"refer this matter to O.C. 1st Battalion to ascertain whether
"his records show as Bellows claims, that his sentence
"was promulgated or whether he is labouring under a mis-
"apprehension.

Will you kindly advise whether any reply has been received
from the 88th Brigade, and if not what further steps may be taken
in this matter, please.

(Signed) H.A. Timewell, Major.
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c.Recds.

From Vice
To Versa.

14/5/19.

No reply has yet been received from 88th Brigade, Orders

relating to this case will be found in your office.

(Signed) A. E. Bernard Lt. Col.
Commanding 1st Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

903

C.R.

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt. April 7th 1917.

903 Pte. L. Bellows

Reference No. 9.C. 24-2-17 Sub. No. 3. Sentence of Reduced to
Ranks and imprisonment for six Calendar months remitted and
Soldier reinstated to his rank as Sergeant, Authority 4th Army
Circular C.M. 4627/8/, 14/1/17.

903 Sgt. Bellows, rejoined Battn. from Hospital, 6-3-17.

C.R. 903

April 2nd. 18

Mr. Robert Bellows,
Curling.

Sir:-

I have the honour to forward you from the
Pay & Record Office, London, the present
Address of:-

"903 Pte. L. Bellows, Barr.

"52.N., Gustrow i/Mecklen-

"-burg." Germany.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

W. F. Readell

Major Chief Staff Officer.

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated March 6th, 1918.

#903 Sergt. Levi Bellows. ✓

Place of Capture Monchy 14/4/17 place of Capture Gefle
Gustrow from Friedrichsfeld.


January 30th, 1918.

Rev. Henry Petley,
The Rectory,
Curling.

Dear Mr. Petley;

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 26, Jan., requesting information about sending parcels to prisoners of war. I would point out that private parties are not permitted to forward parcels to prisoners of war, owing to an agreement to this effect between the British and German Authorities. The N.W.C.A., forward food parcels at the rate of three per fortnight from the date of receipt of information that a soldier is a prisoner of war. Clothing parcels are forwarded at different periods, the first as soon as a report has been received. It is a harsh regulation perhaps that parents and others can not forward parcels but the German Authorities will not deliver parcels that does not bear the stamp of the Authorized Subsistence War Committee. It has been learned that certain well meaning people enclose articles in food parcels that were packed for Germany and might be used as a means of escape, hence the necessity for the regulations now in vogue. Mrs Bellows can rest assured that everything possible is done for prisoners of war in Germany by the Record Office, & the N.W.C.A., in London,

Yours faithfully,


Major,
Chief Staff Officer.

C. 2903

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt. St. John's, April 10th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has
been APPROVED by C.O. Discharge Depot from noted dates

903 Pte. Levi Bellows.

4-4-19.

C.R. 903

Extract from Medical Board held on Tuesday afternoon
April 1st, 1919.

903 Sgt. L. Bellows.

Recommended discharge from the Army.

C.R. 903

Extract of Daily Orders Part II Royal Newfoundland Regiment
Depot St. John's dated April 24th/19.

The discharge of the undernoted on Demobilization has been
CONFIRMED by Officer i/c Records from noted date.

#903, Pte. Levi Bellows.

20/4/19.

C.R. 903

June 10th. 1919.

Mr. Robert Bellows,
Curling.

Dear Sir:-

I am forwarding to you by Registered mail
some effects belonging to your son No. 903 Private
L. Bellows of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am enclosing herewith receipt, will you
kindly sign same and return to this Department at your
earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Casualty Officer. **Lieut.**

BC.

G.

5th November, 1917.

Dear Madam,

In reply to your letter of the 31st October, I desire to say that Prisoners of War in Germany are provided with parcels of necessary articles through the agency of the Newfoundland War Contingent Association. The members of this Association, who are ladies and gentlemen deeply interested in the welfare of the boys of the Regiment, have undertaken to see that regular supplies of food and clothing are sent forward to our Prisoners in Germany. They cannot, however, undertake to receive and transmit to the boys parcels from friends. As this is the only means by which parcels can be transmitted to Prisoners of War, I regret that you will be unable to send anything direct to your son. You can be sure, however, that, through the good offices of the Association he will not want while a Prisoner. Yours faithfully,

Mrs. R. Bellows,
Curling.

Colonial Secretary.

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C.R. 903

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Signature of Sender _____ Address **Dept of Militia**

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **Dec 28th 1918**

To **Robert Bellows, Curling**

Req ~~ccccc~~ **Regret** to inform you that Record Office, London,

officially reports **No. 903, Sergt Levi Bellows repatriated**

from Germany arrived in Ripon Camp, England safely

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

J.R. Bennett

Chgo Dept of Militia.

Minister of Militia.

FOR TYPEWRITER

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Dated **Dec. 27th, 1918**To **Robert Bellows, Curling.**

~~Re: ...~~ to inform you that Record Office, London,
officially reports **No. 903, Sergt. Levi Bellows**
repatriated from Germany now at Leith Scotland

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

J.R. Bennett**Chge Dept, of Militia.**

Minister of Militia.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R.

903

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot ~~Sturminster~~
Winchester by Lieut. Col., E. J. Barton, D.S.O.
Officer Commanding 2nd., Battalion of the Royal
Newfoundland Regiment, dated 28-12-18.

The following having reported back from the 1st.,
Battalion ~~XXXX~~ is taken on the strength and
posted to "H" Co., from 27/12/18.

#903 Pte. Bellows.

C.R. 903

Extract from casualties from London District No. 0. 997
dated 27-10-16

#903 Sgt. L. Bellows.

WOUNDED 12-10-16.

AUTHORITY O. C. No. 14-10-16.

C.R. 903

Extract of Casualties from P & R.O. London dated Dec.26/12/18.

903 PTE. L. Bellows.

Released Prisoner of War, telegraphs that he has arrived at Leith,
Scotland. (Telegram dated London 25/12/18.)

Telegram from Bellows.

Extract from Nominal Roll Co. 1st. Bn. Nfld. Regt.
Embarked, at Devonport for Active Service 20-8-15

C.R. 903

Disembarked Alexandria, 31-8-15, Proceeded to Abbassia,
Cairo, same date, Embarked ~~for~~ Alexandria for Gallipoli
13-9-15.

903 L/C. L. Bellows.

C.R. 903

Extract of Casualties from P & R.O. London dated Dec. 27/12/19/
The undermentioned released Prisoner of War arrived at Ripon and
was ordered to proceed to depot, Winchester, 27/12/18.

903 PTE. L. Bellows.

Telegram from CSM. Butler, Ripon.

C.R. 903

Extract of Casualties received from the Pay & Record
Office London dated Dec. 30th 1918.

The undermentioned released Prisoner of War reported
at P & R.O. and proceeded on furlough 28/12/18-28/2/19.

903 PTE. L. Bellows

C.R! 903

Extract from Memorial Roll of the Royal Nfld. Regt.,
St. John's, Jan. 30th, 1919. Deceased S.S. "Corvian".

903 Bellows.

CR. 903

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt. St. John's, 11-2-19.

THE UNDERNOTED RETURNED FROM OVERSEAS AND REPORTED TO
DEPOT 7-2-11.

Prisoner of war.

903 Pte. Levi Bellows.

CR. 903

Extract from Nominal Roll of Warrant Officers and H.C.O's
of the 1st Mfld. Regt. (No date given)

903 L. Bellows.

Promoted to L/C. June.19,1915

C.R. 903

Extract from

Casualties.....List No. H.A. 5940.

903 Pte. L. Bellows.

Adm. HB Sty.H. Amiens 10th Jan.17.

Cellulitis Hand mild.

C.R.903

Extract from Casualties ~~list~~ of sick and wounded M.C.O's and men
of the Expeditionary Force - France. received from Pay and Record
Office, London dated Jan.23rd 1917. List No,H.A.6033.

903 Pte.Bellows L.Prisoner.

Septic L.Hand Sev.....Adm.12 Gen.H.Rouse 17th Jan.17

C.R. 903

Extract from telegram from Synoptical London, Dec.
27th, 1918.

Following released Prisoner of War arrived Ripon.

903 Bellows.

C.R. 903

Extract from telegram from Synoptical London, Dec. 26th
1918.

Following released Prisoner of War arrived Leith
903 Bellows.

Department of Militia

ENCLOSURE

ORIGINAL

MEMORANDUM

No. 115/903

C.R. 903

From
MINISTER OF MILITIA,
 ST. JOHN'S,
 NEWFOUNDLAND

To
Chief Paymaster & O.I/c Records
Pay & Record Office,
 58, Victoria Street
 London S.W.1.

March 31st 1919

FM/FK.

8210

SUBJECT:

No. 903 Pte. L. Bellows.

REPLY

Dated 31st May 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

The above mentioned soldier states that he was stopped three months pay for F.P. No. 1 awarded by Court Martial in France sometime in April 1917. He claims that this sentence was remitted before the attack of April 14th 1917 as he was given the option (by Capt. Rowsell then O.C. "C" Company) of going over the top with sentence remitted or staying behind and finishing his sentence. He chose the former course and was taken a prisoner in the attack. This money has since been charged to his account and he now claims for re-fund of the sum of \$102.00. Kindly refer this matter to the O.C. 1st Battalion to ascertain whether his records show as Bellows claims, that his sentence was promulgated or whether he is labouring under a misapprehension.

Copy of memorandum to Officer Commanding, 1st Battalion, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, 7/5/19, and his reply thereon 14/5/19, is enclosed.

The following is an extract of Daily Orders relating to this soldier:-

144. Court Martial.
 No. 903 Sgt. L. Bellows D. Coy, arrested Mar. 28/17, charged with drunkenness and striking a private and conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, was tried by F.G.C.M. on 31/3/18, found guilty, and sentenced. Reduced to ranks and 3 months F.P. No. 1. Confirmed by G.O.C. 88th Bde. 3/4/17.

R. R. Rawson
 Major,
 for Chief Staff Officer (London)

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE
 3111
 APR 28 1919
 Minister of Militia.
 Ref. Nos. 001

ACTED UPON		
BRANCH	DATE	BY
Comd.		
P & A.		
R & C.		
B & E.		
P.S.		

FAE/MP.

C.R. 903

Extract from Nominal ~~ROLL~~ Roll of Draft embarked for
Overseas per S.S. Stephano March 20th 1915.

No. 6. Platoon.

983 Pte. L. Bellows.

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Address

Edw. M. Shirley
for Sec. Sec.

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **21st July, 1916.**

To **Mr. Robert Bellows,**
Curling.

Replying to my cabled enquiry Record Office today reports injuries No. 903 Corporal Levi Bellows consist Gunshot Wound Ear.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

EW

Copy of Message sent by the Colonial Secretary to
the Record Office of the First Newfoundland
Regiment, London, July 18th.

Report by telegraph present condition of 114 Mahon, 363
Crane, 1180 Butler, 1686 Lawrence, 1595 Rideout, 1422 Collins,
1445 Gillingham, 1161 Pike, 943 Moores, 1762 Brake, 1583
Johnson, 35 Sheehan, 1472 Coombs, Report by telegraph nature
of wounds of 903 Bellows, 1404 Tilley What is address of
2069 Murphy, Relatives anxious for news of 990 Taylor, 1882
Lee, 1685 Murrin, 1498 Learning.



NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 12 Sent by [Signature] Rec'd by Go Check 111 No.

Place from St. John's

To W. [Signature]

JUL 22 1916
Corporal Henri Bellows

no 903 1st W/ser Regt

Trust Stationary Hospital

Rouen

90 J R Bennett
Colony.

are you seriously wounded
hope you are feeling better
now answer.

Mrs A Bellows

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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July 12, 1916.

To

Mr. Robert Bellows,

Curling.

Be glad to inform you that No. 903, Corporal
Levi Bellows, reported at First Stationary Hospital,
Rouen, July fourth, gunshot wound in ear - convalescent.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 903

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated July 12, 1916.

#903 Cpl. L. Bellows. ✓

Gunshot wound right ear.

Admitted 1st Stationary Hospital, Rouen, 3rd July 1916.

C.R. 903

Extract of casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London Dated July 11, 1916.

#903 Cpl. L. Bellows. ✓

Dis. to Rouen, ex 1st Stationary Hospital, 4th July '16.
Gunshot wound right ear.

C.R. 903

Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld.
from P.&.R.O. 11/7/16.

903, Bellows. ✓

First Stationery Hospital Rouen 4th. July GSW. Ear.
Convalescent.

C.R. 903.

PROMOTION.

REGIMENTAL ORDER.

By Sir Walter E. Davidson K.C.M.G., Officer Commanding.

The Lt. Col. has been pleased to approve the following appointment.

To be Corporal

Lance Cpl. L. Bellows.

(to date from November 14th 1915.)

C.R. 903

PROMOTION.

REGIMENTAL ORDER DATED JUNE 19, 1915.

BY LT. COL. SIR WALTER E. DAVIDSON KCMG., OFFICER COMMANDING.

THE LT. COL. HAS BEEN PLEASED TO APPROVE THE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENT.

#903 Pte. L. Bellows D. Co.,

TO BE LANCE CORPORAL.

C.R. 903

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated July 31, 1916.

(Extract from Army Form B 213, from O.C. 1st. Nfld. Regt.
dated 11/7/16.)

#903 Cpl. L. Bellows. ✓

Wounded in Action 1/7/16.

C.R. 903

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit 1st. Bfld.
Regiment, 3rd Echelon, dated September 23, 1916.

#903 Cpl. L. Bellows, D. Co.,

Promoted Sergeant 14/9/16.

✓

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated October 23, 1916.

#903 Sergt. L. Bellows.

N.Y.D.

Admitted 6th General Hospital, Rouen, 14th October 1916.

C.R. 903

Extract of Casualty received from Day & Record Office,
London. dated October 25, 1916.

#903 Sergt. L. Bellows.

~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ N.Y.D.

Admitted 6th General Hospital, Housen, 14th October 1916.

C.R. 903

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.OL
October 26th 1916.

903, Sgt. L. Bellows. ✓

1st Newfoundland Inf. Cont. arm L. Adm. 2 Conv. Dep.
Rouen ex 6 Gen. Hos. 18th October 1916.

C.R. 903

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
October 26th 1916.

903, Sergt. L Bellows.

1 Newfoundland Contus Arm. R. Dis to 2 Conv. Dep. Rouen
ex 6 Gen. Hos. 18th October.



C.R. 903

SICK & WOUNDED N.C.O.'s. & MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.

SHREWSBURY RECORD OFFICE.

LIST NO. H.A. 3530.

16916 Pte. Meyrick, T.	1/K. Shrop. L. I.	GSW. Bar. R. Adm. 2	Con. Dep. Rouen ex 5	Gen. H. 21st Oct. 16.
16353 L/C. Elcock, J.	1/ -do-	Myalgia. Adm. 2	Con. Dep. Rouen ex 12	Gen. H. 21st Oct. 16.
47770 Pte. Buckley, H.	21/ Ches. R.	-do- Adm. 2	Con. Dep. Rouen ex 9	Gen. H. 21st Oct. 16.
18125 Pte. Husbands, H.	7/K. Shrop. L. I.	Scabies & Adm. 2	Con. Dep. Rouen 21st	Oct. 16.
		Eczema.		
14623 Pte. Booth, W.	11/ Ches. R.	Influenza. Adm. 2	Con. Dep. Rouen ex 11	Sty. H. 21st Oct. 16.
26260 Pte. Jordan, L.	6/K. Shrop. L. I.	VDG. Adm. 2	Con. Dep. Rouen ex 1	Sty. H. 21st Oct. 16.
32156 Pte. Jones, L.	1/ Ches. R.	VDS.		-do-
13571 Pte. Ash, C.	1/S. W. B.	VDG. & Scabies.		-do-
49044 Pte. Harrison, E.	1/ Ches. R. Dis. Class T.B. to Base	Dep. Rouen ex 2	Con. Dep. 21st Oct. 16.
		Class A.		-do-
33337 Pte. Weatherhill, C.	10/ Ches. R.			-do-
36232 Pte. Armstrong, A.	10/ -do-			-do-
4588 Pte. Woodward, J.	10/ -do-			-do-
49431 Pte. Barlow, H.	10/ -do-			-do-
30667 Pte. Smith, S.	15/ -do-			-do-
22137 Pte. Ridgway, A.	1/K. Shrop. L. I.			-do-
26140 Pte. Woolley, A.	5/ -do-			-do-
44126 Pte. Fullex, J.	1/S. W. B.			-do-
47149 Pte. Roberts, E.	10/ Welsh.	Class T.B.		-do-
24133 Pte. Perry, J.	19/ -do-	Class A.		-do-
18425 Pte. Conningham, J.	2/S. Lan. R.	ICT. Leg. Dis. to 6	Gen. H. Rouen ex 2	Con. Dep. 21st Oct. 16.
39039 L/C. Scott, A.	19/ Ches. R.	TB. Ac. Mastitis.		-do-

3265

ADMIRALTY.

LIST NO. H.A. 3530.

0463 Gnr. Wrenn, T. RLA. 3 Hvy. How. Myalgia. Adm. 2 Con. Dep. Rouen ex 8 Gen. H. 21st Oct. 16.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

LIST NO. H.A. 3530.

✓ 903 Sjt. Bellows, L. 1/ Newfld. Inf. ✓ Dis. Class A. to Base Dep. Rouen ex 2 Con. Dep. 21st Oct. 16.

C.R. 903

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit 1st Newfoundland Regiment, 3rd Echelon, B.E.F., dated February 24, 1917.

#903 Sergt. L. Bellows. ✓

In arrest awaiting Trial 19/12/16, Tried by Field General Court Martial 26/22/16 and convicted of "Committing an offence against the inhabitants of the Country in which he was serving.

Sentence:- Reduced to ranks and imprisonment for six Calander months. Confirmed by G.O.C. 88th Brigade 28/12/16.

C.R. 903

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, By Lieut.Col. J.
Forbes Robertson, M.C. Commanding 1st Nfld.Regt.
7/2/17.

The following sentences by F.G.C.M. have been quashed

#903 Sergt.L. Bellows.

The above are re-inatated in their previous ranks and
will,not suffer in any way from the sentence.

C.R. 903

Extract of Casualties receive from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated January 26, 1917.

✓ #903 Ptee L. Bellows. ✓

Cellutitis Left Hand.

Transferred to Ambulance Train. 5. ex. New Zealand
Stationary Hospital, Amiens, January 16th, 1917.

C.R. 903

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
January 23rd 1917.

903, Pte L. Bellows. Prisoner. ✓

1 Newfoundland R. Septic Left Hand Severe Adm. 12 Gen.
Hos. Rouen 17th. January 1917.

C.R. 903

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

✓ Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.
January 20th. 1917.

903, Pte L. Bellows. ✓

1/Newfoundland Cellulitis Hand Mild Adm. NZ. Sty. Hos.
Amiens 10th. Januaryn 1917.

C.R. 903

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, by Lieut.Col. J. Forbes-
Robertson.M.C.Commanding 1st Nfld.Regt. 27/12/16.

A Field General Court Martial composed of President : ^UCapt. A:L.
Wremford, 4th Worc.Regt.Members: A.Captain, 1st Nfld.Regt. A.
Subaltern, 1st Sussex. will assemble at 10 a.m., on 29th inst,
at Hqr. 1st Nfld.Regt.Comps. Le Amienois for the trial of:-

#903 Sergt. W. Bellows, 1st Nfld.Regt.

and any other accused who may be brought before it.
the
Captain Tait will be/member from 1st Nfld.Regiment.

C.R. 903

NO. 903 SGT. BELLOWS L.

EXTRACT CAS RECEIVED FROM P & R O 7.11.16.

✓ "DIS. TO BASE DEP. ROUEN CLASS A EX CON. DEP 28TH OCT. 1916." ✓

C.R. 903

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & record
Office, London, dated October 31, 1916.

#903 Sergt. L. Bellows.

Diarrhoea.

Admitted 2 Con. Dep. Rouen 24th October 1916. ✓

C.R. 903

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated October 30, 1916.

#903 Sergt. L. Bellows. ✓

Wounded 13/10/16 and reported by O.C.Bn, 14/10/16.

Colonial Secretary
of Newfoundland

St. John's
March 23
1917
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Sir

As it is reported here that my son Levi Bellows, who is a sergeant in the 1st Newfoundland regiment, has been court martialed and imprisoned for three months, he is now at France, his number is 903 B. company.

I beg to ask you to favour me by letting me know if this report is true

Yours Respectfully

His mother

Anora Bellows

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COPY OF CODE MESSAGE SENT TO SYNOPTICAL,
March 26, 1917.

Report by telegraph present condition of 1085
Goodyear, 2211 McDonald, 1583 Johnson, 2911 Hull.
What is extent of injuries sustained by, report
by telegraph present condition of 2852 Parsons.
Reported that 903 Bellows was convicted Court
Martial sentenced imprisonment telegraph particulars.

M

March 29, 1918.

Dear Sir,

On the 26th instant I cabled the Newfoundland Pay and Record Office, London, asking them for a confirmation, of otherwise, of the report that your son, No. 903, Sergeant Levi Bellows, had been sentenced by Court Martial to imprisonment.

In his reply, which I have to-day received, Major Timewell states that your son was sentenced to six months imprisonment by Court Martial on December 26th for committing an offense against an inhabitant of the country in which he was serving.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Robert Bellows,
Curling.

C.R. 903

Extract of Cablegram received from Pay & Record Office,
London dated May 13, 1917. ✓

#903 Pte. L. Bellows, D. Co.,

Reported Missing April 14th.

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Jul M. Shubert

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London

Address _____

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Dated 20th July, 1917.

To Mr. Robt. Bellows,
Curling.

Have pleasure in informing you Record Office London today reports No. 903 Sergt. Levi Bellows Prisoner of War at Limburg Germany.

R. A. SQUIRES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

PRISONERS OF WAR

Ext. daily orders part 2 from G. H.Q.

C.R. 4252

3rd. Echelon, August 15th. 1917.

" Prisoner of War" in German hands, 14/4/17

Off German report forwarded by Geneva Red Cross

Prev. Struck off Strength" Missing Ref. No. 22 C.

19/5/17

For information see file " Prisoners of War " daily

orders # 948

No. 903 Pte. L. Bellows.

Leurling Oct 31st 117

Hon. Mr. Bennet

Dear Sir

I am to day in receipt of Post cards from my son Pte - Levi Bellows, Prisoner of war in Germany. he advises me sending him Parcels and cash monthly through "Red cross society" not knowing which way to act will you kindly advise.

Yours very truly

Mrs R. Bellows.

C.R. 903

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London dated January 19, 1918.

Change of address of the following prisoner of war
has been notified to the N.W.C.A. by the Canadian Red Cross
Society 18/1/18.

#903 Pte. L. Bellows.

Gustrow i. Mecklenburg.

C.F. 903

Levi Bellows was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on Jan. 4th 1915.
Regimental No. 903 was allotted to Pte Levi Bellows.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer ✓

Dept. of Militia,

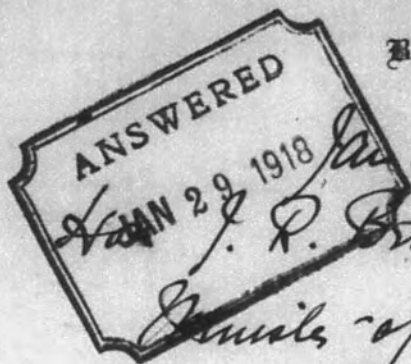
March 25th. 1915.

The Rectory

Curling

Bay of Islands
Newfoundland

C.R. 903



Dear Sir,

One of my
Parishioners Mr. Bellows has
a son now a prisoner in
Germany, she is anxious to send
him a parcel from time to time.
but does not know ^{through} what
Agency this can be done

I would be much obliged
if you would put me the necessary
information.

With good wishes for the
New Year

I am Hon & dear Sir,

Yours very truly
Henry Pelley

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *R 11871169* to his home at *Bay of Suez* and Release Certificate No. *1965* issued

Date *4-2-19*

J.A. Brown
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to *20-4-19*

Date *4-4-19*

SUBJECT TO ADJUSTMENT OF OVERSEAS PAY ACCT

H. Must
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *6-4-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
E 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date *4-4-19*

J.A. Brown
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

APR 6 1919

Date

R.H. Sait
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Received the above noted documents from O. C. Discharge Depot.

Date *12/4/19*

A. Theobald
Officer i/c Records