



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 659

Name in full Wm Bowden Edwards Age 24

Address 98 Circular Rd.

Married Single Height 5.9 Weight 127

Color Dark Hair Dark brown Eyes Brown

Other distinguishing marks \_\_\_\_\_

Nearest relative \_\_\_\_\_

Address Geo. Edwards (Father)

Dependents 98 Circular Rd.

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Present Wage \_\_\_\_\_

Previous service Hardware Clerk 55<sup>00</sup> per month

Decorations \_\_\_\_\_

General Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Enlistment Dec. 14/14

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

Declared before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of Dec. 1914  
Wm Bowden Edwards  
W. H. H. H.

## DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 659

Name William Dowden Edwards

Apparent age 24 years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height 5 feet 9 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Dark, Hair: Dark Brown, Eyes: Brown

### INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin James Edwards, 98 Circular Road, St. John's

| 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 Not allowed to reckon towards G. O. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>14/12/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>14th December '14</u>									
		<u>Promoted to</u>	<u>Sgt</u>	<u>26/1/15</u>					
		<u>" " "</u>	<u>C.M.S.</u>	<u>2/2/15</u>					
		<u>" " "</u>	<u>C.S.M.</u>	<u>12/2/15</u>					
		<u>" " "</u>	<u>Dept Q.M.S.</u>	<u>31/7/15</u>					
		<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>ad</u>	<u>(6/10/15)</u>					
		<u>2/1/15</u>							
Total Service forfeited as above .. .. .									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ ( " ) _____ " _____									

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

***Royal Nfld. Regt.***

***Dept. of Militia,***

***ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.***

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0-16

OCT 11 1921.

The accompanying [redacted] British War Medal

is/are forwarded herewith to [redacted]

William D. Edwards

in respect of his service as No. [redacted] Rank Capt.

Name W.D. Edwards Royal Nfld. Regt. [redacted]

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received British War Medal.

Signature W.D. Edwards

Date October 11<sup>th</sup> 1921

Address 112 Circular Road

[P.T.O.]



The Honble  
The Minister of Militia  
St. Johns  
Newfoundland.

Sir,

I have the honour to request that the following promotions may be made in the Battalion under my command.

To be Lieutenant

2 Lieut. J. H. Snow

To be Temporary Captain, while serving with 2<sup>d</sup> Battalion.

Lieut. W. D. Edwards.

With regard to the second promotion, Lieut. Edwards is senior to many officers who have been promoted Captain, and as he is the hardest worked officer in the unit, and in my opinion the most efficient Quartermaster in the British Army, I shall be greatly obliged by effect being given to my recommendation.

I have the honour to

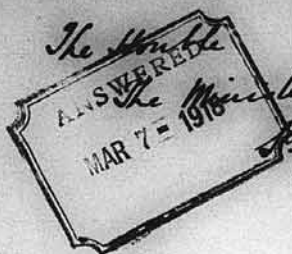
Sir,

Your obedient servant

A. Whitaker

Arg. Scotland }  
13 Oct. 1917 }

LT-COL  
COMMANDING, 2nd/1st N.Z. BATT. REGT.



The Minister of Militia  
St. John's  
Nfld.

aj.

Sir, In reply to your No. 16 of 21<sup>st</sup> Nov. 1917.

It is not my intention to remove Lieut. W. D. Edwards from his position as Quartermaster, in which he is so particularly efficient, to a Company, where his services would be wasted.

In my opinion the interests of the Army and of the Regiment are best met by my decision to retain this Officer as Quartermaster, and I have no hesitation in affirming that no Regiment in the British Service possesses a more efficient Quartermaster than this Officer.

Under these circumstances I have always declined to consider his applications for admission to the lists of Officers available for service overseas, and I am of opinion that his work here is in every way as important, in the facilities he affords for getting drafts rapidly trained for the Expeditionary Force, as that of any Officer in any other capacity.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

W. Whitaker

Recd  
19 Dec. 1917.

C.R.

0-16

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS DAY  
RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA WARRANT  
APPOINTING ME A WARRANT OFFICER CLASS II

NO.....RANK *Captain*

NAME *Wm D Edwards*

DATE *November 3<sup>rd</sup> 1920*

C.R. 0-16

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS DAY  
RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA WARRANT  
APPOINTING ME A WARRANT OFFICER CLASS II

NO.....RANK *Captain*.....

NAME *Wm D Edwards*.....

DATE *November 3<sup>rd</sup> 1920*.....



C.R. 0-16

Extract from casualties from Pay & Record Office. London.  
dated 22/8/19.

REPATRIATION DRAFT NO. 95.

The undermentioned proceeded to Newfoundland per  
s.s. "Sachem" from Liverpool to St. John's,  
20/8/19.

Capt. W.D. Edwards and wife.

Authority:

Chief Staff Officer (London).

C.R. 0-16

Extract from Militia Orders - No. 577 by Hon. A.E. Hickman  
MINISTER OF MILITIA.      October 6th 1919.

The following is retired with effect from Date set opposite  
his name and is placed on the Reserve List of Officers:-

Capt. W. Edwards.....Sept. 11th 1919.

RECEIVED.

FOR ISSUE OF BRITISH WAR MEMALS 1914-1919.

C.R. 0-16

I certify that I have received an issue of 2 inches  
of Riband of British War Memal-1914-1919.

NAME *Wm. Edwards*.....

DATE *17-11-19*.....

PLACE *Avonlea Road City*

C.R. 0-16



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

Nov 7th, 1919

WHEN REPLYING  
QUOTE No. 6-16  
C.R.

Capt. W. Edwards  
Circular Road  
CITY

Dear Capt. Edwards:-

The attached bill from Baker & Coy. Ltd., Southampton has been received, I should be glad to know if the amount stated thereon 11s. 6d is due from Government funds.

Yours faithfully,

*W.F. Rendell*  
Lieut-Col.

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 0-16

Extract from telegram from Syn., London to Military  
dated Aug 20th 1919.

Following have embarked "Sachem" from Liverpool  
Aug. 20th Capt. Edwards and wife.

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C.R. 0-16

Nov 7th, 1919

Capt. W. Edwards  
Circular Road  
CITY

Dear Capt. Edwards:-

The attached bill from Baker & Coy. Ltd., Southampton has been received. I should be glad to know if the amount stated thereon 11s. 6d is due from Government funds.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut-Col.

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 0-16

Jan. 24th. 1920

Capt. W.D. Edwards  
Circular Road

Dear Sir:-

I attaching a letter from the Deputy Colonial Secretary with enclosures, and also previous correspondence regarding the matter of Arms and accoutrements said to be taken to Newfoundland. I should be glad to have your report in connection therewith at your earliest convenience.

Please return the attachments with your reply.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

C.R. 0-16

AUGUST 22nd 1919.

Mr. Jas. Edwards,  
96 Circular Road.

Dear Sir:

I beg to inform you that word has been received from the Record Office, London, to the effect that Captain Edwards and wife embarked per "S.S.SACHEM" from Liverpool on August 20th.

Yours faithfully,



Lieut.  
for Military Secretary.



The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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

0-16  
Sept 11/19

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

Oct 4/1919

Regimental No. \_\_\_\_\_

Name

Capt W. Edward

Address

98 Circular Road

Present Medical Category

A

Recommended for:— (a) Immediate discharge \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) ~~Standing Medical Board~~ \_\_\_\_\_

Members of Board

CC. B. Bycroft  
O.C. Discharge Depot

H. Johnson  
Senior Medical Officer

M.O. Depot

# 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 Oct 4th 1919.

Regimental No. \_\_\_\_\_

 Name Capt. W.D. Edwards.

 Address 98 Circular Road

 Present Medical Category A1.

 Recommended for:—
 

- (a) Immediate discharge \_\_\_\_\_
- (b) ~~Other~~ ~~Medical~~ ~~Category~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~assigned~~ ~~to~~ ~~the~~ ~~appropriate~~ ~~Medical~~ ~~Category~~ \_\_\_\_\_

Members of Board

*C.C. Byrne Cpt*  
Q.C. Discharge Depot *10000000*

*to 20000000*  
Senior Medical Officer

Sgd. J. St.P Knight.

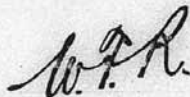
M.O. Depot

March 8th, 1918.

Officer Commanding,  
2nd Battalion,  
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester, England.

Sir:-

In reply to your A. . . of 19th December, concerning the recommendation for a promotion of Lieut. W. B. Edwards, I confirm my telegram notifying that this Officer was promoted to the rank of Captain with effect from the 25th February.



Acting Minister of Militia.

WFR/JMP.

C.R. 0-16

Extract of Militia Orders by J.R. Bennett, a/Minister of  
Militia, dated March 5th, 1918.

Lieut. W.D. Edwards.

To be Captain with effect from February 25, 1918.

C.R. 0-16  
Extract of daily orders part 11 by Lieut. Col. Berners D.S. O.  
commanding 2nd. Bat. Royal Nfld. REGT. Dated 6/3/18.

The HON. THE MINISTER OF MILITIA HAS APPROVED OF THE FOLLOW-  
ING APPOINTMENT.\*-

LIEUT. W. D. EDWARDS ✓

To be CAPTAIN dated Feby. 25th. 1918.

C.R. 0-16

Copy of telegram despatched to Synoptical, London,  
dated March 2, 1918.

With reference to your telegram of 25th February  
Lieut. Edwards to be Captain with effect from  
25th February.

C.R. 0-16

Copy of telegram received from London, dated  
February 25, 1918.

Following from Officer Commanding 2nd Battalion (begins)  
Reference your O16 November 21st, and my A.L., December  
19th, can the promotion now be gazetted Telegraph reply.

C.R. 0-16

Copy of telegram received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated February 25, 1918.

Following from O.C. 2nd Battalion Begins Reference  
your 016 November 21st. and my A 1. December 19th  
can this promotion now be gazetted telegraph reply.





The Chairman  
( Standing Committee.

For views of Standing Committee.

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Private Secretary.

14 Sept. 1913.

<sup>188</sup>  
Yours tel. 14 Sep. Unhelming No. 479.

*promotions proposal  
approved*

Code Telegram from Capt. Timewell.  
(recd. 14 Sept. 1913)

*dated*

*14 Sept Sagy*

Officer Commanding 2nd Battalion requests following  
promotions:-

To be Lieutenant: 2nd Lieut. Edwards.

To be Second Lieutenant: 845 Sergeant Bethune.

*Approved by Standing Committee  
[Signature] Chairman*

C.R. 0-16

PROMOTION.

Extract of Regimental Orders, dated Nov. 1st. 1915.

By Lieut. Col. Sir W. E. Davidson, K. C. M. G. Officer Comdg.

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Lieut. Col. Comdg. has approved the following promotion.

Regt. Quartermaster Sgt. W. D. Edwards.

To be ~~2nd~~ Lieutenant, To date from 16, Oct. 1915.

Code telegram from Finnell

C.R. <sup>0-16</sup>  
~~116~~

recd 14<sup>th</sup> Sep. sent by me Sep 15<sup>th</sup>  
approved & returned to Mr. Watson Sep 16

" Officer Commanding 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion requests following  
promotions -

To be Lieutenant - 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut Edwards

To be Second Lieut 845 Sergeant Bethune

C.R.  $\frac{659}{0-16}$

Promotion.

Extract of Regimental Orders, Dated Feby. 2, 1915.  
By Lieut. Col. Sir W. E. Davidson K.C.M.G. Officer Comdg.

Platoon Sergeant W. D. Edwards,

To be Co'y Quartermaster Sergeant. ✓

C.R. 0-16

PROMOTION.

The following promotion by Lt. Col. R. de H. Burten, <sup>4</sup> ~~is~~  
approved and confirmed.

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659, Co., Qrms. Sergt. W. Edwards

To be Co., Sergt Major. 12/7/15.

C.R. 0-16

Extract from Nominal Roll, Embarked St. John's, Per S.S.  
"Dominion" "C" Company, 2nd, 1915.

659 Edwards W?D.

Company Qtr'master Sergt.

C.R. 0-16

Extract from Nominal Roll Of Warrant Officers &  
N.C.O'S of the Royal <sup>1st.</sup> Mfld. Regt. (*undated.*)

659 W.D. Edwards.

Promoted to Sergt. Jan. 26th, 1915

" " " Major Feb. 2. 1915.

C.R. 0-16

PROMOTION.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR HAS BEEN PLEASED TO MAKE  
THE FOLLOWING PROMOTION:

W. D. EDWARDS.

TO BE SERGEANT.

THE ABOVE ~~COMMISSION~~ TO DATE FROM JANUARY 26TH. 1915.



O-16  
C.R. 659

Wm. D. Edwards was attested for General Service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on <sup>DEC</sup> ~~Sept.~~ 14th. 1914.  
Regimental No 659 was allotted to Pte. W. D. ~~Point~~ EDWARDS

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

C.R. 0-16

Wm. Dowden Edwards was attested for General Service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ..December 14th 1914  
Regimental No. 659 was allotted to Pte Wm. D. Edwards

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

Capt W H Edwards

C.R. 0-16

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To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Edwards OF Christian Name William D 0-16

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	2nd day of Dec 1914	St John's	day of	191
Declared Age	24 years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	Hardware clerk			
Height	5 feet	9 inches	feet	inches
Weight		127 lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	35 1/2 inches		inches
	Range of expansion	4 1/2 inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
When Vaccinated	1907			
Vision	R.E.—V=	W	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=		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>Cluny Macpherson</i>			
(Rank)	Capt.			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at St John's		at	
	on 14th day of Dec 1914		on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	12th Mfd Regt	659		
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

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# MEDICAL HISTORY

0-16

Surname Edwards OF Christian Name William D

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish		SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
		on	191	on	191
Examined	at	2nd day of Dec St John's		day of	
Declared Age		21 years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation		Hardware clerk			
Height		5 feet	9 inches	feet	inches
Weight			127 lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded		35 1/2 inches		inches
	Range of expansion		4 1/2 inches		inches
Physical Development					
Vaccination Marks	Arm				
	Number				
When Vaccinated		1907			
Vision	R. E.—V=			R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=			L. E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease					
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection					
Approved by (Signature)		<i>Clayton Macpherson</i>			
(Rank)		Capt.			
		Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St John's		at	
	on	14th day of Dec	1914	on	day of 191
		Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment		12th Regt.	659		
Transferred to					
Became non-effective by					
	on	day of	191	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
23.4.15	<p style="text-align: center;">J.V</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Vac.</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. Johns	Dec 4/15	Oct 5/15			
Is. Dominion	Feb 5/15	" 16/15			
Edinburgh Castle	" 16/15				

List of Articles to be insured

}	1 Case containing			
	2 Carpets.	£.	s.	d.
	1 1/2 Plushette Curtains	50	0	0
		5	0	0
		<u>55</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

}	1 Case containing Wedding Presents.			
	<del>Value</del> Valued	40	0	0

}	1 Case containing clothing and personal effects			
		10	0	0

1 Bale containing Cane chest of drawers	5	0	0
	<u>£ 110</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

✓

Wm D Edwards  
Capt  
Royal Newfoundland Regt

June 21/19





## 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of 2/Lieut. W. D. Edwards

From 18/10/15 to 24/12/15

(both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No.

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount		Dr.			Cr.		
				\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	<b>Cr.</b>										
	Pay 18/10/15 to 2/12/15	48	2 00	96	00						
	" 2/12/15 " 24/12/15	22	3 00	66	00						
	Field Allowance										
	18/10/15 to 2/12/15	48	60	22	80						
	" 2/12/15 " 24/12/15	22	75	16	50						
	Mess " "	70	4/-						14	0	0
	Kit " "			250	00						
	@ \$ 4.86½ ...			\$	487 30				93	19	4
	<b>Dr.</b>										
Nov. 10	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.					50	0	0			
" 26	" "					22	8	7			
Dec. 24	" "					21	14	8			
	Allotment	56	70	39	20	8	1	0			
	Adjustment in Company PayBook			28	00	5	15	1			
	PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., 27, December, 1915.										
									107	19	4
									107	19	4

Checked by *Bo* £

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Form P/J.

## 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of 2/Lieut. W. D. Edwards.

From 25/12/15

to 21/1/16

(both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No.

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount		Dr.			Cr.		
				\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	<b>Cr.</b>										
	Pay	28	3 00	84	00						
	Adjustment in date of resuming duties of Quartermaster, formerly stated as 7/2/15	5	1 00	23	00						
	Field Allowance 11/11 to 2/12/15	22	75	21	00						
	Adjustment as above	22	15	5	30						
	Mess "	28	4/-						5	12	0
	@ \$4.86½ ...		\$	130	30				25	15	6
	<b>Dr.</b>										
Jan. 21	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.					18	13	7			
	1, Binoculars					6	3	0			
	1, Revolver					3	1	3			
	1, Compass					4	2				
	Allotment	28	70	19	60	4	0	6			
	PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W.,										
	5, February, 1916										
	Checked by <i>W.D.E.</i>					32	7	6	32	7	6

End. Lieut. W.D. Edwards.

22/1/16

18/2/16

28 3 00 84 00

28 75 21 00

28 4/-

5<sup>12</sup> 0

Exchange Balance

12 8

105 00

21 11 6

Feb. 18

23 15 8

Allotment

28 70 19 80 4 0 6

March End 6.

*70*

27 16 8 27 16 8

End. Lieut. W.D. Edwards, (Quartermaster)

19/2/16

17/5/16.

28 3 00 84 00

28 75 81 00

28 4/- 5 12 0

105 00

21 11 6

Mar 17.

23 5 0

Allotment.

28 70 19 60 4 0 6

March 20th.

6.

*Be.*

27 5 6 27 5 6

MEMORANDUM.

From Pay Sergeant.

From *L.M.S Edwards*

To Depot Q.M.S., W. Edwards.

To *Sergt. F. Marshall*

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office, 1915:  
~~5 August,~~

*August 6<sup>th</sup>* 1915.

Please let me have duplicate bill M/s G.Harkness & Son £2/15/-, account Funeral Charges late Pte. J. Gorman. I understand you wrote for the above while I was down at Stobs Camp, - doubtless it has been overlooked.

*I wrote for a duplicate of the mentioned Bill. but up to the present time received no answer. Will write now and ask them to hurry it along. Sorry for giving you so much trouble.*

*F. Marshall*

Pay Serg't.

*Wm. D. Edwards*

*L.M.S*  
Depot.

Newton - Park  
School  
Ayr.  
November 8/15

Capt. Lunewell  
Paymaster.

First Newfoundland Regt.

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly  
open a Bank ac<sup>t</sup> in the Bank of Montreal  
for me. I have purchased all my  
outfit and now I want some money  
to pay for it. by doing this you will  
greatly oblige.

Your obedient servant.

William. D. Edwards  
2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut.

First Newfoundland Regt.  
depor  
Ayr.

PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	1181
Rec'd.	NOV 9 1915
Act'd.	
Ans'd.	

1804/1.

19, November, 5.

From: Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

To: S/Lieut. W. D. Edwards,  
Depot, Newfoundland Contingent,  
Newton-on-Ayr, Scotland.

Referring to your letter 8/11/15, £50/ has been placed this day to your credit with the Bank of Montreal, 9 Waterloo Place, with a request to forward you direct Pass and Cheque Books. This represents a round sum on account,- balances due will be deposited at the close of next Pay Period.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

H.T./N.M.

22. 1916  
Edwards allotment as still being  
paid at St Johns no instruction having  
been issued to the contrary.



N.F.L.D. DEPOT,  
NEWTON-ON-AYR,  
SCOTLAND.

July 5<sup>th</sup> 1916

Capt. Luicwell.

Sir:

I am writing  
this note to ask you for a  
little information. When I was  
Sergeant in the company I  
was leaving an allotment of  
Seventy Cents (70¢) a day home  
now that I have my commission  
does my allotment still hold  
good in St Johns if so the  
matter is quite clear to me.  
as I did not wish for my



22. 1916  
Edwards allotment as held being  
paid at St Johns no instruction having  
been issued to the contrary.



N.F.L.D. DEPÔT,  
NEWTON-ON-AYR,  
SCOTLAND.

July 5<sup>th</sup> 1916

Capt. Luicwell.

Sir:

I am writing  
this note to ask you for a  
little information. When I was  
Sergeant in the company I  
was leaving an allotment of  
Seventy Cents (70¢) a day home  
now that I have my commission  
does my allotment still hold  
good in St Johns if so the  
matter is quite clear to me.  
as I did not wish for my

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS:  
"SYNOPTICAL"  
LONDON.

TELEPHONE:  
VICTORIA 147.

COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS,  
AND THE FOLLOWING NO. QUOTED:

PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.,

10, February, 1916.

406/1.

To 2/Lieut. W. D. Edwards,

2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,

Newton-on-Ayr, Scotland.

**SUBJECT:** Pay & Allowances.

Referring to your letter 5/2/16 a statement of your account to last Pay period, 21/1/16, ~~a statement of your account~~ has been posted to you, by which it will be seen that your Allotment still continues. This practice is observed when Officers are appointed from the ranks, unless a written request to the contrary is received at this Office.

*W. D. Edwards* Capt.  
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.



Captain Summell  
Paymaster:-

Sir. I sent my bank  
Book to the bank to be written up  
and I have just received it. and I  
find that on April 17<sup>th</sup> the sum of  
Sixteen pounds 10<sup>s</sup>. have be deposited  
for me. There must be some mistake  
as every other month I have had  
£23 deposited, can you explain  
the difference to me. by doing so  
You will greatly oblige your

obedient servant

W<sup>m</sup> D. Edwards  
2<sup>nd</sup> Lt Quartermaster

2/1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.

Apr.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	1291
Rec'd.	APR 22 1916
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	APR 24 1916
File No.	

2<sup>nd</sup> L. W. D. Edwards Quartermaster

Has been Cr with L by pay \$2.00 p day for period ending 14/4/6  
Field Allow 60 ..

He should have received as Quartermaster \$3.00 p day  
Field Allow 60 ..

This will be corrected in period 18/4/6 - 12/5/6

Cr Diff 28 day. @	1.00	28.00	
28 .. Field Allow	15	4.20	32.20 £ 6-12-4

24, April, 81

1525/2.

2/Lieut. W. D. Edwards,  
2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,  
Newton-on-Ayr, Scotland.

Pay & Allowances.

It is regretted that the amount paid to your credit  
14/4/18 was at the rate of a Lieutenant, along with similar  
ranks appearing in Pay List. Owing to several sick absences  
from this Office, final examination thereof was unavoidably  
delayed, but the error would have been detected later.

The balance of £8.12.4 due to you <sup>de M. M. M. M. M.</sup> will be included  
with next deposit, or before, if you so request.

Capt.  
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

13-9-16

Dear Capt Linnell:-

During the month of August I loaned 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt Linnell & Churchill £5 for which he gave me a cheque and asked me not to present it to the Bank until Sept. which I did. My Bank Pass book was returned to me a few days ago. but the cheque I seem to be placed to my credit was unable to be met. can you give me any light on the subject as to how I am able to obtain the five pounds and by doing so so you will greatly oblige

Yours Truly,

W<sup>m</sup> D. Edwards  
2<sup>nd</sup> Lt regt.  
2<sup>nd</sup> N.F.L.D. Regt

181 NEWSPAPER & DOCUMENT PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	3426
Rec'd.	16 SEP 1916
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

16th September, 6.

3837/3

My dear Edwards,

Reference yours 15/9/16: I understand that several other cheques of Churchill's are unpaid, and I suggest that you refer to the C.O.

I am sorry that I can do nothing in the matter as I have no funds to his credit but believe that certain action will be taken with regard to other unpaid cheques and it might be advisable for you to cooperate.

Yours sincerely,

HT/NW



# 1st Newfoundland Regiment

HEADQUARTERS

*St John's, Newfoundland,*

December 19th-16. 1914

Dear Bill:-

I want you to ship to me carriage paid at this end, at your earliest convenience my suit case, which I sent to Ayr, when we were leaving Aldershot, as it contains some documents of importance to me.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

*Frank S. King*  
Lieut. Nfld. Regiment.

Lieut. Wm. Edwards;  
Quartermaster;

Ayr, Scotland.

Office of Records

Will you kindly forward Lieut Knight's  
Suit case to Newfoundland. It is leaving  
Ayr today and oblige please.

Wm. D. Edwards Lt Col

RECORD DEPT
Rec'd
Dec 16 1914
Ask'd
Ans'd
File No.



To Major Lumsden  
Paymaster.

Dear Sir:

I have just returned from my little trip in the Highlands with Capt. Baird and Mr. Crowe. I have done all I possibly could for them, and made all arrangements with different officers in Edinburgh regarding Rations, stores etc. They intend to move on Monday. Arrangements have been made with the C.O.O. Stores regarding tents, Blankets, and other equipment which they require immediately. I equipped my trip very much and would not mind being in the woods with them. I told Capt. Baird anything he needed just to let me know, and I would do all I possibly could for them. Am I entitled to draw over allowances for

Race Course.  
Ayr.  
23-6-17.

travelling expenses, as the trip was an expensive one. — Hotel Bills etc. — If I am do I claim through the Scottish Command, and what authority. I hope I am not giving you any trouble as I know you have enough work to do without bothering you about allowances for travelling. Hoping you are keeping in the Pink. "Regards to Marshall."

Yours  
Sincerely

Wm. S. Edwards

THE WOOD BIA & BENT FIELD RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	3333
Date	JUN 25 1917
Aut'd.	33001, 25/6/17
Ans'd.	
File No.	

28th, June 1917

6300/1

Lieut. Wm. D. Edwards,  
Quartermaster,  
2/1st. Newfoundland Regiment,  
Ayr, N. B.

FM/WF

TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE.

Reference your letter (3333), 25/6/17:

Travelling allowances may be claimed on A. F. O. 1771  
in accordance with rates laid down in Para. 395, Alice.  
Regs. When claiming such expenses, A. G. I. 1656 may  
be quoted as authority, please.



Major

To  
offices of pay records,  
Newfoundland Contingent  
London.

1ST N.W.FOUNDLAND REGIMENT PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	4290
Rec'd.	8/1/17
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	82142-13/8/17
File No.	

Dear Sir:

I am writing you to see if  
you can give me any assistance  
regarding the enclosed Army Form 01771.

They keep sending it back to me with observations.  
The claim is for the time I was with Capt.  
Baird in connection with the Forestry Com.  
If you can give me any assistance I  
will be greatly obliged please.

Yours  
obediently  
Wm. Edwards  
Lt. Col.  
1st N.W.F. Contingent

Barry

4-8-17

No. 7560

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/55.

To: Mrs W. J. Edwards

3 Station Terrace,

Shawford-Hants

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

MAY 15<sup>th</sup> 1919

Reference: Sep Allowance - Capt Edwards

Herewith Marriage Certificate

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.) Wm J Edwards

(Date) 19<sup>th</sup> May 1919

G. H. Marsden  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

*Lieut Edwards 2/1*

13th August,

7.

8214/2

Lieut & Qmr. W.D. Edwards,  
2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,

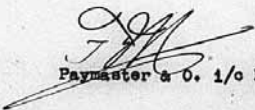
HT/NWV

Barry Camp, Forfarshire.

CLAIM.

With reference to your letter 6/8/17 (4290) and your claim per A.F. B.1771: as you will recollect, the service concerned was carried out by you under the authority of the O.C. 2nd Bn., who was good enough to consent to your accompanying the O.C. Newfoundland Forestry Corps for the purpose of assisting and advising him in the initial stages of his organisation.

With regard to form T.O. 7 attached, it is suggested that perhaps the reference therein may be met partially or otherwise by the O.C. 2nd Bn., verifying the within and the same being presented with your claim, please.

  
Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

Form  
O. M.  
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MEMORANDUM.

Paymaster, London.

From Quartermaster,  
Nfld. Regt.

From

To Paymaster,  
Nfld. Regt.

Quartermaster,  
2/1st. Nfld. Regt.  
To Barry, N. B.

9002

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office,

Barry,

3rd, September 7

27/9 191 7

Reference to A. F. O. 1771: Again this return is sent back to me. The O. C. of this Unit done all in his power but no results. Cannot something be done? The journey was for the benefit of the Forestry Batt. They benefited by it and I am out of pocket and chances seem none too good in claiming it back from Scottish Command. A.C.I.1656 I thought should cover all, but the Command Paymaster seems to say no. If you can straighten the form up for me I would be greatly obliged. Sorry to be troubling you but as you know best I thought I would refer it to you again. If nothing can be done I am at a loss.

All that appears<sup>191</sup> to be required by the Command Paymaster is a formal order from the O. C., 2nd. Battalion. It is suggested that you submit the enclosed draft to him (O.C) for approval, or modification, as he may think fit. It is thought that this should be sufficient to ensure payment, please.

(Sd) Wm. D. Edwards,  
Lt & Q. M.  
2/1st. Nfld. Regt.

*J.M.* Lieut.  
Asst. Paymaster,  
For Ch. Paymaster & O. i/c Recds.

FIA/VIF

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Aug 29/11

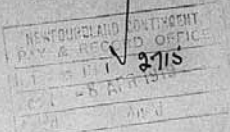
R E M I N D E R

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Please initial all documents  
FIRST and this Sheet after-  
wards. Finally return to  
CENTRAL REGISTRY for filing.

10  
Chief Paymaster  
+  
Office Records.

Newfoundland Boulinguit  
London.



Newish allotment form. N.F.P./11. for \$1.50 per diem  
from my pay. to and for the benefit of my wife. This allotment  
to take effect from and including April 12<sup>th</sup> 1919.

Regarding my allotment in Newfoundland. please let that  
go on the same as usual. I do not want to make any  
alterations and oblige.

W<sup>m</sup> D. Edwards.  
Capt.

QUARTERMASTER,  
2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Hazley Down Camp  
Witchester  
Hants.

Claim paid 1st/6/19  
R.S.



13  
To Paymaster

Please return marriage certificate  
when finished.

Wm W Edwards  
Capt

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



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I, (No.) \_\_\_\_\_ (Rank) Captain (Name) William D. Edwards

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in required form, to make an Allotment of one dollars and fifty cents per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ~~and/or Persons~~. Such payments to be made on proof of identity of the Person ~~and/or Persons~~ concerned, viz.,

Whether Wife, Child, other Relatives or Friend.	NAME (In Full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person)
Wife	Misses Thompson Edwards	3 Station Terrace Shawford Adulst	1 50
			\$ 1 50

This Allotment to take effect from and including April 12 1919.

NOTE:- This Form must be completed and signed by the Soldier, counter-signed by the Officer Commanding his Company, and forwarded to the Chief Paymaster in accordance with P. & R.O. C.L.10, 9/12/16.

(Sig.) \_\_\_\_\_  
Officer Commanding,  
" " Company.

Dated at  
Hazley Down Camp  
3-4-1919

(Sig.) W. D. Edwards  
Allotter,  
Capt  
Royal Newfoundland Regt

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

ENTERED
PAID
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ASST. MGR.
ASST.

#072

Copy  
ALLOTMENTI, (No.) \_\_\_\_\_ (Rank) Capt. (Name) William D. Edwards

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in required form, to make an Allotment of one dollars and fifty cents per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person and/or Persons. Such payments to be made on proof of identity of the Person and/or Persons concerned, viz.:

Whether Wife, Child, other Relative, or Friend.	NAME (In full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person)	
			\$	c
Wife	Winifred Thompson Edwards	3 Station Terrace Shawford Hants	1	50
			1	50

This Allotment to take effect from and including April 12<sup>th</sup> 1919

NOTE:- This Form must be completed and signed by the Soldier, countersigned by the Officer Commanding his Company, and forwarded to the Chief Paymaster in accordance with P.&R.O. C.L./10, 9/12/16.

(Sig.) \_\_\_\_\_  
Officer Commanding,  
" Company.

Dated at  
Wagley Down Camp  
3/4/ 1919

(Sig.) Wm. D. Edwards  
Allotter. Capt.

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

## SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

1. Regimental No. and Rank	<u>Captain</u>
Name (in full)	<u>William Dowdew Edwards</u>
Date of Enlistment	<u>November 1914</u>
Unit	<u>Royal Newfoundland Regt.</u>
2. Name(s) of Dependent(s) (in full)	<del>Edwards</del> <u>Mrs. W. J. Edwards.</u>
Relationship	<del>Father</del> <u>wife</u>
Address (if allowance is claimed for children, name and address of person with whom they reside should be stated)	<u>"nie"</u>
3. Ages of Children: Girls under 17 years Boys " 13 "	<u>"nie"</u>
4. Children's Guardian Address	<u>nie</u>
5. Particulars of Allotment	<u>\$ 1.50</u> cents per day in favour
✓ Allottee	of <u>wife</u>
✓ Address	<u>3 Station Terrace</u> <sup>W.D.B.</sup>
✓ Date effective from	<u>Shawford Heights 12<sup>th</sup> 1919.</u>
8 ✓ Date of marriage.	<u>April 5 - 1919</u>
7. Have you made previous claim for Separation Allowance? If so, state particulars.	<u>no</u>
8. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to anyone in Newfoundland or elsewhere?	<u>"no"</u>

9. Name and address of your last Employer.

*Mess Bowering Bros. Ltd.  
St John's  
Newfoundland*

10. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment.

*\$ 800*

11. Are your wages or any portion being paid by your employer during your absence?

*no*

12. If paid, what is the amount per month?

*"nil"*

13. Name of Corps prior to Enlistment in the Newfoundland Contingent.

*"nil"*

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement

*W. D. Edwards Capt  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.*

Signature of Officer forwarding this Application.

Unit

*Royal Newfoundland Regt.*

*W. D. Edwards Capt*

Date

*April 5<sup>th</sup> 1919.*

FOR COMPLETION AT THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Date Marriage Certificate examined

*Returned 15/5/19.*

Date Birth Certificates (in case of children) examined

If Soldier is sole support, does Statutory Declaration accompany this Application?

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTSEPARATION ALLOWANCE, (OFFICERS)To be Used in the Case of Officers Requesting Consent to MarryTo the Officer Commanding 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Sir,

I have the honour to request your consent to marry, and recommendation for the issue of Separation Allowance to my intended wife.

My intended wife's name is Winifred Thompson McKayAddress 34 Ashgrove St. Ayr. ScotlandOccupation ArtistName and address of parents or guardian M<sup>rs</sup> A. Ford.34 Ashgrove St. Ayr. Scotland.

I am not in receipt of a salary from the Newfoundland Government in addition to my Military Pay.

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

W<sup>m</sup> D. EdwardsRank Captain.

I hereby approve of the marriage of the above-named Officer, and recommend that separation allowance be granted to his wife. Marriage certificate is enclosed.

The Officer has assigned at least 50% of his pay in favour of the above-named lady.

Signature J. BartonRANK COLONELDated 30th March 1942COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

This document must be signed personally by the Officer Commanding the Unit and forwarded to the Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Record Newfoundland Contingent, 59 Victoria St., London, S.W. 1.

APPLICATION FORM (N.F.P./82) MUST ACCOMPANY THE ABOVE.

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

## NOTICE

## SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question. Each statement is considered to be made on Oath and the form is to be signed before a Magistrate of your District, and returned to

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

1. Name in full of Soldier	Rank	Regiment or Unit	Regtl No.
<i>William Dowden Edwards</i>	<i>capt</i>	<i>Royal Newfoundland Regt.</i>	
2. Age of Soldier: <i>29</i>	Married or Single: <i>married</i>		
3. Name in full of Dependent	Relationship: <i>wife</i>		
<i>Winifred Thomson Edwards</i>			
4. Address in full	<i>3 Station Terrace Shayford Haunts</i>		
5. Date of Marriage	<i>April 5 1919</i>		
6. Place of Marriage	<i>Mount Florida Glasgow</i>		
7. Did marriage take place since Soldier's enlistment?	<i>Yes</i>		
8. Was Commanding Officer's permission obtained? If not, why?	<i>Yes</i>		
9. If not married, how long have you been dependent on the Soldier for your maintenance, and supported regularly by him on a bona fide domestic basis?	—		
10. Were you living with your husband immediately prior to his enlistment? If not, how long have you been separated?	<i>no not married then.</i>		
11. Is Separation a legal one?	<i>Yes</i>		
12. If legal are you in receipt of Alimony? If no, state amount.	<i>no</i>		
13. If not legal, how long since your husband contributed to your support? Explain fully.	—		
14. State amount of Allotment received by you from Soldier.	<i>none</i>		
15. From what date have you received Allotment?	—		
18. Names of Children (Male)	Age last Birthday	Names of Children (Female)	Age last Birthday
—	—	—	—

17. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, state amount.	no
18. Are you in receipt of payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much?	no
19. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance? If not, why? Give particulars.	yes.
20. Was your husband at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Newfoundland Government?	no
21. In what capacity and in what place?	no
22. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in The Royal Newfoundland Regiment? If so, how much?	no

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV. c. 82.

Signature: William Thomas Edwards

Place of Residence: 3 Station Terrace St. John's

Declared and subscribed before me at Hazley Down Camp, Lunenburg this Twelfth day of May 1919

Signature of the Magistrate: J. P. Dactor **LIEUT. COLONEL.**

Place or County for which he acts: **COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.**  
J. P. Dactor

This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your local Soldiers & Sailors Families Association or other recognized society, certifying that to the best of their knowledge, after careful enquiry, the above statements are correct.

Signature of Clergyman: William R. John, C.F. M.A.

Signature of representative: R. Warren C.F. M.A. T.C.D.  
Att. N.F.L.D. Regt.

State name of Society

N.B. - Marriage Certificate must accompany this application, and will be returned after perusal. If marriage is after enlistment, Commanding Officer's permission in writing, must be forwarded.



No. 6994

ENCLOSURE

N.F.P./101.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Mrs. W. Edwards, 7th May 1919.

3, Station Terrace,  
Shawford, Hants.

No. Capt. W. D. Edwards.

A claim for Separation Allowance in your favour has been received from the above-named Soldier. In order to support the claim, you are required to complete the enclosed Statutory Declaration, N.F.P./87A, before a Magistrate of your District, and return it to this Office as soon as possible.

Marriage and Character Certificates, and Permission of Officer Commanding have been received. Marriage Certificate will be returned to you when the claim has been dealt with, please.

*A. D. Minors* Major,  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

To  
Chief Paymaster  
Newfoundland Contingent  
London

JD Maxim

Herewith N.F.P./87 duly completed and signed

3 Station Tenders  
Shawford  
Haults.

Winnifred Thomson Edwards

~~Ref attached~~

Capt Marshall

Outfit allowance for period 1-8-18  
- 1-8-19 amt £ 20-11-0. is being deposited  
to B. J. m. 6-day. Also pay & allow  
up to 4 w.c. 18-8-19, £ 9-13-9.  
Definite date of sailing not known.

AMJ " 7/19



SUSPENSE

CLEARED

No. \_\_\_\_\_

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/55.

To: Capt. &.QM.W.D.EDWARDS

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

2/Bn. Royal Nfld.Regt.

July 30th 1919

Winchester

Reference: \_\_\_\_\_

Herewith Cheque £10.3.2. together with statement of by-products  
received from Army Waste Products Ltd.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.) \_\_\_\_\_

(Date) \_\_\_\_\_

Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTALLOTMENT

I, (No.) \_\_\_\_\_ (Rank) Capt (Name) W.D. Edwards  
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in required form,  
 to make an Allotment of One dollars and Fifty cents  
 per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned  
 Person and/or Persons. Such payments to be made on proof of identity  
 of the Person and/or Persons concerned, viz.:

Whether Wife, Child, other Relative, or Friend.	NAME (In full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person) \$
wife	Mrs W. P. Edwards	3 Station Terrace Shawford Nova Scotia	1.50
			1.50

This Allotment to take effect from and including 12th April 1919

NOTE:- This Form must be completed and signed by the Soldier, counter-  
 signed by the Officer Commanding his Company, and forwarded to the  
 Chief Paymaster in accordance with P.&R.O. G.L./10, 9/12/16.

(Sig.) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer Commanding,  
 " " Company.

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_

(Sgd.) W.D. Edwards  
 Allotter. Capt.

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS.

DEPENDANTS OF OFFICERS IN RECEIPT OF ALLOTMENTS AND/OR SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Name.	Dependant of		Relation- ship.	Rates		Date paid to & including.	Last Address	Remarks
	Rank	Name		Allotment per day	Sep; Allowce: per month.			
Mrs. W. T. Edwards	Capt.	W. D. Edwards	Wife	£1.50	£40.00	29/8/19	3, Station Terrace Shawford, Hants.	
Mrs. R. King	Lt.	W. S. King	Wife	£1.00	£30.00	1/8/19	c/o Mrs. Payne, West Street, Isleham, West Ely, Cambs.	

& Record Office,  
 58 Victoria Street,  
 LONDON. S.W.1.  
 19/8/19.



# DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

ADDRESS REPLY TO  
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA  
AND QUOTE NO.

0-16

Nov. 21st, 1917.

Officer Commanding,  
2nd 1st Nfld. Regiment,  
Ayr, Scotland.

C.R. 0-16  
44

Sir:-

With reference to your C.D. 46, dated Oct., I have the honour to state that the promotion of 2/Lieut Snow to be Lieut. is confirmed.

With reference to your recommendation for the promotion of Lieut. Edwards to be temporary Capt. while serving with the Second Battalion, I have the honour to request that you inform me whether it is intended that Lieut. Edwards should be posted to the Company with a view to being sent on active service in France.

It is pleasing to hear from you that Lieut. Edwards makes such an efficient Quarter Master; and it is fully understood that it would be rather difficult to dispense with his services.

Please inform if you have in mind the posting of a returned officer to the position of Quarter Master, with a view to relieving Lieut. Edwards for executive work.

I hope that this request for fuller information will not be misunderstood, and that your recommendation is not being turned down.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*J.P.C. Smith*  
Minister of Militia.

*Copy to No. 19/12/17*



29.

Form  
G. 542  
588

MEMORANDUM.



From Officer Commanding,  
2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Hazeley Down Camp.  
To The Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
London, S.W.

From

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Feb'y. 22nd 1918.

Will you please cable the Minister of Militia as follows:-

"Reference your O.16 Nov. 21st and my A.1. Dec.19th can this promotion be now gazetted." Cable reply."

This has been telegraphed. please

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS

from me.

*[Signature]*

LIEUT. COLONEL.

COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	1920
Rec'd.	24 FEB 1918
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	
FMo. No.	

BRANCH.
ACTED UPON
BY
DATE



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## DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO  
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA  
AND QUOTE NO.0-16

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

..... March 8th, 1918.

Officer Commanding,  
2nd Battalion,  
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester, England.

Sir:-

In reply to your A.I. of 19th December, concerning the recommendation for a promotion of Lieut. W.B. Edwards, I confirm my telegram notifying that this Officer was promoted to the rank of Captain, with effect from the 25th February.

Acting Minister of Militia.

WFR/JMF.

Edwards, W. S. Capt.

0-16

Hay Capt



February 16, 1920

W.D. Edwards, Esq.,

Dear Sir:

Would you please  
call at this office, at your convenience,  
as we have a little adjustment regarding  
Equipment Account, and you are quite  
familiar with same.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster



98 Circular Road

Oct. 7/19.

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Minister of Malia  
Headquarters

Dear Sir:

Reference to officer's  
"gratuity money" I beg to ask  
permission to draw mine in one  
amount. My reason for asking this  
is that I have just returned  
from England after being away  
for a period of 4 years and seven  
months, and I am unable to  
obtain a House that is to let  
in the City, so I had to buy one

which meant that person wanting  
his money down. I ask for your  
permission to grant me my quarterly  
money so as to help me pay  
for my house and other little  
expenses that I have.  
Trusting you will grant me this  
favour.

I Remain

Yours obediently

W. Edwards  
Capt.

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P.M.

Payment in full is  
authorized please.

W. F. Russell  
Lieut. Col.

8/11/19



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 604 <sup>50</sup>/<sub>xx</sub>

Nov 8 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Six hundred <sup>50</sup>/<sub>xx</sub> Dollars.

~~an account~~  
balance of Pay W. D. Edwards

W. D. Edwards.

Ch. No. 19512	Initials... <u>Ed</u>
Pay Ledger... 351	Initials... <u>W</u>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regl. No. ....

Rank

Capt.

No.

Rank

*Capt*

Name

*W. D. Edwards*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 124<sup>00</sup>

Nov. 4 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of One hundred & twenty four Dollars.  
on account of Pay. W. L. Edwards  
balance

CA. No. ....	19089	Initials. ....	EW
Pay Ledger. ....	351	Initials. ....	W
Gen. Ledger. ....		Initials. ....	

Regtl. No. .... Rank .....

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Rank

*Capt*

Name

*W D Edward*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 25<sup>00</sup>

Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Twenty Five <sup>00</sup> Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
balance

W. D. Edwards Capt.

Regtl. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank Capt.

CA. No. 9291	Initials. <i>FEU</i>
Pay Ledger. 177	Initials. <i>W.</i>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

*F. C. P.*

No. 2

Rank Capt. + 8M

Name W. D. Swana

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 18<sup>36</sup>

Sept 26<sup>th</sup> - 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Eighteen <sup>36</sup> Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
balance

*W. Edwards Capt*

Ch. No. 11575 Initials. *CBH*

Pay Ledger 177/1 Initials. *CBH*

Gen. Ledger..... Initials.....

Regtl. No. *7. C. J.* Rank

*noted*

No. ....

Rank *Capt. & Q. M.*

Name *W. D. Edwards.*



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 44<sup>00</sup>

Oct 8 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Forty Dollars.  
~~on account~~ balance of Pay.

W. D. Edwards Capt.

Ch. No. <u>14342</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>
Pay Ledger <u>177</u>	Initials <u>WR</u>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No. .... Rank .....

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Rank Capt

Name

W F Edwards

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 120<sup>00</sup>

Oct 7 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of one hundred & Twenty Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
*balance*

*W. J. Edwards Capt*

Ch. No. 14312	Initials... <i>EW</i>
Pay Ledger 177	Initials... <i>WX</i>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_

No.

Rank

*Capt*

Name

*W D Edward*

