

Services of 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut W. N. Grant:

Enlisted ~~at~~ 11-9-14  
allotted Reg. No. 410  
Embarked O'Seas 3-10-14  
Promv. Lt/cpl. 21-5-15  
Commiss. to Rank  
of 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut. 16-10-15  
Embarked B.E.F. 23-3-16  
K. in A. 16-7-16

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Grant, W. H. 2/22

0-159

Hay Leph.





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

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

Examination of William Hayes Grant  
aged 23 conducted at C. B. Armoury  
Date: Sept 3/14 Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST FINDING

- 1 No
- 2 No
- 3 No
- 4 Letter fingers - no deformity
- 5 No
- 6 No
- 7 No
- 8 No
- 9 No
- 10 No
- 11 Foreign
- 12 N
- 13 N
- 14 N
- 15 N
- 16 N
- 17 N
- 18 N
- 19 Can read all on board
- 20 n
- 21 n
- 22 n
- 23 n
- 24 n
- 25 n
- 26 n
- 27 n
- 28 n
- 29 n
- 30 n
- 31 n
- 32 n
- 33 No 11 yrs ago
- 34 5. 7 1/2
- 35 145.
- 36 34 - 36 1/2
- 37 1200 Rec Sec
- 38 70 lbs
- 39 20

F.V.

410

Signature of Medical Examiner: Clay Macpherson M.D.



**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.**

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

Reg. No. 410

Name William Hoyes Grant

Apparent age 23 years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height 5 feet 8 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Hair: Brown, Eyes: Brown

**INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.**

Name and Address of next of kin Mr James Grant, 31 Monkstown Rd., St. John's

Relationship Father. *Mother*

**Particulars as to Marriage.**

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

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d) Verified from certificate.

**Particulars as to Children.**

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

**STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.**

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>11/9/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>11th September '14</u>									
Promoted to <u>L. Corp.</u> <u>21/5/15</u>									
<u>Promoted to 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut Oct 16/15</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									} Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days " " " Pension " _____ ( " ) " " " }
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ ( " ) " " " "									



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Statement of Account of Late 2/Lt. W.H. Grant

From 8/7/16 to 4/8/16 = 28 days (both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No. Killed in Action 16/7/16.

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount		Dr.			Cr.		
				\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	<b>Cr.</b>										
	Pay	28	2. 00	56	00						
	Field Allowance	28	.60	16	80						
	Mess „8/7/16 - 16/7/16	9	4/-						1	16	0
				\$	72				14	19	2
	<b>Dr.</b>										
	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.										
Nov. 14	To clear Overdraft Account					27	0	4			
	Debit Balance								10	5	2
<p>This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay &amp; Record Office to / / and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.</p>											
<p>PAY &amp; RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W..</p>											
<p>30th November 1916</p>						<p>Checked by <i>Cub</i> £ 27 0 4</p>			<p>27 0 4</p>		





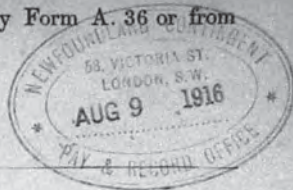


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FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.  
(Adaptation)

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



REGIMENT } 1st Newfoundland Regiment } Squadron,  
or } Troop, Battery }  
CORPS } or Company }

Regtl. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank Second Lieutenant.

Name Grant, W.H.

Died { Date July 16th, 1916.  
Place In the Field, France.  
Cause of Death \* Killed in Action

Nature and Date of Report \_\_\_\_\_

By whom made O.C., Unit.

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

Burial { Place Not yet received  
Date \_\_\_\_\_  
By whom reported \_\_\_\_\_

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) ~~in Pay Book (Army Book-64)~~  
(b) ~~in Small Book (if at Base)~~ Unknown  
(c) ~~as a separate document~~

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

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

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

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } (Sd.) A. E. Clerk, Capt.,  
for Lieut. Colonel.

Station and Date 26/7/16.



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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Grant Christian Name William Hayes.

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish		County					
		SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.			
Examined ...	... {	on	day of	191	on	day of	191
	at				at		
Declared age ...	... {	23	years	—	days	years	days
Trade or occupation ...	... {	Secretary					
Height ...	... {	5	feet	8	inches	feet	inches
Weight ...	... {	143		lbs.		lbs.	
Chest Measure- ment {	Girth when fully expan- ded Range of expansion ...			inches			inches
				inches			inches
Physical development ...	... {						
Vaccination marks {	Arm ... Number ...	Right		Left		Right	
When vaccinated ...	... {						
Vision ...	... {	R.E. — V =			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)							
(Rank)							
				Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted ...	... {	at	St Johns - N.F.L.D.		at		
		on	day of	191	on	day of	191
Joined on enlistment ...	... {	Corps	Newfoundland		Corps		
				Regtl. No.	410		
Transferred to ...	... {						
Became non-effective by ...	... {						
		on	day of	191	on	day of	191
(Signature)							
(Rank)							



410

March, 16<sup>th</sup>., 1918.

Mrs. J.W. Grant,  
New Glasgow,  
N.S.

Dear Madam,-

The enclosed Form came to my hands about a month ago, but I have not had time to make enquires until the present.

It appears that your late son's Commission is in the hands of the Chief Paymaster at London, and he wishes to be instructed as to its disposal.

Will you kindly therefore, sign the enclosed Form stating your wishes as to the disposal of the document and return to me at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.



John Grant  
Glasgow  
1767 July 8<sup>th</sup> / 8.

To Camp of M. Hawley.  
Dear Sir

My mother rec'd  
Yours letter with enclosed  
form enclosed. She has  
signed form regarding  
disposal of document  
hoping it is satisfactory  
to you. I am faithfully  
Yours  
John Grant



*Lt. W. Grant*

July, 16th., 1918.

Mr. E.F. Grant,  
New Glasgow,  
C.B.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July, 8th., enclosing Form as to the disposal of your late brother's Commission Papers.

I may say, that I have forwarded the Form to the Chief Paymaster, London, and he will send them on to you direct from his Office.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.



I would think a very great favour if you could supply her with some information regarding the. As my mother needs the money we would like very much to get a little something from the Post and as I am the sole support of the family if the pension is large enough I will be able to bullet again right away.

Hoping you will look into the matter thoroughly

We are

Yours very sincerely  
Mrs J. Grant  
20 St. Andrew's

Box 326  
New Glasgow  
Dec 1st/16

J. M. Howley Esq  
2nd Regiment of Foot Guards, 1st Bn. Regt.

Dear Sir

You will I hope pardon me for neglecting to answer your letter and receipt regarding the effects of course <sup>the</sup> brother I saw 2nd Regt W. P. Grant everything was fine that arrived and very many thanks to you.



You of course will understand how valuable and precious those things were to our family and will be a song as we live. and I am sure we are all deeply thankful to you for sending them.

There is something else that we would like some more information about and that is "Do we receive any pension or allowance from the <sup>U.S.</sup> Government. for our brother's death.



W. W. H. Grant

C.R. 0-159

P. & R. Co.



Enclosed please find  
a specimen of my  
signature

I have the honour to be  
Sir,

Your obedient servant

A. H. Grant.  
2nd Lieut

P.S.

Kindly make arrangements  
as quickly as possible as

I am absolutely broke;

NOV 6 1915

NOV 9 1915

Ans'd.

A.H.G.



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

No. 5/15.

Capt Timewell.

Pay and Record Office,  
58 Victoria St.  
London, W.

Sir:

Having been  
appointed 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant  
in the N.Z.E.F. Regiment  
I would like you to  
make arrangements  
for me to draw my  
kit allowance and  
pay.



1787/1.

9, November,

5.

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

To: 2/Lieut. W. H. Grant,  
Depot, Newfoundland Contingent,  
Newton-on-Ayr, Scotland.

Referring to your letter 5/11/15, £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 close of next Pay Period.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

H.T./N.M.



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1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of 2/Lieut. W. H. Grant

From 16/10/15 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	70	2 00	140	00						
	Field Allowance	70	60	42	00						
	Mess "	70	4/-						14	0	0
	Kit "			250	00						
	@ \$ 4.86 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub> ...		\$	432	00				88	15	4
	<b>Dr.</b>										
Nov. 8	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.					50	0	10			
" 26	" " " " " " " "					21	11	7			
Dec. 24	" " " " " " " "					20	11	2			
	Revolver, Binoculars & Compass					7	6	5			
	Adjustment in Company Pay Book					3	6	2			
	PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., 27, December, 1915.										
	Checked by <i>Be</i> £					102	15	4	102	15	4







2nd. Lieut. W.H. Grant.

22/1/16

18/2/16

28 2 00 56 00

28 60 16 80

28 4/- 5 12 0

72 80

14 19 2

Feb 18

20 11 2

March 2nd.

6.

*BC*

20 11 2 20 11 2



2nd.Lieut. W.H. Grant.

19/2/16

17/3/16

28 2 00 56 00

28 60 16 80

28 4/-

5 12 0

72 80

14 19 2

Mar 17.

20 11 2

March 20th. 6.

*bc*

20 11 2 20 11 2







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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

INVENTORY of EFFECTS of

No. 211 W. H. Grant deceased.

EXTRACT from A.F. B. 2090A, dated \_\_\_\_\_:

CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in Action

DATE 16/7/16 PLACE France

WILL: (a) in Pay Book \_\_\_\_\_

(b) in Small Book \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Separate document \_\_\_\_\_

NEXT of KIN: Mrs J. W. Grant

Relationship Mother

Address New Glasgow

Canada

Particulars

Ship No  
59

1 Camp Valise } in sack  
1 Kit Bag }

Contents Unknown



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

INVENTORY of EFFECTS of

No. 2nd Lt W.P. Grant deceased.

EXTRACT from A.F. D. 2090 A, dated \_\_\_\_\_ :

CAUSE of DEATH Killed in Action

DATE 16th July 1916 PLACE France

- WILL: (a) In Pay Book \_\_\_\_\_  
 (b) In Small book \_\_\_\_\_  
 (c) Separate Document \_\_\_\_\_

NEXT OF KIN: Mrs J.W. Grant

Relationship Mother

Address New Glasgow N.S.

PARTICULARS.

1 Comp Act.



THE NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	272.
Rec'd.	JAN 26 1916
Act'd.	
Ans'd.	JAN 28 1916
File No.	

24<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 1916.

The Paymaster

Pay & Record Office  
The Newfoundland Regt.  
5-8 Victoria Street  
London

Sir

The enclosed account-  
which has been incurred  
by Private W. F. Grant of the  
Newfoundland Regiment  
while at Fort George is  
still unpaid.

I have been informed  
that Private W. F. Grant



is at present stationed  
at Ayr and has lately  
received a Commission  
in the same Regiment.

This account  
has been rendered to  
him several times,  
and I hold letters from  
him with his promise  
to pay same.

I would be obliged  
if you could in any  
way assist us in settling  
this matter.

Yours faithfully,  
Pete. M. Callum



28, January, 6.

270/1.

Mr. Peter McCallum,

Royal Hotel,

Nairn, Scotland.

2/Lieut. W. H. Grant.

Referring to your letter 24/1/16, 2/Lieut. Grant being temporarily in London on duty I yesterday took the opportunity of handing him your bill, when he said he would communicate with you thereon.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.







75.  
FEB 2 1916

18<sup>th</sup> Feb 1916

Capt. Dunwill  
Pay & Record Office  
1, St. Newfoundland Regt -  
London

Sir

I have had no reply  
to my letter to you of Feb 4<sup>th</sup>.  
Regarding 2/Leif-N.H. Gravel  
Bill as yet - he has not  
written me as promised  
yet.

I would be much obliged  
if you could give me an  
early reply. Yours faithfully  
John M. Callahan



23, February, 6.

596/2.

Mr. Peter McCallum,

Royal Hotel,

Nairn, Scotland.

2/Lieut. W. H. Grant.

Referring to your letter 18/2/16, kindly note I cannot do more than I have done and reported to you, which was done without prejudice. I have no control over Officer's private debts. If Mr. Grant does not reply to you I suggest you notify him that unless he does so by a certain date you will write to his Commanding Officer on the subject.

Capt.

Paymaster & O.I/c Records.



a Web equipment  
so that I can get it  
when I come to town  
from here on Saturday

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,

Your obedient servant

W. H. Paul *s/c.*  
2/8 N. Z. R. D. Regt

P. Co.,  
Staff College,  
Camberley.

STAFF COLLEGE	976
PAY OFFICE	MAR 23 1916
RECEIVED	MAR 23 1916
FILED	

Ordered 23.3.16.

J.A.A.

STAFF COLLEGE,

CAMBERLEY, SURREY.

to be delivered 58 Victoria St.  
24.3.16

Capt. H. A. Timewell

in Charge Pay & Record Office

Newfoundland Regt  
58 Victoria St.  
London.

Sir: I have been notified  
by the Adjutant that I  
am for service abroad  
with the next draft, and  
that I am to hold myself  
in readiness.

Would it be to much  
trouble to get me



23, March, 6.

1087/1.

2/Lieut. W. H. Grant,  
Staff College,  
Camberley, Surrey.

Officer's Web Equipment.

I have received your letter, and a medium size Web  
Equipment has been ordered for delivery to this Office  
to await your call.

Capt.  
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

W2



No. 177.

**MEMORANDUM.**

From **The Officer Commanding  
2/1st Newfoundland Regiment,  
Ayr.**  
To **The Paymaster,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
London, S.W.**

From **Paymaster, London.**  
To **O.C., 2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,  
Newton-on-Ayr, N.B.**

ANSWER. 3401

Recourse.

Pay & Record Office,

Aug. 18th 1916

19th August, 1916.

The enclosed letter for  
Lieutenant Grant is an account  
for money owing by his estate,  
and is forwarded to you to be  
dealt with, please

Received without prejudice or  
acceptance of liability.

*W. H. Russell*  
Major

*W. J.*

LT.-COL.,  
COMMANDING, 2nd/1st N.F.L.D. REGT.,  
NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.

Capt.,  
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

1ST N.W. ONT. B. & CO. LTD.	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	<u>3075</u>
Rec'd.	<u>AUG 19 1916</u>
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	



1514/35.

22, April, 6.

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

Sir,-

Referring to your letter (Form G.) 121/Finance/  
12 (Accounts l.b.) 12/4/16, regarding advances to Lieut.  
H.Herder, 1/1 Newfoundland Regiment; it has been custom-  
ary to recover amounts drawn by officers and men through  
the Command Paymaster, London District, and I assume  
this will be dealt with in similar form.

The receipts are being retained.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

H.T./N.M.



November 17th .....B..

4878/2.

Messrs R. W. Forsyth, Ltd.,  
Renfield Street,  
(Corner Gordon Street).  
Glasgow.

F.M/W.F..

2/Lt. W. H. GRANT, DECEASED..

With reference to your letter of the 4th inst. . .  
In order to secure payment of any account which may be due  
to you from the above deceased Officer's Estate, it will  
be necessary for you to forward claim supported by delivery  
notes signed by him or his servant. In the case of  
delivery note not being available date and place of del-  
ivery should be quoted and certified by you. If the  
claim is sent to this office properly vouched it will be  
forwarded to the proper authorities in Newfoundland, where  
his Estate will be administered. . . .  
This without prejudice or acceptance of any liability..

..... Capt.  
Paymaster & C. i/c Records.



R

June 28, 1917.

Dear Mrs. Grant,

I received a letter from your son Ernest, enquiring about a sum of money that you were under the impression he had to his credit in the Bank of Montreal. This, of course, is a matter that I would not have any knowledge of, as it would be a private account of his own, and it would be impracticable for me to obtain any information in relation thereto. I have made enquiry from the Record Office here in relation to his Regimental Account, and I find that there is a Debit Balance against him.

If you are of opinion that he has any money in the Bank of Montreal, in London, I would suggest that you write the Head Office in Montreal asking them to ascertain if such is the case, or, if there is a branch of the Bank of Montreal in your town, the manager, no doubt, would be glad to take this matter up for you.

The letter of your son Ernest informed me that he had enlisted in the Forestry Battalion and was going overseas in a few days, and advised me to write you in the matter. I was glad to hear from him and to find that he had at last been successful in getting a opportunity to do something for his King and Country. I hope he will have the best of luck and return safely to you.



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Sydney is at present at Ayr but he is going into the Flying Corps. I expect he will be transferred there very shortly. Ray has enlisted and will probably leave for the other side by the next draft. Frank, of course, is invalided home and is now working in the business. I am glad to say that Mrs. Bennett and Marguerite are quite well and they all send their kindest regards and best remembrances.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. James Grant,  
New Glasgow, N.S.



G.

13th November, 1916.

Dear Madam,

I have the honour to inform you that I am now in receipt from the Pay and Record Office, London, of particulars of gravesites. 2nd Lieutenant W. H. Grant was buried on the 16th July, by Rev. C. H. Mosse, in Auchenvillers Cemetery, 2½ miles S. of Hebuterne, 7½ miles N. of Albert.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. James Grant,  
Campbellton, N. B.



3rd August, 1916.

Dear Madam,

It was with extreme regret that the Government received a cable from the Record Office, London, reporting that your dear son, 2nd Lieut. William H. Grant, had been Killed in Action on the 16th July.

On behalf of the Government, as well as for myself, I desire to express to you the sincerest sympathy in your time of sorrow. But though we feel the parting and though the heart is heavy with its loss, yet it is a glorious thing to think that your gallant boy early responded to the call of duty and made his stand for the establishment of Righteousness, Truth and Liberty upon the earth. We are all proud of our brave and noble boys but no less do we esteem the unselfish fathers and mothers who so willingly gave their sons when the call of duty came. Though your boy has laid down his earthly weapons he wears the soldier's Crown of Victory and his name is inscribed upon the glorious Roll of Honour and will be held in fragrant memory by all his countrymen. When the end of this war comes and an honourable and abiding Peace will have been established, it will be your proud thought that your dear boy did to the utmost of his ability to bring about such result. I trust that the Great Father may give you of His love and comfort at this time.

Believe me to be,

Yours sympathetically,

Mrs. James W. Grant,  
New Glasgow, N. S.

Colonial Secretary.



**FOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.****Cable Connection with all the World****All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:**

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

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

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

The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connection with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

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

**(NOT TRANSMITTED)**

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line  
Number \_\_\_\_\_

Rcd \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

Sent \_\_\_\_\_

by \_\_\_\_\_

Check \_\_\_\_\_

Dated

28 July, 1916.

To

Mrs. James W. Grant,

New Glasgow, N. S.

Regret to inform you Second Lieutenant William H. Grant  
now reported killed in action July 16th.

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**



# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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

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Signature of Sender

*Lucy M. Murray*

Address

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check
		<i>pro by G. S. Sec.</i>			

Dated

28 July, 1916.

To.

Presbyterian Clergyman,

New Glasgow, N. S.

Kindly inform Mrs. James W. Grant, New Glasgow, N.S. her son Second Lieutenant William H. Grant reported killed in action July 16th.

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Signature of Sender

*Frederick M. Shubert*

Address

Line  
Number

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*pro def. Sec.*

Dated 20th July, 1916.

To Mrs. James W. Grant,  
New Glasgow, N. S.

Regret to inform you Record Office First Newfoundland  
Regiment London reports second Lieutenant William H.  
Grant Wounded July sixteenth.

J.R.BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**



C.R. 6-159

Extract of casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated July 29, 1916.

2/Lieut/ W.H. Grant. ✓

Killed in Action 16/7/16. Reported by O.C. Unit 17/7/16



G. H. Q. List No. 685 (Contd.).21st MANCHESTER REGT.

2nd Lieut. H. A. Pickford Killed in Action 15.7.16.

2nd Lieut. E. T. Simpson Wounded 15.7.16.

2nd Lieut. G. G. L. Cruickshank Wounded 15.7.16.

2nd Lieut. F. T. Taylor Wounded 15.7.16.

22nd MANCHESTER REGT.

2nd Lieut. F. A. Harrison Wounded 15.7.16. (At duty).

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

2nd Lieut. W. H. Grant Wounded 16.7.16.

1/2nd MOLMOUTH REGT.

Capt. C. Comely Wounded 16.7.16.

2nd Lieut. W. L. Sankey Wounded 16.7.16.

1/4th GLOUCESTER REGT.

Lieut. E. E. Polack Killed in Action 17.7.16.

Lieut. A. D. Anderson Killed in Action 17.7.16.

2nd Lieut. C. F. Holland Wounded 17.7.16.

2nd Lieut. W. H. Simmonds Wounded 17.7.16.

2nd Lieut. H. Merrick Wounded 17.7.16.

Lieut. H. C. Crump Wounded 17.7.16.

2nd Lieut. R. F. Rossiter K. S. L. I. (attd.). Wounded 17.7.16.

1/7th WORCESTER REGT

Lieut. W. C. Cassels Wounded 17.7.16.

11th LANCASHIRE FUSRS.

2nd Lieut. M. A. Callaghan Wounded (At duty) 17.7.16.

MACHINE GUN CORPS.

2nd Lieut. H. D. Drew. Wounded 15.7.16. (At duty).



0 159.

Extract of Casuzlty List received from P.&.R.O.  
June 9th. 1916.

2/Lt. W.H. Grant. ✓

1 Newfoundland R. Abscess D. P. Discharged to Duty  
6th. June 1916.



C.R. 0-159

Extract from Nominal Roll, to B.E.F. (2nd Draft)  
~~Arrived 29, I.B.D. 22, 1916~~ Home, 29.3.16  
Joined Battalion 15-4-16.

2/Lieut. W.H. Grant.



C.R. 0-159

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No.3. from 2nd Bn.  
Depot, to 1st Battalion B.E.F. Embarked 28-3-16.

2/Lieut. W.H.Grant ,



C.R. 0-159

**Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Newfoundland  
Regiment C.H. 3rd Echelon April 15th, 1916.**

- 2/lt. H.H. Grant.

Embarked at Southampton per H.T. "Archangel". 28-3/6



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.

L/Cpl. W. H. Grant.

To be ~~Sub.~~ Lieutenant, To date from 16. Oct. 1915.



C.R. 0-159

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's, for Overseas,  
per S.S. "Stephano" April 22, 1915.

Act. Section Comm. 410 Pte. Grant W.H.





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# 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

P. O BOX No. 1242  
TELEPHONE No. 361

HEADQUARTERS

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

March 27th 1915

Lieut. Col. Sir W. E. Davidson. K. C. M. G.

Officer Commanding.

1st Newfoundland Regiment.

St Johns Nfld.

Sir.-

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Captain O'Brien's letter of 20th instant, and in reply I beg to state that I have noted what he has said re. Private Grant.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant.

*Eric Shyne* Captain.

Acting Adjutant.



C.R. 0-157  
Packets  
W.S.  
29.3.

No: 104.

19 March, 1915.

Captain O'Brien,

Halifax Hotel,

Halifax.

Your telegram received. Send Private Grant  
St. John-s.

Governor.



C.R.

Copy this, No. 341, to

Chas. Ross Price Clerk  
at C. R. G. Rendell.

Advise that & add that I have  
ordered P. G. Grant to St. John's  
for further orders. -

Telegram at once

No. 104.

Capt O' Brien  
Halifax Hotel  
Halifax

Your Telegram received. Send Price Grant  
St. John's.

G. Green.

Register of Communications Received or Dispatched.

Army Form A. 2010

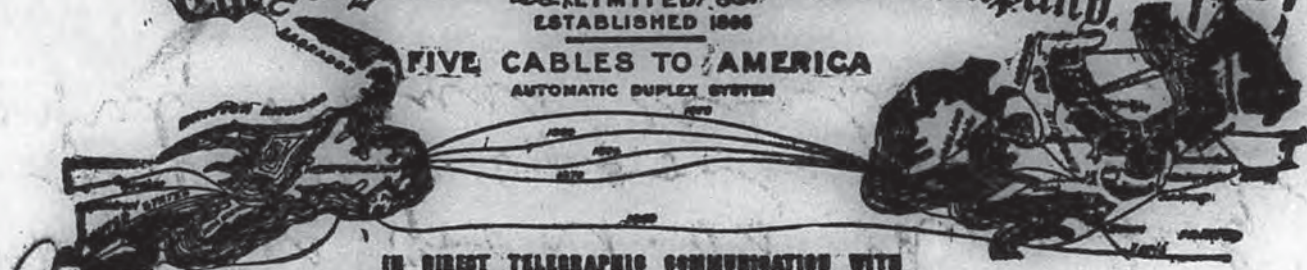


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SOUTH AMERICA

St. John's N.F.

No. 28  
Wds.

Halifax N.S.

MAR 19 1915

TO

Governor St. John's

arrived Friday morning message received address Halifax hotel saw Campbell arrangements satisfactory please advise Wighton news leaving tonight's train Captain Montgomerie remaining till after arrival contingent Colonel Burton sent private grant son late James Grant as my order to give him opportunity see family discuss estate with

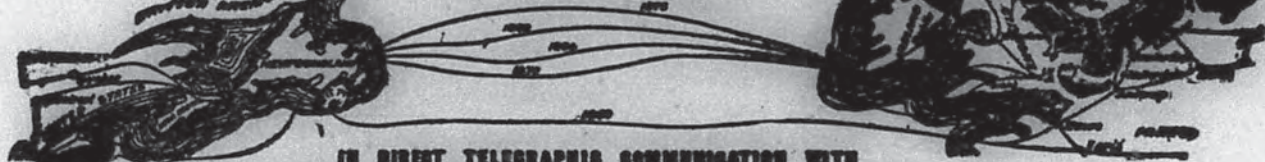
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TO {

orders to return with me  
shall I send them to St. Johns

O'Brien

PLEASE HAND YOUR REPLY DIRECT TO THIS OFFICE.



No: 341

Halifax,

March 19 1915.

Governor

St. John's.

Arrived Friday morning. Messages received, address Halifax Hotel. Saw Campbell, arrangements satisfactory. Paterson, Alderdice, Wightou, Nunnis, leaving tonight's train. Captain Montgomerie remaining till after arrival Contingent. Colonel Burton sent private Grant son late James Grant as my orderly to give him opportunity see family discuss estate with orders to return with me. Shall I send him to St. John's.

O'Brien.



C.R. 0-159

C O P Y.

St. John's,

December 30th. 1914.

Private Secretary,  
Government House.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of communication addressed to His Excellency, the Governor, by Messrs. John Clift and W.E. Grant, I will lay this matter before the Reserve Force Committee at its next meeting.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd.) Joseph Outerbridge,

Chairman Reserve Force Committee.



29 December, 1914.

Sirs,

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor to acknowledge receipt of your application for a Commission in the Second Contingent now being formed.

Your application has been forwarded to the Reserve Force Committee for consideration.

I have the Honour to be,

Sirs,

Your obedient servant,

for A.D.C.

Messrs. John Clift and

W.H. Grant,

Fort George.



1 Copy

①. COM to Hon Sec  
Officers selection  
in information  
to be given ahead  
of the inst.

1st Newfoundland Regiment,  
Fort George, C.R. 0-159  
Residence.

②. Asker. recruit  
to add the best  
of the best  
December 9th 1914.  
at the W. 25/10

Lieut. Colonel Sir Walter E. Davidson, N. C. 24. G.  
Government House,  
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Sir:

We understand that Newfoundland is sending  
a second contingent to bring the strength of the 1st  
Newfoundland Regiment up to a full battalion.

We, having applied for commissions in the first  
contingent would like to have these applications hold  
good for the second contingent, and respectfully beg  
that they may have consideration before applications  
put in for the second contingent only.

In the event of our being granted commissions, we  
are ready at any time to join the second contingent.

We have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

John Clift  
A. H. Grant

Copy sent to Sir J  
outland 29.12.14.



C.R. 0-159

Extract from Nominal Roll embarked St. John's per S.S.

"Florisel" Oct 4, 1914.

410 Grant Wm.H.



C.R. 0-159

William H. Grant was attested for General Service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on . Sept. 11th, 1914.  
Regimental No. 410 was allotted to Pte William H. Grant

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.





ORIGINAL.  
**FIELD SERVICE.**



*C.R. 160 590/2417/aa*

**C.R.** *0-159*

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

Unit) 1st. Newfoundland Regiment.

Rank) Second Lieutenant.

Name) Grant, W.H.

DIED	By whom reported	O.C., Unit.
	Date of Death	July 16th., 1916.
	Place or hospital	In the Field, France.
	Cause of death	Killed in Action.
	Place of burial	Not yet received.

State whether he leaves a will or not } Unknown.

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

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

*A. J. Clerk - Capt*  
for Lieut. Colonel,  
Officer i/c Infantry Sections,  
Adjutant General's Office at the Base.

General Headquarters, 3rd. Echelon.

Date) 26/7/16.



C.R. 0-159

December 29th 1919.

Mrs. James Grant,  
New Glasgow, N.S.

Dear Madam:-

Information has been received from  
the Pay & Record Office, London, regarding the location  
of the Grave of your step-son the late 2/Lt. W.H. Grant  
as follows:

Plot 2 - Row F, Grave No. 11 Auchonvillers  
Military Cemetery, France.

Assuring you of my deepest sympathy  
in the loss that you have sustained and in the renewed  
sorrow that the receipt of this news must entail.

Yours faithfully,

2/Lt.  
CASUALTY OFFICER.



West Yabuma  
Apr 1st 1920

C.R. 0-159

1  
Sgt. Col. Rendell  
Chief Staff Officer

Dear Sir

I wish to acknowledge  
the memorial Scroll and  
the accompanying message  
and express my sincere  
thanks for it.

I am very sorry for the  
delay But as it - went to -



New Gluson first I only  
just received it-

Sincerely yours

Mrs J. W. Grant



West Main  
Aug 23 1920

Department of Militia  
St Johns Nfld

Lieut. - Col. Rendell C.R.O. - 159

Dear Sir

I beg to acknowledge the Receipt  
of the photograph of the  
grave of 2nd Lieut. - W. H. Grant  
and am deeply grateful to  
your Department - and to  
the Directors of Graves Registration  
for their great kindness in  
securing these photographs  
Very Sincerely yours  
Charles E. Grant



West Harbour

Dec 31 1920

C.R. 0-159

Lieut-Col. W. F. Pennington

Department of Militia

St John's Nfld

Dear Sir

I have been asked by the  
<sup>Canadian</sup> Assistant Director of Army  
Services (Demobilization) for  
full particulars as to  
Regimental Muster ~~work~~  
and unit of my son  
2nd Lt. W. H. Grant who was  
killed in action. I would  
be greatly obliged if you



would furnish me with  
the same as early as  
convenient Thanking  
you in advance

Remain yours truly  
Christie E. Grant

Address  
Mrs Christie E. Grant  
c/o C. B. Wehald  
West Watona  
Belle Island

Records  
Parties of Service  
W. H. H.

please



Department of Militia West Wales  
St John's Sep. 1<sup>st</sup> 1921

Lieut-Col. Rendell. C.R.O. - 159  
Chief Staff Officer

Dear Sir

I received some time ago  
the record of my sons  
service in the Royal  
Newfoundland Regiment  
which I had asked you  
for. And am very grateful  
to you for supplying the  
same. Sincerely yours  
Christie E. Gant



West-Hatman  
Men 8<sup>th</sup> 1920

C.R. 0-157

Mr H. C. James  
St John & Nfld.

Dear Sir  
I'm replying to your letter  
No. 0-157 I wish to thank  
you for the information  
concerning the grave of  
S/Lt. W. H. Grant - and also  
thank you for your sympathy  
Sincerely yours  
Christie E. Grant



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Dec. 29th, 1920

Mrs. C. Grant,  
C/o C.B. Archibald,  
West Wabana,  
Bell Island.

Dear Madam:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of Dec. 21st relative to the late 2nd Lieut. W.H. Grant, and in reply thereto I beg to attach, as requested, record of your son's service in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, which I trust will meet your requirements.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer



The Department of Militia  
begs to forward a Photograph  
of the Grave of

Rank Lieut

Name W. H. Grant

1<sup>st</sup> Bn. The Royal Newfoundland  
Regiment.

Position of Grave Plot 2, Row F.

Auchenvillers Military Cemetery

Nearest Railway Station

Albert

All communications respecting this Photo-  
graph should quote number ( G. 32 )  
and be addressed to :

DG.R. & E (Newfoundland Contingent)  
c/o Department of Militia,  
St. John's.





