



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. *986*

Name in full *Samuel R. Hackett* Age *23*

Address *42 Livingston St.*

Married Single Height *5' 7"* Weight *122*

Color *Dark* Hair *Black* Eyes *Brown*

Other distinguishing marks *none*

Nearest relative *Mrs S R Hackett (wife)*

Address *42 Livingston St.*

Dependents *wife*

Occupation *Police* Present Wage *\$8.50 per week*

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment *Jan 23 1914*

Re: Marshal Aug 15

Samuel R. Hackett

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.

Declared before me this *5th* day

of *Feb.* 1914

S. J. Parsons

Samuel R. Hackett

Ensign Capt.

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet)

Applicable to all ranks.

Reg. No. 906

Name Samuel Robert Hookett

Apparent age 30 years months. Height 5 feet 7 inches.

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

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

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs. J. H. Hookett, 43 Livingstone St., St. John's

Relationship Wife

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>25/1/15</u>							
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>23rd January '15</u>							
Total Service forfeited as above							
Total Service towards Engagement to <u> </u> (date of discharge) <u> </u> years <u> </u> days							
Pension <u> </u>							

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Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>25/1/15</u>							
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>23rd January '15</u>							
		<u>Embarked</u>	<u>St. Stephens</u>	<u>St. John's</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>3/15</u>	
		<u>Discharged</u>	<u>Medically unfit</u>	<u>Keaton</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>15.</u>
Total Service forfeited as above							
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>11-12-15</u> (date of discharge) <u> </u> years <u>572</u> days.							
" " " Pension <u> </u> (") <u> </u> " " " "							

S. R. Hackett.

786

P. R. O.

No. 892



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I Samuel Robert Hackett Regl. No. 786
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
Seven Dollars and 00 Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} _{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} _{or} Persons
 concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
835	Wife	Grace Victoria Hackett	St. Winifred's St.	70
Total Allotment, \$				

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, counter-signed by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.)

Officer Commanding

Company

(Sig.)

D. R. Hackett

(Rank)

Private

Mar 14th 1915

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

[Blank box for Chelsea Number]

Army Form B. 268.



Proceedings on Discharge.

(When forwarded for confirmation the documents named on page 4 should be enclosed.)

No. <u>986</u>	Army Rank <u>Private</u>
Name <u>Samuel Robert Backett</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
Corps <u>1st Newfoundland Regiment</u>	
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <u>DEPOT</u> <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>	
Date of discharge <u>December 11th 1910.</u>	
Place of discharge <u>On board S.S. Castropagan.</u>	
1. <u>Description at the time of discharge.</u>	
Age <u>20</u> years <u>—</u> months	Descriptive marks. <u>None</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches	
Chest measure — girth when fully expanded — ins.	
— range of expansion — ins.	
Complexion <u>Dark.</u>	
Eyes <u>Brown.</u>	
Hair <u>Black.</u>	
Trade <u> Carpenter.</u>	
Intended place of residence <u>147 Longstaff.</u>	
(To be given as fully as practicable) <u>St. John's Newfoundland.</u>	
<small>(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)</small>	
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>Medically unfit.</u>	
<small>(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)</small>	
3. Military character:— <u>Good</u>	
4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:— <u>A well behaved man should be a good workman in civil life</u>	
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.	
<u>Carr</u> *Initials of Commanding Officer.	
Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*	

*To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

8. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badges (if the man is a N.C.O. and enlisted prior to 1st July, 1881, the number he would have been entitled to had he not been promoted should be stated).

Is it probable that he will be entitled to another good conduct badge before the confirmation of these proceedings?

Classification for service, or proficiency pay Class

8. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education

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

(Place) Newton on Ayr

(Date) December 11th 1910

C. W. Whitaker
MAJOR,
Commanding COMMANDING DEPOT, N. F. L. D. REGT. Regiment.
NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.

8. Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) Newton on Ayr

(Date) Dec 11th 1910

D. B. Harkell (Signature of Soldier.)
H. J. J. J. (Signature of Witness.)

(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)

9. Additional certificate in the case of a soldier who takes his discharge at his own request.

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

D. B. Harkell (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to Dec 11th (the date to which the record of service is completed) - years 348 days.

Further service " " (the date of confirmation of discharge) " " "

Total, 348 "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for Dec 11th 1910 (date)

(Place) Newton on Ayr

(Date) December 11th 1910

C. W. Whitaker MAJOR,
Signature COMMANDING DEPOT, N. F. L. D. REGT.
NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster, if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated, and signed by the soldier.)

None. D. R. Hackert

Witness.
R. H. Jones.
Sergt.



PAY LIST.

to

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Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *Newfoundland*
 No. *956* Rank *private* Name *Samuel R. Hackett*
 Died ^(a) at _____ on the _____ of _____ 191
 Discharged *Resented at* *Newton On Bay* on the *17* of *December* 1915.

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

J. A. G. Paul, Capt. Commanding Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.]

Date.	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month	5	2	71
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 15 days at 1.10 from <i>27th</i> to <i>11th</i>	3	7	10
					Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
					days at _____ from _____ to _____			
					Messing allowance _____ days at _____			
					from _____ to _____			
					Clothing and kit allowance			
					Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
					Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including			
					interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	8	10		£	8	10
				5				5

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of *£ 8 10 5* is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at

this _____ day of _____

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Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.

(b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

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PAY LIST.

to 11 December 1915. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

per Newfoundland

No. *986*

Rank *Private*

Name *S. R. Hackett*

Died (a)

at

on the

of

191

Discharged
Deserted at

Newton on Key

on the

11 of *December* 191

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month.....	-	-	-	Balance Cr. last month.....	-	-	-
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to.....			
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	191				days at from to.....			
	"				Messing allowance days at			
	"				from to			
	"				Clothing and kit allowance			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
					Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Balance due to the Paymaster.....			
		£				£		

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ _____ is correctly chargeable against the Public^(a)

Dated at

this

day of

191

Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the debtor died intestate or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to the Controller of the Public Debt Office, 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.

(b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

ORIGINAL

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname HackettOF
Christian Name Samuel Pitt

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish		County			
		SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
Examined	on <u>22nd</u> day of <u>Jan</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on	day of	191	
	at <u>St John's</u>	at			
Declared Age	<u>20</u> years	days	years	days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>Carpenter</u>				
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>7</u> inches	feet	inches	
Weight		<u>122</u> lbs.		lbs.	
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded...	<u>32</u> inches		inches	
	Range of expansion...	<u>35</u> inches		inches	
Physical Development					
Vaccination Marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left	
	Number				
When Vaccinated	<u>1913</u>				
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) <u>Tonsils enlarged.</u>		(b)		
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Clayton Macpherson</u>				
(Rank)	<u>Capt.</u>				
		Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at <u>St John's</u>	at			
	on <u>22nd</u> day of <u>Jan</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on	day of	191	
	Corps. <u>1st Med Regt</u>	Regtl. No. <u>986</u>	Corps.	Regtl. No.	
Joined on Enlistment					
Transferred to					
Became non-effective by					
	on	day of	191	on	day of
(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
R.S. H. 15	 Vac

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
Sr John Wyl	Jan 23. 15	20 Mar. 15			
T.S. Stephano	20 Mar. 15	22 Mar. 15			
T.S. ORDUNA	22 Mar. 15	30 Mar. 15			
Edinburgh Comd	30 Mar. 15				

N.B.—This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.



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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.



Mrs James Brigg
St John's

Charges } a. d.
to pay }

Handed }
in at } 11. 50

Received }
here at } 11. 50

TO { Synoptical

has

Have cabled governor concerning lawlor
and Hackett latter improving in
county Hospital - Apr

Command of Newfoundland Apr

J. H. Hackett

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message _____

Prefix	Code	m.	Words	Charge		Recd. at	m.
Office of Origin and Service Instructions.			Sent			Date	
			At			From	
			To			By	
			By				

TO	Commanding	Depot	Newfoundland
		Newton	on
			Ayr.

Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
70	Nov. 3, 1915.		

Please	reply	my	telegram	first
November	re	986	Hackett.	

Paymaster.

From			
Place			
Time			

The above may be forwarded as now corrected.


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L.S.D.

Signature of Addressee or person authorized to telegraph in his name

* This line should be erased if not required.

"C" Form (Original).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS No. of Message _____

Prefix _____ Code _____ Words _____	Received _____	Office Stamp
Charges to collect _____	From _____	
Service Instructions _____	By _____ To _____	

Handed in at the _____ Office, at _____ m. Received here at _____ m.

TO **Commanding Depot Newfoundland**
Newton on Ayr, Ayr.

* Sender's Number. 66	Day of Month. Nov. 1, 1915.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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Received	cable	from	St. Johns
begins	please	advise	condition
progress	986	Hackett	in
Hospital	Aldershot	Colonial	Secretary
ends	please	advise.	
		Paymaster.	

FROM _____
 PLACE _____
 TIME _____

* This line should be crossed if not required.



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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.

St Johns Nf

Charges
to pay

s. d.

Handed
in at

s.

Received
here at

7 35

Office Stamp.

TO { Wsm Paymaster C/o Colandit
LdnPlease advise Condition Progress
986 Hackett in Hospital Aldershot

Colonial Secy

SOUTH-WESTERN DISTRICT OFFICE	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	1557
Rec'd.	NOV 1 1915
Acc'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

J
Hackett, S.R.

986

Pay Sept.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

No. 986.

Name Hackett S. Co.

Discharged Sept 11/15 Folio 207

Date	Particulars	Ch. No.	Dr.	Cr.	Bel.
	Balance due by Mr 10/			2 43	
	War Service Gratuity 1 mo 1/2			70 00	72 43
Aug	To Pay	8007	57 05		15 38
	Bonus		12 95		2 43
			70 00	72 43	2 43

Signed Alvany Sam

22
11
1920



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Samuel Robert Hackett, Regl. No. 986

hereby agree, until further notification by me and in similar official form, to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and Seventy Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and}/_{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and}/_{or} Persons
 concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<u>835</u>	<u>Wife</u>	<u>Grace Victoria Hackett</u>	<u>42 Livingston St</u>	<u>70</u>
Total Allotment, \$				

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, counter signed by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) Eric Skyles
 Officer Commanding
 Company

(Sig.) S R. Hackett
 (Rank) Private

Mar 14th 1915

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 question 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 *Samuel Robert* 2. Surname *Hackett*
3. Rank *Private* 4. Regtl. No. *986*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to ~~be~~ forwarded *42 Loringstone St. St. John's*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment *Jan 23. 1915*

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

8. Relationship of such dependents *wife*

9. Address in full of such dependent *42 Loringstone St. St. John's*

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier? *No*

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

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or overseas *Four months*

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

*Yes, discharged from Newfoundland Regt. Dec 11, 1915.
Enlisted in 228 Bn. Toronto Dec 1st 1916 and
Pt. France May 1st 1917. Wounded & hospitalized from Dec
15, 1918 & returned July 3rd 1919.*

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.....

Post Discharge Pay from Canadian Army \$80.00

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Bridge?..... *No. None*

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?..... *No*

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? *No.* If not give: - (a) Date of discharge... *Dec 11, 1915* (b) Reason for discharge.....

Medical unfitness

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.....

*Not with Newfoundland Regt. but did
with Canadian Cavalry from Nov 3, 1917. Ontario Hill
30 1918*

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com.? *No*

(b). If (a), are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee..... *No.*

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:

D. P. Gackatt

Place of Residence:

42 Longstone Street

Declared before me at:

St Paul

This

6

day of

March

191*8*

Signature of Barrister of the
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-
trate, Notary Public, Justice of the
Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits,

William D Kelly
Barister

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
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.....

Certified Correct.

Paymaster.

REVENUE DIVISION
MIDLAND BOARD

P.M. 6-H-930.

Halifax, N. S. July 22nd. 1919.

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Dept. of Militia and Defence,

ATTENTION Officer i/c of Records,

St. John's Nfld.

#1007029 Spr. S. R. Hackett.
.....

I am in receipt of a letter from the Paymaster General, requesting that I forward you a Statement of Account, and I beg to advise that I wrote you on June 6th. as follows:

" Attached herewith Statement of the marginally noted man's War Service Gratuity account, showing amount of \$60.00 still due this man."

For your information I may state that this account is complete.



CAPTAIN

PAYMASTER DEMOBILIZATION PAY DIV.
M.D.6

McD/NMH.

In your reply please quote
File No. A.P. 7688-S-3

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MILITIA AND DEFENCE.

OTTAWA 7th. July, 1919. 191

Paymaster & O.I/c Records,
Department of Militia,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

1007029. Spr. S. R. Hackett, C. R. F.

War Service Gratuity.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of June 25th. I enclose herewith copy of letter forwarded to the Assistant Director Pay Services, Military District, No. 6. Halifax, N.S. under date of May 27th. This letter was sent in connection with your request of May 13th. I have this date again requested the district Paymaster, Military District No.6. to investigate this case and reply to you at once. You will no doubt hear from him in due course.

Yours truly,

FOC/151

J. M. Lindsay
FOR ASSISTANT DIRECTOR PAY SERVICES.
(Demobilization).

COPY.

AP/7688-8-3

27th May, 1919.

Assistant Director of Pay Services,
Military District No. 6,
Halifax, N.S.

1007029, Pte. S.N. Hackett,
228th Battalion.

I am in receipt of a communication from the Officer in Charge of Records, Department of Militia and Defence, St. John's, Newfoundland, requesting information as to the amount of War Service Gratuity due to the above mentioned soldier.

Will you kindly furnish that Officer with the necessary information.

FOR ASSISTANT DIRECTOR PAY SERVICES.
(Demobilization).

Proceedings on Discharge.

(When forwarded for confirmation the documents named on page 4 should be enclosed.)

No. <u>986</u>	Army Rank <u>Private</u>
Name <u>James Robert Backett</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
Corps <u>1st New Zealand Regiment</u>	
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <u>Depot</u> <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>	
Date of discharge <u>December 11th 1910.</u>	
Place of discharge <u>On board S.S. Carthaginian</u>	
1. <u>Description at the time of discharge.</u>	
Age <u>20</u> years <u>-</u> months Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches Chest measure { girth when fully expanded <u>-</u> ins. { range of expansion <u>-</u> ins. Complexion <u>Sun</u> Eyes <u>Brown</u> Hair <u>Black</u> Trade <u>Carpenter</u> Intended place of residence <u>1st New Zealand</u> (To be given as fully as practicable) <u>New Zealand</u>	Descriptive marks. <u>None</u>
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>Being medically unfit.</u> <small>(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)</small>	
To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.	3. Military character:— <u>Good</u> 4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:— <u>A well behaved man & should be a good workman in civil life.</u>
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case. <u>C.W.</u> MAJOR. COMMANDING OFFICER, <u>Newton-on-Ayr</u> . NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.	
Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*	

5. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badges (if the man is a N.C.O. and enlisted prior to 1st July, 1881, the number he would have been entitled to had he not been promoted should be stated).

Is it probable that he will be entitled to another good conduct badge before the confirmation of these proceedings?

Classification for service, or proficiency pay Class

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education

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

(Place) Newton-on-Ayr

(Date) December 11th 1910

C. W. Whitaker
MAJOR,
Commanding COMMANDING DEPOT, N. F. L. D. REGT.
NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.

8. Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) Newton-on-Ayr

(Date) Dec 11th 1910

A. P. Haskell (Signature of Soldier.)
A. Dallas Sergt. (Signature of Witness.)

(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)

9. Additional certificate in the case of a soldier who takes his discharge at his own request.

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

A. P. Haskell (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to Dec 11th (the date to which the record of service is completed) — year 343 days.

Further service " " (the date of confirmation of discharge) " " "

Total | " 343 "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for Dec 11th '10 (date)

(Place) Newton-on-Ayr

(Date) Dec 11th 1910

C. W. Whitaker MAJOR,
Signature COMMANDING DEPOT, N. F. L. D. REGT.,
NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster, if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated, and signed by the soldier.)

None

D. R. Hackam

Witnesses
J. H. Hens
P. H. Hens



COPY.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname

Hackett

OR
 Christian Name

Samuel Robt

Table I. - GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace: - Parish

County

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <i>22</i> day of <i>Jan</i> 191 <i>5</i>		on day of 191	
	at <i>St John's</i>		at	
Declared age	<i>20</i> years days		years days	
Trade or occupation	<i>Carpenter</i>			
Height	<i>5</i> feet <i>7</i> inches		feet inches	
Weight	<i>122</i> lbs.		lbs.	
Chest Measure. } Girth when fully expanded ..	<i>32</i> inches		inches	
	Range of expansion ..		<i>35</i> inches	
Physical development				
Vaccination marks {	Arm		Right	Left
	Number			
When vaccinated	<i>1913</i>			
Vision	R.E. - V. =		R.E. - V. =	
	L.E. - V. =		L.E. - V. =	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
	(b) <i>Testis Enlarged</i>		(b)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection				
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Chas Macpherson</i>			
(Rank)	<i>Capt.</i>		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <i>St John's Nfld</i>		at	
	on <i>23</i> day of <i>Jan</i> 191 <i>5</i>		on day of 191	
Joined on enlistment	Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.
	<i>Newfld Regt</i>	<i>986</i>		
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
(Signature)	on day of 191		on day of 191	
(Rank)				

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

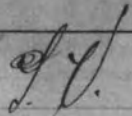
Date	Brief Details, and Signature
28/4/15	 Vacc.

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 Newfoundland	23/1/15	20 Mar 15			
St Stephen's	20/3/15	22 " 15			
St Orduna	22/3/15	30 Mar 15			
Edinburgh Castle	30/3/15				

PAY LIST.

to 11th December 1915. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps. 1st Newfoundland

No. 986 Rank Private Name S.R. Hackett

Died (a) at on the of 191 .
 Discharged at Newton on Ayr on the 11th of December 1915
 Deserted at on the of 191 .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month.....				Balance Cr. last month.....			
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
	191	£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	"				days at from to			
	"				Messing allowance days at			
	"				from to			
	Consolidated stoppage				Clothing and kit allowance			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
		£			Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
					Balance due to the Paymaster.....			
		£						

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

Dated at this day of



191 *J. Marshall* Paymaster

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.

(b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.



PAY LIST.

to

1915 Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps **Newfoundland.**

No. **956**

Rank **Private**

Name **Samuel K. Hackett.**

Died (a)
Discharged

at

on the of

191 .

Deserted at **Newton-on-Ayr.**

on the **11th** of **December**

1915.

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

(sd) **J. A. Ledingham, Capt.** {

Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.		Cr.	£	s.	d.	
	Balance Dr. last month.....					Balance Cr. last month.....	5	2	7	
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)					Pay 15 days at 1 ¹⁰ / ₁₅ from 27 ¹² / ₁₅ to 11 ¹² / ₁₅	5	7	10	
		£	s.	d.		Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay				
	Decr. 3rd 1915	10				days at from to				
	11th " 5	5	7	3		Messing allowance days at				
	" "					from to				
	Allotment					Clothing and kit allowance				
	15 days @ 70c. £10.50	2	3	2		Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries				
	Consolidated stoppage					Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...				
	Warrior damage and					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including				
	loading					interest (if no balance, to be so stated)				
	Balance due by the Paymaster					Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....				
		£	8	10	5	Balance due to the Paymaster.....	£	8	10	5

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 8 10 5 is correctly chargeable against the Public (1)

Dated at

this day of

191 .

Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.

(1) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

PAY LIST. to **11th December** 191**5** . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps **1st Newfoundland**
 No. **986** Rank **Private** Name **S.R. Hackett**
 Died ^(a) at on the of 191 .
 Deserted at **Discharged at Newton on Ayr** on the **11th** of **December** **1915**

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

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

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month.....				Balance Cr. last month.....			
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	191				days at from to			
	"				Messing allowance days at			
	"				from to			
	"				Clothing and kit allowance			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
					Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
		£			Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
					Balance due to the Paymaster.....			
						£		

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ _____ is correctly chargeable against the Public^(a)

Dated at this day of. **31 AUG 1916** 191 .



 Paymaster.
 PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

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

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT

REGIMENT DEPOT NEWFOUNDLAND
 No. 956 Rank Pte. Samuel R. Hackett

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Date	Dr.	L	s	d		L	s	d
	Balance Dr. last month	5	2	7	Balance Cr. last month	5	2	7
	Allotment	2	2	2	Pay 15 days at 1.10 from Nov. 27 to Dec. 11/15	3	7	10
	Cash Issues							
	<i>Dec 3rd</i>			10				
	" 11 th		3	19				
	" "		1	17				
	<i>Barack damage sundry etc</i>	5	16	8				
	Consolidated stoppage			7				
	Balance due by Paymaster				Balance due to the Paymaster			

£ 8. 10. 5

£ 8. 10. 5

I certify to the correctness of above in every particular

J. A. Cunningham, Capt.

 Officer Commanding "E" Co.

P.M. 6-H-930

HALIFAX N.S. JUNE 6th. 1919

TO - Officer i/c Records,
Dept. Militia & Defence,
St. Johns, Nfld.

#1007029
Pte. S.N. HACKETT

Attached herewith statement of the marginally noted man's War Service Gratuity account, showing amount of \$60.00 still due this man.

HAA/KMP

H. A. Allum
CAPT. MAJ. GEN. RET.,
PAYMASTER WAR SERVICE GRATUITY M.D. #6

STATEMENT OF WAR SERVICE GRATUITY:

1007029 Pte. C.A.V.C.
 NAME Hackett S. R.
 ADDRESS _____
 DISTRICT _____
 PROVINCE _____

War Service Gratuity is due to you for 153 days at \$1.00 per day 500.00
 (in accordance with schedule below)
 War Service Gratuity paid on discharge. \$ 57.00
Less: 20.00 + 27.00 + 10.00
 Net \$43.00

Does further Debit Balance or overpayment, \$ _____

Net due \$ _____

The above "Net due" amount will be paid as hereunder, Monthly payments to dependents will be mailed under separate cover.

	To soldier	To dependent.
1st	\$ 50 Paid	\$ 30 Paid
2nd	\$ 70 Paid	\$ 33 Paid
3rd	\$ 70 Paid	\$ 30 Paid
4th	\$ 70 Paid	\$ 30 Paid
5th	\$ 60 Due in June	\$ Nil.
6th	\$ _____	\$ _____
TOTAL	\$ 320	TOTAL \$ 123

Address all communications to - Officer in charge, Demobilization Pay Division, M. D. No. 15, Dennis Building, Halifax, N.S.

CAPTAIN
 PAYMASTER DEMOBILIZATION PAY DIVISION
 M. D. NO. SIX.

Halifax, N.S. _____ 1919.

GCS/RMD.

20.00 Assigned pay for mo. of disch.
27.00 O'pd. S.A. from date of discharge to end of month.
10.00 Advance by Soldiers Aid Commission, Toronto.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE

File No.
AF/7688-S-3

To The Officer-in-Charge Records,
Department of Militia & Defence, Date 27th May, 1919.
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Subject: 1007029, Pte. S.N.HACKETT,
228th Battalion.

Replying to your letter of the 13th inst.,

I have this day requested the Assistant Director of Pay Services, Military District No.6, Halifax N.S., to forward you the necessary information regarding the above mentioned soldier's War Service Gratuity.

L. V. Bachand

For Assistant Director of Pay Services,
(Demobilization)

989
LC/2.

June 25, 1919

The Director of Assigned Pay & Separation Allowance,
Department of Militia & Defence,
Ottawa, Canada.

Re No. 1007029 S.R. Hackett,
228th Battalion

Dear Sir:-

Please advise me what, if any,
War Service Gratuity is payable to the above
named soldier and oblige.

Yours truly

989

Captain,
Paymaster & U.i/c Records.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 57⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Aug 16 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Fifty Seven 00 Dollars.
on account of Pay. W. L. H.
balance

S R Hackbutt

Ch. No. 8007	Initials. W.L.H.
Pay Ledger. 101	Initials. W.L.H.
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No. 986 Rank Pts

A. C. H.

No. 986

Rank Pfc

Name

S.P. Hackett

C.R. 986

Hon. Secretary

Trustees Patriotic Fund.

983 Pte. Samuel Robert Hackett, invalided out of the Regiment for tubercular trouble (after some surgical operation) is now stronger and wishes help to get employment. He was in Reid's freight sheds for two years before he enlisted but has not applied there for work, as he does not yet feel strong enough to work.

For consideration by the Trustees of the Patriotic Fund.

Governor.

27 January, 1916.

C.R.

986

Extract from list of men discharged from the Royal Newfoundland
Regiment on various dates.

#986 Pte. S.R.Hackett, discharged Dec.11th 1915, Medically unfit

DEFENSE BOND

C.R. 986

Extract of from Roll of Officers, F.C.Os. and Men Discharged
from The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
Authority: Pay Office, St. John's.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Rank.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Date.</u>	<u>Reason.</u>
986	Pte.	S.R. Hackett	Dec. 11th 1915.	Med. Unfit.

C.R. 986

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft embarked for
Overseas per S.S. Stephano March 20th 1915.

No. 7. Platson.

986 Pte. S.R. Hackett.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C.

Form
B. 121
2.Regiment of *Newfoundland*

Number of Sheets

Signature of O. C. Company

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment	Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<i>986</i>	Age on <i>20</i> years — months	<i>Carpenter</i>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of (with Colours <i>323</i> years (with Reserve <i>423</i> years)	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date			



Capt

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Case of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or order cancelled with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>Edinburgh Castle</i>	<i>20/4/15</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>Late 9 am parade</i>	<i>Sgt. Duly</i>	<i>5 days CB</i>	<i>21/4/15</i>	<i>Capt March</i>	<i>SR</i>
	<i>29/4/15</i>			<i>Absent 2:15 PM</i>					
	<i>17/5</i>			<i>Absent from Cook parade</i>	<i>Sgt.</i>	<i>2 days CB</i>	<i>20/4/15</i>	<i>Sgt.</i>	
	<i>17/5</i>			<i>absent last 20 Race C.</i>	<i>Cpl</i>	<i>2 days CB</i>	<i>19/5</i>	<i>2d CB Apts.</i>	<i>Forfeit 25cp pay 2 HK.</i>
	<i>20/5</i>			<i>unfit Revell, 19/5.</i>	<i>For slow.</i>				
	<i>20/5</i>			<i>Absent all disarming parades 5:20 to 9:30 pm</i>	<i>Cpl</i>	<i>2 days CB</i>	<i>22/5</i>	<i>Capt J. March</i>	<i>2 HK.</i>
				<i>M. Vail.</i>					
				<i>Medically unfit</i>	<i>Sgt. J. A. Cox</i>	<i>11/5</i>			

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.