



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 216

Name in full John Herbert Hockley Age 30
Address 13 Richmond Rd, Oulton, Warwickshire, Eng

~~Married~~ Single Height _____ Weight _____
Color Dark Hair Black Eyes Brown

Other distinguishing marks none

Nearest relative Father & mother William & Jane
Address 13 Richmond Road, Oulton, Warwickshire, Eng.

Dependents _____

Occupation Housekeeper Present Wage £70⁰⁰ per month

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment _____

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

Declared before me this 1 day of October 1914

Arthur Galley

J. Hockley

Sp. 54

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 216

Name **John Herbert Hockley**

Apparent age **30** years _____ months. Height _____ feet _____ 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 **William Hockley, 13 Richmond Road, Olton, Warwickshire, England.** | Relationship **Father.**

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

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

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 Re-serve 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 5/9/14									<i>27/16 / Capt</i>
Joined at St. John's on 5th September '14									
<i>Embarked S.S. Hercul for G.H. 3rd 1914</i>									<i>Embarked L.C.F. 20th 15</i>
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ORIGINAL. FIELD SERVICE.

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Army Form B. 2090a.
WAR OFFICE
RECEIVED
31 JUL 1916
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
58, VICTORIA ST.
LONDON, S.W.
AUG 1 1916
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

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

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

Regtl. No. 216 Rank Lance Corporal

Name Hockley, J.

Date July 1st., 1916.

Died Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 11/7/16.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

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

Burial Place Not yet received.

Date do

By whom reported

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

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

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

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

Signature of Officer in charge } A.D. Clerk }
of Section Adjutant-General's } }
Office at the Base } }
Capt. for Lt. Col.,
Officer i/c Infantry Section,
3rd. Echelon, B.E.F.

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 Horsley Christian Name John Herbert

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.				
	on	day of	191	on	day of	191	
Examined	}	at		at			
Declared age			<u>30</u> years	days	years	days	
Trade or occupation		<u>Stonemason</u>					
Height		feet	inches	feet	inches	inches	
Weight			lbs.		lbs.		
Chest Measure- ment { Girth when fully expanded Range of expansion ...			inches		inches	inches	
			inches		inches	inches	
Physical development							
Vaccination marks { Arm ... Number ...		Right	Left	Right	Left		
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)		(b)			
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection							
Approved by (Signature) (Rank)							
		Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.			
Enlisted	}	at	<u>St John</u>	at			
		on	day of	191	on	day of	191
Joined on enlistment	}	Corps	<u>1st Field</u>	Corps			
		Regtl. No.	<u>216</u>	Regtl. No.			
Transferred to							
Became non-effective by							
		on	day of	191	on	day of	191
(Signature)							
(Rank)							

PAY LIST.

to July

1916. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps 1st Newfoundland

No. 216

Rank Private Name J. Hoedley

Died (a) in action at France

on the 7th of July 1916.

Deserted at

on the of 1916.

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

{ Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

Form I.

Date	Dr.	£ s. d.			Or.	£ s. d.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month <u>12th March 1914</u>			<u>10</u>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay <u>50</u> days at <u>1/15</u> from <u>17/5</u> to <u>17/16</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>12</u>
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	<u>Egypt 22/2/91</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>6</u>		Messing allowance days at			
	<u>10/3/91</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>6</u>		from to			
	<u>France 26/3/91</u>				Kit allowance			
	<u>India 25/3/91</u>			<u>51</u>	Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	<u>R.S. 6/4/91</u>			<u>1</u>	Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Consolidated stoppage			<u>17</u>	Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster		<u>9</u>	<u>1</u>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£	<u>60</u>	<u>17</u>				<u>2</u>

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 9 1 is correctly chargeable against the Public (b).

Dated at

this 2 day of

191 6

Paymaster.

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

PAY LIST to 1st July 1918. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps **1st Newfoundland**

No. **216**

Rank **Lance Corporal**

Name **J. Hookley**

Died ^(a) *in action* at **France**

on the **1st** of **July**

1918

Deserted at

on the of

191

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

(Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.)

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

Form 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month <i>12/5/18</i>	49		10
	<i>Cash issues</i> (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 50 days at <i>£1:10</i> from <i>18/5.01/7/18</i>	11	16	4
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	Egypt 21 2, 0, 16	1		6	Messing allowance days at from to			
	28 2 " "	1		6	Kit allowance			
	13 3 " "	1			Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	France 26 6 " "		14		Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	P. & R.O. 22 5 " "	48			Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
		51	15		Balance due to the Paymaster			
	H.B. 64			1 2				
	Consolidated stoppage							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	9	1					
		£	60	17 2		£	60	17 2

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

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message

Prefix	Code	m.	Words	Charge	This message is on a/c of:	Recd. at	m.
Office of Origin and Service Instructions.			Sent			Service.	Date
			At	m.			From
			To				By
			By		(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		

TO { William Hockley,
13, Richmond Road,
Olton, Warwickshire

Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

147

28/7/18.

AAA

Deeply regret to inform you
number 216 Lance Corporal John
Herbert Hockley ^{was} was Killed in
action on first July letter
follows.

Synoptical.

216 Hockley

From
Place
Time

The above may be forwarded as now corrected.

(Z)

CENAF.

Signature of Addressee or person authorized to telegraph in his name

* This line should be erased if not required.

26th July, 6.

2009/1

William Hockley, Esq.,
13, Richmond Road,
Olton, Warwickshire.

Sir,

It is my painful duty to inform you that a report has this day been received from the War Office notifying the fatality that has overtaken No.216, L/Cpl. J.H. Hockley, which has been conveyed to you by telegram in accordance with custom; and I am to express the deep sympathy and regret of the Newfoundland Government at your irreparable loss.

The report so far received reads:

"No. 216, L/Cpl. John Herbert Hockley, 1st Newfoundland Regt., Killed in Action, 1/7/16."

If articles or personal property of the late L/Cpl. Hockley are found they will be forwarded to this Office, but some time may probably elapse before their receipt, and will naturally be subject to customary formalities concerning effects.

Application regarding the disposal of personal effects, or of any amount that may eventually be found due to the late soldier's Estate, should be addressed to this Office.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

for Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

13. Richmond Road
Olton
Birmingham

To the Secretary
War Office



Dear Sir.

I am writing on behalf
of my father - W. H. Hockley
of above address.

We have just heard of
the death of my brother
Lieut. Col. J. H. Hockley.

No. 216. B. Compd.
1st Newfoundland Regt.

He was killed in action
on July 1st; we should
be very grateful if you
could get for us any
particulars of his
death, or advise us
as to the best source
to obtain these.

Thanking you in
anticipation.

Yours faithfully
Ethel Daniell.

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No further information received
with regard to this man

• Aug 3/6 ASB

• "Killed in action 1/7/6"

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AUG - 5 1916

The Crown Agents for the Colonies present their compliments

to the Officer in Charge, Newfoundland Pay Record Office

and beg to transmit herewith a communication which they have received

from Mr. J. Wilson

but which should have been addressed to him.

14, Sgt. P. Langmead,
57 L.A. H.
144 Cl. H. J. Gardiner,
302. H. H. Hall.

~~Whitehall Gardens~~

4, MILLBANK,

London, S. W.,

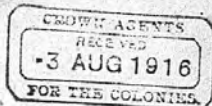
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57-1,000/1/14.



2nd August 1916.

Dear Sir,



A friend of mine wishes to obtain information of a man who came over with the Newfoundland Contingent & was killed a few days ago in France. She is told that there is a Hospital in London to which wounded Newfoundlanders are

sent to which the Governor of
Newfoundland sends a monthly
contribution. If there is such
a Hospital would you kindly
tell me the name? My
friend thinks she might then
obtain some particulars of the
death of the soldier in question
from some of the wounded there.

Yours very truly,

The Secretary
Colonial Office for the Colonies

Wilson
Secy.

The soldier's name is:—

Lance Corporal J. H. Hoedley 216
10th Newfoundland Contingent
B Company.

2874

5/8/16.

21 Richmond Rd
b'ton

Warwickshire

Aug 19/16

Dear Sir

I understood from my brother the late
hance Corporal J. H. Hookley that when
he was in hospital on leave May 30th
he ordered three Badges of the
Newfoundland Regiment from you to
be sent to me, as they have not yet
come to hand may I trouble you to
enquire about them as I should very
much like to have them.

Thanking you in anticipation of
hearing from you about the above, +
please excuse me worrying you about
so small a matter.

Yours truly
(JW) J. G. Gault

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To

The Officer in Charge of
the Newfoundland Record Office

58 Victoria St.

J. H. Hockley Lance Corporal
No 216. "B" Company
1st Newfoundland R.

How he was killed!

Where the grave is and the number & place
for future - What part of front
(Louise Bailey)

Any personal effects

Do supposed to have left various things
at Record Office before leaving 29th May
Home on leave 22/29 May.

Pay watch

Regimental badges asked for 29 May
to be sent to Sister

Yours truly,

PRIDEAUX

45/50 Holborn Viaduct

Mrs. Jarlick

21 Richmond Rd

Olton

Birmingham



D. A. G. 3rd Echelon (Communications)

152404

NO 216 L Cpl J. H. HOCKLEY
B. Co.

1st Newfoundland Regt
 was reported killed on 1-7-16
 No effects have been received
 by the next of kin
 I should be glad to know if
 any were received and whether
 any credit balance of pay &
 was due to the man
 If so when may it be expected
 by the next of kin

R. F. A. Hobbs

Lieut. Col.

A. A. & Q. M. G. 5th Div.

13 1/16



Officer/c.

Infantry No. I.

Action.

Passed to you for your
information & necessary
action please.

151704

17 OCT 1916

OFFICE AT THE BASE

No. 1021952704 Major

6. 10. 16 27 OCT 1916 C.A.A.'s (2)

REGULAR INFANTRY
SECTION No. 1

To Officer in Charge

Newfoundland Reg
Battalion

BRANCH

Lfs.

ACTED UPON

OF

DATE

Passed to you for necessary
action, please

17/10/16

3891

OCT 20 1916

A. S. Clerk

CAPTAIN.

FOR O. I. INFANTRY RECORDS
G. H. Q.; 3RD ECHELON.

File No.

October 25th 5 .

4450/1 .

A. A. & Q. M. G. .

Headquarters,

F.M/W.F..

5th. Division..

B. E. F. .

No. 216, L/C. J. HOCKLEY, DECEASED.
1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT..

Your letter No. A. M. /7217 to the D. A. G., 3rd. Echelon, dated 13/10/16 relating to the estate of the above deceased soldier has been passed to this office for reply. Enquiries have also been received from his next of kin with regard thereto. The formalities necessary for distribution of the estate have been communicated to them and also the fact that no effects have been received by this office, please.

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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

List of Documents forwarded to Secretary War Office
relative to Estate of:

216 Lance Corporal John, Herbert. Hockley.
1st Newfoundland Regiment.

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1	N. F. P/43		9/3/17
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3	A. F. O. 1625 Non Effective A/C	225	9/3/17
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7	" from " "	4665	3/12/16

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

March 9th. 1917

28th March,

7.

3745/1

Wm. Hookley, Esq.,
13, Richmond Road,
Olton,
Warwickshire.

Sir,

216
No. 2172 L/Opl. John Hookley, deceased.

With reference to your letter 25/3/17 (1432), all available information for purposes of adjustment of this estate having been forwarded to the appropriate branch of the War Office, the matter is being proceeded with accordingly.

Your letter has been duly forwarded, and developments will be communicated to you as soon as may be practicable.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Major,
Paymaster & C. i/o Records.

HT/NV

MEMORANDUM FOR

The Officer in charge of Pay & Record Office Records,
Newfoundland Contingent
58 Victoria Street

S. W. I.

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to:—

The Secretary,
War Office,
Park Buildings,
St. James's Park,
London, S.W.,

WAR OFFICE,
PARK BUILDINGS,
ST. JAMES'S PARK,
LONDON, S.W.,

and the following number quoted.

8th May 1917.

6 E. 1343996 / (Accounts 4.)

Will you please note that any articles of personal property now in your possession or subsequently received by you belonging to the late

No 216 Lance Corporal John Herbert Hockley
1st Battalion, 1st Newfoundland Regiment
should be despatched to:—

Mr William Herbert Hockley
13 Richmond Road

Olton

W. H. Hockley

Any medals granted to the deceased that are now in your possession or that may hereafter reach you should be disposed

to the same person.

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No. <u>2326</u>
Rec'd. <u>MAY 11 1917</u>
Ack'd. <u>[Signature]</u>
Ans'd. <u>[Signature]</u>
File No. <u>[Signature]</u>

Effect
gone

[Signature]
Assistant Financial Secretary

7

13 Richmond St

Ottawa

Watkins
May 12 1917

2945/1

The Paymaster Newfoundland Contingent

Sir

²⁴⁶
No 217? Sept John Brockley deceased

I received yesterday from War Office cheque \$9.10 due to the above. Thanking you for putting the application for same in necessary routine

Yours obediently

W Brockley

W Brockley

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	2386
Rec'd.	MAY 15 1917
Ack'd.	<i>W</i>
Ans'd.	<i>W</i>
File No.	

25th May, 7.

4934/94.

The Secretary,
War Office,
Park Buildings, Room 27,
St. James's Park. S.W.

Sir,

Estate: 216, L/O. J.H. Hookley, deceased,
1st Newfoundland Regt.

With reference to W.O. Letter 4/1392

(Accounts 4) 29/1/17, a further sum of 19/= has been
found to be due to the above estate.

I have the honour to ask your instructions
as to whom the amount should be paid.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Major,
Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,
War Office,
Park Buildings,
St. James's Park,
London, S.W.1.
and the following number quoted.

War Office,

Park Buildings,

St. James's Park,

London, S.W. 1.

C.E/ 373996 / 2 (Accounts 4.)

13th June, 1917.

Sir,

With reference to your letter (No.4934/94) of the 25th ultimo, regarding the estate of the late No.216, Lance Corporal John Herbert Hockley, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, I am directed to request that a cheque for the further sum of 19/- due to the deceased's estate (payable to the Assistant Financial Secretary, War Office) may be forwarded to this Department in due course, in order that the amount may be disposed of by this Department.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

L. Miles

for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

The Paymaster & Officer in Charge,
Pay & Record Office,
Newfoundland Contingent, 58, Victoria Street,
S.W. 1.

19. - *Katlon Mllewaner*
3. 4 *Clothing Company Dept. 15*

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RECEIVED BY THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	3072
Rec'd.	JUN 14 1917
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

Jan

15th, June

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5805/117

The Secretary,
War Office,
Park Buildings,
St. James's Park,
S. W. 1.

Sir,-

ESTATE: 216, L/O., J. H. HOCKLEY, DECEASED,
1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your letter G.E.573996/2
Accounts 4: It is regretted that an error in the amount
due to this Estate was made in my letter No. 4934/94.
The item should read 15/8 instead of 19/- as stated, for
which amount cheque is enclosed.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Lieut.
Asst. Paymaster,
For Paymaster & O i/c Records.

FM/WP

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25th May, 7.

4934/94.

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War Office,
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St. James's Park, S.W.

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Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Major,
Paymaster & C. i/o Records.

Hoeksey. John. H.

216

Ray Dept-

DUPLICATE.

FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

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

REGIMENT } 1st. Newfoundland Regt. Squadron, Troop, Battery } B Company
 or } }
 CORPS } } or Company }

Regtl. No. 216 Rank Lance Corporal

Name Hookley, J.



Date July 1st., 1916.

Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 11/7/16.

By whom made O.G., 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.

Place Not yet received.

Date do

By whom reported _____

State whether he leaves a will or not

(a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand.

(b) in Small Book (if at Base) do

(c) as a separate document do

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

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

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

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base

Ab. Clerk Capt. for Lt. Col.,
 Officer i/o Infantry Section,
 3rd. Echelon, B.E.F.

Station and Date 26/7/16.



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 *Stockley John Herbert* (128)
aged *30* conducted at *C. L. B. Amerson*
Date: *3/18/14* Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST FINDING

1	No
2	No
3	No
4	Hurt knee 12 years ago. no trouble
5	No
6	No
7	Yes
8	Yes
9	No
10	No
11	n.
12	n.
13	No
14	No
15	No
16	n
17	n
18	n
19	No
20	No
21	No
22	No
23	No
24	n.
25	n.
26	n
27	n.
28	No
29	n
30	n
31	n
32	n
33	Yes as a child
34	5' 7 1/2"
35	132 lbs.
36	34 - 36 1/2
37	16 - for work
38	Frather <i>John Stockley</i> 73 Richmond Rd. <i>Alton</i> <i>Windsor Eng.</i>
39	No

Fit

216
Signature of Medical Examiner: *Clayton Macpherson M.D.*

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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Pay & Record Office,

58, Victoria Street,

London, S. W.

March 9th. 1917

SEP 6 1921

1921.

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

Wm. Hookley (Father)

in respect of his service, as No. 216 Rank Pte.

Name J.R. Hookley Royal Nfld. Regt.
Infantry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received With thanks

Signature Wm Hookley

Date Sep 27 1921

Address 13 Richmond St. Olton
Warwick

[P.T.O.]



Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

REGISTERED

9.30 PM

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

25 SEP 21

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

Fold Here

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 216 Name Hockley

To Certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above
named Soldier.

Name Wm Hockley

Date Aug 6 1920

Place 13 Richmond St. Otton Wirrickst

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

WJ
With thanks
WJH

APRIL 7th 19.

Messrs. Conroy, Higgins & Hunt,
C i t y .

Dear Sirs:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 4th inst., with reference to the application for Pension of the father of the late Pte. John Hockley, of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Upon enquiry I find that Mr. Hockley's application was duly received and placed before the Board of Pension Commissioners, and a Pension was granted as follows:-

\$16.00 per month from July 2nd 1918 to December 31st 1918, and increased to \$20.00 per month from January 1st 1919, less amount of any Allotment which might have been paid by the Militia Department on account of Pension.

The Pay & Record Office, London, have been authorized to pay Mr. Hockley a Pension at the foregoing rate.

Yours faithfully,

Minister of Militia.

CONROY, HIGGINS & HUNT

BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, NOTARIES, &c.

OFFICES: COLUMBUS HALL
DUCKWORTH STREET.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

CHAS. O'NEILL CONROY, K.C.
WILLIAM J. HIGGINS, K.C.
CHARLES E. HUNT

April 4, 1919.

Sir:

We have the honour to inform you that we have received a letter from the father of Private John Hockley, who was killed in action on July 1st, 1916.

Mr. Hockley resides at Olton, Warwickshire, and we are informed that in November last he sent a form to the Department in which he made application for a pension. Since then he has not received any reply from the Department, and he is anxious to know if his application will be acceded to or not. He is in his seventy-fifth year and the soldier contributed towards his support prior to his death.

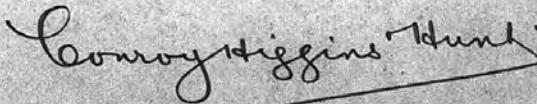
In view of the fact that Mr. Hockley has not heard from the Department it appears to us to be very probable that the forms have not been completed, or, that there is something further to be done by him before any pension can be granted.

We shall be much obliged if you will kindly inform us as to what steps must be taken in the matter by Mr. Hockley, or by us on his behalf.

We have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servants,

J. R. Bennett, Esq.,
Minister of Militia.

Pension granted 13p19

\$16⁰⁰ per month from 2-7-16 to Dec 31/18
then \$28⁰⁰ " " " " 1-1-19.

Less any allot. which might have been
paid by the Dept on acct of Pension

No allotment payable in Nedy.
S. H. B.

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 147.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS,
and the following No. quoted :

C.R. 216 N.F.P/351.
DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 10100/614/PAA

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

To
The Hon. the Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

22nd November 1918.

SUBJECT :

216, L/Opl. J. Hockley (Deceased)
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated **February 27th** 191**9**

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

With reference to the Board of Pension Commissioners letter 29/7/18 (7454); Minutes of correspondence exchanged with the Hon. Secretary, Warwickshire War Pensions Local Committee, and P.S. Declaration signed by W. H. Hockley before a Commissioner for Oaths, are enclosed for your further consideration of his case.

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

FM/S

Reference obverse, and my cable 22/1/19, the Board of Pension Commissioners have authorized payments as follows:

"It has been agreed to allow half pension in this case viz: \$16.00 per month from July 2/16 to increase to \$20.00 per month from January 1st/19, less any allotment which might have been continued on his account."

Kindly make payments accordingly.

Minister of Militia,

Minutes of Correspondence.

(1).

13 Richmond Road
Olton, Warwick.
16/6/18.

Sir.

216.L/C. J.H.HOCKLEY. DECEASED.

I heard from one of your Officers of the original battalion of Newfoundland Regt., you were talking under consideration those dependant of those who had fallen. My son whom I miss very much as well as financially until the time he enlisted allowed a small sum monthly all the time he was at St. Johns. I am 74 and Wife she is bedridden 76, so that I have no better prospect before me. Trusting you will give this your consideration.

I remain.

Yours Respectively.
Signed. W.Hockley.

(2)

St. Johns,
29/7/18.

Chief Paymaster & O.I/c. Records.
Newfoundland Contingent,
Pay and Record Office,
58 Victoria Street
London. S.W.

Sir.

I have the honour by direction to enclose letter from W.Hockley re-Pension a/c of his son No. 216 L/Cpl. H.Hockley deceased and to ask if you would be good enough to make full enquiries with regard to the circumstances of Mr.Hockley and family, having all particulars certified by affidavit, also forward all particulars which might be in your possession relating to this case.

Thanking you in advance

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Signed. C.C.Oke.

pro.Sec.

Board of Pension Commissioners
for Newfoundland.

13501/1/P.&A. (3). 23/8/18.
The Secretary,
Local War Pension Committee
Olton, Warwickshire.

Sir.

No. 216.L/C.J.H.HOCKLEY.DECEASED:

With reference to enclosed copies of letter and enclosure from the Secretary, Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland, 29/8/18 (7454): may I ask if you will be good enough to cause enquiry to be made regarding the circumstances of the deceased soldier's family?

o I shall be glad if you will kindly do this and submit such particulars as may be available, in the manner required by the Commissioners, which will be supplemented by such information as may be already available in this office Records. Thanking you in anticipation of your kind assistance.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Chief Paymaster & O.I/c. Records.

(CONTINUED)

(4).

WARWICKSHIRE WAR PENSIONS LOCAL COMMITTEE.

The Officer i/c.Records.
59 Victoria Street.
S.W.

Sandcroft,
Beach Road.
Towyn.N.Wales.

Dear Sir,

216.L/C. J.H.HOCKLEY. DECEASED
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I have this morning received your letter re the above man with a letter from his father and a copy of a letter from St. Johns. Is there any forms the old Father should fill up? If so please let me have it and I will have it attended to as quickly as possible.

Yours faithfully
Sgd. Emily Freeman.

Please note that I am away from home
till 9/9/18.

(5)

14023/1/P.&.A.

1/9/18.

Hon.Secretary.
War Pensions Local Committee.
Sandcroft.Beach Rd. Towyn.N.Wales.

Madam. 216.L/C. J.H.HOCKLEY. DECEASED.R.NFLD.REGT.

With reference to this office No.13501/1/P.&.A. 23/8/18, and your reply of 27/8/18 (7673); there are no special forms to be completed in this case. It is thought that the forms generally used by you in the case of dependents of Imperial Soldiers may be ~~used~~ applied.

I am Madam,
Your obedient servant.

FM/JO

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

(6).

. 13 Richmond Rd.
Olton.

Madam,

16/9/18.

Further to our conversation on Saturday I forgot to mention my son did contribute to my income during His service with the Forces as he left with his sister the last time he was home £20 for myself and Wife's use, should we require it. Apologising for troubling you.

I remain.
Yours respectively.
Sgd. W.HOCKLEY.

Leaving the money with her I had forgotten about it until she reminded me this evening.

(CONTINUED)

(7).

WARWICKSHIRE WAR PENSIONS LOCAL COMMITTEE.

To The Paymaster
R. Newfoundland Regt.
Dear Sir.

17/9/18.

Re. HOCKLEY'S APPLICATION.

I have put this old man's case on Form P.6. which is the most appropriate one I have. If it will not do please let me know.
Your faithfully
Sgd. Emily Freeman.

(8)

WARWICKSHIRE WAR PENSIONS LOCAL COMMITTEE.

To The Paymaster,
R. Newfoundland Regt.

18/9/18.

Dear Sir,

Re. Mr. Hockley. 13 Richmond Rd. Olton.

The enclosed letter from the above man came this morning and as it bears on his case about which I wrote you yesterday I send it hoping it may not be too late to be taken into consideration.

Yours faithfully
Sgd. Emily Freeman.

(9).

16104/2/P.&A.

7/10/18.

Hon Secretary,
War Pensions Local Committee.
Sandcroft. Beach Rd. Towyn N. Wales.

Madam. 216 L/O. J.H. HOCKLEY .DECEASED.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to this office No. 14023/1/P.&A. 1/9/18 and your reply 17/9/18 (8163): The form P.6. which you have had filled in by Mrs. Hockley appears to give the required particulars but it is observed that the Board of Pensions Commissioners for Newfoundland are desirous of having the statement "Certified by affidavit" as conveyed in the copies of correspondence forwarded to you with this office No. 13501/1/P.&A. 23/8/18. May I ask if you will be good enough to cause the document to be so certified and returned to this office. As it is necessary in view of the danger of loss in transmission Overseas to submit such documents in duplicate, it would assist materially if this could be done in the present instance. Thanking you for your very kind assistance in this matter.

I am Madam
Yours sincerely

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

FM/WF

(CONTINUED)

(10).

WILTSHIRE WAR PENSIONS LOCAL COMMITTEE.

To The Chief Paymaster.
Newfoundland Congt.

10/11/18.

Dear Sir:

216.L/C. J.H.HOCKLEY. DECEASED.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

I enclose 2 copies of the application for a Pension which have been signed by the soldier's Father and declared before a Commissioner of Oaths. If there is anything more I can do please let me know. I have great sympathy for this very respectable old man and his bedridden Wife. Your letter of the 7th Oct., was only delivered to me a few days ago having been sent to Towyn where I was for a short time in September.

Yours faithfully
Sgd.Emily Freeman.

THE BOARD OF
PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Hon. Sir P. T. McGrath, K.B.E.,
(President Legislative Council),
Chairman.
Hon. J. A. Clift, K.C., C.B.E.,
(Minister Agriculture and Mines)
Capt. W. H. Parsons, R.A.M.C.



In reply refer to

No.

St. John's

Feby. 22/19

Lt. Col. W. F. Rendell,
Chief Staff Officer,
City.

William F. Hockley, 13 Richmond Road,
Alton, Warwickshire, England, father
of 216 Lance Corporal J. H. Hockley, deceased.

Sir:-

I have the honour, by direction, to invite your attention to the marginally noted applicant for pension, and to state that it has been agreed to allow half pension in this case, viz., \$15.00 per month from July 2nd/18 and increased to \$20.00 per month from Jany. 1st/19, less any allotment which might have been continued on his account.

Kindly communicate this to the Chief Paymaster and instruct him to make payments accordingly.

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

Asst. Secy.,
Board of Pension Commissioners
for Newfoundland.

CCO/LBD.

C.R. 216

Extract from telegram from Synoptical to Mil. d,ed Jan.28/19199

With reference your telegram Jan. 22nd., 216 Hockley
did not make allotment balance due to estate paid
to Wm. Hockley father.

C.R. 216

Extract from Telegram from Mil. to Syn. dated Jan. 22nd., 1919.

Please inform if 216 L/Cpl. Hockley
declared an allotment in whose
favour and for what amount
also who received balance of
estate.

THE BOARD OF
PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

HON. SIR P. T. McGRATH, K.B.E.,
(President Legislative Council),
Chairman
HON. J. A. CLEFT, K.C., C.B.E.,
(Minister Agriculture and Mines)
CAPT. W. H. PARSONS, R.A.M.C.



IN REPLY REFER TO
C.R. 216

St. John's

Jany. 30/19

Lieut. Col. W. F. Rendell,
Chief Staff Officer,
City.

216 L/Cpl. J. H. Hockley,
deceased.

Sir:-

I have the honour, by direction, to request that you wire the Chief Paymaster to ascertain if this man declared an allotment. If so, in favour of whom? And what amount? Also who received the balance of his estate?

Thanking you for your co-operation in this matter.

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

Asst. Secy.

The Board of Pension Commissioners for Nfld.

CCO/LBD.

C.R. 216

Jan. 23rd 1919.

The Secretary,

Board of Pension Commissioners.

No. 216 L/C J.H. Hookley,
deceased.

Sir:

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 20th, concerning the above mentioned deceased soldier, and in accordance with your request, a cable has to-day been despatched enquiring if this soldier declared an allotment, and if so, in whose favour and for what amount, and also who received the balance of his estate.

I shall be pleased to inform you as soon as a reply has been received.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

WFR/MP.

Lt. Col.
CHIEF STAFF OFFICER.

216
C.R. ~~2148~~

Dec. 24th, 1918

Secretary
Board of Pension Commissioners

Sir:- #216, L/Cpl J. Hockley (Deceased)

I have the honour to forward herewith copies of Minutes of correspondence exchanged between the Chief Paymaster and the Hon. Secretary, Warwickshire War Pensions Local Committee, and P.O. Declaration signed by W.H. Hockley before a Commissioner for Oaths, for your information, and instructions to be forwarded to the Chief Paymaster, please.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant

Lieut. Col

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 216

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated February 8th, 1918.

#216 L/Cpl. J. Hockley. ✓

Place of Grave:- $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles S. of Beaumont Hamel.

Reported by Graves Registration Unit. (Report G.R.&E.
441.55P. 2720.O.C.G.R.W.P.) Auth:- Reports received
from War Office, Lists by D.G.R.&E.

C.R. 216

Extract of Casualty List received from P&RO. London dated
Aug. 1st. 1916.

The following Casualties are in the Newfoundland Contingent
are reported under various dates:-

216 L/C. J. Hockley

Killed.

C.R. 216

Extracts of Casualty List received from P.S.R.O.
July 28th. 1916.

216, L/C. J. Hockley. ✓

Reported by C.O. En. d/11.7.16. Killed in Action 1/7/16.

P R O M O T I O N .

Extract of Regimental Order dated April 11, 1916.

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

#216 Pte. J. Hockley, B.Co.,

to be Lance Corporal.

The above promotion to date from February 27, 1916.

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

C.R.

216

Disembarked Alexandria,31-8-15, Proceeded to Abbassia,
Cairo,same date,Embarked ~~for~~ Alexandria for Gallipoli
13-9-15.

216 Pte. J.H. Hockley.

C.R. 216

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

"Florizel" Oct. 4, 1914.

216 Hockley John H.

C.R! 216

John Herbt. Hockley was attested for General service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ..Sept.:.5th.:.1915.
Regimental No 216 was allotted to Pte. John Herbt. Hockley.

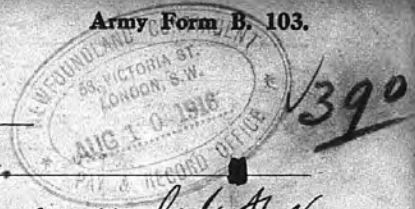
AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

Casualty Form—Active Service.



ORIGINAL

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 C.R. No. 216 Rank Pte. Name Hockley, J.
 Enlisted (a) 1/10/14 Terms of Service (a) 1 year Service reckons from (a) Enlistment
 Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment 27/2/16 Numerical position on roll of N.C.O.s. }
 Extended _____ Re-engaged Aug 13/15 Qualification (b) B213

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's, NFLD.		3.10.14	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1.9.15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13.9.15	
		Embk'd Port Suez		14.3.16	
		Disembk'd MARSEILLE S		22.3.16	
11 JUL 1916	<i>mut</i>	Killed in Action	France	1 - JUL 1916	B213 <u>Archer</u> CAPTAIN. FOR G.I. INFANTRY RECORDS E.H.Q.; 3 RD ECHELON.

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoehing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. [P.T.O.]

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No. 35

216 th of

No. 227 Rank Pt

Name J. H. Hapley

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William Hockley

13 Richmond Road

Eden
Warwickshire
England

WILL.

Sister's address in case of
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ms Garlick

21, Richmond R.

Ottom.

Warwickshire

England.

216. The J. H. Hockley

Dead

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Copy of "Will"

of

No. 216, Pte. J.H. Hockley



"Sister's address in case of accidents

"Mrs Garlick

"21, Richmond Rd

"Olton

"Warwickshire, England.

No. 216, Pte. J.H. Hockley,
1/1 Newfoundland Regt.

Certified true copy.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

J.H. Marshall 2nd Lt
PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS



10/14

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Copy of "Will"

of
No. 215 Pte. J.H. Hackley.

Sister's address in case of accidents:

Mrs. Garlick,
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Olton.
Warwickshire, England.

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Capt.
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Copy of "Will"

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No. 216 Pte. J.H. Heckley.

Sister's address in case of accidents:

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