

## DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.  
Reg. No. 490

Name Fred Keel

Apparent age \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height 5 feet 6 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fair, Hair: Light Brown, Eyes: Blue.

### INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Elizabeth Keel, Bonavista, Nfld.  
| Relationship 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>									
<i>Embarked 1st Force for G. H. S. 2nd</i> <i>Disembarked Halifax &amp; landed Sable Bay 1-12-15</i> <i>Alexandria 13th</i> <i>Disembarked 22nd</i> <i>Transferred to C.R.S. 21-6-16</i> <i>Transferred to England 1-7-16</i> <i>Transferred to Hantsport 16-2-17</i> <i>Granted demobilization leave from 21-4-19 to 13-5-19</i> <i>Embarked 19-5-19</i>					<i>2nd Lt</i> <i>2nd Lt</i> <i>2nd Lt</i> <i>2nd Lt</i> <i>2nd Lt</i> <i>2nd Lt</i> <i>2nd Lt</i>	<i>1-12-15</i> <i>Aug 16 16</i> <i>2 1/2</i> <i>14</i> <i>14</i> <i>13-5-19</i>	<i>1st Lt</i> <i>1st Lt</i> <i>1st Lt</i> <i>1st Lt</i> <i>1st Lt</i> <i>1st Lt</i> <i>1st Lt</i>	<i>20</i> <i>20</i> <i>20</i> <i>20</i> <i>20</i> <i>20</i> <i>20</i>	<i>W. E. F. 24 1/2</i> <i>Connects and arrives</i> <i>Embarked Port</i> <i>Embarked</i> <i>Embarked</i> <i>Embarked</i> <i>Embarked</i> <i>Embarked</i> <i>Embarked</i>
<i>Demobilization Approved 5 5/9</i> <i>H. D. Camp</i>					<i>Confirmed 19 5/19</i> <i>Winchester</i>				
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>19-5-19</u> (date of discharge) <u>4</u> years <u>251</u> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									

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Disembarked <u>Hull</u> <u>1-12-15</u> <u>Embarked</u> <u>and arrived</u>									
<u>Alexandria 15<sup>th</sup> Dec</u> <u>Proceeded to</u> <u>Suez 16<sup>th</sup> Dec</u> <u>Embarked</u> <u>Port Said 16<sup>th</sup> Dec</u>									
<u>Disembarked</u> <u>Harrold 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec</u> <u>Admitted</u> <u>14<sup>th</sup> Regt</u> <u>Embarked</u> <u>Port Said 20<sup>th</sup> Dec</u>									
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<u>Transferred to</u> <u>Northampton 16-2-17</u> <u>Embarked</u> <u>then</u> <u>embarked</u> <u>19-4-17</u>									
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<u>Embarked</u> <u>to be</u> <u>confined</u> <u>by</u> <u>the</u> <u>19-5-19</u>									
Demobilization Approved <u>5<sup>th</sup> 19</u> Confirmed <u>19<sup>th</sup> 19</u>									
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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 Frederick Keel  
aged 24. conducted at Bovarista Va.  
Date: Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> 114. Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST	FINDING	
1	No.	
2	No.	
3	No.	
4	No.	
5	No.	
6	No.	
7	Yes.	
8	Yes.	
9	No.	
10	Colour blindness absent.	
11	For Foreign Service - nothing abnormal on inspection	
12	No abnormalities.	
13	Left upper incisors missing - otherwise fairly good.	
14	Throat and passages clear	
15	No strabismus nor squint.	
16	} No abnormalities.	
17		} distant vision equal - $\frac{6}{6}$ . Near V. @ 16 inches. 1
18		
19	} No rheumatoid -	
20		} No deafness.
21		
22	} "Hernia" varicose & absent on coughing.	
23		} " " " " " "
24		
25	} Hernia absent. 5 ft. 6 inches.	
26		} 147 lbs.
27		
28	} \$300.00 to \$400.00.	
29		} Mother.
30		
31	} Mother.	
32		} Mother.
33		
34	} Mother.	
35		} Mother.
36		
37	} Mother.	
38		} Mother.
39		

Signature of Medical Examiner: Arthur H. ... M.D.  
Clary Macpherson M.D.

AREA... *Aberdeen*

SERIAL NUMBER.

*11/22*

NAME.	Rank.	Regiment and Regimental No.	Year of Birth.
<i>KEEL.</i>	<i>F.</i>	<i>Newf. Pt. 490</i>	

Date of Examination.	Defects or Allments.	Grade or Category.	Date of Enlistment.
<i>A.P.R. 178</i>	<i>Incomplete</i>		

Invaliding Disability.	Date of Origin.	Cause of Disability.	Degree of Disablement.
<i>G.S.W. Left Arm (Attrition)</i>	<i>20/9/16.</i>	<i>G.S.W.</i>	<i>20%</i>

Other Disabilities.	Grade on Discharge	Date of Discharge.
	<i>L</i>	<i>25-2-19</i>

## MEDICAL REPORT.

Surgical Appliances supplied and Dates of operations especially important.

*Impressions* *Complains of weakness in d. arm & weak* *Grip scars (4) upper 1/3 forearm & front of elbow healthy**adherent to underlying soft tissue Elbow Flexion 45**Ext. 120 Pronation & supination nil forearm fixed**in Semi pronation wrist 50% Flexion 90% Complete**lateral normal grip 5% fingers normal wasting of**muscles. upper arm 1/4 forearm 1 1/4 hand 1/4.**bone see x ray report G.S.W. left with considerable loss of**function A 3<sup>6</sup> 3 completed.**x ray report Radius & ulna united by bridge**Date of Board of... 29/4/21... which and under regard histological & chemical**29/4/21**15th of 1921*



Subsequent  
examinations  
Place and  
Date.

### MEDICAL REPORTS.

To include Treatment received, Progress,  
Present State and Degree of Disablement.

Ballist. Ad. 8/7/21. G.S. W. L. from with  
Hof. loss of function & rupture  
x-ray shows comm. union of radius &  
ulna in upper 1/2.  
man states that he has carried on  
his occupation for past 3 years without  
any nuisance & consequently Mr. Kay  
does not advise any operation.  
Fit to work. Discharged 16/8/21

John Behrman

Injuries 25.2.19. Four Scars on outer side of forearm all movable  
one underlying tissues extension at Elbow joint  
15° flexion 50° Wasting muscles forearm.  
Movement of Wrist joint fairly free, can not  
completely close fist 1/2" shortening.

Injuries 18.5.20. G.W. Left Forearm with wasting of forearm  
by 1/2" Upper Arm equal. Grip 50%. Supination  
Pronation 2/4 of normal forearm. 1/2" shorter than  
R. less than 20% - 15%. Permanent.  
Sgt. G.W. Kerr

Injuries 13/9/21. Condition as described in A.E. 9  
29/4/21 except that extension at elbow is  
now 160°. Was admitted to Hospital some  
days ago. Operation not advised.

6-1670P

Thales Owens

AREA: Aberdeen.

SERIAL NUMBER.

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KEEL. F.	✓	Newf. R. 490	-

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A.F.B. 178			

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Other Disabilities.	Grade on Discharge.	Date of Discharge.

**MEDICAL REPORT.**

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Injuries 29. 4 28

Complains weakness l. to arm and weak grip - Scars 4 in No. Upper 1/3 forearm spall: yellow, healthy, adherent to tissues. Movement: Elbow, flexion extension 45° to 120° - Pronation supination nil. Forearm. fixed in position (mid supination mid pronation. wrist 50% flexion, complete extension. lateral motion. grip 50

X-ray Right Radius & Ulna united by bridge of bone near upper end  
 Date of Board 29. 4. 28 Indent surgical treatment performed & receipt  
 3 months after MB

Subsequent  
Examinations  
Place and  
Date.

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Fingers normal.  
wasting muscles. Upper arm  $\frac{1}{4}$   
Forearm  $1\frac{1}{4}$  hand  $\frac{1}{4}$ . Bone, see X-ray  
report  
= Glen. Forearm L. with considerable loss of  
function. ~~15-19~~ 20  $\frac{12}{12}$  Euphadra  
Chumma

# MEDICAL REPORT ON AN INVALID.

NOTE.—This form when filled in is to be forwarded to the SECRETARY OF THE LOCAL WAR PENSIONS COMMITTEE in whose area the man resides.

Name **Keel** **H** Regtl. No. **490** Rank **Plt.** Unit and Corps **1st Southland Regt**  
(Surname) (Christian Names)

Address **36 Newtown St Inverness**

1. State the nature of the disability or disabilities attributable to or aggravated by Military Service, from which the man is suffering

*85 W Forearm Left*

2. What is the present condition of such disability or disabilities?

*Promotion & Disposition will due to bridge of bone between radius & ulna*

3. State whether further medical treatment (including Special Surgical treatment) is desirable in a:—

NOTE.—Treatment will only be recommended for a disability or disabilities attributable to or aggravated by Service. If, however, the disability for which the man is discharged is neither attributable to nor aggravated by Service, but is of such a character as to require treatment in an Institution, such treatment may be recommended.

- (a) Hospital, and if so, what class? ..
- (b) Convalescent Home .. .. .
- (c) Asylum, or .. .. .
- (d) Other institution; and, if so, what class?
- (e) Is out-patient hospital treatment recommended? If so, at what class of hospital? .. .. .
- (f) Is treatment at home recommended?

*(a) Hospital Surgical Inverness*

NOTE.—Differentiate between "Ordinary dental treatment and special treatment for injury to jaw."

4. Is any surgical appliance required in consequence of a disability attributable to or aggravated by Military Service? If so, state whether the Board has arranged for its supply .. .. .

*no*

5. Is the invalid willing to accept the offer of treatment or not? If not, state the reason given for the refusal, and say whether you consider the refusal reasonable ..

*yes*

Signature *Ernest Keel* Chairman.

Station *Inverness* *Dunachallym M.B.* Members.

Date *1-5-21* *Llew Mitchell*



Re. Called for 13/9/21

A

A Regional

Date of Expiry of Current Award .....

No.

Name and Address of Pensioner.	Corps or Regiment from which Discharged.	Date of Discharge.	Chelsea or Regional No.
<p>KEEL, G. 36, Winton Rd. Inverness.</p>	<p>R. Newf. Regt.  Regimental No. 190 3/4</p>		

DISABILITY OR DISABILITIES IN RESPECT OF WHICH PENSION WAS GRANTED.

*G. S. W. left Inverness*

PS

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The Minister of Pensions requires a Medical Report on the present state of health of the Pensioner above named, to assist him in determining on his claim to a further grant of Pension. The paper when completed, together with the Discharge Documents, to be returned in the enclosed envelope, to—

THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR,

Discharged Bellinham 16/8/21  
Did not appear 1.9.21

1—Are you satisfied that the man before you is the soldier referred to in Discharge Documents sent herewith?

yes.

G. E. W. Left Forearm

2—The present state of the Disability or Disabilities shown on page one of this form giving:—

(a) Man's complaints. (b) Symptoms and Physical Signs. (c) Effect of disability or disabilities on function.

(a) Weakness of Left arm.

(b) Condition as described on A 36<sup>c</sup> date 29-4-21.  
except that <sup>from</sup> ~~from~~ can now be extended to 160°

(c) Case of GSW forearm left with fracture radius & ulna which are now united by bridge of bone and consequent complete absence of pronation & supination since date of last wound has been in Bellemeade Hospital but no operation advised.

N.T.

3—(i) Is the Disability in a final stationary condition? *yes*

(ii) If not, is re-examination advised, at the expiration of 6 months .....

12 months ..... *N.A.*

More than a year .....

4—What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed in respect of the disability shown on p. 1, independent of Hospital or other treatment? (Assessment to be stated in words as well as figures.)

N.B.—Degrees of disablement should be expressed in one of the following percentages:—100, 90, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil. (Vide Instructions to Pension Boards.)

*Under twenty 20 per cent  
50 to fourteen (6-14) per cent: P.*

5—If this is a case of aggravation by service of a disability which existed prior to entry, has the effect of the aggravation now passed away?

*N.A.*

6—Does the man require the constant attendance of another person in his home (other than skilled nursing)?

*no*

7—If there is any disability present other than those recorded on the man's documents as existing on discharge or discovered at any later examination, or if there is any disability now claimed or discovered to be causing disablement which was recorded as attributable to or aggravated by service in the War, but as not causing disablement at the time of discharge or discovery, state:

(i) The nature and condition of each disability, giving (a) the man's complaints (b) the symptoms and physical signs, and (c) the effect of the disability on function.

*none.*

(ii) State whether the disability is—

(a) In a final stationary condition.

(b) If not, how soon re-examination is advised in respect of this further disability?

(iii) State the degree of disablement it would entail if there were no other disability.

(iv) State:—

(a) Whether or not it is attributable to or aggravated by service in the War.

(b) And if the disability is one aggravated by service the degree of disablement caused by it at the time of enlistment.

(v) State the degree of disablement caused by the further disability\* and the already accepted disability combined.

\* Only attributable or aggravated disabilities to be taken into account.

Signatures—

*L. S. Deans* ..... Chairman.

Address

*London*

*Neurologist*

Members.

Date

*13-9-21*

*D. Macpherson M.B.*

*No further treatment necessary.  
L. S. Deans  
for Surgeon General.*

(ii) State whether the disability is—  
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(iv) State:—

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Signatures--

*L. S. Deans* ..... Chairman.

Address *London* .....

*W. Macdonald* ..... Members.

Date *13-9-21* .....

*W. Macdonald M.B.*  
*No further treatment necessary.*  
*L. S. Deans*  
*for Surgeon Specialist.*



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Name KEEL F. Regt. No. 490 Rank Plt Unit and Corps Newfoundland R.  
 (Surname) (Christian Names)  
 Address 36, Marlborough St. Inverness

1. State the nature of the disability or disabilities attributable to or aggravated by Military Service, from which the man is suffering ... ..

*GSW. Forearm. L.*

2. What is the present condition of such disability or disabilities? .. ..

*Les garments ~~rouvés~~ joints  
- par X-ray: report*

3. State whether further medical treatment (including Special Surgical treatment) is desirable in a:—  
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*B*

*(b) Radiographic Report*

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4. Is any surgical appliance required in consequence of a disability attributable to or aggravated by Military Service? If so, state whether the Board has arranged for its supply .. ..

*B*

5. Is the invalid willing to accept the offer of treatment or not? If not, state the reason given for the refusal, and say whether you consider the refusal reasonable .. ..

*Yes*

Signature..... *Inverness* *Geo. G. Kerr* Chairman.  
 Station..... *Inverness* *W. W. [unclear]* Members.  
 Date..... *29-4-21* *J. Macfarlane MB*

Date of Expiry of Current Award .....

No. *1/ Gen/ 369*

Name and Address of Pensioner.	Corps or Regiment from which Discharged.	Date of Discharge.	Chelsea or Regional No.
<i>K E E G J. 26 Maitland St. Liverpool.</i>	<i>Newfoundland Reg. Regimental No. 4490</i>		

DISABILITY OR DISABILITIES IN RESPECT OF WHICH PENSION  
WAS GRANTED.

*G. S. W. left forearm.*

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The Minister of Pensions requires a Medical Report on the present state of health of the Pensioner above named, to assist him in determining on his claim to a further grant of Pension. The paper when completed, together with the Discharge Documents, to be returned in the enclosed envelope, to—

THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR,

1—Are you satisfied that the man before you is the soldier referred to in Discharge Documents sent herewith?

*Yes.*

2—The present state of the Disability or Disabilities shown on page one of this form giving:—

(a) Man's complaints. (b) Symptoms and Physical Signs. (c) Effect of disability or disabilities on function.

(a) *Constant weakness left upper limb*

(b) *Scars (1) <sup>cut</sup> on outer and back from middle  $\frac{1}{3}$   $2\frac{1}{2}$  long  $\times$   $\frac{1}{2}$  adherent to underlying soft tissue (2) (cut) inner side back forearm upper  $\frac{1}{2}$   $3" \times \frac{1}{2}"$  adherent to underlying soft tissue not tender (3) (Scarification) flexor surface left elbow outer side congenital  $2" \times \frac{1}{2}"$  carbuncle adherent (4) Scarification flexor surface forearm inner side immediately below elbow  $1" \times \frac{1}{4}"$  adherent to underlying soft tissue*  
maximally Elbow flexion - extension  $45^\circ$  to  $120^\circ$ . Flexion  
subnormal vol forearm fixed in position of semiextension  
Wrist flexion 50% Extension complete lateral normal  
Grip 50% Foreg normal  
Wasting of muscles upper arm vol forearm  $1\frac{1}{4}"$  Hand vol  
Bone see X-ray report attached. ~~Report~~ <sup>see</sup> ~~attached~~

(c) *Conclusion Case of ESW Forearm left with considerable loss of function. In favor of surgical treatment recommended*  
*m. A  $\frac{3}{4}$  0*

3—(1) Is the Disability in a final stationary condition? *no*

(1) If not, is re-examination advised, at the expiration of 6 months .....

12 months *12* .....

More than a year .....

4—What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed in respect of the disability shown on p. 1, independent of Hospital or other treatment? (Assessment to be stated in words as well as figures.)

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*Number*

*Twenty (20) per cent*

5—If this is a case of aggravation by service of a disability which existed prior to entry, has the effect of the aggravation now passed away?

*no*

6—Does the man require the constant attendance of another person in his home (other than skilled nursing)?

*no*

7—If there is any disability present other than those recorded on the man's documents as existing on discharge or discovered at any later examination, or if there is any disability now claimed or discovered to be causing disablement which was recorded as attributable to or aggravated by service in the War, but as not causing disablement at the time of discharge or discovery, state:

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*none*

(ii) State whether the disability is—  
(a) In a final stationary condition.

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(iv) State:—

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(v) State the degree of disablement caused by the further disability\* and the already accepted disability combined.

\* Only attributable or aggravated disabilities to be taken into account.

Signatures—

Address Greenfield

Date 29-4-24

Engelmann ..... Chairman.

L. W. Lubben  
Donaldson M.B. } Members.



A

No.

X

Name of Pensioner.	Regiment.	Date of Discharge.	Chelsea No.
Keel Frederick	Royal Hampshire Land Regt. 490	25.2.19	

DISABILITY IN RESPECT OF WHICH PENSION WAS GRANTED.

G.S.W. left forwaru

P8.

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THE CONTROLLER:

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

BURTON COURT, KING'S ROAD,

LONDON, S.W. 3.

1/6/4

1.—Are you satisfied that the man before you is the soldier referred to in Discharge Documents sent herewith?

Yes.

G.S.W. left. Forearm

2.—The present state of the Disability shown on page 1 of this form.

Complaint: no class left. arm.

Examination: Scars as in AFB 179 28.11.18.

Forearm  $\frac{1}{2}$  smaller in circumference than R. L upper arm equal to R.  
Shortening of L forearm =  $\frac{1}{2}$ "  
Pronation + Supination much limited.  
Equal to about  $\frac{1}{4}$ , Grip = 50%.

Conclusion G.S.W. left. arm.

3.—(i) Is the Disability in a final stationary condition?

Do. Yes per

(ii) If not, is re-examination before the expiration of the period of twelve months advised, and if so, how soon?

n.c.

4.—What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed at present, independent of Hospital or other treatment? (Assessment to be stated in words as well as figures.)

N.B.—Degrees of disablement should be expressed in one of the following percentages:—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil. (Vide Royal Warrant of 17th April, 1918, issued as A.O. 162 of 1918, and Instructions to Pensions Boards.)

Less than Twenty (20%)  
Fifteen per cent permanent

5.—If this is a case of the aggravation by service of a disability which existed prior to entry, has the effect of the aggravation now passed away?

h.g.

6.—Does the man require the constant attendance of another person in his home (other than skilled nursing)?

no.

7.—Is treatment being recommended on A<sub>C</sub><sup>20</sup>?

no.

- 8—
- (a) Is he working at his own trade or occupation ?
  - (b) If not, what employment does he follow ?
  - (c) How long has he been so employed ?
  - (d) Does he lose time as a result of his disability ?

N.B.—The man is to be told that it is optional whether he replies or not to this question.

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9.—If there is any other disability present than those recorded on the man's first Invaliding as existing on discharge state: *None*

- (1) The nature of such disability.
- (2) Whether it is attributable to service during the present War or not.
- (3) The further degree of disablement (if any) it entails in addition to that stated in answer to question 4.
- (4) If the disability is in a final stationary condition.
- (5) If not in a final stationary condition, if re-examination before the expiration of the period stated in answer to question 3 (ii.) is specially advised in respect of this further disability, and if so, how soon ?

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Signatures— *Ed. England Kerr M.B.* President.

Station *Liverpool*

Date *18.3.20.*

*R. Macdonald M.D.*  
*James M. M. M.* Members

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Keel

Christian Name Fredrick

RECEIVED  
 JUN 17 1916

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish

County

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
Examined ... ..	at		at	
Declared age ... ..	years	days	years	days
Trade or occupation ... ..	<u>Fisherman</u>			
Height ... ..	<u>5</u> feet	<u>6</u> inches	feet	inches
Weight ... ..		<u>150</u> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded	inches		inches
	Range of expansion	inches		inches
Physical development ... ..				
Vaccination marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm ... ..			
Number ... ..				
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	<u>St Johns</u>		
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
Joined on enlistment ... ..	Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.
	<u>1st N.S.L.</u>	<u>490</u>		
Transferred to ... ..				
Became non-effective by ... ..				
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT  
 88, VICTORIA ST.  
 LONDON, S.W.  
 MAR 31 1917  
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE

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 88, VICTORIA ST.  
 LONDON, S.W.  
 APR 5 1917  
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Table II.—Only for admissions to hospital or to the sick list in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of hospital	Admitted to hospital			Discharged from hospital			Disease	Number of days in hospital	Remarks during on name, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of 120 days' absence no re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syllabus case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer	
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year					
Nesley	3	7	16	29	9	16	G.S.H. Left Upper Extremity Comp fracture of radius & ulna	89	25.9.16	Wounded in France (albeit) on 20.6.16. Admitted here with large sloughy wound outer side of forearm, limb very much swollen. Patient's general condition very bad. X rays showed fracture upper & middle 1/3 radius & ulna with much comminution. F.B. removed. Incisions for drainage. Wound not now healing. X rays show bones in good position, but there is not a large amount of callus. To Newcastle General Hospital MAJOR, R.A.M.S. OFFICER IN CHARGE, SURGICAL DIVISION R.V.M.	W.P. Powell Capt R.A.M.C.
Bye Brook (Southampton)	29	9	16	14	11	16	"	146	Sequestra removed from ulna 25.11.16. Wound healed. Movements of elbow & forearm improving under massage To Queen Mil. Co. Hospital MAJOR, R.A.M.S. OFFICER IN CHARGE, SURGICAL DIVISION R.V.M.	W.P. Powell Capt R.A.M.C.	
Nesley	14	11	16	16	2	17	"	95			
Convalescent Hospital, Woodcote Park, Epsom	16	2	17	12	9	MAR 1917	do			Command Depot. (Ref: A.C.I.1954 dated 12 Oct. 1916).	

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

Date		Brief details, and signature
27. 11. 16	A.T.I 500	J.M.P. Howle Cap R.N.M.C.
13. 12. 16	A.T.I 500	J.M.P. Howle Cap R.N.M.C.
30. 4. 17	T.A.B. { 2	30. 4. 17. <u>Winstanley</u>
9. 5. 17		9. 5. 17. <u>Lawrence</u>

180 NOV 1918

HAZEL HILL

Recommended Re-attached  
*W. A. P. Howle*  
 ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REG.

28. 2. 19.

deposited

Author of No. 11.

*M.P. Howle*

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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.



No. 638/87/M

490

From  
**PAY & RECORD OFFICE.**  
 56, VICTORIA STREET,  
 LONDON, S.W.  
 31st March, 1920. -101

To  
 The Hon  
 The Colonial Secretary,  
 St John's,  
 Newfoundland

**SUBJECT:**

EX.490. PTE. F. KEEL.

Reference Nos. 22309/794/ - 25/11/19  
 reply 490. - 4/2/20

**REPLY**

Dated June 11th, 1920 101

With reference to above quoted numbers. Report of Medical Board held on the above named pensioner is enclosed for consideration of the Board of Pension Commissioners.

His previous pension of \$10.00 ceased 19/5/20.

Kindly obtain and transmit further instructions, please.

*A. M. ...*  
 CHIEF STAFF OFFICER (LONDON)

Noted, please  
 Copy of Medical Board forwarded to Pension Commissioners, and the following telegram, which was sent to you direct by them, is quoted please:-

"Despatched May 1st, 1920  
"RURALITY, LONDON."

"490 Keel Pay pension in this case at \$10.00 per month for twelve months from May 19th."  
 Pension Commissioners."

*W. A. ...*  
 Lieut.-Col.,  
 Chief Staff Officer

Ref. Nos IN	952 ✓
Rec'd	25 JUN 1920
Ack'd	Ans'd
Ref. Nos. UU	
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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

ORIGINAL.

No. 12536/845/P&A.

C.R. 490

From

PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

9th December 1919.

FM/FK.

To

The Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

NEWFOUNDLAND.

**SUBJECT:**

EX NO. 490 PTE. F. KEEL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

**Reference Nos.**

11894/746/P&A, 22/10/19.

**REPLY**

Dated Jan. 13th. 1920 181

The following telegram is acknowledged:-

Received 4/12/19 (371).  
"Synoptical, London.  
"Following from-Pensions-  
"Pension granted to-490-  
"Keel-ten dollars-per month-  
"for 12 months-from-20th  
"May-1919-19th May-1920-  
"necessary papers-will be  
"forwarded for-examination.  
MILITARY

The instructions conveyed therein have already been received in your telegram 20/10/19 (334) confirmed in the above quoted memorandum.

It is noted that documents are being forwarded for reboard to be held 19/5/20. Documents in all cases should include -

Medical History Sheet.  
Report of Last Medical Board.

*R.A. Munnell*

Lt.-Col.  
Chief Staff Officer (London).

*W. Keel*

The obverse duly noted, please, and copy of same forwarded to the Board of Pension Commissioners for their information.

*W. Keel*

Lieut.-Col.,  
Chief Staff Officer  
for Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.	
RE Nos IN	189
Rec'd	23 JAN 1920
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Ret. Nos. OUT	
ACTED UPON	
LEGAL OFF	BY
Comd.	
P & A.	✓
R & C.	
B & E.	
P.S.	



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

ORIGINAL.

No. 22509/794/P&A.

C.R. 490

From  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.  
58, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W.  
25th November 1919

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

FM/FK.

**SUBJECT:**

EX NO. 490 PTE. F. KEEL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Reference Nos.  
11894/746/P&A, 22/10/19.

**REPLY**

Dated Feb. 4th 1920 191

With reference to the above  
quoted number, the following letter  
from Ex Pte. Keel, 18/11/19 (6087)  
is quoted:-

"I am writing you in regard  
"to my pension, which I would  
"like for you to forward to  
"the Minister of Militia, I  
"may say I am receiving \$10.00  
"per month which I think is  
"not sufficient as I was classed  
"B.11, practically disabled and  
"the wages I am earning is not  
"very much as I find it very  
"hard to work at heavy work.  
"Hoping you will oblige me by  
"forwarding on this note.

Copy of the obverse  
was forwarded to the Board of  
Pension Commissioners, and their  
reply, togetherwith medical  
documents for the purpose of  
boarding this man, is attached  
please

*W. J. Rendell*

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer  
for Minister of Militia

Kindly submit to the Board  
of Pensions Commissioners for  
reconsideration.

*J. A. Munro*  
Lt.-Col.  
Chief Staff Officer (London).

11745/777/P&A  
13/10/19

Stamp area with handwritten number 431 and initials.



Cables and Telegrams:  
"SYNOPTICAL" London.

Telephone:  
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.**

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

**MEMORANDUM.**

No. 11745/717/P&A-

**C.R. 490**

**From**  
**PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,**  
**58, VICTORIA STREET,**  
**LONDON, S.W.1.**  
**FM/FK. 13th October 1919.**

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

**SUBJECT:**

490 PTE. F. KEEL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

**Reference Nos.**

**REPLY**

**Dated** Dec 16th, 1919 **191**

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

Exchange of telegrams  
is confirmed:-

(1).

Despatched 22/9/19 (344).

"Military, St. John's

"Reference my letter 17th

"July-No.477-490-Keel-is

"he entitled-to-pension-

"telegraph instructions.

**SYNOPTICAL"**

(2).

Received 9/10/19 (336).

"Synoptical, London.

"Following From-Pensions-

"begins-Pay to-490-Keel-pension-

"rate of-20%-equal to-£10.00-

"per month-from date of-discharge-

"ends.

**MILITARY"**

The letter does not state  
the period for which pension has been  
awarded. Meanwhile payments are  
being made at the rate of £10.00  
per month pending further instruc-  
tions from you.

As it is assumed that  
Keel will require to be re-boarded  
shortly, will you kindly obtain  
the necessary instructions and  
documents from the Board of Pensions  
Commissioners and forward them to  
this office for attention. Care  
should be taken to see that documents  
are complete as required by the  
Ministry of Pensions. See their  
letter 15760/D.M.S.I. 16/4/19, please.

*G.A. Dillmore*  
Major.  
Chief Staff Officer (London).

**Noted. The following  
Telegram is confirmed:-**

Despatched 20/10/19

"**Synoptical London**"

"Following from Pensions

"begins pay to 490 Keel

"43 King's Street, Svr

"pension rate of 20% equal

"to \$10.00 per month

"for twelve months from

"date of discharge then to be

"reboarded."

Attached hereto is copy  
of Board of Pension Commissioners'  
letter, and also copy of Medical  
Document and N.M.D. Form 98,  
for the purpose of reboard, please

*W.F. Rendell*  
Lieut-Col., *W.F.*

Chief Staff Officer.  
for Minister of Militia

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.	FILED IN 58	RECORDED BY	INDEXED BY
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	13/1/20		

Name:- Private. Fred Keel,

Unit:- Royal Newfoundland.

Army Form B. 179,  
28-11-18.

8. Disability:- G.S.W. LEFT ARM SEVERE.

PAR. 11.

WOUND OF ARM SEVERE IN NETLEY 89 DAYS  
SEVERAL TRANSFERS LATER TO COMPLETE  
CURE OF WOUNDS.

PAR. 12.

4 SCARS ON OUTER SIDE ALL MOVABLE OVER  
UNDERLYING EXTENTION AT ELBOW JOINT ~~165~~  
DEGREES FLEXION TO ~~10%~~ WASTING MUSCLES OF  
FOREARM MOVEMENT AT WRIST JOINT FAIRLY FREE  
CANNOT COMPLETELY CLOSE FIST. ONE HALF  
INCH SHORTENING FROM OLECRANAL TO STEYLORA  
PROCESS ULNA.

*Antagonist line  
copy. Moore copy.  
for exam.  
1918.*

C O P Y

Dec. 13th 1919.

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

Re:- #490 Pte. Frederick Keel.

Sir:-

I have the honour to report regarding the above noted, who was re-boarded 25-2-19 and awarded a pension of 20% for twelve months.

Enclosed you will find copy of his Medical Documents and N.M.D. Form 98, so that re-board may be arranged for, at the expiration of his period.

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

Sgd. J.B. O'RIELLY,

Captain  
for Secy.

Telephone:  
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

## MEMORANDUM.

No 894/746/P&A

**C.R.** 490

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

To The Minister of Militia.

St John's,

October 22nd 1919

NEWFOUNDLAND.

FM/GK

**SUBJECT:**

490 PTE F. KEEL,  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Reference Nos. 11745/717/P&A E/10/19

**REPLY**

Dated Dec 13th 1919

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

With reference to the above quoted number: Your telegram advising period of pension has been received:

20/10/19 (344)

"984- Following from-Pensions  
"begins Pay to-490 Keel 43-  
"Kings Street, Ayr-pension-rate  
"of 20%-equal to-ten dollars-  
"per month-for 12 months-from  
"date of-discharge-then to be  
"reboarded-fullstop"

and documents for Medical Board are awaited, please.

Please refer to your No. 11745/717/P&A, and our reply thereto, under cover of which are forwarded medical documents of this man, please.

*W. J. Rendell*

Lieut.-Col.,  
Chief Staff Officer.

*A. J. Munnell*

Major  
Chief Staff Officer (London)

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.	
Ref. Nos. 11745/717/P&A	✓ 88
Rec'd	
Ack'd	
Ref. Nos. 001	
BRANCH	
Comd	
P & A	✓
R & C	
B & E	
P.S.	

*H. J. K.*



//// 4923

----- Staff Officer (London).

20th May

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Mr. F. Keel,

11846/2/P&A.

36 Muirtown Street,

Inverness, Scotland.

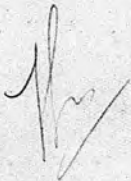
FM/FK.

PENSION.

Telegraphic instructions have been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners through the Minister of Militia, to pay you a pension of £10.00 per month from 20/5/19, the day following date of your discharge.

Postal Drafts £11:1:4: amount due to 31/10/19 are enclosed, please.

Major.  
Chief Staff Officer (London).





Claim Forwarded

10/6/19

*Wm*  
A. G. S.

The Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
London, S.W.

Attached passed to you for action.

Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester,  
Feb. 6th 1919.



  
LIEUT. COLONEL,  
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

"B." Coy

Royal Wld Regt.

Hazeley Down Camp

2/6/19

Chief paymaster & C. i/c Records.

Pass to

you please.

*J. M. Emerson*

O.O. "B" COY.

REGIMENTAL BATTAL REGENT,  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

ISS IN N. 4070

5 - JUN 1919

*J. M. Emerson*

L	BY
Comd.	
P. & A.	
R. & C.	
S. & E.	
P. S.	

*[Signature]*

Mr. J. Teel. May 29/5/19  
36 Muirton Street  
Glasgow

Sir

I wish to write you this note  
concerning my gratuity. Will you kindly  
communicate to pay office. please as  
I require it at present. and Oblige

Yours truly

Mr. J. Teel.

# R E M I N D E R

PASSED FOR INFORMATION	
BRANCH	NOTED BY
PAY LEDGERS	<i>E. H. Blain for'd. Oct. 10-6-19</i>
NOM. ROLL	
ALLOTMENTS	
SEP. ALLCE.	
PENSIONS	
RECORDS	
Ledgers	
Nom. Roll	
POSTAL	

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



36 Murlton Street.  
Inverness

June  
9/6/19

Sir

490 G Keel

Just a note in regards to my  
gravity. as i would like to know. how  
long it would be. before i would receive  
it. I also my pension. as i am out  
of work. since two weeks owing  
to this. Please oblige me with reply

Yours Oblige.

Mr. G Keel.

RECEIVED AND FORWARDED	4/66
PAYEE'S NAME	
DATE	JUN 19
AMOUNT	
BY	
FOR	
REMARKS	

*[Signature]*

36 Mounton St  
Inverness

Nov 3/11/19

Dear Sir,



I hereby acknowledge  
Postal draft for £ 2. 1. 1 for  
Pension from 1/4/19 to 30/11/19  
and also postal draft for £ 11. 1. 4  
to 31/10/19. Thanking you. I  
Remain yours truly

J. Keel

W. J.

22nd November

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Mr. F. Keel,

36, Muirtown Street,

INVERNESS.

FM/FK.

PENSION.

∫ With reference to your letter 18/11/19  
(6087): Copy of your <sup>request</sup> case is being submitted to  
the Board of Pensions Commissioners for re-  
consideration.

Lt.-Col.  
Chief Staff Officer (London).

36 Muirtown Street Inverness

Nov 18/1919

Dear Sir,

I am writing you in regards to my pension. which I would like for you to forward to the Minister of Militia. I may say I am receiving \$10.00 per month. which I think is not sufficient. As I was classed B.11 Practically disabled. and the wages I am earning is not very much. as I find it very hard to work at heavy work, hoping you will oblige me by forwarding ~~it~~ on this note

J. Keel. Yours Oblige

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

P. f. Nos IN 6087

Rec'd 20 NOV 1919

ack'd Ansd

ref. Nos. 001

to May 27.

ACTED UPON

PERMIT DATE BY

P. f. No.

R. & A.

R. & C.

B. & E.

P. & S.

✓ 20/11/19

cat 90 Pte. F. T. Keel

authority was received by telegraph  
from the B of P. C. to pay the named  
a pension of \$10.00 per month from  
20/5/19 - 19/5/19.

W.P.M.

Capt. Marshall.

No. of Bags



Regtl. No. 490 Rank Private

Name Fredrick Keel,  
(Christian Names in full) (Surname)

Unit 2/Battalion Regt. Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
or  
Corps

COPIES SENT		
To	No.	DATE
M. of M.	<i>9667/477</i>	<i>17.7.19</i>
O.C. 1st. Bn.	<i>Acmt.</i>	
" 2nd. Bn.		

**COVER**  
FOR  
**DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS.**



# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C.  
 (282) W1521/004 400m 2/152-1 23 56.

Forms  
B. 121.  
23.

Regiment of Newfoundland

Number of Sheet \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.		Ago on	years months	<u>Julesman</u>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment		Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of {with Colours      years. with Reserve    years.		Place of Birth	
Joined	Date			<u>St. John's Bay</u>	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>Newton P. Colton</u>	<u>12/4/17</u>	<u>Pte.</u>		<u>Overstaying Pass from Tattoo April 18/17 see Tattoo April 16/17.</u>	<u>Cpls Barry</u>	<u>7 days C. B.</u>	<u>19/4/17</u>	<u>Lieut. Col. Whistaker</u>	<u>7 days pay</u>
<u>Hayley Down</u>	<u>2/4/18</u>	<u>Boyle</u>		<u>Absent from tattoo 26/2/18</u>	<u>Sgt. A. Murray</u>	<u>4 days C. B.</u>	<u>2/4/18</u>	<u>Lieut. W. P. Woods</u>	<u>7 days pay Ret. etc.</u>
<u>"</u>	<u>9.2.19.</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Leaving camp when warned for det. &amp; remaining absent till 23.49.</u>	<u>Sgt. O'Rath. / K. Parsons.</u>	<u>5 days C. B.</u>	<u>10.2.19</u>	<u>Capt. C. Kane</u>	<u>7 days pay Ret. etc.</u>
To be carried over									

## SYPHILIS CASE-SHEET.

Regtl. No. 490 Rank and Name *Pvt. Keel* Corps *2/P. New Lt's*  
 Placed on Syphilis Register at *Hilsza* on *17. 6. 18* No. in Register  
 Disease contracted at \_\_\_\_\_ Primary sore appeared on (date) *1910*

## CONDITION WHEN PLACED ON REGISTER.

Primary sore—character and site

Lymphatic glands

Skin (nature and distribution of rash)

Mucous membranes

Other symptoms

*Polysyphilitic*  
*Other*  
*no signs*  
*1*  
*Dr. treated at Lancaster-on-Tyne*  
*with 6 injections of 606 + 5 of Hg*  
*Original R.S. 11238 not obtainable*

Examination of exudate from sore—Spirochaeta Pallida (present or absent)

Examination of blood serum—(Method employed (original or modification)

Wassermann reaction (Result (positive or negative)

*Not Taken*  
*Original*  
*Positive*

Station

*Hilsza*

Date

Signature of M.O.

*Cambell*  
*Major R.A.M.C.*

Struck off Syphilis Register at

on

Cause of being struck off Register

- (a) Recovered  
 (b) Transferred to Army Reserve  
 (c) Discharged from Army

Station

Date

Signature of M.O.



N.B.—On completion of a course of treatment a red line to be drawn across the page, and the date when the next blood test is due to be entered in red ink below the line, e.g., "Blood test due 15.5.14."  
The date and result of the blood test to be entered; and if negative, the date on which the next blood test is due to be also entered.

Station	Date	Symptoms and progress (Date of admission to hospital, and date of discharge from hospital, to be entered in red ink.)	Weight clothed, without boots—lbs.	Urine Normal (N) Albumen (Alb.)	Wasser- mann Reaction Method Original (O) Modification (M.)	Treatment			Signature of M.O. (Each M.O. will sign his name in full on the first occasion; subsequent entries may be initialed)	
						Result Positive (+) Negative (-)	Arsenical Intravenous Injection. Dose in grammes	Mercurial Intramuscular Injection. Dose of Metallic Mercury in grains		Other Methods Inunctions or Oral (Preparation and Dose)
Hilsra	17.6.18	<b>WASSERMANN TEST RESULT + + +</b>								
	26.6.18				N		45			
	26.6.18				B.P.					
	3.7.18				N		45			
	3.7.18				B.P.					
	10.7.18				N		45			
	10.7.18				B.P.					
	19.7.18				N		45			
	19.7.18				B.P.					
	22.7.18				<b>WASSERMANN TEST RESULT + + +</b>					
		Recommended P.L. Hydrag. ii ii daily for 3 months.								
		Blood test. due 1.10.18. Wassermann positive								
					MK <del>att</del> and R.P. for 10.10.18					

15/10/18.

*Dr. Red*  
*Surgeon R.A.M.C.*  
*Dr.*

# TERRITORIAL FORCE.

## Proceedings on Discharge during the period of Embodiment.

(When forwarded for confirmation these proceedings should be accompanied by the documents specified on the 4th page.)

No. <u>490</u>	Rank <u>Private</u>
Name <u>Fredrick Helt</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.	
Corps of Territorial Force _____	
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot &c. <u>1 Coy. 1st Bn.</u>	
Date of discharge <u>10 Aug 1919</u>	
Place of discharge <u>Hazelton Bn Camp</u>	
Description at the time of Discharge.	
1.	Descriptive marks,
Age <u>26</u> years _____ months	
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches	
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded <u>34</u> ins. range of expansion <u>34</u> ins.	
Complexion <u>tan</u>	
Eyes <u>blue</u>	
Hair <u>light brown</u>	
Trade <u>mechanic</u>	
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable) <u>10 Kings Rd. Hazelton</u>	

COPIES SENT		
To	No.	DATE
M of M	<u>967/477</u>	<u>17-7-19</u>
G.C. 1st Lt.		
2ND. BN	<u>Senot.</u>	

(This 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.)

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of \_\_\_\_\_  
Demobilization

(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.)

3. Military Character :- \_\_\_\_\_

4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:- \_\_\_\_\_

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2667.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Initials of Commanding Officer.

5. Classification for service, or proficiency pay ... .. Class \_\_\_\_\_

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

*Galipoli France 1915 - 1916*  
*1915*

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

(Place) HAZELEY DOWN CAMP  
(Date) APR 21 1919

*M. J. Martin* LIEUT. COLONEL  
COMMANDING 2 Bn. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND  
Commanding Batta. Regiment

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

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my PAY and ALLOWANCES, and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) HAZELEY DOWN CAMP  
(Date) APR 21 1919

*E. J. Keel* (Signature of Soldier.)  
*[Signature]* (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.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Signature of Soldier.)

10. *Statement of service.*

Service towards engagement to 21.4.19 (the date to which the record of service is completed) 4 years 25 days.

Further service .. 19.5.19 (the date of confirmation of discharge) .. .. .. 28 ..

*Total Four Years, 251 Days* Total .. 4 .. 25 ..

11. *Confirmation of discharge.*

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for May 19<sup>th</sup> (date) 1919

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



Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster, if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of 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.

12. Chelsea decision.



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.)

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War Pravity as authorized by  
Newfoundland Parliament  
Z. Keel

Witnesses:

513/19/M

1st. March, 1920.

The Secretary,  
Ministry of Pensions,  
Cromwell House,  
Millbank, S.W.1.

Sir,

EX. 490. PTE. F. KEEL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

With reference to your letter 15760/D.N.S.I. 16/4/19. The Board of Pensions Commissioners for Newfoundland have asked that the above named pensioner be reboarded.

Will you kindly therefore undertake to arrange Medical Board before 9/5/20.

The following documents are enclosed please:-

A.F.B. 178a.  
A.F.B. 179.

If disability under 20% kindly state whether 10 or 15 per cent  
Keel's address is:-

36, Muirtown Street,  
Inverness,  
Scotland.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

Lt-Col.,

HT/MN

490. EX-PTE. FRED KEEL.

DISABILITY:-

G. S. W. LEFT ARM SEVERE.

PARAGRAPH 1.

Wound of arm severe. In Hetley  
eighty-nine days. Several transferees  
later to complete cure of wound.

PARAGRAPH 11.

Four scars on outer side all moveable  
over underlying extention at elbow  
joint 165 degrees, flexion to 50.0.  
Wasting muscles of forearm. Move-  
ment at wrist joint fairly free,  
cannot completely close fist, one  
half inch shortening from Olecranal  
to Steylora process ulna.

*Artificial limb copy  
provided copy.*

Jan. 22/20

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

490 F. Keel

Sir:-

I have the honour to refer to your communication No..490 regarding the above mentioned man, and to state that he was boarded on the 25/2/19 and awarded pension of 20% that \$10.00 per month for twelve months from that date.

The letter from ex-Pte. Keel read and contents noted, In reply to this I would like to state pension was awarded by the Medical Board which was held on him at the time of his discharge, and in view of this fact the Board of Pension Commissioners cannot alter the decision, but if he could forward to us a medical certificate from a civil practitioner to the effect that he is disabled to a greater extent than stated in his medical board, arrangements could then be made in his re-board, but in view of the fact that in the course of a month or so he will be boarded again, this may not be necessary.

Attached you will please find copy of Medical documents necessary for his re-board, for favour of transmission to London

I have the honour to be  
Sir  
Your obedient servant

(Sgd.) J.B. O'Reilly  
Captain  
for Secretary

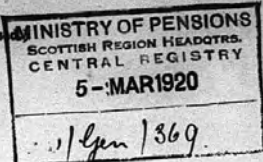


## MINISTRY OF PENSIONS.

## MINUTE SHEET.

(Both sides of this sheet should be used)

Regd. No. 15760. Part. I.



C.M.S.,  
 Scotland Region.  
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NTA

I am forwarding herewith forms AF.B.178a and A.F.B.179, with reference to Private Ex.490, F.Keel, Royal Newfoundland Regt. Mr. Keel's present address is:-

36, Muirtown Street,  
 Inverness,  
 Scotland.

A request has been received here from the Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland that he may be re-boarded. Will you be good enough to arrange for his examination? If the disability is found by the Board to be under 20%, will you kindly state whether 5, 10 or 15% is the appropriate assessment?



M.S. la.  
 3.3.20.

*J. Wallace*

for D.G.M.S.

1/6/20

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

TELEGRAM ~~full-text~~/extract from MINISTER OF MILITIA

No.A1314/1/56 Dated 1/5/20 Received 3/5/20

Decoded by W.H.

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Pay to 490 Keel 10 dollars per month for 12 months  
from 19th May-

MILITARY

*W.H.*



# DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/55.

HIGH COMMISSIONER  
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND, ~~Pay & Record Office,~~  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1,

To: Ex 490 P.C. F Keel

36 Murtown Street  
Inverness NB

February 26<sup>th</sup> 1920

Reference: Pension

Herewith

Money Order 34016 £ 2-1-1 being  
Amount due for period 1/3/20 - 31/3/20

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.)

F. J. Keel

(Date)

March 18/3/20

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

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

N.F.P./56A.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner  
for Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

To:

J. Keel

36 Muirtown Street

Inverness

26 FEB 1920.

1920.

SUBJECT:

Pension

Herewith

Money order 34016 £2-1-1 being amount  
due for period 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>20</sub> - 31<sup>3</sup>/<sub>20</sub>

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

A. A. Minnie Lt-Col.,  
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Received.

Date:

27 Feb 28/19/20

Signature:

Fred Keel

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

N.F.P./55A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner  
for Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

To: Erigo St. J. Keel  
36 Meurtown Street  
Inverness N.S.

May 28 1920.

SUBJECT: Pension

Herewith Money Order 40609 £2.1.1 being  
Amount due for period 1/6/20 - 30/6/20

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W. Hutchings Secretary,  
Chief Clerk (London)

RECEIVED. June 3/6/20

Date: ~~May 28 1920~~

Signature: Fredrick Keel

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

N.F.P./55A

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

N.F.P/55A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner  
for Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W.1.

To: En 490 J. Keel  
36 Myrtown Road  
Inverness MS.

June 28<sup>th</sup> 1920

SUBJECT: Pension

Herewith Money Order 42552 £ 2-1-1 being amount  
due for period 1/7/20 to 31/7/20

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W. Hutchings  
for Secretary

RECEIVED:

Date: July 2/7/20

K

Signature: J. Keel

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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

V.F.P/55A.

Office of the High Commissioner  
for Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W.1.

To: Er Hgo Z Reel  
36 Main town Street  
Inverness N.S.

July 29<sup>th</sup> 1920

SUBJECT: Recession

Herewith Money Order 44797 £2-1-1 being Amount  
due for period 1/8/20 to 31/8/20

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W. Hutchings  
for Secretary.

RECEIVED.

Date: Aug 3-8-20

Signature: Z Reel



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

N.F.P./55A.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner  
for Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

To: Mr 490 P. Keel

36 Murray Street

Glasgow Scotland.

Aug 28<sup>th</sup> 1920.

SUBJECT: Pension

Herewith Money order 41689372-1-1 being amount  
due for the period 1/9/20 to 30/9/20

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

H Hutchings Lt Col.,  
Secretary.

Chief Staff Officer (London)  
HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Received.

Date: Sep 1/9/20

Signature:



P. Keel

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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/55A

Office of the High Commissioner  
for Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W.1.

To:

En 4907 Keel  
36 Mountaine Rd.  
St. John's N.S.

Sept 28<sup>th</sup> 1920

SUBJECT:

Pension

Herewith Money Order 49053 £2-1-1 being amount  
due for the period 1/10/20 to 31/10/20

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

Whitchings  
Secy. Secretary.

RECEIVED:

Date:

Oct 3/10/20

Signature:

F. Keel

NO. \_\_\_\_\_

N.F.P./55A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner  
For Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

To En 490 F. Keel  
36 Murdow Street  
Inverness

28 OCT 1920

SUBJECT: Pension

Herewith Money Order 5118 £ 2-1-1 being amount  
due for the period 1/1/20 to 30/11/20

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

Whitchings  
Secretary.

RECEIVED.

Date: Nov 7-11-20

Signature: F. Keel

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

N.F.P./55a

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner  
For Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

To Ensign J. Keel  
36 Murray Street  
Inverness

28 NOV 1920

SUBJECT: Pension.

herewith

Money order 2994 £2-1-1 being amount due  
for the period 1/10/20 to 31/12/20

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

*W. Hutchings*  
In Secretary.

RECEIVED.

Date:

2/12/20

Signature:

J. Keel

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

N.F.P./55A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner  
For Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

To: Coc 490. J. Keel,  
36, Shirlton Street,  
Inverness, Scotland

SUBJECT: Pension.

herewith Money Order 54969 - £2.1.1 — being amount  
due for the period 1/1/21 - 31/1/21.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

*W. Hutchings*  
for Secretary.

RECEIVED.

Date: Jan 2-19-21

Signature: J. Keel.



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner  
 For Newfoundland,

58, Victoria Street,  
 London, S.W. 1.

28 FEB 1921

To: Cn 490 F. Keel  
36 Newmarket Street  
Inverness, N.S.

SUBJECT: Pension

Herewith Money Order 59182 £2-1-1 being amount  
due for the period 1/3/21 to 31/3/21

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

*W. Hutchings*  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Secretary

RECEIVED.

Date: March 16/3/21

Signature: F. Keel

15th March, 1921.

167/1

Dear Sir,

I would inform you that you have not acknowledged on N.F.P./55 amount of pension sent you on the 28th February covering the period 1/3/21 to 31/3/21. It is strictly essential that this form be completed and returned to this office as soon as possible. In the event of the original having been mislaid, duplicate copy is enclosed herewith.

I would add that failing acknowledgment of this receipt, further pension will be withheld.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.

Mr. F. Keel,  
26, Muirtown Street,  
Scotland.

H/W

1st April, 1921.

190/2.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you that a cable has been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, granting you an increase of ten per cent on pension paid to you during the year 1919.

The amount of pension paid to you from this office for the period 20/5/19 to 31/12/19 was £15. 3. 6, and a Money Order for £1.10. 4, being ten per cent of that amount, is enclosed herewith.

Kindly complete the enclosed form and return same to this office as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

Encls.

Secretary.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
Inverness,  
Scotland.

H/E.

262/3

18th April, 1921.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to enclose herewith money order for 19/- (nineteen shillings) in adjustment of the increase of 10% authorised by the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, for the year 1920.

Through inadvertence the increase was formerly stated to be payable for the year 1919, but recent instructions received shew that it is payable in respect of pension paid during the year 1920, and the above adjustment is accordingly made.

Kindly sign and return the enclosed receipt form.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
Inverness.  
Scotland.  
H/W

6th April, 1921.

237/22

Sir,

Ex 490. P. Keel.  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

With reference to your letter 15760 D.M.S. 1., the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, have asked that the above named pensioner be reboarded.

Will you therefore be good enough to arrange a Medical Board to be held as soon as possible.

The following documents are enclosed:-

Army Form B 178  
" B 179  
A 36  
U

Mr. Keel's address is:-

36, Muirtown Street,  
Inverness,  
Scotland.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

Encls.

The Secretary,  
Ministry of Pensions,  
Crenwell House,  
Millbank,  
S.W.1.

H/W



Telephone: 8450.

EM

Telegraphic Address:  
"Medpension, Vic, London."

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

Reply should be addressed to  
The Secretary, Ministry of Pensions,  
and the following number quoted:—

MEDICAL SERVICE DIVISION,

5, MILLBANK, S.W. 1.

15760

18 MAY 1921

Sir,

Re: F. Keel, ex Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed to inform you that in accordance with the request contained in your letter 237/22 dated the 8th ultimo, the above named Newfoundland pensioner was examined by a Medical Board at Inverness on 29th April, 1921.

As a result of this examination pension was recommended at the rate of 20% for a period of twelve months on account of Gun Shot Wound left forearm.

In-patient surgical treatment was prescribed.

The Medical documents relating to the case are returned herewith.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

for Director General of Medical Services.

Ref. Nos. IN	185
Rec'd	17/5/21
Ack'd	Ans'd
Ref. Nos. OUT	
AC	UPON
BRANCH	BY
Comd.	The Secretary,
P & A.	Dominion of Newfoundland,
R & C.	58, Victoria Street,
P & E	Westminster, S.W.1.
S.	



345/39

18th May, 1921.

Sir,

490. F. Keel.

I have the honour to enclose herewith copy of a Medical Report held on the above named pensioner on the 29th April, 1921.

His present pension expires on the 19th instant. Meanwhile treatment is being arranged, and full disability pension will be paid for the period during which he will be undergoing hospital treatment.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.

The Secretary,  
Board of Pension Commissioners,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

H/W

18th May, 1921.

347/31

Sir,

Ex 490, F. Keel.  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

With reference to your letter 14478 of 20/2/19 on the subject of treatment of discharged soldiers, it is requested that you will be good enough to arrange to have the above named pensioner admitted to hospital as soon as possible.

The following documents are enclosed herewith:-

Army Form B 178A

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MP x 9

Mr. Keel's address is - 36, Muirtown Street,  
Inverness,  
Scotland.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Encl.  
The Secretary,  
Ministry of Pensions,  
Cromwell House,  
Millbank,  
S.W.1.  
H/W

High Commissioner for Newfoundland

## INVERNESS-SHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE.

SUB-COMMITTEE.

Our Ref.....x..2714.

Your Ref.....

7. Baron Taylor's Street,

Please address all communications  
to the Secretary.

INVERNESS.

31st May. 1921.

The Newfoundland Pay & Record Office,  
58. Victoria Street,  
L O N D O N . S.W.1.

Dear Sir,

F. Keil. 36. Muirtown Street, Inverness.  
late No. 490. Newfoundland Regiment.  
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With reference to the above-named Pensioner, I have received instructions from Headquarters to arrange for his admission to Craighleith Hospital, Edinburgh, for treatment for his Invaliding Disability of Gun-Shot-Wound, Left forearm. I have also received notification that Keil can be admitted to Hospital on the 2.6.21, and I have interviewed him, but he states that he is unwilling to accept the treatment until provision is made for Allowances to be paid in respect of his Wife and three children during the period of treatment. I shall be pleased to have your instructions in the matter as early as convenient.

Yours faithfully,



Secretary.

2nd June, 1921.

398/1

490 F. Keel

Dear Sir,

I would acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo relative to the above named pensioner, and in reply would inform you that full disability pension at the rate of \$50.00 (Fifty dollars) per month will be paid for the period which he will be undergoing hospital treatment.

It is requested that you will be good enough to inform Mr. Keel to this effect and advise me if treatment is accepted.

Yours faithfully,

High Commissioner for Newfoundland

The Secretary,  
Inverness Local Committee,  
7, Baron Taylor's Street,  
Inverness.

H/T

36 Mounton St Inverness  
June 1/6/91

Dear Sir,

Would you kindly give  
me some information regarding my  
pension. which i have not received  
Last Pension recieid May 1/5/19 —

Yours Oblige

J. Keel.



2nd June, 1921.

394/4

Dear Sir,

I would acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 1st inst., and in reply would inform you that your pension of \$10.00 (Ten dollars) per month expired on the 19th of May last.

A report of your last medical board held on the 29th April 1921 was duly forwarded to the Board of pension Commissioners Newfoundland for the Assessment of any further pension that may be due to you, and upon receipt of their reply you will be communicated with.

I would add that arrangements have been made to have you admitted to hospital and that full disability pension will be paid for the period which you are undergoing treatment.

Yours faithfully,

High Commissioner for Newfld.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Murtown Street,  
Inverness,  
N.B.

H/T



SEE NOTICE AT BACK.

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.  
(Inland Telegrams)

No. of Telegram \_\_\_\_\_

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*Any Stamp for which there is not room here should be affixed at the back of this form.*

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A. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Charge.

To \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

When a reply is to be pre-paid, write the words "Reply Paid" in the space below.

TO { INVERNESS-SHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE  
17, BARON TAYLOR'S STREET,  
INVERNESS, N.B.

WITH REFERENCE TO YOUR LETTER 31st. MAY

KEEL PLEASE ADVISE IF UNDERGOING TREATMENT.

RURALITY.

FROM {

The Name and Address of the Sender, if not to be telegraphed, should be written in the Space provided at the Back of the Form

No.           

N.F.P./55A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner  
For Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.  
28 JAN 1921

To: Gen 490 F. Keel  
36 Mountdown Street  
Inverness Scotland

SUBJECT: Pension

Herewith Money order 54080 £2.1-1 being amount due  
for the period 1/2/21 to 28/2/21

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

*W. Hutchings*  
Sr. Secretary.

RECEIVED.

Date: Feb 21-2-1921

Signature: F. Keel.

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C or B 3.

Charges to pay

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Recd. from }  
.....  
By.....

POST OFFICE



TELEGRAPHS

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333/ Inquiries

H.M.P.

Reurality Law  
Keil not under treatment  
will advise you when  
arranged War pensions

En. 490.F. KRELL  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

4th July, 1921.  
4th July, 1921.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge the receipt of your letter X2714 of the 2nd inst., and in reply would inform you that the above named man is in receipt of a full disability pension.

The cost of treatment together with railway journey to Glasgow will be paid by this office upon receipt of claim.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

The Secretary,  
Inverness-shire Local Committee,  
7, Baron Taylors Street,  
INVERNESS.

H/T

- 36 Minto St - Inverness

July 7/17/21

Dear Sir,

I am about to go under  
Hospital treatment - Would it be  
possible for my wife to draw -  
Pension Weekly: answered with

Oblige

Ref. Nos. IN 294

Rec'd 9/7/21

ok'd

of Nos. 001

J. Keel



11th July, 1921.

513/5

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th inst., and in reply would inform you that pension can only be payable <sup>monthly</sup> in advance and it is regretted that your request cannot be granted.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
Inverness.

H/T

# INVERNESS-SHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE.

SUB-COMMITTEE.

Our Ref..... **x. 2714.**  
Your Ref.....

7. Baron Taylor's Street,

Please address all communications  
to the Secretary,

INVERNESS.

2nd July. 1921.

The High Commissioner for Newfoundland,  
58. Victoria Street,  
WESTMINSTER. S.W.1.

Ref. Nos IN	276
Rec'd	<i>W. J. M.</i>
Ack'd	
Ref. Nos. 001	

Dear Sir,

F. Keel. 36. Muirtown Street, Inverness.  
late 490. Newfoundland Regiment..  
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With reference to your letter of the 2nd ulto., in the case of the above-named pensioner, I beg to inform you that he will be admitted to Bellahouston Hospital, Glasgow. on Friday the 8th July, 1921, for In-patient Treatment.

I shall be pleased if you will advise me with regard to the payment of Treatment Allowances, in order that I may make any necessary arrangements in respect of same.

I shall provide him with a ticket for the railway Journey to Glasgow.

Yours faithfully,

*M. J. M.*  
Secretary.

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

N.F.P./55A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the high Commissioner  
For Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

5/4/21

To: Gen 490 F. Keel  
36 Murkown St  
Inverness

SUBJECT: Pension

Herewith Money Order 41577 £ 1-10-00 being ten percent  
increase in pension paid for the year 1919

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W Hutchings  
Secretary.

RECEIVED.

Date: April 6/4/21

Signature: F. Keel

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

N.F.P./55A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the high Commissioner  
For Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

30 MAR 1921

To: Gen 490 F. Keel  
36 Murkown Street  
Inverness Scotland

SUBJECT: Pension

Herewith Money Order 61044 £ 2-1-1 being amount  
due for the period 1/4/21 - 30/4/21

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W Hutchings  
Secretary.

RECEIVED.

Date: April 1/4/21

Signature: F. Keel

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner,  
 Dominion of Newfoundland,  
 58, Victoria Street,  
 London, S.W. 1.

28 JUN 1921

To: Ex 490 F. Keel  
36, Mountdown Street  
Inverness

subject: Pension

herewith Money Order £65.19 10-5-5 being amount  
due for the period 1/4/21

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

*W. Hutchings*

Secretary.

RECEIVED.

Date: 3/7/21

*Frank Keel*  
 Signature.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner,  
 Dominion of Newfoundland,  
 58, Victoria Street,  
 London, S.W. 1.

18/4/21

To: Ex 490 F. Keel  
36 Mountdown Street  
Inverness

subject: Pension

herewith Money Order 625/61 19/2 being difference  
in pension in respect of 100% increase 1920.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

*W. Hutchings*

Secretary.

RECEIVED.

Date: April 26/4/21

*F. Keel*  
 Signature.

NO. \_\_\_\_\_

N.F.P./55A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the High Commissioner  
For Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

To: Ensign J. Keel  
36 Muirtown Street  
Inverness Scotland

28/4/21

SUBJECT: Pension

herewith Money Order 6334S £1-5-2 being amount  
due for the period 1/5/21 - 31/5/21.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W. Hutchings  
In Secretary.

RECEIVED.

Date: May 2/5/21

Signature: J. Keel.



Telephone: 8450.

Telegraphic Address:

"Modpension, Vic, London."

A.D.G.

Reply should be addressed to  
The Secretary, Ministry of Pensions,  
and the following number quoted:—

D.M. 75870.

Your Ref. 347/31.



MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

MEDICAL SERVICE DIVISION,

5, MILLBANK, S.W. 1.

July, 1921.

14 JUL 1921

Sir,

*F. Keel*

Re: Ex. 490. ~~F. Keel~~ Royal Newfoundland  
Regiment.

I am directed by the Minister of  
Pensions to refer to your letter of the 18th May  
and to inform you that arrangements have been  
made for the above named to be admitted to  
Bellahouston Hospital.

The relative documents are returned

herewith.

Ref. Nos. IN	321
Rec'd	15/7/21
Ack'd	Ans'd
Ref. Nos. OUT	
ACTED UPON	
SEARCHED	DATE
INDEXED	BY
FILED	

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

*F. Innes*

for DIRECTOR GENERAL OF MEDICAL SERVICES.

The High Commissioner for the  
Dominion of Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria, Street,  
S.W.1.

16th August, 1921.

615/5

490 F. Keel  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge the receipt of your letter X2714 of the 12th inst., relative to the above-named pensioner.

I am to request that you will be good enough to arrange to have Mr. Keel reboarded upon his discharge from hospital.

The following documents are enclosed for your information.

Army Form B176A  
179  
A 36 (2)  
o  
A 36 B  
o  
M.P. X9

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

Encls.

The Secretary,  
Inverness-shire Local Committee,  
7, Baron Taylor's Street,  
Inverness,  
N.B.

H/T

2/JMD

WAR PENSIONS ACTS, 1915-1919.

INVERNESS-SHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE.

Telephone No. 18.

Our Ref..... x. 2714

Your Ref.....

Please address all communications to the Secretary.



7 BARON TAYLOR'S STREET,

INVERNESS.

12th August. 1921.

The High Commissioner for Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
WESTMINSTER. S.W.1.

Dear Sir,

F. Keel. 36. Muirtown Street, Inverness.  
late 490. Newfoundland Regiment.

With reference to my letter to you of 2nd ulto., informing you that above-named pensioner would be admitted to Bellahouston Hospital, Glasgow, on 8.7.2. I now desire to inform you that he will be discharged from the Institution on 16.8.21, and I send you herewith Forms M.P.M.S.D. 44 and M.P.M.S.D. 28. with particulars of discharge.

Ref. Nos. IN	398
Rec'd	16/8/21
Ack'd	Ans'd
Ref. Nos. OUT	
NOTED UPON	
BY	
Comd.	
P & A.	
R. & C.	
B. & E.	
P.S.	

Yours faithfully,

*Maier*

Secretary.

Encls:-

**THE SECRETARY,**

**Local War Pensions Committee for \_\_\_\_\_**

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS.**Notification of Termination of In-Patient Treatment  
of a Discharged Man.**

Name and Address of Patient KEEL 7 sedetick  
Newfound:- Pte:- 490:- 3, Milltown St,  
Inverness.

Date of termination of treatment 16-8-21.

Result of treatment, viz.:-

1. Is further treatment required? If so, please indicate briefly the nature of the treatment No treatment
2. General condition of patient? 7 it for work

Signed [Signature]

Date 10-8- 1921,



TREATMENT CERTIFICATEVI.  
Inverness

PARTICULARS OF MAN. (To be filled up by the Secretary of Local Committee.)

Surname KEEL Christian Names FREDERICKPresent Address 3, Munton St. InvernessRegiment (or Ship) NewfoundlandAge 27 Rank 1st Lt Regt. No. 490 Date of Discharge \_\_\_\_\_

Disability for which discharged \_\_\_\_\_

\*due to  
aggravated by } service.  
not due to }

War Pensions Committee.

Secretary.

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL REFEREE.

I have read all the documents submitted to me relating to the above-named man, and have examined him to-day. I am of opinion that:

(a) He is suffering from S.S.W. L. an.(b) His present ailment <sup>{\*is</sup> ~~is~~ due to or <sup>{\*is</sup> ~~is not~~ a consequence of the disability for which he was discharged.(c) He <sup>{\*is</sup> ~~is~~ <sup>unable to work</sup> ~~should not work on medical grounds~~ <sup>is able to work</sup> at a remunerative occupation.

(d) He is not likely to be able to work at a remunerative occupation for \_\_\_\_\_ weeks from this date.

(e) ~~The treatment recommended below~~ is necessary in the man's interests.  
No treatmentRECOMMENDATION.

1. I recommend that he receive the following form of treatment

(a) as ~~in-patient~~  
out-patient

at a General Hospital, viz. :-

at a Special Hospital, viz. :-

(b) Massage and Electricity { \*at \_\_\_\_\_ Hospital.  
at Home -

(c) Convalescent Home for \_\_\_\_\_ weeks.

(d) Home treatment under his own doctor for \_\_\_\_\_ weeks.

For such period  
as may be  
deemed necessary  
by the medical  
practitioner in  
attendance.

2. (a) He should be referred to the Local Insurance Committee for an opinion as to treatment required for Tuberculosis.

(b) He should be supplied with the undermentioned <sup>\*surgical appliance</sup>  
~~artificial limb.~~ :-Will be discharged 16/8/21.The operation advised by Genl Kay. is no other an der  
substitute with his mouth.Signature John B. LinnMedical Referee for Bellefleur Ref.Date 9/8/21.

\* Strike out alternative not required.

## INVERNESS-SHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE.

Telephone No. 18.

Our Ref.....	x. 2714.
Your Ref.....	L. 13/3.

Please address all communications  
to the Secretary.



7 BARON TAYLOR'S STREET,

INVERNESS,

18th August. 1921.

The Secretary,  
High Commissioner of Newfoundland,  
58. Victoria Street,  
WESTMINSTER. S.W.1.

Sir,

No. 490. F. Keel.  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
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I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 16th inst., with documents relating to above-named pensioner, and with a request for Mr. Keel to be re-boarded upon discharge from hospital.

I am forwarding the documents to the Commissioner of Medical Services, Ministry of Pensions, Edinburgh, in order that necessary action may be taken.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

  
Secretary.

649/6

24th. August, 1921.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 22nd. inst., and to enclose herewith a cheque for £9. 3. 8. being the amount due to you for the period 20/7/21-16/8/21.

Arrangements have been made with the Ministry of Pensions for your medical reboard, which will be forwarded to the Board of Pension Commissioners Newfoundland for assessment of any further pension that may be due to you.

Further payments therefore cannot be made until instructions have been received from Newfoundland as to the amount awarded,

Yours Faithfully,

Secretary.

Mr. F. Keel,  
43, King Street,

43 King St Nain

aug

22/8/91

Dear Sir,

I wish to inform -  
you that i ~~lost~~ my job while  
under treatment. and i would  
like to know if there could  
be anything done to help my  
family. in answee with

Obliged  
Yours truly  
J. Peel.

Ref. Nos. IN 444

Rec'd 24/8/91

Ack'd Ans'd

Ref. Nos. OUT

ACTED ON

BRANCH DATE BY

Comd.

742/123

5th October, 1921.

490. F. Keel  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of a Medical Board held on the above named pensioner on the 13th of September, 1921. Mr. Keel was discharged from hospital on the 16/8/21 and no payment has been made from that date. It is therefore requested that you will be good enough to advise me by telegraph if a further pension is awarded.

It will be observed that the Board's opinion is that this disability is final and stationery, and a further examination will not be necessary.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Secretary,  
The Board of Pension Commissioners,  
St. John's, Newfoundland.  
H/T



Telephone: 8450.

EDC

Telegraphic Address:

"Medpension, Via, London."

Reply should be addressed to  
The Secretary, Ministry of Pensions,  
and the following number quoted:—



MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

MEDICAL SERVICE DIVISION,

5, MILLBANK, S.W. 1.

M. S. J. A.  
15757/4. Part 3.

4 OCT 1921

RECEIVED OCT 5 1921

Sir,

re F. Keel, 490, R. Newfoundland Regiment.

I am forwarding herewith the medical documents relating to the above named ex-member of the Newfoundland Regiment, who was examined by a Medical Board at Inverness on the 13th September.

As the result of this examination, the Board assessed his disablement on account of Gunshot Wound left forearm at the rate of less than 20%, i.e. 6% to 14% permanent. In the Board's opinion this disability is in a "final and stationary" condition, and further examinations will not be necessary.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

*J Wallace*

for Director General of Medical Services.

Ref. Nos. IN 469  
Rec'd 5/10/21  
Ack'd Ans'd  
Ref. Nos. OUI

The Secretary,  
High Commissioner's Office,  
Dominion of Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
Westminster, S.W. 1.

26th October, 1921.

791/4

Sir,

490 F. Keel.  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I would acknowledge the receipt of your letter X 2714 of the 24th instant, and would enclose herewith cheque for £1.6.3 (one pound, six shillings and threepence), being refund of amount paid by you to the above named pensioner in respect of railway fare from Inverness to Glasgow.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.

Encl.

The Secretary,  
Inverness Local Committee,  
7, Baron Taylor's Street,  
Inverness.

H/W

INVERNESS-SHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE.

SUB-COMMITTEE.

7. Baron Taylor's Street,

INVERNESS.

24th. October. 1921.

Our Ref.....X.2714.

Your Ref.....

Please address all communications  
to the Secretary,

Sir:-

En. 490. F.Keel. Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
36. Muirtown Street, Inverness.

I send you herewith Statement of Amount  
expended by my Committee in respect of the above named  
man, and shall be glad to have your remittance in course.

Ref. Nos IN 493

Rec'd *26/10/21*

Yours faithfully,

The Secretary,  
High Commissioner's Office,  
Dominion of Newfoundland,  
58, Victoria Street,  
Westminster,  
LONDON. S.W.1.

*[Signature]*  
SECRETARY.

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Encl/

INVERNESS-SHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE.

SUB-COMMITTEE.

/EMM.

Our Ref... X2714......

Your Ref... 791/A......

7, Baron Taylor's Street,  
INVERNESS.

Please address all communications  
to the Secretary,

27th. October.1921.

Sir:-

490. F. Keel, Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am in receipt of your letter of the 26th.inst.,  
enclosing Cheque value £1:6:3. in settlement of amount  
expended by my Committee in respect of above named Pensioner,  
for which I thank you.

I return Statement herewith, duly received.

Ref. Nos. IN	<u>506</u>
Rec'd	<u>31/10/21</u>
Ack'd	Ans'd
Ref. Nos. OUT	

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,



SECRETARY.

ACTED BY

The High Commissioner  
for Newfoundland,  
High Commissioner's Offices,  
58, Victoria Street,  
Westminster,  
LONDON. S.W.1.

Encl/

Secretary,  
Dominion of Newfoundland,  
High Commissioner's Office,  
58, Victoria Street,  
Westminster.  
LONDON. S.W.1.

To  
Inverness-shire Local War Pensions Committee.  
7, Baron Taylor's Street,  
INVERNESS.

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1921.

7th. July. To Railway Fare, Inverness to Glasgow.  
£a .490. F. Keel. Royal Newfoundland  
Regiment..... £1: 6: 3

Received Payment.

£1:6:3.



SECRETARY.

INVERNESS-SHIRE LOCAL WAR PENSIONS COMMITTEE  
27th. October. 1921.





855/7

14th November, 1921.

Dear Sir,

I would inform you that a cable has to-day been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, notifying the award to you of a permanent pension at the rate of \$15.00 (fifteen dollars) per month.

Cheque for £10.13.8 (ten pounds, thirteen shillings and eightpence) being the amount due for the period 17/8/21 - 30/11/21 is enclosed herewith.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours faithfully,

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.

Encl.

Mr. J. Keel,  
43, King Street,  
Gairn, Scotland.

H/W

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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TELEGRAM full-text from the Board of Pension Commissioners

No GX 76

Dated 9/11/21

Coded by WJH

Checked by [Signature]

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Pension granted to - 490 - Keel - 15 dollars - permanently.

PENSION COMMISSIONERS

36 Muintown St

Immers

Nov 24/91

Dear Sir:

Received Cheque  
For £10.13.8 in respect of pension  
dated 14=11=91

Yours truly  
D. Keel.

7  
923/8.

19th December 1921.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you that a cable has been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners Newfoundland, granting you a seven per cent increase on pension paid to you during the year 1921.

The amount of Pension paid to you from this office for the period 1/1/21 - 31/12/21 was £23.4.2., and a money order for £1.12.6. (one pound twelve shillings & six pence), being seven per cent of that amount, is enclosed herewith. Kindly complete the enclosed form and return same to this office as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

Encls.

Secretary.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
Inverness.

H/D.



1040/9.

29th December 1921.

Dear Sir,

I would inform you that a communication has to-day been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, to the effect that the Canadian Scale of Pensions is being adopted in Newfoundland, as from January 1st 1922, and that pensions are to be paid monthly in arrears, at the end of each month, instead of monthly in advance as heretofore.

Your account is being adjusted, and the amount of pension due to you will be sent at the end of each month, beginning January 31st 1922.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
Inverness.  
H/D.

36 Muirtown St.  
Inverness

June 17/6/22

Dear Sir,

I write you to see if i could receive my Pension weekly. as i have been out of work for some time. and not much Prospects of anything. i get 23/- Out of Work Dole. which is not sufficient for to keep my family. My youngest child is very delicate and requires more nourishment. than i can give her in the meantime. hoping you will oblige

By telling me have an answer at your  
Convenience,

Remains your truly

J. Keel

*[Faint handwritten signature]*

511/1

20th June 1922.

Dear Sir,

I would acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th inst., and in reply would inform you that under the Newfoundland War Pensions Act, pensions can only be paid monthly in arrears, and it is regretted that your request cannot be granted.

Yours faithfully,

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
Inverness.

H/D.

36 Muirtown St  
Inverness

27.6.22

RECEIVED JUL 5 1922

ANSWERED.....

27/6/22

Dear Sir.

I am writing to enquire if the Newfoundland Government would come on any terms to take me across, as I am out of work for some time & little hopes of any thing turning up. Will be greatly obliged <sup>for</sup> any information.

I remain yours truly  
Frederick Keel



5th July, 1922.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 27th June, I am cabling to the Newfoundland Government to ascertain if assistance can be given you to return with your family to St. John's.

When a reply is received you will be communicated with again.

Yours faithfully,

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.

Mr. Frederick Eggi;  
36, Muirtown Street,  
INVERNESS.

G/T

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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TELEGRAM fulltext to the Department of Militia, St. John's.

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Dated 5/7/22 Coded by \_\_\_\_\_ Checked by \_\_\_\_\_

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490 - Keel - asks if - assistance can be rendered to - him - return -  
with wife - three children - Newfoundland - Please instruct.

RURALITY

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

TELEGRAM full text from the Department of Militia, St. John's.

No. GAW PZ5 A385/6 G Dated 6/7/22 Coded by \_\_\_\_\_ Checked by \_\_\_\_\_

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With reference to your telegram July 5th - 490 - Keel - this office -  
unable - not to assist - fullstop - HFP 111 - signed by - him -  
February 8th - 1919 - releases - Newfoundland Government - from -  
liability - civil - or - military - in respect of - repatriation.

MILITARY.

8th July, 1922.

Dear Sir,

With reference to my letter of the 5th instant, I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you that a reply has to-day been received from the Department of Militia, St. John's, Newfoundland, as follows:-

"With reference to your telegram 5th July 490 Keel  
"this Office unable to assist. H.F.P.LII signed by  
"him February 8th 1919 releases Newfoundland Govern-  
"ment from liability civil or military in respect  
"of repatriation."

In view of the above quoted telegram it is regretted that this Office cannot pay cost of your passage to Newfoundland.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
INVERNESS.

H/T

10th August, 1922.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you that authority has been given by the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, for the payment of a pension allowance in respect of your wife at the rate of \$7.50 per month as from 1st January 1922.

A cheque for £10.15.9. (ten pounds fifteen shillings and ninepence), being the amount due for the period 1/1/22-31/7/22 is enclosed herewith. Kindly complete the enclosed form and return the same to this Office as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

Secretary.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
INVERNESS.

H/T

36 Mierdown St

Imerness

Dear Sir,

4/12/22

I write you in regards  
to my Pension. For November which  
has not turned up. Could you  
give me any information why.  
as i am fully depending  
upon it. in the mean time  
as i am on short time. —  
for the sum of 26/- Weekly  
Would you kindly let me  
have a reply soon as possible





2105

BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NPLD.

Pension No 2105

Post. No 490 Rank Pte Name Fredk. Keel

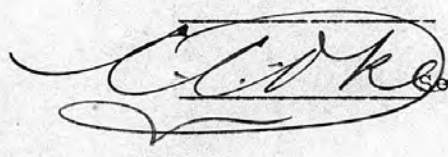
Pensionable Disability 15% for Life ~~Month~~

Particulars of Pension:-

Self	\$ <u>7.50</u>	Per month ending	
Bonus	\$ <u>3.75</u>	" " "	<u>31/12/21.</u>
Wife	\$ <u>3.75</u>	" " "	
First Child	\$ <u>2.25</u>	" " "	<u>11/ 3/35.</u>
Second "	\$ <u>2.25</u>	" " "	<u>27/ 2/36.</u>
<u>one Child</u> <del>xxx</del>	@ \$ <u>1.50</u>	each =	\$ <u>1.50</u> " " " <u>12/ 3/38.</u>
Total monthly rate	\$ <u>21.00</u>	" " "	from <u>1st. Jan. 1922</u>

Approved:-

Date 26/9/22

 Secretary.

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18-9-22  
18

6th December, 1922.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, and in reply to say, that owing to instructions received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, to the effect that you have been overpaid, pension for the past twelve months, it is necessary for the present to withhold payment.

The matter of your future pension is receiving the consideration of the Board of Pension Commissioners and the High Commissioner hopes to be able to advise you of their decision very shortly. Meanwhile, he is unable to make a further.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
INVERNESS.

H/T

21st December, 1922.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you that instructions have now been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, to the effect that your pension as from the 1st January, 1922, should have been at the rate of £21.00 per month instead of £30.00 per month.

An overpayment has therefore been made for the period 1/1/22 - 31/10/22, amounting to £90.00 (£18.0.10), which amount has to be recovered from future payments of your pension.

*Prof. Commission*  
The H.C. proposes to pay your pension at the rate of £5.6.3. per month, making a deduction of £1.0.0 per month, until the overpayment has been recovered.

A cheque for £6.12.6, being the amount due for the period 1/11/22-31/12/22, is enclosed herewith.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
Inverness.

Secretary.



36 Mintown St. Inverness

June 12/6/23

Dear Sir.

Would you kindly -  
forward a Statement to this effect  
for advancement of two years  
Pension. for the Purpose of -  
proceeding to Canada with Family  
has i am out-of-Work. and  
no prospects of any. Hoping you  
Will forward ~~the~~ Statement  
at oncl. has i want get <sup>to</sup> settled  
soon as possible. Hoping you  
Will Oblige  
F. Keel

13th June, 1923.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st June and in reply to inform you that pension can only be paid monthly, at the end of each month, and it is regretted that your request cannot be granted.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
INVERNESS.

H/T



36 Mintoan St Inverness  
July 23/7/23

Dear Sir,

Would you be as  
kind as to let me know -  
if my Pension is a lifetime  
one or not. if so could i  
have a lump Sum. as i am  
in a very bad position at  
Present not-Working. and a  
family to keep. and i want  
to get home to Newfoundland  
Sorry for troubling you  
so often. yours truly J. Reel

July 25th. 1923.

Sir,

490. F. Keel. Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of a letter received from the above-named for your consideration.

Mr. Keel has been advised that pensions can only be paid monthly at the end of each month.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,  
Board of Pension Commissioners,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

July 25th. 1923.

Mr. F. Keel,  
36, Muirtown Street,  
Ingerness.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 23rd. July, and in reply would inform you that you were awarded a pension by the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland at the rate of 21 dollars per month permanently.

The High Commissioner is unable to grant you a certain sum as final payment as under the Newfoundland Act pensions can only be paid monthly at the end of each month.

I am forwarding a copy of your letter to the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, for their consideration, and upon receipt of their reply, you will be further advised.

Yours faithfully,

12 Mid St. Clacknabury Inverness

opub 7/4/26

Dear Sir.

I am writing you -  
With regards to my Pension.  
Which i would like to get -  
Some reply why i didnt get.  
It. i will be most Obliged if  
You will kindly reply.  
Yours Obliged  
F. Peels.

3 mid St clachnolavy  
Invershire.

11/9/24.

Dear Sir.

I beg to inform you  
that i lost my last Pension -  
receipt. on my way home from  
the Bank. which i consider  
would be better to inform you  
Sir.

I am your truly  
F. Keel.



12 Mid St. Electrolytic

Memorandum

May 5/25

Dear Sir,

Writing you for  
information regarding my  
pension. Which I want  
received. Hoping you well  
Obliged. Yours truly

F. Reeb.

Inverness  
aug 5-8-25

Dear Sir

Just a line with  
regards to my Pension which  
I havent received yet. Will  
be anxious to know why.  
Simply because i am depending  
on it. Which i havent been  
working since april ~~1925~~ and  
get six of a shilling to keep  
and cant do heavy work  
which i am ~~practically~~ disabled  
Which the Minister of Pensions  
Should give me a further  
increase in Pension and Sir  
I would like for you to send

a letter to this effect - to  
the Minister of Pension  
hoping you will be so kind  
and let me know  
soon as possible  
Yours truly

J Keely  
12 Mid St.  
Clocharney  
By Inverness

4th August, 1920.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 3rd August regarding your pension and in reply to inform you that the reason payment of same for the month of July was withheld was on account of a letter, which is enclosed herewith, and which was sent to your usual address on the 12th July having been returned marked "House closed". Your request for increase of pension will be placed before the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, and their decision will be transmitted to you in due course. Your pension for July is now enclosed herewith. Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. F. Keel,  
12, Mid Street,  
Clachnaharry,  
Inverness,  
Scotland.

Secretary.

12th December, 1928.

Sir, 490, F. Keel,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed to enclose herewith completed Life Certificate in the name of the above mentioned pensioner from which it will be observed that Mr. Keel has now five children, whereas allowances are only being paid in respect of three children. This is the first intimation we have received regarding the additional two children and I shall be glad if you will advise me whether the allowances for these children can be paid as from their respective dates of birth, namely December 6th 1923 and December 17th 1927.

It will be appreciated if you will kindly return the attached Certificate when finished with for the purpose of this Office records.

Encl.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

The Secretary,  
Board of Pension Commissioners,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

Officer Paying Newfoundland Pensions.



COPY

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

Dec. 31, 1928.

The Officer Paying Nfld. Pensions,  
58, Victoria Street,  
Westminster, S.W. 1.  
London, ENGLAND.

*Original in file of  
Lieut. N.S. Fraser  
also copy in file  
of 2070.*

Sir:

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of pink forms in the case of Lieut. N.S. Fraser; 2070 Edward Hirst and 490 F. Keel, and in reply would state that Lieut. N.S. Fraser is entitled to increase in pension at the rate of \$1.25 per month from 28th of April, 1927; Edward Hirst is entitled to increase of \$3.75 per month from 4th of August 1928 and F. Keel is entitled to increase at the rate of \$1.50 per month from 6th of December 1923 to 16th December 1927 and at the rate of \$3.00 per month from 17th of December 1927. Kindly advise this Department the amounts paid in each individual case.

I return herewith forms in each case.

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

(Sgd). J.A. McGRATH.

For Secretary.

JAMcG/MMS.  
ENCS.3.

14th January, 1929.

Sir, *File* ✓ Lieut. N.S. Fraser, } Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
490, F. Keel, }  
2070, E. Hirst. }

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 31st December returning Life Certificates in respect of the above named pensioners and in reply to inform you that in accordance with your instructions regarding increase of pension allowances in these cases the following payments have to-day been made up to the 31st December, 1928 inclusive, as outlined hereunder:-

Lieut. N.S. Fraser,	£5. 3. 5.	} 28/4/27-31/12/28, 1 year, 8 months, 4 days @ \$1.25 per month, \$25.16	£25. 3. 5.
490, F. Keel,	£22. 12. 3.	} 6/12/23-16/12/27, 4 years, 11 days @ \$1.50 per month, \$72.55--£14. 18. 2.	
		} 17/12/27-31/12/28, 1 year, 15 days @ \$3.00 per month, \$37.50--£ 7. 14. 1.	
		)	£22. 12. 3.
2070, E. Hirst,	£ 3. 16. 0.	} 4/8/28-31/12/28, 4 months, 28 days @ \$3.75 per month, \$118.50	£3. 16. 0.

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Trusting your wishes in this respect have been carried out  
to your satisfaction.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Officer Paying Newfoundland Pensions.

The Secretary,  
Board of Pension Commissioners,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.



14th January, 1929.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to inform you that authority has been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, for the payment to you of an allowance in respect of the 4th and 5th child as from their respective dates of birth, made up as follows:-

6/12/23-16/12/27, 4 yrs. 11 days @ \$1.50 monthly	\$72.55	£14. 18. 2
17/12/27-31/12/28, 1 yr. 15 " @ \$3.00 "	\$37.50	£ 7. 14. 1
		<u>£22. 12. 3</u>

I am accordingly enclosing herewith cheque for £22. 12. 3.

and shall be glad if you will kindly return enclosed receipt form, duly signed at your earliest convenience. In accordance with above instructions, I am to inform you that as from 1/1/29, pension will be paid to you at the rate of \$24.00 (24. 18. 7) per month.

Yours faithfully,

Encls.

Mr. F. Keel,  
12, Mid Street,  
Clachnaharry,  
Inverness.

Officer Paying Newfoundland Pensions.

12 Med St. - Clackabong

Imperial

Jan 16

1/19/29

Dear Sir,

I have received the  
Sum of 22-12-3 thanking you  
very much for same. What  
It will help me quite a bit  
in future.

Yours faithfully

F. Keel.



3rd July, 1931.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your pension receipt for June, also completed Certificate. I notice from your certificate that you have a sixth child, Alisdair, stated to be born in 1931, whereas your present rate of pension only covers allowances for five children, as per your last certificate. If you will send me the Birth Certificate in respect of Alisdair, I will have same forwarded to Newfoundland and at the same time make application on your behalf for the payment to you of extra allowances in respect of your sixth child.

Yours faithfully,

Officer Paying Newfoundland Pensions.

Mr. F. Keel,  
73, Maclellan's Crescent,  
Inverness,  
Scotland.

Ref. Pension No. 2105.

14th July, 1931.

Sir,  
490, F. Keel,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I have the honour to enclose herewith Birth Certificate in respect of the sixth child of the above named pensioner, namely Alisdair Keel, who was born on the 14th March, 1931.

At present, allowances are being paid to this pensioner in respect of his five children, and I am therefore to ask that you will be good enough to let me have your instructions regarding the payment of an allowance in respect of his sixth child under reference, in due course. Kindly return the enclosed Birth Certificate when finished with, for transmission to Mr. Keel, in accordance with his request.

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

Encl.

Officer Paying Newfoundland Pensions.

The Secretary,  
Board of Pension Commissioners,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS  
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.



ST JOHN'S,  
NEWFOUNDLAND.

IN REPLY REFER TO

N<sup>o</sup> M-490

Pension No: 2105:

July 28th., 1931.

Officer Paying Newfoundland Pensions,  
Office of The High Commissioner,  
58, Victoria Street,  
Westminster, S W 1.,  
London, ENGLAND.

Re: 490, F. Keel,  
Royal Nfld., Regiment:

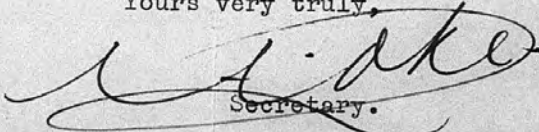
Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 14th., forwarding Birth Certificate of the sixth child of the marginally named.

I have to advise you that the authority for the payment of allowance at \$1.50 per month, from March 14th., 1931, in respect of this child, is hereby given.

The Birth Certificate is returned herewith as requested.

Yours very truly,

  
Secretary.

BT:



7th August, 1931.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to inform you that I have to-day received instructions from Newfoundland authorising the payment to you of \$1.50 per month from the 14th March, 1931, in respect of your sixth child, Alisdair Keel. I am accordingly enclosing herewith cheque for £1. 8. 2. being amount due to you in this connection from the 14th March to the 31st July, 1931. Kindly acknowledge receipt. As from the 1st August, 1931, your pension will be increased from \$24.00 to \$25.50 per month or from 24.18.7. to 25.4.10 per month. Birth certificate is returned herewith.

Yours faithfully,

Encls.

Officer Paying Newfoundland Pensions.

Mr. F. Keel,  
73, Maclellan's Crescent,  
Inverness,  
Scotland.

*Secured - 23-3-56*

1914-1918

ROYAL WENTWORTH MANSION

490



Dis St Johns

W I L L No. 179

of

No. 490 Rank Pte  
name F. Keel

Bonaure

WILL.

In the event of my death I wish the amount standing to my credit at the Bank of Nova Scotia, St. John's, Newfoundland to be paid to my brother Joseph Keel, (of Ross), Bayley Cove, Bonaville.

Yred Nell

Private No 490

1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regiment

Office of the Archivist for Militia Records.

October 21st.1925

The Officer i/c Infantry Record Office,  
Perth, Scotland.

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your letter of 28th.Sept.,to the Colonial Secretary,I beg to advise that Fred.C.Keel, No.490, Royal Nfld.Regiment, enlisted for service on Sept.11th.1914, and was discharged on demobilization on May 19th.1919.

He served with the Royal Nfld.Regiment in Gallipoli and in France, being wounded on June 20th.1916.

Yours truly,

Archivist.



October 20th, 1925.

Dear Sir,

On the 23rd June last we sent to you a letter from the Department of National Defence, Ottawa, regarding the record of one Frederick Keel, and requested you to make direct reply to the Department in connection with this case.

A further letter, which I enclose herewith, has now come forward from the Department in which request is made for a reply to their former communication.

If you have not yet attended to this matter, will you kindly do so direct at the earliest opportunity.

Yours faithfully,

Asst. Deputy Colonial Secretary.

J. M. Howley Esq.,  
Militia Archivist,  
General Post Office.

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11/9/14 195/19. Demob

The Colonial Secretary,  
St. John,  
Newfoundland.

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490 Frederick Keel - 1st Bn. Newfoundland Regiment.  
2925554 Pte. Frederick Keel - 4th Bn. Cameron Highrs. (T.A.).

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With reference to my letter dated 15.5.1925 (copy as under)  
may a reply now be received please.

P e r t h.  
28.9.1925.

*J. Hepburn*  
For Officer i/c Infantry Record Office.      Captain.

C o p y.

No:2925554 Frederick Keel,  
4th Bn. The Cameron Highrs. Territorial Army.

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The above named states that he served during "The Great War" in the Newfoundland Forces - 1st Bn. The Newfoundland Regiment, under Regimental No:490 from 26.9.1914 to 29.6.1919. Will you please give me a statement of his service in The Newfoundland Regiment.

P e r t h.  
15.5.1925.

(Sgd) J. Hepburn,      Captain,  
For Officer i/c Infantry Record Office.





June 23, 1925.

Dear Mr. Howley:

I enclose herewith letter under date 29th May from the Department of National Defence, Ottawa, regarding record of Frederick Keel. It is desired that they be given a statement of this man's service in the Newfoundland Regiment. Will you please reply direct in the matter.

Yours sincerely,

Deputy Colonial Secretary.

J.M. Howley, Esq., M.B.E.,  
Militia Archivist.

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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE  
(MILITIA SERVICE)

MS.

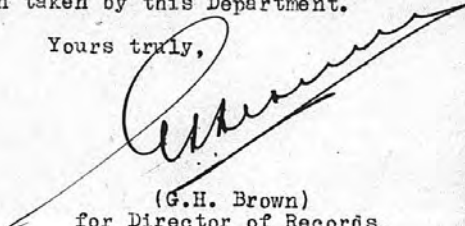
Ottawa, Canada, May 29th, 1925.

The Colonial Secretary,  
St. John,  
Newfoundland.

Dear Sir:

The enclosed letter from the Officer In Charge Infantry Record Office, 4th Battalion The Cameron Highlanders, Perth, Scotland, is forwarded please, for whatever action you may consider necessary, and in forwarding this letter I beg to advise that the Officer In Charge Infantry Record Office, Perth, Scotland, has been advised regarding the action taken by this Department.

Yours truly,



(G.H. Brown)  
for Director of Records,  
for Adjutant-General.

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Department of National Defence,  
Headquarters,  
O t t a w a. O N T. C a n a d a.

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P e r t h.  
15.5.1925.

*Repburn*

For Officer i/c Infantry Record Office.

Captain,  
*[Signature]*

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NATIONAL DEFENCE  
MAY 23 1925

DEPT -  
NATIONAL DEFENCE  
MAY 28 1925  
H.Q.  
CANADA

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.,

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's, Nfld.

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Fold Here



June 15th., 1921. 1917.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 213), is forwarded herewith to

Private Fred. Keel

in respect of his service as No. 490 Rank Pvte.

Name Fred. Keel Corps Royal Nfld. Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Sep 30 - 8 - 1921

Signature Fred Keel. *HGJ*

Date Oct 1 - 9 - 1921

Address 36 Muirton St Inverness



Extract from Telegram, to Rurality, London, from Dept. of  
Militia, St. John's.

July 6th/22.

CR 490

In answer to your telegram of July 5th 490 Keel this department  
is unable to assist (fullstop) N.F.P. 111 signed by him Feb. 8th  
1919 releases Nfld. Government from liability civil or  
military in respect of repatriation.

Military.

Extract from Telegram, to Military, St.John's, from Rurality,  
London,

July 5th/22.

C.R. 490

No. 490 Keel asks if assistance can be rendered to him to  
return with wife and three children to Newfoundland.

Please instruct.

Rurality.

I hereby acknowledge the receipt of the *British War and Victory Medals.*

Date *Oct 10* 1921

Regtl. No. *490*

Rank

*Private*

Signature

*F. Keel*

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. *490* ..... Name *F. Keel* .....

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

Name *F. Keel* .....

Date *Oct 23/10/90* .....

Place *36 Muirton St. Inverness Scotland* .....

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

*11/20*  
*W. G. 11/20*

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 638/87/A

To

**C.R.** 490

The Hon.  
The Colonial Secretary,  
St John's,  
Newfoundland

From

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,  
56, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W.  
31st March, 1920. -121

**SUBJECT:**

EK.490. PTE. F. KEEL.

Reference Nos. 22309/794/ - 25/11/19  
reply 490. - 4/2/20

**REPLY**

Dated

June 11th, 1920

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With reference to above quoted numbers. Report of Medical Board held on the above named pensioner is enclosed for consideration of the Board of Pension Commissioners.

His previous pension of \$10.00 ceased 19/5/20.

Kindly obtain and transmit further instructions, please.

*R. A. Munnell*

CHIEF STAFF OFFICER (LONDON)

Noted, please  
Copy of Medical Board forwarded to Pension Commissioners, and the following telegram, which was sent to you direct by them, is quoted please:-

"Despatched May 1st, 1920  
"RURALITY, LONDON.

"490 Keel Pay pension in this case at \$10.00 per month for 12 months from May 19th."  
Pension Commissioners."

Ident.-Col.,  
Chief Staff Officer



CR 490

April 20th 1920

Secretary

Board of Pension Commissioners

Sir:-

Ex No. 490 Pte. F. Keel

I have the honour to forward herewith copy of communication from the Chief Staff Officer London together with copy of Medical Board held on the above mentioned pensioner, for your information, please.

Please forward your reply to this Department for transmission to the High Commissioner

I have the honour to be  
Sir  
Your obedient servant

Ident.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

19 MAR 1920

RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF  
RIBAND OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL-1914-1919.

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I certify that I have received a issue of 2 inches  
of Riband of British War Medal-1914-1919

Name. *Frederick Keel*

(Date) *March 2/19/20*

(Place) *St. Martin St. Inverness*

36 Muntown St Inman

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Sir

C.R. 490

I certify that I have received a  
issue of 2 inches of ribbon of British war  
medal. 19/14 - /19/19 dated March

Which was sent to my home. and was returned  
to the above address. please forward

receipt  
Yours Obedient  
D. Teel

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.DUPLICATE.

No. 22309/794/P&amp;A.

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

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

25th November 1919

FM/PK.

**SUBJECT:**

EX NO. 490 PTE. F. KEEL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Reference Nos.

11894/746/P&amp;A, 22/10/19.

**REPLY**

Dated Feb. 4, 1920 191

With reference to the above  
 quoted number, the following letter  
 from Ex Pte. Keel, 18/11/19 (6087)  
 is quoted:-

"I am writing you in regard  
 "to my pension, which I would  
 "like for you to forward to  
 "the Minister of Militia, I  
 "may say I am receiving \$10.00  
 "per month which I think is  
 "not sufficient as I was classed  
 "B.11, practically disabled and  
 "the wages I am earning is not  
 "very much as I find it very  
 "hard to work at heavy work.  
 "Hoping you will oblige me by  
 "forwarding on this note.

Copy of the obverse  
 was forwarded to the Board of

Pension Commissioners, and their  
 reply, togetherwith medical  
 documents for the purpose of  
 boarding this man, is attached

Kindly submit to the Board  
 of Pensions Commissioners for  
 reconsideration.

*W. J. Munn*  
 Lt.-Col.  
 Chief Staff Officer (London).

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer  
 for Minister of Militia

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.,  
Major W. H. Parsons, M.C.,  
R.A.M.C.



In reply refer to  
No. ....

*St. John's,*

Jan. 23/30

C.R. 490

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

490 F. Keel.

Sir:-

I have the honour to refer to your communication No. 490 regarding the above mentioned man and to state that he was boarded on the 25-2-19 and awarded pension of 20%, that is \$10.00 per month for twelve months from that date.

The letter from Ex-Pte. Keel read and contents noted. In reply to this I would like to state pension was awarded by the Medical Board which was held on him at the time of his discharge, and in view of this fact the Board of Pension Commissioners cannot alter the decision, but if he could forward us a Medical certificate from a civilian practitioner to the effect that he is disabled to a greater extent than stated in his Medical Board, arrangements could then be made for his re-board, but in view of the fact that in the course of a month or so he will be boarded again, this may not be necessary.

Attached you will please find copy of Medical documents necessary for his re-board, for favour of transmission to London.

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

Captain.  
For Secretary.

JBO'R/LBD.



THE BOARD OF  
PENSION COMMISSIONERS  
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Hon. Sir P. T. McGrath, K.B.E.,  
(President Legislative Council),  
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Major W. H. Parsons, M.C.,  
R.A.M.C.



In reply refer to

No.....

C.R. 490

St. John's,

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

Sir:-

I have the honour to refer to your No. 490 and to state that in the past we have forwarded all Medical documents of the cases to be boarded on the other side, but I might say that the Medical History sheet has not been forwarded although the first paragraph on the Medical document transmitted to you is always a true copy of history of the case as given in his B.179 and should be quite satisfactory.

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

Captain.  
For Secretary.

JBO(R)/LBD.

C.R. 490

Jan. 13th 1920

Secretary

Board of Pension Commissioners

Sir:- ex-No. 490, Pte. F. Keel

Attached please find copy of memorandum from the Chief Staff Officer, London dealing with the case of the above noted; and instructing that in transmitting re-examination documents, Medical History Sheet and Report of Last Medical Board should always be included.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col. ,

Chief Staff Officer.

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

DUPLICATE.

No. 12536/845/P&amp;A.

C.R. 490

From

PAY &amp; RECORD OFFICE.

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

9th December

1920.

To

The Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

NEWFOUNDLAND.

FM/PK.

**SUBJECT:**EX NO. 490 PTE. F. KEEL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Reference Nos.

11894/746/P&amp;A, 22/10/19.

The following telegram  
is acknowledged:-

Received 4/12/L9 (371).  
 "Synoptical, London.  
 "Following from-Pensions-  
 "Pension granted to-490-  
 "Keel-ten dollars-per month-  
 "for 12 months-from-20th  
 "May-1919-19th May-1920-  
 "necessary papers-will be  
 "forwarded for-examination.  
 MILITARY

The instructions conveyed  
 therein have already been received  
 in your telegram 20/10/19 (334)  
 confirmed in the above quoted memorandum.

It is noted that docu-  
 ments are being forwarded for  
 reboard to be held 19/5/20. Documents  
 in all cases should include -

Medical History Sheet.  
 Report of Last Medical Board.

*A. W. Maxwell*  
 Lt.-Col.  
 Chief Staff Officer (London).

**REPLY**

Dated

Jan. 13th. 1920 181

The obverse duly noted,  
 please, and copy of same for-  
 warded to the Board of Pension  
 Commissioners for their inform-  
 ation.

Lieut.-Col.

Chief Staff Officer  
for Minister of Militia.

C.R. 490

Dec 23rd, 1919

Secretary

Board of Pension Commissioners

Sir:-

Ex-No. 490, Pte. F. Keel

I have the honour to forward herewith copy of communication received from the Chief Staff Officer, London in respect of the above mentioned soldier and his pension, for your information and necessary instructions for transmission.

I have the honour to be  
Sir  
Your obedient servant

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.



Telephone :  
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

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

## MEMORANDUM.

N 1745/717/P&A

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

To **C.R. 490**  
The Minister of Militia,  
St. John's,  
NEWFOUNDLAND.

FM/FK. 13th October 1919

**SUBJECT :**

**490 PTE. F. KEEL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.  
Reference Nos.**

**REPLY**

Dated Dec 16th, 1919 191

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

Exchange of telegrams  
is confirmed:-

(1).  
Despatched 22/9/19 (344).  
"Military, St. John's."  
Reference my letter 17th  
July-No. 477-490-Keel-is  
"he entitled-to-pension-  
"telegraph instructions.  
**SYNOPTICAL"**

(2).  
Received 9/10/19 (336).  
"Synoptical, London."  
"Following from-Pensions-  
"begins-Pay to-490-Keel-pension-  
"rate of-20%-equal to-\$10.00-  
"per month-from date of-discharge-  
"ends.  
**MILITARY"**

The latter does not state  
the period for which pension has been  
awarded. Meanwhile payments are  
being made at the rate of \$10.00  
per month pending further instruc-  
tions from you.

As it is assumed that  
Keel will require to be re-boarded  
shortly, will you kindly obtain  
the necessary instructions and  
documents from the Board of Pensions  
Commissioners and forward them to  
this office for attention. Care  
should be taken to see that documents  
are complete as required by the  
Ministry of Pensions. See their  
letter 15760/D.M.S.1. 16/4/19, please.

*W.D. Stewart* Major.  
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Noted. The following  
Telegram is confirmed:-

Despatched 20/10/19  
"Synoptical London"  
"Following from Pensions  
"begins pay to 490 Keel  
"45 King's Street, St. J.  
"pension rate of 20% equal  
"to \$10.00 per month  
"for twelve months from  
"date of discharge then to be  
"reboarded."

Attached hereto is copy  
of Board of Pension Commissioners'  
letter, and also copy of Medical  
Document and N.M.D. Form 98,  
for the purpose of reboard, please

Lieut-Col.,  
Chief Staff Officer.  
for Minister of Militia



THE BOARD OF  
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Major W. H. Parsons, M.C.,  
R.A.M.C.



In reply refer to

No. ....

C.R. 490

*St. John's,*

Dec. 13, 1919.

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

Re:- #490 Private Frederick Keel.  
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Sir:-

I have the honour to report regarding  
the above noted, who was re-boarded 25-2-19  
and awarded a pension of 20% for twelve months.

Enclosed you will find copy of his Medical  
Documents and N.M.D. Form 98, so that re-board  
may be arranged for, at the expiration of his  
period.

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

Captain,  
for Secy.

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In reply refer to  
No. 2105

CR 490

St. John's,

Dec. 4/19.

Captain. G.G. Byrne, M.C.  
Military Secretary,  
City.

490 Expte. Fred Kell

Sir:-

I have the honour to refer to your communication of November 28th., re the above noted, and to state that the following telegram has been dispatched to the Chief Staff Officer, London.

*Pension* Granted to 490 Kell, \$10.00 per month for 12 months, from May 20/19 to May 19/20. Necessary papers will be forwarded for his re-examination".

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

  
Asst. Secy.

**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.**

**MEMORANDUM.**

No. 11894/746/P&A

**C.R. 490**

From

**PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,**

**58, VICTORIA STREET.**

**LONDON, S.W.1.**

To  
**The Minister of Militia.**

**St John's,**

**October 22nd**

**NEWFOUNDLAND.**

F/OK

**SUBJECT :**

**490 PTE F. KEEL,  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.**

Reference Nos.

**11745/717/P&A 3/10/19**

**REPLY**

Dated **13th** 1919

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

With reference to the above  
quoted number: Your telegram  
advising period of pension has  
been received:

**20/10/19 (344)**

"984- Following from-Pensions  
"begins Pay to-490 Keel 43-  
"Kings Street, Ayr-pension-rate  
"of 20%-equal to-ten dollars-  
"per month-for 12 months-from  
"date of-discharge-then to be  
"reboarded-fullstop"

and documents for Medical Board are  
awaited, please.

*R. J. [Signature]*

**Major  
Chief Staff Officer (London)**

Please refer to  
your No. 11745/717/P&A, and our  
reply thereto, under cover of which  
are forwarded medical documents  
of this man, please.

**Lieut.-Col.,  
Chief Staff Officer.**

C.R. 490

— Extract from telegram from Military to Syn., London  
Dated Dec. 2nd 1919.

Pension granted 490, Keel \$10.00 per month  
for 12 months from May 20th 1919 to May 19th 1920  
necessary papers will be forwarded for re-  
examination (ends).

C.R.

490

October 28th 1919.

Secretary,

Board of Pension Commissioner.

No. 490 Pte. F. Keel

Sir:

I have the honour to enclose herewith  
copy of letter received from the Chief Staff  
Officer, London regarding the above mentioned  
soldier.

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

CCB

Capt.

for Chief Staff Officer.

Enclosure.



C.R. 490

Extract from telegram sent to Synoptical, London

Oct. 20th, 1919.

Following from Pensions Commissioners begins

Pay to 490 Keel 43 King Street, Ayr pension at rate ~~of~~ 20%

equal to \$10.00 per month for twelve months from date of

~~disability~~ discharge then to be reboarded.

C.R. 490

Extract from telegram sent to Synoptical, London, Oct. 20th/19.

Following from Pensions Commissioners begin  
pay to 490 Kee~~l~~, 43 King Street, Ayr pension at rate 20% equal  
to \$10.00 per month for twelve month from ~~date~~ of discharge  
then to be reboarded.

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R.A.M.C.



CR  
CR  
In reply refer to  
No. 490

*St. John's*

October 14th/19

Capt. G. G. Byrne, M. C.,  
Chief Staff Officer,  
City.

490 Pte. Frederick Keel,  
45 King Street, Ayr, Scotland.

Sir:-

I have the honour, by direction, to request that you be good enough to instruct the Chief Staff Officer, London, to pay pension in the above case at 20% equal to \$10.00 per month for twelve months from the date of discharge, then to be re-boarded.

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

Asst. Secy.

LBD.

C.R. 490

Extract from telegram sent to Synoptical, London  
Oct. 8th, 1919 $\frac{1}{2}$

Following from Pensions Commissioners begins  
Pay to 490 Keels pension at rate of 20% equal to  
\$10. per month from date of discharge.

C.R. 490

Oct 8th, 1919

Major W.H. Parsons, M.C.,

Secretary

Board of Pension Commissioners

Dear Sir:-

No 490, Pte. F. Kee 18

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 6th inst. reference to pension of the above mentioned man. The Chief Staff Officer, London has been advised according thereto.

Yours faithfully,

CCP

Captain

for Chief Staff Officer.



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R.A.M.C.



In reply refer to

C.R. No. 490

*St. John's*

Oct. 6/19.

Capt. Byrne,  
Chief Staff Officer,  
City.

#490 Pte. Frederick Keels.

Dear Sir:-

Would you kindly request Chief Staff  
Officer, London, to pay the above noted man  
a pension at the rate 20% equal to \$10.00  
per month, from the date of his discharge.

Yours faithfully,

*W. H. Parsons*  
Secy.

WHP/GEC

C.R.

490

Extract from telegram received from Synoptical, London  
Sept.22/19.

With reference to my letter of July 17th #477  
490 Keel, is he intitled to Pension? telegraph instructions.

C.R. 490

Extract from telegram from syn. to Mil. dated April 23rd. 1919.

#490 Keel will be demobilized in United May 19th. /1919

C.R. 490

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, April 24th, 1919.

490 Pts. F. Keel.

Is granted demobilization leave from 2nd Bn., Winchester  
from 21/4/19 to 19/5/19. His discharge in the U.K. will  
be confirmed by O.i/c Records on latter date.

C.R.

490

N.F. P/111.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

DEMOBILIZATION

This Form to be completed and signed by members of the Newfoundland Contingent who elect to take their discharge in the United Kingdom.

I, (No.) 490 (Rank) Pvt. (Name) Keel J

of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, in view of my being demobilized in the United Kingdom in accordance with my own wish, hereby affirm:

- (1) That I have no relatives or other persons in the Dominion of Newfoundland dependent upon me for support in any form whatsoever.
- (2) That I absolve the Newfoundland Government and/or any of its representatives from any liability whatsoever, civil and/or military, in respect of my repatriation or that of my family to Newfoundland at this or any future date.

HAZELEY DOWN CAMP.

FER-R

1919

Signature

J. Keel J

Rank

Private

Signature )  
of )  
Witness )

[Handwritten Signature]



C.R. 490

Extract from C.P. & O. i/c Records  
Newfoundland Contgt. Aug. 5th/18

From O. C. 2nd Bn.  
To the Chief Paymaster

#490 Pte. F. Keel .

The above mentioned was entitled to Blue Puttee Leave, has not taken advantage of it: I am directed to ask therefore, if you will state hereon, in each instance why the Individual has not proceeded, and if his leave may be regarded as no longer claimable.

Is receiving Hospital treatment for venereal disease and therefore come under the heading of those who has lost the furlough through their own fault.

(Sd.) B.J. Barton  
Lt. Col.

C.R. 490

Extract from Schedule of Separation Allowance, payable  
in U.K. from P.R.C. London.

#490 Pte. F. Keel.

Married. 9-11-17

# NORFOLK ISLAND 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.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender Elizabeth Keel Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number _____	Rcd _____	By _____	Sent _____	by _____	Check _____
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Dated 7th August, 1916.

To Mrs. Elizabeth Keel,  
Bonavista.

Replying to my enquiry of July twentysecond Record Office London today reports regarding No. 490 Private Fred Keel that conditions are fair and that he is improving.

J.R.BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

TRANSLATION OF MESSAGE SENT TO SYNOPTICAL,  
July 22, 1916.



Report by telegraph present condition of  
Capt. Rowson, Lieut. Bonister, 1500 Mitchell,  
441 Waterman, 1420 Sheppard, 252 Hickey, 996  
O'Driscoll, 1340 Dawson, 1814 Carter, 1088 Dunn,  
490 Keel, 1293 Ryder, 940 Hicks, 1271 Guy, 650  
Cuff, 488 Meuland, 524 Cuff, 1917 Wade, 742  
Mifflin, 1411 Gosse, 682 Rowe, 1368 Brazil, 1320  
Chipman.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.



C.R. 490

SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O.'s AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE



YORK RECORD OFFICE

No. H.A. 504

20825 Pte. McCreesh F.	11 Durham LI.	Trench Fever	... To Eng. ex 1 Aust. Gen. H. 1st July 1916
1784 " Jebson T.	12 KOYLI.	Ing. Abscess	do.
1077 " Gundill R.P.	15 W. Yorks.	SW. Back	do.
957 " Drabble E.	2 KOYLI.	GSW. R. Leg	... Trans. to Conv. C. ex 1 Aust. Gen. H. Rouen 1 July 1916
799 L/C. Mason J.W.	11 E. Yorks.	GSW. arm Leg & Thigh	<u>DIED</u> in 1 Aust. Gen. H. Rouen 1st July 1916
7649 " Trenham F.	2 Yorks. & Lancs	Trench Fever	... Adm. 14 Sty. H. Wimereux 1st July 1916
7/12009 Pte. Price G.	7 KOYLI.	Bronchitis	do.
25243 " Worsfold A.	11 D.L.I.	Influenza	... To Eng. per HS. Jan Breydel ex Aust. H. 1 July 1916

TERRITORIAL FORCE YORK RECORD OFFICE

No. H.A. 504

2312 Sgt. Sharp H.	4 W. Riding	Gingivitis	... To Eng. ex 1 Aust. Gen. H. 1st July 1916
4177 Pte. Talbot H.	8 W. Yorks.	Anaemia & Trench fever	do.
2775 " Douglas J.	7 Northd. Fus.	Influenza & Scabies	Adm. 14 Sty. H. Wimereux 1 July 1916
1828 " Hunt H.	5 Yorks.	Rheumatic Fever	... To Eng. per HS. Jan Breydel ex Aust. H. 1st July 1916
4638 " Young R.H.	9 att. 8 DLI.	? Pulmonary TB.	... Adm. Aust. H. Wimereux 2nd July 1916

SOUTH AFRICAN RECORD OFFICE

No. H.A. 504

5046 Pte. Bell W.S.	S. African Scott.	Atonic Dyspep.	... To Eng. ex 1 Aust. Gen. H. 1st July 1916
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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. H.A. 504

490 Pte. Keel F.	1 Newfoundlands	SW. l. arm	... To Eng. ex 1 Aust. Gen. H. 1st July 1916
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MACHINE GUN CORPS RECORD OFFICE

No. H.A. 504

6671 Pte. Lawson W.	MMGC. 73 Co.	D.A.H.	... Adm. 14 Sty. H. Wimereux 1st July 1916
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G.R.

490

Extract from Nominal Roll, 1st Draft to M.E.F. received  
from Governor July 8, 1916.

#490 Pte. Fred Keel.

C.R. 490

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated July 4th, 1916.

#490 Pte. F. Keel. ✓

Sharpnel wound l. arm.

at Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley 3rd July 1916.

C.R. 490

Extract from Casualties ~~index~~ received from  
Pay & Record Office, London, Jul. 4 1916

Admitted to Royal Victoria Hospital Netley 3rd July 1916.

490 Pte. F. Keel.

Shrap. Wd. L. arm.

C.R. 490

Extract of Cablegram received from London, dated  
4/7/16.

#490 Pte. Keel. ✓

Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

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

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	Check

Dated July 4, 1916.

To Mrs. Elizabeth Keel,  
Bonavista

Record Office, London, today reports that No. 490,  
Private Fred Keel, is now at Royal Victoria Hospital,  
Netley.

J.R. BENNETT,  
Colonial Secretary.



✓  
K 25

COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated

July 1, 1916.

To

Mrs. Elisabeth Keel,

Bonavista.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,  
London, officially reports No. 490, Private Fred. Keel.  
was admitted to the First Australian General Hospital  
Reuen, June twentyfour, suffering from shell wound in arm.  
Upon receipt of further information I shall immedi-  
ately wire you and trust that the next report will  
be of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 490

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, Jul 1st 1916.

490 Pts. Keel F.

Shap. W. Arm 20-6-16 Repted By O.C. Unit 21-6-18.

C.R. 490

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated July 1, 1916.

#490 Pte. F. Keel. ✓

Sharpnel wound arm 20/6/16. reported by O.C. Unit  
21/6/16.

C.R. 490

Extract of Casualties from list of sick and wounded N.C.Os and  
men of the Expeditionary Force - France, received from the Pay  
and Record Office, London, dated Jun. 30th 1916. List No. H.A.  
377.

490 Pte. Keel, F.

SW I. Arm Serious..... Adm. l Aus. Gen H. Rouen ex another H. 24 June 16.

C.R. 490

Extract of Cablegram received from London, dated  
30/6/16.

#490 Pte. Keel. ✓

Shell wound arm. at 1st Australian General  
Hospital, Rouen June 24th.



C.R. 490

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated June 30, 1916.

#490 Pte. F. Keel.  
SW. left arm serious.

Admitted 1st Australian General Hospital, Rouen, or  
another Hospital 24th June 1916.

C.R. 490

Extract of reinforcement sent to 1st Div. M.S.F.  
marked for Collipoll 14-11-15.

490 Pts. Fred Keel.

C.R. 490

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked ST. JOHN'S, per S.S.

"Florisel" Oct. 4. 1914.

490 Keel Fred.

C.RJ 490

Fred. Keel.

was attested for General service

with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ..Sept..11th..1914.

Regimental No 490 was allotted to Pte. Fred. Keel.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

## Casualty Form-Active Service.

495

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland Regt  
 Regimental **C.R.** 490 Rank Lt. Name Fred. Keel  
 Enlisted (a) 1.10.14 Terms of Service (a) Wa Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of promotion } \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment } \_\_\_\_\_ Numerical position on }  
 to present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }  
 Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Report		Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 86, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received			
	Embarked St. John's, N.F.L.D.		3.10.14	
	Disembarked Gallipoli		1.12.15	
	EMBA & FOR 2082		14.5.16	
	Disembk'd MARSEILLES		22.3.16	
	with <del>Shropshire</del> Lt. Col. Boker	France	20.6.16	213. 21.6.16
	897th <del>Adminis.</del>	do	do	Ed. 11296 20.6.16
	Transferred	4 C.C.I.	21.6.16	Ed. 11362. 24.6.16
	Rouen Admitted No. 1 Aust. Genl., Rouen		24.6.16	H.A. 377.
	Invalided to England			
	N.S. "Asturies"		1.7.16	W. 3083
				Archie Capt. for Lt. 650.

G.H.Q.  
 Office 1/4 Infantry records,  
 3rd. Echelon, B.C.F.

8. (a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section 1, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.  
 (b) ex. S. Waller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc. also special qualifications in Technical Corps duties.

I.P.T.O.

FORM-K

No. 156



ORIGINAL

## 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, Frederick Keel, Regl. No. 490

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

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person).
	<u>Self</u>	<u>Frederick Keel</u> <u>Banks of Wood Street</u>	<u>Bonaville</u> <u>Newfoundland.</u>	<u>- 60</u>
		<u>Commencing ??? in Jan 1916</u>		
			Total Allotment, \$	<u>- 60</u>

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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT  
(Sig.) D. W. Marshall  
for PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS  
Officer Commanding  
Company  
London

(Sig.) Paul Lester 30/1/16 attached  
(Rank) Private

NOTED 1st August 1916

G. W. S.

Date 1/5/16 PRO Coy



Thos Keel

490

P. R. B. Siondon

Thos Keel

490

P. R. B. Siondon



DUPLICATE.

## 1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

MEMORANDUM

No. 227

FROM-

HEADQUARTERS.

ST. JOHN'S

NEWFOUNDLAND.

August 31/1917. 191

TO

~~Pay & Record Office~~

58 Victoria Street

London S. W. England

10272

SUBJECT.

No. 490 P. Reel. K. 4116

Allotment.

REFERENCE NOS. \_\_\_\_\_

REPLY

DATED 5th October, 1917.

PLEASE RETURN ORIGINAL AND RETAIN DUPLICATE

This mans allotment was paid from this office for the month of July, in error. Kindly have arrangements made for refund to your office.

*M. Howley*  
Lieut.  
D. Paymaster.

The O.C., 2nd Battalion has been requested to make further stoppage accordingly, please.

*G. J. J.*  
Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Det. No.	5670
Recd. -	4 OCT 1917
Ass'd.	✓
Ass'd.	✓
File No.	





**MEMORANDUM.**

July 27th 1916



From

To 490, Pte. F. Keel,  
1st. Newfoundland Regt.  
Royal Victoria Hospital; Netley.

Allotment Form K. 400, 60¢ per day.

I enclose copy of memo from the Deputy Paymaster at St. John's, 17/1/16. Kindly let me know what your wishes are regarding this matter.

*F. H. Marshall* 2/Lieut.  
Asst. Paymaster,  
For Paymaster & O 1/c Records.

*Please return enclosed memorandum.*

F.M/W.F.

Hard 30 B.

Royal Victoria Hospital

Netley Hunt

July 30<sup>th</sup> 1916

121 N. WINDY HILL, BIRMINGHAM
PAYMENT OFFICE
Ref. No. 2700
Recd. JUL 31 1916
Ack'd.
Ans'd.
File No.

The Paymaster & O/c Records  
Newfoundland Regt -  
58. Victoria Street -  
London. SW.

Sir; - In reference to the enclosed Memo. regarding "Allotment-Form N. 400, 60 £. per day", I beg to say request - that I should like to have the amount of 60 £. per day as per allotment since my Mother's death, paid to my own account at the Bank of Nova Scotia, Bonavista.

And I should like, if you could kindly arrange - to have an allotment of 30 £. (thirty Cents) a day, made to my Sister, "Lucy Keel" of Bonavista, said allotment to begin Aug. 1<sup>st</sup> 1916.

NOTED

3/7/16

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This can be arranged and  
I am Sir

Respectfully yours, Lucy Keel.  
Newfoundland Regt.



COPY



(C O P Y)

Ward 30 B.

Royal Victoria Hospital,

Nettle y, Hants,

July 30/16

To the Paymaster & O i/c Records,

Newfoundland Regt

58, Victoria St,

London, S. W.

Sir,-

In reference to the enclosed memo regarding "Allotment Form K. 400, 60¢ per day, I beg to request that I should like to have the amount of 60¢ per day as per allotment since my mother's death, paid to my own account at the Bank of Nova Scotia, Bonavista.

And I should like, if you can kindly arrange, to have an allotment of 30¢ (thirty cents) a day made to my sister Lucy Keel, of Bonavista, said allotment to begin Aug. 1st, 1916.

Trusting this can be arranged and thanking you in anticipation.

I am,

Sir,

Respectfully yours,

(Sd) 490, Pte. F. Keel,

1st. Newfoundland Regt.

NOTED

21/7/16  
E. W. S.



3134/1

**MEMORANDUM.**



August 4th 1916

From



To Pte. F. Keel, 1st<sup>o</sup> Newfoundland Regt.

Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley.

Reference your letter of 30/7/16 it is not quite clear as to whether you wish the allotment of 60¢ per day, now payable to your account at Bank of Nova Scotia, Bonavista to be continued after the 1/8/16, together with the one payable to Lucy Keel from that date.

Please note that total amount of pay allotted must not exceed three fourths of the pay of your rank, or in your case 75¢ per day.

If it is desired to continue to allot a portion of your pay to your account at the above named Bank it will be necessary to reduce the amount to 45 cents per day from 1/8/16 or to reduce the allotment in favor of Miss Lucy Keel to 15 cents per diem.

*F. A. Marshall* 2/Lieut.  
Asst. Paymaster,  
For Paymaster & O i/c Records.

F.M/W.F.

August 6/8/16

Pte F Keel

1/1 Newfoundland Regt  
Royal Victoria Hospital  
Netley

Dear Sir,

I wish the allotment of 60¢ Per day  
to be continued from 1/8/16

also I wish to reduce the allotment  
in favor of Miss Lucy Keel to 15 cents Per day  
from 1/8/16

Hope Sir this statement is suitable

I am Yours very truly

1ST MEDICAL DISTRICT	
PAY & RECORDS	
Ref. No.	2830
Recd.	AUG - 7 1916
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File No.	

( COPY )



Royal Victoria Hospital,  
Netley, Hants,  
Aug 6/16

Dear Sir,-

I wish the allotment of 60 $\phi$  per day to be continued from 1/8/16, also I wish to reduce the allotment in favour of Miss Lucy Keel to 15 $\phi$  per day from 1/8/16.

Hope, Sir, this statement is suitable.

I am,

Yours very truly,

(Sd) Frederick Keel,

1st. Newfoundland Regt.

ORIGINAL



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 49 (Rank) Private (Name) Fredrick Keel  
hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on  
N.F.P.No 400 dated October 3<sup>rd</sup> 1914 in favour  
of Mrs E Keel for \$ — etc. -60  
per diem. Such cancellation to take place from (inclusive)  
the ?? day of ?? 1916.

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach Headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.\*

Dated at London  
July 31<sup>st</sup> 1916

[Signature]  
Alloter.

Approved and Witnessed.  
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT  
[Signature]  
O.C. Company.  
PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS

\*Attention is drawn to the fact that Allotments are payable by Headquarters per Calendar, not Regimental month, and therefore reasonable time must be allowed for delivery of this request at St. John's, in order to become operative.

To be made out in triplicate and sent to the Paymaster & O.I/c Records, who will forward original to Headquarters by first mail, duplicate by the following, and retain triplicate.

NOTED  
[Signature]  
C.O.M.S.  
21/7/16 P.M.O. Cdy



ORIGINAL



FORM K

No. 160

# 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, Fredrick Keel, Regl. No. 490

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form, to make an Allotment of — Dollars and Fifteen Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup> <sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup> <sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person).
	Sister	Lucy Keel	Bonavista Newfoundland	— 15
<i>Commencing 1/8/16 inclusive</i>				
Total Allotment, \$				— 15

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

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

(Sig.) J. H. Massey  
 PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS  
 Officer Commanding  
 Company

(Sig.) Pub Lester 30/7/16  
 (Rank) Private

London  
Aug. 7<sup>th</sup> 1916

7/8/16 T.R.G.

No. 490 Rank Plt Name McElr Fred

Regt. 7th Newfoundland Regt requests that the sum of \$4.00

be sent to Mr McWhiter (Cousin) at the undermentioned address:-

5 Trufield Place, Newton-on-Ayre, Scotland

Christian name unknown,

(Signature of Patient) F. McElr

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The Officer i/c, R.V.H.,  
Netley.

Forwarded.

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Date 12.1.17



MAJOR. R.A.M.C.

EX 1/5 SURGICAL OFFICER

RECORDED IN REG. FILE

PAY & RECORD OFF.

Ref. No. 275

Recd. JAN 7 1917

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

The Regimental Paymaster,  
58 Victoria St. London S.W.

Forwarded for necessary action, please.

*b. Bremhall.*

Major, R.A.M.C. Registrar  
for Officer i/c, Royal Victoria Hospital.

*O.K. #4-0-0-0  
12/2 324ms*

Netley,

Date 12/1/17



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/43.

No. 453/1

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

16th January, 1917

To: 490, Pte. Fred Keel, 1st Nfld Regt.,

Royal Victoria Hospital,

Netley.

With reference to your request dated 12/1/17 (      ),  
Postal Money Order No. 32445 for £ 4 : 0 : 0  
has been sent to: Mrs. McWhirter, 5 Tryfield Place,  
Newton on Ayr, Scotland.  
and charged to your account.

*W. J. Sturwell* Major,  
Paymaster & Officer i/c records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/47.

No. 454/1

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

16th January 1917

To: Mrs. McWhirter,

5, Tryfield Place,

Newton on Ayr, N.B.

Postal money Order No. 32445 for £ 4 : 0 : 0

is enclosed at request of No. 490, Pte. Fred Keel,

1st Newfoundland Regt.

Attached receipt form to be signed and returned, please.

*A. J. Guinness* Major,  
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

*Copy*

**MEMORANDUM.**

From The Registrar,  
Royal Victoria Hospital,  
Netley.

From Paymaster & O. i/c  
Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
London S. W.  
To The Registrar,  
Royal Victoria  
Hospital,  
Netley.

To The Chief Paymaster,  
Newfoundland Forces,  
58 Victoria Street,  
London. S.W.

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With reference to the  
accompanying requisition for  
an advance of Pay, herewith  
A.B.64 for No. 490 Private Fred  
Keel, "B" Company, Newfoundland  
Regiment.

January 16th, 7

Kindly acknowledge  
receipt hereon.

A.B. 64 received, please.

(Sgd) C. Bremhall,  
Major, R.A.M.C., Registrar,  
for Officer in charge,  
Royal Victoria Hospital,  
Netley.

*[Signature]*  
Major,  
Paymaster & O.i/c Records,

OK L-00  
H/T  
Dear Sir,

Feb 1/2/19

Would you oblige me

To forward the sum of £ 4:0:0

To Mrs McWhirter. 5 Trifield Place

Mayden No. 37021  
4-0-0

Newton upon Ayr

10/2/19

Ayr Scotland

I am yours

R. V. H.

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1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Rec'd No.	614
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1st Newfoundland Regt  
30 B Ward Surgical

Netty Houts

5-7 Springfield Place Feb  
Newton-on-ayr 2/2/17  
Sculland of £400

Dear Sir, 25/17

• Would you kindly  
Forward Mrs McWhirter  
The sum of £ 400

• Yours Obedt

490 Pt. A

Woodcote Park

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E. P. Som

1ST NEW ENGLAND REG'T ENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	959
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Surrey



Convalescent Hospital  
Woodcote Park, Epsom.

Military Convalescent Hospital.

**NOTIFICATION OF FURLOUGH.**

To reach the Regimental Paymaster concerned not less than three days before the first day of furlough.

Regimental Number, Rank, and Name of Soldier } 490. Private Keel, G.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundlander B. Coy

Period of Furlough Approved 29<sup>th</sup> March 1917 to 7<sup>th</sup> April 1917

Address to which balance of pay is to be sent:—

39 Harbour Street  
Marin.  
Scot.

Cash advances made to the soldier from date of admission to the Military Convalescent Hospital to date of this notification, £ 1

A further advance of £1 to be made at the Hospital when the soldier proceeds on furlough.

Any circumstance affecting the action required in the Pay Office will be immediately reported to the Paymaster.

J. P. Deane 2nd Lt  
Captain, R.A.M.C.  
Commanding 3<sup>rd</sup> Division  
Commanding Military Convalescent Hospital.

Date 26<sup>th</sup> March 1917



This man is still on Furlough  
and "Gatini" Allowances will be credited  
with account rendered to Depot  
Furlough expires 7/24/17.



£22 2-9

Dear Sir,

I am about to  
inform you that I have not  
received any Furlough  
Money yet. Sir would  
you kindly forward  
what is to my credit, or  
in advance.

Yours Oblige  
490 The 7 Keel  
39 Harbour Street  
Hairn Scotland

6th, April

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490, Pte. F. Keel,  
1/1st. Newfoundland Regiment,  
39, Harbour Street,  
Nairn,  
Scotland.

FM/WF

CHEQUE £22. 0. 0.

With reference to your request dated 30/3/17,  
(1538): cheque for £22. 0. 0. is enclosed together  
with receipt form which kindly sign and return to this  
office. The balance at credit of your account on the  
6/4/17 wasn£22. 2. 9.

Major,  
Paymaster & O i/c Records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTSEPARATION ALLOWANCETo be Used in the Case of Men Already Married

The Officer Commanding

Lt. Col. Whitaker

I have the honour to request permission to my past marriage, and your recommendation for the issue of Separation Allowance to my wife, Mrs F. Keel

of 5 Trafalgar Place, Nyr  
to whom I was married on 13<sup>th</sup> April 1917 at Hairm

My wife's maiden name was Fannie Ross  
Address at time of marriage 39 Harbour St. Occupation Compositor

Name and address of parents or guardian at time of marriage Mr & Mrs G. Ross, 43 King St

I attach hereby my marriage certificate, together with the necessary certificate as to my wife's character and general worthiness

from Mr. J.C. Markay, Free Church, Hairm

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

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

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE

RETURNED 28/4/8

Frederick Keel  
Regtl No 490 Rank Private

I hereby approve of the marriage of the above named Soldier, and recommend that separation allowance be granted to his wife.

I have personally investigated the above application and am satisfied as to the wife's good character and consider her worthy to receive the benefits of Separation Allowance.

The Soldier has assigned at least 50% of his pay in favour of his wife.

\*CERTIFIED COPY OF PT. II ORDERS No 332 Dated 19<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1917

PERMISSION TO MARRY

490 Pte. J. Keel.

The marginally named is granted permission to marry with effect 10 April 1917

(Auth. )

The written evidence upon which my decision is based is enclosed for your disposal together with the marriage certificate.

Signature

C. Whitaker

Rank

Dated

Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> 1917.

Commanding LT-COL.  
COMMANDING, 2nd INF. N.F.C. REGT.

This document must be signed personally by the Officer Commanding the Unit. Soldier's application must accompany this form.

No. 5657/345

MEMORANDUM.

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

From *O.C. N° 87*

To O. C.,  
2/1st. Newfoundland Regiment,  
AYR, N. B.

To *Paymaster*

FM/WF *O.C.*

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office

*Raccourse. Ayr.*

12th, June 1917

*21<sup>st</sup> June 1917.*

490, PTE. F. KEEL.

*Hqo. Pte. F. Keel.*

With reference to the enclosed letter (3006) 11/6/17: Since separation allowance is not payable in this Contingent it is assumed that Pte. Keel refers to his allotments which are as follows,-

*Noted. Allotment made today, also cancellation of K.156 & K.160.*

- (1) K.156, 60¢ per day, payable to self, care Bank of Nova Scotia, Bonavista.
- (2) K.160, 15¢ per day, payable Sister, Lucy Keel, Bonavista.

*J. Gant Lues.*

No request for cancellation of either of the above allotments has been received here, please.

*L. H. Marshall*  
Major,  
Paymaster & O I/c Records.

Ref. No.	3262
Rec'd.	JUN 22 1917
Acc'd.	<i>[Signature]</i>
Ans'd.	<i>[Signature]</i>
File No.	



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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 490 (Rank) Pte. (Name) F. Keel

hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on No. 156 dated 1/8/16 in favour of 490 Pte. F. Keel, Bank of Nova Scotia, Bonaville, N.F.C.D. for \$ — cts 60 per diem. Such cancellation to take place on the

30<sup>th</sup> day of June 1917

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

Dated at Ayr  
June 20<sup>th</sup> 1917

Pte F Keel  
Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed,  
A. Riley  
Captain.

O.C. "#" Company.

NOTED  
W.R. Mackin  
Date 29/6/17 Co'y

To be made out in TRIPLICATE and sent to the Paymaster & Officer in Charge of Records. who will forward Original to Headquarters by first mail, Duplicate by the following, and retain Triplicate.

NOTED  
F. G. Hafe  
Date 27-6-17 Co'y

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# ORIGINAL



## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

### ALLOTMENT.

I, Pte. F. Keel Regtl No. 490  
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official  
 form, to make an allotment of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and Seventy five cents  
 per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned Per-  
 son and/or Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of the  
 Person and/or Persons concerned, viz:-

Whether Wife, Child, Other Relative, or Friend.	NAME (In full.)	ADDRESS	Amount Each Person	
			\$	¢
Wife	Mrs F. Keel	5 Gryfield Place Newton-on-Ayre N.B.	-	60
	Ref Letter received 8/9/17	No 5054 →		15
				<u>75</u>
			-	<u>60</u>

This allotment to commence from July 7<sup>th</sup> 1917

Note:- This form must be completed and signed by the soldier, counter-  
 signed by the Officer Commanding his Company, and forwarded to  
 the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on  
 application.

(sig.) A. Riley  
Captain  
 Officer Commanding  
 "H." Company.

(Sig.) F. Keel

Ayre  
June 25<sup>th</sup> 1917

(Rank) Private

NOTED  
 W.C. Martin  
 Date 29/6/17

NOTED  
 F. L. Keel  
 Date 27-6-17





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1. MASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS,  
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
25, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W. 1,  
ENGLAND

To Officer Commanding,  
2/1st Newfoundland Regt.  
Barry, N. B.

As cancellation of  
Form K. 160 has not yet reached  
this office kindly have additional  
copies prepared and forwarded  
here.

Copy of K.160 is enclosed  
for reference. Cancellation  
can be effected on 31/7/17  
if the forms are received here  
within a few days.

*F. H. Marshall*  
Asst. Paymaster,

For Paymaster & O I/c Records.

London, S. W.  
11/8/17.

oc. 2/17 *V* 9428

Returned for the  
Keels signature  
please

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

*F. H. Marshall*  
PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS

16/8/17



*Dr. O. G. O. O.*

*The letter to hand this  
morning.*

*As with cancellation forms  
as per request please*

*A. Raley Capt*

*O. P. H. O.*

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	<i>1492</i>
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Adjutant  
of 2nd Regt.

Certified

correct

G. H. Hester of Li.

O. C. 7. Coy

4/12/18.

7361/442

PAID BY MASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS,  
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
53, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W. 1,  
ENGLAND.

Officer Commanding,  
2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.  
Barry, N. B.

PM/WP

**I**  
Pay & Record Office,

24th, July

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490, Pte. F. KEEL.

With reference to the enclosed letter 21/7/17, (3931): The allotment referred to commenced 7/7/17 and first payment will be made 4/8/17, the end of the pay period. Reference may be made to the enclosed copy of this office No. 5657/345, stating that two allotments were cancelled, viz. K.156 & 160. Cancellation of the former only has been received in this office.

Major,  
Paymaster & O i/c Records.

**II**  
Officer Commanding,  
2/1st. Nfld. Regt.

The Paymaster,  
Newfoundland Regiment  
London.

Barry Camp,  
Aug 3/17

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Cancellation of both  
K156 & K 160 were forwarded  
to your office, please.

(Sd) C. Karn, Capt.

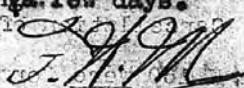
For Lt. Col. Commanding,  
2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.

(111)

To: Officer Commanding,  
2/1st Newfoundland Regt.  
Barry, N. B.

As cancellation of  
Form K. 160 has not yet reached  
this office kindly have additional  
copies prepared and forwarded  
here.

Copy of K. 160 is enclosed  
for reference. Cancellation  
can be effected on 31/7/17  
if the forms are received here  
within a few days.



Asst. Paymaster,  
For Paymaster & O. I/c Records.

London, S. W. (B.)  
11/8/17

Information for the use of  
the commanding officer of the  
regiment.





At the time of the arrival of your previous letter, this soldier had already left for France with A draft, therefore I am unable to obtain his signature here please.

J. G. E. [unclear]  
Capt. C. P. H. [unclear]

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
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3554/3018

Forms  
O. 348

MEMORANDUM.



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

From

To Paymaster  
London.

To Officer Commanding,  
2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.  
Depot,  
Ayr, N. B.

To

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office,  
22nd, August 1917

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490, PTE. F. KELL.

ref. Attached.

Please have enclosed  
N. F/12's completed and  
returned to this office.

This Soldier now  
wishes this allotment  
to continue as  
before - please  
we are therefore  
destroying cancellation  
forms.

*W.A. Durrant*

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

*[Handwritten signature]*

NOTED  
*W.A. Durrant*  
Date 29/8/17 Co'y

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE  
Ref. No. *4/17*  
Des'd. AUG 28 1917  
Ack'd. *1002. Depot Ayr.*  
Ans'd. *[initials]*  
File No.

Dep 6/9/17

VIII

Dear Sir,

I wish to inform you that  
I the sum of \$15.00 that you bearing at  
home. to be stopped & to be added to my  
Wife's allotment.

Yours truly

A. Chlig

RECORDED OFFICE  
 1502  
 SEP - 8 1917  
 490 Pl. 7. Keel,  
 5 Fryfield. Place

490 Pl. 7. Keel,  
5 Fryfield. Place



Barry on. ayr

A. Chlig

To: P.O. B.

Enclosed letter for your information.

The soldier's allotment, was cancelled according to correspondence  
previously passed between P.O. B. & this office please

\* SEE VII

X<sup>th</sup> Oct. 20 1917

Whitney Capt  
P.O. B.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTCANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 490 (Rank) Pvt. (Name) Fredrick Keel.  
 hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on  
 N.F. \_\_\_\_\_ dated 1/8/16 in favour  
 of Sister for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ cts 15  
 per diem. Such cancellation to take place on the

Thirty-first day of July 1917

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach Headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

Dated at Barrs Camp.

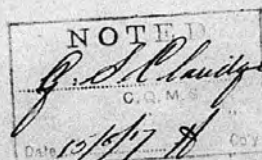
August 15th 1917

Fredrick Keel  
 Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed,

A. A. C. Capt.

O.C. " A " Company.



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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTCANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 490 (Rank) Pvt. (Name) Fredrick Keel.  
 hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on  
 F. \_\_\_\_\_ dated 11/8/16 in favour  
 of Sister for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ cts 15  
 per diem. Such cancellation to take place on the  
Thirty-first day of July 1917

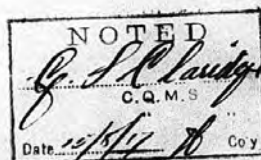
I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach Headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

Dated at Bury Camp  
Aug 10<sup>th</sup> 1917

Fredrick Keel  
 Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed,

A. Raley Capt.  
 O.C. "4" Company.



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## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 490 (Rank) Pvt. (Name) Fredrick Reed

hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on

F. \_\_\_\_\_ dated 1/8/16 in favour  
of Sister for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ cts 12

per diem. Such cancellation to take place on the

Thirtieth day of July 1917

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

Dated at Barry Camp.

Aug 10<sup>th</sup> 1917

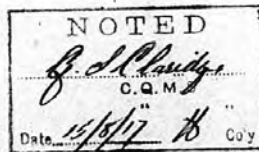
Fredrick Reed

As per letter 1/8/16  
Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed,

W. Kaley Capt.

O.C. "H." Company.



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

Officer Commanding,  
2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.  
Barry, N. B.

Pay & Record Office,

11th, September 7

*No reply*

490, PTE. F. KEEL,  
1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Reference attached copies  
of correspondence relating to  
the above Soldier's allotments:  
It is now understood to be  
Keel's wish that allotment of  
75 cents be paid to his wife.

*Forms completed  
and returned.  
W.M.*

Kindly complete cancellation  
and allotment forms and return  
to this office together with  
enclosures.

*See  
15917  
16/10/07  
LX*

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 490 (Rank) Pte (Name) Frederick Keel.

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

Whether Wife Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (In Full.)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person)	
			\$	¢
<u>Sister</u>	<u>Lucy Keel</u>	<u>Bonavista Newfoundland</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>15</u>
			<u>—</u>	<u>15</u>

This Allotment to take effect from and including 1/8/16 191

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

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

Dated at London  
August 7<sup>th</sup> 1916.

(Sig.) per letter 30/7/16  
6/8/16  
Allotter.

ORIGINAL



N.F./12.

Allotments.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 490 (Rank) Private (Name) F. Keel

hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on

N.F. 160 dated 1/8/16 in favour

of Miss Lucy Keel Bonavata for \$ — cts 15

per diem. Such cancellation to take place on the

31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1917

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

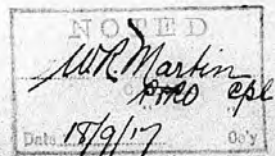
Dated at Quebec City

Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> 1917

Fred Keel 490  
Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed,

W. Rendell Capt.  
O.C. "A" Company.



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No. 4147



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 490 (Rank) Private (Name) Keel F  
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in required form,  
 to make an allotment of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and Seventy five cents  
 per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned  
 Person and/or Persons. Such payments to be made on proof of identity  
 of the Person and/or Persons concerned, viz:-

Whether Wife Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (In Full.)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person)	
			\$	¢
<u>Wife</u>	<u>Mrs. F. Keel.</u>	<u>5 Trifield Place Newton on Ayre N.B.</u>		<u>75</u>
	<u>Lanceley Fort K. 4116.</u>			<u>75</u>

This Allotment to take effect from and including Sept 17 1917

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

(Sig.) W. Rendell Capt.  
 Officer Commanding  
 "A" Company.

Dated at Passmore Ayre P.B.  
Sept. 17 1917

(Sig.) Fred. Keel  
 Allotter.

NO. WRM.  
P.H.O.  
 Date 18/9/17



**MEMORANDUM.**  
**PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C REGIMENT**  
**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT**  
**From VICTORIA STREET,**  
**LONDON, S.W. 1.**  
**ENGLAND.**

To Officer Commanding,  
 2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.  
 Barry, N. B.

From O. C. H. Coy  
 DATE

To  
 P. & R. O.

London S.W.  
**ANSWER.**

Pay & Record Office,

11th, September 1917

490, PTE. F. KEEL,  
 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Reference attached copies  
 of correspondence relating to  
 the above Soldier's allotment:  
 It is now understood to be  
 Keel's wish that allotment of  
 75 cents be paid to his wife.

Kindly complete cancellation  
 and allotment forms and return  
 to this office together with  
 enclosures.

*H. J. Sumner*  
 Major,  
 Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

191

Forms returned as per  
 instructions please.

*H. Rendell*  
 Capt.

O.C.H. Coy.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	V 5917
Rec'd.	16 OCT 1917
Acc'd.	.....
Ans'd.	.....
File No.	.....

490. Pk. T. Keel.

4/10/17

Form R. 156 Cancelled 30/6/17 60<sup>d</sup> day.

~~This~~ Allotment was paid in St John's upto 31/7/17 inc  
in error. This man's account to be debited  
with ~~the~~ allotment for 31 days 1-31<sup>7</sup>. \$18.60  
~~\$18.60~~

He also ~~has~~ an allotment commencing  
7/7/17 (No 4147-75<sup>d</sup> day) which makes a total <sup>allotment</sup>  
for July of \$37.35.

W.P.M.

Reference Memo from D.P. No 227 31/8/17

4-10-17

NOTED  
W.P.M.  
4-10-17



No. 12097

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./55.

Pay & Record Office,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 4,

Officer Jones  
H. J. D. A. R. E. J.  
Adj.

Nov 12 1917.  
68, VICTORIA ST.,  
LONDON, S.W.  
NOV 1917

Herewith Application from 490 H. J. D. A. R. E. J.  
Refer to your file

Please acknowledge receipt hereon:

(Sig.)

(Date)

[Signature] CAPTAIN  
ADJUTANT and BY [Signature] NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

H. A. Minwell Major,  
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

[Handwritten mark]

490 St. J. Keel.

6 St Mary's Terrace  
Twyford Hants

Dear Sir

4<sup>th</sup> Nov, 1918

Would you kindly transfer my  
money from 43 King St Haverin Scotland  
to the above address, & oblige yrs truly  
Mrs J. Keel

W H

ENTERED.
PAY LEDGERS
NUM. ROLL
ALLOT. INDEX
" REGISTER
EXAMINED

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE,			
Ref. Nos. IN	9536		
Rec'd	5 - NOV 1918		
Ack'd	Ans'd		
Ref. Nos. OUT			
ACTED UPON			
BRANCH	DA	1	27
Comd.			
P & A.			
R. & C.			
B & E.			
P.S.			



This is to certify that I became acquainted with Mrs. Fred. Keel about two years ago, after my settlement over the congregation with which she was connected. I have much pleasure in stating that she has been diligent in attendance at church until her removal from Nairn some months ago, and that to the best of my knowledge, she has been exemplary in conduct, reliable, and of an upright character.

J. B. Mackay,

Free Church, Nairn

29 Nov. 1917.

J. FRASER,  
PROPRIETOR.

The Nairn County Press  
and Advertiser.

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Nairn, 29<sup>th</sup> Nov 1917

Jeannie Ross or Keel was employed for several years in this office as a compositor. During that time she was attentive to her duties, obliging and respectful to her employer. She left the office early this year to be married. —

J. Fraser  
Proprietor Nairn County Press

## SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

1. Regimental No. and Rank	490 Private
Name	Frederick Keel
Unit	1 <sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.
2. Full Name of Dependent. <i>Wife</i>	Mrs <del>F</del> Keel (Jeanie)
3. Address	5 Tryfield Place Oyr
4. Have you made previous claim for Separation Allowance? If so, state particulars.	no
5. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to anyone in Nfld or elsewhere?	no
6. Date of Marriage.	13 <sup>th</sup> April, 1917
7. Name and Address of your last Employer.	Peter MacLachlan Motor Works, Sydney, N.S.W.
8. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment.	3 Dollars, per day.
9. Are your wages or any portion being paid by your employer during your absence?	no.
10. If paid, what is the amount per month?	no.
11. Name of Corps prior to enlistment in the Nfld Contingent.	—

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement.

Frederick Keel

Signature of Officer forwarding this application.

Unit

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

Date

Dec 4<sup>th</sup> 17.

A. W. Whitaker  
LT.-COL.,  
COMMANDING, 2nd/1st N.F.L.D. REGT.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Post No. 8305

Recd 31 DEC 1917

Ack'd Ans'd

Ref. Nos. 001

22/1

2/1/17 H.K.

Dear Sir

I write <sup>31/12/17</sup> ~~to~~ inform you that

I have removed from 5 Tryfield  
Place, Ayr. to the above address  
& wish to have my allotment  
sent here, till further word.

Hoping <sup>you</sup> will oblige I remain

490 Keel

Yrs truly

Mrs J. Keel

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT.  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Ref. Nos. IN POST OFFICE



TELEGRAPHS.

Office Stamp.



Nec'd 10545  
6 DEC 1818

ACK This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.

Office of Origin and Service Instructions

Twyford Hts

Charges } s. d.  
to pay }

Handed } 11.32.9 M. Received } - 33/11.  
in at } here at }

ETA. ON 15 FEB 1918

TO

Reply Paid Pay and Record  
Office 58 Victoria St Ldn

Please forward preparation allowance & W  
at once going to Newfoundland  
first Boat No 7 Keel 6 St Marys  
Twyford Wichester

Reply 6/12/18. Draft mailed to-day.

490 F Keel



Mr. F. Keel  
6 St. Mary's Terrace  
Troyfont  
Hundred

Draft mailed to day

A stylized handwritten signature consisting of several vertical and diagonal strokes.

8/14/18 ✓

J. Tavernor  
490 Keel

43 King St  
harrin  
Scotland

7<sup>th</sup> 1-19

Dear Sir

Would you please send  
my allowance to the above  
address. & oblige  
Mrs J. Keel

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.		
Ref. Nos. IN	260	
Rec'd	9	JAN 1919
Ack'd		Ans'd
Ref. Nos. OUI		
ACTED UPON		
BRANCH	DATE	BY
Comd.		
F & A.		
R & G.		
B & E.		
P.S.		

ENTERED.
PAY LEDGERS
NUM. ROLL
ALLOT. IND.
REGISTER
EXAMINED

*Amul. 10/1/19*  
*J. G. A.*  
*M. M.*

5-15-1  
4-15-0  
10-10-1

Records  
of Information

Lodge H  
Non-Hall

JJ Martin

43 King St

2893 harm

10-4-19

Dear Sir

WRU

Received to day 10<sup>th</sup> April the sum of £ 3-3-9 as my all<sup>th</sup> fall<sup>th</sup>, was £ 8-2-3 & I cant, understand why it is cut down, as my husband is still at Henzley Down Camp. Winchester. Would like an explanation & oblige, yrs truly  
Mrs F. Keel.

Postal Draft for difference explanation made

490 Pte F Keel

Above man's name appeared in Daily Orders <sup>25/2/19</sup>  
as having been granted 28 days leave  
pending discharge on 25/3/19. Allotment  
and Separation Allowance were paid to that  
date. ~~On~~ On making enquiries it was found  
that entry in D.O.s was an error.

This ~~is~~ has been adjusted and balance  
of allot + Sep. Allowance will be paid to-day.

WPM.



5928/2/P&A

OFFICER IN CHARGE OF RECORDS.

NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,

53, VICTORIA STREET, Mrs. F. Keel,

LONDON, S.W. 1. 43, King Street,

ENGLAND. Nairn, N. B.

17th, April ... '18

490, PTE. F. KEEL,  
ROYAL NEW FOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your letter 13/4/18  
(3398): Separation Allowance is admissable only  
for one dependant of a Soldier. No extra  
allowance is made for children where the  
allowance is already issued to the Soldier's  
wife, please.

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

FM/WF

470 Keel F. 43 King St  
hairm

Dear Sir

APR 13 1918

13-4-18

Would be much obliged if you could  
inform me if increase is allowed on  
allowance for a child. Hoping you will  
oblige.

Mrs F. Keel.

Martha

Griffith's Sep. allowance  
being issued ?

Separation Allowance  
payable from 1/9/17.

W.R.M.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
Ref. Nos. IN	3269
Rec'd	30 APR 1919
Ack'd	Ans'd
Ref. Nos.: 001	
SEARCHED	
INDEXED	
SERIALIZED	
FILED	
R.A.	
B. & E.	
P.S.	

43 King St  
harrn

25/4/19

Sir

Would you kindly forward  
 me my discharge papers as soon  
 as possible; as I require to have  
 them as soon as possible. & oblige

490 F. Keel

Adjutant

The above mentioned papers  
 have been passed to you 21/4/19  
 Please.  
 E. W. L. King

cc to Coy

The papers for

The Keel were passed

to P.R.O.

28/1+19

J. Seymour Lewis

CAPTAIN

ADJUTANT 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

4.

P.R.O.

Please Expedite.

*[Handwritten signature]*

OC. "H" COY.

28/4/19.

2nd. BATT. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

*[Handwritten signature]*

*[Handwritten signature]*





Keel T.

490

Ray Dept

COPY



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

DUPLICATE  
MAFL COPY

Posted 5 - JUL 1917

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 490 (Rank) Pte (Name) F. Keel

hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on

N.F. 156 dated 1/8/16 in favour

of 490 Pte F. Keel, 40 Bank of Nova Scotia Branch, #312 for \$ - cts 60

per diem. Such cancellation to take place on the

30<sup>th</sup> day of June 1917

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date, and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

Dated at Ayr ✓

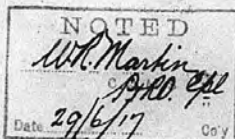
June 20<sup>th</sup> 1917

Pte F Keel  
Allottor.

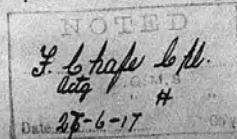
Approved and Witnessed,

A. Haley  
Captain

O.C. "H." Company.



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DUPLICATE ORIGINAL



N.F./12.

Allotments.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 490 (Rank) Private (Name) J. Keel

hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on

N.F. 160 dated August 12/16 in favour

of Miss Lucy Keel Bonavista for \$ 1 cts 15

per diem. Such cancellation to take place on the

31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1917

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

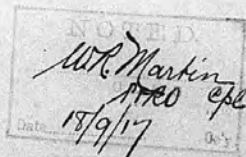
Dated at Racepoint Aug 23<sup>rd</sup>

Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> 1917

J. Keel 490  
Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed,

W. Rendell Capt.  
O.C. "A" Company.



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Magistrate's Office

at Bombay  
11 Jan'y 1916

DEPARTMENT	.....
Reference No.	JAN 1 4 1916
Date Rec'd.	JAN 1 3 1916
" Ack'd.	.....
" Ans'd.	.....
File	.....

Dear Sir

Mr. Elzy. Kell the allottee of  
440 Pindi Fed. Kell. N.Y. Regiment is dead  
and it will be necessary to make some  
other disposition in re. his allotment.

It may be that he would  
not care for his Brothers or Sisters  
to have the handling of his money.

I would suggest that, pending a  
communication from him, the money be  
deposited to his use in Bond & Tr. Co.  
here

Yours faithfully  
Wm. Douglas  
Asst. Paymaster  
No. 4. Regiment

Yours faithfully  
A. H. [Signature]

17th January 1916.

Magistrate J.Roper,  
Bonavista.


Sir,-

I have your letter of January 11th, regarding Mrs Keel., Before acting on your suggestion regarding Private Keel's allotment, I have been instructed to ask you for your opinion of the circumstances of the brother and sister mentioned by you, with a view to paying them at least, a portion of the allotment, if they need it.

Kindly let me have your views on the matter, and oblige.

Yours very truly,

J.M.H/B.M.W.



Deputy Paymaster.