

King, W S Lieut

0-58

May Capt.

First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 337.

Name in full William S. King Age 29.

Address South Side Road.

Married Single Height 5 8 Weight 149

Color Dark Hair Dark Brown Eyes Grey.

Other distinguishing marks _____

Nearest relative James King (Father)

Address South Side Road.

Dependents None.

Occupation Clerk. Present Wage \$50 11/16c.

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment January 2nd 1914

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

Handwritten notes:
Rec'd for education
at 15/16
William Deely King
R. J. Deely Capt.

Signature: William Deely King

Declared before me this 2nd day of Jan. 1914

Signature: Eric Shyne

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)
Applicable to all ranks.

REG. No. 837

Name William S. King

Apparent age 22 years _____ months. Height 5 feet 8 inches.

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

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

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin James King, South Side Rd., St. John's
Relationship Father

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Service in 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>2/1/15</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>2nd January '15</u>									
		<u>Promoted to</u>	<u>S. Cpl</u>	<u>2/2/15</u>					
		<u>" " "</u>	<u>Corpo</u>	<u>2/2/15</u>					
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge)									
" " Pension									

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname King Christian Name William S

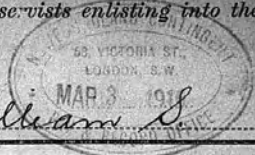


Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish..... County.....

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	on 4 th day of Dec 1914	at St John's	on	day of 191
Declared Age.....	22 years	6 weeks	years	days
Trade or Occupation.....				
Height	5 feet	8 inches	feet	inches
Weight		149 lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded...	32 inches		inches
	Range of expansion...	36 inches		inches
Physical Development.....				

Vaccination Marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm	Number		

When Vaccinated	1908			
Vision	R. E.—V==		R. E.—V==	
	L. E.—V==		L. E.—V==	

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection

(a)

(b) Was Lt Gen

Approved by (Signature) Cluny Macpherson
 (Rank) Capt.
 Medical Officer.

Enlisted	at St John's	on 2 nd day of Jan 1915	at	day of 191
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.

Joined on Enlistment ... 1st Nfld Regt. 837

Transferred to

Became non-effective by

on day of 191 on day of 191

(Signature) Sept
 (Rank)

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 Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of typhoid, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment, transfers, &c., will be given in the special typhoid case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
8 th LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH	26	12	15	21	2	16	Typhoid fever	58	Case active virus (Carlsbad). Rebuilt. Complicated for typhoid fever. No bad fever ^{fever} negative for typhoid ^{typhoid} death. Small. No permanent disability.	J. W. R. Shind. W. J. A. M. T.

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
	T.V. <u>2</u>
	B.V. <u>2</u>
	Face.
	Fit for Foreign Service.
20.7.16	3 Enten tests at 3 rd Scots. Gen. Hosp. St. John's Hospital 17/16

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
St. John's Mcd	20 Mar. 15	20 Mar. 15			
T.S. Stephens	20 Mar. 15	22 Mar. 15			
T.S. ORDUNA	22 Mar. 15	30 Mar. 15			
Edinburgh Castle	30 Mar. 15				

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 Regimental No. 837 Rank Supt Name King H.C.
 Enlisted (a) Jan 1/10 Terms of Service (a) 1 year Service reckons from (a) Jan 1/10
 Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. }
 Extended Section of the engaged Aug 1/15 Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 24, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 26, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's, Nfld.		20/3/15.	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
17/10/15.	"Galeka"	Ill, Diarrhoea & Pyrexia admitted HA 36.	H.S. "Galeka"	17/10/15.	Auth. A 14763. R
5/12/15.	5th. Can Hosp., Cairo	Transferred	Pt. Said Hospital	30/11/15.	E 1602. E
18/12/15.	"Goorkha"	Invalidated to England	H.S. "Goorkha"	15/12/15.	B 782. C

MS



[Signature]

Captain
 for Major,
 Officer i/c Records 11 & 12 Dists.,
 3rd. Echelon, Base, Egypt.

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

7707

Nov 23rd 15

Dear Sir

I have the honour
request that I may be
paid my gratuity and in
the payment.

The reason for asking
this is I am just buying
a house and I want all
the money I can get at
present.

Hoping you will grant
the request

Yours sincerely
W.S. King.

P.M.
Full settlement
authorized.

W.S.K.

4/12/19

Yours
Newbury
I have ^{admitted} ~~admitted~~ of note
L. W. S. King

Admitted to be charged with cost of
rations as supplied by Imps York
28/9 - 12 7/9 - 11 days @ 2/1
- £ 1-2-11

ALL 229/9

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 837 Rank Sergeant Name King, W.S.

Enlisted (a) Jan 2/15 Terms of Service (a) 1 year. Service reckons from (a) Jan. 2/15.

Date of promotion to } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }
 present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended ^{Duration} of war. Re-engaged Aug. 15/15. Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 85, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 86, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's, Nfld.		20/3/15.	
		Disembarked Alexandria.		1/9/15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
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(sgd) W. L. S. Jackson,

Captain
 for Major,

Officer in Charge Records 11 & 12 Divs.,
 3rd Echelon, Base, Egypt.



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

Major Hawley.

Leant walking.

to Balance
up to & including
19/8/19.

£12-19-8.

R. Mansford
J. C. J. L.

£63.18.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 63¹⁸

Sept 18th

1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Sixty Three ¹⁸ Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

M. King
Rank Lieut

Ch. No. 11131	Initials... CBH
Pay Ledger... 178	Initials... WR
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No. 7
A. C. King

No.

Rank *Lt*

Name

W. S. King

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$200⁸⁰

Sept 25th 1919.

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Two hundred ⁸⁰ Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

W. J. [Signature]
Regtl. M. [Signature] Rank [Signature]

Ch. No. 11548	Initials. E. W.
Pay Ledger 178	Initials. W. R.
Gen. Ledger	Initials.

No.

Rank

Lieut.

Name

W. S. King.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 366⁰⁰

July 10, 1920.

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Three hundred & Sixty Six Dollars.
on account of Pay. W.L.G.
~~balance~~

[Handwritten signature]
[Handwritten initials]

Ch. No. 55889	Initials J.W.
Pay Ledger 349	Initials W.L.G.
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No. Rank

No.

Rank

Serjeant

Name

W. S. King

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 183 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Mar 4 19 20

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of One hundred & Eighty three Dollars.
on account of Pay. W. S. G. *W. S. G.*
balance

Ch. No. 31345	Initials <i>W. S. G.</i>
Pay Ledger 349	Initials <i>W. S. G.</i>
Gen. Ledger	Initials

C. J. B. S.

Regtl. No. Rank

No.

Rank

Lieut

Name

W.S. King

Medical Case Sheet.

NO. IN ADMISSION
AND
DISCHARGE BOOK
209

REGIMENTAL NO.

RANK

SURNAME

CHRISTIAN NAME

Lieut

KING

H.

UNIT

AGE

SERVICE

Outpatient

YEAR

1920.

STATION AND DATE

DISABILITY

March 9 Injured - T 100°. great swelling - swelling
Quin J. v. Aspirin J. & 2 hours.
Rec. home to bed.

March 8 Reported the day very weak - swelling a good deal with
very little urine. Sp. 100° in 30 min.

March 11 Reported that has been back in bed for last four days.
T Normal. feeling about better. Rec. Sp. 100°.

March 15: Complain of pain in leg - worst: when walking
pain over largest sciatic nerve right leg.
Inches high frequency about as before -
& from down sciatic & both feet.
No skin.

June 1 Not reported since Apr 3. Discharged.

Newfoundland Regiment.

EMPIRE BARRACKS HOSPITAL

Mar 25 1910

To Mr Kennedy

The marginally noted man,

14. Sp. Co. 3rd Bn
3rd Inf. Regt.

For Lieut King

Mar 4th
T 100
Rec. Sec.

~~Mar 25 1910~~

Medical Officer.

Confidential

B. P. C. Form 45.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD.

Assembled at St. John's, Newfoundland on OCTOBER 16th 1923.
 for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of:
 (Rank and Name) LIEUT. WM. KING (Corps) ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
 Age Service Disability DYSENTERY
 Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back hereof, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that:

158 lbs. fully dressed. Pulse 128. The dysentery is more constant lately, several times a day. Not feeling well. Right leg "goes dead" when he sits for a time and it is difficult to get the circulation going again.

The Opinion of the Board upon the questions herein is as follows—

- (1) Was the disability contracted in the service ?
- (2) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control ?
- (3) Was it caused by military service ?
- (4) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed ?
- (5) At present his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the General Labor Market is lessened by: (Extent should be stated as Total 4-5, 3-5, 2-5, 1-5, or NOTHING.
 - a. In and by Military Service. 30%
 - b. By other causes.

SIGNATURES

N. S. FRASER

President.

L. PATERSON.

Members.

APPROVED

October 11th 1923.

Mr. William King,
c/o Knowling's Hardware,
Water Street, E.

Dear Sir:-

Kindly report at Room 6, Militia Building, Tuesday evening, October 16th at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of being examined as to your disability.

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

Per _____

EBD.

November 4th 1922.

Mr. William King,
c/o Knowling's Hardware,
Water Street,
City.

Dear Sir:-

Kindly advise us at your earliest if you are willing to accept the treatment recommended for you by the Medical Board on October 10th and about which we wrote you on Oct. 11th.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Per _____

EED.

October 11th 1922.

Mr. William King,
a/o Knowling's Hardware,
Water Street,
City.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to advise you that you have been recommended by the Medical Board for admission to Sudbury Hospital for observation and treatment.

Kindly advise if you are willing to accept this treatment, so that arrangements can be made for your admission to Hospital.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Per _____

EBD.

October 6th 1922.

Mr. William King,
c/o Knowling's Hardware,
Water Street,
City.

Dear Sir:-

Kindly report at Room 6, Militia Building,
Tuesday evening, October 10th at 8 o'clock, for
the purpose of being examined as to your disability.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Per _____

EBD.

April 19, 1922.

Mr. William King,
c/o Knowling's Hardware Dept.
Water Street,
City.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to advise you that
you have been recommended for Treatment by the Standing
Medical Board.

Will you please call at
Sudbury Hospital at your convenience for the necessary
treatment.

Yours faithfully,

AMB.

MEDICAL ADVISOR.

Confidential

B. P. C. Form 45.

FOURTH BOARD.**PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD.**

Assembled at St. John's, Newfoundland on ~~APRIL 14th 1923~~ *Oct 10/24*
 for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of:
 (Rank and Name) LIEUT. WILLIAM KING (Corps) R. A. F.
 Age Service Disability DYSENTERY
 Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back hereof, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that:

**WEIGHT 160 LBS. HAS HAD DIARRHOEA FIRVE OR SIX TIMES A
 DAY FOR PAST SIX WEEKS. PERSPIRES FREELY. HAS LOST 7 WEEKS
 OUT OF THE PAST SIX MONTHS.**

The Opinion of the Board upon the questions herein is as follows—

- (1) Was the disability contracted in the service ?
- (2) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control ?
- (3) Was it caused by military service ?
- (4) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed ?
- (5) At present his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the General Labor Market is lessened by: (Extent should be stated as Total: 4-5, 3-5, 2-5, 1-5, or NOTHING.
 - a. In and by Military Service. 30% Sudbury Hosp. observation and treatment.
 - b. By other causes.

SIGNATURES

N. S. FRASER

President.

L. PATERSON

APPROVED

Members.

Confidential

THIRD BOARD

B. P. C. Form 45.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD.

APRIL 18TH., 1922.

Assembled at St. John's, Newfoundland on
 for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of:
 (Rank and Name) LIEUT. WILLIAM KING (Corps) R. A. F.
 Age Service Disability D. X. S. E. N. T. E. R. Y.
 Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back hereof, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that:

WEIGHT 156 LBS. PULSE 120.

HAS HAD ATTACKS OF DIARRHOEA LASTING PAST SIX WEEKS. BEEN OFF ABOUT SEVEN DAYS IN THAT TIME. HAS AVERAGED ABOUT THREE MOVEMENTS A DAY. SOMETIMES HAS SEVERE PAINS WHEN HE WANTS TO HAVE A MOVEMENT. THIS STARTS IN NAVEL. THIS PAIN ONLY LAST TWO MONTHS.

HEART IN STATU QUO

The Opinion of the Board upon the questions herein is as follows—

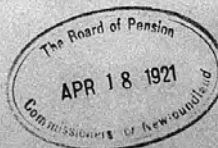
- (1) Was the disability contracted in the service ?
- (2) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control ?
- (3) Was it caused by military service ?
- (4) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed ?
- (5) At present his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the General Labor Market is lessened by: (Extent should be stated as Total. 4-5, 3-5, 2-5, 1-5, or NOTHING.
 - a. In and by Military Service. **30% FOR 6 MONTHS AND TREATMENT**
 - b. By other causes.

SIGNATURES

(SGD) CLUNY MACPHERSON.
 J. B. O'REILLY.

President.

APPROVED



Members.

November 4, 1921.

To: M. O., Sudbury Hospital.

LIEUT. WILLIAM KING.

The marginally named Officer has been recommended for Treatment at Sudbury Hospital by the Standing Medical Board.

Will you kindly give him the necessary attention, please.

Copy of Medical Boards is attached hereto.

AMB.

MEDICAL ADVISOR.

ENCLOSURE.

23, Patrick Street,
Sept. 15, 1921.

I certify that EX-LIEUT. W. S. KING, R. A. F., suffers from frequent attacks of Dysentery which resist ordinary treatments for diarrhoea. During the past summer he has lost about 12 lbs. in weight. He claims that he contracted Dysentery at Gallipoli when serving as Sergeant with the 1st. Newfoundland Regiment in 1915.

As these attacks cause him much inconvenience I would recommend that he be examined by a Standing Medical Board.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD.

Assembled at St. John's, Newfoundland on OCTOBER 18TH., 1921.

for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of:

(Rank and Name) .. LIEUT., WILLIAM KING (Corps) R. A. F.

Age Service Disability .. D Y S E N T E R Y

Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability.....

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back hereof, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that:

HE HAS HAD AN ATTACK OF DYSENTERY IN MARCH LASTING 4 WEEKS - IN AUGUST LASTING 2 WEEKS, AND IN OCTOBER LASTING 2 WEEKS. PASSED BLOOD IN MARCH AND OCTOBER, BUT NONE IN AUGUST. MUCH OF THE TIME OFF WAS SPENT IN BED.

HEART SHOWS SYSTOLIC MURMUR AT APEX (RATE 120) ROUGH, NOT TRANSMITTED. HEART NOT ENLARGED.

STILL COMPLAINS OF PAIN AND NUMBNESS IN OUTER SIDE OF RIGHT LEG. USES ~~THE OPINION OF THE BOARD UPON THE QUESTIONS AS TO THE FOLLOWING~~ A STICK SOMETIMES, ESPECIALLY IF GOING A LONG WALK.

HAS BEEN FEELING VERY NERVOUS 'OD LATE FINDING IT DIFFICULT TO SPEAK TO PEOPLE. CANNOT EAT A MEAL IN MIDDLE OF DAY AS IT STARTS DIARRHOEA.

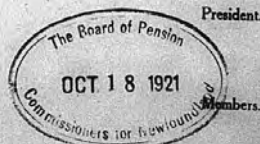
- (1) Was the disability contracted in the service ? YES
- (2) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control ? YES
- (3) Was it caused by military service ? YES
- (4) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed ? INFECTION
- (5) At present his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the General Labor Market is lessened by: (Extent should be stated as Total 4-5, 3-5, 2-5, 1-5, or NOTHING.)
- In and by Military Service. 30% FOR 6 MONTHS. AND TREATMENT
 - By other causes.

SIGNATURES

(SGD) CLUNY MACPHERSON,
J. B. O'REILLY.

President.

APPROVED



September 3rd., 1919.

From:- D. M. S.
To :- C. S. O.

Lieut. Wm. King.

Herewith please find Proceedings of Medical Board - in triplicate - on the marginally noted Officer.

AMB.

Major, D. M. S.

ENCLOSURE.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD.

Assembled at St. John's, Newfoundland on SEPTEMBER 2ND., 1919.

by order of the Minister of Militia, Newfoundland, for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of:

(Rank and Name) LIEUT. WM. KING (Corps) ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND.

Age _____ Service _____ Disability _____

Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability _____

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back hereof, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that

*Had dysentery in Sullipah 1915 Occasional attack
 Had lumbago from & when came out of Hospital felt
 tight as lead along outer side of thigh how interferes
 with walking any distance. Had appendicitis last Feb 1918
 Pulse 84.*

The Opinion of the Board upon the questions herein is as follows:—

(1) a. Is the Officer fit for "General Service?" *no*b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? *Six months*(2) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for Service at Home? *yes*

b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for Service at Home?

c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for Light Duty at home?

d. If not so fit, is he likely to be unfit for Light Duty at home?

e. Is the Officer fit to perform any duties not coming within the above categories?
If so specify the nature of the duties which he might perform.(3) Was the disability contracted in the service? *yes*(4) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? *yes*(5) Was it caused by military service? *yes*(6) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? *infection*(7) At present his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the General Labor Market is lessened by:
(Extent should be stated as Total, 4-5, 3-5, 2-5, 1-5, or NOTHING.)a. In and by Military Service. *less than 5p*

b. By other causes.



APPROVED

President.

Members.

W. H. Macpherson
John Macpherson
Robertson

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date 30th Aug 1919

Regimental No. _____

Name Lance W. Kins

Address 51st John

Present Medical Category F

Recommended for:— { (a) Immediate discharge _____
(b) Standing Medical Board _____

K. R. Cooke Capt
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Members of Board { Senior Medical Officer _____

M. O. Depot

(2046) KING, WILLIAM

LIEUTENANT

% Knowings hardware W. S. &

BOARDS

2nd	18/10/21	30% for 6 months
3rd	18/ 4/22	30% for 6 months
4th	10/10/ 22	30% for 12 months
5th	16/10/23	30% for 12 months

Died 17/9/24.

Oct-18

Killed in motor accident at
Donovans. Sep 15/24

Col W. King

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 2568/161

C.R. 0-58

From
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
 58, VICTORIA STREET,
 LONDON, S.W.
 22nd March, 1917.

To
 Officer Commanding,
 2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
 Racecourse,
 Ayr.

HT/NW

SUBJECT: 2/LT. W. S. KING,
 Attd. R.F.C.

REPLY

Reference Nos.

Dated

29.3.

1917

With regard to recent verbal reference to this officer's letter 22/2/17, the correct procedure not having been quite clear to me at the time, the matter was referred to the War Office, with result as reflected in enclosed correspondence now submitted for your information and what action you may deem necessary, please.

A. D. Minors
 Major,
 Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Noted.
I see no reason ^{at present} to recommend 2/Lt. W. S. King for promotion until he has served 12 months as a Commissioned Officer.

C. D. White
 D. Col.

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

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	1519
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DOMINION OF NEWFOUNDLAND



C.R. 0-58

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S OFFICES.

*58, Victoria Street,
Westminster, S.W.1.*

3rd March, 1922.

CABLE ADDRESS.
"RUFALITY"
TELEPHONE.
VICTORIA 2302.

Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to enclose herewith copy of a letter that he has received, with enclosures as therein stated, from Messrs. Holt & Co., Army Agents & Bankers, of 3, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.1.

As will appear from the attached correspondence, Messrs. Holt & Co., are claiming the sum of £408.15.11. from Lieut. W.S. King, whose address is given as Box 22, West End Post Office, St. John's, Newfoundland, as having been overissued to that officer while employed by the Ministry of Munitions, for the period 1st August, 1918 to 31st July 1919.

Particulars of the claim in question will be seen from the attached letter dated 5th March, 1920, from the Controller of Munitions, Finance, addressed to Mr. King himself.

Mr. King apparently is under the impression that all amounts paid to him by the Ministry of Munitions were by way of allowances, but Messrs. Holt & Co., point out that allowances were paid to him in addition to the above stated amount of £408.15.11. which was the salary attaching to his rank for the period stated.

The Bankers state that it was never intended that Mr. King should receive pay both from the Department of Militia and from the Ministry of Munitions, and claim that the above sum was overissued by mistake of facts.

The Chief Staff Officer,
Department of Militia.

The Chief Staff Officer
Department of Militia.

If you will be good enough to take up this matter with Mr. King and ascertain from him what reply he wishes us to give to Messrs. Holt & Co., the High Commissioner will be much obliged.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Victoria Gordon

Secretary.

Encls.

Staff Officer,
Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

G/T

(COPY)

3, Whitehall Place,
London, S.W.1.

Reference R.A.F.

28th February, 1922.

Sir,

With reference to the writer's interview with your Mr. Gordon yesterday, we now beg to enclose herewith copies of correspondence relative to the overissus of £408.15.11d. which was made to Lieutenant W.S. King, owing to a clerical inadvertence in our Office, as explained in our letter to the Ministry of Munitions dated 4th December, 1919.

Mr. King was paid continuously by the Government of Newfoundland and in addition he received certain Allowances from the Ministry of Munitions, as stated in their letter to him dated 5th March, 1920 so that he was in no way entitled to receive Pay from us. The amount now claimed by us from Mr. King was disallowed in our Official Accounts and we had to immediately refund the money to the Public. As you will observe from the correspondence attached, the Colonial Office have been in communication with the Government of Newfoundland on this matter, but as this is a somewhat roundabout method of procedure, we beg to request that you will use your good offices on our behalf, with a view to obtaining a proposal from Mr. King to repay the sum due. We have no desire to be unduly harsh in this matter, and if Mr. King is not in a position to repay the amount at once, we should be prepared to consider a proposition from him to repay by reasonable instalments.

Thanking you in anticipation of your kind assistance.

We are, Sir,

Your obedient Servants,

HOLT & CO.,
Agents.

per (sd) A.O.W. JOLISON

Commissioner for Newfoundland,
58, Victoria Street,
S.W.1.

(COPY)

23rd February, 1922.
The Secretary,
Disposal & Liquidation Commission
Caxton House,
Tothill Street,
S.W.1.

Your Refce. A.S.Est./1055/13
Our Rece. R.A.F. RECOVERERS

For the attention of Mr. Pledger,

Lieutenant W.S.King

We thank you for your letter of the 21st instant, and in reply thereto we beg to state that the overissue of £408.15.11d. is in respect of Pay and Bonus Pay issued by us in our capacity of Official Agents, and not as Bankers, and is not in respect of Allowances. We enclose a copy of our letter to the Ministry of Munitions dated 4th December 1919 giving details of the overissue and shall be glad if this matter may be taken up again on our behalf with the Colonial Office, requesting that pressure may be brought to bear on Mr. King, who appears to be evading the issue altogether.

Holt & Co., Agents,

(sd) per A.R.M.

(COPY)

Disposal and Liquidation Commission,
Caxton House,
Tothill Street,
London, S.W.1.

A.S.Est./1055/13

21st February, 1922.

For the attention of Mr. Molison

Gentlemen,

In confirmation of my telephonic communication with your Mr. Molison yesterday, I am directed to state that a communication has been received from the Colonial Office in the matter of Lieut. W.S.King.

The Governor of Newfoundland has communicated to the Secretary of State for the Colonies that Mr. King has been interviewed by the Chief Staff Officer, following on a letter addressed to that Officer by Mr. King. Mr. King in the course of his letter stated:-

"I wish to state that this allowance was paid into my Bank by Messrs. Holt & Co., Bankers, as allowance on my Pass Book, not as pay."

I am to suggest that this was presumably not the case, but I am to ask for your confirmation. The other points raised by Mr. King can be dealt with direct from this Department.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

(sd) C.R.PLEDGER.

Messrs. Holt & Co.,

T/p.

(COPY)

Disposal and Liquidation Commission,

Baxton House,
Tothill Street,
LONDON, S.W.1.

29th September, 1921

C.146/72

FOR THE ATTENTION OF MR. MOLISON

Gentlemen,

With reference to your letter of the 15th instant in the case of Lieut W.S. King, I am directed to inform you that this Commission made representation of the full facts of the case to the Colonial Office, and the Under Secretary of State for the Colonies has intimated that Mr. Winston Churchill has addressed a request to the Governor of Newfoundland that such action as is possible shall be taken to induce Lieut King to make the refundment due to you.

I am,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

(sd) J.H. JONES.

Messrs. Holt & Co.,
3, Whitehall Place,
S.W.1.

T/P

(COPY)

Ministry of Munitions of War,
Aircraft Production,
Munitions Finance Department,
Room 35, 1, Clement's Inn,
Strand, W.C.2.

A.S.28149/18/A.F.3/113

5 March, 1920

To Messrs. Holt & Co.,
Whitehall Place,
S.W.

For attention of Mr. Molison

Gentlemen,

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 18th ult in the matter of Lieut W.S. King R.A.F., and to inform you that a letter (undated) has just been received from this Officer as copy attached.

I am to add that a further letter has been forwarded to Lieut King as copy herewith, and I will advise you so soon as a reply is received.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

(sd) C.R.FLEDGER.

for Controller of Munitions Finance.

T/P

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960,
Room 35,
1, Clement's Inn, Strand.

A.S. 28149/18/A.F.3/113

5 March, 1920.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter (undated) in the matter of pay which has been issued to you from two sources.

With regard to your reference to the travelling and subsistence allowance made to you by this Department, this is an entirely separate matter and has been dealt with in a further letter. This allowance was paid to you in cash by way of advances from the Cashier of this Department, against which you rendered claims, and it has no bearing on the refund called for herein.

The points are (1) the fact that during the period of your service with this Department you were paid continuously by the Newfoundland Government and (2) that notwithstanding the foregoing, pay was erroneously issued to you by Messrs. Holt & Co., from Royal Air Force Funds.

	£	s	d
Pay 1.8.18 - 31.7.19 @ £400 p.a.....	400	0	0
Bonus 1.2.19 - 31.7.19@ 4/- per diem.....	36	4	0
Less Income Tax.....	<u>436</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>0</u>
	27	8	1
	<u>£408</u>	<u>15.</u>	<u>11</u>

I am to point out that this issue of pay by Messrs. Holt & Co., is quite apart from the allowances made to you by this Department, and that having regard to the fact that your services were ~~remunerated~~ remunerated by the Newfoundland Government, the pay issued by Messrs Holt & Co., stands to be recovered.

2.

I am, therefore, to request that you will be good enough to remit to Messrs. Holt & Co., 8, Whitehall Place, London, S.W. the sum of £408.25.11. (four hundred and eight pounds fifteen shillings and eleven pence) which, as before stated, is Crown Money in your hands and to advise me when such action has been taken, accordingly.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(sd) C.R. PLEDGER.

for Controller of Munitions Finance.

Lt. W.S. King.

T/P

(COPY)

BOX 22,
WEST END P.O.
ST. JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

Sir,

With reference to A.S.28149/18/A.F3/113 of 1.1.20 I fail to understand how I am in possession of Crown Money.

The money which I spent while attached to the Technical Branch of the D.A.P. was travelling allowances.

This was a special job and it was decided at the interview that I was to receive 15/- per day to begin but it would be increased to 30/- later.

This money was put into my bank by that Department and as such I received and spent it.

Yours obedient Servant,

(sd) W. KING.

Late R.A.F. & R.N.V.R.

T/Q.

Ministry of Munitions of War,
Aircraft Production,
Munitions Finance Department,
Room 35,
1, Clement's Inn, Strand, W.C.2
Refce. A.S.28149/18/A.F3/113

1st January, 1920

to Messrs. Holt & Co.,
Whitehall Place, S.W.

For the attention of Mr. Molison

Gentlemen,

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 4.12.19 in the matter of Lieut W.S. King R.A.F. and to inform you that it has been ascertained that the present address of this Officer is as follows:-

Lieut W.S. King
(Late Royal Air Force)
8/o Ministry of Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

I am to add that a letter has been addressed to Lieut King in the matter of your overissue, and I will notify you in due course as to the result.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,

(SD) C.R. PLEDGER.

For Controller of Munitions Finance.

T/p.

(COPY)

Bank of Montreal,
9, Waterloo Place, Pall Mall
London, S.W.1.
10th December, 1919.

Dear Sirs,

2/ Lieut W.S. King (Newfoundland Regiment)
3rd Squadron R.A.F.

In answer to your letter of the 6th instant addressed to our Threadneedle Street Branch, we beg to inform you that the amounts mentioned therein were credited to the above mentioned account kept in this office, which, however, was closed in August, last.

As we cannot trace any remittance being made to his credit on the other side, we presume that he simply took cash or else made transfer through some other institution; this is on the supposition that he has returned to Newfoundland of which we have no definite knowledge. The only address we had was 141, Victoria Road, Chesterton, Cambridge.

We regret that we are unable to assist you further in this matter.

Yours faithfully,

(sd)

Sub-Agent.

Messrs. Holt & Co.,
3, Whitehall Place,
S.W.1.

The address of the Newfoundland Pay & Record Office is 58, Victoria Street, who might be able to trace this officer's whereabouts.

T/p.

(COPY)

6th December, 1919

The Manager,

Bank of Montreal,
Threadneedle Street,
E.C.

R.A.F.

In furtherance of our letter of the 1st instant, and in response to a telephonic communication received from you, we have pleasure in annexing hereto details of payments made by us for the credit of Lieut W.S. King which we now desire to recover. The items were cleared on the dates^s shown. We shall be glad to know that you have been enabled to trace the items and as to whether you can afford any assistance in the recovery of the overissue.

5/10/18	.....	£62.10.0
7/11/18	.....	£31. 5. 0
5/12/18	.....	£31. 5. 0
8/1/19	.....	£31. 5. 0
7/2/19	.....	£31. 5. 0
7/3/19	.....	£31. 5. 0
3/4/19	.....	£31. 5. 0
10/6/19	.....	£67.17. 4
16/6/19	.....	£17. 1. 3
3/7/19	.....	£36.16. 8
	.....	£37. 0. 8.

HOLT & CO.,
AGENTS

per A.R.M.

T/P.

(COPY)

4th December, 1919

The Controller,
Ministry of Munitions,
Munitions Finance
Department,

Ref. 28149/18/A.F.3

1, Clement's Inn, W.C.

Lieutenant W.S.King R.A.F.

By your letter of the 12th September, 1918 we were instructed by you to issue pay to the above mentioned officer at the rate of his rank from 1/4/18 to 4/7/18, and at £400 per annum thereafter subject to the provision of a Last Pay Certificate.

We regret however, to state that no Last Pay Certificate was obtained and pay at £400 per annum was issued to the officer from the 1st August, 1918 up to the 31st July last.

Bonus pay also, from the 1st February last 4/- per diem has been issued to him. The officer has been paid continuously by the Newfoundland Government and we have therefore to refund all pay issued by us, the total ^{amount} overissued being £408.15.11., and is composed as follows:-

Pay 1/8/18-31/7/19 @ £400 per annum	£400 . . .
Bonus 1/2/ - 31/7/19 @ 4/- per diem	36. 4. .
	<u>£ 436. 4. 0</u>
Less Income Tax	27. 8. 0
	<u>£408.15.11.</u>

We should be glad if you could afford us any assistance in the recovery of this amount.

HOLT & CO.,
AGENTS.
per A.R.M.

T/p

(COPY)

1st December, 1919.

The Manager,
Bank of Montreal,
Threadneedle Street,

R.A.F.

E.C.

Lieutenant W.S. KING R.A.F.

Since September 1918 we have remitted to you various amounts for the credit of the above mentioned officer in respect of pay issued by us. We now find that all amounts have been remitted to you owing to a clerical error as the officer has already received his pay from the Newfoundland Government. In the circumstances we shall be glad to know whether you consider yourselves at liberty to inform us as to whether the officer has drawn upon the remittances we have made to you. We should also be glad if you could afford us any assistance in effecting a recovery of the amount overissued namely £408.15.11.

HOLT & CO.,

AGENTS.

per A.R.M.

T/P



G.R. 0-58

GOVERNMENT HOUSE.
ST. JOHNS,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

28th April, 1922.

Personal & Confidential.

Dear Colonel,

The Governor has asked me to send you down copy of a further letter which has been received from the Disposal and Liquidation Commission regarding the overpayments made to Lieutenant W. S. King.

As far as His Excellency can see the only course now is action of law. Would you please be so kind as to give me your opinion as to this.

Yours sincerely,

Captain
Private Secretary.

Lt. Col. W. F. Rendell, C.B.E.,
Chief Staff Officer,
Dept. of Militia.

A.M. 97501/21(F.3 Staff)

Disposal & Liquidation Commission
Caxton House
Rathill Street,
London, S.W.1

March 24th, 1922

Sir:

I am directed by the Disposal & Liquidation Commission to refer to a letter from the Colonial Office dated 15th February last No. 39211/f/21 forwarding copy of a despatch from the Governor of Newfoundland, enclosing a copy of a letter to Lieut.-Col. Rendell from Lieutenant W.S. King, relative to certain overpayments made to the latter officer.

I am directed to state with regard to Mr. King's letter in question, that it would appear that no misunderstanding could have arisen, as the payments due to the officer and made to him in respect of Travelling and Subsistence Allowance were made direct by the Cashier of the Aircraft Production Department, to which Dept. the officer was for the time being attached. The overissue on this basis amounted to £16:9:5

The over-issue of £408:15:11 was the amount of the Air Force Pay and bonus issued to Mr. King by Messrs. Holt & Co. in their capacity as official Agents to the Royal Air Force. It will be observed from the last paragraph of Mr. King's letter referred to above, that he is aware that all officers of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment attached for duty to the Royal Air Force were paid by their own unit, and it must, therefore, be known to him that the pay issued to him by the Royal Air Force Agents was an erroneous issue. No misunderstanding has arisen as suggested by Mr. King, and the over-issue of £408.15.11 arises entirely from issue of service pay and includes no allowance whatever. The question of misunderstanding, which Mr. King now raises, has previously been dealt with in Ministry of Munitions letter of the 5th March, 1920 of which a copy was enclosed with this Department's letter of the 3rd August last

I am, etc.
(Sd) S. DANVENTHER

The Under Secretary of State
Office, S.W.

C.R. 0-58

June, 17th, 1922

Lieut.-Col. P. J. North, D.S.O.,
Private Secretary,

Dear Colonel:-

I regret that the personal and confidential letter from Captain Hamilton of April 28th, has been so long outstanding. That letter covered a despatch from the Disposal and Liquidation Commission regarding overpayment made to Lieut. W.S. King. About the same time I was in receipt of a letter from the High Commissioner's office relating to the same matter, and asking me to take the matter up with Mr. King.

I wrote to Mr. King, and have since seen him on one or two occasions, and have pressed for a reply to my letter, but have not received one to date. However, he stated to me that his position has not altered, and his letter of February covers his case. It would appear that any further action taken to recover the amount of Messrs. Holt & Company's claim must be civil action; and presumably Messrs. Holt & Co. would first be communicated with before such action is taken. Mr. King remains firm in his conviction that he is not liable for the amount claimed.

I am returning the despatch herewith, please, and shall reply to the High Commissioner and acquaint him with the action that has been taken and shall state that this Dept. is unable to get any satisfaction for Messrs. Holt & Co.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

C.R. 0-58

May 9th, 1922

Lieutenant W.S. King,
C/o Geo. Howling,
Water Street.

Dear Sir:-

Further correspondence ^{has} been received in connection with the refund of overissues of pay, claimed by the Disposal and Liquidation Commission. It is stated that payments made to you in respect of travelling and subsistence allowances, were made direct by the Cashier of Air Craft Production Dept., to which Dept. you were for the time being, attached. The overissue on this basis amounted to £16,905. The overissue of £408,15.11 was the amount of the Air Force pay and bonus issued to you by Messrs. Holt & Co. in their capacity of official agents to the Royal Air Force. This overissue arises entirely from the issue of service pay and includes no allowances whatever. In addition to the allowances and to pay and bonus just referred to, you were paid continuously by the Newfoundland Government.

Messrs. Holt and Co. stated that in view of these facts, you were in no way entitled to receive pay from them. The amount they now claim was disallowed in their official accounts, and they had to immediately refund the money to the public. They suggest that they have no desire to be unduly harsh in this matter, and if you are not in a position to repay the amount at once, they would be prepared to consider a proposition from you to repay in reasonable installments.

Will you be good enough to let me have your further reference in this matter.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 0-58

June 17th, 1922

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

Sir:-

Your letter of March 23rd with enclosures was duly received.

The claim of Messrs. Holt & Co. against Lieut. W.S. King has been the subject of despatches from the Colonial Office to the Governor, who referred the matter to this office. For your information I am attaching a copy of the correspondence that has passed on this side, which apparently has already been communicated to Messrs. Holt & Company. Since receipt of your letter, a further letter from the Disposal & Liquidation Commission to the Under Secretary of State for the Colonies has been forwarded to Government House, and passed to this Department.

I have written to Mr. King, and have also seen him, and he still maintains that his case is fully covered by his letter of February . Mr. King is no longer subject to discipline, and has no balance at his credit in this Department, and it would therefore appear to be entirely a matter of civil action if this claim is to be pressed for the recovery of the overissue. Presumably His Excellency the Governor will be replying to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, also suggesting that civil appears to be the only method left for recovery. Mr. King states, as I have previously intimated that his reply to Messrs. Holt & Co. is contained in his letter of February

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your obedient servant

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

C.R. 0-58

Oct. 10th, 1921

Lieut. W.B. King,
C/o Geo. Knowling,
Hardware Dept.

Dear Sir:-

Copies of correspondence between the Controller of Munitions Finance and yourself, and also between Messrs. Holt & Co. and the Munitions Finance Dept., have been forwarded to the under Secretary of State for the Colonies who in turn has had it passed to the Governor and the Colonial Secretary here, the last of whom has passed the whole file of correspondence to this office. This correspondence deals with a request of Messrs. Holt and Company for repayment by you of the sum of £408:15:11 stated to have been paid in error by them.

Will you please inform me as soon as possible how you desire me to reply to this correspondence; and if you will be making a remittance, will you please advise the likely date. May I have a reply at an early date please.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

St John's, Newfoundland
Oct. 14th, 1922

C.R. 0-58

Lt.-Col. H.F. Rendell,
Chief Staff Officer.

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your letter of Oct. 10th, 1921 which I received from you with regard to the matter of allowance made to me through the D.A.P. Department (Dept. of Aircraft Production)

I wish to state that this allowance was paid into my bank by Messrs. Holt & Co., Bankers, as allowance on my pass Book, -not as pay

When I accepted, the agreement was, all travelling allowances to be paid by the Department. At the interview with Major Pratt (then Captain) and Col. Swart (then Captain), the travelling allowance of 15/- per day was agreed not sufficient to cover the expenses that would be incurred, and that it would be increased to 25/- or 30/- per day. Later I accepted under these conditions, as did the others similarly employed.

At first I received some amounts from the Cashiers Department D.A.P., and for same I rendered claims for all the cash I had from there.

I also wish to state that the first month or two the money was guaranteed by Sir Wm. Weir, Officer Commanding R.A.F. then. This statement came from Co. Swart. And as I said before these allowances were paid into my bank as allowances, and as travelling allowances were spent by me when engaged with that particular Department.

I can only suppose the statements in Munitions Finance Dept letter are due to not fully understanding the particulars of the case. I was told at the beginning that I would get an increase of from 25/- to 30/- per day, daily while engaged, and 30/- per day was guaranteed by Sir Wm. Weir, O.C. R.A.F. then, and these allowances were paid into my bank and were spent for travelling purposes in connection with the D.A.P. Department. I think there is still some money due me.

I am not able to state how long the rate remained at 15/- before being increased, and am still unaware whether it was increased to 25/- or 30/- per day.

I would request that reference be made to the Officer mentioned by me for the purpose of verification of my statements. It is a known fact that all officers of the Royal Flying Corps, attached for duty with the Royal Air Force were paid by their own unit. The misunderstanding appears to be that the special allowance paid me while specially employed has been called pay.

Yours faithfully,
(Sgd.). W.S. KING.

Downing St.
11 August. 1922

Newfoundland

No. 121

Sir:-

I have the honour to transmit to you for the consideration of your Ministers, a copy of a letter from the Disposal and Liquidation Commission relative to certain overpayments made to Lieutenant W.S. King of Newfoundland

2. It will be observed from the last paragraph of their letter that the Commission desire that action may be taken through the appropriate official channels to induce the officer to make the required refund, and I should be glad to learn what action your Ministers have been able to take in the matter, and with what result.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Yours

humble servant

(SGD.). WINSTON CHURCHILL

Governor

Sir C. Alexander Harris, K.C.M.G., C.B., C.V.O
etc. etc. etc

3rd August

Disposal and Liquidation Commission
Caxton House West
Westminster, S.W.1
3rd August, 1921

Sir:-

I am directed by the Disposal and Liquidation Commission to acquaint you that an overpayment of pay to the extent of £408;15;11 has been made by Messrs. Holt & Co. Royal Air Force Agents to Lieut W.S. King of Newfoundland, in addition to which the sum of £16;9;5 in respect of balance of travelling imprest is due from this officer to the Commission.

With regard to the overpayment by Messrs. Holt & Co., it would appear that these agents issued pay to the officer from Royal Air Force funds, having failed to become aware that he was at the same time in receipt of remuneration from the Newfoundland Government. As shown by the accompanying correspondence, applications have repeatedly been made to Lieut. King for a refund of the over issue and balance, but without satisfactory result.

Whilst no liability in respect of Messrs. Holt & Cos. over-issue rests upon His Majesty's Government it is considered that, as the issue was made by the Agents in good faith, assistance might be expended to them in seeking recovery.

The balance on the imprest made by the Ministry of Munitions resulted from the fact that advances were made to the officer in respect of contemplated travelling, but the actual accounts rendered by him in respect of travelling subsequently amounted to a less sum than that advanced as indicated in the Controller of Munitions Finance letter of 5th March, 1920, a copy of which is attached.

In all the circumstances I am to ask that action be taken through the appropriate official channel to induce the officer to make the required refund.

I am, etc.
(Sd) S. DANNEBERGER

The Under Secretary of State
for the Colonies
Whitehall, S.W.

Memorandum

Royal Air Force. (Technical & Administrative)

From:
Messrs. Holt & Co.,
3 Whitehall Place
London S.W.1

date 4th December, 1918
To the Controller
Ministry of Munitions
Munitions Finance Dept.,
1 Clement's Inn

Ref 28149/18/A/P.5

Lieutenant W.S. King, R.A.F

By your letter of 12th Sept. 1918, we were instructed by you to issue pay to the above mentioned officer at the rate of his Rank from 1/4/18 to 4/7/18 and at £400 per annum thereafter subject to the provision of a Last Day Certificate

We regret, however, to state that no Last Day Certificate was obtained, and pay at £400 per annum was issued to the Officer from the 1st August, 1918 up to the 31st July last

Bonus pay also from the 1st February last 4/- per diem has been issued to him. The Officer has been paid continuously by the Newfoundland Government, and we have therefore to refund all pay issued by us, the total amount overissued being £408;15;11, and is composed as follows:

Pay 1/8/18 - 31/7/19 at £400 per annum.....	400.0.0
Bonus 1/2 - 31/7/19 at 4/- per diem.....	36.6.0
Less income tax.....	436.4.0
	<u>27.8.1</u>
	<u>408.15.1</u>

We should be glad if you could afford us any assistance in the recovery of this amount.

HOLT & CO.
AGENTS

PER (SD) A.J. MOLISON

960
Room 35

1 Clement's Inn
Strand

A.S.28149/18/A.F.5/113

22 Dec. 1919

Bank of Montreal
47 Threadneedle St
E.C.S.

Gentlemen:

Lieut. W.S. King, R.A.F.

I am directed to request that you will be good enough to furnish, if possible, the present address of the above named officer

I am, etc
(Initial) C.R.P.
for Controller of Munitions Finance

Bank of Montreal

47 Threadneedle St
London, E.C.4.
24th Dec. 1919

Ref. HHR.4
A.S. 28149/A.F.3/113

Dear Sir:-

Lt. W.S. King, R.A.F

We are in receipt of your letter of 22nd instant and regret that we are unable to furnish you with the address of the above named officer

Yours faithfully,

(sd) J.A. CRAWFORD

Assistant Manager

The Controller of Munitions Finance
Room 35
1 Clement's Inn
Strand, W.C.2

960-Room 35
1 Clement's Inn
Strand
A.S.28149/18/A.F.3/113

1st Jan. 1920

Lt. W.S. King,
(Late Royal Air Force)
c/o Ministry of Militia
St. John
Newfoundland

Sir :-

I am directed to refer to the period of your service in this Department, dating from 1.4.18 and to inform you that it has been ascertained that whereas pay as under was issued to you from Royal Air Force Funds by Messrs. Holt & Co.

Pay 1.8.18 - 31.7.19 at 2400 p.a.....2400.0.0
Bonus 1.2.19 - 31.7.19 at 4/- per diem..... 354.0

	436.4.0
Less income tax.....	27.8.1
	<hr/> 408.5.11

also

You have/been paid continuously by the Newfoundland Government

I am therefore to request you to remit to Messrs. Holt & Co, 6 Whitehall Place, S.W. the above named sum (2408:15:11) which is crown money in your hands and to advise me when such action has been taken accordingly

I am, etc
(Sd) C.B. Pledger
for Controller of Expenditure Finance

960

Room 35 Clement's Inn
Strand

A.S. 28149/18/A.F.S/113

18th February, 1920

Lieut. W.S. King
(Late Royal Air Force)
C/o Ministry of Militia
St. John's,
Hild.

Sir:-

I am directed to request that you will be good enough to furnish a reply to my letter of the 1st inst. (copy attached)

I am, etc.

Sd C.R. Pledger
for Controller of Munitions Finance

960

Room 35,
Clement's Inn
Strand

A.S. 28149/18/A.F.3/115

25th February, 1920

Lt. W.S. King
(Late Royal Air Force)
C/o Ministry of Militia
St. John's, NZB.

Sir:-

I am directed to request that you will be good enough to furnish a reply to my letter of the 1st ulto a copy of which is attached

I am, etc

Sd. C.R. Pledger

for Controller of Munitions Finance

707

Room 35
2 Clement's Inn
Strand

For the attention of Mr. Mellison

Gentlemen:

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 18th ultimo, in the matter of Lieut. W.S. King, R.A.F., and to inform you that a letter (undated) has just been received from this officer as copy attached

I am to add that a further letter has been forwarded to Lieut. King, as copy herewith, and I will advise you as soon as a reply is received.

I am, etc
Sd. C.R. Fledger

for Controller of Munitions Finance

Messrs. Holt & Co.
Whitehall
S.W.1.

707

Room 35
2 Clement's Inn
Atrani

A.S. 28149/18/A.F.3/113

17th May, 1920

Sir:-

I am directed to inform you that no reply has been received to the Ministry of Munitions letter of 5th March, of which I enclose copies for easy reference, and to request that the matter may have immediate attention.

I am, etc

(intld) C.R.P.

for Accountant General
Ministry Munitions.

Lt. W.S. King
Box 22, West End P.O.,
St. John's, Afd.

707

Room 35
2 Clement's Inn
Strand

For attention of Mr. Melison

Gentlemen: Lieut. W. S. King.

With reference to your letter of the 3rd instant, in the matter of the above named officer, I am directed to inform you that the refundment has not yet been obtained, but that the case is still a subject of correspondence.

Every effort is being made to expedite settlement

I am to add with reference to the first paragraph of your letter that a communication was addressed to you on the 15th March, forwarding copy of Lieut. King's letter to the Ministry of Munitions and Ministry of Munitions reply thereto

I am, etc
Ed C.R.P.

for Accountant General
Ministry of Munitions

Messrs. Holt & Co.
Whitehall Place
S.W.



C.R. 0-58

October 5th, 1921.

Dear Colonel Rendell,

I enclose herewith Despatch No 121 of the 11th August, from the Secretary of State, with copy of a letter from the Disposal and Liquidation Commission, relative to certain over-payments made to Lieutenant W. S. King of Newfoundland. From the correspondence, you will notice that Lieut. King has been asked to make refund, but up to the present, he has taken no steps to do so. It is desired that action may now be taken through the appropriate official channels to induce him to make the required refund.

Will you kindly see what can be done in this connection, and before you make formal reply to this Office, will you kindly call upon His Excellency the Governor who would like to see you about the matter. Please return the enclosed papers with your report.

Yours sincerely,

Deputy Colonial Secretary.

Lieut-Col. W. F. Rendell, C.B.E.,
Chief Staff Officer,
Dept. of Militia.

C.R. 0-58

Extract from telegram sent to Synoptical, London

Oct 10th, 1919.

In answer to your telegram Oct. 8th King
unable to authorize payment under Canadian Regulations
Minister out of town; will hold action for present.

1921

The accompanying Victory Medal and/or British War Medal

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

Fold Here

Signature

Date

Address

C.R. 0-58

SEP 9 1921

1921.

The accompanying Victory Medal and/or British War Medal

is/are forwarded herewith to

Wm. S. King

in respect of his service as No. _____ Rank 8/Lieut.

Name W.S. King

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Nfld. Forestry Corps

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Address P.O. Box 22 Westport N.S.

[P.T.O.]

11746/71B/P&A.

The Minister of Militia,
St. John's,

FM/FK.

13th October

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NEWFOUNDLAND.

LIEUT. W. KING.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Exchange of telegrams
is confirmed:-

(1).
Received 30/9/19 (332).
"Synoptical, London.
Up to what date was
"allotment of pay-paid to-
"wife of-Lieut. King-fullstop.
MILITARY".

(2).
Despatched 6/10/19 (354).
"Military, St. John's.
Reference your telegram
"29th September-allotment
"of pay-Lieut-King-paid to-
"August 1st.

SYNOPTICAL.

See Last Pay Certificate
(Allotment) sent to you shortly
after Mrs. King's embarkation,
showing Allotment of Pay and
Separation Allowance to 1/8/19
inclusive, please.

Major.
Chief Staff Officer (London).

N.F.P./88.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

TELEGRAM ~~Fulltext~~/extract from MINISTER OF MILITIA,

No. AZ 35/29 Dated 29/9/19(^{P&RO}~~332~~), received 30/9/19

Decoded by J.C. Checked by J.M.

Branch Pay Acted upon (Initial)

Acknowledged per No. Dated ././

972

Up to what date- was- allotment of pay- paid to- wife of-
Lieut- King- fullstop-

MILITARY

*Ans. covered
6.10.19
E.H.*

N.F.P./104.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

TRANSLATION ~~of the text~~/extract of TELEGRAM to MINISTER of MILITIA,

No. 354 6/10/19 M. of M. Reply No. _____ d/d / /

Coded by E.W. Branch Pay Checked by P.H.

Reference your telegram 29th September- allotment of pay-
Lieut- King- paid to- August 1st-

SYNOPTICAL

CODE WORD:

TRANSLATION:

N.F.P./104A.

Coded by E.H. Checked by P.H. No. 590 Date 6-10-19

NOTE: To ensure accuracy and facilitate speed, all words appearing in the text of the telegram should be written in this column.

To

Military

UNRIGGING

Ref. your tely. 29th September

AFAGAMOS

allotment of pay

LARDCOOLER

Lieut.

KING

King

PANURGY

paid to

APTISTA

1st August

Following to be filled in by Typist despatching Telegram:-

The above paragraph was included in Telegram No. 354 Dated 6/10/19.Signature: [Signature]

4275

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 1 (Rank) Lieut (Name) W.S. King
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in required form,
 to make an Allotment of One dollars and — cents
 per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned
 Person and/or Persons. Such payments to be made on proof of identity
 of the Person and/or Persons concerned, viz.:

Whether Wife, Child, other Relative, or Friend.	NAME (In full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person) \$	\$
wife	Rona King	Johns Payne West Street Islham Camps West & Ly.	1	00
			1	—

This Allotment to take effect from and including 16-3-1918

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

(S) Sgt. Rabanus
Officer Commanding
" Lieut Coy.

Dated at
Bedford Row
15-4-1918

(S) W.S. King Lieut.
Allotter

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTALLOTMENT

I, (No.) (Rank) Lieut (Name) W.S. King
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in required form,
 to make an allotment of 1.00 dollars and cents
 per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned
 Person and/or Persons. Such payments to be made on proof of identity
 of the Person and/or Persons concerned, viz.,

Whether Wife Child, other Relative, or Friend	NAME (In Full.)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person)	
			\$	c
<u>Wife</u>	<u>Seeley Ronah King</u>	<u>40 Mrs. G. Payne West Street Isleham. Lands. West Ely</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>00</u>
	<u>First payment to be made 2/5/18.</u>		<u>\$</u>	<u>100</u>

This Allotment to take effect from and including 16.3 - 1918.

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 signed by the Officer Commanding his Company, and forwarded to the
 C/Paymaster in accordance with P.&R.O. C.L./10, 9/12/18.

Ed. Breen
 LIEUT. COLONEL.
 COMMANDING 2ND BN ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
 Officer Commanding,
 Company.

Dated at



(Sig.)

W.S. King
 Allotter.



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

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

MEMORANDUM.

No. 11746/718/P&A.

C.P. 0-58

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

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

FM/FK. 13th October 1919.

SUBJECT:

LIEUT. W. KING.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated **November 14th, 1919** 191

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

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is confirmed:-

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SYNOPTICAL.

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showing Allotment of Pay and
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inclusive, please.

H. D. Munn
Major.
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Noted, please.

W. T. Rendell
Lieut. Col
for
Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
Ref. Nos IN	6289
Rec'd	2. DEC 19'9
Acc'd	Ans'd
Ref. Nos. 001	
APPROVED UPON	
SEARCHED	INDEXED BY
Comd	<i>H</i>
P.E.	
R & G	
R & F	
P.S.	



M.F.A.3

C.R. 0-58

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
AND QUOTE NO.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

Sept. 18th, 1919

To: *Lieut. W. King*

I should be glad if you will hand
your Newfoundland Commission into this Department for the
purpose of having the date of your retirement in the
Newfoundland Gazette entered thereon

Capt.
for Chief Staff Officer

*Commission received
24/9/19
v. returned*

85-0
Feb. 7th. 1920

Lieut. Wm. King,
c/o Geo Knowling, Ltd.,
(Hardware Dept)
Water Street

Dear Sir:-

Forwarded under cover of this letter please find miniatures of the 1914-15 Star and General Service Medal. These have received from our London Office as per your application for same.

The charges in connection with these miniatures have not yet been received, but notification will be sent you when they come to hand.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,
Chief Staff Officer

RECEIPT.

C.R.

~~837~~

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

0-5'8

STAR.

No

837

Name

Whine

Witness.

H. G. Jones

Date

Dec 3/19

Place

C.R. 0-58

Extract of Militia Orders No. 54 dated September 9th 1919,
by the Hon. A.E.Hickman, Minister of Militia.

RETIREMENT.

The following is retired with effect from
the date set opposite his name, and is placed on the
Reserve of Officers.

Lieut.W.King. September 3rd 1919.

C.R. 0-58

Exptact from telegram received from Synoptical
London, Oct.30th,1919.

Expedite reply to the following

My telegram Oct.8th King.

Copy

245/0-49

C.R. O-58

Chief Staff Officer,
Pay & Record Office,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W.1.

Dec.10th, 1919.

MINIATURES DECORATIONS.

Military Cross, 1914-15 Star
British War Medal, Allied Medal.

We have received application from
Lieut. E.R. Chafe for the above decorations
in miniature. Please forward that of the
Military Cross, and as the others are ob-
tainable forward them also.

Lieut. W.King has also applied for the
1914-1915 Star, British War Medal, and
Allied Medal: Kindly take note of these as
well and have them sent when procurable.

Any other applications received in this
relation will be forwarded to you, please.

Lieut. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.

Original in O-49

C.R. 0-58

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

REPATRIATION DRAFT NO. 95.

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

Lieut. W.S. King, wife and 2 children.

Authority:

Chief Staff

CR.

0-58

Extract of Telegram from Synoptical dated October 8th.

With reference to my letter August 29th King in consultation with Lt.Col.Rendell unless you telegraph to the contrary proceeding in accordance with Canadian regulations ,

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DUPLICATE.Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.Telephone :
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REPLY

Dated November 14th. 1919

191

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Major.
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Noted, please.

Minister of Militia.

No. 531

Received from

Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as on the Receipt Form bearing the above No.

Office }
Stamp }

A REGISTERED POSTAL PACKET

Addressed—

Lieut. W. C. R. O-58
Army

(R. 8061)

South Sea

Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as above...

AS 26/9/19

CR. 0-58

Extract from telegram from Military to Syn., London
dated Sept. 29th 1919.

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C.R. 0-58

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

Following have embarked "Sachem" from Liverpool
Lieut. King, wife and 2 children.

C.R. 1-58

RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

One box and part aeroplane propeller.

Signed.......... Date.....18/9/19.....

Please sign and return to Department of Militia.



C.R. 0-58

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

September 3rd., 1919.

From:- D. M. S.
To :- C. S. O.

Lieut. Wm. King.

Herewith please find Proceedings of Medical Board - in triplicate - on the marginally noted Officer.

Cluny Macpherson

AMB.

Major, D. M. S.

ENCLOSURE.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD.

Assembled at St. John's, Newfoundland on SEPTEMBER 2ND., 1919.

by order of the Minister of Militia, Newfoundland, for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of:

(Rank and Name) LIEUT. WM. KING (Corps) ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND

Age _____ Service _____ Disability _____

Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability _____

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back hereof, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that:

HAD DYSENTERY IN BALLIPOLI 1916. OCCASIONAL ATTACKS. HAD ENTERIC FEVER AND WHEN HE CAME OUT OF HOSPITAL FELT RIGHT LEG DEAD ALONG OUTER SIDE OF THIGH. NOW INTERFERES WITH WALKING ANY DISTANCE. HAD APPENDICITIS FEBRUARY 1918. PULSE 84.

The Opinion of the Board upon the questions herein is as follows:—

- (1) a. Is the Officer fit for "General Service?" **NO**
 - b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? **SIX MONTHS**
- (2) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for Service at Home? **YES**
 - b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for Service at Home?
 - c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for Light Duty at home?
 - d. If not so fit, is he likely to be unfit for Light Duty at home?
 - e. Is the Officer fit to perform any duties not coming within the above categories? If so specify the nature of the duties which he might perform.
- (3) Was the disability contracted in the service? **YES**
- (4) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? **YES**
- (5) Was it caused by military service? **YES**
- (6) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? **INFECTION**
- (7) At present his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the General Labor Market is lessened by: (Extent should be stated as Total, 4-5, 3-5, 2-5, 1-5, or NOTHING.
 - a. In and by Military Service. **LESS THAN 5%**
 - b. By other causes.

(Sgd) **N. S. FRASER** President.
J. SINCLAIR TAIT
L. PATERSON, MAJOR.

(SGD) **CLUNY MACPHERSON, MAJOR.** Members.



APPROVED

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APPROVED

(SGD)

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President.

(SGD)

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(SGD) **H. S. FRASER**
E. SINCLAIR TAIT
L. PATERSON, MAJOR.

President.

(SGD) **OLUNY MACPHERSON, MAJOR.**

Members.



C.R. 0-58

**Extract from Casualties received from Pay and Record Office,
London dated 19th. March 1919.**

Lieut. W. S. King, attached R.A.F., writes on 18/3/19 that his
address is now.

A.C.S. Depot R.A.F.,
West Drayton,
Middlesex.

C.R. 0-58

AUGUST 22nd 1919.

Mr. Jas. King,
Southside Road.

Dear Sir:

I beg to inform you that word has been received from the Record Office, London, to the effect that Lieut. King, wife and two children embarked per "S.S.SACHERN" from Liverpool on August 20th.

Yours faithfully,



Lieut.
for Military Secretary.

C.R. 0-58

Extract of Casualties from Pay & Record Office, London.
dated March 5th/19.

Lieut. W. S. King.

attached R.A.F. writes on 4/3/19 that his address is now:

A. C. S.,
R. A. F. Depot,
Pulham St. Mary,
NORFOLK.

AUTHORITY:

(As above)/

COPY.

C.R. 0-58

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MOVEMENT.

OFFICER.

2/Lt. W.S. KING 1st Nfld. Regt. (att. Observer R.F.C.)
returned to England from the B.E.F. 30-7-17 and reports
for duty at Reading, 9-8-17.

C.R. 0-58

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 By. Lt. Col. R.A. Berners,
D.S.O. Commanding 2nd Bn. Royal Nfld. Regt. 18-4-18.

The undermentioned is hereby granted permission to ~~have~~
pastmarriage. He was married to Miss Rena Payne, West
Street, ~~St. John's~~, with effect from 18-2-18.

Lieut. W.S. King.

C.R. 0-58

Code telegram received from Pay & Record Office, London,
September 7th. 1917.

"2nd. Lieut. King attached Royal Flying Corps
promoted temporary Lieutenant dating from Aug.
1st. authority London Gazette of Aug. 31st."

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Code telegram received from Pay & Record Office, London,
September 7th. 1917.

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"2nd. Lieut. King attached Royal Flying Corps
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To

On Newfoundland Government Service**MILITARY****STJOHNS (Newfoundland)***VANWIG***LARDOME KING ATTACHED ROYAL FLYING CORPS PROMOTED LARGACRE DANKTAG APTISTA****AUTHORITY GEMBERPOT ARACHNIDES****SYNOPTICAL**

Translation:-

2/Lieut- King- attached- Royal Flying Corps- promoted-temporary
 Lieut- dating from- August 1st- authority- London Gazette of- August 31-

CONFIRMATION**MAILED: 8/9/17.***Handwritten initials***NOT TO BE
TELEGRAPHED.**

Having read the Conditions printed upon the back of this form, I request that the above Telegram may be forwarded according to the said Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

Signature.....

Address.....

68 Victoria St. S.W. I.**CABLE ADDRESSES, REGISTERED IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD (OR WITH ANY COMPANY),
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C.R. 0-58

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No 7848

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. (1),
1917

To: H.G. the Governor.

With the compliments of:
PAYMASTER & OFFICER i/c RECORDS.

Copy

Serial No.4.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

MOVEMENT

Officer.

2nd Lieut. W.S. King, 1st Newfoundland
Regiment, (att. Observer, R.F.C.)
returned to England from the B. E. F.
30/7/17, and reports for duty at Reading,
9/8/17.

Authority:-

2/Lt. W.S.King.



P R O M O T I O N .

Extract of Regimental Order dated September 11, 1917.
By Lieut.Col.Sir. W.E.Davidson, K.C.M.G., Officer Commanding.

Second Lieutenant King,
attached Royal Flying Corps. To be Temp.Lieutenant.

The above promotion to date from August 1, 1917.

C.R. M-25-15
John Cow
0-58

Air Board Office,
Strand, W.C. 2.

87/R.F.C./415. (O.3.b.)

27th May 1917.

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

I am directed to inform you that 2/Lt. W. S. King,
of the Newfoundland Contingent, has been appointed Flying Officer
(Observer), R.F.C., with effect from 20th May 1917, with
seniority from 23rd February 1917.

signed.

Major,
for Director of Air Organisation.

C.R. 0-58

P R O M O T I O N .

Extract of Regimental Order dated August 8, 1916.
By Lieut.Col.Sir.W.E.Davidson, K.C.M.G., Officer Comdg.

#837 Sergt. W. F. King.
to be Second Lieutenant.

The above promotion to date from July 22, 1916.

C.R. 0-58

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#837 Sergt. W. F. King.
to be Second Lieutenant.

The above promotion to date from July 22, 1916.

APR 1 1916

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that additional information has to-day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 837, Corporal W. S. King, who was previously reported at Wandsworth, Dec. 29, suffering from enteric, is now fit for duty and was granted furlough Feb. 21.

This information has been received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. James King,
Southside Rd.

Colonial Secretary.

Extract of Casualty List received from P.A.P.O.
Feb. 2nd. 1916.

The following man has been discharged from the 3rd London Gen.
Hospital as fit for duty, proceeds on furlough as defined below.

837, Sgt. W.S. King. ✓

Furlough: 21/2/16.- 2/4/16.

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December 29, 1915.

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that additional information has to-day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 837, Corporal William S. King, who was previously reported as being in Hospital, Abbassia, Cairo, his case not having then been diagnosed, has now been admitted to the Third London General Hospital, Wandsworth, suffering from enteric.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. James King,
South Side Road.

Colonial Secretary.

~~C.R. 837~~

M-25-15

Extract of Casualty List received from P&R O.London Dated Dec.28th
1915.

837 Sergt. W.S.King

1st. Nfld. Regt. Adm. to 3rd. L.G.H. Wandsworth S.W. From Hospital
Ship _____ Dec,26th. 1915.....Enterac.

✓
K(8)

M

—December 2, 1915.

Dear Sir,

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that—No. 837,

~~Corporal William S. King, was admitted to Fifth Canadian Stationary Hospital, Abbassia, Cairo, on Oct. 21st, but that his case had not yet been diagnosed. This information was received by mail.~~

I trust that later reports will bring news of his convalescence.

Any further information received at this Office as to his condition will be at once notified to you.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. James King,
Southside, Rd.,
St. John's.

Colonial Secretary.

PROMOTION.

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

#837 L/CPL. W.S. KING, D CO.,
TO BE CORPORAL.

THE ABOVE COMMISSION TO DATE FROM JULY 2, 1915.

C.R.

837
6-58

Extract from Nominal Roll of "D" Co. 1st Bn. Royal Field
Regt E embarked at Devonport 20-2-15.

Machine Gun Section.

837 Sgt. W. King.

Disembarked at Alexandria 31-8-15 proceeded to Abbassia,
Cairo, same date Embarked at Alexandria for Gallipoli
15-9-15.

CR. 0-58

Extract from Nominal Roll of Warrant Officers and
N.C.O'S of the 1st Wfld. Regt.

837 W.S. King.

Promoted to L/Cpl. Feb. 24th, 1915.

" " Cpl. July. 2, 1915

C.R. 0-58

Extract of Nominal Roll of Draft embarked for
Oversens per S.S. Stephens March 20th 1915.

No. 6. Platoon.

Lance Corporal 837 W.S. King

PROMOTION.

Extract of Regimental Orders.

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

Dated Feby. 24th. 1915.

PTE. W.S.KING.

To be L/Corporal.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) _____ (Rank) Serjeant (Name) H. S. King
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in required form,
 to make an allotment of 1.00 dollars and _____ cents
 per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned
 Person and/or Persons. Such payments to be made on proof of identity
 of the Person and/or Persons concerned, viz.,

Whether Wife Child, other Relative, or Friend	NAME (In Full.)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person) \$ c
<u>Wife</u>	<u>Rosa King</u>	<u>West Street St. John's Comer. West Ely.</u>	<u>1 00</u>
	<u>None</u>	<u>Payment not made 12/4/18</u>	<u>\$ 1 00</u>

This Allotment to take effect from and including 16-3- 1918

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

H. S. King
 (Sig.) _____
 Officer Commanding _____
 Company _____

NOTED
[Signature]
 Date 15/4/18 - Coy

COMMANDING 2ND BATTAL
 Dated at St. John's
15.4.18
 ORDERLY ROOM

1 COY. COLONEL.
 ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

(Sig.) [Signature]
 Allotter.

No. _____

Date Feb. 21st 1916

- (1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria StreetWestminster (Station.)

- (2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland ContingentAy 2 (Station.)

- (3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria Street (Station.)Regimental No. 837Rank and Name Sgt King W. S.Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundlandhas been granted a furlough from Feb. 21st to April 2ndHis address while on leave will be:— Convalescent Entic
(6 temporary Entic complete)58 Victoria StreetWestminster S.W.

This man has been furnished with a warrant to Victoria & given
an advance of £1 (one pound)

I consider he is fit for* Duty.
 Light duty.A. Hope Gosse Capt. R.A.M.C.T.Officer in charge Registrar R.A.M.C.T.
8rd London General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S.W. (Station.)

* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Statement of Account of **Lieut. King, W. S.**From **18/5/17** to **19/5/17**

(both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No. **20/5/17 Consolidated Pay \$6.00 per day**

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount		Dr.			Cr.		
				\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	Cr.										
	Balance from last a/c										
	12/5/17 - 19/5/17	8	2 00		16 00						
	Pay 20/5/17 - 22/5/17	3	5 40		16 20						
	23/5/17 - 31/5/17	101	6 00		606 00						
	Field Allowance paid in advance to 22/5/17 on proceeding overseas to BEF Mess	8	4/-						1	12	0
	Flying Pay 23/2/17 - 11/5/17	86	50		45 00						
	@ \$ 4.86 $\frac{1}{2}$			\$	681 20				139	19	5
	Dr.										
June	8) Balance from last a/c					26	4	5			
July	6)					35	17	11			
Aug	3)					28	0	11			
"	31)					30	9	0			
May	5 Postage on parcel to BEF						1	0			
Aug	14 Carriage on Suit case to Reading							11			
	Rations drawn 20/5/17 - 31/5/17	104	1/9		9 2 0						
	Allotment	112	70 78	40	16 2 2						
	Totals					145	18	4	141	11	5
	Debit Balance								2	4	11
	Credit "										
	PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W.,										
	22nd, Sept 1917										
	Checked by <i>[Signature]</i> £					145	18	4	141	11	5

Lieut. King, W. S.

18/5/17

19/5/17

20/5/17 Consolidated Pay \$6.00 per day

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23/5/17 - 31/5/17	101	6 00	606 00

paid in
advance to 22/5/17 on
proceeding overseas to BEF

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Flying Pay
23/2/17 - 11/5/17

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N.F.P./67.

LAND CONTINGENT

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

Aug. 15th 1917

To: A. H. W. King
164, Princes St
Reading.

With reference to your request per ^{PC} ~~N.F.P./55~~, (24462)
11/8/17 the understated package ~~has~~ ^{has} been handed over
to the Transport Officer, ~~London District~~, the Great
Western Railway Company, for delivery at your
risk and expense in accordance with C.L./9, 28/11/16.

Marks	No. of Pkgs.	Description	Contents
164	1	Value	ASD.

Kindly acknowledge receipt hereon, please.

for F. H. Marshall ^{Leit} ~~Major~~
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The packages as stated above have been received by
me.

(Sig.) W. King
Reading
Aug 17 1917

This whole FORM to be COMPLETED, SIGNED, and RETURNED INTACT to:-
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records, 58 Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.

July 24th

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2/Lieut. W. King,

2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.

Newton-on-Ayr.

F.M/W.F.

OUTFIT ALLOWANCE.

Referring to your letter 23/7/18,
£50/ has been placed this day to your credit with the
Bank of Montreal, 9 Waterloo Place, with a request to
forward you direct Pass and Cheque Books. This represents
a round sum on account,- balances due will be deposited
at the close of next Pay Period.

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

8th November,

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2nd Lieut. W.F. King,

2/1st Newfoundland Regiment,

Ayr, N.B.

H.A/C.

ALLOWANCES.

With reference to your letter 4/11/16, please note you have omitted to state your address.

With regard to allowances, the O.C. 2nd Battalion has been referred to, please.

2nd Lieut.
Ass't Paymaster,
for Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

4709/491

Officer Commanding,
2/1st Newfoundland Regt.
Ayr, N.B.

H.T/C.

8th November, 8

2nd LIEUT. W.F. KING.

The attached is passed to you for
reference, please. It is noted that
that no address is stated, and so
far as records here show, 2/Lt.
King is with the 2nd Battalion.

Capt.,

Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

See memo 17/21
6/1/17



OFFICERS' MESS
2/1 NEWFOUNDLAND REGT

Sept 26/16

Capt P. Murrell
Dear Sir

Would you be kind
enough to advance me
fifteen pounds in this month's
pay.

I have some bills
to pay and have no ready
cash in the bank. I cashed
a cheque for twenty five pounds
and lost my pocket-book
with it so you see how I
am situated.

I would be very



OFFICERS' MESS
2/1 NEWFOUNDLAND REGT

Grateful if you would do it
for me. Hoping to hear from
you

I am
Dear Sir
Your Obedient Servant
W. King, 2/1

1ST N. W. FOUNDLAND REGT		INT
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28th September, 6.

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2/Lieut. W. King,

2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,

Newton-on-Ayr, N.B.

HT/NW

PAY

Referring to your letter 26/9/16: the current Pay period closes tomorrow, when your Pay & Allowances will be deposited with your Bankers, which it is hoped will meet the case.

It is regretted that advances cannot be made unless with the consent of the O.C. Battn. Yours appears to be a special case, and perhaps you will submit it to him, please.

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

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7/9/17

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To

On Newfoundland Government Service

MILITARY**STJOHNS (Newfoundland)***VAANWING*

**LARDOME KING ATTACHED ROYAL FLYING CORPS PROMOTED LARGACRE DANKTAG APTISTA
AUTHORITY GEMBERPOT ARACHNIDES**

SYNOPTICAL**Translation:-**

**2/Lieut- King- attached- Royal Flying Corps- promoted-temporary
Lieut- dating from- August 1st- authority- London Gazette of- August 31-**

**NOT TO BE
TELEGRAPHE**

Having read the Conditions printed upon the back of this form, I request that the above Telegram may be forwarded according to the said Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

58 Victoria St. S.W. I.

Signature,

Address,

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[For List of Stations p.p.o.]

January 22nd

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Command Paymaster,

Southern Command,

Salisbury.

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FM/WF

CLAIM FOR RATION ALLOWANCES:

2/Lt. W. S. KING, 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Claim for ration allowance, £3.16. 8,
submitted by the above officer, attached to the Royal
Flying Corps is passed to you for payment.
Authority: A. G. I. 1656 of 1916, please.

Major,
Paymaster & O i/c Records.



War Office,

Whitehall,
Strand, W.C. 2E.

21.2.17.

Mr. King, W.S., 1st Br. New
foundland Regt., is proceeding
overseas, (P.S.F.) as an Observer
on probation, tomorrow.

If he qualifies for that
appointment overseas, he will
be gazetted to the R.T.C. as a
Flying Officer (Observer) later.

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
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W. P. S. Capt. R.T.C.

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War Office,
Air Board Office,
Strand, W.O.
11th March, 1917.

121/E/327 (A.O.2)

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 1st instant, No. 1888/33, forwarding a letter, which is returned herewith, from 2nd Lieutenant W.S. King, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, attached R.F.C., in regard to his promotion, I am directed to inform you that officers of other units of the Imperial Force who are attached for duty to the Royal Flying Corps continue to receive promotion in their own units.

It would therefore appear that the course, which you propose to adopt, of referring the application to Headquarters, St. John's, Newfoundland, is best, in order that his application for promotion in the Newfoundland Regiment may be considered.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sgd) W.J. Ryan, Captain,
for Director of Air Organisation.

The Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
Pay & Record Office,
56, Victoria Street,
S.W.

Metropole Hotel,
Boulogne-sur-Mer.
Feb. 22nd, 1917.

To
Major Timewell,

Sir,

I have the honour to address you; I reported to the R.F.C. for flying instructions by orders from the R.F.C. Headquarters in Oct. 31st/16.

I have now passed my Pilot and Observers graduation exam and have come over seas to the 15th Wing to do my final exams and after three months out here I go back to qualify for my flying certificate or I might qualify out here if I am any good at it.

I was the last officer to leave the depot "Ayr" to report to the R.F.C., and am the first to pass and to go overseas, and in the R.F.C. seniority begins when you proceed over seas, therefore I am the senior officer of the Regt. in the R.F.C.

I understand that you have not received any information from the R.F.C. of my going over seas therefore I am writing to know if you can do anything for me.

You know I am away from the Regt. now and not likely to hear of any promotions that way, I would like you to enquire for me if it's not asking you too much. I am only a 2nd Lieut. now and that is not much now in the R.F.C. and promotions are not very quick here so I hear, so I would feel awfully obliged if you could see what you could do for me in the matter, hoping to hear from you soon.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sgd) W.S. King, 2/Lt.

Add:

W.S. King, R.F.C.
H.Q., 15 Wing,
B.E.F. France.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

MOVEMENTS



2/LT. A. ALCOCK

Proceeded to the B.E.F., 4/2/17.

Auth: 1532/119, O.C. 2nd Bn.

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LIEUT. P. J. CASHIN

Proceeded to the B.E.F., 20/2/17, attached to
178 Machine Gun Co.

Auth: Letter from Lieut. Cashin.

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2/LT. W. E. KING - attached R. F. C.

Copy of Minute from War Office, Strand, W.C.

dated 21-2-17

"2/Lt. King, W.E., 1st Bn. Newfoundland Regt., is
proceeding overseas (B.E.F), as an observer on probation,
tomorrow.

If he qualifies for that appointment overseas, he will
be gazetted to the R.F.C. as a Flying Officer (Observer)
later.

(Sd.) W.F. Ryan, Capt. R.F.C."

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1829/1 Newboundland Contingent,
Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.

1st March,

7.

22nd inst., (1001),

the matter you mention is being taken up, and
you will be further communicated with as may
be practicable.

2/Lt. W.S. King,
R. F. C.,
H.Q., 15 Wing,
B. E. F.

Major,
Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

2588/161

Officer Commanding,
2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
Racecourse,
Ayr.
29/3/17.

HT/NW

22nd March, 7.

2/LT. W. S. KING,
Attd. R.F.C.

With regard to recent verbal reference to this officer's letter 22/2/17, the correct procedure not having been quite clear to me at the time, the matter was referred to the War Office, with result as reflected in enclosed correspondence now submitted for your information and what action you may deem necessary, please.

Noted.

I see no reason at present to recommend 2/Lt. W.S. King for promotion until he has served 12 months as a Commissioned Officer.

(Sd.) C.W. Whitaker, Lt.-Col.
Commanding 2/1st Nfld. Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr, N.B.

Major,
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

1ST N. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
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1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
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Apr 11/17

I have the honor to address you. I would like to know if we are receiving the same rate of flying pay while attached to the "Royal Flying Corps" as the Canadians are receiving. The Canadians get a separate allowance while in the Royal Flying Corps and it is \$6.00 per day and when joining the School of Instruction until they are qualified flying officers they receive 50 cents a day flying allowance, and I believe when we join an expeditionary force we are entitled to flying

pay. This would appear to apply to me as service abroad is concerned. I really think I should get the pay because I do the same work now as I would do if I had my wing. I take all the same risks + get nothing for it.

If its not asking to much of you I hope you will see if you can do any thing for me about it and do not think there is any chance of promotion for me. I think I had ought to be, I was the last to leave the "leaflet" for the R.F.C. and am the first to go out to "France" in this respect to how soon you see.

I am
Your devoted servant
W. King 2nd Lt.

29th, May

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2/Lt. W. S. King,
1st. Newfoundland Regiment,
Headquarters 15th. Wing R. F. C.
B. E. F.

FM/WF

FLYING PAY.

With reference to your letter 11/4/17, (1774)
The following ruling has been received from the Governor
of Newfoundland:-

Pay of Newfoundland Flying Officers.

Finance Committee rule increase of Pay on Canadian
Scale not to apply to Newfoundland Officers until
such Officers actually undertake duties abroad on
the actual fighting front.

Paymaster

Major,
Records.

Telephone: "ADASTRAL, LONDON."

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,

~~War Office,~~

~~Air Board Office,~~

~~Victoria Embankment, E.C.,~~

and the following number quoted.

~~War Office,~~

Air Board Office,
Strand.
W.C.2.

~~Air Board Office,~~

~~Victoria Embankment,~~

~~E.C.~~

87/R.F.C./415.(0.3.b.)

th
27 MAY 1917.

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

I am directed to inform you that 2nd Lieut.
~~W.S. King~~ of the Newfoundland Contingent, has been
appointed Flying Officer (Observer), R.F.C., with
effect from 20th May 1917, with seniority from
23rd February 1917.

*Noted in Loggen
H.A.A.*

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H.P.P. [Signature]

Major.
for Director of Air Organisation.

181 N. WFOUL DIA W. REGIMENT	
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6.30 PM

10 AUG



Sgt. Durr

90 Pay & Record Office
58 Victoria Street
London SW

would you send me
my leather bag
which is at your
place and add
it

165 King Road
Reading

~~Send~~

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	4402
Rec'd.	11/8/17
Ack'd.	JFB
Ans'd.	
File No.	

13/5/17
JFB

8372/1

16th, August

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Miss R. Payne,

Hand & Spear Hotel,

Weybridge, Surrey.

14 8 17 4491

2/Lt. W. S. King, 1st. Newfoundland Regt.

attached R. F. C.

his present address is 165, Kings Road, Reading.

105 K
R
Reading.
\$in,

Land & Spear Hotel
Weybridge
Aug 14th 1914



Could the War Office kindly give
me any news

2nd St. W. & King
1st Newfoundland Post.

add to the R. F. C.

as recently my letters to him
have been returned. Thanking
you for a reply

yours
Truly
R. Payne

4491
16/8/17
16/8/17



5 Reserve Sqdn

ROYAL FLYING CORPS.
CASTLE BROMWICH,
NEAR BIRMINGHAM.

King
sent
23/9/17

Sept 6/17

Dear Crocker

I am very sorry
to annoy you but I have
heard the H. Marshall has
gone home & I don't know
who is in charge so I want
you to ask Mr. S. Sevier
when he has much money
he puts into the Bank for
me

I sent my love to

up to the bank + for Aug 3rd
they put in \$28-0-11 I don't
think that is right @ \$6.00
per day for me month or is
it 26 days

And nice for ask
him if he did put in
that back pay of mine
from Feb 21st to June 5th for
know this is a hell of a hole
for money + I want all I
can get

I am expecting to
go up solo this + tomorrow evening
I've only done 45 min case yet
so long for now
Tom King

my letters to him returned
and they were sent in
August so I would be
very much obliged if
you could send me
his present address in
France. His last address
I got was:-

B Flight, no. 3 Squadron
R. F. C.
France.

I am enclosing stamped
addressed envelope.
An early reply will
much oblige.

W. J. Conitt-Douglas

10 DEC 1917

10/12/17

Ado
10/12/17

5th
Flying Squadron
Easton Bromwell
near Birmingham

HAZELBANK,

ST. ANDREWS,

FIRE.

8/12/17

Could you tell me if
anything had happened
to 2nd Lieut. Wm. King?
He belonged to the
Newfoundland Regiment
but transferred to the
Flying Corps a year
ago and left England
for France some time
last March. The last
letter I got from him
was in July and this
morning I got two of

Noted
Lodges
Nauhall
New Anderson



Henry
Jan 9/15

I am in here for
an appendix
but don't have to say I
am in here will find
I got those papers
O.K. I say all these any
letters for me there I will
will get send them on to
me here

add
90 ~~First~~ ~~Part~~ ~~Hospital~~
Wanchelie fl

Mr King was in here 9²/₁₈
and said he was on
3 wks. leave.

JSS

Noted: Ledger JH
Van. Roll. ASH
Postal W

25th January

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1283/1/P&A

Lieut. W. L. King,
Hursley Park Hospital,
Winchester

Hospital Stoppages.

With reference to your letter to 2/Lt. H. A. Anderson, 22/1/18 (863) Officers admitted to Hospital suffering from sickness other than Venereal Disease are not subject to any stoppage of pay or allowance, by this Office, but if admitted on account of sickness other than wounds or sickness received on active service are required to contribute 2:6d per day, towards their maintenance in Hospital. This is payable to the Imperial Command Paymaster, on receipt of a receipt from him.

Hursley Park Hosp.
Winchester

[Handwritten initials]

Dear Anderson

May 27th 18

I say is it right that
I have to pay while I am
in this hospital I have heard
some rumors to this effect
I dont know if its true
or how much if its true
that I am supposed to
pay I say there is another
chap just came in under
an Anesthetic on its chest
I dont know how

I would be happy
Here now I am fed up
with it already & they
won't let me get up
yet its a damn shame

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT,
PAY & RECORDS OFFICE.

R.F. Nos. in *263*

Rec'd 24 JAN 1918

Ack'd _____

Ref. Nos. 001

1283/ P.A.

25/1/18

James King

4162/2/P&A



Lieut. W. S. King,
R.Nfld. Regiment,
Att.R. F. C.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

With reference to your letter 11/3/18 (2459): Separation Allowance is granted to the dependants of Officers and other ranks of the Newfoundland Regiment, provided an Officer or Soldier allots 50% of his pay, not including Field and Mess Allowance in favour of the dependant for whom the allowance is claimed.

The amount you will be required to allot in favour of your wife is \$1.00 per day, i.e., half the Regimental pay of your rank. N.F.'s P 82 & 85 are enclosed for completion and signature of your Commanding Officer, through whom the claim should be submitted.

It is noted that you have an allotment of 70 cents per day payable to your mother in Newfoundland. Is she in receipt of Separation Allowance on your behalf? If Separation Allowance is not being paid to your mother do you wish the allotment of 70 cents to remain in force? With regard to the last question: If your mother is in receipt of Separation Allowance from the Newfoundland Government, the issue to your wife can only become admissable from the date the issue to your mother ceases.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

SUSPENSE

CLEAN

NEWFOUNDLAND COY. IN REG'T,
53, VICTORIA ST. REG'T,
LONDON, S.W. 1.
ENGLAND.

Officer Commanding,
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland
Regiment,
Winchester.

Pay & Record Office,

28th, March 8

W. S. KING,
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,
ATTACHED R. F. C.

For [unclear]

The following documents
relating to the above named
Officer's claim for Separation
Allowance are submitted to you
for customary approval,-

- N.F.P/82, Claim for Separation Allowance,
- " /85 Application for consent to past marriage,
- " /11 Allotment in favour of wife.

Marriage certificate.

It may be explained that although this Officer is not at present immediately under your Command, the claim is submitted in view of the peculiarity of his case, he being employed on special duty directly under the Air Force Office and has no immediate O.C. when his claim may be approved.

MEMORANDUM.

From



To

Lieut. W. S. King,
R.Nfld. Regiment,
Att. R. F. C.

Date 14th March 1918

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W. S. King Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

FM/WF

4162/2



2/Lt. W. S. King,
R.Nfld. Regiment,
Attached R. F. C.
14th, March '18

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Separation Allowance

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Recds.

FM/WF

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE
 Ref. Nos. IN 2458
 Rec'd 13 MAR 1918
 Ack'd Ans'd 4162/2/14/3/18
 Ref. Nos. OUI 4162/2

H. Justice
 To Major Innes

ACTED UPON

SEARCHED	DATE	BY
Comd.		
P & A.		
B & E.		

Sir I have the honor to request the information as to whether an officer of the Royal Newfoundland Regt when married is entitled to any other allowance than the ordinary which he receives

The reason of my request is I have been married quite a time now & the other day I was talking to some friend of mine who is an officer in the Canadian forces & they get an extra allowance for being married as he told me

I may say my reason for not writing before was I did not know of this circumstance & I would be very much obliged if you would let me know if we get the same allowance paid us when married thanking you for service

Yours
 Sir

H. Justice
 Major Newfoundland Regt
 and I.C.E.

SUSPENSE

CLEAR

5798/1/P&A

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C. RECORDS.
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
88, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1.

lieut. W. S. King,
R.Nfld.Regt.Att.R.F.C.
Mrs. Rona King,
15th April 1948 West St, Isleham, Cambs.

CLAIM FOR SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

With reference to the above subject: Kindly note that marriage certificate is awaited in support of your claim, and undue delay in forwarding this certificate may prejudice claim being admitted retrospectively from the date of our marriage, please.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Record

PA/WF



Apr 15th 18

Dear Mustell

I am awfully sorry I quite forgotten
all about the certificate until I came
here a few weeks ago so I can send
my ti to you now

I say you need not bother
about the allowance for Feb'y, March that
is my help pay allowance you can
put it in April or I mean take it until &
if there are any more I think its best
possible (and) you could put that in the
same time

I will be up in town this
week so I will come in to see you
sorry to worry you

Yours
King

4854/354/P&A

FORM 101 W. 10/20/1933. 1,000,000. 1/17. L. & Co.

Army Form C. 248.

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

ENCLOSURE

From Officer Commanding,
 2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.
 Hazeley Down Camp.

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

To Officer Commanding,
 2/Bn Royal Newfoundland
 Regiment,
 Winchester.

FM/WF

Pay & Record Office,

28th, March 1918

2/Lt. W. S. KING,
 ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,
 ATTACHED R. F. C.

Apl. 18th 1918

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COMMA. 310 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Herewith documents
 completed.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
Ref Nos. 147	3539
Checked by APP 10/10/18 COLONEL.	
Ack'd by 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.	
Ref. Nos. 001	
ACTED UPON	
BRANCH	DATE
Comd	
P & A ✓	
I. & C	
B & E	
P.S.	

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O I/c Records.

No. 10763

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



H.F.F./55.

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

To: Mrs W. S. King

of Mrs Payne

West St. Isidore
Canals, West Ely.

July 3 1918.

Herewith marriage certificate as
requested

Please acknowledge receipt hereon:

(Sig.) R King

(Date) July 19th 1918.

A. A. Minnow Maj.

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

[Handwritten initials]

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE. (OFFICERS)

Officer Commanding 2nd Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt

Sir:

I have the honour to request consent to my past marriage, and your recommendation for the issue of Separation Allowance to my wife,

Mrs. Rona King

West Street, St. John's, Land. West Ely.

I was married on 18-2-1918 at Newmarket.

My wife's maiden name was Rona Payne

Address at time of marriage: West Street St. John's Land. West Ely Occupation: None

Name and address of parents or guardian at time of marriage: Edward and Rose Payne. {above as above}

I attach herewith my marriage certificate. 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,

[Signature]
Rank Lieut.



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

[Signature] LIEUT. COLONEL.
COMMANDING 2ND BN ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

This document must be signed personally by the Officer Commanding the Unit and forwarded to the Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records, Newfoundland Contingent, 58 Victoria St., London, S.W. 1.

1/4/18
[Signature]

Leut W S King March 1919

Dear Pigott

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Went for dead and my mail
here now I've got another more I'm
doing engineering work. Real some
job what.

How is every thing at the
Office any thing during these times he
remembers me to Crockett and
tell him to drop me a line
about when he is going

A.C.S kept R.A.F.
Wrayton
addresses

W. S. King
casualty
Extracted
19 3/19



ROYAL FLYING CORPS.
CASTLE BROMWICH.
NEAR BIRMINGHAM.

Nov 13th 17

Dear Marshall

I was up to see you
on Friday but you were not
in so I went to see Major
P & I asked him about
that back pay of mine & he
said it was alright that
every thing had been set-
tled & for me to tell you
to have it fixed up so
that is all so good with
love Hutchings to see you

If possible I would
like for you to send it to
me here because I am
dead broke at present
I have drawn all from the
Bank

I am expecting to go
to Mexico soon I don't know
when I am not allowed to fly
myself any more my nerves
are all gone I think I'm going
back observing to Egypt and
more this time hoping this
will be alright

Yours truly
C. King

15-11-

John Marshall
of J.F.K.
at the R.F.C. South Boston
New Bedford

Reference is made to the
The mass have been some
manuscripts in the
concerned in the
but it will be the
main part of
as a part of
to the
to the
petition
the
that
to be
can not
1932
for

I'm sorry to hear that
you are unwell.

Please you may again
have had opportunity of
going into the matter of
your frag again. However
I'm quite certain that it's
hopeless.

I'm sure you have no
doubt to the climate
of Egypt. I find in my
mind a bit of a
trouble with me now.

Your truly
J. Maurice

March 4/15

Miss Piggott.

Will you send my mail
to this address & please to
send it to you before

How is every one
at the office "has been"

Lieut W.S. King

via

A.C.S. R.A.F. kept

Pulham & Ivory

Postcard

subject

W.S.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

1. Regimental No. and Rank	<u>Lieut.</u>
✓ Name (in full)	<u>William Daryl King</u>
Date of Enlistment	<u>1/10/14</u>
Unit	<u>Royal Newfoundland Regt Cdn. R.S.C.</u>
✓ 2. Name(s) of Dependent(s) (in full)	<u>Rona King</u>
Relationship	<u>Wife</u>
Address (If allowance is claimed for children, name and address of person with whom they reside should be stated)	<u>West Street St. John's Cdn. West. Edif.</u>
3. Ages of Children:	
Girls under 17 years	
Boys " 16 "	
4. Children's Guardian	
Address	
✓ 5. Particulars of Allotment	\$ <u>1.00</u> cents per day in favour
Allottee	of <u>Rona King</u>
Address	<u>as above</u>
Date effective from	<u>16 March 1918</u>
✓ 6. Date of Marriage	<u>18-2-1918</u>
7. Have you made previous claim, for Separation Allowance? If so, state particulars.	<u>No. - Not over that allowance was issued</u>
8. Is Separation Allowance being paid in account to anyone in Newfoundland or elsewhere?	<u>No.</u>

9. Name and address of your last Employer.

George Knowles
John St. John 22

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

\$ 50 per month

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

No.

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

No.

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

No.

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement

John St. John



Signature of Officer forwarding this Application.

D. B. ...

Date 18.4.18

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

FOR COMPLETION AT THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Date Marriage Certificate examined

April 19th 18.

Date Birth Certificates (in case of children) examined

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

Examined
J.M.
19/4/18