

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS.
"DEPUTY, WESTRAND, LONDON"

TELEPHONE NUMBERS.

GERRARD OS40
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ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO
THE HIGH COMMISSIONER
FOR NEW ZEALAND

IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO
PENSIONS.
CR/DL.



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES,
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C. 2.

25th July, 1928.

1204

RECEIVED 26 JUL 1928

ANSWERED _____

Sir,

Pension B.1883 - John Lewis - Pte. - 189 - Royal Newfoundland
Regiment.

With reference to my letter of the 26th ultimo, No.997, and
to previous correspondence, I am directed by the High Commissioner
to enclose herewith medical documents relating to Mr. Lewis, which
were supplied to this Department under cover of your letter of the
22nd October, 1926.

I shall be glad if you will kindly acknowledge receipt of the
attached documents.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Toms

Finance Officer. *erj*

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

Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. 189 Army Rank Private

Name John Lewis
(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)

Corps Royal Newfoundland Regiment
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. 2nd Battalion
(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)

Date of discharge February 1918

Place of discharge Hazley Down Camp Winchester

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age 26 years 6 months

Height 5 feet 7 inches

Chest measurement (girth when fully expanded 36 ins. range of expansion 1 1/2 ins.)

Complexion Fair

Eyes Grey


Hair Brown

Trade Farm work

Intended place of residence Penrith
(To be given as fully as practicable) Northumberland
North Wales

Descriptive marks.

Scars below right knee.



(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of being unfit for further service

(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

3. Military character:— Very good.

4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:—

COPY SENT TO
O.C. H.Q.
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
N.F.P. 38, No. 11695/15
DATED 26 MAR 1918

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form B. 469 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer.

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

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

Classification for service, or proficiency pay Class _____

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education

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

(Place) Hazelton Camp

(Date) Feb 23rd 1918 Commanding _____ Battn. LIEUT. COLONEL.
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT

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

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

(Place) Hazelton Camp John Lewis. (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) Feb 23 1918 J. Lewis (Signature of Witness.)

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

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

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

John Lewis. (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to 3/9/18 (the date to which the record of service is completed) 1 years - days.

Further service " " 23/2/19 (the date of confirmation of discharge) 2 " 173 "

Total ... 3 " 173 "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for _____ (date)

(Place) _____

Signature _____

(Date) _____

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

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

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

3) ————— Nil —————

Noted 5.7.16

No. _____

Date Augt 15th 1916

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria St

SW (Station.)

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Infldo.

Augt (Station.)

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria St.

SW (Station.)

Regimental No. 189

Rank and Name. Pte Lewis J.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland Contingent

has been granted a furlough from Augt 15th to Augt 24th

His address while on leave will be :-

58 Victoria St.

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

I consider he is fit for ~~any~~ and liberty to be fit for service overseas
(Light duty. within 3 months.)

Horace Fagan Capt. R.A.M.C.(F)

Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.

Officer ~~in charge~~ London General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S.W. Hospital,

(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.



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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Lewis OF Christian Name John C

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.


Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	191		191	
Declared age	years	days	years	days
Trade or occupation	<u>Farmer</u>			
Height	feet	inches		
Weight		lbs.		
Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded		inches		inches
	Range of expansion			inches
Physical development				
Vaccination marks { Arm	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Number			
When vaccinated				
Vision	R.E. - V =		R.E. - V =	
	L.E. - V =		L.E. - V =	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(v)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)				
(Rank)				
		Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	<u>St Johns Nfld</u>	at	
	on	day of	on	day of
		191		191
Joined on enlistment	Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.
	<u>Newfoundland 189.</u>			
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of	on	day of
		191		191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

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feet inches
O.C. H.Q. lbs.
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
W.F.P. 38. No. 4695/15
DATED 26 MAR 1918



Table II.—Only for admissions to hospital or to the sick list in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

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	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
3 LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH.	4	7	16	15	8	16	G.I.W. Abdomen D.I. slight.	43	From France. Wound below sternum in mid-line. Wound healed. Sent to Loke & Ben postbag.	H. J. W. C. H. H. H. H. Capt. R.A.M.C.
	12	5	17	18	8	17	Scabies	6	limited to left forearm: rapidly cleared away by sulphur ointment	W. S. H. H. H. H. Capt. R.A.M.C.

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Weight		lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measure-ment { Girth when fully expanded		inches		inches
		inches		inches
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Became non-effective by				
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	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
Fairbairn	8	3	15	2	4	15	Measles	26	Treated in City Hospital	W. L. H. G. C. S. R. A. S. C.

Medical Report on an **MILITARY HOSPITAL**
SHREWSBURY

Station _____

Date 1.1.19

- 1. Unit 1st Newfoundland Reg^t
- 2. Regimental No. 189
- 3. Rank Pte
- 4. Name LEWIS. J.
- 5. Age last birthday 24
- 6. Enlisted { on 2.10.14
at St John's Newfoundland
- 7. Former Trade or Occupation } Farmer in Newfoundland
- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—
 - (a) Former Unit;
 - (b) Regimental No.;
 - (c) Date of Discharge;
 - (d) Cause of Discharge.

} **NA**

8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

G. S. W. Abdominal Wall.

Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

Man's statement

9. Date of origin of disability. July 1. 1916 GSW Chest noted in AFB 103

10. Place of origin of disability. Braumont Hamel - Somme.

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case. He was 43 Days in Hospital (AFB, 178) at the 3rd London General Hospital - and after his discharge, with wound healed, from hospital he did L Duty only until Feb. 18 when he was discharged as being unfit for further duty.

He states that he was X-rayed at Shrewsbury Infirmary on 3 occasions between Dec 6-19. He states that the result was negative. He states that the pain is more likely to come on the wet weather & that rest only does it good. Occasionally when he has the pain he gets massage but has not benefited. Yes - to GSW on action.

- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).
- (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
- (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.

NA
NO

Medical Report on an **MILITARY HOSPITAL**
SHREWSBURY

Station _____

Date 1.1.19

- | | | | |
|----------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|
| 1. Unit | <u>1st Newfoundland Reg^t</u> | 7. Former Trade or Occupation | } <u>Farmer in Newfoundland</u> |
| 2. Regimental No. | <u>189</u> | 7A. If with previous service in Army, state— | |
| 3. Rank | <u>Pte</u> | (a) Former Unit; | } <u>NA</u> |
| 4. Name | <u>LEWIS. J.</u> | (b) Regimental No.; | |
| 5. Age last birthday | <u>24</u> | (c) Date of Discharge; | |
| 6. Enlisted | { on <u>2.10.14</u>
at <u>St John's Newfoundland</u> | (d) Cause of Discharge. | |

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12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—
- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).
 - (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war. NA
 - (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c. NO

13. What is his present condition?

Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.

He is well nourished and looks well
Heart & lungs Normal.

14. If the disability is an injury, was it caused—

- (a) In action? **Yes**
- (b) On field service? **Yes**
- (c) On duty? **Yes**
- (d) Off duty? **No**

There is a scar, such as might be made by a bullet, in the epigastrium near the middle line. The scar is not adherent to deeper structures. There is no obvious tenderness to deep pressure & no rigidity of abdominal muscles. The L. liver dulness starts at the 5th Rib in the M.D. axillary line. There is no exit wound & he supposes that the bullet is still inside him. He says that the buckle (braz) of his belt was twisted into a knot.

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?

- If so—(a) When?
- (b) Where?
- (c) Opinion?

No

16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?

No

17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?

Yes—by the M.O. in charge of the Convalescent Home at Esher. He declined.

18. In case of loss or decay of teeth. Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly* attributable to active service?

NA

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

None

20. Do you recommend—

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or
- (b) Change to England?

Already discharged as unfit
on 7th Feb 23.18

M B Baines Capt R.A.M.C.

Officer in medical charge of case.

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith, except †

**MILITARY HOSPITAL
SHREWSBURY**

Station

S. C. Cretney Col

Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date

1. 1. 19.

*Loss of teeth on or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

Notes.—(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as, in the event of the man being invalidated, it is essential that the Minister of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him to decide upon the man's claim to pension.

(ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.

(iii.) *The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is, (A) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (B) due to causes not connected with present war, viz. (1) earlier active service, (2) climatic disease in pre-war service, (3) ordinary military service before the war. It is, therefore, essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.*

(iv.) In answering question 21 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

(v.) A disability is to be regarded as due to climate when it is caused by military service abroad in climates where there is a special liability to contract the disease.

21. (a.) State whether the disability is clearly attributable to—

- (i.) Service during the present war ;
- (ii.) Climate ;
- (iii.) Ordinary military service ;
- (iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c. ; or
- (v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary.

Yes-

No

No

(b.) If due to one of the first three of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it?

CSW in action.

22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so, which?

NA

23. Is the disability permanent?

Yes

24. If not permanent, how soon do the Board recommend re-examination?

NA

25. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed for pension purposes at present?

30%

Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.

26. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

No

27. Do the Board recommend—

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or
- (b) Change to England?

Yes. Already discharged

28. If discharge is recommended it should be stated whether further medical treatment (including orthopaedic training) is desirable in a—

- (a) Sanatorium;
- (b) Hospital;
- (c) Convalescent home;
- (d) Asylum; or
- (e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended.

No

29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 1275 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended?

No

30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person?

MILITARY HOSPITAL
SHREWSBURY

Edlington by Col President.

Station

M. B. Baines Capt Members.

Date

1.1.19

MILITARY HOSPITAL
SHREWSBURY

Station

Administrative Medical Officer.

Date

1.1.19

Cables and Telegrams:
"SYNOPTICAL" London.

Telephone:
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

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

ENCLOSURE

N. F. P/38.
ORIGINAL

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 10129/525/P&A 189

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

To The Minister of Militia

St. John's

Newfoundland

August 1st 1919

WF/BC

SUBJECT:

EX.NO.189 PTE. J. LEWIS

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated 17th, Sept. 1919

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

The following telegram is confirmed:

"Received 12/7/19 (264):
"Synoptical London
"Following from-pensions-begin-
"pay to-189-Lewis-Fifteen dollars
"per month-from-Feb.22nd-up to
"date-Medical Board-result of-
"which-depends on-pension-from
"this (that) date-ends-"

MILITARY".

Report of Medical Board held at Wrexham 3/7/19 is enclosed.

Lewis has been paid at the rate of \$15.00 per month to 3/7/19 (date of re-board) please.

F. W. Marshall
Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Report of Medical Board received and passed to Board of Pension Commissioners; copy of their reply is attached hereto for necessary action thereon, please.

A. E. Niekman
Minister of Militia.

RECEIVED	PAY AND RECORD OFFICE
17 SEP 1919	5586
ACKD	Ans'd
Incl. Nos. 001	
ACTION UPON	
FOR CHIEF	
Comd.	
P&A	2/10/19 <i>W. J. W.</i>
R&O	
Env.	
P.S.	

Sept. 12th, 1919

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

189 J. Lewis

Sir:-

I have the honour to acknowledge your communication of Sept. 1st with attached memo and report of Medical Board from the Chief Staff Officer, London.

Kindly request the Chief Staff Officer to notify Lewis that as the Medical Board states there is no disability at present existing, further pension cannot be granted.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your obedient servant

Sgd. W.H. Parsons
Secretary

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

No. 185/189.

From
MINISTER OF MILITIA,
 ST. JOHN'S,
 NEWFOUNDLAND

July 10th, 1919

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

WF/BC

SUBJECT:

No. 189 Private John Lewis

10167

REPLY

Dated 5th August 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

Forwarded herewith is copy of communication from the Board of Pension Commissioners requesting that \$15.00 per month from 22nd Feb., 1919 to the date of his Medical Board be paid to the above mentioned soldier. Pension from that date depends upon the result of his Medical Board.

A. E. Newman
 Minister of Militia,

See this office memorandum
 10129/525/P&A 1/8/19.

Major,
 Chief Staff Officer (London).

NEWFOUNDLAND MILITIA
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
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C O P Y.

St. John's,

July 4/19

Lt. Col. W. F. Rendell,
Chief Staff Officer,
C I T Y.

Sir:/

I have the honour to acknowledge your communication of June 27th., with attached correspondence received from The Chief Staff Officer, London, relating to the above noted man.

Kindly request Pay & Record Office to pay 189 Pte. John Lewis, \$15.00 per month from 22-19, to the date of his Medical Board, Pension from that date depends upon the result of his Medical Board.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sgd) W.H. Parsons,

Secy.

WHP/GEC.

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

No. 100/189

From
MINISTER OF MILITIA,
ST. JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND

To
Chief Paymaster & O.i/o Records,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
O/O Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria Street,
London S.W.1

March 29th 1919

FM/EK.

8205

SUBJECT:

REPLY

No.189 Pte. John Lewis.

Dated 30th May 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

Reference your No.2081/63/P&A of February 5th, relating to the pension of the above named man, I have received instructions from the Board of Pension Commissioners as follows:

Reference may be made to this office memorandum No.6722/261/P&A, 30/4/19: This is an instance of the impossibility of complying with the wishes of the Pensions Commissioners.

Lewis was discharged 22/2/18. The period of twelve months for which pension was granted expired 21/2/19. Your letter was received 20/4/19, and on recommendation of Major Knight, the memorandum, of which the enclosed is a copy, was sent to the Officer Commanding, 2nd Battalion. Application is now being made to the Ministry of Pensions to arrange for a Medical Board.

"Pay No.189 Pte. John Lewis of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment \$15.00 per month for 12 months from the date following discharge. At the expiration of this period he will be re-examined."

Pending the receipt of A.F.B.179, will you kindly ask the Pension Commissioners to advise as early as possible whether any pension is to be paid to Lewis for the period 22/2/19 to the date of Medical Board and the period after that date to the time their instructions are received here, please.

Minister of Militia.

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
FAB/MP. 3019

COPY OF MEMORANDUM.

From Chief Staff Officer (London).
58 Victoria Street.

To O/C. Depot, R.Nfld.Regt.
Hazeley Down Camp,
WINCHESTER.
(For 2nd Batt).

189 PTE. J. LEWIS.
R. NFLD. REGT.

Will you kindly forward A.F.B/179, report of Medical Board held on the above discharged soldier at Winchester.

Major Knight states that on his discharge he signed a document waiving any claim for pension in respect of disability, but so far no such document has been received here. Kindly endeavour to trace these documents and forward them to this Office as early as possible please.

R.R. Crawford 2/Lt. Major.
For Chief Staff Officer (London).

LONDON. S.W. 1.
22/5/19.

From Officer Commanding.
2nd Bn. Royal Nfld.Regt.

To Chief Staff Officer.
Royal Nfld.Regt.
London. S.W.

There are no documents relating to this man in possession of this Office.

(Signed) A.J. Barton. Lt. Col.
Commanding 2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

WINCHESTER.
26/5/19.

COPY OF MEMORANDUM.

From Chief Staff Officer (London).
58 Victoria Street.

To O/C. Depot, R.Nfld.Regt.
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For Chief Staff Officer (London).

LONDON, S.W. 1.
22/5/19.

From Officer Commanding.
2nd Bn. Royal Nfld.Regt.

To Chief Staff Officer.
Royal Nfld.Regt.
London. S.W.

There are no documents relating to this man in possession of this Office.

(Signed) A.J. Barton. Lt. Col.
Commanding 2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

WINCHESTER.
26/5/19.

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MEMORANDUM.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From 53, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1,
ENGLAND.
O/C Depot R. Nfld Regt.

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

To Hazeley Down Camp.
WINCHESTER.

To The Chief Paymaster,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
London, S.W. 21.

(For Bn)

FM/MC.

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office,

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 2081/63/P&A **C.R.** 189

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

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

FM/BC 5th February 1919.

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SUBJECT:
Ex.No.189 PTE. J. LEWIS.
ROYAL NFDLD. REGIMENT.

REPLY

Dated March 7th., 1919.

Reference Nos.

Copies of correspondence exchanged with Pte. Lewis, Officer Commanding, 2/Battn., Mr. C.S. Woollam, A.D.M.S., Western Command, and the Ministry Of Pensions, are enclosed for your information.

Copies of correspondence and documents received, and passed to Board of Pension Commissioners, whose decision will be communicated to you as soon as received.

The following documents are also enclosed:

- A.F.B/268 A.F.B./179
- A.F.B/178 A.F.B./103

Pending a decision of Lewis's case by the Pension Commissioners provisional Allowance of \$10.00 per month is being issued retroactive from 23/2/19.

Minister of Militia.

Kindly telegraph decision of the Pension Commissioners when available please.

F.H. Marshall Capt.,
Asst. Paymaster,
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Records.

F&E/BC.

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MINUTES OF CORRESPONDENCE.

1/8/18

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY

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10/8/18

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To Mr. J. Lewis, "Gelligason"
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14/8/18

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Chief Paymaster & O.I/c. Records.

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MINUTES continued

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Chief Paymaster & O.I./c. Records.

21328/1/P.&A.

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21/12/18

Mr. C.S. Woollam,
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21288/3/R.&C.

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23/12/18

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MINUTES continued.

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28/12/18

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Posted.....

31544/2462/P.&A

2/1/19

To Officer Commanding,
2/Bn. Royal Wfld. Regt.

INVALIDS: TREATMENT OF.

Copy of letter from the Ministry of Pensions is attached. It is suggested that Captain Knight may take the matter up and if he comes to you for this purpose he can be accompanied by an Officer from here please.

Chief Paymaster & O.I/c, Rds.

(13)

Ministry of Pensions
Millbank.
3/1/19

Sir,

With further reference to the subject of the letter from this Department (D.M. 39282 of the 11th December) in connection with the case of John Lewis late 189 Newfoundland Regiment of Gelligason Llanfair Caereinion, Montgomeryshire. I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to state that he is now advised by the Montgomeryshire War Pensions Com. by whom the case was first brought to notice that this man has never had any pension or gratuity. As was stated in the letter above quoted the Minister instructed the Committee to arrange for this man's treatment and he was in fact admitted to the Royal Salop Infirmary, Shrewsbury, on the 5th Dec. In view of the fact that he has not been awarded either pension or gratuity this man would not, had he been discharged from the Imperial Forces, have been eligible for treatment at the cost of the Ministry of Pensions or would the Ministry had this fact been known have arranged for the provision of treatment in this case without first consulting your Department. In the circumstances I am to enquire what action should be taken by the Ministry in regard to the case. I am also to enquire whether you are yet in a position to favour him with your views upon the general question of reciprocal arrangements submitted in our previous communication.

I am Sir,
Your obedient Servant.
Sgd. ?
Director of Medical Service.

(14)

From D.D.M.S. Western Command.
Chester.

4/1/19

As requested in your letter 216/1/P.&O. dated 20th ultimo please find attached report of Medical Board in the case of 189 Pte. J. Lewis Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Sgd. ? Capt. RAMC for
D.D.M.S. Western Command.

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To the Director of Medical Service,
Ministry of Pensions.
Millbank.

14/1/19

Sir.

EX 189 Pte. J. LEWIS.
Royal Wfld. Regiment.

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from the Local War Committee, Shrewsbury 14/12/18 that his case was again brought to the notice of this office and up to that date the report of the Medical Board held at Winchester has not reached this office. Arrangements were made with D.D.M.S. Western Command to have Lewis appear before a Medical Board which was held at Ghester. The documents since received in this office show his disabilities as 30% these documents are being sent to the Pensions Commissioners in Newfoundland immediately and pending the actual grant of Pension by the Department concerned payments are being made by this office at the rate of 10 dollars per month to be retroactive from the day following the date of discharge from 2/Bn. i.e. 24/2/18 from which any advances which may have been made by your local Committee will be deducted. It will therefore be in order for you to arrange for any treatment that Lewis may require. With regard to general question of reciprocal arrangements between the Imperial & Newfoundland Governments as to the treatment of soldiers discharged in this country. Captain Marshall of this office will meet you on Thursday next time to be arranged by telephone.

I am Sir,
Your obedient servant.

Chief Paymaster "O.I/c," records.



No. 2694/1.

Army Form B. 104-80B

(If replying, please quote
above No.)

~~Newfoundland Contingent~~ Record Office,

~~58, Victoria Street, Station.~~

~~London, S.W.,~~

~~10, July, 191~~ 6

SIR ~~OR MADAM,~~

~~With reference to previous notification~~ I have to inform you that
a report has been received from the War Office to the effect that

(No.) 189 (Rank) Private

(Name) John Lewis

(Regiment) 1/1 Newfoundland is now at

3rd. London General Hospital, Wandsworth S.W.,

suffering from Gun Shot Wound, Chest Wall Right.

Any further information received in this office as to his condition or
progress will be at once notified to you.

I am,

Sir ~~or Madam,~~

Your obedient Servant.

Mr. Humphrey Lewis,
Gelligoson,
Hanfair,

Officer in charge of Records.

Coen via Welshford,

Important.—Any change of address should be immediately notified to this Office.

1-8-18

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MEMORANDUM.

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From

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ANSWER.

Pay & Records Office,

18th March, 1918

1918

SILVER WAR BADGE.

Under registered cover this date I have forwarded your Silver War Badge, ^(No 6) and I enclose the corresponding certificate. Kindly acknowledge.

I beg to acknowledge receipt of registered letter, containing Silver Badge. Recd 19th many thanks.

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

I remain Respectfully
J. Lewis

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MINUTES OF CORRESPONDENCE.

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21544/2482/P.&A

2/1/19

To Officer Commanding,
2/Bn. Royal Wfld. Regt.

INVALIDS; TREATMENT OF.

Copy of letter from the Ministry of Pensions is attached.
It is suggested that Captain Knight may take the matter up and if he
comes to you for this purpose he can be accompanied by an Officer from
here please.

Chief Paymaster &.O.I/c.Rds.

(13)

Ministry of Pensions
Millbank.
3/1/19

Sir,

With further reference to the subject of the letter from this
Department (D.M.39282 of the 11th December) in connection with the
case of John Lewis late 189 Newfoundland Regiment of Gelligason Llanfair
Caereinion, Montgomeryshire .I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to
state that he is now advised by the Montgomeryshire War Pensions Com.
by whom the case was first brought to notice that this man has never had any
pension or gratuity. As was stated in the letter above quoted the Minister
instructed the Committee to arrange for this man's treatment and he was
in fact admitted to the Royal Salop Infirmary, Shrewsbury, on the 5th
Dec. In view of the fact that he has not been awarded either pension or
gratuity this man would not, had he been discharged from the Imperial
Forces, have been eligible for treatment at the cost of the Ministry
of Pensions or would the Ministry had this fact been known have arranged
for the provision of treatment in this case without first consulting
your Department. In the circumstances I am to enquire what action
should be taken by the Ministry in regard to the case. I am also
to enquire whether you are yet in a position to favour him with your
views upon the general question of reciprocal arrangements submitted
in our previous communication.

I am Sir,
Your obedient Servant.
Sgd. ?
Director of Medical Service.

(14)

From D.D.M.S. Western Command.
Chester.

4/1/19

As requested in your letter 21216/1/P.&.O. dated
20th ultimo please find attached report of Medical Board in the case
of 189 Pte. J. Lewis Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Sgd. ? Capt. RAMC for
D.D.M.S. Western Command.

(15)

To the Director of Medical Service,
Ministry of Pensions,
Millbank.

14/1/19

Sir.

EX 189 Pte. J. LEWIS.
Royal Wfld. Regiment.

With reference to your letter D.M.39282 3/1/19 (101)
relating to the above named soldier, Reference to the records in this
office reveals that he was discharged at Haslely Down Camp, Winchester
23/2/18 without proper Medical Board. In reply to an enquiry made by
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the journey was sent to him 14/8/18 it was not until receipt of letter

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Your obedient servant.

Chief Paymaster "O.I/c." records.

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I am Sir,
Your obedient servant.

Chief Paymaster C.O.1/c. Records.

14th August, 8

Mr. J. Lewis, "Gelligasen",

Llanfair C,

Montgomeryshire, ^M Wales.

13099/2/R.&.C.

HB/JC

PENSION.

With reference to your letter of 1/8/18 (6983) on the subject of pension: your discharge having been carried out at Winchester, the matter has been so referred, and you are requested to report to the O.C., 2nd Bn., The Royal Newfoundland Regt., Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester. Enclosed is Railway Warrant for journey.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

12813/1292/R.&.C.

G.P. & O. 1/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.

Officer Commanding,
2nd Bn.,
R. Newfoundland Regt.,
Winchester.

Pay & Record Office,

8th August, 8.

J. LEWIS, ex Pte. 189
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Reference following letter
from above named man; dated
1/8/18 (6983):

"Gelligason,
Llanfair, C
Montgomeryshire.

Just a line in reference to my
pension. I have been discharged
since Feb. 23rd 18. Will you
kindly see what you can do for
me as regard to payment. As
it is very little I am able to
do.

Trusting this will meet
with your approval."

I enclose A.F. B.179 and request
that it may be completed by a
Medical Board, in order that Pte.
Lewis' claim for pension may be
considered. It is further re-
quested that in future, if men
are discharged in this country
on account of physical unfitness,

Vice

Versa.

Hazeley D. Camp,

10th Aug., 1918.

Would you kindly
arrange to have this man
report here as soon as
possible.

(Sd) B. J. BARTON.
Lt.-Col.,
Comdg 2nd Bn.,
R. Newfoundland Regt.

(In. REF. No. 7246)

the opinion of the Medical Board may be furnished to this office in each case, so that such difficulties as the on in question presents may be avoided, please.

Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

HA/NV

From: C. Paymaster & O.i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contgt.
To: O.C., 2/Bn., R. Nfld Regt.

Reference previous Minutes:
Warrant has been issued and Lewis has been asked to report to you as early as possible, please.

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

HB/JC

No. 13146.
Date: 15/8/18.

COPY.

12/12/18.
10,771.

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,
Cromwell House,
Millbank,
London. S.W.1.

11th, December, 1918.

Sir,-

I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to state for your information that he has received an application from one of the Local War Pensions Committees established throughout the country asking whether they may provide the necessary medical and surgical treatment for John Lewis late Private 189 Newfoundland Regiment and now residing at Gelligson, Llanfair, Caereinion, Mont. In reply the Minister has informed the Committee that they may arrange and pay for the treatment certified to be necessary for this man's invaliding disability.

I am further to state that the Minister has been negotiating with the authorities of the Dominion of Canada South Africa, Australia, and New Zealand with a view to arranging that disabled men discharged from Imperial Forces and resident in these Countries shall be provided with the necessary ~~and~~ medical and surgical treatment for their invaliding disabilities in accordance with arrangements made by the Dominion Governments concerned for the treatment of men discharged from their own forces, and also for the purpose of arranging that the Ministry shall reciprocate by providing treatment for men discharged from Dominion contingents who are resident in this Country.

In the case of Newfoundland it is not thought from the number of cases which have come before the Minister's notice that it is necessary to make any formal arrangements. I am, however, to suggest that arrangements with regard to this matter might be made informally, and I propose that as a preliminary discussion on the subject might be held with an Officer from your Department. If you agree will you be so good as to propose time and place.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(Sd) ?
Director of Medical
Service.

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

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.
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3, MARKET STREET, SHREWSBURY, Dec 14¹² 1918

To Chief Paymaster
Newfoundland Contingent
5-8 Victoria St,
London

re John Lewis late no. 189
Royal Newfoundland Regiment
Discharged as Capt. for further service
on Feb 23, 1918

Dear Sir,
I am writing in reference to above

case, to know if you can
kindly let me hear from
him what his position is
in regard to his Pension.

Since his discharge
he has been suffering on & off
from the effect of the wound
in his abdomen & is unfit
to follow his work.

He has not had a
penny piece of Pension &
is now in the Royal Salop
Infirmary at Presbury undergoing
X Ray treatment but without
any allowances. I should be

glad if you would let me
know what Lewis position on your books
as to his pension. I am getting in touch

with the Secretary of the Anti-Tubercular Pension Com^{tee} - there
the man lives & if it is any help can put the case Mrs. May
C. D. willan

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2132B/1/P&A

21st. December,

8.

Mr. C. S. Woollam,
The Border Counties Advertiser,
3, Market Street,
Shrewsbury.

Sir,

EX. NO. 189. PTE. JOHN. LEWIS.
THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your letter 14/12/18 (10,897) relating to the above named Soldier. It appears that he was discharged at Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, without a proper Medical Board-23/2/18.

In reply to an enquiry made by Lewis 3/8/18 it was arranged that he should report to Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, to be medically boarded and instructions to that effect and Railway Warrant were sent to him 14/8/18. Up to the date of receipt of your letter no advice of his having been boarded had been received.

The A.D.M.S. Western Command has now been asked to arrange for him to appear before a Medical Board. Meanwhile it is asked that pending the actual grant of pension by the Newfoundland Government you will arrange to assist him in any way that you can, and supply him with such funds within a reasonable amount, as you may consider necessary and recover payments from this Office.

Thanking you for the assistance already rendered to Pte. Lewis and in anticipation of your further courtesy.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

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

FM/MN.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS:
"SYNOPTICAL"
LONDON.

TELEPHONE:
VICTORIA 147.

PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

68, VICTORIA STREET.

LONDON, S.W.,

20th December, 1918.

COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE
MASTER & OFFICER U.C. RECORDS.
AND THE FOLLOWING NO. QUOTED:

21216/1/R.&C.

To A. E. M. S.,

Western Command,

Chester.

WESTERN COMMAND CENTRAL REGISTER
23 DEC. 1918
No 3/51381/1

SUBJECT: ex 189 PTE. J. LEWIS.
Royal Newfoundland Regt.



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I enclose copies of his Medical History Sheet and A.F. B.103 for your information. If, on completion of the Medical Board, you will kindly return the proceedings to this Office, the matter of his pension will at once be taken up here.

Applicant's present address is:

Gelligason,
Llanfair C,
Montgomeryshire,
N. Wales.

R. A. Thomas Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

HA/NV

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20th December, 8.

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Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records

HA/NV

C.R.W.C. 3/51381/1 (M).

To: 5

Officer in Charge Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
RECORD OFFICE.

148
JAN 1919

As requested in your letter 21216/1/R & C dated
20th ultimo, please find attached report of Medical
Board in the case of 189 Private J. Lewis, Royal
Newfoundland Regiment.

Chester,
4th January 1919.

D.D.M.S. Western Command.

Ack'd

REC'D

ACT

FOR	BY
Capt	
F&C	
R.&C.	
B.&E	
P.S.	

J. A. Martin

Capt R.A.M.C. for,

23rd December,

8.

21288/3/R.&.C.

Mr. J. Lewis,

Gelligason,

Llanfaar C, N. Wales.

PENSION.

On 14/8/18 I sent you a Railway Warrant to proceed to Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester for a Medical Board which was arranged to take place there for you; will you please inform me what you did with the Warrant as it is understood you did not proceed to Winchester?

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

1077

Gelligason
Llanfair Caereinion
Nr Welshpool
Montgomeryshire
North Wales.
23/12/18.

Dear Sir

In ref your letter of
the 23rd 12.18. which came to hand
27th The Railway Warrant was
handed in at Shawford Sta and
I proceeded to Hazelley Down Camp
and reported myself to the Orderly
Room. I was informed to report
to the M. O. and was examined
by him, he also gave me a

Treatment Card. and said my
papers would be sent to P. R. O.
I also received Railway Warrant
to proceed home.

I remain
Yrs. truly
Lewis.

Lewis.
Gelligason
Llanfair Caereinion
Montgomeryshire
North Wales.

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Telephone: Victoria 7750.

Telegraphic Address:

"War Pension, Vic, London."

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

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MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

CROMWELL HOUSE,

MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

11⁵ December, 1918.

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I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

J. C. [Signature]
Director of Medical Service.

MMH.

Telephone: Victoria 7750.

Telegraphic Address:

"Warpension, Via, London"

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Our Ref. No. D.M. 39282.

RECORD OFFICE
1011

1 JAN 1919

AUSU

Ref Nos. 001

Sir, BY

Comd

P.E.

R.&C.

F.P.I.

F.

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

CROMWELL HOUSE,

MILLBANK,

LONDON, S.W.1.

3rd
January, 1919

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I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

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

Director of Medical Service.

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538/3/P.&.A

10th January

9.

The Director of Medical Service,
Ministry of Pensions,
Cromwell House, Millbank,
London.S.W.1.

Sir,

EX. 189 PTE. J. LEWIS.
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It will therefore be in order for you to arrange for any treatment that Lewis may require. With regard to general question of reciprocal arrangements between the Imperial and Newfoundland Governments as to the treatment of Soldiers discharged in this country; The reply to O.C.2/Bn. is not yet available.

I am Sir,

Your obedient servant

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O.I/o. Records

247/2/P&A.

10th January, 9

Director of Medical Service,
Ministry of Pensions,
Cromwell House,
Millbank,
London. S. W. (1).

Sir,-

EX.NO.189, PTE. JOHN LEWIS.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your letter 11/12/18 (10,771) regarding John Lewis, late No. 189, Pte. Royal Nfld. Regiment; It is noted that you have arranged for his treatment which is certified to be necessary. With a view to arranging and insuring that Newfoundland Soldiers, already discharged or about to be discharged in this Country, receive the treatment required for their invaliding disability, efforts are being made to arrange for a representative to visit you in a few days, please.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

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

FM/NM.

RETURN TO

Room No. 21 Branch 9-A

W 5615 RP1025 1A 315 DSG(3200) K18743

14th January 9.

538/3/P.&.A.

The Director of Medical Service,
Ministry of Pensions,
Cromwell House, Millbank,
London, S.W.1.

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It will therefore be in order for you to arrange for any treatment that Lewis may require.

With regard to general question of reciprocal arrangements between the Imperial & Newfoundland Governments as to the treatment of soldiers discharged in this country: 'Captain Marshall' of this office will meet you on Thursday next, time to be arranged by telephone.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant;

Major,
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c. Records

FM/BC

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2954/1/P&A

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gelligason,
Llanfair C,
Montgomeryshire.

19th Feb: 9.

PENSION.

Your claim for pension has been forwarded to the Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland. Pending their decision a provisional allowance of \$10.00 (ten dollars) per month will be paid you from this office retroactive from the day following the date of your discharge.

Postal Drafts for £25:0:6: are enclosed, being amount due for period 24/2/18 - 28/2/19.

Capt.
Asst. Paymaster.
For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Recds.

WF/FK.

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2957/1/P&A

19th February

9.

Mr. C. S. Woollam,
The Border Counties Advertiser,
3, Market Street,
SHREWSBURY.

Sir:-

EX. NO. 189 PTE. J. LEWIS.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to this office letter 21328/1/P&A, 21/12/18 kindly inform me whether you have made any advance to the above ex soldier. If so, and you have any claim to make it is desirable that it should be sent to this office for adjustment as soon as possible. As Lewis is now in receipt of Pension from this office, there should be no further need for him to apply to you for funds.

Thanking you for your kind assistance,

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Capt.
Asst. Paymaster.
For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Recds.

FM/FK.



Naval and Military War Pensions &c. Act, 1915.

Montgomeryshire Local Committee.

J. E. TOMLEY
(SOLICITOR).
SECRETARY & TREASURER.
Telephone—
No. 8, Montgomery. JR.

In Reply Please Quote

CASE No. 629 W. /

MONTGOMERY.

14th, Febr 1919

P. T. O.

Sir,

John Lewis, late Pte. 189 Newfoundland Regiment.
home address, Gelligason, Llanfair, Welshpool

The Ministry of Pensions informed me on the 8th Janr last that this ^{Case} had been referred to you. As the Ministry have been informed, although this man has had 3 yrs. 173 days service with the Newfoundlands in Gallipoli and France and was discharged for wounds, he has never had any pension or gratuity. Will you kindly let me know what has been done to assist him.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Secretary,
Newfoundland Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street, London.
SW.1.

No. 3484

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/55.

To:

J. Lewis
Gullagason
Blankair
Montgomeryshire

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

Mar 3 1919.

Reference:

Pension, Ex 189 P. J. Lewis

Herewith

Postal Draft. £ 2-1-1 being amt of
Pension due you for period 1-31/3/19

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.)

John Lewis.

(Date)

5-3-19.

A. A. Munnell Pay.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

No. 4993

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/55.

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

To:

J Lewis

4 APR 1919

Geeligason, Lunfaird Mar 28 1919,
Montgomeryshire

Reference:

Pension Ex 189 J Lewis

Herewith

Postal Draft £2-1-1 being amt of
pension due you for period 1-30/4/19

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.)

John Lewis

(Date)

2-4-19

A.A. Minusall Maj.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.



Naval and Military War Pensions &c. Act, 1915.

Montgomeryshire Local Committee.

2187

In Reply Please Quote

MAR 1919

MONTGOMERY.

CASE No. 629W. /

17th, March 1919

J. E. TOMLEY.
SOLICITOR,
SECRETARY & TREASURER.
Telephone—
No. 3, Montgomery. JR.

Sir,
4111/1/P.& A.

John Lewis, late Pte. 189 Royal Newfoundland Regt

I am obliged for your letter of the 14th inst., and shall be glad to hear from you further when definite instructions are received by you as to this man's pension.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Officer i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
Pay & Record Office,
58. Victoria St.

SW 1

14th, March 9

4111/1/P&A.

The Secretary,
Naval and Military War Pensions,
MONTGOMERY.

Sir,

John Lewis, late Pte. 189 Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

With reference to your letter 14/2/19 (1466): Definite instructions regarding the above named Ex Soldier's Pension have not yet been received from the Board of Pensions Commissioners (Newfoundland), and pending their decision a temporary pension at the rate of \$10 per month has been granted him, retroactive from the day following date of discharge. Payments at this rate have been made to 31/3/19.

Thanking you for the interest you have taken in Lewis' case.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Capt.

Asst. Paymaster.

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

WF/JF

No. 6351

N.F.P./113.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



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

To: Mr. J. Lewis,

Gelligason,

24th April 1919

Leanfair C. Montgomeryshire.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

In view of your impending discharge/retirement in this Country, to enable assessment of any Gratuity that you may be entitled to in respect of War Service, the enclosed form of claim is forwarded for completion and return to this Office.

J. H. Marshall
Chief Paymaster & C. i/c

"Gelligason"
Llanfair Caer-
mont
22-5-19.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge
receipt of Cheque £14. 7. 8.
which was received in due course

I remain
Yrs truly
J Lewis



WRK

3059/3/P&A

WRU
Mr. J. Lewis,
Gelligason,
Llanfair,
Montgomeryshire.

28th May 9

Pension.

Instructions have been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners (Nfld) to pay you a Pension at the rate of \$15.00 per month for 12 months from the day following the date of your discharge. Postal Draft for \$7:17:1 is enclosed being amount due you to 23/2/19, as per statement enclosed.

Arrangements are being made to have you reboarded, please.

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London)

FM/S

8287/4/P&A

WRK

Mr. J. Lewis
Gelligason
Llanfair C.,
Montgomeryshire

June 3rd 9

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

Cheque £15.13.7 ^{is enclosed} in respect of War Service
Gratuity due you for period 1/6/19 to 30/6/19
computed as follows:

War Service Gratuity period as above	£14. 7. 8
Difference due on Clothing Alice.	4. 2. 2

	£18. 9.10
Less payments on discharge:	
1 week's board..	£6.00
1 " pay	7.70

£ 13.70	2.16. 3

	£ 15.13. 7.

Next payment becomes due 1/7/19.

Statement of Accounts

OF

No. 189 Rank Pte Name J. Lewis.

Company, etc. Payable to J. Lewis

From 24/2/18 to 23/2/19 (dates).

Date	DEBITS				Date	CREDITS			
	<u>Payments.</u>					<u>Pension</u>			
19/2/19	25	0	6			\$15.00 per month as permemo. (3019)			
3/3/19	2	1	1			29/3/19 from M of M			
28/3/19	2	1	1			32 months @ \$15.00			
	Balance as per				24/2/18	to 23/2/19 = \$180.00			
	Postal Draft enclosed						36	19	9
	7	17	1						
	Creditor Balance					Debtor Balance			
	Total £					Total £			
	36	19	9			36	19	9	

CHECKED
R.S.R.
 30/5/19

Certified correct,

Station _____
 Date _____

Paymaster.

7207/1159/P&A

SUSPENSE | CLEARED

O/C Depot R.Nfld Regt.
Hazeley Down Camp.
WINCHESTER.

FM/MC.

(For R/Bn)

Pay & Record Office,

22nd May 9.

189 PTE J.LEWIS.
R.NFLD REGIMENT.

Will you kindly forward A.F.B/179, report of Medical Board held on the above discharged soldier at Winchester.

Major Knight states that on his discharge he signed a document waiving any claim for pension in respect of disability, but so far no such document has been received here. Kindly endeavour to trace these documents and forward them to this Office as early as possible please.

Major.
Chief Staff Officer (London)

SUSPENSE | CLEARED

8154/7/P&A

30th May

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

Sir:-

EX NO. 189 PTE. J. LEWIS.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

With reference to your letter 15760/D.M.S.1.
16/4/19: The Pensions Commissioners of Newfoundland have
asked that the above named pensioner be re-boarded as soon
as possible.

Will you kindly undertake to arrange for a
board to be held as soon as conveniently possible.

The following documents are enclosed:-

Medical History Sheet
A.F.B.179.⁷

Lewis's address is -

Gilligason,
Llanfair C,
Montgomeryshire.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

R.R.L.

Major,

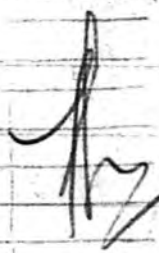
"Gelligorn"
Llanfair Caer.
Mont
12-6-19

Sir

I beg to acknowledge receipt
of cheque £ 15-13-7. also
Postal Draft £ 7.17.1. which
I received in due course.

I remain
Yrs truly
Lewis.

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ARMY	
Genl.	
P & M.	
R. & G.	
S. & E.	
P.S.	



7233/2/P&A

9th May

9.

Mr. John Lewis,
Gelligason,
Llanfair C,
MONTGOMERYSHIRE.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

With reference to your claim for War Service Gratuity: You have been awarded a Gratuity of 183 days.

The sum of \$70.00 is payable in respect of each period of 31 and 30 days from date of discharge.

Cheque £14:7:8: representing War Service Gratuity for period 1/5/19 to 31/5/19 is enclosed.

The next payment becomes due 1/5/19.

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

-- 4923
Chief Staff Officer

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9753/6/P&A

July 21st

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Mr. J. Lewis.
Gelligason.
Llanfair County.
Montgomeryshire.

PENSION EX 189 PTE. J. LEWIS.

Further instructions have been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners to continue your pension at \$15.00 per month to 3/7/19 date of reboard. Postal draft £13.3.7 is enclosed being amount due for period 24/2/19 - 3/7/19.

Report of your Medical Board held at Wrexham 3/7/19 is being forwarded to Newfoundland and you will be notified of the decision of the Commissioners in due course, please.

Major
Chief Staff Officer (London)

"Gelligason"
Llanfair C.

Mont- N. H.
8-7-19.

Sir.

I beg to acknowledge
receipt of your Cheque of
£14-7-8. which I received in
due course.

I remain
Yrs truly
Lewis.

NEWFOUNDLAND

POST OFFICE

ST. JOHN'S

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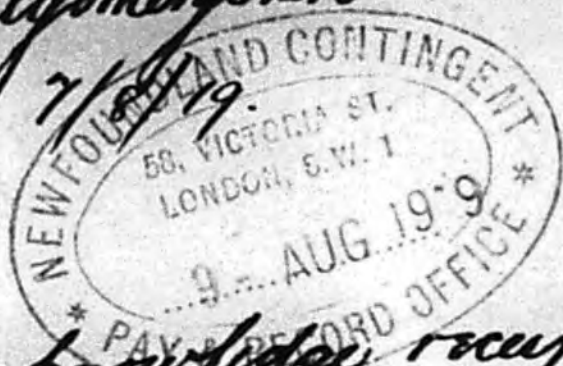
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F. Ross

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✓ RPA

Gelligason
Llanfair C.
Montgomeryshire



Sir

I beg to acknowledge receipt
of Postal Draft for £13-3-7.
respect of Pension.

Also Cheque for £14-7-8.
which I received in due course.

I remain
yrs truly
(189) Lewis.

"Gelligason"

Llanfair Caereinion
Montgomeryshire,
Mid Wales.

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28/7/19.

Sir-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of Postal drafts for £13. 3. 7. in respect of Pension which was received 25/7/19.

I remain
Yrs truly
Dewis

(Handwritten signature)
Kide
WRV

"Gelligasson"
Llanfair Cass
Montgomeryshire
5.9.19.

Sir

I beg to acknowledge
receipt of Cheque for
£14..7..8. which I received
in due course

POST OFFICE
VICTORIA ST.
LONDON, S.W. 1
8 - SEP 1919

I remain
Yrs truly
J Lewis
(189)

W.H.

372/1/P&A

Ex.189.Pte J. Lewis,
"Gelligason"
Languir Caereinion
58, Victoria Street, SW 1 Montgomeryshire
9/2/20 North Wales.

With reference to your letter 7/2/20
(79):

Report of your last Medical Board was duly forwarded for consideration of the Board of Pension Commissioners Newfoundland, and reply received stating that in view of non existence of disability, further pension was not admissable, please.

Lt-Col.,

WH/MN

"Gelligson."

Lanfair Caerwyn
Montgomeryshire
North Wales.

Dear Sir

Will you kindly
forward the Pension which
is due since July. Please.

I remain

Yrs truly
J. Lewis.

64 Pte 184.

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P & A.
R & C.
B & E.
P.S.

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of
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9. 10. 19.

Dear Sir

I beg to acknowledge
receipt of Cheque of £14.7.8
which I received in due course.

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PAY & RECORD
CLASS IV
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I remain
Yrs truly
J. Lewis.



Montgomeryshire Local Committee.

B/WT.

Telephone: 8 MONTGOMERY.

Our Ref.....	629/N
Your Ref.....	

MONTGOMERY.


Please address all communications
to the Secretary.

30th March 1920.

ENC/

Sir,

Ref.411/1/PA. John Lewis, No.189.
Newfoundland Regt. address:-
Gelligason, Llanfair, Welshpool.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT		I enclose form MR.1 received from our Medical Referee as to the above, and shall be glad to hear from you as to arrangements for treatment.		
Ref. No.	629			
Rec'd	31 MAR 1920			
Ack'd	Ans'd	I am Sir,	Your obedient servant,	
Ref. Nos.	UU1			
ACTED UPON				
BRANCH	DATE			BY
Comd.	The Sec.			
P.&A.	Newfoundland Pay & Record Offices,			
R.&C.	58, Victoria Street,			
B.&E.	S.W.L.			
P.S.				

633/1/M.

31st March 1920.

The Secretary,
Local War Pensions Committee,
Montgomery.

Sir,

Ex.189, J. Lewis.
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

With reference to your letter 629/M. 30/3/20. Telegram
has been despatched to Minister of Militia, St. John's for instructions
and when in receipt of reply you will be further advised.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Lt.Col.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

TELEGRAM full-text/extract to MINISTER OF MILITIA

No. 37 Dated 31/3/20 Coded by H.T.

Checked by J.L. Branch

With reference to my letter 1st. August- your reply- september 17th-
Lewis- recommend for- hospital- treatment- telegraph instructions-

MONTGOMERYSHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE.

Telephone : 8 MONTGOMERY.

Our Ref.	629/W
Your Ref.	633/1/M.

MONTGOMERY.

B/JR

Please address all communications
to the Secretary.

13th, August 1920

Sir,
Ex.189. J.Lewis, Royal Newfoundland Regt

Referring to my letter of the 30th March last, with Medical Referee's report as to the above, and your letter of March 31st stating that a telegram had been dispatched to the Minister of Militia, St. John's for instructions, I have had no further communication from you on the subject, and shall be glad to know how the matter stands.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant.



The High Commissioner for
Newfoundland,
58, Victoria St,
SW.1.

Ref. Nos. 1065. ✓
Recd 16 Aug 1920
Filed
Ref. Nos. 1065

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS.

ARTIFICIAL LIMBS BRANCH.

TELEPHONE: VICTORIA 6964.

14, Great Smith Street,

London, S.W. 1.

All communications
to be addressed to:-

**DIRECTOR OF ARTIFICIAL LIMB
SUPPLIES,**

and the following reference quoted

L/ 14778

RECEIVED JULY 9 1920
ANSWERED July, 1920.

Sir,

I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to invite your attention to your letter of the 15th May No.790/34 conveying the sanction of the Board of Pension Commissioners, for Newfoundland to the completion of reciprocal arrangements with this Department for the treatment of ex-members of the Newfoundland Expeditionary Forces, and to ask you kindly to state for the information of the Minister, what arrangements, if any, exist in Newfoundland for the repair and renewal of artificial limbs. This information is desired for use in the event of this Department having to arrange for the maintenance of the artificial limb of a British pensioner resident in Newfoundland.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

for Director General of Medical Services.

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

993.

Handwritten initials: *MM*

1002/41.

9th July, 1920.

Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge receipt of your letter No.L/14778 of the 8th instant and in reply to state that a copy of your letter has been forwarded to Board of Pension Commissioners, St John's, Newfoundland, for necessary information.

.When in receipt of reply you will be communicated with.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,


Secretary.

Director General of Medical Services,
Ministry of Pensions,
14, Great Smith Street,
London, S.W.1.

WE/MN

1001/11.

9th July, 1920.

Sir, Sir,

With further reference to my letter No.732/3 of the 29th April last on the subject - the repair and renewal of artificial limbs and appliances.

I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of a letter received from the Ministry of Pensions Artificial Limbs Branch.

Will you kindly supply this office with the necessary information so that a suitable reply can be given to the Ministry of Pensions.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

KG
Secretary.

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

WE/MN

1119/1.

16th August, 1920.

Sir,

**EX. 189. J. LEWIS.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.**

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 13th instant and to state that no reply has yet been received from Newfoundland. A reminder is being despatched today and upon hearing from Newfoundland you will be immediately advised.

I am to add that the above named man was in receipt of a pension of £3:1:8 per month for the period 22/2/18 to 3/7/19.

A report of a Medical Board held on the 3rd July 1919 was forwarded to the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland and the following reply received was transmitted to Mr Lewis,-

"As the Medical Board states there is no disability at present existing, further pension cannot be granted."

The substance of your letter of 30th March has already been forwarded to Newfoundland, but so far no reply has been received and a reminder is therefore being sent today.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,


Secretary.

The Secretary,
Local War Pensions Committee,
MONTGOMERY.

1122/18.

17th August, 1920.

Sir,

EX. 189 JOHN LEWIS
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

The following telegram despatched to Military 31/3/20 is confirmed to which no reply has been received,-

"No. 37

"With reference to my letter 1st August-your reply-
"September 17th-Lewis-recommend for-hospital-treatment-
"telegraph instructions-"

Copies of letters exchanged with the Local War Pensions Committee, Montgomery together with Form M.R. 1 are enclosed herewith.

Your instructions are now awaited which kindly transmit as soon as possible.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

 Secretary.

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

WAR PENSIONS ACTS, 1915-1919

MONTGOMERYSHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE

Telephone: 8 Montgomery

Our Ref... 629/W.....

1119/1.

Your Ref.....

MONTGOMERY.

Please address all communications
to the B/MO.

August 17th 1920.

Sir,

EX.189. J.Lewis, Royal Newfoundland
Regiment.

I beg to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of the 16th
inst, and shall be glad to hear from
you further as soon as you have a
reply from Newfoundland.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,

High Commissioners Offices,
(Dominion of Newfoundland)
58, Victoria Street,
Westminster.S.W.I.

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1193/2.

9th September, 1920.

Sir,

EX.189. PTE. JOHN. LEWIS

With reference to this office letter No. 1119/1 of the 16th of August, I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you that a reply has been received today from the Board of Pension Commissioners as follows,-

"This man should be admitted to hospital for treatment as recommended, and placed on pay and allowances. On discharge from Hospital he should be boarded and pension assessed will be payable from the time of application for treatment as recommended by the Medical Certificate signed by J.A.Crump."

The High Commissioner therefore requests that you will kindly have the above named man admitted to hospital for treatment and advise him date of admission.

I am also to request that you will arrange for Medical Board on his discharge from hospital and to forward the report to this office.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,


Secretary.

The Secretary,
Local War Pensions Committee,
MONTGOMERY.

WAR PENSIONS ACTS, 1915-1919

MONTGOMERYSHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE

B/W/T
Telephone: 3 Montgomery

Our Ref..... 629/W

Your Ref.....

MONTGOMERY.

Please address all communications
to the Secretary

10th September 1920.

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Sir,

Ref:-1193/2. EX.189, Pte. John Lewis,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 9th inst, and will arrange for treatment accordingly, and advise you of the date of admission!

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

The Secretary,
High Commissioners' Office,
(Dominion of Newfoundland)
58, Victoria Street,
Westminster, S.W.1.

WAR PENSIONS ACTS, 1915-1919

MONTGOMERYSHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE

B/W.T.

Telephone: 8 Montgomery

Our Ref..... 629/W.

Your Ref.....

MONTGOMERY.

Please address all communications
to the Secretary

October 14th 1920.

Sir,

Ref:- 1193/2.


ReEX.189. Private John Lewis,

Referring to your letter
of the 9th instant, this man will be
admitted to the Royal Infirmary, Liver-
pool on Monday next, the 18th instant.

Yrs I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant




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

MONTGOMERYSHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE

Telephone: 8 Montgomery

Our Ref.....629/W.....
Your Ref.....1193/2.....

B/JR

MONTGOMERY

Please address all communications
to the Secretary

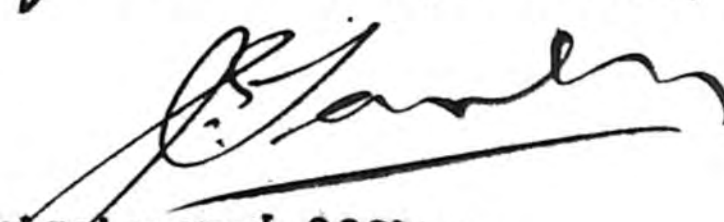
16th, Novr 1920


RNC/

Sir,
Ex.189. Pte John Lewis,

With further reference to
your letter of the 9th September last,
I enclose herewith copy of the
certificate received from the Royal
Infirmary, at Liverpool, upon the
discharge of this man.

I am, Sir,
1275 ✓ Your obedient Servant,


Secretary
High Commissioners' Office,
(Dominion of Newfoundland)
58. Victoria St,
Westminster, SW.1.



THE SECRETARY,

Local War Pensions Committee for Montgomery ●

Y. Ward

Montgomery 629/W.

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS.

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

adm. 18/10/20.

Name and Address of Patient

Geo Lewis

Wellington

Manfair

Date of termination of treatment

10/11/20

Result of treatment, viz. :-

1. Is further treatment required? If so, please indicate briefly the nature of the treatment no.

2. General condition of patient? Good.

Signed

Capt. G. B. Bebbington.

Date

Nov 12th

1920.

1409/3.

17th November, 1920.

Sir,

EX. 189 J. LEWIS
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge receipt of your letter 629/W of the 16th instant together with a Medical Certificate relative to the above named man.

I am to request that you will kindly arrange to have Mr Lewis reboarded as soon as possible.

Army Forms B178 & 179A are enclosed herewith for your information.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

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Secretary.

The Secretary,
Local War Pensions Committee,
Montgomery.

19 NOV 1920

WAR PENSIONS ACTS, 1915-1919

MONTGOMERYSHIRE LOCAL COMMITTEE

Telephone: 8 Montgomery

Our Ref... 629/W.....

Your Ref... 1409/S.....

Please address all communications to the Secretary

B/MO

MONTGOMERY

18th, Novr 1920

Sir,
re Ex.189, John Lewis, Royal
Newfoundland Regt.

I beg to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of the
17th inst with enclosures, upon
which I am communicating with the
D.C.M.S., Ministry of Pensions, for
this area as to arrangements for
a Medical Board.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,



Secretary.
High Commissioner's Office,
Dominion of Newfoundland,
58. Victoria St,
Westminster, SW.1.

Ref. Nos IN 1285.
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Ref. Nos 1281

P. & C
B & E
P. S.

NW.

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS

WALES REGION

Telegraphic Address: "Regipension," Cardiff
Telephone: Cardiff 5286

Replies should be addressed to
the Regional Director and the
following No. quoted—

ANGEL BUILDING
CARDIFF

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

Sir,

Re. Ex. 189 J. Lewis. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

I am directed to return the documents of
above named, who was examined by a Medical Board at Wrexham
on the 2nd December 1920.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Freya Davis

D.C.M.S.

for Commissioner of Medical Services.

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BRANCH DATE BY		
C.M.S.		
P & A.		
R & C.		
B & E		
P.S.		



DOMINION OF NEWFOUNDLAND



HIGH COMMISSIONER'S OFFICES.

CABLE ADDRESS.
"RURALITY"

TELEPHONE.
VICTORIA 2302.

1409/3.

MONTGOMERYSHIRE
LOCAL WAR PENSIONS COMMITTEE
REC'D 18 NOV 1920
Acknowledged
Answered

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

17th November, 1920.

Sir,

EX. 189 J. LEWIS
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

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I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Nelda Gordon
Secretary.

The Secretary,
Local War Pensions Committee,
Montgomery.

WH/MN.



DOMINION OF NEWFOUNDLAND



HIGH COMMISSIONER'S OFFICES,

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

CABLE ADDRESS,
"RURALITY"
TELEPHONE,
VICTORIA 2302.

1409/3.



17th November, 1920.

Sir,

EX. 189 J. LEWIS
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

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I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Nelda Gordon

Secretary.

The Secretary,
Local War Pensions Committee,
Montgomery.

1452/45.

6th December, 1920.

Sir,

189 - J. Lewis.

I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of a Medical Report held on the above named Pensioner the 2nd December, 1920.

I would add that this man was admitted to hospital on the 18th October and discharged on the 18th November, and that full allowance will be paid for the period during which he was undergoing treatment. Your further instructions are now awaited.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.

Encl. Report.

The Secretary,
The Board of Pension Commissioners,
St. John's, Nfld.
H/W

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

TELEGRAM full-text/extract from BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS

No. B.2455/35/379.

Dated 31/12/20

Received 1/1/21.

Decoded by WN

Checked by mf.

Pay- pension- as follows-

189- Lewis- 5 dollars- per month- for 12 months- from-

November- 18th-

BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS

57,
1546/3.

1st January, 1921.

Dear Sir,

I would inform you that a cable has to-day been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, notifying the award to you of a pension at the rate of \$5.00 (five dollars) per month for 12 months from November 18th, 1920.

Cheque for £2.10.4 (two pounds, ten shillings and four pence) being amount due for the period 18/10/20 to 31/1/21, is enclosed herewith.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gelligaon,
Llanfair.

H/B.

N.F.P./58A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Gen 189 J Lewis

Gellegason

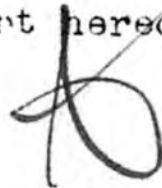
Lanfair, Wales

28 JAN 1921

SUBJECT: Pension

Herewith Money order 57073 £1-0-6 being amount
due for the period 1/2/20 to 28/2/21

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.



W. Hutchings
Secretary.

RECEIVED £1-0-6.9 with thanks

Date: 2-2-21

Signature: J Lewis

NO. _____

N.F.P./55A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

28 FEB 1921

To: Em 189 J Lewis

Gelligason

Planfair Wales

SUBJECT: Pension

herewith Money Order 59174 £ 2-1-0-6 being amount
due for the period 1/2/21 to 31/2/21

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W Hutchings
To Secretary.

RECEIVED.

with thanks. the above sum. £1-0-6.

Date: 4. 3. 21.

Signature: *J Lewis*

15th March, 1921.

168/2

Dear Sir,

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

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

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gilligason,
Llanfair.

H/W

"Gelligason"
Clayfair Carreunion
Mont.

Dear Sir.

Gwing to illness
I was unable to change
order £100.6
And I regret to have delayed.
Kindly address letters as
above, as it causes inconvenience

Rec'd	20/3/21
Ack'd	
Ref. Nos. OUT	
ACTED UPON	
BRANCH	BY
Comd	
P & A.	
R & C	
R & E	
P.S.	

I remain
Yrs truly
Lewis.

18th April, 1921.

272/3.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you that a cable has been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, granting you a ten per cent increase on pension paid to you during the year 1920.

The amount of pension paid to you from this office for the period 18/11/20 to 31/12/20 was £1.9.10, and a Money Order for 3/-, (three shillings) being ten per cent of that amount, is enclosed herewith.

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

Yours faithfully,

Encls.

Secretary.

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gelligason,
Llanfaircaereinion,
Montgomeryshire.

3rd June, 1921.

402/4

Dear Sir,

You have not acknowledged on B.F.P/554 amount of pension sent to you on the 28th of April, covering the period 1/5/21-31/5/21.

It is strictly essential that this form be completed and returned to this office. In the event of the original having been mislaid duplicate copy is enclosed herewith.

Yours faithfully,

High Commissioner for Newfoundland

Encl.

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gillyason,
Llanfairreareinion,
Mont.

H/T

"Eligason"
Glanfair Caereinion
Mont.

Dear Sir:

8.6.21.

In reply to your letter
of 3rd June, with regard to Money order
63339. which was due for May.
I don't recollect receiving this order
if so. I have acknowledge it,
as I am sure that I have acknowle-
dge all receipts. only that I delay-
ed the one for April,
The Postal drafts are sent back to
London. therefore you are able to
check them all.
Trusting to have a satisfactory reply

I remain

Yrs truly
J. Lewis.

14th June, 1921.

419/5

Dear Sir,

I would acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 8th inst., and in reply would inform you that upon enquiries being made to the Money Order Department, London, it has been ascertained that money order 62339 which was forwarded to you on the 28th of April has not yet been presented for payment.

Instructions have therefore been given for the issue of a duplicate of this money order, and it is requested that upon receipt you will kindly complete and return to this office, form H.F.P/55A.

Yours faithfully,

High Commissioner for Newfoundland

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gelligason,
Llanfairserinion,
MONT.

R/T

27th June, 1921.

446/6

Dear Sir,

Referring to my letter of the 14th inst., I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you that a duplicate of Money Order has now been forwarded to the postmaster at Llanfaircaereinion, for payment to you.

Upon production of the enclosed letter payment will be made.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gilligason,
Llanfaircaereinion,
Welshpool.

H/T

No. _____

N.F.P./55A

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Office of the high Commissioner
For Newfoundland,

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

To: Gen 189 J Lewis

Gelligasson

L'Anfair

30 MAR 1921

SUBJECT: Pension

Herewith Money order 61037 # 1-0-6 being amount
due for the period 1/4/21 - 30/4/21

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W. Hutchings
In Secretary.

RECEIVED. The above sum with thanks.

Date: 7. 4. 1921

Signature: Lewis

N.F.P./55A.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Ca 189 J Lewis
Gelliferson
Planfurcaevinn

18/4/21

subject: Pension

herewith Money order No 62558 being 10%
increase on pension paid during the year 1920

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W. Hutchings
Secretary.

RECEIVED. With thanks the above sum

Date: 21.4.21

Lewis
Signature.

Duplicate

N.F.P./55A.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Ex 189 of Lewis
Gilligan

28/7/21

Manpower

Subject: Pensions

herewith Money order 63339 £ 1-0-6 being amount
due for the period 1/5/21 - 31/5/21

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W. Hutchings
Sec. Secretary.

RECEIVED. With thanks

Date: 1. 7. 21.

Lewis
Signature.

No. _____

N.F.P./55A.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: En 189 J Lewis
Gelligason

28 MAY 1921

Panfairecurving Mont.

subject: Pension

herewith Money Order 65698 £ 1-0-6 being amount
due for the period 1/6/21 - 30/6/21

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W Hutchings
Secretary.

RECEIVED. The above sum with thanks.

Date: 5. 6. 21

J Lewis
Signature.

No

N.F.P./55A.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Gen 189 J Lewis
Helligason,

28 JUN 1921

Planfaircarinion

Weldpool

subject:

Pensions

herewith Money Order £ 678⁵⁰ 11 £ 1-0-6 being amount
due for the period 1/7/21 - 31/7/21

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

W. Hutchings

For Secretary.

RECEIVED. The above sum with thanks

Date: 1.7.21.

J. Lewis
Signature.

21st September, 1921.

708/111

En. 189 J. Lewis
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Sir,

With reference to your letter 15760 D.M.S.1 of the 16th April 1919, the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland have asked that the above named man be reboarded.

Will you therefore kindly undertake to arrange a medical board to be held as soon as possible.

The following documents are enclosed herewith:-

Army Form B.178
179A
A. 36
M.P.x9 (2)

Mr. Lewis' address is:- Gilligason,
Llanfaircaereinion.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Secretary,
Ministry of Pensions.
H/T

EDC

Telephone: 8450.

Telegraphic Address:

"Modpension, Vic, London."

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

15757/4.Part 3 (M.S.1.A).



MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

MEDICAL SERVICE DIVISION,

5, MILLBANK, S.W.1.

19 OCT 1921

Sir,

re J. Lewis, Private 189, Newfoundland Regt.

Referring to your letter. 708/111, of the 21st September, concerning the above named ex-member of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, I have to inform you that Mr. Lewis was examined by a Medical Board at Wrexham on the 12th October.

As a result of this examination, the Board discovered no disability. A Nil assessment was accordingly made.

The medical documents relating to the case are forwarded herewith.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

J Wallace

for Director General of Medical Services.

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

Ref. Nos. IN 487

Rec'd 20/10/21
Ack'd Ans'd

Ref. Nos. OUT

ACTED

ERA

Com

P & .

R. &

B &

20th October, 1921.

777/130

189 J. Lewis
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith a copy of a Medical Report of a Medical Board held on the above named pensioner on the 11th of October.

His present pension of \$5.00 (five dollars) per month expires on the 17th of November. It is therefore requested that further instructions be transmitted as soon as possible.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

Secretary.

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

H/T

894/7

24th November, 1921.

Dear Sir,

I would inform you that a copy of your Medical Report held on the 12th of October, 1921 was forwarded to the Board of Pension Commissioners, on the 20th October and a reply has now been received that a further pension is not granted.

Yours faithfully,

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gelligasion,
Llanfairsareinion,
Mont.

H/T

NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

TELEGRAM ~~full-text~~/ extract from the Board of Pension Commissioners

No A 201/23

Dated 23/11/21

Coded by

LSH

Checked by

[Signature]

189 - Lewis - Nil.

PENSION COMMISSIONERS

967/8.

19th December 1921.

Dear Sir,

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

The amount of pension paid to you from this office for the period 1/1/21 - 17/11/21 was £10.16.3., and a money order for £-15/2 (fifteen shillings & two pence), being seven per cent of that amount, is enclosed herewith. Kindly complete the enclosed form and return same to this office as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

Encls.

Secretary.

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gelligason,
Llanfaircaereinion,
Montgomeryshire.

H/D.

1034/9.

28th December 1921.

Dear Sir,

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

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

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gelligason,
Llanfaircaereinion.

H/D.

Hampshire

5-3/25.

Carbay
Leamington
Welchpool

Sir,

Mr. Jno Lewis

Gelli Saem,

Leamington C., Welchpool

Late No 189 R. N. S. D., (RNFLD)

on 1st in July 1916 above recd
a G. S. W. of upper abdomen
while on active service in
the Somme in France.

He was evacuated to 3rd London
General Hospital, Wandsworth,
London.

After periods of service & furlough
in the country he was
discharged 23. 2. 1918. unfit
for further service.

As a result of a Medical
Board on 3-7-1919. he was
granted a pension for a
period of 12 months.

Pension was stopped after
the lapse of this period.

After the wound stomach
condition remained more or
less bad and ever since
he has been under treatment
by various doctors - without
any improvement in the condition.

He was examined Dr. Camp,
Welchpool (medical officer
of the local pension committee)
early in 1920.

He was then X-rayed in the

2/ Royal Sulep Infirmary and
later (6.10.20) he was admitted
into the Royal Infirmary
Liverpool where his
appendix was removed.
He was discharged from the
Hospital on 26.10.20.

His stomach condition
still remained the same.

Later he came under my
care and in spite of various
treatments the condition does
not clear up & as a result
he is only able to perform
very minor duties.

In addition to the discomfort
there is at times much pain
associated with vomiting.

I have advised him to
go to a good hospital where
a thorough examination
(including X-ray) of his stomach
can be carried out.

As he feels that his condition
is directly due to the wound
received in active service
he is very desirous that the
Percin authorities should
re-open his case again
in the hope that, - if no
Percin be granted him -
then that aid be granted
him to enable him to
undo the necessary
& examinations of his stomach

- a procedure that will entail
much expense & he is not
in a position to shoulder
such a financial burden.

Yours etc.

William Fane

Office of Records

R.N.F.L.D. Reg^t

58 Victoria St

London

1897 Lewis

Royal Newspaper Regt.

Sir

9th March, 1925.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 5th March, relating to the case of John Lewis, late no.189 Royal Newfoundland Regiment. In reply I am to state that this man was medically examined on the 12th August 1921, and it was then found that there was no pensionable disability. In view of your letter however, I am arranging with the Ministry of Pensions for a further medical examination and on receipt of their report, this case will be taken up with the Board of Pension Commissioners for the consideration of his claim.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

W. Jones,
Carys,
Llanfaircaereinion,
Welshpool.

10th March, 1925.

Sir,

EX. 189 J. LEWIS
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

I am directed to ask that you will be good enough to arrange for a medical examination of the above named, as early as possible.

Mr. Lewis' address is:-

Gelli Goem,
Llanfaircaereinion,
WELSHPOOL.

Medical documents relating to this case are enclosed herewith.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Encls.

Director General of the Medical Service,
2, Sanctuary Buildings,
Great Smith Street,
S.W. 1.

M.P. Area Form 8.

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS.

All Communications to be addressed to

THE AREA OFFICER,

quoting this Reference—

5/2/18588.

Your Ref:-1193/2.

Telegrams :

AREA SUB-OFFICE.

20, Broad Street,

Newtown.

April 1st 1925.

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

Sir,

Re:-Ex.189. Private. John LEWIS.
Newfoundland Regiment.
Gelligason, Llanfair, Near Welshpool,
Montgomeryshire.

Will you please note that arrangements have been made for the above-named man to be admitted to the Knotty Ash Hospital, Liverpool, on the 4th instant, in order that he can be X-rayed for G.S.W. Abdomen and also Bismuth meal and X-ray Stomach.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

G. J. Turnbull
Clerk-in-Charge.

2nd May, 1925.

189 J. Lewis
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of a report of the Medical Board, held on the above named pensioner on the 17th April. As a result of this examination, the Board assessed the degree of disablement on account of G.S.W. Abdominal Wall, at less than 20%, namely 1-5%, indeterminate duration.

Will you be good enough to have this case placed before the Board for their consideration, and to reply as soon as possible.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

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

No. 2B/104.

PAYMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WHITEHALL, S.W.1.

10th May 1927.

SIR,

I am directed by the Paymaster General to acquaint you that the Governor and Company of the Bank of England have been this day authorised to place the sum of £ 88 : = : = to the credit of ~~His Majesty's~~

~~Postmaster General's Cash Account~~ *Bank of Montreal 9*

Waterloo Place S.W.1 to the High Commissioner's Office

Reponces 19/5/27

* £12.7.3 disallowed in
respect of Nurse. M.P.
Randall, no voucher
having been
received.

Newfoundland. (Pensions etc) vide Yams.

Letter dated 29/3/27 (£72.10.0) ? Letter dated
29/12/27 (£15.10.0)*

High Commissioner for Newfoundland.
~~The Comptroller and Accountant General~~
~~of the Post Office.~~
58 Victoria St.
Westminster

I am,
SIR,
Your obedient Servant,
ROLAND WILK

June 10

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

To Whitehead Morris Limited

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Date.	Order No.	GOODS.	Customer's Order No.	Amount.		
March 29		1 pair Binoculars No. 24817		8	17	6
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Ministry of Marine & Fisheries

June 4	To Award Steam (Schooner "Novelli")	12.00
17	" " " (S.S. ^{War} Novan)	15.00
June 1	1 pair Binoculars (S.S. War Novan)	9.50
"	do (S.S. Venemore)	9.50
"	1 Rent out (do)	12 12.4
"	2 presentation letters Catherine Maxwell & Hazel Haley	5.8 10
		<hr/>
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Sir,

I am directed to inform you that the sum of £88.0. has been received from the Paymaster General being a refund of amount disbursed by you on behalf of Imperial Pensioners for the months of January and February, 1927.

The sum of £12.7.3d., has been withheld by the Paymaster General pending the certified receipt from the Ministry of Pensions and I am informed that this amount will be included in the next remittance.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

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

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FORM OF MEDICAL REPORT BY RE-SURVEY BOARD.

Date of Expiry of Current Award.....

Awards Reference No. 15757/4

Surname Lewis Christian Names John

Ship, Corps, or Regt. } Royal Newfoundland Official or Regtl. } 189
from which discharged } Number }

Date of discharge February, 1918

DISABILITY OR DISABILITIES IN RESPECT OF WHICH PENSION WAS GRANTED.

DISABILITY	PENSION GRANTED IN RESPECT OF:— (a) ATTRIBUTABILITY or (b) AGGRAVATION (To be completed in Awards)	DISABILITY CODE NUMBER (To be completed by Board)
<u>G.P.W. Abdominal wall.</u>		

To prevent personation the Medical Officer is requested to identify the man before examination as to state of health. This can usually be done by comparison of signature, personal description, or marks on body. In cases of doubt questions should be asked, based on the records of service, the answers to which would not be known to a personator, such as the nature of illness mentioned in the Medical History Sheet, or offences in the Defaulter Sheet, &c., for which purpose the whole of his Discharge Documents are annexed.

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

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,
MEN'S AWARDS BRANCH,
BROMYARD AVENUE,
ACTON, LONDON, W.3.

1.—Are you satisfied that the man before you is the Seaman, Soldier or Airman referred to in Discharge Documents sent herewith? (See instructions on page 1.)

2.—Describe the present state of the disability or disabilities shown on page 1 of this form giving:—

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

Also state (d) Whether any change of diagnosis is involved.

- a. Complaint of occasional pain in the upper part of abdomen. with headaches. Depression noted to be less prominent.
- b. Small healed scar over upper part of right Rectus (? N. & V. laceration) - no tenderness. General abdominal examination shows no abnormality.
- c. The man appears to be in excellent health, the board is regretful and in my opinion cause no disability. His mental attitude as regards the abdomen, appears to be more optimistic. He states that there has been great improvement in the past year and he has been employed the greater part of the year. The disability is probably extremely small.

3.—(i) Is the condition of the Disability, or the Disabilities together, final and stationary? No.

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

12 months? Yes

More than a year? —

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

DISABILITIES			COMBINED ASSESSMENT FOR ALL DISABILITIES
1	2	3	
1-5% One to five percent.	—	—	

(With regard to disabilities assessed at under 20 %, See M.P.M.S.D. 57 Supplement 3D).

(4)

5.—If this case has hitherto been accepted by the Ministry as a case of aggravation by service during the Great War, have the effects of aggravation passed away?

Na.

6.—If the above Assessments have been arrived at after discounting any "other condition" (e.g. personal habits, misconduct, etc.) the facts should be fully stated and the method of arriving at the Assessment indicated. (See M.P.M.S.D. 57 Supplement 5).

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Signatures

F. Gordon Bell Pres.

Chairman.

Place of Board

*St. Michael's
Dunedin N.Z.*

Date

15/ Feb. 1928

Members.

G.M.H.

Phone: Victoria 8740.
Graphic Address:
"Warpension, Parl, London."

Reply should be addressed to
the Secretary, Ministry of Pensions,
and the following number quoted:—
15757/4. Part 6.



MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,
MEDICAL SERVICES DIVISION,
2, SANCTUARY BUILDINGS,
GREAT SMITH STREET,
WESTMINSTER, S.W.1.

1 MAY 1925

Sir,

LEWIS, J. No.189, Pte. Royal Newfoundland Regt.
Gelli Goem Llanfaircaereion, Welshpool, Wales.

I am directed to enclose herewith the medical documents and X-Ray films relating to the case of the above-named ex-member of the Newfoundland Forces, who was examined by a Medical Board at Wrexham on the 25th March, completed on 17th April, in accordance with your request of the 10th March.

As a result of this examination the Board assessed the degree of disablement on account of G.S.W. Abdominal Wall, at less than 20% i.e. 1-5%, indeterminate duration.

The Board also consider that the disability is in a final and stationary condition.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

for Director General of Medical Services.

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

15757/4. Part 6.

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I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(Sgd.) J. WALLACE,

for Director General of Medical Services.

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

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.



ST JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

IN REPLY REFER TO

Nº 1457

June 5, 1925.

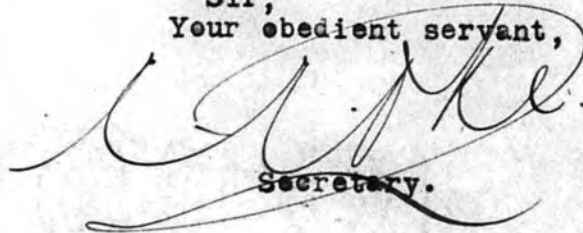
The High Commissioner for Nfld.,
58 Victoria Street,
Westminister, S W 1,
London, England.

Re:- 189 Pte. John Lewis.
.....

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith the
Authority for Renewal of Award in the case of
the above noted.

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



Secretary.

BT.

8.37 - 1-14-5
25-3-25 - 2.5-25

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Pension No. 1457

Awards renewals etc.,

Newfoundland pensioners residing in the United Kingdom.

Name: JOHN LEWIS
Rank: CPL. Regt. No. 189
Address: c/o High Commissioner for Nfld. London.
Date of Medical Re-Board: 25-3-25.
Disability for which pensioned: G.S.W.
Degree of Disablement: 5% Period: 13
New award expires: 25.3.26.
Marital Status:

Pension awarded as follows:

Allowance for self.....	\$	<u>3.75</u>	per month
" " Wife.....	\$	_____	"
" " 1st child....	\$	_____	"
" " 2nd Child....	\$	_____	"
" " _____ Children.	\$	_____	each..\$
Total monthly allowance.....	\$	<u>3.75</u>	

Remarks:


Secretary.

18th June, 1925.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to inform you that authority has been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, for the payment to you of a pension at the rate of \$3.75 per month for a period of 12 months as from the 25/3/25. A cheque for £1.14.5 being the amount due from the 25/3/25 - 31/5/25 is enclosed herewith. Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

Encls.

Mr. J. Lewis,
Gelli Coem,
Llanfaircaereinion,
Welshpool,
Wales.

Newfoundland

No 189. P⁶ Lewis

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Newfoundland

No. 758552
HEADQUARTERS
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MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,
IMPERIAL HOTEL,
WREXHAM
19. 3. 25.

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MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,
WESTMINSTER,
LONDON, S.W.1.

Vote.....

Name of Passenger *J. Lewis*

Service or Authority for Journey } *21350*

Date *25 March* 192*5*

To the *Gr. Western* Railway Company.

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ISSUING OFFICER

GOVERNMENT
RAILWAY
PASSENGER
WARRANT.

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F./Gen./27/4.

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at *Ordinary* Fare.

Signature of Issuing Officer *A. W. Williams*
Departmental Rank *Chief Clerk*
North Wales Area

To be filled in by Railway Co.	Class			Amount Payable		
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Fare † <i>Osney</i>			<i>One</i>		<i>9</i>	<i>10</i>

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Issued by *GH* Date *March 25th* 192*5*

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THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
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No. 1457

June 18, 1925.

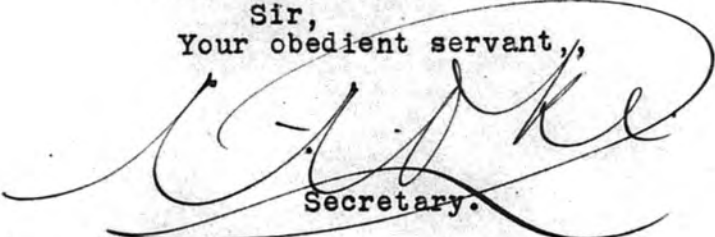
The High Commissioner for Nfld.,
58 Victoria Street,
Westminster, S W 1,
London, ENGLAND.

Re:- 189 Cpl. JOHN LEWIS.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith Renewal
of Award in the case of the above noted for your
information and necessary action, please.

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


Secretary.

BT.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Pension No 1457...

Awards renewals etc.,

Newfoundland pensioners residing in the United Kingdom.

Name: JOHN LEWIS
Rank: CPL. Regt. No. 189
Address: c/o HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR NEWF.
Date of Medical Re-Board: 25 May 1925
Disability for which pensioned: G.S.W. ABD. WALL
Degree of Disablement: 5% Period: 12
New award expires: 24-3-26
Marital Status: None

Pension awarded as follows:

Allowance for self.....	\$ <u>3.75</u>	per month
" " Wife.....	\$ _____	"
" " 1st child....	\$ _____	"
" " 2nd Child....	\$ _____	"
" " _____ Children.	\$ _____	each..\$ _____
Total monthly allowance.....	\$ <u>3.75</u>	

Remarks:



[Handwritten Signature]
Secretary.

189 E. Lewis
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

1st March, 1926.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith Medical Documents relating to the case of the above named pensioner and to ask that you will be good enough to arrange for his medical re-examination as early as possible.

Mr. Lewis' address is:-Gelli Goch
Llanfairisarsinon
WELSHPOOL

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Director-General of Medical Services,
Ministry of Pensions,
Sanctuary Buildings,
18, Great Smith Street,
S.W.1.

30th, March, 1926.

Sir,

189. J. LEWIS
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

I have the honour to enclose herewith copy of Medical Board report held on the above named pensioner on the 23rd, March. As a result of this examination, the Board assessed the degree of disablement on account of G.S.W. Abdominal wall, at the rate of 1-5 % for an indefinite period. Mr. Lewis's pension expired on the 24th, March, and I am to ask that further instructions may be transmitted.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

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

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.



ST JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

April 20, 1926.

IN REPLY REFER TO

N^o. 1457

The High Commissioner for Nfld.,
58, Victoria Street,
Westminster, S.W.1.

189 J. Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Sir:

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Medical Report held on March 23, in the case of the marginally named, and to state that the Medical Adviser to our Board has assessed his pension at 5% for a period of twelve months.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,


Secretary.

VMD

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Pension No. 1457

Awards renewals etc.,

Newfoundland pensioners residing in the United Kingdom.

Name: J. Lewis

Rank: Cpl. ... Regt. No. ... 189

Address: c/o High Commissioner for Nfld.

Date of Medical Re-Board: March 23, 1926

Disability for which pensioned: G.S.W. Abdominal Wall

Degree of Disablement: ... 5% Period: ... 12 months

New award expires: March 24, 1927

Marital Status: Single

Pension awarded as follows:

Allowance for self \$ 3.75 per month

" " Wife \$ _____ "

" " 1st child \$ _____ "

" " 2nd Child \$ _____ "

" " _____ Children. \$ _____ each. \$ _____

Total monthly allowance \$ 3.75

Remarks:



Secretary.

3rd, April, 1926.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to inform you that authority has been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland, authorising the payment to you of a pension at the rate of \$3.75 per month for a period of twelve months.

A cheque for 18/6d. (Eighteen shillings and six pence) being the amount due for the period 25-3-26 to the 30-4-26, is enclosed herewith. Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

J. Lewis, Esq.,
Celli Goem,
Llanfaircaereinion,
Welshpool.

Gullgason"
- Lanfair Caereinion
18. 5. 26

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
the sum of 18/6 with thanks.

Yrs etc
J Lewis.

78 Pinnercroft Rd.
Anebworth
Herts.
1.7.26.

Dear Piggott

just a line to inform
you that I am now at the above
address. I am working at a dairy
farm close to the village. 70 milking
cows, and are very busy with the
hay. really too tired to write

Would you kindly phone my address
to the Greenland Shipping Office.
I shall leave for London 13th July.

I shall now conclude thanking you very
kindly for your kindness to me.
I remain Yrs. Very sincerely
Kelvis

c/o ^{J. Lewis} Mrs Barclay.
19 Wesley St.
South Dunedin.

New Zealand. 12.9.25.

Dear Mr Piggott.

Pleased to inform you
that I have arrived safe in New Zealand
and glad to say that I enjoyed a
very fine trip. There is a great

difference here to the old country.

The country is very rough, and

things are rather slack just now

Have not started work just yet.

Kindly forward my communication
to above address.

Will now conclude. Hoping you are

enjoying good health. as I am fair

Many thanks for past favours I remain
Yours truly
J Lewis

October 22nd., 1926.

Sir,

189 J. Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed by the High Commissioner to ask if you will be good enough to arrange with the authorities in New Zealand for the medical re-examination of the above-named ex-member of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment who is now resident in New Zealand.

Medical documents relating to Mr. Lewis are enclosed herewith. Mr. Lewis' address is:-

C/o Mrs. Barclay,
19, Wesley Street,
South Dunedin,
New Zealand.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Secretary,
High Commissioner for New Zealand,
415, Strand, W.C.

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"DEPUTY, WESTRAMP, LONDON."

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GERRARD 840
" 841
" 842
" 843

ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO
THE HIGH COMMISSIONER
FOR NEW ZEALAND.

IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO
PENSIONS.
CR/DL.



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES,
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C.2.

26th October, 1926.

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RECEIVED 27 OCT. 1926
ANSWERED _____

Sir,

J. Lewis - Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant, forwarding Medical Documents relating to the above-named and requesting that Mr. Lewis, who is at present in New Zealand, be Medically Boarded and the report of same supplied to you in due course.

A communication will be forwarded to the Pensions Department in New Zealand by the next mail, requesting that the necessary action be taken and immediately the desired report is available same will be forwarded to you.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Tomson
Finance Officer.

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

28th October, 1926.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith cheque for £2.1.8. (two pounds one shilling and eightpence), being pension due to you for the period 1st July to 31st October, 1926.

I am to add that arrangements are being made with the New Zealand Authorities for the payment of your pension in that country as from 30th November next.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

Secretary.

Mr. J. Lewis,
c/o Mrs. Barclay,
19. Wealey Street,
SOUTH DUNEDIN
NEW ZEALAND.

The Secretary,
New Zealand Government Offices.

28th October, 1926.

Sir,

I have the honour to state that a letter has been received from Mr. J. Lewis informing that he is now resident at 19, Wesley Street, South Dunedin, New Zealand.

This man is in receipt of a pension at the rate of 15/5d per month from the Newfoundland Government which expires on 24th March 1927, and I am to ask that you will be good enough to arrange with the Pension Authorities in New Zealand for the payment of this pension to Mr. Lewis direct.

Payments should be made monthly at the end of each month and the Authorities making payment should claim on this Office for refund, monthly or quarterly as is most convenient to them.

In the event of Mr. Lewis requiring treatment for the disability for which he is receipt of a pension, the same should be given in similar circumstances to pensioners of the New Zealand Forces.

The Secretary,
New Zealand Government Offices.

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The Secretary,
New Zealand Government Offices,
415, Strand,
W.C.2.

A copy of the Newfoundland War Pensions Act, showing
schedule of payments for hospital and outpatient treatment, is
enclosed for your information.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Encls.

Secretary.

The Secretary,
New Zealand Government Offices,
415, Strand,
W.C.2.

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"DEPUTY, WESTROND, LONDON."

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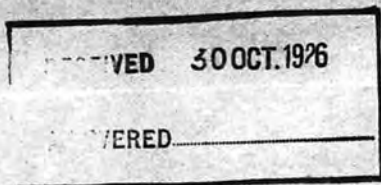
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NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES,
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C. 2.

29th October, 1926.

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Sir,

J. Lewis - Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th instant, requesting that arrangements be made for payment of pension to the above-named in the Dominion at the rate of 15/5d. per month up to the 24th March, 1927. You do not, however, state from what date payment is to commence and upon receipt of this information the authorities in New Zealand will be requested to arrange for Mr. Lewis to receive payment accordingly.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Tomney
Finance Officer.

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

Your Reference Pensions SA/DL.

1st November, 1926.

Sir,

J. Lewis Royal Newfoundland Regiment

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th October regarding the payment of pension to the above named man in New Zealand.

The date of commencement in respect of Mr. Lewis' pension is 1st October, the first payment falling due on 30th November.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

The Secretary,
New Zealand Government Offices,
415, Strand,
W.C.2.

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS.
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TELEPHONE NUMBERS.
GERRARD 0840
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IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
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PENSIONS.
GR/DL.



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES,
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C.2.

4th April, 1927.

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Sir,

J. Lewis - Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

With reference to your letter of the 22nd October last, and to my reply of the 26th idem, I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you he has now received from the authorities in New Zealand, Medical Board Report on the above-named, dated 16th February, which document is enclosed herewith.

I shall be glad if you will kindly acknowledge receipt, also to be informed whether any further grant of pension is authorised in favour of Mr. Lewis.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Toms
Finance Officer.

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

5th, April, 1927.

Sir, J. Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 4th April, enclosing a Medical Board report on the above named pensioner and to state that if the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland authorize a further pension to be paid to this man, you will be advised of the particulars of the award.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

Finance Officer,
New Zealand Government Offices,
415, Strand,
W.C. 2.

5th, April, 1927.

Sir, 189. J. Lewis,
 Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed to enclose herewith copy of a Medical Board report held on the above named pensioner at Dunedin, New Zealand on the 16th, February, 1927. As a result of this examination, the Board assessed the degree of disablement at the rate of 1-5 % permanently.

Mr. Lewis's pension expired on the 24th March last and it is requested that you will be good enough to let me have further instructions as early as possible.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

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

FORM OF MEDICAL REPORT BY RE-SURVEY BOARD.

Date of Expiry of Current Award 24. 3. 1957

Awards Reference No. 15757/4

Surname LEWIS

Christian Names 189

Rank, Corps, or Regt. }
from which discharged }

Rayner's Regiment

Official or Regtl. }
Number }

Date of discharge.....

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THE REGIONAL DIRECTOR,
MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

1.—Are you satisfied that the man before you is the Seaman or Soldier referred to in Discharge Documents sent herewith? (See instructions on page 1.)

Yes.

2.—Describe the present state of the disability or disabilities shown on page 1 of this form giving:—

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

Also state (d) Whether any change of diagnosis is involved.

C. Sharp pain across abdomen especially in wet weather. Headache & depression.

V. Small tender scar over upper part of right rectus (? W. G. bullet wound) - Not tender. No Eust found. X Ray (see previous report) negative as regards abdomen. Open abdomen. Infirm. Nothing abdominal found.

C. This man's general health appears good and I think that the G.S.W. of abdomen in itself causes only a trifling disability. Neuroasthenia as the abdomen makes him exaggerate the effects of the G.S.W.

3.—(i) Is the condition of the Disability, or the Disabilities together, final and stationary? *YES*

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

12 months? */*

More than a year? */*

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

DISABILITIES			COMBINED ASSESSMENT FOR ALL DISABILITIES
1	2	3	
<i>1-5% One to five per cent.</i>			

(With regard to disabilities assessed at under 20 %, See M.P.M.S.D. 57 Supplement 3D).

Has the man been informed of his Assessment? *Yes*

5.—If this case has hitherto been accepted by the Ministry as a case of aggravation by service during the Great War, have the effects of aggravation passed away?

Na

6.—If the above Assessments have been arrived at after discounting any "other condition" (e.g. personal habits, misconduct, etc.) the facts should be fully stated and the method of arriving at the Assessment indicated. (See M.P.M.S.D. 57 Supplement 5).

7.—If the man requires the constant attendance of another person in his home (other than skilled nursing) state whether a separate report has been rendered on M.P.A. 36 C.A.

No

Signatures— F. Gordon Bell Chairman.

Place of Board St. Helens, N.Z.

Date Dunedin, New Zealand.
Feb 16th, 1927

} Members.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

IN REPLY REFER TO
No. 1457

u/s/107



ST JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

May 12, 1927.

The High Commissioner for Nfld.,
58, Victoria Street,
Westminster, S.W.1.

189 J. Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Sir:

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Medical Report held in the above noted case on February 16, 1927, and to state that pension has been assessed at 5% for a further period of twelve months on account of G.S.W. Abdominal Wall.

Authority for payment is enclosed herewith.

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

[Signature]
Secretary.

VMD

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Pension No. 1457

Awards renewals etc.,

Newfoundland pensioners residing in the United Kingdom.

Name: LEWIS, J.

Rank: PRIVATE Regt. No. 189

Address:

Date of Medical Re-Board: February 16, 1927

Disability for which pensioned: G.S.W. ABDOMINAL WALL

Degree of Disablement: 5% Period: 12 mths.

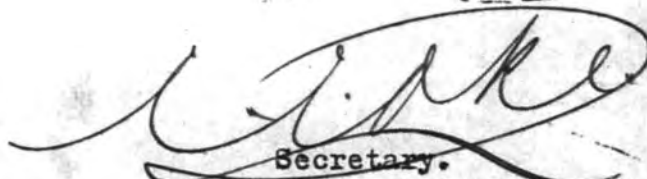
New award expires: 24.3.27

Marital Status: Single

Pension awarded as follows:

Allowance for self.....	\$	<u>3.75</u>	per month
" " Wife.....	\$	_____	"
" " 1st child....	\$	_____	"
" " 2nd Child....	\$	_____	"
" " _____ Childrer.	\$	_____	each..\$
Total monthly allowance.....	\$	<u>3.75</u>	

Remarks:


Secretary.

30th May, 1927.

Sir, 189, J. Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed to refer to your letter of the 4th April last, and to inform you that authority has now been received from the Board of Pension Commissioners, authorising payment to the above named pensioner of a pension at the rate of 5 % (15/5d per month) for a further period of twelve months.

It will be appreciated if you will be good enough to notify the authorities in New Zealand of this award, and request them to make payment to Mr. Lewis accordingly.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

The High Commissioner
for New Zealand,
415, Strand,
W.C. 2.

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"DEPUTY, WESTRAND, LONDON"

TELEPHONE NUMBERS.

GERRARD 0840
" 0841
" 0842
" 0843

ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO
THE HIGH COMMISSIONER
FOR NEW ZEALAND.

IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO

PENSIONS.
CR/DL



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES,
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C.2.

1st June, 1927.

8664

Sir,

Royal Newfoundland Regiment - John Lewis.

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo, informing this Department that the Board of Pension Commissioners has authorised payment of a further award of pension to the above-named at the rate of 15/5d. per month for a period of twelve months.

The authorities in New Zealand have been informed accordingly and requested to arrange for Mr. Lewis to receive payment.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Toms

Finance Officer. *my*

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

IMPERIAL PENSIONS PAID IN THE COLONIES.

No. C.P.B.—I.P.—³³⁴

GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON,

18th August 1927

SIR,

I ENCLOSE a Schedule of certain sums advanced out of Imperial Post Office Moneys by the Colonial Post Office of New Zealand for the payment of Imperial Pensions, &c., chargeable on the Votes of your Department, in accordance with the Treasury Minute of 23rd January, 1873, together with the necessary vouchers, and I have to request that these sums, amounting in the whole to £ 3 : 1 : 8 , may be placed to the Credit of the Postmaster-General's Cash Account at the Bank of England at your earliest convenience.

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

ex parte

for Comptroller and Accountant-General.

To *The High Commissioner for Newfoundland.*

B.1885 R

P. Ashburton
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT
23 DEC 1926

ASHBURTON
23 JAN 1927
M.O. & S.B.

PAYMENT AUTHORITY
27 Feb 1927

John Lewis

This form must be left the holder for examination if presented in person and only if presented through a Bank.

RECEIVED of THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES, the sum

Full Sum...

£ 1 10 10
£ 0 0 0
£ 0 0 0
£ 0 0 0
£ 1 10 10

of *one pound 10/10*

being the pension due to me for the *2* months ended the *30th*

November 192*6* in respect of my late

British Income Tax

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

appointment as

SUM PAYABLE ...

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid

Exd.

employment under the Crown.

Account *Newfoundland Lewis 22/2/27*

Certificate.

Signature and date (across a Twopenny stamp when the payment amounts to £2 and upwards.)

I hereby certify that *Mr John Lewis*, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this certificate must be completed.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank when passing on for payment.

John Ross
Dumfries

N.Z. ASHBURTON
22 FEB 1927
M.O. & S.B.

Address *Lewis 70 The Barclay 10 Vesby St. Dundee*

Qualification *Justice of the Peace* Date *for 14th 1927*

B1883

P. Ashburton
PENSION DEPARTMENT

ASHBURTON
27 JAN 1927
M.O. & S.B.

John Lewis

Date 2

23 DEC 1926

This form must be left one hour for examination if presented in person and one day if presented through a Bank.

RECEIVED of THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES, the sum Full Sum... £ 15/5
 of fifteen shilling five pence £
 being the pension due to me for the 31st month... ended the £ 15/5
 December 1926 in respect of my late British Income Tax £
 appointment as SUM PAYABLE ... £ 15/5

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid employment under the Crown.

Account Newfoundland Lewis 22/2/27

Signature and date (across a Twopenny stamp when the payment amounts to £2 and upwards.)

Certificate.

I hereby certify that M. J. Lewis, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank when passing on for payment.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this certificate must be completed.

Address Lewis of Mrs Barclay 10 Hobby St. Dunedin
 Qualification Justice of the Peace Date Jan 14th 1927

N.Z. ASHBURTON
22 FEB 1927
M.O. & S.B.

IMPERIAL ACCOUNT FEBRUARY 1927

NEWFOUNDLAND.

B.1883	Lewis J.	1	10	10	Nov '26	Nov	1
"	" "	-	15	5	Dec '26	Dec	2
"	" "	-	15	5	Jan '27	Jan	3
		<hr/>					
		£3	1	8			
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*has
30/4/27*

19th August, 1927.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith cheque for £3.1.8. (three pounds one shilling and eight pence) being amount paid to Mr. J. Lewis by the Colonial Post Office of New Zealand, for the credit of the Postmaster-General's Cash Account.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Manager,
Bank of England,
LONDON.

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"DEPUTY, WESTRAMP, LONDON."

TELEPHONE NUMBERS,
GERRARD 0840
" " 0841
" " 0842
" " 0843

ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO
THE HIGH COMMISSIONER
FOR NEW ZEALAND.

IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO

PENSIONS.
CR/DL.



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES,
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C.2.

22nd September, 1927.

9802

Sir,

Royal Newfoundland Regiment - John Lewis.

I am directed by the High Commissioner to refer to your letter of the 30th May last, authorising payment of a further award of pension to the above-named at the rate of 15/5d. per month for a period of twelve months, and in connection therewith to state that a communication has been received from New Zealand to the effect that payment is being made accordingly and asking whether it is desired that this man shall be Medically Boarded for renewal of pension purposes, and if so, when he should be Boarded.

I shall be glad to be advised, in due course, as to what action you desire taken in the matter, in order that the authorities in New Zealand can be informed accordingly.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Toms

Finance Officer. *emj*

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

26th September, 1927.

Sir, 189, J. Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 22nd September regarding the case of the above named man and to ask that you will be good enough to arrange with the Pension authorities in New Zealand to have Mr. Lewis reboarded for renewal of pension in due course.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Finance Officer,
New Zealand Government Offices,
415 Strand,
W.C. 2.

Secretary.

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"DEPUTY.WESTRAND,LONDON."

TELEPHONE NUMBERS,
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FOR NEW ZEALAND.

IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO
PENSIONS
CR/MB



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES,
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C.2.

27th September, 1927.

9868

Sir,

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th instant, and in reply to inform you that the authorities in New Zealand have been requested to arrange for Mr. Lewis to be medically reboarded, and for the report of the Board to be forwarded to this Department for transmission to your Office.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Toms

Finance Officer. *my*

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

IMPERIAL PENSIONS PAID IN THE COLONIES.

No. C.P.B.—I.P. 342

GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON,

23rd November 1927

SIR,

I ENCLOSE ^{*vouchers for*} ~~a Schedule of~~ certain sums advanced out of Imperial Post Office Moneys by the Colonial Post Office of New Zealand for the payment of Imperial Pensions, &c., chargeable on the Votes of your Department, in accordance with the Treasury Minute of 23rd January, 1873, ~~together with the necessary vouchers,~~ and I have to request that these sums, amounting in the whole to £ 1 : 7 : 4 ^{*}, may be placed to the Credit of the Postmaster-General's Cash Account at the Bank of England at your earliest convenience.

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

[Signature]

for Comptroller and Accountant-General.

To *The High Commissioner*

for Newfoundland.

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B1883.

P
Alexandra
PENSION DEPARTMENT
7 - JUN 1927
H.O.

John Lewis

Date _____

PAYMENT AUTHORIZED
Aug 27

This form must be left one hour for examination if presented in person and one day if presented through a Bank.

RECEIVED of THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES the sum

Full Sum... .. £ - 15 5

of *fifteen Shillings & five pence*

being the pension due to me for the month... ended the

British Income Tax
Finl. year 19 /19 } £ - 0 0

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

28th February 192*7* in respect of my late

appointment as _____

SUM PAYABLE ... £ - 15 5

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid

employment under the Crown.

Account *Newfoundland*

Stamp: *Alexandra*
-9 JUL 1927
M.O. & S.B.

Lewis
Signature and Date.
9.7.27

Certificate

I hereby certify that *Mrs. M. Lewis*, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this Certificate must be completed.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner, or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank when passing on for payment.

Address *St. John's Newfoundland*

Qualification *Justice of the Peace* Date *9 - JUL 1927*

For Crown Agents' use only.

B1883.

P. *Alexandra*

John Lewis

Date.....

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17 - JUN 1927
H. O.

PAYMENT AUTHORIZED
until 1st *Aug*, 19*27*

This form must be left one hour for examination if presented in person any one day if presented through a Bank.

RECEIVED of THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES the sum Full Sum... .. £ *11/4*

of *eleven Shillings & eleven pence* £ *11/4*

being the pension due to me for the *period* month... ended the £ *11/4*

1/3/27 to 24/3/27 19*27* in respect of my late British Income Tax £ *11/4*

appointment as..... Finl. year 19 /19 } £ *11/4*

SUM PAYABLE £ *11/4*

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid

employment under the Crown.

Account *Newfoundland*

N.Z. ALEXANDRA
-9 JUL 1927
M.O. & B.E.

John Lewis
Signature and Date.
9.7.27.

Certificate.

I hereby certify that *M. John Lewis*, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner, British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank, when passing on for payment.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this Certificate must be completed.

Address *St. John's, Newfoundland*

Qualification *Bank Manager* Date *9 - JUL 1927*

For Crown Agents' use only.

24th November, 1927.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith cheque for 2l. 7. 6. which please place to the credit of the Postmaster-General's Cash Account at your Bank, acknowledging receipt to this Office in due course.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Manager,
Bank of England,
Threadneedle Street,
E.C. 2.

IMPERIAL PENSIONS PAID IN THE COLONIES.

No. C.P.B.—I.P.—3424

GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON,

10th January 1928

SIR,

I ENCLOSE a Schedule of certain sums advanced out of Imperial Post Office Moneys by the Colonial Post Office of New Zealand for the payment of Imperial Pensions, &c., chargeable on the Votes of your Department, in accordance with the Treasury Minute of 23rd January, 1873, together with the necessary vouchers, and I have to request that these sums, amounting in the whole to £ 3 : 17 : 1 , may be placed to the Credit of the Postmaster-General's Cash Account at the Bank of England at your earliest convenience.

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

square

fr Comptroller and Accountant-General.

To *The High Commissioner*

fr Newfoundland

IMPERIAL ACCOUNT AUGUST 1927.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

B 1883	Lewis J.	2	6	3	3 Months ended @ 24.6.27	June	1
"	" "	-	15	5	Month ended 24.7.27	July	2
"	" "	=	15	5	" " 24.8.27	Aug	3
		£	3	17	1		

*paid.
29/9/27.
[Signature]*

Alexandria

OFFICE OF THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES, 4, MILLBANK, WESTMINSTER, LONDON, S.W. 1.

B 1883

P.

John Lewis

% Mr J B Saunders

PO Box 75 Alexandria

Date

RECEIVED
Sept 27

This form must be left one hour for examination if presented in person and one day if presented through a Bank.

RECEIVED OF THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES the sum

of Two pounds 4/3

Full Sum ... £ 2 6 3

being the pension due to me for the 3 month... ended the

30th June 1927 in respect of my late

British Income Tax
Finl. year 19 /19

appointment as

SUM PAYABLE ... £ 2 6 3

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid employment under the Crown.

Account Newfoundland



Exd. _____

Lewis 30.7.27
Signature and Date.

Certificate.

I hereby certify that Mr John Lewis, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner, or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank, when passing on for payment.

W. Richards

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this Certificate must be completed.

Address Alexandria

Qualification J. P. Date 30-7-27

For Crown Agents' use only.

Date **B** 1883

P

Alexander
John Lewis
To Mr J.B. Saunders.
P.O. Box 7, Alexandria

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

25 JUL 1927

This form must be left one hour for examination if presented in person and one day if presented through a Bank.

RECEIVED of THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES the sum

Full Sum... .. £8 - 15 5

of £75

British Income Tax
Finl. year 19 /19 } £8

being the pension due to me for the month... ended the

24th July 1927 in respect of my late

SUM PAYABLE £8 - 15 5

appointment as

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid

Exd. _____

employment under the Crown.



Account *W. Saunders*

Phewis 30. 7. 27.
Signature and Date.

Certificate.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this Certificate must be completed.

I hereby certify that *M. John Lewis*, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner, or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank, when passing on for payment.

C. E. Richards

Address *Alexandria*

Qualification *J. P.* Date *30/7/27*

For Crown Agents' use only.

Date **B** 1883 ³

P

Alexandra

John Lewis
Ex Mr J. Saunders
40 Dor 75, Alexandria

Pensions Department.
-19 AUG 1927
H.O.

This form must be left one hour for examination if presented in person and one day if presented through a bank.

RECEIVED of THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES the sum

Full Sum... .. £ - 15 5
£
£
£
British Income Tax
Finl. year 19 /19 } £
SUM PAYABLE £ - 15 5

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

of *15 5*
being the pension due to me for the month... ended the
20th August 1927 in respect of my late
appointment as

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid employment under the Crown.

Exd.

Account *Alexandra Newfoundland*

Certificate.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this Certificate must be completed.

I hereby certify that *Mr John Lewis*, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner, or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank, when passing on for payment.

W. E. Dickson
J.P.

Lewis 29. 8. 27.
Signature and Date
ALEXANDRA
29 AUG 1927
M.O. & S.B.

Address *Alexandra*

Qualification *J.P.*

Date *29. 8. 27*

For Crown Agents' use only.

12th January, 1926.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a cheque for £3. 17. 1. which kindly place to the credit of the Postmaster General's Cash Account, acknowledging receipt to this Office in due course.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Manager,
Bank of England,
E.C.

14. Jan. 1928

[All Letters to be addressed
to "The CHIEF CASHIER."]

Bank of England,—E.C.

13 JAN 1928 19

*The Chief Cashier begs to acknowledge the receipt of a
remittance for £ 3 ——— 17 ——— 1 for the credit of the account
of H.M. Postmaster General*

The Secretary

Dominion of Newfoundland

(2914) 1/26-1000

MA

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.



ST JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

IN REPLY REFER TO
N^o 1457.

January 28th., 1928.

The High Commissioner for Nfld.,
58, Victoria Street,
London, E N G L A N D.

Re:- 189, J. Lewis, Royal Nfld., Regt:

Dear Sir:-

I beg to draw your attention to the case of the marginally named and to request that you furnish a Statement of this man's account subsequent to March 25th., 1926 to date, and an explanation as to why pension due for ther period ending March 24th., 1927 was not paid until November 1927. It would appear that ~~no~~ ^{no} ~~this~~ action was taken by you on our letter of May 12th., 1927 when pension was authorized for a further twelve months in view of Medical Board dated Feby 16th., 1927.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

J. McKeath
For Secretary.

JAMcG/BT:

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

14th February, 1928.

Sir, 189, J. Lewis,
 Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 28th January and to enclose herewith a statement of account showing pension payments made to the above named man as from the 25th March, 1926. I am to inform you that Mr. Lewis proceeded to New Zealand in September 1926 and pension was paid by this Office direct up to and including the 30th September, after which arrangements were made with the New Zealand authorities for the payment of his pension and claims for refund to be made quarterly to this Office. However, claims have not been submitted quarterly and refunds are made as and when claims are received, in this case the 23rd November, 1927. With regard to the last paragraph of your letter, your instructions of the 12th May were transmitted to the New Zealand authorities on the 30th May and payment have been made accordingly.

Encl.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Statement of Account

189. J. Lewis

PAYMENTS		£.	s.	d.	RECEIPTS	£.	s.	d.
<u>1926</u>								
May 3	To Cheque		18.	6.	25/3/26 to 24/9/27 - 18 months @ \$3.75 per month equals \$67.50	13.	17.	4.
31	" "		15.	5.				
Jun 30	" "		15.	5.				
Oct 31	" "	3.	1.	8.				
<u>1927</u>								
Aug 19	" Payment New Zealand	3.	1.	8.				
Oct 24	" " " "	1.	7.	4.				
<u>1928</u>								
Jan 12	" " " "	3.	17.	1.				
	" Difference in Exchange			3.				
		13.	17.	4.		13.	17.	4.

Office of the
High Commissioner for Newfoundland,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.
England,
14th February, 1928.

IMPERIAL PENSIONS PAID IN THE COLONIES.

No. C.P.B.—I.P.—³⁴⁹

GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON,

27th February 1928.

SIR,

I ENCLOSE a Schedule of certain sums advanced out of Imperial Post Office Moneys by the Colonial Post Office of New Zealandfor the payment of Imperial Pensions, &c., chargeable on the Votes of your Department, in accordance with the Treasury Minute of 23rd January, 1873, together with the necessary vouchers, and I have to request that these sums, amounting in the whole to £ — : ⁰15 : ^d5 , may be placed to the Credit of the Postmaster-General's Cash Account at the Bank of England at your earliest convenience.

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

signature

for Comptroller and Accountant-General.

To *Heddyh Commissioner*

for Newfoundland

IMPERIAL ACCOUNT OCTOBER 1927

NEWFOUNDLAND

B 1883 Lewis J.

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IMPERIAL

P
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.
19 SEP. 1927
H. O.

John Lewis

Date SEP 30 1927

NOT TO BE PAID BEFORE

BP 1887

This form must be left one hour for examination if presents in person and one day if presented through a Bank.

RECEIVED of THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES the sum

Full Sum... £ 15 5

of *fifteen shillings and five pence*

being the pension due to me for the month... ended the

30 September 1927 in respect of my late

British Income Tax
Finl. year 19 /19

£
£
£

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

appointment as

SUM PAYABLE ... £ 15 5

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid

employment under the Crown.

Account *Newfoundland*

[Signature]
ALEXANDRA
1800.1927
NO. 1887

John Lewis 10.10.27
Signature and Date.

Certificate.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this Certificate must be completed.

I hereby certify that *Mr John Lewis*, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner, or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank, when passing on for payment.

[Signature] J.P.

Address *Alexandra*

Qualification *J.P.*

Date *18/10/27*

For Crown Agents' use only.

2nd March, 1928.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith cheque for 15. 5d. for the credit of the Postmaster General Cash Account and shall be glad to have your acknowledgment of receipt in due course.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Manager,
Bank of England,
London.

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"DEPUTY, WESTRAND, LONDON"

TELEPHONE NUMBERS,
GERRARD 0840
.. 0841
.. 0842
.. 0843

ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO
THE HIGH COMMISSIONER
FOR NEW ZEALAND

IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO
PENSIONS
CR/DL.



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES,
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C.2.

31st March, 1928.

11947

Sir,

Royal Newfoundland Regiment - John Lewis.

With reference to my letter of the 27th September last,
--- I am directed by the High Commissioner to enclose herewith
Medical Board Report on the above-named, which has now come
to hand.

I shall be glad if you will kindly acknowledge receipt.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Toms

Finance Officer. *ey*

The Secretary,

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

2nd April, 1928.

Sir, 169, John Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 31st March enclosing Medical Board report on the above named pensioner held at Dunedin on the 1st February 1928.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

The Secretary,
High Commissioner for New Zealand,
415, Strand,
W.C. 2.

2nd April, 1928.

Sir,

189, John Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

I am directed to enclose herewith Medical Board report held on the above named pensioner at Dunedin, New Zealand on the 1st February 1928 and as a result of which the Board assessed the degree of disablement at the rate of 1-5% for a period of one year. I shall be glad if you will let me have any further instructions regarding this case in due course.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

Secretary.

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

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.



ST JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

IN REPLY REFER TO

N^o 189.

Your Ref.No;
15757/4

May 2nd., 1928.

The High Commissioner for Nfld.,
58, Victoria Street,
Westminster, S W 1.,
London, ENGLAND.

Re:- 189, John Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regt:

Sir:-

I have the honour to refer you to Medical Examination completed in the case of the marginally named on February 1st., 1928, and forwarded to this Office for approval.

I have now to advise you that same has been approved **NIL** by the Medical Adviser to this Department.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

Secretary

BT:

16th May, 1928.

Your ref. Pensions CR/ML.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter of the 31st March last forwarding a Medical Board Report on Mr. John Lewis, ex-member of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment and to inform you that as a result of this Board the Board of Pension Commissioners, Newfoundland advise me that a further pension is not granted. Will you be good enough to advise the Pension authorities in New Zealand of the Board's decision in this case.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

The High Commissioner
for New Zealand,
415, Strand,
W.C. 2.

Secretary.

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"DEPUTY, WESTRAN, LONDON"

TELEPHONE NUMBERS.

GERARD OS 40
.. OS 41
.. OS 42
.. OS 43

ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO
THE HIGH COMMISSIONER
FOR NEW ZEALAND

IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO
PENSIONS.
CR/DL.



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES.
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C.2.

17th May, 1928.

Sir,

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Royal Newfoundland Regiment - John Lewis.

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, regarding the above-named pensioner, and in reply to state that the authorities in New Zealand are being informed that no further award of pension is authorised in Mr. Lewis' favour.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Toms

Finance Officer. *ET*

The Secretary,

Dominion of Newfoundland,

High Commissioner's Offices,

58, Victoria Street,

Westminster, S.W.1.

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS,
"DEPUTY, WESTRAN, LONDON"

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FOR NEW ZEALAND

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REFER TO
PENSIONS.
CR/DL.



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES,
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C.2.

22nd June, 1928.

968

Sir,

Royal Newfoundland Regiment - John Lewis.

With reference to your letter of the 16th ultimo, regarding the above-named ex-member of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, I am directed by the High Commissioner to inform you he has received a request from his Government to obtain from your Government the sum of £3, being expenses incurred with the medical examinations of Mr. Lewis in the Dominion. Details of the expenses are as follows:-

Fee paid for medical examination on 16/2/27 ...	£1. 1. 0.
Fee paid for medical examination on 1/2/28 ...	£1. 1. 0.
Travelling expenses attending examination on 1/2/28 ...	<u>£-.18. 0.</u>
	<u>£3. 0. 0.</u>

and I shall be glad if you will kindly arrange for the sum of £3 to be remitted to this Department.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Toms

Finance Officer. *ef*

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

Your ref. PENSIONS
CR/BL.

25th June, 1928.

Sir, . 189, John Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 22nd June and to enclose herewith cheque for £3. 0. 0. being refund of amounts disbursed by your Government in New Zealand on account of the above named pensioner for fees paid for medical examination on the 16th February, 1927 and the 1st February, 1928, also travelling expenses incurred in attending examination on the latter date and shall be glad to have your acknowledgment of receipt in due course.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

The High Commissioner for New Zealand,
New Zealand Government Offices,
415, Strand,
W.C. 2.

Secretary.

DOMINION OF NEW ZEALAND.

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"DEPUTY, WESTRAND, LONDON"

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FOR NEW ZEALAND

IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO
PENSIONS.
CR/DL.



NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICES,
415, STRAND,
LONDON, W.C.2.

26th June, 1928.

997

Sir,

Royal Newfoundland Regiment - John Lewis.

I am directed by the High Commissioner to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of your letter of the 25th instant, enclosing cheque for the sum of £3, in defrayment of expenses incurred in connection with the medical examinations of the above-named pensioner, and in reply I have pleasure in --- enclosing herewith Official Receipt.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. Toms

Finance Officer. *ET*

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

[All Letters to be addressed
to "The CHIEF CASHIER."]

Bank of England,—E.C.

25 NOV 1927 19

The Chief Cashier begs to acknowledge the receipt of a
remittance for £ 1 — 7 — 4 for the credit of the account
of H.M. Postmaster General

The Secretary

Dominion of Newfoundland.

(2914) 1/26-1000

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[All Letters to be addressed
to "The CHIEF CASHIER."]

Bank of England,—E.C.

20 AUG. 1927 ~~19~~

The Chief Cashier begs to acknowledge the receipt of a
remittance for £3—1—8 for the credit of the account
of the Postmaster General.

The High Commissioner for Newfoundland.
Westminster, S.W. 1

(2914) 1/26-1000

MA.

Your ref. Pensions CR/BL.

28th July, 1929.

Sir, 189, John Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 25th July enclosing medical documents relating to the case of the above named Newfoundland pensioner.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

The High Commissioner for New Zealand,
415, Strand,
W.C. 2.

IMPERIAL PENSIONS PAID IN THE COLONIES.

Branch Ref. 1314—I.P.— 361

GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON,

30 July 192*8*

SIR,

I ENCLOSE ^{Vouchers of} ~~a Schedule of certain~~ sums advanced out of Imperial Post Office Moneys by the Colonial Post Office of *New Zealand* for the payment of Imperial Pensions, &c., chargeable on the Votes of your Department, in accordance with the Treasury Minute of 23rd January, 1873, ~~together with the necessary vouchers~~, and I have to request that these sums, amounting in the whole to £ *1 : 10 : 10*, may be placed to the Credit of the Postmaster-General's Cash Account at the Bank of England at your earliest convenience.

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

A. W. J. Bivas

Comptroller and Accountant-General.

To *The High Commissioners*

(Z10891) Wt 7338/2418 375/327 H & Sp 48 161

for Newfoundland

*58 Victoria Street
207*

NOT TO BE PAID BEFORE 29 FEB 1928

Date _____

Received by

Pensions Department.
21 FEB 1928
H.O.

John Lewis

B 1883

This form must be left one hour for examination if presented in person, and one day if presented through a Bank.

RECEIVED OF THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES the sum of 15/5

Full Sum... £ 15 5

being the pension due to me for the month .. ended the 29 FEB 1928 192... in respect of my late

British Income Tax £

appointment as

SUM PAYABLE ... £ 15 5

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid employment under the Crown.

Exd.

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

Account Newfoundland

Lewis
Signature and date.

Certificate

I hereby certify that Mr. J. Lewis, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank when passing on for payment.

James Barra

Address Rangfurly

Qualification Justice of the Peace Date 29/2/28

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office, or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this Certificate must be completed.



B 1883

P. *Abroad*
NOT TO BE PAID BEFORE 31 JAN 1928

Date

Pensions Department.
24 JAN 1928
H.O.

John Lewis

This form must be left one hour for examination if presented in person, and one day if presented through a Bank.

RECEIVED OF THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES the sum	Full Sum...	£ - 15 - 5
of <i>seven shillings and five pence</i>		£
being the pension due to me for the.....month .. ended the		£
<i>31 January</i> 1928 in respect of my late	British Income Tax	£
appointment as.....	SUM PAYABLE ...	£ - 15 - 5

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid employment under the Crown.

Account *Newfoundland*

Lewis
Signature and date.

Certificate

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office, or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this Certificate must be completed.

I hereby certify that *Mr J. Lewis*, whose signature is affixed above, is living and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank when passing on for payment.

James Barrd

Address *Ranfurlly*

Qualification *Justice of the Peace* Date *27/2/28*

For Crown Agents' use only.
RANFURLY
27 FEB 1928
H.O. A.S.

1st August, 1928.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a cheque for £1. 10. 10. which kindly place to the credit of the Postmaster General's Cash Account, being a refund of pension payments made by the Colonial Post Office of New Zealand on behalf of Newfoundland pensioners.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Manager,
Bank of England,
London.

Your ref. 1314-IP-361.

31st July, 1928.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 30th July and to inform you that we are to-day forwarding a cheque for £1. 10. 10. to the Bank of England for the credit of the Postmaster General's Cash Account, being refund of pension payments made by the Post Office of New Zealand on behalf of Newfoundland pensioners.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

The Comptroller and Accountant General,
General Post Office,
London.

IMPERIAL PENSIONS PAID IN THE COLONIES.

Branch Ref. 1314—I.P.— 865

GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON,

17 August 1928

SIR,

I ENCLOSE a Schedule of ^{of a} certain sums advanced out of Imperial Post Office Moneys by the Colonial Post Office of New Zealand for the payment of Imperial Pensions, &c., chargeable on the Votes of your Department, in accordance with the Treasury Minute of 23rd January, 1873, together with the necessary vouchers, and I have to request that ^{the} these sums, amounting ~~in the whole~~ to £ 11/11, may be placed to the Credit of the Postmaster-General's Cash Account at the Bank of England at your earliest convenience.

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

R. H. J. Briggs

Comptroller and Accountant-General.

To The High Commissioner

(Z10891) Wt 7338A/2418 375 8/27 H-87 99 161

for Newfoundland,
59 Victoria Street
Dorset

P.

NOT TO BE PAID BEFORE 24. 3. 28

Date 1



John Lewis

B 1883

This form must be left on your table for examination if presented in person, and one day if presented through a Bank.

RECEIVED of THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES the sum

Full Sum ... £ 7 .. " "

of seven shillings - 11

being the pension due to me for the month ended the

British Income Tax ... £ 3 .. " "

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

24. 3. 1928 in respect of my late

appointment as

SUM PAYABLE ... £ 7 .. " "

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid employment under the Crown.

Exd.

Account Newfoundland

John Lewis 10. 4. 28. Signature and date.

Certificate.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at the Office, or passed through a Bank for collection. In the case of this Certificate must be completed.

I hereby certify that Mr John Lewis, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner, or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank, when passing on for payment.

James Baird J.P.

For Crown Agents' use only.



Address

Qualification

Hanfury J.P.

Date 10-4-28

IMPERIAL ACCOUNT APRIL 1928

NEWFOUNDLAND

B 1883

Lewis J.

- 11s. 11d.

Month ended 24.3.28

Mar

*Lewis
5/6/28*

20th August, 1928.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith cheque for 11/11d (eleven shillings and eleven pence) being pension payment made by the Colonial Post Office of New Zealand on behalf of Newfoundland Government, which kindly place to the credit of the Postmaster General's Cash Account, acknowledging receipt to this Office in due course.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Manager,
Bank of England,
LONDON.

Branch Ref. 1314 - I.P. - 365

20th August, 1928.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th August and to inform you that we are to-day forwarding a cheque for 11/11d to the Bank of England for the credit of The Postmaster-General's Cash Account. I am to add that we have not yet received a claim for pension payments to Mr. Lewis for the period 25th September to 31st December, 1927.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

The Comptroller & Accountant-General,
General Post Office,
E.l.,

[All Letters to be addressed
to "The CHIEF CASHIER."]

Bank of England,—E.C.

21. AUG. 1928 19

The Chief Cashier begs to acknowledge the receipt of a
remittance for £ // // for the credit of the account
of H.M. Postmaster General cash a/c

The Secretary

Offices of the High Commissioner

(2914) 5/27-1000

for Newfoundland.

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IMPERIAL PENSIONS PAID IN THE COLONIES.

No. C.P.B.—I.P.— 367

GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON,

5 September 1928

SIR,

I ENCLOSE a Schedule of certain sums advanced out of Imperial Post Office Moneys by the Colonial Post Office of New Zealand for the payment of Imperial Pensions, &c., chargeable on the Votes of your Department, in accordance with the Treasury Minute of 23rd January, 1873, together with the necessary vouchers, and I have to request that these sums, amounting in the whole to £ 2 : 6 : 3, may be placed to the Credit of the Postmaster-General's Cash Account at the Bank of England at your earliest convenience.

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

R. W. J. Price

for Comptroller and Accountant-General.

To *The High Commissioner*

(Z7330) Wt 1257A/1153-500 6/26 H & SP Gp 161

for Newfoundland

R.W.J.

IMPERIAL ACCOUNT MAY 1928

NEWFOUNDLAND

B 1883	Lewis J.	-	15	5	1/31.10.27	Oct '27
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		£	2	6	3	

W.S.J.
29/6/28
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NOT TO BE PAID BEFORE 31.10.27
OFFICE OF THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES, 1, WESTMINSTER, LONDON, S.W. 1.

Pensions Department
P 2408
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT
H.O.
- 4 APR 1928

John Lewis

PAYMENT AUTHORIZED
Date until 1st May, 1928

BE 883

This form must be left one hour for examination if presented in person and one day if presented through Bank.

RECEIVED OF THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES the sum of fifteen shillings & five pence

Full Sum... £ — 15 5

being the pension due to me for the month... ended the 31st October 1927 in respect of my late

British Income Tax
Finl. year 19 /19

£ — 5 5

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

appointment as

SUM PAYABLE ... £ — 10 5

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid employment under the Crown.

Exd. _____

Account Newfoundland

Lewis 29.4.28.
Signature and Date.

Certificate.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this Certificate must be completed.

I hereby certify that M J. Lewis, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner, or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank, when passing on for payment.

Peter Aitken

Address Paraw

Qualification J.P.

Date 29/4/28.

For Crown Agents use only.
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NOT TO BE PAID BEFORE 30. 11. 27

Date

Pensions Department.
NOV 1927
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.
H.O.
4 APR 1928
RECEIVED

John Lewis

PAYMENT AUTHORIZED
until 1st May, 1928

BP 1883

This form must be left one hour for examination if presented in person and one day if presented through a Bank

RECEIVED of THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES, the sum Full Sum... £ - 15 5
of fifteen shillings and five pence
being the pension due to me for the month... ended the
30 November 1927 in respect of my late British Income Tax
appointment as SUM PAYABLE ... £ - 15 5

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid

If presented in person this form must be signed in the presence of the Paying Cashier.

employment under the Crown.
Account Newfoundland.

J. Lewis 29.4.28.

Signature and date (across a Two-penny stamp when the payment amounts to £2 and upwards.)

Certificate

I hereby certify that Mr J. Lewis, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this certificate must be completed.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank when passing on for payment.

Peter Ritken

Address Paterau

Qualification J.P.

Date 29/4/28.



NOT TO BE PAID BEFORE 31 DEC 1927

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Pensions Department
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT
HO.
- 4 APR 1928

John Lewis

PAYMENT AUTHORIZED
until 1st May 1928

B 1883

This form must be kept one hour for... if presented in person and one day if presented through a Bank

RECEIVED of THE CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES, the sum Full Sum...

of fifteen shillings fivepence

being the pension due to me for the month... ended the

31 DEC 1927

192 in respect of my late

British Income Tax

appointment as

SUM PAYABLE

£5 - 15 - 5
£5
£5
£5
£5 - 15 - 5

This allowance cannot be assigned as a security for a loan of money.

I solemnly declare that during this period I have held no paid

Exd.

employment under the Crown.

Account Newfoundland

Lewis 29.4.28.
Signature and date (across a Froopenny stamp when the payment amounts to £2 and upwards.)

Certificate.

I hereby certify that M J. Lewis, whose signature is affixed above, is living, and to the best of my knowledge and belief is the person entitled to the payment.

TO BE SIGNED by a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Commissioner for Oaths, Minister of Religion, Medical Practitioner or British Consul or Vice-Consul, before being passed for payment, or by a Manager of a Bank or Branch Bank when passing on for payment.

Peter Aitken

Address Paerau

Qualification J. P.

Date 29/4/28.

As indicated above the form must be presented in person at this Office or passed through a Bank for collection. In the latter case this certificate must be completed.



7th September, 1928.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 5th September and in reply to state that we are to-day forwarding a cheque for £2. 6. 3. to the Bank of England for the credit of the Postmaster-General's ^{Cash} Account being refund of pension payments on behalf of the Newfoundland Government.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

The Comptroller and Accountant-General,
General Post Office,
London.

7th September, 1928.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith cheque for £2. 6. 3. which please place to the credit of the Postmaster-General's Cash Account, acknowledging receipt to this Office in due course.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

Secretary.

The Manager,
Bank of England,
London.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.



ST JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

IN REPLY REFER TO
No. 1457

Nov 6, 1928.

The Office of
The High Commissioner for Nfld.,
58 Victoria Street,
Westminster, S.W.1.,
London, ENGLAND.

Re: 189 J. Lewis R.N.R.

Sir:

I have the honour to refer to the above noted. It would appear that pension of \$3.75 per month covering period from 25th of September 1927 to 24th. of October 1927 has not been paid.

I have the Honour, to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Amick
for Secretary.

JAMcG/MMS.

20th November, 1928.

Sir, 189, J. Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 6th November regarding the case of the above named man and to inform you that his pension has been fully paid up to and including the 24th March 1928, the date of expiry.

A detailed statement covering the period the 25th March 1928 to 24th March 1928, showing how payment has been made, is enclosed herewith for your information.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Encl.

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

Secretary.

STATEMENT OF PENSIONS ACCOUNT

**189, J. Lewis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment**

Date	Particulars	£.	s.	d.	Particulars	£.	s.	d.
1926								
May 3	To Cheque	18.	6.		By Pension 25/3/26			
31	" "	15.	5.		to 24/3/28, 24			
Jun 30	" "	15.	5.		months @ \$3.75			
					per month equals			
Oct 31	" "	3.	1.	8.	\$90.00 - -	18.	9.	10.
1927								
Aug 19	" Payment New Zealand	3.	1.	8.				
Oct 24	" " " "	1.	7.	4.				
1928								
Jan 12	" " " "	3.	17.	1.				
Mar 2	" " " "	15.	5.					
July 3	" " " "	1.	10.	10.				
Aug 14	"x " " "	11.	11.					
Sept 7	" " " "	1.	14.	4.				
	" Diff. in exchange			3.				
		£18.	9.	10.		£18.	9.	10.

Office of the
High Commissioner for Newfoundland,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.
England.
20th November, 1928.



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 189

Name in full John Lewis Age _____
Address 98 Mary meeting Rd. Welshpool Spent.

~~Married~~ Single _____ Height _____ Weight _____
Color Fair Hair brunon Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks Scar below right knee

Nearest relative Father Mother Humphrey Elizabeth Lewis
Address Gelligason, Starfair boer via Welshpool
Montgomeryshire

Dependents _____
Occupation Farmer Present Wage 7 50 per week

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment _____



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

Declared before me this _____ day of _____ 1914

John Lewis
John Lewis
Aug 1915
John Lewis

Sept 5 1914



DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 189

Name John Lewis

Apparent age _____ years _____ months. Height _____ feet _____ inches.

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

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

Other distinguishing mark: Scar below right arm.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Humphrey & Elizabeth Lewis, Gelligoson, Llanfair, Oen via Welshford, Montgomery-shire. | Relationship Father & Mother

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

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

Particulars as to Children.

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

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Date	Service not allowed 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>3/9/14</u>										
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>3rd September '14</u>										
<u>Embarked St. Nazaire for U.K. 3¹⁰/₁₄. Embarked N. G. F. 20⁸/₁₅ Disembarked Alexandria and entrained for Cairo 31⁸/₁₅. Embarked for Tripoli 13⁹/₁₅. Landed Suvva Bay night of 19²⁰/₁₅ Sept 15. Quarantined and arrived Kevardio 15¹⁶/₁₆ Proceeded to Suva 16¹⁷/₁₆. Embarked. Held Suva 14¹⁷/₁₆. Disembarked Marseilles 17³¹/₁₆. Proceeded 17¹⁷/₁₆. Admitted 8⁴/₁₆ 1st. Corp. Hired 29⁸/₁₆. 1/2 S.M. to Genl. 3¹¹/₁₆. Invalided to England 14¹⁷/₁₆. Admitted 8⁴/₁₆. Attended H. Genl. 29⁸/₁₆.</u>										
<u>Discharged Physically Unfit Hired to Genl. 23²/₁₈.</u>										
Total Service forfeited as above										

Total Service towards Engagement to 23-2-18 (date of discharge) 3 years 174 days

" " " Pension " (") " " " "

To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only.
 Army Form B. 178^a to be used for Special Reserve recruits
 and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Lewis Christian Name John C.

TABLE L.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish _____ County _____

Examined ... { on _____ day of _____ 191 .
 at _____

Declared Age ... years _____ days.

Trade or Occupation ... Farmer.

Height ... feet, _____ inches.

Weight ... lbs. _____

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. _____ inches.
 Range of Expansion _____ inches.

Physical Development ... _____

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right _____ Left _____
 Number _____

When Vaccinated ... _____

Vision ... { R.E.—V= _____
 L.E.—V= _____

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { (a) _____

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... { (b) _____

Approved by (Signature) _____
 (Rank) _____ Medical Officer.



Enlisted ... { at St John's Nfld.
 on _____ day of _____ 191 .

Joined on Enlistment ...	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>Newfoundland</u>	<u>189</u>
Transferred to ...		

Became non-effective by _____
 on _____ day of _____ 191 .

(Signature) _____
 (Rank) _____

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days in Hospital	Remarks
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
Edinburgh 3rd London Genl Hosp Wandsworth	8	3	15	2	4	15	Measles	26	
	4	7	16	15	8	16	GSW abdomen I.1. slight	43	
Military Hospital Ayr.	12	8	17	18	8	17	Scabies	6	

List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

cases bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.

Signature of Medical Officer

Treated in City Hospital

(Capt) W. Lesherlyard
Capt R. M. C. T.

From France. Wound below ^(sternum) intercostal in mid. line. Wound healed. Sent to Esler & then Gurlough

(Capt) J. J. Webster
Capt R. M. C. T.

Limited to left forearm: rapidly cleared away by sulphur ointment.

(Capt) W. Johnston
Capt R. M. C. T.

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

Date	Brief details, and signature
<p>19.4.15 14.8.15</p>	<p>TV</p> <p>Vac Fit for Foreign service</p> <p>TAB { 30.4.17 ^{Head} 2 { 9.5.17 ^{W Johnston} ^{Capt. Reame}</p>

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



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (2)
N. F. 1914

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

Examination of Lewis John (370)
aged 25 1/2 years conducted at L Y B Amman
Date: 28/8/14 Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST	FINDING
1	no
2	no
3	no
4	no
5	no
6	no
7	no
8	yes
9	yes
10	no
11	n
12	n
13	n
14	n
15	n
16	n
17	n
18	n
19	n
20	n
21	n
22	n
23	n
24	n
25	n
26	n
27	n
28	n
29	n
30	n
31	n
32	n
33	as a child
34	5' 4 1/2"
35	125 lbs.
36	33 - 36
37	75° per week
38	Pattn Humphrey Lewis Montgomery Walker
39	No

Fit

189
Signature of Medical Examiner: Clay Macpherson M.D.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 2001/05/PA

C.R. 1895

From

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

55, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

5th February

1919.

FM/BC

To

The Hon. the Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

SUBJECT:

Ex.No. 189 PTE. J. LEWIS.

ROYAL NFDLD. REGIMENT.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated March 7th.,

1919.

Copies of correspondence exchanged with Pte. Lewis, Officer Commanding, 2/Battn., Mr. C.S. Woollam, A.D.M.S., Western Command, and the Ministry Of Pensions, are enclosed for your information.

The following documents are also enclosed:

A.F.B/268 A.F.B./179
A.F.B/178 A.F.B./103

Pending a decision of Lewis's case by the Pension Commissioners provisional Allowance of \$10.00 per month is being issued retroactive from 23/2/18.

Kindly telegraph decision of the Pension Commissioners when available please.

F.H. Marshall
Capt.,
Asst. Paymaster,
Chief Paymaster & C.i/c. Records.

Copies of correspondence and documents received, and passed to Board of Pension Commissioners, whose decision will be communicated to you as soon as received.

Minister of Militia.

FAE/BC.

MINUTES OF CORRESPONDENCE.

1/8/18

Z(1)

Gelligason,
Llanfair C.,
Montgomeryshire.N.W

Dear Sir,

Just a line in reference to my pension. I have been discharged since 23/2/18. Will you kindly see what you can do for me as regard to payment. As it is very little I am able to do. Trusting this will meet with your approval.

I remain, Yrs Truly,
Sgd. J. Lewis of late No. 189.

12813/1292/R.&.C.

(2)

From Chief Paymaster &.O.i/c.Rds.,
Newfoundland Contingent.

8/8/18

To Officer Commanding,
2/Bn. Royal Nfld. Regt.
J. LEWIS ex PTE 189
Royal Nfld. Regt.

Reference following letter from the above named man dated 1/8/18 (8983):

Gelligason
Llanfair C. Montgom.

Just a line in reference to my pension. I have been discharged since 23/2/18. Will you kindly see what you can do for me as regard to payment. As it is very little I am able to do. Trusting this will meet with your approval."

I enclose A.F.B. 179 and request that it may be completed by a Medical Board in order that Pte. Lewis's claim for pension may be considered. It is further requested that in future if men are discharged in this country on account of physical unfitness, the opinion of the Medical Board may be furnished to this office in each case, so that such difficulties as the one in question presents may be avoided please.

Chief Paymaster &.O.i/c.Rds.

From Officer Commanding,
2/Bn. Royal Nfld., Regt.

(3)

10/8/18

Would you kindly arrange to have this man report here as soon as possible.

Sgd. B.J. Barton. Lt. Col.
Com. 2/Bn. Royal Nfld. Regiment.

To Mr. J. Lewis, "Gelligason"
Llanfair C.
Montgomeryshire.

(4)

14/8/18

With reference to your PENSION, letter 1/8/18 (8983) on the subject of pension: Your discharge having been carried out at Winchester the matter has been so referred, and you are requested to report to the Officer Commanding, 2/Bn. The Royal Newfoundland Regt. Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester. Enclosed is Railway Warrant for journey.

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

MINUTES, continued.

(5)

From Chief Paymaster & O.I./c.Rds.,
Newfoundland Contingent.
To. Officer Commanding,
2/Bn. Royal Nfld. Regt.

15/8/18

Reference previous Minutes: Warrant has been issued and Lewis has been asked to report to you as early as possible please.

Chief Paymaster & O.I./c. Records.

(6)

Ministry Of Pensions
Millbank, London.
11/12/18

Sir.

I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to state for your information that he has received an application from one of the local War Pensions Committees established throughout the country asking whether they may provide the necessary medical and surgical treatment for John Lewis late Pte 189 Newfoundland Regiment and now residing at Gelligason, Llanfair, Caereinion, Mont. In reply the Minister has informed the Committee that they may arrange and pay for the treatment certified to be necessary for this man's invaliding disability. I am further to state that the Minister has been negotiating with the authorities of the Dominions of Canada, South Africa, Australia, and New Zealand, with a view to arranging that disabled men discharged from Imperial Forces and resident in these countries shall be provided with the necessary medical and surgical treatment for their invaliding disabilities in accordance with arrangements made by the Dominion Governments concerned for the treatment of men discharged from their own forces, and also for the purpose of arranging that the Ministry shall reciprocate by providing treatment for men discharged from Dominion contingents who are resident in this country. In the case of Newfoundland it is not thought from the number of cases which have come before the Minister's notice that it is necessary to make any formal arrangements I am however to suggest that arrangements with regard to this matter might be made informally and I propose that as a preliminary discussion on the subject might be held with an Officer from your department. If you agree will you be so good as to propose time and place.

*This matter
is under
discussion
with the
MofP.*

I am Sir,

Yours obedient Servant.

Sgd.?

Director of Medical Service.

(7)

3 Market St.
Shrewsbury.
14/12/18

The Chief Paymaster.

Re. John Lewis late 189. Royal Nfld Regt. Dis. as unfit for further Service on February 23rd 1918.

Dear Sir,

I am writing in reference to above case to know if you can kindly let me hear for him what his position is in regard to his Pension. Since his discharge he has been suffering on and off from the effects of his wound in his Abdomen and is unfit to follow his work. He has not had a penny piece of Pension and is now in the Royal Salop Infirmary, at Shrewsbury undergoing X Ray Treatment but without any allowances. I should be glad if you would let me know Pte. Lewis position on your books as to his pension. I am getting in touch with the Secretary of the Montgomery Pensions Committee where the man lives and if it is any help can put the case thro' my own Salop Pension Committee.

Yours truly

Sgd. C.S. Woollam.

21216/1/P.&.A

(8)

To A.D.M.S. Western Command,
Chester.

20/12/18

ex. 189 PTE. J. LEWIS.
Royal Nfld. Regiment.

Will you be kind enough to arrange a Medical Board for the above named man who was discharged from the 2/Bn. Royal Nfld. Regt., at Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, on 23/2/18, in consequence of being unfit for further service. Unfortunately through an oversight this man was allowed to go without being boarded and he now claims a pension. I enclose copies of his Medical History Sheet, and A.F. B.103 for your information. If, on completion of the Medical Board you will kindly return the proceedings to this office, the matter of his pension will at once be taken up here.

Applicant's present address is: Gelligason
Llanfair C.
Montgomeryshire. N. Wales
Sgd. Timewell.
Chief Paymaster & O.I/c. Recrds.

21328/1/P.&.A.

(9)

21/12/18

Mr. C.S. Woollam,
3 Market St., Shrewsbury.

Sir. ex. 189 Pte. Lewis John.
Royal Nfld. Regiment.

With reference to your letter 14/12/18 (10897) relating to the above named soldier. It appears that he was discharged at Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, without a proper Medical Board, 23/2/18. In reply to an enquiry made by Lewis 3/8/18, it was arranged that he should report to Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, to be medically boarded and instructions to that effect and Railway Warrant were sent to him 14/8/18. Up to the date of your letter no advice of his having been boarded had been received. The A.D.M.S. Western Command has now been asked to arrange for him to appear before a Medical Board. Meanwhile it is asked that pending the actual grant of pension by the Nfld Government you will arrange to assist him in any way that you can and supply him with such funds within a reasonable amount, as you may consider necessary and recover payments from this office. Thanking you for the assistance ~~and in~~ already rendered to Pte. Lewis and in anticipation of your further courtesy.

I am Sir,
Yours Obedient Servant,

Chief Paymaster & O.I/c. Rds.

21288/3/R.&.C.

(10)

23/12/18

Mr. J. Lewis "Gelligason."
Llanfair C. N. Wales.

PENSION.

On 14/12/18 I sent you a Railway Warrant to proceed to Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, for a Medical Board which was arranged to take place there for you. Will you please inform me what you did with the Warrant as it is understood you did not proceed to Winchester.

Chief Paymaster & O.I/c. Records.

Dears Sir,

(11)

Gelligason.
Llanfair C.
Montgomery. N.W.

In reference your letter of the 23rd 12/18, which came to hand 27th. The Railway Warrant was handed in at Shawford Sta. and I proceeded to Hazeley Down Camp, and reported myself to the Orderly Room. I was informed to report to the M.O. and was examined by him he also gave me

MINUTES continued.
gave me a Treatment Card and said my papers would be sent to the
P.&R.O.I also received Railway Warrant to proceed home.

I remain,

Yours truly,

Sgd. J.Lewis.

28/12/18

(12)

21544/2462/P.&A

2/1/19

To Officer Commanding,
2/Bn.Royal Nfld.Regt.

INVALIDS:TREATMENT OF.

Copy of letter from the Ministry of Pensions is attached.
It is suggested that Captain Knight may take the matter up and if he
comes to you for this purpose he can be accompanied by an Officer from
here please.

Chief Paymaster &.O.I/c.Rds.

(13)

Ministry of Pensions

Millbank.

3/1/19

Sir,

With further reference to the subject of the letter from this
Department (D.M.39282 of the 11th December) in connection with the
case of John Lewis late 189 Newfoundland Regiment of Gelligason Llanfair
Caereinion, Montgomeryshire .I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to
state that he is now advised by the Montgomeryshire War Pensions Com.
bywhom the case was first brought to notice that this man has never had an
pension or gratuity. As was stated in the letter above quoted the Minister
instructed the Committee to arrange for this man's treatment and he was
in fact admitted to the Royal Salop Infirmary, Shrewsbury, on the 5th
Dec. In view of the fact that he has not been awarded either pension or
gratuity this man would not, had he been discharged from the Imperial
Forces, have been eligible for treatment at the cost of the Ministry
of Pensions or would the Ministry had this fact been known have arranged
for the provision of treatment in this case without first consulting
your Department. In the circumstances I am to enquire what action
should be taken by the Ministry in regard to the case. I am also
to enquire whether you are yet in a position to favour him with your
views upon the general question of reciprocal arrangements submitted
in our previous communication.

I am Sir,

Your obedient Servant.

Sgd. ?

Director of Medical Service.

(14)

From D.D.M.S. Western Command.
Chester.

4/1/19

As requested in your letter 21216/1/P.&.C. dated
20th ultimo please find attached report of Medical Board in the case
of 189 Pte. J. Lewis Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Sgd. ? Capt. RAMC for
D.D.M.S. Western Command.

(15)

To the Director of Medical Service,
Ministry of Pensions.
Millbank.

14/1/19

Sir.

EX 189 Pte. J. LEWIS.
Royal Nfld. Regiment.

With reference to your letter D.M.39282 3/1/19 (101)
relating to the above named soldier. Reference to the records in this
office reveals that he was discharged at Hazely Down Camp, Winchester
23/2/18 without proper Medical Board. In reply to an enquiry made by
Lewis as to Pension he was instructed to report to Hazely Down Camp,
Winchester to appear before a Medical Board and Railway Warrant for
the journey was sent to him 14/8/18 it was not until receipt of letter

from the Local War Committee, Shrewsbury 14/12/18 that his case was again brought to the notice of this office and up to that date the report of the Medical Board held at Winchester has not reached this office. Arrangements were made with D.D.M.S. Western Command to have Lewis appear before a Medical Board which was held at Ochester. The documents since received in this office show his disabilities as 30% these documents are being sent to the Pensions Commissioners in Newfoundland immediately and pending the actual grant of Pension by the Department concerned payments are being made by this office at the rate of 10 dollars per month to be retroactive from the day following the date of discharge from 2/Bn. i.e. 24/2/18 from which any advances which may have been made by your local Committee will be deducted. It will therefore be in order for you to arrange for any treatment that Lewis may require. With regard to general question of reciprocal arrangements between the Imperial & Newfoundland Governments as to the treatment of soldiers discharged in this country. Captain Marshall of this office will meet you on Thursday next time to be arranged by telephone.

I am Sir,
Your obedient servant.

Chief Paymaster α.0.i/c. Records.

Lewis. J.

189

Ray Dept

COPY

The space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

[Blank box for Chelsea Number]



Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. 189 Army Rank Private

Name John Lewis
(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)

Corps Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. 2nd Battalion
(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)

Date of discharge February 1918

Place of discharge Hazeley Down Camp Winchester

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age <u>26</u> years <u>6</u> months	Descriptive marks.
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches	
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded <u>36</u> ins. range of expansion <u>1 1/2</u> ins.	
Complexion <u>Fair</u>	
Eyes <u>Grey</u>	
Hair <u>Brown</u>	
Trade <u>Farmer</u>	
Intended place of residence { <u>Llanfair C</u> <u>Montgomeryshire</u> <u>North Wales</u>	
(To be given as fully as practicable)	

Scar below right knee.

(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of being unfit for further service

(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)

3. Military character:— Very Good

4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:—

E.B. Lieut Colonel
Commanding 2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form B. 2088 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*

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

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

Classification for service, or proficiency pay Class _____

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education

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

(Place) Hazeley Down Camp (Signed) E. A. Beiners Lieut Colonel
(Date) Feb 23rd 1918 Commanding 2nd Regt 1st Regiment.

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

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

(Place) Hazeley Down Camp (Signed) John Lewis (Signature of Soldier.)
(Date) Feb 23rd 1918 (Signed) F. Seymour Lieut (Signature of Witness.)

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

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

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

(Signed) John Lewis (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to 3/9/15 (the date to which the record of service is completed) 1 years - days.
Further service 23/2/18 (the date of confirmation of discharge) 2 .. 173 ..
Total 3 .. 173 ..

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for _____ (date)

(Place) _____

Signature _____

(Date) _____

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

COPY.



Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Hazelton Down Camp

Date Feb 22nd 1918

- 1. Unit 4th Royal Newfoundland Regt.
- 2. Regimental No. 189
- 3. Rank Signaller
- 4. Name Lewis John
- 5. Age last birthday 26
- 6. Enlisted { on 3rd September 1914
at St Johns Newfoundland.
- 7. Former Trade or Occupation } Farmer.
- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—
 - (a) Former Unit;
 - (b) Regimental No.;
 - (c) Date of Discharge;
 - (d) Cause of Discharge.

8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).

G.S.W. Abdomen

Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

- 9. Date of origin of disability. 1st July 1916
- 10. Place of origin of disability. Beaumont Hamel.
- 11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

*G.S.W. Abdomen 43 days in No 3. London Genl
He has had had chronic pains in abdomen
ever since, necessitating his being put on
light work only, and has been continually
reporting sick. For more than 12 months
he has been B iii Category.*
- 12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—
 - (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).

Attributed to service in the present war
 - (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.

— does not apply
 - (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.

— does not apply.

13. What is his present condition?

Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.

Marked pain in deep palpation of abdomen over pear. No wasting of muscles of abdomen. Complains of pain after taking food. Does not vomit. bowels regular.

14. If the disability is an injury, was it caused—

- (a) In action?
- (b) On field service?
- (c) On duty?
- (d) Off duty?

does not apply

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?

If so—(a) When?

(b) Where?

(c) Opinion?

does not apply

16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?

No

17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?

No

18. *In case of loss or decay of teeth.* Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly* attributable to active service?

teeth in good condition

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

No other disability

20. Do you recommend—

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or
- (b) Change to England?

Recommend discharge as unfit for active service; but being able to do light work (farmer) degree of disability slight

(sgd) J. L.

Officer in medical charge of case.

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith, *except* †

Station _____

Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date _____

*Loss of teeth on or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

File



C.R. 189

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S March 8th 1919.
NEWFOUNDLAND

From: Chief Staff Officer,
To :- Captn. J. M. Howley,
Paymaster.

#189 PTE. J. LEWIS

Copies of correspondence in relation to the above named man and the undernoted documents received from the Pay and Record Office, are forwarded for your information.

- A.F.B. 268
- A.F.B. 178
- A.F.B. 179
- A.F.B. 103

Pending decision regarding payment of pension to Lewis, Chief Paymaster informs me that a provisional allowance of \$10.00 per month retroactive from 23/2/18 is being issued to him.

W.P. Readell

Lieut. Col.
CHIEF STAFF OFFICER.

FAB/BC.

MEDICAL REPORT OF AN INVALID.

Station: Mil. Hosp. Shrewsbury

Date 1. 1. 19.

- | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1. Unit. 1st. Newfoundland Regt. | 7. Former trade or occupation. Farmer |
| 2. Regimental No. 189 | 7a. Former Unit. 0 |
| 3. Rank. Pte. | b. Regimental Number { |
| 4. Name. Lewis J. | c. date of Discharge { N/A. |
| 5. Age last Birthday. 27
(2-10-14) | d. Cause of Discharge. { |
| 6. Enlisted (St. John's Mfld.) | |

8. DISABILITY IN RESPECT OF WHICH INVALIDING IS PROPOSED.

G.S.W. ABDOMINAL WALL.

9. Date of Origin of disability. July 1st. G.S.W. Chest noted in A.F. B103.
10. Place of Origin. Beaumont Hamel - Somme,
11. Give concisely the essential fact of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet on the case.

" He was in hospital 43 days (A.F.B.178) at the 3rd. Lon. Gen. Hos. and after his discharge with wound healed, from hospital, 15/8/16 he did L. duty only until Feb. 18th., when he was discharged as being discharged for further duty, He stated that he was X rayed at Shrewsbury Infirmary on 3 occasions between Dec. 6th., 19. He states that the result was negative. He states that the pain is more likely to come on in wet weather and that rest only does it good. Occasionally when he has the pain he gets nausea but has not vomited. "

12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is-
- A. attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate or ordinary Military service
The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see noted on page 3.

Yes-TO G.S.W. Inaction

B. Constitutional or Hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.

H.. A.

C. Attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, eg. intemperance, misconduct. &c.

NO.

OPINION OF MEDICAL BOARD

21. State whether the disability is clearly attributable to-
- (1) Service during the present War. YES.
 - (ii) Climate
 - (3) Ordinary Military Service
 - (iv) Want of proper care on the man's part. NO.
 - (v) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary. NO.
- (b) If due to one of the first three of these causes, to what specific conditions do the board attribute to?
G.S.W. IN ACTION.
22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so which. H.A.
23. Is the disability permanent. YES.
24. If not permanent how soon do the Board recommend re-examination. H.A.
25. Which of the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's Opinion he should be assessed for pension purposes at present. 30%
26. If an operation was advised and declined was the refusal unreasonable. NO.
27. Do the board recommend:
A. Discharge as permanently unfit
B. Change to England? Yes Already discharged
29. With reference to army council instruction No. 1275 of 1917 is any surgical appliances recommended? NO.
30. Does the man require constant attendance of another person. NO.

Sd. Ed. Curston. for Col.

Station Mil. Hosp. Shrewsbury
date. 1. 1. 19.

M. B. Bairns, Capt. } *members.*

APPROVED Mil. Hosp. Shrewsbury
date. 1. 1. 19.

13. What is his present condition.

He is well nourished and looks well. Heart and lungs normal. There is a scar as might be made by a bullet, in the epigastrium near the middle line. The scar is not adherent to deeper structures. There is no obvious tenderness deep pressure and no rigidity of abdominal muscles. The liver dulness starts at the 5th. rib in the hind axillary line. There is no exit wound and he supposes that the bullet is still inside him. He says that the buckle (Brass) of his belt was twisted into a knot.

15. Was a Court of enquiry held on the injury?

If so (a) When?

(b) Where?

(c) Opinion?

NO.

16. Was an operation performed. If so, what?

NO.

17. If not was an operation advised and declined.

Yes, by the M.O. in charge of the Convalescent Home at Esher. He Declined.

18. In case of loss or decay of teeth the result of wound injury or disease directly attributable to active service.

H. A.

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

NONE.

20. Do you recommend

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or change to England.

Already discharged as unfit for on Feb. 23rd. 1918.

Sd. M. B. BAIRNES CAPT. & R. A. M. C

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report and concur therewith, except in Mil. Hosp.

Station Shrewsbury

Sgd. E. N. Cureton, for Col.

Date 1.1.19.

Officer in charge of Hospital.

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

No 189 Army Rank Pte.

Name John Lewis

Corps Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date of Discharge Feb. 1918.

Place of Discharge. Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester.

1.
Age 26 years 8 months
Height 5 feet 7 inches

Chest (girth when fully expanded 36 ins.
Measure (ment (range of expansion 1 1/2 ins.

Descriptive Marks

Complexion Fair
Eyes Grey
Hair Brown
Trade Farmer

SCAR BELOW RIGHT KNEE.

Intended Llanfair C.
place of Montgomeryshire
residence N. Wales

2.
The above named man is discharged in consequence of _____
_____ being unfit for further service. _____

3.
Military Character VERY GOOD.

4.
Character awarded in accordance with kings regulations. _____

Sd. R.A. B.
Lt. Col. Candy
2nd., Batt. R. Nfld., R.

MINUTES OF CORRESPONDENCE

1/8/18.

(1)

Gelligason,
Llanfair G,
Montgomeryshire, N.W.

Dear Sir:-

Just a line in reference to my pension. I have been discharged since 23/2/18. Will you kindly see what you can do for me as regard to payment. As it is very little I am able to do. Trusting this will meet with your approval.

I remain, Yrs Truly,
Sgd. J. Lewis of late No.189.

12813/1292/R. & C.

(2)

From Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Rds.,
Newfoundland Contingent,
To:- Officer Commanding,
2/Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.
J. LEWIS ex PTE. 189.
Royal Nfld. Regt.

8/8/18.

Reference following letter from the above named man dated 1/8/18 (6983)

Gelligason
Llanfair G. Montgom.

Just a line in reference to my pension. I have been discharged since 23/2/18. Will you kindly see what you can do for me as regard to payment. As it is very little I am able to do. Trusting this will meet with your approval."

I enclose A.F.B. 179 and request that it may be completed by a Medical Board in order that Pte. Lewis's claim for pension may be considered. It is further requested that in future if men are discharged in this country on account of Physical unfitness, the opinion of the Medical Board may be furnished to this office in each case, so that such difficulties as the one in question presents may be avoided please.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Rds.

(3)

10/8/18.

From Officer Commanding
2/Bn. Royal Nfld. Regt.

Would you kindly arrange to have this man report here as soon as possible.

Sgd. B.J. Barton, Lt. Col.
Com. 2/Bn. Royal Nfld., Regiment.

(4).

14/8/18.

To Mr. J. Lewis, "Gelligason"
Llanfair G.
Montgomeryshire.

PENSION.
With reference to your letter 1/8/18 (6983) on the subject of pension Your discharge having been carried out at Winchester the matter has been so referred, and you are requested to report to the Officer Commanding 2/Bn. The Royal Newfoundland Regt. Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, Enclosed is Railway Warrant for journey.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

MINUTES continued.

(5)

From: Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Rds.,
Newfoundland Contingent.
To:- Officer Commanding,
2nd. Bn. Royal Mfld., Regt.

15/8/18.

Reference to previous Minutes: Warrant has been issued and Lewis has been asked to report to you as early as possible.
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Rds.,

(6)

Ministry Of Pensions,
Millbank, London.
11/12/18.

Sir:-

I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to state for your information that he has received an application from one of the local War Pensions Committees established throughout the country asking whether they may provide the necessary medical and surgical treatment for John Lewis late Pte. 189 Newfoundland Regiment and now residing at Galligason, Llanfair, Gaerinion, Mont. In reply the Minister has informed the Committee that they may arrange the pay for the treatment certified to be necessary for this man's invaliding disability. I am further to state that the Minister has been negotiating with the authorities of the Dominion of Canada, South Africa, Australia, and New Zealand, with a view to arranging that disabled men discharged from Imperial Forces and resident in these countries shall be provided with the necessary medical and surgical treatment for their invaliding disabilities in accordance with arrangements made by the Dominion Governments concerned for the treatment of men discharged from their own forces, and also for the purpose of arranging that the Ministry shall reciprocate by providing treatment for men discharged from Dominion contingents who are resident in this country. In the case of Newfoundland it is not thought from the number of cases which have come before the Minister's notice that it is necessary to make any formal arrangements I am however to suggest that arrangements with regard to this matter might be made informally and I propose that as a preliminary discussion on the subject might be held with an Officer from your Department. If you agree will you be so good as to propose time and place.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

Sgd. ?

Director of Medical Service

(7).

3 Market St.
Shrewsbury,
14/12/18.

The Chief Paymaster,
Re. John Lewis late 189 Royal Mfld. Regt. Dis. as unfit for further
Service on February 23rd. 1918.

Dear Sir:-

I am writing in reference to above case to know if you can kindly let me hear for him what his position is in regard to his Pension. Since his discharge he has been suffering on and off from the effects of his wound in his Abdomen and is unfit to follow his work. He has not had a penny piece of Pension and is now in the Boyd Salop Infirmary, at Shrewsbury undergoing X Ray Treatment but without any allowances. I should be glad if you would let me know Pte. Lewis position in your books as to his pension. I am getting in touch with the Secretary of the Montgomery Pensions Committee where

MINUTES continued.

the man lives and if it is any help can put the case thro' my own Salop Pension Committee.

Yours truly,
Sd. C. S. Woollam.

21216/1/P.&A.

(8)

20/12/18.

To. A.D.M.S. Western Command,
Chester.

Ex. 189 PTE. J. LEWIS.
Royal Nfld., Regiment.

Will you be kind enough to arrange a Medical Board for the above who was discharged from the 2/Bn. Royal Nfld. Regt., at Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, on 23/2/18, in consequence of being unfit for further service. Unfortunately through an oversight this man was allowed to go without being boarded and he claims a pension. I enclose copies of his Medical History Sheet, and A.F.B. 103 for your information. If, on completion of the Medical Board you will kindly return the proceedings to this Office, the matter of his person will at once be taken up here.

Applicants's present address is: Gelligason,
Llanfair G.
Montgomeryshire, N.Wales.
Sgd. Timewell,
Chief Paymaster & O.i/α Red.

(9).

21/12/18.

21323/1/P.&A.

Mr. C.S. Woollam,

3 Market St. Shrewsbury,

Ex. 189 Pte. Lewis John
Royal Nfld. Regiment.

Sir:

With reference to your letter 14/12/18 (10897) relating to the above named soldier. It appears that he was discharged at Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, without proper Medical Board, 23/2/18. In reply to an enquiry made by Lewis 3/8/18, it was arranged that he should report to Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, to be medically boarded and instructions to that effect and Railway Warrant were sent to him 14/8/18. Up to the date of your letter no advice of his having been boarded had been received. The A.D.M.S. Western Command has now been asked to arrange for him to appear before a Medical Board. Meanwhile it is asked that pending the actual grant of pension by the Nfld. Government you will arrange to assist him in any way that you can and supply him with such funds within a reasonable amount, as you may consider necessary and recover payments from this office. Thanking you for the assistance already rendered to Pte. Lewis and in anticipation of your further courtesy.

I am Sir,

Yours Obedient Servant
Chief Paymaster & O.i/αRds.

(10.)

23/12/18.

21288/3/ R.&C.

Mr. J. Lewis, "Gelligason"
Llanfair C.N. Wales.

PENSION.

On 14/12/18 I sent you a railway, Railway Warrant to proceed to Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, for a Medical Board which was arranged to take place there for you. Will you please inform me what you did with the Warrant as it is understood you did not proceed to Winchester

Chief Paymaster & O.i/αRds.

(11)

Gelligason,
Llanfair G.
Montgomery N.W.

Dear Sir:

MINUTES Continued.

In reference your letter of the 23rd. 12/18, which came to hand 27th. The Railway Warrant was handed in at Shawford Sta. and I proceeded to Hazeley Down Camp, and reported myself to the Orderly Room. I was informed to report to the M.O. and was examined by him he also gave me a treatment Card and said my papers would be sent to the P.&R.O. I also received Railway Warrant to proceed home.

I remain,
Yours truly,
Sgd. J. Lewis.

28/12/18.

(12).

21544/2462/P.&A.

2/1/19.

To Officer Commanding,
2nd. Battalion Royal Wfld. Regt.

INVALIDS: TREATMENT OF.

Copy of letter from the Ministry of Pensions is attached. It is suggested that Captain Knight may take the matter up and if he comes to you for this purpose he can be accompanied by an Officer from here please.

Chief Paymaster & O.I./CRDs.

(13)

Ministry of Pensions,
Millbank,
3/1/19.

Sir:-

With further reference to the subject of the letter from this Department (D.M.39282 of the 11th. December) in connection with the case of John Lewis late 189 Newfoundland Regiment of Gelligason Llanfair Caereinion, Montgomery shire. I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to state that he is now advised by the Montgomeryshire War Pensions Com. by whom the case was first brought to notice that this man has never had any pension or gratuity. As was stated in the letter above quoted the Minister instructed the Committee to arrange for this man's treatment and he was if fact admitted to the Royal Salop Infirmary, Shrewsbury, on the 5th., Dec. In view of the fact that he has not been awarded either pension or gratuity this man would not, had he been discharged from the Imperial Forces, have been eligible for treatment at the cost of the Ministry of Pensions or would the Ministry had this fact been known have arranged for the provision of treatment in this case without first consulting your Department. In circumstances I am to enquire what action should be taken by the Ministry in regard to the case. I am also to enquire whether you are yet in a position to favour him with your views upon the general question of reciprocal arrangements submitted in our previous communication.

I am Sir,
Your Obedient Servant,
Sgd. ?
Director of Medical Service

(14).

4/1/19.

From: D.D.M.S. Western Command,
Chester.

AS requested in your letter 21 216/1/P.&C. dated 20th. ultimo please find attached report of Medical Board in the case of 189 Pte. J. Lewis Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Sgd. ? Capt. R.A.M.C. for
D.D.M.S. Western Command.

(15).

To the Director of Medical Services,
Ministry of Pensions,
Millbank.

14/1/19.

EX.189 Pte. J. LEWIS.
Royal Wfld. Regiment.

Sir:-

With reference to your letter D.M. 39282 3/1/19 (101) relating to the above named soldier. Reference to the Records in this office

MINUTED CONTINUED.

reveals that he was discharged at Hazley Down Camp, Winchester 23/2/18 without proper Medical Board. In reply to an enquiry made by Lewis as to pension he was instructed to report to Hazley Down Camp, Winchester to appear before a Medical Board and Railway Warrant for the journey was sent to him 14/8/18 it was not until receipt of letter from the Local War Committee, Shrewsbury, 14/12/18 that his case was again brought to the notice of this office and up to that date the report of the Medical Board held at Winchester has not reached has not reached this office. Arrangements were made with the D.D.M.S Western Command to have Lewis appear before a Medical Board which was held at Chester. The documents since received in this Office show his disabilities as 50% these documents are being sent to the Pension Commissioners in Newfoundland immediately and pending actual grant of Pension by the Department concerned payments are being made by this office at the rate of 10 dollars per month to be retroactive from the day following the date of discharge from 2/Bn. i.e. 24/2/18 from which any advances which have been made by your local Committee will be deducted. It will therefore be in order for you to arrange for any treatment that Lewis may require. With regard to general questions of reciprocal arrangements between the Imperial and Newfoundland Governments as to the treatment of soldiers discharged in this country Captain Marshall of this Office will meet you on Thursday next time to be arranged by telephone.

I am sir,
Your Obedient Servant
Chief Paymaster & O.
i/c Records.

Admitted 5/7/16

Army Form W. 3016.

No. _____ Date 15th August 1916

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria St.,

S. W.

(Station):



(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Regt.,

Ayr.

(Station).

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria St.,

S. W.

(Station).

Regimental No. 189

Rank and Name Pte. Lewis, J.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland Regt.

has been granted a furlough from 15th August to 24th Aug 1916.

His address while on leave will be:—

58 Victoria St.

This man has been furnished with a warrant to Victoria and given an advance of £1. (One Pound).

I consider he is fit for ^{Duty} ~~(Light duty)~~ And likely to be fit for Service Overseas within 3 months.

(Sgd) Horace Fagan, Capt. R.A.M.C.T.,

Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.,

Officer in charge 3rd 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.

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Newfoundland Contingent
58 Victoria St
London S.W.1.



Fold Here

March 6th 1919

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 5) is forwarded herewith to



Mr John Lewis

in respect of his service as No. 189 Rank ptor

Name Lewis Corps Royal Mfldk

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Certificate. (Many thanks)

Signature John Lewis

Date 8-3-19

Address Pellissier Mansard C.

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

Date 6. 10. 1921

Regtl. No. 189.

Rank Pte.

Signature J. Lewis.

C.R. 189

Extract from telegram from Rurality, London to Military
Dated March 3 1st 1920.

With reference to my letter August 1st and your reply
Sept. 17th Lewis recommended for hospital treatment.
Telegraph instructions.

THE BOARD OF
PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

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



In reply refer to
C.R. No. 189

St. John's

Sept. 12, 1919.

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

189 J. Lewis.

Sir:-

I have the honour to acknowledge your communication of Sept. 1st, with attached Memo and report of Medical Board, from the Chief Staff Officer, London.

Kindly request the Chief Staff Officer to notify Lewis, that as the Medical Board states there is no disability at present existing, further Pension cannot be granted.

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

W. H. Parsons

Secretary.

WHP/BT

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"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephones :
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

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

ENCLOSURE

N. F. P/38A

DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 10122/325/PAA

C.R. 189

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

To **The Minister of Militia**

St. John's

Newfoundland

August 1st 1919

WF/BC

SUBJECT :

EX.NO.189 PTE. J. LEWIS

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated 17th, Sept. 1919

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

The following telegram is confirmed:

"Received 12/7/19 (264):
"Synoptical London
"Following from pensions-begin-
"pay to-189-Lewis-Fifteen dollars
"per month-from-Feb.22nd-up to
"date-Medical Board-result of-
"which-depends on-pension-from
"this (that) date-ends-"

MILITARY".

Report of Medical Board held at Wrexham 5/7/19 is enclosed.

Lewis has been paid at the rate of \$15.00 per month to 5/7/19 (date of re-board) please.

[Signature]
Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Report of Medical Board received and passed to Board of Pension Commissioners; copy of their reply is attached hereto for necessary action thereon, please.

[Signature]
A. E. Nickman
Minister of Militia.

C.R. 189

Sept. 2nd 1919.

Secretary,

Board of Pension Commissioners.

Ex.No. 189 Pte. J.Lewis.

Sir:

I have the honour to enclose copy
of correspondence received from the Chief
Staff Officer London regarding the above
mentioned, for your information, please.

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

Lt.Col.

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 189

Extract from telegram from Mil. to Syn. dated July 10,
1919.

Following from pensions begins, Pay to 189 Lewis \$15.00
per month from Feb. 22/1919 to date of Medical Board
result of which depends pension from that date ends.

C.R. 189

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

July 10th, 9

No. 189 Private John Lewis

Forwarded herewith is
copy of communication from the Board
of Pension Commissioners requesting that
\$15.00 per month from 22nd Feb., 1919
to the date of his Medical Board be
paid to the above mentioned soldier.
Pension from that date depends upon the
result of his Medical Board.

Minister of Militia,

THE BOARD OF
PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

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



In reply refer to

No.....

C.R. 189

St. John's

July 4/19.

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

189 Pte. John Lewis.

Sir:-

I have the Honour to acknowledge your communication of June 27th., with attached correspondence received from the Chief Staff Officer, London, relating to the above noted man.

Kindly request Pay & Record Office to pay 189 Pte. John Lewis, \$15.00 per month from 22^d 19, to the date of his Medical Board, Pension from that date depends upon the result of his Medical Board.

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

W.H. Parsons
Secy.

WHP/GEC

C.R. 189

JUNE 27th 1919.

The Secretary,

Board of Pension Commissioners.

#189 Pte. John Lewis.

Sir:

I have the honour to enclose herewith correspondence relating to the above-mentioned man, received from the Chief Staff Officer, London, for the information of your Board whose instructions will be awaited.

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

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

Enc.

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

No. 108/189

ENCLOSURE

From

**MINISTER OF MILITIA,
ST. JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND**

To

**Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
C/O Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria Street,
London S.W.1**

March 29th 1919

FM/FK.

8205

SUBJECT:

No.189 Pte. John Lewis.

REPLY

Dated 30th May 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

Reference your No.2081/63/P&A of February 5th, relating to the pension of the above named man, I have received instructions from the Board of Pension Commissioners as follows:

"Pay No.189 Pte. John Lewis, of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment \$15.00 per month for 12 months from the date following discharge. At the expiration of this period he will be re-examined."

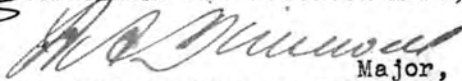


Minister of Militia.

Reference may be made to this office memorandum No.6722/261/P&A, 30/4/19: This is an instance of impossibility of complying with the wishes of the Pensions Commissioners.

Lewis was discharged 22/2/18. The period of twelve months for which pension was granted expired 21/2/19. Your letter was received 20/4/19, and on recommendation of Major Knight, the memorandum, of which the enclosed is a copy, was sent to the Officer Commanding, 2nd Battalion. Application is now being made to the Ministry of Pensions to arrange for a Medical Board.

Pending the receipt of A.F.B.179, will you kindly ask the Pension Commissioners to advise as early as possible whether any pension is to be paid to Lewis for the period 22/2/19 to the date of Medical Board and the period after that date to the time their instructions are received here, please.



Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVT.
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COPY OF MEMORANDUM.

From Chief Staff Officer (London).
58 Victoria Street.

To O/C. Depot, R.Nfld.Regt.
Hazeley Down Camp,
WINCHESTER.
(For 2nd Batt).

189 PTE. J. LEWIS.
R. NFLD. REGT.

Will you kindly forward A.F.B/179, report of Medical Board held on the above discharged soldier at Winchester.

Major Knight states that on his discharge he signed a document waiving any claim for pension in respect of disability, but so far no such document has been received here. Kindly endeavour to trace these documents and forward them to this Office as early as possible please.

R.R. Crawford 2/Lt. Major.
For Chief Staff Officer (London).

LONDON. S.W. 1.
22/5/19.

From Officer Commanding.
2nd Bn. Royal Nfld.Regt.

To Chief Staff Officer.
Royal Nfld.Regt.
London. S.W.

There are no documents relating to this man in possession of this Office.

(Signed) J. Barton. Lt. Col.
Commanding 2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

WINCHESTER.
26/5/19.

C.R. 189

100/189

Chief Paymaster & C.i/o Records,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
C/o Pay & Record Office,
53 Victoria Street,
London S.W.1

March 29th 9

No.189 Pte. John Lewis.

Reference your No.2091/63/P&A
of February 5th, relating to the
pension of the above named man, I
have received instructions from
the Board of Pension Commissioners
as follows:

"Pay No.189 Pte. John Lewis,
of the Royal Newfoundland
Regiment \$15.00 per month
for 12 months from the date
following discharge. At the
expiration of this period
he will be re-examined."

Minister of Militia.

PAE/MP.

C.R. 189

Mar. 29th 19

The Secretary,
The Board of Pension Commissioners,
C I T Y.
No. 189 Ex. Cpl. J. Lewis

Sir:

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 26th inst., with reference to the payment of pension to the above named man. I have communicated your instructions to the Chief Paymaster in accordance with the request contained in your letter.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Lt. Col.
Chief Staff Officer.

FAE/MP.

THE BOARD OF
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(Minister Agriculture and Mines)
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In reply refer to

C.R. 189

St. John's

March 26/19

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

Sir:- 189 Ex-Cpl. J. Lewis.

I have the honour by direction, to refer to your communication of March 8th No. 189 re the marginally noted and to state that a pension has been awarded as follows:-

"189 Cpl. John Lewis of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment \$15.00 per month for twelve months from the date following discharge. At the expiration of this period he will be re-examined."

I have been directed to ask that you communicate this to the Chief Paymaster, and ask him to make payments accordingly.

Thanking you for your co-operation in this matter.

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

W.S.H./63/P.H.

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

CCO/LED.

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In reply refer to

No.

CD 189

St. John's

March 11/19

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

Sir:-

I have the honour, by direction, to acknowledge receipt of your communication of March 8th No. 187 with reference to the case of 189 Ex-Cpl. J. Lewis.

In reply I beg to state that same will be placed before the Board at an early date, and you will be notified of the decision.

Yours faithfully,

Asst. Secy.
Board of Pension Commissioners
for Newfoundland.

CCO/LBD.

C.R. 189

March 8th 19.

From: Chief Staff Officer,
To :- Capt. J. M. Howley,
Paymaster.

#189 PTE. J. LEWIS

Copies of correspondence in relation to the above named man and the undernoted documents received from the Pay and Record Office, are forwarded for your information.

A.F.B. 268
A.F.B. 178
A.F.B. 179
A.F.B. 103

Pending decision regarding payment of pension to Lewis, Chief Paymaster informs me that a provisional allowance of \$10.00 per month retroactive from 23/2/18 is being issued to him.

Lieut. Col.
CHIEF STAFF OFFICER.

FAS/BC.

C.R. 189

March 8 19.

SECRETARY
BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
CITY.

Dear Sir:-

#189 EX. CPL. E. LEWIS.

Copies of correspondence in relation to the above named man and the und noted documents received from the Pay and Record Office are enclosed for your information.

A.F.B. 178
A.F.B. 268
A.F.B. 179
A.E.B. 103.

Pending your decision regarding payment of pension to Lewis, the Chief Paymaster inform me that provisional allowance of \$10.00 per month, retroactive from 23-3-18 has been issued to him. I shall await further instructions from you before communicating further to the Chief Paymaster.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.
CHIEF STAFF OFFICER.

FAB/BC

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, by Lieut.Col. R.A. Berners, ~~2nd~~ D.S.O., Commanding 2nd, Bn., Royal Newfoundland Regiment, dated 25/2/18.

The undermentioned man having been discharged on 23/2/18 is struck off the strength of the Battalion from that date:-

#189 Pte. J. Lewis.

C.R. 189

Extract ~~from~~ from Casualties from Pay & Record Office,
Dated Feb. 26th 1918.

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Extract from D.O. 2nd Bn., No. 92, dated 25/2/18.

Strength. The undermentioned having been discharged 23/2/18
is struck off the strength of the Bn. from that date:-

189, Pte. J. Lewis.

189, Pte. J. Lewis is discharged in consequence of being physically unfit for further service.

Authority:

Discharge papers.

C.R. 189

Extract from Nominal Roll of Royal Wfld. Regt.

Discharged in United Kingdom. 23-2-18.

189 Pte. J. Lewis.

M.U. Wds. (H?D.Camp)

C.R. 189

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, date July 31, 1916.

(Extract from Army Form B 212, from O.C. 1st. Bfld. Regt.
dated 11/7/16.)

#189 Pte. J. Lewis. ✓

Wounded in Action 1/7/16.

C.R. 189

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated July 18, 1916.

#189 Pte. J. Lewis. ✓

Gunshot wound Chest-Wall Right.

To England per H.S. Jan Breydel ex 8 Sty. Hosp. 4th July 1916.

C.R. 189

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.

10th July 1916.

189, Pte J. Lewis. ✓

1/Newfoundland R. Coy. Chest Wall. R. Adm. 8 Sty. Hos.

Winnipeg 3rd July 1916.

C.R. 189

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, July, 12, 1916.

The Undermention man was transferred to Lemmas Auxiliary
Hospital, Esher 7/7/16.

189 Pte. J. Lewis.

C.R. 189

Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld.
from P.&.R.O. 6/7/16.

189, Lewis. ✓

At Wandsworth Gunshot Wound Chest.

C.R. 189

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated July 6, 1916.

#189 Pte. J. Lewis. ✓

Gunshot wound Chest.

Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth,
July 4th, 1916 S.S. Dioppe.

C.R. 189

Extract of ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ letter from O.C. Sgt Lon. Con. Ser.
to O./I/s Records, Wfld. Cont. 16 Victoria St., Lon. S.S.
In accordance with your Memo of 30th June, I beg to inform
you that the undermentioned man was transferred to the
Con. Base on 7/7/18.

#189 Pte. J. Lewis. ✓

To Inland Auxiliary Hospital, Enzer.

C.R. 189

Extract from Casualties received from War & Record Office,
London, July 5th, 1916.

July 4th 1916 S.S. Dieppe. Adm. to 1st London General
Hospital.

189 Pte. J. Lewis.

G.S.W. Chest.

C.R. 189

Extract from Nominal Roll of "A" Co. 1st Bn. Nfld.

Regt. Embarked at Devenport for Active Service 20-8-15.

189 Pte. J. Lewis.

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

C.R. 189

Abstract of Nominal Roll embarked St. John's per S. S. FLORIAN
4th October 1914.

189 Lewis John.

C.R. 189

J. Lewis, was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on .Sept..3rd/14....
Regimental No. 189 was allotted to Pte J. Lewis.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Pt Newfoundland ✓ 574

Regimental No. **C.R.** 189 Rank Pte Name J. Lewis

Enlisted (a) Oct 2/14 Terms of Service (a) Duration of War Service reckons from (a) Oct 2/14

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

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 86, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 86, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's, Nfld.		3.10.14	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1.9.15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13.9.15	
		Emb'k'd Port Suez		14.3.16	
		Disemb'k'd MARSEILLES		22.3.16	
	8 th Lt Col	G. Sw Chest Row	Munster	3.7.16	Ka 539
	W. J. Breydel	Transferred to England	14 th Gavel St. Munster	4 JUL 1916	W 3083 Allcock CAPT' IN. FOR O.I.C INFANTRY RECORDS G.H.Q.; 3 rd ECHELON.

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