



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 3812 Name G. Leslie Hewell Corps R.O.F.C.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? } G. Leslie Hewell
2. What is your full Address? } The said Corporation Bay
3. Are you a British Subject? } Yes
4. What is your age? } 23 Years 4 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? } Clerk
6. Are you Married? } No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? } No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? } Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? } Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?..... } 10. { Name
Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? } 11. Yes.

G. Leslie Hewell do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

G. Leslie Hewell SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
R. Edwards Signature of Witness.

423-517

G. Leslie Hewell OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR
I, do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been fully stated as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me on this 23 day of May 1915.
Signature of Attesting Officer Warner

† CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the
If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.
Date 191
Place } Approving Officer.

† The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

* If so, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz:—(Name) re-enlisted in the (Regiment) on the (Date)

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Clement Leslie Hewell.
 Apparent age 23 years 7 months. Height 5 feet 7 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 inches
 Range of expansion 3 inches
 Distinctive marks

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs. Margaret Jane Hewell.
"The Dock" | Relationship Mother.
Conception Bay. Particulars as to Marriage

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

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
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Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days
 " " Pensions " _____ [" "] _____ " _____ "



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F23-517

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Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>May 23rd 17</u>									
Embarked <u>St John's N. S. Herald</u> for <u>Halifax N. S.</u> <u>4th Embarkation</u>					James				
for <u>Bl. 42-18</u> re-embarked <u>France</u> <u>16-2-18</u>									
<u>Battalion</u> <u>15-2-18</u> . <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; margin-top: 20px;">Killed in Action</div> <u>14-10-18</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 14-10-18 (date of discharge) 1 years 145 days
 " " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "

b. L. Jewell.

3812.

P. P. O.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.ORIGINAL.

11350/805/P&A.

C.R.C.R. 3812

From

PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

To

The Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

NEWFOUNDLAND.

FM/FK.

26th November

1919

SUBJECT:NO.3812 CPL. C.L.NEWELL (DECEASED).
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Reference Nos.

11640/699/P&A, 6/10/19.

REPLY

Dated Dec 23rd, 1919

191

With reference to the above quoted number, the following further letter from Mrs. Margaret Newell, The Dock, Conception Bay, Newfoundland, 10/11/19 (6120) is quoted:-

"Replying to your favour
"of the 8th ulto.No.11646,
"I beg to inform you that
"I am in receipt of the
"package mentioned by you
"in that letter.
"This package contained
"the things left in Scotland
"by me son Cpl. C.Leslie
"Newell,3812 before going to
"France.
"I shall regard it as a great
"favour if you could obtain
"and forward to me anything
"he may have had with him
"at the time of his death.
"Thanking you for all your
"favours.

Will you kindly inform Mrs. Newell, that as no effects have been received in this office, it must be assumed that none were recovered from him at the time of his decease, please.

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

Necessary information has been sent to Mrs. Newell

W. J. Rendell

Lieut. Col.
Chief Staff Officer
for Minister of Militia

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

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13 JAN 1920

St. John's

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P.S.	

W. J. Rendell

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REPLY dated	/ /	_____
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NEXT " "		

12350/805/P&A.

The Minister of Militia,
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Lt.-Col.
Chief Staff Officer (London).

f. Nos. IN 6120

cd 24 NOV 1919

Ans'd

Ref. Nos. 001

ACTED UPON	BY	DATE
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B & E		
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The Dock.
Conception Bay
Newfoundland.
Nov. 18/19.

Chief Pay Master & Officer in Charge Records.
Pay & Record Office
London.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your favor of the 6th. ult. no 11646. I beg to inform you that I am in receipt of the package mentioned by you in that letter.

This package contained the things left in Scotland by my son Cpl. C. Leslie Newell. 3812. before going to France.

I shall regard it as a great favor if you could obtain and forward to me anything he may have had with him at the time of his death.

Thanking you for all favors.

I am

very truly yours

Mrs Margaret J. Newell.

(Ask Mrs Hill to come)

11643/11/PTA

October 6th

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Mrs Newell,
The Dock,
Conception Bay,
Newfoundland,

Estate No 3812 Cpl C.L.Newell.(deceased)
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Madam,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter (5596) regarding your late Son's effects. Package containing all effects received in this office, was forwarded to the Minister of Militia, St John's. 18/8/19., to whom you should apply should the package not have been received by you.

I am, Madam,
Your obedient Servant,

Major.
Chief Staff Officer (London)

FM/GK

Signs Riggall

3812
Cpl C. L. Newell

Effects of the above
named soldier were
forward to Wfld
18/8/19

These are classified as
Personal Effects, so
contents cannot be
described

J.P.

The Dock.
Conception Bay
Newfoundland.

Mfld. Record Office
38 Victoria St.
London.

Gentlemen:

Can you give ~~me~~ any
information re the personal
effects of 3812 Corp. Clement
L. Newell. B. Company. Royal
Mfld Regiment?

He was killed at Vichy Ridge
near Ledeghem, Oct. 14. 1918.

Any of his belongings such
as his Bible or Prayerbook,
etc. would be most gratefully

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
REC'D 596

cc'd 30 SEP 1919
Ack'd Ans'd
ref. Nos. OUT

I am
very truly yours
Mrs Margaret J. Newell.

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11010/PBa

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

FM/GK October 6th 9

No 3812 Cpl. C.L. Newell (deceased)
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

With reference to the following letter from Mrs Margaret Newell, The Dock, Conception Bay, Newfoundland (6596):

"Can you give me any
"information re the
"personal effects of
"3812 Corp Clement L.
"Newell. B. Company.
"Royal Newfoundland Regt.
"He was killed at
"Vichy Ridge near
"Ledeghem. Oct. 14th. 1918.
"Any of his belongings
"such as his Bible or
"Prayerbook etc, would be
"most gratefully received."

The only effects received in this office were forwarded to you with shipment No 18 18/8/19., Reference No. 1504 Contents of package not known, please.

[Signature]
Major.
Chief Staff Officer (London)

Cables and Telegrams:
"SYNOPTICAL" London.

N. F. P/38.

ORIGINAL

Telephone
VICTORIA 4023 & 4.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

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

MEMORANDUM.

No. 11640/699 P&A C.R. 3812

From
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58, VICTORIA STREET,
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NEWFOUNDLAND.

October 6th 1919

FM/GK

SUBJECT:

No 3812 Cpl C.L. Newell (deceased)
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated Nov. 25th, 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

With reference to the following letter from Mrs Margaret Newell, The Dock, Conception Bay, Newfoundland (5596):

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The only effects received in this office were forwarded to you with shipment No 18 18/8/19., Reference No. 1504 Contents of package not known, please.

J. H. Marshall
Major.
Chief Staff Officer (London)

Reference obverse Effects were received and forwarded on 13.9.19 to Mrs. Newell who has acknowledged receipt.

W. J. Rendell
Lieut. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE,	
REF. NO. IN	6413
RECD.	15 DEC 1919
ACK'D.	Ans'd
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RECEIVED UPON	
BRANCH	DATE
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B & E.	
P.S.	

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Quwell Christian Name J. Leslie

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.



Birthplace:—Parish Conception Bay County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>23</u> day of <u>May</u> 191 <u>7</u>	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>
	at <u>Headquarters</u>	at _____	at _____	at _____
Declared Age	<u>23</u> years <u>4 3/4</u> months	_____ years _____ days	_____ years _____ days	_____ years _____ days
Trade or Occupation	<u>Clerk.</u>	_____	_____	_____
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches	_____ feet _____ inches	_____ feet _____ inches	_____ feet _____ inches
Weight	<u>121 1/2</u> lbs.	_____ lbs.	_____ lbs.	_____ lbs.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded	<u>35</u> inches	_____ inches	_____ inches
	Range of Expansion	<u>3</u> inches	_____ inches	_____ inches
Physical Development	_____	_____	_____	_____
Vaccination Marks {	Arm	_____	_____	_____
	Number	_____	_____	_____
When Vaccinated	_____	_____	_____	_____
Vision	R. E.—V= <u>6/6</u>	_____	R. E.—V= _____	_____
	L. E.—V= <u>6/6</u>	_____	L. E.—V= _____	_____
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a) _____	_____	(a) _____	_____
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b) _____	_____	(b) _____	_____
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Lamont Peterson</u>		_____	_____
(Rank)	<u>Major</u>		_____	_____
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St Johns.</u>	at _____	at _____	at _____
	on <u>23</u> day of <u>May</u> 191 <u>7</u>	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>
	Corps. _____	Regtl. No. _____	Corps. _____	Regtl. No. _____
Joined on Enlistment	<u>1922 3812</u>		_____	_____
Transferred to	_____	_____	_____	_____
Became non-effective by	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>
(Signature)	_____	_____	_____	_____
(Rank)	_____	_____	_____	_____

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FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

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

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

Regimental No. 3812. Rank acting-Corporal.

Surname Newell. Christian Names L.

Date 14 OCT 1918 Place Belgium.

Died { Cause of Death* Killed in action
Nature and Date of Report B 213 d/21-10-18.

By whom made O.C. Unit.

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



COPIES SENT		
To	No.	DATE
M. OF M.	21445/214	15 OCT 21/18
O.C. 1ST. BN.		
" 2ND. BN.		

State whether he leaves a Will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not received (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not received
(c) as a separate document Not received

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

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

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

Station and Date } 29 OCT 1918 Signature of Officer in charge of Section } For Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section
Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } 3rd Echelon, General Headquarters

No. **3812** Name **Hewell, E. Leslie** Sqn., Batty., or Company

Corps **Newfoundland Regiment** Date of Enlistment

23-5-17

G.C. Badges

Service or Proficiency Pay

Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet

No. and date of last drunk

Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine

Sheet No.

Signature O.C. Company, etc.

Character

Good

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
		L. Cpl							
									<i>Killed 10/10/18</i>



Army Form B. 129

[P.T.O.]

FORM K

No. 3566



1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, C Leslie Howell, Regl. No. 3812

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

Allotment begins September 1/17

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
3277	mother	<u>Mr James (late) Howell</u>	<u>The Dock Conception Bay</u>	60
Total Allotment, \$				<u>60</u>

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

(Sig.) [Signature]
Officer Commanding
Company _____
St. John's
Sept 31
1917

(Sig.) C Leslie Howell
(Rank) Pte

No. 11005/674

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



From: Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

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

23rd, October 1917

Oct 26 1917

Subject: 3812, Pte. C. L. Newell.

ANSWER

With reference to the following ~~telegram~~ ^{letter} from the Hon. the Minister of Militia, (6065) received 21/10/17,-

Receipt hereunder. ^{C/L}
Cham
LIEUT. COLONEL
COMMANDING 2nd BN, NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
Battn.
1st Newfoundland Regiment

"I have the honour to enclose herewith
"cheque for 60¢ payable to No. 3812,
"Pte. C. L. Newell, being a refund of
"transportation due to him.

Cheque £ 60 cts. is enclosed
for payment to this Soldier.

Kindly obtain his receipt
hereon.

M. A. D. Munn
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Received the sum of £ 60
on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

C Leslie Newell
No. 3812 Rank L/C



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

~~NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT~~

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Ray

P. O. BOX No 1242
TELEPHONE No. 361

PAY DEPARTMENT

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS TO
"PAYDEPT."
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

DATE

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE
ADDRESSED TO THE
PAYMASTER

Sept. 25th, 1917.

Major H.A. Timewell,
Paymaster & O.i/c Records,
58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W., Eng.

Sir,-

I have the honour to enclose herewith cheque
for 60/-, payable to #3812 Private C.L. Newell, being a refund
of transportation due him.

Kindly have this forwarded on to him.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

[Signature]
Lieut.
D/Paymaster

E/W.

*Reply to this on
return of receipt*

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	6065
Rec'd.	21-OCT-1917
Acc'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

Certified correct

T. E. M.

Captain

U. S. A. C.

I hereby certify
that C. L. Newell's
mother is a
widow

#3913
L. L. Dussay
2/2/12

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

NFP/82.

COPIES SENT		SEPARATION ALLOWANCE
TO	NO.	
1. Regimental No. and Rank	M. OF M. 11430/74 2ND BN. 17/7/18	3812 Lance Corporal
Name		C. Leslie Newell
Unit		7. Newfoundland Regt
2. Full Name of Dependent.		Mary Jane Newell
3. Address		The Dock, Conception Bay Newfoundland.
4. Have you made previous claim for Separation Allowance? If so, state particulars.		No
5. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to anyone in Nfld or elsewhere?		No
6. Date of Marriage.		
7. Name and Address of your last Employer.		Scarborough Co of Canada
8. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment.		60 Dollars
9. Are your wages or any portion being paid by your employer during your absence?		No
10. If paid, what is the amount per month?		
11. Name of Corps prior to enlistment in the Nfld Contingent.		

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement.

C. Leslie Newell *[Signature]*

Signature of Officer forwarding this application.

A. Whitaker LIEUT. COLONEL
COMMANDING 2ND BN. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Unit 7th Nfld Regt.
Date 4 Jan 1919

Pay: I

Form 1.

No. 589

WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN DIRECT UNITED STATES
CABLEGRAM



Prefix	Code	At	FOR STAMPS
WORDS	CHARGE	To	By
13	2 1/2	VIA WESTERN UNION	
			THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.

24/4/18 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To EFM HAROLD NEWELL. THE DOCK
PORTDEGRAVE (Newfoundland)

I AM WELL

CLEM NEWELL
VIA SYNOPTICAL

CHECKED.
21-5-18

13 2 1/2
26 1/2
32 1/2
2 8 1/2

CHARGED
PAY BOOK
Date 20/4/18 by JRB

Charge/c of
3812 Newell.

Authorised.

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

Having read the conditions printed on the back hereof, I request that the above telegram be forwarded by the Western Union Telegraph-Cable System, subject to the said conditions to which I agree.
59 Victoria St. S.W. 1.

Signature _____ Address _____

CABLE ADDRESSES REGISTERED IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD, OR WITH ANY COMPANY, ARE AVAILABLE OVER THE LINES OF THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH-CABLE SYSTEM.

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23/20

15 Gordon St. Apr 16th July 19

Dear Sir.

I am sending through you
the personal belongings of the
late Clement Newall who
was killed in the war.

I expect you will have
facilities whereby these
may be restored to his
relatives. If there are any
charges, I will be pleased
to pay them, or the charge
can be made to his relatives

Yours truly
Hugh Thomson

21st July,

9

Mr. Hugh Thomson,

15, Gordon Street,

Ayr, Scotland.

9718/1/B.&.E.

GB/JC

3812 CORPL. C. NEWALL (Deceased)
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment. ✓

With reference to your postcard of 16/7/19 (4891):
one package containing the effects of the above-named has
been received at this Office and will be forwarded to his
next-of-kin by first opportunity.

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Hewell, L.

3812

Hay Capt.

ORIGINAL.

Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST.

to

191 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps Royal Newfoundland Regiment

No. 3812

Rank Cpl

Name Neivell.C

Died (a): Intestate at France

on the 14th of Oct

191 8

Deserted at

on the of

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I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[Form 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month			
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	191				Messing allowance - days at from to			
	"				Kit allowance			
	"							
	"							
	Consolidated stoppage							
	Balance due by the Paymaster	19	1	1	Balance due to the Paymaster			
	£	19	1	1	£	19	1	1

This account is in accordance with advices received at the Pay & Recd. Office to 21 JUL 1918 and may therefore be subject to amendments if and as may be revealed by subsequent advices.

CHECKED. P.L.d. 21 JUL 1918

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, ~~and that the~~ NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Dated at this day of

21 JUL 1918 PAY & RECORD OFFICE 191

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE OF RECORDS

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

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P.S.A.

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FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

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

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

Regimental No. 3812 Rank acting-Corporal.

Surname Newell. Christian Names L.

Died { Date 14 OCT 1918 Place Belgium.

Cause of Death* Run over by tank

Nature and Date of Report B 213 d/21-10-18.

By whom made O.C. Unit.

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

State whether he leaves a Will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not received (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not received
(c) as a separate document Not received

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

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

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

Station and Date) 29 OCT 1918 Signature of Officer in charge of Section } [Signature]
Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } For Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section



May 23/7rd

1st Newfoundland Regt.

3812 Pte L L Jewell

May 22/7

1/10 Diff. on ticket
2nd floor.

60[¢]

OK
PP



WMM

WMM
J. B. Bowring

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

NFP/82.

Posted.....

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

1. Regimental No. and Rank	n5812	L/Corporal
Name	C. Leslie Newell	
Unit	2/1st Newfoundland Regiment	
2. Full Name of Dependent.	Margaret Jane Newell	
3. Address	The Dock, Conception Bay, Newfoundland	
4. Have you made previous claim for Separation Allowance? If so, state particulars.	No	
5. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to anyone in Nfld or elsewhere?	No	
6. Date of Marriage.	-----	
7. Name and Address of your last Employer.	Scarborough Co. of Canada	
8. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment.	\$60.00	
9. Are your wages or any portion being paid by your employer during your absence?	No	
10. If paid, what is the amount per month?		
11. Name of Corps prior to enlistment in the Nfld Contingent.		

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement.

C. Leslie Newell, L/C,

Signature of Officer forwarding this application.

C. W. Whittaker, Lieut Colonel
Commanding 2/1st Newfoundland Regt

Unit 2/1st Newfoundland Regt.

Date 4th January 1918

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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*Assessment
from 1917*

NOTES.

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.
Separation Allowance Branch.

Notice.

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question.

Each statement is considered as being made on oath and the form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, and returned to,-

THE PAYMASTER,
Separation Allowance Branch,
St. John's, Nfld.

1. Name in full of Soldier Rank Reg't. or Unit Regt. No.
Clement Leslie Newell, Lance Corporal, Regt. 3812

2. Age of Soldier *23 yrs.* Married or Single.
Single

3. Name in full of Mother Age Occupation Permanent Address.
Margaret Jane Newell, 68. — The Dock

4. Give name of your husband. Age Occupation Where employed.
Nathaniel Newell, died. 1914

5. If your husband is not supporting you state the reason. *He is dead*

6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated state nature of malady. (A medical certificate must be enclosed with this document stating from what date husband has been totally incapacitated and for how long incapacity is likely to continue)

7. If you are a widow, state date and place of death of your husband. *Died August 1914 at home*

8. Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband? *NO*

9. Names of your other children Address in Full Age Occupation Married or Single.
Elfreda Newell, Clarke Beach, 33. — Married
Harold Newell, Millimocket, No. 27, paper mill, u.s.a. Single

- (a), (a) (a) *nothing*
10. State amount earned by (a) Yourself (b) Your husband (a) *nothing* (b) *nothing* .01
-
11. State amount and source of any other income. *None*
-
12. State value of Real Property belonging to you and your husband? *\$20.00*
-
13. State value of personal property belonging to you and your husband. *None*
-
14. If husband is dead state value of Real and Personal property left by him? *\$20.00*
-
15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to enlistment. *\$150.00*
-
16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly. *In the year*
-
17. Did this amount include payment of son's Board etc. *Including Civil Board*
-
18. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. *Agent & Traveller*
-
19. State amount of his wages, per week. *Varied.*
-
20. State name and address of his last employer. *Scarborough Co. Camp
Hamilton Ont.*
-
21. State amount of support monthly from your son since enlistment. *\$18.00*
-
22. State amount of Allotment received by you from son monthly. *18.00*
-
23. From what date did, you receive Allotment. *Sept. 30. 1917*
-
24. Actual amount contributed by other children. } Weekly } Monthly. *\$7.00*
-
25. Are any of these children in the employ of yourself or husband? *—*
-
26. If not receiving support from other children state cause. Explain fully. *—*
-
27. With whom are you residing at present. *Alone,*
-
28. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance? If not, why? Give particulars. *No, wasn't aware of such fund*
-
29. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source, if so, how much? *— No*

(3).

30. Are you in receipt of any payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much? Yes

31. Was the soldier at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Newfoundland Government? No

32. In what capacity and what place? _____

33. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the 1st. Nfld. Regt. If so, how much? Yes

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under Oath and in virtue of the Evidence Act.

Signature of Applicant..... W. H. Paul James H. Newell

Place of Residence..... The Dock St. John's

Declared and subscribed before me at..... St. John's

this twenty fourth day of Decr. 1917

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary)..... Geo. Dawe J.P.
Public or Justice of the Peace

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This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your local ~~knowledge~~ Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their knowledge after careful investigation, the above statements are correct, and the above soldier, first mentioned, is the sole support of the applicant.

Signature of Clergyman Rev. D. R. Bailey RA

Signature of Member of Patriotic Fund Committee.....

Approved. 15/1/18

W.F.R.
MS

S.P.

Nº 3566



1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

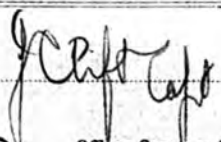
I, C Leslie Hewell, Regl. No. 3812

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

Allotment begins September 1/17.

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
3277	mother	W. Chapman (mat)	Hewell The Loch Conception Bay.	60
Total Allotment, \$				60

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

(Sig.) 
 Officer Commanding
 Company
 3
 1917

(Sig.) C Leslie Hewell
 Pte
 (Rank)

LM-

April 27, 1940

From: Paymaster & O i/o Records

To : Board of Pension Committee

Re No. 3812, C.L. Newell

The amount paid in continuance of the above man's
allotment is \$247.20

Major
Paymaster

October 27, 1919

Mrs. Margaret Newell,
The Dock,
Port de Grave.

Dear Madam:

I enclose cheque for \$102.92
balance of estate of your late son, due you as
Administratrix of his estate.

I also enclose herewith Letters
of Administration.


Yours truly,

Major
PAYMASTER & O i/c RECORDS.

LM-
Enc. 2

No. _____



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

VOUCHER

In Acct. with #3812 Pte. G.L. Newell

Voucher No. 30951.

Cheque No. 30951.

Reg'l Ac No. _____

Name _____

C.B. Folio No. _____

Date	Req'n No.	Invoice No.	Particulars.	Amount
May 23	390		Diff. on Ticket	60
				\$ 60

CERTIFICATION

Dissectⁿ Sheet No. _____

Recap. Sheet No. 390

Checked by _____

M. Howley
 PAYMASTER

RECEIPT

May 29th, 1917.

Received from the 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT the sum of

Dollars

and Sixty Cents in Payment as above stated.

May 1917.

\$.60

[Sig.]

*cheque mailed to P. + R.
 off. London, Spt 25/17.*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$102 ⁹²/_v

Oct 17 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of one hundred & two ⁹²/_v Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay. *Estat.*
balance

Ch. No. 16102	Initials. <i>Ew</i>
Pay Ledger 82	Initials. <i>Ew</i>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No. *A.C.R.* Rank

No. 3812

Rank Cpl

Name A. Jewell

C.R. 3812

Extract from Daily Orders Part II UnitvThe Royal Nfld.
Regt., St. John's, May.25rd, 1917.

3812 Pte. G. Leslie Jewell

Attested this day, posted to F. Co., and assigned number
as shown.

C.R. 3812

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,
per S.S. "Florina" Aug. 4. 1917.

3812 Pte. Ste. C. Newell.

C.R. 3812

Extract from Nominal Roll Draft No. 36, 200 Other ranks
from 2nd., (Reserve) Battn. Royal Newfoundland Regiment
and proceeded to join the 1st., Battalion Royal Wfld/
Regt., B. E. F.,
Embarked Southampton 4/2/18.

#3812 L/C. C. Newell.

C.R. 3812

Extract from Orders by Lt. ? for Lieut. Col., commanding
1st., Battalion of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment dated
12-10-18.

3812 L/Cpl. C. Newell.

APPTD. A/CQB. 11.

C.R. 3812

Extract from Casualties No. C. 1731 dated 31-10-18.

#3812 A/OPL. L. NEWELL.

Killed in action 14-10-18.

C.R. 3812
Counter No. _____

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address Sept of Militia,

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Nov 4th, 1918

Dated

Church of England Minister or School Teacher, The Dock, Barenned
Port de Grave, C.B.

To

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London reports today
No. 3812, Corpl. Leslis Newell killed in action Oct 14th
please inform next of kin, Margaret Newell

J.R. Bennett

Minister of Militia.

Chge Dept of Militia

FOR TYPEWRITER

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*Dated***Nov 4th, 1918***To***Margaret Newell, The Deck, Barenood, Port De Grave, C.B.**

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London,
officially reports **No. 3812, Cpl. Leslie Newell**
killed in action October 14th

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

J.R. Bennett**Chge Dept of Militia.****Minister of Militia.**

NOTE FOR OPERATOR:

This Message is not to be delivered until Receiving Office notifies that Message to **Chirch of England**
Minister or School Teacher

has been received and acted upon

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FOR TYPEWRITER

CR 3812

Sept. 13th 1919.

Mrs. M. J. Newell,
Dock,
Conception Bay.

Dear Mrs. Newell:

It is my regrettable duty
to forward to you to-day per Express, one
Suit Case, containing the effects of your
late son, No. 3612 Cpl. C. G. Newell, Royal
Newfoundland Regiment.

Assuring you of my deepest
sympathy in your bereavement, and in the
renewed sorrow which the receipt of these
effects must entail,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Casualty Officer.

C.R. 3812

RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
ONE SUIT CASE CONTAINING EFFECTS OF THE
LATE No. 3812 CPL. C.G. NEWELL.

DATE. *Sept. 23/19.*

SIGNED *Mrs. M. G. Newell*

to be forwarded to me such
of his personal belongings
as is possible to recover.

Thanking you in
anticipation

I am
very respectfully
yours

Mrs Margaret Newell.

The Dock.

Conception Bay

Nov. 9/18.

C. H. 3812

Hon. J. R. Bennett.

Min. of Militia.

Rt. John's.

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you
that I am in receipt of the sad
news of the death of my son,
3812 Cpl. Leslie Newell.

I earnestly request you, to
seek through all available
sources for information,
regarding the place, and
circumstances of his death
and burial; and to cause

C.R. 3812

Nov. 15th 18

Mrs. Margaret Newell

The Dock

Conception Bay

Dear Mrs. Newell:-

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 9th inst. relative to the death of your son, No. 3812 Corpl. Leslie Newell, and on reply I beg to inform you that all particulars of his death will automatically come forward in the course of time, and upon receipt we will at once convey same to you.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.

Casualty Officer.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

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

MEMORANDUM.

No. 116210/699/P86 **CR 3812**

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

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

October 6th

FM/3K

SUBJECT :

**No 3812 Cpl G.L.Newell(deceased)
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.**

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated **Nov. 25th,** 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

With reference to the following letter from Mrs Margaret Newell, The Dock, Conception Bay, Newfoundland (5596):

"Can you give me any
"information re the
"personal effects of
"3812 Corp Clement L.
"Newell. B.Company.
"Royal Newfoundland Regt.
" He was killed at
"Vichy Ridge near
"Ledeghem. Oct.14th.1918.
"Any of his belongings
"such as his Bible or
"Prayerbook etc, would be
"most gratefully received."

The only effects received in this office were forwarded to you with shipment No 48 18/8/19., Reference No. 1504 Contents of package not known, please.

J.H.M.
Major.
Chief Staff Officer (London)

Reference obverse Effects were received and forwarded on 13.9.19 to Mrs. Newell who has acknowledged receipt.

Lieut. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.DUPLICATE.

12550/805/P&A.

From

PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.

To

C.R. 3812
The Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

FM/PK.

26th November

1919

SUBJECT:NO.3812 CPL. C.L.NEWELL (DECEASED).
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Reference Nos.

11640/699/P&A, 6/10/19.

REPLY

Dated Dec 23rd, 1919 191

With reference to the above quoted number, the following further letter from Mrs. Margaret Newell, The Dock, Conception Bay, Newfoundland, 10/11/19 (6120) is quoted:-

"Replying to your favour
"of the 6th ulto.No.11646,
"I beg to inform you that
"I am in receipt of the
"package mentioned by you
"in that letter.
"This package contained
"the things left in Scotland
"by me son Cpl. C.Leslie
"Newell,3812 before going to
"France.
"I shall regard it as a great
"favour if you could obtain
"and forward to me anything
"he may have had with him
"at the time of his death.
"Thanking you for all your
"favours.

Will you kindly inform Mrs. Newell, that as no effects have been received in this office, it must be assumed that none were recovered from him at the time of his decease, please.

W. A. D. M. W. Lt.-Col.
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Necessary information
has been sent to Mrs. Newell

Lieut. Col.
Chief Staff Officer
for Minister of Militia

CR. 3812

Dec. 25th, 1919

Mrs. Margaret Newell
The Dock
Conception Bay

Dear Madam:-

With reference to your letter dated Nov. 10th, addressed to the Chief Staff Officer, London, I beg to state that copy of same has been forwarded to this Department with request that we inform you in reply thereto that no effects of your late son have been received by them, and owing to the lapse of time since his decease, it is thought that none were recovered from him.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 3812

(Rev). Major Hangle.
C/O High Commissioner for Nfld.,
55, Victoria Street,
London S.W.1.

Jan. 15th 20

3812 Cpl. C. Newell.

I am forwarding a letter
which was addressed to you and
which arrived in this Department
after you had left for England.
If you will please forward me the
particulars asked for by Mrs. Newell,
I will let her know your reply.

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

C O P Y.

The Dock,
Conception Bay,

Jan. 8/20

Major Nangle,
Dept. of Militia,
St. John's.

Dear Sir:

Will you please tell me if the remains of my son
3812 Cpl. Clement Leslie Newell, who was killed in Action
near Vicky Ridge, 14th, Oct. 1918, has been or, will be removed to a Cemetery.

I have been informed by a returned Soldier that he saw a bottle containing papers on his grave. Can you give me any information re the same?

I am,

Yours respectfully,

Mrs. Margaret J. Newell.

C.R. 3812

January 14th 1920

Mrs. M.J.Newell,
The Dock,
Conception Bay.

Dear Mrs. Newell:

As Major Mangle had left for England when your letter of January 8th was received, I took the liberty of opening it as I presumed it concerned Departmental matters.

Your request has been duly noted, and I have written Major Mangle to forward me full particulars. Upon receipt of his reply I will communicate with you again.

Yours faithfully,

Lt Col.
Chief Staff Officer.

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

No. 3812

C.R. 3812

From

MINISTER OF MILITIA,
ST. JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND

Jan. 15th 1920

To

(Rev.) Major Nangle,
C/O High Commissioner for Nfld.,
58, Victoria Street,
London S.W.1.

SUBJECT:

3812 Cpl. C. Newell.

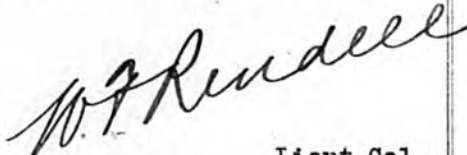
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REPLY

Dated 20th February 1920.

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

I am forwarding a letter which was addressed to you and which arrived in this Department after you had left for England. If you will please forward me the particulars asked for by Mrs. Newell, I will let her know your reply.



Lieut. Col.

Chief Staff Officer,
for Minister of Militia.

The remains of 3812 Corporal Clement Leslie Newell if found shall be removed to the nearest Military Cemetery. Please have Mrs Newell obtain from the returned soldier, who saw the bottle containing papers on her son's grave, ~~and~~ any other information that ~~the~~ soldier may be able to give concerning the location of the grave, as I think the information he has given Mrs. Newell is incorrect. On October 14th we had not yet crossed the River Lys, and Vichy Ridge is situated many miles to the east of that river. When I am searching this area I shall do all in my power to satisfy Mrs. Newell's enquiries. In the meantime any information she may be able to supply will be of great assistance.

Major,
D.G.R. & E.,
Newfoundland Contingent.

C.R. 3812

APRIL 9th 1920.

Mrs. Margaret Hewell,
The Dock, Conception Bay.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter asking for information concerning the burial of your son, I have to inform you that I am in receipt of a reply from Major Nangle concerning this case. He is anxious that you should obtain from the soldier who saw the bottle containing papers on your son's grave all information he may be able to give concerning the location of the grave. Major Nangle is of opinion that the information which this soldier has given you is incorrect. On October 14th our Battalion had not yet crossed the river "Lys?" and Vichy Ridge is situated many miles to the East of that river. Major Nangle assures me that when he is searching this area he will do all in his power to satisfy your enquiries. In the meantime, any further information that you may be able to supply would be of immense assistance.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

W.F.
"The Dock".

Conception Bay

April 24/20.

W. F. Rendell Esq.

Lieut - Colonel.

Dept. Militia.

St. John's.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your favor of the 9th inst. and have noted what Major Rangle says as to the incorrectness of my information about the location of my son's grave.

I am not in communication with the soldier who told me that he was buried at Vichy Ridge, but on further consideration I am inclined to think that the soldier in question, was not quite sure whether it was Vichy, Vimy or some other place.

I have been talking with another soldier who knew my son, but who was in England on furlough at the time of my son's death; He says that on his return to France he passed by my son's grave. He can remember no names but says that there are three graves in a corner of a farm.

They each have a cross, and on two of them were bottles containing papers. One of these was my son's and the other was Serg't. William Hall's, the third was unknown to him. There was also a short-piece of railroad close by.

From the Director-General of Graves Registration and Enquiries we received the information that the grave is at a point north of Courtrai and north-east of Menin. That is the only definite piece of information we have received.

I have been informed that an ex-soldier named Pike would be able to give me some information. He was wounded at the time of my son's death, and in the same action, and knew my son well. I heard that he was in the Empire Hospital last summer and tried to communicate with him but failed.

He has lost an eye, and his home is on the West Coast, but I do not know his initials or number, nor his present address.

Possibly you could get his address from the Record Office. If so will you kindly send it to me.

352 Sgt. Tom. Hall

I am

372 Pt. Willoughby Pike
^{Ex-1110}
 St. George's

yours respectfully,
 Mrs Margaret J. Newell.

P.S. Sergt - William Hall is a native
 of St. John's.

No 3812. Cpl. Clement Leslie Newell

C.R. 3812

April 30th. 1920

Mrs. Margaret Newell,
"The Deck"
Conception Bay

Dear Madam:-

Your letter of April 24th and noted.

I am forwarding copy of same to Major Nangle as it is thought that the contents may be of some assistance in his search for the body of your son; and I trust that eventually his efforts in this direction may be successful, in which case you will be notified through this Department.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 3812

The Dock. Conception Bay
May 3/20.

W. F. Rendall, Esq. Lieut.-Col.
Dept. of Militia
St. John's.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge the
receipt of the Memorial Scroll. Thanking
you for the same

I am

Yours respectfully,
Mrs Margaret J. Newell.

7-16/3812

MAJOR T. HANGLE, C.F., D.S.R. & E.,
c/o HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR NEWFOUNDLAND,
59 VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1., ENGLAND.

MAY 4th 1920.

3812 Cpl. Clement L. Newell
(deceased)

The attached copy of letter
received from Mrs. Margaret Newell,
of "The Dock" Conception Bay, is
forwarded for your information, please.

The soldiers referred to are:
362 Sgt. Wm. Hall, Killed in Action
October 14th 1918, and 3762 Pte.
Willoughby Pike, of Crabbs, St. George's.

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer,
for Minister of Militia.

C.R. 3812

MAY 4th 1920.

Mrs. Margaret Newell,

"The Dock"

Conception Bay.

Dear Madam:

I am in receipt of your letter of April 24th having reference to the gravesite of your son, No. 3812 Cpl. C.L. Newell, deceased. In reply I may say that a copy of this letter has been sent to Major Hangle for his information, and it is hoped that it will prove helpful in locating your son's grave.

In accordance with your request I am giving you the address of the Sergeant Pike referred to in your letter,- it is as follows:

3962 Pte. Willoughby Pike,
Crabbs,
St. George's.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

21st June, 1920

Mrs. Margaret Newell
The Dock
Conception Bay

Dear Madam:-

Judging from the vagueness of your letters, you seem to think it is only a matter of going out and finding your son's grave. Can you understand that there are thousands of graves in the same locality, and your information covers an area of ~~about~~ 64 square miles. This should give you some idea of the difficulties in the way, but if you answer the questions I am giving you I may have some hope of finding the grave. Get in touch with the man who knew your son and try to get that information as definite as possible.

(1) You say your son and Sergt. Hall were buried side by side. Records passed to me by the Pay & Record Office, London show a difference of 8,500 yds between the grave sites. Please verify the fact that your son and Sgt. Hall were buried together.

(2) Find out if it was before or after the action for which Ricketts won the V.C. that your boy was killed, as a lot depends on that

(3) Was the farm in ruins?

(4) Was it near a road

(5) About what day did your friend pass your son's grave

(6) Was the day we received news of the Armistice if not, was it before or after

All these little items will help me in the task

Hoping to get a reply from you at your earliest convenience. Address your reply to Lieut.-Col. Rende 11, Dept of Militia St. John's

I am,
yours sincerely

Sgd. T. Nangle, Major
D.G.M. & E.
(Newfoundland Contingent)

Department of Militia

ORIGINAL

Enclosure

MEMORANDUM

No.N-16/3812.

C.R. 3812

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

To MAJOR T. NANGLE, C.F., D.B.R. & E.,
c/o HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR NEWFOUNDLAND,
58 VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1., ENGLAND.

MAY 4th 1920. 191

SUBJECT:

3812 Cpl. Clement L. Newell
(deceased)

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REPLY

Dated 21st June 1920. 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

The attached copy of letter received from Mrs. Margaret Newell, of "The Dock" Conception Bay, is forwarded for your information, please.

The soldiers referred to are:
352 Sgt. Wm. Hall, Killed in Action
October 14th 1918, and 3762 Pte.
Willoughby Pike, of Crabbs, St. George's.

Will you kindly transmit the enclosed letter to Mrs. Newell and ask her to send the reply to you for transmission? Examine it and see if my questions are answered, please.

W. F. Rudell

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer,
for Minister of Militia.

T. Nangle Major,
D.G.R. & E.
(Newfoundland Contingent)

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C.R. 3812

July 15th, 1920

Mrs. Margaret Newell,
The Dock,
Conception Bay

Dear Madam:-

With reference to your letters addressed to Major Nangle in respect of the location of the grave of No. 3812 Cpl. Clement L. Newell, and which was forwarded to him by this Department, I have to state that reply thereto has now been received and is forwarded herewith. Kindly forward your reply to this Department for transmission to Major Nangle.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,
Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 3812
The Dock.
C. B. H.
Sept: 8/1920.

H=Col. Rendell,
Dept of Militia
St: John's.

Dear Sir:

Please forward
the accompanying letters
to Major Nangle.

I am

yours respectfully
Mrs Margaret Hewell.

N-40/3812

Major T. Hangle, D.C.R. & K.
Newfoundland Contingent
55 Victoria Street
London, S.W.1

Sept. 10th, 20

No. 2412 Cpl. C.L. Newell
-deceased

I have been requested by
Mrs. Margaret Newell, the mother of
the above noted deceased soldier,
to forward to you the attached
correspondence, please.

Major,
for Chief Staff Officer.

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUMNo. H-40/3612

From

MINISTER OF MILITIA,
ST. JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND

To

Major T. Hangle, D.G.R.&E.
Newfoundland Contingent
58 Victoria Street
London, S.W.1

Sept. 10th, 1920

SUBJECT:

No. 3612 Cpl. G.L. Newell
-deceased

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REPLY

Dated 9th Nov. 1920. 191

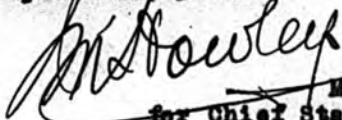
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Received and noted, please.



Lt-Col.,
D.G.R. & E.
(Newfoundland Contingent)

I have been requested by
Mrs. Margaret Newell, the mother of
the above noted deceased soldier,
to forward to you the attached
correspondence, please.



Major,
for Chief Staff Officer.



C.R. 3812 ✓

The Dock.
Conception Bay
Feb 7/22.

The Dept of Militia.
St. John's.

Gentlemen:

I beg to acknowledge
receipt of photographs of my son's,
3812 Cpl. C. Leslie Newell's grave.
Thanking you for the same.

I am

yours very truly
Mrs Margaret J. Newell

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 3812 Name L. Newell

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

Name Mrs. Margaret J. Newell

Date Aug. 10. / 20.

Place D.C.R. Conception Bay

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

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Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

Fold Here



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OCT 5 1921 1921.

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

Mrs. Margaret J. Newell

in respect of his service as No. 3812 Rank A/Cpl.

Name Clement L. Newell Royal Nfld. Regt.
~~Infantry Corps~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received from Dept. of Militia

Signature Mrs Margaret J. Newell.

Date Oct. 24 / 1921

Address Lock. Conception Bay

[P.T.O.]

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

The Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

NO STAMP REQUIRED

Dept. of Militia,
St. John's.

Aug. 9th. 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 3812 Rank Corporal
Name *Leslie Newell*
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Mrs Margaret J. Newell, (Sgd.)

Mother, Relationship.

Lock R. Conception Bay



FIELD SERVICE.

CR 3812
Army Form B. 2090A.

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

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

Regimental No. 3812 Rank acting Corporal.

Surname Nowell. Christian Names L.

Died { Date 14 OCT 1918 Place Belgium.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action

Nature and Date of Report B 213 d/21-10-18.

By whom made O.C. Unit.

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

State whether he leaves a Will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not received (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not received
(c) as a separate document Not received

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

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

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

Station and Date } 29 OCT 1918 Signature of Officer in charge of Section } [Signature]
Adjutant-General's Office at the Base }

For Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section
3rd Echelon, General Headquarter

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps *Royal Newfoundland*
 Rank *Plt* Surname *Hillard* Christian Name *Henry*
 Religion *Quaker* Age on Enlistment *21* years *6* months
 Enlisted (a) *28-5-17* Terms of Service (a) *Duration* Service reckons from (a) *28-5-17*
 Date of promotion to present rank Date of appointment to lance rank
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b)
 or Corps Trade and Rate
 Occupation *Lumberman* Signature of Officer. *H. P. Hillard Captain*

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...	3 FEB 1918		
		Disembarked...	6 FEB 1918		
		Joined Battalion	20 FEB 1918		
	<i>8970 ad "Nausilitis"</i>			<i>21-3-18</i>	<i>E.D. 9156</i>
	<i>26 Gun Coy No "P.W.O"</i>	<i>To duty</i>	<i>Lieut</i>	<i>30/3/18</i>	<i>E.D. 9455</i>
			<i>Retables</i>	<i>10-6-18</i>	<i>H.A. 24739</i>
		Transferred to U. K.			<i>Par. 3/5</i>
		<i>for Re-patriation</i>			<i>Capt. Li. G.C.</i>
		<i>Int</i>			<i>Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section</i>
					<i>G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon.</i>

(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) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B 121.
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Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Number of Sheet First
Signature of O. C. Company W. K. Coy. Sgt.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay
No.	<u>3812. Maxwell. C. Leslie.</u>	Age on	<u>23</u> years <u>4</u> months	<u>Clerk</u>	
Joined		Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	Religion	
Joined		Date		<u>St. John's</u> <u>1883-5-17</u>	
Joined		Date	Period of	with Colours	
Joined		Date		<u>145</u> years.	with Reserve

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<u>Killed in Action</u>					<u>14th / 18</u>

To be carried over