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1542



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1542

Name in full John Pennell Age 19

Address Burling Bay of Islands

~~Married~~
Single Height 5ft 5 1/2 Weight 128

Color Flesh Hair Dark Brown Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks Scar on right side of chin.

Nearest relative Mother (Mary)

Address Burling

Dependents

Occupation Lumberman Present Wage \$3000 per year.

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment May 11th 1915

I, John Pennell, 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 condition of my service.

John Pennell
his mark

Declared before me this 15 day
of May 1915

F. Mellor
2nd Lieut.

J. [Signature]
[Signature]

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No- 1548

Name John Pennell

Apparent age 19 years _____ months. Height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fresh, Hair: Dark Brown, Eyes: Blue.

Other distinguishing marks: Scar on right side of chin.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Mary Pennell, Curling, Bay of Islands, Nfld.

Relationship Mother.

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

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

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate.

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>May 11/15</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>May 11/15</u> Embarked for U.K. <u>17/6/15.</u>									
<u>Embarked for B. E. F. via Egypt. 13/9/16. Landed back in the field 24/11/16.</u>									
<u>Wounded Beaumont Hamel 11/11/16. Rewarded to England per 25. Hops.</u>									
<u>Le Havre 4/9/16. Admitted 5th London Genl Hosp. 25th Reg. 6/7/16.</u>									
<u>Amputated 7/7/16. Discharged 4 Apr 11/11/16.</u>									
<u>Embarked for U.K. Med. Depot 23/12/16.</u>									
<u>Reported Defect, St. John's from Overseas 4/1/17.</u>									
<u>Discharged St. John's Medically Unfit 24/4/17.</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>24-1-17</u> (date of discharge) <u>1</u> years <u>258</u> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 2643

Name John Pannell

Apparent age 20 years _____ months. Height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fresh, Hair: Dark Brown, Eyes: Blue.
Other distinguishing marks: Scar on right side of chin.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Mary Pannell, Curlew, Bay of Islands, Nfld.
| Relationship Mother.

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

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

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate.

- STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>May 11/15</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>May 11/15</u>									
<u>Disch'd, Jan. 24/1917, St. John's</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									} Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days " " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " _____

Regimental Number 1542

Company _____

THE
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's Forces under the following conditions:

For the duration of the present war, or until my discharge.

Subject to the Army Act, the King's Regulations, and to such ordinances as may apply or may be made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act, 5 George V., Chapter IV.

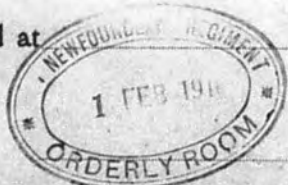
Signed

^{His}
John + Pennell
Moik

Witness

J. H. ...

Dated at _____



191 _____

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

Certified True
M.A.
 Surname Pennell

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF
 Christian Name John



Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	<u>SPECIAL RESERVE.</u>		<u>REGULAR ARMY.</u>	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	at	191	at	191
Declared age	years	days	years	days
Trade or occupation				
Height	feet	inches	feet	inches
Weight		lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measure ment	Girth when fully expanded ..	inches		inches
	Range of expansion ..	inches		inches
Physical development				
Vaccination marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
Number				
When vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V.=		R.E.—V.=	
	L.E.—V.=		L.E.—V.=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
	(b)		(b)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection				
Approved by (Signature)				
(Rank)				
		Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at		at	
	on	day of	on	day of
		191		191
Joined on enlistment	Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.
	<i>Sydney Regt</i>	<i>450</i>		
Transferred to		<i>1542</i>		
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of	on	day of
		191		191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

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

Name of hospital	Admitted to hospital			Discharged from hospital			Disease	Number of days in hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of 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
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
Granville Canadian Special Hospital Hamgate	28	8	16	1	9	16	P. L. H. At leg Amputated	8	Transferred to Kings Canadian Aed X hospital Bushy Park Lexington	<i>[Signature]</i> C.A.M.C. Capt. Williamson Registrar for P.C. Hon. Com. Sp. Hospital Hamgate
The Kings Canadian Aed Cross Hospital	1	9	16	2	10	16		31	Transferred to Rochester House	<i>[Signature]</i> J. Williamson Capt. C.A.M.C.
Queen Marys Convalescent Hospital Rochester	2	10	16	11	11	16	2 10	41	Admitted for the purpose of being fitted with an artificial right leg. Artificial leg provided.	<i>[Signature]</i> W. Nicholson Capt. Adjutant Queen Marys Convalescent Hospital

Medical Report on an Invalid.Station SyrDate Dec 22nd 1916

1. Unit 211 Newfoundland Regiment 5. Age last birthday 20
 2. Regimental No. 1542 6. Enlisted { on
 3. Rank Pte at St Johns Newfoundland
 4. Name PENNELL, John 7. Former Trade { Lumberman
 or Occupation

8. Disability.

G. S. W. Right Leg amputatedStatement 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. July 1st 1916
 10. Place of origin of disability. The Somme

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

During the somme advance he was hit by a bullet on the right knee. The joint was so damaged that the leg was amputated just above the knee a week later at St Thomas Hospital London. He made a good recovery & later was fitted with an artificial limb. He has been unable for any military duties since he was wounded.

12. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability.
 (b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it (See notes on page 3).

gun shot wound
active service

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.

The right leg has been amputated through the thigh at the junction of the middle and lower thirds. There is a well healed freely movable scar. The man's general health is good.

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

(a) In action?

Yes, in action

(b) On field service?

Yes

(c) On duty?

Yes

(d) Off duty?

No

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

If so—(a) When?

(b) Where?

(c) Opinion?

not applicable

} (bracketed group)

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

Yes: amputation of leg

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

not applicable

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?

not applicable

19. Do you recommend

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or

(b) Change to England?

Discharge as permanently unfit

W. W. Winstanley
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 not applicable patient not in hospital

Station Ag

Date Dec 22nd 1916

Officer in charge of Hospital.

* 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 invalided, it is essential that the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable them 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 attributed to (a) active service, (b) climate, or (c) ordinary military service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (see Articles 1162 and 1165. Pay Warrant, 1913).

(iv.) In answering question 20 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.

20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of (i.) active service, (ii.) climate, or (iii.) ordinary military service.

active service

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

G.P.W.

21. Has the disability been aggravated by

(a) Intemperance?

no

(b) Misconduct?

no

(c) Any of the conditions mentioned in Question 20, and if so which?

22. Is the disability permanent?

yes

23. If not permanent, what is its probable minimum duration?

To be stated in months

24. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, or total incapacity.

70%

24a. Is the man suffering from a disability which would obviously, as far as you can judge, cause him to be rejected by an Approved Society under the National Insurance Act?

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

26. Do the Board recommend

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or

(b) Change to England?

discharge

Signatures:—

K.S. Fraser

President.

Station

St John's

L. H. Parsons, Major

Members.

Date

Jan 10 1917

P. Sinclair, Captain

Station

APPROVED MEDICAL SERVICE
DIRECTOR OF
JAN 12 1917

Clayton Macpherson, Major
Administrative Medical Officer.

Date

No. *152*

NEWFOUNDLAND.

(On leaving Corps or Station where invalided.)

Transfer { Date _____
 or Station _____ } Name { Conveyance _____
 of Vessel _____
 Embark- { Date _____
 ation Port _____ } Officer in } _____
 medical charge }

Brief remarks on case during transit, and state on transfer for final disposal.

Re-transferred { Date _____
 Hospital or } _____ Officer in medical charge.
 Station }

(At Station or Hospital where finally disposed of.)

Station and } _____
 Hospital } _____
 Arrived from _____ Date _____

If admitted	If under treatment		Disease	How finally disposed of	Date of Discharge, &c.
	Date	From			

Detailed statement as to condition on discharge and whether discharged as an invalid, to corps, to station, or to depôt. In cases of discharge from the service it should be stated whether the answers to questions 22, 23 and 24 are concurred in.

Date of final Medical }
 Board, or decision }

Administrative Medical Officer.

Army Form B. 179.

MEDICAL REPORT ON AN
 INVALID.

Station *Ag Scotland*
 Corps *21 Westfordham*
 Regimental No. *1542*
 Rank *PLC*
 Name *Pinnell John*
 Disability *8.545 R knee*
leg amputation
 Date *21.12.16*

Hospital or Station }
 transferred to for }
 final disposal }
 Date of final }
 disposal }
 How finally }
 disposed of }

The original Report is invariably to accompany the discharge documents of Invalids.
 (4736.) W. 8830/2174. 5000r. 9/16. G. P. Ltd.

Forms
 B. 179.
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Certified True Copy
W. J. P. & Co., Ltd.
 Capt. R.A.M.C.

Place - Penzance July 1917

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital.
 Army Form B. 178A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Pennell Christian Name John

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish _____ County _____

Examined ... { on _____ day of _____ 191 ,
 at _____

Declared Age ... years _____ days.

Trade or Occupation ... _____

Height ... feet _____ inches.

Weight ... lbs. _____

Chest Measurement { Circle 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) _____
 Capt. R.A.M.C. *[Signature]* Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at _____
 on _____ day of _____ 191

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<i>1st Newfoundland Regt</i>	<i>1542</i>

Transferred to ... _____

Became non-effective by _____
 on _____ day of _____ 191
 (Signature) _____
 (Rank) _____

CASUALTIES.

I

Pay & Record Office,
59 Victoria St., S.W.,
14/11/16.

No. 1542, Pte. J. Pennell.

The above soldier reported here 11/11/16, and it is understood will be sent to Newfoundland for final discharge. Kindly furnish this office with A.F.B. 179, D.400A, W.3202, and W.3494, or pass request to proper quarter, please.

(Sgd) H.A. Timewell, Capt.,
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

II

To Officer i/c
Canadian Hospital,
Bushy Park.

Queen Mary's Convales. Hospital,
Rochampton, S.W.,
15/11/16.

Passed to you, please. The forms requested in preceding minute were not furnished by you on this man's transfer to this Hospital.

(Sgd) H.W. Lovett, Lt. Col.,
Commandant,
Queen Mary's Convales. Hospital,
Rochampton.

III

To Queen Marys Conv. Hospital,
Rochampton.

Reference minute 1 & 2. This man was transferred to your Hospital for treatment, since Newfoundland Patients are not treated in Canadian Hospitals. The necessary documents in connection with transfer were sent you. Should this man be for discharge the necessary Board Papers should be prepared by you. For further information I would refer you to O.C., Granville Canadian Special Hospital, Ramsgate.

(Sgd) ? Lt. Col.,
O.C. The Kings Canadian Red Cross
Convalescent Hospital,
Bushy Park, Hampton Hill.

IV

The Officer i/c,
Granville Canadian Special Hospital,
Ramsgate.

Passed to you please. None of the forms requested in minute 1 were sent to me on the admission of the man in question to this Hospital.

(Sgd) H.W. Lovett, Lt. Col.,
Commdt Queen Marys Conv. Hospital.

V

To O.C. Queen Marys Convales. Hospital, Rochampton.

With reference to minute 3 and your request min. 4, I cannot see, please, that we have any liability in regard to the papers mentioned for this man. I am informed that the usual papers accompanied him from here on transfer to Kings Canadian Red Cross Convalescent Hosp.

(Sgd) F. C. Bell, Major,
A/O.C. Granville Can. Spl. Hosp.,
Ramsgate.

(Please turn over)

VI

The Pay & Record Office,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58 Victoria Street, S.W.

Please see minute 5. The forms were not sent to me by the Granville Canadian Special Hospital. If, however, you require these forms, will you please send Pennell to this Hospital by 10 a.m. ~~far~~ before a Final Invaliding Board and the necessary forms duly completed. I would point out, however, that it has not been customary for the forms in question to be furnished in respect to any of the Colonial troops neither have they been Boarded at this Hospital.

Rochampton,
22/11/1916.

(Sgd) H.W.Lovett, Lt.Col.,
Commandant,
Queen Marys Convalescent Hospital.



CASUALTIES.

Pay & Record Office,
59 Victoria St., S.W.,
14/11/16.

I

No. 1542, Pte. J. Pennell.

The above soldier reported here 11/11/16, and it is understood will be sent to Newfoundland for final discharge. Kindly furnish this office with A.F.B.179, D.400A, W.5202, and W.3494, or pass request to proper quarter, please.

(Sgd) H.A. Timewell, Capt.,
IV Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

II

Queen Mary's Convales. Hospital,
Roehampton, S.W.

To Officer i/c Granville Canadian Hospital,
Ramsgate.

Passed to you, please. The forms requested in preceding minute were not furnished by you on this man's transfer to this Hospital.

(Sgd) H.W. Lovett, Lt. Col.,
Commandant,
Queen Mary's Convales. Hospital,
Roehampton.

III

To Queen Marys Conv. Hospital,
Roehampton.

Reference minute 1 & 2. This man was transferred to your Hospital for treatment, since Newfoundland Patients are not treated in Canadian Hospitals. The necessary documents in connection with transfer were sent you. Should this man be for discharge the necessary Board Papers should be prepared by you. For further information I would refer you to O.C., Granville Canadian Special Hospital, Ramsgate.

(Sgd) ? Lt. Col.,
O.C. The Kings Canadian Red Cross
Convalescent Hospital,
Bushy Park, Hampton Hill.

IV

The Officer i/c,
Granville Canadian Special Hospital,
Ramsgate.

Passed to you please. None of the forms requested in minute 1 were sent to me on the admission of the man in question to this Hospital.

(Sgd) H.W. Lovett, Lt. Col.,
Commndt Queen Marys Conv. Hospital.

V

To O.C. Queen Marys Convales. Hospital, Roehampton.

With reference to minute 3 and your request min. 4, I cannot see, please, that we have any liability in regard to the papers mentioned for this man. I am informed that the usual papers accompanied him from here on transfer to Kings Canadian Red Cross Convalescent Hosp.

(Sgd) F. C. Bell, Major,
A/O.C. Granville Can. Spl. Hosp.,
Ramsgate.

(Please turn over)

Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria Street, S.W.
14/11/18.

I

No. 1242, Pts. 1, Pennell.

The above soldier reported here 11/11/18, and it is understood will be sent to Newfoundland for final discharge. Kindly furnish this office with A.F.S. 178, D.400A, W.3202, and W.3494, or pass request to proper quarter, please.

(Sgd) H.A. Timewell, Capt.
IV Paymaster & O.C. in Charge

The Pay & Record Office,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58 Victoria Street, S.W.

II

Please see minute 25. The forms were not sent to me by the Granville Canadian Special Hospital. If, however, you require these forms, will you please send Pennell to this Hospital by 10 a.m. for a before a Final Invaliding Board and the necessary forms duly completed. I would point out, however, that it has not been customary for the forms in question to be furnished in respect to any of the Colonial troops neither have they been boarded at this Hospital.

(Sgd) H.W. Lovett, Lt. Col.,
Commandant,
Queen Marys Convalescent Hospital.

Re Hampton,
22/11/1918.

TO THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
58 VICTORIA STREET, S.W.

Reference is made to your letter of 11/11/18. The man was not allowed to go to hospital for treatment, as Newfoundland is a remote area and it is not possible to transport him to hospital. The necessary documents in connection with his discharge are being prepared and will be forwarded to you as soon as they are ready. I would refer you to the A.F.S. forms which are necessary to be completed before a man can be discharged from the hospital.

(Sgd) H.W. Lovett, Lt. Col.,
Commandant,
Queen Marys Convalescent Hospital.

TO THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
58 VICTORIA STREET, S.W.

Thank you for your letter of 11/11/18. I am sorry that I cannot see you at the moment but I will be glad to see you when you return to the hospital.

(Sgd) H.W. Lovett, Lt. Col.,
Commandant,
Queen Marys Convalescent Hospital.

TO THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
58 VICTORIA STREET, S.W.

With reference to minute 25 and your request that I should see you, please, that we have any liability in regard to the papers mentioned for this man. I am informed that the naval papers accompanied him from here on transfer to King's Canadian Hospital, Convalescent Hospital.

(Sgd) F. C. Bell, Major,
A.C. Granville Contingent, S.W.

(Please turn over)



5058/550

Officer Commanding,
2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr.
Scotland.

27th November, 1916.

November 30th, 1916.

HT/NW

No. 1542, PTE. J. PENNELL

Copies of correspondence concerning this soldier who is understood to be at the Depot submitted, please. Also:

A.F. B.178 temp. Med. History Sheet.

A.F. B.121, Conduct Sheet and Duplicate Attestation were sent to you 20/11/16.

b With reference to Minute VI, considering Pennell has lost a leg, perhaps formalities can be arranged by you and so avoid a return journey to Roehampton.

So far the only other Newfoundland case reported as transferred to Roehampton is:

No. 1084 Pte. E. White.

Pennell's case is the first to be discharged and it may be desirable to regard it as a precedent for future procedure, and on receipt of your reply, the M.O. i/c at Roehampton can be communicated with accordingly, when presumably it can be arranged that discharge documents can be prepared there as in the cases of men ex other hospitals.

It is not considered desirable to create a precedent in this case. The customary procedure will be followed and Pte. Pennell will in due course be sent to Headquarters St. John's, Newfoundland to be disposed of by the authorities there.

Copy of A.F. B.178A has been received, also A.F. B. 121 and Attestation Form.

(Sd.) C. Karn, Capt.,
for Lt. Col.

Commanding 2/1st Nfld. Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr, N.B.

Capt.,

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.



5228/549

Officer Commanding,
2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr,
Scotland.

5th December, 1916

HT/NW

No. 1542, PTE. J. PENNELL

Dec. 14th/16

5058/530

Reference to this No. and your reply thereon, presumably my point was not clear to you. For practical purposes this is a case similar to No. 687 Pte. A. Byrne, who, as arranged however, did not report to you, but went direct from London for embarkation per "Scotian" from Glasgow. He was duly boarded, the necessary documents were provided and copies sent to H.Q., St. John's.

Men for final discharge are usually boarded before leaving hospital, and this should have been done in the case of Pennell, but was not for reasons indicated. It is now understood you are arranging to provide A.F. B.179 etc.

Of course the foregoing has no reference to men posted to H.Q. under (b) of Procedure.

I have recently received from H.Q., St. John's, a number of requests for A.Fs, B.179 and supporting documents in respect to past cases which cannot be supplied for the reason that there is no trace here of their existence.

The Pensions Board at St. John's particularly desire complete information of each case for adjudication.

This man will be repatriated when recommended by M.C., when all necessary documents will then be made out.

(Sd.) C. Karn, Capt.,
for Lt.Col.,

Commanding 2/1st Nfld. Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr, N. B.

Capt.,

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

2/1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Pte Pennell John

No. *1542.* is unlikely to be fit for Service with the

Expeditionary Force for *Six* months, on account of

G.S.W. Rt Leg Imputated

I recommend that he be posted to the Depôt at St. John's, Newfoundland.

Total

W. H. M. C.
Capt R.A.M.C. M.O.,

I/C. 2/1st Newfoundland Regt.

21. 12. 16

AYR.



Descriptive Return of a Soldier Discharged on Account of Disability

INSTRUCTIONS—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Pensions and Disabilities Board.

This section should be completed in the Hospital at which a man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, or, if the man is not in Hospital, by the Medical Officer of the Unit or Command Depot. The Soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification depends on his confirming this declaration. The "Rank," "Station," and "Date" should be in his own handwriting.

The form will then be attached to the Proceedings of the man's Medical Board and will be forwarded to the O. i/c Records together with the remainder of the man's documents.

Changes occurring in the description subsequent to the date of admission to pension should be noted in red ink.

Name in full *John Percival*
 Regiment from which discharged *1st. Newfoundland*
 Regimental number *1542*
 Intended address *Bay of Islands. (Carling)*
 Height on discharge *5 Feet 4.*
 Color of hair on discharge *Brown*
 Complexion *Fair*
 Color of eyes *Blue*
 Figure on discharge *medium*
 Christian name of Father *Clement. Deod.*
 Christian name of Mother *Mary*
 Wife's maiden name in full }
 Date and place of marriage }
 Christian names of children }
 Place and date of soldier's birth. *Bay of Islands. 7 Aug. 1897*
 Nature and locality of civil employment required

I declare that I am the soldier referred to above and that all the particulars contained in the above statement are, to the best of my knowledge, correct

(Soldier's signature in full)

John Percival

(Rank)

Pte

Witness

J. Hammond
Station

St. John's N.Y.

Date *Jan. 8/17*

I certify that the above named soldier signed the foregoing declaration in my presence, and that the above description and details are, to the best of my knowledge correct.

T. W. Burden Lewis
Medical Officer i/c Hospital,
Unit, or Command Depot.

Station

St. John's N.Y.

Date

Jan 8/17

OSBY.

CASUALTY



I

No. 1548, Pte. J. Parnell.

The above soldier reported here 11/11/16, and it is understood will be sent to Newfoundland for final discharge. Kindly furnish this office with A.P.B. 179, D.400A, W.5208, and W.3494, or pass request to proper quarter, please.

(Sgd) H.A. Timewell, Capt.,
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

II

To Officer i/c
Canadian Hospital,
Bushy Park.

Queen Mary's Convales. Hospital,
Roehampton, S.W.,
15/11/16.

Passed to you, please. The forms requested in preceding minute were not furnished by you on this man's transfer to this Hospital.

(Sgd) H.W. Lovett, Lt. Col.,
Commandant,
Queen Mary's Convales. Hospital,
Roehampton.

III

To Queen Marys Conv. Hospital,
Roehampton.

Reference minute 1 & 2. This man was transferred to your Hospital for treatment, since Newfoundland Patients are not treated in Canadian Hospitals. The necessary documents in connection with transfer were sent you. Should this man be for discharge the necessary Board Papers should be prepared by you. For further information I would refer you to O.C., Granville Canadian Special Hospital, Ramsgate.

(Sgd) ? Lt. Col.,
O.C. The Kings Canadian Red Cross
Convalescent Hospital,
Bushy Park, Hampton Hill.

IV

The Officer i/c,
Granville Canadian Special Hospital,
Ramsgate.

Passed to you please. None of the forms requested in minute 1 were sent to me on the admission of the man in question to this Hospital.

(Sgd) H.W. Lovett, Lt. Col.,
Commndt Queen Marys Conv. Hospital.

V

To O.C. Queen Marys Convales. Hospital, Roehampton.

With reference to minute 3 and your request min. 4, I cannot see, please, that we have any liability in regard to the papers mentioned for this man. I am informed that the usual papers accompanied him from here on transfer to Kings Canadian Red Cross Convalescent Hosp.

(Sgd) F. C. Bell, Major,
A/O.C. Granville Can. Spl. Hosp.,
Ramsgate.

(Please turn over)



VI

The Pay & Record Office,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58 Victoria Street, S.W.

Please see minute 5. The forms were not sent to me by the Granville Canadian Special Hospital. If, however, you require these forms, will you please send Pennell to this Hospital by 10 a.m. for a before a Final Invaliding Board and the necessary forms duly completed. I would point out, however, that it has not been customary for the forms in question to be furnished in respect to any of the Colonial troops neither have they been Boarded at this Hospital.

Roehampton,
22/11/1916.

(Sgd) H.W.Lovett, Lt.Col.,
Commandant,
Queen Marys Convalescent Hospital.

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Temporary

Army Form B. 178.

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 Pennell Christian Name John



TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish _____ County _____

Examined ... { on _____ day of _____ 191 .
at _____

Declared Age ... years _____ days.

Trade or Occupation ... _____

Height ... feet, _____ inches.

Weight ... lbs. _____

Chest { Girth when fully Expanded. _____ inches.
Measurement { 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

COPY SENT TO
John's
Memorandum No. _____
Dated 22.12.16

Enlisted ... { at _____
on _____ day of _____ 191 .

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>1st Newfoundland</u>	<u>1452</u>
	<u>1542</u>

Transferred to ... _____

Became non-effective by _____
on _____ day of _____ 191 .

(Signature) _____
(Rank) _____

Temporary Sheet

Signal not available Form B. 178.

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital.
Army Form B. 178A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.



MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Pinnell Christian Name John

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish _____ County _____

Examined ... { on _____ day of _____ 191 ,
at _____

Declared Age ... years _____ days.

Trade or Occupation ... _____

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 ... {

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... {

COSENT TO
[Signature]
No
Dated 22.12.17

Approved by (Signature) _____
(Rank) _____

[Signature]
Capt. R.A.M.C. Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at _____
on _____ day of _____ 191 .

Corps.	Regt. No.
<u>1st N.S.D.</u>	<u>1542</u>

Transferred to ... _____

Became non-effective by _____
on _____ day of _____ 191 .

(Signature) _____
(Rank) _____

10 Sept 1914
 (A)

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Pennell Christian Name John

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Curling Bay of St. John's County N.F.L.D.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	14 th day of May 1915	St. John's	day of	191
Declared Age	19 years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	Lumberman			
Height	5 feet	5 1/2 inches	feet	inches
Weight		128 lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded...			
	Range of expansion...			
		37 inches		inches
		4 inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
When Vaccinated	Year			
Vision	R.E.—V=	4/6	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	4/6	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>Geo W. Burden</u>			
(Rank)	Lieut			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St. John's	at	
	on	11 th day of May 1915	on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.		Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	1542		
Transferred to	1 st N.F.L.D.			
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



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

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of 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
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
5 th London General	6 th	July	1915	25 th	Aug	1915	Sh. W. Leg with Oculopneumonia		wound healed. Transf. to C. H.	H. Wheatman

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
May 20	First Inoculation 500 million
June 7	Recount " 1000 "
" 25 th 15	Vaccinated at Sea J

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
St Johns Rifle					

*Certified true copy
Washington
Capthorne*

Medical Report on an Invalid



Station Days
Date Dec 22nd 1916

- 1. Unit 2/1 Newfoundland Regt
- 2. Regimental No. 1542.
- 3. Rank Pte.
- 4. Name PENNELL JOHN
- 5. Age last birthday 20
- 6. Enlisted ^{on} at St Johns Newfoundland
- 7. Former Trade or Occupation Lumberman

COPY SENT TO
[Signature]
 Memorandum No. _____
 Dated 2.1.17

8. Disability.

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. July 15th 1916
- 10. Place of origin of disability. The Somme France

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

During the Somme advance he was hit by a bullet in the right knee. The joint was so damaged that the leg was amputated just above the knee a week later at St Thomas Hospital London. He made a good recovery & later was fitted with an artificial limb. He has been unable for any military duty since he was wounded.

- 12. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability. Gun shot wound
- (b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it (See notes on page 3). Active Service

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.

The right leg has been amputated through the thigh at the junction of the middle and lower thigh. There is a well healed freely movable scar. The man's general health is good.

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

- (a) In action? *yes in action*
- (b) On field service? *yes*
- (c) On duty? *yes*
- (d) Off duty? *no*

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

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

} *not applicable*

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

yes amputation of leg

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

not applicable

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?

not applicable

19. Do you recommend

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

Discharge as permanently unfit.

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†

not applicable patient not in hospital

Station *Days*

Date *Dec 22nd 1916*

Officer in charge of Hospital.

* 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.

(On leaving Corps or Station where invalided.)

Transfer { Date _____
 or Station _____ } Name { Conveyance _____
 of Vessel _____
 Embark- { Date _____
 ation Port _____ } Officer in }
 medical charge }

Brief remarks on case during transit, and state on transfer for final disposal.

Re-transferred { Date _____
 Hospital or } Station _____ } Officer in medical charge.

(At Station or Hospital where finally disposed of.)

Station and }
 Hospital }
 Arrived from _____ Date _____

If admitted Date	If under treatment		Disease	How finally disposed of	Date of Discharge, &c.
	From	To			

Detailed statement as to condition on discharge and whether discharged as an invalid, to corps, to station, or to depot. In cases of discharge from the service it should be stated whether the answers to questions 22, 23 and 24 are concurred in.

Date of final Medical Board, or decision }

 Administrative Medical Officer.

ARMY FORM B. 179.

MEDICAL REPORT ON AN
 INVALID.

Station *Regt*
 Corps *21st Madfandland*
 Regimental No. *1542*
 Rank *SPL*
 Name *Finell J. O'Brien*
 Disability *95th Regt Infantry*
 Date *21. 12. 16*

Hospital or Station }
 transferred to for }
 final disposal }
 Date of final }
 disposal }
 How finally }
 disposed of }

The original Report is invariably to accompany the discharge documents of Invalids.
 (4736) W. 5830/2774, 600K. 9/15. G. F., Ltd.
 Form B. 179.
 51.

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

[Blank box for Chelsea Number]

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Proceedings on Discharge.



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

No. 1542 Army Rank private

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

Corps _____
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. _____
(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 _____

Place of discharge _____

COPY SENT TO
Mr. J. J. Jones
1542
No. _____
DATED 2.1.17

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age _____ years _____ months	Descriptive marks.
Height _____ feet _____ inches	
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.	
Complexion _____	
Eyes _____	
Hair _____	
Trade _____	
Intended place of residence _____ (To be given as fully as practicable)	

Measured 11-11-17

(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 _____

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

3. Military character :—

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

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.

_____ Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2068 has been issued to*

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

JAN 3, 1922 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**

is/are forwarded herewith to

John Pennell

in respect of his service as No. 1542 Rank Pte.

Name J. Pennell Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received medals OK.

Signature John Pennell

Date 5/1/22

Address 8 Walsby's Sq.

Royal Nfld Regt. WWI PR# Box: 62



Veterans Affairs
Canada

Anciens Combattants
Canada

MEDAL ACTION CARD
FICHE D'ACTION DES MÉDAILLES

SURNAME (in block letters) — NOM DE FAMILLE (en lettres moulées) PENNELL		CHRISTIAN NAMES — PRÉNOMS John	FILE NO. — N° DE DOSSIER
REG. NO. — MATRICULE 1542	RANK ON DISCHARGE - GRADE À LA LIBÉRATION Pte	UNIT — UNITÉ	
WAR SERVICE BADGE NO. N° D'INSIGNE DE SERVICE DE GUERRE		DATE DISPATCHED — DATE DE LA REMISE	
ADDRESS — ADRESSE			
MEDALS — MÉDAILLES B.W.M. V.M.		ADDRESS AND DATE DISPATCHED ADRESSE ET DATE DE LA REMISE Issued Jan 5/1922	

5228/549



Officer Commanding,
2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr,
Scotland.

5th December, 1916

Scotland.

HT/NW

No. 1542, PTE. J. PENNELL

Dec. 14th/16

5058/530

Reference to this No. and your reply thereon, presumably my point was not clear to you. For practical purposes this is a case similar to No. 667 Pte. A. Byrne, who, as arranged however, did not report to you, but went direct from London for embarkation per "Scotian" from Glasgow. He was duly boarded, the necessary documents were provided and copies sent to H.Q., St. John's.

Men for final discharge are usually boarded before leaving hospital, and this should have been done in the case of Pennell, but was not for reasons indicated. It is now understood you are arranging to provide A.F. B.179 etc.

Of course the foregoing has no reference to men posted to H.Q. under (b) of Procedure.

I have recently received from H.Q., St. John's, a number of requests for A.Fs, B.179 and supporting documents in respect to past cases which cannot be supplied for the reason that there is no trace here of their existence.

The Pensions Board at St. John's particularly desire complete information of each case for adjudication.

This man will be repatriated when recommended by M.G., when all necessary documents will then be made out.

(Sd.) G. Karn, Capt.,
for Lt.Col.,

Commanding 2/1st Nfld. Regt.,

Newton-on-Ayr, N. B.

Capt.,

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

5058/530

Officer Commanding,
2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr,
Scotland.

HT/NW

27th November, 6.

November 30th, 1916.

No. 1542, PTE. J. PENNELL

Copies of correspondence concerning this soldier who is understood to be at the Depot submitted, please. Also:

A.F. B.178. temp. Med. History Sheet.

A.F. B.121, Conduct Sheet and Duplicate Attestation were sent to you 20/11/16.

With reference to Minute VI, considering Pennell has lost a leg, perhaps formalities can be arranged by you and so avoid a return journey to Roehampton.

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It is not considered desirable to create a precedent in this case. The customary procedure will be followed and Pte. Pennell will in due course be sent to Headquarters, St. John's Newfoundland, to be disposed of by the authorities there.

Copy of A.F. B.178A has been received, also A.F. B.121 and Attestation Form.

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

Capt.,

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Ref. No.	4656
Date	30/11/16
Acc'd.	
Ex'd.	
File No.	



5228/549

Officer Commanding,
2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr,
Scotland.

HT/NW
5th December, 1916.
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Dec. 14th/16.

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for Lt.-Col.,

Commanding 2/1st Nfld. Regt.,

Newton-on-Ayr, N.B.

466.

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

5058/580

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2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr.
Scotland.

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Capt.,

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

GRANVILLE CANADIAN SPECIAL HOSPITAL, RAMSGATE.

TRANSFER CLOTHING STATEMENT

STATEMENT SHOWING THE ARTICLES IN POSSESSION OF Patient
 PROCEEDING FROM Granville Canadian Special Hospital Ramsgate
 TO Bushy Park Liddington

DATE OF TRANSFER 1st Sept. 1916

Regt. No. 1542 RANK Pte.

NAME Pennell J.

Batt. 1st Newfoundland

Articles	No. on Entrance	No. Issued	Date of Issue	Articles	No. on Entrance	No. Issued	Date of Issue
Boots, Ankle, prs.	1			Holdall	0		
Cap, Service	1			Housewife	0		
„ Balaclava	0			Bootlaces	1		
Great Coat	1			Knife, Fork, Spoon	0		
Jacket, serge	1			Clasp Knife & Lanyard	0		
Trousers „	1			Razor & Case	0		
„ Service	0						
Shirt	0			EQUIPMENT			
„ Grey flannel	1			Kit Bag	0		
Waistcoat, Cardigan	1			Waist Belt	0		
Drawers, woollen or cotton	1			Water Bottle	0		
Undervest	0			„ Carrier & Strap	0		
Socks, prs.	1			Mess Tin, Cover & Strap	0		
Body, band	0			Haversack	0		
Braces, prs.	1			Greatcoat & Strap	0		
Gloves or mitts prs.	0			Ground Sheet	0		
Puttees, prs.	0			Blankets	0		
Towels	0						
Shoes, canvas	0						
Badges, Cap	1	Personal					
„ Collar	0						
„ Shoulder	0						
Brushes, Cloth	0						
„ Hair	0						
„ Shave	0						
„ Tooth	0						
Comb	0						

Signature of Soldier his J Pennell
 Certified that this is Correct in Every Detail Witness R. M. Jamett Sgl.

Date 31 August 1916

Station RAMSGATE
 No. _____
 Date _____ 1916

Date _____ 1916
 Station BUSHY PARK
1 OCT 1916
 RAMSGATE HILL

Commanding Rahur Kukupatrick Capt.
G.M. Granville Canadian
 Special Hospital, Ramsgate
 Name of Unit Man is Leaving _____

Commanding _____
 Name of Unit Man is Joining _____

BRANCH
Cao.
ACT. PON.
BY
DATE



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

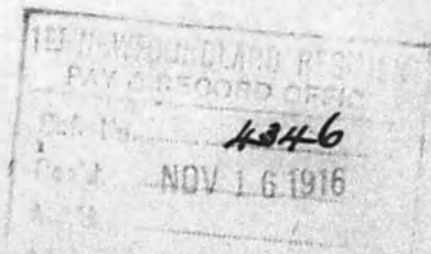
Your memorandum No. 4804/1 dated the 14th instant has been forwarded to The Officer, in Charge, Canadian Hospital, Bushey Park, for compliance, as the forms in question were not furnished to me on this man's transfer to this Hospital.

I would, however, point out that it is not customary for these forms to be furnished by me in respect of Colonial Troops.

H. W. Roett R. Col

Commandant,
Queen Marys Convalescent Hospital,
Roehampton.

Roehampton.
15. 11. 1916.





2/1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Pte Pinnell John

No. *1542* is unlikely to be fit for Service with the

Expeditionary Force for *six* months, on account of

G.S. 60 Rt Leg Amputated

.....
.....
.....
.....

I recommend that he be posted to the Depôt at St. John's, Newfoundland.

Total at Present

21. 12. 16

AYR.

[Signature]
.....
Capt. R.A.M.C. M.O.,

I/C. 2/1st Newfoundland Regt.

C.R. 1542

Extract from Roll of Officers
and N. C. O'S ²DISCHARGED
from the Royal Newfoundland
Regiment.

Regtl #	Rank	name	date	Reason.
1542	Pte.	Pennell John	24/1/17	Med. Unfit

C.R. 1542

Extract from list of men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment
discharged on various dates.

#1542 Pte. John Pennell discharged Jan. 24th 1917, Medically
unfit

CR. 1542

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal.
Field. Regt., St. John's, Jan. 11th, 1917.

1542 Pte. J. Pennell.

Discharged from Jan. 11th, 1917 as Med. Unfit.

1542

C.R.

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal
Hill. Regt., St. John's, Jan. 9th, 1917.

1542 Pte. J. Pennell.

This man returned by S.S. Scotlan" and attached to the
Strength from Jan. 6th, 1917.

C.R. 1542

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.
November 13th. 1916.

1542, Pte J Fennell.

Artificial Limb. reportd at Record Office, 11/11/16.
and proceeds to Depot. for disposal, there to await repatriatin.

2952 CR. 1542



CASUALTIES:

O.C., QUEEN MARY'S CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL,

Reports, 3rd October 1916,

ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL,

1542, Pte. Pennell, J.

Authority:-
Notification
from Hospital.

C.R. 1542

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CASUALTIES

O. C., 5th LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL,

Reports, 24th Aug., 1916.

Transferred to The

GRANVILLE CANADIAN SPECIAL HOSPITAL

No. 1542, Pennell, Pte. J. 25/8/16

Authority:-

Memo. from
5th L.G.H.,
24/8/1916.

C.R. 1542

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated July 21, 1916.

(Extract from Army Form B 813, from C.O. 1st. Field. Regt.
dated 11/7/16.

#1542 Pte. J. Pennell. ✓

Wounded in Action 1/7/16.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line 11 Sent by W.P. Rec'd by _____ Check 165 No. 11

Place from St. John's

To Mr. J. M. Bennett

JUL 11 1916

Mr. John Penneil

No 4542
Fifth London Lane
Hospital
of J. R. Bennett
Calsey

Wire me nature of
wound + operation
trusting you will be
better soon all well
home
James Penneil

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____

Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated 11 July, 1916.

To SYNOPTICAL, London.

W. S. M. for 1542 Pennell. Wire me nature of wound and operation. Trusting soon be better. All well. James Pennell.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

FOR TYPEWRITER

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated 10th July, 1916.

To Mrs. Mary Pennell,
Curling.

Beg to inform you No. 1542 Private John Pennell now reported at Fifth London General Hospital.

J.R.BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 1542 ✓

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated July 8, 1916.

#1542 Pte. John Pennell. ✓

Gunshot wound right knee.

Admitted 5th London General Hospital, St. Thomas's
Hospital, S.E. July 6, 1916.

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CASUALTIES.

M.O.1/c 3rd, London General Hospital reports 7th July '16:-

SERIOUS. GUN SHOT WOUND RIGHT LEG. IMMEDIATE OPERATION AND
MAY DIE:-

1542, Pte. Pennell, Pte. J.

Telephone message received 1.15 p.m.

C.R. 1542

P(61)

COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated

July 7, 1916.

To

Mrs. Mary Pennell,
Curling.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,

London, officially reports No. 1542, Private John Pennell,
was seriously ill at Third London General Hospital, Wandsworth,
July sixth, suffering from wounded right leg - immediate
operation.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you and trust that the next report will be of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 1542

Extract from Nominal Roll of sick and Wounded from France. admitted
to Hospital from Hospital Ship "Maheno. July 6th., 1916.

#1542 Pte. John Penrell

G.S.W. R. Kree.

C.R. 1542

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas, per
S.S. "Galgarian" June, 19. 1915. "F"

1542 Pte. Pennell J.

C.R. 1542

Extract from Nominal Roll of 5th A. Regt. Embarked Devon-
port 13-3-16 for Egypt, transferred to B.E.F. & Disem-
barked Marseilles 3-4-16.

1542 Pte. J. Pennell.

C.R. 1542

John Pennell was attested for General service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ..May.11th,1915..
Regimental No 1542 was allotted to Pte. John Pennell

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

J. Pennell.

C.R.

1842

P.R.O.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 5228/549

From
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
 58, VICTORIA STREET,
 LONDON, S.W.
 5th December, 1916.

To Officer Commanding,
 2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
 Newton-on-Ayr,
 Scotland.

HT/NW

SUBJECT: No. 1542, PTE, J. PENNELL

REPLY

Reference Nos. 5058/530

Dated Dec. 14th /16. **191**

Reference to this No. and your reply thereon, presumably my point was not clear to you. For practical purposes this is a case similar to No. 687, Pte. A. Byrne, who, as arranged however, did not report to you, but went direct from London for embarkation per "Scotian" from Glasgow. He was duly boarded, the necessary documents were provided and copies sent to H.Q., St. John's. Men for final discharge are usually boarded before leaving hospital, and this should have been done in the case of Pennell, but was not for reasons indicated. It is now understood you are arranging to provide A.F. B.179 etc.

Of course the foregoing has no reference to men posted to H.Q. under (b) of Procedure.

I have recently received from H.Q., St. John's, a number of requests for A.Fs. B.179 and supporting documents in respect to past cases, which cannot be supplied for the reason that there is no trace here of their existence.

The Pensions Board at St. John's particularly desire complete information of each case for adjudication.

This man will be repatriated when recommended by M.O., when all necessary documents will then be made out.

Pharm *Cph*

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

H. A. Guinness
 Capt.,
 Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	4866
Date	DEC 16 1916
Ac'd	
Ans'd	
File No.	

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 5058/530

From
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.
27th November, 1916.

To Officer Commanding,
2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr,
Scotland.

HT/NW

SUBJECT: No. 1542, PTE. J. PENNELL

REPLY

Reference Nos.

Dated November 30th 1916

Copies of correspondence concerning this soldier who is understood to be at the Depot submitted, please. Also:

A.F. B.178, temp. Med. History Sheet.

A.F. B.121, Conduct Sheet and Duplicate Attestation were sent to you 20/11/16.

With reference to Minute VI, considering Pennell has lost a leg, perhaps formalities can be arranged by you and so avoid a return journey to Roehampton.

So far the only other Newfoundland case reported as transferred to Roehampton is:

No. 1084, Pte. E. White.

Pennell's case is the first to be discharged and it may be desirable to regard it as a precedent for future procedure, and on receipt of your reply, the M.O. idc at Roehampton can be communicated with accordingly, when presumably it can be arranged that discharge documents can be prepared there as in the cases of men ex other hospitals.

It is not considered desirable to create a precedent in his case. The customary procedure will be followed and Pte. Pennell will in due course be sent to Headquarters, St. John's, Newfoundland, to be disposed of by the authorities there.

Copy of A.F. B.178 A has been received, also A.F. B.121 and Attestation Form.

M. A. Munnell
Capt.,

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

15 NOV 1916
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
Ref No. 1606
Recd. DEC 1 1916
Capt. /
Kamm
COMMANDING, 2nd/1st N.F.L.D. REGT.
NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.S.

QUEEN MARY'S CONVALESCENT AUXILIARY HOSPITALS.

FOR SAILORS AND SOLDIERS WHO HAVE LOST THEIR LIMBS IN THE WAR.

Patronesses:

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN.

HER MAJESTY QUEEN ALEXANDRA.

Presidents { THE RT. HON. A. J. BALFOUR, P.C., M.P.
F.M. THE RT. HON. EARL KITCHENER OF KHARTOUM, K.G., K.P., G.C.B., O.M., etc

TELEPHONE: PUTNEY 1674.

All communications should be addressed
The Commandant.

ROEHAMPTON HOUSE,

ROEHAMPTON S.W.

10th November, 1916.

Sir,

The bearer hereof, No. 1542, Pte. J. Pennell, 1/Newfoundland Inf. who has been fitted with an artificial limb, and who has this day been discharged from hospital, is sent to you for disposal, please. Medical History Sheet & Transfer Clothing Statement herewith.

Yours faithfully,

W. B. Nicholson *BAFFIN* *for*
Commandant.

Queen Mary's Convalescent Hospital.

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



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 1542 P. *Rennell J*
E Co'y. From 12.11.16 to 22.12.16 (Dates inclusive)

(Substituting A.F. O. 1625) N.F.P./Ca.
 Embarked per S.S. *Sedna*
 From *Glasgow*
 Date 23/12/16 Draft No. _____

Classification (See Procedure) A

CF.

Pay Book Col.	Particulars	days	£	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	days	£	s	d		
8	Forfeited Pay						1	Pay	41	11.00	41	00		
9	Allotments	41	150	20	50		2	Field Allowance	...	10	4	10		
10							3	Other Allowances						
1/12	Total Stoppages £ d		20	50			4/5	Total Pay & Allices @ \$4.86 2/7		45	10	19		
13	Fines				4	4	8							
14	Clothing													
15	Arms & Accoutrements							6	Bal. Cr. Last Period			9	4	
16	Barrack Damages					7								
17	Hospital Stoppages													
17a	Miscellaneous Stoppages				2	6	6							
19	Casual Payments					2	4							
20	1st Payment				1	10	0							
21	2nd "					10	0							
22	3rd "					10	0							
23	Final "					11	0							
24	Balance Dr. Last Period													
28	" due by Paymaster					9	14	8						
												9	14	8

Received Ays
Dec 21/4 1916.



CERTIFIED CORRECT.
E. James 2/11
 O.C. " " Company.
 CHECKED.
10/1
29/12

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QUEEN MARY'S CONVALESCENT AUXILIARY HOSPITALS,

ROEHAMPTON HOUSE,

ROEHAMPTON, S.W.

OFFICER IN CHARGE OF RECORDS.

*Newfoundland Contingent
58. Victoria St. SW*

I beg to inform you that the undermentioned men have been admitted as patients to this Hospital.

Regt. No.	Rank and Name.	Un.t.	Date of Admission.
1542	Pte Pennell J.	1. Newfoundland Regt.	2.10.16

Oct 3rd
1916.

W. M. Lovett Col Commandant.
Queen Mary's Convalescent Hospital.



STRA & SPOTTSWOODS, Ltd., Lond.

N.B.—This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.

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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.

St Johns Nf

Charges } s. d.
to pay }



Handed in at } *2*

Received here at } *10*
9 a.m. B RANCH *CHAS* a.m.

TO { *Wampsynoptical Ldn.*

You nature of trusting well

1542 soon James

Mr. John Pennell wound be Pennell Col. Secy

ACTED UPON
Mr. 14/7/16
and operation better all

181	INLAND REVENUE
POST OFFICE	
Ref. No.	<i>2316</i>
Recd.	<i>JUL 12 1916</i>
Acctd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

*St. Tho. Hosp.
S.E.*

To:
The A.C.

Ref. attached letter.

Please report as to why your shoe outfit was awarded in this manner.

It would appear to that a man with 16g would never again be fit for 9-5.

Captain
Cramer

107th NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,
NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.

Jan. 8 1915.

1st Adjutant

A. F. B 179 was made out for this
man & he was recommended
for final discharge.

Jan 9/17

Wichita
Capt. R. A. M.
M.O.

1542 Pennell

F

145/15

O. G.,

2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.

Ayr.

F.M/W.R.

January 5th. 1917.

Jan. 9th, 1917.

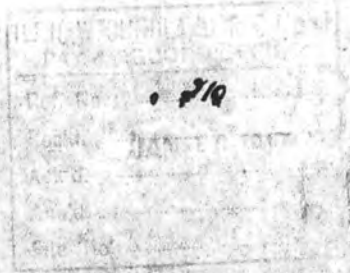
1542, PTE. J. PENNELL.

It is observed that on . . . Please see observation of
 form used by you for purposes of . . . M.O. on this.
 transferring soldiers to Headquarters, . . . It would appear that the
 the following reference appears:- . . . remark complained of was not
 "Is unlikely to be fit for . . . well considered when it was
 "service with the Expeditionary . . .
 "Force for 6 months on account of written.
 "G. S. W. Right Leg amputated."

Is this in order, considering .
 that the man has an artificial leg,
 please? ..

(Sd.) C. Karn, Captain,
 Commanding 2/1st Nfld. Regt.,
 Newton-on-Ayr, N.B.

Major,
 Paymaster & O 1/2 Records.



Pennell, J.

1542

Pay sept.

ORIGINAL

No. 1721

H.M. 2286

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Officer Commanding,
1st Newfoundland Regt.,
Depot, St. John's, Nfld.

MEMORANDUM of ~~STOPPAGES~~/CREDITS on Account of
Hospital Stoppages charged in error "E" Company Pay
Book for Period ended 22/12/16.

NOTE:- Charge under Pay & Record Office, London.

ORIGINAL of this FORM to be COMPLETED and RETURNED intact to Paymaster & Officer i/c Records, Newfoundland Contgt., 58, Victoria Street, London, S.W.
DUPLICATE to accompany PAY BOOK as VOUCHER.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulare & Authority	AMOUNT				
			£	s	d	c	
1542	Pte. Pennell, J.	2/9/16 - 30/9/16 = 29 days 1/10/16 - 2/10/16 = 2 " ----- 31 days @ 1/6 Stoppages remitted under Allowance Regs. Para.73		1	6		
				2	6	6	

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.,
22nd February, 1917.

J.H. Maudger Major,
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made in the
Pay Book of " " Company for Period / / to / /

Dated at _____
_____ 191

O.C. " " Company,
Battalion.

CHECKED
80
24617

COPY

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 1542, Pte. Pennell 1.

(Substituting A.F. O.1625). N.F.P./36.

Company. From 12.11.16 To 22.12.16 (Dates inclusive).

Embarked per S.S. Scotia

From Glasgow Date 23.12.16.

DR. Classification (See Procedure). A

Draft No. CR.

Date	Pay Book Col.	PARTICULARS	Rate	Dys	£	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	PARTICULARS	Rate	Dys	£	s	d
	8	Forfeited Pay							1	Pay	1.00	41	41	00	
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	10								3	Other Allowances					
11/12		Total Stoppages			20	50	4 4 3		4/5	Total @ 4.86 2/3			45	10	9 5 4
13		Fines							6	Balance Credit Last Period					9 4
14		Clothing & Necessaries							6a	OTHER CREDITS:					
15		Arms & Accoutrements								Ration Allowance,					
16		Barrack Damages					1			/ /17 to / /17					
17		Hospital Stoppages			2	6	6			= days @ /					
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22		3rd "					10 0								
23		Final "					11 0								
24		Balance Debit Last Period													
28		" Due by Paymaster							27	Balance Due to Paymaster					
					9	14	8						9	14	8

Racecourse Off.
Dec 21st 1916.



CERTIFIED CORRECT.

Sgt. E. Barnes 2nd Lt.
O.C. "E" Company.

May 31st. 1917

Received of the Deputy Paymaster, the sum of twenty four dollars
(\$24.00), in payment of my pension for June 1917.

John W. Pennell
Mark

Witness

J. L. Snow

April 5th., 1919

#1542 Pte. John Fennell,

Curling,

Bay of Islands.

Dear Sir:-

"Referring to your application I enclose cheque for Seventy dollars (\$70.00), being amount of first payment due you on account of the "War Service Gratuity."

Yours truly,

Captain,
Paymaster & U.I. Records

11028

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who claims War Service Gratuity under Order-in-Council dated January 28th. 1919.

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration. There must be no blanks and no dashes. If any question are not applicable, the words "NOT APPLICABLE" must be written out.

On completion this Declaration is to be returned to THE OFFICER I/C RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

- 1. Christian name. *John* 2. Surname. *Pennell*
- 3. Rank. *Private* 4. Regtl. No. *1542*
- 5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded. *John Pennell*
Curling Bay of Islands *exposed*
- 6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *11th May 1915*
- 7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge. *Lois*
my Grand mother
- 8. Relationship of such dependents. *Grand mother*
- 9. Address in full of such dependent. *Mrs Clem Pennell*
Curling Bay of Islands *exposed*
- 10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier? *no*
- 11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service. *I was on active*
Service Overseas *March Month*
1916
- 12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld, or Overseas. *Overs Seas* *4 months*
and seven days

13. Have you had more than one enlistment? If so, give particulars of discharge and re-enlistments, and under what regimental numbers.....

only one enlistment... \$ 15.42

14. Have you already received any payment of Post Discharge pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amount you and your dependents have already received and by whom paid.....

never received any

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge?.....

yes

16. Have you, during the present war, served in the Imperial Forces... *no*

17. Are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity in the nature of Post Discharge Pay from the Imperial Forces? If so, state amount received, or to which you are entitled.....

no I never received any pay as is intitled

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England?.....

no never

(b). If so, was such reversion in consequence of misconduct or inefficiency?.....

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? *no* If not give:- (a) Date of discharge *Jan 24th 1917* (b) Reason for discharge... *Wounded*

lost my right leg on active service in France on July 1st 1916

20. Did you at any time serve at the front in an actual theatre of War? If so give particulars of places, and dates of such service.....

yes I served in actual theatre of war 1st July 1916

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com.

(b). If so, are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee... *no*

and I make this solemn declaration, conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath.

Signature of Applicant:

John ^{his} Pennell

Place of Residence:

Curling Bay of Islands

Declared before me at:

Curling

This *1st*

day of *April* 191*9*

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public, Justice of the Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits.

Joseph Pennell J.P.

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
.....	<i>4 mos.</i>	<i>280.00</i>
.....
.....

Certified Correct.

Paymaster.

WWB*EB

9756 February 21st 1920.

To:- Major Howley,
O. I. C. Pay & Records.
Mr. Chas. McGrath, Accountants.
Mr. Geo. Pomeroy
Captain L. C. Murphy,
Employment Officer.

From:- Vocational Officer

J. Pennell 1542.

This is to certify that this man's course comes to an end on February 28th. If an extension is in the meantime granted, I shall notify you.

WWS

Vocational Officer.



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, John Pennell, Regl. No. 1843,
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and 2/17 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. :

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
1	Mother	Mrs Stewart Pennell	Curling	50
1			Bay of Islands	
6				
1				
		Commencing		
		June 12		
			Total Allotment, \$	50

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
Al Johns
June 12 1915

(Sig.) John x Pennell
 (Rank) PLT

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

No. 1542

Name Pennell

Date	Particulars	Ch.No.	Dr.	Cr.	Bal.
	Balance due by P.M. £ 2-6-6.			11 31	11 31
Dec 31	By Pay 9 days @ 1 ¹⁰ / ₁₀₀			9 90	21 21
Jan 6	" " 6 " do			6 60	27 81
24	By clothing			33 30	61 11
Dec 31	To Allotment 9 days @ 5 ¹⁰ / ₁₀₀		4 60	37 95	99 06
Jan 8	To Pay.	90	25 00		94 56
12	" "	94	15 00		79 56
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Signed A J Loamy

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March 24, 1919

Ex Pfc. John Pennell,
CURLING.

With reference to your letter of
March 22nd. regarding War Service Gratuity, I
enclose herewith form of claim, which kindly
have completed before a Magistrate or Justice
of the Peace, and returned to this Office.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
For Paymaster

1542

March 29th 1920

Major Howley
O. I. C. Records

Please pay to J. Pennell, 1542
the sum of seven dollars
in payment of allowance for week ended March 27th 1920
and charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee

\$7.00

Pension \$30.00

J.P.A.

ACCOUNT	33269	<i>J.P.A.</i>
CHEK NO.		INITIALS
PAID LEDGER		INITIALS
PAY LEDGER		INITIALS
GEN. LEDGER		INITIALS

Howley
Vocational Officer

John Pennell

Curling
apl 23rd/17

The Commanding Officer
7thfld Regt
St Johns.

Dear Sir

I hereby make
application for "The Imperial
Silver War Badge"

I have an honorable discharge
from The First Newfoundland
Regiment on account of
amputation of Right Leg through
thigh.

I remain yours Sincerely.

Private. John. Pennell.
1542.

Curling
Bay of Islands

OK
J. Bowley
Jic R.

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March 6th 1920

Major Howley
O. I. C. Records

Please pay to J. Pennell, 1542
the sum of seven dollars
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
and charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee

\$7.00

Pension \$30.00

C.P.A.

ACCOUNT	31410	INITIALS	<i>Howley</i>
CHK. NO.			
INL. LEDGER		INITIALS	
PAY LEDGER		INITIALS	<i>[Signature]</i>
GEN. LEDGER		INITIALS	

[Signature]
for Vocational Officer
John Pennell

March 13th 1920

Major Howley
O. I. C. Records

Please pay to J. Pennell, 1542
the sum of seven dollars
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
and charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee

\$7.00

Pension \$30.00

J. B. H.

W. W. Blackall,

Vocational Officer

AMOUNT	320.12	INITIALS	<i>J. B. H.</i>
CASH LEDGER		INITIALS	<i>J. B. H.</i>
PAY LEDGER		INITIALS	<i>J. B. H.</i>
GEN. LEDGER		INITIALS	<i>J. B. H.</i>

John Pennell

J. M. Howley. Esq.

Burling
Mar 22/19

St Johns 1542

Sir.

4342

I understand by "The Soldiers and Sailors Handbook" that I am entitled to three months pay as I have done ~~Six~~ months service overseas and more. I also would like to get the \$30.00 allowance for the overcoat as stated in Chapter 2 of Handbook. Kindly have same sent me at your earliest convenience as I am badly in need of same. Hoping to hear from you regarding this matter.

I am Sir yours Truly.

Ernie John Pennell.

May 26th 1920

Major Howley
O. I. C. Records

Please pay to J. Pennell, 1542
the sum of thirty dollars
in payment of P. & A. Bonus
and charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee

\$30.00

Pension \$30.00

ACCOUNT	
NO	38363
INT. LEDGER	
PAY LEDGER	
GEN. LEDGER	

[Handwritten initials and scribbles over the ledger form]

[Handwritten initials: J.C.A.]

[Handwritten signature: W. H. McCall]
Vocational Officer

[Handwritten signature: John Pennell]

April 28th, 1919

Capt. Howley,
B. I. C. Records.

Please pay to Mr. J. Pennell, No 1542, the sum of
twenty seven dollars and forty cents on account of trans-
portation and meals from Curling to St. Johns and charge
same to Civil Re-establishment Committee.

\$27.40

C. R. B. Eiv

ACCT NO	17089
CHQ NO	
TRD LEDGER	
PAY LEDGER	
GEN. LEDGER	

J. C. S.
W. H. Marshall,
Vocational Officer

hus.
J. Pennell
mark wit Ewable

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 10⁰⁰

April 28 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Ten Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay. Clothing
balance

Dis.
J. X. Pennell
mark

Ch. No. <u>1706</u>	Initials. <u>J. X.</u>
Pay Ledger <u>168</u>	Initials. <u>J. X.</u>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No.

Rank Sgt.
with Jewalska

No. 1842 Rank 06

Name J. Penney

No.



1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

VOUCHER

In Acct. with Pte. J. Pennell, Voucher No. 27026.
First Newfoundland Regiment. Cheque No. 27026.

Reg'l A/c No. Name C.B. Folio No.

Table with columns: Date, Req'n No., Invoice No., Particulars, Amount. Entry: Jan. 12 275 A/c pay \$15

CERTIFICATION

Dissect Sheet No.
Recap. Sheet No. 275.
Checked by

Signature of M. Howley, PAYMASTER

RECEIPT

January 12th 1917.

Received from the 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT the sum of

Fifteen

Dollars

and Cents in Payment as above stated.

January 1917.

\$ 15.00

[Sig]

Signature of John Pennell

Witness M. Howley mark

No.



1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

VOUCHER

In Acct. with John Pennell Voucher No. 26955.
First Newfoundland Regiment. Cheque No. 26955.

Reg'l A/c No. Name C.B. Folio No.

Table with columns: Date, Reg'n No., Invoice No., Particulars, Amount. Entry: Jan. 8, 270, A/c pay, \$25.

CERTIFICATION

Dissect Sheet No.

Recap. Sheet No. 270.

Checked by

Signature of M. Howley, PAYMASTER

RECEIPT

January 8th 1917.

Received

from the 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT the sum of

Twenty Five Dollars

and Cents in Payment as above stated.

January 9th 1917

\$ 25.00

[Sig.]

Signature of John Pennell

No.



1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

VOUCHER

In Acct. with #1542 Pte. John Pennell, Voucher No. 29398.
Curling, B. of I. Cheque No. 29398.

Reg'l A/c No. Name C.B. Folio No.

Table with columns: Date, Req'n No., Invoice No., Particulars, Amount. Entries include: Feb. 23, 344, Bonus 1 week @ \$1.85, \$12 95; Civilian Clothing, 25; Total 37 95.

CERTIFICATION

Dissect Sheet No.

Recap. Sheet No. 344.

Signature of Paymaster

PAYMASTER

Checked by

RECEIPT

April 3rd, 1917.

Received from the 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT the sum of

Thirty Seven Dollars

and Ninety Five Cents in Payment as above stated.

April 1917.

\$ 37.95

[Sig.]

Signature of Pte John Pennell

W.D.B.

Curling
Feb 23 / 17

Mr J. M. Howley
St Johns.

Dear Sir

I understood from Major Montgomery
that I was to get - \$1 25.⁰⁰ for a Suit of
Clothes, I am without a Suit of Sullivan
Cloths, and I would like for you to see
to this for me, and oblige

Yours Truly.

Private John Pennell
1542

Bonns. 12.95
Nothing 25

37.90

Curling
Buy of Blanks
Wpfd
Z

Feb 7th 1920

Major Howley
OL I. C. Records

Please pay to J. Pennell, 1452
the sum of three dollars and fifty cents
in payment of arrears of allowance for week ended this date
and charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee

\$3.50

Pension \$30.00

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W. W. Mitchell
Vocational Officer

Received
Charles M. Graft

MAY 3 1919

Capt. Howley,
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to Mr. J. Pennell, No 1542
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension \$30.00

W. W. Hechell,
Vocational Officer

his
J. Pennell
mark

Wm E. Walche

MAY 10 1919

Capt. Howley,
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to Mr. J. Pennell, No 1542
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension

\$30

G. W. Michell
Vocational Officer

John Pennell

MAY 17 1919

Capt. Howley,
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to Mr. J. Pennell, No 1542
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension \$30

John Pennell

G. W. Mitchell
Vocational Officer.

MAY 24 1919

Capt. Howley,
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to J. Pennell, No 1542
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension \$30

John Pennell

W. K. Keckell
Vocational Officer

MAY 31 1919

Capt. Howley,
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to J. Pennell, No 1542
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension \$30

John Pennell

B. W. McCall
Vocational Officer

JUN 14 1919

Capt. Howley,
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to J. Pennell, No 1542
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension \$30

W. H. Mitchell
Vocational Officer.

Lahn Pennell

Capt. Howley,
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to J. Pennell, No 1542
the sum of **seven dollars**
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
in connection with re-education.

\$7.00

Pension \$30

W. D. Keckell
Vocational Officer.

John Pennell

JUN 28 1919

Capt. Howley,
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to J. Pennell, No 1542
the sum of **seven dollars**
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
in connection with re-education.

\$7.00

pension \$30.00

W. W. Keckell
Vocational Officer

John Pennell

JUN 7 1919

Capt. Howley,
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to J. Pennell, No 1542
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**
in payment of allowance for week ended this date
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension \$30

Jahn Pennell

W. H. ...
Vocational Officer

1542

July 17th.

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Rte. John Pennell,
Curling, B. of I.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$4.48, being the
balance due you at date of discharge.

Kindly sign the special form attached, and return.

Yours truly,

Licut.
D/Paymaster

E/W.

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1542

April 4th.

7.

Pte. Lehn. Pennell,
Curling, B. of I,

Dear Sir,-

Referring to your letter of February 23rd, I enclose
herewith cheque for \$37.95, being the amount due you as follows:-

Bonus 1 week	\$1.85	\$12.95
Civilian clothes		25.
		<u>\$37.95</u>

Kindly sign the attached voucher in the space pro-
vided for same, and return.

Yours truly,

E-W.

2nd. Lieut. & D/Paymaster.

1542
Dispatching
Office
Stamp.

ST. JOHNS EAST
FEE 6
17
NEWFID

No. 415

From

Registered Letter Addressed—

Arrival
Office
Stamp.

Received by

J. H. H. H. H. H.

John P. ...
...

J. H. H.

February 3rd,

7


1542
Pte. John Pennell,

Curling, B. of I.

Dear Sir,~

I enclose herewith Certificate of Discharge, dated
January 24th 1917, and also Character Certificate No. 12.

Yours very truly,


2nd. Lieut. & D/Paymaster.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland 775
 Regimental No. 1542 Rank Pte Name John Pennell
 Enlisted (a) 11.5.15 Terms of Service (a) War Service reckons from (a) _____
 Date of promotion } _____ Date of appointment } _____ Numerical position on }
 to present rank } _____ to lance rank } _____ roll of N.C.Os. }
 Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., 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	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
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 [Signature]
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 2.12.16

ar Clerk
 CAPTAIN.
 FOR O.I.C INFANTRY RECORDS
 G.H.Q. 3rd 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.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 1042 Rank Pte Name Pennell J.

Enlisted (a) 11.5.15 Terms of Service (a) War Service reckons from (a) _____

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) _____

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Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., 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	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Disembarked		24.16	
29 C.C.S.	Ad. P.M.W. (R) Leg Fracture	France	2.7.16		C.D. 11931
2 G.H.	Inv. to England	St. Marcus	4.7.16		W 3083
None					

A.C. Clerk
Capt
for the Infantry Records
G.H. 3rd Echelon

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