

To 88th Bde.

Ref. your A/102/3/42 of the 23rd inst, I beg to
submit the following.

O-149

Major Bernard M.C.

Present 2nd in Command.

Recommended for 6 months
tour of duty in England.

He

Capt. Raley M.C. Recommended as
2nd in Command

Service

I am willing to accept Capt Raley
as 2nd in Command

Should Major Bernard be ordered home
for a tour of duty in England I request
that Capt Raley be appointed 2nd in Command
of this unit.

Major Daley.

St Boniface College
Warminster

C.R. 0-149
FIELD HALL

ST. JOHN'S
NEWFOUNDLAND

G.S.O.

Mfld. Dep. of Militia

Ref. conversation over the telephone this morning re Pay for "Blue Puttee" Leave. I beg leave to here state my reasons for not wishing to avail myself of the opportunity of leaving the Battalion in France.

My chief reason was that I considered it, at the time, unreasonable for me to leave & that

my duty was clearly with the Batt.
The following facts brought me to
this conclusion.

- i. We had recently got a new
Commanding Officer who nat-
urally needed a staff with
some experience of the Regt.
- ii. At the time I was not only
Adjutant but also acting
Second in Command.
- iii. Four other Captains were going
and most of the senior N.C.O.'s
including the R.S.M.
- iv. The Quarter Master & some of his
Staff had to be replaced

- by quite inexperienced men.
- v. The Orderly Room Staff of N.C.O.'s
was new owing to the O.R.S.
having been attached to the
Q.M. depot.
 - vi. My C.O. did not wish me to go
though he in no way stood
in my way or tried to
persuade me not to.
 - vii. We were liable to go into
action at any moment.

I may add that while
the "Blue Puttees" were away I did ^{not}

avail myself of the opportunity of taking my 14 days leave to England though I had many opportunities both before going into action & during the fighting. I did not take any leave until the Armistice was on the point of being signed & arrived in London on Nov 11th/18.

Under these circumstances I request that my application for "Blue Putta" pay may receive your favourable consideration.

A. Kaleyman

20/5/20

J

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

No. 404/e-149

C.R. 0-149

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

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

February 2nd 1922

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SUBJECT:

MAJOR A. RALEY

REPLY

Dated 21st March, 1922.

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The attached correspondence is, I think, sufficiently explanatory, and I would be glad if you will forward a copy of same to the Army Council, with a request for a refund.

W. G. Russell
 Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

Reference Obverse

The matter was taken up with the War Office and a cheque has to-day been received for £25.13.9. being a refund of cost of Major Raley's passage from Newfoundland to the United Kingdom.

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Edgar R. Bowring

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H/T/

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PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD.

Assembled at St. John's, Newfoundland on MAY 13TH. 1921.

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

(Rank and Name) MAJOR ARTHUR RALEY (Corps) ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND

Age 31 8/12 Service 3 YRS. TERRITORIAL, AND Disability NONE

Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability NONE N.A., DISCHARGED A1.

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

HEIGHT 5' 10 1/2" WEIGHT 152 LBS.

| | | | | |
|--------|---|---------------|-----|---|
| CHEST: | { | EXPANDED | 36" | NO VARICOSE VEINS. HEART AND LUNGS NORMAL |
| | | IN EXPIRATION | 31" | NO HEMORRHOIDS. |
| | | AT UMBILICUS | 29" | ABDOMINAL RINGS FIRM. |

EYESIGHT: 6/6. HEARING: NORMAL.

TEETH: LOWER IN GOOD CONDITION (2 MISSING)
UPPER: GOOD FITTING DENTURE.

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

THAT MAJOR ARTHUR RALEY IS FIT FOR GENERAL SERVICE.

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

SIGNATURES

(SGD) CLUNY MACPHERSON, LIEUT. COL. President.
L. PATERSON, LIEUT. COL.

APPROVED

Members.

404/0-149

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C.R. 0-149

Government House
St. John's
17th May 1922

Dear Colonel Rendell.

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This will be a charge against the Army Council and doubtless arrangements can be made with the High Commissioner for Newfoundland in London for the refunding of the passage money

Yours sincerely

(SGD.) J. HAMILTON
Captain
Private Secretary

Lt.-Col. Rendell, C.B.E.,
Chief Staff Officer
Militia Department

P.S. Thanks for your letter of the 14th instant enclosing proceedings of the medical board.

J.H.

May 20th, 1921

Messrs. Furness Withy & Co., Ltd.,
City.

Dear Sirs:-

I shall be glad if you will arrange for passage by S.S. "Digby" to Liverpool for Major A. Raley, and charge cost of same to this Department.

Yours faithfully,

(SGD.) W.F. RENDELL, Lt.-Col.

Chief Staff Officer

Furness Withy Co.Ltd.
St. John's, Nfld.
May 21st, 1921

Lt.-Cpl. W.F. Rendell,
Chief Staff Officer
Department of Militia.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 20th instant,
we beg to advise that passage has been arranged for Major
A.Raley, and as requested cost of same will be charged to
your Department

Yours faithfully,
FURNESS WITHY & CO.LTD.
(SGD.) J.S. CAREY
MANAGER

May 25th, 1921

Dear Hamilton :

With reference to your letter of May 23rd,
I have made further enquiries concerning the passage for
Major Raley, and I am assured by the Furness Withy Co. that
his passage has been definitely secured by the ss "Digby".

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd.) W.F. RENDELL, Lt.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

Capt. J. Hamilton
Private Secretary
Government House.

June 16th, 1921

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA,
City

In Account with FURNESS WITBY & CO., Limited

To Passage Major Raley per Digby

\$125.00

Certified correct for
\$125.00

(SGD.) W.F. RENDALL, Lt.Col. 16/6/21

RECEIVED PAYMENT
FURNESS WITBY & CO. LTD.
Per A.G.M. (Sgd.)
June 24th, 1921

TO BE RECOVERED FROM WAR OFFICE
R.

*True copy
W.F. Rendall
Lt. Col.*

CR. 0-149

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Government House.

CABLE ADDRESS "FURNESS" ST. JOHN'S.

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GENERAL COMMISSION, INSURANCE
& BUNKERING AGENTS.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

May 21st, 1921.

C.R. 0-149

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Chief Staff Officer,
Department of Militia.
C I T Y.

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FURNESS WITHY & CO. LTD.

J. Healey.
MANAGER.

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
ST. JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

CR O - 149

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Militia Department.

Captain
Private Secretary.

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C.R. 0-149

May 20th, 1921

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Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

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C.R. 0-149

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
ST. JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

23rd May, 1921.

Dear Colonel,

I am in receipt of letter of the 21st instant with reference to a passage for Major Raley by the S.S. "Digby". On receipt of your letter I immediately got into communication with Raley and I enclose a letter from him dated the 22nd inst in which you will see that he himself booked a provisional passage. Perhaps you would speak to Raley and arrange the matter with him.

Supposing that Raley in the ordinary way could not secure a passage ^{on the Digby} owing to a large waiting list could you not use pressure with the Shipping Company to provide this passage as it is evidently essential for Raley to go by the "Digby" *to join up.*

Yours sincerely,

Hamilton.

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

To be returned to Private Secretary
FEILD HALL Government House
ST. JOHN'S.
NEWFOUNDLAND

22nd May 1921.

Dear Hamilton,

Reference attached
memo from C.S.O. I think the
Shipping Company must have
understood from Col. Rendell's
letter to them that a fresh berth
was required on the "Digby".

On March 29th last I
booked my passage for about
June 19th by "Sackem". As soon
as I heard the "Digby" was sailing
about this date I had my name
transferred to the ~~Sackem~~ "Digby".
When I originally booked I asked
if I was well up on the list
and was informed that there

was no fear of my having to go
on the waiting list.

I am very anxious
to go by the Digby as I have
made all arrangements with
this in view. However, under
the circumstances, I think there
must be a misunderstanding
at the Shipping Office.

Yours sincerely
A. Dalrymple

C.R. 0-149

May 21st, 1921

Captain J. Hamilton,
Private Secretary,
Government House.

Dear Hamilton:

In reply to your letter of May 17th, I have had Major Raley's name added to the waiting list of passengers for ss "Digby"

I am informed by the Furness Withy Co. that there is a large waiting list, and possibly Major Raley may not be able to secure passage. However, I have asked the shipping company to arrange for his passage by the following sailing of the "Sachem" if it is not available by the "Digby".

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 0-149

May 14th, 1921

Captain H. Hamilton,
Private Secretary,
Government House.

Dear Sir:-

I am forwarding herewith original and
two copies of proceedings of Medical Board held May 13th
to examine and report on Major Raley's state of health.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer



CR 0-149

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
ST. JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

9th May, 1921.

Dear Colonel Rendell,

I am writing on His Excellency's instructions to ask whether you would be so kind as to arrange for Major Raley's examination by a Medical Board as early as possible and forward the result of this Board to me for transmission in due course to the Army Council.

I would inform you that Major Raley, M.C., late of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment has applied for appointment to a permanent Commission in the Regular Army and the Army Council require the information for which I ask.

Will you please be kind enough to arrange with Major Raley as to the time and place the Medical Board will be held.

Yours sincerely,

J. Hamilton

Captain
Private Secretary.

Lieut. Col. Rendell, C.B.E.,
Chief Staff Officer,
Militia Department.

By at 14-4-17
Ball. 23-5-17

C.R. 0-149

May 10th, 1921

Major

Raley

Dear Sir:-

I have been asked by His Excellency the Governor to arrange for your examination by a Medical Board and forward result to him for despatch to the Army Council. This is in connection with your application for permanent commission the Regular Army.

Arrangements have now been made with a medical board for your examination, and I shall be glad if you will call at room 6, Dept of Militia on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut - Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

C.R. 0-149

May 10th, 1921

Capt. J. Hamilton,
Private Secretary,
Government House.

Dear Hamilton:

In reply to your letter of May the 9th,
I shall be glad if you will inform His Excellency that
I have made arrangements for Major Haley's examination
by a Medical Board within a day or so, and will forward
result of the Board immediately.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

O-seas 3-10-14
B M E S 20-8-15
Sibility trans.
a Raley 27-12-15
B E S 14-3-16
Gas Poisoning
Seasons to Eng. 19-4-17
B E S 5-1-18
Reported for R O.
London for
Senior O Course 11-1-19

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
ST JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

21st Sept: 1920.

URGENT.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to ask if you would be so kind as to let me have, for His Excellency's information, the exact date on which Major Raley left this country in 1914 for service overseas, also the period he served overseas in a theatre of war prior to the Armistice.

Yours faithfully,

Geor Lake

for Private Secretary.

Major J.M.Howley, M.B.E.,
Militia Department.

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September 21st 1920.

Private Secretary
Government House,
City.

Sir:-

I have been requested by Major
Howley to submit to you the following
particulars of services of Major Raley:-

| | |
|--|-----------|
| He proceeded Overseas | 3-10-14. |
| Proceeded for Active Service, Gallipoli. | 20. 8-15. |
| Transferred to Sicily, Debility | 27-12-15. |
| Joined Expeditionary Force in France. | 14- 3-16. |
| Transferred to England, Gas Poisoning. | 19- 4-17. |
| Rejoined 1st Batt. B.E.F. | 5- 1-18. |
| Reported to Pay & Record Office, London, for Senior Officers Course. | 11- 1-19. |

Trusting the above information will
prove satisfactory.

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

Lieut.

CASUALTY OFFICER.

C.R. 0-149

Oct. 1st, 1919

Major A. Raley. M.C.
C o Bishop Field College
CITY

Dear Sir:-

With reference to the matter of the formation of Dominion Guards, I beg to advise you that an answer to our enquiries in this connection has been received from the Chief Staff Officer, London, enclosing copy of letter received by him from the Director of Organization, War Office. I enclose herewith copy of said letter for your information.

Yours faithfully,

Captain

for Chief Staff Officer.

C.F. 0-149

EXTRACT OF MILITIA ORDERS No. 47, dated 1/8/19, by the
Hon. A.E. Hickman, Minister of Militia.

The following ~~NAME~~^{is} retired and placed on the Reserve
List of Officers with effect from date set opposite his
name :-

Major. A. Raley M.C.....29/7/19

RECEIPT.

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I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No _____

Name _____

A. Huley
May 1

Witness _____

Date _____

28/2/20

Place _____

A. J. [Signature]

C.R. 0 - 149

Extract from Militia Orders - No. 46 by Hon. A.E. Hickman
Minister of Militia. June 16th 1919.

PROMOTION:

Capt. A. Raley M.C. to be Major with effect from
Jan. 5th 1919 (London Gazette 7-2-19).

C.R.

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Extract from telegram from Military, St. John's,
to Rurality, London, dated June 7th 1920.

Pay to mother of Major Raley two months' Separation
Allowance.

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RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND OF VICTORY MEDAL/1914-1919.

I certify that I have received an issue of 2 inches
of Riband of British Victory Medal-1914-1919.

DATE. 28/2/20
PLACE.....

NO..... NAME *W. H. H. H. H.*
Major

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

C.R. 0-149

No. 198/0-149

From

MINISTER OF MILITIA,

ST. JOHN'S,

1 August 11th, 1919 NEWFOUNDLAND

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To

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

11158

SUBJECT:

DOMINION GUARDS

REPLY

Dated 11th September, 1919.

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

Kindly ascertain if any decision has been reached with reference to the formation of Dominion Guards; Major Reley intends applying for service with this Unit and would appreciate if the present developments to its standing be advised.

A. E. Heikman

Minister of Militia

Herewith copies of:

1. My letter 10937/233/R.&C. of 2/9/19. *to the war office.*
2. Reply thereto 121/Overseas/7257 (A.G.2.b) of 10/9/19.

for your information, please.

A. E. Heikman

Major,

Chief Staff Officer (London).

D. O. F.

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SEP 1919

- Nos. 001

Card
P&R
H&A
D.P.

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

2nd September, 9.

10937/333/R.&.G.

The Secretary,
War Office,
S.W. 1.

Sir, Dominion Guards

I have the honour to submit the following enquiry which has been received at this Office from the Minister of Militia, St. John's, Newfoundland:

"Kindly ascertain if any decision has been reached with reference to the formation of Dominion Guards; Major Raley intends applying for service with this Unit and would appreciate if the present development as to its standing be advised."

Will you be good enough to furnish me with the information to enable me to reply?

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Major,

Chief Staff Officer (London).

10th September, 1919.

121/Overseas/7257.

(A.G.2.b)

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 10937/233/ R. & C., dated 2nd September, 1919, submitting an enquiry received at your Office from the Minister of Militia, St John's, Newfoundland, regarding the proposed formation of the Dominion Guards Regiment, I am directed to inform you that no definite decision has yet been arrived at.

The whole question of the formation of this Battalion is held in abeyance for the present.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant.

(Sgd) *W. E. Williams Major*
D.A.S.
for Director of Organization.

The Chief Staff Officer (London)
Newfoundland Contingent,
Pay & Record Office
85 Victoria Street
London S.W. 1.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO
DEPARTM'T OF MILITIA
AND QUOTE NO.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

AUGUST 29th 1919.

Major A. Raley, M.C.,
c/o R.R. Wood, Esq.,
Salmon Cove, B de V.

Dear Sir:

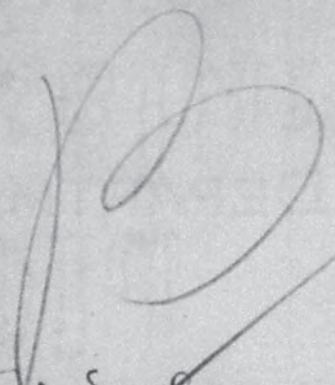
I beg to forward you the enclosed,
which speaks for itself.

Yours faithfully,

G.G. Byrne

Captain,
Military Secretary.

Military Secretary.



Herewith attached cheque + correspondence
returned as verbally requested by C.S.O.

Arthur Meyer

21. 9. '9.

C.R.

0-149

Oct. 1st, 1919

Major A. Raley, M.C.,
C/O Bishop Field College
CITY

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your
memo of 21st Sept. covering cheque and correspondence,
and to state that same has been forwarded to Staff Capt.
Civil Duties, No 3

Yours faithfully,

Captain

for Chief Staff Officer.

Oct. 1st, 1919

Staff Captain
Civil Duties
No 3

Sir:-

With reference to your communication of 22nd
May, A/C/A1884 to the Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Winchester re cheque, I have the honour by direction
to forward you herewith cheque as requested from the
P.R.I., Royal Newfoundland Regiment. Kindly acknowledge
receipt of same at your convenience.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your obedient servant

Captain

for Chief Staff Officer.

Sept.12th 1919.

Major A.Raley, M.C.,
Field Hall,
Military Road.

With reference to our recent conversation, will you please let me have the necessary communication to forward to Staff Captain Civil Duties No.3 Sub-Area.

Lieut.Col.
Chief Staff Officer.

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

8 August 11th. 9

DOMINION GUARDS

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Minister of Militia.

C.R. 0-149

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Royal Newfoundland Regiment.
Depot St. John's dated Aug. 9th 1919.

The following is retired and placed on Reserve List of Officers
from noted date 29-7-19.

Major A.E. Raley, M.C.

(Auth. Militia Orders No. 50).

CR. 0-149

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS DAY RECEIVED
FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND IMPERIAL COMMISSION

SIGNATURE..... *A. Raley*
m a j c

DATE..... *29. 7/19*

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

C.R.

0-149

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

Regimental No.

Name

Address

Present Medical Category

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

Members of Board

O.C. Discharge Depot.

Senior Medical Officer

M.O. Depot

C.R. 0-149

Extract from telegram from Syn., London to Military

Dated July 25th 1919.

Should allotment and Separation Allowance be continued
to dependants of the following. If discharged telegraph
particulars.

Major Kaley.

C.R.

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Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Depot, St. John's,

Date June 7th, 1919.

Major A. Raley, M.C. C.D.G.

Reported at Headquarters 1-6-19.

ex "Corsican"

which sailed Liverpool May 22/1919.

C.R. 0-149

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, Mar. 26th, 1919.

Major A. Raley.M.C.

Left Aldershot 21-3-19, having completed the special
course and proceeded on leave until 15-4-19, Address
9, Campbell Road, Bedford.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM

No. 3511/131/R.&G.

C.R. 0-149

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.
4th March, 1919

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

SUBJECT :

MAJOR A. RALEY, M.C.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated June 11th 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

Following exchange of telegrams is quoted, please:

- Despatched 6/2/19 No. 69.
"War Office- has Gazetted- Capt. Raley- Major- with effect Jan. 5- 1919- at request of- G.H.Q.- France- and-without- reference to- this Office- do you concur- Synoptical."
- Received 21/2/19 (39).
"With ref. to your telegram 6 Feb. Raley- is it intended- that- this- Officer- will be transferred to- Imperial Forces- or- remain with- Nfld Regt.- if the latter- it is- not understood- why- promotion- has been made- without- reference here- in accordance with- W.O.- letter- 3 Aug.- 1918- 121/Overseas/5045 M.S.4.K.- Military."
- Despatched 28/2/19 No. 102.
"With ref. to your telegram-Feb. 20- Major- Raley- War Office- regrets- promotion- was not referred to- you- before- gazetted- await- letter- Synoptical."

This case has been held over until the return of Major Raley and O.C. 1st Battalion and has been looked into pretty thoroughly. Capt. Anderson of your office has also been able to give some information concerning this matter, and it has been decided to gazette Major Raley with effect from Jan. 5th, 1919

Minister of Militia

I enclose copy of my No. 5119/86/R.&G. of 22/2/18 to the Secretary, War Office, together with copy of reply thereto 121/R/1584 (M.S.4.K.504) of 26/2/19 (1720). With regard to the second paragraph of W.O. letter, the facts are these: proof of London Gazette was sent to this Office and Capt. Anderson immediately rang up W.O. Department concerned and was informed that Gazette would be in print the following day, if not already in print, and it was agreed that it was then too late

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to refer the promotion to the Minister of Militia, but if any objection was raised by the latter, necessary steps to annul the notice could subsequently be taken. Capt. Anderson explained to the War Office that they were acting without the concurrence of the Newfoundland Authorities and not in accordance with precedent. In view of War Office letter 121/Overseas/6455 (M.S.4.K) of 13/11/18 forwarded to your Office per this Office No. 19169/618/C of 26/11/18, and which you acknowledged, there was always the possibility of Major Raley's case coming under the terms therein suggested. Under the circumstances, therefore, it is presumed no further action will be necessary on the part of this Office.

Some time ago Major Raley considered transferring to the Indian Army, but he afterwards decided not to do so, and he now informs this office that it is not his present intention to transfer to the Imperial Forces, at least not so long as the Newfoundland Government can find use for his military services. He states that he may apply for a ~~transfer~~ *Commission* later on.

J. B. Anderson

Capt.,

For Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/NV

COPY

WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

26th February, 1919.

121/R/1584

(M.S.4.K.504).

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 22nd February, 1919, No. 3119/86/R.&.C., I am directed to inform you it is regretted that through a misunderstanding, the recommendation for the promotion of Temporary Captain A. Raley, M.C., to be Temporary Major in the 1st Royal Newfoundland Regiment, was not submitted to your Headquarters for approval, as it was understood that this had been done by the Office Commanding, the 1st Battalion, Royal Newfoundland Regiment in France, and in the circumstances it is requested that covering sanction may now be given for this promotion.

When the proof copy for the gazette was forwarded to your Headquarters, an Officer from this Department enquired by telephone whether you wished this promotion withdrawn, and it was understood from your reply that it should be proceeded with.

This officer was promoted in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, and there is no question of his being transferred to the Imperial Army.

I am,

Sir,

— Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) E. BLACKBURN, Captain.
for Lt. Col.,
for Military Secretary.

The O. In Charge of Pay & Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

1720
27/2/19.

3119/86/R.&C.

22nd February, 9.

The Secretary,
War Office,
S.W. 1.

Sir,

Major A. Raley, M.C.

1st Lt. R. M. Raley

Referring to the London Gazette of 7/2/19 (page 1936) under the heading Newfoundland: I beg to quote the following extract of a telegram dated 20/2/19 (39) from the Minister of Militia, St. John's, Newfoundland to this Office:

"With reference to your telegram 6 Feb.- Raley- is
"it intended that- this- officer- will be transferred
"to- Imperial Forces- or- remain with- Newfoundland
"Regt.- if the latter- it is- not understood- why-
"promotion- has been made- without reference- here-
"in accordance with- War Office- letter- 3 August-
"1918- 121/Overseas/5045 (M.S.4.K)-"

With regard to the former portion of the above extract, it is not known in this office if it is Major Raley's intention to be transferred to the Imperial Forces.

Will you please state what reply should be sent to the Minister of Militia?

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Capt..

For Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

HA/NV

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Extract from telegram from Syn. to Mil. dated Feb. 27th., 1919.

With reference your telegram Feby. 20th., Major Raley, War Office regrets promotion was not referred to you before gazetting. Await letter.

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Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office
London, Jan. 13, 1919.

Capt. A. Railey

Reported at the P.&R.O. 11-1-19 and proceeded to Senior Officer
School Lille Mess, Aldershot, same date.

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Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld.
Regt. St. John's, June 20th, 1919.

Capt. A. Raley, M.C.

To be Major with effect from 5-1-19.

C.R. 0-149

Extract from telegram received from Synoptical London,
Dec. 30th, 1918.

Following has been awarded Croix-de-Guerre with

Silver Star;-

Captain Raley.

C.R. 0-149

Extract from O 1/o Records to
O. C. 1st. Bn. Field., Regt.
August 5th 1918.

From O. C.
To C.O.P. & O 1/o Records.

Capt. A. Raley M. C.

is not taking advantage
of Blue Puttee Leave.

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

Sd. T. G. MATHIAS

COMDG. 1st Bn. Field., Regt

C.R. 0-149

Extract of Telegram to Synoptical London dated June 5th 1918.

"With reference to claim for Separation allowance Raley take up with Minister of Militia on arrival."

C.R. 0-149

WAR OFFICE,

LONDON S.W.1

29th MAY 1918.

COPY.

121/R/1211 (M.S.4.k)

Sir.

With reference to your letter of the 11th., April 1918. No. 27328/1918, I am commanded by the Army Council to forward, for information, the attached copy of correspondence from General Headquarters, France, advising that the Field Marshal, Commanding-in-Chief, recommends the promotion of Captain ^{Royal} Raley, M. C., 1st., Newfoundland Regiment.

I am, Etc.,

(Sgd.) B.B.CUBITT.

THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE

COLONIAL OFFICE

S.W.1.

Headquarters
Second Army. (A.M.S)

XV Corps No. A.C. 2762/64;

Your No. 10/95/AMB of 21/4/18

I know this Officer personally and consider him fit for promotion. I suggest that the reply to be sent should ~~be~~ discourage private or political feeling having any influence on Military promotion.

Sgd. ?

Lieut Gen.,
Commanding XV Corps.

16/5/18.

COPY

A.U. 8762/64
15/5/18.
29th Division NO. 51/24

Headquarters
XV Corps

(No date given).

Forwarded

From the forwgoing reports, it appears that Capt. Raley is quite fit for promotion.

Sgd. D. E. CAYLEY

Major General

13/5/18

Commanding 29th., Division.

29th Division A
Report "B"

C. A. 1/1

Forwarded

In my opinion Captain Raley is a capable regimental Officer with considerable executive ability, and a keen sense of duty

Sd. B. Freyberg
Brig. General

10/5/18.

Commanding 22th Inf. Bde

To 88th BDE.
Herewith
Sd. Lieut. Col.
J. Woodruffe
Commanding Ist., Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regiment.
7/5/18
88th. Infantry Brigade.

Reference report called for on Capt. Raley altogether
The Governor of Newfoundland's ^{telegram} letter is not ~~clear~~ understood.

It would appear to be an insinuation against this Officers' conduct in face of the enemy.

Obviously I am unable to discuss the feelings of the juniors in regard to this Officer, who is now second senior Officer of the Regiment and A/Adjt., but I have always known that he is not popular with his juniors.

I can only state my own experience of this Officer.

Capt. Raley has been with me ^{in the} "Passchendaele" sector and at one period was O.C. Goudberg defences, when he came under my personal observation.

He always showed a keen sense of duty and contempt ~~of~~ personal danger in what at that time was the most dangerous and difficult sector in the British line. Capt. Raley was attached to the 88th. Bde. Staff in the recent operations near Naerpe until 13th. April, when my Adjutant was wounded, and he returned to the Regiment as Acting Adjutant.

During a very trying time including three intense bombardments, this Officer's conduct was all that could be desired.

During temporary absence to the Divisional Wing of Major Bernard for ill health in February and March, Capt. Raley performed the duty of 2nd. in command for the period of 5 or 6 weeks to my satisfaction ^{and} as ~~the~~ provisional ^{was} establishments contained in G.H.Q., letter # B/1919 of 26/2/18 allow ^{two} to Majors. Capt. Raley's name was submitted for promotion, he being next senior.

There can be no question of Capt. Raley's efficiency and he has done much for the Regiment.

He gave up his promotion in the Indian army to return to the Regiment owing to heavy casualties sustained among the Officers and in recent operations when asked to send him to take temporary command of another Regt. I refused as at that time I could not spare his services. He has done much for the Regt. ^{and} as Acting Adjutant to the Regiment in G. H. Q., troops he will be difficult to replace.

SD. J. WOODRUFFE

LIEUT. COL.,

7/5/18.

COMMANDING Ist., BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Reference attached correspondence and your report.
The question raised by the Governor of Newfoundland
is whether Captain Raley has the confidence of the
Officers and men.

Will you please forward a report on this ~~same~~ point
through your late brigade headquarters, for G.O.C.
88th., Brigade to record his opinion thereon.
Correspondence to be returned.

Sd. R. A. CREWFORD.

Lieut. Col.,

A.S. & Q.M.S. 29th Division.

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30/4/18.

1st. Bn. The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I consider Capt Raley is an extremely efficient Officer both from a Regimental and Staff point of view, quick, clear, slighted, hardworking, and reliable.

This Officer has just been through a very trying time and in my opinion is not at present fit for hard work until he has had a rest but I feel confident that after such rest he will be fitted to perform any duty either regimental or staff.

Sd. J. WOODRUFFE

LIEUT. COL.,

24/4/18

COMMANDING 1st BATTALION ROYAL Nfld., REGT.,

(INITIAL OF CAPTAIN RALEY, M. C., (A. R.))

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Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal
Nfld. Rgt. Brance, dated 13-6-18.

Capt. A. Raley.

App. Adjutant, 14-4-18.

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FORM NO. 10



NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 16 Sent by London Rec'd by Govt Check 14 No. 143

Place from London

To Ministry of Militia
St Johns

MAR 4-1918

Recommend Capt
A Raley for promotion
to major.

~~Not approved~~ Comdg Newfoundland

~~EX 119~~
Mo. 118

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Copy of telegram received from London dated
March 4th, 1918.

Recommended Captain, A. Baley, for promotion
to Major.

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 147.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS,
and the following No. quoted :

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N. F. P/38A.

DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 2114/95/P&A

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

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

FM/WF 8th, February 1918

SUBJECT :

CAPT. A. RALEY,
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated November 2nd, 1918 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

The enclosed claim and the following letter are submitted for your consideration,-

" 9, Campbell Road,
" Bedford,
" 6/2/18.

"Dear Major Timewell,-
"I have returned to your office
"to-day the paper re. Separation
"Allowance you will see that I
"have an allowance of £120-0-0.
"per annum. This is entirely
"voluntary and could be discontinued
"any time. I thought perhaps I
"had better explain that to you.
" (Sd) V. S. Raley."

"Capt. Raley has an allotment
"of £1.50 per day in favour of
"his mother since 10/6/16.

V. S. Raley
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c. Records.

Issue of Separation Allowance to Mrs Raley has been approved. Payments will commence September 1st, 1918.

It seems desirable to record the reasons for this decision, in view of the fact that Capt. Raley did not contribute to his mother's support immediately prior to his enlistment.

They are as follows:-

- (1) He is the only son of a widowed mother.
- (2) The contribution of the two stepsons is purely voluntary, and may be discontinued at any time, in which event she would be solely dependent on Capt. Raley.
- (3) He has acknowledged her dependence on him by declaring an allotment in her favour.
- (4) The fact of his not contributing before he enlisted, may be considered to be due to the fact that he was not in a position to do so.

Minister of Milit:

**DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY**

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Posted 22 FEB 1918

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N.F.P./87.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

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 by virtue of the Provisions of Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62, and the form is to be signed before a Magistrate of your District, and returned to

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

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|---|----------------------------------|---|---|
| 1. Name in full of Soldier | Rank | Regiment or Unit | Regtl No. |
| Arthur Raley | Capt | Newfoundland Regiment | |
| 2. Age of Soldier: 28 | Married or Single: Single | | |
| 3. Name in full of Mother of Soldier: | Age | Occupation | Permanent Address |
| Victoria, Louisa Raley | 64 | | 9, Campbell Road Bedford |
| 4. If your husband is alive state: Name in full | Age | Occupation | Where Employed |
| George Jackson Raley | | | |
| 5. If your husband is alive and is not supporting you, state reason. | | | |
| 6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady, which must be supported by a medical certificate, and enclosed with this document. | | | |
| 7. If a widow state date and place of death of your husband. | | August 17th 1897 Barusley, Yorkshire | |
| 8. Names of your other children | Age | Occupation | Addresses in full |
| Anne Louise Raley | 30 | Teacher | 12 Tower Road Dartford, Kent. |
| Lucy Raley | 27 | Teacher | Winchester House St. Leonards on Lee |
| 9. State amount earned by (a) you (b) your husband | | (a) (b) | |

| | |
|--|---|
| 10. State amount and source of any other income, such as Old Age Pension, National Relief Fund, Pension from any Authority, Interest, Dividend, etc. | £120, annually allowance from Stepsons |
| 11. Are you in receipt of Separation Allowance from the British Government, if so, how much? | Not any |
| 12. Actual amount contributed by Soldier prior to enlistment. | Nothing |
| 13. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly? | |
| 14. Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc. | |
| 15. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. | Assistant School Master |
| 16. State amount of his wages. | I do not know except that it was a small salary |
| 17. State name and address of his last employer. | R.R. Wood, Esq, Bishop Field College, St. John's, Newfoundland. |
| 18. State amount of support monthly from son since enlistment. | £8:12:7 |
| 19. Actual amount contributed by other children weekly or monthly. | Nothing |
| 20. If not receiving support from other children state the cause. (Marriage of sons cannot be regarded as a valid reason for non-support.) | Salaries insufficient for contribution |

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62.

Signature Victoria Louisa Raley

Place of Residence 9, Campbell Road, Bedford

Declared and subscribed before me at Bedford

this 6th day of February 1918

Signature of the Magistrate F. A. Horkliffe.

Place or County for which he acts Bedford

Court Seal.

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Extract from telegram from Syn. to Mil. dated Feb. 6th., 1919

War Office has gazetted Captain Raley Major
with effect from Jan. 5th., 1919 at request
of Gen. H.Q. France and without ^{reference}~~experience~~
to this Office. Do you concur.

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, by Lieut.Col. C.W. Whitaker, Commanding 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment, dated December 13, 1917.

The following Officer will join the B.E.F. on January 5th, before 10 a.m., and if passing through London, to travel by train leaving Victoria Station at 7:35 on that date.

Captain A. Raley.

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Extract of Daily Ordes part 11, by C.W. Whit ker,
Commanding 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment, dated
7/12/17.

The following Officer are struck off the strength
of the Battalion from this date

Captain A. Raley,

transferred to the Indian Army.

Military Cross.

Capt. A. Rayely

Date of award 9/16.

Authority Daily Orders 1st Bn.

Reference London Gazette 17/4/17

"For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty he organised and gallantly led a bombing attack driving the enemy back at a critical. He set a splendid example of courage and initiative."

88 Brigade Lists

"This officer was in command of his platoon on March 3/17 situated about the centre of Palz trench. At about 8.15 a.m. the enemy attacked at the right of the trench drove in the posts at the right and got into Palz Trench up as far as the communication trench. Without orders and without any hesitation Lt. Byrne arranged the bombing counter attack supported by a squad of rifle grenadiers. He personally led the attack up the trench which was knee deep in mud drove the enemy out of our trench and followed them into theirs. He chose a good sight for a new block about 40 yards in advance of the old one and put a little wire around it. The whole thing took place under very heavy shell and rifle fire as well as bombs. He showed a fine example to his men and plenty of initiative."

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Extract from Casualties received from P.&.R. Office,
London, April 28th, 1917.

1st. Nfld. Regt.

Capt. H. Raley,

Wounded and Gas, 14-4-17. Authy; -O.C. Bn. 15-4-17. Pre.Rep.N.

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W.S.A.
8-2-17

Colonel Sir G. E. Davidson K.C.M.G.

C.R. 0-149

Sir,

I beg to thank you for your kind congratulations to me on my being presented with the Military Cross.

The Regiment is still keeping up its reputation and as long as we get such men as we have done lately the honour of the Regiment is in safe keeping.

It is sad, though grand, to think of the past. I have lost many dear friends since we landed at Suva. At present I am the only officer left that saw with the unit that landed in Suva and has seen all the fighting in France. We have lost a tower of strength in Col. Hadow going sick.

I have the honour to be Sir
Your most obedient servant
Arthur Kelly

20.1.17.

Code Telegram to Major Timewell.

(sent 3 January 1917.)

Following for Officer Commanding Battalion:

Congratulations from Colonel and Officers to
Captains Raley and Howell.

Governor.

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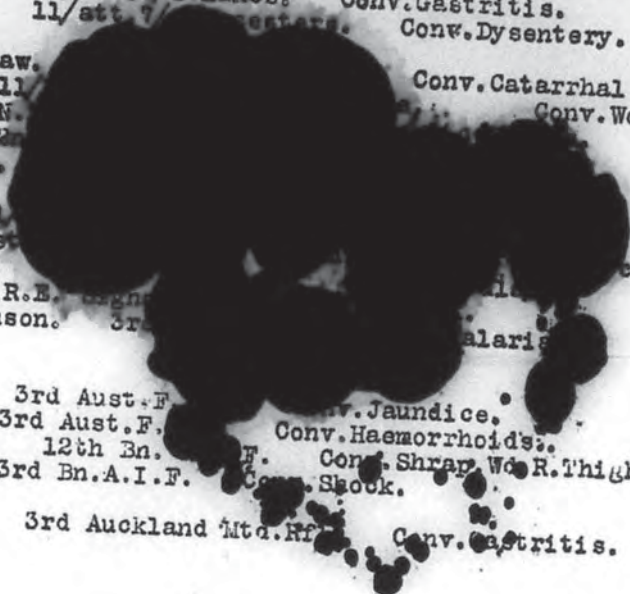
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HOSPITAL LIST.

No. H. 5245.

O.C., Convalescent Officers' Hospital at Palermo, reports 20th January, 1916.
TRANSFERRED to Malta via Naples fit for active service 19th January, 1916.

- Capt. A. Butterworth. 10th Manchesters. Conv. Malaria.
- 2/Lt. H. Jennison. 14/W. Yorks. att. 1/Essex. Conv. Shrap. Thigh.
- 2/Lt. R. Fulton. 5/R. Scots. Fuers. Conv. G.S.W. Neck.
- 2/Lt. A.M. Foulds. 10/att. 6/8. Lancs. Conv. Gastritis.
- 2/Lt. R.E. Kimber. 11/att. 7/8. Lancs. Conv. Dysentery.
- 2/Lt. I.C. Walkinshaw. Conv. Catarrhal Jaundice.
- 2/Lt. R.C. Bell. 11/att. 1/2. Conv. Wound. Back.
- Capt. W. Ruston. N. Conv. Wound. Back.
- 2/Lt. R. Wood. 1/2. Conv. Wound. Back.
- 2/Lt. F.R. Wilgress. Conv. Wound. Back.
- 2/Lt. A. McLean. Conv. Wound. Back.
- Capt. E. Raley. 1st. Conv. Wound. Back.
- 2/Lt. H.N. Robinson. Conv. Wound. Back.
- 2/Lt. J.J. Munro. R.E. Conv. Wound. Back.
- Capt. A.J.S. Hutchinson. 3rd. Conv. Wound. Back.
- Lieut. R.K. Pybus. 3rd Aust. F. Conv. Jaundice.
- Lieut. H.B. Hare. 3rd Aust. F. Conv. Haemorrhoids.
- 2/Lt. C. Richardson. 12th Bn. F. Conv. Shrap. Wd. R. Thigh.
- 2/Lt. D.H. Ross. 23rd Bn. A.I.F. Conv. Shock.
- 2/Lt. C.T. Coburne. 3rd Auckland Mtd. Bn. Conv. Gastritis.



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War Office,

26th January, 1916.

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MEDITERRANEAN FORCE CASUALTIES.

No. M. 19196.

Telegram from G.O.C., Malta dated 24th January, 1916. (No.A.148 received 24th January, 1916.).

Following left Malta on Active Service.

X
Capt. A. Raley New Zealand Regt.
Capt. A.J. 1st Light Horse Bde. 3rd Regt.
Capt. W. 2nd New Zealand
Capt. A. 1st New Zealand
Lieut. R.K. Pybus Australian Artillery
Lieut. H.B. Hare 3rd
2/Lt. H. Jennison 1st W. Yorks. Regt. att. 1st Bn. Essex Regt.
2/Lt. C.T. Cobourne 3rd Auckland Mtd. Rifles.
2/Lt. R. Wood 2nd Lovat's Scouts.
2/Lt. F.R. Wilgross 1st Lovat's Scouts.

War Office,

25th January, 1916.

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HOSPITAL LIST.

No. H. 5707.

O.C., Military Hospital, Tigne, Malta, reports 2nd February, 1916.

ADMITTED from H.T. "Peregrine" 1st February, 1916.

Lieut. S. Doraismy. Indian Medical Service. Bronchitis. (Conval.)

O.C., All Saints' Convalescent Camp, Malta, reports 25th January, 1916.

DISCHARGED to Active Service per H.T. "Benie" 24th January, 1916.

Capt. A. J. S. Hutchinson. 5/A.L.H.
Capt. A. Butterworth. 10/Manch Regt.
Capt. H. P. Hare. A.F.A. 1. Brigade.
Capt. A. Raby. 1. Newfoundlands.
Capt. W. Ruston. R.N.D.H.

Lieut. R. K. Pybus. 3.A.F.A.
Lieut. C. T. Coburne. 3.W.2.M.R.
2/Lt. H. Jenninson. 14. West Yorks.
2/Lt. R. O. Wood. 1/2. Lovat's Scouts.
2/Lt. R. Witgress. 1/1 Lovat's Scouts.

O.C., All Saints' Convalescent Camp Pembroke, Malta, reports
27th January, 1916.

DISCHARGED to Active Service per H.T. "Bornu" 26th January, 1916.

2/Lt. C. M. Richardson. 12.A.I.F.
2/Lt. D. H. F. Ross. 23.A.I.F.
2/Lt. A. M. Foulds. 10.S. Lancers.
2/Lt. I. C. Walkinshaw. 2/3 London Regt.
2/Lt. R. Fulton. 5.R. Scots. Fusrs.

2/Lt. H. W. Robinson. R.F.A. 55. Bde. Amm. Colm.
2/Lt. R. E. Kimber. 7. Glos. Regt.
2/Lt. A. H. MacLean. 1. Scot Horse.

O.C., Officers Convalescent Hospital, Verdala Pal, reports 2nd February,
1916.

TRANSFERRED to Florence per H. Yt. "Grenais" 1st February, 1916.

2/Lt. H. G. Barwick. 10th Leicesters. Sick.

TRANSFERRED from Military Hospital, Imtarfa, 1st February, 1916.

2/Lt. A. W. La Vierge. A.S.C. Sick Conv.

War Office,

9th February, 1916.

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CHANGE of ADDRESS reported by

Mrs. V. L. Raley,
9, Campbell Road,
Bedford.



Captain A. Raley

Transferred to:
British Hospital,
Palermo.





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Extract from Casualties dated Jan. 20th 1918 List No H.503

Discharged to H.Y. "Granaig" for Sicily, 26th December 1915.

Capt. A. Raley,

Debility Slight.

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HOSPITAL LIST

No. H.4266

O.C. ROYAL NAVAL HOSPITAL, MALTA reports 12th December, 1915.

Admitted R.N.D. Officers, 11th December, 1915, 1915.

- Pl. Com. Morgan, C. Murphy. R.N.A.S. 2nd Wing. Gastritis (serious) S.S.
- Lieut. Bernard A. Isaac. R.N.A.S. 3rd Wing. Dental Caries & Debility (slight) S. R.N.V.R.

O.C. ROYAL NAVAL HOSPITAL, MALTA, reports 13th December, 1915.

Admitted R.N.D. Officer, 12th December, 1915.

- Lieut. Benjamin H.L.H. Hamilton R.N.A.S. Hd. Qrs. Jaundice slt. R.N.V.R. Imbros.

O.C. MILITARY HOSPITAL, COTTONERA, MALTA reports 13th December, 1915.

Transferred to Villa Medici Florence, Italy. 12th December, 1915.

- Major R.A. Row. Canterbury Inftry N.Z. Forces. Jaundice (Cat) slt.
- Lieut. G.W. McQueen. 14th A.I.F. Jaundice (Cat) Slt.

O.C. MILITARY HOSPITAL, COTTONERA, MALTA reports 14th December, 1915.

Admitted from H.S. "Assaye" 13th December, 1915.

- Capt. A. Raley. 1/Newfoundland Cbntg. Eczema slt.
- 2/Lieut. I.C. Walkinshaw 2/3rd London Regiment, (R.F.) Icterus slt.
- 2/Lieut. G.M. Creasey. 10th Norfolk Regt. att. 1/R.Muns.Fus. Debility slt.
- 2/Lieut. S.O. Pacey. 6/E.Lancs Rgt. Jaundice slt.
- 2/Lieut. D. Thomas 1/4th Welsh Regt. Jaundice slt.
- 2/Lieut. A. McLean. 1/3rd Scottish Horse. Paratyphoid slt.
- 2/Lieut. H.N. Procter. 14/W. York Regt. Frost bite feet and debility slt.
- 2/Lieut. V.S. James. 1/7th R. Welsh Fusrs. Debility slt.

O.C. MILITARY HOSPITAL, HAMRUN, MALTA reports 13th December, 1915.

Transferred to San Antonio Palace (Hospital) 12th December, 1915.

- It. Col. C.S. Rome. 11th Hussars att. 1/6th R. Welsh Rgt. Trench Feet.

NEW ZEALAND CONTINGENT

- Lieut. R.V. Wrightson. Wellington Regt. N.Z.E.F. Pyrexia.

War Office,
21st December, 1915.



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MEDITERRANEAN FORCE CASUALTIES.

No. M 16064.

Telegram from G.O.C., Malta, dated 16th December, 1915.

(No. W.B. 3802). Received 17th December, 1915.

Names of Officers Sick and Wounded disembarked at Malta from
Hospital Ship "Assaye" 13th December, 1915.

Severely Wounded.

2/Lt. J. Powell. 4th Worcestershire Regt. attd. from G.S.W. Thigh.
6th Worco. Regt.

Sick. Severe.

Lieut. S. Dixon. 9th att. from 12th R. Warwick. R. Frostbite &
and Trench Feet.
Capt. G. Osborne. Fifeshire & Forfarshire Yeo. -do-

Slightly Wounded.

Lieut. D. Bell. 71. Field Coy. R.E. G.S.W. Buttock.
Lt. Col. G. Paske. 3rd Res. Bn. Oxford. L. Infy. } G.S.W. Leg.
A.P.M. Headquarters. 11/Div. }

Sick. Slight.

T/Capt. J. Wand. 7th Dragoon Gds. Cathartic Paratyphoid.
Brig. Major M. Lindsay. Highland. Mtd. Bde. Pleurisy.
2/Lt. C. Borthwick. R.F.A. 58/Bde.
2/Lt. G. Creasey. 1st Ry. Munster Fusers. attd. Debility.
from 10/Worfolk R.
2/Lt. H. Proctor. 6th E. Yorkshire Regt. Frostbite.
att. from 14/W. Yorkshire R.
2/Lt. V. James. 7th att. from 12th R. Welsh Fus. Debility.
2/Lt. C. Cracroft Wilson. 4/S. Wales Bdrs. Jaundice. Rheumatism.
2/Lt. S. Pacey. 6th att. from 9/E. Lancs. Regt. Jaundice.
2/Lt. G. Hughes. 5th att. from 7/Dorset. Regt. N.Y.D. Paratyphoid.
2/Lt. B. Newton. 5th att. from 8th) Frostbite.
Wiltshire Regt.)
T/Lieut. S. Morris. 14th Cas. Clg. Stn. Paratyphoid.
2/Lt. A. McLean. 3rd Scottish Horse Yeo. N.Y.D. Paratyphoid.
Capt. J. Hurchinson. R.G.A. Ross Mountain Bty. Jaundice.
Capt. J. Dunn. 2nd Sth. Midland. (T) Div. Pd. Amb. Acute Lumbago.
2/Lt. D. Thomas. 4th Welsh Regt. Jaundice.
Capt. W. Ruston. Ryl. North Devon Yeo. Abrasion of Arms.
2/Lt. I. Walkinshaw. 2/3rd City of Lon. Regt. Jaundice.
Lieut. I. Peyton. 2nd Mounted Div.) Jaundice.
A.D.C. to G.O.C.)
Capt. A. Raley. Newfoundland Regt. Impetigo. ✓

War Office,

17th December, 1915.

C.R. 0-149

Extract from Nominal Roll 1st Batta. Rifle. Regt. Embarked
at Devonport for Active Service 20-8-15

20-8-15

Capt. A. Raley

Disembarked Alexandria 31-8-15 proceeded to Abbassia, Cairo
same date, Embarked Alexandria for Gallipoli 13-9-15.

C.R. 0-14

PROMOTION.

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

LIEUT. A. RALEY,
TO BE CAPTAIN.

THE ABOVE COMMISSION TO DATE FROM JULY 28, 1915

Extract from Hospital List No. H. 4641 (Contd.)Trans. from Cottonera Hospital, Malta per H.Y. "Grianaig" 27/12/15.

2nd Lieut, I. C. Walkinshaw. 2/3rd London Regt. Conv. Jaundice.

Trans. from Blue Sisters Hospl. Malta per H.Y. "Grianaig" 27/12/15.

Lieut. S. G. Marlow. 1/4th Northants. Conv. Dysentery.

2nd Lieut. E. F. Iapraik. 2/10 Middlesex. Conv. Debility.

2nd Lieut. W. H. Watts. 7th Gloucester Regt. Conv. Exposure.

Trans. from Tigni Hospital, Malta per H.Y. "Grianaig" 27/12/15.

2nd Lieut. P. Dealtry. 1/5th R.W. Fusers. Conv. Bronchitis.

Capt. Kershaw. 1/9th Manchester Regt. Conv. Influenza.

Transferred from Cottonera Hospl. Malta per H.Y. "Grianaig" 27/12/15.

2nd Lieut. A. McLean. 1/3rd Scot. Horse. Conv. Dilated Stomach.

Trans. from Blue Sisters Hospl. Malta per H.Y. "Grainaig" 27/12/15.

2nd Lieut. K. S. Kirton. West Somers. Yeom. Conv. Rheumatism.

Trans. from St. Andrews Hospl. Malta per H.Y. "Grianaig" 27/12/15.

2nd Lieut. E. Churchill. 1st Newfoundland Regt. Conv. Jaundice.

Trans. from Cottonera Hospl. Malta per H.Y. "Grianaig" 27/12/15.Capt. ^{Raley} ~~Ray~~. 1st Newfoundland Regt. Conv. Debility.Transferred from Blue Sisters Hospl. Malta per H.Y. "Grainaig" 27/12/15

Capt. E. J. Donaldson. 1th Garr. Norfolk Regt. Conv. Gastritis.

Capt. G. T. Carty. 1st Newfoundland Regt. Conv. Jaundice.

Trans. from Bighi Hosp. Malta per H.Y. "Grianaig" 27/12/15.

Capt. Beatty. H. Q. S. (Prov. Mar.) Conv. Rheum. Gas. Jaun.

Trans. from Cottonera Hosp. Malta per H.Y. "Grianaig" 27/12/15.

2nd Lieut. H. Robinson. R. F. A. 55/D. A. C. Conv. Piles.

Trans. from Blue Sisters Hospl. Malta per H.Y. "Grianaig" 27/12/15.

2nd Lieut. L. Geraty. R. A. M. C. att. 9th Warwicks. Conv. Rheum.

2nd Lieut. G. W. Dodds. R. E. 72nd Fld. Coy. Conv. G. S. W. L. Arm.

Trans. from Bighi Hospl. Malta per H.Y. "Grianaig" 27/12/15.

Lieut. Haddick. Indian B. & T. Conv. Neuritis & Jaundice.

Capt. Jarvis. 2/10 Middx. R. Conv. Wd. Foot.

War Office

4th January, 1916.

C.R.

0-149

APPOINTMENTS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR HAS BEEN PLEASED
TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS.

A. RALEY, ESQ.,

TO BE LIEUTENANT.

THE ABOVE COMMISSION TO DATE FROM SEPT 24, 1914.

No. 14109

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./55.

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

To:

Captain A. Paley.
1st Batt Royal Newfoundland Regt.
B & F
Stance

September 3 1918.

Reference

N.F.P. 58

Herewith

1 Book N.F.P. 58 No 2826 to 2850 as per your request.

31/8/18.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon

(Sig.)

A. Paley

(Date)

5.9.18

A. A. Minahan
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

POST CARD

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE



Major. J. G. A. Simnewell

58 Victoria St

S.W.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS:
"GOKIA," LONDON.

Capt Raley

108-111, St. Martin's Lane,
London. (DATE AS POSTED)

9647

NOV 1918

COX'S SHIPPING AGENCY, Ltd., beg to advise

the despatch by *Carrier* of 1 package

received from British Expeditionary Force.

~~In the event of delay in delivery please apply to~~ *Station Master*
~~Goods Agent.~~

Our charges and rail Folkestone/London *4/5* will be collected
on delivery, ~~plus carriage to address.~~

Captain A Gaby C.R. 0149

~~1120~~



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Arthur Raley Lt., Regl. No. _____, hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form, to make an Allotment of One Dollar and _____ 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). |
|--------------------------|---|---------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 463. | | Another V. L. Raley | 9 Campbell Road Beauford | \$1 00 |
| CANCELLED | | | | |
| 9/6/16 See No 117 | | | | |
| Commence from 10 July/15 | | | | |
| | | | | Total Allotment. \$ |



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.) A. Raley
H. A. Co.
 Officer Commanding
 Company

(Sig.) Arthur Raley
 (Rank) Lieut

2/7/15

DUPLICATE

N.F.P/L ALLOTMENTS

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) _____ (Rank) Captain (Name) Arthur Baly
hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on
N.F.P.No 49 dated 10/7/16 in favour
of Mrs V. L. Baly for £ One etc. —
per diem. Such cancellation to take place from (inclusive)
the 9th day of June 1916.

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

Dated at London

17/5/16 1916

per Letter 15/5/16.

Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

A. A. D. [Signature]

O.C. "Company."
PAYMASTER/OFFICER/RECORDS.

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

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

Copy
N.F.P./I ALLOTMENTS

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) _____ (Rank) Captain (Name) Arthur Raley
hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on
U.S.R.N. No. 49 dated 10/7/16 in favour
of Mrs V. L. Raley for \$ Quots _____
per diem. Such cancellation to take place from (inclusive)
the 9th day of June 1916.

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Dated at London
17/5/16 191

per Letter 15/5/16.
Alloter.

Approved and Witnessed.
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

[Signature]
O.C. "Company."
PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS

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Copy

FORM K.

No. 117

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

ALLOTMENTS.

I, Arthur Haley (Captain) _____ Regt. No. _____

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

| Identity Certif. No. | Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend. | NAME (in full) | ADDRESS. | AMOUNT (each person) |
|----------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| | <i>Mother</i> | <i>A. T. Haley</i> | <i>9 Campbell Road Belfast.</i> | <i>1-50</i> |

This Allotment to Commence from (inclusive) 10/6/16. 191

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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

(Sig.) *A. T. Haley*
PAYMASTER AND OFFICER Commanding Company.

(Sig.) *per Letter 15/5/16*

London

17/5/16. 191 (Rank) _____

No. _____

Army Form B. 104-80A.

(If replying, please quote
above No.)

_____ Record Office,

_____ Station.

Dec. 20 1915.

Sir, *Mesam*

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the War Office to the effect that (No.) _____

(Rank) Capt. (Name) A. Raley.

(Regiment) 1/1 Newfoundland. is ill at Malta suffering

from Impetigo (slight)

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

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

*Mr Raley
Campbell Rd
Bedford*

Officer-in-charge of Records.

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H 50 P.M.

Nos. X. 44000. & X. 44001.

No. X. 44000.

Telegram from D.D.M.S., Boulogne, dated 19th April, 1917. (H.S. 198).

Sailing of H.S. "St. Patrick" & "St. Denis" with following officers:-

Lt. Col. T. V. Anderson. Can. Engrs. 3rd Div.
Capt. L. M. Calvert. 2/9th London. att. 175 T.M.B.
Capt. R. E. C. Carolin. 1st Essex.
Capt. A. L. C. Cavendish. 1st Rif. Bde.
Capt. C. E. Gosling. 10th Hussars.

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Capt. J. E. B. Houston. 8th Hussars.
Capt. F. S. Jenkinson. 1st R. Irish Fusrs.
Capt. J. R. Kemp. R.A.M.C. 19th Essex.
Capt. M. C. Muir. 5th Camerons.
Capt. C. R. B. Pridham. 8th Devons.

~~Capt. A. Relay. 1st Newfound.
Capt. A. J. Simpson. 13th R. Scots.
Capt. E. J. Smith. 10th W. Yorks.
Capt. A. M. Wynne. R.F.C. 15 Sqd.
Lieut. C. Curtis. R.F.C. 13 Sqd.~~

Lieut. S. K. Lipscomb. 7/R. Berks att. 45th M.G.C.
Lieut. S. Macaskie. 5th M.G.C.
Lieut. H. C. Murray. 7th Canadians.
Lieut. C. G. Ommeney. 7th K.R.R.
Lieut. W. S. Ronaldson. R.H.A. 6 Gun.

Lieut. A. W. T. Sinclair. 15th Canadians.
Lieut. F. W. Tee. 6th Durh. L.I.
Lieut. V. F. Ward. 2nd R. Sussex.
Lieut. S. B. Wood. Q.O.O.H.
2/Lieut. V. O. Bisset. R.F.A. 2/51 T.M.B.

2/Lieut. W. Bridgman. 1st Rifle Bde.
2/Lieut. A. V. Davies. 5th North'd Fus.
2/Lieut. H. M. Foot. 8/19th Manchesters.
2/Lieut. A. Macdonald. 1/6th Seaforths.
2/Lieut. R. A. Maloney. 6th Dorsets.

2/Lieut. J. Paton. 15th R. Scots.
2/Lieut. W. D. Pearson. 13th R. Fusrs.
2/Lieut. N. H. Wardlow. 13th Rif. Bde.
2/Lieut. T. L. Weir. 11th Arg. & Suth. Hrs.
2/Lieut. A. G. Widdicombe. 3rd Sherwood att. 110 M.G.C.

Jan 6. 6

Mrs. Raley Campbell Rd Bedford
England.

Madam:

A report has to-day
been received from the
War Office to the effect
that Capt. A. Raley of
the Newfoundland Contingent
~~has~~ was transferred to the
"Convalescent Officers Hospital,
Palermo, Sicily" on Dec. 27,
1915. His state was
then declared to be "Conval-
-escent debiliti."

I am,

Madam

Your obedient servant,

J. A. Anderson
for

Jan. 27. 6.

Mrs. Raley, Campbell Rd. Bedford

Madam.

Advice has reached
this office that Capt. Raley
left Malta on Active Service
on Jan. 24th.

For
J. A. Anderson

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message

| | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------|----|----------|--------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|--|
| Prefix _____ | Code _____ | m. | Words | Charge | : This message is on a/c of: | Recd. at _____ | mf. | |
| Office of Origin and Service Instructions. | | | Sent | | | : _____ Service. | Date _____ | |
| | | | At _____ | m. | From _____ | | | |
| | | | To _____ | t | By _____ | | | |
| | | | By _____ | | (Signature of "Franking Officer.") | | | |

TO { **Mrs.**
9 **Raley**
Campbell **Road**

* Sender's Number **76** Day **10/4/17** In reply to Number **AAA**

Captain Raley admitted seventh
Stationary Hospital Boulogne seventeenth April
not serious

Synoptical.

| | | | |
|-------|--|--|--|
| From | | | |
| Place | | | |
| Time | | | |

The above may be forwarded as now corrected.

(Z)

Censor.

Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name

* This line should be erased if not required.

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Arthur Raley, Lt.

one 1 —

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Mother V. Raley

9 Campbell Road

Beaford #1 00

Commence from 10th July 1915



CANCELLED.

Arthur Raley
Lt. R. A. C.

Arthur Raley
Lieutenant

Applications Comp.

2/7

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FORM C

To be used by the Quartermaster's Department for part issues to recruits.



No. 411

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

KIT AND EQUIPMENT ISSUE

Issued to A. Raley

Regimental No.

NOTE—Articles not in Stock to be Stamped "PENDING"

| Item No. | Articles | Quantity | Issued Stamp | Item No. | Articles | Quantity | Issued Stamp |
|----------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------|----------|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| 1 | Braces | Pairs | 1 | 26 | Knife | Clasp | 1 |
| 2 | Boots | " | 1 | 27 | Mug | | 1 |
| 3 | Boot Laces | " | 1 | 28 | Plate | | 1 |
| 4 | Brush | Hair | 1 | 29 | Spoon | | 1 |
| 5 | Brush | Tooth | 1 | 30 | Bandolier | | 1 |
| 6 | Brush | Clothes | 1 | 31 | Belt | | 1 |
| 7 | Blankets | | 2 | 32 | Haversack | | 1 |
| 8 | Cap | Service | 1 | 33 | Identification Badge | | 1 |
| 1 | 9 | Cap | Sleeping | 1 | 34 | Pull-through | 1 |
| 1 | 10 | Cholera Belt | | 1 | 35 | Rifle | 1 |
| 2 | 11 | Drawers | Pairs | 2 | 36 | Side Arms | 1 |
| 12 | Great Coat | | 1 | 37 | Water Bottle | | 1 |
| 13 | Hat or Helmet | | 1 | 38 | Trenching Tools | | |
| 14 | Housewife | | 1 | 39 | Dubbin | Tin | 1 |
| 1 | 15 | Kit Bag | | 1 | 40 | Vaseline | Tin |
| 16 | Mittens | Pair | 1 | 41 | <i>S.S.P.</i> | | |
| 17 | Puttees | Pair | 1 | 42 | | | |
| 2 | 18 | Shirts | | 2 | 43 | | |
| 2 | 19 | Socks | Pairs | 2 | 44 | | |
| 20 | Tunic | | 1 | 45 | | | |
| 21 | Trousers | Pair | 1 | 46 | | | |
| 1 | 22 | Towels | | 1 | 47 | | |
| 2 | 23 | Undervests | | 2 | 48 | | |
| 24 | Fork | | 1 | 49 | | | |
| 25 | Knife | Food | 1 | 50 | | | |

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7.00

I Reg. No.

do hereby acknowledge to have received the above named articles as indicated by the stamped word "ISSUED," that they are the property of the Regiment; and I undertake to care for them to the best of my ability, produce them for inspection when called upon to do so by my Superior Officer, and immediately report any loss or damage to my Sergeant.

Signed A. Raley

Issued above
Sep. 21 1914

Quartermaster-Sgt.

Entered { Stock Bk. folio No.
" Recap. " "
Ledger " "

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

VOUCHER

In A/c with National Provincial Bank of England,
Salisbury

Voucher No. 220
Cheque No. 220

A/c No. 67 Name Pay Settlement, Officers. C.B. Folio No.

| Date | Invoice No. | Particulars | Amount | | |
|---------|-------------|---|--------|----|-----|
| Apr. 12 | | On A/c Officers Mess Allowance For deposit to A/c of Lieut. A. Raley | | 25 | 0 0 |
| | | | £25 | 0 | 0 |

CERTIFICATION

Dissectⁿ No. _____

Recap. No. _____

Checked by J. Marshall Paymaster.

RECEIPT

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Received from the 1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT the sum of
 Twenty Five - - - - - Pounds - - - - - Shillings,
 and - - - - - Pence, in payment as above stated.

£ 25-0-0

[Sig.] _____

NOTE: Please return the whole form intact to:

PAYMASTER, 1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGT., PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W.

Form P/J.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of Capt. A. Raley

From 4/9/15

to 1/10/15

(both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No.

| Date | Particulars | No. of Days | Rate per Day | Amount | | Dr. | | | Cr. | | | |
|------|---|-------------|--------------|--------|----|-----|----|----|-----|----|----|---|
| | | | | \$ | c. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| | Cr. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay | 28 | 300 | 84 | 00 | | | | | | | |
| | Field Allowance | 28 | 75 | 21 | 00 | | | | | | | |
| | Amended date of Promotion to Captain. Difference in pay | 1 | | 1 | 15 | | | | | | | |
| | Mess Allowance | | | | | | | | 5 | 12 | 0 | |
| | Extra Kit Allowance (Mediterranean) | | | | | | | | 5 | 10 | 0 | |
| | Balance from Previous Pay Book | | | | | | | | | 4 | 1 | |
| | @ \$ 4.86 $\frac{2}{3}$... | | \$ | 106 | 15 | | | | 21 | 16 | 3 | |
| | Dr. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Allotment | 28 | 100 | 28 | 00 | 5 | 15 | 1 | | | | |
| | Messing Bills: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 3rd Week | | | | | 2 | 2 | 11 | | | | |
| | 4th " | | | | | 2 | 2 | 11 | | | | |
| | 5th " | | | | | 2 | 2 | 11 | | | | |
| | Balance carried forward to next period | | | | | 20 | 18 | 6 | | | | |
| | PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W.. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 12th October 1915 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | £ | 33 | 2 | 4 | 53 | 2 | 4 |

B.C.

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| | | | | \$ | c. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. |
| | Cr. | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay | 28 | 300 | 84 | 00 | | | | | |
| | Field Allowance | 28 | 75 | 21 | 00 | | | | | |
| | Amended date of Promotion to Captain. Difference in pay | 1 | | 1 | 15 | | | | | |
| | Mess Allowance | | | | | | | | 5 | 12 0 |
| | Extra Kit Allowance (Mediterranean) | | | | | | | | 5 | 10 0 |
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| | Dr. | | | | | | | | | |
| | Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W. | | | | | | | | | |
| | Allotment | 28 | 100 | 28 | 00 | 5 | 15 | 1 | | |
| | Messing Bills: | | | | | | | | | |
| | 3rd Week | | | | | 2 | 2 | 11 | | |
| | 4th " | | | | | 2 | 2 | 11 | | |
| | 5th " | | | | | 2 | 2 | 11 | | |
| | Balance carried forward to next period | | | | | 20 | 18 | 6 | | |
| | PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., 18th October 1915 | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | £ | 33 | 2 4 | £ | 33 2 4 |

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Form P/J.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of Capt. A. Raley

From 2/10/15

to

24/12/15

(both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No.

| Date | Particulars | No. of Days | Rate per Day | Amount | | Dr. | | | Cr. | | | |
|------|--|-------------|--------------|--------|-----|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|----|---|
| | | | | \$ | c. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| | Cr. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay | 84 | 3 00 | 252 | 00 | | | | | | | |
| | Field Allowance | 84 | 75 | 63 | 00 | | | | | | | |
| | Mess „ | 84 | 4/- | | | | | | 16 | 16 | 0 | |
| | Balance from previous Pay Book | | | | | | | | 20 | 18 | 6 | |
| | @ \$ 4.86 $\frac{2}{3}$... | | | \$ | 315 | 00 | | | 64 | 14 | 6 | |
| | Dr. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Allotment | 84 | 1 00 | 84 | 00 | 17 | 5 | 3 | | | | |
| | Mess Bills, 2/10/15 to 29/10/15 | | | | | 10 | 14 | 9 | | | | |
| | " 27/11/15 to 24/12/15 | | | | | 12 | 6 | | | | | |
| | <u>Balance to Credit</u> | | | | | 73 | 16 | 6 | | | | |
| | PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., 27, December, 1915. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Checked by | | | | | £ | 102 | 9 | 0 | 102 | 9 | 0 |

Form P/J.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of Capt. A. Raley

From 25/12/15

to 21/1/16

(both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No.

| Date | Particulars | No. of Days | Rate per Day | Amount | | Dr. | | | Cr. | | |
|---------|--|-------------|--------------|--------|--------|-----|----|----|-----|----|----|
| | | | | \$ | c. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Cr. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay | 28 | 3 00 | 84 | 00 | | | | | | |
| | Field Allowance | 28 | 60 | 21 | 00 | | | | | | |
| | Mess " | 28 | 4/- | | | | | | 5 | 12 | 0 |
| | Balance from previous Pay Book | | | | | | | | 73 | 16 | 6 |
| | @ \$ 4.86 $\frac{2}{3}$... | | | \$ | 105 00 | | | | 21 | 11 | 6 |
| | Dr. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WARRICKS-PAGE, LONDON, ENGLAND | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Allotment | 28 | 1 00 | 28 | 00 | 5 | 15 | 1 | | | |
| Dec. 17 | Cash | | | | | 5 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| " 23 | " | | | | | 5 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| " 24 | " | | | | | 5 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Balance to Credit | | | | | 80 | 4 | 11 | | | |
| | PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 5, February, 1916. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Checked by <i>Be</i> £ | | | | | 101 | 0 | 0 | 101 | 0 | 0 |

Form P/J.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of **Capt. A Raley,**

From **22/1/16** to **18/2/16** (both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No.

| Date | Particulars | No. of Days | Rate per Day | Amount | | Dr. | | | Cr. | | | |
|--------|---|-------------|--------------|--------|--------|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|----|---|
| | | | | \$ | c. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| | Cr. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pay | 28 | 3 00 | 84 | 00 | | | | | | | |
| | Field Allowance | 28 | 75 | 21 | 00 | | | | | | | |
| | Mess „ | 28 | 4/- | | | | | | 5 | 12 | 0 | |
| | Balance from previous Pay Book | | | | | | | | 80 | 4 | 11 | |
| | @ \$ 4.86 $\frac{2}{3}$... | | | \$ | 105 00 | | | | 21 | 11 | 6 | |
| | Dr. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jan 24 | Paymasters advances | | | | | 5 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| Feb 15 | Bill Canteen & Mess Co-op. Soc. | | | | | 6 | 11 | | | | | |
| | Mess Bills | | | | | 1 | 4 | 11 | | | | |
| | Allotment | 28 | 1 00 | 28 | 00 | 5 | 15 | 1 | | | | |
| | Balance carried forward to next period | | | | | 95 | 1 | 6 | | | | |
| | PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | February 29th. 191 6 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Checked by <i>gc</i> | | | | | £ | 107 | 8 | 5 | 107 | 8 | 5 |

Capt. A. Raley.

19/2/16

17/3/16.

28 3 00 84 00

28 75 21 00

28 4/-

5 12 0

Balance from previous
Pay Book.

95 1 6

105 00

21 11 6

Mar. 17 Deposit-
National & Provincial
Bank of England.

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Jan 29 Paymasters Advances

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Feb 19 " "

5 2 8

Allotment.

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5 15 1

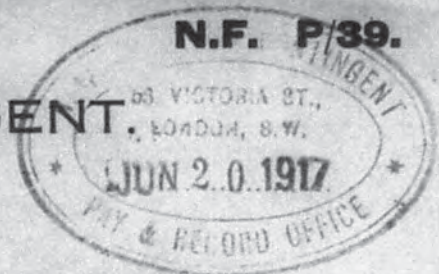
March 20th.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



MEMORANDUM.

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
68, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.,

14th, June 1917

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS,
"SYNOPTICAL,"
LONDON.

TELEPHONE:
VICTORIA 147.

COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE
PAYMASTER & OFFICER i/c RECORDS.
AND THE FOLLOWING NO. QUOTED:

5787/4

To Capt. A. Raley,
2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.

Ayr, N. B.

FM/WF

SUBJECT: PERSONAL BAGGAGE.

Reference your request 7/6/17: 2 Bales of
Kit has been forwarded by rail to you. Kindly acknowledge
receipt hereon, please.

J. H. Marshall
Lieut.
Asst. Paymaster,
For paymaster & O i/c Records.

2 bales kit
received 18/6/17

A. Raley
Capt

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. 5200/3.

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

1st June, 1917.

To: Capt. A. Raley,
2/1st Nfld Regt.,
Ayr, N.B.

Personal baggage.

The understated packages understood to be the
property of yourself
~~has~~ ^{have} been received from:

Messrs. Cox's Shipping Agency,
16, Charing Cross, S.W. 1.

| Marks | No. of Pkgs. | Description | Contents |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|----------|
| Addressed. 242/91. | 1 | Bale. | Kit. |
| Addressed. 246/95. | 1 | Bale. | Kit. |

and are stored in this building, subject to C.L/9,
28/11/16, pending your request as to disposal, to be
stated hereunder.

H. F. Ginnell Major,
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

To: Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
London, S.W.

| | |
|---------------------|--------------|
| TSR N. WINDYBANK | 3 |
| PAY & RECORD OFFICE | |
| Ref. No. | 2911 |
| Rec'd. | JUN - 2 1917 |
| Ans'd. | |
| File No. | |

Please deliver at my risk and expense the above-named
packages to me at the Depot

Dated at 7.6.17.

(Sig.) *A. Raley*

1917.

Stuffed coat
8/6/17

This whole form to be completed, signed and returned intact to:
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.

#33
National Provincial Bank
of England,

Salisbury.

20th March, 5.

LIEUT. A. RALEY.

I enclose cheque £14:19:2 for
credit of this Officer's account.
Vouchers in duplicate also
enclosed for discharge and return.

If this is not in conformity
with your custom, kindly attach
^{the} voucher receipt returning same to
me together with voucher forms.

Capt.

PAYMASTER.

Lieut. A. Raley,
Newfoundland Contingent,
The Castle,
Edinburgh.

23rd March, 5.

KIT & EQUIPMENT
ISSUED AT ST. JOHN'S.

The Quartermaster, St. John's, has forwarded original particulars of Kit and Equipment issued to you before embarkation, as per copy enclosed. It is suggested that the amount be charged to your account. Kindly signify if you are agreeable to this course, or would you prefer to send me your cheque?

The amount is $\$8.00 @ \$4.86 \frac{2}{3}$
= £1-12-10.

Capt.

PAYMASTER.

National Provincial Bank of
England,
Salisbury.

12th April, 5.

LIEUT.A.RALEY.

I enclose cheque £25.0.0 for
credit of this Officer's account,
also vouchers in duplicate for
discharge and return.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

National Provincial Bank of
England,
Salisbury.

18th April, 5.

LIEUT.A.RALEY.

I enclose cheque £14.14.10 for
credit of this Officer's account,
also vouchers in duplicate which
kindly discharge and return.

Capt.

Paymaster & C. i/c Records.

1508/2.

The Manager,

National Provincial Bank
of England,

21, April, 8.

Salisbury.

n CAPT. A. RALEY.

April 25th, 1916.

I enclose original letter from
this Officer authorising transfer
of his account to the Bank of
Montreal, Waterloo Place, less
£15/- as indicated.

Will you kindly arrange the
matter and advise, returning Capt.
Raley's letter to me, please?

Capt. R. F. Timewell,
Paymaster & O. i/c Records,
Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street, S.W.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter
of the 21st inst. we are today
transferring £90. 6. 7, the
balance of Captain A. Raley's
account less £15, to the Bank of
Montreal, Waterloo Place, as
desired.

We are keeping Captain Raley's
Capt. letter as our authority to do
Paymaster & O. i/c Records. this.

Yours faithfully,

(sd.) S.M. -----

Manager.

1322

26/4/16.

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National Provincial Bank of
England,

Salisbury.

28th April,

5.

LIEUT. A. RALEY.

I enclose cheque £11.11.6, together
with voucher forms which kindly
discharge in duplicate and return
to me, together with original copy
of this memorandum.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

S.

The National Provincial Bank of
England,

Salisbury.

14th May, S.

LIEUT. A. RALEY.

I enclose cheque £32.13.2 for
credit of this Officer's account,
also vouchers, which kindly dis-
charge in duplicate and return to
me.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

Ref. No. 250
Des'd. July 5, 1915
Ass'd. JUL 5 - 1915
File No.

Newfoundland Regt.
Acreview Camp.
Atols.
July 2/15

Sir,

I have this day made
an allotment of one dollar
per day to Mrs. V. L. Raley,
9 Campbell Road, Bedford and
wish such allotment to commence
from July 1st 1915.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Arthur Raley,

Lt. 1st Nfld Regt.

S.

Lieut. A. Raley,
Newfoundland Contingent,
Stob's Camp,
Hawick, Scotland.

5th. July, E.

ALLOTMENT.

Referring to your letter of 2/7/15,
kindly make the desired Allotment
on N.F. Forms K. & L., and when
forwarded to me they will receive
necessary attention.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

1039/1.

Mrs.L.V.Raley,

9, Campbell Road,

Bedford.

7th August, 5.

ALLOTMENT, CAPT. RALEY.

I enclose:-

Cheque £5/15/-,
N.F.P/D. in duplicate,

which latter kindly discharge and
return in duplicate to me..

I also enclose N.F.L.463 for
signature and witness thereof, also
for return to me.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

TO PAYMASTER

FROM ADJUTANT

1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Since Monday September 21st. I have been acting adjutant to this battalion.

I presume I draw the extra pay allowed an adjutant.

From Sept. 2nd. to Sept. 14th. I was transport officer to the battalion which was up to full strength with 2/Lieut. Herder as Assistant T.O.

Since Sept. 14th. 2/Lt. Herder has been transport officer. I believe transport officers have an extra allowance.

A. Raley,

Capt. & Adj.

1st. Newfoundland Regt.

Oct. 26/15.

1535

DEC 15 Recd



Col. George
Inverness-shire
Scotland.
Dec. 13. 14.

Dear Sir,

Will you kindly pay
all money due to me in to my
account at the National Provincial
Bank of England, Salisbury.

Also, at your convenience
would you let me know what
amount you have of mine,

Yrs truly

National Provincial Bank of England Limited.

N^o. 1568/2. Salisbury, April 25th 1916

Captain R. F. Innewell
Paymaster & C. of Records.
Pay & Records Office
58 Victoria Street.
S. W.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 21st inst. we are today transferring £90-6-7, the balance of Captain A Raley's account less £15- to the Bank of Montreal,

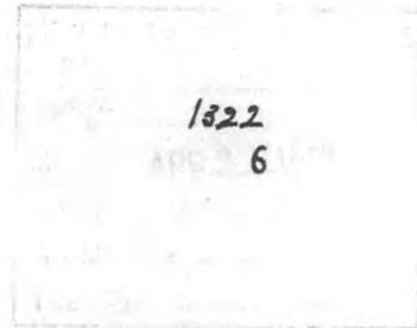
Walsloo Place as desired.

We are keeping Captain Raley's letter as our authority to do this.

Yours faithfully

S. M. Maudslayi

Manager.



C O P Y

To: Paymaster,
Newfoundland Contg.

From: A. Raley, Capt,
Newfoundland Regmt.

I wish my allotment of \$ 1. per diem
to Mrs. Raley, 9, Campbell Road, Bedford, increasing
to \$ 1.50, one dollar and fifty cents per diem,
commencing end of next period, please.

15/5/16

(Sd.) A. Raley

Capt. Nfld.

18, May, 6.

1901/3.

Capt. A. Raley,

1/1 Newfoundland Regiment,

B. E. F.

Allotment.

With reference to your memorandum 15/5/16 (1550), your original allotment has been cancelled as at 9/6/16, and a new one for \$1.50 will come into effect from 10/6/16.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

To Paymaster
Newfoundland Conty.

From
A. Raley, Capt
Infla Regt.

I wish my allotment of \$1 per diem
to Mrs Raley 9 Campbell Rd Bedford increased
to \$1 $\frac{50}{100}$, one dollar and fifty cents per diem,
commencing end of next period, please.

15. 5. 16

A. Raley
Capt Infla.

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|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 1ST N. WESTMINSTER REGIMENT | |
| PAY & RECORD OFFICE | |
| Ref. No. | 1550 |
| Rec'd. | MAY 17 1916 |
| Ack'd. | |
| Ans'd. | MAY 18 1916 |
| File No. | |

9. Campbell Road

Wednesd. July 9. 1916

To the Paymaster of the Regt:

Dear Sir

Very many thanks for
prompt reply to my telegram
yesterday, which I always
was surprised to receive. —
I had had one from a friend
on Friday which said my
son was apparently well
awaiting further news coming
tomorrow.

I could not quite understand
this & I was not sure of my
friends address, so after waiting
till noon on Saturday hearing
nothing more I thought I would
enquire from you, soon after
receiving your wire another one
came from my friend.

How splendidly our 1st Lt: Post
has done & how very proud we
are of our men & how terribly
the officers have been used.

I hear Capt Powell is in
England but do not know what
Hospital. Again thanking
you for so kindly responding
to my call

Yours very sincerely
J. L. Puley.

| | |
|--------------|-------------|
| 1st REGIMENT | |
| Ref. to | 2264 |
| Rec'd. | JUL 17 1916 |
| Ack'd. | |
| Ans'd. | |
| File No. | |

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Charges } s. d.
to pay }

Bedford

Handed }
in at }

12-24/11 .M.,

Received }
here at }

1-09/11 .M.

TO { Reply Paid Paymaster Inland
Pay office 58 Victoria St London
Can you say if Captain
Raley is in England

Raley 9 Campbell Bedford

Answered: 8/7/16

National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.

3493/1 Salisbury, Aug. 22nd 1916

The Paymaster.

Newfoundland Contingents

Victoria Street. S.W.

Dear Sir.

re Captain Arthur Raley.

We shall be obliged if you can inform us of the address of the above officer of the 1st. Newfoundland Battalion, as we are desirous of communicating with him.

Yours faithfully.

24.8.16 J. M. Mansfield

Manager.

Capt + Adm. A. Raley,

1/1 Newfoundland Regt.

B. E. F.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 2179/44

From
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE.
 58, VICTORIA STREET,
 LONDON, S.W.
 13th March, 1917.

To
 Officer Commanding,
 2/1 Newfoundland Regt.,
 B. E. F.

HT/NW

SUBJECT: ADJUTANT.

REPLY

Reference Nos.

Dated

17/3/17

191

Please inform if Capt. Raley is still Adjutant.

It is noted that he signed D/Orders to 8/2/17, with the exception of those dated 7/2/17 which are signed by 2/Lt. N. A. Outerbridge as "Asst. Adjutant". Subsequent letters etc. are signed by the latter as "Actg. Adjutant"

Presumably subsequent D/Orders will fully explain actual appointments, and which are awaited, please.

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

Capt. Raley, M.C. proceeded to IV Army School for course on 9/2/17. One or two days previously while 2/Lt. N.A. Outerbridge was preparing to take over, he signed a few papers as 'Actg. Adjutant'. In orders of 9/2/17 2/Lt. N.A. Outerbridge was appointed Actg. Adjutant & has signed as such since that date.

Capt. Raley is now due back & will presumably take up his duties as Adjutant at once. 2/Lt. N.A. Outerbridge returning to his Co.

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| Adm'd. | |
| Asst'd. | |
| File No. | |

*2/Lt. Outerbridge
 as adjt
 at 1st Regt.*

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| KT dated | Nov 18 |
| Received | |
| REPLY dated | |
| Received | |
| LAST Ref No | |
| NEXT " " | |

2114/93/P&A

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

FM/WF 8th, February 1918

Nov. 2/18.

CAPT. A. RALEY,
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

The enclosed claim and the following letter are submitted for your consideration,-

" 9, Campbell Road,
" Bedford,
" 6/2/18.

"Dear Major Timewell,-
"I have returned to your office
"to-day the paper re. Separation
"Allowance you will see that I
"have an allowance of £120.0.0.
"per annum. This is entirely
"voluntary and could be discontinued
"any time. I thought perhaps I
"had better explain that to you.
"(sd) V. S. Raley."

Capt. Raley has an allotment of \$1.50 per day in favour of his mother since 10/6/16.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O 1/c Records.

Issue of Separation Allowance to Mrs Raley has been approved. Payments will commence Sept. 1st 1917.

It seems desirable to record the reasons for this decision in view of the fact that Capt. Raley did not contribute to his mothers support immediately prior to his enlistment. They are as follows:

1. He is the only son of a widowed mother.
2. The contributions of the two stepsons is purely voluntary and may be discontinued at any time, in which event she would be solely dependant on Capt. Raley.
3. He has acknowledged her dependence on him by declaring an allotment in her favour.
4. The fact of his not contributing before he enlisted may be considered to be due to the fact that he was not in a position to do so.

(sd) J. R. Bennett,
Minister of Militia.

10220

27/11/18.

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Office Stamp.



Charges } s. d.
to pay }

Handed in at *9 25⁴* Received here at *9 46^a*

Bedford

TO

Reply

*Paymaster Newfoundland
office 58 Victoria St hdn*

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGISTRY
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

Ref. No. *1917*
Rec'd. *APR 18 1917*
Ack'd.
Ans'd.
File No.

*news of Captain Raley
9 Campbell Rd Bedford*

*Raley, 9 Campbell Rd Bedford
No news Captain Raley will
telegraph if received Synoptical.*

Reply prepaid

9. Campbell Road

Wednesd. April 18. 1914

Dear Major Lawrence,

Letters for you were received
this afternoon. The reason I
wrote to you is that this
morning I had a Field P.C.
from my son which says
"I have been admitted to Hospital
& am going on well.
Letter follows at first opportunity"

Every other thing is obliterated
So if he is written sick or
wounded we wonder how he
came to had any accident.
There is not even a signature
but it is addressed by him.

Of course we feel anxious &
shall be glad of any news
you may happen to get.
With kind regards

Sincerely yours

J. S. Paley 9/4/17

Newfoundland Contingent,
Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria St., S.W. 1
19th April, 1917.

Dear Mrs. Raley,

Referring to your letter 18/4/17,
I expect that by now you will have
received all the information which
has so far reached this office
concerning Capt. Raley, which states
that he was gassed on the 14th April.

Further news will be sent you
as soon as it is received, and I
trust it will be of a thoroughly
satisfactory nature.

Yours sincerely,

9. Camp Belle Road
Medford. April 19. 1914

Dear Major Simons,

Many thanks for your
wire this morning.

We have just received one
from my son from Dover.
he expects to be in London
today. That is good news
& I felt sure you would

AIN RAY

Be interested to know it.

Kind regards

Yours sincerely

H. L. Raley.

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message _____

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| Prefix _____ | Code _____ | m. _____ | Words _____ | Charge _____ | <i>This message is on a/c of:</i> | Recd. at _____ | m. _____ |
| Office of Origin and Service Instructions. | | | Sent _____ | | | _____ Service. | Date _____ |
| | | | At _____ | m. _____ | From _____ | | |
| | | | To _____ | | By _____ | | |
| | | | By _____ | | (Signature of "Franking Officer.") | | |

| | | | | |
|----|-----------------|--------------|--------------------|---------|
| TO | Mrs | Raley | | |
| | 32 9 | Campbell | Road | Bedford |
| * | Sender's Number | Day of Month | In reply to Number | AAA |
| | 77 | 20/4/17 | | |

Captain Raley admitted third London
 General Hospital to-day.

Synoptical.

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Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name

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138 VICTORIA ST., S.W.

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Pay & Record Office

58 Victoria Street

London S.W. 1.

Great Point

138 Vic. St.

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To
Paymaster & Co Records
Newfoundland Regt.

From Captain A. Raley.

Will you kindly forward per
passenger train all the boxes & baggage at
present in your office to me at Barry per
return please as the contents are required for
Saturday morning next please. Please retain
payment for carriage.

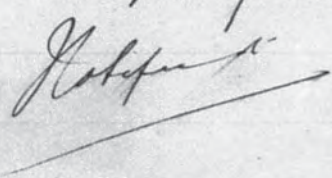
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Newfoundland Regt

Could you give me the
present whereabouts or
address of

Capt A. Raley ^{MC} Adjutant
of the Newfoundland

Regiment.

Thanking you,

I have the honor to be

Very

Respectfully,
J. H. Raley

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To Pay + Record of
Newfoundland Regt. Ads.

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DATE

Capt. R. H. Lait has been

appointed Adjutant of the Regt.
in France to date from May 23rd
1917 vice Capt. A. Raley M.C. to
hospital 14/4/17.

Please see that the Army List
is amended accordingly.

Please return
before filing
to Records

COMDQ. 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. LIEUT. COL.

21-10-17

Notes: Records - *[Signature]*
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1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
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Campbell Road

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE MINISTER OF MILITIA.

*87th Ct. Rd.
25/7/18*

SUBJECT:

CLAIM FOR SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

CAPTAIN. A. RALEY.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

The above Officer claims Separation Allowance in favour of his Widowed Mother: It is stated by Mrs. Raley, that she is in receipt of an allowance of £120. per annum from her stepson, so that the Officer named cannot within the terms of the Regulations be considered as sole support.

It is also noted that Captain Raley, prior to his engagement with the Newfoundland Regiment did not contribute anything towards his Mother's maintenance.

Since his enlistment he has contributed *£2:5:2* per week. Mrs Raley has two daughters, aged 27 and 30 years respectively, both of whom are School Teachers, and it is stated that their salaries are insufficient to enable them to contribute towards their Mother's support.

Similar remarks as noted in O'Neills claim regarding your personal consideration of this Claim during your visit to this Country, apply.

The Claim was submitted to this Office No. 2114/93/P&A, 8/2/18 and is still awaiting decision, please.

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON. S.W. (1).

✓ 66673
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,

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

Please forward ~~1~~ Book N.F.P. 58 to me

A. Haley

(Signature)

1st Newfoundland Regiment.

31/8 1916

OK

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

6th November 1918.

Dear Barton,

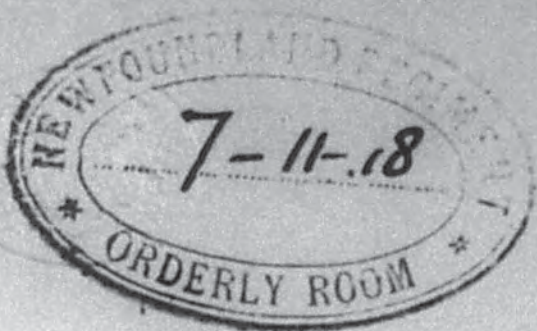
Captain Raley, Adjutant, 1st Battalion is now on leave here en route for his home, and informs me that Lt Colonel Mathias suggests that he should go to Winchester to confer with you on general matters if you so concur.

Raley's leave expires on the 19th inst: and it is suggested that the 20th or the 21st should be the days, if ~~more~~ ^{more} is convenient to you, I am asked to apply to the War Office for the necessary extension of leave. I will await your wishes before I do this.

Yours sincerely,

Lt:Col:B.J.Barton. D.S.O.
Royal Newfoundland Regt:
Hazeley Down Camp,
Winchester.

Capt Raley's file
JTB



Dear Tunnewell

I shall be very glad to see Kaley on the 20th or 21st. There are several matters which we can usefully discuss.

I would suggest his coming here on the 20th and spending the night - & embarking on the 22nd - this amount of leave should be obtainable.

Please let me know when to expect him.

Y^{rs} Sincerely

J. J. Barton

18201/369/R.&C.

8th November, 8.

The Secretary,
War Office,
S.W. 1.

Sir,

Capt. A. Raley, M.C.,
1st Bn. R. Newfoundland Regt.

The above-named Officer, who is Adjutant of the 1st Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt., is at present on leave in this country. It expires o: 19/11/18.

There are several important matters in connection with the Contingent which it is desirable that Capt. Raley should discuss with the O.C. 2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt., Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester; may several days extension be granted for this purpose, please? If so, kindly send the authority to this Office.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Major,

Chief Paymaster & C. i/c Records.

HA/NV

18201/369/R.&.C.

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Capt

Raley extended to twentyfirst November

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adjutant General

9 Campbell Rd
Bedford

12. 11. 18.

To C.P.M.

Newfoundland Contingent.

Will you please let
me have a Railway Voucher
for $\frac{1}{2}$ pr. - was Jan. at Campbell
Rd. Bedford.

Can you get inform me
as to whether I am likely to be
going to Regl. Depot on 19th in
order that I can make my leave
arrangements accordingly please.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
& RECORD OFFICE.
Nos. 11 9784

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A. Reay
Captain
R. R. Nfld Regt.

18446/1/R.&.O.

C.P. & O. i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent, Capt. A. Raley, M.C.,
58, Victoria Street, 9, Campbell Road,
S.W. 1. Bedford.

14th November, 8.

Referring to your letter 12/11/18
(9704):: herewith Half Fare Voucher.

The War Office has granted you
extension of leave to 21/11/18 for the
purpose of proceeding to Winchester,
please.

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

HA/NV
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Campbell R.S.
16.11.18 Bedford

Your memo voucher received.
I propose travelling to London early
on Tuesday 19th inst will call at
your office about 1030. Should
suggest going to Winchester same
day presuming always it is con-
venient to O.C. Depot. Will you
please let me know if you suggest
anything to the contrary.

A. Raley

POST CARD

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

Ref. Nos. *KN 9884*

To Chief Paymaster & Receiver

Ref. Nos. *UBI*

Newfoundland Conty.

58 Victoria Street

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London S.W



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Ref. Nos. IN-10439

DEC 18 1918
Ans'd

G. Campbell
Medford. Dec 2, 1918

Dear Major Lowell

I have a sword from my
son this morning asking me to
send to you his sword, we have
sent it off by Parcel Delivery &
hope you will receive it safely

Yours sincerely
V. L. Paley

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

6th December 1918.

Dear Mrs Raley,

I have to acknowledge your
letter 2/12/18, also your son's
sword which latter will be
handed to an Officer who is
shortly returning to France,
for delivery.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs V.E.Raley.,
9, Campbell Road,
BEDFORD.

19815/2/P&A.

C.P.&O.i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contg.
58, Victoria Street
London, S.W.1.

Capt. A. Raley,
1st.Bn. Royal
Newfoundland Regt.,
B.E.F.

Dec. 6th. 8.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

With reference to your recent verbal enquiry at this Office regarding Claim for Separation Allowance in favour of your Mother; The Minister of Militia has now advised that the Claim has been admitted from 1st September 1917, and cheque for £121.8.0. in respect of Allowance from 1/9/17 to 22/11/18 has been forwarded to Mrs. Raley, please.

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

WF/MN.

1726/1/P&A

Mrs. V. L. Raley,
... 9, Campbell Road,
.. Bedford.

1st, February .. B.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

A claim for Separation Allowance in your favour has been received from Captain A. Raley, Royal Newfoundland Regiment..

In order to substantiate the claim you are required to have the enclosed N. F. P/87 completed and returned to this office..

The allowance is payable only in cases where it is proved that the Officer's Mother is entirely dependant on him for her support.

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

FM/WF

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

| | |
|---|--|
| 1. Regimental No. and Rank | Captain. |
| Name | A. Raley. |
| Unit | 4th Nfld. Regt. |
| 2. Full Name of Dependent. | V. L. Raley (Mrs) |
| 3. Address | 9 Campbell Road Bedford. |
| 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. | Dependent - widow - mother |
| 7. Name and Address of your last Employer. | R. R. Wood. Bp. Zeala College St. Johns. |
| 8. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment. | \$600. |
| 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. | nil |

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement.

A. Raley
Captain

Signature of Officer forwarding this application.

2/1st Newfoundland Regt.

A. Whitaker

Unit 17-12-17
Date _____

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

\$1.50 Allowment of R. Wood.

9: Campbell Road
Redford Leby 6. 1918

Dear Major Simwell,

I have returned to your office today
the paper re. Separation Allowance, you will
see that I have an allowance of £120
per annum. This is entirely voluntary &
could be discontinued any time. I thought
perhaps I had better explain that to
you.

Yours sincerely

J. L. Pacey

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| DEPARTMENT | ✓ |
| Reference No. | 1362 |
| Date Recd. | FEB 1918 |
| Ack'd | 21/11/18 |
| Ans'd | 24/10/18 |
| File | Mr P. |

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RECEIVED UPON
BY
DATE

2410/2/P&A



Mrs. V. L. Raley,
9, Campbell Road,
Bedford.

13th Feb.

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CAPTAIN A. RALEY,
CLAIM FOR SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

With reference to your letter
6/2/18, (1362): Claim has been submitted
to the Minister of Militia in Newfoundland,
for approval.

Major
Chief Paymaster & O.I/c Records

FM/S

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| 10. State amount and source of any other income, such as Old Age Pension, National Relief Fund, Pension from any Authority, Interest, Dividend, etc. | £ 120 Annually Allowance from Dependants |
| 11. Are you in receipt of Separation Allowance from the British Government, if so, how much? | Not any. |
| 12. Actual amount contributed by Soldier prior to enlistment. | Nothing |
| 13. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly? | |
| 14. Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc. | |
| 15. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. | Assistant Schoolmaster |
| 16. State amount of his wages. | I do not know except that it was a small salary |
| 17. State name and address of his last employer. | R. R. Wood Esq. Keilop Field College St. John's Newfoundland |
| 18. State amount of support monthly from son since enlistment. | £ 8. 12. 7. |
| 19. Actual amount contributed by other children weekly or monthly. | Nothing |
| 20. If not receiving support from other children state the cause. (Marriage of sons cannot be regarded as a valid reason for non-support.) | Salaries insufficient for Contribution |

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62.

Signature Victoria Louisa Riley
Place of Residence 9 Campbell Road Bedford

Declared and subscribed before me at Bedford
this 6th day of February 1918

Signature of the Magistrate J. A. Hough
Place or County for which he acts Bedford

Court Seal.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./87.



SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

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 by virtue of the Provisions of Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62, and the form is to be signed before a Magistrate of your District, and returned to

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

| | | | |
|---|--|---------------------------|--|
| 1. Name in full of Soldier | Rank | Regiment or Unit | Regtl No. |
| <i>Arthur Raley</i> | <i>Captain</i> | <i>Newfoundland Regt.</i> | |
| 2. Age of Soldier: <i>28</i> | Married or Single: <i>Single</i> | | |
| 3. Name in full of Mother of Soldier: | Age | Occupation | Permanent Address |
| <i>Victoria Louisa Raley</i> | <i>64</i> | | <i>9. Campbell Road Newford</i> |
| 4. If your husband is alive state: Name in full | Age | Occupation | Where Employed |
| <i>George Jackson Raley</i> | | | |
| 5. If your husband is alive and is not supporting you, state reason. | | | |
| 6. If your husband is chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of disability which must be supported by a medical certificate and enclosed with this document. | | | |
| 7. If a widow state date and place of death of your husband. | <i>August 14th 1897 Warley, Yorkshire</i> | | |
| 8. Names of your other children | Age | Occupation | Addresses in full |
| <i>Anna Louisa Raley</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>Teacher</i> | <i>12 Tower Road Dartford Kent</i> |
| <i>Lucy Raley</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>Teacher</i> | <i>Windsor House St. Leonards on Sea</i> |
| 9. State amount earned by (a) you | (a) | | |
| (b) your husband | (b) | | |

Telephone :
VICTORIA 147.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS,
and the following No. quoted :

MEMORANDUM.

No. 2114/93/P&A (0-149)

From :
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.
FM/WF 8th, February 1918

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

o.k

SUBJECT :

CAPT. A. RALEY,
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated November 2nd. 1918 191

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

The enclosed claim and the following letter are submitted for your consideration,-

" 9, Campbell Road,
" Bedford,
" 6/2/18.

"Dear Major Timewell,-
"I have returned to your office
"to-day the paper re. Separation
"Allowance you will see that I
"have an allowance of £120.0.0.
"per annum. This is entirely
"voluntary and could be discontinued
"any time. I thought perhaps I
"had better explain that to you.
(Sd) V. S. Raley."

Capt. Raley has an allotment of \$1.50 per day in favour of his mother since 10/6/18.

V. S. Raley
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

Issue of Separation Allowance to Mrs Raley has been approved. Payments will commence ~~with~~ September 1st. 1917.

It seems desirable to record the reasons for this decision, in view of the fact that Capt. Raley did not contribute to his mother's support immediately prior to his enlistment.

They are as follows:-

- (1) He is the only son of a widowed mother.
- (2) The contribution of the two stepsons is purely voluntary, and may be discontinued at any time, in which event she would be solely dependent on Capt. Raley.
- (3) He has acknowledged her dependence on him by declaring an allotment in her favour.
- (4) The fact of his not contributing before he enlisted, may be considered to be due to the fact that he was not in a position to do so.

J. P. Bennett

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
Minister of Militia
10220

Ref. Nos. IN
Rec'd 27 NOV 1918

Ans'd

Ref. Nos. OUT 19815/2

ACTED UPON

BRANCH _____ DATE _____

Comd _____

P. L. A. *WKM.* 29/1/18

H. & C _____

B & F _____

P. S. _____

By Brigadier-General H. WATSON, DSO.,

Commandant, Senior Officers' School

Aldershot, Thursday, January 16th, 1919.



PAR 11.

Ledger No 2
Ledger No 3
Nominal Roll
Postal Book

ARRIVALS.

The following officers having reported for course of instruction on the dates specified are attached to the school accordingly:-

| | | | |
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| Capt./Major | Alexander, S.P., DSO. | Irish Guards | 12.1.19. |
| Capt./Major | Angas, L.L.B., MC. | 1st Cheshire Regt. | |
| | | atta. 1/4th Ches. R. | 12.1.19. |
| Capt./Major | Hagley, G.O.F. | 1st. Sn. Middx. Regt. | 12.1.19. |
| Capt./Lt. Col. | Bartlett, C.L.C., MC. | 1st S. Staffs attd | |
| | | 2/4 L.N. Lancs. | 15.1.19. |
| Captain | Batty-Smith, S.H. | L.N. Lancs. Regt. | 12.1.19. |
| Captain | Beattie, L.H. | 2nd Northants Regt. | -oo- |
| Lt./Major | Bouvan, F.E., DSO. | Welsh Horse, attd | |
| | | 25th (Yeo) Bn. W...F. | -oo- |
| Lt./Capt. | Bernays, S.O.M., MC. | 6th Bn. Lancaster Regt. | -oo- |
| T/Major. | Boswick, R.H., MC | Lancashire Fus. | -oo- |
| Capt./Major | Blackburn, J.C., MC. | 1st W. Yorks Regt. | 14.1.19. |
| Capt./Major | Blackledge, G.R., MC. | 1/6 Bn. A.I.F. pool R. | 12.1.19. |
| Capt./Lt. Col. | Blackwood, H.F., MC. | Yorks Regt. attd. MGC | -oo- |
| Lt./Major. | Blackwell, J.H., MC. | 4th Bedfordshire Regt. | -oo- |
| Captain | Braddell, W.H. | R. Dublin Fus. | 11.1.19. |
| Major. | Brand, D.E., DSO. | 1/5 L.L.L. | 12.1.19. |
| Captain | Brickman, F.I.C., MC. | 119 Inf. Indian Army. | -oo- |
| Capt./Lt. Col. | Brooke, G.R., G.P., DSO. | 14th (S) Bn. Welsh Regt. | -oo- |
| T/Major | Brown, S.S., MC. | 6th Bn. R... 1st Regt. | -oo- |
| Captain | Campbell, R.C. | S. Surrey Regt. | 11.1.19. |
| Capt./Major | Carr, J.L. | R. Berkshire Regt. | 12.1.19. |
| T/Capt. | Carter, B.H., MC. | 3rd Bn. The Buffs. | -oo- |
| Lt./Major. | Chandler, S.S. | 2nd Bn. Suffolk Regt. | -oo- |
| Lt./Major. | Chipp, W.P., DSO. MC. | 1/1st Hereford Regt. | -oo- |
| Captain | Clarke, V.S. | 2nd W.W. Foot Regt. | -oo- |
| Lt./Major | Clarke, S. MC., D.C.M. | Lincoln Regt. attd | |
| | | 10th Sher. Fors. | -oo- |
| Lt./Captain | Cochrane, R.O., MC. | R. Irish Rifles attd. | |
| | | 10th (S) Bn. S. Yorks R. | -oo- |
| Captain | Coddington, H.F. | Wiltshire Regt. | -oo- |
| Major. | Collyer, G.O. | L... 5th Battn. | -oo- |
| Major. | Conlan, R.L. | R. Dublin Fusiliers | 11.1.19. |
| Major. | Cornell, H.J., DSO. MC. | 35th Bn. A.I.F. | 12.1.19. |
| Major. | Couchman, F.H., DSO. | 46th Bn. A.I.F. | -oo- |
| Lt./Capt. | Craig-McFeely, G. DSO. MC. | 1st Bn. Dublin Fus. | -oo- |
| Capt./Major. | Cubitt, F.S., MC. | 4th Suffolk Regt. attd. | |
| | | 2/24th London Regt. | 13.1.19. |
| Captain | Daniel, J.A., DSO. MC. | The Welsh Regt. | -oo- |
| Major | Day, D.A.L. | R. Warwickshire Regt. | 12.1.19. |
| Captain | Davenport, J.A. | Lancashire Fusiliers. | -oo- |
| Lt./Capt. | Dawkins, J.O. MC. D.C.M. | 2nd Bn. Warwick Regt. | -oo- |
| Captain | Dove, H.W., MC. | R. L. Rifle Bde. | -oo- |
| Captain | Escombe, W.H., DSO. | 1/20th London Regt. | -oo- |
| Lt./Capt. | Ellicott, A.W., MC. | Bedfordshire Regt. | -oo- |
| Capt./Major. | Evanson, A.C.F., MC. | S. Surrey R. attd. G.C. | -oo- |

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| Major | Ellwood, W.H., MC. | 24th Bn. N.I.F. | 12.1.19. |
| Major/Lt.Col. | Ewing, W.F., DSO. | 1/7th Bn. K.Scots. | -do- |
| Captain | Fausset, H.C. | 1st. (att'd. 4th) Bn. N. Stafford Regt. | -do- |
| Major | Fitz-Gerald, J.S. | R. Irish Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Furnell, G. G. | R. Irish Regt. | 13.1.19. |
| Lt./Capt. | Gain, R.S., DSO. | 1/20th London Regt. | 12.1.19. |
| Major | Gardiner, H. DSO. | W. Riding Regt. | -do- |
| Capt./Major | Gawthorpe, J.S. | W. Yorks att'd. MC. | -do- |
| T/Captain | Given, T.S., LC. | R. Irish Fus. att'd 'A' MC. T. Bn. | -do- |
| Lt./Major | Goater, H.H.G. DSO. MC. | N. W. Kent Regt. | -do- |
| Capt./Major | Gray, J., MC. | 4th Bn. K.Scots. att'd 1/10th R.L. pool Sect 14. | 14.1.19. |
| Capt./Major | Griffin, S.A., MC. | 4th Can. Bn. 1st Central Ontario Regt. | 12.1.19. |
| Capt./Major | Griffiths, R.A., LC. | Ones. Regt. att'd. 1/5th Sherwood Fore. | 11.1.19 |
| T/Captain | Guest, C.M. | S.A. Scottish. (4th S.A. Infantry) | 12.1.19. |
| T/Major | Hamilton, F.L. MC. | H.O.S.S. | -do- |
| Lt./Capt | Hanocks, F.O. MC | 1/5th Lon. Regt. (Linc) | -do- |
| T/Lt./Capt. | Haywood, C.D. | L. Lanes Regt. att'd 1/4th S. Lanes Regt. | -do- |
| Lieut. | Headen, H.S. | K. Munster Fus. att'd. 20th Linc Regt. | -do- |
| Lieut./Capt. | Hopburn, O.W., LC | 1st Bn. K. Fus. | -do- |
| Major Bt. Lt. Col. | Herbert, G.M., DSO. | Dorset Regt. | -do- |
| Capt./Major | Hewlett, J., MC. | 2nd Bn. S. Lanes Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Hibbert, H.S. | K.O.Y.L.I. | -do- |
| Lt./T/Capt. | Holt, H., LC. | C.B.L.I. att'd. 10th Gloce. Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Hoskyn, G.S. MC. | S. Lanes Regt. att'd. 51st. L.I. | -do- |
| Capt./Major. | Hunter, R.D., DSO. | The Camerons. | 10.1.19. |
| Captain | Hynson, J.G.W., LC. | L. L. Lanes Regt. | 12.1.19. |
| Captain | Icke, J.H.T. | 2nd S. Lanes Regt. att'd. 3rd. Res. Bn. | -do- |
| Major | Jervis, H.S. | K. Munster Fus. | -do- |
| Captain | Jerveland, C.H. | S.P. O. Yorks Regt. | -do- |
| Capt./Major | Kirkland, S.V. | India Regt. att'd. 3rd. Brit. W. Indians Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Knyvett, J.S. | R. Warwick Regt. | -do- |
| Major. | Koppel, F.O., DSO. | R. Staffs Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Krook, R.S.C. | The Black Watch Yorkshire Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Ledgard, R.S. | att'd. 3rd. Bn. 1st Dorset Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Lindsay, W.H. | 3rd. Bn. Gordon Hrs. | -do- |
| Capt. Bt. Major | Long, A.D.C., DSO. | 6th att'd. 5th Res. Bn. S. Staffs Regiment. | -do- |
| Captain | Magrane, J.P. | S. O. Yorks Regt. att'd. MC. | -do- |
| Capt./Lt. Col. | Marriage, L.H. | S. Surrey Regt. | -do- |
| Lt./T/Major | Marshall, R.S. | K.O.Y.L.I. att'd. | -do- |
| Capt./T/Major | Mathison, P. | 2nd Bn. S.O. | -do- |

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| Major | McDonald, J.H., DSO., MC. | 20th Bn. A.I.F. | 12.1.19. |
| T/Capt. | McIntosh, W.G., MC. | 72nd Bn. C. Inf. | -do- |
| Captain | McKenzie, C.G. | 3rd Gordon Hlrs | |
| | | attd. 14th A & S.H. | -do- |
| Major | Mellar, J.H., DSO. MC. | 85th Bn. Nova Scotia | |
| | | Alfr. Canadians | -do- |
| Captain | Hills, R.W., MC. | 1st. Bn. Ches. Regt. | 13.1.19. |
| Capt. A/Major | Harris, L.H. MC. | 1st. K.O.Y.L.I. | 12.1.19. |
| Captain | Hoseley, W.A.D. | R. Minster Fus. | -do- |
| Lt. A/Capt. | Newbury, H.G. LC. | 13th Lincolnshire Regt. | 13.1.19. |
| Capt. A/Major | Nichols, R.S. MC. | 9th Lon. Regt. (C.V.B.) | 12.1.19. |
| Capt. A/Major | O'Brien, R.R., LC. | 1/17th Lon. attd 1/24 | -do- |
| Captain | Olliver, G.H. MC. | The Queen's Regt. | |
| | | 6th Bath | -do- |
| Lt. A/Major | Outwin, S.G. | Yorkshire Regt. attd. | |
| | | 29th Bn. A.I.F. | -do- |
| Captain | Ozanne, H. | R. Warwick Regt. | 13.1.19. |
| Capt. A/Major | Peatfield, B. MC. | 2/15th Lon. Regt. | 12.1.19. |
| Captain | Penrose, G. | 9th Bn. A.I.F. | 13.1.19. |
| Captain | Plummer, A.S. MC. | 8th (S) Bn. N' York Fus. | 12.1.19. |
| Major | Pollara, L.H. | 39th Bn. A.I.F. | -do- |
| Major | Pollock, H.A. | Essex Fus. attd | |
| | | 2nd Bn. S. Lancs Regt. | 14.1.19. |
| Captain | Price, L.V., MC. | York & Lancs Regt. | 13.1.19. |
| X Captain | Raley, A., LC. | X 1st Bn. R.N. Indld. B. | 11.1.19. |
| Captain | Reynolds T. | K.O.Y.L.I. | 12.1.19. |
| Lieut. | Richards, R. | 60th Rifles. | -do- |
| Captain | Ripley, J.L. | Worcester Regt. attd. | |
| | | 27th B.L.I. | 11.1.19. |
| Captain | Ridler, R.H. | 11th Somerset L.I. | 12.1.19. |
| Major | Roberts, R.A. | 56th Bn. A.I.F. | 14.1.19. |
| T/Major | Rogers, R.P. | 2nd Bn. R. Fus. | 12.1.19. |
| Lt. A/Capt. | Rowe, W.D. MC. | 1st Wiltshire Regt. | -do- |
| Lt. A/Major | Saunders, R.F., DSO. MC. | 19th Can. Inf. Bn. | -do- |
| T/Major | Soroggie, J.A., MC. | 15th Can. Bn. Can. Sc. | -do- |
| 2nd Lt. A/Cpt. | Sedgewick, J. MC. | 15th Bn. D.L.I. | 10.1.19. |
| Captain | Shackel, W.H. MC. | 9th W. Sussex Regt. | 12.1.19. |
| Captain | Shadforth, R.A. MC. | R. Dublin Fus. | -do- |
| A/Major | Shafte, S.D. | R.N.M. Corps. | -do- |
| Captain | Simpson, L. | L.O.Y.L.I. | -do- |
| Captain | Smith, R. | Wiltshire Regt. | 11.1.19. |
| Capt. T/Major | Smith, C.S., LC. | 59th Bn. A.I.F. | 14.1.19. |
| Opt. T/Major | Spark, A.D. MC. | Gordon Hlrs. Attd. | |
| | | M.G.C. | 12.1.19. |
| Major | Spence, R.F. | Middlesex Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Startin, C.S. | 1st. N. Staffs Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Stephenson, W.L. MC. | 1st. Dorset Regt. | -do- |
| Capt. A/Major | Sutcliffe, A.S. DSO. MC. | 3rd attd. 1st Grenadier Regt | -do- |
| | | Cheshire Regt. | -do- |
| Major | Tahourain, V.S. | Cheshire Regt. | -do- |
| Major | Taylor, R.G. | 2nd attd. 3rd Scottish | |
| | | Rifles. | -do- |
| Captain | Taylor, J.S. | Somerset Light Inf. | -do- |
| Capt. A/Major | Thompson, J. | 12th Bn. Manchester | -do- |
| T/Captain | Tinkler, L.H. MC. | 9th Yorkshire Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Trevors, R.L. | 1st Bn. R.W. Kent Regt. | -do- |
| Major | Turner, D.H. MC. | 6th Can. Bn. (90th Rif) | -do- |
| Lt. A/Major | Vance, W. MC. | R.I. Fus. attd 6th W.L.F. | -do- |

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| A/Captain | Walker, S.H., MC. | 1/24th Lon. Regt. (Queens) | 12.1.19. |
| Capt. T/Major | Welton, P. MC. | 17th Bn. S.W. Fus. | -do- |
| Major | Whaley, T. | 2nd Bn. The Queen's | -do- |
| Lt. T/Capt. | Wheeler, C., | 1st Bn. D. of Wellington's Regt. | -do- |
| Captain/Major | Wilkinson, H.G. | 5th Bn. City of London (L.R.S.) | -do- |
| T/Major | Wilnot, L.A., MC. | British Columbia Regt. | -do- |
| T/Major | Wood, H.G., MC. | 26th Bn. Can. S. Regt. | -do- |
| Captain | Woodhouse, C.H., MC. | Dorset Regiment | 11.1.19. |
| T/Captain | Wright, F.H. | Attd. 1st Wilts | 12.1.19. |
| Lt. T/Major | Wykes, H. MC. | 2nd attd. 8th R. Berks. | -do- |
| Major | Wyndham, J.R. | Wiltshire Wilts Regt. | -do- |
| Capt. T/Major | Wynne Finch, H.M.C. | Scots Guards | -do- |

The unmentioned men reported to this school on the dates specified, and are attached for pay, rations and accommodation accordingly.:-

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| 90220, Pte | Audrain, S. | 'C' Coy. | 1st Dorsets | 12.1.19. |
| 66484, " | Ashton, F.W. | 'A' Coy. | 1/4th Cheshire Regt. | -do- |
| 11425, " | Bevan, S. | 'D' Coy. | 1st Ryl. Fusiliers. | -do- |
| 67008, " | Bone, S. | 'H.Q.' Coy. | 38th L.S.C. | -do- |
| 52237, " | Brabbin, C. | 'B' Coy. | 2nd Northants Regt. | -do- |
| 317274, " | Billington, J. | 'D' Coy. | 2nd Ryl. Welsh Fus. | -do- |
| 390264, " | Bowman, S.J. | 'HQ' Coy. | 9th Bn. Lon. Regt. | -do- |
| 22261, " | Brown, G. | 'D' Coy. | 4th Bn. Bedford Regt. | -do- |
| 530471, " | Ballingbroke, J.G. | 'A' Coy. | 2/15th London Regt. | -do- |
| 283352, " | Bain, S.D. | 'HQ' Coy. | 85th Bn. C.I.F. | -do- |
| 353, " | Burt, F. | | 9th S. Surreys attd. 1/4th London R.F. | -do- |
| 242267, " | Bowden, R.D. | 'C' Coy. | 6th Leicesters. | -do- |
| 45254, " | Barbour, J. | 'HQ' Coy. | 12th Highland L.I. | 15.1.19. |
| 204643, " | Carter, S.C. | 'C' Coy. | 1st. Wiltshire Regt. | 12.1.19. |
| 22043, " | Cain, A.C. | 'C' Coy. | 4th Bedford Regt. | -do- |
| 6803, " | Crook, S.W.T. | 'B' Coy. | 24th Australian I.F. | -do- |
| 22635, " | Card, G. | 'D' Coy. | 1st. Border Regt. | -do- |
| 200821, " | Claney, C. | 'A' Coy. | 1/5th Highland L.I. | -do- |
| 141399, " | Collins, H. | 'HQ' Coy. | 4th L.I.F. 1st Ontario Ontario Regiment. | -do- |
| 67179, " | Cox, R.R. | 'A' Coy. | 57th Machine Gun Corps. | -do- |
| 762, " | Dixon, T. | 'C' Coy. | 35th Australian I.F. | -do- |
| 200735, " | Dinlock, H.S. | | 2nd Bedford Regiment. | -do- |
| 25368, " | Davies, B.V. | 'C' Coy. | 6th Queen's | -do- |
| 3524, " | Dawson, R.J. | 'HQ' Coy. | 56th Australian I.F. | 15.1.19. |
| 235588, " | Evans, H.H. | 'A' Coy. | 1/1st Hertfords. | 12.1.19. |
| 18797, " | Fish, S. | 'E' Coy. | 3rd. Bn. The Buffs. | -do- |
| 72622, " | Ferry, A. | 'A' Coy. | 1st West Yorks. | 14.1.19. |
| 43005, Mfn | Feierabend, S.A. | | 1.2. Rifle Brigade. | 12.1.19. |
| 760A, Pte. | Gray, H. | 'HQ' Coy. | 20th Australian I.F. | -do- |
| 571140, " | Garwood, G. | 'A' Coy. | 1/17th Lon Regt. attd 1/24th London Regiment. | -do- |
| 2379263, " | Grant, S.C. | 'HQ' Coy. | 8th Manitoba Regt. | -do- |
| 11850, " | Gregory, W. | 'D' Coy. | 7th Lines attd 10th Bn. Sherwood Foresters. | -do- |
| 6095, " | Gilbert, B. | 'Z' Coy. | 2nd Bn. Suffolk Regt | 13.1.19. |

2nd Yorks.

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| 10219, | Pte. | Harris, R.G. | 'C' Coy. | 1/5th Royal Berks. | 12.1.19. |
| 11205, | " | Hawkes, P.S. | 'B' Coy. | 8th Royal Berks. | -do- |
| 51599, | " | Keard, R.S. | 'HQ' Coy. | 39th Bn. A.I.F. | -do- |
| 648289, | " | Hucker, C. | 'A' Coy. | 1720th Bn. Lond. Regt. | -do- |
| 28936, | " | Hurdall, J. | 'B' Coy. | 6th R. Dublin Fus. | -do- |
| 49605, | " | Hitchcock, R.S. | 'HQ' Coy. | 74th Bn. A.I.F. | -do- |
| 245639, | " | Harper, A.H. | 'A' Coy. | 12th Manchesters. | -do- |
| 200283, | " | Jenson, J.R. | 'B' Coy. | 10th East Yorks. | -do- |
| 2832, | " | Jiggins, A.J. | 'HQ' Coy. | 57th Bn. A.I.F. | 14.1.19 |
| 6729, | " | Keegan, M.S. | 'A' Coy. | 6th R. Dublin Fus. | 12.1.19 |
| 55553, | " | Kelly, M.J.D. | 'HQ' Coy. | 19th C.I.F. | -do- |
| 40269, | " | Murray, J. | 'A' Coy. | 1st Cheshires. | -do- |
| 38980, | " | Edson, J.S. | 'A' Coy. | 9th Bn. Yorks Regt. | -do- |
| 123839, | " | Mason, W.G. | 'A' Coy. | 29th Bn. L.C.C. | -do- |
| 162118, | " | Maya, H. | 'D' Coy. | 51st Bn. D.L.I. | -do- |
| 306527, | " | Mayes, J. | 'F' Coy. | 5th Bn. L.R.L.B. | -do- |
| 29563, | Pte. | Lonks, A.J. | 'HQ' Coy. | 32nd Bn. L.G.C. | -do- |
| 245604, | " | Hillier, P. | 'HQ' Coy. | 72nd Bn. C.I.F. | -do- |
| 32737, | " | Meroor, C.W. | | 16th Bn. R. Warwick's. | -do- |
| 53659, | " | Norton, H. | 'D' Coy. | 18th Bn. Gloucester Regt. | -do- |
| 463, | " | Needs, E.A. | 'A' Coy. | 1/4th S. Lancs Regt. | -do- |
| 697050, | " | Nakamura, W. | 'D' Coy. | 50th Bn. C.I.F. | -do- |
| 28701, | " | Niven, W. | 'C' Coy. | 7/8th Bn. L.O.S.B. | -do- |
| 29262, | " | Pettison, B. | 'D' Coy. | 14th Bn. Welsh Regt. | -do- |
| 44122, | " | Peterson, T. | 'D' Coy. | 1/4th Suffolks attd. 2/24th Londons. | -do- |
| 16322, | " | Prosser, A.H. | 'A' Coy. | 8th Bn. R. W. Hents. | -do- |
| 5206, | " | Purcell, J. | 'F' Coy. | 2nd Bn. Scots Guards. | -do- |
| 201876, | " | Paul, W.G. | 'HQ' Coy. | 26th C.I.F. (N.B. Bn.) | -do- |
| 10856, | " | Patenall, F. | No. 6 Coy. | 3rd Bn. Scottish Rif. | 13.1.19. |
| 51185, | " | Paokhan, C.R. | 'H' Coy. | 51st Bn. Rifle Bde | 12.1.191 |
| X 3108, | " | Ryan, J. | 'D' Coy. | X R. Newfoundland | -do- |
| 1515, | " | Ralph, A. | | 11th Lancs. Fus. attd. 5th Devon Regiment. | -do- |
| 200676, | " | Richardson, J. | 'C' Coy. | 4th N. Staffs Regt. | -do- |
| 3750, | " | Ridley, J.C. | 'A' Coy. | 9th Bn. Royal Sussex | -do- |
| 240553, Rtl. | " | Roberts, E. | 'D' Coy. | 1/6th King's L'Pools. | -do- |
| 4675, Pte. | " | Ryan, J.P. | 'HQ' Coy. | 46th Bn. A.I.F. | -do- |
| 50586, | " | Spencer, R. | 'D' Coy. | 20th London Regt. | -do- |
| 202794, | " | Styles, C. | 'C' Coy. | 3rd Bn. R. W. Hents. | -do- |
| 328264, | " | Saunders, W.H. | 'D' Coy. | 1/5th Bn. L.R.B. | -do- |
| 679050, | " | Small, S. | 'A' Coy. | 2nd Bn. Queen's | -do- |
| 23604, | " | Stone, G. | 'Z' Coy. | 1st R. Dublin Fus. | -do- |
| 18319, | " | Staymaker, J. | 'A' Coy. | 11th Bn. Somersets. | -do- |
| 9180, | " | Shannon, D. | 'HQ' Coy. | 2nd Irish Guards. | -do- |
| 680, | " | Smith, J.S. | 'D' Coy. | 9th Bn. Australian I.F. | -do- |
| Lodger No. 3. | " | Tucker, W. | 'HQ' Coy. | 29th C.I.F.S.C. | -do- |
| 425401, | " | Taylor, S.A. | 'HQ' Coy. | 1/7th Bn. Middlesex Regt. | 14.1.19 |

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| 41397, | Pte. | Verge, J.C. | 'A' Coy. | 1st. Middlesex Regt. | 12-20-09. |
| 21152, | " | Wheates, W. | 'D' Coy. | 14th A. & S.H. | -do- |
| 63102, | " | Wood, T. | 'B' Coy. | 23rd. Royal Fusiliers | -do- |
| 2878, | " | Watts, G. | 'A' Coy. | 3rd. Brit. W. Indian Regiment. | -do- |
| 7788, | " | Wallis, G. | 'D' Coy. | 1st. K.S.L.I. | -do- |
| 17091, | " | Wright, G.F. | 'C' Coy. | 3. African Scottish. | -do- |
| 23148, | " | Whitworth, A. | 'D' Coy. | 2nd Bn. Lincoln Regt. | -do- |
| 42569, | " | Younie, J. | 'G' Coy. | 3rd. (Res) Gordon Hlrs. | -do- |

F. H. THOMAS,
Capt. & Adjt.,
SENIOR OFFICERS' SCHOOL.



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PAY & RECORD OFFICE

LILLE MESS,

Ref. Nos IN 372

ALDERSHOT.

Rec'd 13 JAN 1919

Ack'd by Chief Paymaster & O/C Records,
6/1/19

Please note that my address

is as above and not as stated
by me in your office yesterday.

I should be glad if you
could inform me as to the
leaving of any drafts from B.F.F.
as my servant has the option
from the C.O. to proceed to
N.F.I.d.

12. 1. 19.

A. Haley
Captain.

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13/1/19

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Raley's file

14th January, 8.

671/1/R.&.C.

Capt. A. Raley, M.C.,
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,
Senior Officers' School,
Lille Mess, Aldershot.

3108 PTE. J. C. RYAN. *Ste* ..

Your letter 13/1/19 (372) acknowledged and your address has been noted.

The Repatriation Draft is due to leave Liverpool on 24/1/19, and if your servant is to proceed with it he should report at this Office not later than 10 a.m. on Wednesday 22/1/19. No definite word has been received from France as to when the B.E.F. portion of the draft will arrive in this country, but I have been asked by the O.C. 1st Bn. to detain in England certain men, now on leave, who are to join it. It is assumed, therefore, that sanction has been given for them to be demobilised.

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

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

FM/WF 8th, February 8

CAPT. A. RALEY,
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

January, 23rd., 1919.

The enclosed claim and the following letter are submitted for your consideration,-

" 9, Campbell Road,
" Bedford,
" 6/2/18.

"Dear Major Timewell,-
"I have returned to your office to-day the paper re. Separation Allowance you will see that I have an allowance of £120-0-0. per annum. This is entirely voluntary and could be discontinued any time. I thought perhaps I had better explain that to you.

(Sd) V. S. Raley."

Capt. Raley has an allotment of \$1.50 per day in favour of his mother since 10/8/18.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

Issue of Separation Allowance to Mrs. Raley has been approved. Payments will commence Sept. 1st. 1917.

It seems desirable to record the reasons for this decision, in view of the fact that Capt. Raley did not contribute to his mother's support immediately prior to his enlistment.

They are as follows:-

- (1) He is the only son of a widowed mother.
- (2) The contribution of the two stepsons is purely voluntary, and may be discontinued at any time, in which event she would be solely dependent on Capt. Raley.
- (3) He has acknowledged her dependence on him by declaring an allotment in her favor.
- (4) The fact of his not contributing before he enlisted may be considered to be due to the fact that he was not in a position to do so.

J. R. V. Bennett
Minister of Militia.

Capt Sutherland



REGULARS

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War Office,
7th February, 1919.

REGULAR FORCES.

OVERSEA FORCES:

CANADA.

Can. Art.

The undermentioned temp. Capts. to be

temp. Majs.:—

W. S. Trenholme. 18 Oct. 1918.

E. R. W. Hebden, M.C. 3 Nov. 1918.

The undermentioned temp. Lts. to be
temp. Capts.:—

E. R. Paterson. 18 Oct. 1918.

G. A. Gaherty. 3 Nov. 1918.

Can. Engrs.

Temp. Capt. R. D. Sutherland is secd. as
Staff Learner. 21 Oct. 1918. (Substituted for Gaz. notification 20 Dec. 1918.)

Temp. Lt. and Qr.-Mr. W. C. Warren to
be temp. Qr.-Mr., with the hon. rank of
Capt. 6 July 1918.

The undermentioned temp. Lts. to be
temp. Capts.:—

2 Nov. 1918.

H. W. Dawson.

G. Frampton.

K. R. McKinnon, M.C.

M. R. McCracken, M.C., M.M. 31 Oct.
1918.

Nova Scotia Regt.

Temp. Lt. H. B. Poston to be temp. Capt.
25 Mar. 1917, with seniority 1 Nov. 1915.
(Substituted for Gaz. notification 9 Apr.
1918, page 4292, incorrectly specifying date
as from 20 Oct. 1917, and omitting seni-
ority.)

1st Central Ontario Regt.

Temp. Maj. (actg. Lt.-Col.) B. O. Hooper,
D.S.O., M.C., to be temp. Lt.-Col. 27
July 1918.

Temp. Lt. (actg. Capt.) T. McW. Cowan
to be temp. Capt. 2 Jan. 1919.

2nd Central Ontario Regt.

Temp. Lt. J. A. Proctor to be temp. Capt.
29 Aug. 1918.

Alberta Regt.

Temp. Lt. (actg. Capt.) W. D. Friend to
be temp. Capt. 11 Dec. 1918.

Can. Mach. Gun Corps.

The undermentioned temp. Lts. to be
temp. Capts.:—

W. A. Woodward. 9 Dec. 1918.

A. R. Hill. 24 Dec. 1918.

Corps Can. Rly. Troops.

Temp. Capt. (actg. Maj.) J. G. Mac-
Lachlan to be temp. Maj. 4 Dec. 1918.

Temp. Lt. T. A. Willis to be temp. Qr.-
Mr., with the hon. rank of Capt. 19 Nov.
1918.

Can. Art.

Temp. Capt. W. Vassie, M.C., to be temp.
Maj. 20 Sept. 1918.

The undermentioned temp. Lts. to be
temp. Capts.:—

25 Aug. 1918.

A. E. Hopper.

L. G. McNab.

New Brunswick Regt.

Temp. Lt. R. H. Arnold to be actg. Capt.
while comdg. a Co. 16 Oct. 1918.

Manitoba Regt.

Temp. Lt. (actg. Capt.) R. Corbit relin-
quishes the actg. rank of Capt. on ceasing to
be spec. empld. 16 Dec. 1918.

Alberta Regt.

Alberta Regt.
Temp. Lt. F. A. S. Dunn to be actg. Capt.
while empld. with the Khaki University. 19
Dec. 1918.

Can. Forestry Corps.

Temp. Lt. R. Bateman to be actg. Capt.
while empld. as 2nd in comd. of a Co. 17
Nov. 1918.

Can. A.S.C.

The undermentioned temp. Lts. to be
temp. Capts. :—
7 Nov. 1918.

W. D. Chambers.
A. B. Raymond.

Can. A.M.C.

The undermentioned temp. Maj. to be
actg. Lt.-Col. :—

G. Musson, while empld. as Chief of the
Medical Service at a Can. Gen. Hospital.
8 Dec. 1918.

G. H. R. Gibson, D.S.O., while empld. as
O.C. of Can. Convalescent Hospital. 2
Jan. 1919.

The undermentioned Hon. Lts. and temp.
Qr.-Mrs. to be temp. Qr.-Mrs., with the hon.
rank of Capt. :—

W. H. Armstrong. 14 Nov. 1918.
C. W. McGill. 30 Nov. 1918.
J. A. MacDonald. 1 Jan. 1919.

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REGULARS B TWO

F.M.C.A.

Hon. Lt. F. W. Tonkin resigns his commn.
10 Jan. 1919.

Can. Gen. List.

Hon. Capt. H. G. M. Hambling resigns his
commn. in England. 27 Jan. 1919.

Hon. Lt. R. D. Scott resigns his commn.
10 Jan. 1919.

Can. Cav.

Temp. Lt. J. Macklem ceases to be secd.
for duty with the R.A.F. 19 Jan. 1919.

Can. Art.

Temp. Capt. D. K. Hazen to be temp.
Maj. and to remain secd. 1 Dec. 1918.

Temp. Lt. C. R. McCort ceases to be secd.
for duty with the R.G.A. 2 Jan. 1919.

Nova Scotia Regt.

Temp. Lt. M. S. McLean ceases to be
secd. for duty with the R.A.F. 9 Jan. 1919.

Quebec Regt.

Temp. Capt. E. D. Morse to be temp. Maj.
15 Jan. 1919.

1st Central Ontario Regt.

Temp. Maj. W. C. Cochrane ceases to be
secd. for duty with the Ministry of Informa-
tion. 30 Dec. 1918.

The undermentioned cease to be secd. for
duty with the R.A.F. :—

Temp. Lt. A. C. Dean. 1 Jan. 1919.

Temp. Capt. J. W. G. Clark. 19 Jan.
1919.

Temp. Lt. S. W. Orr. 20 Jan. 1919.

2nd Central Ontario Regt.

Temp. Lt. W. B. MacKay ceases to be
secd. for duty with the R.A.F. 2 Jan. 1919.

Western Ontario Regt.

Temp. Lt. J. W. F. Light ceases to be
secd. for duty with the Ministry of Informa-
tion. 13 Jan. 1919.

Temp. Capt. R. G. McMullen ceases to be
secd. for duty with the R.A.F. 20 Jan.
1919.

Temp. Lt. J. E. King ceases to be secd.
for duty with the R.A.F. 14 Jan. 1919.

Manitoba Regt.

Temp. Lt.-Col. J. E. Leckie, C.M.G.,
D.S.O., to be actg. Col. while comdg.
Soroka District Syren Party. 16 Nov. 1918.

Saskatchewan Regt.

The undermentioned temp. Lts. cease to
be secd. for duty with the R.A.F. :—

L. C. Gilmour. 1 Jan. 1919.

S. L. Shannon. 14 Jan. 1919.

C. Le G. Amy. 20 Jan. 1919.

Alberta Regt.

Temp. Lt. T. U., Ross ceases to be secd.
for duty with the Ministry of Munitions.
19 Jan. 1919.

British Columbia Regt.

Temp. Lt. S. E. Young ceases to be secd.
for duty with the R.A.F. 20 Jan. 1919.

Can. Mach. Gun Corps.

Temp. Lt. J. A. Riddell ceases to be secd.
for duty with the Ministry of Munitions.
29 Nov. 1918.

Corps Can. Rly. Troops.

Temp. Maj. C. Flint, D.S.O., ceases to be
secd. for duty with the R.M.A. 20 Jan.
1919.

Can. Forestry Corps.

Temp. Lt. (actg. Capt.) H. J. Burden,
D.S.O., D.F.C., ceases to be secd. for duty
with the R.A.F. 1 Jan. 1919.

Can. A.S.C.

Temp. Lt. W. D. Chambers ceases to be
secd. for duty with the R.A.F. 5 Jan. 1919.

SOUTH AFRICA:

1st S. Afr. Inf.

The undermentioned to be temp. 2nd Lts.
(Substituted for Gaz. notification 1 Jan.
1919):—

18 Dec. 1918.

4087 Co. Serjt.-Maj. A. Smith, D.C.M.,
M.M.
9092 Serjt. A. H. Thurgood, M.M.

2nd S. Afr. Inf.

The undermentioned to be temp. 2nd Lts.
(Substituted for Gaz. notification 1 Jan.
1919):—

18 Dec. 1918.

No. 2707 Corpl. J. Rawlings.
No. 5175 Serjt. F. Gillwald.

4th S. Afr. Inf.

No. 8693 Corpl. J. L. Dinsdale to be temp.
2nd Lt. 18 Dec. 1918. (Substituted for
Gaz. notification 1 Jan. 1918.)

1st Bn., Cape Corps.

Temp. Capt. W. P. Anderson to be temp.
Maj. 21 Sept. 1918.

The undermentioned temp. 2nd Lts. to be
temp. Lts.:—

2 Jan. 1919.

S. V. Samuelson, M.C.
R. Colson.

NEWFOUNDLAND,

1st Bn., Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Temp. Capt. and Adj. A. Raley, M.C.,
to be temp. Maj. 5 Jan. 1919.

~~Maj~~

Capt. Sulter and
in Sic K

See tel. to HQ
6/2/19.

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

28th February, 1919.

3367/2/R.&.C.

Dear Major Raley,

The Minister of Militia has asked by telegraph if it is your intention to transfer to the Imperial Forces either now or after the war, or to remain with the Newfoundland Regiment until you are demobilised.

Will you please inform me?

Yours sincerely,

J. B. Hudson, Capt.

Major A. Raley, M.C.,
R. Newfoundland Regt.

*Congratulations as you
Majority! J.B.H.*

Dear Anderson,

Ref. reverse I quite intend remaining with the Regt. as long as the Newfoundland Government can find work for me with it.

I do not intend transferring or joining the Imperial Forces until I have returned to N.F. with last draft of the Regiment.

Can you inform me why the H. of H. wishes to know this?

Many thanks for congratulations. Any news of the Regt.

Yrs sincerely
Arthur

1. 3. 19

P.S. I mean try to join the G. F.'s when the N.F. Government has no further use for my services but certainly not before. CRP

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTTELEGRAM ~~full-text~~
extract from MINISTER OF MILITIA No. YAG1/23/20Dated 20/ 2 /19 (P. & R.O. ³⁹), Received 21/ 2 /19Decoded by N.M. Checked by J.L.Branch Records. Acted upon (Initial) _____

Acknowledged per No. _____ dated / /

With reference to your telegram 6 February- Raley- is it intended that- this- officer- will be transferred to- Imperial Forces- or- remain with- Newfoundland Regiment- if the latter- it is- not understood- why- promotion- has been made- without reference- here- in accordance with- War Office- letter- 3 August- 1918- 121/Overseas/5045/M.S.4.K.- fullstop.

3119/86/R.&.C.

22nd February,

9.

The Secretary,
War Office,
S.W. 1.

Sir,

Major A. Raley, M.C.

1st Lt. R. Raley

Referring to the London Gazette of 7/2/19 (page 1936) under the heading Newfoundland: I beg to quote the following extract of a telegram dated 20/2/19 (39) from the Minister of Militia, St. John's, Newfoundland to this Office:

"With reference to your telegram 6 Feb.- Raley- is
"it intended that- this- officer- will be transferred
"to- Imperial Forces- or- remain with- Newfoundland
"Regt.- if the latter- it is- not understood- why-
"promotion- has been made- without reference- here-
"in accordance with- War Office- letter- 3 August-
"1918- 121/Overseas/5045 (M.S.4.K)-"

With regard to the former portion of the above extract, it is not known in this office if it is Major Raley's intention to be transferred to the Imperial Forces.

Will you please state what reply should be sent to the Minister of Militia?

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Capt.,

For Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

HA/NV

All further communications on this subject should be addressed to—
The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W. 1.
and the following number quoted.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORDS OFFICE

RECORDED IN 4920
27 FEB 1919

WAR OFFICE,
LONDON, S.W. 1.

26th February, 1919.

121/R/1584 (M.S.4.K.504)

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 22nd February, 1919, No. 3119/86/R.&C., I am directed to inform you it is regretted that through a misunderstanding, the recommendation for the promotion of Temporary Captain A. Raley, M.C., to be Temporary Major in the 1st Royal Newfoundland Regiment, was not submitted to your Headquarters for approval, as it was understood that this had been done by the Officer Commanding, the 1st Battalion, Royal Newfoundland Regiment in France, and in the circumstances it is requested that covering sanction may now be given for this promotion.

When the proof copy for the gazette was forwarded to your Headquarters, an Officer from this Department enquired by telephone whether you wished this promotion withdrawn, and it was understood from your reply that it should be proceeded with.

This officer was promoted in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, and there is no question of his being transferred to the Imperial Army.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J Blackburn
Captain

for N. Col.

for Military Secretary.

The Officer in Charge of Pay and Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.1.

See ltr. to HQ 27-2-19
H23

1st April

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Major A. Raley, M.C.,

Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

9, Campbell Road, Bedford.

5207/3/R&C

MOVEMENTS.

In reply to your letter of 1/4/19 (2533), I have to inform you that the 1st Battalion will probably return to this Country about the first week in May.

Unless you hear to the contrary you will please report to O. C. 2nd Battalion, Hazeley Down Camp, on the expiration of your leave. Doubtless an application for extension of leave pending the return of the 1st Battalion will be favourably considered by him.

7.
for Chief Paymaster & O. Staff Captain.

J. J.
C.P.M. & Co R.

Afld Contingent

J 9533

Pf 5207/3.

I have been instructed
to report to you on expiration of
my leave as apparently the W.O.
have no instructions for me.

Will you please let
me know when the last of the
P. Bu. is expected from B. E. F.
It will hardly be worth while
my returning to France if they
are coming home this month.

If I have to report to
the Depot I presume I shall be
notified as to day of reporting

as I understand they have
all the officers there that
they can employ at present.

A. Haley
Major

1st R. Nfld Regt

1.4.19.

6274/4/P&A

Major A. Raley,
2/Bn. Royal Wfld. Regt.,
Hazeley Down Camp,
Winchester.

23rd April 9

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE & ALLOTMENT.

With reference to your letter of 15/4/19 (2886): Increased rate of Separation Allowance has been paid to your Mother from the date of your promotion to the end of last pay period but allotment was not increased accordingly. Allotment will be increased to £2.00 per day from 12/4/19 and the amount payable for future periods will be:-

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| Allotment | £11.10. 2. |
| Separation Allice. | 9. 9. 6 |

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Major.
Chief Paymaster & O.I/c.Recds.

WF/JF

Sp/Man/m



OFFICERS' MESS,
2/1 ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT

Winchester

15. 4. 19.

To C.P.M.
Newfoundland Conty

The cheque for allotment made
by me to Mrs. Raley, Bedford shows no
increase this month whereas Separation
allowance was increased according to
my rank.

I presume the allotment
cheque should also have been increased
& deducted from amount paid into
Bank of Montreal to my account.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTY
288A
16 APR 1919

A Raley
6274/4 Major

FRATERN
Comd
P.A.
P.C.
P.E.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 3511/131/R.&C. (0-149)

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.
4th March, 1919

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

SUBJECT :

MAJOR A. RALEY, M.O.

Reference Nos.

Following exchange of
telegrams is quoted, please:

- Despatched 6/2/19 No. 69.
"War Office- has gazetted- Capt.-
"Raley- Major- with effect Jan.
"5- 1919- at request of- G.H.Q.-
"France- and-without- reference
"to- this Office- do you concur-
"Synoptical."
- Received 21/2/19 (39).
"With ref. to your telegram 6 Feb
"Raley- is it intended- that-
"this- Officer- will be trans-
"ferred to- Imperial Forces- or-
"remain with- Nfld Regt.- if the
"latter- it is- not understood-
"why- promotion- has been made-
"without- reference here- in
"accordance with- W.O.- letter-
"3 Aug.- 1918- 121/Overseas/5045
"M.S.4.K.-
"Military."
- Despatched 28/2/19 No. 102.
"With ref. to your telegram-Feb.
"20- Major- Raley- War Office-
"regrets- promotion- was- not
"referred to- you- before-
"gazetting- await- letter-
"Synoptical."

I enclose copy of my No.
3119/86/R.&C. of 22/2/18 to the
Secretary, War Office, together
with copy of reply thereto 121/R/
1584 (M.S.4.K.504) of 26/2/19 (1720).
With regard to the second paragraph
of W.O. letter, the facts are these:
proof of London Gazette was sent to
this Office and Capt. Anderson
immediately rang up W.O. Department
concerned and was informed that
Gazette would be in print the following
day, if not already in print, and it
was agreed that it was then too late

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REPLY

Dated June 11th, 1919

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

This case has been held

over until the return of Major
Raley and O.C. 1st Battalion and
has been looked into pretty thor-
oughly. Capt. Anderson of your
office has also been able to give
some information concerning this
matter, and it has been decided
to gazette Major Raley with effect
from Jan. 5th, 1919

A. E. Hickman

Minister of Militia

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

4460

27 JUN 1919

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Some time ago Major Raley considered transferring to the Indian Army, but he afterwards decided not to do so, and he now informs this office that it is not his present intention to transfer to the Imperial Forces, at least not so long as the Newfoundland Government can find use for his military services. He states that he may apply for a ~~transfer~~ *Commission* later on.

J. B. Anderson

Capt.,

For Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/NV

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| Received | / | / | |
| LAST Ref. No. | | | |
| NEXT " " | | | |

3511/131/R. "G. (0-149)

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

4th March, 9

MAJOR A. RALEY, M.C.

June 11th 1919.

Following exchange of telegrams is quoted, please:

- Despatched 6/2/19 No. 89.
"War Office - has gazetted - Capt. -
"Raley - Major - with effect Jan.
"5 - 1919 - at request of - G.H.Q. -
"France - and without - reference
"to - this Office - do you concur -
"Synoptical."
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"With ref. to your telegram 6 Feb.
"Raley - is it intended - that -
"this - Officer - will be trans -
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"remain with - Hfld Regt. - if the
"latter - it is - not understood -
"why - promotion - has been made -
"without - reference here - in
"accordance with - W.O. - letter -
"3 Aug. - 1918 - 121/Overseas/5045
"M.S.4.K. -
"Military."
- Despatched 29/2/19 No. 102.
"With ref. to your telegram - Feb.
"30 - Major - Raley - War Office -
"regrets - promotion - was - not
"referred to - you - before -
"gazetting - await - letter -
"Synoptical."

This case has been held over until the return of Major Raley and O.C. 1st Batta and has been looked into pretty thoroughly. Capt. Anderson of your office has also been able to give some information concerning this matter, and it has been decided to gazette Major Raley with effect from Jan. 5th, 1919.

(Sgd) A. E. HICKMAN

Minister of Militia.

(In: Ref. No. 4460)

I enclose copy of my No. 3119/88/R. "G. of 22/2/18 to the Secretary, War Office, together with copy of reply thereto 121/R/1584 (M.S.4.K.504) of 26/2/19 (1720). With regard to the second paragraph of W.O. letter, the facts are these: proof of London Gazette was sent to this Office and Capt. Anderson immediately rang up W.O. Department concerned and was informed that Gazette would be in print the following day, if not already in print, and it was agreed that it was then too late

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Some time ago Major Raley considered transferring to the Indian Army, but he afterwards decided not to do so, and he now informs this office that it is not his present intention to transfer to the Imperial Forces, at least not so long as the Newfoundland Government can find use for his military services. He states that he may apply for a *transfer Commission* later on.

Capt.,

For Chief Paymaster & C. i/o Records.

HA/NV

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY

Posted. 27 MAR 1919



3511/131/R. a. c.

The Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

June 11th 1919

4th March,

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"this- Officer- will be trans-
"ferred to- Imperial Forces- or-
"remain with- Nfld Regt.- if the
"letter- it is- not understood-
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W. G. Readell
Minister of Militia

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J. B. Anderson

Capt.,

For Chief Paymaster & C. i/c Records.

HA/NV

Anderson

3119/86/R.&C.

22nd February, 9.

The Secretary,
War Office,
S.W. 1.

Sir,

Major A. Raley, M.C.

Mr. Hon. R. W. R. Raley.

Referring to the London Gazette of 7/2/19 (page 1936) under the heading Newfoundland: I beg to quote the following extract of a telegram dated 20/2/19 (39) from the Minister of Militia, St. John's, Newfoundland to this Office:

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"Regt.- if the latter- it is- not understood- why-
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"in accordance with- War Office- letter- 3 August-
"1918- 121/Overseas/5045 (M.S.4.K)-"

With regard to the former portion of the above extract, it is not known in this office if it is Major Raley's intention to be transferred to the Imperial Forces.

Will you please state what reply should be sent to the Minister of Militia?

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Capt.,

For Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

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COPY

WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

26th February, 1919.

121/R/1584

(M.S.4.K.504).

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When the proof copy for the gazette was forwarded to your Headquarters, an Officer from this Department enquired by telephone whether you wished this promotion withdrawn, and it was understood from your reply that it should be proceeded with.

This officer was promoted in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, and there is no question of his being transferred to the Imperial Army.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) E. BLACKBURN, Captain.
for Lt. Col.,
for Military Secretary.

The O. In Charge of Pay & Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

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27/2/19.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTTELEGRAM ~~sent~~ extract from MINISTER OF MILITIA No. A.G. 37Dated 23/8/18 (1916), Received 23/8/18Decoded by JRB Checked by A.C.Branch Pana A. Acted upon (Initial) _____

Acknowledged per No. _____ dated / /

364 - Please inform - if -
 Lieut O'Rourke - has been -
 Credited - pay - as - Quartermaster -
 and - from what date -
 full stop -

Military -

Rep 1154 27/8/18

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REGS

With reference to your }
Telegram 28th August }

all
have been paid
with exception of
3403 Locke
You can adjust
full stop
with regard to
ORourke
Regimental pay
as
Quatermaster
Not yet
authorized by
War Office
Still under Consideration

UNIDEAL -
ALL -
PANTOFLOAT -
EPICOLIC -
3403 LOCKE -
ACANELADA -
SILVERGOD -
RECIDIATE -
O. ROUAKE -
PANOURA -
AS -
QUALENTOD -
NOMOFILACE -
ARCHEUNIST -
TIRATRICE -
CONIFERS -

Synoptical

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RR
27/9/14

Cables and Telegrams:
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone:
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

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

ENCLOSURE

N. F. P/38.
ORIGINAL.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 4302/177/P&A 0-195

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.
17th. March, 1919.

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

WF/MN

SUBJECT:

LIEUTENANT. O'ROURKE.
NEWFOUNDLAND FORESTRY CORPS.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated November 12th. 1919 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

Exchange of telegrams confirmed,-

(1)
"Received 24/2/19 (691):
"Synoptical, London.
"Advise by telegraph-from what
"date-and-what amount-have you-
"credited-Lieutenant-O'Rourke?
"with pay-as-Quartermaster-
"fullstop-

MILITARY."

(2)
"Despatched 25/2/19 (95):
"Military, St. John's.
"With reference to your telegram
"23 February-O'Rourke-yes-£3.75+
"per day-from-4 August-1917-see-
"Canadian Routine-Order-4943-
"fullstop-

SYNOPTICAL."

As stated in (2) Lieut. O'Rourke was credited with pay as Quartermaster at a consolidated rate of £3.75 per diem in accordance with Canadian Routine Orders 16/11/18, and adjustment was effected in his Account to 30/1/19, date he embarked for Newfoundland, amount of £117:3:11 being placed to the credit of his account at the Bank of Montreal, 9 Waterloo Place, 29/1/19, statistics enclosed, please.

J. H. M. Asst. Paymaster.
Chief Paymaster & O I/c Records.

Noted, please.

W. J. Rendell
Lieut. Col.
Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

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R. & O.
S & F
P.S.

/// 4923.

Chief Staff Officer (London). 4th December 9.

12469/6/P&A. Captain L. T. Stick, 2/61st K.G.O.Pioneers,
St. Enoch Station Hotel,

FM/FK.

GLASGOW.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

With reference to your letter 2/12/19 (6298):
For the purpose of assessing War Service Gratuity which
may be due in your case, the total period of service
would be combined, whether in the ranks or as a
Commissioned Officer. The maximum gratuity payable
for three years service or over is 183 days Pay and
Field Allowance.

In view of your statement that you will
receive more than £549.00 from the Indian Government,
there is nothing due to you, under the Regulations, from
the Newfoundland Government.

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

G. & S. W. F. HOTELS.

TELEPHONE—GLASGOW (CENTRAL) 8810

GLASGOW ST ENOCH.

AYR STATION.

DUMFRIES STATION.

TURNBERRY STATION.

ST ENOCH STATION HOTEL.

TELEGRAMS "SOUTHWESTERN"

GLASGOW, ^{ad.} Dec 2 1919.

J. H. THOMAS,
MANAGER.

To Chief Staff Officers.
Newfoundland Contingent.

Sir, Ref. your 12375/5/PFA.

As the advice from Headquarters speaks about officers' gratuity, I take it that my service in the ranks with The Royal Newfoundland Regiment still holds good regarding gratuity for that period!

As my gratuity from the Indian Government will be much more than that from Newfoundland Public Funds, I do not wish to claim from the latter for officers' gratuity. The India office has pointed out to me that.

Gratuity for services in the ranks must be claimed; from you.

I therefore kindly request you to claim gratuity from Newfoundland Public Funds for the period I served in the ranks ^{with} of the Royal Newfoundland Regt., for which I shall be extremely obliged.

L. Sticks. Capt.
I.R.O.

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| NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE. | | |
| Ref. Nos IN 6298 | | |
| Rec'd 3. DEC 1919 | | |
| Ack'd | | Ans'd |
| Ref. Nos. UUI | | |
| ACTED UPON | | |
| BRANCH | DATE | BY |
| Comd. | | |
| P & A. ✓ | | |
| R & O. | | |
| B & E | | |
| P. S. | | |

/// 4923

////////// Chief Staff Officer (London). 27th November 9

12375/5/P&A.

Captain L. T. Stick, 2/61st, K.G.O.Pioneers,
St. Enoch Station Hotel,

GLASGOW.

FM/PK.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

With further reference to your letter 19/11/19: Advice has now been received from Headquarters regarding the principle to be applied to the assessment of War Service Gratuity in the case of Officers of the Newfoundland Contingent who were transferred to the Imperial Forces.

In your case, on your demobilisation from the Indian Army, Gratuity will be assessed at the total period of service in both forces, thus for over three years service the Gratuity admissible at Newfoundland Rates of pay is 183 days @ \$3.00 - \$549.00 from which is deducted the amount you receive from the Imperial or Indian Governments, the balance, if any, to be payable by the Newfoundland Government. In the event of your receiving from the Imperial or Indian Governments more than \$549.00, nothing is payable from Newfoundland Public Funds.

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

RETURN TO

Room No. Branch

W 5615 RP1029 IN 3/18 DSG(52000) K18/343

/// 4923.

////////// Staff Officer (London). 25th November 9.
Captain L. T. Stick, 2/61st K.G.O. Pioneers,

539/4/P&A.

St. Enoch Station Hotel,

G L A S G O W.

FM/FK.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

With reference to your letter to
Captain Marshall 19/11/19: The enclosed reply to
your letter dated 18/8/19 has apparently not reached
you.

Decision on the matter has not yet
been received from Headquarters.

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

G. & S. W. Ry. HOTELS.

GLASGOW—ST ENOCH.
AYR—STATION.
DUMFRIES—STATION.
TURNBERRY—STATION.

TELEGRAMS. "SOUTHWESTERN"

J. H. THOMAS,
MANAGER.

ST ENOCH STATION HOTEL.

GLASGOW, Nov. 19th 1919.

Dear Freddie,

I called into
your office while passing
through London, but you
were not there. Can you
tell me anything about
Gratuity from the Newfoundland
Government. If there is
anything that I can claim
I should be extremely
obliged if you could put
me right. Write and let
me know and oblige.

Yours sincerely
J. Stick. Capt.
46th St. Hs. O. Pioneers.

Field Army
N W Frontier Force
Aug 18/19.

Dear Freddie,

According to Army orders, I see I cannot get gratuity for the time I served with the Royal Newfoundland Regt. Can you tell me if I can claim gratuity from the Newfoundland Govt. for the time I served with the Regt.; if so what amount is coming to me. If there is any amount due to me, would you mind crediting my account with the Bank of London and advise me. I see by the Nfld. papers that some sort of gratuity is being paid but what it is I don't know.

You know the date of my commission July 5/16, date transferred to Indian Army Oct 11/17. Date of enlistment about Aug 22/14, Promoted Sergeant about two weeks later. I think you also have my Commission papers if so kindly forward them to Fairbairn, 5 Devon Row St John's Nfld. I have just been through the last Afghan Campaign, which ended about two weeks ago. I expect to be demobilized early next Spring so will probably see you in London then. Many congratulations on your honour of O.B.E. I think you worked hard enough to deserve it. Everybody appears to be now at home, so I expect I shall be about the last of the old bunch to

get back. many regards to Mrs Marshall
and the baby also to Major Fennell
any of the boys who remember me not
forgetting yourself

Yours Sincerely
L. T. Stuck

Address letters as follows

~~Stuck~~ L. T. Stuck. Lieut
2/1st Bn. Kils. & Pioneers
of Thos. Cook & Son
Bombay.

3rd October

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Lt. L. T. Stick,

K.G.O. Pioneers,

c/o. Thomas Cook & Son, BOMBAY.

FM/FK.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

With reference to your letter to Captain Marshall 18/8/19 regarding War Service Gratuity that may be due to you ex Newfoundland Public Funds: so far specific instructions on the subject have not been received from the Minister of Militia, St. John's, but your case is being submitted and on receipt of reply you will be further communicated with.

It is, however, understood that any such payment will not become assessable or due until your demobilization from the Imperial Forces takes place.

Major.
Chief Staff Officer (London).

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~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ The Minister of Militia,

St John's,

NEWFOUNDLAND.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITIES.

The following is an extract from letter from Lt L.T. Stick (Original Regt No.1.) and this office reply thereto:-

EXTRACT FROM LETTER

"According to Army Orders
"I see I cannot get gratuity
"for the time I served with
"the Royal Newfoundland Regt.
"Can you tell me if I can
"claim gratuity from the
"Newfoundland Government for the
"time I served with the Regt.
"If so what amount is coming
"to me. If there is any
"amount due to me, would you
"mind crediting my account
"with Thos Cook and Son, London.
"and advise me. I see
"by the Newfoundland Papers
"that some sort of gratuity
"is being paid, but what it is
"I dont know. You know
"the dates of my commission.
"July 1st/16., date transferred
"to Indian Army October 11th/17.
"Date of enlistment about
"August 14th/14. Promoted
"Sergeant about two weeks
"later. "

REPLY THERETO

"With reference to your
"letter to Captain Marshall
"18/8/19., regarding War
"Service Gratuity that may be
"due to you ex Newfoundland
"Public Funds: so far specific
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"of reply you will be further
"communicated with.

P.T.O.

"It is, however, understood
"that any such payment will
"not become assessable or
"due until your demobilization
"from the Imperial Forces
"takes place.

Reference may be made to Canadian
Ruling, Section 8.

Note (b) Where a soldier has
served in the Canadian, but later
in the Imperial Forces, he would
be entitled to War Service Gratuity
based on his total ~~Canadian~~ Service
on final discharge from the
Imperials less the War Service
Gratuity received from the Imperial
Authorities, but not exceeding in
any event, the War Service Gratuity
to which he would be entitled
under Canadian Regulations, for
the length and character of his
service with the Canadian Forces.
(Auth:- Ottawa cable 2199 d/13th
February.1919).

Will you kindly furnish
information necessary for reply
and guidance in any similar cases.

Major
Chief Staff Officer (London)

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE.

MEMORANDUM.

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No. ~~11557~~/694/P&A

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

To The Minister of Militia,
St John's,

NEWFOUNDLAND.

FM/GK

4th Oct. 1919.

SUBJECT:

WAR SERVICE GRATUITIES.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated November 12th. 1919 101

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

The following is an extract from letter from Lt L.T. Stick (Original Regt No.1.) and this office reply thereto:-

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"I see I cannot get gratuity
"for the time I served with
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"the dates of my commission.
"July 1st/16., date transferred
"to Indian Army October 11th/17.
"Date of enlistment about
"August 14th/14. Promoted
"Sergeant about two weeks
"later. "

The procedure adopted here in cases of this nature, is as outlined in the Canadian order, quote by you, which you will please follow in dealing with this case.

W. J. Ruddeley
Lieut. Col.
for the Minister of Militia.

REPLY THERETO

"With reference to your
"letter to Captain Marshall
"18/8/19., regarding War
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"Public Funds: so far specific
"instructions on the subject
"have not been received from
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P.T.O.

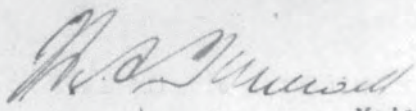
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
6206
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"It is, however, understood
"that any such payment will
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"due until your demobilization
"from the Imperial Forces
"takes place.

Reference may be made to Canadian
Ruling Section 8.

Note (b) Where a soldier has
served in the Canadian, but later
in the Imperial Forces, he would
be entitled to War Service Gratuity
based on his total period of Service
on final discharge from the
Imperial less the War Service
Gratuity received from the Imperial
Authorities, but not exceeding in
any event, the War Service Gratuity
to which he would be entitled
under Canadian Regulations, for
the length and character of his
service with the Canadian Forces.
(Auth:- Ottawa cable 2129 d/13th
February.1919).

Will you kindly furnish,
information necessary for reply,
and guidance in any similar cases.



Major
Chief Staff Officer (London)

Raley, A Major

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ORIGINAL.

No. 8227.

N.F.P./54.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. 354

To: The Hon. The Min. of Militia.
St. John's,
Newfoundland

" " Company.

MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/~~CREDITS~~ on account of

Paymasters Advances.

NOTE:- Charge under

Column

Credit Pay & Record Office, London, S.W.1.

| Regtl No. | Rank & Name | | Particulars & Authority | AMOUNT | | | | | |
|--------------|-------------|---------|--|--------|---|---|---|--|--|
| | | | | £ | s | d | | | |
| | Major | A.Raley | Deposit to Bank of Montreal to clear outstanding cheques voucher 3758, P.M.A. 286, 27/5/19.. | | 5 | 6 | 4 | | |
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Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

A. C. Mansel

2nd June

1919.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made
in the Pay Book " " Co'y for Period / / to / /

Dated at _____

_____ 191

G. C. " " Company.
Battalion.

DUPLICATE.

No. 9227.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./54.

No. 354

To: **The Hon. The Min. of Militia.**
St. John's,
Newfoundland

" " Company.

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

2nd June

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A. O. Guinness Maj.
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

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in the Pay Book " " Co'y for Period / / to / /

Dated at _____

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C.C. " " Company.
Battalion.

No. _____
 (If replying, please quote
 above No.)

Record Office,

Station.

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SIR,

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the War Office to the effect that (No.) _____

(Rank) Captain (Name) A. Raley M.C.

*Strike out words that do not apply.

(Regiment) 1st Newfoundland was

| |
|-------------------------|
| *dangerously |
| *severely |
| *slightly |

wounded in action ~~at~~ presumably by a gas shell

and was on the 17th day of April 1917. at the 7th Stationary Hospital, Boulogne

I am at the same time to express the sympathy and regret of the Army Council.

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

I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

Officer in charge of Records.

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,
War Office,

Whitehall, London, S.W.,

and the following number quoted.

121/R/915 - AG.4C.

WAR OFFICE,

Whitehall,

LONDON, S.W., 1.

26 May 1917.

The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments to *The Officer in Charge, Newfoundland Records* and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for *his* the information of

a copy of the document noted in the subjoined schedule on the subject of *Medical Board held on Captain P. Raley, 1st Battalion Newfoundland Regiment.*

| Date | From | Description |
|------------------|---|--|
| <i>2. 5. 17.</i> | <i>General Office Commanding, London District</i> | <i>Proceedings of Medical Board held on above named Officer.</i> |

*58, Victoria Street
London S.W.*



3rd London General Hospital,

Wandsworth S.W

May 6th 1917

Officer i/o Records
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street.

Notified for your information
that the undermentioned Officer was discharged from this
Hospital during the past week and proceeded to the
address given :--

Ad/Discharged

Address

2-5-17

Capt Raley .A..... 1st Nfld
9, Campbell Road,
Bedford.



H. Jagan
Capt. R.A.M.C. (17)

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, on 2.5.17.
 by order of The Secretary. The War Office. S.W.
 for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of
 (Rank and Name) Capt. A. Raley. (Corps) 1st Newfoundland.
 Age 27 Service 5⁶/12. Disability Gas poisoning (Shell Gas.)
 Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability _____
 Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability _____

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back of the form, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that
at Monchy on 14.1V.17 he was "gassed" but not rendered unconscious.
He was sent to Boulogne and thence here on 19.1V.17.
He is now convalescent but suffers from dyspnoea on exertion.
The Board recommends that this officer be granted three weeks
leave expiring 23.V.17.

6 (a) Fit for Light Duty at a Command Depot. No.

6 (b) Fit for Treatment only at a Command Depot. No.

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

- (1.) a. Is the officer fit for "General Service"? No.
 b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? Two months.
- (2.) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for service at home? No.
 b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for service at home? Two months.
 c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for light duty at home? Yes without
route marching.
 d. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for light duty at home? _____
- (3.) Was the disability contracted in the service? Yes.
- (4.) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? Yes.
- (5.) Was it caused by military service? Yes.
- (6.) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? Shell explosion.
- (7.) If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated by it? _____

A.F. Voelcker, Major. R.A.M.C.T. President.

Signatures

C.G. Galpin, Capt. R.A.M.C.

R.J.B. Howard, C.S.

Members.

Confidential.

To be used in cases of wounds or injuries received in action.
(For instructions for preparing this report see back of form.)

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD assembled by order of _____

The Secretary. The War Office.

for the purpose of examining and reporting on the present state of a wound or injury sustained

by Capt. A. Raley. 1st Newfoundland.

at (Place of injury) Monchy. on the (Date of injury) 14.1V.17.

The Board find at Monchy on 14.4.17. he was gassed but not
rendered unconscious.

He was sent to Boulogne and thence here on 19.4.17.

He is now convalescent but suffers from dyspnoea on
exertion.

The Board recommends that this Officer be granted three
weeks leave expiring 23rd May, 1917.

28/5/17

The opinion of the Board upon the questions below is as follows:—

| | Replies | | |
|--|--|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | As to first wound | As to second wound (if any) | As to third wound (if any) |
| 1.—Has the officer lost an eye or a limb; or has he permanently lost the use of an eye or a limb; or is the injury equivalent to the loss of a limb, and permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Articles 639 to 644 of the Royal Warrant for Pay, &c.) | No. | | |
| 2.—If the case does not come under the category of 1:— (a) Was the injury, in the first instance, very severe in character? (b) Are its effects still very severe? | No. No. | | |
| 3.—If the case is classified under category 2, are the effects of the injury permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Article 646.) | - | | |
| 4.—Injuries that do not come under the above categories should be classified here, making use of the following terms:— <i>severe</i> or <i>slight</i> and <i>permanent</i> or <i>not permanent</i> , as the case may be. | Severe. Some disability may be permanent. | | |
| 5.—For what period, calculated from the date of the wound or injury, is it probable that the officer will be incapacitated for military duty by such wound or injury? | Six weeks. | | |

Signatures { A.F.Voelcker, Major, R.A.M.C.T.
C.G.Galpin, Capt, R.A.M.C.

Station 3rd London General Hospital Wandsworth, S.W. R.J.B.Howard, C.S.

Date 2.V.17.

[P.T.O.]

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,
War Office, *Whitehall*
London, S.W., 1.

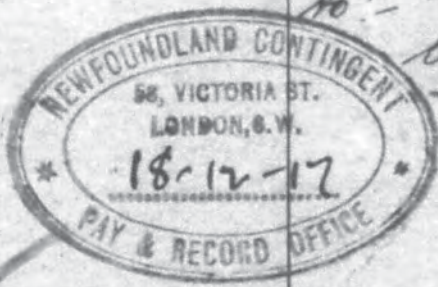
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121/8/915 (S.S.A.O.)

WAR OFFICE, *Whitehall*
LONDON, S.W., 1.

17 December 1917 .

The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments to *The Officer-in-Charge, Newfoundland Records, 55, Victoria Street, S.W.* and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for ~~the~~ *his* information ~~of and retention~~ a copy of the document noted in the subjoined schedule ~~on~~ ~~the subject of~~

| Date | From | Description. |
|-------------------|---|---|
| <i>10. 8. 17.</i> |  | <p><i>Proceedings of a Medical Board relating to: Captain A. Paley, 1st Battalion, Newfoundland Regiment.</i></p> <p><i>He.</i></p> |

CONFIDENTIAL

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at... Dundee on 10th August, 1917.
by order of..... G.O.C. in C., Scottish Command.....
for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of
(Rank and Name)... Captain A. Ralsey (Corps) 1st Newfoundlands.....
Age... 27.1.18. Service... 5.9.18. Disability... Gas poisoning (Shell gas).
Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability.....
Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability.....

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

..... He is now fit for General Service.....
..... He has been ordered to return to Barry Camp.....



The Board will classify the officer under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated.

- 1. Fit for General Service..... Yes.....
- 2. Fit for service in a Garrison or Labour Battalion abroad. *No officer likely to be fit for general service within six months should be classed in this category* }
- 3. Fit for Home Service.....
- 4. Fit for Light Duty at Home.....
- 5. Requiring indoor hospital treatment—
 - (a.) In an Officers' Hospital.....
 - (b.) In an Officers' Convalescent Hospital.....
- 6. (a.) Fit for light duty at a Command Depôt.....
- (b.) Fit for treatment only at a Command Depôt.....
- 7. In very special cases such as tuberculosis leave not exceeding six months may be recommended by Medical Boards for special treatment, the Board giving detailed reasons for any such recommendation }
- 8. Was the disability contracted in the service?..... Yes.....
- 9. Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control?..... Yes.....
- 10. Was it caused by military service?..... Yes.....
- 11. If caused by military service, to what specific military conditions is it attributed?..... Shell Explosion.....
- 12. If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated thereby, and if so, by what specific military conditions? }

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| Officer's Address | { | 2/1st Newfoundlands..... | Signatures | | } President. | |
| | | Barry Camp..... | | G. Allen, Capt. R.A.M.C. | | Members. |
| | | Dundee..... | | | | |

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PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at... Dundee..... on 10th August, 1917.

by order of... G.O.C. in C., Scottish Command.....

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

(Rank and Name) Captain A. Raley..... (Corps) 1st Newfoundlands.....

Age... 27.1/12. Service... 5.9/12. Disability... Gas poisoning (Shell gas).....

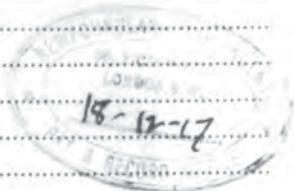
Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability.....

Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability.....

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

He is now fit for General Service.....

He has been ordered to return to Barry Camp.....



The Board will classify the officer under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated.

- 1. Fit for General Service..... Yes.....
- 2. Fit for service in a Garrison or Labour Battalion abroad. *No officer likely to be fit for general service within six months should be classed in this category*.....
- 3. Fit for Home Service.....
- 4. Fit for Light Duty at Home.....
- 5. Requiring indoor hospital treatment—
 - (a.) In an Officers' Hospital.....
 - (b.) In an Officers' Convalescent Hospital.....
- 6. (a.) Fit for light duty at a Command Depot.....
- (b.) Fit for treatment only at a Command Depot.....
- 7. In very special cases such as tuberculosis leave not exceeding six months may be recommended by Medical Boards for special treatment, the Board giving detailed reasons for any such recommendation.....
- 8. Was the disability contracted in the service?..... Yes.....
- 9. Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control?..... Yes.....
- 10. Was it caused by military service?..... Yes.....
- 11. If caused by military service, to what specific military conditions is it attributed?..... Shell Explosion.....
- 12. If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated thereby, and if so, by what specific military conditions?.....

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| Officer's Address | { | 2/1st Newfoundlands..... | { | | President. |
| | | Barry Camp..... | | G. Allen, Capt. R. A. M. C. | Members. |
| | | Dundee..... | | | |

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,
War Office,
Whitehall London, S.W.

and the following number quoted.



WAR OFFICE,
Whitehall
LONDON, S.W.,

17 July 1917.

121/R/915. (A.C.4.C)

The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments to *The Officer-in-Charge* *Newfoundland Records* and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for *his* information *and retention* a copy of the document noted in the subjoined schedule ~~on the subject of~~.

| Date | From | Description. |
|---------------------------------|------|---|
| <i>9th July 1917</i> | | <i>Proceedings of a Medical Board</i> <i>Relating to</i> <i>Captain A Raley</i> <i>1st Battalion</i> <i>Newfoundland Regiment</i> |

ASH.

(b) From Expeditionary Force, but posted to
Scottish Command.

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Army Form A. 45.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at Dundee. on 9th July, 1917.

by order of the G.O.C. in C. Scottish Command.

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

(Rank and Name) Captain A. Raley. (Corps) 1st Newfoundlands.

Age 27 Service 5 8/12 Disability Gas poisoning (shell gas).

Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability _____

Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability _____

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

he still suffers from effects of gassing.

The Board recommend one months Home Service without route marching.

He has been ordered to return to Barry Camp.

Address:-

1st Newfoundlands,

Barry Camp,

Dundee.

The opinion of the Board upon the questions herein is as follows:-

(1.) a. Is the officer fit for "General Service"? No.

b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? One month.

(2.) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for service at home? Yes.

b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for service at home? _____

c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for light duty at home? _____

d. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for light duty at home? _____

(3.) Was the disability contracted in the service? Yes.

(4.) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had } Yes.
no control?

(5.) Was it caused by military service? Yes.

(6.) If caused by military service, } Shell explosion.
to what specific conditions }
is it attributed?

(7.) If the disability was not caused by military } _____
service, was it aggravated by it?

Signatures { _____ President.
E. Allan, Capt. R.A.M.C. }
_____ Members.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CASUALTIES

Digest of Proceedings of Medical Board assembled at
Dundee 9/7/17, in the case of

CAPT. A RALNY, 1st Newfoundland Regt.

Unfit for General Service, ~~for one month.~~

Fit for Service at home.

Authority:
A.F. A.45.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTSEPARATION ALLOWANCENOTICE.

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 by virtue of the Provisions of Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62, and the form is to be signed before a Magistrate of your District, and returned to

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

| | | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| 1. Name in full of Soldier Arthur Raley | Rank Capt | Regiment or Unit Newfoundland Regiment | Regtl No. |
| 2. Age of Soldier: 28 | Married or Single: Single | | |
| 3. Name in full of Mother of Soldier: Victoria Louisa Raley | Age 64 | Occupation | Permanent Address 9, Campbell Road Bedford |
| 4. If your husband is alive state: Name in full George Jackson Raley | Age | Occupation | Where Employed |
| 5. If your husband is alive and is not supporting you, state reason. | | | |
| 6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady, which must be supported by a medical certificate, and enclosed with this document. | | | |
| 7. If a widow state date and place of death of your husband: | | August 17th 1899 Barusley, Yorkshire | |
| 8. Names of your other children Anne Louisa Raley Lucy Raley | Age 30 27 | Occupation Teacher Teacher | Addresses in full 12 Tower Road Dartford, Kent. Winchester House St. Leonards on Lee |
| 9. State amount earned by (a) you (b) your husband | | (a) (b) | |

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|--|---|
| 10. State amount and source of any other Income, such as Old Age Pension, National Relief Fund, Pension from any Authority, Interest, Dividend, etc. | £120, annually allowance from Stepsons |
| 11. Are you in receipt of Separation Allowance from the British Government, if so, how much? | Not any |
| 12. Actual amount contributed by Soldier prior to enlistment. | Nothing |
| 13. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly? | |
| 14. Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc. | |
| 15. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. | Assistant School Master |
| 16. State amount of his wages. | I do not know except that it was a small salary |
| 17. State name and address of his last employer. | R.R. Wood, Esq, Bishop Field College, St. John's, Newfoundland. |
| 18. State amount of support monthly from son since enlistment. | £8:12:7 |
| 19. Actual amount contributed by other children weekly or monthly. | Nothing |
| 20. If not receiving support from other children state the cause. (Marriage of sons cannot be regarded as a valid reason for non-support.) | Salaries insufficient for contribution |

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Act, 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62.

Signature Victoria Louisa Raley

Place of Residence 9, Campbell Road, Bedford

Declared and subscribed before me at Bedford

this 24th day of February 1918

Signature of the Magistrate F. A. Horkliffe.

Place or County for which he acts Bedford

Court Seal.

Jan. 12, 1920

Bank of Montreal,
City

Dear Sirs:-

I enclose cheque for
One hundred and fifty dollars (\$150.00), for
which please place to the credit of:
Major A. Halsey,
and oblige.

Yours truly,

Major

Paymaster.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$427⁰⁰

June 2rd 1920

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Four hundred and twenty seven — Dollars.
on account of Pay, Blue Puttee Pay.
balance

A. Raley Major

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| Ch. No. <i>39003</i> | Initials <i>dl</i> |
| Pay Ledger..... | Initials..... |
| Gen. Ledger..... | Initial..... |

Regtl. No. _____ Rank _____

A. C. [Signature]

No. _____

Rank

Major

Name

A. Raley

Oct. 3, 1919

The Bank of Montreal,
C i t y.

Dear Sirs:

I enclose cheque for
\$305.00, which kindly place to the credit
of Major A. Raley.

Yours truly,

Major
Paymaster.

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Enc. 1

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Bank of Montreal,
1-1002
St. John's, Nfld.

October
Third
1919.

J. M. Howley, Major & Paymaster,
Department of Militia,
City.

Dear Sir:-

We have your letter of even
date, with enclosure as stated, proceeds
of which, \$305., we have placed to the
credit of account of Major A. Raley, as
requested.

Yours faithfully,

W. J. O'Neil

Manager.

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DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 100⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Jan 9 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment

the sum of one hundred Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

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| Ch. No. 33149 | Initials. <i>EW</i> |
| Pay Ledger 112 | Initials. <i>EW</i> |
| Gen. Ledger | Initials. |

Regtl. No. *1st* Rank

No.

Rank

Major

Name

A. Paley

Bank of Montreal

June 9, 1919

The Bank of Montreal,
C i t y.

Dear Sirs:

I enclose herewith cheque for
\$100.00, which kindly place to the credit of
Major A. Raley.

Yours truly,



Capt.
Paymaster.