

First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 93

Name in full Augustus Leo Summers Age 23

Address 116 Military Rd St John's

Married White Height Black Weight Blue

Color _____ Hair _____ Eyes _____

Other distinguishing marks Wound on right hip

Nearest relative Mother - Elizabeth Summers

Address 116 Military Rd.

Dependents None

Occupation Clerk Present Wage \$600.00 per a.

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment _____

I, Augustus Leo Summers, do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty and that I will faithfully serve His Majesty in any place where I may be needed (or in the Colony of Newfoundland as the case may be) against all his enemies and opposers whatsoever according to the conditions of my service.

A. L. Summers

Declared before me this 1st day

of October 1914

George L. Barb -
Capt. A. Co

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 93

Name Augustus Leo Summers

Apparent age 23 years _____ months. Height _____ feet _____ inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: White, Hair: Black, Eyes: Blue

Other distinguishing marks: Mole on right hip

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Elizabeth Summers, 116 Military Road, St. John's

Relationship Mother

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

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

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries.
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>2/9/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>2nd September '14</u>									
<u>Promoted to 2nd Lieut 27/11/15</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " _____ "									

C.R. 0-44

Demobilization Form 1

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

Feb. 20th 1949

Regimental No.

Name

Pt. A. L. Summers

Address

116 Military Road

Present Medical Category

A1

Recommended for:—

(a) Immediate discharge

(b) ~~Standing Medical Board~~

Members of Board

R. H. Lait Capt.

O.C. Discharge Depot.

Haterson
Senior Medical Officer

Geo Burden

M. O. Depot

DUPLICATE ORIGINAL

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. 209

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

" " Company.

MEMORANDUM of STOPPAGES/~~CREDITS~~ on Account of
Advances of Pay, *per Full Cashier*

NOTE:- Charge under
Credit Credit P. & R. O. London,

Column

ORIGINAL of this FORM to be COMPLETED and RETURNED INTACT to Paymaster & O. C. 1/c Records,
 Newfoundland Contingent, 58 Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.
 DUPLICATE to accompany PAY BOOK as VOUCHER.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars And Authority	AMOUNT							
			£	s	d	£	s	d		
	LT, A.L. Summers	Amount drawn France as per Vr. 4500, 3/5/18				3	13	4		
	" Do	Amount drawn France as per Vr. 4560, 9/5/18				4	11	8		
	" Do	Amounts drawn France as per Vr. 4588, 14/5/18				4	11	8		
CHECKED <i>[Signature]</i> <i>[Signature]</i>						12	16	8		

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

June 14th 1918

[Signature]
Chief Paymaster & Officer 1/c Records.

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made in
the Pay Book of " " Company for Period / / to / /
and credited to Pay & Record Office, London, S.W.1.

Dated at _____

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O.C. " " Company,
Battalion.

ORIGINAL

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

MEMORANDUM.

C.R. 93

No. 131.

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From

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.
29th April, 1915.

To

Adjutant & Deputy Paymaster,
Headquarters,
St. John's.

SUBJECT: ALLOTMENT,
NO.93, PTE.A.L.SUMMERS.

REPLY.

Dated May 17th. 1915.

Reference Nos.

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

I enclose:-

Copy Adjutant's memorandum,
No.68,

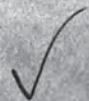
Copy of application, dated
21/4/15 from Pte.Summers.

It will be noted that Summers asks that his Allotment ceases on the 16th inst, and that will be the case so far as his Company Pay Book is concerned, this being one of the instances referred to in enclosure accompanying my memorandum No.119 to you. This Allotment therefore will be suspended from 1st May to 9th July.

Acknowledged and Noted.

Aij
CAPTAIN & ADJUTANT.

A. L. Summers Capt.
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.



C.R. 0-44

Chief Paymaster & C. i/o Records
Pay & Record Office

The Royal Newfoundland Regt
55 Victoria Street
London, S.W.1

Mar 18th 9

Lieut. A.L. SUMMERS

Attached hereto please find
copy of Travelling Medical Board
held on the above named Officer on Feb
20th.

This Officer has been retired with
effect from Feb 25th, and placed on the
Reserve List of Officers.

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 0-44

Extract from telegram ~~from~~ to Synoptical,
London dated October 1st., 1918.

Lieut Summers

NOW ON ROUTE.

C.R. 0-44

Extract from Nominal Roll Entrained At St. John(s) Sept.
22nd, 1918.

Lieut. A.L. Summers.

CCBY

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date Feb. 20, 1919

Regimental No.

Name Lt. A. L. Summers

Address 116 Military Road

Present Medical Category A1

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

Members of Board { (sgnd) R. H. Tait, Capt.
O.C. Discharge Depot.
" L. Paterson
Senior Medical Officer
" F. W. Burden
M. O. Depot

CR 0-44

April 6th, 1914.

George, W.B. Ayre, Esq., L.L.B.,
City.

Dear Sir:- Re Lieutenant A.L. Summers

With reference to your letter of March 15th, I beg to lay before you the reply of the Board of Review of Separation Allowance Claims.

It must be pointed out that the Board has been supplied with Regulations governing the issue of Separation, to be used for its guidance in the consideration of such claims as would be made to it; and the Board was given no power to depart from these Regulations in any detail, and no discretionary power in cases of doubt. The Board has, in consequence, to the best of its power, always demanded that such information as was supplied it, be conclusive evidence of total dependence, before it would authorize payment of a claim. "Sole support" cannot be given any other meaning than that which the phrase conveys.

The Board of Review would not take into consideration the earning power of the applicant if she were the soldier's widowed mother because she would under such circumstances be entitled to the allowance under the regulations provided the son was her sole support (this fact to be satisfactorily established of course)

The claim now made on Lieut. Summers' behalf is that "he was legally her support and was compellable in the courts to support her". Our answer to this is that the same should apply to his brother who was single at the time, and such a conclusion would naturally preclude the application to Lieut. Summers of the term "sole support". This fact coupled with his not having made an allotment in his mother's favour certainly leads the Board to believe that its finding that he was not the sole support is perfectly justifiable.

It might be as well to point out that one of the very first regulations, about which there is no equivocation, is that the soldier must contribute at least one half of his pay to his dependent.

Mr. Higgins' affidavit which was forwarded in support of the claim is not in accordance with the records of this Department. These are as follows:-

"Lieut. Summers declared an allotment of \$20.00 payable from October 3th, 1914, to John G. Higgins, his friend. This allotment was changed to read 70¢ per diem from 1915. It was suspended at request of P.R.O., London from May

April.6th, 1921

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1st, 1915 to July 31st, 1915. Reduced to 50% per diem from September 1st, 1915, and discontinued at request of Lieut. Summers from July, 1st, 1916. There is no mention of his mother in connection with the payments even after the date on which Mr. Higgins claims he advised Lieut. Summers that certain amounts were paid off.

Even if it were admitted that during the currency of his allotment, his mother received the benefit of it, it seems to be not in keeping with the claim, that when his mother most needed the help of his allotment it was withheld from her.

To sum up therefore, the Board is not satisfied that Lieut. Summers was his mother's sole support.

- (1) Because he made no allotment to her up to August, 1918
- (2) Because he had another single brother during the earlier portion of his service, who was, to our minds, equally responsible with him for the support of his mother.

Yours very truly

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

C.R. 0-44

Dec. 16th., 1920

Lieut. A.L. Summers,
Military Rd.

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your recent enquiry concerning the portion of Separation Allowance to your mother, the Pay Office books show that Separation Allowance was paid from 1st September, 1918 to the date of your retirement, and was also paid in conjunction with your War Service Gratuity. Of course you will remember that your allotment commenced about 16th August, 1918

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.



M.F.A.S

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DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
AND QUOTE NO.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

~~APRIL 22ND 1919~~-----

Lieut. A.L. Summers

Military Road

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

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

COMMISSION RETURNED AND ENDORSED 30/4/
19

C.R. 0-44

November 15th 1919.

A.L. Summers Esq.,

Registrar of Deeds Office

Court House.

Dear Summers:

Your letter of November 7th has been duly received, in connection with Separation Allowance for your mother. As far as I remember at present, this claim was refused before because it showed that there was another brother of Military age who had not enlisted. I note that your letter of Sept. 22nd to the Paymaster states that he was found to be unfit for Military Service and also that he offered for enlistment and received a rejection badge. As this puts a different complexion on the claim, and when the date of his offering for enlistment has been verified the claim will come forward for re-consideration. I will endeavour to have this considered at the earliest possible opportunity.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.
CHIEF STAFF OFFICER

C.R. 0-44

Mar 25th 19

From: Chief Staff Officer,
Department of Militia.

To: Lieut. A.L. Summers
City

Please find enclosed your Imperial Commission, received from the Pay & Record Office, London where it had been retained pending instructions from you as to its disposal.

I shall be glad if you will sign the attached receipt and forward it to this Office at your earliest convenience.


Lieut. Col.

Chief Staff Officer.

PAE/MP.

C.R.O-44

April 25th. 1919



To; Lieut. Col. W. F. Rendell
Chief Staff Officer.

Sir;

As requested I herewith enclose my Newfoundland
Commission for endorsation.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your obedient Servant.

A. B. Summers



C.R.O-44

Extract of DAILY ORDERS, PART II, Depot St. John's,
dated February 27th 1919.

The undernoted Officer has been retired and is placed on the
reserve list of Officers with effect from February 25th 1919.
Auth. Militia Orders #34, 25/2/19.

Lieut. A.L. Summers.
Lieut

C.R. 0-44

Extract from telegram from Syn. to Mil. dated Jan. 28th., 1919.

In answer your telegram Jan. 27th., Corsican embarking Jan. 30th.,
with the following Officers.

Summers.

C.R. 0-44

Extract of Casualties from Pay & Record Office London, dated
Jan. 26/1/19.

Nominal Roll of Officers of 1st Battrn., Royal Newfoundland Regt.,
who were transferred from B.K.F. to 2ndBn. Winchester 19/1/19,
awaiting repatriation and subsequent demobilization.

Lieut. A. L. Summers.

Officer i/c Records, Wfld. Contgt.

C.R. 0-44

Extract from MOVEMENT of the Newfoundland Contingent, serial No
18, dated (no date given.*).

The undermentioned Officer of the 2nd., Battalion, the
Royal Newfoundland Regiment, proceeded to the B. E. F.
19-11-18, to join the 1st., Battalion R. Newfoundland R.

Lieut. A. L. SUMMERS.

C.R. 0-44

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, Oct. 29th, 1918.

THE UNDERMENTIONED OFFICERS WHO HAD BEEN PREVIOUSLY OVERSEAS
RETURNED TO U.K. WITH RE/EMPLOYMENT DRAFT NO. 24, WHICH
DISSEMBARKED AT DEVENPORT 12-10-18.

Lieut. A.L. Summers, R.Nfld. R.,

MI.

C.R. 0-44

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.

Regt. St. John's, Dated August 15th, 1918.

Lieut. Summers.

To be Officer Commanding "E" Coy.

C.R. 0-44

LIEUTENANT A. L. SUMMERS

Enlisted-----	September	1914
Left for Overseas-----	October	1914
2/Lieutenant-----	November	27, 1915
Lieutenant-----	August	1, 1917
Went to France Jan-----	July	1916
Returned to Newfoundland-----	June	1918

C.R. 0-44

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated June 5th, 1918.

The following Officer returned from Overseas and reported
to Depot, from 1.6.18

Lieut. A.L. Summers.

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May 30th 1916.

The Manager,
Bank of Montreal,
City.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of May 29th concerning draft of R.L. Sowers on your Halifax Branch, I have to state that we have no such man in our Regiment. However, a telegram has been received by this Department from Lieut. A.L. Summers, from Halifax, asking for a remittance, and if it should happen that the man referred to by your Halifax Branch, is Lieut. Summers, will you please authorize them to honour his draft.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Colonel,
For Minister of Militia.

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Bank of Montreal,

St. John's, Nfld.
1002

May
Twenty ninth,
1918.

Lt. Col. Walter F. Rendell,
Department of Militia,
City.

Dear Sir:-

We have just received the following
telegram from our Halifax Branch:

"May we pay draft of R. L. Sowers
"on Minister Militia \$150. to replace
"it left in France reply by telegraph
"without delay".

Will you kindly enable us to reply.

Yours faithfully,

J. L. Squires
—
Am- Manager.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connection with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

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

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address **St. John's, Nfld.**

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **May 29th 1918.**

To **Lieut. A.L. Summers,
Halifax.**

UNDERSTAND YOU HAVE DRAWN ON BANK OF MONTREAL
FOR ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS WHICH WILL
BE HONOURED

MILITIA.

FOR TYPEWRITER

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 02 Sent by U Rec'd by _____ Check 18 No. _____Place from Halifax 29To Man of CephaloniaSyokas

Arrived in Halifax today
 and lost all my kit
 Send me one hundred
 dollars oblige

Lt. a L. Summer

C.R. 0-44

Extract from Telegram received from London, dated
May 28th, 1918.

Apply to Furness Withy & Co. Packages address ed to
Lieutenant Summers.

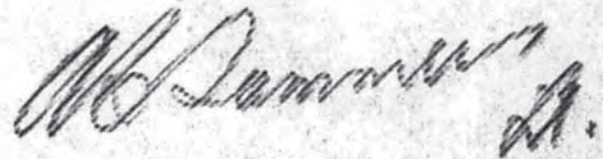
C.R. 0-44

PERSONAL EFFECTS

Received from Militia Department

One Kit Bag Lieut. A. Summers .

Signed

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A. Summers".

Date

0-44
C.R. ~~99~~

May 25th 1918.

Mrs. Elizabeth Summers,
Barnes' Road.

Dear Mrs. Summers,

We are informed by the Record Office, London, that
your son, Lieut. A. Summers, embarked at Liverpool on
May 22nd, for Halifax.

Yours faithfully,

C.C.B.

Captain,
for Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 0.44

Extract of letter to His Excellency, Sir C. Alexander Harris, K.C.M.G., CB
C.V.O., Governor, dated May 25th. 1918.

The following embarked at Liverpool on May 23rd. for Halifax.

RETURNING ON DUTY.

Lieut. Summers.

Royal Wfld. Regt.

C.R. 0-44

February 25th, 1918.

Mrs James Summers,
116 Military Road.

Dear Mrs Summers;

I am in receipt of your letter of 19th Feby., regarding the allotment on account of your step-son Lieut. A. Summers. The granting of an allotment is a matter which must be referred to him and a letter is being directed to him to see if he is willing to make an allotment as requested.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'WFR', written in a cursive style.

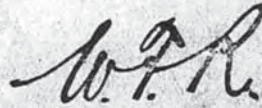
Chief Staff Officer.

WFR/JMF.

February 25th, 1918.

Lieut. A. Summers,
c/o Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria Street,
London S.W.1.

I am enclosing a letter received from your step-mother Mrs James Summers for your information. I have replied to Mrs Summers and told her that the matter of granting an allowance is one that rests entirely with you.



Major

Chief Staff Officer.

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
WAR VETERANS ALLOWANCE DISTRICT AUTHORITY

Address _____

MTL.

The Public Archives Records Centre,
Tunney's Pasture,
Ottawa 3, Ontario.

MARK YOUR REPLY:

Attention: Reference Section.

For attention of:

Re: SUMMERS AUGUSTUS LEO Service No. 93
(Surname) (Christian Names)

Veteran is stated to have served during S. African War () World War I (✓)

To enable this WAR VETERANS ALLOWANCE DISTRICT AUTHORITY to determine the eligibility of the above-named, will you kindly furnish the following particulars:

- | | |
|---|---|
| <p>1. <u>UNITS</u> (including that of discharge)</p> <p>(a) <u>ROYAL Nfld REGT.</u></p> <p>(b) _____</p> <p>(c) _____</p> <p>(d) _____</p> <p>(e) _____</p> <p>(f) _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(If other than CEF please so designate following applicable unit)</p> | <p><u>HIGHEST RANK IN UNIT:</u></p> <p><u>LIEUT.</u></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px auto; width: fit-content;"> <p style="text-align: center;">PUBLIC ARCHIVES RECORDS CENTRE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">JUN 30 1964</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OTTAWA, ONT., CANADA</p> </div> |
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2. THEATRES OF SERVICE

- (a) South African War
Date and port of embarkation _____
- CANADA BRITAIN. FRANCE
- (b) World War I - (If Canada only, state if with territorial limitations).
Date(s) embarked for U.K. _____
- IF CANADA AND U.K. ONLY
Date(s) disembarked in Canada from U.K. _____
- Period(s) of desertion in U.K. _____

3. Any other military service. NIL

4. Date and place of all enlistments. 2nd SEPT. 1914, ST. JOHN'S Nfld.

5. Date of all discharges and reason. 20 Feb 1919, DEMOB.

6. Date and place of birth as per attestation paper. (DATE NOT RECORDED) ST. JOHN'S Nfld.
AGE SHOWN AS 23 YRS. on 2 Sept. 1914.



7. Marital status; If married, name in full of wife. SINGLE.

8. Religion. R.C.

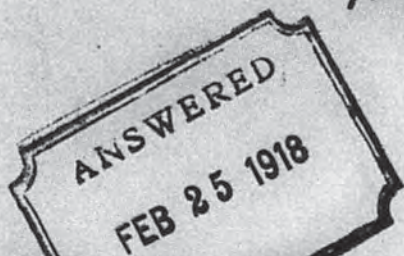
9. Decorations, if any. NIL.

and see if it could be properly adjusted?

I remain,

Respectfully Yours,
Mrs James Summers

116 Military Road
St John's, Hfld
Feb. 19th 1918



C.R. 0-44

Major W. Wendell,
Chief Staff Officer,
Royal Hfld. Regiment,

Sir:-

Since my stepson, Lieut. Aug. Summers, has embarked for overseas I have received no allotment from him. Evidently he has made no allotment, and I feel that I am entitled rightfully to some allowance from him. Would it be possible for you to enquire into this matter

September 4th, 1917.

The Honourable,
The Minister of Militia,

Commissions and Promotions.

In reply to your letter of the 3rd inst.,
I have the honour to inform you that the lists
submitted therein have my approval.

GOVERNOR.

C O P Y.*See M. 7-4*Department of Militia,
St. John's,

September 3rd, 1917.

His Excellency,

Sir, W.E. Davidson, K.C.M.G. etc.,
Governor.

Sir:-

Commissions and Promotions.

I have the honour to advise that the telegrams quoted ~~below~~ below, have been received from Major Timewell, viz.,

- (1) "Hadow recommends Irvine, Summers, Dicks, S.C. Goodyear, to be promoted Lieutenants August 1st. Whitaker recommends Byrne to be promoted Lieutenant July 1st. "Telegraph reply."
- (2) "Following Cadets passed final examinations at Oxford, August 23rd, and should be gazetted by you as from same date, in following order. C 2845 Evans, C 2962 Knight C 3278 Penney. All three will be posted to 2nd Battalion, ~~Forest~~ ^{First} Newfoundland Regiment."
- (3) "Cadet 1924 Munn passed final examination at Cambridge, August 28th, and should be gazetted by you as from same date, with seniority over 2nd Lieut. Evans, August 31st."

I f your Excellency approves I shall have the appointments and promotions gazetted, and shall notify Major Timewell accordingly.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

(Sgd) J.R. BENNETT.

Minister of Militia.

EXTRACT FROM DESPATCH FROM THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE. LONDON.

DATED AUGUST 31st. 1917.

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LIEUT. A. SUMMERS.

2/LIEUT. A. SUMMERS PROMOTED LIEUTENANT FROM
AUGUST 1st/17.

FOR INFORMATION SEE FILE PROMOTIONS & APPOINT-
MENTS LETTER NO. 793.

C.R. 0-44

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated July 12, 1916.

2/Lieut. A.L. Summers.

Left England to join the B. .F., 11/7/16.

C.R. 0-44

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's per S.S.

FLORIZEL, Oct. 4, 1914.

93 Summers Augustus L.

C.R. ~~93~~ 0-44

Agus. Leo. Summers. was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT onSept..2nd..1914.
Regimental No. 93 was allotted to Pte Gus. Summers.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

(93)

Lieut. A. L. Summers

C.R. 0-44

P.H.R.O.

C.D. a4.

EMBARKATION CARD.

OFFICERS.

Rank *Lieutenant*

Name *Summers, A.*

Unit *Royal Newfoundland Regt*

Sailing No. Dispersal Draft No.

NOTE: No one will be permitted to embark unless his Embarkation Card is given up at the gangway.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of 2/Lieut. A. L. Summers

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	2 00	56	00						
	Field Allowance	28	60	16	80						
	Mess „	28	4/-						5	12	0
	<i>Bal from Previous Pay Book</i>								8	0	0
	@ \$ 4.86 $\frac{2}{3}$...		\$	73	80				14	19	2
	Dr.										
Jan. 21	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.					17	1	6			
	Overpaid as L/Corp.	<i>21</i> 28	<i>1 00</i> 1 15	24	85	5	2	1			
	1, Binoculars					6	7	0			
	1, Compass						4	2			
	Balance from "F" Company Pay Book							5			
	PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., 5, February, 1916.										
	Checked by <i>BC</i> £					28	11	2	28	11	2

2nd. Lieuty A.L. Summers

22/1/16

18/2/16

28 2 00 56 00

28 60 16 80

28 4/- 5 12 0

72 80

14 19 2

Feb. 18

14 11 3

Allotment.

28 50 14 00 2 17 6

1 Revolver.

3 1 3

Hospital Stoppages

1 2

March 2nd. 6.

bc

20 11 2 20 11 2

2nd. Lieut. A.L. Summers.

19/2/16

17/3/16

28 2 00 56 00

28 60 16 80

28 4/-

5 12 0

72 80

14 19 2

Mar 17

17 15 8

Allotment.

28 50 14 00 2 17 6

March 20th.

6.

W.C.

20 11 2 20 11 2

na93 Pte a L Summers

allotment stopped from
 to July 7 (?)

See that payment
again begins

2 1/2
5 1/2

8 d

S.F.S./S.

Triplicate

First Newfoundland Regiment.

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Cancellation of Allotment.

1, (No.) 93 (Rank) Pte (Name) Summers, A.L.

here by apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on S.F.S. No 315 dated Oct 3/14 in favour of J. G. Higgins Esq for seventy cents, per diem, such cancellation to take place from (inclusive) the 4 day of September '15

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach Headquarters, St Johns in time to become operative at above nominated place; and consequently the Allotment being thereafter paid to the Allottee, I also agree to any such necessary further stoppage being made against me in the pay books, or to otherwise refund to the Pay Department such overdraw amount or amounts."

Dated at Newton Park School
August - 31st 1915

A. L. Summers

Allotee r.

Approved and witnessed.

Richards J. Company.

*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 at St Johns in order to become operative, and this at Allotee's risk.

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



5290

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regtl. No. 1155 Rank Lieut Name Summers R.H. Unit Royal Nfld Regt who was Perk
to Nfld on 22/5/18 Authority _____ Cause Special Duty

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.	PARTICULARS	£ s d			PARTICULARS	CR.		
		£	s	d		£	s	d
	Balance Dr. from				Balance Cr. from			
PERIOD: From 1/5-18 To 22-5-18 A.P. W.A.M.	Allotment — days @ —				Pay 12 days @ \$ 2 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀	24 00		
	Cash Payments:				Field Allce 12 days @ \$.60	7 20		
	Other Debits:				Other Allces days @ \$	31 20	6	8 2 ✓
	Deposit <u>Bojorn</u>			8 16 2 ✓	Other Credits:			
	Total Debits			8 16 2 ✓	Mess allowance 11-5-18 to 22-5-18 12 days @ 4/-		2	8 0 ✓
	Balance due by Paymaster				Total Credits		8	16 2 ✓
					Balance due to Paymaster			

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of _____

191

(Place) _____ (Date) _____ O.C. " " Company. _____

Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office _____ to / / and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,

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Regtl No. _____ Rank Lieut. Name A. L. Summers Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Sent to Newfoundland on 22 5 18 Authority _____ Cause Special Duty

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		£	s	d		£	s	d
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	Allotment days @				Pay <u>12</u> days @ \$ <u>2.00</u>	<u>24 00</u>		
	Cash Payments:				Field Allowance <u>12</u> days @ \$ <u>60</u>	<u>7 20</u>		
						<u>31 20</u>	<u>6 8 2</u>	
	Other Debits:				Other Allowances days @ \$			
	<u>Deposit-Bank-of-Montreal</u>			<u>2 16 2</u>	Other Credits:			
					<u>Mess Allowance.</u>			
					<u>11/5/18-22/5/18, 12 days @ 4/-</u>		<u>2 8 0</u>	
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 (Place) _____ (Date) 1918 O.C. " " Company.

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Pay & Record Office, London,
21-5-1918

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

15 - 11 - 1917

To: Mr A Summers
1/1 Newfoundland Regt
B. E. F.

Letter

With reference to your request per ~~N.F.P.~~ /53, ()
/ / / the understated packages have been handed over to
the G. P. O.
for delivery at your risk and expense in accordance with
C.L./9, 28/11/18.

Marks	No. of Pkgs.	Description	Contents
$\frac{26}{10}$	1	Paper Package	1 pr Boots
$\frac{26}{11}$	1	do	do

Kindly acknowledge receipt hereon, please.

A. D. Stewart Maj.

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The packages as stated above have been received by me.

*I have received one package containing
1 Pr of small boots.*

(Signature)

Mr Summers

Field.

Sent

10 - 12 - 1917

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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS:
"SYNOPTICAL."
LONDON.

TELEPHONE:
VICTORIA 147.

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

8025/1/C

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.,

22nd May, 1918.

To No. 2385, Pte. N. Gillis,

Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

HT/NV

SUBJECT: KIT: LIEUT. A. L. SUMMERS.

You will collect at Victoria Station Lt. A.L. Summers' Kit, left there by him last night, and proceed to Liverpool from Euston Station, London.

On arrival you will take the luggage to the Office of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd., Royal Liver Building where you will be directed where to take the luggage for Lt. Summers, who is joining repatriation draft i/c Capt. R.H. Tait, M.C.

You will also take 1 case addressed

Major MacPherson,
c/o Lieut. Maddick.

Lieut. Maddick also forms one of the above named draft.

A. L. Summers
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS

*Received 2 packages
as stated
Sig. P. Williams
Date*

24/5

*HT/NV
You will return
by train
to London*

P.N.T.O. Officer

White Star Bdg

Say that you are to
hand the baggage
over for delivery to
Capt Tait on the
steamer which
embarked
passengers
yesterday



22nd May,

8.

8025/1/0

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS.

COPY

To Paymaster,
of First Nfld. Regiment.

Please pay J.G. Higgins the sum of(\$20.00) Twenty Dollars
of my month's salary for such time as my name may appear
on your pay_sheet.

A. L..Summers

Regtl No. 93.

COPY

OCTOBER 16th. 1914.

H. A. TIMEWELL, ESQ,

PAYMASTER, FIRST Nfld. REGIMENT.

DEAR SIR:-

Re our conversation of recent date I beg to state that Mr A.L. Summers, a Private in the Nfld Regiment, Regimental Number 93, gave me a written assignment of his pay to the amount of \$20.00 (Twenty dollars) a month. As instructed by you, I am enclosing this assignment. I have written to him telling him that the assignment, not being in proper form, is useless and asking him to get the proper form filled up, which I suppose will be done when you arrive with the papers.

I am very much obliged with you for offering to see that the matter is fixed up alright.

I remain,

Dear Sir,

Yours truly,

(Sgd) J.G. Higgins.

C O P Y.

October 16th, 1914.

H. A. Timewell, Esq.,

Paymaster, First Nfld. Regiment.

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A.L. Summers.

Regtl. No. 93.

COPY SENT TO
 Adjutant & Dep. Quartermaster
 St. Johns
 Letter Memorandum No. 131
 Dated _____

1st. Newfoundland Regt.
 The Castle
 Edinburgh
 Apr. 21st. 1915

Capt. G. T. Carty,
 Commanding A. Co.
 1st. Newfoundland Regt.



Dear Sir,

I herewith make application begging leave to have my allotment papers cancelled from April 17th 1915 to July 17th 1915 inclusive, and made payable to myself.

Owing to unavoidable circumstances I find this actually necessary.

Trusting you will see fit to grant this.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,
 (Pte) A. G. Summers

Granted
 Geo. J. Carty
 Capt. A. Co.

At. No. 315

151.

Adjutant & Deputy Paymaster,
Headquarters,
St. John's.

29th April, 5.

ALLOTMENT,
NO. 93, PTE. A. L. SUMMERS.

May 17th, 1915.

I enclose:-

Copy Adjutant's memorandum,
No. 68,

Copy of application, dated
21/4/15 from Pte. Summers.

Acknowledged and noted.

It will be noted that Summers asks that his Allotment ceases on the 16th inst, and that will be the case so far as his Company Pay Book is concerned, this being one of the instances referred to in enclosure accompanying my memorandum No. 119 to you. This Allotment therefore will be suspended from 1st May to 9th July.

(Sd.) A.M.

Captain & Adjutant.

Uapt.

Paymaster & O. /c Records.



K.	Headquarters	Oct 3	Dec 11	Feb 1	April	August	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec 31	Jan 31	
		Dec 3	Jan 31	March 31	30'	31	31	30	30	31	31	
315	93 G.L. Summers	40.00	40.00	40.00	20.00						140.00	
81	93 G.L. Summers					36.40	15.60	15.50	15.00	15.50	15.50	112.50
											<u>253.50</u>	

Deductions in Pay Books:

315-93 G. Summers	Oct 30	Oct 31	April 15	May 14	June 11	July 9	August 6	Sept 3	Oct 10	Oct 29	Nov 26	Dec 24	Dec 25	Jan 25
	20.00	100.00	21.00	19.80	19.60	19.60	19.60	19.60	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.00
														298.20

Thomas Stegner

10-31

COPY

1st. Newfoundland Regiment,
The Castle,
Edinburgh.

April 21st. 1915.

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I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

(Sd.) A.L.Summers.

Al.No.315.

Granted

(Sd.) Geo.T.Carty
Capt. A. Co.





197 (SERVICE) BATTALION

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

22/12/15

1ST N.F. BATTALION	PAY & RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No. 1590	Recd. DEC 23 1915
Asst. Adm.	Asst. Adm.

Capt. H. A. Timewell
Paymaster

Sir,

Herewith find enclosed
specimen of my signature.

Would you please
make the necessary arrange-
ments in regard to allowance
due.

I have the honor to be.

Your obedient servant
A. L. Summer
A. L. Summer

2314/44

The Manager,

Bank of Montreal,

9, Waterloo Place,

Ball Mall, S.W.

23rd December, 5.

OFFICERS' BANKING ACCOUNTS.

I enclose Cheque and Vouchers
for £771.14.8, for discharge
and return as customary.

Please open accounts for:

2/Lt. R.W. Ross

2/Lt. A.L. Summers.

Specimen signature of the latter
herewith.

Capt.,

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

2384/1.

30, December, 5.

From: Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.

To: 2/Lieut. A. L. Summers,
Depot, Newfoundland Contingent,
Newton-on-Ayr, Scotland.

Referring to your letter 22/12/15, an account on your behalf was opened with the Bank of Montreal, 9 Waterlee Place, and £61.1.1 was deposited on the 24/12/15, pending adjustment of your account as to balances from Company Pay Books, if any, and deductible issues of Revolver, Binoculars &c.

Amounts due at end of pay periods will in future be paid to your credit, unless you otherwise request, or as may be necessary.

The Bank management were requested to forward you Cheque and Pass Books direct.

Capt.
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

H.T./N.M.

Confidential
TELEGRAMS
"MARINE HOTEL, TROON"
TELEPHONE 1173

MARINE HOTEL
TROON
AYRSHIRE

Tuesday
18/4/16

Capt. F. Timewell
Pay & Record Office.

Sir,

I beg to make application
for an advance of Ten Pounds
(£10-) on next month's pay.

My reasons for wanting
this are, at the present time I
am taking a course of bombing
and owing to my having to
send some money home last

- 2 -

month, I shall not be able
to meet the expenses which
I have to undergo here in
addition to 16 days messing at
Ayr.

Trusting you will see fit to
do this for me.

I am
Sir,

Your obedient servant.

A. G. Summers,
2nd Lt.

of Marine Hotel
Troon.

ROYAL NAVY PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	1259
Rec'd.	APR 19 1916
Ass'd.	
Ans'd.	APR 19 1916
File No.	

19, April,

6.

1472/1.

2/Lieut. A. L. Summers,

2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,

Marine Hotel, Troon, N.B.


Confidential.

Advance £10/-.

Referring to your letter 18/4/16 it is regretted that the advance you desire cannot be made unless under authority signed by the O.C. 2nd. Battalion, see this Office circular letter 23/3/16, para.(c). On receipt of such application the amount can be immediately deposited with your Bankers.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 1707/157.

From
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.
6, May, 1916.

To
O. O.,
2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,
Newton-on-Ayr,
Scotland.

SUBJECT: 2/LIEUT. A. L. SUMMERS.

Confidential.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated

9th May 1916

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

Reference to your memorandum
1/5/16, and 2/Lieut. Summers' letter
25/4/16 returned herein, advance
of £10/- was deposited 3/5/16 and
will be deducted in current pay
period.

Thank you

*W. Headlee
Major*

A. J. Munnell
Capt.

Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	1468
Rec'd.	MAY 10 1916
As'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

Confidential

TELEGRAMS—
"MARINE HOTEL, TROON."
TELEPHONE NO. 34.

979



MARINE HOTEL,
TROON,
AYRSHIRE.

Tuesday

25/4/16

Capt. W. F. Rendell

Apn.

File 2/pt. Summers

Sir,

Will you authorize Capt. Timewell to place Ten Pounds (£10-) to my credit; I have written him on the subject.

I had intended speaking to Major Whitaker at the week-end, and didn't find out he wouldn't be back until too late to see you.

It is essential that this
money be placed to my credit so that
I can square up here, I had made no
allowance for this additional expense.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant.

A. L. Summers
2nd Lt.

Approved
C. W. Meigs

26/4/16.

10/1/16

1707/157.

O. C.,

2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,

Newton-on-Ayr,

Scotland.

6, May, 6.

2/LIEUT. A. L. SUMMERS.

9th May, 1916.

Confidential.

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Thank you.

(Sd.) W. F. Rendell,
Major.

Capt.

Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

1ST N.W. FOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	1468
Rec'd.	MAY 10 1916
Acc'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

25, June, 6.

2468/2.

2/Lieut. A. L. Summers,

2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,

Newton-on-Ayr, Scotland.

Allotment.

Reference your request 22/6/16: this should have been on N.F.P/L., which kindly note. Meanwhile to save time such form has been filled in on your behalf and forwarded to Headquarters, St.John's, for action.

Capt.

Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

H.T./N.M.

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



STRAE SPOTTISWOODS, Ltd., Lond.

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.

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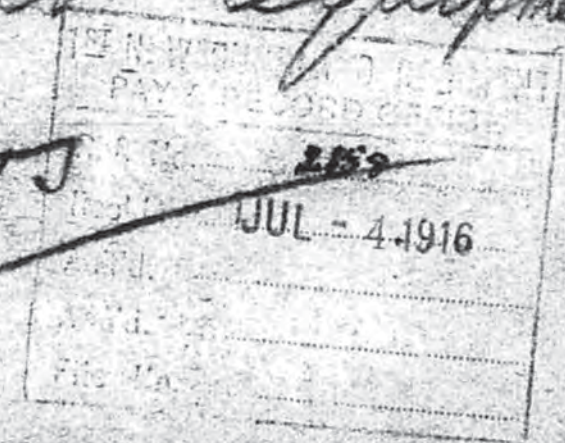


Handed } *2.16* } Received }
over } *2.16* } here }

TO

Synoptical for

Please send one web equipment immediately Summers



Dealt with H.B. 4/7/16

July 4th

2580/3

2/Lieut. A. L. Summers,
1st. Newfoundland Regiment,

H.T/W. F.

Newton-on-Ayr.

WEB EQUIPMENT.

Your telegram received this date

"Please send one web equipment immediately."

Fortnum & Mason have been requested to deal with
~~you direct~~ *that you are desired please.*

Capt.


Paymaster & O i/c Records.

58

WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN  DIRECT UNITED STATES

CABLEGRAM

No. <i>VC 38</i>	Service Instructions. Via Western Union.	Time Received. <i>5.44 pm</i>	Receiving Office. <small>See back of Form for Telephone Number.</small>
Handed in at <i>St Johns Nf</i>		No. of Words. <i>19 Ws</i>	

No inquiry respecting this Message can be attended to without the production of this paper.

To

Synoptical Ldn

*Please find out wire me
Collect what hospital second
Lieutenant Summers is and
trouble*

J.W. Mcneily

J

6.15 pm. 7-2-17

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REG	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	<i>683</i>
Rec'd.	<i>FEB - 8. 1917</i>
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	<i>9-2-17</i>
File No.	

Please hand your Reply direct to this Office.

No. 109

WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN DIRECT UNITED STATES CABLEGRAM



<i>Prefix</i> _____		<i>Code</i> _____		<i>SENT</i>		<i>FOR STAMPS</i>	
<i>WORDS</i>		<i>CHARGE</i>		<i>At</i> _____		<i>To</i> _____ <i>By</i> _____	
VIA WESTERN UNION				THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.			

9/2/17 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To LCO J W MCNEILLY
STJOHNS (NEWFOUNDLAND)

ENQUIRE COLONIAL SECRETARY SUMMERS

SYNOPTICAL

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

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

Signature _____ *Address* **58 Victoria St. S.W.**

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

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WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN  DIRECT UNITED STATES
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				To _____		By _____	
				VIA WESTERN UNION			
				THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.			

9/2/17

TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

On Newfoundland Government Service.

To COLONIAL SECRETARY
STJOHNS (NEWFOUNDLAND)

EDULCANDY LARDOME SUMMERS FROM J W MCNEILLY SILVERGOD SUMMERS
ADMITTED 39 HORNEBNESS HAVRE JACKKNIFE DICCOLAVIM PROBABLY DISJOINTED
SYNOPTICAL

Translation:-

I have an enquiry regarding - 2/Lieut - Summers - from - J - W -
McNeilly - fullstop - Summers - admitted - 39 - General Hospital - Havre -
28 January - not yet diagnosed - probably - venereal disease.

NOT TO BE
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WESTERN UNION



ANGLO-AMERICAN

DIRECT UNITED STATES

CABLEGRAM

SENT

FOR STAMPS

Prefix		Code		At	By	
WORDS	CHARGE	VIA WESTERN UNION				
18	3 9	THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.				

TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

5/2/17

To

EFM MRS JANE SUMMERS
 MILITARY ROAD
 STJOHNS (NEWFOUNDLAND)

IN HOSPITAL NOTHING SERIOUS DONT WORRY WRITING

GUS SUMMERS

Via Synoptical

CHARGED
 PAY BOOK 0.10
 Date 16/2/17 by *OB*

CHECKED.
C.R.
 29/9/17

(Authorised)

*Charge to
 Mr. Gus. Summers.*

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

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Signature

Address

58 Victoria St. S.W.

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VICTORIA ST LONDON SW *

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ADVANCE URGENTLY REQUIRED REPLY IF POSSIBLE

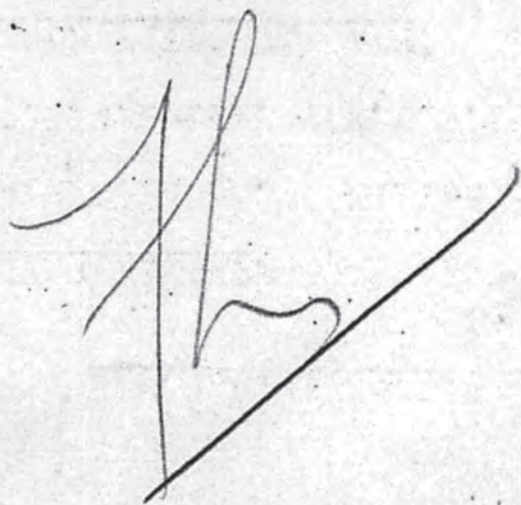
* A L SUMMERS 52 ALBANY ST EDINBURGH

12.15 PM

1ST N WINDSOR REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	5210
Rec'd.	SEP 14 1917
Ack'd.	✓
Ans'd.	✓
File No.	

Regret advances not
permissible

Telegram sent 14/9/17

A handwritten signature in cursive script, consisting of several loops and a long, sweeping tail that extends downwards and to the right.

52 Albany St.
Edinburgh
11-9-17

To Major H. A. Timewell
Pay & Record Office.

Dear Sir,

Can you let me have an
advance of Ten Pounds (£10.) if you
can oblige, will you please place it to
my credit at the bank, & send a
collect wire to the above address.

Trusting you will grant my
request.

I am, Sir

Your obedient servant

A. G. Summers, 2^d.

1ST DIVISION	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	5186
Rec'd.	SEP 12 1917
Ans'd.	
Ans'd.	9/12/17
File No.	

With reference to your
letter 11/9/17 (5186) it is much
regretted that ~~your application~~^{request}
for an advance of pay cannot
be granted. This office has
not authority to make an advance of pay
to any officer.

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

13th, November 7

Lieut. A. L. Summers,
1/1st. Newfoundland Regiment,
B. E. F.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

With reference to your letter 7/11/17
(6752): Separation Allowances are payable to widowed
mothers of Officers and other ranks where proof is
forthcoming that the widowed mother was wholly
dependant on the Officer or Soldier. It is understood
your mother will be required to make a declaration
similar to the enclosed form used by the Canadian
Authorities. If Separation allowance is admissable you
will be required to allot 50 per cent. of your pay (not
including Field or Mess Allowance).

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. I/c Records

BRANCH
 ACTED UPON BY
 DATE 13/11/17

7-11-17

Dear Fred,

I have just had a cable from home asking me to make an allotment so that my mother can draw a separation allowance.

Can you enlighten me on the subject. If so I would be very much obliged,

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE
 Ref. No. 6752
 Res' J. NOV 12 1917
 Acc'd.
 Ans'd. 12/11/17
 File No.

Yours truly
 A. L. Summer.

21st May,

8.

8001/1/R.&.C.

Lieut. A.L. Summers,
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

HA/NV

REPATRIATION DRAFT No. 64.

On authority of the Hon. Minister of Militia
of Newfoundland, you will proceed on duty to
Newfoundland, embarking at Liverpool 22/5/18.

You will report as early as possible after
embarkation to Capt. R. H. Tait, M.C., Officer
Conducting Draft, please.

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

1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT.

I, (No.) 93 (Rank) Pte (Name) Summers A.L.
 hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on
 N.F.K.No. 315 dated Oct 3/14 in favour
 of J. G. Higgins Esq for Seventy cents
 per diem. Such cancellation to take place from (inclusive)
 the 4th day of September 1915.

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach Headquarters, St. John's, in time to become operative at above nominated date; and that in the event of such failure of delivery by mail, and consequently the Allotment being thereafter paid to the Allotee, I also agree to any such necessary further stoppage being made against me in the Pay Books, or to otherwise refund to the Pay Department such overdrawn amount or amounts.*

Dated at Newton Park Schools,
August 31st 1915.

(sd) A.L. Summers
 Allotor.

Approved and Witnessed.

(sd) Eric S. Ayre, Capt
 O.O. "L" Company.

*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 at St. John's in order to become operative, and this at Allotor's risk.

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.



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ALLOTMENTS.

..... *A. L. Summers* Reg No. *93*

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Dollars and *Twenty* Cents per diem from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned person *and* or persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the Relative Identity Certificates by the person *and* persons concerned viz:

Identity Certif. No.	Whether Wife Child other Relative or Friend.	Name in full.	Address.	Amount Each Person.
<i>895</i>	<i>Friend</i>	<i>J. G. Higgins Esq.</i>	<i>Renouf Bld. St. John's N.Y.</i>	<i>50</i>
<i>Cancelling R 315 from 4/9/15</i>				
Total Allotment.				<i>50</i>

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

(Sig) *[Signature]*
 Officer Commanding Company.

(Sig) *A. L. Summers*
 (Rank) *Private*

Newton Park School
August 31st 1915



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No. 93 (Rank) 2nd Lieut (Name) A. L. Summers
hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on
N.F.K.No 8150 dated September 4th 1915 in favour
of J. G. Higgins for \$ cts. 50
per diem. Such cancellation to take place from (inclusive)
the First day of July 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
June 24th 1916.

per letter 22/6/16 attached.
Allotor.

Approved and Witnessed.
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
[Signature]
O.C. "Company."
PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS

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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.

File



N.F.L.D. DEPÔT,
NEWTON-ON-AYR,
SCOTLAND.

June 22nd / 16

To:-
Capt. A. A. Lemwell
Paymaster

Sir.

Will you please cancel
~~me~~ the allotment I have
running in the name

of J. G. Higgins, St. John's.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	2031
Rec'd.	JUN 23 1916
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	25.6.16
File No.	

I have the honor to be Sir
Your obedient servant
A. G. Summers
2/1 Newfoundland Regt. 2nd Lt

26th October 8

17358/1/P&A

London City & Midland Bank,
Abergele,
N. Wales.

Company Imprest,
Newfoundland Contingent.

Cheque for £56:0:0 is enclosed for deposit to
credit of:

Lieut. A. L. Summers,
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

£56:0:0

Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records, ^{Major}

FM/S



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT OF Lieut Summers A.L.
 FROM 1/9/18. TO 30/9/18.
 (both days inclusive)

LEDGER FOLIO No. 157.



Sgt. S. Johns Lt. U.K. 22/9/18

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount	
				Dr.	Cr.
	CR.				
	Balances from last a/c				
	Pay	30	2 00		60 00
	Field Allowances	30	60		18 00
	Mess				
	Other	22	2 00		44 00
	DR.				
	Balance from last a/c				
Sep 18	Deposit Bank of Montreal, Water Street, St. John's Pay			138 00	
	Totals			138 00	122 00
	Debit Balance				16 00
	Credit Balance				
	Checked by <i>CRS</i>			138 00	138 00

Pay roll 20/10/18

File

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LONDON AND SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY.

NINE ELMS STATION, LONDON, S.W. 8.

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Dr. TO THE LONDON AND SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY, 19

Waterlow & Sons Limited, Printers, Dunsable and London.

Pro. No.	Invoice No.	Consignee and Residence.	No. of Articles.	Species of Goods and Marks.	Weight.				Rate.	Paid on.			Rail Charge, including Paid On.			Cartage.			TOTAL TO PAY.		
					T.	C.	Q.	Lbs.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MU	154	Chief Postmaster Newfoundland Conty 50 Victoria St	1	Balance Office Kit				10		O.D.M.C.											
Sending Station. Worcester																					
Sender B.G.H.																					
O.S. No.		H.A.H. Summers.		554																	

Please pay the amount above stated to the Carman, and sign his sheet, as he is not allowed to make any abatement, or to leave the Goods without payment in full. Should any error be discovered, have the kindness to forward this bill to the Goods Manager, Waterloo Station, for explanation.

The duty and responsibility of the Company will cease when the Goods are unloaded from the Company's Van or Wagon and placed at the door of the Consignee.

If the Goods be returned to the Station the expense of a second delivery will be incurred.

Any Servant of the Company taking more than is stated on this Ticket will be dismissed. NOTICE.—The Company are not responsible for any article, articles, or property mentioned in the Carriers' Act, 1830, above the value of £10, unless the nature and value thereof be declared at the time of booking, and the increased charges are prepaid. 3s. 6d. per day will be charged for Demurrage of each Ordinary Truck after 24 hours. It is requested that any irregularity may be notified immediately to the GOODS MANAGER, WATERLOO STATION.

The Company only receive Goods and Animals subject to the above Conditions, and to those endorsed hereon.

Cable No 152
Date Nov 27



OFFICERS' MESS,
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT

152

23-11-18

To
Capt. F. Marshall,
Pay office,
London.

Dear Fred,

Will you please send the
following cable for me
my account.

Mrs. J. W. McNulty
Barnes Road
St. John's
Nfld.

Wire Bank of Montreal, Waterloo
Place, London all money possible
extremely urgent;
Gus.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
Ref. Nos. IN	10224
Rec'd	27 NOV 1918
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BLANCH	DATE
Comd.	charge to
P & A.	
R. & G.	28/11/18
B & E.	
P.S.	



OFFICERS' MESS,
2/1 ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT

I am writing this in a train
as you will possibly notice:
Mumphy & others send regards,
yours truly
A. B. Summers. S.

B. E. F.
France.

pay

Form 2a.

No. 152

ANGLO-AMERICAN

WESTERN UNION DIRECT UNITED STATES CABLEGRAM



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				VIA ANGLO.			
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27/11/18 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To MRS J W MCNEILLY
BARNES ROAD STJOHNS (Newfoundland)

CABLE BANK MONTREAL LONDON ALL MONEY POSSIBLE EXTREMELY URGENT

GUS SUMMERS

*Charge to
Lieut A H Summers*

CHARGED
PAY BOOK
Date 1/2/18 By *[Signature]*

18/-

CHECKED
W.A.G.
11/11/18

Authorised.

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

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

Signature _____ Address 58 Victoria St. S.W. 1.

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Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

No. 55/0-44

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

To
Chief Paymaster & C. i/c Records
Pay & Record Office
The Royal Newfoundland Regt
50 Victoria Street
London, S.W.1

Mar 12th 1919

5441

SUBJECT:

Lieut. A.L. Summers

REPLY

Dated 7th April 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

Attached hereto please find copy of Travelling Medical Board held on the above named Officer on Feb 20th.

This Officer has been retired with effect from Feb 25th, and placed on the Reserve List of Officers.

Received, please.

Noted.

W. G. Readell
for Lieut. Col.
Minister of Militia.

[Signature]
for Chief Paymaster & C. i/c Records.

NEWFOUNDLAND DEPARTMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

2679

7 APR 1919

[Signature]
BY
R.M.C.
U.S.E.
P.S.



Demobilization Form 1

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date FEB. 20th., 1919.

Regimental No.

Name LT. A. L. SUMMERS,

Address 116 MILITARY ROAD.

Present Medical Category... A. 1.

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

Members of Board { R. H. TAIT, CAPT.
O.C. Discharge Depot.

{ L. PATERSON
Senior Medical Officer

{ F. W. BURDEN.
M. O. Depot

OFFICERS RESETTLEMENT FORM NO. 1.

The Committee dealing with the resettlement of officers have asked for the following information.

Please fill up this form and return it to your Battery Office, Battalion or Company Orderly Room by 9 a.m. ~~3rd~~^{23rd} December.

Did you enter the Army --

- | | <u>Yes or No.</u> |
|---|------------------------|
| (i) Direct from School | <u>no</u> |
| (ii) " " University or Technical College | |
| (iii) " " articles or pupilage ⁱⁿ professions
workshops, laboratories, etc. | |
| (iv) From a class of employment which can be
definitely followed again. | <u>Yes</u> |
| (v) From a class of employment which cannot
definitely be followed again. | |
| (vi) From an appointment or employment which
definitely cannot be followed again | |

Signature Rank.....

Unit.....

A. Summers
Royal Field Coy

Summers, A. L.

Lieut

O-44

Ray Sept.

GEO. W. B. AYRE, LL.B.
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR AND NOTARY,
OFFICES- RENOUF BUILDING,
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

December 29th 1920.

R

Lt. Colonel Rendell, O. B. E.
Chief Staff Officer,
Militia Building.

Dear Sir:-

Re Ex-Lieutenant A. L. Summers.

Following on our conversation of yesterday, I am putting forward the following facts for your consideration.

Lieutenant Summers was one of the first members of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment to enlist, his regimental number being 93. He became a second Lieutenant November 27th 1915, first Lieutenant August 1st 1917 and retired February 25th 1919. He therefore served from the beginning to the end of the Great War.

His mother is paralyzed, having had the first attack early in 1915.. and in 1917 had such an attack as to leave her totally irresponsible.

I
Before enlistment and during the war and to-day Lieutenant Summers was and is the sole support of his mother. When he enlisted Mrs. Summers was conducting a small store on Military Road. A great deal of the responsibility of this store, in connection with accounts and other matters was assumed by Mr. Summers, thereby relieving his mother of a great deal of worry and anxiety.. He also contributed to the upkeep of the home. Not long after his joining the regiment Mrs. Summers was par-

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OFFICES- RENOUF BUILDING,
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

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paralyzed but still carried on the store until in 1917 she became so incapacitated that the store was closed. Mrs. Summers conduct of the store was such that she, when the store was closed, was indebted to her creditors between fifteen hundred and two thousand dollars. Mr. Summers was unaware of the condition of affairs, friends of his and Mrs. Summers took care of Mrs. Summers until Mr. Summers return on leave of duty sometime in June of 1918. As soon as aware of the facts Mr. Summers made an allotment and his mother was granted the Separation Allowance. In the course of time, Mr. Summers, to save his mother from the insolvency courts, paid off a considerable portion of his mother's liabilities, arising through her management of the store. The running of the store was clearly no benefit either to Mrs. or Mr. Summers but an added burden to him. Mr. Summers has been before enlistment and is to-day the only support of his mother and can ^{be} and could have been legally compelled to support his mother had he refused to do so.

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In our conversation the subject of his not having made an allotment came up. Mr. Summers informs me that he did make an allotment, which was paid his mother after a small account, for which he was indebted, had been paid off.

From the above facts it is clearly seen that Mr. Summers has been and is the sole support of his mother and I can find

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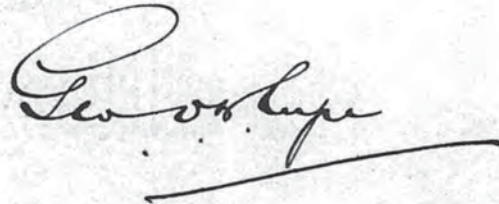
nothing in the regulations which would disentitle her from receiving the Separation Allowance. I therefore ask you that the Board would give this matter a sympathetic reconsideration.

If there is any further facts on which you would wish to be informed, I shall be very pleased to furnish same if at all possible.

Mr. Summers is prepared to substantiate the above facts if the board should think it necessary.

I am returning herewith the Gazette containing ~~regulations~~
the personal or
for which I thank you.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Geo. W. B. Ayre", with a horizontal line underneath.

GEO. W. B. AYRE, LLB.
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR AND NOTARY,
OFFICES- RENOUF BUILDING,
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

January 14th 1921.

Lt. Colonel Rendell, O. B. E.
Chief Staff Officer,
Militia Building.

Dear Sir:-

Re Ex-Lieutenant A. L. Summers.

May I hope for an early reply to my letter to you dated
December 29th re the above matter.

Yours truly,

Geo. W. B. Ayre

January 21st. 1921

George W. B. Ayre Esq., L. L. B.

City

Dear Sir:-

re Claim for Separation Allowance of
Mrs Elizabeth Summers, on account of
ex-Lieutenant Augustus L. Summers

Kindly pardon delay in replying to your letter of December 29th. concerning the above matter.

I beg to state for your information the position taken by the Board of Review of Separation Allowance Claims in this case, and the most suitable manner to do so appears to be to answer your points in retation.

- (1) You state "Before enlistment and during the war and to-day Lieutenant Summers was and is the sole support of his mother."

This is the point on which the claim rests solely. The Board of Review is not satisfied that such is the case, and until such time as tangible proof of the correctness of the statement, to their satisfaction, is produced, they cannot recede from their present position.

- (2) "As soon as aware of the facts, Mr Summers made an allotment and his mother was granted Separation Allowance."

Lieut. Summers arrived in St. John's on June 1st, 1918. Original claim for Separation Allowance was signed by Mrs Summers on January 30th, 1918. Lieutenant Summers declared an allotment on August 16th, 1918. Our recollection is that the allotment was not declared until it was pointed out to him that it was necessary in order to have Separation Allowance granted.

- (3) "Mrs Summers' conduct of the store was such that she, when the store was closed, was indebted to her creditors between fifteen hundred and two thousand dollars."

This cannot be construed as having a bearing on her claim for Separation Allowance, as whether the son was or was not the sole support, the allowance could not be granted simply because, through

inability to manage her affairs, his dependent ran into debt. Furthermore it seems that up to the date of her second stroke of paralysis, his mother was quite capable of running her business with profit.

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"Mr Summers informs me that he did make an allotment, which was paid his mother after a small account, for which he was indebted had been paid off."

He did make an allotment, but not to his mother, and we have nothing but his own statement to the effect that his mother derived any benefit from his allotment. The party to whom the allotment was made, can doubtless state how much of it went to his mother for her support.

The Board of Review takes the position, and the clause in the Regulations regarding the declaration of an allotment clearly means, that the simplest form of acknowledgment of dependence is the declaration of an allotment by the soldier, in favour of the person whose dependence he acknowledges. (But the declaration of an allotment cannot be accepted as acknowledgment of dependence in all cases). This is the only interpretation that the Board of Review feels justified in placing on the clause, and as will be noted, when in the present case, that regulation was complied with, the allowance was granted.

The Board of Review is always open to reconsider the cases of those who consider they have not been fairly treated, but it cannot be swayed in its decisions by sentiment, nor can it deviate from the printed regulations without establishing precedents which would have a very far-reaching effect, or which could be construed to the derogation of the Board or the individual members thereof.

Your letter states that Lieut. Summers is willing to produce satisfactory proofs of your statements. The Board of Review is quite prepared to receive such proofs, and if found to be satisfactory, to grant the allowance from the date on which his brother offered for enlistment.

I trust the foregoing is quite clear, and that the claim can be adjusted to the entire satisfaction of everybody concerned.

Yours truly,

Lieut. Col.
C.S.O.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant..... *Summers Elizabeth (mother, widow)*

On account of *Summers A.L.* No..... Rank *Lieut*

Decision..... *Refused*
Other son unmarried during
period claimed.

A.E. Hekman
W.F. Rudell Lieut. Col.
M. Bowley Capt

Date..... *July 21/1919*

Instructions..... *10/12/19*

Allowment of per payable to
Discontinued on account of
from
not established

Reconsidered
Refused
Dependence

W.F. Rudell Lieut. Col.
M. Bowley Major

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

For Information of Separation Allowance Department.

1. Name and regimental number) *A. L. Summers, Lieut.*
of soldier in respect of whom)
Separation Allowance is claimed)
2. Name and age of said soldier's) *Elizabeth Summers*
father or other relative.) *62 yrs*
3. Is said ~~father or other relative~~ a chronic)
invalid and totally incapacita-) *yes*
ted.)
4. Of what nature is disability ?) *general disability*
following Haemorrhage
5. From what date has this total) *1915*
incapacity been existent ?)
6. How long is total incapacity) *permanent.*
likely to continue and what will)
be the effect on earning power.)
7. If not totally incapacitated by)
what per cent in your opinion is)
capacity for work reduced and)
from what date.)
8. Are you the regular attending) *yes*
physician ?)
9. Relationship to soldier of) *mother*
applicant ?)

I certify that the above statements are correct.

St John N. Field.....Place,

July 22/1919.....Date.

Whitehead M.D.
.....
Physician.

NOTICE.

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

LIMOTHER.

(Separation Allowance Branch)

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

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

"The Esquire"
Separation Allowance Branch,
St. John's, Nfld.

1. Name in full of soldier. Rank. Reg't. or Unit. Regt. No.

Augustus C. Summers, Lieut. Royal Nfld. Regt. -

2. Age of soldier. Married or Single.

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Single

3. Name in full of mother. Age. Occupation. Permanent Address.

*Elizabeth Summers about 60 - 116 Military Rd
St. John's.*

4. Give name of your husband. Age. Occupation Where Employed.

Dead

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

Dead

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

Dead

7. If you are a widow, state date and place of death of your husband.

*Widow 6th June 1906
St. John's*

8. Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband?

No.

9. Names of your other children. Address in full. Age. Occupation Married or Single

<i>Margaret McNeily</i>	<i>Barnes Rd.</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>married</i>
<i>Agnes Heilly</i>	<i>Bay Roberts</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>do</i>
<i>Patrick Summers</i>	<i>(Not known)</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>not known</i>	<i>single</i>
<i>Leo J. Summers</i>	<i>Boston</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>Engineer</i>	<i>married</i>
<i>Robert J. Summers</i>	<i>Montreal</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>clerk</i>	<i>married</i>

*My copy
M. 1918*

10. State amount earned by (a) Yourself *None*
(b) Your husband.
-
11. State amount and source of any other income. *\$223⁰⁰/₁₀₀ per year from rent from sub-let property since 1919*
-
12. State value of real property belonging to you and your husband. *Not applicable*
-
13. State value of personal property belonging to you and your husband. *Not applicable*
-
14. If husband is dead state value of real and personal property left by him. *About \$500.⁰⁰/₁₀₀*
-
15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to enlistment. *About \$300.⁰⁰/₁₀₀*
-
16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly. *Monthly*
-
17. Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc. *Yes*
-
18. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. *Insurance Agent*
-
19. State amount of his wages per week. *Averaging \$18.⁰⁰/₁₀₀*
-
20. State name and address of his last employer. *Hon. P. D. Blandford*
-
21. State amount of monthly support from son since enlistment. *Enlisted 1914 and up to 1917 my son was not aware of my illness & consequently did not think it necessary to contribute to my support.*
-
22. State amount of allotment received by you from son since enlistment. *\$240.⁰⁰/₁₀₀*
-
23. State from what date did you receive allotment? *August 1/18*
-
24. Actual amount contributed by other children. Weekly *None* Monthly.
-
25. Are any of these children in the employ of you or your husband? *No*

- 26. If not receiving support from other children, state cause. Explain fully. *all married except one & he has been away 20 yrs*

- 27. With whom are you residing at present? *A. K. Summers.*

- 28. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance. If not, why? Give particulars. *No in Sep of following 6 wks misunderstanding did not receive any until August 1915.*

- 29. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, how much? *No*

- 30. Are you already in receipt of any payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much. *No*

- 31. Was the soldier at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Nfld. Government. *No*

- 32. In what capacity and in what place? *Not applicable*

- 33. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment? If so, how much. *No*

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

Signature of Applicant..... *A. K. Summers*
 Place of Residence..... *116 Military Road, St. John's nfld.*
 Declared and subscribed before me at..... *St. John's nfld.*
 this.....day of..... *July*.....191*9*

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace. *John A. Barron
a Barrister of the Supreme Court.*

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

Signature of Clergyman..... *A. H. ...*

Signature of member of the Patriotic Fund Committee. *Chas. O. ...*

December 9th.1919

From:- Paymaster

To:- S.S.M. Edwards, R.A.

re Robert Summers

Have you any record of the enlistment of this man, which is supposed to have offered in 1915 or 1916?

Major
Paymaster

December 9th.1919

Dr.H.Rendell,

City:

Dear Sir:-

It has been reported to this Department, that Robert Summers, son of the late James Summers of Military Road, was under your care during part of the year 1918.

Can you kindly verify this, and furnish me with a report as to his condition when he first reported to you?

Thanking you in advance.

Yours truly,

Major
Paymaster

R

Saint John's

November 7th.19

Lieut.Colonel W.F.Rendell,
Chief Staff Officer.

Dear Colonel Rendell,

Attached please find a copy of a letter which I wrote to
Major Howley asking for a re-consideration of a claim of my Mother.

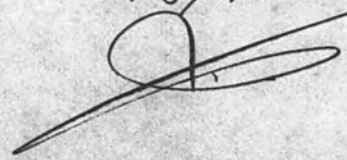
Up to the present time I have heard nothing from him in the matter,
but was given to understand by one of the N.C.O's that he was waiting for
your return.

Knowing you to be fully aware of all the circumstances re my Mother's
sickness and business etc.I am making this personal appeal to you feeling
sure that you will have it reconsidered.

I would not be troubling about this claim so much only
things are in a pretty bad state,and it would help in no small way to
straighten things out to everyone's satisfaction.

Yours Very truly.

A. L. Summers



Court House,
City

Copy

Saint John's,

Sept. 22nd. 19

Major James Howely,
Paymaster.

Dear Sir,

Sometime ago a claim for retro-active separation allowance was made by Mrs. Elizabeth Summers.

I was given to understand that it was disallowed on account of there being another son unmarried and not in the Regiment; I herewith forward you the facts in regard to him.

In December 1914 he was in Canada where he became seriously ill and it was found necessary to have him brought home, on his arrival here and for many months after he was receiving medical attendance from Doctor Rendell, who treated him as a tuberculosis patient, he sufficiently ~~recovered~~ however to think himself fit to join up, but on being examined was turned down and received a badge to that effect, after working here for sometime he again returned to Canada where he is at present.

He was married sometime in 1918. My object in writing you again on the matter is to secure for this claim another consideration at you earliest convenience.

Yours truly,



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

December 9th. 1919

From:- Paymaster

To:- S.S.M. Edwards, R.A.

*Not
A. h. Summers*

/// re Robert Summers (*Military Road*)

Have you any record of the enlistment of this man, which is supposed to have offered in 1915 or 1916?

M. Bowley
Major
Paymaster

///
Enlisted October 18th 1916
Issued with Rejection
Badge # 227

R. A. Edwards
S.M.

Dec.19,1919

A.L.Summers, Esq.,
Court House,
City.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of November 7th., to Lieut.Col. W.F. Rendell, I beg to state that your mother's claim for Separation Allowance has been again considered by the Board of Review, and I have been directed to advise you that they cannot see their way clear to change their previous decision.

Yours truly,

Major

Paymaster.

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

MOTHER.

(Separation Allowance Branch.)

Notice.

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

Each statement is considered as being made on Oath and the

form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, and returned to,

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

1. Name in full of Soldier. Rank Reg't. or Unit Reg't. No.
Augustus Leo Summers / Lieut Royal Mfld. Regiment

2. Age of Soldier Married or Single.
26 years Single

3. Name in full of Mother Age Occupation Permanent Address.
Elizabeth Summers 60 Shopkeeper 116 Military Rd

4. Give name of your husband. Age Occupation Where employed.

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

*allot \$4.00 per day
Aug 16/1918*

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

7. If you are a widow, state date and place of death of your husband.
st. John's June 1906

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

9. Names of your other Children Address in Full. Age. Occupation Married or Single.

<i>Patrick Summers</i>	<i>do not know</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>do not know</i>	<i>single</i>
<i>George Summers</i>	<i>67 Witt Street St. John's Mass.</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>munition worker</i>	<i>married</i>
<i>Robert Summers</i>	<i>Slaty Street - Montreal</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>clerk</i>	<i>single</i>
<i>Agnes Kielly</i>	<i>Bay Roberts</i>	<i>33</i>		<i>married</i>

Margaret McNeely 1 Berny Rd, age 35 married

(3)

10. State amount earned by (a) yourself (b) Your husband (a) do not know (b) do not know
11. State amount and source of any other income. None
12. State value of Real Property belonging to you and your husband. None
13. State value of personal property belonging to you and your husband. about \$500 ⁰⁰ furniture
14. If husband is dead state value of Real and personal Property left by him. \$1,500 ⁰⁰ now spent ⁰⁰ husband having died 1906
15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to enlistment. _____
16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly. \$20 ⁰⁰ monthly
17. Did this amount include payment of son's Board etc. Yes
18. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. Clerk
19. State amount of his wages per week. do not know
20. State name and address of his last employer. Wm. J. D. Blandford
21. State amount of support monthly from son since enlistment. nothing
22. State amount of Allotment received by you from son monthly. None
23. From what date did you receive Allotment? _____
24. Actual amount contributed by other children } Weekly Monthly _____
25. Are any of these children in the employ of you or husband? _____
26. If not receiving support from other children state cause, Explain fully. _____
27. With whom are you residing at present. By myself
28. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance,? If not, Why? Give particulars. I did not know I could get it
29. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, how much? No

30. Are you in receipt of any payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, How much. *no*

31. Was the Soldier at time of his enlistment an employee of the Newfoundland Government. *no*

32. In what capacity and in what place. _____

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

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

Signature of Applicant..... *Elizabeth Sumner*

Place of Residence ... *116 Melbore Rd St John's*

Declared and subscribed before me at.....

this *30th* day of *January*.....191*8*

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace. *[Signature]*
Barrister at Law

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

Signature of Clergyman *J J. W. Smith V.S.*

Signature of Member of Patriotic Fund Committee. *[Signature]*

Soldier in receipt of money recall
[Signature]

allowance.

Yours truly
Elizabeth Summers

Jan 14/18

St. Johns
116 Military Rd

J.R. Bennett Esq.
Minister of Militia
Dear Sir—

As my Step-son
Lt A.S. Summers has
not made use of an
allotment, would you
be good enough to inform
me what I must do
to get an allotment
and separation

FORM K



No. 315

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, G Summers, Regl. No. 93

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form, to make an Allotment of Twenty Dollars and — Cents, per month 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).	
	Friend	J G Higgins Solicitor	Rennies Mill Rd St Johns	20	=
<i>changed to 70¢ per day</i>					
				Total Allotment, \$ <u>20</u> =	

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

(Sig.) Geoff Learty

Officer Commanding
Company

(Sig.) G. Summers

(Rank)

OCT 17 1914 191




1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, AL Summers, Regl. No. 93

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form, to make an Allotment of 50 Dollars and fifty 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).
<u>495</u>	Friend	<u>J. Higgins Esq.</u>	<u>Renouf Building St. John's N.F.</u>	<u>50</u>
<u>495</u>				
				
In lieu of Form No. <u>315</u>				
To take effect from and including <u>Sept. 4. 1915</u>				
Total Allotment, \$				<u>50</u>

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

(Signed) Eric S. Ayre Capt

Officer Commanding
F Company

Newton Park School

August 31 1915

(Signed) AL Summers

(Rank) private

Saint John's,

Sept. 22nd. 19

Major James Howely, M.B.E.

Paymaster.

Dear Sir,

Sometime ago a claim for retro-active separation allowance was made by Mrs. Elizabeth Summers.

I was given to understand that it was disallowed on account of there being another son unmarried and not in the Regiment; I herewith forward you the facts in regard to him.

In December 1914 he was in Canada where he became seriously ill and it was found necessary to have him brought home, on his arrival here and for many months after he was receiving medical attendance from Doctor Rendell, who treated him as a tubercolosis patient, he sufficiently recovered however to think himself fit to join up, but on being examined was turned down and received a badge to that effect, after working here for sometime he again returned to Canada where he is at present.

He was married sometime in 1918. My object in writing you again on the matter is to secure for this claim another consideration at you earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

A. B. Summers

DUPLICATE.

No. 10073

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./54.

No. 452

To **Minister of Militia,
St John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND**

" " Company.

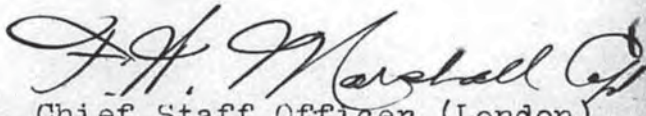
MEMORANDUM OF ~~STOPPAGES~~/CREDITS on account of
Paymaster's Advances

NOTE: - Charge under _____ Column.

Credit Debit Pay & Record Office (London)

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars & Authority	AMOUNT						
			£	s	d	s	d		
	Lt Summers A.L.	Overcharged per Acq Roll 8569. 100 Marks converted as £4.0.0. should read £2.13.4. Credit diff.			1	6	8		
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Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.


 1919 *for* Chief Staff Officer (London) *acc*

31st. 1919

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

Dated at _____

_____ 1919.

C.C., " " Company,
_____ Battalion.

Complete and return ORIGINAL, retain DUPLICATE.

ORIGINAL

No 10073

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./54.

No. 452

To: **Minister of Militia,
St John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND**

" " Company.

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Paymaster's Advances

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Column.

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31/7/19

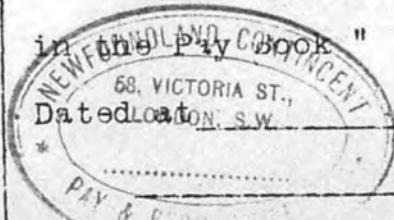
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J. H. Marshall
1919 Chief Staff Officer (London)

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

July 31st. 1919

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



1919.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER / Company,
Battalion.

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DUPLICATE ORIGINAL

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. 805
Company.

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

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY
Posted 11 JUL 1918
Column

MEMORANDUM of STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of

NEWFOUNDLAND Co.
58, VICTORIA ST.
LONDON, S. W. I.
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

PAYMASTERS ADVANCES

NOTE: S. Charge under

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

No.	Rank & Name	Particulars And Authority	AMOUNT					
			£	s	d			
	Lieut. Summers, A.L.	Deposit to credit of account at Bank of Montreal to cover outstanding cheques in Officers' unpaid cheque account.		11	18	4		
				11	18	4		

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. I,
14th, June 1918.

F. J. Macleod
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made in the Pay Book of Headquarters Company for Period / / to / / and credited to Pay & Record Office, London, S. W. (1).

Dated at St. John's, Newfoundland Minister of Militia.

ORIGINAL of this FORM to be COMPLETED and RETURNED INTACT to Paymaster & O. i/c Records, Newfoundland Contingent, 58 Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.
DUPLICATE to accompany PAY BOOK as VOUCHER.

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

To: **Minister of Militia,
St. John's, Newfoundland.**

Posted. 11 JUL 1918

No 202

" Company.

MEMORANDUM of STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of

Advances of Pay. *per Full Cashier*

NOTE: - Charge under
Credit **Credit P. & R. O. London.**



ORIGINAL of this FORM to be COMPLETED and RETURNED INTACT to Paymaster & O. I/c Records,
 Newfoundland Contingent, 58 Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.
 DUPLICATE to accompany PAY BOOK as VOUCHER.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars And Authority	AMOUNT					
			£	s	d			
LT.	A.L. Summers	Amount drawn France as per Vr. 4500, 3/5/18	5	13	4			
	Do	Amount drawn France as per Vr. 4560, 9/5/18	4	11	8			
	Do	Amounts drawn France as per Vr. 4588, 14/5/18	4	11	8			
CHECKED. <i>[Signature]</i>						13	16	8

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

June 14th 1918

[Signature]
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made in
the Pay Book of " " Company for Period / / to / /
and credited to Pay & Record Office, London, S.W.1.

Dated at _____

191

O.C. " " Company,
Battalion.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. 214.

To: The Hon. The Minister 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.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars & Authority	AMOUNT								
			£	s	d	£	s	d			
	Lieut A.L. Summers	Cheque cashed in this Imprest account and returned unpaid by the Bank of Montreal, Error in Imprest a/c. <i>OK WR</i>				2	18	10			
						£2		19	10		

CHECKED.
C.P.
 28/3/19

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

28th March

1919. Chief Paymaster & Q. I/c Records.

J. H. Marsden

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

Dated at _____

191

O.C. " " Company,

 Battalion.

DUPLICATE

No. _____ **NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT**
The Hon. The Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

L. 1244
 No. _____
 " " Company.

MEMORANDUM ~~Paymaster's Advances~~ on Account of

NOTE: - ~~Pay~~ **Pay & Record Office, London.** Column.
 Credit

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars & Authority	AMOUNT				
			£	s	d		
	Lieut A.L. Summers	Cheque cashed in this Imprest account and returned unpaid by the Bank of Montreal, error in Imprest a/c.	2	18	10		
				1	0		
							£2 19 10

CHECKED
B.P.
 28/3/19

Pay & Record Office,
 58 Victoria Street,
 28th March, S.W. 1. 9.

191 *J.H. Marshall*
 Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

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

Dated at _____

_____ 191

O.C. " " Company,
 _____ Battalion.

DUPLICATE.

6521

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. 281

To:

The Hon. The Minister of Militia.

" " Company.

MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Loss of Regimental property.

NOTE: - Charge under
 Credit

Column.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Pay & Record Office, London. Authority	AMOUNT				
			£	s	d	e	d
	Lt. Summers A.L.	Officers Vr.no.119 pay for cost of bicycle lost at Hilden, Germany copy of A.F.A.2. ¹⁰ attached.	5	0	0		
			5	0	0		

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

191 *F.H. Marshall* Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records *cap*

29th April 191

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

Dated at _____

191

O.C. " " Company,

 Battalion.

ORIGINAL

No. 6521

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. 281To: **The Hon. The Minister of Militia.**" " Company.**St. John's, Newfoundland.**MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of**Loss of Regimental property.**

NOTE: - Charge under

Column.

Credit

Pay & Record Office, London.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars & Authority	AMOUNT						
			£	s	d	£	s	d	
	Lt. Summers A.L.	Officers Vr.no.119 pay for cost of bicycle lost at Hilden, Germany copy of A.F.A.2. is attached.			5	0	0		
					5	0	0		

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

29th April

1919.

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

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

Dated at _____

191

O.C. " " Company,
Battalion.

PROCEEDINGS of a* Court of Enquiry.

*N.B.—The Form being applicable to any Board of Officers, or Committee, or Court of Inquiry, this blank to be filled in accordingly.

The proceedings should be signed by each Officer composing the Board, etc.

assembled at No.2. Con.D Depot Rouen.

on the 20th Feby 1919.

by order of Bn Order No.118.

for the purpose of enquiring into the loss of a bicycle
at Hilden, Germany.

PRESIDENT.

Captain J.R.Stick.

MEMBERS.

2/Lieut B.Forsey.

2/Lieut R.Chafe.

IN ATTENDANCE.

The Court having assembled pursuant to order, proceed to

examine the following witnesses.

1st Witness 1674 L/C Boone E.

2nd " Capt H.Williamson.

3rd " Lieut G.Summers } cannot be called owing to

4th " C.Q.M.S.A.Wateky } being in Newfoundland.



I concur.

Rouen.
March 31st 1919.

Sgd G. Mayne Brig. General.
Base Commandant.

To Adjutant,
1st Battn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Herewith is finding and evidence of Court of Enquiry in the loss
of a Bicycle in Hilden, Germany, as per B.C.118.

Sgd J.R.Stick Capt.

20/2/19.

1st Witness.

1674 L/Cpl Boone, E. states that I was a runner on
Battn H.Qrs on the 16th Dec.1918 when Capt. Raley gave me orders to
take a bicycle to Capt. Williamson of D.Coy which I did. I did
not obtain a receipt. About 8 days later I saw C.Q.M.S.Vaters of
A.Coy riding on the same bicycle. I cannot remember the number of
the bicycle. The bicycle was second hand, but in fairly good
condition. I was a Pte at the time I gave Capt. Williamson the
bicycle.

Sgd. E.Boone L/Cpl.

2nd Witness.

Capt H.Williamsons M.C. states that on the 16th Dec.1918
I received a bicycle from Pte E.Boone runner on Battn H.Qrs. About
the 21st Dec. 1918 I passed the same bicycle over to Lieut. Summers of
A.Coy. I did not obtain a receipt. About 3 days afterwards I saw one
of A.Coy runners using the bicycle. I cannot remember the number on
the bicycle.

Sgd H.Williamson Capt.

The finding of the Court.

The Court finds that the bicycle was lost by A.Coy but owing to the
absence of witnesses, cannot place the responsibility on any one
individual. We recommend that the loss of the bicycle should fall
on Lieut. Summers who was in command of A.Coy at the time estimated
value five pounds.

President J.R.Stick Capt.
(B.Forsey 2/Lieut.
Members. (R.McK.Chafe 2/Lieut

20/3/19.

Concurred in.

E. Dea.
A. Leonard Major.

22/3/19

The Hon. the Minister of Militia,

~~New St. John's, Newfoundland~~ AND CONTINGENT

H.F.P./54

To: _____

No. _____

" " Company.

PAYMASTERS ADVANCES

MEMORANDUM of STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of

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

NOTE:- Charge under Credit

Column

ORIGINAL of this FORM to be COMPLETED and RETURNED INTACT to Paymaster & O. 1/c Reco
Newfoundland Contingent, 58 Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.
DUPLICATE to accompany PAY BOOK as VOUCHER.

Regtl No.	Lieut. Summers, A.L. Rank & Name	Deposit/credit of account Bank of Montreal to cover outstanding cheques in Officers' unpaid cheque account.	AMOUNT					
			£	s	d	£	s	d
						11	18	4.
						11	18	4.

14th June 1918
Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,

L. F. J. Macauliffe

Headquarters of Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

and credited to Pay & Record Office, London, S.W. (1)
CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made in
the Pay Book of " St. John's, Newfoundland " Company for Period / /

Dated at _____

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

**DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY**
No. 13/94
Posted
who was sent

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with O.L./19, 28/5/17.

Regtl No. _____ Rank **Lieut.** Name **A. L. Summers** Unit **Royal Field, Regt.**
to **Newfoundland** on **22 5 18** Authority _____ Cause **Special Duty**

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.

CR.

PERIOD: FROM 11/5/18 TO 22/5/18	PARTICULARS				PARTICULARS			
	£	s	d		£	s	d	
					Balance Cr. from			
					Pay 12 days @ £2.00	24	00	
					Field Allce 12 days @ £60	7	90	
						31	20	6 8 2
					Other Allces days @ £			
					Other Credits:			
					Mess Allowance.			
					11/5/18-22/5/18, 12 days @ 4/-			2 8 0
					Total Credits			8 16 2
					Balance due to Paymaster			
					Total Debits			8 16 2
					Balance due by Paymaster			
						8	16	2
						8	16	2

Other Debits:
~~Deposit-Bank-of-Montreal~~

£ 16 2

Mess Allowance.
11/5/18-22/5/18, 12 days @ 4/-

2 8 0

CHECKED
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I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of

(Place) _____ (Date) 191

O.C. " " Company.

Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London, t 21 5 18 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,
21-5-18 191

H. O. ...
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

ORIGINAL

N.F.P./94

DUPLICATE MAIL COPY
Posted on 22-5-18

To be rendered for all ranks or persons transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17

Regtl No. _____ Rank Lieut. Name A. L. Summers Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Sent to Newfoundland Authority _____ Cause Special Duty

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.

CR.

PARTICULARS	£ s d			PARTICULARS	£ s d		
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PERIOD: From 11/5/18 To 22/5/18

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of

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(Place) _____ (Date) 1918

O.C. " " Company.

Made up, checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London, to 21/5/18 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,

21-5-1918

A. L. Summers
 Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT OF Lieut Summers A.L.
 FROM 1/9/18. TO 30/9/18.
 (both days inclusive)

LEDGER FOLIO NO. 157.

Left St. John's for UK. 22/9/18.

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount	
				Dr.	Cr.
	CR.				
	Balances from last a/c				
	Pay	30	2 00		60 00
	Field Allowances	30	60		18 00
	Mess "				
	Other "	22	2 00		44 00
	DR.				
	Balance from last a/c				
Sep 18	Deposit Bank of Montreal, Water Street, St. John's			138 00	
	Pay				
	Totals			138 00	122 00
	Debit Balance				1600
	Credit Balance				
	Checked by				
				138 00	13800

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BARRISTER, SOLICITOR AND NOTARY,
OFFICES- RENOUF BUILDING,
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

January 27th 1921.

Lt. Colonel Rendell, O. B. E.
Chief Staff Officer,
Militia Building.

Dear Sir:-

Re Ex-Lieutenant A. L. Summers.

I am in receipt of your letter of January 21st in reply to mine of December 29th and I thank you for same.

I shall, as speedily as possible, furnish you with the information for which you have asked.

Yours truly,

Geo. W. B. Ayre

File

February 28, 1920

Lieut. A.L. Summers,
Court House,
City

Dear Sir:

I enclose cheque
for \$6.48, balance of Pay due you.

Yours truly ,

Major
Paymaster

LM-
Enc.

St Johns.

To
Capt. J. Hawley

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly

send me Dependents
Allowance Form to be

filled up for Elizabeth
Summers. Have written

Hon. J. R. Bennett, regarding
same. Please send

in care of Mrs. J. W. McKeilly
1. Barnes Road.

Oblig.
Yrs. truly
Agnes Kelly.
The Sumner,

Jan. 21st - 1906.

Jan. 25th. 1918.

Mrs. Agnes Kielly,
c/o Mrs. J. N. McNeilly,
1 Barnes Rd., City.

Dear Madam:-

Referring to your letter of January,
21st., I enclose Form of Statutory
Declaration, to be filled up by your
mother.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

\$ 100⁰⁰



June 10

Halifax N.S. May 29 1908

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On Demand

BANK OF NOVA

Pay to

the order of

J. W. Campbell & Co

D. 1038

One Hundred

Dollars

Value received and charge the same to account of self.

To Cap^t Rowley

Dr

Paymaster - Rfld Reg.

S. John's Rfld

PAID

A. G. Summers R.
1st. Royal. Rfld. Regt.

PAY TO THE ORDER OF
ANY BANK OR BANKER
Bank of Nova Scotia
HALIFAX, N. S.
H. A. FLEMMING, Manager.

7/17/10

W. Lawrence Co

20 x 5 = 100.00

ACCOUNT	<i>R Key</i>	INITIALS	
CH. NO.	<i>70400</i>	INITIALS	
IND. LEDGER		INITIALS	
PAY LEDGER	<i>R Key</i>	INITIALS	<i>W.L.</i>
GEN. LEDGER	<i>R Key</i>	INITIALS	

Rec'd. Payt.
Bank of Nova Scotia
per J. W. Moore

To Paymaster
of First Newfoundland Regiment.

Please pay J. G. Higgins the sum of
Twenty Dollars ($\$20^{\text{00}}/11$) of my months
salary for such time as my name may
appear on your pay-sheet.

A. L. Summers,
Regimental No. 93

John G. Higgins, B.A.

(Of the Inner Temple, London, Barrister-at-Law.)

Barrister, Solicitor, etc.

DUCKWORTH STREET

ST JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND

October 16th 1914.

H.A. Timewell, Esq.,
Paymaster First Nfld. Regiment.

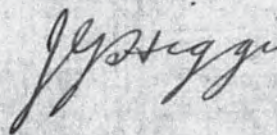
Dear Sir,

Re our conversation of recent date I beg to state that Mr A.L. Summers, a private in the Nfld. Regiment, Regimental Number 93, gave me a written assignment of his pay to the amount of (\$20) twenty dollars a month. As instructed by you I am enclosing this assignment. I have written to him telling him that the assignment, not being in the proper form, is useless and asking him to get the proper form filled up, which I suppose will be done when you arrive with the papers.

I am very much obliged with you for offering to see that the matter is fixed up alright.

I remain, Dear Sir,

Yours truly,



DEPARTMENT
Reference No.
Date Rec'd.	OCT 17 1914
" Ack'd.
" Ans'd.
File



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Augustus B Summers, Regt. No. _____
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
One Dollars and _____ Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} _{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} _{or} Persons
 concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins 16-8-18

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
6580	Mother	<u>Mrs James (Elizabeth) Summers</u>	<u>St John's</u>	1.00
Total Allotment, \$				1.00

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.) J. H. ...
 for Officer Commanding
Depot Company
St John's
16-8-1918

(Sig.) A. B. Summers
 (Rank) Lieut.

To Paymaster,

Sir,

J. Evans	
GH NO 10108	INITIALS J.E.
FID LEDGER	INITIALS
PAY LEDGER	INITIALS
CSR. LEDGER	INITIALS

I beg to make application for travelling expenses from London to St. John's

20-2-19

[Signature]

OK for \$10. A. L. Summers

W. J. R.

Received

A. L. Summers

MEDICAL OFFICER
DR. H. RENDELL



Tuberculosis Public Service
St. John's, Newfoundland

7894

Dec 11th 1919

Dear Major Howley,

In reply to your letter of the 9th ult re Robert Summers, I beg to inform you that I have a very clear recollection of his case. He came under my care with symptoms decidedly suggestive of possible pulmonary tuberculosis, but he made such a rapid recovery, and discharged himself so ²very quickly, that I concluded his condition must have been a non-tuberculous one. I have not since seen anything of him.

yours very truly,

H. Rendell per

H.P.

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Ak Summers

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Geo W. B. Ayrer Esq L.L.D.

Dear Sir,

re ex-Lieutenant A. L. Summers.

With reference to your letter of March 15th I beg to lay before you the reply of the Board of Review of Separation Allowance Claims.

It must be pointed out that the Board has been supplied with ~~a series~~ of Regulations governing the issue of Separation Allowance, to be used for its guidance in the consideration of such claims as ~~were~~^{would} be made to it; and the Board was given no ~~discretionary~~ power to depart from these Regulations in any detail, and no discretionary power in cases of doubt. The Board has, in consequence, to the best of its power, always demanded that such information as was supplied it, be conclusive evidence of total dependence, before it would authorize payment of ^a claim. "Sole support" cannot ~~be given~~ be given any other meaning than that which the phrase conveys, viz. "~~sole support~~".

The Board of Review would not take into consideration the earning power of the applicant if she ~~was~~^{were} the soldier's widowed mother, because she would under such circumstances be entitled to the allowance under the regulations, provided the son was her sole support. (this fact to be satisfactorily established of course).

The claim now made on Lt. Summers behalf is that

"he was legally her support and was compellable in the courts to support her." Our answer to this is that the same should apply to his brother who was single at the time, and such ^{a conclusion} ~~affirmation~~ would naturally preclude the application ^{to Lt Sumner} of ^{the term} sole support ^{was} to ~~Lt Sumner~~. This fact coupled with his not having ^{an} allotment in his mother's favour certainly leads the Board to believe ^{that} its ^{finding} ~~claim~~ that he was not the sole support is perfectly justifiable.

It might be as well to point out that one of the very first regulations, about which there is no equivocation, is that the soldier must contribute ^{at least} ^{of} one half his pay to his dependents.

Mr Higgin's affidavit which is forwarded in support of the claim is not in accordance with the records of this Department. These are as follows.

Lt Sumner declared an allotment of \$20⁰⁰ payable from Oct. 3, 1914, to John G. Higgin, his friend. This allotment was changed to read 70¢ per diem from July 10, 1915. It was ~~reduced to 50¢ per diem from Sept. 1st 1915~~ suspended at request of P. R. O. Loudon from May 1, 1915 to July 31st 1915. Reduced to 50¢ per diem from September 1st 1915, and discontinued at request of Lt Sumner from July 1st 1916. There is ^{no} ~~never any~~ mention of his mother's connection with the payments even after the date on which Mr Higgin claims he advised ~~his~~ Sumner that certain amounts were paid off.

Even if it were admitted that during the currency of his allotment, his mother received the benefit of it, it seems to be not in keeping with the claim, that when his mother

most needed the help of his allotment if was withheld
from her.

To sum up therefore, ^{the Board is} ~~we are~~ not satisfied that
St. Sumner was his mother's sole support.

- (1) Because he made no allotment to her up to Aug/
during the earlier portion of his support
- (2) Because he had another single brother who was,
to our minds, equally responsible with him for
the support of his mother.

very
Yours truly

C.S.O.

GEO. W. B. AYRE, LLB.
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR AND NOTARY,
OFFICES - RENOUF BUILDING,
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

March 15th 1921.

Lt. Colonel Rendell. O. B. E.
Chief Staff Officer,
Militia Building.

Dear Sir:-

Re Ex-Lieutenant A. L. Summers.

In your letter to me dated January 21st, the receipt of which I acknowledged January 27th, you stated, among other things, that the Board of Review is always open to reconsider the cases of those who consider they have not been fairly treated, but that it cannot be swayed in its decisions by sentiment, that the Board is quite prepared to receive proofs of statements made in my previous letters and if found to be satisfactory to grant the allowance from the date on which his brother offered for enlistment."

The Board, in that letter, has given me hope that with the evidence that I am about to furnish, the claim which I make on behalf of my client will be granted. If the evidence adduced is not sufficient, and the Board will be pleased to inform me what further information it requires, I shall endeavour to supply it, for I am certain that the Board will do everything it can to help out such a cause as Ex-Lieutenant Summers, who was one of the first five hundred, served for the duration of the war, began as a private and ended as a Lieutenant,

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If ever there was a deserving case his is one and it ^{is} hard not to be sympathetically effected by his record and the unfortunate position his mother is placed in by an affliction which, in no way, could be prevented by any act of Ex-Lieutenant Summers.

In your letter you answer my ^{Summers} points in relation and to my first point, namely, "that Lieutenant was and is the sole support of his mother" you answer that "this is the point on which the claim rests solely. The Board of Review is not satisfied that such is the case and until such time as tangible proof of the correctness of this statement, to their satisfaction, is produced, they cannot recede from their present position."

"Sole Support" must be given a reasonable construction. I hardly think that if it was shown that if Mrs. Summers had been able to go a couple of times a week and scrub up some ones floor and thereby earn a couple of dollars that the Board would refuse the ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Separation Allowance on the ground that Lieutenant Summers was therefore not her sole support. By whatever amount she would earn or by whatever amount she received from the charity of her friends by that amount he would not have been her sole support. I hardly think that the Board would take the position that because she was sufficiently industrious to do what she could to eke out her existence that therefore he was not her sole support. In Mrs. Summers case she did not go out charring and at first did not receive charity but conducted a small store on Military Road. In other words she was not

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idle but did what she could. That did not for one moment ^{relieve} ~~relieve~~ Lieutenant Summers from supporting her. He was legally her support and was compellable in the courts to support her. Therefore he was legally and morally her sole support. Now what are the facts. Previous to his enlistment he contributed to the upkeep of the home and helped Mrs. Summers in the running of her store and shortly after his enlistment she had a stroke of paralysis and later had a second stroke which made her incapable of further conducting the business. Lieutenant Summers at the time of enlistment owed some few debts around the town and in order to pay them made an allotment of twenty dollars per month to John G. Higgins, Barrister, and further instructed him that as soon as the amounts due by him were paid off he was to have the allotment changed to his mother. In December 1914 he wrote Mr. Higgins to pay his mother a sum of money out of the monies received under the allotment, which Mr. Higgins did. In March or April 1915 Mr Higgins informed Lieutenant Summers that the allotment was changed from his name and he received no further sums under it. These facts are supported by Mr. J. G. Higgins' affidavit, dated March 11th 1921, ^{which is enclosed.}

Friends of Lieutenant Summers, knowing he had no money outside his regimental pay, and wishing to see him uphold the dignity of the rank, to which one after the other he was being advanced, relieved him from the care of his mother. They were under no obligation to do so and he was still legally and morally her sole

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support.. Surely the Beard would not contend that because some one gave Mrs. Summers a barrel of flour from charitable motives or took her to their home for a little while that therefore she should be deprived of any advantages to which she otherwise might have been entitled..

Answering your letter on point two, I am instructed that the original claim for Separation Allowance, which was signed by Mrs. Summers on January 30th 1918 was made without the knowledge of Mr. Summers, he being in France and wholly unaware of the circumstances, and did not know of the condition of affairs until he arrived in June 1918. Mr. Summers does not remember why the delay between his arrival in June until he made his declaration in August, but there was some satisfactory reason for the delay, but that does not alter in any way the fact that he was her sole support but ~~his~~ friends of his, out of consideration for him, and out of charity ^{towards} Mrs. Summers helped to support her. They were under no obligation to do so but did so out of goodness of heart..

In reply to point three I am not attempting to set up that the conducting of the store has any bearing on the case. I only want to combat the idea which may arise in the minds of the Beard that because she was conducting the store, Mr. Summers was not still her sole support. The store might for some time previous have been run at a loss and when the climax came the result was seen that in spite of what she ^{had} done she was heavily in debt. The Beard has no evidence

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whatever that Mrs. Summers, up to the date of her second stroke of paralysis, was quite capable of running her business at a profit, as a matter of fact the opposite is correct.

Point four is answered in my reply to point one which is supported by the affidavit of Mr. Higgins, Barrister.

It is clearly evident that Mr. Summers is and was legally and morally the sole support of his mother. It is true that in order to allow Mr. Summers to properly maintain his rank that his friends and relations relieved him as much as possible of the support of his mother, but they were under no obligation whatsoever to do so. As a matter of fact he did make an allotment to his mother although not in her name it being made to Mr. Higgins to square his outstanding obligations and with instructions to pay the amount to his mother when these obligations were discharged.

Considering Mr. Summers long service and the state of his mother's health, I submit that the Board should give sympathetic consideration to the claim, which in my opinion is a just and legal one and if there is any doubt on the minds of the Board then the applicant should get the benefit of that doubt.

Yours very truly,

Allot \$20 per mo from 2/10/14 to 1/9/15
Changed to 70¢ per day 10/7/15
reduced to 50¢ per day 11/9/15
suspended from 1/5/15 to 3/7/15 at request from London
Cancelled by allottee from 1/7/16
Geo. W. Ayre

NEWFOUNDLAND:

St. John's to wit.

I, John G. Higgins of St. John's aforesaid, Solicitor,
make oath and say as follows:-

1. In October 1914 before proceedings overseas A.L. Summers, Private, No. 73, left me out of his regimental pay an allotment of twenty dollars per month to pay in instalments an amount due by him to another party.

2. He asked me before proceeding overseas to inform him when the said amount had been paid off, as he wished the allotment to be changed and to be paid to his mother.

J.G.H.
D.S.K. 3. In December 1914 he requested me by letter from ~~Kyr, Scotland~~ *Selkirk, Scotland* to pay his mother a sum of money out of the monies received under the allotment, and I did pay his mother such sum.

4. In March or April 1915 I informed him that the said amount was paid off, and the allotment was changed from my name, and I received no further sums under it.

SWORN at St. John's aforesaid
this 11th day of March A.D. 1921
before me

D. G. Keut
Commissioner

John G. Higgins



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This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1914

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the Appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of *Summers, Augustus* (378)
aged *23 1/2 years* conducted at *L B Ammons*
Date: *28/8/14* Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST	FINDING
1	<i>No</i>
2	<i>No</i>
3	<i>No</i>
4	<i>No</i>
5	<i>No</i>
6	<i>No</i>
7	<i>Yes</i>
8	<i>Yes</i>
9	<i>No</i>
10	<i>N</i>
11	<i>n.</i>
12	<i>n.</i>
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31	<i>n.</i>
32	<i>n.</i>
33	<i>9 or 8 1/2 ears ago</i>
34	<i>5 ft 5 1/2</i>
35	<i>135 lbs</i>
36	<i># 32 1/4 - 36 3/4</i>
37	<i>600 per year</i>
38	<i>Wife Elizabeth Summers 116 Military Rd</i>
39	<i>No.</i>

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Signature of Medical Examiner: *Cherry Macpherson*



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
HEADQUARTERS

St. John's, Newfoundland,

.....September 7th 1918..... 191.....

From :-

Lieutenant A. Summers

To :-

Officer Commanding - Depot.

Sir :-

I have the honour to request that you bring before the proper authority my present status as an Officer of the Regiment. Since returning to Newfoundland for Special Duty in June last, I have been at all times in command of a Company, but have not received any Temporary rank of Captain, such as an Officer holding that position is entitled to. I therefore request that the matter be given consideration, and hereby make application for the rank of temporary Captain.

I have the honour to be,

Sir

Your obedient servant,

.....*A. Summers*.....
(Lieutenant)

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

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

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

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

- Christian name, *Summers* 2. Surname, *Augustus*
3. Rank, *Lieutenant* 4. Regtl. No. *Not applicable*
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded, *116 Military Road, St. John's*
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment, *September 4th 1914*
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge, *Mrs James Summers*
8. Relationship of such dependents, *Step-Mother*
9. Address in full of such dependent, *116 Military Road, St. John's*
10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier? *No*
11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service, *No*
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas, *Four Years, & Five Months*

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

No

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

Variety Three Dollars and Thirty Dollars paid by the Paymaster, Military Dept. St. John's

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

No

16. Have you, during the present war, served in the Imperial Forces?.....

No

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

No

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

No

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

No

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.?..... If not give:- (a) Date of discharge..... (b) Reason for discharge.....

25-2-19

Demobilization

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

France & Belgium June 1916 to June 1918

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

(b). If (a), are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee?.....

No

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

Signature of Applicant: *Augustus L. Sammes*

Place of Residence: *St. John's*

Declared before me at: *John's*

This *21st* day of *March* 19*19*

Geo. J. Adams
Signature of ~~Notary~~ of the
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-
trate, Notary Public, Justice of the
Peace, ~~and~~ Commissioner of affidavits.

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
.....
.....
.....
Certified Correct.			Prvraster.	

Extract from Telegram to Military, St. John's, from Synoptical, London,
dated October 25th. 1918.

Last pay certificates Capts. Fox, Numms, Stick; Lts. Watson,
Mifflin, Summers, Gedden, Chafe, O'Rourke, Irvine; 2/Lts.
LeMessurier, Forsey, James, not received yet. Up to what date
have they been paid? Telegraph particulars.



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THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
HEADQUARTERS

St. John's, Newfoundland,

September 7th 1918

From O.C. Depot,

To D.O.C., Newfoundland,
Militia Department.

I enclose, herewith, application from Lt. A.L. Summers
for promotion to the Rank of Temp. Captain.

J. Summers,
Captain,
for O.C. Depot.

ENC:

RHT*TJW

*Proceeded overseas with draft Sept 18
No further action taken*

Recd



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$20.00

June 22nd 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Twenty Dollars.
00
on account of Pay.
balance

A. F. Summers

Ch. No.	<u>8002</u>	Initials	<u>ew</u>
Pay Ledger	<u>157</u>	Initials	<u>ew</u>
Gen. Ledger		Initials	<u>ew</u>

Regtl. No.

Rank Lieut.

No. _____

Rank Lieut

Name

A. L. Summers

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$50.⁰⁰

June 6th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Fifty 00 Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

A. G. Summers A

Ch. No.	Initials
Pay Ledger	Initials
Gen. Ledger	Initials

3118

Regtl. No. Rank

No. _____

Rank *Lieut*

Name *A. L. Summers*



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$20.⁰⁰

June 18th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Twenty Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

[Handwritten initials]

A. L. Summers

Regtl. No.

Rank

Lieut.

Ch. No.	<i>1991</i>	Initials	
Pay Ledger	<i>[Handwritten]</i>	Initials	<i>[Handwritten]</i>
Gen. Ledger	<i>[Handwritten]</i>	Initials	<i>[Handwritten]</i>

No. _____

Rank

Lieut

Name

A. L. Summers

1918-1919.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 50⁰⁰ -

Aug 1st 1918.

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Fifty ⁰⁰ Dollars.
on account of Pay. ⁰⁰
balance

A. L. Summers Pr.

Ch. No. 539	Initials. <i>[Signature]</i>
Pay Ledger 157	Initials. <i>[Signature]</i>
Gen. Ledger	Initials. <i>[Signature]</i>

Regtl. No. Rank

[Handwritten signature]

No.

Rank

Lieut.

Name

Sumner A. L.

1918-1919

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 25⁰⁰ -

Aug 23rd 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of twenty five ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars.
on account of Pay.

Ch. No.	1475	Initials	EW
Pay Ledger	127	Initials	Wm
Gen. Ledger		Initials	F

Regtl. No. Rank

No. 157

Rank Lieut.

Name Summers A.L.

B of M.

1918 - 1918

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 138⁰⁰

Sept 18th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of one hundred & thirty eight Dollars.
on account of Pay.
Balance

A. L. Summers

Ch. No. 2692	Initials <i>ew</i>
Pay Ledger... 157	Initials... <i>nh</i>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials... <i>g</i>

Regtl. No..... Rank... *Li.*

No.

Rank *Lieut.*

Name

Summers A.L.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 6 ⁴⁸/₁₀₀

Oct 17 1919

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

Ch. No. <u>16147</u>	initials <u>WR</u>
Pay Ledger <u>403</u>	initials <u>WR</u>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No. Rank

No.

Rank

Lieut

Name

A. L. Summers