

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 1692 Name Kenneth Snwell Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment	
1. What is your name?	1. <u>Kenneth Snwell</u>
2. What is your full Address?	2. <u>Parsonage</u> <u>Conception Bay</u> <u>St. John's</u>
3. Are you a British Subject?	3. <u>Yes</u>
4. What is your Age?	4. <u>21</u> Years <u>6</u> Months.
5. What is your Trade or Calling?	5. <u>School teacher</u>
6. Are you Married?	6. <u>No</u>
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which?	7. <u>No</u>
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?	8. <u>Yes</u>
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service?	9. <u>Yes</u>
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?	10. { Name Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted?	11. <u>Yes</u>

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

E. 10th July 15
Kenneth Snwell SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
St. John's Parish Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Kenneth Snwell do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
 The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
 I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's
 on this 13 day of July 1915
St. John's Parish Signature of the Attesting Officer.

† Certificate of Approving Officer.

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

Date _____ 191 _____
 Place _____ Approving Officer.

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

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

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

1692

Name A. Smith S. Bevell
 Apparent age 21 years 6 months. Height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 inches.
 Range of expansion 3 inches.

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin John Bevell S. Bevell
145th Street Long Beach | Relationship Father

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	Rgt. 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>10-7-15</u>									
Joined at <u>H. S. S. Co.</u> on <u>July 10th 15</u>									
<div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 50%; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> Entered H. S. S. Co. to Pacific 27-10-15 </div>									
Landed for 126 th I.S. 15-6-16 Admitted 134 th I.S. 7-12-16 More details 15-2-17									
Entered H. S. S. Co. to Pacific 27-10-15 Wounded 5-2-16 Hospital leave 7-2-16									
Returned 6-3-17 Discharged 11-2-17									
Total Service forfeited as above									

Total Service towards Engagement to 14-4-17 (date of discharge) 1 years 2 7/4 days
 " " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "

C.R. 1692

Kenneth S. Newell was attested for General service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on July 10th 1915.
Regimental No 1692 was allotted to Pte. K.S. Newell.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Russell

Christian Name Kenneth

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish

County W. I. I.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.		
	on	day of	day of	191	
Examined	on	9 day of July 1915	on	day of 191	
	at	56 Johns W. I. I.	at		
Declared Age		21 years days	years	days	
Trade or Occupation					
Height		5 feet 6 1/2 inches	feet	inches	
Weight		135 lbs.		lbs.	
Chest Measurement	{	Girth when fully expanded	37 inches	inches	
		Range of expansion	3 inches	inches	
Physical Development					
Vaccination Marks	{	Right	Left	Right	Left
		Arm			
		Number			
When Vaccinated		20			
Vision	{	R.E. V	5/6	R.E. -V	
		L.E. -V	5/6	L.E. -V	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)		
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause Rejection	(b)		(b)		
Approved by (Signature)		<i>Edmond Peterson</i>			
(Rank)		Capt.			
		Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at	56 Johns	at		
	on	10 day of July 1915	on	day of 191	
		Corps. Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.	
Joined on Enlistment		1st W. I. I. Reg 1692			
Transferred to					
Became non-effective by					
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191	
(Signature)					
(Rank)					

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
17.10.15	1 st Inoculation
19.11.15.	Vacc. R.P. Graham. Lt. Lane.
23.1.15	2 nd Inoculation
19.6.16	Fit for Foreign Service H. J. W.

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
8 th Johnson's Co. 14 th					

C.R. 1692

PROMOTION.

Extract of Regimental Orders, dated Nov. 1st. 1915.
by Lieut. Col. Sir Officer Comdg.

Lieut. Col. Comdg. has approved the following promotion.

No. 1692 K. Newell

To be 2nd Corporal from Oct. 26, 1915.

REGIMENTAL NO 1692

COMPANY 9

THE
1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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

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

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

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

Signed K. S. Jewell

Witness Wm. J. Thum Lt

Dated at Am
19 June 1916

C.R. 1642

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft No. 6
from 2nd Bn., Depot, to 1st Bn., B.E.F. Embarked
Spouthampton, 25-6-16.

1692 Cpl. E.S. Newell.

C.R. 1692

Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld. from P. & R.O.
London Dated 16/12/16.

1692, Pte Newell.

Gunshot Wound Hand, 30th November, at 10th General
Hospital, Lower, 2nd Division.

C.R. 1692

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P. & R.O. December 16th 1916

1692 Cpl. K.S. Newell.

Lst Newfoundlands GSW. Hand R. vlll (1) sl. Adm 10 Gen Hos Rouen
9th December 1916.

C.R. 1692

Extract of cablegram received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated May 15, 1917.

#1692 Cpl. F.S. Maxwell, D.S.O.,

Reported Missing April 14th.

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 *L. M. Shilling* Address _____

Line Number	Red	By	sent	Check
		<i>J. R. Bennett</i>		

Dated December 18, 1916.
 To Mr. John Newell,

Bareneed.
 Regret to inform you that Record Office,
 London, officially reports No. 1692, Corporal Kenneth
 S. Newell, was at the Tenth General Hospital,
 Rouen, December ninth, suffering from gunshot wound
 in hand.
 Upon receipt of further information I shall immedi-
 ately wire you and trust that next report will be
 of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT,
 Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

1240

Regiment or Corps 21 New Regt Regimental Number CR/1692
 Rank Plt Surname Newell Christian Name Kenneth S.
 Religion Ch of England Age on Enlistment 21 years 6 months
 Enlisted (a) July 10/15 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from June 14 17
 Date of promotion to present rank June 20/16 Date of appointment to lance rank 26/10/15
 Extended { } Re-engaged { June 19/16 } Qualification (b) { } or Corps Trade and Rate { }
 Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c. during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
		Embarked	<u>Southampton</u>	<u>25.6.16</u>	
		Disembarked...	<u>France</u>	<u>26.6.16</u>	
		Joined Battalion			
	<u>6.C. Unit</u>	<u>Wounded in Action</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>12 JUL 1916</u>	<u>B213 2/10/16</u>
	<u>14 CC Bat.</u>	<u>Admitted G.S. Band (A) transf</u>	<u>CCS.</u>	<u>5/12/16</u>	<u>ED 7277</u>
	<u>34 CCd</u>	<u>Admitted G.S. Band (A) 5/12/16</u>	<u>transf A.S.S.</u>	<u>8/12/16</u>	<u>ED 6944</u>
	<u>10 Gen Hosp</u>	<u>Do Do Do</u>	<u>Done</u>	<u>9/12/16</u>	<u>Sta 4958</u>
	<u>29 S.B.D.</u>	<u>Joined Base Dep</u>	<u>Howe</u>	<u>15/2/17</u>	<u>Howe Coll.</u>
<u>12/17</u>	<u>O.C.</u>	<u>Joined Battalion</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>6 MAR 1917</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>1 APR 1917</u>	<u>O.C.</u>		<u>France</u>	<u>1 APR 1917</u>	<u>B 213</u>

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) Signaller, Shoemaking, &c.
 (B. 103) W 15012-5136 J. P. & Co., Ltd. Forms/B103/R. **[P.T.O.]**

PAY LIST.

to **191** Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. **1692** Rank **Corporal** Name **Newell W. J.**
 Died ^(a) **Intestate** at **France** on the **14** of **April** 191**7**.
 Deserted at **MISSING 14/4-17** on the of 191**7**.

PRESUMED DEAD 17-11-17

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[Form 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month 14th/17	24	4	0
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to			
	191				Messing allowance days at from to			
	"				Kit allowance			
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	"				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Consolidated stoppage				Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	24	4	0	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£24	4	0		£24	4	0

PAID
5-18

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ **24 4 0** is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b).

Dated at this day of **31 MAY 1918** 191 Paymaster.

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

Charles Beach

March 9th 1925

1697

O. M. Dowling Esq., Capt.
St. Johns.

Dear Sir -

0061

I have occasion to write you re allotment afforded Mrs. Susie Jewell of Barneet whose son the late Kenneth S. Jewell, Cpl. was killed in action fighting with the 1st Bn. R. I. L. I understand that allotment has ceased since July, 1919, while in this district there are known to be cases where men whose sons are with them and working receive the allotment still.

Your Mr. Jewell, who is a man of 60 years of age, and is only earning part of the year namely in the summer season, simply asks if the Dept. of Militia may not help him in the erection of a monument for his son in the Cemetery in his home town.

He feels he is unable at present to do it and if ^{his} only granted that allowance he will be satisfied. Meanwhile he gives instances where men whose sons fell still receive allowances from the Government.

Trusting this will receive your attention
Yours Obediently

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

The Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

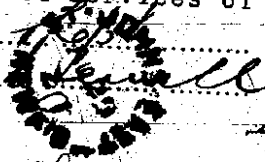
ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

NO STAMP REQUIRED

Dept. of Militia,
St. John's.

.....1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 1692 Rank Sgt.
Name Kenneth S. Jewell
Royal Newfoundland Regt.



John Jewell (Sgd.)

Father Relationship.

Address Lock Barracks

1692
FEBRUARY 27th 1920.

Mr. John Newell,
Doek, Barence, C.B.

Dear Sir:

I am returning herewith Cemetery Register Form, as you omitted to fill in space (A). As there will be a Stone erected in memory of all men posted as "Missing" I should be glad if you would fill in any desired Inscription which would not exceed sixty six letters, less the number of spaces between the words.

Should we receive any further information concerning the burial of your son, it will be forwarded you immediately.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.