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First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1392

Name in full Thomas Seymour Age 26
 Address Gooseberry Islands P.B.
 Married Single Height 5'6" Weight 144
 Color Light Hair Light Eyes Grey
 Other distinguishing marks None
 Nearest relative Mother (Lucy Parsons)
 Address Gooseberry Islands P.B.
 Dependents None
 Occupation Seaman Present Wage \$25.00 per month
 Previous service _____
 Decorations _____
 General Remarks _____
 Date of Enlistment April 9th 1915

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

Thomas Seymour
 his mark

Declared before me this 15th day
 of April 1915

Witness Alfred [unclear]

Alfred [unclear]

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Name Thomas Seymour
 Apparent age 22 years 0 months. Height 5 feet 6 inches.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded _____ inches.
 Range of expansion _____ inches.
 Distinctive marks Color: Light, Hair: Light, Eyes: Grey.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Lucy Parsons, Gooseberry Islands, B.B.Wfld.
 | Relationship Mother.

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

Particulars as to Children.

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

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>AD. 9/15</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>AD. 9/15</u>									
				<u>July 1st 1916</u>					
				<u>Embarked at St. John's B. W. I. at 20th</u>					
				<u>Embarked B. W. I. 13-4-16</u>					
				<u>Joined Battalion 15-4-16</u>					
				<u>Killed in action 1-7-16</u>					
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>1-7-16</u> (date of discharge) <u>1</u> years <u>84</u> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									

C.R. 1394

Thomas Seymour was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ... April 9 th 1915.
Regimental No. 1392 was allotted to Pte THOMAS SEYMOUR.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

CR 1392

Extract from Nominal Roll embarked St. John's for overseas per
S.S. "Bulgarian" June, 1915.

1392 Pte. Seymour Thos.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Seymour OF Christian Name Thomas

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Newfoundland County.....

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on 9 th day of April 1915	at St John	on day of 191	at
Declared Age.....	26 years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation.....	Seaman			
Height	5 feet	6 inches	5 feet	inches
Weight		144 lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded...	36	57 inches	inches
	Range of expansion..	2	56 inches	inches
Physical Development.....				
Vaccination Marks {	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated	1908			
Vision	R.E.—V=	6/6	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/6	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)	lt. 3 rd finger amputated	(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Frederick W. Burden</u>			
(Rank)	Lieut.			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at St John	on 9 th day of April 1915	at	on day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	howard Rgt.	1392		
Transferred to.....				
Became non-effective by.....	on day of 191		on day of 191	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Table III—Board of Health, Foreign Service, and Surgical Appliances, etc.

Date	Description
<p>May 17th 1915 June 22nd " 28th</p>	<p>1st Circulation 570 Million 2nd 1000 Vaccinated at sea JB</p>
<p>1-7-16</p>	<p>Killed in action France JB</p>

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
<p><i>Sybilis J.F.L.D.</i></p>					

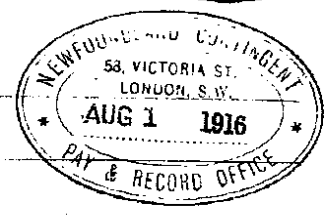
ORIGINAL **FIELD SERVICE.**

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

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



Regtl. No. 1392 Rank Private



Name Seymour, T.

Died { Date July 1st., 1916.
Place France.
Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 11/7/16.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

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

Burial { Place Grave No.7, Knightsbridge, 1 mile N.N.W. of Hamel, 4 1/2 miles N. of Albert.
Date July 1st., 1916.
By whom reported Rev. H.S. Reid, att. 87th. Brigade.

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand.
(b) in Small Book (if at Base) do
(c) as a separate document do

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

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

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

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-Generals Office at the Base } A. J. Clark Capt. for Lt. Col., Officer i/c Infantry Section, 3rd. Echelon, B. E. F.

Station and Date 26/7/16.

Regimental Number 1542

Company E

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 J Seymour

Witness H K Goodlyer

Dated at _____

March 6th 1916

C.R. 1392

Extract of Casualty List received from P.A.R.O.

July 36th 1916.

1392, Pte T. Seymour. ✓

Reported by O.C. Bn. 3/11/7/16 as KILLED IN ACTION 1.7.16.

Counter No. 194
NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

Cable Connection with all the World S94

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 _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check
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Dated July 26, 1916.

To Capt. Cronisk, S.A.,
Gooseberry Island, B.B.

Regret to inform you No. 1392, Private Thomas Seymour, son of Mrs. Lucy Parsons, Gooseberry Island, has been reported killed in action July first. Kindly inform relatives.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 1392

Extract of Casualty List received from P&RD., London

Dated Aug. 1st. 1916.

The following Casualties in the Newfoundland Contingent
are reported under various dates:-

1392 Pte. T. Seymour.

Killed.

G.

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13th November, 1916.

Dear Madam,

I have the honour to inform you that I am now in receipt from the Pay and Record Office. London, of particulars of gravesites. No. 1392, Private P. Seymour, was buried on the 1st July, by Rev. H. S. Reid, in Grave No. 7, Knightsbridge, 1 mile W.N.W. of Hamel, 4½ miles N. of Albert.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. Lucy Parsons,
Geoseberry Island, B.B.

1392 Seymour

C.R. 1392

MARCH 27th 1920.

Mrs. Lucy Parsons,
Gooseberry Island, B.B.

Dear Madam:

I am returning herewith Cemetery Register Form. The name, date of death, etc. will be engraved on the stone, but apart from this three lines have been reserved at the foot of the stone for a Personal Inscription or text. The length of the Inscription is limited to sixty six letters, less the number of spaces between the words. I should be glad if you would again fill in space (A), and return Form as soon as possible to this Department.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

No. 1394 Mr. J. Raymond deceased.

EXTRACT from A.F. B. 209042 dated 24/1/16

CAUSE of DEATH Killed in action

DATE 1/7/16 PLACE France

- WILL: (a) in Pay Book _____
(b) in Small Book _____
(c) Separate document _____

NEXT of KIN: Lucy Parsons
Relationship Mother
Address Gooseberry Island
Bonaventure Bay
N.Z.

	Particulars
	<u>1 for Parsons</u>
	<u>1 Reason</u>
	<u>1 I.D. card</u>



Sept. 13, 1918.

Mrs. Lucy Parsons,
GOOSEBERRY ISLAND, B.B.,
Hfld.

Dear Madam:

I enclose herewith cheque for
\$58.37 being amount due you as Administratrix of
the estate of the late No. 1392, Pte. Thos. Seymour.

I also enclose Letters of Ad-
ministration of said estate.

Yours truly,

Capt.
Paymaster & O i/c Records.

LM/ enc.2

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's.

.....1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 1392 Rank Plt
Name Thomas Seymour
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Mrs. M. P. Parsons (Sgd.)

Mother Relationship.

Address Gooseberry Island

Receipt for Army Book 64

NO. 1392 Name J. Seymour

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

Name Mrs. Gillies Parsons

Date Aug. 7th

Place Lovelock Island

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

WJ

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Regiment of 1st Newfoundland Regt.

Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade		Punishment awarded	By whom awarded	REMARKS
No.	Name	Age on	years	months	Trade			
1392	Seymour J.	26	4		Seaman			
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	Religion	Place of Birth	Names of Witnesses			
Joined	Date	1915.4.15	Episcopal	St. John's, England				
Joined	Date	with Colours	184 years.					
Joined	Date	with Reserve	36 years.					
Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Care of Detachment	OFFENCE				
Stoke	12.7.15	Pvt	1	Spent in Camp 9.05 pm	Sgt. Green	3 Days C.C.	14.7.15	2d Lieut. Barton
Newton	29/1/16	"	"	Absent from Duties 29/1/16	Coop. Colwell		31/1/16	Capt. Ledington
				till Duties 30/1/16	" White			30 days 2 days pay
				Killed in Action - 1/16				

To be carried over