



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1386.

Name in full Chesley Gladstone Arnold Age 19.

Address Alexander Bay B.B.

Married ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ Single \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_

Color Sark. Hair Black. Eyes Grey.

Other distinguishing marks none.

Nearest relative Mother (Alice).

Address Alexander Bay.

Dependents none.

Occupation Lumber man Present Wage \$25.00 per WK.

Previous service engaged for duration of War

Decorations \_\_\_\_\_

General Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Enlistment April 9th 1915.

I, Chesley Gladstone Arnold 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.

Chesley Gladstone Arnold

Declared before me this 15th day  
of April 1915  
[Signature]

**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.**

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

Reg. No. 1588

Name **Ghesley Gladstone Arnold**

Apparent age **19** years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height \_\_\_\_\_ feet \_\_\_\_\_ in

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

Distinctive marks **Color: Dark, Hair: Black, Eyes: Grey.**

Medical Officer

FINAL EXAMIN

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin **Alice Arnold, Alexander Bay**

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 certifi

Particulars as to Children.

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

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 Be-serve not allowed to reckon to-wards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officer certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <b>April 9/15</b>									
Joined at <b>St. John's</b> on <b>April 9/15</b>									
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " Pension " _____ ( " ) _____ " "									

10/1/15



**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.**

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

Reg. No. 1596

Name **Chesley Gladstone Arnold**

Apparent age **19** years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height \_\_\_\_\_ feet \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

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

Distinctive marks **Color: Dark, Hair: Black, Eyes: Grey.**

**INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.**

Name and Address of next of kin **Alice Arnold, Alexander Bay**

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

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Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed 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 <b>April 9/15</b>									
Joined at <b>St. John's</b> on <b>April 9/15</b>									
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									
Total Service towards Engagement to <b>14-4-17</b> (date of discharge) <b>2</b> years <b>6</b> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " "									

*WA 4/4/17*

*Embarked St. John's S.B. Stephens for Lt. 22<sup>nd</sup> 15. Embarked 13<sup>th</sup> 13-3-16 joined Unit 8<sup>th</sup> 16*  
*Admitted 87th Landwehr 6-6-16 Admitted 40 C.S. 6-6-16 Limited to Gen. Regt. 13-6-16*  
*Discharged to base depot 2-7-16 joined 29<sup>th</sup> B.S. 27-16 Royal Battalion 21-7-16*  
*with Battalion 23-1-17 Missing 14-4-17*  
*Killed in Action 14-4-17*

C.R. 1386

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Embarked Devonport,  
13-3-16 for Egypt, transferred to B.E.F. & disembarked Mar-  
seilles 3-4-16.

1386 Pte. G.G. Arnold.



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Signature of Sender

*F. M. Stirling*

Address

Line  
Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

Dated

June 14, 1917

To

Mrs. Alice Arnold,  
Alexander Bay, B.B.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London, today reports No. 1386, Private Chesley G. Arnold, who was previously reported missing is now reported killed in action April fourteenth.

J. R. BENNETT

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

#### NOTE FOR OPERATOR

This message is not to be sent until receiving office notifies that message to Ensign Burry, Alexander Bay, has been delivered and acted upon.

FOR TYPEWRITER

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*Dated*

June 14, 1917.

*To*

Ensign Burry,

Alexander Bay, B.B.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London, today reports No. 1386, Private Chesley G. Arnold, who was previously reported missing, is now reported killed in action April fourteenth. Please inform relatives. He is the son of Mrs. Alice Arnold, Alexander Bay.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

## COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated

May 11, 1917.

Mrs. Alice Arnold,

Alexander Bay, B.B.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,  
London, officially reports No. 1386, Private  
Chesley G. Arnold, missing April fourteenth.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.



C.R. 1386

Extract of Cablegram received from Pay & Record  
Office, London dated May 11, 1917.

# 1386 Pte. Arnold.

"Missing" April 14th.

C.R. 1386

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.  
June 28th. 1916.

1386, Pte C. Arnold. ✓

1/Newfoundland Inf. Jaundice 576, Dis to 2 Con. Dep.  
Hos. Rouen ex 10 Grn. Hos. 20th. June. 1916.

C.R. 1386

Extract from List of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os and Men of the  
Expeditionary Force - France, dated June 28th 1916.

List No: H.A. 312.

1386 Pte. C. Arnold

1 New. Inf..... Jaundice 575..... Dis. to 2 Gen. Dep. Hes. Rouen  
ex 10 Gen. Hes. 20th. June 1916.



C.R. 1386



SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.Os. AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIOUS FORCE - FRANCE.

HAMILTON RECORD OFFICE.

LIST NO. H.A.283.

12180 Pte. Oliver, W.	6/K.O.S.B.	NYD.....	Adm. 10 Gen.H.Rouen ex another Hos.	19th June 16.
12863 Pte. Harold, W.	11/R.Scots.	NYD.		-do-
17957 Pte. Milne, F.	15/R.Scots.	NYD.		-do-
20063 Pte. Anderson, T.	16/R.Scots.	NYD.		-do-
9634 Pte. McMillan, J.	103/H.G.C. late 10/Scot.Rif.	NYD.		-do-
7493 Pte. Butler, J.	10/Scot.Rif.	GSW.R.Leg 1X (1).Trans.to Con.Dep.	ex 10 Gen.H.Rouen	19th June 16.
12180 Pte. Oliver, W.	6/K.O.S.B.	Slight.		
12386 Pte. Wilson, A.	13/R.Scots.	Conjunctivitis...	Trans.to another Hos. ex 10 Gen.H. Rouen	166. 19th June 16.
14502 Pte. McCartney, J.	13/R.Scots.	Dental Caries....	Adm. 4 Sty.H.Arques (St Omer)	19th June 16.
22019 Pte. Humphreys, H.	17/R.Scots.	-do-		-do-
		-do-	.....Dis. to Duty ex 4 Sty.H.Arques (St Omer)	19th June 16.
17547 Cpl. Davies, J.	12/High.L.I.	Boils.		-do-
106578 Cpl. Hunter, H.B.	RE.1/Btn.Spec.Bde. late 16/R.Scots.	Impetigo.		-do-

TERRITORIAL FORCE YORK RECORD OFFICE.

LIST NO. H.A.285.

4523 Pte. Midgley, R.	1/6 W.Yorks.R.	NYD.....	Adm. 10 Gen.H.Rouen ex another Hos.	19th June 16.
4062 Pte. Burton, C.	4/Yorks.R.	Dental Caries...	Adm. 4 Sty.H.Arques (St Omer)	19th June 16.
2323 L/C. Cresswell, B.	ACC.5/Corps.late 4/Yorks.R.	Scabies.		-do-
3831 Pte. Wilson, J.F.	4/E.Yorks.R.	Debility.....	Dis.to Duty ex 4 Sty.H.Arques (St Omer)	19th June 16.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

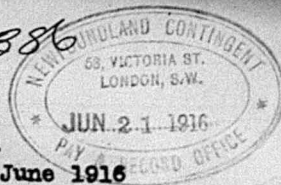
LIST NO. H.A. 283.

1386 Pte. Arnold, C.	1/Newfoundl.	Jaundice. 575...	Trans.to Con.Dep. ex 10 Gen.H.Rouen	19th June 16.
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SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O'S AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE

C.R. 1386  
No. H.A. 193



WARLEY RECORD OFFICE

7561 Pte. Frost F.	2 Essex R.	N.Y.D.	...	Adm.10 Gen.H.Rouen ex Anr H.13 June 1916
24498 " Cobbs H.W.	2 do.	do.		do.
21457 L/C. Howell W.	2 do.	Undescended Testicle	Good.	Adm. 8 Gen.H.Rouen 13th June 1916
15949 Pte. Cross F.J.	11 Suffolk R.	GSW.L.Leg & R.Knee with Amputation		<u>DIED</u> in 11 Sty.H.Rouen 7.15 p.m.13 June 1916 Funeral Will take place at 2 p.m.15.6.16 St.Sever Cemetery, Rouen.
6838 " Dann R.	1 Norfolk R.	Shell Shock Wd.	...	Adm.12 Gen.H.Rouen 13 June 1916
12016 " Maher E.	1 do.	" do.		do.
21206 " Roweth M.	2 Suffolk R.	Tonsillitis		do.

TERRITORIAL FORCE YORK RECORD OFFICE

No. H.A. 193

261 Pte. Wood H.	1/7 W.Riding R.	N.Y.D.	...	Adm.10 Gen.H.Rouen ex Anr H.13 June 1916
4414 " Baxter G.	1/7 W.Yorks.	do.		do.
4338 " Thornton W.	7 W.Yorks.	do.		do.
2845 " Grant J.	8 do.	do.		do.
3360 " Hinchcliffe F.	147 MGC.late 5 W.Riding R.	do.		do.
2308 Sgt. Bury J.	6 W.Riding R.	Adenitis L.Groin	Good	Trans.to Con.Dep.ex 8 Gen.H.Rouen 13 June 1916
1715 Pte. Heppenstall S.	17 W.Riding R.	V.D.S.	...	Trans.to 9 Sty.H.Havre ex 12 Gen.H.13 June 1916
1715 " Heppenstall S.	1/7 do.	N.Y.D.V.	...	Adm.12 Gen.H.Rouen 13 June 1916
2969 " Brook S.	1/8 W.Yorks.R.	do.		do.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. H.A. 193

1386 Pte. Arnold C.	1 Newfoundland R.	N.Y.D.	...	Adm.10 Gen.H.Rouen ex Anr.H.13 June 1916
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TERRITORIAL FORCE PRESTON RECORD OFFICE

No. H.A. 193

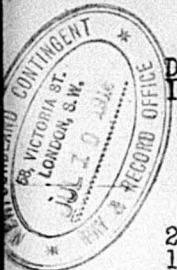
2349 Pte. Watterson S. (Prisoner)	4 R.Lanc.R.	N.Y.D.V.	...	Adm.12 Gen.H.Rouen 13 June 1916
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SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O.'S AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.

**C.R.** 1386



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LIST NO. H.A. 547.

DUBLIN RECORD OFFICE.

18937	Pte. O'Sullivan P.	1/R.Irish Fus.	Dis. to Base Dep. Harfleur. Rouen. 2nd July '16.	Class T.B. ex Con. Dep. Hos.
3146	" Fleming E.	1/ Do.	Dis. to Base Dep. Harfleur. Rouen. 2nd July '16.	Class A. ex Con. Dep. Hos.
9449	Sgt. Thompson J.	1/ Do.	Dis. to Base Dep. Harfleur. Rouen. 2nd July '16.	Class T.B. ex Con. Dep. Hos.
21192	L/C. Mc Carthy P.	8/ Do.		Do.
16276	Pte. Caskey D.	9/ Innisk: Fus.		Do.
10246	" Kelly J.	1/R. Irish Rfls.		Do.
2785	" Mc Quoid J.	9/ Do.		Do.
212	" Hampton A.	13/ Do.		Do.
17071	" Darling J.	9/R. Innisk: Fus.	Dis. to Base Dep. Harfleur. Rouen. 2nd July '16.	Class A. ex Con. Dep. Hos.
S/23844	" Brown S.	9/ Do.		Do.
15236	Sgt. White H.	11/ Do.		Do.
14856	Pte. Clements T.	11/ Do.		Do.
14139	Sgt. Woods J.	17/ Do.		Do.
6247	L/C. Kavanagh G.	15/R. Irish Rfls.	Dis. to Base Dep. Harfleur. Rouen. 2nd July '16.	Class B. ex Con. Dep. Hos.
1050	Pte. Pitton J.	16/ Do.	Dis. to Base Dep. Harfleur. Rouen. 2nd July '16.	Class A. ex Con. Dep. Hos.
16671	" Payne T.	1/R. Dublin Fus.	Dis. to Base. Etaples. 2nd July '16.	Class T.B. ex Con. Dep. Hos.

R. FLYING CORPS (MILITARY WING) RECORD OFFICE - S. FARNEBOROUGH.

14564	Cpl. Marshall C.	Royal Flying Cps. 4/Anti-Aircraft Pk.	Dis. to 8 Gen. Hos. Rouen. 2nd July '16.	Class T.B. ex Con. Dep. Hos.
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LIST NO. H.A. 547.

MILITARY POLICE RECORD OFFICE ALDERSHOT.

841	Cpl. Craig A.	M.M.P. 48/Div.	Dis. to Rouen. 2 July '16.	Class T.B. ex Con. Dep. Hos.
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LIST NO. H.A. 547.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

1386	Pte. Arnold C.	1/Newfld. Infy.	Dis. to Base. Rouen. 2nd July '16.	Class T.B. Dentist. ex 2 Con. Dep. Hos.
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LIST NO. H.A. 547.

SOUTH AFRICAN RECORD OFFICE.

5166	Pte. Bruce L.	4/S. African Infy.	Dis. to Base. Rouen. 2 July '16.	Class A. ex Con. Dep. Hos.
3799	" Herbison E.	4/ Do.	Dis. to Base. Rouen. 2nd July '16.	Class T.B. ex Con. Dep. Hos.

LIST NO. H.A. 547.



C.R. 1386

Extract from Nominal Roll, Embarked St. John's, for Overseas,  
per S.S. "Stephano" April 28, 1916.

Signaller 1386 Arnold C.G.

C.R. 1386

Chesley G. Arnold                      was attested for General service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on .....April 9th 1915.  
Regimental No 1386 was allotted to Pte.      C.G. ARNOLD.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

C. G. Arnold

1386

P.R.O.

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Regimental Number 1386

Company F

THE  
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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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 Charles J Arnold

Witness W. Daye gndlt

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_



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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Arnold OF Christian Name Chesley Gladstone

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Alexander Bay County B O

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	9	Apr		1915
	at	St John's	at	
Declared Age	19	years		days
Trade or Occupation	Lumberman			
Height	5	feet		inches
Weight		124		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded		32	inches
	Range of expansion		36	inches
Physical Development	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated	Never			
Vision	R. E.—V=	OK	R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=		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>[Signature]</i>			
(Rank)	Capt.			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at	St John's	at	
	on	9 day of Apr	on	day of 1915
Joined on Enlistment	1st	14th	1386	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of	on	day of
(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

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
St John's 27					

**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 B. 213 or from other official documentary sources.



REGIMENT } **NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.** Squadron,  
or } Troop, Battery }  
CORPS } or Company }

Regtl. No. **1386** Rank **Private**

Name **ARNOLD, C.G.**

Date **April 14th., 1917.**

Died { Place **France.**

Cause of Death\* **Killed in Action.**

Nature and Date of Report **Memo, 5/8/17.**

By whom made **C.G.C., 86th. Infantry Brigade.**

\* 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_  
By whom reported \_\_\_\_\_

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) \_\_\_\_\_ **No.**  
(b) in Small Book (if at Base) \_\_\_\_\_ **Not to hand.**  
(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-General's  
Office at the Base

**8/6/17.**

**Major for**  
**Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec.1,**  
**Srd. Echelon, G.H.Q., D.E.F.**

Station and Date \_\_\_\_\_



**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 } NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT. Squadron, }  
 or } Troop, Battery } B Company  
 CORPS } or Company }

Regtl. No 1386 Rank Private

Name ARNOLD, C.G.

Date April 14th., 1917.

Died Place France.

Cause of Death\* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report Memo, 5/6/17.

By whom made G.O.C., 86th. Infantry Brigade.

\* 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 By whom reported \_\_\_\_\_

**DUPLICATE**

SENT TO  
 G.O.C. H.Q.  
 ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.  
 N.F. 133. No. 20110  
 DATED 29 JUN 1917

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) No.  
 (b) in Small Book (if at Base) Not to hand.  
 (c) as a separate document do

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Signature of Officer in charge } [Signature]  
 of Section Adjutant-General's }  
 Office at the Base } Major for  
 Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1,  
 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date 8/6/17.













Arnold, C. C.

1386

Ray Sept

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**PAY LIST**

1917 **Volunteer No.**

**NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT**

Regiment or corps

No. 1388

Rank *Pte.*

Name **ARNOLD, G.**

Died (or) Intestate

at *France*

on the 14th of *April*

1917

Deserted at

on the *31*

1917

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular

*Commanding Squadron, Troop,  
Battery or Company*

**STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT**

(Form)

Date	Dr.		Cr.		Date	Dr.		Cr.
	Balance <i>Dr.</i> last month .....					Balance <i>Cr.</i> last month .....	<i>14/4/17</i>	<i>26 19 6</i>
	Cash <i>received</i>					Pay days at .....	from .....	to .....
	(Date of each issue to be stated)					Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay		
	<i>£ s d</i>					days at .....	from .....	to .....
	<i>191</i>					Messing allowance .....	days at .....	
						from .....	to .....	
						Kit allowance .....		
						Amount produced by the sale of Effects from		
						Form <i>2</i> .....		
	Consolidated stoppage .....							
	Balance due by the Paymaster .....	<i>26 19 6</i>				Balance due to the Paymaster .....		
		<i>26 19 6</i>					<i>26 19 6</i>	

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to *27 / 7 / 17* and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

I certify to the correctness of the above account in every particular

27 JUL 1917

*[Signature]*

1. This form is to be filled up by the commanding officer of the unit in which the soldier is serving, and is to be sent to the Paymaster General, War Office, London, W. 11, by the commanding officer of the unit, or by the commanding officer of the unit in which the soldier is serving, or by the commanding officer of the unit in which the soldier is serving, or by the commanding officer of the unit in which the soldier is serving.

**PAY LIST.**

to

**191 . Voucher No.**

**NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.**

Regiment or corps

No. 1386

Rank Pte.

Name Arnold, G.

Died (a) Intestate

at France

on the 14th of April,

1917 .

Deserted at

on the of

191 .

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 .....	28	19	6	
	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 .....				
	Consolidated stoppage .....								
	Balance due by the Paymaster	28	19	6	Balance due to the Paymaster .....				
		£28	19	6		£	28	19	6

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 27 / 7 / 17 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

I hereby certify that the above account is correct in every particular and that the debtor balance is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at **27 JUL 1917**  
this day of

191

*A. B. Munnell Maj.*  
PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS  
Laynas, etc.

- (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.



**PAY LIST.**

to

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**STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.**

[Form 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.	
	Balance Dr. last month .....				Balance Cr. last month .....	26	19	6	
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to .....				
	191				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to .....				
	"				Messing allowance days at from to .....				
	"				Kit allowance .....				
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2 .....				
	Consolidated statement				of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)				
					Pay or Gratuity .....				
	Balance			6	Balance due to the Paymaster .....				
		£26	19	6		£	26	19	6

I hereby certify that the above account is correct in every particular and that the

debtor balance of £ 26 19 6 is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at **27 JUL 1917**  
this day of

191

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PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE  
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**DUPLICATE. 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. 35 or any other official documentary sources.



REGIMENT } NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company }  
 or  
 CORPS }

Regtl. No. 1386 Rank Private

Name ARNOLD, C.G.

Died { Date April 14th., 1917.  
 Place France.  
 Cause of Death\* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report Memo, 5/6/17.

By whom made G.O.C., 86th. Infantry Brigade.

\* 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 By whom reported \_\_\_\_\_

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 (b) in Small Book (if at Base) \_\_\_\_\_ Not to hand. \_\_\_\_\_  
 (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-General's Office at the Base } Major for Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1, 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date 8/6/17.

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 1386

Rank Pte

Name Arnold C.A.

Enlisted (a) 15.4.15

Terms of Service (a) Was

Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of promotion }  
to present rank }

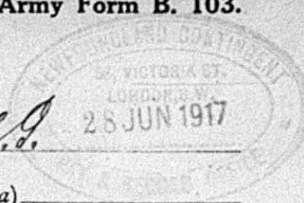
Date of appointment }  
to lance rank }

Numerical position on }  
roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended \_\_\_\_\_

Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_

Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_



*Copy of the Copy*

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 86, or other official documents.	
Date	From whom received					
	87.2.A.	Admitted 466 Jaundice transf	S.P.S.	9.6.16	Ed. 10788	10.6.16
	4 C.C.S.	Admitted	Brouce	9.6.16	10994	12.6.16
	15. Pen. A.	do N.Y.D.	Louen	13.6.16	A.A. 193	
	do	transf to Cons Depot	do	19.6.16	283	
	Base Louen	joined 29 S.D.D.	do	3.7.16	Non. foll	
	Unit	Rejoined Battalion	Brouce	21.7.16	B213	
		with do		23.11.17		
15.4.17	O.C. In	Missing	Brouce	14.4.17	B213	
5.6.17	O.V.C.	Killed in Action	do	14.4.17	Memo	

*W. E. Aldridge*  
*may for*  
*O/C No. 1 Regular Infantry Section*  
*2nd Echelon*

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.  
 (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.



Troy Town

Capt. Howley,

Alexander Bay

St. Johns.

May 24/17

Inclosed find will find a photograph of  
pte Chesley G. Arnold 1386. missing the the  
14<sup>th</sup> April drive.

Son of Alice & William Arnold.

Blue eyes. Mid Brown. or sandy hair. Height about  
5'7". 4 inches. Medium size.

Mrs Alice Arnold

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$139<sup>27</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> 1917

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of One hundred thirty nine — <sup>27</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars.  
on account of Pay Estate.  
balance

Ch. No. 2585	Initials EW
Pay Ledger 160	Initials bld
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No.

Rank



No. 1386

Rank *Pte.*

Name *C. Arnold.*

*William Arnold.*

*Trayton*

*Alexander Bay*



Jan. 2nd. 1918.

William Arnold, Esq.,

Traytown, Alex. Bay, B.B.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose herewith a cheque for \$139.27,  
being the amount due you as Administrator of the  
Estate of the late Private G. Arnold. I also en-  
close herewith a letter of Administration.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

Enclosures 2

recd. June 25  
Ans. " 26

~~12/20~~  
Troy Town

Alexade Bay

June 10<sup>th</sup> 1875

Regimental Pay Department

Received money from Chesley  
Gladstone Arnold. Am sending  
back Certificate. I suppose  
that is what I should do.  
please let me know

I am yours truly

Mrs. Alice Arnold

26th June

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1386

Mrs Alice Arnold,  
Troytown.

Dear Madam,-

Referring to yours of 10th inst, regarding  
Identity Certificate.

I wish to inform you that it is not  
necessary for you to send back Certificate each month. You  
might please enter each amount that you receive on same,  
and sign opposite each amount, and you may keep certificate  
until such time as we may ask you for it.

I have the honour to be,

Madam,

Your Obedient Servant,

B.M.W.

Capt. & Adjutant.



**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.

Aug 16 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of  
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of  
the late No. 1386 Rank .....  
Name Chesley Gladstone  
Royal Newfoundland Regt. Arnold

Mrs Alice Arnold (Sgd.)

Mother Relationship.

Address Croystown, Abey Bay.

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 1386 Name Arnold

To Certify that I have received the A B 64 of the above  
named soldier,

Done Wm A. Arnold

Date August 11<sup>th</sup> 1920

Place Alexander Bay N. I. D.

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



Fold Here

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

*Royal Nfld. Regt.*

*Dept. of Militia,*

**ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.**

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Fold Here



SEP 13 1921

1921.

The accompanying Victory Medal and/or British War Medal

is/are forwarded herewith to

Mrs. Alice Arnold (Mother)

in respect of his service as No. 1386 Rank Pte.

Name Chesley G. Arnold Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received 16 Sep 1921

Signature Mrs Alice Arnold

Date 17 Sep 1921

Address Tray town alex Bay

[P.T.O.]





Lieut. Col. W. F. Rendell,  
Dept. of Militias,  
St. Johns,  
Sir: -

St. John's,  
Rouavista Bay,  
Feb. 24<sup>th</sup> '26

C.R. 1386

I have been asked by Mr & Mrs William Arnold of Traytown, Alexander Bay, to communicate with the Department of Militias respecting Pension which they think they should receive in compensation for the death of their son and sole support, Pte Chesley Arnold, who was killed in action. Their allotment was discontinued several months ago, and since then they have received nothing. They wish to know whether or not they are entitled to any Pension money similar to that which others of this settlement are receiving whose sons were also killed in action. I may say that Mr & Mrs Arnold are old people, almost past their labour, and sorely feel the loss of their son Chesley. A reply would be greatly appreciated.

Yours truly,  
Resd) E. R. Anthony.

CR 1386

Mar. 3rd, 1920

Rev. E.R. Anthony,  
Glovertown, B.B.,

Rev. & Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of your letter of  
Feb. 24th referring to the case of Private Chesley  
Arnold, deceased.

As this is a case for the Board  
of Pension Commissioners, I am referring your communication  
to them, with a request that they reply to you direct.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

C.R. 1386

March 3rd. 1920

**Secretary**

**Board of Pension Commissioners**

**Sir:-**

Attached is letter from the Rev. R.R. Anthony of Glovertown, B.B. relative to the case of Private Chesley Arnold.

As this is a matter for your Department I should be glad if you will take it hand, and reply direct to the Rev. Mr. Anthony.

**Yours faithfully,**

**Lieut.-Col.**

**Chief Staff Officer.**



