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FOR INFORMATION ONLY. NOT TO BE COMMUNICATED OUTSIDE THE WAR OFFICE.

Extract from Casualty List No. X. 19763.

Reported by D.D.H.S. London District, 4th July, 1916.

Officers who arrived in London 3rd July, 1916. Ex A.S. "Jan Breydel"
and their disposal:-

To Royal Free Hospital.

- Lieut. H.S. Plumb. 2nd D. of Well. G.S.W. Face.
- Lieut. H. Clay. 7th D. of Well. Neurasthenia.
- Lieut. B. Durnford. 2nd R. Fus. G.S.V. Leg.
- Lieut. H.T. Williams. 2nd Lanc. Fus. G.S.V. Back.
- Capt. C.H.C. Keovil. 18th W. Yorks. G.S.V. Head.
- Lieut. C.A.C. Wheeler. 15th L. Inf. G.S.V. Neck & R. Side.
- Capt. R.G. Winger. 4th Worcesters. G.S.V. Jack.
- 2/Lieut. M. McEerrow. 11th Border Regt. G.S.V. R. Foot.
- 2/Lieut. L. Watts. 12th Warwick. G.S.V. R. Leg.
- Capt. A. Kerr. 20th Northd. Fus. G.S.V. L. Knee.
- Capt. S. Titford. 18th W. Yorks. G.S.V. L. Buttock.
- 2/Lieut. A. Pentland. R.F.C. Pac. Tibia.
- 2/Lieut. C. Dobbs. 2nd Midd. G.S.V.
- Capt. J. Shaw. 1st A. Coot. Fus. G.S.V. Mouth & Throat.
- Lieut. E. Runt. 2nd Monmouths. G.S.V. Arm.
- Capt. A. Hamilton. R.A.A.C. G.S.V. L. Knee.
- 2/Lieut. C. Carey. 2nd Lancasters. G.S.V. L. Arm.
- Lieut. V. Robb. 14th L. Inf. G.S.V. L. Shoulder.
- 2/Lieut. T. Carroll. 10 Lincs. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- Lieut. C. Pavkes. 2nd S.V. B. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- T/Lieut. J. Sinclair. 10th Buff. Batt. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- Lieut. D. Brown. 2nd D. of Well. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- 2/Lieut. J. McCorry. 2nd Lanc. Fus. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- Lieut. C. B. Corbould. 15th Huss. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- Lieut. G. Waddingham. 2nd Buff. Batt. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- Capt. J. Edingham. 1st Buff. Batt. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- 2/Lieut. F. W. Deighton. 1st Buff. Batt. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- 2/Lieut. J. R. Buttersley. 10th Buff. Batt. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- Capt. J. W. Roberts. R.F.C. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- Capt. A. W. P. Leahy. R.F.C. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- 2/Lieut. E. Colley. 1st Buff. Batt. G.S.V. L. Hand.

To Rochester Hospital.

- Lieut. S. H. Deacon. 3rd Buff. Batt. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- Lieut. W. Johnston. 1st Buff. Batt. G.S.V. L. Hand.
- Lieut. A. H. Alcock. 4th Buff. Batt. G.S.V. L. Hand.

To Edward Hospital.

- Lieut. C. Field. 2nd R. Fus. Shell Shock Eb. No. 1.
- Capt. W. Loper. 12th Buff. Batt. G.S.V. L. Hand.

To General Hospital.

- Lieut. J. McCortney. 108th T.M.B. Shell Shock.
- 2/Lieut. W. H. Stinson. 10th Buff. Batt. G.S.V. Face.
- 2/Lieut. A. H. Gordon. 3rd Buff. Batt. G.S.V. Face & Os. Peis.
- 2/Lieut. A. Shaw. 5th Northfolks. Synovitis L. Knee.
- Capt. H. Lee. 11th Buff. Batt. Shell Shock.

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No. X. 19698.

Telegram from D. M. C. Boulogne. dated 3rd July, 1916.
(No. H. S. 954) Received 4th July, 1916.

Hospital Ship "Jan Breydel" sailing 2-30 p.m. 3rd July, 1916
with the following officers on board:-

Lt. Col. Impy, C.H. 12th Essex Regt.
Capt. J. A. Ledingham, 1st Newfoundland.
Capt. A. Hamilton, R.A.M.C.
Capt. A. S. Kerr, 20th North'd Fusrs.
Capt. J. W. H. Roberts, R.A.M.C.

Capt. H. R. Cattams, 12th K.R.R.C.
Capt. J. E. D. Leaky, A.C. Dept.
Capt. Wilson, R.R., 1st Irish Fusrs.
Capt. Tilford, S.H., 18th W. Yorks.
Capt. J. H. Shaw, 1st R.S. Fusrs.

Capt. H. O. Butler, 11th Inniskilling Fusrs.
Capt. R. C. Wynter, 4th Worcesters.
T/Capt. G. H. C. Keevil, 18th W. Yorks.
Lieut. E. H. Allen, 14th Hampshires.
Lieut. D. M. Brown, 2nd Duke of Wellingtons.

Lieut. J. S. Coltman, 14th W. Yorks.
Lieut. V. H. Robb, 14th R. Irish Rifles.
Lieut. E. V. Hunt, 2nd Manmuth Regt.
Lieut. A. F. Hemming, 2nd Duke of Wellingtons.
Lieut. D. C. Kent, 49th Canadians.

Lieut. C. C. Fowkes, 2nd S.W. Borderers.
Lieut. C. Waddingham, Australian F.A.
Lieut. C. E. B. Corbould, 18th Canadians.
Lieut. H. Makerraw, 11th Border Regt.
2/Lieut. D. S. S. Dobbs, 2nd Middlesex Regt.

2/Lieut. G. N. Jaray, 2nd Manchesters.
2/Lieut. T. H. J. Carroll, 10th Lincolns.
2/Lieut. J. S. McCorry, 2nd Inniskilling Fusrs.
2/Lieut. S. R. Cockrill, 10th W. Yorks.
2/Lieut. E. J. Holmes, 14th Yorks and Lancs.

2/Lieut. J. R. Battersley, 10th Artd, 11th L. Lancs.
2/Lieut. J. Scott, 4th Worcesters.
2/Lieut. E. Colley, 9th Yorks and Lancs.
2/Lieut. A. Shaw, 9th Norfolks.
2/Lieut. F. B. Deighton, R.F.A. 5th Bde.

2/Lieut. S. H. Deacon, 6th R. Irish Rifles.
2/Lieut. F. O. Sims, 13th K.O. Y.L.I.
2/Lieut. S. O. Plumb, 2nd Duke of Wellingtons.
2/Lieut. H. Clay, 7th Duke of Wellingtons.
2/Lieut. J. Macartney, 108 T.M. Batty.

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July 4, 1916.

Dear Madam,

I regret to have to inform
you that a report has this day been received
from the Record Office of the First New-
foundland Regiment, London, to the effect that
Lieutenant James A. Lodington, is at the Royal Free Hospital,
11, Inverness Road, London, suffering from gunshot wounds in
his left and right legs.

MIB

July 4, 1918.

Dear Sir,

I have the pleasure to inform you that the following information has been received from the Medical Director of the 1st Division, 1st Army, at Camp Beauregard, Louisiana, regarding the condition of Captain [Name] of the [Regiment], 1st Division, 1st Army. He was wounded in both arms and right leg - not serious.

I trust that later reports will bring news of his convalescence.

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

Yours faithfully,

1st Division,
St. John's.

Colonel [Name]

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.

15th September 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. Rank *Capt*
Name *James A. Ledwith*
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Elizabeth V. Ledwith (Sgd.)
Sister Relationship.

Address *35 Military Road* *St. John's*

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Capt. J. A. Ledingham

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Cables and Telegrams:
"SYNOPTICAL" London.

Telephone:
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF STAFF OFFICER OF THE CONTINGENT.

N. F. P/38.

ORIGINAL.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

Chief Staff Officer (London)

No. 9359/442/R.&C.

C.R. 0-19

From

PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,

58, VICTORIA STREET.

LONDON, S.W.1.

To

Hon. Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

HB/JC

4th July, 1919. *OK*

SUBJECT:

CAPT. J. A. LEDINGHAM,
KILLED IN ACTION 9/10/17.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated August 2nd, 1919 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

Following exchange of telegrams confirmed, please.

"To- Synoptical- 21/5/19 (200)
"Please inform whether-
"grave- Capt- Ledingham- has
"been registered-
" (Sgd) Military-"

"To- Military- 28/5/19- 244-
"Ref. your telegram 21st May-
"Capt.- Ledingham- registra-
"tion of- grave- not received-
" (Sgd) Synoptical-"

Also letter from the D.G.G.R.&E. in reply to this Office enquiry, is quoted for your information:

"In reply to your 8162/44/R&C dated 30th May 1919, I regret to say that the grave of the above officer is still unlocated and so far all enquiries have proved unsuccessful.

"In the final clearing up of the battlefields, it is expected that the identity of unknown graves will in a great number of cases be established, and in addition many graves will be found which to date have not been reported and registered by my officers."

It is regretted that a more satisfactory reply cannot be sent to you, please.

W. M. Munnell

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Noted, and enquirer

informed of result of enquires.

A. E. Nockman

Minister of Militia.

MINISTER OF MILITIA OFFICE
5091
18 AUG 1919
[Signature]

Ledingham Jas Capt 0-1

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Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

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

and the following number quoted.

WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W.,

4 December 1916

121/L/523

The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments to *The Officer in Charge Newfoundland Record Office 58 Victoria Street S.W.* and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for the information of *and retention* ~~a copy~~ of the document noted in the subjoined schedule ~~on~~ the subject of

Date	From	Description
—	—	<i>Proceedings of Medical Board held on Captain G.A. Ledingham 1st Newfoundland Regiment on the 20th November 1916</i>



CONFIDENTIAL.

Army Form A. 40.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at Ayr Barracks, on 20th Novr, 1916,
 by order of G. O. C. in C. Scottish Command,
 for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of
 (Rank and Name) Capt. J. A. Ledingham, (Corps) 1st Newfld. Rgt.,
 Age 27 Service 2 yrs. Disability G.S.Wds. arms & rt.thigh.
 Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability 7th August, 1916.
 Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability _____

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

he has recovered and is fit for general service.

NOTED ON CARDS
M.B. 6.8.
A.G. 40. 24-11

Present address:- Newfoundland Depot, AYR.

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

- (1) a. Is the officer fit for "General Service"? Yes ✓
 b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? _____
- (2) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for service at home? _____
 b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for service at home? _____
 c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for light duty at home? _____
 d. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for light duty at home? _____
- (3) Was the disability contracted in the service? Yes
 (4) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? Yes
 (5) Was it caused by military service? Yes
 (6) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? G.S.W.
 (7) If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated by it? _____

credit 24. 11



Signatures

Thos. Foster - Major President.
S. M. O. Fair - Major Member.
H. G. Wilson - Lieut. Colonel Member.

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

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

and the following number quoted.



LONDON, S.W.,

19 August 1916

121/2/523 (als4c)

The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments

to *The officer in Charge Newfoundland Records, 58 Victoria Street S.W.*

and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for the information of *and retention*

~~a copy of the document noted in the subjoined schedule on the subject of~~

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Date	From	Description
—	—	<p><i>Proceedings of Medical Board held on Captain J. A. Ledingham 1st Newfoundland Regiment on the 7th August 1916</i></p>

CONFIDENTIAL.

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ARMY FORM A 45
9 AUG 1916

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at Carton Hall, S.W. on 7. AUG 1916

by order of G.O.C. London District.

for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of
(Rank and Name) Capt. J. H. Redingham (Corps) 10th New Brunswick
Age 26 Service 27^m Disability 9 S. Wounds 1916
Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability 7. AUG. 1916
Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability _____

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

He sustained the injuries stated on Army Form A 45 a.

2nd

e/o Newfoundland Record Office,
58, Victoria Street, S.W.

Noted on
M. S. YMS
AUG 11-8

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

- (1) a. Is the officer fit for "General Service"? Yes
- b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? 6 weeks
- (2) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for service at home? Yes
- b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for service at home? 1 year
- c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for light duty at home? Yes
- d. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for light duty at home? 1 year
- (3) Was the disability contracted in the service? Yes
- (4) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? Yes
- (5) Was it caused by military service? Yes
- (6) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? In action S.F.
- (7) If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated by it? _____

Signatures

R. H. Taylor President.
W. G. [unclear] Members.

Confidential.

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

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD assembled by order of _____

G.O.C. London District.

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

by Capt J. G. Redingham 10th Buff Grenadiers
at (Place of Injury) France. 10th July 1916 on the (Date of Injury) 10th July 1916

The Board find While advancing in action
as above he was hit by 3 machine gun bullets
at short intervals. (1) R. Arm. a flesh wound.
(2) L. Arm. on inner side, passing through the
triceps. (3) R. Thigh. Ings expect passing
slightly outwards & backwards.

The wounds, healing slowly, have nearly
completely healed

No important structures have been
injured but the R. thigh, being nearly
involved the functional capacity

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

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

Signatures

R. M. Taylor
C. G. Long

Station Caxton Hall, S.W.

Date 7. AUG 1916

[P.T.O.]

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

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

and the following number quoted.

WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W.,

21 September 1916.

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Date	From	Description
—	—	<p><i>Proceedings of Medical Board held on Captain J. St. Ledingham, 1st Newfoundland Regiment on the 11th September 1916</i></p>

W.M.

CONFIDENTIAL

Original

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PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at Military Hospital, Maryhill on 11th Sept. 1916.

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

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

(Rank and Name) Capt. J. A. Ledingham (Corps) 1st Newfoundland Regt.

Age 27 Service 2 years Disability P.S. Ws. Am. & M. Thrp

Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability 7. August - 1916

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

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

the condition was added on A.F.A. 45a

NOTED ON CARDS
M. B. Unit
A.G. 45-149

2.c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for light duty at home? Yes

d. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for light duty at home? ✓

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

- (1.) a. Is the officer fit for "General Service"? No
- b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? 2 months
- (2.) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for service at home? No
- b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for service at home? one month
- (3.) Was the disability contracted in the service? Yes
- (4.) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? Yes
- (5.) Was it caused by military service? Yes
- (6.) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? Active Service Conditions P.S. & M.

Signatures

James Hill M.D. M.C. & M.C.V. President.
Ronald Stewart Capt. R.A.M.C. Members.

CONFIDENTIAL

Original

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PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at Military Hospital, Maryhill on 11th Sept. 1916
 by order of G. O. C. in C. Scottish Command
 for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of
 (Rank and Name) Capt. J. A. Ledingham (Corps) 1st Newfoundland Regt.
 Age 27 Service 2 yrs Disability P.S. W. Anns + M. Chaff
 Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability 7. August - 1916
 Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability _____

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

the condition was added on AFA 45a

NOTED ON CARDS
 M. B. W. C. T.
 A. G. 45. 149

- 2.c. If unfit for General Service at home, is he fit for light duty at home? _____
- d. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for light duty at home? _____

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

- (1) a. Is the officer fit for "General Service"? No
 b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? 2 months
- (2) a. If unfit for General Service, is he fit for service at home? No
 b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit for service at home? one month
- (3) Was the disability contracted in the service? Yes
- (4) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? Yes
- (5) Was it caused by military service? Yes
- (6) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? acute Lumb. Condition P.S. & T.

Signatures

James Hill W. G. M. C. V. President.
Ronald Stewart Capt. Ross Members.

Confidential.

Original

To be used in cases of wounds or injuries received in action.

(For instructions for preparing this report see back of form.)

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD assembled by order of The

G. O. C. in C. Scottish Command

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

Capt J.A. Sedingham, 1st Newfoundland Regiment

at (Place of injury) Beaumont Hamel on the (Date of injury) 1st July 1916

The Board find That the wounds have healed there is some muscular weakness left in left arm & right thigh.

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

1.—Has the officer lost an eye or a limb; or has he permanently lost the use of an eye or a limb; or is the injury equivalent to the loss of a limb, and permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Articles 639 to 644 of the Royal Warrant for Pay, &c.)

2.—If the case does not come under the category of 1:—

(a) Was the injury, in the first instance, very severe in character?

(b) Are its effects still very severe?

3.—If the case is classified under category 2, are the effects of the injury permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Article 646.)

4.—Injuries that do not come under the above categories should be classified here, making use of the following terms:—*severe or slight and permanent or not permanent*, as the case may be.

5.—For what period, calculated from the date of the wound or injury, is it probable that the officer will be incapacitated for military duty by such wound or injury?

	Replies		
	As to first wound	As to second wound (if any)	As to third wound (if any)
1.—	<i>No</i>	<i>Collectively</i>	
2.—	<i>No</i>		
3.—	<i>—</i>		
4.—	<i>Slight not permanent</i>		
5.—	<i>Three months</i>		

Signatures

James Hill H. Colonel R.A.M.C. (157)
Ronald Stewart Capt. R.A.M.C.

Station Wemyss Mill Glasgow

Date 11 September 1916.

[P.T.O.]

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Commandant of Late, Capt., [redacted] Bingham, Jas. A.

(both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No. [redacted]

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount		Dr.			Cr.		
				\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	Cr. Balance from period ending Pay 26/10/17								22	19	0
	Field Allowance										
	Mess „										
	Effects								4	10	0
	@ \$ 4.86 $\frac{2}{3}$...			\$							
	Dr. Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.										
	Credit Balance								27	9	2
	PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., Dec- 31st 1917								27	9	2
	Checked by <i>Rb</i> £								27	9	2

This account is *checked* in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to *31/12/17* and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

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balance

Dollars.

Jesse G. [unclear]

Ch. No. 571	Initials J.W.
Pay Ledger H	Initials J.W.
Gen. Ledger J.S.	Initials J.S.

Regtl. No. Rank

C. [unclear]

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH

PAY VOUCHER

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment

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25/00

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No.

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Name

J. K. Lee

John

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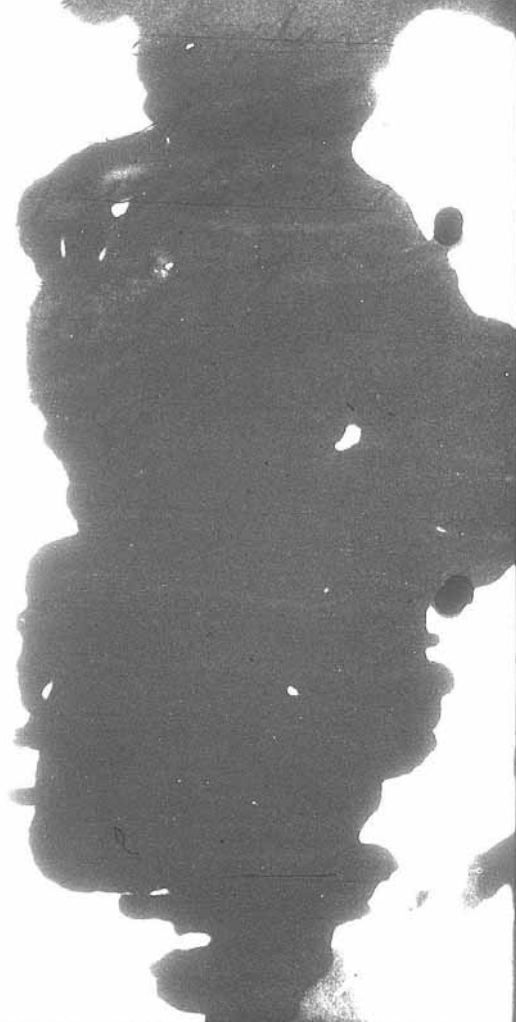
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par. 112.

Estate late Captain J. A. Ledingham.

I learned from the Department of Justice that you require no authorization from them to pay over money due to the above estate to the Executors, but that you can pay over same upon production of letters of probate.

Will you please hand to bearer, Miss Elliott, who is my stenographer, a cheque for the amount due by your Department to Captain Ledingham's Estate. She will exhibit to you the original letters of probate, which please return to her after inspecting them.

Yours truly,

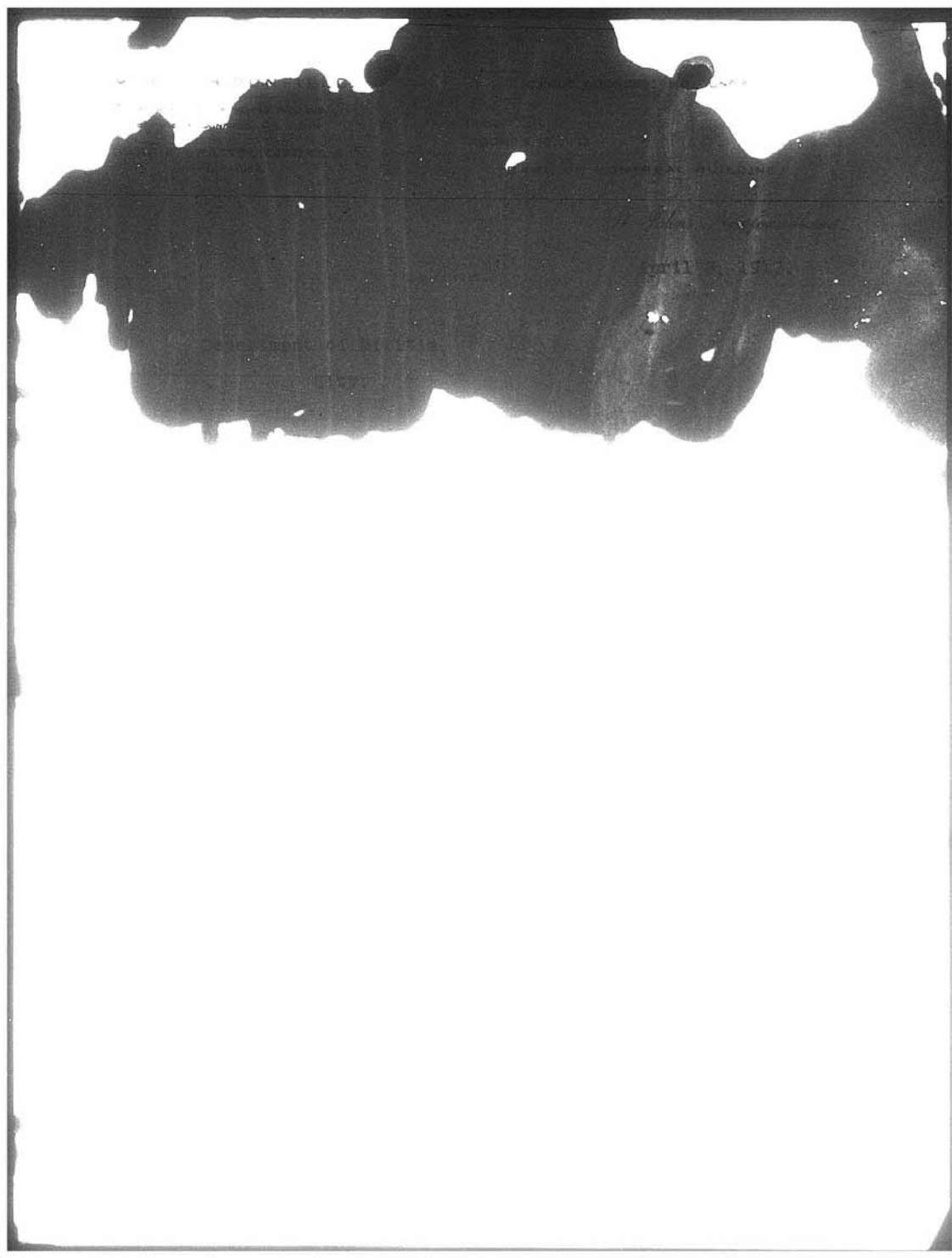


Solicitor for Executors.

Received payment of
\$152.38 account of the
Estate of Captain J. A.
Ledingham

for Brian Dunfield.
Per Jessie Elliott.

BD:JE.



St. John's N.
April 18, 18.

Hon. J. R. Bennett,
Minister of Militia,
City.

Dear Sir:-

Chique

I beg to acknowledge ~~receipt~~ of One Hundred
& Fifty-two Dollars and Thirty-eight cents. (\$152.38),
balance paid over by your Department to the Executors of
the late Capt. James A. Ledingham.

Yours sincerely,

Johnston

IS & DUNFIELD.

RT. HON. SIR E. P. MORRIS, K.C., LL.D.
BRIAN E. S. DUNFIELD, B.A. (LOND.)

BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, &c.
NOTARIES.

CABLE ADDRESS: "M"

ROOMS 9, 10, 11, 12

BANK OF MONTREAL BUILDING.

St. John's, Newfoundland

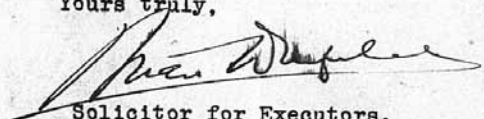
March 14, 1918.

The Chief Staff Officer,
Department of Militia,
City.

Dear Sir:-

I should be glad if you would furnish me with the customary certificate in relation to the late Captain J. A. Ledingham, showing the record of his enlistment and of his death, for the purpose of collecting his Life Insurance. Will you be good enough to let me have Duplicate originals of this, as it is necessary to collect from two Insurance Companies.

Yours truly,


Solicitor for Executors.

BD:JE.

March, 15th., 1918.

Messrs. Morris & Dunfield,
Barristers & Solicitors,
City.

Gentlemen:--

With reference to your letter of
March, 14th., I enclose certified extract, in
duplicate, from Official Casualty List showing
death of Capt. Jas. A. Ledingham.

Our records show, that Captain
Ledingham received his original commission of
Lieutenant, in the 1st. Nfld. Regiment, on the
24th., September, 1914, for confirmation of which
please refer to the Royal Gazette of September,
29th., 1914.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

MORRIS & DUNFIELD.

RT., HON. SIR E. P. MORRIS, K.C., LL.D.
BRIAN E. S. DUNFIELD, B.A. (LOND.)

BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, &c.
NOTARIES.

CABLE ADDRESS: "MORDUNFIELD, ST. JOHN'S."

ROOMS 9, 10, 11, 12

BANK OF MONTREAL BUILDING.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

March 16, 1918.

Department of Militia,
City.

Dear Sirs:-

I beg to acknowledge a letter from you dated the 15th. Inst., in re late Captain J. A. Ledingham.

By inadvertence apparently, it has been omitted to have the copies of the Casualty List which you sent me signed by the proper officer; I return them herewith and would be glad to have them signed.

I should also be much obliged to you if you would let me have the Duplicate original of your letter upon the Department's Letter Head, instead of on copying paper as enclosed. I have to send these to Life Insurance Companies, and doubt might be ~~carried~~^{Created} in their minds if I sent them a ~~document~~^{document} ~~duplicate~~ which bears nothing to show that it comes from your Department.

Yours very truly,

Stan. Dwyer

BD: JE.

March, 19th. 1918.

Brien Dunfield Esq.,
City.

Dear Sir,-

With reference to your letter
of March, 16th. I regret that the Casualty
Forms went to you unsigned.

I now return them duly com-
pleted.

Yours truly,

Capt. & Paymaster,

St. John's, Nfld.

February 22nd, 18.

Hon. J. R. Bennett,
Minister of Militia.

Dear Sir:-

Will you please let us have statement of
account Late Capt. J. A. Ledingham of the Newfoundland
Regiment.

We understand the balance to his credit
in the Waterloo Branch of the Bank of Montreal, London,
has been transferred to St. John's. We shall also
esteem it a favor of you, will you let us have cheque
to close account.

Yours truly,

Executors

J. A. Ledingham
J. A. Ledingham

March, 13th. 1913.

Hon. John Anderson,
City.

Dear Sir.--

With reference to your letter of February, 22nd., I beg to state, that I cannot make payment of the balance of Capt. Ledingham's estate until I receive Letters Of Administration from the Minister of Justice.

As soon as these are in my possession I shall be pleased to let you have a cheque.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

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Le Ham

61-0 C.R.

P.V.R.O.

Form P/J.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of **Lieut. J. A. Ledingham**From **20th October 1914** to **16th April 1915** (both days inclusive)Ledger Folio No. **Mess Allowance**

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount		Dr.			Cr.			
				\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
	Cr.											
	Pay											
	Field Allowance											
	Mess "	179	5/6						49	4	6	
	@ \$ 4.86 $\frac{1}{2}$...			\$								
	Dr.											
Apr. 13	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.					25	0	0				
" 27						17	7	0				
	Harrods Ltd. 21st. Oct. to 4th Nov. 26th Nov. to 6th Dec. 25 days @ 5/6					6	17	6				
	PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., 27th April, 1915.											
						£	49	4	6	49	4	6

Form P/J.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of **Capt. J.A. Ledingham**

From 4/9/15

to 1/10/15

(both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No.

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount		Dr.			Cr.		
				\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	Cr.										
	Pay	28	300	84	00						
	Field Allowance	28	75	21	00						
	Amended date of Promotion to Captain. Difference in pay	1		1	15						
	Mess Allowance								5	12	0
	@ \$ 4.86 $\frac{2}{3}$...			\$106	15				21	16	3
	Dr.										
Oct. 1	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.					27	8	3			
	PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., 14th October 1915										
						£ 27	8	3	27	8	3

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of **Capt. J.A. Ledingham**

From **4/9/15** to **1/10/15** (both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No.

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount		Dr.			Cr.				
				\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
	Cr.												
	Amended date of Promotion to Captain, Difference in pay 1		100										
	Pay	28	8400										
	Cr.												
	Amended date of Promotion to Capt. Difference in pay 1		15										
	Field Allowance	28	2100										
	Mess Allowance									5	12	0	
	@ \$ 4.86 $\frac{1}{2}$...			\$									
					106	15				21	16	3	
	Dr.												
	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.												
	Balance carried forward to next period									27	8	3	
	PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W.,												
	<u>12th October</u> 191 <u>5</u>									£	27	8	3
											27	8	3

Form P/J.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of Capt. J. A. Ledingham

From 1/10/15 to 24/12/15 (both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No.

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount		Dr.			Cr.			
				\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
	Cr.											
	Pay	84	3 00	252	00							
	Field Allowance	84	75	63	00							
	Mess ..	84	4/-						16	16	0	
	@ \$ 4.86 $\frac{2}{3}$...			\$	315 00				64	14	6	
	Dr.											
Oct. 29	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.					27	3	6				
Nov. 26	"					27	3	6				
Dec. 24	"					27	3	6				
	PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W..											
	27, December, 1915.											
				Checked by <i>ze</i>		£	81	10	6	81	10	6 /

Form P/J.

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of Capt. A. S. Ledingham

From 25/12/15 to 21/1/16 (both days inclusive)

Ledger Folio No.

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount		Dr.			Cr.		
				\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	Cr.										
	Pay	28	3 00	84	00						
	Field Allowance	28	75	21	00						
	Mess "	28	4/-						5	12	0
	@ \$ 4.86 ² / ₃		\$	105	00				21	11	6
	Dr.										
Jan. 21	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL, WATERLOO PLACE, LONDON, S.W.					22	19	6			
Dec. 24	Officers Web Equipment					4	4	0			
PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W., 5, February, 1916.				Checked by <i>BC</i> £		27	3	6	27	3	6

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of **Wapt. J.A. Ledingham.**

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

Ledger Folio No.

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount \$	Dr.			Cr.		
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	Pay	22	3 00	66 00						
	Field Allowance	22	2 00	44 00						
	Mess							5	13	0
								31	11	6
	Dr.									
Feb. 12	Deposit BANK OF MONTREAL WATERLOO PLACE LONDON E.C. 4				5	0	0			
18										
	Debit Balance							15	0	0
PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W..					Checked by <i>Be</i> £ 42 3 6 42 3 6					
February 29th, 1916										

No. 1111
 Date 1/11/1918
 (both days)
 £ 100

No.	Description	Dr.	Cr.	Balance
	Balance from last acct.			
	To Balance			
	By Balance			
	Balance from last acct.			
	Debit BANK OF MONTREAL			
	London, C.M.			
	Totals			
	Debit Balance			
	Credit			

Office,
 30th St.
 London, C.M.

FIELD SERVICE.

Death of an Officer to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death in an Army Order or Army Form A 36 for from other sources.

REGIMENT
OF

Squadron
The

(New Order)

Section Adjutant General
Office

Station
H. C. S. d. Michel
10/17

John C. Tausley stated that
Capt. Leidyham was killed
instantly by a bullet through
the head, in front of Pascal
Farm, near Kockhuyt in
Belgium. Tausley took
Leidyham's watch (which was
subsequently forwarded to
B. Jones) and Eric's [?] his
papers.

Wellington House,

1841,

Jan 25/41

Dear Capt. Stowell,

When I go abroad
with the draft I will
be glad if you will kindly
arrange for me to be able
to draw Ten pounds per
month from the Field pay-
master and deposit the
balance with the Bank
of Montreal as usual

Yours sincerely,

Wellington House,

Ayr,

January 25/16

Dear Capt. Timewell,

When I go abroad with the draft
I will be glad if you will kindly arrange for me
to be able to draw Ten Pounds per month from the
Field paymaster and deposit the balance with the
Bank of Montreal as usual.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) J.A. Ledingham.

29, January 6.

281/5.

Capt. J.A. Ledingham,
Wellington House
Ayr, N.B.

Pay & Allowances

Referring to your letter 25/1/16. on your departure for active service abroad your Pay & Allowances, less £10/ per pay period, will be deposited with the Bank of Montreal Waterloo Place, as hitherto. Should you leave any in the middle of a pay period, I assume you wish the deduction made proportionately, in other words say £2/10 per week.

Capt.

Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

CABLEGRAM

No. **16**

5496
No. of Message



The following CABLEGRAM received, at

1.11.16 M. "Via Commercial Cables"

From *St Johnson*

No. of Words, *15*

To *15m Synoptical*

for
 Captain Redingham
 how progressing
 anxious any use
 finds have on Antarctic
 - Colonial
 Secretary -

2250

JUL - 9 1916

No Inquiry respecting this Message can be attended to without the production of this paper. Repetitions of doubtful words should be obtained through Company's Offices, and not by direct application to the Sender.

10 July 6

Capt J. A. Edinham

"The following cablegram
has been received from the
Colonial Secretary of New-
foundland.

"Captain Edinham how
progressing anxious any
use kind - love Auntie"

J. A. Edinham
for

Noted

THE LODGE,
DALWHINNIE.

31. 8. 16

To Officer etc

Pay & Record Office,

From. Capt. J. A. Hedingham.

Sir,

after date please address
any mail matter for
Mr. Robertson or self

To Central Station Hotel
Glasgow

and obliged.

Yours sincerely
J. Hedingham.

RECEIVED
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
31. 8. 16

REF. No. _____
 RECD. _____
 ACK'D. _____
 Ans'd. _____
 File No. _____

Capt Edimans

Noted
J. J.

30.12.14

Dear Hughie

Would you please cause any mail for me to be re-directed to 40 29th Infantry Base Depot, Rouen. I have been taken on the staff here as acting adjutant. It is but a temporary appointment owing to the l/c going sick and I don't just know how long it will last. I think I could do with it for the duration but can hardly expect that owing to so many "permanent base" men going about. It is a fairly cushy job and the quarters are very comfortable. I think you were here on your way to or from the battalion, were you not? S^r Drew is at 2011 base hospital just across the road from here & I see a good deal of him. There are just ten of the regiment here. I have been unable to get any news about the regiment & don't know

where they are just now.

Kindest regards

Yours truly
L.

I will let you know when I move
up so that this address may be
cancelled. Have had no mail
since leaving

No.
414

ANGLO-AMERICAN

WESTERN UNION  DIRECT UNITED STATES
CABLEGRAM

Prefix		Code		SENT		FOR STAMPS	
WORDS		CHARGE		By		THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.	
12		126		VIA ANGLO.			

16/5/17 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To EFM MISS STORY
STJOHNS (NEWFOUNDLAND)

JOINING BATTALION MAY FIFTEENTH MUCH LOVE

JIM LEDINGHAM



Charge
Capt. Ledingham

Authorised.

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.

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.

No.
413

ANGLO-AMERICAN

WESTERN UNION  DIRECT UNITED STATES
CABLEGRAM

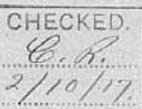
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To EFM LEDINGHAM
STJOHNS (NEWFOUNDLAND)

JOINING BATTALION MAY FIFTEENTH LOVE TO ALL

JIM LEDINGHAM



CHARGE
PAID BY
Date..... by

2-6

Authorized.

Charge to
Capt. J. Ledingham

NOT TO BE
TELEGRAPHED.

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POST OFFICE



TELEGRAPHS.

Office Stamp.

Handed in at

Office of Origin and Service Instructions

Words

Charges to pay

9 1/2 13 AYR 11



THIS FORM MUST ACCOMPANY ANY ENQUIRY RESPECTING THIS TELEGRAM.

Received here at

TO = SYNOPTICAL LONDON

1130

= KINDLY WIRE ME IF CAPTAIN LEDINGHAM IS

CASUALTY

= FOX :

1ST N. W. POLYGRAPHIC REGISTRY
 PAY RECEIVED OFFICE

Ref. No. *1907*
 Recd. *15 OCT 1911*
 Acct. *W.A.A.*
 Amt.
 Fig. No.
W.A.A.

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message 1

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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.			Sent			
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			To			By
			By		(Signature of "Franking Officer.")	

TO { **CAPTAIN** **FOX** **NEWFOUND** **AYR**

Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number **AAA**

244 **15/10/17**

REGRET	REPORT	CAPTAIN	LEDINGHAM	UNOFFICIALLY
REPORTED	KILLED	IN	ACTION	OCTOBER
NINTH	NO	OFFICIAL	CONFIRMATION	RECEIVED

SYNOPTICAL

From			
Place			
Time			

The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z)

Censor. Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name

* This line should be erased if not required.

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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			To			By	
			By		(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		

TO CAPTAIN FOX NEWFOUND AYR

Sender's Number 245 Day of Month 15/10/17 In reply to Number AAA

DEEPLY REGRET OFFICIAL REPORT CONFIRMS
CAPTAIN LEDINGHAMS DEATH
SYNOPTICAL

From _____
Place _____
Time _____

The above may be forwarded as now corrected.

(Z)

Sender, Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name

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Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.
12th November, 1917.

Dear Miss Ledingham,

I handed Jim's wrist-watch,
which was forwarded to me by Corporal
Tansley, to Capt. Scott, R.A.M.C., of
Grand Falls on the 10th instant. He
is going to Newfoundland and has
kindly promised to deliver the
watch to you when he gets there.

Yours sincerely,

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTTELEGRAM ~~Full text~~/extract from MINISTER OF MILITIA,No. _____ Dated ~~21~~ 5/19 (200), received 22/5 19Decoded by J. S. Checked by R.A.P.Branch Records Acted upon (Initial) _____

Acknowledged per No. _____

Dated / /

Please inform whether ~~Grave- Captain-Ledingham-~~
has been, ~~4~~ registered-full stop-

7

ACKS dated / /	} No. IN
Received / /	
REPLY dated / /	}
Received / /	
LAST Ref No.	
NEXT " "	

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

Chief Staff Officer (London)

9359/442/R.&C.

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

HB/JC

4th July,

9

CAPT. J. A. LEDINGHAM,
KILLED IN ACTION 9/10/17.

Following exchange of telegrams confirmed, please.

"To- Synoptical- 21/5/19 (200)
"Please inform whether-
"grave- Capt- Ledingham- has
"been registered-
" (Sgd) Military-"

"To- Military- 28/5/19- 244-
"Ref. your telegram 21st May-
"Capt.- Ledingham- registra-
"tion of grave- not received-
" (Sgd) Synoptical-"

Also letter from the D.G.G.R.&E.,
in reply to this Office enquiry,
is quoted for your information:

"In reply to your 8162/44/R&C
"dated 30th May 1919, I regret
"to say that the grave of the
"above officer is still un-
"located and so far all en-
"quiries have proved unsuccess-
"ful.

" In the final clearing up
"of the battlefields, it is
"expected that the identity
"of unknown graves will in a
"great number of cases be
"established, and in addition
"many graves will be found
"which to date have not been
"reported and registered by
"my officers."

It is regretted that a more
satisfactory reply cannot be sent
to you, please

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Reference:- C.C.M/1/422.



The Officer in Charge,
Newfoundland Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
S. W.

NEWFOUNDLAND RECORD OFFICE
RAY & RECORD
Ref. No. 1/422
Spec. 3 JUN
Ans'd
of 106-011

Captain J.A. Ledingham,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Killed 9th October 1917.

In reply to your 8162/44/R. & C. dated 30th May 1919, I regret to say that the grave of the above officer is still unlocated and so far all enquiries have proved unsuccessful.

In the final clearing up of the battlefields, it is expected that the identity of unknown graves will in a great number of cases be established, and in addition many graves will be found which to date have not been reported and registered by my officers.

War Office,
Winchester House,
St. James's Square,
London, S. W. 1.

Major,
for Major-General,
D. G. G. R. & E.

N.F.P./104.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

TRANSLATION ~~Extract~~/extract of TELEGRAM to MINISTER of MILITIA,

No. 244 28/5/19. M. of M. Reply No. _____ d/d _____

Coded by _____ Branch Records Checked by _____

Reference your telegram 21st May-Capt. Ledingham-
registartion of-grave-not received-

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTTELEGRAM ~~XXXXXXXX~~/extract from MINISTER OF MILITIA,

No. _____ Dated 21/ 5/19 (200), received 22/ 5 19

Decoded by J. S. Checked by R. A. P.Branch Records Acted upon (Initial) _____

Acknowledged per No. _____ Dated / _____

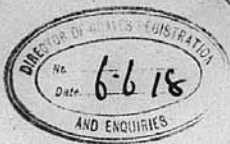
Please inform whether-~~Grave~~- Captain-Ledingham-
has been, ~~registered~~-fullstop-

Not yet received 26/5/19 J.L.

Copy to Mr. [unclear]

2/8/06

[Signature]



Reference:-C.C.M/1/422.

The Officer in Charge,
Newfoundland Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London S.W.1.

Captain J.A. Ledingham,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Killed 9th October 1917.

In reply to your H.A/N.V. of 24th May 1918, I have to say the grave of above officer has not yet been located but enquiries are being made the result of which will be communicated to you.

Your further enquiries are being dealt with separately.

War Office,
Winchester House,
St. James's Square,
London S.W.1.

[Signature]
Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Brig.-General,
Director G.R. & E.

NEWFOUNDLAND RECORD OFFICE,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

RECEIVED 6 - JUN 1918

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Copy to Home

1/8/18

[Signature]



Reference:- C.C.M/1/422.

The Officer in Charge,
Newfoundland Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.1.

Captain J. A. Ledingham,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Killed 9th October 1917.

In further reply to your H.A/N.V, of 24th May 1918, I regret to say that the grave of the above officer, who fell at a point just North of Langemarck, has not been located and all enquiries have proved unsuccessful. I will inform you at once if I should obtain any information at a later date.

✓ 6155

War Office,
Winchester House,
St. James's Square,
London, S.W.1.

W. S. [Signature]

Captain,
Staff Captain,
for Brig-General,
Director G. R. & E.,

[Vertical scribbles]

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX Chief Staff Officer
(London)

30th May,

9.

D. G. G. R. & E.,

8182/44/R.&G.

War Office, Winchester House,

St. James's Square, S.W. 1.

CAPT. J. A. LEDINGHAM
1st Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt. R.I.A. 9/10/17.

With further reference to your C.C.M./1/428
of 6/6/18 and 8/7/18 respectively: I beg to quote
the following extract of telegram from the Minister
of Militia, Newfoundland dated 21/5/18 (200):

"Please inform whether- grave- Captain-
"Ledingham- has been registered- "

and to ask if you are able to furnish me with any
further information on this subject.

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London)

HB/NV

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Extract from Nom [redacted] Regt.
Embarked Devenport
to B.E.F. & di

Capt.



C.R. 0-19

May 31st, 1919

Mr. Peter Ledingham
Royal Bank of Canada

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your enquiry concerning the registration of the grave of your brother, Capt. J.A. Ledingham, I have to inform you that a reply to our cable has been received stating that the registration of this grave has not yet been received.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

C. 0-19

Extract from Casualties received from P & R Office London,
31st, July, 1918.

In reply to enquiries to 1st Bn. and D.G.R. & E. regarding
the grave site of Capt. Ledingham. no place of burial has
been discovered but O.C. 1st Battn, states as follows:-

"Capt. Ledingham was not buried by this
Unit. He was killed about 100 in front
of the BREEMEEK. Sht. 20.1/20,000. S.W.
"U.17.b.3.1."

Authority: Reply to P. & R.O. No. 8192/249/R. & C. of 1918.

8192/249/R.A.C.

C.R. 0-19

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

Vice,

Officer Commanding,
1st Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.,
B. E. F.

Versa.

HA/NV

Pay & Record Office,

B. E. F.,

24th May, 8.

May 31st, 1918.

GRAVE SITES.

Can you please say if
the undersigned Officers, who
were killed in Action on the
dates stated, were buried, and
if so, where their graves are
situated?

Capt. Ledingham was not
buried by this unit. He was
killed about 100^Y in front of
the BROOMBEEK, Sht.20.1/20,000
S.W. U17.b.3.1.

Capt. Bartlett was not
buried by this unit. He was
killed on the MASNIERES-
MARCOING Road, about 80 from
Marcoing Copse. Sheet 57.N.E.
1/10,000.L.30.C.4.9.

Capt. J.A. Ledingham, 9/10/17
" R.W. Bartlett, M.C.,
30/11/17.

(Sd) A. RALEY Capt. & Adj.
for Lt.-Col.
Commanding 1st Bn.,
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Major,

(In. Ref. No. 4965)

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

GRAVE SITES.

I.

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

To: D.G.R.&E., War Office,
Winchester House, St. James's Sq., S.W. 1.

GRAVE SITES.

Will you please say if grave sites relating to the following Officers and men of The Royal Newfoundland Regt. have yet been located:-

Capt. J.A. Ledingham, K. in. A., 9/10/17.
Capt. R.W. Bartlett, K. in. A., 30/11/17.
3237 Pte. G. Blandford, K. in. A., 16/8/17.,

and if it is possible to secure photographs of the graves, if located?

P.&R.Office,
24th May 1918,
8195/20/R.&C.

(Sgd) H. A. TIMEWELL. Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

II.

From: D.G.R.&E.

To: Officer i/c Nfld Record Office.

Ref.:- C.C.M./1/423.

CAPT. J.A. LEDINGHAM.

In reply to your H.A./N.V. of 24th May, 1918, you state that the grave of above officer has not yet been located, but enquiries are being made the result of which will be communicated to you again as soon as possible. Your further enquiries are being dealt with separately.

War Office,
Winchester House,
6/6/18.

From: D.G.R.&E.

To: Officer i/c Nfld Record Office.

Ref.:- C.C.M./1/423.

In reply to your H.A./N.V. of 24th May, 1918, you state that the grave of Capt. R.W. Bartlett has not yet been located, but your enquiry has been dealt with and you will be communicated to you again as soon as possible. I am very sorry that I cannot give you a more satisfactory reply. Your further enquiries are being dealt with separately.

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6/6/18. WILLIS. 2/Lt., etc.
(as in Minute II)

Ref.:- C.C.M./1/423.

CAPT. R.W. BARTLETT, M.C.

In further reply to your H.A./N.V. of 24th May 1918, I am sorry to say that the grave of above officer has not been located, and your further enquiries are being dealt with separately.

(Sgd)

? Staff Capt
for Brig. Gen, D.G.R.&E.

18/5/18

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mmunicated to you.
separately.

H. WILLIS, B/Lt. for Captain
Staff-Capt., for Brig-General,
Director G.R.S.E.

Ref.:- C.C.V

I regret to say
has not yet been
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(Sgt) H

IV.

From G.R.S.E.

Head Office

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V.

From: D.G.R.&.E.,

To: O. i/c Nfld Record Office.

Ref.:- C.C.M./1/442.

CAPT. J. A. LEDINGHAM.

In further reply to your H.A./N.V., of 24th May 1918, I regret to say that the grave of the above officer, who fell at a point just North of Langemarck, has not been located and all enquiries have proved unsuccessful. I will inform you at once if I should obtain any information at a later date.

(Sgd) H. WILLIS, 2/Lt. for

War Office,
Winchester House,
St. James's Square,
8/7/18.

Captain,
Staff-Captain,
for Brig.-General,
Director G.R.&.E.

Despatching
Office
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Arrival
Office
Stamp

No. 131

From

Wichita Sept

Registered Letter Addressed—

Prof Leavenworth
Military Road ✓

Received by

J. J. Lee

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PERSONAL EFFECTS.

Received from Militia Department

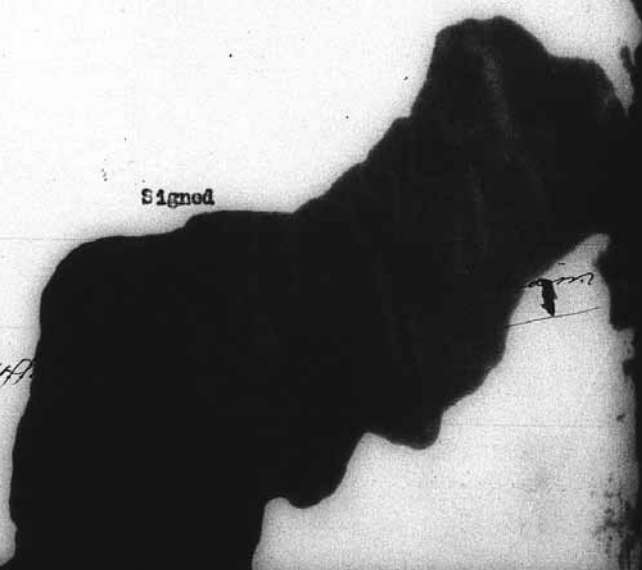
1. Package of effects of the late

[Handwritten scribble]

Signed

Date

May 1941





Handwritten signature or text, possibly "K. H. ..."

May 11, 1918.

Dear Miss Ledingham:-

I am writing to inform you that it is my regrettable duty to forward to you, one package of effects, which belonged to your brether, the late Captain J. A. Ledingham of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am enclosing herewith, receipt, will you kindly sign same and return at your earliest convenience.

Assuring you of my deepest sympathy in your bereavemnet, and in the added sorrow which the receipt of these effects must entail.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

Captain.

Miss Ledingham,
Military Road.

Enc'l 1.

No. of Paper 1450**PERSONAL EFFECTS.**Name Leslie G. Lawrence J.A. No. _____Rank Capt Regiment 1st Regt. C. M. A.

Article	Where stored	Notified by
<u>1 Small package</u>		
	Final disposal	

Remarks :- Casualty Advice - K. I. A. 9-10-17 ^{initial}
Next of Kin: - Miss. E. O. Lawrence
35 Military Road
St. Johns

COPY.

FIELD SERVICE.C.R. ⁰⁻¹⁹ Adaptation.
Army Form B. 2090A.

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 Squadron, Troop, }
OR CORPS } Battery or Company }
Regimental No. ----- Rank Captain
Surname Ledingham Christian Names J. A.



Died { Date 9/10/17 Place In the Field, France or Belgium.
Cause of Death* Killed in action

Nature and Date of Report _____

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 Not to hand Date _____
By whom reported _____

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

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will be 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.

G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon

Station and Date } B.E.F. 15/10/17 Signature of Officer in charge of Section } (Sd) L. Neary, 2nd Lt. for
Date } Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } Officer i/c No. 1 Infantry Sect.

36 Military Road
October 22nd 1917

C.R. 0-19

Sir W. E. Davidson
Governor -

Dear Sir

Kindly convey to The King
and The Queen my grateful
appreciation of their sympathy,
expressed on the death in action
on the 9th of October of my nephew

Captain James A. Ledingham
who fell in the service of his country.

With very many thanks for your
own kind words of sympathy.

I am sincerely yours

A. H. Ledingham

C.R.

Captain J. A. Ledingham.

Extract of "Daily Orders" Newfoundland Regiment, part 2,
G. H. Q., 3rd Echelon, B.E.F., dated October 20, 1917.
Killed in Action 9/10/17.

35 Military Road

October 17th 1917

R. A. Squires

Colonial Secretary

Dear Sir -

I beg to acknowledge your letter of October 15th, containing the report that Captain James A. Ledingham had been killed in action October 9th.

Sincerely yours

A. H. Ledingham

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October 15, 1917.

Dear Madam,

I regret to inform you Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to-day reports Captain James A. Ledingham, officially reported killed in action October 9th.

Yours sympathetically,

Colonial Secretary.

Miss Ledingham

C.R. *Capt J.A. Ledingham*

Extract of Letter receive from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated December 20, 1916.

Captain J.A. Ledingham.

Moved to the British Expeditionary Force dated
December 12, 1916.

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Extract from Casualties Received from Pay & Record
Office. London, Dec.20,1916.

TO THE BRITISH EXPEDITIONARY FORCE:

Capt. J.A. Ledingham,

21-12-16.

MM.

C.R. 019

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated December 6, 1916.

Captain J.A. Ledingham. ✓

held at Ayr Barracks, 20/11/16: "Fit for General
Service."

C.R. 0-19

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Embarked Southampton, from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Draft No. 14
30-11-16.

Captain J.A. Ledingham.

C.R.O - 19

Extract from Nominal Roll Draft (All Ranks) to 1st
Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Southampton.

Conducting Officer.

Captain J.A. Ledingham.

30-11-16.

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

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Originator: _____ Sender: ALM. H. ... Address: _____

Number: _____ Paid: _____ by _____ Check: _____

Date: _____ 18, 1916

W. C. ...

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No. X. 19698.

Boulogne. dated 3rd July, 1916.

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on board:-

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Information from the following sources:
(No. 11, 1904)

Board of Ship "Jan Braxdel"
with the following officers:

Mr. J. J. Lacey, G.N. 15th Essex Regt.
Capt. A. Macdonald, 1st Newfoundland.
Capt. A. Hamilton, R.A.M.C.
Capt. W. E. Kerr, 30th North'd Buffs.
Capt. W. H. Roberts, R.A.M.C.

Capt. E. R. Cattaraugus, 10th L.R.A.C.
Capt. J. H. D. Smith, A.C. Dept.
Capt. Wilson, S.M., 1st Irish Fusers.
Capt. H. H. H. H. H., 10th W. Yorks.
Maj. J. A. Shaw, 1st R.B. Fusers.

Capt. H. C. Butler, 11th Inniskilling Fusers.
Capt. R. G. Wyster, 4th Worcesters.
E/Capt. G. H. G. Keavil, 13th W. Yorks.
Lieut. E. H. Allen, 14th Hampshire.
Lieut. D. M. Brown, 2nd Duke of Wellingtons.

Lieut. F. S. Colman, 10th W. Yorks.
Lieut. V. H. Robb, 10th R. Irish Rifles.
Lieut. E. Y. Hunt, 2nd Manchester Regt.
Lieut. A. P. Humming, 2nd Duke of Wellingtons.
Lieut. D. G. Kent, 15th Canadian.

Lieut. G. G. Newson, 2nd W. Gloucesters.
Lieut. G. Waddington, 2nd W. Yorks.
Lieut. D. B. S. Corbould, 10th Canadian.
Lieut. W. H. H. H., 11th W. Yorks.
E/Lieut. D. M. S. Dobbs, 2nd Middlesex Regt.

E/Lieut. S. H. J. J., 2nd Manchester.
E/Lieut. T. H. J. Carroll, 10th W. Yorks.
E/Lieut. J. B. H. H., 2nd Manchester Regt.
E/Lieut. S. S. Cockhill, 10th W. Yorks.
E/Lieut. H. J. Helms, 1st W. Yorks.

E/Lieut. J. A. H. H., 10th W. Yorks.
E/Lieut. J. H. H., 1st W. Yorks.
E/Lieut. H. H. H., 1st W. Yorks.
E/Lieut. A. H. H., 1st W. Yorks.
E/Lieut. H. H. H., 1st W. Yorks.

Lieut. G. H. H., 1st W. Yorks.
Lieut. H. H. H., 1st W. Yorks.
Lieut. J. H. H., 1st W. Yorks.
Lieut. H. H. H., 1st W. Yorks.
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Extract from Casualty List No. K. 19763.

P.D.H.S. London District, 4th July, 1916.

Received in London 3rd July, 1916. Ex A.S. "Jan Breydel"
at their disposal:-

Well. G.S.V. Face.
Asthma.
Leg.
Back.

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W. B. BAKER

Ensign, U.S. Navy, 2nd Regt. U.S. Marines, 1st Marine Division, 2nd Marine Expeditionary Force, Guadalcanal, 1942-43.
Lieut. J.G. Williams, 2nd Regt. U.S. Marines, 1st Marine Division, Guadalcanal, 1942-43.
Capt. H.C. Smith, 16th U.S. Infantry, Guadalcanal, 1942-43.

Capt. W.A. Wheeler, 1st U.S. Marine Division, Guadalcanal, 1942-43.
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Extract

4/7/16

Cap

Royal Free Hospital, Grey
with both arms, right leg and left

C.R. *Capt J. Ledingham*

...nt of Cablegram received from London, dated

...tain Ledingham. ✓

...s on Road London, Gansh...

...woman ... serious,

C.R. 0-19
35 Military Road
July 4th 1916

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Dear Sir Walter Davidson.

I gratefully acknowledge your letter containing the news that my nephew Captain Ledingham had been wounded, and am thankful that the wounds are not serious.

I wish to thank you and Lady Davidson for your kind regards.

Sincerely,
A. J. Davidson

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to you and
our kind sympathy
very yours
Wm. H. [unclear]

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35 Military Road

July 4th 1916

Hon J. R. Bennett

Dear Sir

I beg to acknowledge
your letter containing the report that
my nephew Captain James A. Ledingham
has been wounded.

With very many thanks for your
kindness.

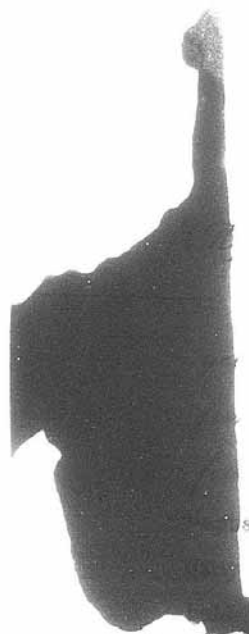
I remain yours sincerely
Agnes H. Ledingham

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July 4, 1916.

Dear Madam,

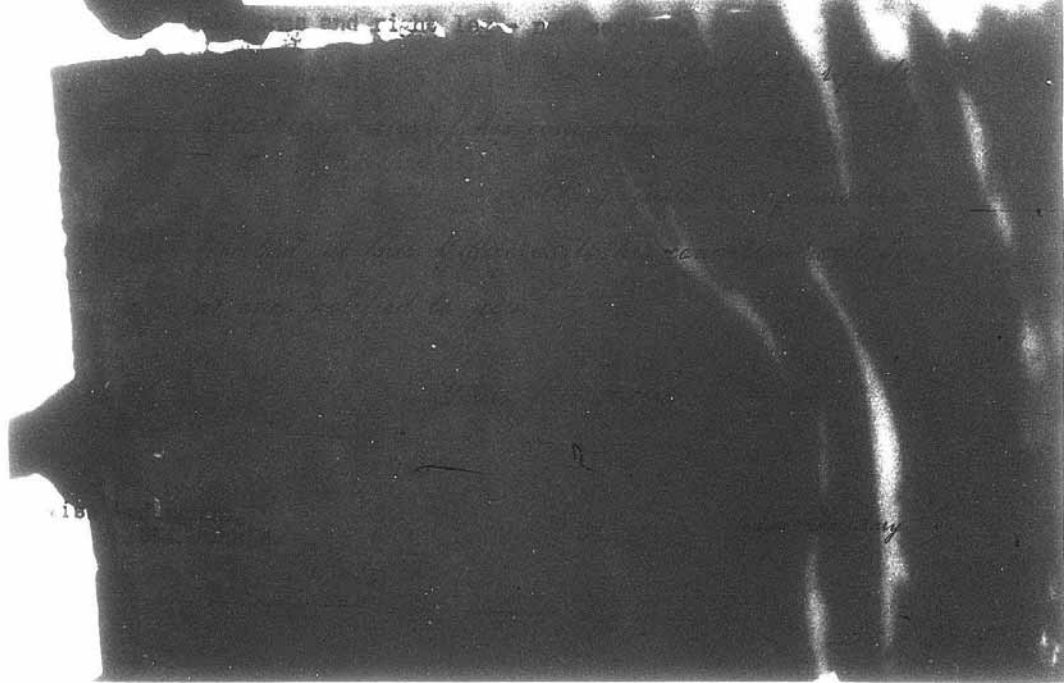
I regret to have to inform
you that a report has this day been received
from the Record Office of the First New-
foundland Regiment, London, to the effect that
Lieutenant James A. Ledingham, is at the Royal Free Hospital,
5, Great Portland Street, London, suffering from gunshot wounds in



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Extract from War Office List No. 19766.

Admitted O.C. 7 Stationary Hospital Boulogne dated 4th, July 1916.

Captain J. A. Ledingham

G.S.W. BOTH ARMS AND THIGH SATISFACTORY.

C.R. 0-19

T R A N S F E R.

Extract of Regimental Order dated April 11, 1916.

By Lieut.Col.Sir. W.E.Davidson, K.C.M.G., Officer Comdg.

The following Officer is transferred from 2nd to 1st
Battalion as from 11, 1916.

CAPTAIN J. A. LEDINGHAM. ✓

PROMOTION.

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

#1 LIEUT. J. LEDINGHAM,
TO BE CAPTAIN.

THE ABOVE COMMISSION TO DATE FROM J ULY 28, 1915

C.R. 0-19

APPOINTMENTS

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

J.A.LEDINGHAM, ESQ.,

TO BE LIEUTENANT.

THE ABOVE COMMISSION TO DATE FROM SEPT 24, 1914. C

C. 2-19

Extract of telegram from Military St. John's to Synoptical
London dated May 20th 1914

Inform if grave of Capt. Bedingham has been registered yet.

C.R. 0-19

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Newfoundland
Regt. G.H. Qrs. 3rd. Echelon April 15th, 1916.

Capt. J. Ledingham.

Disembarked ex H.T. "Kingstonian" at Marseilles 3-4-16.

Code of Ethics

As a member of the [unclear] I agree to abide by the following Code of Ethics:

1. I will not engage in any activity that could conflict with my professional duties.

2. I will not accept any gifts or favors that could be perceived as an attempt to influence my professional judgment.

3. I will not disclose confidential information to anyone outside of my organization.

4. I will not engage in any activity that could bring the profession into disrepute.

5. I will not engage in any activity that could be perceived as a conflict of interest.

6. I will not engage in any activity that could be perceived as a violation of the public trust.

7. I will not engage in any activity that could be perceived as a violation of the law.

8. I will not engage in any activity that could be perceived as a violation of the code of ethics.

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of the Militia,

The Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

NO STAMP REQUIRED

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

Fold Here

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SEP 9 1921 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**

is/are forwarded herewith to

Mrs. Ledingham (Mother)

E. V. Ledingham (Sister)

in respect of his service as No. _____ Rank Capt.

Name Jas. A. Ledingham Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received 15th September 1921

Two Medals & Ribbons

Signature Elizabeth V. Ledingham

Date _____

Address 35 Military Road St John's

[P.T.O.]

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

D359/442/R.&G. **C.R.** 0-19

Chief Staff Officer (London)

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

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

HB/JC 4th July, 1919

SUBJECT:

**CAPT. J. A. LEDINGHAM,
KILLED IN ACTION 9/10/17.**

Reference Noe.

REPLY

Dated August 2nd, 1919 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

Following exchange of telegrams confirmed, please.

"To- Synoptical- 21/5/19 (200) informed of result of enquires.
"Please inform whether-
"grave- Capt- Ledingham- has
"been registered-
" (Sgd) Military-"

"To- Military- 28/5/19- 244-
"Ref. your telegram 21st May-
"Capt.- Ledingham- registra-
"tion of grave- not received-
" (Sgd) Synoptical-"

Also letter from the D.G.G.R.&E., in reply to this Office enquiry, is quoted for your information:

"In reply to your 8182/44/R&G dated 30th May 1919, I regret to say that the grave of the above officer is still unlocated and so far all enquiries have proved unsuccessful.

" In the final clearing up of the battlefields, it is expected that the identity of unknown graves will in a great number of cases be established, and in addition many graves will be found which to date have not been reported and registered by my officers."

It is regretted that a more satisfactory reply cannot be sent to you, please.

J. A. M. M. M.
Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Noted, and enquirer

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 0-19

W. S. Rendell Lieut.-Col.

Department of Militia

Dear Sir-

Please accept my thanks
for the Memorial Scroll, and also
the message from His Majesty the
King, which you recently sent me.

Sincerely yours

Agnes M. Ledingham

35 Military Road

Any further letter on this subject should be addressed to—

The Director of
Graves Registration and Enquiries,
War Office,
Winchester House,
St. James's Square,
London, S.W. 1.

and the number below quoted:
C.C.M./I/422.

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Form H.

The Officer Commanding,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
British Armies in France.



I have received an enquiry for the location of the
grave of Captain J.A. Ledingham, of your
Regiment,
who is stated to have been killed 9th October 1917.

The grave has not been registered in this office,
and I shall be much obliged if you can give me any
information (if possible, a map reference) which might
assist in locating it, or failing this a map reference of
the place where he was last seen.

In the event of your ~~Battalion~~ ^{Regiment,} not having buried
him, it will assist if you can say by what Unit you
were relieved, or by what Unit the burial may have
been effected.

W. S. Jones
Captain,

Staff Captain for Brig.-General,
Director of Graves Registration and Enquiries.

C.R. 0-19

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Nfld.

Regt. Station 3rd Echelon, B.E.F? 30/12/16.

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Extract from telegram received from Synoptical, London
May 28/19.

Reference your telegram May 21st Captain Ledingham
registration of grave not received.

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FIELD SERVICE.

REPORT of Death of an Officer 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. Squadron, }
or } Troop, Battery }
CORPS } or Company }

Rank Captain.

Name LEDINGHAM. J.A.

DIED { By whom reported O.C. Unit.
Date of Death 9/10/17.
Place or Hospital In the Field. France or Belgium
Cause of Death Killed in Action.
Place of Burial Not to hand.

State whether he leaves a will or not. } Not received.

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, 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 Officer of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base.

J. Kearney

End. Lt. for Office i/o No. 1 Infantry Section.

Station and Date G.H.Q. 3rd. Echelon. B.E.F. 15/10/17.