



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1357

Name in full William Robert Koffall Age 19

Address Broad Cove B.D.O.

Married  Single  Height 5ft 7 Weight 117

Color Light Hair Light Brown Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks Scars on Right Hand

Nearest relative Father (Reuben)

Address Broad Cove B.D.O.

Dependents none

Occupation Fisherman Present Wage \$150.00/week

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment April 1/15

I, William Robert Koffall, do sincerely  
promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, and that I  
will faithfully serve His Majesty in any place where I may be needed (or in the Co<sup>y</sup> of  
Newfoundland, as the case may be), against all His enemies and opposers whatever,  
according to the condition of my service.

Wm Robert Koffall  
hro  
mark

Declared before me this 1st day  
of April 1915

Witness:  
Ed Bellman

**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT**

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

Reg-

Name **William Robert Nofall**

Apparent age **19** years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height **5** feet **7** inches.

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

Distinctive marks **Color: Light, Hair: Light Brown, Eyes: Blue.**

**Other distinguishing marks: Scar on right hand.**

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin **Reuben Nofall, Broad Cove, Bay de Verde, Wfld.**

Relationship **Father.**

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d) Verified from certificate.
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Particulars as to Children.

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

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension	Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay	Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years   days	years   days	
				Service towards limited engagement reckons from <b>Ap. 1/15</b>			
				Joined at <b>St. John's</b> on <b>Ap. 1/15</b>			
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..							
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days							
" " " Pension " _____ ( " ) _____ " "							





Loftall, W<sup>d</sup>

1357

Ray Sept



June 29, 1919

#1357 Pte. William H. Mottall,

Broad Cove, B. De. V.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed Discharge  
Certificate No. 2513.

Yours truly

Captain,  
Paymaster & O.i/c Records.



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization: —

*6*

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

*13.6.19*

Regimental No *1354*

Name *Maxwell* *Wm* Rank

Address *Broadway B-12 Y.*

Present Medical Category

*4i*

Recommended for:—

(a) Immediate discharge

(b) ~~Standard Medical Board~~

Members of Board

*Richard Capt*  
O.C. Discharge Depot.

*Watson*  
Senior Medical Officer

*See Burden*  
M. O. Depot.



The Royal Nfld. Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION

No. 1357 Rank

Name Hoffall W

Warned for demobilization on

JUN 14 19



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 1357 Rank Pte Name Hofstall Wm  
 Intended place of residence Broad Cove  
 2. Occupation Fisherman  
 Classification of soldier B Medical Category AI  
 3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of DEMOBILIZATION

### Eligible for War Service Gratuity

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.  
 Place ST. JOHN'S  
 Date JUN 14 1919 *Jr* Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

### CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment *and* of all financial responsibility in my connection.  
 Place and date ST. JOHN'S  
JUN 14 1919  
 Signature of soldier *Wm Hofstall*  
 Signature of witness *W. J. Galley*

### CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

6. I hereby certify that I am in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.  
 Place and Date ST. JOHN'S  
JUN 14 1919  
 Signature of soldier *Wm Hofstall*  
 Signature of witness *W. J. Galley*

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 14-15 No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 15-6-19 PLUS 14 DAYS Service 1551

### APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer i/c Records, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.  
 Place ST. JOHN'S *R. H. Lait Major*  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
 Date JUN 15 1919

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.  
 Place St. John's Hdq *W. J. Galley Capt*  
 Officer i/c Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
 Date June 29/1919

*A.S. B 2079/2513*



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 1557 Rank Pls Name W. J. Hoftall  
 Date of Enlistment 1-4-15 Address Broadview District BDD  
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge 1/5 Medical Category A1  
 Recommendation S. M. B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. 136	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1	3
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st.	" 2	
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3	
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4	
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5	
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6	
B 179c	B 120	M 93			

Date 14-6-19 O. C. Discharge Depot. *[Signature]*

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am \_\_\_\_\_ in a position to resume civilian occupation.

*W. J. Hoftall*  
*W. J. Hoftall*  
*W. J. Hoftall*

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable #60
- (b) ~~Clothing Supplied~~

*[Signature]*

Date 14-6-19

O i/c. Re-clothing



**3. Transportation and Release Certificate.**

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrants No. 1783 to his home at Broad Cove and Release Certificate No. 2788 issued.

Date 14-6-19 *J.A. Knowlton*  
Demobilization Officer

**4. Pay and Allowances.**

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 19-6-19

Date 14-6-19 *H.M. [unclear]*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharged approved for 15-6-19  
Forwarded with following documents to O.C. Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1	1 2 Form B
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3	
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4	
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5	
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6	
B179c	B 120	M 93			

Date 14-6-19 *J.A. Knowlton*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

**APPROVED.**

Documents as above forwarded to:—  
Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**Eligible for War Service Gratuity**

Date JUN 15 1919 *R.H. [unclear]*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Received the above noted documents from O. C. Discharge Depot.

Date .....



## Civil Re-establishment Committee



I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have had an interview with the Vocational Officer of the Civil Re-establishment Committee or other recognized vocational agent of the Committee who has explained to me the provisions made by the Committee for the industrial re-training of disabled or partially disabled sailors and soldiers as well as the readiness of the Committee to assist any returned sailors and soldiers (whether disabled or not) to find employment. My decision is as follows:

To resume former Occupation.

*Noptall W.*

Signature of Man.

Reg. No. 1357.

*J. H. Knowlton*

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

*M. Johns*

Date

*14-6-78*

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## Descriptive Return of a Soldier Discharged on Account of Disability.

**INSTRUCTIONS**—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Pensions and Disabilities Board.

This section should be completed in the Hospital at which a man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, or, if the man is not in Hospital, by the Medical Officer of the Unit or Command Depot. The Soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification depends on his confirming this declaration. The "Rank," "Station" and "Date" should be in his own handwriting.

The form will then be attached to the Proceedings of the man's Medical Board and will be forwarded to the O. i/c Records together with the remainder of the man's documents.

Changes occurring in the description subsequent to the date of admission to pension should be noted in red ink.

Name in full *William Hoftall*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *1357*

Intended address *Broad Cove, Bay de Verde*

Height on discharge *5 Feet 8*

Color of hair on discharge *Light*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Blue*

Descriptive Marks *Left arm, Head, Left Shoulder*

Figure on discharge *medium*

Christian name of Father *Reuben*

Christian name of Mother \_\_\_\_\_

Wife's maiden name in full \_\_\_\_\_

Date and place of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

Christian names of children \_\_\_\_\_

Place and date of soldier's birth *Broad Cove, Aug 14<sup>th</sup>, 1896*

Nature and locality of civil employment required \_\_\_\_\_

I declare that I am the soldier referred to above and that all the particulars contained in the above statement are, to the best of my knowledge, correct

(Soldier's signature in full)

*W Hoftall*  
Station **ST. JOHN'S.**

Date *13-6-19*

*Pt*  
(Rank)

I certify that the above named soldier signed the foregoing declaration in my presence, and that the above description and details are, to the best of my knowledge correct.

Station

Date







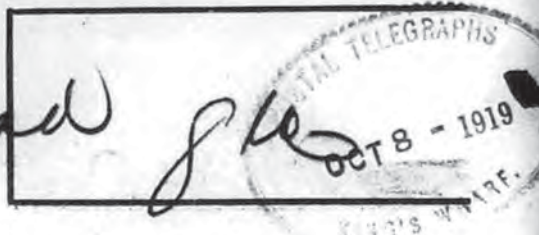
# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 2 Sent by Rec'd by \_\_\_\_\_ Check 9/10

Place from Broad Cove

To via Blackhead Sts  
Milbidge



Please forward  
my gratuity money  
and oblige exp. value

#1357 William R Knott

June 29  
July  
~~Aug~~  
Sep

Ch mailed Oct 10



# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 33 Sent by \_\_\_\_\_ Rec'd by \_\_\_\_\_ Check 13pd No. \_\_\_\_\_

Place from Broad Cove

To via Blackhead  
Dept of militia



*please forward my gratuity  
money for september and  
oblige reply immediately Ex  
Private -*

*William R. Hoftle*

*7118 BC Oct 10/19*



June 29, 1919

#1357 Pte. William Hoftall,  
Broad Cove,  
Bay de Verde.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your application I  
enclose cheque for Seventy dollars (\$70.00),  
being amount of first payment due you on  
account of the "War Service Gratuity."

Yours truly

Captain,  
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.



21330

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

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

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

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

Christian name *William* 2. Surname *Woffall*

3. Rank *Pvt* 4. Regtl. No. *1357*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded. *Broad Cove, St. John's, N. F.*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *Apr. 1/15*

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.

8. Relationship of such dependents.

9. Address in full of such dependents.

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates and particulars of such service. *Overseas*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas. *From Apr. 1/15 to*

*June 14/19* 13.



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

*No*

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

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge? *No*

16. Have you, during the present war, served in the Imperial Forces. *No*

17. Are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity in the nature of Post Discharge Pay from the Imperial Forces? If so, state amount received, or to which you are entitled. *No*

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England? *No*

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

19. Are you now serving in the Rest? *No* If not give - (a) date of discharge *June 14/19* Reason for discharge *Re-employment*

*Re-employment* *Re-employment*

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

*France - from March 16/16*  
*See 8/17 when you taken prisoner*  
*and moved to Germany*

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com. (b) If so are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee. *No*

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

19. Are you now serving in the Rest? *No* If not give - (a) date of discharge *June 14/19* Reason for discharge *Re-employment*



Signature of Applicant:

*Wm*  
*William Moffatt*

Place of Residence:

*Broad Cove, B. B.*

Declared before me at:

*St. John's, Nfld.*

This

*14th*

day of

*June*

19.. *1911*

*John M. Carthy*

Signature of Berrister of the  
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-  
trate, Notary Public, Justice of the  
Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits.

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid *will* *paid*  
Soldier. Dependent.

War Service  
Classify.

Net amount  
due

..... *6.00* ..... *4.25 00* .....

.....

.....  
Certified correct. Paymaster



*General Hospital*

*3-7-16*

*2168*

Army Form W. 3016.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date *July 13* 191*6*

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

*58 Victoria St SW.*

(Station).



(2) The Officer Commanding,

*Newfoundland Contgt  
Camp*

(Station).

(3) The Paymaster,

*58 Victoria St SW.*

(Station).

Regimental No. *1357*

Rank and Name *Pte Nofall W.*

Regiment or Corps *1/1st Newfoundland*

has been granted a furlough from *13 July* to *22 July*

His address while on leave will be :-

*58 Victoria St SW.  
This man has been furnished with a warrant to  
Victoria & given an advance of £1 (one pound)*

I consider he is fit for \*  Duty  ~~Light Duty~~

*Sga*  
Officer in charge *Capt RANCT*  
*3 London Gen Hospital*  
*Warminster* (Station).

\* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the Office.







✓  
Oct 29 Cleague M to Broad Cove  
Nov 29 " " " " " " " "

Broad Cove  
Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1919

7831

No 1357

Ex pte Wm R Noftall

paymaster + officer.  
+ Records.

Dear Sir,

haven't received  
October's gratuity money  
were talking to the  
fellows in the office  
a few days ago. &  
They advised me to  
write to you to find  
out about it,

received all other payments  
please send a reply

yours truly  
Ex pte Wm R Noftall



NEWFOUNDLAND,  
ST. JOHN'S,  
To Wit:

I, William R. Noftall, of Broad Cove Bay de Verde, make oath and say as follows:-

1. I was formerly a member of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment and my Regimental number was 1357.
2. My gratuity money for October, 1919, amounting to \$70.00 has not been received by me. I am informed that the amount was posted to me from the Department but the same has not been delivered to me.
3. I have made diligent enquiry concerning the said amount but have been unable to locate or obtain same.

SWORN at St. John's this  
10th. day of January, 1920,  
before me,

*W. Noftall*

*Chas. B. Hunt*

Notary Public.

*P.M.*  
Please issue duplicate  
on strength of this affidavit  
10/1/20  
*W.F.H.*











































ST. JOHN'S, June 16<sup>th</sup> /19

# Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To M<sup>rs</sup> L. Rodgers  
Barter Hill

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from June 1<sup>st</sup> /19 to June 16<sup>th</sup> /19

1357 Wm. H. Hall 15 50

ACCOUNT	<u>23773</u>
GR NO	<u>10000</u>
INB	<u>10000</u>
PAY LEDGER	<u>10000</u>
GEN LEDGER	<u>10000</u>

Certified correct for \$ 15 50

R.J

Wm. H. Hall

Billeting Officer

Mrs L. Rodgers  
inward with ev



Reg. No. 1357 Rank Pte Name Hoftal, W<sup>m</sup>

Attested ..... Address Broad Cove

Allotment ..... Allottee .....

Date of Allotment ..... Returned from Overseas 29-5-19

Returned on S.S. Corsican Cause Discharge

14.6.19.

PASS TO DEMOBILIZATION ..... SER

15.6.19.

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION.....



J. Hoftall.

C.R.

1357.

P.H.O.



No. 1357 Rank Pvt Name Wftal W.R

Pay	F.A.	Wkg	Total
1.00	10		1.10
Less Allotment			.40
Net Rate:			.70

M.P. 33.

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d
						From	To					
Balance					Balance		8/6/17					38 7 9 ✓
Acquittance Rolls		4	4	4	Pay @ Net Rate	9/6/17	24/9/17	108	70	75	60	15 10 8 ✓
Hospital Advances					Ration allowance.							17 6 ✓
A.B. 34					10 days @ 1/9.							
P. & R.O. Payments					C.B.	25/1/17	31/1/17	9	70			1 5 11 ✓
for future of pay iduy.					B. out of 50 7 6							
(a/s 64) 95 pps		3	9	8								
B cheque		25	0	0								
Cheque	29-9-17	20	0	0	52 - 11 - 1							
Cash	8-10-17	3	3	9								

CHECKED.  
24/9/17



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3rd October, 7.

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

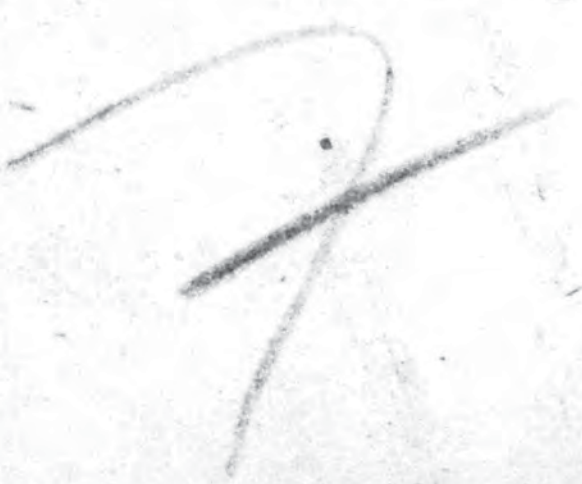
R. T. O.,  
Victoria Station, S. W. 1.

No. 1357, Pte. W. Noftall, 1/1st

Newfoundland Regt. is on short leave from  
France, which expires 4/10/17. He states  
he has lost his pass.

2/Lieut.

For Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.





1357

WAR OFFICE,  
Alexandra House,  
Kingsway, W.C.2.

Extract from letter or postcard from prisoner of war sent  
by postal censor.

Regimental description  
of writer:-

*Noftall William, Pte. Newfoundland.*

Date:-

*8.12.17*

Camp:-

*Regd. Limburg*

Remarks:-

*Prisoner wounded.*

Addressed to:-

*Mr. Ruben Noftall Broad Cove, Conception Bay,  
Newfoundland.*



*5/11*

1917.8



I have received, parcel No. 1 dated 19/3/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANV. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[scribble]</i>	7															
QUANTITY	1	1						1	1	1	1	1	1	1		

My present address is:

<sup>157</sup>No. 1359 ~~St. E. W. Nofall.~~  
 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.  
 Befanger Lager  
 altdan

Date. April 4/18

St. W. Nofall *Commer*  
 bein (Signature)



I have received parcel No. *2* dated *19/2/18* containing:—

ARTICLE.	QUANTITY.
BOOTS, Pairs.	—
BRACES, Pairs.	—
CAP.	—
CARDIGAN.	—
DRAWERS, Pairs	1
GLOVES, Pairs.	1
GREATCOAT.	1
HANDKERCH'FS.	1
JACKET.	—
KIT-BAG.	—
SHIRTS.	1
SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	1
SOCKS, Pairs.	1
TOWELS.	1
TROUSERS, Pairs	—
VESTS.	1

My present address is:

*157*  
No. *1357* *Pl. E. W. Hoffall.*  
*Camp 36164*  
*Heinrichs Lager. Altderm. For*  
*Germany*  
Date *April 10. 1918.*

Signature.



I have received parcel No. 3 dated 19/2/18 containing:—

ARTICLE.	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANYAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>				/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/

My present address is:

~~157~~  
No. 1357

~~P. E. W. Notball.~~

1st Newfoundland Regt.

Befangens Lager  
Altdam

Pommern Germany

Date

Apr 4/18

P. E. W. Notball Signature



I have received parcel No. 4 dated 23/2/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>			1													

My present address is:

<sup>157</sup>No. 1357

*Dr W. U. Hall.*

*120 Newfoundlands Regt  
Seaford Lodge  
all obtain  
see W. U. Hall*

Date

*April 24/18*

Signature.



I have received parcel No. 1 dated 6/6/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY
BOOTS, Pair.	1	BRACES, Pair.	—	CAP.	—	CARDIGAN.	1	DRAWERS, Pairs.	1	GLOVES, Pair.	1	GREATCOAT.	—	HANDKERCHIEFS.	1
										JACKET.	—	KIT-BAG.	—	SHIRTS.	1
										SHOES, CANVAS, Pair.	—	SOCKS, Pairs.	1	TOWELS.	1
										TROUSERS, Pair.	—	VESTS.	1		—

My present address is:

157 No. 1357 Rte. W. Noftall

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,

Gefangen Lager

Altam Bonnen Germany

Date July 17/18

W. Noftall

Signature.



I have received parcel No. 2 dated 6/6/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	QUANTITY
BOOTS, Pair.	
BRACES, Pair.	
CAP.	
CARDIGAN.	
DRAWERS, Pairs.	1
GLOVES, Pair.	
GREATCOAT.	
HANDKERCHIEFS.	1
JACKET.	
KIT-BAG.	
SHIRTS.	1
SHOES, CANVAS, Pair.	
SOCKS, Pairs.	1
TOWELS.	1
TROUSERS, Pair.	
VESTS.	1

1/2 Cap Badge  
1/2 Shoulder Badge

My present address is:

157 No. 1357 PO W Noftall

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,

Gefangen Lager

alldam Pommern Germany

Date July 17/18

PO W Noftall

Signature.



I have received parcel No. 3 dated 6/6/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY
BOOTS, Pair.		BRACES, Pair.		CAP.	1	CARDIGAN.		DRAWERS, Pairs.		GLOVES, Pair.		GREATCOAT.		HANDKERCHIEFS.	
								JACKET.	1	KIT-BAG.		SHIRTS.		SHOES, CANVAS, Pair.	1
												SOCKS, Pairs.	1	TOWELS.	
														TROUSERS, Pair.	1
														VESTS.	

My present address is:

157 No. 1357 W. Moffatt

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,

Esplanade Lager

Aldam, Pommern, Germany.

Date

July 14/18

W. Moffatt

Signature.



Plk W nofall 1357

L.I.

1st Royal Newfoundland Regt  
Sefunges Lager

Aldam.

Pommern

Germany

1914-36164

5 6. 1914

Freigelegungen Len

Postkarte



Pay and Record Office  
1st Royal Newfoundland Regt.

58 Victoria Street

London  
England



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
PAY & RECOGNITION OFFICE.

2/4/18

Dear Sir. 6359

Rec'd 15 JUL 1918

Will you please forward  
Ack'd 12050/2

in to me; £ also a razor outfit  
as the one I received is broken. I

haven't received any letters from home  
Comd

if there is any in the office for  
me

please forward them on as soon  
as possible. The boot you sent me

is a size too small. Hoping  
you will do this for me

I remain  
yours truly

Pt W. Keftall



From: 1357 Pte. W. Noftall, Kriegsgefangenenlager, Altdamm, No. 36164, Germany  
To: N.W.C.A.

Dec. 30 1918 8-2-18

Change  
address

I beg to inform you that I am a prisoner of war. I was captured on the 3rd Dec. Slightly wounded in the head, back and right hand, but am glad to say I am nearly alright again now. Will you please send me as soon as you can the following articles which I badly need:

- Suit of clothes - underclothing
- Boots - size 8

WHP/93 sent 14-2-18

I understand you will also send me the usual parcels of toilet necessaries and groceries &c. Thanking you in advance for your kindness.



Capt  
Marshall

Bank 2 Remittances  
of 100 each will be  
sent you for  
the Month of  
August & Sept  
But if you  
pay Three of  
the Marconi  
allowances  
have been sent  
to this man  
previously.

Two remittances will  
be sent for months  
of August & Sept  
discontinued from then  
pending further advice  
aw



Capt Marshall

For your attention  
please.

Hayes

Aug 20 2 a/c

Nothing on no 2 acct.  
JRB

JRB  
22 7/18



12050/2/P.W.

Newfoundland Contingent,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1,  
England,

29th July, 1918.

1357 Private W. Noftall,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
No. 36164,  
Gefangenenlager,  
Altdamm, Pommern, Germany.

With reference to your communication to the Association (dated 2/6/18): ten shillings per month being the maximum amount permitted to be sent to you, the sum of £1:0:0 which you have requested will be forwarded to your address in two installments on 10/- each, the first to be sent on 1/8/17 and the second on 1/9/17.

Your letters are being forwarded to you as they are being received.

The size of your boots is being noted for future guidance.

GB/JC

Please advise this Office of any change of your address, which is at present understood to be as now indicated.



(Sgd) 2864 PTE.

From: 1357 Pte. W. Noftall, R. Nfld Regt.,  
Gef. Lag., Altdamm, Pommern, Germany.

✓ 2/6/18  
(6359)

Dear Sir:

Will you please forward on to me £1 also a razor outfit as the one I received is broken. I havent received any letters from home yet. If there is any in the Office for me please forward them on as soon as possible. The boots you sent me were a size too small. Hoping you will do this for me, I remain,

Yours truly,

(Sgd) PTE. W. NOFTALL.

*W. Noftall*  
22/78



Admitted to Hospital  
13.7.16

Army Form W. 3016.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date July 13<sup>th</sup> 1916

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria St-  
S.W

(Station.)



(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Contingent  
Dep.

(Station.)

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria St-  
S.W.

(Station.)

Regimental No. 1357.

Rank and Name Pte Hopall W.

Regiment or Corps 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Contingent

has been granted a furlough from July 13<sup>th</sup> to July 22<sup>nd</sup>

His address while on leave will be:—

58 Victoria St S.W

This man has been furnished with a warrant to  
Victoria and given an advance of £1 (one pound)

I consider he is fit for \*  Duty.  
 ~~Inactivity.~~

Officer in charge L. A. C. C. C. Hospital.

Cap. (Station.)

\* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office.

(1140) Wt. 3254/1876. 10,000 books. H.C.&L., Ltd. 615.

Assistant-Registrar, R.A.M.C.P.  
3rd London General Hospital,  
WANDSWORTH, S.W.







Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Nfld Regt,  
London.

The attached is passed to you as this man has not been taken  
on the strength of this Battalion.

Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester.  
31-12-18.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE,	
Ref Nos 101.	
27 - JAN 1919	
Ref Nos 101	
BY <i>[Signature]</i>	
R. & Q	COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
B & F	
P.S.	

LIEUT. COLONEL.

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.



This man was admitted to Hospital  
from Hazely Park 19-12-18  
and in spite of the A.C. 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn denial  
he was attached to depot 16-12-18  
authority P.O. 16-12-18, and therefore  
reports to depot upon discharge for work

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# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Cables and Telegrams:  
"SYNOPTICAL," LONDON.

Telephone:  
VICTORIA 147.

Communications to be addressed to the  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER i/c RECORDS,  
and the following No. quoted:

PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,

58, Victoria Street,

LONDON, S.W. 1

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Registration Officer,

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Sir:

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLES ACT, 1918.  
ABSENT VOTERS LIST.

Kindly refer to notifications of 28/9/18 and 30/9/18, issued by the Local Government Board, indicating that this Office, among others, should not receive Absent Voters Lists.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

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



PC 2/18

Please refer your daily orders  
17.12.18. which state  
1357th Noftall W. taken on  
strength and posted to H. Coy  
from 16.12.18.

~~State~~ N 1098 has been  
forwarded to hospital  
by this office



16-12-18

Forms  
C 345  
1660

MEMORANDUM.

From O.C.  
5th. London general Hosp.  
Lambeth, S.E.1.

To OC  
Newfoundland Regt  
Hazely Camp  
~~Army~~

Shawford

From O.C.  
2/Bn R. Nfld. Regt.

To Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
London.

ANSWER.

Hazely Down Camp,

20-12-1918

31/12/18. 191

W.P. 1357  
Plc W Hoftall

was admitted to this Hospital  
on the 19<sup>th</sup> inst.

(Influenza)

Reply with instructions as to  
where he should report on  
discharge and forward Medical  
History Sheet, please.

The attached is passed  
to you as this man has not been  
taken on the strength of this  
Battalion.

(sd) C. Karn, Adjutant,  
for Lt.Col.  
Com. 2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.

9,  
1/1/19

E. Sullivan Major for Col.  
Comdg. 5th. London General Hosp.





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Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Winchester.

Pay & Record Office,  
3/1/19.

Please refer your Daily  
Orders 17/12/18, which state:  
"1357 Noftall, W. taken on  
strength and posted to "H" Co.  
from 16/12/18".

A.F.B. 178 has been for-  
warded to Hospital by this  
Office.

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

HB/S



From, O. C.  
5th London Gen. Hospital,  
Lambeth.

To, O. C.  
Newfoundland Regt.  
Hazel Down Camp,

O.C.  
2/Bn R. Nfld. Regt.

Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
London.

20/12/18-

Hazel Down Camp,

31/12/18.

No. 557, Pte. W. Noftall,  
was admitted to this Hospital  
on the 19th inst. (Influenza).  
Reply with instructions as to  
where he should report on dis-  
charge and forward Medical  
History Sheet, please.

The attached is passed  
to you as this man has not been  
taken on the strength of this  
Battalion.

(sd) Major for Comd.  
Comdg. 5th London General Hospital.

(sd) C. Karn, Adjutant,  
for Lt.Col.  
Com. 2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.

9,  
1/1/19



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Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Winchester.

Pay & Record Office,  
3/1/19.

Please refer your Daily  
Orders 17/12/18, which state:  
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strength and posted to "H" Co.  
from 16/12/18".

A.F.B. 178 has been for-  
warded to Hospital by this  
Office.

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

HB/S



Regimental Number 1357

Company \_\_\_\_\_

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 William <sup>no</sup> D. O'Fall  
mark

Witness J. H. Dingham Capt.

Dated at Newton On Oxp.

3<sup>rd</sup> Febry 1916.



No. 1357

Kriegsgefangenen Post

**Postkarte**

Pte W. Wallace  
12. 3. 1918

Newfoundland Regt.  
Spiesangenenlager  
act. 1. 1. 1918  
Paderborn  
Germany

P. of War No. 36164

*[Large handwritten scribble]*

NEWFOUNDLAND CONT. CONT.		Zum Aufleben	
PAY 100		4106	
R. 100		MAY 1918	
Lager		7703	
Royal Newfoundland Regt.		Victoria St	
BRANCH		London S.W.1.	
R. & C.		C.154	
B. & E.		(10.16)	
P. S.		England	





10.3.18

Dear Sir -

Will you please  
forward to me the  
following, viz:-

One set of Nfld Buttons  
(Stag's Head),

Two sets Shoulder Titles,

Three Cap Badges.

With thanks in anticip-  
ation.

I am, Sir,

Yours Obediently,

W. Noftall



7703/1/P.W.

Newfoundland Contingent,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1,  
England,

16th May, 1918.

1357, Private W. Noftall,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
36164, Kriegsgefangenenlager,  
Altdamm, Pommern,  
Germany.

With reference to your postcard of 10/3/18 (4106):  
badges will be sent to you with next issue of clothing, which  
is to be forwarded in the course of a few days.

Please advise this Office of any change of your address,  
which is at present understood to be as now indicated.

GB/JC



F33

Corps.	Unit.	Rank.	Reg. No.	Surname.	Christian Names.
Newfoundland	1.	Pte	1357.	NOFTAFF.	William

Date of Capture.	Place Captured.	Last Place of Internment.	Born in the year	Term of Service.	Date of Enlistment.	Married or Single.
3. 12. 17.	Cambrai	Aldamm	1896	N.A.	- 3. 15	Single

Medical Category.	Address.	Date of Arrival at the Camp.	Date of Departure from the Camp.	Industrial Group.	Trade or Occupation.
A	Co. Newfld Records Office 34 Victoria St London	14. 12. 18	16 DEC 1918		Fisherman

For Repatriation Overseas after the War.
Yes

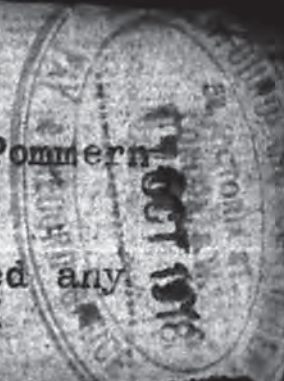


No. 116

From: No. 1357 Pte. F. Northall, Gefangenenlager, Altdamm, Pommern  
Germyn.

22/7/18

Just a few lines to let you know I have not received any  
grocery parcels for two months now but am glad to say I  
received my second clothing parcels.





No. 1357 Rank Pte Name W. R. Nofall

Pay	F.A. Wkg	Total	Jeth
100	10	110	
Less Allotment		40	
Net Rate		70	

DEBITS	Date	£	s	d	CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d	
						From	To						
Balance					Balance		21 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>17</sub>				8	12	2 ✓
Acquittance Rolls					Pay @ Net Rate	22 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>17</sub>	16 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>18</sub>	362	70	253	40	52	1 4 ✓
Hospital Advances												60	13 6 ✓
A.B. 64.					<del>Pay</del>	17 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>18</sub>	8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>9</sub>	23	70	16	70	3	6 2 ✓
P.&.R.O. Payments		1	0	0 ✓	<del>£ 3 8</del>								
Ref W Payment Ripon		2	10	0 ✓									
		3	10	0 ✓									
<del>Cash 17<sup>12</sup>/<sub>18</sub></del>					Cr Bal.								
Cheque 11204	18 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>18</sub>	30	0	0	<del>£ 3 9 8</del>								
Cash R. 217	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>19</sub>	27	0	0									
Cash 375	8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>19</sub>	39	8										

Jeth  
18-12-18

£63-19-8

£63-19-8



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

1357

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 1357 Rank Pvt Name Woffall Wm  
 Date of Enlistment 1-4-15 Address Broadway District Btd  
 Occupation Ironman Classification for Discharge E Medical Category A1  
 Recommendation S. M. B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P 36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 14-6-19 Jr H. W. H.  
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment

I am \_\_\_\_\_ in a position to resume civilian occupation.

*Wm Woffall*  
*Mark Woffall*

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2. Clothing

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00
- (b) Clothing Supplied \_\_\_\_\_

*Chas. Condit*

Date 14-6-19

O i/c. Re-clothing



**3. Transportation and Release Certificate.**

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrants No. 31783 to his home at Broad Cove and Release Certificate No. 2788 issued.

Date 14-6-19 *J.A. Snowlett*  
Demobilization Officer

**4. Pay and Allowances.**

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 14-6-19

Date 14-6-19 *J.A. Snowlett*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 15-6-19  
Forwarded with following documents to O.C. Discharge Depot.

N.F. P 36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1	<i>1/2 Form B</i>
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3	
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4	
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5	
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6	
B179c	B 120	M 93			

Date 14-6-19 *J.A. Snowlett*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

**APPROVED.**

Documents as above forwarded to:—  
Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**Eligible for War Service Gratuity**

Date 11th 7 1919 *R.H. Sait Capt.*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Received the above noted documents from O. C. Discharge Depot.  
Date June 24/19 *J.A. Snowlett*



## NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



C.R. 1357

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

**(NOT TRANSMITTED)**

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address **Dept of Militia.**

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated Dec. 17th, 1918

To Reuben Nofstall, Broad Cove, B.D.V.

Reg ~~recom~~ to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports **No. 1357, Private William Robert Nofstall repatriated from Germany arrived in England in good health**

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

J.R. Bennett

Chge Dept of Militia.

Minister of Militia.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**



C.R. 1357

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Bfld.

Regt. St. John's, June 30th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has been  
CONFIRMED by officer -1/c Records from 29-6-19.

1357 Pte. Wm. Noftall



C.R. 1357

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Welch. Regt.  
St. John's, June 19th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted ~~NAME~~ on demobilization has  
been APPROVED by C.O. Discharge Depot with effect from 15-6-19.

1357 Pte. Wm. Noftall.



C.R. 1357

Extract from Daily Orders Part A1 Depot, St. John's,

Date June 18th 1919.

1357, Pte. W.R. Noftall.

Reported at Headquarters 1/6/19. ex "Corsican"  
which sailed Liverpool May 22/1919.



C.R. 1357

Extract from Nominal Roll of Royal Nfld. Regt. Draft No.3.  
from 2nd Bn., Depot, to 1st Bn., B.R.F. Embarked 28-3-15

1357 Pte. W.Noftall.



C.R. 1357

Extract of CASUALTIES FROM PAY & RECORD OFFICE  
LONDON DATED FEB. 24th.19

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#1357 Pte. W.R. Noftall.

Discharged from the 5th London General Hospital, S.E.  
I, on 3/1/19 to 2nd Bn., Winchester.

Auth:

Reply to phone enquiry made to Hospital by Sgt. L.Fallon.  
21/2/19.



C.R. 1357

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

1357 Pte. W. Noftall.

24-8-16.



C.R.

1357

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

1357 Pte. W. Noftall.

28-3-16.



C.R. 1357

Extract of Casualties from Pay & Record Office, London, dated  
Dec. 23/12/18.

1357 PTE. W. Neftall.

Released Prisoner of War, was admitted 5th Lond. G. Hospital,  
19/12/18, from Hazeley Down Camp, suffering from influenza.

A.F. A.27 from 5th L.G.H.



C.R. 1357

Extract of Telegram from Synoptical, to Military St. John's,  
dated Dec. 16th 1918.

~~Extract~~ Following released Prisoner of War arrived well.

1357 Noftall.



C.R. 1357

Extract of Casualties received from the Pay and Record  
Office, London, dated Dec.16th 1918.

The undermentioned released Prisoner of War arrived  
at Ripon and proceeded to Winchester 16-12-18

1357 Pte.W.Noftall

Authority:-

Telegrams from N.C.Os at Prisoner of War Reception Camps  
at Dover and Ripon.



C.R. 1357

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated March 16, 1918.

#1357 Pte. William Noftall. ✓

Place of Capture Marcoing 5/12/17 Place of Detention

Geflg Altdamm.



C.R. 1357

Extract from Casualties List No. P.M. 359 of 13-3-18.

No.	Name.	Rank.	Place of Capture and Date.	Place of Detention.
1357.	W. Noftall.	Pte.	Marcoing, 3-12-17.	Geflg. Altdamm.



C.R. 1357

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated February 8, 1918.

Prisoner of war

Change of address.

#1357 Pte. W. Noftall. ✓

Pris. of War No. 36164, Kriegsgefangenenlager, Altdamm,  
Germany. 30/12/17. Auth:- N.W.C.A.

Wounded Head, Back and Right Hand, nearly alright a gain  
now.



C.R. 1357

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated January 9, 1918.

The following information has been received from the  
War Office.

PRISONER OF WAR.

#1357 Pte. W. Noftall. ✓

wounded Camp not stated, P.C. dated 8/12/17, addressed  
to Mr. Reuben Noftall, Broad Cove, Conception Bay,  
Newfoundland.

Authy:- List from War Office as stated above.

No further particulars. (Sd) H.A.A.



C.R. 1357  
Counter No. \_\_\_\_\_

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Dept. of Militia

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

*Dated* Jan 8th, 1918.

*To* Reuben Noftall, Broad Cove, B.D.V.

Record Office, London ~~steps~~ 1357, private Wm. Noftall  
now reported prisoner of war registered at Limburg Dec 5th.

J.R. Bennett,  
Minister of Militia



C.R. 1357

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, January 7, 1918.

#1357 Pte. W. Noftall.

Previously reported "Missing" now reported "Wounded  
Prisoner in German Hands", Registered at Limburg  
6/18/17. ✓



C.R.

1357

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated January 1, 1918.

#1357 Pte. W. Noftall. ✓

Missing 3/12/17.



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Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

*Dated*                      **January 1st 1918.**

*To*                              **Mr. Reuben Noftall. Broad Cove. Bay de Verde.**

Regret to inform you that Record Office  
London, officially reports              **1357 Private William R.  
Noftall as Missing December 3rd.**

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you.

J. R. BENNETT,  
~~Colonial Secretary~~

Minister of Militia.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**



C.R.  
C.R. 1357

Extract from Daily Orders, Part 11, UNIT: The Royal  
Newfoundland Regiment, dated Dec. 31st 1917.

STRAGGLE.

1357 Pte. Noftall.

Missing Dec. 31st. 1917.



G.

10th July, 1917.

Dear Sir,

In reply to a cablegram of enquiry which I sent to the Newfoundland Pay and Record Office, London, on the 7th instant, I am to-day informed that No. 1357, Private William R. Noftall, is at present with the British Expeditionary Force.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Reuben Noftall,  
42 Barter's Hill.



COPY OF CODE TELEGRAM SENT TO SYNOPTICAL

July 6, 1917.



Give full particulars condition of 1122 Lynch.  
Relatives anxious for news of 1364 Phillips,  
1357 Noftall.

COL. SEC.



C.R. 1357

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated July 31. 1916.

#1357 Pte. W. Noftall. ✓

Wounded 1/7/16. Reported by O.C. Unit 19/7/16.



C.R. 1357

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated July 11, 1916.

#1357 Pte. W. Noftall. ✓

Gunshot wound left forearm, slight.

To England per H.S. Jan Breydel ex 14 General Hospital,

3rd July 1916.



C.R. 1357

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated July 11, 1916.

#1357 Pte. W. Noftall. ✓

Gunshot wound Forearm, severe.

Admitted 14 General Hospital, Wimereux 3rd July 1916.



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COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated

July 5, 1916.

To

Mr. Reuben Neftall,  
Bread Cove, B. de V.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,  
London, officially reports No. 1357, Private William  
R. Neftall, is at Third London General Hospital,  
Wandsworth, suffering from bullet wound left arm.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immedi-  
ately wire you and trust that the next report will  
be of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.



C.R.

1357<sup>5</sup>

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated July 5, 1916.

#1357 Pte. W. Noftall. ✓

Gunshot wound left arm.

at 3rd London, General Hospital, Wandsworth.

July 3, 1916.



C.R.

1357

Extract of Cablegram received from London,  
dated 5/7/16.

#1357 Pte. Noftall. ✓

Gunshot wound left arm.

in Wendsworth July 3rd.



C.R. 1357

Extract from Nominal Ro;; 3rd Draft to B.E.F.  
arrived 29, A.B.D. 30-3-16 joined Battalion 15-4-16.

#1357 Pte. W.Noftall.



C.R. 1357

Extract from General Roll Embarked St. John's for overseas per  
S.S. "Vigorian" June, 19. 1915.

1357 Pte. Noftall Wm.



C.R. 1357

William R. Noftall was attested for General service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on .. April 1st 1915.  
Regimental No 1357 was allotted to Pte. W.R. NOFTALL.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.



C.R. 1357

Extract from Nominal Relief Wfld. Regt. Darft No.10  
from 2nd Bn. BDepot, to 1st Bn, B.E.F. Embarked Southampton.  
24-8-~~12~~.16.

1357 Pte. W. Noftall.



C.R. 1357

Extract of DAILY ORDERS, PART 11, ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND  
REGIMENT, Nov.21/11/18.

Leave to U.K. from 4/11/18. to 18/11/18.

#1357 Pte. J. Hennessey.



C.R. 1357

Winchester

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot ~~at~~ dated 17-12-18  
by Lt. Col., B. J. Barton, D. S. O. Officer Commanding  
2nd., Battalion of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

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The undermentioned having reported back from the First Battalion  
are taken on the strength and posted to "H" Coy from 16/12/18.

#1357 Pte. W. Noftall.



**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

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Regiment or Corps Newfoundland  
 Regimental No. 1357 Rank Pte Name W-R. Hoftall  
 Enlisted (a) 1/4/15 Terms of Service (a) war Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of promotion } \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment } \_\_\_\_\_ Numerical position on }  
 to present rank } \_\_\_\_\_ to lance rank } \_\_\_\_\_ roll of N.C.Os. }  
 Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

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. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Emb'k'd Southampton		28.3.16	
		Disembk'd ROUEN		30.3.16	
		Transferred to England			

*John Bayard*

*14 Gen'l. Numerous*

3 JUL 1916  
*W 3083*  
*all back* CAPTAIN.  
 FOR INFANTRY RECORDS  
 G. H. Q.; 3<sup>RD</sup> 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.



## Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 15<sup>th</sup> NewfoundlandRank Pvt. Surname Naftall Christian Name William 1498Religion Methodist Age on Enlistment 18 years 8 months.Enlisted (a) 1. 4. 15 Terms of Service (Duration of War) Service reckons from (a) 1. 4. 15

Date of promotion to present rank \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank \_\_\_\_\_

Extended { \_\_\_\_\_ } Re-engaged { \_\_\_\_\_ } Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_  
or Corps Trade and Rate \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ... <u>Southampton</u>			<u>24.8.16</u>
		Disembarked... <u>Racepoint</u>			<u>25.8.16</u>
		<b>Joined Battalion</b>	<b>8 SEP 1916</b>		
	<u>14 C/S.</u>	<u>Admitted Scabies</u>	<u>France.</u>	<u>24/11/16</u>	<u>ED 6436.</u>
	<u>14 C/S.</u>	<u>Transferred to Duty</u>	<u>Unit.</u>	<u>27/11/16</u>	<u>ED 6956</u>
	<u>14 C/S.</u>	<u>Admitted Diarrhoea</u>	<u>France.</u>	<u>13/12/16</u>	<u>ED 7754.</u>
	<u>14 C/S.</u>	<u>Discharged to Duty</u>	<u>Unit.</u>	<u>17/12/16</u>	<u>ED 860.</u>
			<b>With BATT 25. I. IV</b>		
	<u>53 L.A.</u>	<u>Admitted Scabies</u>	<u>France.</u>	<u>16/1/17.</u>	<u>ED. 9291</u>
	<u>D.S.</u>	<u>Discharged to Duty</u>	<u>Unit.</u>	<u>22/1/17</u>	<u>ED 176</u>
	<u>21 CCS.</u>	<u>Admitted (Effects of Cold) G.W. Soream</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>17/2/17</u>	<u>ED 146</u>
	<u>3 Stry. Stry.</u>	<u>Admitted Scabies Ser</u>	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>26/2/17</u>	<u>ATA 7165</u>
<u>12.4.17.</u>	<u>2nd B.A.</u>	<u>Joined Base Depot</u>	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>11.4.17</u>	<u>Non Roll.</u>

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.

(b) Signaller, Shoing-smith, &amp;c.

[P.T.O.]







STATEMENT OF PRISONER OF WAR.

#1557, Pts. W.R. Neftall, Broad Cove, Bay-de-Verde.

Enlisted April 1st, 1915 - Proceeded Overseas Mar. 20/1916

Company in France - "D" Company.

Place & Date of Capture - I was captured at Cambrai on 3rd day of December 1917.

Circumstances of Capture - We were in trench when a German barrage fell on us and killed most of the men in our trench. Barrage started about dawning, and about 8 o'clock those of us who were left were taken prisoners, about 12 or 13 nearly all wounded.

Details of Life & Treatment while under Capture - We were taken about 8 o'clock a.m. on Dec. 3rd and carried to a place behind the lines. I was wounded and received no treatment for my wounds. Got bread and coffee to eat, but in a very small quantity. Remained there a fortnight, was then taken to a regular prisoner's camp was in this camp about 4 months, when we were on starvation rations all the time. Our clothing was removed and fumigated and put on again - otherwise treatment was bearable. From prisoner's camp was taken to work on a farm. We got more to eat but were compelled to work very hard from 5 a.m. to 8 p.m. and received 10 cents per day. The farmer's and family treated me fairly kind but was compelled to work at all kinds of farm work. From this farm some 30 of us made an attempt to escape, this was owing to treatment received from the German Guard where we slept. While I personally received very little ill treatment, others under the same Guards were very cruelly treated and beaten. We were captured and sent back to the farm again this continuing until our release at the signing of the Armistice.

Taken down by James LeGrow, 26th Jan. 1920.

Forwarded to 2/Lieut. James, Casualty Officer.



J. W. R. Noftall, #1357, Royal Rifles  
Regiment, make oath and say:

- (a) I enlisted April 1<sup>st</sup> 1915, and  
proceeded overseas March 20<sup>th</sup> 1916.
- (b) I was in O Leo in France.
- (c) I was captured at Cambrai on  
3<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1917.
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German barrage fell on us and  
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of us who were left, were taken  
prisoners - about 12 or 13 nearly all  
wounded.
- (e) We were taken about 8 o'clock A.M.  
on Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> and carried to a place  
behind lines. I was wounded  
and received no treatment for my  
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eat, but in a very small quantity.  
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Sworn before me  
at Road house  
this 26th January  
Jabez L. [Signature]

W R [Signature]



# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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Regiment of

*1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland*

Number of Sheet *1*

Signature of O. C. Company

*J. G. Bernister*

Regimental Number and Name No. <i>1357</i> <i>Hoftall, William Robert</i>		Enlistment Age on <i>18</i> years <i>8</i> months		Trade <i>Fisherman</i>	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay <i>2/CC</i>
Place and Date of Enlistment <i>Sydney</i> <i>1. 4. 15.</i>		Religion <i>Methodist</i>			
Period of with Colours <i>90</i> years. with Reserve <i>4</i> <i>36.5</i> years.		Place of Birth <i>Broad Cove</i>			
Joined _____ Date _____	Joined _____ Date _____	Joined _____ Date _____	Joined _____ Date _____		

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>St. John's</i>	<i>10/6/15</i>	<i>Pte</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Drunk on duty</i>	<i>Sgt. Ross</i>	<i>3 days L.C.</i>	<i>11/8/15</i>	<i>Capt. O'Brien</i>	
<i>Newton</i>	<i>9/9/15</i>	"		<i>Absent from tattoo till 10.50pm</i>	<i>Sgt. Burns</i>	<i>2 days L.B.</i>	<i>10/9/15</i>	<i>Lt. Pippy.</i>	
"	<i>22-10-15</i>	"	<i>2</i>	<i>Drunk on high street 9.50 AM</i>	<i>Sgt. Kemmle</i>	<i>fine 5/- &amp; 7 days L.C.</i>	<i>25/10/15</i>	<i>Major Whitaker</i>	
"	<i>13-11-15</i>	"	<i>3</i>	<i>Drunk &amp; attempting to fight</i>	<i>Sgt. Murphy</i>	<i>96 hrs &amp; P. No 2</i>	<i>15/11/15</i>	<i>Major Whitaker</i>	
				<i>rescue prisoners while under escort</i>					
<i>Newton</i>	<i>20/1/16</i>	"		<i>Absent from afternoon parade 2.30pm</i>	<i>Corp. Shymal</i>	<i>2 Days C.B.</i>	<i>2/1/16</i>	<i>2/Lt Bernister</i>	<i>S.C.B.</i>
<i>Recourse, Ayr.</i>	<i>Aug. 11</i>	"		<i>Absent 6.30am Parade.</i>	<i>Sgt. Carter.</i>	<i>2 days C.B.</i>	<i>11-9-16</i>	<i>Capt. Bain,</i>	
<i>Ayr.</i>	<i>15 3/16</i>	"		<i>Absent from Parade, 3.45pm</i>	<i>Sgt. O'Loke</i>	<i>2 days C.B.</i>	<i>16/16</i>	<i>Capt. Fox.</i>	<i>J.B.P.</i>
<i>St. John's Camp.</i>	<i>7.5.19</i>			<i>Absent from Barracks without leave from 6pm 5.5.19 to 9am 7.7.19</i>	<i>Capt. Cannon</i>	<i>7 days less 2 days pay</i>	<i>7.5.19</i>	<i>Lt. Denny</i>	
				<i>To be carried over</i>					
				<i>Demobilized St. John's</i>		<i>29 6 19</i>			

Army Form B. 121.



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A. S. Santos  
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Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 1357 Name W. Noftall

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

Name W. Noftall

Date Oct 1st 1920

Place Broad Cove

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

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