



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 1784 Name Wallace Thomas Bennett Corps 1st Field Regt.

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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

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

Wallace T Bennett SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Kevin Keegan Signature of Witness.

Aug 25<sup>th</sup> 1915

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

### CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to,

and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at

on this 26 day of August 1915 Kevin Keegan Signature of the Attesting Officer.

### † Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the :

If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 191 \_\_\_\_\_  
Place \_\_\_\_\_ } Approving Officer.

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

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





# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 1754 Name Wallace Thomas Brunet Corps 1st Hfld Regt.

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? ..... 1. Wallace Thomas Brunet
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. Flat 134 St George's
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your Age? ..... 4. 21 Years 3 Months.
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Fisherman
6. Are you Married? ..... 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,\* which? ..... 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ..... 9. Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? ..... 10. { Name .....  
Corps .....
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? ..... 11. Yes

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

Wallace T Brunet SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Aug 23<sup>rd</sup> 1915 Kevin Keegan Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

### CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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on this 26 day of August 1915

Kevin Keegan  
Signature of the Attesting Officer.

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Date \_\_\_\_\_ 1915 \_\_\_\_\_  
Place \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ } Approving Officer.

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(Name) \_\_\_\_\_ re-enlisted in the (Regiment) \_\_\_\_\_ on the (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Name Wallace Bennett  
 Apparent age 21 years      months. Height 5 feet 7 1/2 inches.  
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 inches.  
                           { Range of expansion 4 inches.  
 Distinctive marks None



## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Anna  
Flat 101 St George's. | Relationship Mother  
 Particulars as to Marriage.

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

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

## Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names.	Date and Place of Birth.

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

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



REGIMENTAL NUMBER 1787

COMPANY D

THE  
1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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

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

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

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act.

5 George V.,

Chapter IV.

Signed W. T. Bennett

Witness J. C. [Signature]

Dated at St. John's Nfld.

June 30<sup>th</sup> 1916.

*Certified true copy*  
 Capt. R.A.M.C.

ARMY FORM B. 178.

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital.  
 Army Form B. 178A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

**MEDICAL HISTORY of**

Surname Kennett Christian Name Wallace

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Examined ... { on 21 day of Aug 1915,  
 at St Johns. N.B.C.O.

Declared Age ... 21 years ... days.

Trade or Occupation ... Fisherman

Height ... 5 feet 7 1/2 inches.

Weight ... 142 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded 38 inches.

{ Range of Expansion 4 inches.

Physical Development ... \_\_\_\_\_

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left  
 Number \_\_\_\_\_

When Vaccinated ... None

Vision ... { R.E.—V= 6/6  
 L.E.—V= 6/6

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { (a) \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... { (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by (Signature) Lamont Paterson  
 (Rank) Capt. Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at St Johns.  
 on 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Aug. 1915

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>1<sup>st</sup> N.B.C.O. Regt.</u>	<u>1787.</u>

Transferred to ... \_\_\_\_\_  
 Became non-effective by \_\_\_\_\_  
 on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191  

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Rank) \_\_\_\_\_



**List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.**

cases bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.

Signature of Medical Officer

*J. H. D'Estorze*







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

**MEDICAL HISTORY**

OF  
 Christian Name

Surname *Bennett*

*Wallace*

**Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.**

Birthplace:—Parish

County

*Nfld*

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined ... ..	on 21 day of Aug 1915		on day of 191	
	at St Johns Nfld.		at	
Declared age ... ..	21 years days		years days	
Trade or occupation ... ..	<i>Fisherman.</i>			
Height ... ..	5 feet 7 1/2 inches		feet inches	
Weight ... ..	142 lbs.		lbs.	
Chest Measure- ment {	Girth when fully expan- ded		38. inches	
	Range of expansion ...		4 inches	
Physical development ... ..				
Vaccination marks {	Arm ... ..			
	Number ... ..			
When vaccinated ... ..	No.			
Vision ... ..	R.E.—V.= 6/6		R.E.—V.=	
	L.E.—V.= 6/6		L.E.—V.=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Lamont Paterson.</i>			
(Rank)	Capt. Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted ... ..	at St Johns.		at	
	on 23 <sup>rd</sup> day of Aug 1915		on day of 191	
Joined on enlistment ... ..	Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.
	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Nfld Regt. 1787.</i>			
Transferred to ... ..				
Became non-effective by ... ..	on day of 191		on day of 191	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



list in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

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missions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars  
of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet

Signature of Medical Officer

*J. W. Easton.*

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

Date	Brief details, and signature			
15. 10. 15.	1 <sup>st</sup> Inoculation.			
19. 11. 15.	Vacc. R. P. Graham Lt R.A.M.C.			
9. 12. 15	T.V. ii R. P. Graham Lt R.A.M.C.			
23. 8. 16	Fit for foreign service R. P. H.			
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**Table IV.**—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation
St. Johns Nfld					

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Bennett, Wallace

1787

May Sept

No. 1787

Name Bennett W.J.

8/6/17

Date	Particulars	Ch.No.	Dr.	Cr.	Bal.
June 23	Pay 15 days			16 50	16 50
30	" " 7 "			14 00	30 50
July 11	" " " "			22 00	52 50
	Bonus			13 70	66 20
	Clothing			25 00	91 20
June 21	To pay at Sydney		3 00		88 20
25	" " "		15 00		73 20
28	" " "		10 00		63 20
30	To allotment 20 days ago		15 40		47 80
July 10	To pay		47 80		
	War Service Gratuity 6 mos @ 10%			420 00	420 00
Nov 1	Bonus To pay	10433	13 70		406 30
Apr 14	To pay	15822	70 00		336 30
May 14	" "	19044	70 00		266 30
June 14	" "	22266	70 00		196 30
July 14	" "	1402	70 00		126 30
Aug 14	" "	6601	56 30		56 30
			511 20	511 20	0

PAY LEDGER R. 12/1  
Date 8-4-21 by at

Sgt. Alvany S.M.

April, 30th 18.

Wallace T. Bennett, Esq.,  
Doyle's Station,  
Codroy.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of April, 23rd., I beg to state, that I have not any badges on hand at the present time, but that a shipment is on the way from England, and as soon as I receive it I will have one engraved and forwarded to you.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.



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Capt. J. M. Howley

Dayles Station  
Great Bodry  
N. F. I. D.  
Oct the 10/1918

Dear Sir

I would like to get my War Badge  
its one year and 4 months since I was  
Discharged from the Army and haven  
got my Discharge Badge ~~of~~ <sup>or</sup> Conduct  
Sheet yet I think its about time  
that I was getting it if I am  
intitle to a Badg I would  
like for you to send it on  
If you please send me my Discharge  
of Conduct for while I was in  
the Army I.

Remain yours faithfully  
Wallace J. Bennett  
Regt no 1487

Application for  
Discharge Badge.  
put through Oct 12/18

October 15, 1918.

Mr. Wallace Bennett,  
DOYLE'S STATION, GREAT CODROY,  
Newfoundland.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of October 10th. regarding your Discharge badge and Conduct Sheet, I beg to inform you that application has been put through for your Discharge Badge, and just as soon as it is engraved it will be forwarded on to you.

Regarding your Conduct sheet, I may say that a conduct sheet is only given in cases where a man has a clean sheet, and as yours is not such, you are therefore not entitled to one.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who claim 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 omissions. If any question 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..... *Wallace* ..... 2. Surname..... *Bennett* .....

3. Rank..... *Private* ..... 4. Regt. No. .... *1787* .....

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *St. Georges* .....

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *August 23<sup>rd</sup> 1915* .....

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge..... *none* .....

8. Relationship of such dependents..... *not applicable* .....

9. Address in full of such dependent..... *not applicable* .....

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?..... *not applicable*

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service..... *No. I went overseas in October 1915 and returned here in June 1917* .....

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas..... *one year 322 days* .....

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.....

\$ 8<sup>00</sup> monthly for six months

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge?.....

Yes

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?.....

not applicable

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.?..... If not give:- (a) Date of discharge..... (b) Reason for discharge.....

July 11<sup>th</sup> 1917

Disability

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 1916

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.....

not applicable

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.

Signature of Applicant: *Wallace Bennett*

Place of Residence: *St. George's*

Declared before me at: *St. John's*

This *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 19*19*

*Chas. B. Hunt*

Signature of Barrister of the  
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate,  
Notary Public, Justice of the Peace,  
or Commissioner of affidavits. *Worshipful P. Russell*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
.....	.....	.....	<i>4 wks.</i>	<i>280.00</i>
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Certified Correct.

Paymaster.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 1787 Pte. W. Bennett  
 "H" Company. From 12/5/17 To 8/4/17 (Dates inclusive)

Substituting A.F.O. 1625) N.F.P/36.  
 Embarked per S. S. Granpian  
 From Liverpool Date 5 JUN 1917  
 Draft No. 38 CR.

DR. Classification (See procedure) B

Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	¢	£	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	¢	£	s	d	
	8	Forfeited Pay	✓								1	Pay	100	46	46	00				
	9	Allocments	704	46	32	20					2	Field Allowances	104		46	00				
	10										3	Other Allowances			46	00				
	11/12	Total Stoppages			82	20	6	12	4		4/5	Total @ 4.85 2/3			50	60	10	7	11	
	13	Fines									6a	Balance from Previous Pay Book							5	
	14	Clothing and Necessaries										<p>This account is, in accordance with information received at the Pay &amp; Record Office to / / and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.</p>								
	15	Arms & Accoutrements																		
	16	Barrack Damages							6											
	17	Hospital Stoppages																		
	17a	Miscellaneous Stoppages							2	10										
	19	Casual Payments							10	4										
5-6-17	20	1st Payment							10	0										
18-5-17	21	2nd "							10	0										
25-5-17	22	3rd "							10	0										
1-6-17	23	Final "							10	0										
	24	Balance Debit Last Period			1	12	4				27	Balance Due to Paymaster								
	28	" Due by Paymaster																		
			£		10	8	4						£		10	8	4			

Racecourse, Ayr  
June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1917

CERTIFIED CORRECT  
J. Hank Lewis  
 O.C. "H" Company.

CHECKED.  
ADP  
 1-6-17

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	8	Forfeited Pay	70	46	32	20			1	Pay	100	46	46	00		
	9	Allotments							2	Field Allowances	100			46	00	
	10								3	Other Allowances						
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	28	" Due by Paymaster							27	Balance Due to Paymaster						
					£	10	8	4					£	10	8	4

Raccourse, Ayr  
June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1917

CERTIFIED CORRECT  
J. G. Linn  
 O.C. "H" Company.

CHECKED  
 [Signature]  
 1-6-17

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 1787 Pte. W. Bennett  
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	9	Allotments	704	46	32	20				2	Field Allowances	104			46	00				
	10									3	Other Allowances					46	00			
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Racours, Ayr  
June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1917

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 # 14 Comm. JUN 1917 From 12/5/17 To 8/6/17 (Dates inclusive)  
 Classification (See procedure)

(Substituting A.F.O. 1625) N.F.P/36.  
 Embarked per S. S. Grampian JUN 4 1917  
 From Liverpool Date 25 JUN 1917  
 Draft No. CR.

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	10										3	Other Allowances								
	11/12	Total Stoppages			32	20	6	12	4		4/5	Total @ 4.86 2/3								
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	16	Barrack Damages							6											
	17	Hospital Stoppages																		
	17a	Miscellaneous Stoppages							2	10										
5-6-17	19	Casual Payments							10	4										
18-5-17	20	1st Payment							10	0										
25-5-17	21	2nd "							10	0										
1-5-17	22	3rd "							10	0										
	23	Final "																		
	24	Balance Debit Last Period							1	12	4									
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					£	10	8	4												

Racecourse, Ayr  
June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1917

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT of No. 1787 Pte. W. Bennett  
 From 12/5/17 To 2/6/17 (Dates inclusive)

Substituting A.F.O. 1625) N.F.P/38.

Embarked per S. S. Granpian

From Liverpool Date 5 JUN 1917

Draft No. \_\_\_\_\_ CR. \_\_\_\_\_

Classification (See procedure)

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Racecourse, Bx  
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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT of No. 1787 Pte. W. Bennett  
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June 3<sup>rd</sup>

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*J. Lane Linn*

O.C. "H." Company.

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*W.P.H.*  
 4.6.17 P.A.O.

5720

Payles Station  
July 14/1919

to Capt Howley St Johns  
Dear Sir

I would be much obliged

if you would send on the rest  
of my over seas money

I didn't get any for the last  
six weeks also I think

there's some money due me  
for cloths I only got \$25/ twenty  
five Dollars

for cloths and

I should get  
more than that

So I would be much  
obliged if you

would forward  
to me first chance

yours truly

#1784 Jte Wallace J. Bennett

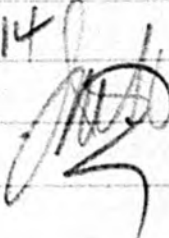
Ch mailed  
July 19

Poyles Station  
Great Bodry

May <sup>the</sup> 11 / 1914

to Capt Hawley  
Dear Sir I would be much  
obliged if you would send one  
by ~~the~~ <sup>check</sup> for may the last one I  
received was the first week of  
april please send it  
to Poyles Station  
yours

truly  
no 1484 pte Wallace Bennett

Mailed May 14  




Flat Bay St Georges Dist

June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1919  
J. M. Howley Capt

Dear Sir

your of May 26<sup>th</sup> received  
referring to my son

Joseph he dident Enlist

and was unable on  
account of ill health  
as he has been sickly  
since a long time

as he dont live near  
me I dont know if

he as registered last  
year I dont know  
if he has a Badge

your truly

Mrs Annie Bennett

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant..... *Bennett, Annie (mother, widow)*

On account of *Wallace S. Bennett* No. *1787* Rank. *Pte*

Decision..... *Refused.*  
.....  
.....  
.....

Date *June 21/1919*

..... *A. S. Hickman*  
..... *W. F. Rudell Lieut. Col.*  
..... *M. Bowley Capt*  
.....  
.....

Instructions.....  
.....  
.....  
.....

Allotment of *70<sup>4</sup>* per day payable to *Annie Bennett*  
his *mother* from *30/10/18* to *30/6/19*  
Discontinued on account of *his being discharged*  
..... *L. P. Sgt.*



NOTICE.

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.  
(Separation Allowance Branch)

MOTHER.  
*Yes*

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question.

Each statement is considered as being made on Oath, and the form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace and returned to:

"The Paymaster"  
Separation Allowance Branch,  
St. John's, Nfld.

1. Name in full of soldier. Rank. Reg't. or Unit. Regt. No. *1787*  
*Thomas Wallace, Bennett* *Regt 942 Regt -*

2. Age of soldier. *25 years* Married or Single.  
*Last June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1918* *Single*

3. Name in full of mother. Age. Occupation. Permanent Address.  
*Annie Bennett* *53* *Housewife* *Flat Bay P. office*  
*St Georges St*

4. Give name of your husband. Age. Occupation Where Employed.  
*Thomas Bennett* *57 - dead* *5 years, till Nov<sup>r</sup> 1919*

5. If your husband is not supporting you state the reason. *father of Wallace Bennett*  
*my first husband is dead died 1914*

6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady. (A Medical Certificate must be enclosed with this document stating from what date husband has been totally incapacitated, and for how long incapacity is likely to continue.)  
*1<sup>st</sup> husband*  
*Dead*

7. If you are a widow, state date and place of death of your husband. *Yes*  
*1<sup>st</sup> husband dead married*

8. Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband? *Yes* I am now married to *Hardwick Webb - two years. who helps support me*

9. Names of your other children. Address in Age. Occupation married.  
*(1) Joseph Benjamin* *full* *33* *Dec 1918* *Single.*  
*(2) Elizabeth Ann* *Grand Haven Nfld* *30* *Oct 1918* *married*  
*(3) Sarah Margaret* *Halifax N.S.* *28* *Mar 1891* *Single*  
*(4) Annie Mary* *ditto* *22* *Aug 1895* *married* *Flat Bay*  
*(5) Tom Wallace* *26* *2<sup>nd</sup> June 1918* *Single* *R.N.R.*  
*(6) Catherine Sylvester* *20* *you* *Single* *Post an post Nfld*  
*for follow up please turn over*

No. of Family Continued from other side

- (7) Mary (born with Catherine) Grand River age 20 yrs Single
- (8) Harriet-Ann Bay of Islands age 18 yrs Single
- (9) Nora May Flat Bay age 16 " do
- (10) Bertha Flat Bay age 14 " do
- (11) Rita Josephine flat Bay age 12 " do
- (12) Margaret Stacia flat Bay age 6 " do

Total alive Islanders (Roman)

10. State amount earned by (a) Yourself *no wages only work*  
(b) Your husband. *about 60 per He is in hospital*

11. State amount and source of any other income, *no other income at present*

12. State value of real property belonging to you and your husband. *about 300 -*

13. State value of personal property belonging to you and your husband. *about 100 -*

14. If husband is dead state value of real and personal property left by him, *1st Husband dead left property \$300  
2nd alive*

15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to enlistment. *nothing only his help about - He was away from me for years after joining up*

16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly. *no money at any time from him*

17. Did this amount include payment of soldier's board, etc. *only gave labor sometimes*

18. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. *Sailoring fishing etc*

19. State amount of his wages per week. *don't know when he was away but 900 wages home*

20. State name and address of his last employer. *He was living and helping me. at Jordan Creek*

21. State amount of monthly support from son since enlistment.

22. State amount of allotment received by you from son since enlistment. *I received about 240 dollars as allotment out of which 260 was given by me to my son at different times*

23. State from what date did you receive allotment? *Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 1915 Last Cheque was Aug 1917*

24. Actual amount contributed by other children. *Weekly Monthly, nothing only work when home as they grew up they had to provide for themselves*

25. Are any of these children in the employ of you or your husband? *no - only I have the 14 youngest at home yet at present*

26. If not receiving support from other children, state cause. Explain Fully. *The ones that are away have enough to do for themselves and these at home earn no wages*
27. With whom are you residing at present? *with my husband (2<sup>nd</sup>) married 2<sup>nd</sup> May*
28. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance. If not, why? Give particulars. *No. as I knew nothing about it until lately, but my son sent papers in*
29. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, how much? *No*
30. Are you already in receipt of any payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much. *Nothing*
31. Was the soldier at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Nfld. Government. *No*
32. In what capacity and in what place? *nil*
33. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment? If so, how much. *nil*

I herewith make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under Oath and in Virtue of the Evidence Act.

Signature of Applicant..... *Mrs. Fredrick West (nee Bennett)*

Place of Residence..... *Half Bay St. Georges Newfoundland*

Declared and subscribed before me at... *Saint Georges Nfld*

this... *Wendth* day of... *May* A.D. 1919

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace. *Richard Mac Donnell*  
*St Georges Nfld*

This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your local Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their knowledge after careful investigation the above statements are correct and the soldier first above mentioned is the ~~only~~ support of the applicant. *(and) principal as husband as an invalid.*

Signature of Clergyman..... *W. J. Power*

Signature of member of the Patriotic Fund Committee. *Richard Mac Donnell J. S. C.*  
*Chief Chairman Patriotic Committee*  
*St Georges Nfld*

May 26, 1919

Mrs. Annie Bennett,  
Flat Bay,  
Bay St. George.

Dear Madam:-

Referring to your application for  
Separation Allowance, will you kindly inform me  
if your son Joseph had offered for enlistment,  
and if so, on what date, and what is the number  
of his Rejection Badge if he has one.

Yours truly

Captain,  
Paymaster & O.i/c Records

July 25, 1919

Mrs. Annie Bennett,  
Flat Bay,  
St. George's.

Dear Madam:-

Referring to your application for Separation Allowance,  
I have been directed to inform you that same cannot be granted,  
because your dependence upon your son Wallace has not been  
clearly established.

Yours truly

Captain & Paymaster.

July 16th, 7.

Pte. Wallace T. Bennett,  
St. George's.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$47.80, being the amount due you made up as follows:-

Balance of pay	\$9.10
Bonus 1 week @ \$1.10 p. day plus \$6.00 Board Allow.	13.70
Civilian clothing	<u>25.</u>
	<u>\$47.80</u>

I also enclose certificate of Discharge, dated July 11th, 1917, together with special form, which kindly sign, and return.

Yours faithfully,

1787

1787.

Lieut.  
Officer i/c Records.









Mrs Annie Webb.

From 23/8/15 to 11/2/16 =

$$\$100.00 + 14.84 + 7.58 = 122.42$$



Flet Bay.

July <sup>the</sup> 6 1921

To the

Department of Militia  
St Johns Nt

Dear Sir

When my son Wallace  
went to war he was the  
only support I had he  
left me with 7 seven  
orphants and I have  
4 four orphants to look  
to yet. Their stepfather  
dont do anything for them  
and now there isnt anything  
to do and there isnt  
any work that they can  
do only work in the  
House at Home they cant  
earn any thing like that  
Im a cripple my self.

What Money is due to  
me please send it  
on at once for we  
are bad in the  
need of it now

2/

With Rheumatic In  
some times as by as  
a week I cant work  
The orphanage is bad in  
the need of help as we  
have nothing at the  
Present Time and with  
all other hard times  
son Wallace come home  
from war to me a  
cripple  
Trusting to hear from  
you in the near future

I am yours truly

Mrs Annie Bennett  
Flat Bay

S. Georges West

HARBOUR BEACON ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE  
(Increase in Separation Allowance)

Notice.

MOTHER

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(1) Name of Reservist *Hallace Benoit*  
(if more than one, give all names)

(2) Name of applicant, and age. *Annie Benoit*

(3) State whether you are the natural mother, stepmother or foster-mother. *Natural mother.*

(4) Name of applicant's husband and his age. *Thomas Benoit 57 at death.*

(5) If he is not supporting you, state the reason. *Dead -*

(6) If you are a widow, state date of your husband's death *2<sup>nd</sup> Nov. 1917*

(7) Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband? *Yes*

(8) State names, ages of your other children, whether married or single or widowers.

Name	Age	Occupation	Married or Single.
<i>Jos Benjamin</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>Farmer</i>	<i>Single</i>
<i>Mrs E. Warren</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>Housekeeper</i>	<i>Married</i>
<i>Sarah M. Benoit</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>Servant</i>	<i>Single</i>
<i>Mrs Chas Penier</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>Housekeeper</i>	<i>Married</i>
<i>Mrs Neil McDonald</i>	<i>22</i>	"	"
<i>Mrs Jos McLaane</i>	<i>22</i>	"	"
<i>Mrs Wilfred Perrier</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>General Housework</i>	<i>Single</i>
<i>Noza May Benoit</i>	<i>18</i>	"	"
<i>Bertha</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>school girl</i>	"
<i>Rita Stephens</i>	<i>14</i>	"	"
<i>Mary Stata</i>	<i>8</i>	"	"

(9) Have any of the children mentioned in "8" volunteered for service during the Great War 1914-1918? If so state names, and where possible give official numbers and the units in which they enlisted, with dates of enlistment. *No*

Name

Enlisted in

Official Number

Date

(10) State amount earned by } I do not earn anything but try to manage  
 (a) Yourself } to do the housework when I am not laid  
 (b) Your husband } up with rheumatism. He cannot get any work to earn anything. He did  
 not earn over \$5.00 since the spring.

(11) State amount and source of any other income *None*

(12) State actual amount contributed by Reservist during the year prior to his enrollment (if more than one state amount for each separately) *\$70.00 in cash. He worked on the farm, planted & he was the only support I had*

(13) Did this amount include the cost of his board, etc. *Yes*

(14) State his occupation before enrollment, and his wages per month and the name of his last employer. *Fishing, a little farming and whatever he found to do. Can not state the amount of earnings as he had no regular employment*

(15) State amount received as allotment and Separation Allowance on his account since his enrollment *See 6-195- 22.40 70 cents per day after that date until the Fall of 1917 when he was discharged (medically unfit)*

(16) From what date have you received this amount? *Dec 6, 1915*

(17) State amount contributed by your other children, ~~etc~~ per week. *None*

(18) If not receiving support from other children, state cause. *Joseph is not in good health and that he support his grand parents. Rest have not enough to give any to me & I have to help those 4 young ones at home.*

(19) Have you received Separation Allowance on account of any son who may have enlisted in the land forces. *No*

(20) If so, state his name and the unit in which he served, giving his official number. \_\_\_\_\_



Name

Enlisted in

Official Number

Date

(10) State amount earned by } I do not earn anything but try to manage  
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(16) From what date have you received this amount? Dec 6, 1915

(17) State amount contributed by your other children, ~~state amount~~ per week. None

(18) If not receiving support from other children, state cause. Joseph is not in good health and that he support his grand parents. Rest have not enough to give any to me & I have to help them 4 young ones at home.

(19) Have you received Separation Allowance on account of any son who may have enlisted in the land forces. No

(20) If so, state his name and the unit in which he served, giving his official number. \_\_\_\_\_

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

Signature <sup>her</sup> Annie <sup>Went</sup> .....

Address..... Flat Bay .....

Declared before me at St George's ..... this 5<sup>th</sup> .....  
day of July ..... 1921

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Notary Public, Stipendiary Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, or Commissioner of Affidavits. ) D. J. Bethune M.D. .....

o, the undersigned, have reviewed the replies given in the foregoing declaration, and to the best of our knowledge they are correct, and the applicant is mainly or solely dependent on the Reservist first mentioned.

Signature of Clergyman ..... W. Brownall CC .....

Signature of the Patriotic Committee. (a member of) ) D. J. Bethune M.D. .....

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October 5th.1921

Mrs Annie Bennett,

Flat Bay, B.St.G.

Dear Madam:-

With reference to your application for Separation Allowance, I have been directed to state that same cannot be granted to you, for the reason that during the period of service of your son, Wallace, you had another single son of military age who did not enlist.

The regulations governing the issue of Separation Allowance provide that in the case of a widowed mother with two son's of military age, the allowance will be granted when the second one enlists; and we have no power to depart from the regulations.

Yours truly,

Major  
Paymaster

Flat Bay  
St Georges

Nov 7 1721

Mr Howley Major Paymaster  
Dear Sir your letter to His  
Saying my separation allowance cannot be  
granted because I had another son off militia  
age I had a son off age but he been a  
knight since so ten years and he was staying  
with his grand father since he was 10 ten  
months old So you dont mean to say that  
I could look to him for my living while  
my son Wallace Bennett was in the service  
I think I am little about you on a rotten bunch  
if you cant give a widow women with a big family  
a square honest Deal yours truly Anne Bennett

Fillet bay  
St George  
oct 19 1921

To the Department of  
Militia

Dear Sir with  
Reference to your letter  
stating that Separation  
Allowance cannot be  
granted me because i  
had a single son who  
did not enlist during  
the war i had no son  
at Fillet as he was taken  
and adopted by his  
grand Parents at the age  
of eight months old  
so he never did any  
thing towards helping  
me to make a living

that i will have it  
sent on at the first  
opportunity as the  
children is badly in  
need of it so I shall  
oblige Mrs Annie  
Bennett

and another thing i'd  
say he is not living  
here he is living at  
Grandriver so the  
only support i had  
had at the time of  
enlistment was my  
son Wallace as his  
father was dead at the  
time he enlisted and  
i was left with a  
family of seven girls  
and i still have four  
of these at home still  
so i think it is perfectly  
due me if it was  
not due me i would  
not ask for it but  
it been due me one year  
ago and i trust

November 30th. 1921

Rev. M. Brosnan,  
St. George's.

Dear Sir:-

Mrs Annie Bennett of Flat Bay, mother of Wallace T. Bennett, of the Royal Nfld. Regiment, has made an application for Separation Allowance, and in support of her claim she states that her son, Joseph B. Bennett, has lived with his grand parents since he was ten years old, and also that he is an invalid.

Will you be so good as to make full enquiries as to these statements, and let me know at your earliest convenience if they are correct.

Thanking you in advance.

Yours truly,

Major  
Paymaster

Bishops House  
St Georges  
Dec 14<sup>th</sup> 21.

J. the Howley. Major.  
St. Johns.

Dear Sir.

On making enquiry I  
discovered that Joseph B Bennett  
has as his mother stated  
been living with his grand-  
parents from childhood.  
I could not discern whether he  
is an invalid as he lives  
in Grand River.

I have no doubt that Rt.  
Rev Hugh Sears in whose  
parish he now lives would  
be able and willing to give  
you the desired information  
I have no means of making  
the necessary enquiries properly  
Fully fully.  
W. Brown



February 8th. 1922

Mrs Annie Bonnett,

Flat Bay

Dear Madam:-

In view of your explanation that your son, Joseph was adopted by his grandparents, I have again taken up your claim for Separation Allowance, with the Board of Review, and in the consideration of same it is noted that you have remarried since the date of death of your former husband in 1914.

I have been directed to request that you furnish ~~with~~ me with the marriage certificate showing date of marriage to your present husband. This certificate must be signed by your clergyman.

When the certificate is received, your claim will be given further consideration.

Yours truly,

Major  
Paymaster

Flat bay  
St George's  
Angled  
March 4 1922

Department of Militia  
St Johns  
Inclosed Please find  
Marriage certificate  
To my Present Husband  
My Late Husband  
Died November 2<sup>nd</sup> 1914  
So kindly send My  
certificate back again  
when you will be through  
with it and oblige  
Mrs Annie Bennett

Present Mrs Fred Wells  
Flat bay  
St George's F.D.



ANNIE  
BENNETT

Bishops House

St Georges

March 4<sup>th</sup> 22.

This is to certify that

Fredene Webb Flat Bay

& Ann Benoit Flat Bay of Benjamin Benoit  
& Marguerite Isaac

were married on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1916.

in the presence of

Rev. P. Carroll.

Witnesses

Edward Delaney St Georges

Daniel Benoit "

The above is a correct extract from the registers  
Kept at the Cathedral St Georges N. F.

(Signed) Michael Brinnan. P.C

Lat Bay

aug 11<sup>th</sup> 1919

His Lordship Bishop Power

I am writing you  
referring to my separation  
allowance due me for  
my son when he enlisted  
he was my only help  
after his father's death  
I had seven girls  
to maintain besides  
and he enlisted with  
all that family to look  
after so I am entitled  
to that separation allowance  
which I have never had  
a cent and I write to  
you to please try and  
do what you could  
for me hoping this will  
not be too much trouble  
for you. I am  
Your truly Mrs Annie Webb

(formerly Mrs Annie Bennett)



I think that at least a pension for a brief period to the mother of these boys would be an act of justice.

There is a very sad case just come to my notice that of a poor widow woman named Idines who lives on the Godroy road. Her only supporting son was killed and her other son is a cripple. I think this a very deserving case. The poor woman did not know of the chance she would have of a kind consideration from your board. His name is private Leonard Idines and



and his mother - Mrs. Margaret Idines nee by Millville Godroy.

I enclose also a letter just received for your consideration.

Sincerely Yours  
+ W. F. Power

April 28th. 1932

Mrs Frederick Webb,  
Flat Bay, B. St. G.,

Dear Madam:-

I beg to advise that in view of your letter of July 6th. 1931, and verification of statements made therein, Separation Allowance has been granted in your favour, payable to the date of your marriage to Frederick Webb.

I enclose cheque for £122.42, being the total amount due you on this account.

Yours truly,

Major  
Paymaster

W. F. Bennett.

C.R.

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P.R.O.

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY THE SOLDIER ON DATE OF DISCHARGE.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances,  
(including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the  
present date.

Date Aug 11<sup>th</sup> 1917 Wallace J Bennett (Sig. of Soldier).

Name: David Bennett (Sig. of Witness).

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**DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA**

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

April 14th., 1919

From:- D. M. S.  
To:- The Paymaster.

1787, Pte. Bennett, W.

Please note that the marginally  
noted man was discharged from the Naval  
& Military Convalescent Hospital  
April 12th., 1919.



*Cluny Macpherson*

Major, D. M. S.



AMB.

C.R. 1787

Extract of Casualty List received from P. & R.O. Dec 19th 1916

1787 Pte W. Bennett. ✓

Admitted 2nd London General Hospital 17/12/16. Myalgia Slight.

C.R. 1787

Extract from Nominal Roll, entitled St. John's for Overlook 27/10/18 S. Co.

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#1787 Pte. W. Bennett.

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Counter No.

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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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 \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated December 20, 1916.

To Mrs. Annie Bennett,  
Flat Bay,  
St. George's.

Regret to inform you that Record Office,  
London, officially reports No. 1787, Private  
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Colonial Secretary.

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CR. 1787

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P. & R.O. December 21st 1916

1787 Pte W. Bennett.

1/Newfoundland R. Myalgia Sev. Adm. 3 Sty Hos. Rouen 11th December 16.

## SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O's and MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE

C.R. 1787

SHREWSBURY RECORD OFFICE

LIST NO. H.A. 5296

37645 Pte Cornish A.	12/S.W.Bords.	Hernia Ing.R.	Adm 3 Sty.H.Rouen ex anr.H.16/Dec/16.
29754 Pte Ellis J.	2/S.Lancs.Rg.	do L.	do
19544 Pte Wade G.	6/Shrops L.I.	ICT Hand L.	To Eng.ex 3 Sty.H.16/Dec/16.
24089 Pte Harvey G.	20/Chesh.R.	ICT Feet	do
17012 Pte Lloyd L.	9/ do.	Scabies	Trans.to Conv.D.ex 3 Sty.H.Rouen 19/Dec/16.
*31996 Pte Tanner C.	19/Welsh Rgt.	Adenoids	Dis.to Unit ex 4 Sty.H.Arques 21/Dec/16.
39709 Pte Alldritt J.	10/SWB late 28/Welsh R.66/Ter:Res.Btn. att 2/Army Sch of Instruction.	Dental Caries.	do
21088 Pte Jones M.	14/R.W.Fus.	Dental Caries	Adm 4 Sty.H.Arques 21/Dec/16.
32046 Pte Jenkins G.	19/Welsh Rgt.	Influenza	do
31233 Pte Smyth A.	do	Sciatica	do
36963 Pte Rowlands A.	10/Cheshire.	Dental Caries	Dis to Base Dep Rouen ex 4 Sty H.21/Dec/16

TERRITORIAL FORCE SHREWSBURY RECORD OFFICE.

LIST NO. H.A. 5296

1312 Dmr Stroud W.	1/2/Mon.R.	GSW Pelvis Pen	Adm 3 Sty.H.Rouen 16/Dec/16.
47011 Pte Dawson A.	4/R.W.Fus.	Epilepsy	Adm 3 Sty.H.Rouen 19/Dec/16.
47150 Pte Winrow J.	do	Debility	do
47202 Pte Wright J.	do	Myalgia	do
39584 L/C Coulter J.	do	V.D.H.	do
42161 Pte Owens R.	do	Debility	do
47207 Pte Whitfield S.	do	do	do
42200 Pte Pepler W.	do	Myalgia	do
1312 Dmr Stroud W.	1/2/Mon.Rgt.	GSW Pelvis Pen.	<u>DIED</u> in 3 Sty.H.Rouen 19/Dec/16.

TERRITORIAL FORCE PRESTON RECORD OFFICE

LIST NO. H.A. 5296

6080 Pte Taylor J.	1/9/K.L'pool Rgt	Dental Caries	Adm 4 Sty.H.Arques 21/Dec/16.
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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

LIST NO. H.A. 5296

1787 Pte Bennett W.	1/Newfoundland Btn.	Myalgia	To Eng.ex 3 Sty.H.16/Dec/16.
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CR 1787

Extract from roll of Officers N. C. O's  
and men DISCHARGED from the Royal Newfoundland  
Regiment

Reg't	rank	name	date	reason.
1787	Pr's.	Bennett Wallace	11/7/17	MED. UNFIT.



C.R. 1787

Extract from list of men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
discharged on various dates.

1787 Pte. Wallace Bennett.

Discharged Huly 11th 1917, Medically unfit

C.R.

1787

**W/T. Bennett** was attested for General Service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on **August. 23rd. 1915**  
Regimental No. **1787** was allotted to Pte **Wm.T. Bennett**

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.

C.R.I.

1787

**Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit Newfound-  
land Regt. Station 3rd Echelon, B.H.F. 30-12-16.**

1787 Pte. W. Bennett

16  
To England ~~27~~/12/16 per H.S. ~~Northover~~. H.S. Clenart, Cle.

C.R. 1787

Extract from Nominal Roll of NZMA. Regt. Draft No.10.  
From 2nd Bn. Depot, 1st In. B.M.F. Embarked Southampton,  
24-8-16.

1787 Pte. W.Bennett.



The Paymaster  
1st Newfoundland Regt.  
London., S.W.

The attached is passed to you please. This man is  
not on our strength.

Racecourse  
Ayr  
13-1-17.

*Chas. Caplan*  
COMMANDING, 2nd/1st N.F.L.D. REGT.,  
NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.



WARD 9.  
2<sup>nd</sup> London Gen. Hospital,  
King's Road, Chelsea, S.W.

12<sup>th</sup> Jan'y. 17.

Regt. Pymaster.  
1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland. Regt.  
Ayt. Scotland.

Permission has  
been granted to Regt. W. J. Bennett, who is  
a patient in above hospital to be forward  
ed at earliest convenience to

Miss Jannie McLean  
County Hospital  
Ayt.  
Scotland.

~~435/1~~  
435/1

50% of the money in credit, & oblige.  
Yours truly

W. J. Bennett. (1787)

H. W. Kendall  
Capt. M. M. C.

Jan 12/17

C. 267-0  
P. M. M.

3-0-0 P. M. M. 15/17  
B. C.

PAY & RECORD OFFICE  
200  
JAN 15 1917

438/1 Bennett

435/1 McLean

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/47.

No. 435/1

Pay & Record Office,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W.,

To: Miss Jeannie McLean,  
County Hospital,  
Ayr, Scotland.

Postal Money Order No. 32444 for £3 0 0.

is enclosed at request of No. 1787, Rfn. W.T. Bennett,

~~1st Newfoundland Regt., 2nd London General Hospital, Chelsea,~~

Attached receipt form to be signed and returned, please. <sup>S.W.</sup>

*A. D. Guinness* Major,  
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/43.

No. 438/1

Pay & Record Office,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W.,

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To: 1787 Rfm. W.T. Bennett,

1st Newfoundland Regt.,

2nd London General Hospital, King's Road,  
Chelsea, S.W.

With reference to your request dated 12/1/17 (      ),  
Postal Money Order No. 32444 for £3 0 0  
has been sent to: Miss Jeannie McLean,  
County Hospital, Ayr, Scotland  
and charged to your account.

*H. V. Sturges* Major,  
Paymaster & Officer i/c records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No

N 46

Paymaster & Officer i/c records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W.

Please remit per Postal Money Order to:

*H. S.*  
1787. ~~pt. Wallace J. Bennett 1st Newfoundland~~

~~Regt at Sea~~  
the sum of three pounds no shillings, on

account of any balance that may be due to me.

Regtl. No. 1787 Rank pt

Name Wallace J. Bennett

Approved Kennedy Byrne C.S.  
Officer i/c

2nd London Gen Hospital.

Dated at Cardiff

the 6<sup>th</sup> 1917

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 1787 Pte. Bennett W.  
 "H" Company. From 24/4/17 To 8/6/17 (Dates inclusive)

(Substituting A.F.O. 3625) N.F.P./56  
 Embarked per S. S. Franklin  
 From Liverpool Date 5 JUN 1917  
 Draft No. CR

DR. Classification (See procedure)

Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	s	d
	3	Forfeited Pay							1	Pay	100	46	46	00	
	6	Allowments	704	46	32	20			2	Field Allowances	100		4	60	
	10								3	Other Allowances					
	11/12	Total Stoppages			32	20			4/5	Total @ 4.86 2/3					
					6	12	4						50	60	10 7 11
	13	Fines							6a	Balance from Previous Pay Book					5
	14	Clothing and Necessaries													
	15	Arms & Ammunition													
	16	Barack Damages					6								
	17	Hospital Stoppages													
	17a	Miscellaneous Stoppages					2	10							
	19	Casual Payments						10	4						
	20	1st Payment						10	0						
	21	2nd "						10	0						
	22	3rd "						10	0						
	23	Final "						1	12	4					
	24	Balance Debit Last Period			1	12	4								
	25	" Due by Paymaster							27	Balance Due to Paymaster					
					10	8	4						10	8	4

Rascorne, Ayr  
June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1917

CERTIFIED CORRECT  
Gant  
 O.C. "H" Company.

CHECKED.  
 2026  
 11.7 400

# 2906

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/33.

Temporary A/c.

Regtl No. 1787 Rank

Pte

Name

H. J. Bennett

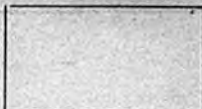
Pay	F. Allow	Working	Total
110	10		110 ✓
Less Allotment			70 ✓
Net Rate			40 ✓

Date	DEBITS	£ s d			CREDITS	£ s d		
		£	s	d		£	s	d
1917	Balance				Balance	22	11	0
	P.M. ADVANCES:				Pay @ Net Rate:	4	13	4
	A.B. 64.				23/1/16 to 14/4/17 = 113 days ✓			
	Acquittance Rolls				40 = 6 45.20	9	5	9
	Hospital Advances	1	3	6	23/4/17 to 22/4/17 = 10 days			
	STOPPAGES:				3/0 = Ration Allow	1	0	0
	Hospital dys =				1/1 to 1/1 = days			
	Forfeited Pay dys =					14	19	8
	Miscellaneous							
	Cables							
	P. & R.O. PAYMENTS:	6	0	0				
	Sundry Bills							
	Cash	7	14	0				
		7	0	0				
		1	0	0				
	14/4/17							
	17/4/17							

*[Handwritten signature]*

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

Army Form B. 268.



# Proceedings on Discharge.

(When forwarded for confirmation the documents named on page 4 should be enclosed.)

No. <u>1787</u>	Army Rank <u>Pte.</u>
Name <u>Wallace Bennett.</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
Corps <u>1st Newfoundland Regt.</u>	
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &amp;c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>	
Date of discharge <u>11th July 1917</u>	
Place of discharge <u>St John's Newfoundland</u>	
1. Description at the time of discharge.	
Age <u>22</u> years <u>1</u> months Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7 1/2</u> inches Chest measure { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins. Complexion <u>fair</u> Eyes <u>Blue</u> Hair <u>Wk. Brown</u> Trade _____ Intended place of residence _____ (To be given as fully as practicable)	Descriptive marks.  <u>Scar on left forearm.</u>
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>being no longer physically fit for war service</u>	
<small>(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)</small>	
To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.	3. Military character :—
	4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations :—
	_____
	_____
	_____
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.	
Initials of Commanding Officer.	
Army Form B. 2068 has been issued to*	

Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment or Corps 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt Regimental Number 1787  
 Rank Pte Surname Bennett Christian Name W. G. R.  
 Religion P. C. Age on Enlistment 21 years 3 months.  
 Enlisted (a) Aug 23/15 Terms of Service (a) Duration of a Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
 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.

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
		Embarked ...	<u>Secret a/cpt base</u>	<u>24 8 16</u>	
		Disembarked...	<u>Roseau</u>	<u>25 8 16</u>	
		Joined Battalion	<u>8 SEP 1916</u>		
	<u>21 Ccs</u>	<u>Admitted Rheumatism 10/16 transf</u>	<u>Duty</u>	<u>15/10/16</u>	<u>ED 4677</u>
	<u>21 Ccs</u>	<u>Admitted Rheumatism 8/12/16 transf 11A 7</u>		<u>9/12/16</u>	<u>ED 6936</u>
	<u>21 Ccs</u>	<u>Invalided to England ex 3 Stry Hosp Gen (Ch. yalgia)</u>		<u>16/12/16</u>	<u>W 3083</u>
		<u>for Officer i/c</u>			
		<u>General Headquarters, 2nd Acheleon</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, Shoeing-smith, &c.

## Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.Regimental No. 1784 Rank No. Name Bennett W. J.Enlisted (a) Aug 23/15 Terms of Service (a) Duration of War. Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of promotion to present rank } \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank } \_\_\_\_\_ Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. } \_\_\_\_\_

Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_



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		Embarked Southampton.		24. 8. 16	
		Disembarked Rouen.		25. 8. 16	
21 <sup>st</sup> b.c.s.	Ad	Joined Battalion.		8. 9. 16	
		Rheumatism. 11/10/16 Transf. Duty.		15. 10. 16	F.D. 4677.
21 <sup>st</sup> b.c.s.	do	do.	8/12/16	do 11 A. T.	9. 12. 16 F.D. 6936.
H.S.	Glenartcle	Invalided to England. (Myalgia)	3 Lytton Rouen.	16/12/16	W. 3083.

J. M. Branchell  
 Capt.  
 General <sup>at</sup> quarters.  
 3rd 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.

RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF  
RIBAND OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL-1914-1919.

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C.R. 1787

I certify that I have received a issue of 8 inches  
of Riband of British War Medal-1914-1919

NAME... *Wallace Bennett*

(Date) *Nov. the 21...*

(Place) *Doyle Station*





Fold Here

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

*Royal Nfld. Regt.*

*Dept. of Militia,*

*ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.*

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Fold Here

SEP 14 1921 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**  
is/are forwarded herewith to

Wallace T. Bennett

in respect of his service as No. 1787 Rank Pte.

Name W.T. Bennett Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Nfld. Infantry Corps

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Victory Medal and British

Signature Wallace Bennett War Medal

Date September 23

Address Payles Station

[P.T.O.]



## 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 *Bennett Wallace.*  
 Regiment from which discharged *1st. Newfoundland*  
 Regimental number *1787*  
 Intended address *St. Georges.*  
 Height on discharge *5* Feet *9 1/4*  
 Color of hair on discharge *Dark Brown*  
 Complexion *fair*  
 Color of eyes *blue*  
 Figure on discharge *medium.*  
 Christian name of Father *dead.*  
 Christian name of Mother *Annie.*  
 Wife's maiden name in full   
 Date and place of marriage   
 Christian names of children   
 Place and date of soldier's birth. *St. Georges - 23 May - 1895*  
 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) *Wallace Bennett*

Station *St. Johns*

Date *June 26/17*

(Rank) *Post*

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.

*J. W. Borden*  
 Medical Officer i/c Hospital.  
 Unit, or Command Depot.

Station *St. John's*

Date *June 26/17*

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Bennett

Christian Name Wallace

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish..... County Nfld

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined .....	21	Aug		
	at	St John's Nfld	at	
Declared Age.....	21	years		
Trade or Occupation.....	Fisherman			
Height .....	5	feet	4 1/2	inches
Weight .....	142 lbs.			
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded...	38		
	Range of expansion..	4		
Physical Development.....				
Vaccination Marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arms.....			
Number.....				
When Vaccinated .....	No			
Vision .....	R.E.—V==	4/6	R.E.—V==	
	L.E.—V==	4/6	L.E.—V==	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Samuel Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	Capt.			
	Medical Officer.			
Enlisted .....	at	St John's	at	
	on	23 <sup>rd</sup> day of Aug	on	
		1915		
Joined on Enlistment .....	Corps.	1 <sup>st</sup> Nfld Regt	Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	1787	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to..				
Became non-effective by.				
	on	day of	on	day of
		191		191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

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Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing syphilis, admission of treatment
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
2nd London General Hospital, St. Mark's College, King's Road, CHELSEA, S.W.	17	12	16	13	4	17	Myalgia	117	

list in case of Warrant officers treated in quarters.

on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.

Signature of Medical Officer

*J. M. Colours*

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
15. 10. 15	1 <sup>st</sup> Inoculation
19. 11. 15	Vacc. R.P. Brahman C. Samb.
9. 12. 15	TV <sup>ii</sup> R.P. Brahman C. Samb.
23. 8. 16	Fit for foreign Service N. F. C.
A - F - H	T. A. B. { 30. 4. 17. <u>W. S. S. S.</u> 2            { 9. 5. 17. <u>C. Samb.</u>

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
St Johns N. F. C.					

2/1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Private *Rennett. W.*

No. *1787.* is unlikely to be fit for

Service with the Expeditionary Force for *six (6)*

months, on account of *Rheumatism (myalgia)*

I recommend that he be posted to the Depôt at St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

*W. Dunstan* M.O.,

Capt. R.A.M.C.

I/C. 2/1st Newfoundland Regt.

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Signature of O. C. Company Senorris sh.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay	
No.	<u>1787 W. J. Bennett</u>	Age on	<u>21 years 3 months</u>	<u>Fisherman</u>		
Joined _____ Date _____		Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St John's 23.1.1918</u>	Religion		
Joined _____ Date _____				<u>R. C.</u>		
Joined _____ Date _____		Period of	<u>with Colours 13<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> years. with Reserve 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> years.</u>	Place of Birth		
Joined _____ Date _____				<u>Flat Bay</u>		

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
<u>Newton on Age</u>	<u>24/4/16</u>	<u>Pte</u>		<u>Refusing to obey an order</u>	<u>Lie Adams</u>	<u>3 days CA</u>	<u>24/4/16</u>	<u>Senorris sh.</u>	<u>Sen</u>
<u>Racecourse</u>	<u>11/7/17</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Involence to N.C.O</u> <u>Absent from 6.30 am parade</u> <u>was reported 8.35 am. parade</u>	<u>Plt. Sturtall</u> <u>Pte Johnson</u>	<u>2 extra Drills</u>	<u>11/7/17</u>	<u>Lieut. L. Gane.</u>	<u>L.G.</u>
				<u>Medically Unfit</u>	<u>11/7/17</u>				

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months, on account of Rheumatism (myalgia)

I recommend that he be posted to the Depôt at St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

*H. S. Dunlop*  
M.O.,

Capt. R.A.M.C.

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