



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 2117 Name Daniel D. Bird Corps

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

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| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>Daniel Vincent Bird</u>      |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>Demerolle, P. B.</u>         |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>Yes</u>                      |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>27</u> Years <u>5</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Farmer</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 .....                   |
|  | { 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, Daniel D. Bird 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.

Daniel D. Bird SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Edward W. Page Signature of Witness.

6. Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1916

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

I, Daniel D. Bird 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 Demerolle on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer

Edward W. Page

### † 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.....1916

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, 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)

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name *W. B. Baird*

*22* years *5* months. Height *5* feet *6* inches

Measurement { Girth when fully expanded *38* inches  
 Range of expansion *3* inches

Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin *Mrs. John Baird, Dunville, P. R.*

| 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	Regt. or Depot	Promotion, 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 _____									
<i>Promoted Sgt. 16.4.17</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to..... (date of discharge)..... years..... days									
Pension..... [.....]									

REGIMENTAL NUMBER 7117

COMPANY N.

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.

§ George V.,

Chapter IV.

signed Daniel V. Bird

witness W. Rendell  
Major

Dated at St. John's

June 30<sup>th</sup> 1916



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 2117 Name Amiel D. Bird Corps

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

1. What is your name? ..... 1. Amiel D. Bird
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. St. John's, N.S.
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 22 Years 8 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Printer
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, Amiel D. Bird, 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.

..... SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Amiel D. Bird ..... Signature of Witness.

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

I, Amiel D. Bird, 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 St. John's on this 24th day of February, 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer ..... Amiel D. Bird

### † 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.

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‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

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# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

2117

Name Daniel D. Reid  
 Apparent age 22 years 5 months. Height 5 feet 6 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 inches  
 Range of expansion 3 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs John Reid, Dunville, P. B.  
 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	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service to be reckoned to towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>23-2-16</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>February 23<sup>rd</sup> 1916</u>									
<u>Discharged April 11 1919</u>									
Embarked at <u>St John's</u> for <u>det. 24<sup>th</sup></u> Embarked for <u>det. 9<sup>th</sup></u>									
Promoted <u>12<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>Admiral 100<sup>th</sup> St. Stephen's Road</u> & <u>13<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> & <u>10<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> & <u>10<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u>									
Admitted <u>55<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 1917. Admitted <u>9<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 8 <sup>th</sup> 1917. Discharged & <u>10<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 20 <sup>th</sup> 1917. <u>12<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 20 <sup>th</sup> 1917.									
Approved <u>12<sup>th</sup></u> in the field 27 <sup>th</sup> 1917. <u>12<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 27 <sup>th</sup> 1917. <u>12<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 27 <sup>th</sup> 1917. <u>12<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 27 <sup>th</sup> 1917.									
Admitted <u>29<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 1 <sup>st</sup> 1917. Admitted to <u>St. George's</u> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1917. Admitted to <u>St. George's</u> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1917. Admitted to <u>St. George's</u> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1917.									
Sutcliffe then attached depot <u>14<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 24 <sup>th</sup> 1917. <u>14<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 24 <sup>th</sup> 1917. <u>14<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 24 <sup>th</sup> 1917. <u>14<sup>th</sup></u> to <u>St. George's</u> 24 <sup>th</sup> 1917.									
Arrived <u>St. George's</u> 7.2.1919									
Total Service forfeited as above.....					<u>Demobilization St John's 4-4-1919</u>				
Total Service towards Engagement to.....					<u>4-4-19</u> (date of discharge) <u>3</u> years <u>41</u> days				
Pension .....									

C.R. 2117

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Royal Newfoundland  
Regiment dated October 20th 1919. Depot St. John's

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization  
has been CONFIRMED by Officer i/c Records from  
noted date 4-4-19.

2117, ~~Sgt.~~ D. Bird.

C.R! 2117

Extract from Memorial Roll of R.F.A. Regt. Draft No. 8.  
from 2nd En. Depot to 1st En. D.S.F. Subarised Southampton

9-7-15.

9-7-16

2117 Pte. D. Bird.

C.R. 2117

Extract from Daily Orders Part II, Depot of the Newfoundland  
~~Regiment~~  
~~Forces~~ Corps, dated March 22nd., 1919.

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The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has been  
APPROVED by O. O. Discharge Depot on noted date. 21-3-19.

21-3-19

2117 Pte. Daniel Bird.

2117



C.R. 2117

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.  
Regt. St. John's, 11-8-19.

The undernoted Returned from Overseas and reported at  
Depot 7-2-19.

Repatriated on A.F. 5177.

2117 Danl. Bird.

C.R. 2117

Extract from Hospital Roll of the Royal WFLD. Regt.  
Reprinted N. S. Journal Jan. 30, 1919.

2117 Sgt. Bård.

C.R. 2117

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

O.C. Military Hospital, Grove Road, Richmond, reports:

#2117/ L/Cpl. D. Bird. ✓

Furlough from 8/1/18 to 17/1/18. Fit for 1. Duty.

December 26, 1917.

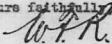
Mrs John Bird,  
Dunville,

2117, L/Cpl. D.V. Bird.

Dear Mrs Bird;

In reply to your letter of 17, Dec., concerning the casualty reports of the above mentioned soldier, I have the honour to inform you that the only report received this year concerning L/Cpl. Bird, was that of 11, Dec., which stated that he had been admitted to Richmond Military Hospital, Richmond. The reference to previous report concerning him was a clerical error in another department.

Yours faithfully,



Major,

C.S.O. Dept. of Militia.

WFR/JMP.

G.

24th December, 1917.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant, with enclosure from Mrs. John Bird, of Dunville, concerning the casualty of No. 2117, Lance Corporal Daniel Bird.

Upon reference to the records, I find that the only report received this year concerning Lance Corporal Bird was that of December 11th, which stated that he had been admitted to Richmond Military Hospital, Richmond, and the reference to the previous report concerning him was a clerical error.

I return herewith the letter of Mrs. John Bird which you forwarded me.

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient servant,

Colonial Secretary.

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

G.



24th December, 1917.

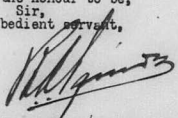
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I return herewith the letter of Mrs. John Bird which you forwarded me.

I have the honour to be,  
Sir,  
Your obedient servant,



Colonial Secretary.

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

December 21, 1917.

The Honourable,  
The Colonial Secretary,  
C I T Y.

Sir:-

I have the honour to forward a letter from Mrs John Bird, Dunville, of 17, Dec., concerning the casualty of 2117, L/Cpl. Daniel Bird. I should be glad to have particulars according to your records, to enable me to reply to Mrs Bird. Please return attached letter.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



Minister of Militia.

WFR/JMF.



## DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

ADDRESS REPLY TO  
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA  
AND QUOTE NO.

2117

December 21, 1917.

The Honourable,  
The Colonial Secretary,  
C I T Y.

Sir:-

I have the honour to forward a letter from Mr. John Bird, Dunville, of 17, Dec., concerning the casualty of 2117, 1/Cpl. Daniel Bird. I should be glad to have particulars according to your records, to enable me to reply to Mr. Bird. Please return attached letter.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Minister of Militia.

WFA/J.M.F.



Dunville  
Dec 17 1917.

J. R. Bennett, Esq.  
Minister of Militia  
St. Johns.

ANSWERED

Dear Sir:-

12th Dec 1917  
I had a message  
No. 2117 Lt. Daniel J. Bird  
Richmond Hospital wounded. The Daily  
News says previously reported I got  
no word that he was wounded. The  
Daily News also said wounded Oct 18th  
I had a letter from him in Dec written  
Nov 29th, so I cannot see how he was  
wounded as he was alright when  
he wrote me.

Trusting to hear from you at  
your earliest convenience.

I am

Yours truly

Mrs John Bird

Address

Mrs John Bird  
Dunville.

C.R. 2117

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated Decembe 16, 1917.

#2117 L/Cpl. D.V. Bird. ✓

Wounded 30/11/17.

# VFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

## Cable Connection with all the World



### All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connection with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

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

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender

Address

Line Number	Red	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated

December 11, 1917.

To

Mrs. John Bird,  
Dunville, P.B.

Record Office, London, today reports No. 2117,  
L. Corp. Daniel V. Bird, has been admitted to  
Richmond Military Hospital, Richmond,

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary

C.R. 2117

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated December 10, 1917.

#2117 Pte. D. Bird. ✓

Gunshot wound left leg severe.

Admitted 11 Stationary Hospital, Rouen, December  
2nd, 1917.

C.R. 2117

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office London, dated December 10, 1917.

#2117 L/Cpl. D. Bird. ✓

Gunshot wound Left Leg.

Admitted Richmond Hospital, Richmond, Surrey.

7/12/17.

C.R. 2117

Extract of Casualties from list of sick and wounded N.C.Os and men  
of the Expeditionary Force - France received from the Pay and Record  
Office, London, dated Dec.10th 1917.

2117 Pte. Bird, D.

GSW Leg L. Sev.....-Adm. 11 Sty. R. Rouen 2 Dec. 17.

C.R. 2117

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office London, Dec. 10th, 1917.

At Richmond Military Hospital, Richmond, Surrey.

2117 L/C D. Bird.

G.S.W. L. Leg.

C.R. 2117

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, by Lieut.Col.  
Forbes Robertson, M.C. Commanding Newfoundland  
Regiment, 18 /4/17.

#2117 Pte. D. Bird, C.Co.,

To be Lance Corporal.



C.R.2117

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

NEW ZEALAND CONTINGENT

27782 Pte. Campbell, M.	2/Well. Inf. NZ.	Myalgia &.....Dis. to Base Dep.	<u>LIST NO. H.A. 4104</u> ex 35 Gen.H. Calais. 10th Nov. 16.
24/1249 RQMS. Fraser, P. J.	2/N. Z. Rif. Bde.	Debility	
8/3218 Pte. Collins, W.	1/Otago. Inf. NZ.	PUO. Trench Fever.. To Eng.	ex 35 Gen.H. 10th Nov. 16.
		GSW. L.F'arm	-do-

CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

410306 Pte. Hawkins, G.	38/Canadian Inf.	GSW. Leg. R.....To Eng.	<u>LIST NO. H.A. 4104</u> ex 6 Gen.H. 9th Nov. 16.
90878 Dvr. Harding, J.W.	Can. P.A. 29 Bty. 11 Bde.	PUO.....Dis. to 2 Con. Dep.	Rouen ex 6 Gen.H. 9th Nov. 16.
C41032 Sjt. Hamilton, H.P.	Can. P.A. D48 Bty. 2 Bde.	GSW. Mult.....To Eng.	ex 6 Gen.H. 10th Nov. 16.
71931 Spr. McCarthy, W.	3/Canad. 23 Tun. Co.	GSW. Head &.....To Eng.	ex 35 Gen.H. 10th Nov. 16. finger.

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CAVALRY RECORD OFFICE JANTEBUKY.

1089 Tpr. Valentine, P.	King Edw. Horse.	PUO.....To Eng.	<u>LIST NO. H.A. 4104</u> ex 6 Gen.H. 9th Nov. 16.
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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

2117 Pte. Bird, D.	1/Newfoundland.	GSW. Knee. L.....	<u>LIST NO. H.A. 4104</u> Dis. to Base Dep. ex 6 Gen.H. Rouen. 10th Nov. 16.
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C.R. 2117

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated October 30, 1916.

#2117 Pte. D.V. Bird. ✓

Wounded 12/10/16 and reported by O.S.C. Bn, 14/10/16.

C.R. 2117

Extract from Casualties received from P. A. R. Officer,  
London, Oct. 28, 1916.

6th General Hospital, Rouen, Oct. 18:

2117 Baird.

Gunshot wound left knee.

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COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated

28th October, 1916.

To

Mrs. John Bird,  
Dunville, P. B.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,

No. 2117 Private Daniel V.

London, officially reports

Bird at Sixth General Hospital Rouen October eighteenth

Gunshot Wound Left Knee.

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

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 2117

Extract from Casualties from London District, #0997 dated

27-10-16

#2117 Pte. D. Bird.

WOUNDED 12-10-16.

AUTHORITY O. C. M. 14-10-16 P. R. NIL.

EG.

C.R. 2117

Extract of Casualty List received from P.A.R.O.  
October 27th 1916.

The following Casualty in the 1st Newfoundland regiment  
with the British Expeditionary Force is reported under  
various date.

2117, L.Cpl. W. Bird. ✓

FOURD

C.R. 2117

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,  
Mar. 23, 1916.

2117 Pte. D.V. Bird.

EXTRACT FROM STATEMENT OF A/C 31-1-19 FROM PAY OFFICE  
LONDON

2117 A/Sgt. Bird, DB.

Dr. Bal. £2-13-11

THIS TRANSFERRED TO PAY OFFICE 7-4<sup>th</sup> 19



C.R. 2117

Daniel V. Bird was attested for General Service with  
the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT on Feb. 23rd 1916.

Regimental No. 2117 was allotted to Pte D.V. Bird.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th 1919.

D. H. Bird.

C.R.

2117

P.R.O.

## Statement of Accounts

No. 2117 Rank Lance Corporal <sup>OF</sup> Name Bird James  
 Company, etc. \_\_\_\_\_  
 From \_\_\_\_\_ to April 70<sup>th</sup> per day Al. (dates).

DEBITS				CREDITS			
Date				Date			
	Accountant's bill	15	7 8 ✓		Balance 8/6/07.	14	19 10 ✓
	P & R B. papers.	16	5 1 ✓		Pay		
					9/6/07 - 7/1/18.		
					213 days @ 45 <sup>th</sup> halcy		
					195.85 ✓	19	13 14 ✓
7/18	Cash 5129	6	18 0		Ration allow.		
					10 days @ 2/-	1	0 0 ✓
					Ration allow.		
					July 1907 B.S. 7		
					10 days @ 1/9 (Sund. halcy)	14	6 ✓
	Creditor Balance		<del>16</del> 19 6 ✓		Debtor Balance		
	Total £	36	11 3 ✓		Total £	36	11 3 ✓

Station \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Certified correct,  
 11/14  
 Paymaster.

**NOTE.**—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.) or xvia.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

In cases of soldiers not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to be considered for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

## Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps..... *Royal Newfoundland* } Former Trade }  
or Occupation }
2. Regtl. No. *1117*, 3. Rank..... *Sgt.* 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—
4. Name ..... *B. E. D. Daniel* (a) Former Regts. or Corps ;  
(Surname) (Christian Names) with Regtl. Nos.
5. Age last birthday.....
6. Posted for duty on..... at.....  
in category (or grade).....
8. If the disability is an injury was it caused  
(a) in action (b) on field service  
(c) on duty (d) off duty? (b) Date of Discharge ;  
(c) Cause of Discharge.
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state :—  
(a) When (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity  
(b) Where (if any)  
(c) Opinion of Court

**NOTE.**—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 a (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case.

### Statement of Case.

**NOTE.**—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here. (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "nil."
- nil.*
11. Date of origin of disability. *Nov 30<sup>th</sup> 1917.*
12. Place of origin of disability. *Canbrai.*
13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents.
- Bullet wound through left leg taken to 12th Gen Hosp. France later transferred to Richmond Hosp. Surrey from there discharged 7-1-18.*

14. State whether the disabilities are
- |  | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war .. .. .                        | <i>Yes</i>          | .....             |
| (ii.) Previous active service .. .. .                              | <i>No</i>           | .....             |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .                          | <i>No</i>           | .....             |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .             | <i>No</i>           | .....             |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the man's part. } .. .. . | <i>No</i>           | .....             |
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do you attribute it? } *W.A.*

In all cases such as facial injuries, eye, ear, nose and throat disabilities, etc., a specialist's report is to be attached with radiographs where possible; and in cases of amputation the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition? *Small scars on left*  
*(A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)*  
*by anterior and posterior, both healed no disability*

16. Was an operation performed? If so, when and what was its nature?
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?
18. \*In the case of loss or decay of teeth,—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable?
19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions?

20. Do you recommend—
- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit?
- (b) Change to United Kingdom?
- Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invalided at Foreign Stations.

*J. J. [Signature]*

REGULAR MEDICAL OFFICERS REC.

Station .....

Date .....

Medical Officer in charge of case.

\* Loss of teeth on or immediately after active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

Regiment or Corps 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland RegtSquadron, Battery, or Company ANo. 2117 Rank PrivateNAME in full Daniel V. BirdDate of Attestation Feb 23/16 andAge on Enlistment 22 years 5 months

If appointed to a Unit formed on Mobilization the designation of such unit should be clearly stated here—

**NOTE.**—The account of the soldier while on active service will be kept in the Office of the Paymaster paying the Base Depot of his Unit or by the Paymaster at the record office station of his Unit and all communications relating to his accounts should be addressed accordingly.

Rates of—

Pay ... ..	4 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Proficiency Pay .. ..	...
Service Pay ... ..	...
Corps Pay or Engineer Pay ... ..	...
Total ... ..	4 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Deduct Allotment or Compulsory Stoppage	2 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
† NET DAILY RATE FOR ISSUE—	1 7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>

words) one shilling

Approved this 10th day of  
April 1914

W. G. Rendell May  
Signature of Soldier.  
O. C. Company, etc.

Date and Station Apr 11

† Subject to amendments (if any) on page 4.

For use in case the Rates of Pay given on p. 3  
require to be amended—

(1)

The Net Rate of Pay for issue has been reduced  
or raised to one s. ten pence. (words)

from April 16 1917, on account  
of promoted to  
Lower rate  
Pay above it

O. C. Company, &amp;c.

Checked \_\_\_\_\_ Paymaster.

(2)

The Net Rate of Pay for issue has been reduced  
or raised to \_\_\_\_\_ s. \_\_\_\_\_ d. (words)

from \_\_\_\_\_ 1917, on account  
of \_\_\_\_\_

O. C. Company, &amp;c.

Checked \_\_\_\_\_ Paymaster.

\* NOTE.—The above rates should be verified,  
whenever opportunity offers, by the Paymaster  
compiling the man's account. A new book should  
be issued, if necessary, the Paymaster retaining the  
old one.



Cash Payments made to

Date	Place	Amount	Signature of Officer
22/1/16	1307	2/10	C. W. Jiggs Capt
16/1/16	In the field	15	R. J. Peterson Lt
17/2/16	"	15	R. J. Peterson Lt
22/2/16	"	25	R. J. Peterson Lt
28/2/16	"	15	R. J. Peterson Lt
4/3/16	"	15	R. J. Peterson Lt
13/7/17	"	15	A. C. Smith Sgt
22/2/17	In the field	5/10	unrec'd
1/3/17	"	5/10	Chase Lt
8/3/17	do	5/10	R. J. Peterson Lt
15/3/17	do	15	R. J. Peterson Lt
22/3/17	do	5/10	A. R. Stick
31/3/17	"	15	R. J. Peterson Lt
1/4/17	"	15	R. J. Peterson Lt
29/4/17	"	25	R. J. Peterson Lt
8/5/17	"	20	R. J. Peterson Lt

## Cash Payments made to

Date	Place	Amount	Signature of Officer
2/16/12	in the field	25X	R. G. Paterson Capt.
8/16/12	"	20X	" " Lt.
16/6/17	" "	10X	" " Lt.
23/6/17	" "	20X	R. G. Paterson Capt.
18/7/17	" "	20X	R. G. Paterson Capt.
2/17	" "	25X	C. Watson Lt.

19 July	in the field.	5/00	J. J. Donnelly Capt.
26/7/16	—	15	" " Donnelly "
21/8/16	—	15	" " Donnelly "
28/8/16	—	15	" " Donnelly "
13/9/16	—	15	" " Donnelly "
5/9/16	—	15	" " Donnelly "
5-10-16	—	50	" " Donnelly "
16-11-16	—	50	" " Donnelly "

Signature of Soldier

*W. R. Bird*

Book opens on \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_. (For the Net Daily Rate of Pay see pages 3 and 4, and Note on page 5.)

If the Soldier was in debt on the above date, the amount to be recovered from the next pay due to him should be stated.

Debt £ \_\_\_\_\_ s. \_\_\_\_\_

*W. R. Bird*  
O. C. Company, &c.

## Cash Payments

Date	Place or field	Amount	Signature of Officer
1916 10/7/16	Def of Kel	£ 1/5	R. Hugh 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lieut.
14 July 20	Romen. Def of Kel	5/6	G. J. Jones 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lt. C. Jones 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lt.
1/8/17	in the field	25/-	R. W. Watson Capt.
5/9/17	"	25/-	R. W. Watson Capt.
5-9/17	"	25/-	W. H. Jones 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lt.
12/9/17	"	25/-	W. H. Jones 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lt.
15/9/17	"	30/-	R. W. Watson Capt.
19/9/17	"	15/-	W. H. Jones 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lt.
21/9/17	"	10/-	R. W. Watson Capt.
2/10/17	"	20/-	R. W. Watson Capt.

## Short Form of Will.

(See instruction 4 on page 1).

If a soldier on active service, or under orders for active service, wishes to make a short will, he may do so on the opposite page. It must be entirely in his own handwriting and must be signed by him and dated. The full names and addresses of the persons whom he desires to benefit, and the sum of money or the articles or property which he desires to leave to them, must be clearly stated. The mere entry of the name of an intended legatee on the opposite page without any mention of what the legatee is to receive is of no legal value.

The following is a specimen of a will leaving all to one person:—

In the event of my death I give the whole of my property and effects to my mother, Mrs. Mary Atkins, 999, High Street, Aldershot.

(Signature) THOMAS ATKINS,  
Private, No. 1793,

Date, 5th August, 1914. Gloucester Fusrs.

The following is a specimen of a will leaving legacies to more than one person:—

In the event of my death I give £10 to my friend, Miss Rose Smith, of No. 1, High St., London, and I give £5 to my sister, Miss Sarah Atkins, 999, High Street, Aldershot, and I give the remaining part of my property to my mother, Mrs. Mary Atkins, 999, High Street, Aldershot.

(Signature) THOMAS ATKINS,  
Private, No. 1793,

Date, 5th August, 1914. Gloucester Fusrs.

Promotions, Appointments, Reductions, and any casualty affecting the net daily rate of pay.

Date	Nature of Casualty	* Officer's Signature
16/4/14	Promoted to Capt. P. P. P.	P. P. P.

\* NOTE.—In addition to the above record, the Officer making the entry will write across the columns for cash payments the nature of the casualty and the amended net rate of pay corresponding with page 4. He will also record in the same places all sentences of imprisonment, attesting such entries by his signature.

No. 2117 Rank Plt Name Bird W.

Pay	P.A.	Weg	Total
105	70		175
Less: Allotment			70
Net Rate			105

DEBITS	Date	£	s	d	CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d	£	s	d	
						From	To									
Balance					Balance		8/6/17						14	19	10	✓
Acquittance Rolls	10	1	80		Pay @ net Rate											
Hospital Advances							9/6/17	15/10/17	132	45	59	40	12	4	12	✓
A.B. 34 (80/100)	2	18	8	✓	Ration allow 11 days			11	7	9			19	3	✓	
P. & R.O. Payments					0 7/9		15/10/17	25/10/17								
15-0-4					(15-2-10)		19/10/17	30/10/17	12	45	7	40	1	27	2	28-3-2
18/10/17	Cash															1 8 7
28-0-4		4330			(1-5-1)											27 5-5

18/10/17





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

Regtl. No. 2117

Bank Lloyds

Name Ward D.

Regiment \_\_\_\_\_

Date from 8/1/1918

to 18/1/1918

To proceed to \_\_\_\_\_

Scotland

I/c Great Sd Hospital

Station London

Date 7/1/18

Address whilst on furlough to which any orders will be sent

Queens Hotel

Ayr

Scot.



Bird, Lan.

2117

Hay Sept

April 4th., 1919

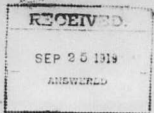
#2117 Sgt. Daniel B rd,  
Florentia.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate  
No.1577."

Yours truly,

Paymaster & Officer i/c Records  
Captain,



#F. 6581

Bunville

Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1919.

A. E. Hickman Esq.  
St. John's

Dear Sir:-

I received  
my final cheque of \$56.89.  
(fifty six dollars and  
eighty nine cents).

Why did I not  
get the full amount (\$70.00)  
that I was promised  
when I got discharged.

Hoping to get an  
explanation for

I remain

Respectfully  
sent statement

Sincerely yours  
D. V. Bird

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2117 Rank Sgt. Name Bird, Fran.  
 Intended place of residence Placentia
2. Occupation Paper-maker  
 Classification of soldier E. Medical Category A.I.
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 .....  
 Date MAR 20 1919 *H. H. Bird Lt. Col.*  
 for 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, of all financial responsibility in my connection.

Place and date ST. JOHN'S 20-3-19  
 Signature of soldier *J. P. Bowley*  
 Signature of witness *H. H. Bird*

### 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 20. 3. 19  
 Signature of soldier *H. Bird*  
 Signature of witness *E. Wilson Sgt.*

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 18. 7. 16 No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 21. 3. 19 plus 14 days Service 1142

### 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 Capt.*  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
 Date MAR 21 1919

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.
- Place St. John's, Nfld *M. Bowley Capt.*  
 Officer i/c Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
 Date April 4/1919

*20 B 2079/1277*

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2117 Rank Sgt Name Buss Sam  
 Date of Enlistment 15-2-16 Address Placentia District Placentia  
 Occupation Police Classification for Discharge E Medical Category AI  
 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	1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3	3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4	
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5	
B 179b	E 103	ME 2		" 6	
B 179c	B 120	M 93			

Date 20-3-19

*H. Mous H.*  
 C. Discharge Depot

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am                      in a position to resume civilian occupation.

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 J. A. Crawford

Date 20-3-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *R 821* to his home  
 at *Maenta* and Release Certificate No. *1599* issued.

Date *20-3-19*

*C. B. Dukes Capt.*  
 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 *4-4-19*

Date *20-3-19*  
 SUBJECT TO ADJUSTMENT OF OVERSEAS PAY ACT.

*H. M. News A.*  
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for. *21. 3. 19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
E 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
F 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 *20. 3. 19*

*C. B. Dukes Capt.*  
 Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer in Records.  
 Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

Date *MAR 21 1919*

*R. H. Hatfield*  
 O.C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date .....

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization: *g.*

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date 20.3.19

Regimental No. 2117

Name Sergt. Bird D

Address Placentia

Present Medical Category A-1

Recommended for:— (a) Immediate discharge .....  
(b) Standing Medical Board .....

Members of Board

R. H. Lait  
O.C. Discharge Depot.

L. Paterson  
Senior Medical Officer

S. W. Burdett  
M. O. Depot

To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists who enter the Regular Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Bird OF Christian Name Daniel Vincent

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish .....	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	County			
Examined .....	on <u>18</u> day of <u>February</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on	day of	191
	at <u>St. John's, Nfld.</u>	at		
Declared Age.....	<u>22</u> years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation .....				
Height .....	<u>5</u> feet	<u>6</u> inches	feet	inches
Weight .....		<u>137</u> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded...	<u>38</u> inches		inches
	Range of expansion..	<u>3</u> inches		inches
Physical Development.....				
Vaccination Marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm .....			
Number .....		<u>2</u>		
When Vaccinated .....	<u>4 1/2 ago.</u>			
Vision .....	R.E.—V= <u>46</u>		R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V= <u>46</u>		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>D. W. Burgess</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Leut.</u>			
		Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.
Enlisted .....	at	at		
	on	on		
	day of	day of		
	191	191		
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment .....	<u>15th Fed. Reg. 2117</u>			
	NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.			
Transferred to .....				
Became non-effective by .....				
	on	on		
	day of	day of		
	191	191		
(Signature)				
(Rank)				





Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick list in case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of further 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
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
MILITARY HOSPITAL	7	12	14	7	1	15	Gr. T. Bull. ad. muscle left leg.		Wounds healed. Disch. as 5016 (i) to Keefield. Hospital.	P. Warren Dept. R. A. M. Co. Headquarters

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.: Examination for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or prolongation of Service; Issues of Surgical appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
Mar. 7. 16	1 <sup>st</sup> Inoculation: <i>Sub</i>
5.5.16.	2 <sup>nd</sup> " <i>Sub</i>
16. 6. 16	Successful vaccination <i>A. F. Harlow</i>
6. 7. 16	Fit for foreign Service N. I. W.
8-1-19	Recommends Repatriation <i>W. D. H. M. G.</i> REGUL. NEWFOUNDLAND REG.

It is hereby certified that this soldier has been before a Travelling Medical Board and has been classified as 6 for Discharge on Demobilization. Medical category AI

70-3-19  
Date of T.M.B. *J. M. G.*  
Discharge Dept. Newfoundland

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
<i>St. John's, 2604</i>	<i>23/3/16</i>	<i>9/4/16</i>			

## 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 retrain for occupation  
Lapen Maku

W. B. Bird

Signature of Man.

Charles C. C. C.

Reg. No.

Signature of the vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

St. John

Date

20-3-19

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NOTE.—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (xvi. or xvii.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P, or P. (T), of the Reserve.  
In cases of soldiers not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to consideration for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

## Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps. *Royal Newfoundland* 7. Former Trade }  
or Occupation }
2. Regt. No. *2117* 3. Rank *Sgt* 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—  
(a) Former Regts. or Corps; with Regt. Nos.
4. Name *BIRD* *Daniel*  
(Surname) (Christian Names)
5. Age last birthday.....
6. Posted for duty on..... at.....  
in category (or grade).....
8. If the disability is an injury was it caused  
(a) in action (b) on field service  
(c) on duty (d) off duty? (b) Date of Discharge;  
(c) Cause of Discharge.
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state:—  
(a) When (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity  
(b) Where (if any)  
(c) Opinion of Court

NOTE.—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 b (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case.

### Statement of Case.

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here. (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "nil."

11. Date of origin of disability. *30th Nov '17.*
12. Place of origin of disability. *Leimbrei*
13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents. *Bullet wound through left leg. Taken to 12th Gen. Hosp. France later trans. to Richmond Sharp. Survey from there discharged*  
*7-1-18*

14. State whether the disabilities are
- |   | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by. |
|---|---------------------|--------------------|
| (i) Service during the present war .. .. .                | Yes                 |                    |
| (ii) Previous active service .. .. .                      | No                  |                    |
| (iii) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .                  | No                  |                    |
| (iv) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .     | No                  |                    |
| (v) Serious negligence or misconduct on the man's part. } | No                  |                    |
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do you attribute it? } N.A.

In all cases such as facial injury, eye, ear, nose and throat, disabilities, etc., a specialist's report is to be attached with radiographs where possible; and in cases of amputation the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition? *2 small scars on left by amputation and posterior, both healed no disability*  
*(A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)*

16. Was an operation performed? If so, when and what was its nature? *N.A.*
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined? *N.A.*
18. \*In the case of loss or decay of teeth,—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable? *N.A.*
19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions? *N.A.*

20. Do you recommend— *Amputation*

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit?  
 (b) Change to United Kingdom?

\* Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invalided at Foreign Stations.

*Proctor M.D.*

Station *Hayley Down Camp*  
 Date .....

Medical Officer in charge of case.

\* Loss of teeth on or immediately after active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause

## Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt. Regimental Number 2117  
 Rank Private Surname Bird Christian Name D. V.  
 Religion R. C. Age on Enlistment 27 years 5 months.  
 Enlisted Feb 9, 1916 Terms of Service 6 months of 60 Service reckons from (a)  
 Date of promotion to present rank \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank 16.4.17  
 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. 103, Army Form A. 26, 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. 103, Army Form A. 26, or other official documents
		Embarked ...	<u>Southampton</u>	<u>9.7.16</u>	
		Disembarked...	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>2.7.16</u>	
	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Joined Battalion</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>21 JUL 1916</u>	
	<u>140 F.A.</u>	<u>Sharpshooters Corps</u>	<u>Belles</u>	<u>13.10.16</u>	<u>ED 4361</u>
	<u>6 Gen Hosp.</u>	<u>Admitted D = D =</u>	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>18/10/16</u>	<u>Att 3461</u>
	<u>29 F.B.D.</u>	<u>Joined Base Dept. ex. 6 Gen Hosp. Rouen</u>	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>10/11/16</u>	<u>Att 3461</u>
	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Re Joined Battalion</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>24/10/16</u>	<u>B213</u>
	<u>53 F.A.</u>	<u>Admitted Myalgia</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>19/1/17</u>	<u>ED 9291</u>
	<u>2/24th Coy</u>	<u>Admitted Proctitis</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>1/2/17</u>	<u>ED 9539</u>
	<u>9 Gen Hosp.</u>	<u>Admitted Do</u>	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>4/2/17</u>	<u>Att 6688</u>
	<u>29 F.B.D.</u>	<u>Joined Base Dept</u>	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>20/2/17</u>	<u>Plum Roll</u>
<u>31.3.17.</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Re-joined Battalion</u>	<u>In the Field</u>	<u>31 MAR 1917</u>	<u>B 213</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, &amp;c.

(D/10120) W 12015-12126 J. P. &amp; Co., Ltd. Forms H/3022.

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 *Daniel Bird*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *7117*

Intended address *Placentia*

Height on discharge *5 Feet 6"*

Color of hair on discharge *Light*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Blue*

Descriptive Marks \_\_\_\_\_

Figure on discharge *medium*

Christian name of Father *John*

Christian name of Mother *Maggie*

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

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

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

Place and date of soldier's birth *Placentia 1894 Sept 11*

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)

*D. Bird*

(Rank) *Sgt*

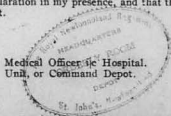
Station

*St John's*

Date

*19. 3. 19*

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



April 7th., 1919

#2117 Sergt. Daniel Bird,

Dunville, F.W.

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 & i/c Records

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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 is 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.

1. Christian name. *Daniel* 2. Surname. *Bird*

3. Rank. *Sgt* 4. Regt. No. *7117*

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

*Dunville, Placentia*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *9/2/16*

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 Efld. if so, give dates, and particulars of such service. *no*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Efld or Overseas.

*3 yrs 19 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. *no*

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? *not applicable*

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? *No* If not give:- (a) Date of discharge *April 21/3/19* (b) Reason for discharge *denuobilization*

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.

*I served in France... 4/1918, 6/1918, Somme, Cambrai*

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com. *no*

(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.

Signature of Applicant: *Wm. B. Bird*  
 Place of Residence: *Dunsmuir, Placenta*  
 Declared before me at: *St John*  
 This *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *March* 19*19*

*Chas O'Neill (ary)* Not. Pub.  
 Signature of Barrister of the  
 Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-  
 trate, Notary Public, Justice of the  
 Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits.

POST DISCHARGE PAY.					Not amount due
Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity		
.....	.....	.....	<i>6 wtd.</i>	.....	<i>420.00</i>
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Certified Correct.				Paymaster.	





This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)  
N.F. 1915

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of <sup>Vincent</sup> *Daniel Reid*  
aged 22 conducted at *Grand Falls*  
Date: *Feb 18/16* Recruiting officer:

NO. OF TEST FINDING *Recommended*

- 1 *no defect.* ✓
- 2 " ✓
- 3 " ✓
- 4 " ✓
- 5 " ✓
- 6 " ✓
- 7 " ✓
- 8 " ✓
- 9 " ✓
- 10 " ✓
- 11 *22 yrs age* ✓
- 12 *no defect* ✓
- 13 " ✓
- 14 " ✓
- 15 " ✓
- 16 " ✓
- 17 " ✓
- 18 " ✓
- 19 " *6/6 both.* ✓
- 20 " ✓
- 21 " ✓
- 22 " ✓
- 23 " ✓
- 24 " ✓
- 25 " ✓
- 26 *Slight* ✓
- 27 " ✓
- 28 " ✓
- 29 " ✓
- 30 " ✓
- 31 " ✓
- 32 *very slight varicocele* ✓
- 33 *yes 22 last left arm 14 yrs ago* ✓
- 34 *5" 7"* ✓
- 35 *14 lbs* ✓
- 36 *37 lbs* ✓
- 37 *42.25 per day* ✓
- 38 *mother* ✓
- 39 *mother* ✓

*No. 2117*

*Foreign service*

*137 lbs.*  
*35-38*

*A. B. Chamberlain*

ST. JOHN'S, MAR 21 1919

# Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To *Sgt. D. Bird*

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from *Feb 8<sup>th</sup> /19* to *Mar 21<sup>st</sup> /19*

*A.C.S.*  
2117 - *Sgt. D. Bird* 43 *Lo*

*B.M. Cur*  
13035

Certified correct for \$ *43.*

*A.J.*

*J.A. [Signature]*  
Billeting Officer.

*D. Bird*

Reg. No. 2117 Rank 19k Name Bird, V.

Attested \_\_\_\_\_ Address Sanville, S.D.

Allotment \_\_\_\_\_ Allottee \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Allotment \_\_\_\_\_ Returned from Overseas 2-19

Returned on S.S. \_\_\_\_\_ Cause Discharge

20.3.19 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

21.3.19 DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION





2117  
Demobilization Form 3

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2117 Rank Sgt Name Rios Jan  
 Date of Enlistment 10-2-16 Address Placentia District Placentia  
 Occupation Paper maker Classification for Discharge E Medical Category AF  
 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 2494	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 102	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 20-3-19 *H. Mans H*  
 O: C. Discharge Depot.

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### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

*W. Bird*

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 *J. H. [Signature]*

Date 20-3-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. K 821 to his home at Naant and Release Certificate No. 1599 issued.

Date 20-3-19

C. B. D. White Capt.  
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 4-4-19

Date 20-3-19

SUBJECT TO ARRANGEMENTS OF OVERSEAS PAY, ACT.

H. M. M. #  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 21. 2. 19.

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	1	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	1
F 178	W 3494	B 122		Board 1st	" 2	1
F 178a	D 400A	B 1915		do 2nd	" 3	2
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 20 3 19

C. B. D. White Capt.  
Demobilization Officer

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-

Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

**MAR 21 1919**

Date .....

R. H. Sait Capt.  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date 20/3/19

W. A. D. ...  
...