



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 5735 Name Jabez Butler ^{Corps} Cof E.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? Jabez Butler
2. What is your full Address? } Seal Cove C.B.
3. Are you a British Subject? } Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 27 Years Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Farmer
6. Are you Married? 6. Yes
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) Yes
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, Jabez Butler 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.

Jabez Butler SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
P. R. Power Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

Jabez Butler 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 Seal Cove on this 8 day of July 1915.

P. R. Power Signature of Attesting Officer C. S. Dicks Lieut. Johns

†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.....Seal Cove..... } Approving Officer. Johns

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

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5735'

Extract of Daily Orders Part II, Depot, St. John's, dated
Jan. 2nd 1919.

DEMOBILIZATION.

The undernoted man has been discharged, confirmed by Officer
i/c Records on noted dates.

5735 Pte. Jabez Butler,
Discharged 18-12-18

C.R. 5735

July 12, 1918.

To:- . Officer Commanding Depot.
City.

#5735 Pte. Jabez Butler.

It will be in order to give this soldier extended
leave of absence without pay, until September 1st.

Major.
District Officer Commanding.
Newfoundland.

C.R. 5735

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, Depot
St. John's dated December 30th., 1918.

#5735 P^{ts} Jabez Butler.

The a/m discharge on demobilization have been
approved by O. G. discharge Depot from noted
date. He is removed from Depot strength and
transferred to discharge depot pending confirmation
by Officer i/c Records, 18-12-18

C.R. 5735

Excerpt from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit the Royal
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated July 9th, 1918.

#5735 Pte. Jabez Butler.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Nfld. Regt.
July 6, 1918

C.R. 5735

November 4, 1918.

To:- Officer Commanding Depot,
City.

#5735 Private Jabex Butler.

What is the present position of this soldier,
please?

Major.
D.O.C. NFLD.

Butler, J

5735

Ray Sept.

December 30th., 1918.

#5735 Pte. Jabez Butler,

Seal Cove, C.B.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge
Certificate No. 207."

Yours faithfully,

Captain,
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

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The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 5735 Rank Plt Name Butler Jubey
 Intended place of residence Seal Cove
2. Occupation Farmer
 Classification of soldier D Medical Category A/E
3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of

DEMOBILIZATION

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations. ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT Albany Cap
 Place DEC 17 1918 and granted leave without pay. Commanding Discharge Depot
 Date NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES. 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.

ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT

Place and date and granted leave without pay. Signature of soldier
 NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES.
 Signature of witness

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 NOT APPLICABLE. Signature of soldier
Granted Leave without pay at his own request
 attestation to continue in civilian occupation.
 Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 8-7-18 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 17-12-18 Service None

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer in Charge of Records, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.

Place ST. JOHN'S R.H. Dault Capt
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.
 Date DEC 18 1918

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.
- Place St. John's, Nfld. R. Howley Capt
 Date December 18/1918
2079/207
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 5735 Rank Pte Name Butler Jago
 Date of Enlistment 8-7-18 Address Seal Cove District St John's
 Occupation Farmer Classification for Discharge D Medical Category A-1
 Recommendation S.M.B. _____ Disability Rating _____
(Date of Discharge granted)

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1.		
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st.	" 2.		
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd.	" 3.		
B 179	D 400B	Form L.	do 3rd.	" 4.		
B 179a	D 400C	Form K.	do 4th.	" 5.		
B 179b	B 103	ME 2.		" 6.		
B 179c	B 120	M 93.				

Date 17-12-18 O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

NOT APPLICABLE.

Granted Leave without pay at his own request after
attestation to continue in 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

(b) Clothing Supplied

**ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT
and granted leave without pay.
NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES.**

Date.....

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. Ward to his home at Seal Cove and Release Certificate No. 316 issued Males

Date 17-12-18

421
Erskine Cliff
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named **ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT** soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has **and granted leave without pay,** received pay and allowances to

NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES.

Date 17-12-18

McKenney Capt -
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 17-12-18

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P136	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
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B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 17-12-18

Erskine Cliff
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Date DEC 18 1918

RH Sant Carl
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date Dec 21/1918

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Baxter OF James Christian Name

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE

Birthplace:—Parish Sea Lion, C.B. County Newfoundland

	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	8th day of July 1918		day of	191
Declared Age	22 years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	Farmer			
Height	5 feet 5 inches		feet	inches
Weight	116 lbs.			lls.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded	35 inches		inches
	Range of Expansion	4 inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Number	—	—	
When Vaccinated				
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)	<u>L. M. Storer</u>			
(Rank)		Medical Officer		Medical Officer
Enlisted	at	<u>S. Jones</u>	at	
	on	8th day of July 1918	on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps		Corps	
	Regtl. No.		Regtl. No.	
Transferred to	<u>Royal Nfld Regiment 5735</u>			
Became non-effective by	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at

Headquarters July 18

1. Name

John Butler
Barbey

Age (a) Declared *22*

(b) Apparent

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? *no*

What severe illnesses have you had? *none*

Eyes.
Comp
Marks.

Blue

Fair

57 35

3. Height *5-5*

Weight *116*

4. Eyesight (a) Left *4/6*

(b) Right *4/6*

5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) *n*

6. Examination of Lungs *n*

Measurement

(a) Expiration

31

(b) Inspiration

35

7. Examination of Heart *n*

8. Examination of Urine *✓*

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

Teeth

Throat

Nose

Ears—(Otorrhea)

(Deafness)

n

10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when? *no*

11. Name and address of next of kin

Father Charles Paul Jones
P.B.

REMARKS--

A II

W. Paterson
Archibald

Medical Examiners.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
AND QUOTE NO.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

July 12, 1918.

To:- Officer Commanding Depot.
City.

#5735 Pte. Jabez Butler.

It will be in order to give this soldier extended
leave of absence without pay, until September 1st. /1918

Alfred J. Gomerie
Majr.

District Officer Commanding.
Newfoundland.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

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AND QUOTE NO.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

November 4, 1918.

To:- Officer Commanding Depot,
City.

#5735 Private Jabez Butler.

What is the present position of this soldier,
please?

Spencer

Major.
D.O.C. NFLD.

November 5th/18

From Officer Commanding,
Depot.

To D.O.Bg., Newfoundland,
Militia Department.

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#5735, Pte. Jabez Butler.

Reference your enquiry concerning above noted soldier Private Butler enlisted on 8th July and, in accordance with your instructions on letter dated July 17th, was given Leave of absence without Pay to September 1st, 1918. Private Butler has not reported since and I think he is taking advantage of the general notice extending the leave of absence from time to time for men called up under the Military Service Act.

Captain,

O.C. Depot.

RHT/TJW

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B 121.
39.

Number of Sheet

One

Regiment of

Royal Newfoundland Regt

Signature of O. C. Company

P. B. Dickson

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade
No.	<i>Jabez Britton</i>	Age on	22 years	months
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St John's</i>	
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colour	<i>163</i> years
Joined	Date		with Reserve	<i>365</i> years
Joined	Date	Religion	<i>C of E.</i>	
		Place of Birth	<i>St. John's</i>	

Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Class of Offence	OFFENCE	Name of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<i>Demobilized</i>	<i>St John's</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>18</i>		

To be carried over.

Army Form B. 121.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 5735 Rank Pte Name Butler James
 Date of Enlistment 2.7.18 Address Beal Cove District H. Mans
 Occupation Farmer Classification for Discharge D Medical Category 1st AF
 Recommendation S.M.B. _____ Disability Rating _____
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- (a) Clothing Allowance payable
- (b) Clothing Supplied

Date O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. to his home
 at Deal Cove and Release Certificate No. 421 issued 17-12-18

Date 17-12-18

[Signature]
 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

Date 17-12-18

[Signature]
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 18-12-18

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B 179c.	B 120.	M 93.	✓ 1			

Date 17-12-18

[Signature]
 Demobilization Officer

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-
 Officer i/c Records.
 Board of Pension Commissioners.
 with following additional documents.

Date DEC 18 1918

[Signature]
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date Dec 21/1918

[Signature]
[Signature]

Reg. No. *5735* Rank *Pte* Name *Jabez Butler*

Attested *6-7-18* Address *Seal Cove C.B.*

Allotment..... Allottee

Date of Allotment..... Returned from Overseas.....

Embarked for Overseas..... Cause.....

Granted leave without pay 9-7-18 to 1-9-18.

DEC 17 1918 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION

18-12-5