



# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Ronald Mich Chape  
 Apparent age 18 years 6 months. Height 5 feet 11 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 inches  
 Range of expansion 5 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Levi Chape  
61 Springdale Street | Relationship Father

### Particulars as to Marriage

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.  
 (c) Present address. (d) 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 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 <u>16-4-17</u>									Lance Cpl. <u>10-5-17</u> Corporal <u>19-12-17</u> Sergeant <u>27-5-18</u> Coy. Serjt. <u>7-8-18</u> Serjt. <u>8-11-18</u>
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>April 16<sup>th</sup> 17</u>									
Embarked <u>St John's N. Hongk</u> to <u>Halifax N.S.W.</u>									
Embarked for <u>S.C.S.</u> <u>4-2-18.</u> Disembarked <u>Lower</u> <u>6-2-18.</u>									
Joined <u>Battalion in the field</u> <u>15-2-18</u> Admitted <u>5 Cav.</u> <u>4th Bn</u>									
Saw <u>2-8-18.</u> Dis <u>to boat</u> <u>20-8-18</u> Rejoined <u>Battalion in the field</u> <u>21</u>									
Commissioned in the field <u>8-11-18</u> Attended <u>International Boat race</u> <u>27</u>									
Leave <u>returned to UK and reported</u> <u>17th 29<sup>th</sup> 19.</u> en route to <u>Lincoln</u> <u>27<sup>th</sup> 19.</u>									
To be found <u>law for demobilization</u> <u>12-5-19.</u> Arrived <u>UK</u> <u>1-6-19.</u>									
<u>Demobilization returned</u> <u>21-6-19</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 21-6-19 (date of discharge) 2 years 67 days  
 " " " Pensions " [ " " ] " " "

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

Rehald M. Chafe

in respect of his service as No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank 2/Lieut

Name R.M. Chafe

Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Nfld. Forestry Corps

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

Sep 15 / 21

Signature

R.M. Chafe

Date

15/9/21

Address

61 Springdale St.

[P.T.O.]

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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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Signature

Date

Address

C.R. 0-256

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld.  
Regt. By Lt. COL. F.C. Mathias, D.S.O. Commanding 1st  
Battalion 3-11-18.

The following promotion is made this day.

3601 Sgt. Chafe

to be 2/Lieut.

C.R. 0 - 256

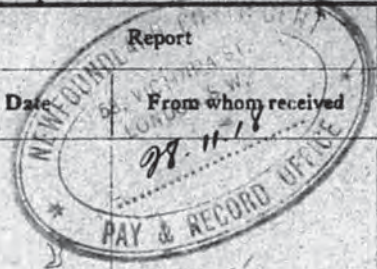
Extract of Militia Orders No. 47, by the Hon. A.E. Hickman,  
Minister of Militia.

The following is retired with effect from June 21st,  
1919, and is placed on the Reserve List of Officers.

2nd Lieut. R. M. Chafe

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Rank **1st Lt** Surname **Chase** Christian Name **Ronald**  
 Regiment or Corps **Royal Newfoundland** D-256  
 Religion **Copt.** Age on Enlistment **18** years **6** months  
 Enlisted (a) **16-4-17** Terms of Service (a) **Duration** Service reckons from (a) **16-4-17**  
 Date of promotion to present rank **19-12-17** Date of appointment to lance rank **12-5-17**  
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) **1st Lt**  
 or Corps Trade and Rate **Capt** **A**  
 Occupation **Clerk** Signature of Officer **[Signature]**



Report Date	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 <b>Southampton</b>	<b>3-2-18</b>	
			Disembarked... <b>Rever</b>	<b>6-2-18</b>	
			15 FEB 1918		
<b>9/6/18</b>	<b>of unit</b>	<b>App of Sgt</b>	<b>Lined</b>	<b>27-5-18</b>	<b>B 213</b>
<b>3/8</b>	<b>O.C.</b>	<b>Adm. hospital</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>2-8-18</b>	<b>B 213</b>
<b>13/8</b>	<b>O.C.</b>	<b>Promoted Sgt</b>	<b>~</b>	<b>27-5-18</b>	<b>B 213. B.O. 38<sup>d</sup></b>
<b>2/8</b>	<b>3 Con. S.A.</b>	<b>Disch'd to duty</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>20-8-18</b>	<b>AA-27863</b>
<b>24/8</b>	<b>O.C.</b>	<b>Rejoined Bn</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>21-8-18</b>	<b>B 213</b>
<b>5-11-18</b>	<b>[Signature]</b>	<b>Label 2nd Lt</b>	<b>Label 2nd Lt</b>	<b>5-11-18</b>	<b>B 213 16/11/18</b>
			<b>Whad</b>		<b>Capt</b>

For Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section  
 3rd Echelon General Headquarters

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C.R. 3601

Extract from Orders By Major G.T. Mathias, D.S.O. Command-  
ing 1st Battn. Royal Wfld. Regt. <sup>21</sup> 12-8-18

The undermentioned is discharged to duty.

3601 Sgt. R. Chafe.



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C.R. ~~3601~~

Extract from Daily Orders By Major G.T. Mathias, D.S.O.  
Commanding 1st Bn. Royal Nfld. Regt. 10-8-18.

The u/m has been evacuated and is struck off the Strength  
of the Unit.

3601 Sgt. R. Chafe.

C.R. 0-256

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS DAY  
RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA THE NEW-  
FOUNDLAND COMMISSION

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SIGNED *R. M. C. Chaplin*

DATE *July 2nd. 1919*

C.R. 0 - 256

Extract from Casualties received from the G.S.O. (London)  
dated 2nd. May 1919.

The undermentioned Officers and Men, who were attending the  
International Boat Race in Paris (27/4/19) returned to the  
U.K. and reported at the Pay and Record Office 24/9/19 en  
route to Winchester to rejoin their Unit.

2/Lieut. R. Chafe.

2  
AUTHORITY: Staff Officer i/c Records, Newfoundland Contingent.

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Office  
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From

Widada Dep

Registered Letter Addressed—

C.R.O-256

2nd Lt. R. M. Chape

61 Spungdala St

City

Arrival  
Office  
Stamp

R-6109

Received by

0-256.  
C.R. ~~3601~~

Extract from Orders by Major G.T. Mathias, D.S.O.  
Comdg. 1st Battrn. R.Nfld. Regt. 1-8-18

The u/m has been admitted hospital today.

3601 Sgt. R. Chafe

0-256.

C.R. ~~3601~~

Extract from Orders By Major G.T Mathias, B.S.O.  
Comd. 1st Batta. R. Hfld. Regt. 7-8-18.

The following appointment is made this day.

3601 A/Sgt. R. Chafe.

Confirmed to rank.

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C.R. 0-256

Demobilization Form 1

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date .....

Regimental No .....

Name R. M. Chafe Rank 2/Lieut.

Address .....

Present Medical Category A1

Recommended for:— { (a) Immediate discharge .....

(b) ~~Standard Medical Board~~ .....

Members of Board {

(sgnd) R. H. Sait Capt.

O.C. Discharge Depot.

(sgnd) L. Paterson  
Senior Medical Officer

" F. W. Burden

M. O. Depot

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date .....

Regimental No .....

Name *2/Lieut R. M. Chase* Rank .....

Address .....

Present Medical Category *A1* .....

Recommended for:— { (a) Immediate discharge .....

(b) ~~Standard Medical Board~~ .....

Members of Board {

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

*J Paterson*  
Senior Medical Officer

*J W Curdew*  
~~M. O. Depot~~



C.R. 0-256

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Depot, St. John's,

Date June 7th, 1919

2/Lt. R. Chafe.

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

~~3601~~  
0-256

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Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit the Royal Nfld.  
Regt. St. John's, Apl. 16th, 1917.

3601 Pte. Ronald Chafe.

Attached to Strength from April 16th, 1917.

C.R. 0-237

March 5th 1919.

From Chief Staff Officer,  
Department of Militia.

To: 2/Lieut. R. McK Chafe  
1st Battn. Royal Nfld. Reg. .  
B.E.F.

I have in my possession your Newfoundland Commission, which the Colonial Secretary has sent to this Office. I shall be glad to have your instructions as to its disposal that is, whether you wish us (1) to send it to you at your present address (2) to send it to your home or other relations in Newfoundland (3) to retain it in this Office until your arrival in Newfoundland.

Your Commission will be retained here pending instructions from you, as to your wishes in the matter.

Lt.Col.

Chief Staff Officer.

FAE/MP.

No.X. 95633 Cotnd.

ADMITTED

2/Lieut. J.H.F. Phillips. 10th Aust. Influenza slt.  
 Lieut. G. M. Cameron. Can. Fld. Art. 3/1. V.D.G. slt.  
 Capt. E.W. Edwards. 21st Can. N.Y.D. slt.  
 Capt. D. Paton. 1st Can. Blood Test. slt.  
 Lieut. R.H.H. Stewart. 44th Can. P.U.O. Trench Fever. slt.

Lieut. R.E. Turnbull. Can. Eng. 1st Can. Div. Sig Coy. V.D.S. slt.  
 2/Lieut. J.E. Rees. R.A.S.C. 6th Aux. Bus. Boils. slt.

Telegram from O.C. No.20. Gen. Hosp. France dated 16th March, 1919.  
 (No. D.853.) Received 16th March, 1919.

ADMITTED.

Lieut. G. Exley. 46th Batt. Canad. Gen. Base Depot. Varicose veins  
 legs slt.

Telegram from O.C. No.8. Gen. Hosp. Rouen. dated 16th March, 1919.  
 (No. C.396.) Received 16th March, 1919.

ADMITTED 15th March, 1919.

2/Lieut. R. Chaire 1st Newfoundland Rgt. Alv Abscess. mild.  
 Lieut. G. McE. Kavanagh. R.E. Rets. Rouen. Influenza. mild.  
 Lieut. Col. H.A. Johnson. R.A.S.C. A.D.T. Dieppe. N.Y.D. mild.

Telegram from O.C. No.8. Can. Stat. Hosp. Dunkirk dated 15th March, 1919.  
 (No. D. 120.) Received 16th March, 1919.

ADMITTED.

Lieut. J.N.O. Slater. 51 Kgs. L'pcols. Influenza condition good.

Telegram from O.C. No.5. Stat Hosp. Dieppe. dated 15th March, 1919,  
 (No. A.143.) Received 16th March, 1919.

ADMITTED.

Lieut. R.G. Beverley. 43rd Aust. I.F. Influenza not serious.

Telegram from O.C. Stat Hosp. Abancourt. dated 15th March, 1919.  
 (No. 5628/3.) Received 16th March, 1919.

ADMITTED.

2/Lieut. E.J. Robinson. 18th Middx B. Coy. V.D.G.

C.R. 0-256

Previous report regarding transfer to 9th Divisional Reception  
Camp is hereby cancelled.

Authority:

Pay & Record Office, London, 20/12/18. (Memo from Lieut. Cooper).

2/Lieut. R. Chafe.

0-256.

C.R. ~~3601~~

Extract from Daily Orders Part XI Unit The Royal Rifle  
Regt., St. John's, May, 10th, 1917.

3601 Pte. R. Chafe.

To be Lance Corporal from May, 10th, 1917.

0-256  
C.R. ~~3601~~

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Part the Royal NCLM.  
Regt., Forces, 22-11-18.

Officers. (Promotion)

2  
2 Lieut

~~5601~~ Pte. R. Chafe.

Promoted Band Lt. 8-11-18, Authority telegram from H. of  
Militia, Newfoundland.

C.R. 0-256

Extract from Telegram from Synoptical, dated Nov. 18th., 1912.

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With reference my telegram Sept. 30th., following from  
O. C. 1st., Battalion (begins) Commissions for the  
underment oned have been received from the Adjutant  
General Mand have been with effect from Nov. 8th.,

Sgt. 3601 Chafe.

BC.

This 2/Lieut, <sup>has</sup> have been appointed in the field.



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Extract from Militia Orders No. 26- dated Nov. 26th, 1918.

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PROMOTION.

To be 2/Lieut. with effect from Nov, 8th, 1918.

3601 Sergt. R. M. Chafe.

BC.

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CR 3601

Extract from Telegram received from Synoptical London,  
Nov. 3rd, 1918.

In answer your telegram Nov. 1st.,

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3601 SERGEANT CHAFE

In France.

C.R. 3601

Sept 13 18

Mr. Levi Chafe  
61 Springdale Street  
C I T Y

Dear Mr. Chafe:-

I regret to have to inform you that a report has been received to-day by mail from the Pay & Record Office, London, to the effect that your son, No. 3601, Sergt. R. Chafe was admitted to the 3rd Canadian General Hospital, Boulogne on 2nd August, suffering from Tonsillitis mild.

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

Yours faithfully,

*W. V. W.*  
Minister of Militia

C.R. 3601

Extract from Casualties received from P.&.R. Office VLondon.

31 Aug. 1918.

3601 Sgt. Chafe, R.

1/R Nfld. R. Tonsillitis. Mild.

C.R. 3601

Extract from Casualties received from P.&.R. Office,  
London, 27 Aug'18. List No. H.A. 27853.

5601 Sgt. Chafe R. P.

L-Nfld. Tonilitis, Mild. Dis. to Duty ex 3 Can. Gen. H. B'logne  
(Vincent's)  
Aug. 20th, 1918.

C.R. 3601

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld. Regt.,  
B.E.F. France, 17/8/18.

3601Cpl. A/Sgt. ChafemR.

To be Sergt. from 27/5/18.

C.R. 3601

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Wfld. Regt. In the field, dated 15-6-18

#3601 Corpl. R. Chafe.

Appointed Acting Sergeant 27-5-18 with pay.

Cables and Telegrams :  
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :  
VICTORIA 147.

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

N. F. P/38A.

**DUPLICATE.**

# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

## MEMORANDUM.

No. 3685/164/P&A

**C.R. 3601**

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

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

**FM/WF** 11th, March 1918

**SUBJECT:**

3601, L/C., R. M. CHAFE.

Reference Nos.

**REPLY**

Dated April, 22nd, 1918. 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

With reference to exchange  
of telegrams:

(1)  
Received 18/2/17 (7974),-  
"Synoptical.London.  
"Pay to 3601 Chafe £5.0.0.  
"Military."

(2)  
Received 14/2/18 (1537),-  
When was £5.0.0.wired 3601 Corporal  
Chafe December 17th paid why delay.  
"Military."

(3)  
Despatched 15/2/18, 244/56,-  
"Military.St.John's.  
"Reference your telegram 13th.  
"February 3601 Chafe draft mailed  
"O. C., 2nd. Battalion December  
"21st.  
Synoptical."

which shows that as far as this  
office is concerned, there was no  
unreasonable delay. Paid Postal  
Draft has been returned as customary,  
and bears Post Office stamp,  
Apr, 4/1/18.

*A. D. Munnell* Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

Received and noted.

*W. P. R.*

Acting

Minister of Militia.



C.R. 3601

February 18th, 1918.

L.G.Chafe, Esq.,  
c/o Nicholle, Inkpen & Chafe,  
Water Street.

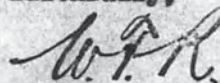
Sir:-

In reply to your letter of 9th, Feby., concerning the sum of £5, which was cabled by this department to #3601, Cpl. R. Chafe, on 17, December, I have the honour to inform you that I have received a report from the Pay Office, London, stating that a draft to cover this amount was mailed to the Officer Commanding 2nd Battalion on the 21, December. It is presumed that the Record Office, had information to lead them to suppose that Cpl. Chafe, had proceeded to Ayr, hence his action for mailing the draft to O.C. 2nd Batt.

I am expecting further particulars by mail and will be glad to give you further information when it is received.

I am,

Yours faithfully,



Acting Minister of Militia.

WFR/JMF.

Feb'y. 11th. 1918.

L.G.Chafe Esq.  
City.

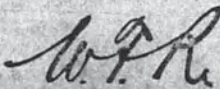
Dear Mr. Chafe,

I have your letter of the 9th inst., relative to a draft for £5 (Five Pounds) which was forwarded to your son, Corpl. Ronald Chafe, on Dec. 16th/17.

Upon enquiry into the matter I find that a telegram was sent to the Pay & Record Office, London, on the following day (Dec. 17th) for the payment of the sum of £5 to your son. Therefore there was no irregularity nor delay as far as the Department here is concerned. It may, however, transpire that the hitch occurred on the other side and I am writing Major Timewell requesting an explanation as to why this money was not paid over within a reasonable time. Upon receipt of a reply from him I will again communicate with you.

I regret that your boy should have been inconvenienced, especially at the Christmas Season, and if the fault is with the officials in the Pay & Record Office I will see that they are reprimanded.

Yours faithfully,

  
Actg. Minister of Militia.

C.R. 3601

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No. 36, 200 Other Ranks  
from 2nd., (Reserve) Battn. Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
and proceeded to join the 1st., Battalion Royal Nfld.,  
Regt., B. E. F., Embarked Southampton, 4/2/18.

3601 A/Cpl. Ron. Chage.

BC.

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from Lumbwell

O. BOX 354

St. John's, Nfld.,

February 9 1918

C.R. 3601

Hon. J. R. Bennett  
Minister of Militia  
Dear Sir

On December 16/17 I received a wire from my son #3601 Corp. Ronald Chafe for the sum of £5. as he was going on seven days leave from December 23<sup>rd</sup>. I handed cheque for above amount into the Militia Dep't myself. to be wired to him. I received a letter from him dated January 6/18 in which he says that he did not receive the £5 till he came off leave. I feel rather annoyed to think that while my two sons were together, that Ronald was short of money. I wired Eric on Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup> through the Anglo "Draw on Langley" Liverpool and he received it on 4<sup>th</sup> inst., that helped out the situation but it do not in any way exonerate your department or the persons responsible for my son not receiving the money in time.

Yours Truly  
R. Chafe

C.R. 3601

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, by Lt.Col.  
C.W.Whitker. Commanding Newfoundland Regiment.  
19/12/17.

#3601 L/Cpl. R. Chafe.

to be Acting Corporal.

C.R. 3601

Extract from Nominal Roll, embarked for Overseas from St. John's 1759  
19-5-17

3601 L/C RON. CHAFE.

2/11. R. M. Chafe

CD 0-256

P. & R. O.







Cables and Telegrams :  
"SYNOPTICAL" London.

Telephone :  
VICTORIA 147.

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and the following No. quoted :

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# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

## MEMORANDUM.

No. 3685/164/P&A

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58, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W.

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

FM/WF 11th, March 1918.

### SUBJECT :

3601, L/C., R. M. CHAFE.

### Reference Nos.

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*H. A. Stewart* Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records

### REPLY

Dated April, 22nd, 1918. 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

Received and noted.

*J. P. Bennett*

Acting

Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.  
UNL. POS. IN 4500  
RECD. 17 MAY 1918  
P&A  
UNL. POS. 601  
RECEIVED  
P&A  
R. & C.  
B & E  
P.S.

21st November . . . . . 8

Bank of Montreal,

24 Cockspur Street,

Trafalgar Square.S.W.1.

19072/2/P&A

WF/BC

2/Lt: R.MCK. CHAFE.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Kindly open an account for the above newly  
commissioned Officer and credit same with enclosed  
cheque for . £50-0-0.

Pass & Cheque Books should be sent to  
this office, please.

Major,  
Chief Paymaster &.0. i/c. Records.

3601 Paper

Draft Mailed to

Resident  
Officer Commanding

2/Batalion 25/2/7

2 Cables  
15/1/8

No.

24/4/50

C.R. 3601

DUPLICATE  
MAIL COPY  
Posted MAR 1918



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

PA/WF 11th, March 8

3601, L/C., R. M. CHAFE.

*D.K.*

April 22nd, 1918.

With reference to exchange  
of telegrams:

(1)  
Received 18/2/17 (7974),-  
"Synoptical.London.  
"Pay to 3601 Chafe 25,0.0.  
"Military."

Received and noted.

(2)  
Received 14/2/18 (1537),-  
When was 25,0.0.wired 3601 Corporal  
Chafe December 17th paid why delay.  
"Military."

*J.R.V. Bennett*

Minister of Militia.

(3)  
Despatched 15/2/18, 244/56,-  
"Military.St.John's.  
"Reference your telegram 13th.  
"February 3601 Chafe draft mailed  
"O. C., 2nd. Battalion December  
"21st.  
"Synoptical."

which shows that as far as this  
office is concerned there was no  
unreasonable delay. Paid Postal  
Draft has been returned as customary,  
and bears Post Office stamp,  
Apr, 4/1/18.

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.



3685/184/P&A

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

PA/WF

11th, March 8

22nd April 1918

3601, L/C., R. M. CHAFE.

With reference to exchange  
of telegrams:

Received and noted.

(1)  
Received 18/4/17 (7974),-  
"Synoptical. London.  
"Pay to 3601 Chafe £5.0.0.  
"Military."

(Sd) J. R. Bennett,  
act. Minister of Militia

(2)  
Received 14/3/18 (1537),-  
When was £5.0.0. wired 3601 Corporal  
Chafe December 17th paid why delay.  
"Military."

4500

(3)  
Despatched 15/2/18, 244/58,-  
"Military. St. John's.  
"Reference your telegram 15th.  
"February 3601 Chafe draft mailed  
"O. C., 2nd. Battalion December  
"21st.

17/5/18

Synoptical."

which shows that as far as this  
office is concerned there was no  
unreasonable delay. Paid Postal  
Draft has been returned as customary,  
and bears Post Office stamp,  
Ayr, 4/1/18.

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

19363/3/P&A.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C. RECORDS.  
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
58, VICTORIA STREET, Manager,  
LONDON, S.W. 1.  
ENGLAND.

Nov. 26th,

8

Bank of Montreal,  
24, Cockspur St.,  
S.W. (1)

OFFICERS' BANKING ACCOUNTS.

Reference your Memo. 22/11/18,

(10,091): Pass and Cheque books have been received and forwarded to 2/Lieut. R. McK. Chafe.

The correct amount to be credited to Captain J. St. P. Knight, R.N.R., is £21.8.1. please.

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Rcds.

FM/NM.

# Bank of Montreal

TRAFALGAR SQUARE BRANCH,

24, COCKSPUR STREET,

London, S.W.1. 22nd Novr. 1918.  
1011.

TELEGRAMS:  
"TRAFALAGA, WESTRAND, LONDON"

TELEPHONE NOS  
REGENT 1872/1873.

L/P.

19363/3

Dear Sir,

We are in receipt of your memorandum 19072/2/P&A. and have had pleasure in opening an account in the name of 2nd Lieut. R. McK. Chafe for £50. Pass and cheque books are enclosed herewith.

Regarding your memorandum 19071/1/P&A your cheque is made out for £21.8s.1d. although you request us to open an account for £28.8s.1d. in the name of Captain J. St. P. Knight R.N.R.

We presume you intended the credit to be £21.8s.1d. the amount on the cheque, and we have notified Captain Knight to this effect at the same time we have sent him the necessary pass and cheque books.

Yours faithfully,

*J. Langman*  
Sub-Agent.

The Chief Paymaster,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
Pay & Record Office,  
58, Victoria Street, S.W.

Encl.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
W.C. Nos. BY	✓ 10091
Recd 20 NOV 1918	
Actd	L. Ansd
Ref. Nos. OUT	19363/3.
AGENTS	
BRANCH	DATE
Compd	
P&A	
R&O	
B&E	
P.S.	

*[Signature]*



19281

2/Lt. R. McK. Chafe,

Royal Newfoundland Regt.

25th November

8

12, Lilyhill Terrace, Edinburgh.

Pass and Cheque Books.

Pass and Cheque Books, together with card for specimen of your signature, which you will kindly return to the Bank of Montreal direct, please.



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 Ronald Mack Chaff  
aged 19 years conducted at Headquarters  
Date: April 11<sup>th</sup> 1919 Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

- 1 no
- 2 no
- 3 no
- 4 no
- 5 no
- 6 no
- 7 no
- 8 no
- 9 no
- 10 no
- 11 no
- 12 no
- 13 no
- 14 no
- 15 no
- 16 no
- 17 no
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- 23 no
- 24 no
- 25 no
- 26 no
- 27 no
- 28 no
- 29 no
- 30 no
- 31 no
- 32 no

Report April 11<sup>th</sup>

3/10/19

6/16 Born

yo 2 years 7 years ago

5'11 in

131 lbs.

24-27

#10 5/10 month

Father's name George 61 Springdale St City

Signature of Medical Examiner:

*[Handwritten Signature]*

OFFICERS RESETTLEMENT FORM NO. 1.

The Committee dealing with the resettlement of officers have asked for the following information.

Please fill up this form and return it to your Battery Office, Battalion or Company Orderly Room by 9 a.m. 23rd December.

Did you enter the Army --

- |  | <u>Yes or No.</u> |
|--|-------------------|
| (i) Direct from School   | ..... No .....    |
| (ii) " " University or Technical College   | ..... No .....    |
| (iii) " " articles or pupillage <del>in</del> professions<br>workshops, laboratories, etc. | ..... No .....    |
| (iv) From a class of employment which can be<br>definitely followed again.                 | ..... yes .....   |
| (v) From a class of employment which cannot<br>definitely be followed again.               | ..... No .....    |
| (vi) From an appointment or employment which<br>definitely cannot be followed again        | ..... No .....    |

Signature Amck. Chafe ..... Rank 2nd Lieut  
Unit 1st Bn. Royal New Zealand Reg.

**ENCLOSURE**

No. 20959/P&A.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



N.F.P/55.

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

To: 2/Lieut. R.Mck Chafe,

Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

December 18th, 1918

9th Div. Reception Camp,  
B.E.F. France.

Reference: OFFICERS' ADVANCE FIELD BOOK.

Herewith One Book N.F.'s P./58 (Officer's advance Field book) Nos.  
3051 to 3075.)

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.) R.Mck Chafe, 2nd Lieut.

(Date) 29/12/18.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Chase, Row 2/LL

0-256

Ray Sept.

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Chap

Christian Name Ronald

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish St Johns

County Wilt

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>16<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>7</u> at <u>Headquarters</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u> at _____	
Declared Age	<u>18</u> years <u>6</u> months <u>0</u> days		_____ years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>Clerk</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>11</u> inches			
Weight	<u>131</u> lbs.			
Chest Measurement	Grith when fully expanded	<u>37</u> inches		
	Range of Expansion	<u>5</u> inches		
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number	<u>2</u>		
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=	<u>4/6</u>	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	<u>4/6</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>W. E. Proemin</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Lieut.</u>			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St Johns</u> on <u>16<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>7</u>		at _____ on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.		Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	<u>3601</u>	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to	<u>4/12<sup>th</sup> Wilt.</u>			
Became non-effective by	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				











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

..... *Not applicable* .....

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.

..... *Not applicable* .....

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.?..... *Yes*..... If not give? - (a) Date of discharge..... (b) Reason for discharge.....

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 1918... Belgium 1918... Germany 1918-1919* .....

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.....

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: *A.M. Chaps. Hunt*

Place of Residence: *61 Springdale Street*

Declared before me at: *St. Johns*

This *21<sup>st</sup>* day of *June* 19*19*.....

*A.M. Chaps. Hunt*

*Charles B. Hunt*

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

*Notary Public*

POST DISCHARGE PAID.			Net amount due
Date paid	to	War Service Gratuity.	
.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....
Certified correct.			Paymaster

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 100<sup>00</sup>

June 4 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of One Hundred Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
balance

R. Chapin

Regtl. No.                      Rank                     

Ch. No. <u>22731</u>	Initials. <u>EW</u>
Pay Ledger. <u>136</u>	Initials. <u>LSA 4</u>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

No. ....

Rank

*2/Lt*

Name

*R. Chafe*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 50 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

June 19 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Fifty <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
~~balance~~

Ralph Wharf 2 Lieut.  
Regt. No. Rank

Ch. No. 24409	Initials. EW
Pay Ledger 136	Initials. EW
Gen. Ledger	Initials.

No. ....

Rank

*2/Lieut*

Name

*P Chase*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 92<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

June 27 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Ninety two ——— Dollars.  
~~on account~~  
balance of Pay.

R. M. G. Chafe.

Ch. No. 25190	Initials E. G. W.
Pay Ledger 139	Initials J. P. S.
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No.

Rank Lieutenant



No. ....

Rank .....

*2/Lieut*

Name .....

*R Chase*