

Recruiting
Form A, 1914.

FINAL EXAMINATION
MEDICAL REPORT



First Newfoundland Regiment



ATTESTATION PAPER



Regimental No. 738

Name in full John Davis Age 19

Address Belle Island

Married Single Height 5.7 Weight 143

Color Fair Hair Brown Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks none

Nearest relative (brother) William Davis

Address Conche, St. Johns District

Dependents Flora Laura Downing (Aunt)

Occupation miner Present Wage 4.50 monthly

Previous service none

Decorations none

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment December 15th 1914

I, John Davis, do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, and that I will faithfully serve His Majesty in any place where I may be needed (or in the Colony of Newfoundland, as the case may be), against all His enemies and opposers whatsoever, according to the condition of my service.

Declared before me this 15th day of December 1914
John X Davis mark

Witness
Eric Skye
H. Rendell Jr.

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)
Applicable to all ranks.

Reg. No. 738

Name John Davis

Apparent age 19 years months. Height 5 feet 7 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fair, Hair: Brown, Eyes: Blue

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin William Davis, Concho, St. Barbe Dist., Nfld.

Relationship Brother

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	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries.
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>15/12/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>15th December '14</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to (date of discharge) ... years ... days									
" " " Pension (") ... " "									

380
These used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting in the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY



Surname Savis OF Christian Name John

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	11th day of Dec	Bell Island	day of	
Declared Age	19 years		years	
Trade or Occupation	miner			
Height	5 feet 7 inches		feet	inches
Weight	143 lbs.		lbs.	lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	37 inches		inches
	Range of expansion	3 inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated	1910			
Vision	R.E.—V=	N.	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=		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)	Cluny Macpherson			
(Rank)	Capt.			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St. John's	at	
	on	15th day of Dec.	on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	1st Newfoundland Regt.	Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	738	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Nfld UK 1914

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 future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
<i>2nd Scottish Reul. Hoapl.</i>										
BRIGHTON GROVE MILITARY HOSPITAL NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE	30	4	17	18	6	17	<i>Syphilis</i>	50		<i>W. J. G. D. W.</i> MAJOR, R. A. M. C. (T.) REGISTRAR.

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
1st 24.2.15	J. V
2nd. 6.3.15	
26.4.15	Vac. Fit. for Foreign Service.
15.5.15	

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

4.3.19 Date of T.M.B. W. Skley Captain
 Assistant Adjutant
 Discharge District-Responsible

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
St Johns	Dec. 15/15	Feb. 5/15			
J. L. Dominion	Feb. 5/15	" 16/15			
Edinburgh Castle	" 16/15				

C.R. 738

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's per S.S. "Dominion"
"C" Company Feb. 2, 1915.

738 Pte. Davis Hohn.

C.R.

738

John Davis

was attested for General Service

with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ..Dec..15th.1914.

Regimental No. 738 was allotted to Pte John Davis.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

C.R. 738

Extract from Nominal Roll Co. 1st. Bn. Nfld. Regt.

Embarked, at Devenport for Active Service 20-8-15

Disembarked Alexandria, 31-8-15, Proceeded to Abbassia,
Cairo, same date, Embarked ~~for~~ Alexandria for Gallipoli
13-9-15.

738 Pte. J. Davis.

C.R. 738

Extract from Nominal Roll of Hfld. Regt. Draft No. 28
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Folkestone
5/8/17.

738 Pte. J. Davis.

C.R. 738

Extract of Memorandum from P.O.R.O., London dated March 2nd, 1918.

DIVISIONAL CERTIFICATE.

Certificate of the following has been received:-

738 Pte. J. Davis, M.M. (Certificate.)

C.R. 738

Extract from Honours and Awards, Jan. 5th, 1918.

"

738 Pte. J. Davis, M.M.

"He showed great tact and coolness ; practically all N.C.O's and men in his platoon were casualties, so he collected all his men together and lead them all through the attack. After reaching the 3rd objective, he supervised consolidation and his brave example greatly encouraged his men." 9/10/17.

C.R. 738

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal
Newfoundland Regiment, Station G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon,
date 10-3-18.

Awarded Military Medal, Sup. , L.G., 14-1-18.

738, Pte. J. Davis.

Extract of telegram received from the Pay & Record Office, Lond
London, dated No. 2.

No. 738 Pte. J. Davis.

Has been awarded the M.M. by the Corps Commander. ✓

For information see File, Honours & Awards, Letter No. 4486.

C.R. 738

Extract from Nominal Roll of the Royal NZLA. Regt.

Embarked St. John's, Jan. 30th, 1919.

738 Davis ~~1422~~

C.R. 738

Extract from Nominal Roll of the Royal Nfld. Regt.
24-1-19.

The undermentioned who was transferred from
B.E.F. to the 2nd Bn., Winchester, 19-1-19 awaiting
repatriation.

738 Pte. J.Davis.

C.R. 738

Extract from Daily Orders part II

Depot St. John's dated Mar. 6th., 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization
has been APPROVED by O. C. Discharge depot on 6-3-19.

#738 Pte. John Davis.

738

C.R. 730

Extract from Daily Orders Unit XI Unit The Royal "CAN. REG S
St. John's 11-8-19.

The Undersigned reported from operations and reported to
7.2.19
Depot 7-2-19.

Reprinted on A.P. 5179.

(730)
730 Pte. John Davis.
738

C.R. 738

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot St. John's dated
March 22nd., 1919.

The discharge of the unfortoted on demobilisation has been
CONFIRMED by Officer i/c Records on 19-3-19.

#738 Pte. John Davis.

13237

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

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

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

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

Christian name. *John*..... 2. Surname..... *Davis*.....

3. Rank..... *Pte*..... 4. Regt. No. *438*.....

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

..... *Conception Bay*.....

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *Dec 21st 1914*.....

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

..... *Mrs. John D. Sweeney*.....

8. Relationship of such dependents.....

9. Address in full of such dependent..... *Bell Island*.....

..... *Conception Bay*.....

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?..... *No*.....

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service..... *5 months Gallipoli*.....

..... *remains in France*.....

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas..... *4 years*.....

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.....

Yes

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

no

16. Have you, during the present war, served in the Imperial Forces.....

Yes

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?.....

Yes

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

no

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

no

March 18/19

Discharged

no. Discharged. No coded.

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 & Belgium & Dardanelles

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com.?

(b). If so, are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee.....

no

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

Signature of Applicant: *John Davis*
 Place of Residence: *Bell Island I. B.*
 Declared before me at: *S. John's, Nfld*
 This *4th* day of *March* 19*19*

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				Net amount due
Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	
.....	<i>6 mos.</i>	<i>420.00</i>
.....
.....
Certified Correct.			Paymaster.	

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Descriptive Return of a Soldier Discharged on Account of Disability.

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

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

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

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

Name in full *John Davis*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *738*

Intended address *Bell Island*

Height on discharge *5 Feet 8*

Color of hair on discharge *Light Brown*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Grey*

Descriptive Marks _____

Figure on discharge *medium*

Christian name of Father *Patrick*

Christian name of Mother *Mary*

Wife's maiden name in full _____

Date and place of marriage _____

Christian names of children _____

Place and date of soldier's birth *Silt Cove 1896 July 1st*

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) *John Davis* witness *W. Michael F.S.M.*
mark (Rank) *Pvt*

Station **ST. JOHN'S** Date *3rd March*

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.

Medical Officer i/c Hospital,
 Unit, or Command Depot

Station _____ Date _____

738

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. *738* Rank *Plt* Name *Davis, John*
 Date of Enlistment *11/12/14* Address *Ball's Bay, St. John's* District *St. John's*
 Occupation *Miner* Classification for Discharge *F* Medical Category *A.1*
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P 36.....	B 268.....	B 121.....	1	N.F. Med.....	D.F. 1.....	1
B 178.....	W 3494.....	B 122.....	2	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.....	B 103.....	ME 2.....			" 6.....	
B 179c.....	B 120.....	M 93.....				

Date *11-3-19*

W. W. May Capt
 O. C. Discharge Depot

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

John H. Davis
not recognized

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 *Joseph H. De Looze Lieut*

Date *4-3-19*

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 92094510 to his home at Fuller and Release Certificate No. 1377 issued.

Date 4-3-19 *CPDicks 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 20-3-19

Date 4-3-19 *H. Mews Jr*
Depot Paymaster.

SUBJECT TO ADJUSTMENT OF OVERSEAS PAY ACCOUNTS

Discharge approved for 6-3-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P 36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1	
F 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	1 3-11-19
R 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 4-3-19 *CPDicks Capt*
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

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

Date MAR 6 1919 *R.H. Sait Capt*
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Received the above noted documents from O. C. Discharge Depot.
Date March 8/1919 *Boone*

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 738 Rank Plt Name Jarvis John M M
 Date of Enlistment 11/12/14 Address Bell St. St. John's District St. John's
 Occupation Mined Classification for Discharge E Medical Category A-1
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P 36	B 268	B 121	1	N.F. Med	D.F. 1	1
B 178	1 W 3494	B 122	2	Board 1st	" 2	
B 178a	1 D 400A	1 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	B 103	ME 2			" 6	
B 179c	B 120	M 93				

Date 4-3-19

W. H. W. Capt
O. 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 \$6000

(b) Clothing Supplied Joseph H. Brownlie

Date 4-3-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 42094210 to his home at Bill Seew and Release Certificate No. 1377 issued.

Date

4-3-19

CB Dickson
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 20-3-19

Date

4-3-19

H. M. Jones
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for

6.3.19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
E 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
R 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

4 3 19

CB Dickson
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

MAR 6 1919

Date

R.H. Salt Capt.

O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.
(313) W9042/1195 100m 12/14s 28 56

Forms
B. 121.
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Regiment of *1st Newfoundland*

Number of Sheet *one*

Signature of O. C. Company _____

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<i>J. Davis</i>	Age on	<i>19</i> years <i>—</i> months	<i>Musician</i>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St. John's 18/12/14</i>	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	<i>with Colours 95 years.</i> <i>with Reserve 4 3/4 years.</i>	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date				<i>Newfoundland</i>

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order disavowing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>Edinburgh</i>	<i>1915</i> <i>3-4</i>	<i>Platoon</i>		<i>Creating disturbance in Barracks 10pm.</i>	<i>Platoon</i> <i>R. C. Barham</i>	<i>2 Days C.B.</i>	<i>1915</i> <i>9-4</i>	<i>Capt. A.E. Bernard</i>	<i>Y/S</i>
<i>Acreeknowe</i>	<i>27-6</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Absent at Tattoo</i>	<i>Cpl. Smith</i>	<i>2 Days C.B.</i>	<i>28-6</i>	<i>Capt. A.E. Bernard</i>	<i>Y/S</i>
<i>Acreeknowe</i>	<i>29-6</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Absent from 3pm parade</i>	<i>Cpl. Smith</i>	<i>2 Days C.B.</i>	<i>30-6</i>	<i>Capt. A.E. Bernard</i>	<i>Y/S</i>
<i>Acreeknowe</i>	<i>2-7</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Absent at Tattoo</i>	<i>Cpl. Smith</i>	<i>2 Days C.B.</i>	<i>3-7</i>	<i>Capt. A.E. Bernard</i>	<i>Y/S</i>
<i>Acreeknowe</i>	<i>3-7</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Absent from all defaulters parades from 5.30pm to 9.30pm</i>	<i>Cpl. Vail</i>	<i>4 Days C.B.</i>	<i>5-7</i>	<i>Capt. A.E. Bernard</i>	<i>Y/S</i>
<i>Acreeknowe</i>	<i>4-7</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Absent from all defaulters parade from 3.30pm to 9.30pm</i>	<i>Cpl. Vail</i>	<i>4 Days C.B.</i>	<i>5-7</i>	<i>Capt. A.E. Bernard</i>	<i>Y/S</i>
<i>Newton P. Moore</i>	<i>1917</i> <i>Apr 4</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Around home. Tattoo roll call 7/4/17 was refused. Tattoo 17/4/17</i>	<i>Cpl. Johnson</i>	<i>7 days C.P.</i>	<i>13/4/17</i>	<i>Lt. Col. Whistler</i>	<i>7 days pay</i> <i>J.G.</i>
<i>Ayr</i>	<i>22-6-17</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Absent from Tattoo till 11.15 P.M.</i>	<i>C. Kennedy</i>	<i>96 hrs detention</i>	<i>25-6-17</i>	<i>Capt. March</i>	<i>me.</i>
<i>"</i>	<i>6-7-17</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>Using obscene language to the M.P. Parade</i>	<i>C. W. M. Ord</i> <i>Serjt.</i>	<i>1 days pay</i>	<i>6-7-17</i>	<i>Capt. St. Rendell</i>	<i>act</i>
				<i>to be carried over</i>					
				<i>Demobilized</i>	<i>St. John's</i>	<i>19 3/19</i>			

Reasons 11-7-17 Pto.
31-7-17 ..

In bed after ^{brought forward} Renelle Lt. M. Patrick
Absent from 6:30 am parade Cop Miffin

2 days C.B.
3 days C.B.

11-7-17 Capt March
31-7-17 ac Holmes of how

forfeit 1 days pay
deprived of 1 days pay
forfeit 1 days pay

Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment or Corps

Newfoundland

Regimental No.

738

Rank

P.Lie

Name

D. Davis

Enlisted (a)

15/12/14

Terms of Service (a)

one year

Service reckons from (a)

Date of promotion to
present rankDate of appointment
to lance rankNumerical position on
roll of N.C.Os.

Extended

Re-engaged

15/8/15

Qualification (b)

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's, NFLD.		3.2.15	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1.9.15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13.9.15	
		Embark'd Port Suez		14.3.16	
		Disembk'd MARSEILLE S		22.3.16	
	was	with Battalion	France	4.7.16	B 213.
		Transferred to England			
	Admitted 2	General Hosp Glasgow		18/11/16	Auth Pay & Record Office London.
		(Furlough granted to U.K. 8/11/16 - 17/11/16)			



J. M. Burchell

CAPTAIN.

for Officer i/c No. 1 Regular Infantry Section
General Headquarters, 3rd Echelon.(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D. Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
(b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

C.R.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland
 Rank Pte Surname Davis Christian Name John
 Religion Roman Catholic Age on Enlistment 19 years 1 months.
 Enlisted (a) St. John's N.S. Terms of Service (duration of war) Service reckons from (a) date of enlistment
 Date of promotion to present rank 4/12/14 Date of appointment to lance rank ✓
 Extended { ✓ } Re-engaged { ✓ } Qualification (b) ✓
 or Corps Trade and Rate ✓
 Signature of Officer James

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked <u>Shampton</u> <u>5 8 17</u>			
		Disembarked <u>Rouen</u> <u>- 7 8 17</u>			
		Joined Battalion <u>2 8 AUG 1917</u>			<u>B 213</u>
		WITH, Bn 30. 12. 17			
		<u>Leave to U.K. 14-10-18 to 28</u>			
		Transferred to U. K. <u>for Re-patriation</u>		<u>1 9 JAN 1919</u>	<u>Cross 3/2</u>
		<u>Int</u>			<u>Capt for Lt Col.</u>
					<u>1st Lt Infantry Section</u>
					<u>U.K.G. 5th Echelon</u>

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

[P.T.O.]

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pension No. 2923

Regt. No. 738 Rank PTE Name JOHN DAVIS

Corps served with ROYAL NFLD. REGIMENT

Date of Medical Board FEB 11, 1932 disability 20%

Pension for self \$ 15.00 per month, for 12 months.

Allee. for wife \$ 5.00 " " " 12 "

ALLOWANCE FOR CHILDREN:

1st. Child \$ _____ " " " _____ "

2nd. " \$ _____ " " " _____ "

3rd & other children \$ _____ each " " " _____ "

\$ _____

TOTAL MONTHLY PENSION \$ 20.00 per month, for 12 months.

Total authorized amount \$ 240.00 " " from 18-2-32
to 17-2-33

Pension granted to JOHN DAVIS
370 MARY ST.
HAMILTON, ONT.

Approved By: _____ Chairman.
_____ Commissioner.
_____ Commissioner.

Date of Marriage 4-6-20 Name of Wife Alberta

Name of Child _____ Sex _____ Date of Birth _____ Date Allow. expires. _____

M. S.
M. S.
28/3/32

FORM FOR HISTORY AND MEDICAL RE-EXAMINATION OF PENSIONERS.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

TO MEDICAL EXAMINER:

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland,

Medical Report required; review date:—

Date January 1932

The Secretary, Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland.

AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, PLEASE
and IN DUPLICATE.

Per B.T.

Regimental No. 739

Rank Pte:

Name MEMOR JOHN DAVIS.

Address: 370 Mary Street,
Hamilton, Ont.

Unit ROYAL NFLD REGT:

DESCRIPTION OF PENSIONER:

Apparent Age	Height	Color of Eyes
Complexion	Colour of Hair	Weight
Marks of Identification		



J.R.D.

EXAMINATION TO BE MADE IN RESPECT OF:-

TUBERCULOSIS

Subject's Height 5' 9" Weight 158 Temp 98.6
The mfn complains of sharp pains in mid anterior chest going through to the back making him catch his breath at times. He has constant cough the year round and both during the day and at night. He has about 2 oz sputum in 24 hours not blood streaked. He states he has mild night sweats continually now although he did not have them so often when first discharged. He is short of breath on exertion. General strength is fair in itself appetite good. Bowels constipated. He has feeling of pins and needles throughout the body followed by a chilly feeling once every week or two. His weight goes up and down. His chest wheezes at night and he gets a choking feeling.

B.P.C. Form 98.
1,000 1-11-30

Objective He is well developed and nourished. Expansion is just fair but appears equal. Resonance is somewhat impaired above the second rib right side to and over right hilum posteriorly and more or less over whole left lung posteriorly. The breath sounds are diminished (over)

generally more so over lower half of both lungs
On the right side are some scattered scales over
the base posteriorly. On the left side are scales
from the 3rd rib to the base and more from the
inferior angle of the scapula to the base

Diagnosis - Chronic Non Tuberculous Infection of
Both lower lobes with slight Bronchiectasis
in left lower.

Remarks - He is considerably handicapped on
account of chest condition

Disability for which pension has been awarded:—

MEDICAL REPORT.

(1) Are you satisfied that the man presenting himself for examination is the pensioner named and described on page 1?

Yes.

(2) Give a definite detailed description of the present condition.

Looks fairly well; of about age stated: face,
not thin, is of fair color: 2 commencing
arcus senilis in each eye: conjunctivae normal:
tongue coated: teeth in poor condition, lost
several: tonsils, slightly enlarged, irregular: body
is well nourished: musculature is good: thyroid
gland is not enlarged: spine is fairly straight.
A fairly good physique.

Heart, area of dulness, left limit $3\frac{1}{4}$ " from mid-sternum
apex beat in 5th interspace, medial to nipple line:
sounds of fair volume, no murmur, standing: rhythm
regular
Herewith complete chest report.

Special Questions:—

This is to certify that I have read or have heard read, the above description of my disabling condition, that I find it to be correctly and satisfactorily stated, and have not withheld any information concerning any disability resulting from service. I also wish to state that my complaints are:—

(If there are no complaints, it will be so stated.)
Pains at variable times, through the chest
"sometimes like a knife going through there" and
cough about all the time: raises about a table spoon
ful of sputum in 24 hrs, very white: had a "haemorrhage"
in 1925 over about 3 days, came up in mouthfuls, sweats
every night over face & under the arms, wheezes in chest at night
feels weak sometimes with hot flashes: preceded by a "cold chills"
Very short of breath.

Signature of Witness Robert Wallace Pensioner's Signature John Davis

3 (a) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has been contracted, or aggravated while on Active Service.)

(b) NON-PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has not been contracted or aggravated, while on Active Service.)

4 (a) To what extent, if any, have the disabilities diminished or increased since last examination?
Have not diminished any. State he is getting worse and is in pain when he works

(b) If increased or undiminished, is increase or failure to diminish due to intemperance, improper conduct or neglect to exercise reasonable care required by the nature of the disabling condition?

5 Will disabilities materially increase or diminish? *probably increase*

6 Are the disabilities permanent? *yes*

7 (a) Is pensioner wearing an artificial appliance for disability due to or aggravated by service? *no*

(b) Should he continue to do so? *—*

(c) If so, is any alteration in the form of the present appliance recommended? *—*

(d) If any appliance is necessary? *—*

8 (a) Would treatment reduce the pensioner's disability, or increase his comfort? *might increase his comfort*

(b) Nature of treatment advised *medicine*

(c) Is pensioner willing to accept treatment advised? *yes*

(d) If not, is his refusal reasonable? *—*

REFUSAL OF TREATMENT:—This is to certify that I thoroughly understand the nature of the treatment advised and refuse to accept it for the following reason:
Approved 12 Months
no

The foregoing report submitted *Medical Adviser*

Pensioner's signature *W.D. Swan*

Signature *W.D. Swan*
Medical Examiner.

Place *Hamilton*
Date *February 11th 1932*
Robert Wallace Paul Members (of a Board)

The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the representative of the District Office of the Board of Pension Commissioners.

(In cases in which medical re-examination is being made by a medical practitioner in accordance with the second to last paragraph of page 1 hereof the medical practitioner will fill in such answer.)

9 (a) Has pensioner married since last medical re-examination? *Has never had a pensioner*
(b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a wife? *married in 1920*

10 (a) Has a child been born to pensioner since last medical re-examination? *has no children*
(b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a child? *N.A.*

11 If pensioner was married, has his wife died since last medical re-examination? *wife still living with him*
(State date of death.)

12 Have any of pensioner's children died since last medical re-examination? *No children died.*
(State date of death and names of children who have died.)

Date *Feb 11th 1932*
Place *Hamilton*
Robert Wallace Paul
Head of District Office, (or Medical Practitioner)

X-RAY DEPARTMENT

St. Joseph's Hospital

X-ray Report,
John Davis, #758,
February 16th, 1952.

Hamilton, Canada

D.P.N.H.

Serial #29840.

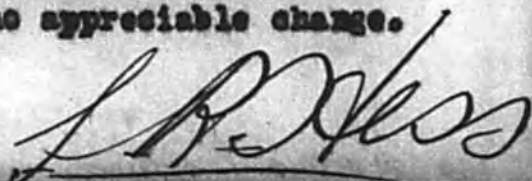
Fluoroscopic examination of the chest, followed by postero-anterior stereoscopic films, was made after the intra-tracheal injection of 20 cc. of Lipiodol. This was distributed into both lower lobes by posturing the patient, most of which was in the left lower.

There is no evidence of bronchiectasis except one or two isolated sacculations in the extreme left lower in the inner third. The bronchial tree in the left lower lobe is well outlined and in the right lower, the inner half.

The chest cage is normal and the spine straight; diaphragms smooth and regular; costophrenic angles sharp; apices comparatively clear, although the left shows suggestive shadowing.

The hilus shadowing on both sides shows accentuation and there is moderate peribronchial infiltration with scattered coarse beading, especially in the left upper. The right midlung field shows scattered discrete densities in its outer portion due to calcium deposit.

Findings: Bronchiectasis of minimal extent in the left lower; hilus infection with chronic bronchitis and minimal peribronchial fibrosis. The midlung field on the right shows shadowing which may be interpreted as a minimal parenchymatous lesion, not active. Small apical lesion in the left, not active. The former films are not now available for comparison, but an examination of the present films in the light of the former report, indicates no appreciable change.



THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

2923

Regt.No. 738 Rank Pte: Name JOHN DAVIS. Pension No. ~~738~~

Corps served with ROYAL NPLD REGT:

Date of ~~Medical~~ Board DEC 9.1931 disability 20%
SPECIAL

Pension for self \$ 15.00 per month, for 12 months.

Allee. for wife \$ _____ " " " _____ "

ALLOWANCE FOR CHILDREN:

1st. Child \$ _____ " " " _____ "

2nd. Child \$ _____ " " " _____ "

TOTAL MONTHLY PENSION \$ 35.00 per month, for 12 months.

Total authorized amount \$ 180.00 from 18.2.31

DECEMBER 9.1931.
Special Medical Committee: to 17. 2.32

The Board regards this man as disabled to extent of 20% by F.B. condition, from date of Examination, February 1931. for 12 months

Pension granted to JOHN DAVIS
370 Mary St
Hamilton Ont.

- DR.H.M.MOSDELL.
- DR.C.MACPHERSON.
- DR.N.S. FRASER.
- DR.E. PATERSON.
- DR.J.B.O'REILLY.

Approved by: J.H. Mosdell Chairman.



[Signature] Commissioner
[Signature] Commissioner.

Date of marriage _____ Name of wife _____
Name of Child _____ Sex _____ Date of Birth _____ Date allee.exps. _____

[Signature]
6/19/32

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.



ST JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

IN REPLY REFER TO
N^o _____

DECEMBER 9th., 1931.

Re:- 738, JOHN DAVIS:

Board regards this man
as disabled to extent
of 20% by TB Condition
from date of exam -
Dec. 1931.

18 Feb. 1931

SPECIAL MEDICAL
COMMITTEE.

W. H. Woodell
Cyril Macpherson
St. James
Loatson
Woodley

2923

Jan 23, 1932.

Mr. John Davis,
370 Mary St.,
HAMILTON. ONT.

Dear Sir:

It is requested that you forward
your Marriage Certificate to this Department
as we need it for the purpose of adjusting your
account.

Yours very truly,



Secretary.

/MMS.

~~Please~~ Let me know first
Chance. I would like to be
able to pay my rent as the
Depression is very hard here.

Trusting to hear from
you at earliest date

2923 Ino Davis
167 Shaftesbury St. E
Hamilton
Ont Canada

Jan 3rd / 33

Dear Sir

Please let me know. The
Reason of sending a Cheque of \$5.33⁴
Which I received on Jan 3rd/33. It
Should be my monthly Cheque
of \$6.67^{cts} Which I receive every first
of each month. My rent and
light is due. I am really up
against it. Not feeling well
Please also let me know the
Cheif Allowance due my wife
The papers she filled in and
~~sent~~ has forward to you and on
the 20th Dec/32 I received a Cheque
of \$8.43. I would like to know
What is meant my the two Cheques
My wife is not well at present
Hardly able to get around on
times

January 11th.,
1933.

Mr. John Davis,
167 Strachan Street, E.
Hamilton, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 3rd., with reference to a cheque which you have just received for the sum of \$8.33.

Your monthly amount is now \$16.67. On the 15th of December a portion of your cheque was sent to you with the hope that it would reach you before Christmas, and enclosed with same was a card informing you that it was a payment on account of your December pension and that the balance due would be forwarded at the end of the month. The balance due you was \$8.33, for which amount a cheque was forwarded.

Yours very truly,



Secretary.

CCOBT:

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pension No. 2923

Regt. No. 738 Rank _____ Name John Davis

Rate of Pension 20%, period 17/2/32

Date of Marriage June 11/1920 Name of Wife Aberta Henderson

Additional allow. for wife \$ 5⁰⁰ per month.

from 18/2/31 to 17/2/32

Date 9/3/31

[Signature]
Secretary.

ALLOWANCE FOR CHILD OR CHILDREN.

Rate of Pension _____%, period _____

Receiving allowance for _____ children.

PARTICULARS of _____ child.

NAME _____ SEX _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

[Signature]

[Signature]



Allice. € \$ _____ per month, granted from _____

Date child comes of age _____

Date _____

Secretary,

Approved *[Signature]* Chairman.

[Signature] Commissioner.

Commissioner.

Increased to \$20⁰⁰ from 18³¹ to 17/2/32

Pension C \$ 5⁰⁰ per month from 18³¹ to 17³² \$60⁰⁰

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pension No. 2923

Regt. No. 738 Rank _____ Name John Davis

Rate of Pension 20%, period 17/2/32

Date of Marriage June 4/1920 Name of Wife Abeta Hedderoo

Additional allow. for wife \$ 5.00 per month.

from 18/2/31 to 17/2/32 ✓

Date 9/3/32

[Signature]
Secretary.

ALLOWANCE FOR CHILD OR CHILDREN.

Rate of Pension _____%, period _____

Receiving allowance for _____ children.

PARTICULARS of _____ child.

NAME _____ SEX _____ DATE OF BIRTH. _____

[Signature]

[Signature]



Allice. € \$ _____ per month, granted from _____

Date child comes of age _____

Date _____

Secretary, _____

Approved by *[Signature]* Chairman.

[Signature] Commissioner.

Commissioner.

Increased to \$20.00 from 18 2/31 to 17/2/32

Pension C \$ 5.00 per month from 18 2/31 to 17 2/32 \$60.00 ✓

PENSION PAYMENTS

Pension No. 2923
 Name: John DAVIS, *Wife 23.6.40.*
 Address: 167 Strachan Street E., Hamilton, Ont., Canada
 Ministry of Pensions Reference No.
 Service Particulars: 738

Date	Cheque	Amount	Remarks
July 39	245	45.99	
Aug	1760	45.99	
Sept	3232	46.99	
Oct	4690	45.99	
Nov	6176	46.99	
Dec	7640	45.99	
Jan 40	9115	45.99	
Feb	10595	47.99	
Mar	12052	45.99	
Apr	13521	46.99	
May	14976	45.99	
June	16432	46.99	
27 July	1449	36.02	Cancelled Pro. Alberta Davis

Wife's Name: Alberta Hedderson
 Date of Marriage: 4 June 1920 ✓
 Pension awarded on account of: _____
 Regt. No. _____

PARTICULARS OF PENSIONABLE CHILDREN

Name	Sex	Date of Birth	Date Allowance Expires	Life Certificate
<i>John Davis</i>				4.8.39 ✓
<p><i>John Davis</i> inserted in the presence of the person</p>				

PARTICULARS OF AUTHORITY FOR PAYMENT

Date of M.B. or Award	%	Period	From	To	Remarks	Award
	100	FP	1.7.39		100.00 less 33 1/3 + 10% + 5% less 1.00 p.d.	76.99
20 July	100	Authority	Non Comm		to pay arrear balance of pension due at date of death of pensioner ✓	

PENSION PAYMENTS (Cont'd.)

PARTICULARS OF AUTHORITY FOR PAYMENT (Cont'd.)

Date	Cheque	Amount	Remarks	Date of M. B. or Award	%	Period	From	To	Remarks	Award
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Other payments made to or in respect of pensioner, including Hospital Charges, M.B., Fees, Travelling Expenses, Subsistence Allowances, Artificial Limbs (repairs & freight), Artificial Appliances and all other payments.

Particulars of and period covered by payment		Date	Amount	Voucher No.	Remarks
1-30 th 39	mdsa	17 Aug 39	90.00	1347	Sept. P & NB
1-31 st 39	do.	2 Sept 39	93	1752	do.
1-30 th 39	do.	22 Sept 39	90	2336	do.
1-31 st 39	do.	18 Oct 39	93	3040	do.
1-31 st 39	do.	3 Nov 39	93	3723	do.
1-30 th 39	do.	19 Dec 39	90	5546	do.
1-31 st 39	do.	6 Feb 40	93	7131	do.
1-30 th 39	do.	9 Mar 40	90	8019	do.
1 st 39	do.	11 Apr 40	186	9208	do.
1-29 th 40	do.	7 Aug 40	87	1046	do.
1-31 st 40	do.	7 Aug 40	183	1046	do.
3-31 st 40	do.	June 40	93	2105	do.
1-23 rd 40	do.	July 40	69	3595	do.
15.7.40	Bur. Exp.	July 40	100	3595	do.

2923

July 11, 1933.

Mrs. John Davis,
167 Shahan St., E.,
HAMILTON, ONT.

Dear Madam:

Replying to your letter of the 4th. instant I wish to say that your allowance is included in your husband's cheque each month.

Owing to the change in pensions last September your husband's pension was reduced to \$16.67 monthly and as stated above your allowance is included in this amount.

Yours very truly.

For Secretary.

TMH/MMS.

2923

Hamilton
April 6th/32

Mr. Chas. Secy
Board of Pension
St. Johns.

Dear Sir:-

Just a word to remind

you. That I have changed my
address, of 370 King St. West
To

167 Strachan Street, East

Oblige

Jms Davis.

167 Strachan St. E

Hamilton

Edw
Cremble



~~nr 223~~

Hamilton

July 4th/33

Dear Sir

Please let me know
if my allowance is concluded
with my husband. It's a small
pension, not enough to get along
with. As for rent, is fifteen
dollars per month (\$15⁰⁰) my
husband is not well. And for
myself I don't know what to do.
Sometimes I do feel very miserable
after my operation.

Trusting to hear
from you at earliest date

Sincerely

Mrs Geo Davis
167 Stachan St E
Hamilton
Ont



THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pension No. 2923

Regt.No. 738 Rank PTE Name JOHN DAVIS

Corps served with ROYAL Nfld. REGIMENT

Date of Medical Board JAN 26, 1933 disability 20%

Pension for self \$ 15.00 per month, for 24 months.

Allee. for wife \$ 5.00 " " " 24. "

ALLOWANCE FOR CHILDREN:

1st. Child.....\$ _____ " " " _____ "

2nd. " \$ _____ " " " _____ "

3rd. & other children \$ _____ each " " _____ "

M.A.S.

TOTAL MONTHLY PENSION \$ 20.00 per month, for 24 months.

Total authorized amount \$ 480.00 " " from 18-2-33
fo 17-2-35

John
10.3.33

Pension granted to JOHN DAVIS
167 Strachan St.E.,
HAMILTON. ONT.



M.L.S.

Chairman.
W.P.

Commissioner.
R.H. Hawley

Commissioner.

Date of Marriage _____ Name of Wife _____

Name of Child. Sex Date of Birth. Date allee. expires.

FORM FOR HISTORY AND MEDICAL RE-EXAMINATION OF PENSIONERS.**THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND**

TO MEDICAL EXAMINER :

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland,

Medical Report required; review date :—

Date January 1933.AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, AND
IN DUPLICATE, PLEASE:The Secretary, Board of Pension
Commissioners for Newfoundland.Per B:T:Regimental No. 738Rank Pte.Name JOHN DAVIS.Address: 167 Strachan St. E.
Hamilton, Ont.Unit ROYAL NFLD REGT:

DESCRIPTION OF PENSIONER :

Apparent Age 38 yrs.Height 5'9"Color of Eyes Pale blue.Complexion FairColour of Hair Light BrownWeight 148 lbs.Marks of Identification: Tattoo on anterior surface right forearm.

DISABILITY IN RESPECT OF WHICH EXAMINATION IS TO BE MADE: /

TUBERCULOSIS

Jan. 26/33.

Temp. 98.8Weight 147.

SUBJECTIVE: - Since I last examined the M/M in January 1932 he has not felt improved, in fact, chest feels more sore. He has considerable cough both during the day and at night, with about two ozs. sputum in 24 hours, not blood streaked. He has pain in lower left anterior chest going through to the back. He states he has been having night sweats for the past year. He is short of breath on exertion and general strength is not good. Appetite good. Bowels constipated. He has lost 11 lbs. in the past year.

OBJECTIVE: - He is still well developed and fairly well nourished. Expansion is just fair. Resonance is impaired above second rib right and to and over hilum posteriorly and to and over left hilum posteriorly and also below angle of left scapula. The breath sounds are diminished generally more so in the lower half. On the left side are rales over the left axillary region and at the base posteriorly.

DIAGNOSIS: - Pulmonary Tuberculosis, minimal arrested.
Chronic Bronchitis and minimal Bronchiectasis left lower lobe.
Pneumoconiosis.

Remarks: - Condition appears satisfactory.

W. D. Swan
W. D. SWAN, M.D.

Disability for which pension has been awarded :-

PULMONARY T.B. minimal arrested.
CHRONIC BRONCHITIS and minimal BRONCHIECTASIS
of lower left lobe.
PNEUMOCONIOSIS.

MEDICAL REPORT

(1) Are you satisfied that the man presenting himself for examination is the pensioner named and described on page 1?

YES.

(2) Give a definite detailed description of the present condition.

This man looks fairly well; face a good color; tongue slightly coated; throat negative; teeth, lost quite a few, remainder in fair condition; body is fairly well nourished; musculature is good; spine is straight.

PULSE - sitting 68, regular and of good quality.

BLOOD PRESSURE - 120-75.

HEART - area of dullness $3\frac{1}{2}$ " from midsternum to left limit - apex beat in fifth interspace just inside nipple line - no murmurs - rhythm is regular.

X-Ray of chest attached hereto.

Special Questions :- Man complains of pains in chest, back and front. Coughs night and day, with $\frac{1}{2}$ sputum boxful of sputum in 24 hours. At night he nearly always has a sweat. Breathing is short on exertion. Sleeps poorly lately; appetite is good; bowels require laxatives.

No further complaint.

This is to certify that I have read, or have heard read, the above description of my disabling condition, that I find it to be correctly and satisfactorily stated, and have not withheld any information concerning any disability resulting from service. I also wish to state that my complaints are :-

(If there are no complaints, it will be so stated.)

Signature
of Witness

M. J. GIBSON, M. D.

Pensioner's Signature

3 (a) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has been contracted, or aggravated, while on Active Service.)

Pulmonary Tuberculosis minimal arrested, with Chronic Bronchit and minimal Bronchiectasis of lower left lobe. Pneumoconiosis.

(b) NON-PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has not been contracted or aggravated, while on Active Service.)

4 (a) To what extent, if any, have the disabilities diminished or increased since last examination?

No material change.

(b) If increased or undiminished, is increase or failure to diminish due to intemperance, improper conduct or neglect to exercise reasonable care required by the nature of the disabling condition?

N.A.

5 Will disabilities materially increase or diminish? May increase.

6 Are the disabilities permanent? Considerable disability likely permanent.

7 (a) Is pensioner wearing an artificial appliance for disability due to or aggravated by service?

No.

(b) Should he continue to do so? ---

(c) If so, is any alteration in the form of the present appliance recommended? ---

(d) If any appliance is necessary? ---

8 (a) Would treatment reduce the pensioner's disability, or increase his comfort? Not indicated at present

(b) Nature of treatment advised ---

(c) Is pensioner willing to accept treatment advised? ---

(d) If not, is his refusal reasonable? ---

REFUSAL OF TREATMENT :—This is to certify that I thoroughly understand the nature of the treatment (To be completed when treatment advised has been refused.)

advised and refused to accept the same for the following reasons :

Approved!
No do for no

The foregoing report submitted by: [Signature]

Pensioner's signature John Davis

Place Haverhill, Ont.

Signature [Signature]
Medical Examiner.

Date Jan 26/33.

W.D. Swan

} Members (of a Board)

The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the representative of the District Office of the Board of Pension Commissioners.

(In cases in which medical re-examination is being made by a medical practitioner in accordance with the second to last paragraph of page 1 hereof the medical practitioner will fill in such answer.)

9 (a) Has pensioner married since last medical re-examination? Married in 1920.

(b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a wife? ? (See below)

10 (a) Has a child been born to pensioner since last medical re-examination? No.

(b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a child? ---

11 If pensioner was married, has his wife died since last medical re-examination? No.
(State date of death.)

12 Have any of pensioner's children died since last medical re-examination? No.
(State date of death and names of children who have died.)

Place Haverhill, Ont.
Date Jan 26/33

[Signature]
Head of District Office,
(or Medical Practitioner)

Note: Pensioner received \$60.00 for wife in 1932 for back pension. Now receives \$16.75 per month but is not sure that this includes an allowance for his wife.

4 18.2.33

3 (a) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has been contracted, or aggravated, while on Active Service.

Pulmonary Tuberculosis minimal arrested, with Chronic Bronchit and minimal Bronchiectasis of lower left lobe. Pnuemoconiosis.

(b) NON-PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—(Here state the nature of the disability which has not been contracted or aggravated, while on Active Service.)

4 (a) To what extent, if any, have the disabilities diminished or increased since last examination?

No material change.

(b) If increased or undiminished, is increase or failure to diminish due to intemperance, improper conduct or neglect to exercise reasonable care required by the nature of the disabling condition?

N.A.

5 Will disabilities materially increase or diminish? May increase.

6 Are the disabilities permanent? Considerable disability likely permanent.

7 (a) Is pensioner wearing an artificial appliance for disability due to or aggravated by service?

No.

(b) Should he continue to do so?

(c) If so, is any alteration in the form of the present appliance recommended?

(d) If any appliance is necessary?

8 (a) Would treatment reduce the pensioner's disability, or increase his comfort? Not indicated at present

(b) Nature of treatment advised

(c) Is pensioner willing to accept treatment advised?

(d) If not, is his refusal reasonable?

REFUSAL OF TREATMENT :—This is to certify that I thoroughly understand the nature of the treatment (To be completed when treatment advised has been refused.)

advised and refused to accept the same for the following reasons :

Approved: 10 % for Medical Adviser

The foregoing report submitted by: [Signature] Pensioner's signature John Davis

by [Signature] Signature [Signature] Medical Examiner.

Place Hawkeston Ont.

Date Jan 26/33 [Signature] } Members (of a Board)

The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the representative of the District Office of the Board of Pension Commissioners.

(In cases in which medical re-examination is being made by a medical practitioner in accordance with the second to last paragraph of page 1 hereof the medical practitioner will fill in such answer.)

9 (a) Has pensioner married since last medical re-examination? Married in 1920.

(b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a wife? ? (See below)

10 (a) Has a child been born to pensioner since last medical re-examination? No.

(b) If so, is he receiving the additional allowance for a child?

11 If pensioner was married, has his wife died since last medical re-examination? No.

(State date of death.)

12 Have any of pensioner's children died since last medical re-examination? No.

(State date of death and names of children who have died.)

Place Hawkeston Ont. [Signature] Head of District Office, (or Medical Practitioner)

Date Jan 26/33

Note: Pensioner received \$60.00 for wife in 1932 for back pension. Now receives \$16.75 per month but is not sure that this includes an allowance for his wife.

6 18.2.33

St. Joseph's Hospital

Hamilton, Canada

X-ray Report
J. Davis, 738.
Jan. 27, 1933

Postero-anterior stereoscopic films were made of the chest.

These have been examined and compared in detail with the films of Feb. 16, 1932.

The pulmonary picture is practically identical with that of the last examination. The discrete scattered densities reported in 1925 are still present and might possibly be interpreted as due to retention of the iodized oil administered Feb. 16, 1932 except that they were reported on Aug. 12, 1925, as probably due to pneumoconiosis.

The former findings, to which please refer, remain unchanged.

Serial No. 31174.



To
The Board of Pension
2923
St Johns N Y L D

Dear Sir

Recd your letter April 2nd
Saying that my pension was agreed
to carry on. I have not received my
cheque for April month. The last
cheque I got was on March 31st
The Amount was (\$10.12^{cts}) ten dollars
and twelve cents. I would like
to hear from you at earliest date
As my rent was due on April 1st
please do what you can

Obliged

~~Wm~~ Mr Jno Deacon
167 Strachan St
Hamilton
Ont
Canada

April 9/357

28 Feb - 10.12

30 March (B) \$25.47

2972
March 19th., 1934.

Mrs John Davis,
167, Strachan St., E.
Hamilton, Ont.

Dear Madam:-

In reply to your letter of February 15th.,
I have to advise you that the amount of pension
which your husband is receiving, namedly \$20.00
per month, which, subject to the temporary re-
duction which is now in force, now totals \$16.67
per month, includes the allowance for you as
well as his own.

Yours very truly,



Secretary.

BT:

A. NO 2923

[Handwritten signature]

Hamilton
Nov 8th/35

Dear Sir:-

P.S. Would like to know did you forward my cheque of November. As I never got no word. Only a letter written to me on the 17 of Oct with the balance of a cheque #37.28⁰⁰ which was due to me ending Sept-30

Looking to hear from you at earliest date

Oblige



John Lewis
Infirmary Brow
East-1 Room 4
Sanatorium Hospital
Hamilton

Or write to ^{my} Home Address

167 Strachan St. E

W.M.W.
Two cheques
were forwarded for
the amount?

773

Mr Alexander
St John's
N.Y.L.D

Dear Sir

Pardon me for writing to
you. I would like to know from you to
my allowance of ~~the~~ five dollars $(\frac{5.00}{xx})$
I concluded with Mr Davis pension. As
his pension is $\frac{\$16.67}{mo}$ per month. My first
cheque I received was separate from Mr Davis
I received $\frac{\$5.00}{mo}$ per month for 12 months
from 18/1/31 to 17/2/32. @ $\frac{\$5.00}{mo}$ $\frac{\$60.00}{xx}$

I have not received anything since.
Thanks if its not added with Mr Davis.

Sincerely
Mrs Jno Davis
167 Strachan St E
Hamilton
Ont

Set 18/34

To leading 17/2/31

To^{oo} amount allow for wife
Received $\frac{\$16.67}{mo}$ while - per Mr Davis

2923
M-738

Pension No.

FORM FOR HISTORY AND MEDICAL RE-EXAMINATION OF PENSIONERS.

The Department Of War Pensions For Newfoundland

TO MEDICAL EXAMINER:

Medical Report required; review date:—

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland,

March 23rd., 1935.

Date

The Secretary, Dept. of War Pensions for Newfoundland.

Per B.T:.....

Regimental No. 738
Name JOHN DAVIS.
Unit ROYAL NFLD REGT:

Rank Pte:
Address: 167 Strachan St.E.
Hamilton, Ont.

DESCRIPTION OF PENSIONER:

Apparent Age 39 Yrs. Height 5'9" Colour of Eyes Pale Blue.
Complexion Fair. Colour of Hair Lt. Brown. Weight

Marks of Identification:

18-2-35
W

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Pension No. 2923

Regt. No. 738 Rank Pte: Name JOHN DAVIS.

Disability 20 per cent. Period Six months

Pension for self \$ 15.00 per month

Allowance for wife \$ 5.00 per month

ALLOWANCE FOR CHILDREN

First Child \$ per month

Second Child \$ per month

Third and Other Children \$ Each \$

TOTAL MONTHLY PENSION \$ 20.00 For Six Months

Total Authorized Amount \$ 120.00 From 18-2-35

To 17-2-35

PENSION GRANTED TO John Davis

167 Strachan Street, Hamilton, Ont.

Approved by *M. G. A.* Chairman

Commissioner.

J. J. Grady Commissioner.

Pension to be continued at present rate - 20% -
for a further 6 months, expiring August 17, 1935.

Authority - J. St. P. Knight, M.B.,
Medical Adviser.

J. St. P. Knight
March 23rd., 1935.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

	NAME OF CORRESPONDENT OR PURPOSE OF COMMUNICATION	Cross References
	<p><i>Lewis John</i> <i>167 Strachan St. E.</i> <i>Hamilton Ont</i> <i>Canada</i></p>	

Date	P.A. or B.F.	Initials	Referred to	FOR REMARKS	Initials	Date
				<p>(If purpose for which referred cannot be expressed on one line, add minute to file and enter here "With Minute")</p> <p><i>Man & Wife only</i></p> <p><i>20% = \$20⁰⁰ reduced to \$16.67</i></p> <p><i>Restored to same scale as of before by in type.</i></p> <p><i>J. Amundson</i></p> <p><i>Feb 8/35</i></p>		
				<p><i>[Signature]</i></p>		

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

DISABILITY PENSIONERS

I. I HEREBY DECLARE that I am the Pensioner named below and entitled to the pension specified.

Name of Pensioner..... John Davis
 Rank..... Ste..... Regt. No..... 738..... Rate of pension..... 4/16.67

II. I Further Declare that the following are true particulars of my wife, that she is alive this day, that I am responsible for her maintenance, and that I am entitled to an allowance in respect of her.

Full maiden name	Date of birth	Present address	Date of marriage
<u>Alberta Hedderson</u>	<u>July 21</u>	<u>167. Stachon St Hamilton Ont</u>	<u>June 4th 20</u> <small>(If unmarried this should be stated)</small>

III. I Further Declare that the following are true particulars of my children for whom I am entitled to receive an allowance, that they are living this day and that I am responsible for their care and maintenance.

Name	Date of birth	State where each child is living and if not with father the reason


IV. Pensioner's Signature 
(The signature must be of the Pensioner or of a Justice of the Peace, a Notary Public or a Commissioner of Affidavits who signs the Certificate below)

Pensioner's Address..... 167 Stachon St. Hamilton, Ont Canada

CERTIFICATE

V. THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the foregoing declaration and signature or mark were made by the afore-mentioned person in

my presence this..... 16th.....
 day of..... September..... 19..... 21.....
 and that I believe the Declarant to be the person named herein.

Signature..... 
 Qualification..... Justice of the Peace
 Address..... HAMILTON RED CROSS SOLDIERS' COMMITTEE ROOM 202 TERMINAL BLDG. 120 KING ST. E. PH. BAKER 3311

(This Certificate must be signed by a Justice of the Peace, a Notary Public, a Commissioner of Affidavits or a Commissioner of the Board of Pension Commissioners)

IMPORTANT—This form should be completed and returned at once or payment of pension may be delayed.

HIS MAJESTY THE KING
Patron-in-Chief of the British Empire Service League

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DOMINION HEADQUARTERS SERVICE BUREAU
OTTAWA, CANADA

P. O. BOX 384
PHONE QUEEN 926
Cable Address- CANLEG

November 29th, 1934.

The Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners
for Newfoundland,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Dear Sir:- Re #738 John Davis,
167 Strachan St. E., Hamilton, Ont.
Your Reference No. 2923.

With reference to the case of the above noted, we have to advise that we are arranging for the report desired to be furnished through our Hamilton Agency.

We hope to have the report available within a short time now.

Yours faithfully,



IGM.

W. F. Wurtele
W. F. Wurtele,
SERVICE BUREAU.

"They served till death! Why not we?"

December 17th., 1934.

W.F. Wurtele, Esq.,
Service Bureau,
The Canadian Legion of
THE BRITISH EMPIRE SERVICE LEAGUE,
Ottawa, Ont.

Re:- John J. Davis,
167 Strachan Street, E.
Hamilton, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

This will acknowledge receipt of your communication of December 6th., enclosing completed Report of Investigation in the case of the marginally named, for which I thank you.

Yours very truly,



Secretary.

BT:

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Patron-in-Chief of the British Empire Service League

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OTTAWA, CANADA

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PHONE QUEEN 926
Cable Address: CANLEG

December 6th, 1934.

The Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners
for Newfoundland,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Dear Sir:-

Re. John J. Davis.

Further to this office letter of November 29th, 1934, we now beg to forward the report requested by you concerning the above noted.

It is hoped that this will meet with your requirements and we should be glad to hear further from you if at any time the services of this Bureau can be of assistance to you.

Yours faithfully,

W. F. Wurtele

W. F. Wurtele,
SERVICE BUREAU.



IGM.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Report of Investigation.

File No 2923

Name of Pensioner John J. Davis

Address #167 St. Charles St. S. Hamilton Ont

Name of Inquiry Officer W. L. Carroll

Address "

" 49 Victoria Ave S. Hamilton Ont

6.....

1. IDENTITY. Are you satisfied with the Identity of the pensioner?

Yes State age 40

2. ADMINISTRATION. Is the pensioner capable of administrating his or her pension? Yes If not what would you recommen

3. ENVIRONMENT.

With whom does the pensioner reside? wife

Does he or ~~she~~ pay rent? Yes If so how much?

\$ 16.57 per month.

4. RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED MAN

Not applicable.

5. EARNING CAPACITY. Is the pensioner capable of self support? Yes

If not why? (Unemployed) Does he or she

make any contribution towards his or her support,

and how much? Pension of \$16.57 per month.

If pensioner is married, does his wife contribute

any way? No. She has been in hospital 4 1/2 weeks 1931-32.

6. ESTATES.

Has the pensioner any estate real or personal? Yes

Not.

Does he or she own his or ~~her~~ home? No Give

full particulars not app.

7. SOURCE OF INCOME.

Give full particulars of pensioners income

\$ 16.57 per month Pension

If pensioner is a mother give full particulars of amount etc., of husbands earnings None

E. CHILDRENS CONTRIBUTION.

Does the pensioner receive any contribution from children? n/a If so give full particulars of amount etc., n/a

If children do not contribute state why n/a

PARTICULARS OF CHILDREN.

Name	Age.	Married or single.	If married give date of marriage.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>			

Has the condition of pensioner altered since pension was first awarded? Yes. If so give full particulars, and any

further remarks regarding the case Man states his

Condition is worse than when pension first awarded, that he is unable to do any heavy work, has severe cough and constant pain in chest. (Diagnosis, last year on file - Bronchitis & Bronchiectasis)

Date Nov. 28/34

H. B. Cascallan

(Signature of Inquiry Officer)

29833

October 30th., 1934.

Mr. John Davis,
167 Strachan Street,
Hamilton, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of October 20th., I beg to advise you that I am arranging to have your present circumstances investigated through the British Empire Service League, and upon receipt of their report will bring your case before the Special Committee appointed to look after such cases, for their consideration.

Yours very truly,



Secretary.

BT:

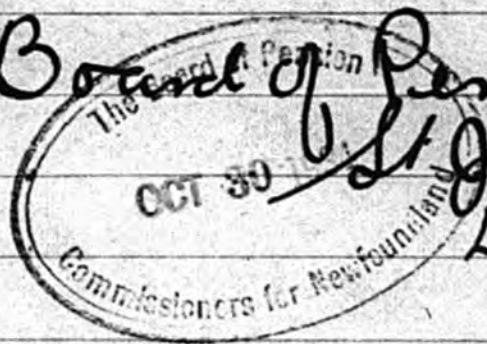
2953

20% = 2000 x 1/27 = 166

Oct-20th/34

To

Board of Pension



St. John's N.F.

Dear Sir

I would like to know very much. Are there any possibility of me getting my pension raised. I have noticed in the N.F. papers. That all the pensioners got their pensions raised. It is very hard to get along with my pay $\$5.00$ for rent and $\$1.50$ for electric light not very well at present time cough most all the time. And pains around me is severe. So do what you can for me. I will be

Waiting for a answer
By return mail.

Oblige
Jno Davis
167 Strachan St
Hamilton

2923

October 30th., 1934.

The Secretary,
Canadian Legion of
The British Empire Service League,
OTTAWA, Ont.

Re:- #738, John Davis,
167 Strachan Street, E.,
Hamilton, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly arrange with your District
Office at Hamilton, to furnish this Department
with a report regarding the circumstances of
the marginally named man.

Thanking you,

Yours very truly,



Secretary.

BT:

2923

From the desk of—
HON. F. C. ALDERDICE



Mr. Oke

Does this letter refer to a War Pension? If so would you please reply direct. If not you might return it to me and I will take it up with the Finance Department. It seems, however, more likely to be a War Pension.

Mary Taylor

Secty. to Mr. Alderdice.

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P.C., G.C.M.G.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS SHOULD
BE ADDRESSED TO THE
SECRETARY.

HEADQUARTER'S CLUB ROOMS
REBECCA AND JAMES

HAMILTON
CANADA Sept 18 1935

Ministry of Pensions.

Water St.

St Johns. NF.

2923

Sir:

Pte John Davis Reg No 738.

This man has been sick for some time and was in Christie St Hospital Toronto some time in July. At the present time he is in Hospital at the Mountain Sanitorium Hamilton, I understand he is a small pensioner, and I have been instructed by the above named organization to write and find out if this mans wife is not entitled to paying allowance while in hospital, the same as canadian soldiers.

Please let me hear from you as soon as possible.

Yours very truly.

W C Wardley
Secretary.

Cheque for the balance of Pension
 due to the end of September was forwarded
 to 117 Stanley St E Hamilton Ont

Pension collected in hospital is payable
~~at 100% less 33 1/3%~~

at the rate of \$100.00 (nominal net without charges)
 less 33 1/3%, the net amt is increased by 10%
 and the sum of 1.00 per day deducted during
 the period of hospitalization.

A/c

2923

October 1st., 1935.

W.C. Wardley, Esq.,
Army and Veterans' Society of Hamilton,
Hamilton, Ont.

Re:- 738, John Davis,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment:

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of September 18th., relative to the case of the marginally named man, I beg to advise you that Mr. Davis is entitled to Hospital Allowances during the period of his hospitalization.

I may say, for your information, that a cheque for \$63.33, being payment due to September 30th., was forwarded to his home address - Strachan Street, Hamilton, a few days ago.

Yours very truly,

J.A. MCGRATH, Clerk,
WAR PENSIONS.

FORM FOR HISTORY AND MEDICAL RE-EXAMINATION OF PENSIONERS.

The Department of War Pensions for Newfoundland

TO MEDICAL EXAMINER:

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, (1)

Medical Report required; review date:—

Date _____
The Secretary, Dept. of War Pensions for Newfoundland.

Per _____

Regimental No. **738** Rank _____

Name **JOHN DAVIS.**

Unit _____

DESCRIPTION OF PENSIONER:

Apparent Age _____ Height _____ Colour of Eyes _____

Complexion _____ Colour of Hair _____ Weight _____

Marks of Identification: _____

Special Question:—

This is to certify that I have read or have heard read, therefore description of my disabling condition and have not withheld any information concerning any disability resulting from service. I also wish to state that my complaints are _____ (if there are no complaints, it will be so stated)

Pensioner's Signature

of Witness

W

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Pension No. 2923

Regt. No. 738 Rank Pte: Name JOHN DAVIS.

Disability 100% Hospital per cent. Period months

Pension for self \$ 75.00 per month

Allowance for wife \$ 25.00 per month

ALLOWANCE FOR CHILDREN

First Child \$ per month

Second Child \$ per month

Third and Other Children \$ Each \$

TOTAL MONTHLY PENSION \$ 100.00 For Months

Total Authorized Amount \$ From 24-6-35 To

PENSION GRANTED TO JOHN DAVIS

Approved by [Signature] Chairman.

[Signature] Commissioner.

[Signature] Commissioner.

[Signature]

Admitted to Christie Street Hospital for treatment in respect of 'Chest' condition(his service disability) on 24.6.35.

100% whilst in HP: (Sgd): J.ST.P. KNIGHT, M.B., Medical Adviser.

July 24th., 1935.

[Signature] B. Thomas

[Signature]

Head of District Office (or Medical Practitioner)

2923

Department of Public Health & Welfare

Memorandum to

John Davis

Date

66.67 from $24 \frac{6}{35}$ to $30 \frac{6}{35}$ - (6)
 73.33 . $1 \frac{7}{35}$ to $31 \frac{7}{35}$ (6x)

13.34
 146.66

 160.00

Less Payments. $24 \frac{6}{35}$ to $30 \frac{6}{35}$ 3.74
 $1 \frac{7}{35}$ to $31 \frac{7}{35}$ 20.00
 $1 \frac{8}{35}$ to $31 \frac{8}{35}$ 10.97

27.29
 10.00

Less 1.00 p day in P

68.00

 102.71

37.29

Due to $31 \frac{8}{35}$

57.29

 160.00

Less 1.00 p day in P Rept. = 27.29
 as cheque for 63.33 is
 drawn for Rept. amount
 be 73.33 #

Department of Public Health & Welfare,
Labour and Pensions

Public Health
Public Welfare
Labour



St. John's, Newfoundland

War Pensions
Old Age Pensions
Vital Statistics

September 9th., 1935.

Memo for Clerk,
Dept., of War Pensions:

Re:- 738, John Davis: (PEN.NO: 2923)

Kindly note that the marginally named was TRANSFERRED
from Christie Street Hospital to MOUNTAIN SANATARIUM, Hamilton,
on August 7th., 1935.

B. Thomas

Hamilton
Sept 6/30-

Dept of Public Health—

And Welfare
St. Johns

Newfoundland

Dear Sir,—

I am writing to you
to let you know, that I was
admitted to Christie Street Hospital
on June 24. I spent seven weeks
at the Drowned Hospital and
on the 7 of August. The doctor
sent me to the Sanatorium
Hospital. That's where I am
working. So I would like to
know what is to be done.

I was told I was one hundred
per cent disability. I have
lung trouble. It was caused
through service. and I want
trouble to work again.

So its up to you to see what is
to be done, give me what is due
I am in under compensation and
my wife has to be seen to
the allowance that is due to her
from the 24 of June I was admitted

I received the cheque of
Ten dollars and ninety seven cents
(\$10.97^{cts}) on Thursday Aug 25-

That dont cover the rent
and lights its due on the
1st of August. The lights
have to be payed on the 12 of Aug
I wish to hear from you
at the earliest date

Yours Truly
John Davis
167 Strachan St E
Dumfries
Ont
Canada

2923

~~P. 110758~~

NO 2923

100.00

Oct-10/35

To

73.33
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Dept of Pension
St. John's

h. F. L. O

Dear Sir:-

I am writing to
you. please do let me know
why is the ninety eight dollars
(\$98.00) taken from my cheque for
hospital.

What is the paying allowance
for my wife, any amount.

I am since at the
Sanatorium hospital
Obliged

John Lewis

Infirmary Block

East-1. Room 4

Sanatorium Hospital
Harrieton

Rate \$100.00 less 33 1/3% 66 67 add 10% 73 33
 less 1 1/2% per

~~100~~ 7233

You can
 73 : 3.3
 31
 42.33

P.S.

You can send my letters
 To the hospital or to my home

Address - 167 Strachan St &
 Hamilton
 Ont
 Canada

My wife will forward the
 letters to me. When she visits
 the hospital on Wednesday, Thursday
 and Sundays

Sept. 6333
 Oct 4233

Pension 2923

17-10-35

Mr. John Davis,
Infirmary Board,
East 1, Room 4,
Sanatarium Hospital,
HAMILTON.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 10th. inst, with reference to your Pension. In reply I beg to state that upon adjusting your account, I find that there is a balance of \$37.28 due to you to September 30, 1935.

Your Pension in Hospital is made up as follows: \$73.00 per month, less \$1.00 per day, which is charged against you whilst an inmate of the Hospital, equalling \$42.33 per month. The enclosed voucher shows how your pension is made up from June 1st. to September 30th.

Yours very truly,

W. V. Warren,
Clerk, In Charge of Records.

SM/

2923

September 14th., 1935.

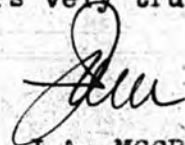
Mr. John Davis,
167 Strachan Street, E.
Hamilton, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find cheque for \$37.29, which, together with a cheque for \$63.33 to be forwarded at September 30th., will be the balance of pension due you at that date, provided you are still a hospital patient. If you are discharged previous to the 30th of September, your account will be re-adjusted.

There is a reduction of \$1.00 per day made for your hospital period.

Yours very truly,



J.A. MCGRATH
Clerk, Dept., of War Pensions.

BT:

292-3

PENSIONS



DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND NATIONAL HEALTH
APPLICATION FOR TREATMENT

Immediately after examining an ex-soldier the Medical Representative of the Department will detach upper half and forward at once to District Administrator. Forward lower half at end of month for payment for treatment, and another lower half at end of each subsequent month till case is disposed of.

1. Regt. No. 738 Rank Pte Date 4-9-34

BPO # 2923

Name and Initials Davis, J. Address 167 Strachan, St. E.

Force ~~Imperial~~ Royal Wfld Regt.

Disability for which pension was granted Bronchitis & Bronchiectasis

2. Physical findings and diagnosis of present condition Sent in for medicine.

3. Recommendation to District Office.....

A. J. Yates

Medical Representative

DETACH HERE

4. Regt. No. 738 Name Davis, J. Date 4-9-34

BPO 2923

5. Treatment prescribed R/1238

6. Brief progress report.....

7. Disposal of case.....

DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND NATIONAL SERVICE
APPLICATION FOR TREATMENT

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1. Name of applicant: _____
 2. Address: _____
 3. City: _____ State: _____
 4. Date of birth: _____
 5. Date of service: _____
 6. Date of discharge: _____
 7. Grade at discharge: _____
 8. Reason for application: _____
 9. Name of medical representative: _____
 10. Address of medical representative: _____
 11. City: _____ State: _____



STATEMENT ACCOUNT for Month of September 1934

Dates of Current Month's Visits	Indicate Office, Hospital or Home	Total Mileage One Way	Special Drugs	Special Charges	Total	Amendments by District Administrator
<u>4-9-34</u>	<u>Office</u>		<u>.50</u>		<u>.50</u>	

U. S. Veterans Bureau,
 RECEIVED
 NOV 6 - 1934

D. J. [Signature]
 (Medical Representative)

Medical Service,
 Insular & Foreign Service
Sgd. J. Davis, Sub-Division
 (Signature of Patient)

Hamilton, Ont.
 (Place)

Approved *[Signature]*
 (District Administrator)

(Date) 1-10-34

In reply please quote
Date and Initials

2923

COMMISSION OF GOVERNMENT



NEWFOUNDLAND

Department of Public Health & Welfare and War Pensions

ST. JOHN'S March 10, 1936.

Re: #738, John Davis, 167 Strachan Street E.,
Hamilton, Ontario.

(Now a patient in the Mountain Sanatorium,
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Pensioner is married, but has no family.

Entered Hospital 24-6-35.

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Add 10 %, 73.33

Less \$1.00 per day whilst an inmate.

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March 14th., 1936.

Mr. John Davis,
Mountain Sanatorium,
Hamilton, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

A report recently received relative to your case shews that you were absent from the Sanatorium 'without leave', from 3 pm on December 24th., until December 25th., at 9.30., 'leave' being granted only from 3 pm., on Christmas Day. According to regulations you are therefore subject to a fine of one day's pay, and the sum of \$3.00 will therefore be deducted from your Pension Account.

Yours very truly,

J.A. MCGRATH,
Clerk, Dept., WAR PENSIONS.

BT:

P. NO 2923

Hamilton

Jan 23/36

Dear Sir:-

please let me know
will you send out the pension
cheque for the month of January
I'm sure to hear from you
at earliest date

Yours Resp
John Davis
167 Stachan St-E
Hamilton
Ont.



please give me the explanation
of 33 1/3 %. Add 10 %
Total \$ 100.00
Less 33 1/3 % 66.67
Add 10 % 73.33

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CANADA

December 3rd 1935.

P. NO 2923

Department of Public Health & Welfare & War Pensions.

Commission of Government.
St Johns.
Newfoundland.

Pension No 2923. John Davis.

Sir: I

I have been requested to write you in connection with this mans pension , he states that his wife has not received any pension for november ,and up till the time of writing no cheque has been received. I have seen Mrs Davis and explained to her that all cheques are mailed the last of each month ,and it takes about five days to come from St Johns.

I also explained to her your remarks at foot of paper stating the amounts of pension from certain dates.

I shall be pleased if you will let me know what payments have been made since ~~hex~~ Mr Davis went to hospital and when cheques are mailed from St Johns so that I can let our executive know that I have taken up the case for Mr Davis.

Yours very truly.

W. C. Wardley
Secretary.



2923

20 December, 1935.

Mr. W. G. Wardley,
Secty. Army & Navy Veterans' Society,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 3rd. with reference to Mr. John Davis.

Mr. Davis' Pension cheque for the month of November has been mailed. Following is a list of payments made since his admission to hospital, and dates of mailing:

Pd. June 30, 1935 ...	18.70
July 31	20.00
Aug. 31	10.97
Sept. 14	37.29
Sept. 30	63.53
Oct. 17	37.28
Nov. 19	5.04
Dec. 11	43.33
Dec. 20	42.33

\$278.27

Hospital Rates: \$100.00 per month, less 33 1/3, \$66.67;
Add 10% 73.33
Less \$1.00 per day whilst
an inmate

Trusting that this is the information required,

Yours very truly,

W. V. Warren,
Clerk in charge of Records.

P. NO 2923

Ac 738 John Davis

167 Mackinac St. & Hamilton Ont. Canada

Person C #1870 from 1-6-35 to 23-6-35 (24 days)	1496 ✓
" " C 6667 " " 24-6-35 to 30-6-35 (6 days) up	1333 ✓
" " C 7333 " " 1-7-35 to 30-9-35 (3 months) up.	21999 ✓
	<u>* 24828 ✓</u>

Ten. $1\frac{00}{100}$ per day deducted from 24 ⁶ / ₃₅ to 30 ⁹ / ₃₅ (98 days)	98.00 ✓
	* 1870 ✓
Paid June 30/35	* 2000 ✓
Paid July 31/35	1097 ✓
Paid Aug 31/35	<u>6333</u>
Paid Sept 30/35	
Balance due to 30/9/35	<u>21100</u>
	* 3728

M.

P. NO 2923

Statement of John Davis
167 Mackenzie St. E. Hamilton Ont Canada

Prison @ \$7333 whilst in the firm 1st/₃₅ to 31st/₃₅ \$ 7333

Paid on acct for above period \$ 3729

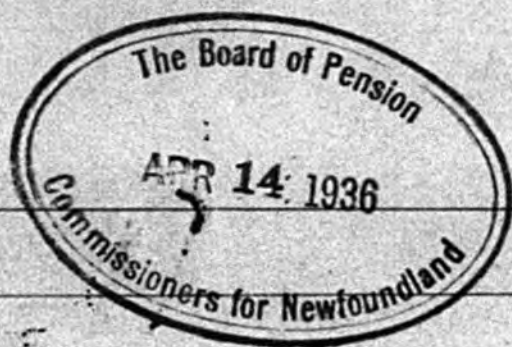
Less \$1.00 per day Ho. charges for 1st/₃₅ to 31st/₃₅ \$ 31.00

Balance due to 31st/₃₅

6829

\$ 504

P-NO 2923



Hatfield
April 6/36

Dear Sir & Comrade.
Please let me know
by return mail, did you
sent-out my cheque for month-
of March, as I never got none.
The last cheque I received was
on the 20 of Feb. That was
the only cheque I got in this
year (36)

Trusting to hear from
you at Earliest
Obliged

Jno Lewis
~~at~~ Mountain Sanatorium
East-1 Room 4
The Bronx

Pension No: 2923.

April 15, 1936.

Dear Sir:

Re: John Davis, Regt. #738,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

In reply to your letter of March 30th. with relation to the above, I beg to advise you that this man's pension during hospitalization is made up as follows:

Man	\$75.00	
Wife	<u>25.00</u>	
	100.00, less 33 1/3%,	\$66.67.
	Add 10%	73.33
Less \$1.00 per day in hospital ..	<u>30.00</u>	(per month)
	<u>\$43.33</u>	per month while in Hp.

Trusting that this information is what you require,

Yours very truly,

J. A. McGrath,
Clerk, Dept. of War Pensions.

W. C. Wardley, Esq.
Secty. H. M. Army & Navy Veterans' Society,
24 Mars Ave., Hamilton, Ont.

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CANADA

March 30 1936

Commission of Government.
Department of Public Health Welfare & War Pensions.
St Johns.
Newfoundland.

John Davis Reg No 738.
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Dear Sir:

I have been requested to write you in regards to this mans pension, his first papers stated that he was granted full pension of \$100-00 per month less Hospital Allowance during the period of his hospitalization. which should leave balance of about \$ 70-00 per month, at present his cheque is \$ 42-43 a difference of about \$ 25-00 per month.

Will you kindly advise me as how you arrive at \$42-43 per month is there some reason as to the further reduction of about \$25-00 ,does your pension rates differ from the Canadian pensions.

Thanking you for an early reply.

Yours very truly.

Secretary.

24 Mars Ave.
Hamilton. Ont.



160.00 p.m

100.00

75.00

25.00

less $33\frac{1}{3}$ = 66.67 add $10\frac{3}{4}$ - 73.33

Less

30

43.33



THE
CANADIAN PENSIONERS' ASSOCIATION
 OF THE GREAT WAR (INCORPORATED)

HAMILTON BRANCH

HUGH RICHARDSON
 PRESIDENT
 103 CROTHWAITE AVE. N.

PHONE BAKER 3861

P. FALKINGHAM
 SECRETARY
 1260 MAIN ST. E.

199 KING WILLIAM ST.

HAMILTON, ONT., May 21st 1936

*Pension No
 2923*

Secretary Department of Pensions,
 St. Johns, Newfoundland.

Dear Sir:- Re Pension #2923 - John Davis #738.

Re the above named John Davis, 167 Strachan
 St. East, Hamilton.

I have been requested by the above Association
 to ask you for an explanation of the attached form which
 came from your Department.

I have marked the various items that we do
 not quite understand and on behalf of Mr. Davis, as
 adjustment officer of the above Association, I would
 appreciate an explanation of the deductions and
 additions. Will you kindly return the yellow state-
 ment for our files.

Sincerely yours,

Adjustment Officer. *W. H. Shaw*

*60 Catharine St - S
 Hamilton
 Ontario
 Canada*



Pension No: 2923

2923

May 30, 1936.

The Canadian Pensioners' Association,
Hamilton Branch,
199 King William Street,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Re: John Davis, Regt. No. 738

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of a letter from your Adjustment Officer, dated May 21st., requesting information with reference to the account of the above noted man. In reply, the following information is submitted:

Whilst in hospital Mr. Davis is in receipt of pension at 100%, made up as follows:

Self ... \$75.00
Wife ... 25.00 \$100.00 per month.

This amount (\$100.00) is subject to a reduction of 33 1/3%, leaving \$66.67. This amount, (\$66.67), is in turn increased by 10%, making the total amount payable \$73.33 monthly.

The cost of maintainance - \$1.00 per day - whilst in hospital is deducted from this amount of \$73.33. Cost of maintainance for December was \$31.00, which is deducted from \$73.33, leaving \$42.33.

Trusting that this explanation is satisfactory,

Yours very truly,

The enclosed voucher is to be returned to Mr. Davis, please.

J. A. McGrath, Clerk, Dept. of
War Pensions.

BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

This Certificate is the property of the Issuing Authority. It is no security for debt.
IMPORTANT.—This form should be completed and returned at once to the Paying Officer
 or payment of pension may be delayed.
(DISABILITY PENSIONERS.)

ANY PERSON WILFULLY MAKING A FALSE DECLARATION WILL BE LIABLE TO PROSECUTION.

1. DECLARATION.
 I HEREBY DECLARE that I am the Pensioner named below and entitled to the Pension specified.

These particulars are to be filled in by the Pensioner, or, if he cannot write, by someone on his behalf.

Name of Pensioner John Davis
 Rank PLT Regiment 1st Royal Newfoundland Regtl. No. 738
 Rating _____ Ship _____ Official No. _____
 Identity No. 2923 Rate of Pension \$43.33 per month Age 42
 Occupation (if any) _____

2. I FURTHER DECLARE that the following are true particulars of my Wife, that she is alive this day, that I am responsible for her maintenance, and that I am entitled to an allowance in respect of her.

This part must be filled in if the Pensioner is drawing an allowance in respect of his wife.
 (See also overleaf.)

PART 8 MUST ALSO BE COMPLETED.

Full Maiden Name	Date of Birth		Present Address	Date of Marriage
	Day and Month	Year		
<u>Alberta Hedderson</u>	<u>July 21</u>	<u>1892</u>	<u>167 Strachan St.</u>	<u>June 4/20</u>

If unmarried, this should be stated.

I FURTHER DECLARE that the following are true particulars of my children for whom I am entitled to receive an allowance, that they are living this day, and that I am responsible for their care and maintenance.

3.
 This part must be filled in if the Pensioner is drawing an allowance in respect of his children.
 (See also overleaf.)

PARTS 6 TO 9 MUST ALSO BE COMPLETED WHERE NECESSARY.

Name	Date of Birth		State where each child is at school, or, if in employment, the name and address of employer.	State where each child lives and, if not with father, the reason.
	Day and Month	Year		

4. PENSIONER'S SIGNATURE John Davis
 (The Signature must be inserted in the presence of the person who signs the Certificate below.)
 Pensioner's Address 167 Strachan St. E., Hamilton

5. Persons before whom the declaration may be subscribed:—
IN NEWFOUNDLAND.
 Magistrate, J. P., Notary Public, Com. of Affidavits, Minister of Religion, Registered M.D., Bank Manager, R.O., Police Officer, Collectors and Authorized Customs Officers, Rangers, Officers on the active, half-pay or pension lists of any of His Majesty's Naval, Military or Air Forces.
 †(5) Managers of British Banks.
 (b) In other parts of the British Empire:—
 Magistrates.
 Barristers-at-Law, Commissioners for Oaths, or duly qualified Solicitors.
 Ministers of Religion habitually officiating at a place of worship within 10 miles of the place where the declarant resides for the time being.
 Physicians or Surgeons registered as such under the law of the country, and regularly practising within 10 miles of the place where the declarant resides for the time being.
 †* Managers, Secretaries, Chief Cashiers and Accountants of Banks registered under the law of the country; other Officials of such banks who are authorized by their Banks to sign documents on their behalf; and Officials of such Banks for the time being in charge of Branch Banks.
 † The following Officers of Savings Banks registered under Act of Parliament, viz.: Actuaries, Managers, Directors, Secretaries, Chief Cashiers, Accountants and Officials for the time being in charge of Branch Banks.
 †* Police Officials not below the rank of Sergeant.
 †* Postmasters, Postmistresses and other Officers actually in charge of any Head, Branch or Sub-Post Office, and at Head Post Office the Officers next in command to the Postmaster.
 (c) In foreign countries:—
 † British Diplomats or Consular Officers empowered by law to administer oaths.
 † Notaries Public and other persons competent by the law of the country to administer such declaration. [The law must be quoted sufficiently for verification.]
 * Ministers of Religion duly licensed by Ecclesiastical Authority in the United Kingdom to officiate as chaplains in the place where they attest.

The Board of Pensioners may not attest this Declaration.

CERTIFICATE.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the foregoing declaration and signature were made by the above-mentioned person in my presence on this 16th day of July, 1937
 and that I believe the Declarant to be the person named herein.

*Signature P. Meadows
 Qualification Notary Public in and for Ontario

Qualification to be stated in terms of list in margin, e.g., "Captain, R.N. [Retired]."
 "Permanent Civil Servant [Rank.....]." "Minister of Religion [Church of England, St. John's Church (place)]." "Sergeant of Police [in charge..... Station]." &c.

Postal Address _____

Where a Declarant signs by means of a mark, the Declaration should be read over to him or her by the person who attests the Declaration, who should satisfy himself that the Declarant understands the purport of the statements signed by him.
 * The person signing here must also sign Certificates 6 to 9 overleaf if required.

These Life Certificates 6 to 9 are not to be completed unless the pensioner is entitled to and is receiving an allowance in respect of any of the persons set out hereon.

6. CERTIFICATE.—(FOR WIFE, CHILDREN UNDER SCHOOL AGE, AND CHILDREN OVER SCHOOL AGE, BUT NOT IN EMPLOYMENT.)

I certify that Albertha Hedderson the wife, and _____

child or children of Mr. John Davis are living, and have been seen by me this day.

Signature J. Meadows

Date September 5th 1937

Note.— This form should be signed by the person who attests the Certificate overleaf.

7. CERTIFICATE FOR CHILDREN ATTENDING SCHOOL. Boys.

I certify that _____

child or children Mr. _____ has been seen by me this day.

During school holidays the signature of the person who attests the Pensioner's own declaration will be accepted here.

Signature _____

[Head Teacher.]

Date _____

Designation of School _____

8. CERTIFICATE FOR CHILDREN ATTENDING SCHOOL. GIRLS.

I certify that _____

child or children of Mr. _____

has been seen by me this day.

During school holidays the signature of the person who attests the Pensioner's own declaration will be accepted here.

Signature _____

[Head Teacher.]

Date _____

Designation of School _____

9. CERTIFICATE. (FOR CHILDREN IN EMPLOYMENT.)

I certify that _____ child of Mr. _____ is at present in my employment.

Signature _____

Date _____

Rank or Profession _____

Address _____

Note.— If the child is in its father's employment this certificate should be amended accordingly and signed by the person who attests overleaf.

* To _____



* To be filled in by PAYING OFFICER before despatch to the Pensioner

This Form should be read carefully. After completion, it should be posted to the address shown above.

If this form is not filled up correctly and returned promptly payment of pension may be delayed.

Department of Public Health and Welfare and War Pensions

2923

Memorandum for

Mr. John Davis, 167 Strachan St., E.,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Date Aug. 30, 1937.

Please have Section 6 (overleaf) of the enclosed form completed with respect to your wife, having this Section signed by the same person who certified to Section 5.

Kindly return the form at your earliest convenience in order to avoid possible delay in payment of pension.

J. A. McGrath,
Clerk, War Pensions.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

DISABILITY PENSIONERS

I. **I HEREBY DECLARE** that I am the Pensioner named below and entitled to the pension specified.

Name of Pensioner John Davis
 Rank PL Regtl. No. 738 Rate of pension 100%

II. **I Further Declare** that the following are true particulars of my wife, that she is alive this day, that I am responsible for her maintenance, and that I am entitled to an allowance in respect of her.

Full maiden name	Date of birth	Present address	Date of marriage
<u>Alberta Henderson</u>	<u>July 21</u> 1888 <u>1892</u>	<u>167 Strachan St E</u> <u>Hamilton</u> <u>Ont. Can</u>	<u>June 4</u> ¹⁹²⁰ <u>1920</u> ✓ <small>(If unmarried this should be stated.)</small>

III. **I Further Declare** that the following are true particulars of my children for whom I am entitled to receive an allowance, that they are living this day and that I am responsible for their care and maintenance.

Name	Date of birth	State where each child is living and if not with father the reason

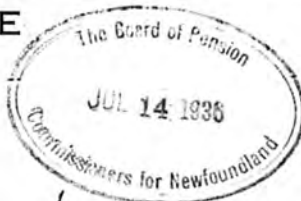
IV. Pensioner's Signature John Davis
The signature must be inserted in the presence of the person who signs the Certificate below.

Pensioner's Address 167 Strachan St E Hamilton

CERTIFICATE

V. THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the foregoing declaration and signature or mark were made by the afore-mentioned person in

my presence this Eight
 day of July 1926
 and that I believe the Declarant to be the person named herein.



Signature Henry Edward Howdeshell
 Qualification Barrister - at-law
 Address Hamilton Sanatorium
Hamilton, Ontario

(This Certificate must be signed by a Justice of the Peace, a Notary Public or a Commissioner of Affidavits.)

IMPORTANT—This form should be completed and returned at once or payment of pension may be delayed.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

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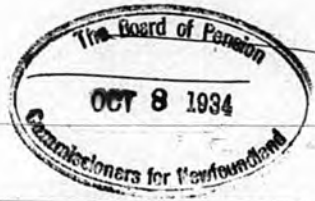
Name of Pensioner John Davis
Rank BL Regtl. No. 738 Rate of pension #16.67

II. I Further Declare that the following are true particulars of my wife, that she is alive this day, that I am responsible for her maintenance, and that I am entitled to an allowance in respect of her.

Full maiden name	Date of birth	Present address	Date of marriage
<u>Albertha Neelderson</u>	<u>July 21 1892</u>	<u>167 Stuchlan St E Hamilton Ont Canada</u>	<u>June 4/20</u> <small>(If unmarried this should be stated.)</small>

III. I Further Declare that the following are true particulars of my children for whom I am entitled to receive an allowance, that they are living this day and that I am responsible for their care and maintenance.

Name	Date of birth	State where each child is living and if not with father the reason
<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u>



IV. Pensioner's Signature John Davis
(The signature must be inserted in the presence of the person who signs the Certificate below.)
Pensioner's Address John Davis 167 Stuchlan St E

CERTIFICATE

V. THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the foregoing declaration and signature or mark were made by the afore-mentioned person in my presence this 2nd day of October 1934 and that I believe the Declarant to be the person named herein.

Signature J. Shull
Commissioner for taking of Oaths for D. P. & N. H.
Qualification _____
Address Levell Bldg. Hamilton Ont

(This Certificate must be signed by a Justice of the Peace, a Notary Public or a Commissioner of Affidavits.)

IMPORTANT—This form should be completed and returned at once on payment of pension may be delayed.

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

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Name of Pensioner..... John Davis
Rank..... PLT Regtl. No..... 738 Rate of pension..... #1667⁴⁶

II. I Further Declare that the following are true particulars of my wife, that she is alive this day, that I am responsible for her maintenance, and that I am entitled to an allowance in respect of her.

Full maiden name	Date of birth	Present address	Date of marriage
<u>Albertina Hedderson</u>	<u>July 21st 1892</u>	<u>167 Stachan St. E Hamilton Canada Ont</u>	<u>June 4th / 20</u> <small>(If unmarried this should be stated)</small>

III. I Further Declare that the following are true particulars of my children for whom I am entitled to receive an allowance, that they are living this day and that I am responsible for their care and maintenance.

Name	Date of birth	State where each child is living and if not with father the reason
<u>None</u>		

IV. Pensioner's Signature..... John Davis
(The signature must be inserted in the presence of the person who signs the Certificate below)

Pensioner's Address..... 167 Stachan St. E. Hamilton Ont

CERTIFICATE

V. THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the foregoing declaration and signature or mark were made by the afore-mentioned person in

my presence this..... 21st
day of..... June 1934
and that I believe the Declarant to be the person named herein.



Signature..... [Signature]
Qualification..... Commissioner for taking of Oaths for D. P. & N. J.
Address..... Levitt Bldg, Hamilton Ont

(This Certificate must be signed by a Justice of the Peace, a Notary Public or a Commissioner of Affidavits)

IMPORTANT—This form should be completed and returned at once or payment of pension may be delayed.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 738 Rank PO Name John Davis
 Intended place of residence. Blue Bell CB
 2. Occupation Miner
 Classification of soldier C Medical Category A's

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 4 1919 H. Meers Lt.
 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. SUBJECT TO ADJUSTMENT OF OVERSEAS PAY (SEE P. 11.)
 Place and date ST. JOHN'S.
4-3-19
John X. Davis
 Signature of soldier
Edwards Capt.
 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 ST. JOHN'S.
4. 3. 19.
John X. Davis
 Signature of soldier
T. D. ...
 Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 11. 12. 14 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service. 24 3. 19 Service 1559

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.
MAR 6 1919
R. H. Lait Capt
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed
 Place St. John's, Nfld
March 20/1919
Mr Howley Capt
 Officer i/c Records
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

H. 10279/1338

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THE CANADIAN PENSION COMMISSION

MEMORANDUM

TO Department of Veterans Affairs.
FROM The Canadian Pension Commission.

Ottawa 2, December 30, 1953.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS
JAN 7 1954
10:00 AM '54
OTTAWA - CANADA

#738 Pte.- John Davis
Royal Mfld. Regt.

ATTENTION - Burials and Memorials Division.

C.P.C. XXX

The marginally named died
at **Hamilton, Ontario.**
on **June 25, 1940.**
Cause of Death **Pulmonary Tuberculosis.**

The Commission has ruled that
death was related to military service. (World War 1).

Next of Kin **Mrs. Alberta Davis, (widow)**
167 Strachan St.E.,
Hamilton, Ontario.

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jm
Died on strength

E. Lacey

for K. M. Macdonald,
Secretary.

Copy forwarded:
Director of War Service Records.

*No MX action
13/1/53
alstc9*

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.



H P/O

NEWFOUNDLAND
GOODS



SEP 20 1921 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**

is/are forwarded herewith to

John Davis

in respect of his service as No. **738** Rank **Pte.**

Name **J. Davis** **Royal Nfld. Regt.**
~~Nfld. Fusiliers~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received **August 7th 1933. & Victory Medal.**
General Service Medal.

Signature **John Davis**

Date **August 7th 1933.**

Address **135 Strachan St. E. Hamilton. Ont.**

[P.T.O.]

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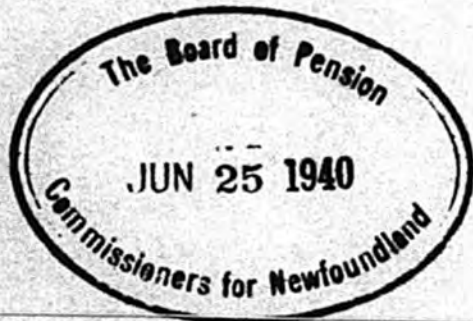
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SEVEN THREE EIGHT JOHN DAVIS DIED MOUNTAIN SANATORIUM

HAMILTON JUNE TWENTY THIRD NEXT OF KIN WIFE PRESENT=

SUB DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR.



2923
738

#16432 Cancelled

Self + wife Alberta 100% in Hospital.

$$100.00 \text{ less } 33\frac{1}{3}\% + 10\% + 5\% = 76.99$$

Less \$1.00 p day

June 1 - 23 at 76.99 = \$ 59.02

Less \$ 1 pd.

$$\begin{array}{r} 23.00 \\ \hline \$ 36.02 \\ \hline \hline \end{array}$$

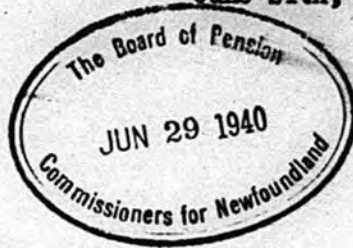


CANADA

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO FILE NO.

DEPARTMENT OF
PENSIONS AND NATIONAL HEALTH

Dominion Public Building,
10 John Street South,
Hamilton, Ontario,
June 24th, 1940.



Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Dear Sir:

Re: #738, John DAVIS.

We are enclosing confirmation of
telegram sent you this afternoon, re the
above noted.

Yours very truly,

F. W. Overholt, M. D.,
C. M. O. & Administrator,
Hamilton Sub-District.

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CONFIRMATION.

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Hamilton, Ontario,
June 24, 1940.

Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Seven three eight John Davis died Mountain
Sanatorium Hamilton June twenty-third next of
kin wife present

F. W. O.

Sub-District Administrator

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS

DISPOSITION OF BALANCE OF PENSION ON DEATH OF PENSIONER

NAME OF PENSIONER John Davis

ADDRESS 167 Strachan Street E. Hamilton Ont Canada

DATE OF DEATH 23.6.40 PLACE Mountain Sanatorium, Hamilton Ont

NEXT OF KIN Wife - Alberta Davis

ADDRESS as above

AMOUNT OF PENSION \$ 76.99 ^{100%} PENSION NO. 1923 REGT. NO. 738

BALANCE DUE AT DATE OF DEATH \$ June 1-23 at 76.99 = \$59.02

RECOMMENDATIONS OF BOARD less 19.00 pa. 23.00 = \$36.02

Pay balance of \$36.02 to Alberta Davis wife,

Chairman

Commissioner

DATE APPROVED _____

Commissioner

DATE ENTERED _____

Commissioner

INITIALS _____

Clerk to Board

Pension No: 2923

July 30, 1940

Mrs. Alberta Davis,
167 Strachan Street E.,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Madam,

We enclose herewith cheque to the amount of
\$36.02, covering balance of pension due your late husband
at the date of his death.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.,
Secty. for Public Health and Welfare.

DLB/SM

Commissioner for Public Health and Welfare

July 20/40

#738 John Davis, 167 Strachan St. E., Hamilton, Ont.

The above named who was in receipt of a 100% Pension amounting to \$76.99 per month died on the 23rd. of June at The Mountain Sanatorium leaving a widow, Alberta Davis.

The Board recommends that the balance of Pension, \$36.02, unpaid at the date of death, be paid to the widow, Alberta Davis, in accordance with Section 22 of the War Pensions Act.

For your approval please.

D.L. Butler,
Clerk, War Pensions.

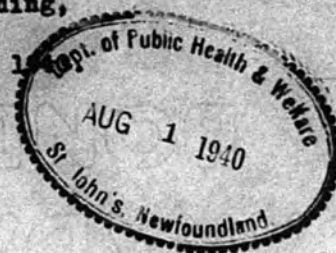
THE CANADIAN
PENSION COMMISSION



IN REPLY REFER TO

NO.

Dominion Public Building,
10 John St. South,
Hamilton, July 26th, 1940



The Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners,
St. John's Nfld.

Re #738 Pte. John Davis,
Royal Nfld. Regt.

As you are already aware, the marginally
named Newfoundland Pensioner died in the Mountain
Sanatorium, Hamilton, on June 23rd, 1940.

We have now received the attached letter
from Mrs. Davis, his Widow, and are passing same to
you for your consideration. No doubt you will communicate
direct with her, and let her know what action is being
taken regarding pension in her case.

Copy of our acknowledgement to her is
forwarded, for your information.

M. J. Gibson, M.D.

Pension Medical Examiner,
Canadian Pension Commission.

B.
Enc.

Hamilton

July 23/40

Pension Dept -

Dear Sir

Please would

You let me know. did you
hear from the pension board
I am St. John N.F. 40.

The last Cheque

Received was ~~in~~ in June 5th ~~last~~

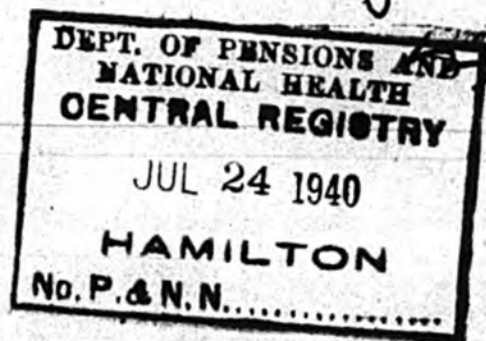
No word since my husband died

June 23. please do write. I

need it. I am waiting on word

Everyday

Oblige



W. J. Lewis
167 St. James St.
Hamilton

COPY.

Hamilton,
July 23/40.

Pension Dept.

Dear Sir:

Please would you let me know did you hear from the Pension Board from St. Johns N.F.L.D.

The last cheque received was in June 5th. No word since my Husband died June 23rd. Please do write. I need it. I am waiting a word every day.

Oblige,

sgd. Mrs. J. Davis,

167 Strachan St.
Hamilton.

Dominion Public Building,
10 John St. South,
Hamilton, July 26th, 1940.

Mrs. J. Davis,
167 Strachan St. East,
Hamilton.

Dear Mrs. Davis:

This will acknowledge your letter of July 23rd, regarding pension on behalf of your late Husband.

We have to-day written the Secretary, Board of Pension Commissioners, St. John's, Newfoundland, forwarding your letter there, and you will no doubt hear from them, regarding pension, as soon as this matter has received the necessary consideration.

We regret that there is nothing we can do at this Office, as the decision rests with the Newfoundland pension authorities.

Yours truly,

M. J. Gibson, M.D.

Pension Medical Examiner,
Canadian Pension Commission.

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Buff copy to
B.P.C. Nfld.

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July 2
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Dept. of War Pensions

St. Johns, N.Y.

Dear Sir

Yr. Len Well

Since my dear husband passed
away at the Sanatorium Hospital
June 23. I am near heart broken
don't know what to do. As I am
left alone. "Can't do anything
please let me know regarding
pension claim, the best.

Cheryl received her \$5.00 June

Please do what you can
to help me.

Yours Respectfully
Mrs Jno Davis
167 Stachan St
Hannellin
Fort Curtis



Department of National Defence

ESTATES BRANCH

Ottawa, Canada,

August 1, 1940.

The Clerk,
 War Pensions,
 Dept. of Public Health & Welfare & War Pensions,
 St. Johns, Newfoundland.

DAVIS, John, Private, (Deceased)
 No. 738, Newfoundland Regiment.

Dear Sir:

The marginally noted soldier died in Mountain Sanatorium, Hamilton, Ontario, June 23, 1940.

The deceased apparently enlisted and was on the strength of the Newfoundland Regiment in the War of 1914-1918, and was afforded treatment by the Department of Pensions & National Health of Canada.

Our reason for writing is that the widow - Mrs. Albertha Davis, 167 Strachan St. East, Hamilton, Ontario, has in error written this Branch that she has received no cheque from the Pensions Board since June 5th. The Board referred to must be the one at St. Johns, Newfoundland, and we are drawing the matter to your attention, please.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'L.M. Firth'.

(L.M. Firth) Major,
 Administrator of Estates.

LMF/MB.



CANADA

DEPARTMENT OF
PENSIONS AND NATIONAL HEALTH

2923

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO FILE NO.

P&NH-431 J.

Ottawa, June 25, 1940.

The Secretary,
Department of War Pensions,
Saint John's, Newfoundland.

RE: #738 - Pte. John Davis.
(deceased).

Dear Sir:-

We are enclosing herewith copy of notification received from our Chief Medical Officer at Hamilton, Ontario, advising of the death of the marginally named ex-member of the Newfoundland Forces in Mountain Sanatorium, Hamilton, Ontario, on June 23, 1940. Cause of death,- Pulmonary Tuberculosis.

Yours very truly,

F.S. Burke, M.B.,
for
Medical Officer in Charge,
Foreign Relations Section.

Enclosure.

INTER-DEPARTMENT
CORRESPONDENCE

DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND NATIONAL HEALTH

TO Deputy Minister,
Daly Building, OTTAWA, Ont.

HAMILTON, Ont.

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June 24th, 1940.

MARK YOUR REPLY:

For attention of Telegram Section.

For attention of Dr. F. W. Overholt.

SUBJECT John DAVIS, #738. Pens. No. 2923.
Deceased.

Your File: 431-J.

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.



The following information is submitted in respect to the death of the above named;

- (1) Date and place of death . June 23rd, 1940. Mountain Sanatorium, Hamilton.
- (2) Cause of death Pulmonary Tuberculosis.
- ()
- Widow:
- (3) Next of Kin . Mrs. Alberta Davis, 167 Strachan St. E., Hamilton, Ont.
- (4) Death certificate and medical documents will be submitted in the course of a few days by the Pension Medical Examiner.

F. W. Overholt, M.D.
C.M.O. & Administrator,
Hamilton Sub-District.

NS.

THE CANADIAN PENSION COMMISSION

COPY FOR THE INFORMATION OF.....SECRETARY, DEPT. WAR PENSIONS,
SAINT JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

431-J

OTTAWA, September 3, 1940.

Mrs. A. Davis,
167 Strachan St. W.,
Hamilton, Ontario.

#738 - DAVIS, John

Dear Madam:

As Mr. Henry has informed you, your letter to the Prime Minister has been referred to this Commission through the Minister of Pensions & National Health, because, subject to the provisions of the Pension Act, this Commission has sole jurisdiction to deal with all matters relating to the award of a Canadian Pension. However, as your husband's service was with the Newfoundland Forces, any claim which you may have, doesn't come within the jurisdiction of this Commission, but is entirely a matter for the Newfoundland Authorities. Accordingly, I have forwarded on your letter to the Secretary, Department of War Pensions, Saint John's, Newfoundland with the request that he reply direct to you in the matter.

If at any time you require advice, if you would call in at the Hamilton Office of the Commission, situated in the Dominion Public Building, that office would be only too glad to assist you in any way possible.

Yours faithfully,

B. SIMPSON
for
Canadian Pension Commission.

BS/LO'C
Buff/Hamilton
Copy/Sec. War Pensions,
Newfoundland.

Sept. 7, 1940

Memo for the Secretary:

#738, Pte. John Davis (Deceased)
Reval Newfoundland Regiment

The above named was in receipt of a 100% disability pension in respect of self and wife amounting to \$46.99 per month nett. He died at the Mountain Sanatorium, Hamilton, Ontario, on June 23rd. 1940. Balance of pension, \$36.02, due at the date of death was promptly paid the widow and it was suggested that she get in touch with the G. W. V. A., St. John's, as she is not entitled to any allowance from this Department.

A number of letters received since then have been acknowledged and referred to that Association for such action as they are enabled to take.

D. L. Butler,
Clerk, War Pensions.

August 31, 1940

Canadian Pension Commission,
10 John St. South
Hamilton, Ontario.

#738, Pte. John Davis (Deceased)
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Dear Sir,

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of August 22nd. having reference to the widow of the above noted and enclosing copy of her letter to you.

Immediately on receipt of your notification that this pensioner had passed away the case was dealt with by the Board and the balance of pension due to the date of death forwarded to Mrs. Davis. At that time it was suggested that she write to the G. W. V. A. of Nfld. who might be in a position to assist her. Your letter was not acknowledged as it was felt that it was merely a case of referring the subject matter to us.

As there is nothing further that this Dept. can do, we are again representing her case to the G. W. V. A.

Yours very truly,

DLB/SM

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.
Secty. for Public Health and Welfare.

THE CANADIAN
PENSION COMMISSION



IN REPLY REFER TO

No.

Dominion Public Building,
10 John St. South,
Hamilton, August 22nd, 1940.

The Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners,
St. John's, Nfld.

Re #738 Pte. John Davis,
Royal Nfld. Reg.

We would refer to our memo to you of July 26th, with letter attached from the Widow of the marginally named Deceased Soldier, who was a Newfoundland Pensioner.

We have to-day received a further enquiry from Mrs. Davis, which is attached hereto.

Would it be possible for you to reply direct to her, in the near future, and let her know what action is being taken regarding pension. An early reply would be greatly appreciated by Mrs. Davis, who is apparently in need of financial assistance.

M. J. Gibson, M.D.

Pension Medical Examiner,
Canadian Pension Commission.

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Encs.

Dominion Public Building,
10 John St. South,
Hamilton, August 22nd, 1940.

Mrs. Jno. Davis,
167 Strachan St. East,
Hamilton.

Dear Mrs. Davis:

This will acknowledge your letter of August 21st, and we regret to state that we have not heard any word from the Board of Pension Commissioners, St. John's, Newfoundland, regarding your pension.

We are to-day writing them again, and forwarding this letter, for their attention, and requesting that they write you direct, at the earliest possible date.

We might state that we wrote to the Board of Pension Commissioners for Newfoundland on the 26th ultimo, sending them your former letter, but no reply has been received at this Office.

Yours truly,

M. J. Gibson, M.D.

Pension Medical Examiner,
Canadian Pension Commission.

B.

COPY.

Hamilton,
Aug. 21/40.

(Date stamp 22-8-40)

Dr. Overholt:

Dear Sir:

Please let me know. Did you get any word from the Pension Board N.F. regarding my husband pension. As my dear Husband told me I was entitled to a pension if I was to be left alone. I dont know what to do. Please Doctor could you help me of getting a pension. Would you write to the Pension Board for me as I have papers as Wife Twenty Five Dollars (\$25.00)

sgd. Mrs. Jno. Davis,

167 Strachan St. E.

435
Hamilton
Aug 21/40

Dr Overholts
Dear Sir

Please let me know
will you get my word from the
pension board N. Y. Regarding my
husband pension. As my dear husband
told me I was entitled to a pension
if I was to be left alone. I don't know
what to do. please doctor could
you help me of getting a pension
Would you write to the pension
Board for me. As I have papers
As wife. twenty five dollars

4/25. P. N.

DEPT. OF PENSIONS AND
NATIONAL HEALTH
CENTRAL REGISTRY

AUG 22 1940

HAMILTON

No. P. & N. N.

Mrs. J. W. Dumas
167 Strachan St E

August 31, 1940

Mr. W. R. Martin,
Dominion Secretary,
G. W. V. A.,
City.

#738. John Davis (Deceased)

Dear Sir,

We have had a number of requests from the Canadian Pension Commission regarding the widow of the marginally named, asking if there is anything we can do to assist her.

We are passing her letter of August 23rd. on to you in addition to the one already forwarded, for any action you may be able to take.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mogdell, M. D.
Secty. for Public Health and Welfare

DLB/SM

Hamilton
Aug 19/40

(2923)

To Dept of War Pensions

Noted St. Johns
Newfoundland

Dear Sir:

Reply to your letter

Received Aug 15: Saying that
nothing can be done under regulations
I am near heart broken since
my husband died. He told me
that I would be entitled to a
pension. Really I can't work
on account of spine condition

Please do what you can in
helping me. As I can't keep myself
I must be to hear from you
again.

Yours truly
Mrs J. M. D. D. D.
167 Strachan St
Hamilton

Sept. 16, 1940

W. R. Martin, Esq.,
Dominion Secretary,
G. W. V. A.

#738. Pt. John Davis (Deceased)

Dear Sir,

We are still receiving requests from Mrs. Alberta Davis, widow of the above named, through the Canadian Pension Commission and direct from herself, for assistance. It is apparent that she is in dire need; this case was discussed once more at a recent meeting of the Board and I am instructed to bring it to your attention again for any assistance you may be able to render.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.
Secty. for Public Health and Welfare.

DLB/SM

THE CANADIAN
PENSION COMMISSION

CLB.E.S.L

The Board of Pension
SEP 10 1940
Commissioners for Newfoundland

IN REPLY REFER TO
NO. _____
SFP 9 1940
Dept. of Public Health & Welfare
St. John's, Newfoundland

OTTAWA, September 3, 1940.

The Secretary,
Department of War Pensions,
Saint John's, Newfoundland.

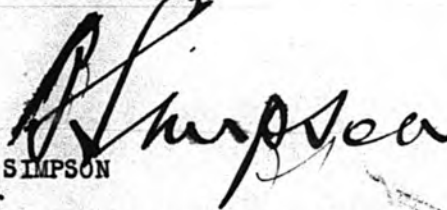
#738 - DAVIS, John

Dear Sir:

I am attaching hereto, a letter received by
the Prime Minister from Mrs. Davis together with a
copy of our reply.

Might we, please, have a copy of your letter
to Mrs. Davis for the completion of our file.

Yours faithfully,



B. SIMPSON
for
Canadian Pension Commission.

BS/LO'G
Enc.

Pennsylvania

Hamilton

Aug 22/40

To Prime Minister

W. L. Mac Kenzie King

Ottawa

Dear Sir,

I am

Writing to you. please would
you keep me in getting Veterans
War Widow pension. My husband
John Lewis Enlisted in the 1st
Royal Newfoundland Reg.

He served four years and 96
Days Active Service. He is the
Holder of the M.M. & the M. Star
His Reg. No 738

On 7th of Aug 1935

He was admitted at the Dominion
Hospital. He was there four

years and ten months. On
the 23rd of June this year. He passed
away at the san. His remain
was 100% for disability. The
balance of his Cheque received
dated July 27. \$36.02^{cts}

That was all I received since
he died. I don't know what
they intend to do. please will
you see to it for me, I am alone
all my parents are dead, and
I am not very well on account
of spine operation. As I had
been praying - I am least broken
since my husband died. Don't
know what to do. It is even a bit
to call my own. please do what
is in your power to help me. I am getting
the widows pension

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I will be waiting an answer
from you.

Respectfully
Yours

Mrs Alberta Harris
167 Strickland St E
Aurullin
Ont
Canada

Hanwellia
Cont. Pensions
Sept 6/40

To Dept. of War Pensions H 7
St. John's
Dear Sir

I am writing
word. To know if you consider
me of the pension (claim.) and
notified again. About my unit
I cannot get any help here.
As I have told to up to the H 7
Authorities to help me. As I
cannot work on account of the
spraying of my spine. That is
a piece of bone broken from my
leg. and put in my spine. As I
have an incision on my leg from
my knee to the ankle. and
a terrible incision on my back
that my reason I cannot

work. I Cant do any thing
on account of the straight line
that is on the right side of my
spine, please do help me

Am in a terrible fix. Dont
know where to go, or what to do
Please help me. I ask in the
Name of the Soldier, my husband
John Davis. Who gave his life

Cause through Active Service
In his King and Country
Please help me

Sincerely

Mrs Rebecca Davis
167 Starcham St
Newell
Orb
Gaule

Your Ref: 431-J

Sept. 24, 1940

The Canadian Pension Commission,
Ottawa, Ontario.

#738. John Davis (Deceased)

Dear Sir,

As requested in your letter of September 3rd. enclosing copy of a letter written by Mrs. Davis to the Prime Minister of Canada, we forward herewith copy of our letter to Mrs. Davis for the completion of your file.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.
Secty. for Public Health and Welfare.

DLB/SM

August 9, 1940

Mrs. Alberta Davis,
167 Strachan Street East,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Madam,

We have your letter of August 2nd. inquiring for the pension paid your late husband.

We wrote you on July 30th. enclosing cheque for \$36.02 covering balance of pension due and again on August 2nd. We regret that there is nothing further we can do under the regulations. Perhaps if you were to write to the Great War Veterans Association of Newfoundland, St. John's, they might be able to do something for you.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.
Secty. for Public Health and Welfare.

Pension No: 2923

August 2, 1940

Mrs. Alberta Davis,
167 Strachan Street E.,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Madam,

We are in receipt of a letter from the Canadian Pension Commission with reference to pension paid your late husband.

Some time ago we forwarded cheque for \$36.02 covering balance of pension due at the date of death of your husband. We presume you have received it before this.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.
Secty. for Public Health and Welfare.

DLB/SM

August 20th. 1940

W. R. Martin, Esq.,
Dominion Secretary,
G. W. V. A.

Dear Sir,

We have received several letters from Mrs. John Davis, widow of the late #738, John Davis, Royal Nfld. Regiment, in which application is made for assistance.

We have advised Mrs. Davis that nothing further can be done for her by this Department. The enclosed letter is forwarded to you in the hope that you may be able to be of some assistance to her.

Yours very truly,

2923

August 13th. 1940

Mr. William Beck,
Sick & Welfare Committee,
147 Frederick Ave.,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Sir,

We have to thank you for your letter of August 6th, with reference to the case of Mrs. Alberta Davis, widow of the late John Davis, who had been in receipt of War Pension previous to his death.

Under the provisions of the War Pensions Act Mrs. Davis is not entitled to any award of pension, her allowance ceasing on the death of her husband. It is regretted that this Department is unable to render any further assistance to her.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.

To the
Secty. Public Health & Welfare.



147 Frederick Ave
Hamilton

Ontario
Canada

Aug 6th 40.

Dear Sir

Whilst serving in my capacity
as sick visitor for the Post-Trade,
Branch Canadian Legion, we used
to visit comrade John Davis 167
Strachan Ave E, Regl. no. 738.

He passed away June last.

Mrs. Alberta Davis called on me this
morning and said she had received a
cheque for \$36.02, balance of pension
due to her late husband.

Could you please inform me, if her
part of the pension ceases on his
death, she is unable to work
having spine trouble, and she will
be practically destitute, if it is
that her pension ceases, I shall have
to try and get her help locally.

Thanking you for this information

I remain Sir yours respectfully

William Beck

Sick & Welfare Com.

147 Frederick Ave

Hamilton Ont

Canada

Stamilton
Sept 27/40

Dept of Public Health & Welfare



St. John's N. F. L. P

Dear Sir

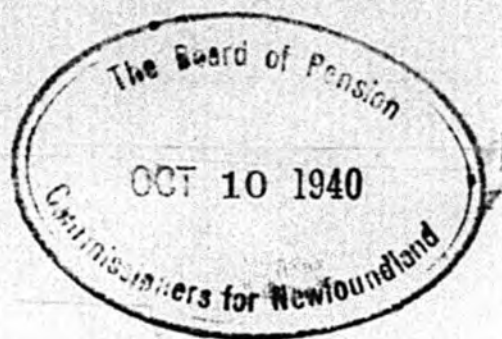
Reply to

Your letter 25th Sept. Will thank

Please Mr Mosdell ^{will you} please
tell me why my husband ^{Perman} please
What is the reason that I can
not receive the War Widows
Allowance.

As I have the papers
of my husband when he was
20% Disability before he was
admitted to the same Hospital
100% Disability when he was
a patient at the same Hospital

Even the Allowance is stated
for wife, I am thankful to you
Mr Mosdell. By placing my Case
To the G. W. V. A. (Legal 20th Dec)
It was a god send I hope they
won't fail of sending me a month
Allowance as letter stated, (since
my dear husband passed away, I
am not very well. In past three
weeks I feel very sick, & when
I think of my dear husband
how he suffered. Never complained
Many a time I used to say to me
Cheer up. Old soldier's words
But he did. And left me alone
To suffer in a different way
No one to help me, But he did say
There would be allowance for me
That would help. If anything should
happen to him, I pray that his
Words will come true someday
Trusting Mr Mosdell you will do all
you can in helping me — Sincerely
Mrs John Albyth Davis
69 Strachan St E



*With the Compliments of the
Trade Commissioner for Newfoundland*

*Attached is passed to
you for attention and
necessary action*

*58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.1.*

Tel: Victoria 0302.

Date 16.9.40

7/2 Newfoundland
Commissioner for Hamilton
58 Victoria St
London SW1
Aug 24/40

The Under Secretary of State
The War Office
London S.W. 1.

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
13 SEP 1940

Dear Sir,
Please.

Hope you don't mind of me by
writing to you. anxious if you
could by helping me to get the
War Widows pension, I am
unable to work on account of
spinal operation, left alone.

Without a penny to call my own
^{there} Here is the reason why I am

Writing. My husband John James
Enlisted in the 1st Royal B.F.L.D

Reg. Year 1914-1919 77 is
Reg No 738

His holder of the M.M. & Morris Star
On Active Service he developed
Chest-trouble. He was a patient
in the Sanatorium Hospital
for four years. And ten months
100% disability. On June 23 of
this year, he passed away.

I am near heart broken since
he died. Since his death
Dept. of pension refuses to help
me. I knew his tragedy, the
Army won't refuse me on account
of my condition. As my dear
Husband told me that I am
entitled to the War Widows pension

I will never forget his last words
to me. A month before he died
he said if I was well like
I was in 1914, I would enlist
and go across with the boys

To dear old England.

I am writing this letter in tears
To think how I am left alone
I cant keep myself please I
ask again. Do what in your
Power by helping me. I hope
The pension board of N. F. L. S.
Will consider it. I wrote to
the board and told them that
my Land Lady needs
rent. There is my Ground & Electricity
all unpaid.

I dont know what
to do. I know the bills has to
be paid.

Trusting that you will
keep me. I will be waiting
an answer

Respectfully
Mrs Jno Davis
167 Strachan St
Dumfries
For Corrie.

To dear old England.

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Power by helping me. I hope
The pension board of N. F. L. S.
Will consider it. I wrote to
the board and told them that
my Land Lady needs
rent. There is my Grocery & Electricity
all unpaid,

I dont know what
to do. I know the bills has to
be paid.

Trusting that you will
keep me. I will be waiting
an answer

Respectfully

Mrs Jno Davis
167 Stacker St
Hemel Hempstead
Herts

Deaths and Funerals

John Davis

Holder of the Mons Star and participant in many encounters during the Great War, John Davis, aged 45 years, died yesterday at the Mountain Sanatorium, his last illness being attributed to war injuries. A native of Newfoundland, Mr. Davis, when 19 years of age, enlisted in the first Newfoundland Regiment and was attached to the 29th division. He saw service overseas for four years and was at Gallipoli, Mons, Arras and Ypres and the Somme, and was also awarded the Military Medal. For the last 17 years, Mr. Davis had made his home in Hamilton and had many friends here. He belonged to the Army and Navy Veterans' Association of Canada and the Holy Name society of St. Lawrence church. Besides his widow, Mrs. Alberta Davis, 167 Strachan street east, he leaves his mother in Newfoundland. The funeral will be held on Wednesday morning at 8.30 o'clock from Dwyer's private chapel to St. Lawrence church, thence to Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

No

Pension No 2923

DEPARTMENT OF WAR PENSIONS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

AUTHORITY FOR PENSION PAYMENTS

(Mar 8th)

John Davis (Name of member of forces)
 (Pensioner's Name)

167 Stradon St East (Relationship to member of forces)
 (Pensioner's Address)

Hamilton Ont. (Unit) 738 (Regimental No.)

Pensionable Disability 100 % a month for 10 months

AWARD

For Pensioner \$ 75.00 a month
 For Wife \$ 25.00 a month
 For Children \$ a month

Total \$ 100.00

Less 38 1/3% 66.67

Add 1.0% 7.333

Monthly Payment

from 1/11/35 to

Amount of adjustment payment:

From to @ \$ \$ 43.33

Date 11/12/35 Check No. B-353

Computed by

Checked by

(CLERK)
DEPARTMENT WAR PENSIONS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Remarks:

*Pension @ 73 33/100 per month in Ho from 1 11/35 to 30 11/35 @ 73.33
 Less 1 100/100 per day deducted from 1 11/35 to 30 11/35 @ 30.00
43.33*



The Secretary,
Dept. of War Pensions,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

Nov. 23, 1940

The Secretary,
G. W. V. A.

#738. John Davis (Deceased)

Dear Sir,

We are enclosing a letter from Mrs. John Davis, widow of the marginally named, together with bill for coal for \$14.65. This is referred to you for any action you may be able to take.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.
Secty. for Public Health and Welfare.

DLB/SM

Nov. 23, 1940

C. G. Filgiano, Esq.,
Secty. Catholic Legionnaires,
156 Stinson Street,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Sir, #738. John Davis (Deceased)

Thank you for your letter of November 7th. 1940
having reference to the above named.

This pensioner died at the Mountain Sanatorium
on June 23rd. 1940. This Department was advised by the
Dept. Pensions and National Health on June 24th. 1940 and
the case was immediately given careful consideration.

Balance of pension due to the date of death
of \$36.02 was paid the widow and she was advised to get
in touch with the Great War Veterans Association in St.
John's, Newfoundland, who might be in a position to assist
her, in view of the fact that she was not eligible for any
allowance from this Department under Sec. 38 of the War
Pensions Act. The case was also referred to the G. W. V. A.
by this Department and we understand from them that it
was taken up and dealt with as quickly as time permitted,
and Mrs. Davis is now in receipt of compassionate allowance
from that Association.

Considerable correspondence has since taken
place from quite a few sources relative to the eligibility
of the widow, to which we have replied as above.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.
Secty. for Public Health and Welfare.

DLB/SM

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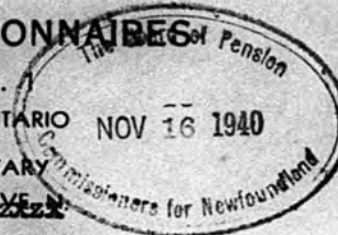
DISTRICT NO. 1

HAMILTON :: ONTARIO

OFFICE OF SECRETARY

~~1212 GUYENOR AVE~~

156 Stinson Street



November 7th 1940.



The Secretary,
Department of War Pensions,
St. Johns, Newfoundland.

Dear Sir:-

Private John Davis, Reg. No. 738, served with the First Royal Newfoundland Regiment during the last war. He died at the Mountain Sanatorium, Hamilton, Ontario, on June 23rd, 1940, and leaves his widow destitute.

As Private Davis was connected with this organization while alive, Mrs. Davis has appealed to us to ascertain if she should not receive a widows pension from the Newfoundland Government. This is a very deserving case as Mrs Davis is in very poor health and not able to perform any hard work. Understand she was receiving a pension or separation allowance while her husband was in hospital but, on his death, this was discontinued.

Your early reply with the desired information will be appreciated.

Yours very truly

Secretary.

file 2923



Hanwellin
Oct 26/40

Dear Pension
St Johns
N.F.L.D

Dear Sir

I am writing

you again, please do consider
me for pension (Planin.) I
have been told there is nothing
can be done for me here,

A madness of a friend drove
me to Dr Gibson's office last
Evening. He told me to go up to
the N.F.L.D Government to see
about widows pension. As my
husband was N.F. Soldier. As the
Canadian Gov. has nothing
to do with N.F. Planin
they deal with Canadian Soldier

Pensions. I know that to
be true. As a mother died
a week before my husband.
His widow get her pension
Every month. As she call
to see me last week she
felt very very sorry for me
I don't know how I am
going to get along. I had
to sell my dining room
Table & Chair and stove
to try and get something
to live by. As my ^{spend} fuel
Grove. and mires. are all
stopped. On account of the
Bills not paid. please
I plead to you for God sake
and the sake of my dear
Husband who gladly

file #2923

Save his life through Active
Service In His King
And Country. please
Do what you can
In giving me the Wicked
Pension. As I cannot
Keep myself

Yours Truly
Mrs Jno Davis
167 Shachens St
Danvers

2923
Oct. 28, 1940

Mrs. Alberta Davis,
167 Strahan Street,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Madam,

In reply to your letter of October 17th,
we can only repeat what we have stated on several occasions,
that under the regulations of the War Pensions Act you are
not entitled to any allowance from this Department.

This decision is greatly regretted but under
the circumstances there is nothing further that we can do.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.
Secty. for Public Health & Welfare.

DLB/SM

Hamilton

Oct-17/40

To The Dept. of War Pensions
St Johns N.F.L.D
Dear Sir

About two weeks
ago. I forward you a letter.
Anxiously waiting to hear from you
Been left with a couple of unpaid
Bills since my husband passed
away. I dont know what to do
I am grateful for the twenty dollar
I received from the G.W.V.A
I rec'd it around 18 of Sept. of this
year the G.W.V.A this month so
far. As I was promised ^{ex} 20.00
Monthly. My rent is due on 7
or 9. I usually pay. please
could you help me. As I dont
know what to do. As I can
not work. And it sure gets me

If I had the full of my
Bills paid. It worries me so
please will you keep me as I
can not keep myself. I send
the Bellevue Certificate to the
G. W. V. A. It speaks for myself
I think wished that my husband
was living. I would not be left
like this. It getting me every
day. As the people say that
I am getting a pension. They
dont see why I should worry
and fret like I do, God keep
me. I hope I will hear from
you. And the Board considers
me allowance to pay what I owe

Trusting you wont
fail in keeping me

Yours
Mrs John Deers
167 Strickland St
Hamden

October 28th. 1940

R. Hale, Esq.,
Chief Pensions Officer,
Canadian Legion of the B. E. S. L.
Ottawa, Ontario.

#738. John Davis (Deceased)

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter of October 10th. 1940
having reference to the above named.

This pensioner died at the Mountain Sanatorium
on June 23rd. 1940. This Department was advised by the
Dept. Pensions and National Health on June 24th. 1940
and the case was immediately given careful consideration.

Balance of pension due at the date of death
of \$36.02 was paid the widow and she was advised to get
in touch with the Great War Veterans Association in St.
John's, Nfld., who might be in a position to assist her,
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Secty. for Public Health & Welfare.

DLB/SM

The Board of Pension
OCT 17 1940
WINDING UP OF THE BOARD OF PENSION

HIS MAJESTY THE KING
PATRON-IN-CHIEF OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE SERVICE LEAGUE

GRAND PATRON:
HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE EARL OF ATHLONE, K.G., GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF CANADA

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DOMINION COMMAND SERVICE BUREAU
OTTAWA, CANADA

P.O. BOX 640
CABLE ADDRESS: CANLEG

October 10, 1940.

The Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners, for Newfoundland,
St. John,
Newfoundland.

Re #738- John DAVIS (Deceased) - and
Mrs. Alberta Davis, 167 Strachan St.,
Hamilton, Ont.

Dear Sir:

These Headquarters have been requested to make an enquiry, in respect to the matter of pension for the widow of the above named.

The above, who served in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, apparently died last June, after having spent some three years in the Mountain Sanatorium, at Hamilton, Ont. He was pensioned, apparently, for Pulmonary Tuberculosis; and it is believed that he died of his pensionable disability.

The widow is in an absolutely destitute condition, and has been so since last June, suffering severe physical handicaps because of a broken Back, and an injury to her Left Hand.

These Headquarters would appreciate it very much if your Commission would expedite a decision, in this case, and indicate whether the widow is qualified to receive a pension, under the Pension Laws of Newfoundland.

If she is not so qualified, will you please advise these Headquarters as to the reasons; and thanking you, I am,

Yours faithfully,
R. Hale
R. Hale,
Chief Pensions Officer.

RH/H

"They served till death! Why not we?"

2923

31 October 1940

Chas. Parsons, Esq.,
Hon. Secty. Patriotic Committee,
G. W. V. A.

Dear Sir,

We have for acknowledgment your letter of September 21st. enclosing Investigation Records of Mrs. John Davis, widow of the late John Davis, M. M. #738.

We understand that Mrs. Davis is to be repatriated; in the meantime, it is expected that the Canadian Legion of the B. E. S. L. will take care of this case on the basis of reciprocity.

Enclosures are returned.

Yours very truly,

H. M. Mosdell, M. D.
Secty. for Public Health and Welfare.



The Great War Veterans' Association of Newfoundland
(INCORPORATED)
DOMINION COMMAND

TELEPHONE 609
CABLE "WARVETS"
IN REPLY REFER
TO GP:MM



ADDRESS
DOMINION SECRETARY
G. W. V. A.
ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

September 21, 1940.

*Crummy
was this man a personal
friend of Cavoda,
Nfld. born*

Sir John C. Pudderster,
Hon. Commissioner for Public Health & Welfare,
City.

Dear Sir:-

I have been directed to forward you herewith
Investigation Record of Mrs. John Davis, Hamilton
Ont., widow of the late Pte. John Davis, M.M. #738.

Your favourable consideration of this case
would be appreciated by the Committee.

Yours faithfully,

Chas. Parsons
CHAS. PARSONS,
HON. SECRETARY PATRIOTIC COMMITTEE.

*Mr. Mc
30 Sept*

Back to date of death. 36 or

Repatreat

*Mr. Mc Lavel says to be
repatreated, in meantime
Chas. E. L. will look after it on
basis of signatories*

Dec. 14, 1940

Mrs. Alberta Davis,
167 Strachan Street,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Madam,

In reply to your several letters, we regret to have to advise you once more that there is nothing this Department can do beyond what has already been done. Much as we regret it, there is nothing further that we can do and it is quite useless to write to this Department.

Yours very truly,

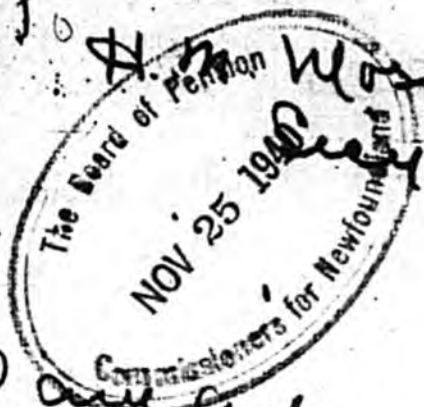
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Secty. for Public Health and Welfare.

DLB/SM

Hamilton

Nov. 20/40

H. S. Woodell M.D.



Public Health & Welfare

St. John's N.F.L.D.

Dear Sir

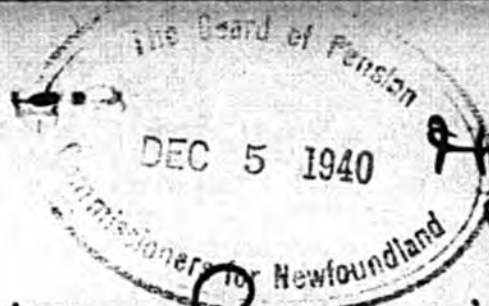
Once Again

I am addressed to write to you
To know why I am not entitled
To the War Widows Pension. As
I have report of my dear husband
Saying as my husband was
Accepted for War disability
Case. Then they should continue
To pay me the pension, as I
Have stated time & again. That

I am not well. getting no letter
Lately my eyes ^{sight} is failing
I cannot get any service with
out paying for it. As I need
it, Really I dont know

What-to do please do Consider
me. As I need it. I have
few of unpaid Bills. They
are holding me for payment
I cannot meet them. It is
Hard to be left alone. trying
to get along, not able to
help myself in anyway
Last year at Xmas. I had
my husband living. I had
the consolation of seeing him
But this year. I am alone
I will never forget him as
long as I live. as he told
me. I would get ~~some~~ allowance
of widows pension. If my
if he could see me today
And the condition) and
Please do send me something
to help me. Orlge

Mrs. Adytha J. Davis
167 Street St



Hamilton

nos 28/40

Dept of war Pensions

St-Johns

n 7 L.D

Dear Sir

I am

Writing to you again. Please
do consider my claim for
the War Pensions pension.

Really I am up against it
I cannot pay anything
Towards my unpaid bills
I am pressed for payment
I dont know what I am
going to do. I R well. I
am losing weight.

Lately my eyes are not
good. As I have been advised
to see a Eye specialist
As I told them I have
no money to do anything

Please for God sake
the name of the Soldier
John Davis, my husband
who gladly gave his life
through Active Service
for His King and Country
to keep me y

Sincerely
Mrs. Abella Davis
167 Strachan St
Newellton

Hamilton

Jan 10/41

2923

To Dept of War Pension

St. Johns
N. F. L. D

Dear Sir

Reply to



Your letter of Dec 14.

Saying there is nothing

Can be done regarding Widows
pension. I as Soldier wife who
gladly answered the call for
His King and Country. I can
not keep of writing to you. please
do let me know the reason
that I am not-entitled to it.
As I have stated before my dear
Husband told me. That I
would get a pension. If any-
thing should happen to him

During Xmas time, I was
not very well. The nurse
called to see how everything
was going with me. I explained
everything to her. I also had
to finish from the Good Samaritan
I told her I had to give up
my milk man until I get his
payed. She was very nice to me
She said that I must Leechmick
So she phoned and I am getting
milk for time being. I am trying
to pay my milk man little
Every month out of the 20.00^{CH}
Which the G. W. V. A. so kindly
help me. It's very hard to get
along on 20.00^{CH} . When rent
fuel, Baker. I get to Groc
etc. prices of food stuff
increasing

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When I get my few Bits
Paid for. If God spares me
I will go back home. I cannot
Leave the people who kindly
Trusted me. As I was depending
on Pension - So where they.

I cannot do any kind of
work. I get as tired. My nerves
get to the best of me sometimes

I am enclosing you a
letter which I received few
days ago since I got that
letter. I feel very blue over it

^{Please}
Mr Woodwell are they any
day that you could help
me out. I was going to
write to the G. W. U. A for
Increase. (When I go back
I did not like to do it.)
Home

The twenty dollars may go
further. Here it does here, when
I left home. Rent and fuel was
cheap. That was eight years
ago - I guess everything is played
by now.

Mr. Maxwell please

Don't think that I am improving
So little they like this
gets me all hurried up

Yours truly
Mrs John Davis
167 Strachan St E

Jan. 7 / 41

Dear Mrs. Davis:-

This is my fifth time I have sent word to you, to see if you can pay me the \$12.00 loaned you on 24th of June 1940. I know you badly need it, so I helped you out surelery Mrs. Davis you have got woad by this time, as I know you ~~are~~^{were} getting a penson, when your husband was living, why not now. I don't want to press you, as I do need the money.

2.
Please let me know what
you intend to do. I will
be waiting a reply.

~~Yours truly~~

(Miss) Mae Caffery
375 Mary St.
City.

Department of Public Health and Welfare

2923

Memorandum to Commissioner for Public Health and Welfare Date July 20/40

#738 John Davis, 167 Strachan St. E., Hamilton, Ont.

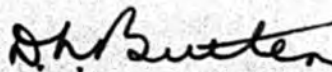
The above named who was in receipt of a 100% Pension amounting to \$76.99 per month died on the 23rd. of June at The Mountain Sanatorium leaving a widow, Alberta Davis.

The Board recommends that the balance of Pension, \$36.02, unpaid at the date of death, be paid to the widow, Alberta Davis, in accordance with Section 22 of the War Pensions Act.

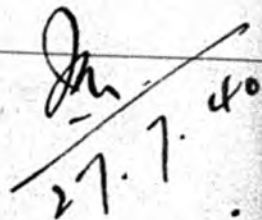
For your approval please.

APPROVED

Comm'r P.H. & W.



D.L. Butler,
Clerk, War Pensions.



27.7.40

No _____

Pension No 2923

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

AUTHORITY FOR PENSION PAYMENTS

Mrs. Alberta Davis,
% John Davis,

Davis John
(Name of member of forces)

(Pensioner's Name)

(Relationship to member of forces)

167 Strachan St., E.

(Pensioner's Address)
Hamilton, Ont., Canada

% 738
(Regimental No.)

Pensionable Disability _____ % a month for _____ months

AWARD

For Pensioner _____ \$ _____ a month

For Wife _____ \$ _____ a month

For _____ Children _____ \$ _____ a month

Total _____ \$ _____

Less _____ %

Add _____ %

Add _____ %

Monthly Payment 76.99

*less 1.00 p.d.
while on hospital*

from _____ to 23.6.40

Amount of adjustment Payment:

From _____ to _____ @ \$ _____

Date 27. 7. 40

Check No 1049 ✓

Computed by M.

Checked by _____

(CLERK)
BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS

Remarks:

*Pension @ 76.99 from 1/40 to 23/40 = 59.02
less 1.00 p.d. for 23 days = 23.00
36.02*

Hamilton

June 19/41

Dept of Public Health
And Welfare
St. Johns. N.F.

292³

Dear Sir

Reply to

Your letter of May 30/41

Saying it ~~is~~ ^{has} been placed on
To the G.W.V.A for their

Consideration. Thank you

Mr Butler will you please
Tell me. Why I am not

In favour of getting the
Dear Widows pension.

There was pension when
my dear husband was
living. Why not now. It
is very hard to get along

On Twenty dollars ^{\$20.00}
The prices are so high.

There was a Gentleman called
On me last week. Concerning
the Victory Bonds. I told
him. I was very sorry I
could not keep. My heart
was to do my duty for
victory. As I know my
Husband has done his
for his King and Country
He is gone. And I am left
To suffer alone. When I
Explained to him and showed
him the papers. And his
Medals. He looks and
at me again. And said
Why not remain. He keep
the M. M. in his hand.
I told him of my condition

kind way of living. He could
 not believe it, there is someone
 passing the buck. There
 is a Statute on re-founded
 Pension law, Responsibility
 of Gov to Widows of pensioners
 Soldiers, Pensioners due
 to War Service & disability.
 He told me to ask you
 for explanation.

Please Mr Butler I ask
 do what you can to help
 me. Thanks a lot to the
 G. W. S. A

Yours faithfully
 Mrs Jno Jones
 167 Starchow St
 Newcastle



We have for acknowledgment your letter of
June 9th.

You may rest assured that if you had
the slightest entitlement to a war Pension from
this Dept ~~you would receive one~~ it would be
awarded you. In your case we
regret to state that all possible has been
done and ~~we~~ can only reiterate that
there is nothing further we can do to assist
you.

July 2nd. 1941

Mrs. Alberta Davis,
167 Strachan Street,
Hamilton, Ont.

Dear Madam,

We have for acknowledgment your letter
of June 9th.

You may rest assured that if you had the
slightest entitlement to a War Pension from this Dept.
it would be awarded you. In your case we regret to
state that all possible has been done and can only
reiterate that there is nothing further we can do to
assist you.

Yours very truly,

D. L. Butler,
Clerk, War Pensions.

DLB/SM

DLB/PS

2923

May 30/41.

Mrs. John Davis,
167 Strachan Street,
Hamilton, Ont.,
CANADA.

Dear Madam,

We have for acknowledgement your letter of May 23rd., it is being passed to the Great War Veterans' Association for their consideration. We regret that, as we stated previously, nothing can be done beyond what has already been done.

Yours very truly,

D. L. Butler,
Clerk, War Pensions.

2923

April 2, 1941

Mrs. John Davis,
167 Strachan Street,
Hamilton, Ontario.

Dear Madam,

Your letter of March 19th. to the British
Ministry of Pensions at Ottawa, has been referred by
them to this office.

We regret very much that there is nothing
that this Department can do beyond what is being done
through the Compassionate Allowance.

Yours very truly,

For H. M. Mosdell, M. D.
Secretary for Public Health & Welfare.

DLB/SM

Please address your reply to
THE MINISTRY REPRESENTATIVE

And refer to file 8011



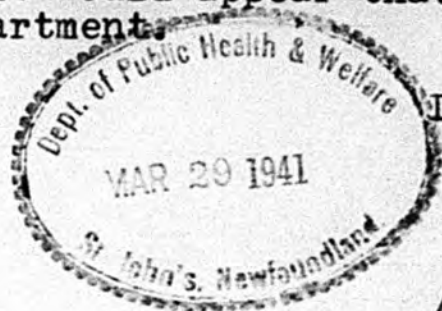
THE BRITISH
MINISTRY OF PENSIONS
CANADIAN OFFICE

22 March, 1941

Sir,

Mrs. John Darr

I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to forward the enclosed letter from the above named woman, as it would appear that it is one for consideration by your Department.



I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Ministry Representative

The Clerk,
War Pensions,
Dept. of Public Health, Welfare & War Pensions,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

ASH:ND

8011



Hamilton

March 19/41

To The

British Ministry of Pensions
Ottawa, Can

Married
v. 6. 20 38
per

Dear Sir:-

I am writing
to you. please can you help me
of getting the War Widows pension
my husband. Enlisted at St John's
Newfoundland. 1st Royal N.F.L.D Reg
He served on active service
four years twenty six days.
Honors. M.M. Mons Star.

He was getting a small
pension. Before he was admitted
to the Sanatorium Hospital
while at hospital. He was
100% disability. His monthly
Cheque was ^{cts} 45.99. He was

At Sanatorium for four years and
Ten Months, On th 23 of June 1940
He passed away. The pension
Dept payed me the balance of
His Cheque ^{of} 3602. ^{cts} - I have been
Notified from the Board. Telling me
There is nothing more that can be done
I have asked them several times on
my letters. To tell me why that
I am not entitled to the pension
No answer, My Dear husband
Told me many times that I would
get the pension. As I am not
able to do any kind of work
On account of long prostrating of the
Spine. I am alone, parents are dead
Please I ask you if there is
Anything. That you can do in
helping me to get the pension
It would help me a great deal

I will be thankful to you
for your help

Trusting that you
will do all you can to help me
Faithfully

Mrs John Duro
167 Stachan St
Hamilton

If my husband was a Canadian
Soldier, I know that I would
get the Widows pension. I know
several Canadian Soldiers Widows
that the husbands died at the same
are receiving a pension.

I was told there was allowance
from the N.F.L.D Gov. To be paid to
the Widow of the Soldier please
Can you tell me if that is so

June 7th., 1934.

The Dominion Secretary,
GREAT WAR VETERANS' ASSOCIATION,
City.

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your letter of 6th.,
inst., asking for the Service Record of
#738, John Davis, I beg to give you the
following information from the Militia
Records:-

Enlisted December 15th., 1915. Em-
barked St. John's Feb'y 3rd., 1915. Disembarked
Alexandria September 1st., 1915. Embarked
Gallipoli September 13th., 1915. Embarked
Port Suez March 14th., 1916. Disembarked Mar-
seilles March 22nd., 1916; with Battalion in
France July 4th., 1916. Disembarked Southamp-
ton, on furlough from France, November 8, 1916.
Admitted to 2nd Scottish Hospital, Edinburgh,
November 18th., 1916, suffering from Tubercu-
losis. Embarked Folkestone August 5th., 1917.
Awarded Military Medal October 9th., 1917.
Transferred from B.E.F., to 2nd Battalion,
Winchester, June 9th., 1919 - awaiting re-
patriation. Embarked for St. John's on
January 30th., 1919. Reported to Depot on
February 7th., 1919, and discharged under
demobilization on March 19th., 1919.

Yours very truly,



Secretary.

CCO/BT:



The Great War Veterans' Association of Newfoundland

(INCORPORATED)

DOMINION COMMAND

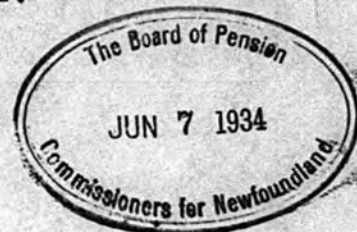


TELEPHONE 609
CABLE "WARVETS"

IN REPLY REFER
TO GEA:MOG

ADDRESS
DOMINION SECRETARY
G. W. V. A.
ST. JOHN'S, NFLD.

June 6th, 1934.



Mr. C. C. Oke,
Secretary Board of Pensions,
City.

Dear Sir:

I received a communication from Capt. Hugh Robinson, D.S.O., R.N., Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor, requesting information as to the War Service of Comrade John Davis, Regimental Number 738, of 167 Strachan St., East Hamilton, Ontario.

If convenient to you, I would ask you to be kind enough to furnish me with the date of his enlistment, the time that he proceeded overseas, the time he spent on active War service, also the time of his discharge.

I am,

Yours truly,
GREAT WAR VETERANS' ASSOCIATION, INC.

G. W. V. A.
DOMINION SECRETARY.

~~2925~~

July 31st. 1933.

W.G. Wardley, Esq.,
Secretary,
A.M. Army & Navy Veterans' Society,
of Hamilton,
24 Mars Ave.,
HAMILTON. ONT.

Re: 738, John Davis.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 25th. instant and in reply I have to advise you that the medals of the marginally noted which I herewith enclose were posted to Mr. Davis some years ago but as his address was unknown they were returned to the Militia Office.

Yours very truly,



Secretary.

WMS.
Encs.



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BE ADDRESSED TO THE
SECRETARY.



Organized Oct. 5th, 1889; and incorporated under the Friendly Societies Act

HAMILTON, July 25th 1937.
CANADA

Militia Office.
Water St.
St Johns.
Newfoundland.

John Davis Reg No 738

Sir:

I have been requested to write you on behalf of John Davis who served in the Newfoundland Regiment No 738, he asks that his Victory medal and his Service medal, which he did not receive, be sent to this address, I shall be very pleased if you will give this matter your special attention. Mr Davis is a member of ~~above~~ organization.



Yours very truly.

W. C. Wardley
Secretary.

24 Mars Ave.

Hamilton, Ont.

'RECEIPT FOR 1914-15 STAR'

Received from the Department of Militia, St. John's, Nfld.
the '1914-15 Star'.

Signed John Davis,
Rank Pte., No. 738.

Witness, _____

Date

Nov. 8 / 20.

Place Received _____

2/16/20

C.R. 738

Nov. 13th, 1920

Secretary
Board of Pension Commissioners

Dear Sir:-

Herewith, please, letter from
Ex. No. 738 Pte. John Davis, relative to the
matter of pension, for your attention.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.

Chief Staff Officer

238 Reimark & Davis

November 19, 1917.

Mr. William Davis,
Conch.

Dear Sir:-

Confirmation has been received by this department, of the award for gallantry recently earned by your brother.

I am taking this opportunity of conveying to you my congratulations on the distinction earned by your brother, on the field of battle. It is due in a very large measure, to the gallantry and conspicuous conduct of such men, that the First Newfoundland Regiment has gained such fame as a fighting force.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Minister of Militia.

WFR/KMD.

C.R. 738

MILITAR Y MEDAL.

738 Pte J. Davis.

Date of Award.

Authority. Daily Orders 1st Bn. 27/10/17

Reference London Gazette.

C.R. 738

July 10th 18

Mr. William Davis,
Conche

Dear Sir:-

The following extract from Honours and Awards is quoted in connection with the deed for which No. 738, Private J. ^{Davis} ~~Shaw~~ won the Military Medal:-

"He showed great tact and coolness; practically all N.C.Os and men in his platoon were casualties, so he collected all his men together and led them all through the attack. After reaching the 3rd Objective he supervised consolidation, and his brave example greatly encouraged his men." 9/10/17

I wish to congratulate you on the conduct of your brother, which reflects credit, not only on himself, but on his Regiment.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

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Signature of Sender _____

Edw. M. Shirley

Address _____

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Dated 8th March, 1917.

To Mr. William Davis,
Conche.

In reply my enquiry Record Office London today states No. 738, Private John Davis now at Depot.

J.R.BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

G.

5th March, 1917.

Dear Madam,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 27th February, in which you desire to obtain information concerning your son, No. 738, Private John Davis, who left with the 2nd Contingent. I shall endeavour to obtain, by cable, from the Record Office, London, information as to the whereabouts and present circumstances of your son, upon receipt of which I shall again communicate with you.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. Richard Griffin,
Bell Island Mines.

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TRANSLATION OF CODE MESSAGE SENT TO
SYNOPTICAL, LONDON, ON THE
5TH MARCH, 1917.
6666

Telegraph whereabouts of 1815 Healey
738 Davis What is address of What is
nature of illness of 1804 Cummins Report
by telegraph present condition of 2290
Evey What is address of Report by tele-
graph present condition of 637 Michelin.

738 Private John Davis
- mil. serv. -

Feb 27/17

Bell Island
J R Bennett
Colonial Secretary
St Johns

Dear Sir I am writing
you. I know if you can
give me any information
concerning my son, John
Davis, who left with
the second contingent
~~it is twelve~~ I heard that
he was in hospital mes
but he hasn't turned up
yet. I've been looking through
the papers but can't find
any trace of him. I am
sending you to know
if you can find out
where he is, whether in
hospital or in the trenches

I would like to hear from
 him, to know if he is dead
 or alive, for I am much
 concerned about him.
 This is where he volunteered
 from, and it seems rather
 strange that I don't
 here or see some account
 of. So please try and
 find out where he is if
 he is alive or not and
 I shall be very thankful
 and my mind will be
 easy. When I find out
 where he is, I'll let you know
 and I am very anxious
 about him. Thanking you
 I remain your truly
 Mrs Richard Griffin
 formerly Mrs Davis

✓ (52) ✓

COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated

December 2, 1916.

To Mr. William Davis,

Conche.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,
London, officially reports No. 738, Private John Davis,
has been admitted to the Second Scottish General Hospital,
Edinburgh, suffering from tuberculosis.

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

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 138

NO. 138 DAVIS .

EXTRACT OF CASUALTY LIST RECEIVED FROM THE PAY & RECORD
OFFICE LONDON DATED DECEMBER 1st, 1916.

"2ND SCOTTISH GENERAL HOSPITAL EDINBURGH TUBERCULOSIS."

✓

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CASUALTIES.

Extract of letter from

Officer Commanding,
2nd Scottish General Hospital,
Edinburgh.

738 Pte Davis, J., 1st Nfld.

"The above man on pass from France from the 8th to
"the 17th November was admitted into this hospital
"on the 18th November, notification of which has been
"already sent you. His disease has now been diagnosed
"as T.B. Lung and he will not be fit to rejoin his unit
"in France."

Authority:-

O.C. 2nd Scot. G. Hosp.,
Edinburgh, N.B.

C.R.
738

C.R. 738

Copy of letter from O.C. 2nd Scottish General Hospital.

to O. i/c Record,
Newfoundland Regiment,
58 Victoria Street, London S.W.

#738 Pte. Davis John, C.Co., who disembarked at Southampton on furlough from France 8/11/16 to 17/11/16 reported at this Hospital, and was admitted on 18/11/16 suffering from pains in chest, coughing blood. He will probably be detained in Hospital for 3 weeks. Please send on his A.F.B.178 as soon as possible

Sgd. D.J.Graham, Major RAMCT.,
Registrar,
2nd Scottish General Hospital
Edinburgh.

23rd November 1916.

✓

J. Davis

738

P. + P. O.,

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CABLE THIRTY POUNDS THROUGH MINISTER MILITIA

J DAVIS
VIA SYNOPTICAL

738

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Records

29th Div. Newfoundland Regt
58 Victoria St
London

No. 438 Pte Davies John L Coy.
who disembarked at Southampton
on furlough from France from
8th to 17th reported at this
Hpl., and was admitted on
18th suffering from Pains in Chest
coughing Blood. He will
probably be detained in
Hospital for 3 weeks.

Please send on his A.F.B 178
as soon as possible

J. J. Gahan.

Major, R.A.M.O. (T.)
Registrar, and Scottish General Hospital

**A^s
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TO

D. A. G. 3rd ECHELON B. E. F.

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~~738 PRIVATE JOHN DAVIS NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON FURLOUGH~~
~~FROM B.E.F. ADMITTED SECOND SCOTTISH GENERAL HOSPITAL PAINS~~
~~IN CHEST COUGHING BLOOD PROBABLY DETAINED THREE WEEKS~~

SYNOPTICAL.

I request that the above Telegram may be forwarded [via*.....] subject to the Conditions which are printed on the back hereof, and by which I agree to be bound.

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From,
O.C.,
2nd Scottish General Hospital,
Edinburgh.

To,
O.i/c. Records,

Newfoundland Record Office,
58 Victoria Street, London

It is proposed to present No...428.....

R
Pl. Davis J. ... 29th Newfoundland before a Medical
Board in accordance with A.C.I.2069/16 at an early
date. As this soldier has returned from Overseas
the Documents required are probably already in your
possession and it is not necessary to send them to
this Office.



S. J. Graham
Majr
R.A.M.C.
Lt-Col. R.A.M.C.(T).

4th December,

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5198/15

Deputy Adjutant General,

General Headquarters,

3rd Echelon, B.E.F.

HT/JC

738 PTE. J. DAVIS. 1st Nfld Regt.

Further to my telegram despatched:

"To: D.A.G., 3rd Echelon, B.E.F.

"738 Private John Davis Newfoundland Regiment on
"furlough from B.E.F. admitted 2nd Scottish
"General Hospital pains in chest coughing blood
"probably detained three weeks.

"23/11/16

(Sgd) Synoptical"

The following report has been received:

"738 Pte. Davis, J., 1st Nfld Regt.

"The above man on pass from France from the 8th to
"the 17th November was admitted into this Hospital
"on the 18th November, notification of which has been
"already sent you. His disease has now been
"diagnosed as T.B. Lung and he will not be fit to
"rejoin his unit in France."

"29/11/16

(Sgd) J. Rayner, Lt.Col.,
R.A.M.C.T.

Capt.,

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

H.M. FORCES OVERSEAS (IN UNIFORM).

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Signature of Issuing Officer [Signature]

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Forwarded with the Compliments

of the Secretary of the War Office:-

Railway ticket relating to 738 Pk Davis J
Newfoundland Contingent who was
admitted on the 18 Nov: (whilst on leave
from France) to 2nd Scottish General HQ
Edinburgh

War Office,

C2 Casualties 16.

Alexander House W.C.

15 Dec: 1916.

The Officer in charge Reports

Newfoundland Expeditionary Force

Over

A large, stylized signature or flourish consisting of several sweeping, overlapping lines that extend across the bottom right of the page.

As this man will not
be rejoining the Expeditionary
Force, having contracted
Tubercle of Lung & is
at present in Hospital.
in this country.

The return portion of
his ^{leave} railway ticket
is retained by this office

A. B.

5375/181

Officer Commanding
1/1st Newfoundland Regt,
B. E. F.

HA/JC.

12th December, 6

738 DAVIS. PTE. J.

21/12/16

I enclose copy of my No. 5198/15
to the D. A. G., 3rd Echelon, for
your information, please. Doubt-
less you have been previously
notified by the Base.

Noted.

(Sgd) A. Raley,
Capt. & Adj.

Major,
Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

RECEIPT & DECLARATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH

ARMY ORDER 267 OF 1917

Officer i/o Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

738 Mc Davis

Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of Military Medal and declare that in the event of this Medal being lost, stolen or destroyed no claim for replacement will be made against the public.

I desire to retain this Medal.

Signed at



24-1-19

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Signature:

his + Davis
Mark
Witness J. B. Anderson Apr

VETERANS AFFAIRS
AFFAIRES DES ANCIENS COMBATTANTS

RG 38 vol. 527
File/dossier: 738
DAVIS John

1736 Davis
Repatriation

NEWFOUND AND CONTINENT
 PAY & RECORD
 5, Springbank Rd,
 Afr.
 Ref. Nos. 1498
 Rec'd 17 FEB 1919
 Ack'd _____ Aus'd _____

Dear Sir,

Ref. Nos. OUI

I beg to ask a great favour
 of you regarding to great friend
 of mine. I wish to know if you
 could supply me Pte. Jack Davis
 M. M. No. 438, C. Co. 11, A. N. S. D.
 His address I mean his home address
 in N. S. D. He left with the last
 boat and as I have always held a
 correspondence with him I should
 like to continue. I forgot to ask him
 when he was here what his home
 address was, so I was told that
 probably you could settle that
 matter for me. I trust to hear
 from you soon. Please give me
 the full address if possible.

I remain
 Yours respectfully
 W. Brisbane.

M Brisbane
5 Springbank Rd
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Any Correspondence addressed
to this man ^{of this office} will be forwarded
to last known address

No. 13621/1

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./79

From:

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

To:

Officer Commanding,
1st Newfoundland Regt
B. E. F.

11th December 1917

21-12 1917

Subject: 738, Pte. John E. Davis

With reference to the following telegram (7511) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 7/12/17

Receipt hereunder.

Officer Comdg. 1st Battn
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Pay to 738, Davis, £1:0:0,
Xmas Gift from Dominion Fire Brigade

Draft £1:0:0 is enclosed
for payment to this Soldier.
Kindly obtain his receipt
hereon.

Received the sum of One
Pounds on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

A. A. Churchill Maj.
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

John E. Davis
No. 738 Rank Pte.

*Witness
P. Dicks
Adj. Genl.*

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

1924

7 MAR 1919

5 Springbank Rd.

Apr.
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Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for answering my letter and now I herewith enclose a letter. I have left the envelope unaddressed. Please address it to the address you have and I suppose he will get it all right. I have put a stamp on the envelope so it is only to address now. Trusting this has put you to no inconvenience.

I remain

Yours respectfully
W. Brisbane.

This is Jack Davis' address I am referring to No. 438 E. Coy R. N. I. D. S. Regt.

Davis repatriated

Your letter has been forwarded to him care of the dept of militia St John's Nfld this date

No. 738 Rank Rt. Name Davis J.

Pay	F.A.	Wks	Total
100	10	40	1-10
Less Allotment			50
Net Rate			60

No. of Sheets

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£ s d			
						From	To			Rate	£	s	d
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A.B. 64. 65 marks.													
P. & R.O. Payments													
Depos "				5 0 0	by Bal 7-6-19								
Receipt No. 876				5 0 0									

£ 6-14-8

B.S.H.
24/1/19

MEMORANDUM CONTINUED

Davis, John

738

Gay Sept.



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

John Davis

738

I, _____, Regt. No. _____
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of _____ Dollars and _____ Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} _{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} _{or} Persons concerned, viz. :

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<i>795</i>	<i>Aunt</i>	<i>Mrs. Davis</i>	<i>St. John's, Nfld.</i>	<i>50</i>
Total Allotment, \$				

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) *E. M. [Signature]* Capt.

Officer Commanding
Company

John [Signature]
Feb 13 5

(Sig.) *John Davis*
[Signature]

(Rank)

No 735



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

John Davis

Regl. No. *738*

I,, hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Dollars and Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and}/_{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and}/_{or} Persons concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<i>77</i>		<i>John Davis</i>	<i>St. John's</i>	<i>50</i>
			Total Allotment, \$	

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) *E. S. Reynolds Capt*

(Sig.) *John Davis*

St. John's
Company
7th 15 5

(Rank) *Private*

April 16, 1919

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#138 Pte. John Davis,

Bell Island, C.B.

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 "Ward Service Gratuity."

Yours truly

Captain
Pymster & Officer i/c Records

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 work as Miner

J. Davis ^{with} *J. E. Sinclair*
Mark Signature of Man.

Reg. No. *738*

Chas. D. Coff

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place *St John's*

Date *4/3/19* 191

March 191919

#738 Pte. John Davis,

Beil Island, C.B.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate
No. 1338."

Yours truly,

Captain,
Paymaster & Officer i-c Records