

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Wm. E. ...

Apparent age 19 years 3 months. Height 5 feet 6 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 33 inches
 Range of expansion 12 inches

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Wm. E. ... | Relationship Son

Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to _____ [date of discharge] _____ years _____ days

" " Pensions " _____ [" "] _____ " _____



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

4237

ATTESTATION OF

No. 4237 Name Wm Ellis Corps Inf

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

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|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>William Ellis</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>14 Gros St St. Johns</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>18</u> Years <u>3</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Printer</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>No</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>No</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>Yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>Yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... | 10. { Name
Corps |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? | 11. <u>Yes</u> |

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

H. 10-12-17

William Ellis SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Robert Cull Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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

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

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at.....
on this 10th day of Dec 1917

Signature of Attesting Officer J. J. O'Rourke

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

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

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

Date Dec 10th 1917 St. Johns } Approving Officer.
Place St. Johns

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

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

Do Report 17-12-17

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name William Ellis
 Apparent age 18 years 3 months. Height 5 feet 6 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 1/2 inches
 Range of expansion 3 1/2 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Joseph Ellis
14/2nd St. St. Johns | Relationship Father

Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>10-12-17</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>December 10-1917</u>									
<u>No report for duty 10-12-17</u>									
<u>No Overseas Service</u>									
<u>Discharged Under Age 16-12-17</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 16-12-17 [date of discharge] — years 17 days
 " " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "

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Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, Dec.10th,1917.

4237 Pte. W. Ellis.

Attested for General Service with the 1st Nfld. Regt. on
Dec.10th/17 to take effect on Dec.11th/17.

C.R. 4237

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

4237 Pte. Wm. Ellis

Discharged Dec. 28th 1918, K.R. & R.

C.R. 4237

Extract from Roll of officers N.C.O. AND Men Discharged from The
Royal Nfld. Regt.

Regtl.No..	Rank	Name	Date	Reason.
4237	Pte.	Ellis Wm.	Dec.26/17.	K.R.&.R.

Regt

C.R. 4237

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit Royal 4/1st
Newfoundland. Regt. Headquarters, Dec 26, 1917.

#4237 Ptee William Ellis.

Discharged with effect from 26/12/17 Authority

K R & R 392 (11)

Certificate of Baptism.

I Hereby Certify that on the Twenty First day of April
~~191~~ 1901, at St. John's in the District of St. John's (West) I did
baptize with water, in the Name of the Holy Trinity, the Infant Son
of Joseph and Mary Jane Ellis of St. John's by the name of
Isaac William who was born on the 6th day of April

~~191~~ 1901

John L. Dawson
Methodist Minister.

Rev. H. D. Guy

You may find the above in Georgetown (West) Circuit Book on the
Register of Baptisms, No. 1410.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Ellis

Christian Name William

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Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish St. John's County Nfld.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	10 th day of Dec 1917	St. John's	day of	191
Declared Age	18 years	3 Mos	years	days
Trade or Occupation	Printer			
Height	5' feet	6 inches	feet	inches
Weight	115 lbs.			lbs.
Chest-Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	34 1/2 inches		inches
	Range of Expansion	inches		inches
Physical Development	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks	Arms			
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=	6/6	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/6	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>[Signature]</i>			
(Rank)				
Enlisted	at	St. John's	at	
	on	10 th day of Dec 1917	on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Comp.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to	<i>[Signature]</i>			
Became non-effective by	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
[Signature]				
[Rank]				

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
18-12-17	Vac.

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



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

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

Examination of *William Ellis*
aged *18 yrs* conducted at *Headquarters*
Date: *W Dec 10 1917* Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST

FINDING

- 1 *no*
- 2 *no*
- 3 *no*
- 4 *no*
- 5 *no*
- 6 *no*
- 7 *yes*
- 8 *yes*
- 9 *no*
- 10 *n*
- 11 *n*
- 12 *n*
- 13 *n*
- 14 *n*
- 15 *n*
- 16 *n*
- 17 *n*
- 18 *n*
- 19 *6/6 both*
- 20 *n*
- 21 *n*
- 22 *n*
- 23 *n*
- 24 *n*
- 25 *n*
- 26 *n*
- 27 *n*
- 28 *n*
- 29 *n*
- 30 *n*
- 31 *n*
- 32 *n*
- 33 *no*
- 34 *5756 a*
- 35 *115 ms.*
- 36 *32 1/2 35 1/2*
- 37
- 38 *Dashes Joseph Ellis 14 Geor St City*
- 39 *nobody*

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DM

Signature of Medical Examiner

W. W. Burden