



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 3680 Name George J. Gillis Corps R. C.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>George J. Gillis</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Highland Bay St George</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>19</u> Years <u>10</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Railroading</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, George J. Gillis 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.

George J. Gillis SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Brendan Sinnott Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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

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

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 24 day of April 1917

Signature of Attesting Officer [Signature]

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

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

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

Date.....191.....
 Place..... } Approving Officer.

† 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).....

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C. 24 - 4 - 17 Brendan Sinnott.....Signature of Witness.

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Signature of Attesting Officer W. Fraser

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3680 George J. Gillis

To whom it may concern:

This is to Certify that the above
named enlisted in the Royal Field
Regt on 24 April 1917 and was
discharged under demobilization on
12 Apr 1919 having served 1 Year
352 days.

C.R. 3680

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot St. John's dated
April 23rd. 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilisation has been
CONFIRMED by Officer in charge of records on April 22nd, 1919.

3680 Pte. Geo. Gillis,

C.R. 3680

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal 22nd
Regt. St. John's, Mar. 29th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilisation have
been approved by G.C. Discharge Depot on noted dates.

3680 Pte. Geo. Gillis.

29-3-19.

C.R. 3680

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Rifles.
Regt. St. John's, 11-2-19

The undernoted returned from Overseas and reported to
Depot 7-2-19.

Repatriated on account of Demobilization.

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3620 Pte. Geo. Gillis.

C.R. 3680

Extract from Nominal Roll of the Royal Nfld. Regt.

Embarked S.S. ~~Arcturion~~, Corsican, Jan. 30th, 1919.

3680 Gillis.

C.R. 3680

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.

3680 Pte. G. Gillis.

WOUNDED, SICK N.C.O.S. & MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCES - FRANCE.NO. 1 RECORD OFFICE - WARLEY.
22854 Pte. Broughton, C. 9/Norf.R.LIST NO.H.A. 20528.
ICT.L.Foot Mild,Adm. 8 Gen.H. Rouen 10 March,18.NO. TWO RECORD OFFICE - WARLEY.
29458 Pte. Turney, C.T. 8/Bedf.R.
att.6 Div.HQ.LIST NO.H.A. 20528.
NYD. Mild.....Adm. 5 Gen.H. Rouen 11 March,18.

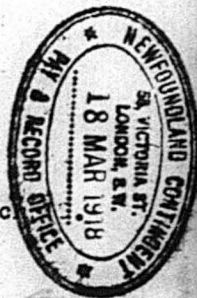
28126 L/C. King, C. 4/Bedf.R.

Bronc.Pneumonia..Adm. 5 Gen.H. Rouen 11 March,18.
Sev.

43539 Pte. Loin, J. 4/Bedf.R.

Carbuncle L.Arm..Adm. 8 Gen.H. Rouen 10 March,18.
Mild.

31443 Pte. Watts, A. 11/Essex R.

ICT. Finger R....Adm. 8 Gen.H. Rouen 10 March,18.
Hand Mild.NO. 1 RECORD OFFICE - EXETER.
G/29885 Pte. Drevett, H.W. 11/Hamps.LIST NO.H.A. 20528.
Piles.....Trans.to Contact Camp Sanvic ex 2 Gen.H. 11 March,18O. I/C. RECORDS WOMEN'S ARMY AUXILIARY CORPS.7113 Wtrss.Randall, L.
6106 Wtr. Ormond, G.
6203 Wtr. Gooding, F.
5481 Pte. Wade, M.WAAC,Hostel 4. Tonsillitis Mild..Adm. 2 Gen.H. Havre 11 March,18.
WAAC,Hostel 4..Gastro Enteritis.Dis. to duty ex 2 Gen.H. Havre 11 March,18.
-do- -do-Dis. to duty ex 2 Gen.H. Havre 11 March,18.
WAAC,Rouen. Laryngitis Mild..Adm. 8 Gen.H. Rouen 10 March,18.
Waitress.NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.3680 Pte. Gillis, G. 1/R.Newfld.
Inf.LIST NO.H.A. 20528.
Mumps.....Dis. to Dtlg.St.Omer ex 7 Gen.H. 11 March,18.

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C.R. 3680

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



ROYAL ENGINEERS.

LIST NO.H.A.19981.

- 245806 Spr. Jenkins.E.A. RE.1502 A.W.Coy. NYD.Sick Mild...Adm.30 Gen.H.Calais 19 Feb.18.
- 257644 Spr. Arnold.E. RE.ROD. Burn L.Hand....Dis.to Base Dep.ex 30 Gen.H.Calais 19 Feb.18.
- 250469 Pnr. Clarke.J. RE.A.P.O.A.D.2. Neurasthenia....Dis.to M.B.Dep.ex 30 Gen.H.Calais 19 Feb.18.
- 69123 Pnr. Maynard.F. RE."L" Sig.Coy. NYD.Mild.Sick...Adm.35 Gen.H.Calais 20 Feb.18.
- 162393 Pnr. Burrows.F. RE.30 Rly Lab.Bn. Inj.Feet.Mild...Adm.35 Gen.H.Calais 20 Feb.18.
- 201215 Gnr. Bailey.J. RE.30 Rly.Lab.Bn. Hernia Mild.... Adm.35 Gen.H.Calais 20 Feb.18.
- 100568 Cpl. Nazer.H.C. RE.1st Army ? Mumps Mild....Adm.7 Gen.H.St Omer 20 Feb.18.
- 522023 Spr. Brocket.A. RE.7 Fld.Co. PUC.Mild.....Dis.to Dtls.St Omer ex 7 Gen.H.20 Feb.18.
- 492293 Cpl. Baggaley.R. RE.59 Div.Sig.Coy.VDG.Mild.....Adm.47 Gen.H.Le Troport 18 Feb.18.
- 90960 Dvr. Paine.A.T. RE.106 Fld.Co. Wound (Lac.Knee.Adm.47 Gen.H.Le Troport 18 Feb.18. L.) Sev
- 204116 Spr. Ollier.H. RE.427 Fld.Co. Dis.to Duty ex 59 Gen.H. St Omer 20 Feb.18.
- 240669 Pte. McPhee.D. RE.335 R.C.C. Debility Sev... Adm.6 Gen.H.Rouen 20 Feb.18.

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ROYAL ENGINEERS (TRANSPORTATION BRANCH).

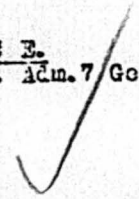
LIST NO.H.A.19981.

- 298157 Spr. Icatis.A. RE.327 Quarry Co NYD.Sick Mild.. Adm.30 Gen.H.Calais 19 Feb.18.
- 298160 " Fenberth.F. RE.327 Quarry Co. -do- Adm.30 Gen.H.Calais 19 Feb.18.
- 403026 Spr. Perry.A. 856 A.E.Coy.late -do- Adm.30 Gen.H.Calais 19 Feb.18.
- 150174 2/Cpl. Bowler.H. RE.IVT. VDG.....Dis.to M.B.Dep.ex 30 Gen.H.Calais 19 Feb.18.
- 279013 L/C. Sampson.W. RE.327 Quar.Coy. Ulcer Cornea....Adm.35 Gen.H.Calais 20 Feb.18. Mild.
- 262089 Spr. Ferrar.G.H. RE.326 Quar.Coy. Impetigo Mild...Adm.35 Gen.H.Calais 20 Feb.18.
- 240669 Pte. McPhee.D. RE.335 R.C.C. Debility Sev....Adm.6 Gen.H.Rouen 20 Feb.18.

NEWFOUNDLAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

LIST NO.H.A.19981.

- 3680 Pte. Gillis.G. 1/Newfoundland ? Mumps Mild... Adm.7 Gen.H.St Omer 20 Feb.18. Infantry.



C.R. 3680

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

#3680 Pte. G. T. Gillis,

BC.

C.R. 3680

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,
per S.S. "Florizel" Aug.4, 1917.

3680 Pte. G. Gillis.

C.R.

3680

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal WFL
Regt., St. John's, Apl. 24th, 1917.

3680 Pte. Geo. Gillis.

Attested this day, posted to F. Company, and assigned
number as shown.

C.R. 3680

Gillis, J.

P.V.R.O.

No. 3680 Rank Pte Name Gillis G.

Pay	100	10	110
Less			50
Rate			60

PSK

DEBITS	Date	£	s	d	CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d	
						From	To						
Balance					Balance		20/12/8			22	8	0	
Acquittance Rolls					Pay @ Net Rate	20/12/8	24/1/9	35	60	2100	4	6	4
Hospital Advances													26-14-4
A.B. 64.		2	16	2									
P.&R.O. Payments		5	0	0									
<i>Report</i>		5	0	0	<i>credit</i>								
<i>Receipt No. 89</i>		15	0	0	£ 18-18-2								
					£ 13-18-2								
					<i>5</i>								

£ 7-16-2
£ 12-16-2

£ 58
23/1/9

NO. OF BILLS

BYEGTS BILL NO.

MEMORANDUM CONTINUED

Hillis, Geo

3680

Ray Sept.

April 12, 1919

#3680 Pte. George Gillis,

Highlands,

St. George's.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate
No. 1792."

Yours truly

Captain
Paymaster & O. i. c Records

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 3680..... Rank Pte..... Name Gillis, George.....
 Intended place of residence..... Highlands, St. George's.....
 2. Occupation Railroadman.....
 Classification of soldier E..... Medical Category A. I......

3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of... **DEMOBILIZATION**.....

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.

Place **ST. JOHN'S**.....
 Date **MAR 27 1919**.....
for H. Mews Lieut.
 Comanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, of all financial responsibility in my connection.

Place and date **ST. JOHN'S**.....
27-3-19.....
George Gillis
 Signature of soldier
J. A. Mowbray
 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**.....
27-3-19.....
George Gillis
 Signature of soldier
E. Wilson Sgt.
 Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 24-4-17..... No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 27-3-19 plus 14 days..... Service 719.....

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**.....
 Date **MAR 29 1919**.....
R. H. Lint 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......
 Date April 12/1919.....
W. Howley Capt.
 Officer i/c Records
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

H. B. 209/11997

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The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 3650 Rank Plt Name Gilbert George
 Date of Enlistment 24.4.17 Address Highlands District St. George
 Occupation Reconnaissance Classification for Discharge A Medical Category A I
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P[36].....	B 268.....	B 121.....	N.F. Med.....	D.F. 1.....	1
B 178.....	W 3494.....	B 122.....	Board 1st.....	" 2.....	
B 178a.....	D 400A.....	B 1915.....	do 2nd.....	" 3.....	3
B 179.....	D 400B.....	Form L.....	do 3rd.....	" 4.....	
B 179a.....	D 400C.....	Form K.....	do 4th.....	" 5.....	
B 179b.....	B 103.....	ME 2.....		" 6.....	
B 179c.....	B 120.....	M 93.....			

Date 26.3.19

H. M. W. H.
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am in a position to resume civilian occupation.

George Gilbert

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$65.00
- (b) Clothing Supplied 27-3-19

Date 27-3-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *R.1008* to his home at *Hoghtonwood, Pt. George* and Release Certificate No. *1798* issued.

Date *27-3-19*

J.A. Crawford
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 *12-4-19*

Date *27-3-19*

J. H. M. ...
Depot Paymaster

Discharge approved for *29-3-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P136	B 268	B 121	/	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	
B 178	W 3494	B 122	/	Board 1st	" 2	<i>Form B</i>
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915		do 2nd	" 3	
B 179	D 400B	Form L		do 3rd	" 4	
B 179a	D 400C	Form K		do 4th	" 5	
B 179b	B 103	ME 2			" 6	
B 179c	B 120	M 93				

Date *27-3-19*

J.A. Crawford
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

MAD 29 1919

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

R.H. Sait Capt.

Date

O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date

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 resume former occupation
(Farming)*

George Gillis
Signature of Man.

Reg. No. *3680*

J. A. Snow
Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place *St Johns*

Date *27-3-19* 191



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 *George Gillis*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *3680*

Intended address *Highlands St Georges*

Height on discharge *5* Feet *10*

Color of hair on discharge *Black*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Blue*

Descriptive Marks *—*

Figure on discharge *medium*

Christian name of Father *Alexander. H*

Christian name of Mother *Elizabeth*

Wife's maiden name in full *—*

Date and place of marriage *—*

Christian names of children *—*

Place and date of soldier's birth *St Georges. June 28th 1899*

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)

George Gillis *Pte*

(Rank)

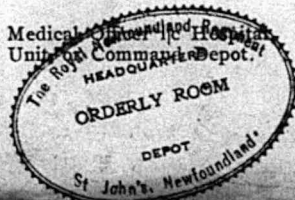
Station **ST. JOHN'S.**

Date *24-3-19*

- I certify that the above named soldier signed the foregoing declaration in my presence, and that the above description and details are, to the best of my knowledge correct.

Station

Date



The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

25.3.19

Regimental No.

3680

Name

George Gellis Pte

Address

Highlands, St Georges

Present Medical Category

A1

Recommended for:—

(a) Immediate discharge

(b) ~~Standing Medical Board~~

Members of Board

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

J. Paterson
Senior Medical Officer

D. W. Burden
M. O. Depot

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Gillis OF Christian Name George

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Highlands County Saint George

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>24</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>7</u> at <u>Headquarters</u>		on <u>8</u> day of <u>FEB</u> 191 <u>10</u> at <u>50, VICTORIA ST. LONDON, S.W.</u>	
Declared Age	<u>19</u> years <u>10</u> days		<u>8</u> years <u>10</u> days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>Railroader</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>10</u> inches		feet inches	
Weight	<u>135</u> lbs.		lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Grith when fully expanded ... <u>34 1/2</u> inches		inches	
	Range of Expansion ... <u>3 1/2</u> inches		inches	
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V	<u>4/6</u>	R.E.—V	
	L.E.—V	<u>4/6</u>	L.E.—V	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Lammie Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	<u>major</u>			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St Johns</u> on <u>24</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>7</u>		at _____ on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	<u>41st RFLA</u>	Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	<u>3680</u>	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



May 2nd., 1919

#3680 Pte. George Hillis,
Highlands,
Bay St. George.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your application I enclose cheques
for Seventy dollars (\$70.00), being amount of first payment
due you on account of the "War Service Gratuity."

Yours truly

Captain,
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records

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DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA,

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who 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/O RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

Christian name... *George* 2. Surname... *Gillis*

3. Rank... *Private* 4. Regt. No... *3680*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded... *Highlands Bay, St. Georges, Newfoundland*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment... *24th April 1917*

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge... *none*

8. Relationship of such dependents... *not applicable*

9. Address in full of such dependent... *not applicable*

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

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service... *went over seas August 1917*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas... *1917 to 1919*

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

no

14. Have you already received any payment of Post Discharge pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amount you and your dependents have already received and by whom paid.....

no

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

no

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

17. Are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity in the nature of Post Discharge Pay from the Imperial Forces? If so, state amount received, or to which you are entitled.....

no

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England?.....

no

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

not applicable

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

Not applicable

not applicable

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.....

Feb. 1918 to Jan. 1919

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

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

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.

-5-

George Gillis

Signature of Applicant:

Place of Residence:

Declared before me at:

This

27th

day of

March 1919

*Highlands, Bay St George
St. John's, Nfld*

*John McCarthy
J.P.*

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
.....	<i>280.00</i>
.....	<i>HMS</i>
.....

280.00

HMS

Certified Correct.

Paymaster.

[Handwritten signature]

7

TELEPHONE 230.

ACCOUNTS COLLECTED QUARTERLY.

P. O. BOX 122.

302 WATER STREET,

St. John's, Newfoundland,

Mar 29th 1919.

M^r Geo Giles

In account with Charles Ellis,

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN HIGH-CLASS TAILORING.

1 Please Pay from my ac
/ Surt of Clothes

\$ 65⁰⁰

No 3680) Mr George G Ellis

A.C.S.

Per G G Ellis

W Russell



14-4-19

Memorandum

From

Magistrate
Richard MacDonnell Esq

St Georges
Nov 27th 1908

To

Messrs The Separation Officers
Department
1st Regt Regiment of
St Johns

Gentlemen

I am asked by Applicant
Mrs Gillis to write and say that she is
in need of this Separation Allowance and
she thinks she should have it from time
she got Monthly Allowance viz Sep 1917 - as
has others. I trust you can do this for
her. I may say there is a large family
but all except the very young ones are gone
to do for themselves and her one trust as far
as I am informed is son now serving in
Regiment The Husband is a Chronic Invalid. I hope
you may use dispatch for this very deserving lady. Any
thing you may require to know Write Yours Obediently

K3522 3520
 Allotment correct
 for 50 per cent
 for 50 per cent
 Aug 11/18
 ROYAL NEW ZEALAND REGIMENT. IMCOTHER.
 (Separation Allowance Branch)

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question.

Each statement is considered as being made on Oath, and the form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace and returned to:

"The Paymaster"
 Separation Allowance Branch,
 St. John's, Nfld.

1. Name in full of soldier. Rank. Reg't. or Unit. Regt. No.
 Gillis George L. Pte R. Nfld 3680

2. Age of soldier. Married or Single.
 27 yrs + 6 mos.

3. Name in full of mother. Age. Occupation. Permanent Address.
 Mrs. Alex H. Gillis. 56 yrs. Housewife. The Highlands Dist. St. Geor.

4. Give name of your husband. Age. Occupation Where Employed.
 Alex H Gillis. 67 yrs. Fisherman At Home

5. If your husband is not supporting you state the reason.
 All health

6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady. (A Medical Certificate must be enclosed with this document stating from what date husband has been totally incapacitated, and for how long incapacity is likely to continue.)
 Medical Certificate forwarded before J. Bethune M.D. St. Georges Nfld.

7. If you are a widow, state date and place of death of your husband.
 Husband not dead

8. Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband?
 No - ditto

9. Names of your other children. Address in Age. Occupation Married.
 J. V. Gillis 501 Eng. St. Nfld. 27 yrs. Army or Single.
 R. J. Gillis C. D. R. N. A. B. dockyards 3 yrs + navy
 D. J. Gillis R. S. Park Halifax N.S. 35
 M. J. Gillis Highlands 20 (Over)

K.3522 3520
Allotment correct
50 per day
for 30 months

Aug 11/18

NOTICE. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT. MOTHER.
(Separation Allowance Branch)

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"The Paymaster"
Separation Allowance Branch,
St. John's, Nfld.

1. Name in full of soldier. Rank. Reg't. or Unit. Regt. No.

Gillis George L. Pte R. Nfld 3680

2. Age of soldier. Married or Single.

2 yrs + 5 mos.

3. Name in full of mother. Age. Occupation. Permanent Address.

Mrs. Alex H. Gillis. 56 yrs. Housewife. The Highlands dist. St. George's

4. Give name of your husband. Age. Occupation Where Employed.

Alex H Gillis. 67 yrs. Fisherman At home

5. If your husband is not supporting you state the reason.

All health

6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady. (A Medical Certificate must be enclosed with this document stating from what date husband has been totally incapacitated, and for how long incapacity is likely to continue.)

Medical Certificate forwarded before Dr Bethune M.D. St George's Nfld

7. If you are a widow, state date and place of death of your husband.

Husband not dead

8. Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband?

no - ditto

9. Names of your other children. Address in Age. Occupation Married or Single.

J. V. L. Gillis 501 Eng. & H.C. France. 27 yrs. Army
R. G. Gillis C.D.R. R.N.A.S. dockyard 34 yrs + navy
D. J. Gillis R.S. Park Halifax N.S. 25 yrs (Over)
A. J. Gillis Highlands 20 yrs

Family Continued

Name	Age
Mrs Sweeney	31
Katie Gillis	20
James Gillis	17
Francis Gillis	14
Annie Gillis	8
Arnold Gillis	6

married

single

single

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10. State amount earned by (a) Yourself
(b) Your husband.

11. State amount and source of any other income.

12. State value of real property belonging to you and your husband.

13. State value of personal property belonging to you and your husband.

14. If husband is dead state value of real and personal property left by him.

15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to enlistment.

50 cents per day.

16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly.

Monthly

17. Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc.

no

18. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment.

Railroader

19. State amount of his wages per week.

\$30 per month

20. State name and address of his last employer.

Reid N. & Ld Co

21. State amount of monthly support from son since enlistment.

\$15.00

22. State amount of allotment received by you from son since enlistment.

23. State from what date did you receive allotment?

Sept. 1917

24. Actual amount contributed by other children. Weekly Monthly.

None

25. Are any of these children in the employ of you or your husband?

No

26. If not receiving support from other children, state cause. Explain fully. *X*

27. With whom are you residing at present? *With my Husband*

28. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance. If not, why? Give particulars. *yes*

29. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, how much? *No*

30. Are you already in receipt of any payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much. *No*

31. Was the soldier at the time of his enlistment an employee of the H.M.S. Government. *No*

32. In what capacity and in what place?

33. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment? If so, how much. *No*

I herewith make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under Oath and in Virtue of the Evidence Act.

Signature of Applicant... *Mrs. Helen H. Gillis*

Place of Residence... *Highlands... St. Georges District*

Declared and subscribed before me at... *Saint Georges*

this... *(27th) Twenty Seventh* day of... *November* 1918

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace. } *Richard MacDonnell*
S. Mac

This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your local Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their knowledge after careful investigation the above statements are correct and the soldier first above mentioned is the sole support of the applicant.

Signature of Clergyman... *Michael O'Reilly*

Signature of member of the Patriotic Fund Committee. *J. Bethune, M.D.*

ST. JOHN'S, MAR 28 19

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To *Mr. G. Gillis*

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from *Feb 8th* /19 to *Mar 29th* /19

A. C. J.

3680 - Mr. G. Gillis 51 50

RECEIPT	<i>37m</i>
AM. NO.	<i>14578</i>
ISSUED TO	<i>Mr. G. Gillis</i>
BY	<i>[Signature]</i>
DATE	<i>[Signature]</i>

Certified correct for \$ *51.50*

R.J. George
G. A. Snowford
G. Gillis Billeting Officer.

No. 377

TRAVELLING WARRANT

Date 27/3/19 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

*Charge Master
H. B.*

General

Please issue 1st Class Passage and Meals for

No. 3680 Rank Plt - Name Lillis George

From - Crabbe's ST. JOHN'S - To Highlands

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
DEPOT ST. JOHN'S, N.F.

PLEASE QUOTE THIS WARRANT NUMBER
ON STATEMENT AND MEAL CHECKS

W. J. Wicks Capt

SIGNATURE OF ISSUING OFFICER

Discharge Office
Discharge Depot - Newfoundland

Mr. James Gillis
Highlands
Bay St. George.

Trans.

ACCT. NO. _____

CH. NO. *16763*

IND. NO. _____

PAY PERIOD _____

DATE _____ *April 16th. 1919*

BY _____

The Department of Militia.

The sum of Five Dollars \$ 5.00 is due

Mr James Gillis Highlands, Bay St. George, for driving 3680
 Pts. of Gillis from Crabb's to Highlands.

DISTRICT OFFICER
 NEWFOUNDLAND
 APR 17 1919
 Voucher Attached.

Count for \$ 5.00 / 100

J. H. [Signature]
 Discharge Officer
 Discharge Depot - Newfoundland

April 30, 1919

Mr. James Gillis,
Highlands, Bay St. George

Dear Sir:

I enclose cheque for
\$5.00, amount due you for driving 3680, Pte. Gillis
from Crann's to Highland's.

Yours truly,

Capt.
Paymaster.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 65 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Apr 14th 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Sixty five Dollars.
on account of Pay. W. S. L.
balance

Ch. No. 16261	Initials. E. W.
Pay Ledger 259	Initials. W. N.
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No.

A. C. Bank

No. 3680

Rank *Pt.*

Name *Geo. Gillis*

Chas. Ellis

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

Fold Here

RECEIVED
21
SP23
MILITIA

Sept. 2 1921.

The accompanying Victory Medal and/or British War Medal

is/are forwarded herewith to

^T
Pte. Geo. W. Gillis

in respect of his service as No. 3680 Rank Pte.

Name Geo. T. Gillis Royal Nfld. Regt.
~~Nfld. Forestry Corps.~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Victory + B.W.M.

Signature Geo. W. Gillis

Date 12-9-21

Address Highland Spengler

[P.T.O.]

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. *3680* Name *Gillis*

To Certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above
named Soldier.

Name *George Gillis*

Date *3.8.20*

Place *Hillards St. George's Dist*

N.B. For completion and return to the Department of Militia
insert in corner of envelope "AB 64"

WJ

C.R. 3620

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND OF VICTORY METAL 1914-1919.

I certify that I have received an issue of 2 inches
of Riband of Victory Medal 1914-1919.

NO 3620... NAME... George Gillis

DATE 13/12/20

PLACE Highlands

C.R. 3680

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL 1914-1919.

I certify that I have received an issue of 2 inches
of Riband of British War Medal 1914-1919.

Name *R. Gilbr. C. & P. W.*

Date *16/11/19*

Place *Highlands*

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps *Royal Newfoundland* **B**
 Rank *Plt* Surname *Gillis* Christian Name *George*
 Religion *C.* Age on Enlistment *19* years *10* months
 Enlisted (a) *24-4-17* Terms of Service (a) *Duration* Service reckons from (a) *24-4-17*
 Date of promotion to present rank Date of appointment to lance rank
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b)
 Occupation *Railroadier* or Corps Trade and Rate
 Signature of Officer. *T. E. ... Captain*

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.
			Embarked ...	3 FEB 1918	
			Disembarked...	6 FEB 1918	
			<i>Joined Detachment</i>	15 FEB 1918	
	<i>897A</i>	<i>Admitted Mumps</i>	<i>Fidd</i>	<i>19-2-18</i>	<i>E.O. 7964</i>
	<i>895A</i>	<i>20 duty</i>	<i>Unit</i>	<i>20-2-18</i>	<i>E.O. 7964</i>
	<i>2nd Lt. Sp</i>	<i>re-admitted mumps</i>	<i>order</i>	<i>20-2-18</i>	<i>E.O. 7964</i>
	<i>D. 97A</i>	<i>Mumps</i>	<i>Keenan</i>	<i>20-2-18</i>	<i>E.O. 7964</i>
	<i>of ...</i>	<i>Joined Base Depot</i>	<i>Keenan</i>	<i>13-3-18</i>	<i>Race</i>
	<i>of ...</i>	<i>with Base</i>	<i>Fidd</i>	<i>13-3-18</i>	<i>B.213 1302</i>
<i>24/9/18</i>	<i>2nd Lt. Sp</i>	<i>as U.S. Trans</i>	<i>277A</i>	<i>29/9/18</i>	<i>E.O. 7427</i>
	<i>36668</i>			<i>30/9/18</i>	<i>E.O. 7440</i>
		Transferred to U. K.			<i>Per 3 1/2</i>
		<i>for Ob. patient</i>			<i>Capt for Lt Col.</i>
					<i>Officer i/c No 1 Infantry Section</i>

(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, Skoewing-Smith, &c.

153680

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 3680 Rank Plt Name Gillis George
 Date of Enlistment 24-4-17 Address Highlands District St. George's
 Occupation Railroadet Classification for Discharge 1 Medical Category A.I.
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P 36	B 268	B 121	✓	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	✓	Board 1st	" 2	
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915		do 2nd	" 3	3
B 179	D 400B	Form L		do 3rd	" 4	
B 179a	D 400C	Form K		do 4th	" 5	
B 179b	B 103	ME 2			" 6	
B 179c	B 120	M 93				

Date 26.3.19
 O. C. Discharge Depot. H. M. News H.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am in a position to resume civilian occupation.

George Gillis

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 [Signature]

Date 27-3-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 11008 to his home at Highland Pt. Forge and Release Certificate No. 1195 issued.

Date 27-3-19 *J.A. Crawford*
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 12-4-19

Date 17-3-19 *H. W. Smith*
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 29-3-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P136	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	
F 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 27-3-19 *J.A. Crawford*
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

MAR 29 1919

Date *R.H. Laiter*
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date April 11 1919 *H.A. Mudd*
Board Records

Reg. No. *3680* Rank *1st Lt* Name *Gillis, Geo. F.*
Attested Address *Highlands 15 of 2.*
Allotment Allottee
Date of Allotment Returned from Overseas *2-19.*
Returned on S.S. Cause *Discharge*

MAR 27 1919 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

29.3.19

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION



NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. _____ Sent by _____ Rec'd by _____ Check _____ No. X

Place from _____

To _____



Forward by Return

mail \$20.

for Leo J. Gillis

no. 3680

*U.S. Dept
Please
H.M.
H.M.*

NEWFOUNDLAND



DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

ST. JOHN'S,
23rd June, 1947.

War Pensions Officer,
Dept. Public Health and Welfare.

RE: GILLIS, George #3680, Newfoundland Regiment.

We attach herewith letter received from H.N. Burkhalter of the Veterans Welfare Commission of the State of Idaho, Boise, Idaho, re the above mentioned, for your information and necessary action, please. A brief acknowledgment has been sent.

A. Y. Manning
Secretary for Defence, Acting.

Encl: 1.

MM:-

247 - C book
9th P.R.O. file
from Macalister
W.P.
NEWFOUNDLAND
WAR PENSIONS OFFICER

VETERANS WELFARE COMMISSION
OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO
BOISE

June 11, 1947

DEPT. OF DEFENCE		
Received	June 21/47	m.m
Answered		
Dealt with		

Commanding Officer
1st Newfoundland Regiment
St. Johns, Newfoundland

RE: GILLIS, George
#3680

Dear Sir:

Mr. George Gillis, now residing at Sandpoint, Idaho, USA, a Canadian veteran of World War I, has contacted this commission for assistance in securing a certificate of service. Mr. Gillis had the misfortune to lose his original discharge by fire and is in need of a certificate in lieu thereof.

Mr. Gillis has been in the United States since 1923 and the following information is furnished for your consideration in evaluating this request:

- (a) Born 28 June 1898 at Highlands, Newfoundland;
- (b) Enlisted 14 April 1917 at St. Johns, Newfoundland, serial number 3680;
- (c) Served in Company "B", First Newfoundland Regiment, Commanded by Captain J. C. Frost;
- (d) Discharged at St. Johns, Newfoundland in March, 1919.

This office was directed to make this request on you by the Department of National Defense (Army) Ottawa, Canada. Dated 2 June, 1947.

Any courtesy you may be able to extend to this veteran will be appreciated by all concerned.

Sincerely,


H. N. BURKHALTER
Service Officer

HNB:ifh

CCO/JD.

2 July 1947

Mr. H.N.Burkhalter,
Service Officer
Veterans Welfare Commission
of the State of Idaho
Boise,
U.S.A.

Re: GILLIS, George - #3680

Dear Sir:

Your letter of 11th.June,1947 to the
Commanding Officer, 1st Newfoundland Regiment has been
referred to this Department for a reply, and I enclose
herewith Certificate of Service in respect of the above-
named as requested.

Yours very truly,

Encl.

CCO/JD.

#3680 George T. GILLIS

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that the above-named enlisted in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment on 24th. April, 1917 and was discharged under Demobilization on 12th. April, 1919, having served 1 year, 354 days.

2 July 1947