



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 907

Name in full George Robert Heath Age 34

Address 235 Water St

Married  Single  Height 5.85 Weight 119

Color Dark Hair Black Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks None

Nearest relative Samuel Heath

Address 37 Water St. St. John's

Dependents None

Occupation Software Clerk Present Wage \$250 per year

Previous service None

Decorations None

General Remarks None

Date of Enlistment Aug 4 1915

I, George R. Heath, 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.

Declared before me this 21st day

of January 1915

*George R. Heath*  
*George Robert Heath*

*Rec. engaged for duration of war*  
*Advised by*

**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.**

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

Reg. 50, 507

Name George Robert Heath  
 Apparent age 36 years      months. Height 6 feet 8 inches.  
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded      inches.  
                           { Range of expansion      inches.  
 Distinctive marks Color: Dark, Hair: Black, Eyes: Blue

**INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.**

Name and Address of next of kin Samuel Heath, 57 John St., St. John's  
 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	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>4/1/15</u>							
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>4th January '15</u>							
		<u>Dysentery</u>		<u>N/D</u>			
		<u>Jaundice</u>		<u>2/1/15</u>			
Total Service forfeited as above							
Total Service towards Engagement to					(date of discharge)	years	days
		Pension					

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

REG. NO. 907

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Christian Names \_\_\_\_\_ Date and Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

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Service towards limited engagement reckons from 4/1/15  
 Joined at St. John's on 4th January '15

*Discharged August 21 1919*

*Embarked St. John's 20<sup>th</sup> Feb 20<sup>th</sup>, Embarked H.M.S. 20<sup>th</sup>, Resembled  
 H.M.S. and embarked for Cairo 21<sup>st</sup>, embarked for Gallipoli 13<sup>th</sup>, landed  
 Suez Bay night of 19<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> Sept 21. Submitted S.C.C. Form 20<sup>th</sup> Dec 21. Employed to supply 20<sup>th</sup>  
 Garrison Band 18<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> (Spartan) Embarked for Australia 13<sup>th</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> Feb 16<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> April 17<sup>th</sup>  
 18<sup>th</sup> 19<sup>th</sup>. Confined Sept 21<sup>st</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> in hospital and for discharge 20<sup>th</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 19<sup>th</sup>  
 Demobilized St. John's 2-8-19*

Total Service forfeited as above ... ..

Total Service towards Engagement to 2-8-19 (date of discharge) 4 years 21 days

Pension \_\_\_\_\_

Use only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reserve Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

*Heath*

Christian Name *George Robert*

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	29	Dec	1914	191
	at	St Johns	at	
Declared Age	84	years		days
Trade or Occupation	Hardware Clerk			
Height	5	feet	5	inches
Weight		119		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded		29	inches
	Range of expansion		32 1/2	inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	
	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated	1905			
Vision	R. E.—V=		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) <i>Wear denture</i>		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Clayton Macpherson</i>			
(Rank)	Capt.			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St Johns	at	
	on	14	day of	Jan
		1915		191
	Corps.	Regt. No.	Corps.	Regt. No.
Joined on Enlistment	7 <sup>th</sup> Med Regt - 907			
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of	191	on
				day of
			191	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Table II.—Only for admissions to hospital or to the sick list in the 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				
LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH.	8	12	15	25	3	16	<i>Dysentery</i>	109	<i>Caus. R. line perniciosa (Sondermüller). Nahrung Carnationen, kein Appetit; sehr mäßig entwickelt jauchend. 3 negative bakteriologische Unters. Krankh. Heilung. Sendt als Proklamant. von J. G. L. J.</i>	<i>J. H. P. Newell Capt. R. R. R. T.</i>

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vacations, Transfers, &c.; Extensions of Leave; Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issues of Medical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
20, 4, 1916 18/5/16	<p>J, Z</p> <p>Vac</p> <p>Unfit for foreign service on account of general debility following dysentery. <i>Dr. H. F. Taylor &amp; Co.</i></p>
28 JUN 1918	<p>Boarded at Hazelton Camp. Marked <i>two</i> Category <i>two</i>  <i>W. B. Brown</i>  <i>Major Rame</i></p>
30 NOV 1918	<p><i>NAK</i> <i>Capt Rame.</i>          RECOMMENDED REPATRIATION.  <i>NAK</i>  <i>Capt Rame.</i>          ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REG.</p>

It is hereby certified that this soldier has been before the Standing Medical Board and has been classified as B for discharge on Demobilisation. Medical category B

12-2-19  
Date of M.B.

*M. H. H.*  
 Medical Officer  
 Royal Newfoundland Reg.

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. John's Newfoundland	Jan. 4. 15	20 Mar 15			
F.S. "S. S. Siphiano"	20 Mar 15	22 Mar 15			
F.S. ORDUNA	22 Mar 15	30 Mar 15			
Edinburgh & Castle	30 Mar 15				

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital.  
Army Form B. 178A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

## MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Heath Christian Name A. George

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Harbour Grace County Newfoundland

Examined ... { on 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 1915,  
at St. John's Newfoundland

Declared Age ... 34 years ... day

Trade or Occupation ... Boat

Height ... feet ... inches.

Weight ... lbs.

Chest Measurement { (Girth when fully expanded) inches.

{ (Range of Expansion) inches.

Physical Development ...

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left  
Number

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ... { R.E.—V=  
L.E.—V=

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { (a)

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... { (b)

Approved by (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Rank) \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at St. John's  
on 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 1915

Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>402</u>

Became non-effective by

on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1915

(Signature)

(Rank)



## Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Printed and Sold by the War Office, London, E.C. 4.  
 (The Government Printer, London, E.C. 4.)

Form  
 B. 121  
 B.

Regiment of *Newfoundland*

Signature of O. C. Company

Number of Squad *1*  
*Sumner*  
*Capt.*

Regimental Number and Name No. <i>907 Heath G.R.</i>		Enlistment Age on <i>34</i> years — months		Trade <i>Clark</i>	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay <i>L. Cpl. 16 Nov. 16.</i>		
Joined <i>1916</i>	Date <i>4-1-15</i>	Place and Date of Enlistment <i>St. John's 4 1915</i>		Religion <i>E. of E.</i>	<i>4/Corporal. 11-7-17</i>		
Joined <i>Defect</i>	Date <i>3-10-1916</i>	Period of with Colours <i>4 2 1/2</i> years with Reserve <i>4 3/8</i> years		Place of Birth <i>St. John's, Nfld.</i>	<i>Adjutant. 10-5-19.</i>		
Joined	Date				<i>Adjutant. 7-11-18</i>		

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Case of Dishonour	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of sentence annulled with date	By whom awarded	REMARKS
		<i>Sgt</i>		<i>Demobilized St. John's 28 19</i>					

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 907 Rank. Sgt Name. Heath G. R.  
 Intended place of residence. 42 Barnes Rd St John

2. Occupation Hardware Clerk  
 Classification of soldier. B Medical Category. E

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 JUL 19 1919

*H. M. Smith*  
 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.

Place, ST. JOHN'S

Date 19-7-19

*G. R. Heath*  
 Signature of soldier

*M. Bloush*  
 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, ST. JOHN'S

Date 19-7-19

*G. R. Heath*  
 Signature of soldier

*James Oshewans*  
 Signature of witness

## STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service. 29-12-14 No. of days on Military  
 Discharged from service. 19-7-19 Plus 14 days Service. 1678

## APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place, ST. JOHN'S

Date JUL 19 1919

*N. R. Cooke 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

Date August 2/1919

*M. Howley Capt*  
 Officer in Charge  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

*CPD 13 2079/348*

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MAY 6 1916

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that additional information has to-day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that

No. 907, Private G. R. Heath, who was previously reported at Wandsworth, December 11th, suffering from dysentery, is now fit for light duty and was granted furlough March 25.

This information has been received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Samuel Heath,  
37 John St.

907

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 907 Rank Sergeant Name Heath G.R.  
 Date of Enlistment 29-12-14 Address 112 Burnside District St. John's  
 Occupation Hardware Clerk Classification for Discharge B Medical Category 14  
 Recommendation S.M.B. permitted Disability Rating 20% 3 Mes  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
B 178	W 2494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b	B 103	ME 2	1914-1	" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 18.7.19 O. C. Discharge Depot [Signature]

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

George Heath

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 19-7-19 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 712485 to his home at 1422 Barnes Rd and Release Certificate No. 3750 issued.

Date

19-7-19

*[Signature]*  
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 2-8-19

Date

19-7-19

*[Signature]*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for

19-7-19

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 Ist.	" 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	1914-1	" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date

19-7-19

*[Signature]*  
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**

Date

JUL 19 1919

L. R. COOPER, CAPT.

O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date

Aug 11 19

*[Signature]*

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 907 Rank Private Name Heath, G.

Enlisted (a) Jan. 4/15 Terms of Service (a) One year. Service reckons from (a) Jan. 4/15

Date of promotion to ) \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment ) \_\_\_\_\_ Numerical position on ) \_\_\_\_\_  
 present rank ) \_\_\_\_\_ to lance rank ) \_\_\_\_\_ roll of N.C.Os. ) \_\_\_\_\_

Extended Duration of Re-engaged Aug. 15th Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_  
war



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B, 323, 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		20/3/15	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15	
16/12/15	88th F.A.	Admitted, Jaundice	26 C.O.S.	24/11/15.	C 4951.
11/12/15	"Letitia"	Invalided to England	H.S. "Letitia"	24/11/15	B 738.

(sgd) W. L. S. Jackson  
 Captain  
 for Major,  
 Officer i/c Records 11 & 12 Dists.,  
 3rd Echelon, Base, Egypt.

(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, Shooting Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

Casualty Form—Active Service.



Regiment or Corps \_\_\_\_\_  
 Regimental No. 907 Rank Private Name Heath, G.  
 Enlisted (a) Jan 4/15 Terms of Service (a) 1 year Service reckons from (a) Jan 4/15  
 Date of promotion to \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to \_\_\_\_\_ Numerical position on \_\_\_\_\_  
 present rank \_\_\_\_\_ to lance rank \_\_\_\_\_ roll of N.C.Os. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Extended Duration of Wal. Re-engaged Aug 13<sup>th</sup> Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 212, Army Form A. 85, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 212, Army Form A. 85, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
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		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
16/12/15.	89th F.A.	Admitted, Jaundice	26 C.O.S.	24/11/15.	C 4951.
11/12/15.	"Letitia"	Invalided to England	H.S. "Letitia"	24/11/15.	B 758.

*[Signature]*  
 Captain  
 for Major,  
 Officer i/c Records 11 & 12 Dists.  
 3rd. Echelon, Base, Egypt.

(6) 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.  
 (7) Ag. Signaller, Shooting Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. (P.T.O.)

C.R. 907

Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld.  
from P. & R. O. December 11th. 1915.

907, Heath. ✓

Arrived Wandsworth. Dysentery.



C.R. 907

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated December 22, 1915.

#907 Pte. G.R. Heath.

Jaundice Serious. ✓

Admitted 54 C.O.S. Sulva, 24th November 1915.

C.R. 907

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated December 22, 1915.

#907 Pte. G.R. Heath.

Jaurdice Serious.

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Transferred ex 54 C.O.S. Sulva, 24th November 1915.

C.R. 907

Extract of Daily Orders by Newfoundland Regiment, 20/1/16.

907 Pte. G. Heath, D.Co,

Invalided to England H.S. "Letitia" 24/11/15.

Auth: Eb738.

C.R. 907

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft embarked for  
Overseas per S.S. Stephens March 20th 1915.

NO. 6 Platoon.

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907 Pte. G. Heath.

C.R. 907

Extract from Nominal Roll of "D" Co. 1st Bn. Mfld. Regt.  
Embarked at Devenport for Active Service, 20-8-15.

907 Pte. G. Heath.

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

C.R. 907

Extract of Nominal Roll of Sick and Wounded from the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force admitted on 8th. December 1915 to 3rd. London Gen. Hospital, at Wandsworth, S.W., from Hospital Ship -----, Southampton. Dated Dec. 10th. 1915.  
(Army Form W. 3026.)

907 Pte. G. Heath.

1 Newfoundland.....Dysentery.

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December 11, 1915

Dear Sir,

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 907.

Private George Robert Heath, has arrived at Third London General Hospital, Wandsworth, suffering from dysentery.

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I trust that later reports will bring news of his convalescence.

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

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Samuel Heath,  
37 John Street.

Colonial Secretary.



C.R. 907

Extract from Orders by Lt. Col. B.J. Barton, D.S.O.  
COMMANDING 2nd BATTALION ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.  
22/4/19.

The undermentioned N.C. is confirmed in rank as from  
22/4/19.

907, Cpl.(A/Sergt) Heath, G.R. as Sergt.

C.R. 907

Extract from Daily Orders Part II (a): The Royal Exile Regt.  
St. John's, July 3rd 1919.

907 Sgt. H. Heath.

Reported at Headquarters 1-7-19 ex "Osabandwa" which sailed  
Glasgow 24th June, 1919.

C.R. 907

Extract from preliminary report of a Medical Board  
held on Thursday evening July 17th the following  
was the finding.

Recommended discharge from the Army.

907, Sgt. G. Heath.

C.R. 907

Extract from daily orders Part II Royal Newfoundland  
Regiment Depot St. John's dated July 2nd 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilisation has been  
APPROVED by O.C. Discharge Depot with effect from following  
date  
19-7-19.

907, Sgt. Geo. Heath.

C.R. 907

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Depot St. John's dated Aug. 8th 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilisation has been  
CONFIRMED by Officer i/c Records from noted date  
2-8-19.

907, Sgt. G.R. Heath.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

B

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date 18. 7. 19

Regimental No. 907

Name George Heath

Address 42 Barnes Road

Present Medical Category F

Recommended for:— { (a) Immediate discharge  
(b) Standing Medical Board

O.C. Discharge Depot.

Members of Board

W. Paterson  
Senior Medical Officer

W. G. Gordon  
M.O. Depot

29/11/1918.

- ( 1) Royal Newfoundland.  
 ( 2) 907.  
 ( 3) Sergt.  
 ( 4) Heath G.  
 ( 5) (6) (7) N.A.  
 ( 8) Dysentery-----Debility.  
 ( 9) (10) N.A.  
 (11) Contracted Dysentery Dardanelles of very severe type. 109 days Wandsworth Suffered with debility succeeding same, unfit Active Service May 1916 Bearded June 1/1918. Haseley Down Camp.  
 (12) Attributed to exposure on active service.  
 (13) Condition has improved a good deal. Age 48 years but he is still far from robust.  
 (14-----19) N.A.  
 (20) Repatriation. (2). J.ST.P.KNIGHT. MAJORS.  
 (21) a. No attack of Dysentery during past 6 months. Pulse 120. states easily fatigued on exertion. (1) Yes.  
 (22) N.A.  
 (23) & (24) N.A.  
 (25) 20% 3 Months.  
 (26) N.A.  
 (27) Yes. Discharge as permanently unfit.  
 (28-----30) N.A.

ST. JOHN'S.

(SGD) L. PATTERSON. MAJOR.

" J.S.TAIT.

(SGD) CLUNY MANPHERSON, MAJOR.

" J.B.O'RINNELLY. CAPT.







## 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. e 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 *Heath, George*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *907*

Intended address *42 Barnes Road*

Height on discharge *5 Feet 5*

Color of hair on discharge *Dark Brown*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Blue*

Descriptive Marks *Medium*

Figure on discharge *George*

Christian name of Father \_\_\_\_\_

Christian name of Mother \_\_\_\_\_

Wife's maiden name in full \_\_\_\_\_

Date and place of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

Christian names of children \_\_\_\_\_

Place and date of soldier's birth *St. John's 15-10-1872*

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 R. Heath* *Sergeant*  
(Rank)

Station *ST. JOHN'S.* Date *15-7-19*

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.



Medical Officer of Hospital, Unit, or Command Depot.

Date

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF RIBBON OF VICTORY MEDAL/1914-1919.

907

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

DATE

Jan 3/20  
St John's

NO. 907 NAME

Gr Heath

C.R. 967

RECEIPT.

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No 907 Name Mr. Geo B Heath

Witness. W. Joyce

Date 4/12/19

Place St. John's

C.R. 907

CIRCULAR LETTER

St. John's,

March 13th 1919.

Riband of 1914-15 Star.

Please complete the following claim and return it to this Department. If possible, call at Room No. 3 for your issue.

Lieut. Colonel.

Chief Staff Officer.

CLAIM FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND

of 1914-15 STAR.

Department of Militia,

St. John's.

I hereby make claim for issue of Riband of 1914-15 Star.

I certify that I am entitled to this issue, having served on\* *Gallipoli*

from *Sept. 19* 1915 to *Oct 28* 1915.

(Date)...*2 Oct 1915*...*907*... (Rank) *Sqdt.* (Name) *Head. G.S.*

(Place)...*St. John's*.

\*Fill in theatre of War where you served in Gallipoli, Mudros, Lemnos, or Western Egyptian Frontier.

C.R. 907

Extract from Daily Orders By Lt. Col. B.J.Barton, D/S.O.  
Commanding 2nd Bn. Royal WFLD. Regt. 10-5-19.

The following to be substantive Corporal

907 A/Sgt. G.R.Heath

C.R. 907

Extract from telegram sent to Synoptical London,  
Feb.18th,1919.

In answer to your telegram Feby.17th.

907 Heath.

Name and amount entered in error on my telegram Feby.  
14th; pay once only

C.R. 907

Extract of Telegram from Synoptical London, to Military St. John's  
~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ dated February 17th 1919.

In answer your telegram Feb. 15th & 14th 907 Heath 4684  
Oakley amounts both alike is there not a mistake.



C.R. 907

Excerpt from Daily Orders part II, 2nd., Battalion of the  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment by Lt. Col., A. J. Baxter, DSO.  
Officer Commanding 4-11-18

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The undersigned to be acting Capt. from 7-11-18.

#907 Cpl. G. Heath.

C.R!

907

George R. Heath was attested for General service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ..... Jan. 4th 1915.  
Regimental No 907 was allotted to Pte. George R. Heath.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

Heath, Geo

907

Gay Sept



## 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, *Geo. Ross Heath*, Regl. No. *907*

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 <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<i>964</i>	<i>Wife</i>	<i>Mrs Eugene Noel Heath</i>	<i>Residence St</i>	<i>40</i>
Total Allotment, \$				

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, counter-signed by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) *E. J. Sheppard*  
Officer Commanding

Company

(Sig.) *George R. Heath*  
(Rank) *Plt.*

*St Johns*  
MAR - 3 1915

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August 2nd 1919.

#907, Sgt. G. R. Heath,  
42, Barnes Road.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find Discharge Certificate  
# 34418

Yours truly,

Capt. & Paymaster.

RS/.

*Discharge badge  
received 20/1/20.  
L*

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 907 Rank Platoon Name Heath J.R.  
 Date of Enlistment 29-12-14 Address 112 Burnside District St. Johns  
 Occupation Handwritten Clerk Classification for Discharge B Medical Category 1  
 Recommendation S.M.B. permitted to defect Disability Rating 20% 3 Mos  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
B 178	W 2494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b	B 103	ME 2	<u>19.11.19</u>	" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 18.7.19 O. C. Discharge Depot St. Johns

## PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

See to Heath

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable £6.00
- (b) Clothing Supplied Ambleton

Date 19-7-19 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 72485- to his home at #42 Baines Rd and Release Certificate No. 3750 issued.

Date 19-7-19 *Alubon*  
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 2-5-19

Date 19-7-19 *1 #1116 #*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 19-7-19  
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	2 Form B
R 178a	D 400A	B 1315	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	1914-1	" 6	
B 179c	B 120	M 93			

Date 19-7-19 *Alubon*  
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**

Date JUL 19 1919 L. R. COOPER, CAPT.  
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,

*George B. Heath*

Signature of Man.

*W. M. Clowder*

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Reg. No. 907

Place

*St. Johns*

Date

*19. 7. 15*

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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 questions 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 *George* 2. Surname *Heath*  
3. Rank *Sergeant* 4. Regtl. No. *907*  
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded. *42 Barnes Rd*  
*St. John's*  
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *Jan 1/15*  
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....  
8. Relationship of such dependents.....  
9. Address in full of such dependents.....  
10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?.....  
11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates and particulars of such service. *Overseas*  
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas. *From Jan 1/15 to July 19/19*

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?..... *No.*

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

..... *No.* .....

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in Canada?..... *No.*

(1) If so, was such reversion in consequence of misconduct or inefficiency?..... *No.*

19. Are you now serving in the R.C.M.P.?..... *No.* (2) Date of discharge..... *14 July 1918*; Reason for discharge..... *Wounded*

20. Did you at any time serve at sea front in an actual theatre of War? If so give particulars of places, and dates of such service.

*Gallipoli - From August 1915 to Dec. 1915 -*

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: *George B Neath.*  
 Place of Residence: *40 Beacon Rd. St. John's*  
 Declared before me at: *St. John's, afd.*  
 This *19th* day of *July* 19*19*...

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				Net amount due
Date paid	Paid Soldier.	Paid Dependents.	War Service Gratuity.	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Certified correct.				Paymaster



## 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

 I, Geo. Robt. Heath, Regl. No. 107

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 <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
44	Wife	110 Eugene Hall	St. John's	40
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. Hyslop  
 Officer Commanding  
 Company  
St. John's

(Sig.) Geo. Robt. Heath  
 (Rank) Pte

JUL 19 1919

ST. JOHN'S,

# Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Sgt. G. Heath

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from July 1<sup>st</sup> 19 to July 19<sup>th</sup> 19

*A.C.S.*

907. Sgt. G. Heath 19 90

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R.J

Billeting Officer.

Genj R Heath

J. Heath.

907.

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1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Geo. Ross Heath, Regt. No. 907

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 <sup>and</sup> <sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup> <sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
964	Wife	Mr Eugene Noel Prescott St		40.
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. [Signature]  
 Officer Commanding  
 Company  
[Signature]

(Sig.) Geo. R. Heath  
 (Rank) Pte

MAR - 3, 1915



No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date March 25<sup>th</sup> 1916

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria St

S.W. (Station.)

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Contingent

Ayr. (Station.)

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria St

S.W. (Station.)

Regimental No. 907.

Rank and Name Plt Heath - R.

Regiment or Corps 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland.

has been granted a furlough from March 25<sup>th</sup> to April 3<sup>rd</sup>.

His address while on leave will be:—

58 Victoria St

Westminster SW.

This man has been furnished with a Warrant to Victoria and given an advance of £1 (one pound) I consider he is fit for\* Light duty and likely to be fit for service overseas within 3 months

A. Hope Gosse Capt. R.A.M.C.T.

Officer in charge Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.,  
3rd London General Hospital,  
WANDSWORTH, S.W. (Station.)

\* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office.

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No. 2535/386

N.F.P./79.

FROM. NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Chief Paymaster & O.I./C. H. G. Borden,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
Pay & Record Office,  
55, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

To: Officer Commanding,  
2nd/Bn. Ryl Nfld Regt.  
Winchester

p.D.

06/4/24  
14/2/19  
1919  
14th February 1919  
907. P/Sgt. Heath G.R. H

Feb. 17. 1919.

With reference to the following telegram from the Minister of Militia / / (20. )

"Pay to-£10.0.0.

Cheque £10.0.0. is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

*[Handwritten signature]*

Chief Paymaster & O. I/C records.

Receipt hereunder:

*[Signature]*  
OFFICER COMMANDING  
LIEUT. COLONEL  
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Received the sum of Ten  
Pounds in respect of  
telegraphic remittance from the  
Minister of Militia.

Heath G.R.  
No. 907 Rank Serjeant  
Witness C. H. Ellis

No. 10928/1055

N.R.P./79.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
Pay & Record Office,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

To:

Officer Commanding,  
A Coy. Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
Winchester.

RECEIVED  
13 JUL 1918

*Handwritten signature and scribbles*

8th, July 1918

Subject: 907, Cpl. G. R. Heath

With reference to the follow-  
ing telegram (6093 ) from the Hon.  
Minister of Militia, received

"Pay to 907 Heath £10.0.0

Draft £ 10.0.0 is enclosed  
for payment to this Soldier.

Kindly obtain his receipt  
hereon.

*Handwritten signature*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

July 9<sup>th</sup> 1918

Receipt hereunder.

*Handwritten signature* LIEUT. COLONEL.  
COMMANDING 2nd Bn. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.  
Officer Commandg. Batt'n  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of Ten.

pounds on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

G.R. Heath.  
No. 907 Rank Capt.

## Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station HAZELEY DOWN CAMP.Date 29 NOV 1918

1. Unit ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REG.
2. Regimental No. 907.
3. Rank Lt
4. Name HEATH.
5. Age last birthday
6. Enlisted  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{on} \\ \text{at} \end{array} \right.$
7. Former Trade }  
or Occupation }
- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—
- (a) Former Unit;
- (b) Regimental No.;
- (c) Date of Discharge;
- (d) Cause of Discharge.

## 8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).

*(Dysentery) → Debility*Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

9. Date of origin of disability.
10. Place of origin of disability.
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

*Contracted Dysentery in Dardanelles  
very severe type 109 days hospital  
suffered with debility succeeding  
same whilst active service May  
1916. Boarded June 1918 D.S.*

HAZELEY DOWN CAMP.

12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—

- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).
- (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
- (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.

*attributed to exposure in active service*

No.

No.

13. What is his present condition?

*Condition has improved a good deal  
Age 48 years, but is still far from robust.*

*Weight should be given in all cases when  
it is likely to afford evidence of the  
progress of the disability.*

14. If the disability is an injury, was it caused—

- (a) In action?
- (b) On field service?
- (c) On duty?
- (d) Off duty?

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?

If so—(a) When?

- (b) Where?
- (c) Opinion?

16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?

17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?

18. *In case of loss or decay of teeth.* Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly\* attributable to active service?

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

20. Do you recommend—

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or
- (b) Change to England?

*Repatriation (2)*

*Approved*

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REG.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Officer in medical charge of case.

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith, *except*†

Station \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*Loss of teeth on or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.