



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1515

Name in full William John Hefford Age 21

Address New Harbor, Trinity Bay

~~Married~~  
Single Height 5ft 5 1/2 in Weight 130

Color Fair Hair Light Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks Scar on forehead

Nearest relative Father William

Address New Harbor

Dependents

Occupation Farmer Present Wage \$250<sup>00</sup> a year

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment May 26<sup>th</sup> 1915

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

William John Hefford  
his  
mark

Declared before me this 28 day  
of May 1915

Witness  
[Signature]  
[Signature]

**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.**

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

Reg. No. 1975

Name **William John Hefford**

Apparent age **21** years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height **5** feet **5 1/2** inches.

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

Distinctive marks **Color: Fresh, Hair: Brown, Eyes: Grey.**

**Other distinguishing marks: Scar left forearm.**

**INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.**

Name and Address of next of kin **William Hefford, New Harbor, Trinity Bay, Nfld.**

| 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) Signature of Officer verifying entry from certificate.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d) Verified from certificate.

**Particulars as to Children.**

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d) Verified from certificate.

**STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.**

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Re-serve 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 <b>May 26/15</b>									
Joined at <b>St. John's</b> on <b>May 26/15</b> Embarked for U.K. <b>17/6/15</b>									
Embarked for B.C. via Egypt. <b>13/3/16</b> joined Batt. <b>8/4/16</b>									
Wounded Beaufort Bay <b>10/7/16</b> Ad. 3rd Bn, W. Lancs. <b>22/7/16</b>									
W. to England <b>4/2/16</b> Ad. 3rd Bn, W. Lancs. <b>4/2/16</b> Discharged <b>22/7/16</b>									
Embarked for B.C. <b>10/2/17</b> joined Batt. <b>24/2/17</b> Wounded Beaufort Bay <b>14/8/17</b>									
W. to England <b>20/8/17</b> Ad. 3rd Bn, W. Lancs. <b>20/8/17</b> Discharged <b>21/8/17</b>									
Discharged <b>21/8/17</b> Embarked for B.C. <b>1/3/18</b> Wounded Beaufort Bay <b>21/8/17</b>									
Ad. 2nd Bn, W. Lancs. <b>14/4/18</b> W. to England <b>18/4/18</b> Discharged <b>21/8/17</b>									
W. to London <b>18/4/18</b> Ad. 3rd Bn, W. Lancs. <b>11/5/18</b>									
Discharged <b>23/7/18</b> Re-embarked to U.K. for discharge <b>2/12/18</b>									
Reported at Dept. <b>21/12/18</b> Approved for discharge <b>26/1/19</b>									
Remobilization performed <b>9/2/19</b>									
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									

Total Service towards Engagement to **9-2-19** (date of discharge) **3** years **240** days  
 " " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "

Regimental Number 1595

Company F

THE  
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's Forces under the following conditions:

For the duration of the present war, or until my discharge.

Subject to the Army Act, the King's Regulations, and to such ordinances as may apply or may be made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act, 5 George V., Chapter IV.

Signed W J Hefford  
his mark W Rendell 2nd Lt.

Witness W D Ayne 2nd Lt

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_



191\_\_\_\_\_

W. Hefford

1575

P.R.O.



# 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, John Hefford, Regl. No. 1575  
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of  
Dollars and Sixty 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)
1	Father	William Hefford	New Harbour	
3			Trinity Bay	
2				
6				
Commencing June 12th				
<b>CANCELLED</b>				
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.) .....

Officer Commanding  
Company

At John's  
June 11th 1915

(Sig.) John Hefford

(Rank) Private

R. H. Burke

No. 32

Date 11-5-18 191

(1) To the Officer i/o Records,

58 Victoria St

LW

(Station).

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Dykes  
Newfoundland Regt

Ayn

(Station).

(3) The Paymaster,

~~\_\_\_\_\_~~  
~~\_\_\_\_\_~~  
~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ (Station).

Regimental No. 1575

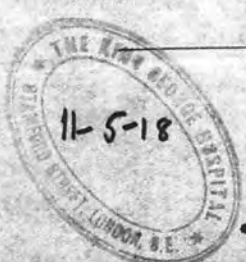
Rank and Name Pte Bedford J.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland.

has been granted ~~leave~~ from transferred to day 3<sup>rd</sup> London General

~~His address while on leave will be.~~

~~I certify that the above is correct~~ Light duty.



Officer in charge [Signature] Hospital,

[Signature] (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.

Admitted to Hospital

4. 7. 16

Army Form W. 3016.

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

Date July 22<sup>nd</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. 1575

Rank and Name Pte. Heppard - J.

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

has been granted a furlough from July 22<sup>nd</sup> to July 31<sup>st</sup>

His address while on leave will be :-

58 Victoria St

S.W.

This man has been furnished with a Warrant to Victoria and given an advance of £1 (one pound)

I consider he is fit for\* <sup>Duty.</sup> ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

Horace Jagan Capt. R.A.M.C.(T.F.)

Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.

3rd London General Hospital,

Officer in charge 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.



Only for use with Men returned from an Expeditionary Force or from  
Garrisons Abroad.

Army Form W. 3016.  
(In Books of 200.)

No. *Emp 774* Date *4 DEC 1917* 191

(1) To the Officer i/c Records, *Newfoundland Regt*  
*56 Victoria St. S.W.* (Station).

(2) The Officer Commanding, *Depot*  
*Ayr* (Station).

(3) The Paymaster, *Newfoundland Regt*  
*56 Victoria St. S.W.* (Station).

Regimental No. *1575*

Rank and Name *Cpl. Hefford, J.*

Regiment or Corps *1st Newfoundland*

has been granted a furlough from *5 DEC 1917* to *14 DEC 1917*

His address while on leave will be: *Deal House*  
*Victoria St. London S.W.*

I consider he is fit for\* *i. Duty.*

\* Strike out that which is inapplicable *ii. Command Depot.*  
*iii. Employment.*

Officer in charge *F. S. ...* Hospital,  
LT COL. R.A.M.C. **EASTBOURNE** (Station).

**COMMANDANT CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL**

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office. In the case of men of the Royal Flying Corps, Royal Engineers and Army Ordnance Corps two copies of A.F.W. 3016 will be sent to the Officer in charge Records concerned and one to the Paymaster, instead of one copy to the Officer i/c Records, the Paymaster, and O.C. shown in the Schedule.



FASTBOURNE Military Convalescent Hospital.

**NOTIFICATION OF FURLOUGH.**

To reach the Regimental Paymaster concerned not less than three days before the first day of furlough.

Emp 774

Regimental Number, Rank, } 1575 Pte Sheppard J  
and Name of Soldier

Regiment or Corps W Newfoundland Regt

Period of Furlough Approved 5 - DEC 1917 to 14 DEC 1917

Address while on furlough :-

Pal House

Victoria Street

London SW

Cash advances made to the soldier from date of admission to the Military Convalescent Hospital to date of this notification, £ 157

A further advance of £1 will be made at the Hospital when the soldier proceeds on furlough.

Any circumstance affecting the action required in the Pay Office will be immediately reported to the Paymaster.

J. S. H.  
LIEUT FOR LT-COL R.A.M.C.

COMMANDANT CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL,  
Commanding Military Convalescent Hospital.

FASTBOURNE

Date 30 NOV 1917

No. 1575 Name Pte Afford W. Seq. Batty. } H C Corps N 7 2 2 Date of enlistment } 26-5-15 G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }

Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } 18-1-17 No. and date of last drunk } Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } Sheet No. 1 Signature O.C. } J.R. Stull Lt Character } fair Company, etc. } M.O.C. H. Coy

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
France	7/3/17	Pte		Hesitation to obey an order of an NCO.	Serjt. Waters	7 days F.P.I	8/3/17	1st Lt. Stull	
"	20/3/17	"		Not being shaved on parade	Serjt. Culdumpe	dep. 1 day F.P.I	23/3/17	1st Lt. Stull	
"		"		Failing to comply with an order.	Capt. Fehy	7 days F.P.I	16-7-17	1st Lt. Stull	
				Transferred to England					20.8.17

wounded 18/11/17

Army Form B. 192



A.B. 64 lost in June

No. 1575 Rank Pte. Name J. Heyford No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Pay	F.A.	Wkg	Total	N.F.P/33
100	10		110	<i>Est.</i>
Less Allotment				
Net Rate			110	

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£ s d			CREDITS
						From	To						
Balance					Balance								
Acquittance Rolls		2	0	4	Pay @ Net Rate	16	15	150	110	143	00	29	4 8 5 ✓
Hospital Advances		1	10	6	Hospital Advances	18	23	10	2/1				7 8 ✓
A.B. 64					<i>P. of 10 dupl. to 11/18</i>								1 0 10 ✓
P.&R.O. Payments		3	0	0	P.&R.O. Payments								34.16.11 ✓
<i>Hosp. Stn No. V 5030</i>				4 ✓									
<i>A.B. 64 lost in June</i>													
<i>Receipt - No 8249</i>			23	7									
				28 5 0									
					<del>29 5 9</del>								
					28 5 9								

*6.11.21*  
*Est.*  
*23/7/18*

No. 1575 Rank PL Name Hefford Wm.

Pay	F.A.	Wks	Total
100	70		170
Loss Allotment			non
Net Rate			110

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	s	p	s	s	d	
						From	To								
Amtd 7dys pay		1	11	8	Balance		8/6/17						21	6	9 1/2 ✓
Balance					Pay @ Net Rate		9/4/17	5/12/17	180	110	198	00	40	13	8 1/2 ✓
Acquittance Rolls		3	6	0	Ration allowances		8/12	14/12							
Hospital Advances		3	6	6	10 dys 0 2/-										1 0 0 ✓
A.B. 64					(50-16-4)										680-6 ✓
P. & R.O. Payments		4	0	0											
12-4-2															
5 1/17 Cheque 7141			15	0											
Cheque 7189	10 12/17		35	0											

CHECKED.  
*He*

20  
Gagos Limerwell  
Pay & Record Officer  
Royal Newfoundland Regt

Sir:-

Please advance me the sum of three  
Pounds £(3.00) and charge to my  
account.

1570- Pte J. Hafford.

Weybridge,

19.7.18

O.K. £3-0-0 M.K.  
10/18

Receipt No 893

Gene. Vandenbergh  
Nelson

FILE	BRANCH
	INITIALS

K.V. 22/7/18  
The

ORIGINAL

JAN 24 1917

N.F/12.

Allotments.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 1575 (Rank) Pte (Name) Helford W.  
 hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on  
 N.F. 1020<sup>A</sup> dated June 12<sup>th</sup> 1915 in favour  
 of Mr W. Helford, New Harbor Trinity Bay for \$ — cts 60  
 per diem. Such cancellation to take place  
 on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of February January 1917

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application  
 failing to reach Headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become  
 operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event  
 of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the allotment continuing to  
 be paid to the allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may  
 be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or other-  
 wise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

Dated at Asy  
January 13<sup>th</sup> 1917.

W. x Helford  
 mark  
 Witness. F. L. Hap (Lieut. Col) Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed,  
A. J. Hender. Lieut.  
 O.C. "H" Company.

NOTED  
F. L. Hap (Lieut. Col)  
 for C.O.M.S.  
 Date 13/1/17 Coy

To be made out in triplicate and sent to the Paymaster & Officer  
 in Charge of Records, who will forward original to Headquarters by  
 first mail, duplicate by the following, and retain triplicate.

NOTED  
W. L. Hap  
 C.O.M.S.  
 Date 24/1/17 Coy

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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

To: Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

Please remit to

John Hefford, Southwark  
Military Hospital

the sum of one pounds \_\_\_\_\_ shillings, on  
account of any balance that may be due to me.

Regtl. No. 1575 Rank Pte

Name John Hefford

Approved Wm Douglas Es  
Officer i/c.,

Southwark Military Hospital.

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_

Aug 30th 1917.

24/9/17  
Ok 1 £  
Recpt no 4055



OK 3#  
AW 1/10/17  
Reept no H093.

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

To. Paymaster & Officers i/c. Records

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

38 Victoria Street

London. S.W.

Please remit to John Hefford. Southwark  
Military Hospital the sum of £3.0-0<sup>d</sup> on  
account of any balance that may be due me.

Name. John Hefford

Rank Pte. Reg. No. 1575

Approved by:-

V. W. Spodals. 1<sup>st</sup> Lt

M.O.R.C. U.S.A.

Dated at: London Eng.  
Southwark Military Hosp

Sept 31-17.

Forms  
C. 348  
1660

12852/27/R.&.C.

MEMORANDUM.

Chief Pmr. & O.i/c Records,

Newfoundland Contingent,  
58, Victoria Street,  
S.W. 1.

The Commandant,  
Southern Command Depot,  
Perham Down,  
Hants.

From O.C. No. 1. Wing  
S. Command Depot  
To Chief Pmr. & O. i/c Records  
Newfoundland Contingent  
58 Victoria St.  
ANSWER. S.W.1.

Enclosure

Pay & Recrd Office.

8th August, 1918.

1575 PTE. W. J. HEFFORD.  
R. Newfoundland Regt.

The above-named man is being sent to you to-day under escort, his furlough having expired 1/8/18.

I enclose

- 3 A.Fs. B. 103 ✓
- 1 A.F. B. 121 ✓
- 1 A.F. B. 122 ✓
- 1 A.F. B. 178 ✓

relating to Pte. Hefford.  
Kindly acknowledge receipt hereon.

*A. H. Watson*

for Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

11<sup>th</sup> August 1918.

Documents as mentioned

Duly received

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT  
PAY & RECORDED OFFICE  
Ref. Nos. *1375*  
Rec'd *16* AUG 1918  
Ack'd  
Ref. Nos. *100* *Adj. for oc*  
*No. 1. Wing*  
*S. C. Depot.*

CHIEF PAYMASTER & O. I/C RECORDS  
PERHAM DOWN, HANTS.

*1207/1*

12852/27/R.&.C.

Chief Pmr. & O.i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
58, Victoria Street,  
S.W. 1.

The Commandant,  
Southern Command Depot,  
Perham Down,  
Hants.

Pay & Record Office.

8th August, 8.

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R. Newfoundland Regt.

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1 A.F. B. 178

relating to Pte. Hefford.  
Kindly acknowledge receipt  
hereon.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

8th August,

8.

12836/1/R.&.C.

The Superintendent,

Lavender Hill Police Station,

S. W.

1575 PTE. W. J. HEFFORD,  
R. Newfoundland Regt.

Please hand over 1575 Pte. W.J. Hefford to accompanying escort. Pte. Hefford is an absentee from Southern Command, Perham Down, and will proceed there at once.

Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

HA/NV

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

OFFICE COPY.

N.F.P./94

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 28/5/17.

Regtl No. 1575 Rank Pte. Name Hefford J Unit 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT who was Repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 11/12/18 Authority D.O. Cause \_\_\_\_\_

DR. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT CR.

PARTICULARS	£ s d			PARTICULARS	£ s d		
	£	s	d		£	s	d
Balance Dr. from				Balance Cr. from <u>Over P. Book</u>			9 2
Allotment <u>76</u> days @				Pay <u>19</u> days @ \$1.00	1 19	00	
Cash Payments:				Field Allowance <u>19</u> days @ \$.10	1 19	90	
<u>Nov 29/18.</u>		1	10	0	1 20	90	1 4 56 110
<u>Dec 6/18.</u>		4	2	3			
Other Debits:				Other Allowances days @ \$			
<u>Laundry etc.</u>			2	11			
Total Debits		1 5	15	2	Other Credits:		
Balance due by Paymaster					<u>Stewards H. Coy. 22. 11. 18 Credit Col. S.A. 110</u>	1 10	1 4 6
		1 5	15	2			
		1 5	15	2	Total Credits		1 4 19 7
					Balance due to Paymaster		1 1 50 70
							1 5 15 2

CHECKED.  
From 23/1/18 To 28/12/18

Copy sent M.O.F.M.  
2/302/209 P. S.A. 23/12/18.

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of

H. Coy  
(Place) HAZELETT DOWN CAMP. (Date) Dec 11 1918.  
O.C. "A" Company.

Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London, 191 Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Hazelton Down Camp.  
 Date 5-12-18

- 1. Unit Royal Newfoundland
- 2. Regimental No. 1575.
- 3. Rank Plt.
- 4. Name HEFFORD
- 5. Age last birthday
- 6. Enlisted } on  
at
- 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).

G. S. W. M Hip.

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.

R. & L. wound on flank above iliac crest no bony injury treated King Reg. later S. L. G. H. where wounds were healed & transferred to Command Depot where he was discharged with Category of A. Joined Depot Middle November 1918. Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> marked B. Category for inability to carry out training.

- 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.

Wounded on active service.

VDs G not cured

wound of chest healed no disability  
 now. L. Hip Scar 2" below Rt  
 iliac crest long scar 6" evidently  
 operation wound Horizontal + 1" above  
 iliac crest not attached, painful on  
 pressure unable to wear felt tight  
 therefore declassified

13. What is his present condition?  
 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?

*Repatentation*

*MAN*  
*Capron*

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.

Each issue of Orders will be numbered consecutively throughout the year. A fresh series will be commenced with the first issue in each year.

Unit 1st, Newfoundland Regiment.

**DAILY ORDERS. PART II.**  
Eastbourne.

No. 290  
Date 23.11.1917.

N.B.—The Sub. No. of Order and Subject are to be shown in Columns 1 and 2 thus:—1—Courts-Martial.

Station.....

Regimental No., Rank, and Name.	Sqn., Batty., or Co.	Particulars of Casualties, etc., and Date.
<p><u>DICIPLINE.</u> 1575, Pte. Hefford J.</p> <p><i>Noted on Conduct Sheet.</i></p>		<p>When on active service :-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Absent from physical drill at 9.10 a.m. 17.11.1917</li> <li>2. Refusing to attend parade 19.11.1917.</li> <li>3. Viloantley resisting escort 19.11.1917.</li> </ol> <p>Witnesses :- Corpl. Cooper &amp; C.S.M. Payne. Awarded 168 hours detention 19.11.1917.</p> <p><i>JKB</i></p> <p><i>[Signature]</i></p> <p>Capt. &amp; Adjutant Convalescent Hospital Eastbourne.</p> <p><i>22/11/17</i></p>

Officer Commanding or Adjutant.





## 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 *William Hefford*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *1575*

Intended address *New Hr I. B.*

Height on discharge *5 Feet 7"*

Color of hair on discharge *Brown*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Grey*

Descriptive Marks *Medium*

Figure on discharge *Medium*

Christian name of Father *J. William*

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 *New Hr 1890*

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) *William Hefford* witness *J. C. Michael* (Rank) *pte*  
*mark* *C.S.M.*

Station *St John's* Date *6.1.19*

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 i/c Hospital.  
Unit, or Command Depot.

Station \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Casualty Form - Active Service.**

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Regiment or Corps Newfoundland  
 Regimental No. 1575 Rank Pte Name William John Heffer  
 Enlisted (a) 26/5/15 Terms of Service (a) war Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of promotion to present rank } \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank } \_\_\_\_\_ Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. } \_\_\_\_\_  
 Extended Supermarket Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		<u>Supermarket</u>	<u>3.4.16</u>		
	<u>W. J. Heffer</u>	<u>Joined Battalion</u>	<u>Winnipeg</u>	<u>2.4.16</u>	<u>B 213.</u>
	<u>S. H. Harty</u>	<u>G. P. W. R. Leg</u>	<u>Winnipeg</u>	<u>27.16</u>	<u>ED 11968.</u>
	<u>W. J. Heffer</u>	<u>Winnipeg</u>	<u>Winnipeg</u>	<u>3.7.16</u>	<u>HA 539</u>

W. J. Heffer Transferred to England

S. H. Harty - **4 JUL 1916** Winnipeg  
W 3083.  
all Clerk CAPTAIN.  
 FOR O.I.C. INFANTRY RECORDS  
 G. H. Q.; 8<sup>th</sup> ECHELON.

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.  
 (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. [P.T.O.]

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps *Royal Newfoundland*  
 Rank *Pte* Surname *Befford* Christian Name *William J.*  
 Religion *Methodist* Age on Enlistment *22* years *3* months  
 Enlisted (a) *St Johns* Terms of Service (a) *Duration* Service reckons from (a) *26/5/15*  
 Date of promotion to present rank ..... Date of appointment to lance rank .....  
 Extended {  } Re-engaged {  } Qualification (b) .....  
 or Corps Trade and Rate .....  
 Occupation *Farmer* Signature of Officer *J. W. ...*

Report		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.
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked ... <b>1 MAR 1918</b>		
			Disembarked... <b>3 MAR 1918</b>		
	<i>10000</i>	<i>Wounded in Action</i> <i>G.W. ...</i>	<i>ex 57 Co</i>	<i>13/4/18</i> <i>13/4/18</i>	<i>B.213 1/4/18</i> <i>G.D. 21/4/18</i>
	<i>Peter de Couch</i>	<i>Transferred to England</i>		<i>18/4/18</i>	<i>W 3083</i>
	<i>65.18</i>			<i>12 F. ...</i>	<i>MAJOR</i> <i>for Lt. Col.</i> <i>Infantry Section</i> <i>C.M.G., 3rd Echelon</i>



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 (b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.



Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number 1575

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps 2/1 Newfoundland

Rank Private Surname Alford

Christian Name Wm. John 2394

Religion Methodist Age on Enlistment 22 years 5 months.

Enlisted (a) St John's Terms of Service (a) War Service reckons from (a) 26-5-15

Date of promotion to present rank \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank \_\_\_\_\_

Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_  
or Corps Trade and Rate \_\_\_\_\_

Papermaker (A)

Signature of Officer.

Report		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
Date	From whom received.				
			Embarked <u>Shampton</u>	<u>10.2.17</u>	
			Disembarked <u>Rouen</u>	<u>11.2.17</u>	
			Joined Battalion <u>1st</u>	<u>24.2.17</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>17.3.17</u>	<u>O.C.</u>	<u>Awarded 7 days p.p.</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>7.3.17</u>	<u>O 1810, 12 c.</u>
<u>28.7.17</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>17.7.17</u>	<u>O 1810, 33 c.</u>
<u>18.8.17</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Wounded in Action</u>		<u>14 AUG 1917</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>18.8.17</u>	<u>61 b.b.f.</u>	<u>A.d. Glw. Back (chest)</u>		<u>14.8.17</u>	<u>ED 9157</u>
	<u>"St. David"</u>	<u>Invalided to England on</u>		<u>20.8.17</u>	<u>W. 3083</u>
		<u>54 G. Hosp., Valenciennes.</u>			
			 MAJOR G. H. O. 1 Reg. Infantry Section G.H.O. 3rd Echelon		

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[P.T.O.]

C.R. 1575

Extract from Noninal Roll of Nfld. Regt. Draft No. 15  
from 2nd Bn. Deopt, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked South-  
ampton, 10-2-17.

1575 Pte. W.J. Hefford.

C.R. 1575

Extract from Daily Orders Dept II Unit the Royal  
Field Coy., 26. 40th's, Jan. 26th, 1919.

The Discharges of the undernoted on Demobilisation  
has been approved by G.S. Discharge Depot on noted  
date.

1575 Pte. Hefford.

26-1-19.

C.R. 1575

Extract of DAILY ORDERS, PART 11, Depot St. John's, dated  
14/2/19.

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The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has been  
CONFIRMED BY Officer i/c Records on noted date.

9/2/19.

#1575 Pte. Wm. Hefford.

C.R. 1575

Wm. John. Hefford was attested for General Service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on May 26th 1915.

Regimental No. 1575 was allotted to Pte W. J. HEFFORD.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.



C.R. 1575

Extract from Nominal Roll of Nfld. Regt. Embarked Devonport  
13-3-16 for Egypt transferred to B.E.F. & Disembarked  
Marseilles 3-4-16.

1575 Pte. W.J. Hefford.

C.R. 1575

Extract from Medical Board held on Thursday afternoon  
January 9th, 1919.

1575 Pte. W. Hefford.

Recommended Discharge as Permanently Unfit.

C.R. 15-75-

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, Depot St. John's dated Dec. 23rd. 1918.

The u/m returned from Overseas and reported at Depot 21-12-18.

#1575 Pte. W. J. Hefford.

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C.R. 1575

Extract from Nominal Roll of repatriation draft No. 79 per S<sup>2</sup>S. CORSICAN  
which embarked at Tilbury Docks, 12/12/18  
From the 2nd., Battalion of the Newfoundland Regiment,

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1575 Lte. W. J. Hefford.

C.R.

1575

Extract from Orders by Lt. Col. B.J. Barten, D.S.O.,  
Commanding 2nd. Bn., Royal Newfoundland Regiment, dated  
30/10/18.

The following having reported back from the 1st Bn. is  
taken on the strength and posted to "H" Company from  
29/10/18.

1575 Pte. J. Heffard.

C.R. 1575

Extract from Casualties received from P & R Office London,  
dated July, 24, 1918.

The undersmentioned was discharged from the 2nd London G.  
Hospital, on 23-7-18 and granted furlough to 1-8-18.

1575 Pte. Hefford, H.J. 11. Command Depot.

C.R. 1575

Extract from Casualties received from P & R Office London,  
May 13th, 1918.

1575 Pte. J. Hefford,

Was transferred from the King George Hospital to the 3rd  
London General Hospita. on 10/5/18.

Authority; Notifications from 3rd L.G.H.

C.R. 1575

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Field Regt. in the field, dated May 4, 1918.

#1575 Pte. W. J. Helford.

Invalided to United Kingdom (W) April 18, 1918.



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**C.R. 1575**

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Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

*Dated* April 20th, 1918.

*To* William Hafford, New Harbor, T.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London,  
officially reports No. 1575, Private William J. Hafford  
at King George Hospital, G.S.W. right hip severe.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you and trust that next report will be of his convalescence.

**H.R. Bennett**

Acting

Minister of Militia.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

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Signature of Sender *Wm J Hefford* Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Cheek

Dated September 24, 1917.  
To Mr. William Hefford,  
New Harbor, T.B.

Record Office, London, today reports No. 1575,  
Private William J. Hefford, has been removed  
from dangerously ill list.

R.A. SQUIRES  
Colonial Secretary

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Signature of Sender

*W. M. Stirling*  
*J. P. H. S.*

Address

Line  
Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

Dated

September 17, 1917.

To

Mr. William Hefford,

New Harbor, T.B.

Record Office, London, today reports No. 1575,  
Private William J. Hefford, was progressing satisfactorily  
September fourteenth.

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary

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Signature of Sender *J. M. H. H. H.* Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated September 8, 1917

To Mr. William Hefford,  
New Harbor, T.B.

Record Office, London, today reports No. 1575,  
Private William J. Hefford, improving September  
seventh.

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary

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Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated August 29, 1917.  
To Mr. William Hefford,  
New Harbor, T.B.

Record Office, London, today reports No. 1575,  
Private William J. Hefford, seriously ill August  
twentyfifth.

R.A. SQUIRES  
Colonial Secretary



1575-

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No. 39, 50 Other  
Ranks from 2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regiment, to 1st  
Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regiment, B.E.F.

Embarked Southampton 1/3/18.

1575 Pte. T. Hefford.

1575 PTE.WM.J.HEFFORD

C.R. 3725

EXT.OF CASULATY LIST RECEIVED SEPT.17th 1917.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED SERIOUSLY ILL G.S.W.BACK AND  
CHEST SEVERE,AUG.25th IMPROVING SEPT.7th.

PROGRESSING SATISFACTORILY SEPT.14th.

1575, Pte. Wm. J. Hefford. ✓

C.R. 3719

Ext. of Casualty list received Sept 24th., 1917.  
Previously reported Seriously Ill, Gunshot Wound  
Back and Chest Severe, and now reported removed  
from Dangerously Ill List.



1575 Pte. Wm. J. Hefford. J

Ext. of Casualty list received Sept 8, 1917.  
Previously reported Seriously Ill, Aug 25, Gunshot  
Wounds Back and Chest Severe. and now improving  
September 7th.

C.R. 3527

1575 Pte. William J. Hefford. ✓

Ext. of casualty list received Aug. 29th 1917.  
Previously reported G.S.W. severe. Now reported  
at 46th Casualty Clearing Station France,  
"seriously ill Aug. 25th.

His Excellency,  
The Governor,

For information.

C.R. 1575  
*J. T. Bennett*

Minister of Militia.

Code Telegram from Major Timewell.

(received August 27th. 1917.)

Seriously ill August 25th.

1575 Hefford.

*Noted*

*Wes*

*28.8'*

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Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated August 22, 1917.

To Mr. William Hefford,

New Harbor, T.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office London, officially reports No. 1575, Private William John Hefford, has been admitted to Southwark Hospital, East Dulwich Grove, London, suffering from severe gunshot wounds in the back and chest. Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you and trust that next report will be of his convalescence.

~~JOHN RAY BENNETT~~, R.A. SQUIRES  
Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 1575

Extract from code telegram from Major Timewall, dated August 22nd. 1917.  
to the Honourable the Colonial Secretary.

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GUNSHOT WOUND CHEST 1575 REFFORD

1575 Private William Hefford.

Extract of telegram dated August 22nd. 1917.

Gunshot wound in chest severe.

Admitted to Southwark Hospital, East Dulwich, London.

850

C.R/1575

Extract from Nominal Roll of 20 Other ranks which Embarked  
from Southampton 10/2/15 for B. E. F.,

#1575 Pte. W. J. Hafford.

C.R. 1575

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,

London, dated July 31, 1916.

(Extract from Army Gorm B 213, from O.C. 1st. Mfld. Regt.

dated 11/7/16.)

#1575 Pte. W.J. Hefford. ✓

Wounded in Action 1/7/16



C.R.

1575

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.

July 24th. 1918.

1575, Pte J. Hefford.

Furlough 22/7/18. to 31/7/18. Fit for Duty.

C.R. 1575

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, July, 18, 1916.

The undermentioned man was transferred to Brooklands Military  
Hospital, 10-17-16.

1575 Pte. Hefford, J.

C.R. 1575

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated July 12, 1916.

#1575 Pte. W.J. Hefford. ✓

Gunshot wound right leg.

To England per H.S. ~~S.S. & S.S. & S.S.~~ Jan Breydel ex 8 Sty. Hos. 4 July '16

C.R. 1575

Extract of Letter from O.C. 3rd Lon.Gen.Hosp. to Officer  
i/c Records, Mfld.Cent. 58 Victoria St, Lon,S.W. In  
accordance with your Memo of 30th June I beg to inform you  
that the Undermentioned man was transferred to the Con.  
Home on 10/7/16.

#1575 Pte. J. Hefford. ✓

To Brooklands Military Hospital, Weybridge.

C.R. 15/5

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P. & R.O.  
July 10th. 1916.

1575, Pte J. Hegford. ✓

1/Newfoundland R. GSW. R. Leg.

Adm. 8 Sty. Hqs. Wimeroux

3rd July 1916.

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Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated July 7, 1916.

To Mr. William Hefford,  
New Harbor, T.B.

Regret to inform you No. 1575, Private William  
John Hefford, reported Wandsworth Hospital wounded  
right leg, not serious.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

C.R. 15751

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated July 6, 1916.

No. 1575, Private J. Hefford, G.S.W. R. Leg ✓

Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth.

dated July 4, 1916.

C.R. 1575

Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld.  
from P.&R.O. 6/7/16.

1575, Heford. ✓

At Wandsworth Gunshot Wound Right Leg .



C.R. 1575

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, July 4th, 1916.

3rd London General Hospital.

1575 Pte. J. Hefford.

G.W.S.W. Leg

C.R. 1575

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas per  
S.S. "Calgarian" June, 19. 1915. "E"

1575 Pte. Hefford W.J.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Reg. No. 1575 Rank PLC Name Stefford Wm John  
 Date of Enlistment 27.5.15 Address New Str District Trinity  
 Occupation Farm Classification for Discharge B Medical Category E  
 Recommendation S.M.B. Permitly unfit Disability Rating 20%  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 15.1.19 Joseph H. Snowling  
 O. C. Discharge Depot

## PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.  
 I am not in a position to resume civilian occupation.  
Wm John Stefford <sup>his</sup> <sub>mark</sub>

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date .....

2. Clothing.  
 Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—  
 (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$ 60.00  
 (b) Clothing Supplied Joseph H. Snowling  
 Date 22-1-19 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *RS-79* to his home at *Newark* and Release Certificate No. *800* issued.

Date *22-1-19*

*Edwards Capt.*  
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to *9-2-19*

Date *22-1-19*

*Money Capt.*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *26-1-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P 36	<i>1</i>	B 268	B 121	<i>2</i>	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1.	
B 178		W 3494	B 122		Board 1st.	" 2.	<i>1</i>
B 178a	<i>1</i>	D 400A	B 1915		do 2nd.	" 3.	<i>2</i>
B 179	<i>2</i>	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 *22-1-19*

*Edwards Capt.*  
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—  
Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**ELIGIBLE for POST DISCHARGE PAY**

Date *JAN 26 1919*

*R.H. Sait Capt.*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date *Jan 28/19*

*R. Wood*  
Sait Records

Reg. No. 1573 Rank Pte Name Heford W. V.

Attested ..... Address. New Harbour T.B.

Allotment..... Allottee .....

Date of Allotment..... Returned from Overseas 21-12-18

Embarked for Overseas ..... Cause Discharge

9. Leave from 21-12-18 to 6-1-19

9-1-19 Rec Discharge as permanently unfit

10-1-19 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFF.

12-26-1-19. DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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Number of Sheet

Regiment of 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company

*J. Clift Capt*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<i>1575</i>	Age on	<i>22</i> years <i>3</i> months	<i>Farmer</i>	
Joined <i>1915</i> Date		Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St. John's</i>	Religion	
Joined <i>1915</i> Date <i>1-8-16</i>		Period of { with Colours <i>3</i> <sup><i>240</i></sup> years. { with Reserve <i>3</i> <sup><i>365</i></sup> years.		Place of Birth	
Joined Date				<i>New Harbor N.B.</i>	



Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>New Harbor</i>	<i>10. 9. 15</i>	<i>Plt</i>		<i>1. Inattention in Ranks</i> <i>2. Absent from 9.30 to 10.30 pm</i>	<i>Cpl. Ashin</i> <i>Cpl. Hann</i>	<i>2 days CB</i>	<i>11. 9. 15</i>	<i>2 Lieut Bartlett</i>	
<i>do.</i>	<i>1. 10. 15</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Late. 9.15 parade</i>	<i>Cpl. Ashin</i>	<i>2 days CB</i>	<i>1. 10. 15</i>	<i>Capt. Aye</i>	
<i>do.</i>	<i>1. 10. 15</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Not paying attention in Ranks</i>	<i>Sgt. Taylor</i>	<i>2 days CB</i>	<i>2. 10. 15</i>	<i>Capt. Aye</i>	
<i>Do</i>	<i>5-12-15</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Dirty when mounting</i> <i>Lund</i>	<i>Cpl. Cornish</i>	<i>2 Days C.B.</i>	<i>8-12-15</i>	<i>Capt. Aye</i>	<i>Law</i>
<del><i>Do</i></del>	<del><i>12-1-16</i></del>	<del><i>"</i></del>		<del><i> disobeying an order of 7.00</i></del> <del><i> refusing to clean gun</i></del>	<del><i>C. C. Harnett</i></del>	<del><i>1 day C.B.</i></del>		<del><i>Capt. E. Aye</i></del>	<del><i>CB</i></del>
<del><i>Do</i></del>	<del><i>8-1-16</i></del>	<del><i>"</i></del>		<del><i>Absent from 9.30 to 10.30 pm</i></del> <del><i> Same date</i></del>	<del><i>Cpl. Shelan</i></del>	<del><i>1 day CB</i></del>	<del><i>10-1-16</i></del>	<del><i>Capt. E. Aye</i></del>	<del><i>CB</i></del>
<i>Gailes</i>	<i>Feb 13/16</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Refusing to obey an order</i> <i>To be carried over</i> <i>Demobilized 9<sup>2</sup>/19</i>	<i>Cpl. Sellars</i>	<i>Deprived of One Days Pay</i>	<i>14/2/16</i>	<i>Capt. J. Redington</i>	<i>deprived of 1 day pay</i>

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		Brought forward					
Racecourse	1916 14-9	Pk.	Absent from 6:30 a.m. parade	Sgt. Seymour	3 days C.B.	1916 14-9	Capt. Row sell.
Asy	15-12-16	"	absent from tattoo until 12 midnight 14-12-16	Sgt. Hunsent	2 days C.B.	15-12-16	Capt. Row sell
Racecourse	1912.16	P/E	Late on 2 p.m. parade	Sgt. Tobin	2 days C.B.	20.12.	Capt Row sell
Racecourse	28-12-16	"	Absent from 2:00 Parade until 4 P.M.	L/c Hann.	48 hours 7 P. 2 forfeits 1 day	29/12/16	Lt Col Whitaker
"	18-1-17	"	Unshaven while on Guard	Sgt. Treise	1 day C.B.	19-1-17	2/Lieut. Herder
Eastbourne	17.11.17	"	1. Absent from physical drill at 9.10 a.m. 17.11.17	Capt. Cook	absent 165 hrs detention	19.11.17	G. H. Humphrey Capt & Adjutant Comdants' Hoik
Phil. Hoop (convict)	19.11.17	"	2. Refusing to attend parade	do			
	19.11.17	"	3. Violently resisting escort	do			
Newton Park school	26-12-17	Pk	Absent from 9 a.m. 26-12-1917 until 2 a.m. 27-12-1917	Cpl Lewis	7 days C.B. forfeits 1 day pay	28-12-17	Capt. Karri
Newton Park school	7/1/18	Pk	Absenting himself without permission	Cpl Carter	3 days C.B.		G. Treise s/pt
Hazelay row camp	28/1/18	Pk	Inattention on Parade	C. Sumner	3 days C.B.	28/1/18	Sgt Seymour.
	6/2/19	"	1. Absent from tattoo until seen by the military police at 10 a.m. 11/2/19	L/c Hunsent	7 days C.B.		
		"	2. Stating a falsehood to the military police				
Hazelay Down	30.2.18.	"	Overstaying pass from 20-2-18 until 4 p.m. 21-2-18	Cpl. Mews	forfeits 1 day pay.	23-2-18	major marsh

J.S.S.  
H.S.

R.S.R.

F.O.T. 2/Lieut

F.O.T. 2/Lieut

A.S. Anderson

forfeit 7 days pay

G.T.

T.B.

forfeits 1 day pay

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.  
Number of Sheets *2*  
Signature of O. C. Company *[Signature]*

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B. 121.  
39.

Regiment of *[Blank]*

Regimental Number and Name <i>1778   Hefferd Nelson</i>		Enlistment Age on <i>24</i> years <i>12</i> months		Trade <i>Camer</i>	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay		
Place and Date of Enlistment <i>May 1918</i>		Religion <i>Methodist</i>		Place of Birth <i>New South Wales</i>			
Joined _____ Date _____	Joined _____ Date _____	Period of <input type="checkbox"/> with Colours _____ years <input type="checkbox"/> with Reserve _____ years					

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order disposing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>Arthur Dour</i>	<i>1/8-19</i>	<i>Pvt</i>		<i>Unauthorized hospital pass from 1-8-19 until apprehended by Civil Police in Salisbury Road Bathurst 2.30 am 6-9-19</i>	<i>Documentary</i>	<i>7 days C.B.</i>	<i>9/9/19</i>	<i>Major Palmer</i>	<i>2 1/2 days pay</i>
<i>do</i>	<i>16/9/19</i>			<i>Falling out from gun parade without permission</i>	<i>Sgt. McFarland</i>	<i>5 days C.B.</i>	<i>17/9/19</i>	<i>Major Marders</i>	
<i>do</i>	<i>17/9/19</i>			<i>Absent from drill room cell 1.30 to 2.30 18/9/19</i>	<i>Sgt. [Signature]</i>	<i>168 hrs detention</i>	<i>19/9/19</i>	<i>Major Marders</i>	
<i>do.</i>	<i>18/9/19</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>unshaven on parade. To be carried over</i>	<i>Sgt. Fitzpatrick</i>	<i>5 days C. B.</i>	<i>20/9/19</i>	<i>Lieut. Weston</i>	

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Brought forward

Hazley D. Camp 16-11-18 Pte

15<sup>th</sup> 1/2 hr to another defaulter  
roll call from 14.30 to 17.30  
from 19.00 to 21.30.  
17/11/18 Hazley to another  
defaulter roll call from 14.30  
to 17.30

McDonald

6 1/2 hrs detention 19-11-18 Lt Col A. Stanton

7/11

Hazley D. Camp 27/11/18 Pte

Absent from 0845 parade until  
found in hut at 14.45. 6 hrs

Cpl White

2 days C.B  
Profits 1 day's pay 29/11/18

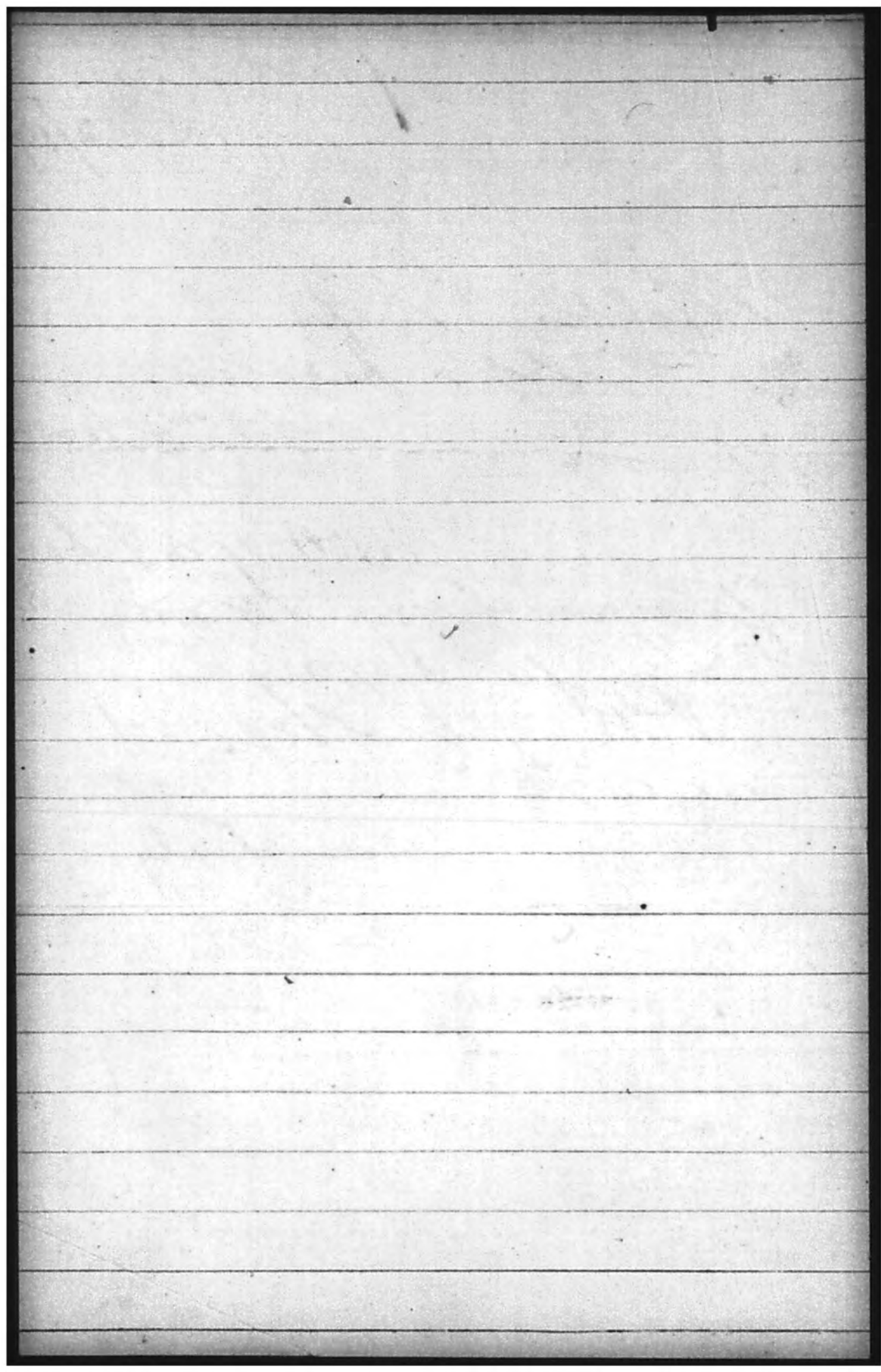
Capt. Whittby

Profits 1 day's pay  
20/11

Hefford, W<sup>m</sup> J.

1575

Ray Sept



Grand Falls  
June 22/19

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Militia Dept  
Mr Howley  
St Johns

Dear Sir  
Will you please  
forward my money  
to Grand Falls  
Pte John Stefford  
No 1575

Your Truly  
J Stefford

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mailed July 4  
J Stefford

DUPLICATE ORIGINAL

JAN 24 1917

N.F/12.

Allotments.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 1575 (rank) Pte. (Name) Hefford W  
heroby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on  
N.F. 1030<sup>A</sup> dated June 12 1915 in favour  
of Mr W. Hefford, New Harbor, Trinity Bay for \$ — cts 60  
per diem. Such cancellation to take place  
on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of ~~December~~ January 1917

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach Headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the allotment continuing to be paid to the allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

Dated at Ayr  
January 13<sup>th</sup> 1917.

W. x Hefford  
mark Allotter.  
Witness F. L. Hays (Sec. Corp)

Approved and Witnessed,  
A. J. Hensen <sup>Secy</sup> Lieut  
O.C. "H" Company.

NOTED  
F. L. Hays (Sec. Corp)  
C.O.M.S  
"H"  
Date 13/1/17 Coy

To be made out in triplicate and sent to the Paymaster & Officer in Charge of Records, who will forward original to Headquarters by first mail, duplicate by the following, and retain triplicate.

NOTED  
W. L. Hays  
C.O.M.S  
"H"  
Date 24/1/17 Coy

ORIGINAL

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94.

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regtl No. 1575 Rank Private Name Hefford, J. Unit 2nd.Bn.E.Nfld Regt., who was repatriated to Newfoundland on 12/12/18 Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

DR. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

PERIOD: From 23/11/18 To 11/12/18	PARTICULARS					PARTICULARS					CR.					
	\$	¢	£	s	d	\$	¢	£	s	d	\$	¢	£	s	d	
						Balance Cr. from Prev.P.Book										
						Pay 19 days @ \$ 1.00	19	00								
						Field Alice 19 days @ \$.10	1	90								
							20	90			4	5			11	
						November 29th 1918										
						December 6th 1918										
						Other Allces days @ \$										
						Other Credits:										
						Observation "H" Coy., 22/11/18										
						Credit Col.3. \$1.10	1	10					4			6
						Laundry etc.,										
						Total Debits							4	19		7
						Balance due by Paymaster								15		7
													5	15		2
						Total Credits										
						Balance due to Paymaster										

CHECKED.  
E.P.  
18/12/18

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of "H" Company

Hazeley Down Camp. December 11th 1918

(Signed) G.J. Whitty, Captain.

(Place) (Date)

Made up/checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office Hendon London to 19/12/18 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,  
Dec. 19th. 1918.

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Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

February 10th., 1919

#1575 Pte. William J. Hefford,

New Hr.T.B.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge  
Certificate No. 904."

Yours truly,

Capt.  
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records

Enc'l 1.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 1575 Rank PLC Name Hefford John  
 Date of Enlistment 27 5 15 Address New Hr District Spent  
 Occupation Farmer Classification for Discharge B Medical Category E  
 Recommendation S.M.B. Permanently unfit Disability Rating 20%  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P 36	<u>1</u>	B 268		B 121	<u>2</u>	N.F. Med.		D.F. 1	
B 178		W 3494		B 122		Board 1st		" 2	
B 178a	<u>1</u>	D 400A	<u>1</u>	B 1915		do 2nd		" 3	<u>3</u>
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B 179b		B 103	<u>3</u>	ME 2				" 6	
B 179c		B 120		M 93					

Date 15 11 19

*Joseph H. Snowling*  
 O. C. Discharge Depot

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am not in a position to resume civilian occupation.

*Wm John Hefford* <sup>his</sup> <sub>mark</sub>

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date .....

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$ 60.00

(b) Clothing Supplied Joseph H. Snowling

Date 22-1-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.



3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *800* to his home at *New York* and Release Certificate No. *123456789* issued.

Date *22-1-19* 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 *Money Capt.*

Date *22-1-19* Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *26 1 19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P 36.....	B 268.....	B 121.....	N.F. Med.....	D.F. 1.....	<i>1</i>
E 178.....	W 3494.....	B 122.....	Board 1st.....	" 2.....	<i>2</i>
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B 179b.....	B 103.....	ME 2.....		" 6.....	
B 179c.....	B 120.....	M 93.....			

Date *22 1 19* Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer in Charge Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**ELIGIBLE for POST DISCHARGE PAY**

JAN 26 1919

Date ..... *R.H. [Signature]*  
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:

I should like to rest awhile & take  
education while I am resting, when I think  
I can then be able to take up work  
again.

Wm. Hefford x His Mark  
Signature of Man.

Reg. No. 1575.

W. Nicholl.

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

A. J. Jones

Date

Jan 11

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LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 28/5/17.

Regtl No. 1575 Rank Pte. Name Hefford J Unit 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. who was Repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 11/12/18 Authority DO Cause \_\_\_\_\_

DR. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT CR.

PERIOD: From 23/1/18 To 20/12/18	PARTICULARS					PARTICULARS					
	£	£	£	s	d	£	£	£	s	d	
						Balance Cr. from <u>Prev. P. Book</u>				9	2
						Pay 19 days @ \$1.00	19	00			
						Field Allowance 19 days @ \$.10	1	90			
						Other Allowances days @ \$	20	90	4	6	0
						Other Credits:					
						Total Credits			4	15	2
						Balance due to Paymaster			1	0	0
						Total Debits					
						Balance due by Paymaster					
									5	15	2

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of

Cozy  
(Place) HAZELEY DOWN CAMP. (Date) Dec 11 1918.

Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London, \_\_\_\_\_ O.C. \_\_\_\_\_ Company. \_\_\_\_\_  
191 Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Hoyley Down Camp

Date 3-12-18

1. Unit Royal Newfoundland 5. Age last birthday
2. Regimental No. 1573
3. Rank Pte. 6. Enlisted { on  
at
4. Name HEFFORD 7. Former Trade }  
or Occupation }

8. Disability.

G. S. W. Right Hip.

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.

T & T. wound right flank about iliac crest, no bone injury. Treated King George, later Wandsworth, where wounds were healed, and transferred to command depot, where discharged A. Category, joined depot middle 200. 1908. Dec 5<sup>th</sup> marked B. Category, for inability to carry out ~~out~~ training.

12. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability.
- wounded on active service
- (b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it (See notes on page 3).
- d.a

VDG pro cured.

Wound of chest sealed. no disability now. S. S. W. hip, scar 2 inches

13. What is his present condition? below iliac crest, long scar 6 inches evidently operation wound

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

horizontal, and 1 inch iliac crest, not attached, painful on pressure, unable to wear belt tightly, therefore decategorised.

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. Do you recommend

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

Reputation  
M. S. 1  
C. P. M. O.

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND

\_\_\_\_\_  
Officer in medical charge of c.s.c.

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.

## Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES.—(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as, in the event of the man being invalided, it is essential that the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable them to decide upon the man's claim to pension.

(ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.

(iii.) The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is attributed to (a) active service, (b) climate, or (c) ordinary military service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (see Articles 1162 and 1165, Pay Warrant, 1913.)

(iv.) In answering question 20 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

(v.) A disability is to be regarded as due to climate when it is caused by military service abroad in climates where there is a special liability to contract the disease.

20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of (i.) active service, (ii.) climate, or (iii.) ordinary military service.

*Has pain in wound over hip*

*1/2 Active Service*

(b) If due to one of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it?

*G.S.W.*

21. Has the disability been aggravated by

(a) Intemperance?

(b) Misconduct?

(c) Any of the conditions mentioned in question 20, and if so, which?

*no*  
*no*

22. Is the disability permanent?

23. If not permanent, what is its probable minimum duration?

*To be stated in months.*

24. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{3}{4}$ , or total incapacity.

*20%*

24A. Is the man suffering from a disability which would obviously, as far as you can judge, cause him to be rejected by an Approved Society under the National Insurance Act?

25. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

26. Do the Board recommend

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or

(b) Change to England?

*yes*

Signatures:—

*[Signature]*

President.

*[Signature]*

*[Signature]*

Members.

Station *[Signature]*

Date *Jan 9 1919*

Approved

Station

Date



*[Signature]*  
Administrative Medical Officer

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Jefford





OF

Christian Name William Jefford

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT  
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Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Geo. Harbor 9. 13. County 9. 9. L. d.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>27<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>May</u> 191 <u>5</u>	on		
	at <u>St. John's</u>	at		
Declared Age	<u>21</u> years	days		
Trade or Occupation	<u>Farmer</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>5 1/2</u> inches		
Weight	<u>120</u> lbs.			
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	<u>34 1/2</u> inches		
	Range of expansion	<u>3 1/2</u> inches		
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number	<u>1</u>		
When Vaccinated	<u>1911</u>			
Vision	R. E.—V=	<u>6/6</u>	R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=	<u>4/6</u>	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)	<u>Fred W. Burgen</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Serjeant</u>			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St. John's</u>	at		
	on <u>26<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>May</u> 191 <u>5</u>	on	day of	191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps. <u>1<sup>st</sup> 9. F. L. d.</u>	Regtl. No. <u>1575</u>	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to	<u>ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.</u> <u>Newfoundland</u>			
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of	191	on
(Signature)			day of	191
(Rank)				

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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				
8 <sup>th</sup> LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH.	4	July	1916	22 <sup>nd</sup>	July	1916	S.I.W. S. leg. IX. 1. Syph.	19	Am found. Nihil ex. Nihil at discharge. Wounds nearly healed. Sent to Northants. Man. postop.	H. H. C. Street. Capt. R. G. M. C. T.
4TH SCOTTISH GENL. HOSPITAL, GLASGOW.	16	12	1916	9	16		Gonorrhoea 20	2	Transferred to Workhouse Military Hospital hereafter on leave	P. J. Murray M.D.
BRIGHTON GROVE MILITARY HOSPITAL, NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE.	29	9	16	8	11	16	Gonorrhoea	41		R. W. H. H. H. Lieut. Col. R. R. M. C. T.
BORTHWICK MILITARY HOSPITAL, LEEDS.	21	8	17	11	17		G. S. W. (Chrapnel) R. Chest & comp. sp. of 9 <sup>th</sup> & 10 <sup>th</sup> ribs. Surg. Emphysema.	81	Wound excised. Rest: jomentations tonics etc. Wound improved - transferred to Conv. Hosp.	E. Perkins C.S.
M. C. Convent St. Basil's Convent.	9	11	17	5	12	17	— do —	26	fit to full employment.	C. H. R. Paul. Capt. R. Paul.
THE KING GEORGE HOSPITAL, LEEDS.	18	4	18	11	5	18	GSW Rt hip	23	Wounded 13.4.18. T & T. wd 70 flask above iliac crest. Infected and tender. Apparently no bony injury. Wound excised, no fracture of iliac crest found. On admission, wounds dirty, discharging pus and tender. Operation to open up track of wound & pockets. Redness & oedema of surrounding tissues & very painful. Trans to 3/ London General H.	
3 <sup>rd</sup> LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH.	11	5	18	23	7	18	ditto	75	Wound now healed	W. D. H. H. H. Lieut. Col. I. M. S.
SOUTHERN COMMAND DEPOT.	ARRIVED	9	8	18	DISCHARGED	29	10	18	CATEGORY	A. H. H.
<p>SOUTHERN COMMAND DEPOT. PERMANENTLY DISABLED. COMPLETED TWO EIGHT MILE MARCHES ONE IN FULL MARCHING ORDER, AND PASSED ALL COMBATANT OFFICER'S TESTS.</p> <p>Medical Officer i/o</p>										

Date 24/10/18 Coy.

[P.T.O.]





LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94.

DUPLICATE  
MAIL COPY

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regtl No. 1575 Rank Private Name Hefford, J. Unit 2nd. Bn. Nfld. Regt. who was repatriated to Newfoundland on 12/12/18 Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.	PARTICULARS	\$			£			CR.			
		¢			s	d	¢				
	Balance Dr. from										
	Allotment days @										
	Cash Payments:										
	November 29th 1918			1	10	0					
	December 6th 1918			4	2	3					
	Other Debits										
	Laundry etc.,				2	11					
	Total Debits				5	15	2				
	Balance due by Paymaster										
					5	15	2				
	Balance Cr. from Prev. P. Book									9	2
	Pay 19 days @ \$ 1.00	19	00								
	Field Allce 19 days @ \$.10	1	90								
		20	90					4	5	11	
	Other Allces days @ \$										
	Other Credits:										
	Observation "H" Coy., 22/11/18										
	Credit Col.3. \$1.10	1	10						4	6	
	Total Credits								4	19	7
	Balance due to Paymaster									15	7
									5	15	2

PERIOD: From 23/11/18 To 12/12/18

CHECKED.  
18/12/18

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of "H" Company

Hazley Down Camp. December 11th 1918 (Date)  
 Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.  
 Pay & Record Office, London, Dec. 19th. 1918.

(Signed) G.J. Whitty, Captain.  
G.C. "H" Company.  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 1575 Rank Private Name Wm F. Hefford  
 Intended place of residence New York City  
 2. Occupation Laborer  
 Classification of soldier B Medical Category E

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

### ELIGIBLE for POST DISCHARGE PAY

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

Place .....  
 Date JAN 22 1919  
W. M. Bowley Capt  
 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 and date St. John's 22-1-19  
Wm F. Hefford  
 Signature of soldier  
W. M. Bowley Capt  
 Signature of witness

## CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

6. I hereby certify that I am in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.

Place and Date Jan 22 1919  
ST. JOHN'S.  
Wm F. Hefford  
 Signature of soldier  
W. M. Bowley Capt  
 Signature of witness

## STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 27 5 15 No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 26 1 19 per 14 days Service 350 days

## 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 JAN 20 1919  
W. M. Bowley 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 February 9/1919  
W. M. Bowley Capt  
 Officer in Charge  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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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/C RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

- Christian name..... *John* ..... 2. Surname..... *Hefford* .....
3. Rank..... *Private* ..... 4. Regt. No..... *1575* .....
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to ~~be~~ be forwarded..... *Waterford Hall* .....
- ..... *Waterford Bridge Road* .....
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *28<sup>th</sup> May 1915* .....
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....
- ..... *Not applicable* .....
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?..... *Not applicable*
11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service.....
- ..... *Not applicable* .....
- .....
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas..... *from May 28<sup>th</sup> 1915 to* .....
- ..... *26<sup>th</sup> January 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.....

*No*

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

*No*

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

*No*

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

*Not applicable*

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

*Jan. 26<sup>th</sup> 1919*

*No*

(b) Reason for discharge.....

*Physical unfitness, resulting from wounds.*

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

*France, from March 2<sup>nd</sup> 1916 to July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1916; France, Feb. 4<sup>th</sup> 1917 to Aug. 14<sup>th</sup> 1917; France, from March 1<sup>st</sup> 1918 to April 12<sup>th</sup> 1918.*

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

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

*Yes*

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

Signature of Applicant:

*John X Hefford*  
*Wink*

Place of Residence:

*Waterford Hall*

Declared before me at:

*Saint John*

This

*28<sup>th</sup>*

day of *February* 191*8*

*having been first read over and*  
*with signature*

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

*John Fenelon*  
*Notary Public*  
*+ Attorney*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

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



# 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, John Hefford, Regl. No. 1575  
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of  
Dollars and Sixty 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)
1	Father	William Hefford	New Harbour	60
3			Trinity Bay	
2				
6				
<i>Commencing June 12th</i>				
Total Allotment, \$				

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

(Sig.) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer Commanding  
 Company  
*Al Johns*  
*June 11th*  
 1915

(Sig.) *John Hefford*  
 (Rank) *Private*  
 Witness  
*H. M. Burke*

The Paymaster  
Royal Muffs Regt.  
Militia Dept.  
St Johns  
Sic

I would be greatly obliged if you would kindly send my wife the remainder of money due her since August last. (She was to get six months gratuity at 30.00 thirty dollars) per month. But owing to some mistake in the Pay & Record Office at St Johns. She has only received four months money please send remainder by return mail. if not I will know the reason why.

Cave!

Respectfully Yours.

#1565 E. Sgt. R. G. Brown

aud. Kings Cove  
B.D.  
Feb 1<sup>st</sup> 1920

P.D. S.A. \$75.<sup>00</sup>  
4 Payments <sup>30.00</sup> 120 00  
1 " 15

\$220 00 \$30.<sup>00</sup> prepaid



Feb. 19, 1920

Ex Sgt. R.B. Brown,  
Kings Cove, B.B.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of your letter of February 1st., regarding separation allowance paid to your wife in connection with War Service Gratuity, and I note that you threaten unknown horrors if you don't hear regarding same immediately. I might add, that I have received similar from you before.

I beg to state that your figures with regard to what your wife is entitled to, are correct, namely: six monthly payments of \$30.00 each, making a total of \$180.00, but you apparently neglected to take into consideration the fact that when you were paid Post Discharge Pay, before war Service Gratuity came into effect, your wife was also paid Post Discharge Separation Allowance, amounting in all to \$75.00, and that this amount is to be deducted from the total amount payable on account of war Service Gratuity. It would appear that the balance payable to your wife after war Service Gratuity Regulations came into effect was \$105.00. Against this four months of \$30.00 each, and one for \$15.00 have been sent her, making in all \$135.00.

I presume that in view of the lofty ideas expressed in your letter of February 1st., that you would not think of retaining this amount which have been overpaid you in error, and I shall be obliged for repayment at your very earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

Major

Paymaster.

Voucher No. *Miss Burre*

Army Form O. 1809A.

† PAY AND MESS BOOK of *R. Newfoundland Regt. 1. Command Depot* Oct-Nov. period 1918.

Notification between Company Commanders of Daily Rate of Pay and current Pay and Mess Book Charges for men transferred from one Unit or Company to another in the United Kingdom.

**TO BE USED BETWEEN HOME STATIONS ONLY.**

Date of Transfer *29-10-1918* Company, &c., from which transferred *C. Company 1. Command Depot*  
 " " " *2nd R.N.K. Winchester* Corps.

Regtl. Number and date of enlistment. M. if married.	Rank and Name.	Date to which rationed.	Rate of Pay.										Total Cash Payments, bills, and consolidated stoppages for the period from* <i>28 9s</i> to date of transfer.	REMARKS. An explanation should be given in this column of any material discrepancy between the total cash payments, bills, &c., and the amount of pay due (at net rate) to the date of transfer.*				
			Regimental Pay.		Pro-ficiency Pay.		Engineer or Corps Pay.		Gross Rate.		Less Allotment of Pay.				Net Rate.			
			s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.			s.	d.	s.	d.
<i>1575</i>	<i>Pte. Kefford J.</i>	<i>29/10/18</i>															<i>4 3 1</i>	<i>Pte. Kefford J. High 2/4 B. Dam 6</i>

*KB.*  
Date *31-10-18*

Station *Perham Down*  
 Date *26-10-1918* Commanding Officer *Company, &c.*

Certified correct, *Company, &c.*  
 Commanding Officer *Company, &c.*  
 To be rendered with the Pay and Mess Book of the Company, &c. to which the men are transferred.

