



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. **240**

Name in full *John Hipditch* Age **28**

Address *paradise P.B.*

Married ~~S.~~ Single Height _____ Weight _____

Color *fair* Hair *dark* Eyes *brown*

Other distinguishing marks *slight scar over right temple.*

Nearest relative *father George Hipditch.*

Address *paradise P.B.*

Dependents *none*

Occupation *sailor* Present Wage **27.00 per week.**

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment _____

I, *John Hipditch*, 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 conditions of my service.

John Hipditch
John Hipditch
Witness
Arthur Daley

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Witness
Arthur Daley

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Witness
Arthur Daley

John Hipditch
Witness
Arthur Daley

Re-engaged for war.
 Declared before me this *19* day
 of *October* 1914
Arthur Daley

Witness
John Hipditch
Witness
Arthur Daley
Sep 5

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 240

Name John Hipditch

Apparent age 28 years months. Height feet inches.

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

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

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin George Hipditch, Paradise, Placentia 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) 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>5/9/14</u>							
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>5th September '14</u>							
				<u>Hosp Malta Eye trouble N/D</u>			
				<u>Furlough 4/1/16</u>			
				<u>16/1/16</u>			
				<u>14/1/16</u>			
				<u>Repatrated Med. Unfit.</u>			
				<u>Embarked S.S. Hesperia for Malta 3¹⁰/₁₅</u>			
				<u>Embarked H.M.S. 20⁸/₇₆</u>			
				<u>Disembarked H.M.S. and</u>			
				<u>embarked for Leans 31⁸/₁₅</u>			
				<u>Embarked for Halifax 13⁸/₁₅</u>			
				<u>Landed Suva Bay night of 19. 20⁸/₁₅</u>			
				<u>Admitted H.B. Menark battle Diarrhoea 14⁸/₁₅</u>			
				<u>Admitted Hosp Malta 20⁸/₁₅</u>			
				<u>Invalidee to England 26⁸/₁₅</u>			
				<u>Admitted Wandsworth 2⁸/₇₆</u>			
				<u>Embarked for Malta 18⁸/₁₅</u>			
				<u>Repatrated Seaman from 4000. H. 7⁸/₇₆</u>			
				<u>Arrived H.M.S. April 16/</u>			
				<u>Discharged medically unfit. 11⁸/₇₇</u>			
				<u>Employed as Cook 1⁸/₇₈</u>			
				<u>Struck off strength 25⁸/₇₈</u>			
Total Service forfeited as above							

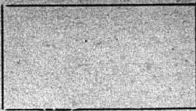
Total Service towards Engagement to 11-4-17 (date of discharge) 2 years 219 days
 " " Pension " 25-8-18 " " " 117 days

Hinditch. f.

240

Ray Dept

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.



Proceedings on Discharge.

(When forwarded for confirmation the documents named on page 4 should be enclosed.)

No. 240 Army Rank Private

Name John. Spiditch
(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)

Corps First Newfoundland Regiment

Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c.
(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)

Date of discharge April 11th 1917

Place of discharge St. John's. Nfld

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age <u>30</u> years <u>2</u> months	Descriptive marks.
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>6 1/2</u> inches	
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded _____ ins.	
{ range of expansion _____ ins.	
Complexion <u>fair</u>	
Eyes <u>grey</u>	
Hair <u>dark brown</u>	
Trade <u>seaman</u>	
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable) _____	

(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of being no longer physically fit for war service

(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)

3. Military character :—

4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations :—

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer. _____

Army Form B. 2068 has been issued to* _____

* Strike out if not applicable.

[OVER.]

5. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badges (if the man is a N.C.O. and enlisted prior to 1st July, 1881, the number he would have been entitled to had he not been promoted should be stated).

Is it probable that he will be entitled to another good conduct badge before the confirmation of these proceedings?

Classification for service, or proficiency pay... .. Class

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Four horizontal lines for listing campaigns, medals, and decorations.

Certificate of education

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

(Place) _____

(Date) _____ Commanding _____ Battn. _____ Regiment.

8. Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) St John's Wood John Hipsley (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) Aug 6 1917 [Signature] (Signature of Witness.)

(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)

9. Additional certificate in the case of a soldier who takes his discharge at his own request.

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

(Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to _____ (the date to which the record of service is completed) _____ years _____ days.

Further service " " _____ (the date of confirmation of discharge) " "

Total " "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for _____ (date)

(Place) _____

Signature

(Date) _____

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated and signed by the soldier.)

No Reservations!

John X ^{his} Spike ditch
mark

Witness C. C. Ke.

PAY LIST. 18/3/16. to 14/4/16. 1916. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *1st Newfoundland Regt.*
 No. *240* Rank *Private* Name *J. Repulich*
 Died (a) at _____ on the _____ of _____ 191 .
 Deserted at _____ on the _____ of _____ 191 .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

H. E. Goddard Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 Battery or Company. *E*

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month.....				Balance Cr. last month.....			
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 14 days at 1.00 from 19/3/16 to 2/4/16	3	3	4
	<i>March 24 1916</i>		12	6	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	<i>March 31 " 16</i>		16	4	days at _____ to _____			
	"				Messing allowance days at _____			
	"				from _____ to _____			
		1	8	10	Clothing and kit allowance			
	<i>Allocation 2 bob per day for 14 days = 8.00</i>	1	14	6	Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
	Consolidated stoppage				Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
		£	3	4	Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
					Balance due to the Paymaster.....			
						£	3	4

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ _____ is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b).

Dated at _____
 this _____ day of _____ 191 . Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
 (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

PAY LIST.

to 31st March

1916. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps 1st Newfoundland
 No. 240 Rank Private Name J. Hepditch
 Died (a) at on the of 191 .
 Embarked s.s. Scandinavian 4th April 1916
 Deserted at on the of 191 .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

 { Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month.....			7	Balance Cr. last month.....			
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to.....			
	191				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to.....			
	"				Messing allowance days at from to			
	"				Clothing and kit allowance			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
					Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Balance due to the Paymaster.....			7
		£		7		£		7

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the ~~debtor balance of £..... is correctly chargeable against the Public~~ CONTINGENT.

Dated at

this

day of

191 .



J. H. Marshall
 PAYMASTER & OFFICE Paymaster

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
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SECOND BOARD

REPORT OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

STATION St. John's, Nfld.

DATE - March 14th 1918
April 5th, 1918

NO. 240

AGE 31

HEIGHT 5'6 1/2"

RANK Private

COMPLEXION Fair

NAME Hurditch, John

EYES Grey

HAIR Dk. Brown

UNIT 1st. Nfld.

ADDRESS 14 Lime Street

FORMER TRADE Seaman

ENLISTED AT St. John's, Nfld.

ON August 1914

DISEASE OR DISABILITY DIPLOPIA

PRESENT CONDITION

As previously reported

HAS HE BEEN EMPLOYED AND BY WHOM? *At Seal fishery in Eagle
personally at Bowring's*

AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS *\$17.40 for the trip.*

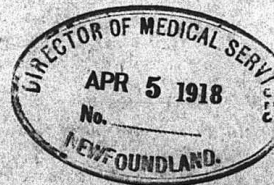
ESTIMATED DISABILITY *20%*

RECOMMENDATION OF MEDICAL BOARD

MEMBERS OF BOARD

[Handwritten signatures]

APPROVING MEDICAL OFFICER. *[Signature]*



*Cluny Macpherson
Major*

Royal Newfoundland Regiment
(Separation Allowance Branch)
(Information for Board of Review)

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NOTICE

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

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

THE PAYMASTER
Separation Allowance Branch,
St. John's, Nfld.

1. Name in full of soldier, Rank, Regt. or Unit, Regt. No.
John Hepditch Private Royal Newfoundland Regiment 240
2. Age of soldier, Married or single.
32 years Married
3. Name in full of wife.
Elizabeth Hepditch
4. Address in full.
16 Lime St.
5. Date of marriage.
November 7, 1916
6. Place of marriage.
Roman Catholic Cathedral,
7. Did marriage take place since soldier's enlistment.
After enlistment
8. Was Commanding Officer's permission obtained? If not, why?
Yes.
9. If not married, how long have you been dependent on the soldier for your maintenance, and supported regularly by him on a bona fide permanent permanent domestic basis.
10. Were you living with your husband immediately prior to his enlistment? If not, how long have you been separated.
11. Is separation a legal one?

12. If legal, are you in receipt of alimony? If so, state amount.

13. If not legal, how long since your husband contributed to your support? Explain fully

14. State amount of allotment received by you from soldier monthly

No allotment
Soldier here since being married

15. From what date have you received allotment.

16. Names of children. Age last Birthday.

Names of Children. Age last Birthday.

George Joseph Hedrich, 19 months, Mary, 1 month

17. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any Source? If so, state amount.

18. Are you in receipt of payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much?

no

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

no.

20. Was your husband at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Nfld. Government?

no

21. In what capacity and in what place.

22. In he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the Nfld. Regiment. If so, how much?

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

Signature of applicant. Elizabeth Hedrich.....

Place of residence. 16. Burnside St......

Declared and subscribed before me
at.....*S. N. Johnson, N.Y.C.*.....
this.....*6th*.....day of.....*February*.....19.....*19*.....

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

This application must be signed by two responsible parties
one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your
local Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their
knowledge, after careful enquiry, the above statements are correct.

Signature of Clergyman.....*J. J. Gorman M.B.*.....

Signature of member of
Patriotic ~~Fund~~ Committee.....*James*.....

N.B. Marriage Certificate must accompany this application, and will
be returned after perusal. If marriage is after enlistment,
Commanding Officer's permission in writing must be forwarded.

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..... *Appelton*

3. Rank..... *Private* 4. Regtl. No..... *240*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *16 Lime St. St. Johns*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *Sept 5 1914*

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..... *Require separation allowance in favour of my wife Elizabeth Appelton*

9. Address in full of such dependent..... *16 Lime St.*

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

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

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas..... *From Sept 5 1914 to April 11 1917*

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

No.
Discharged, Apr 11, 1917. Re-enlisted in 1918 because of physical unfitness

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.....

£87.15 Capt Bowley
Clothing allowance £40.00
Retainer of £8.00 per month

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

Yes

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?.....

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

Apr 11/17 (b) Reason for discharge *Physical unfitness*

.....

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.....

Gallipoli - From Sept 1915 to Feb 1916

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

No

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

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. Hepditch*
 Place of Residence: *16 Sime St. St. John's*
 Declared before me at: *St. John's, Nfld.*
 This *28th* day of *February* 19*19*

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
<i>13.12.18</i>	<i>100.10</i>		<i>5.00</i>	<i>3.50.00</i>
			<i>Less P.D.P.</i>	<i>100.10</i>
				<i>249.90</i>
Certified Correct.			Paymaster.	

FORM K



No. 568

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, J. Lipditch, Regl. No. 240
 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 and or Persons, such payment to be made
 on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person and
or
 Persons concerned, viz:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person).
384	✓	J. Lipditch	Paradise Placentia Bay	= 60
Commence 23rd January				
Total Allotment, \$				= 60

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.) R. Powell
 for Lieut.
 Officer Commanding
B Company
Sgt. George
16-7-1915

(Sig.) J. Mark Lipditch
 (Rank) Pvt
 Witness E. Power
As Major

No.



1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

VOUCHER

In Acct. with Mrs. J. Hipditch Voucher No. 28345.
16 Lime Street Cheque No. 28345.

Reg'l A/c No. Name C.B. Folio No.

Table with columns: Date, Req'n No., Invoice No., Particulars, Amount. Entry: Feb. 21 316 Board a/c J. Hipditch, from Jan. 19-Feb. 16th \$20

CERTIFICATION

Dissect Sheet No.

Recap. Sheet No. 316

Signature of Paymaster

PAYMASTER

Checked by

RECEIPT

February 21st, 1917.

Received from the 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT the sum of Twenty Dollars and Cents in Payment as above stated.

February 1917.

\$ 20.00

[Sig.]

Signature of Mrs. J. Hipditch

ST. JOHN'S,

(date)

20/2/17

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,
Billeting Account,

To

Mrs J. Hephworth
16 Linn St.

Billeting soldiers as undermentioned

from

Jan 19 to Feb 16

Pte. J. Hephworth

20

00

Certified correct for \$ 20⁰⁰

J. J. Hephworth
Billeting Officer.

J.

1918 - 1919

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 15⁰⁰

Aug 17th 1918.

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Fifteen ⁰⁰ Dollars.
~~the amount~~
balance of Pay.

Ch. No.	1383	Initials	aw
Pay Ledger	109	Initials	WR
Gen. Ledger		Initials	WJ

Regtl. No. Rank

No. 240

Rank PL

Name Hipditch

11 Lime St

City



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
HEADQUARTERS

2266

St. John's, Newfoundland,

August 15th, 1918 191

From Asst. Adjutant,
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,
Militia Department

240 Pte. J. Hipditch

Above noted man, who has been employed as cook at Depot, was ordered to be struck off the strength by Officer Commanding Depot on 25-⁷-18, but his discharge was not made through me, nor was notified me until today, Consequently his Pay Account has been running. A Credit Balance of \$24.60 was brought forward from July month, which is now deleted from August Pay Books. Will you please debit him with the six days he was off the strength in July at \$1.60 per day and remit him balance due of \$15.00. I am unable to furnish you with his home address, as I have no papers concerning him.

W. Salway
Ass't Adjutant
Depot The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
St. John's, Nfld.

August 20th. 1918.

Pte. J. Hipditch,
11, Lime Street,
C I F Y.

Dear Sir:

I enclose cheque for \$15.00 being a
credit balance due you at Headquarters.

Yours truly,

Capt.
Paymaster

J. Hipditch.

240

P. R. D.

568

J. Sepditch

240

Sept 17

384. Father M. G. Sepditch Graduate = 60
Parental Pay

Commence 23rd January

60

R. Russell Capt
Lieut
for
Fort George B
16 - 1 - 5

Witness
J. Sepditch
Witness G. Power
R. S. Major

PAY LIST. to **31st March**, 191**6**. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps **1st Newfoundland.**
 No. **240** Rank **Private.** Name **J. Hepditch.**
 Died (a) at on the of 191 .
 Deserted at **Embarked s.s. Scandinavian** on the **4th** of **April** 191**6** .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

 Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT. [FORM 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month 30/3/16.			7	Balance Cr. last month.....			
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	191				days at from to			
	"				Messing allowance days at			
	"				from to			
	Consolidated stoppage				Clothing and kit allowance			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
		£		7	Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
					Balance due to the Paymaster.....			
		£		7		£		7

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 7 is correctly chargeable against the Public^(a)

Dated at _____ day of _____ 191 . Paymaster.

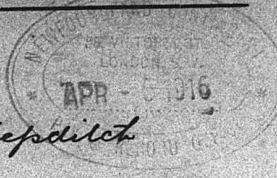


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 Deserted at on the of 191 .



I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

H. K. Gordyean *2/S* Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 -Battery or Company. *E*

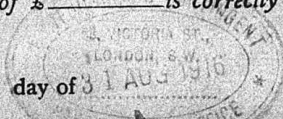
STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month.....				Balance Cr. last month.....			
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 14 days at 1.10. from <i>19/3/16</i> to <i>2/4/16</i>	3	3	4
					Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
					days at from _____ to _____			
					Messing allowance days at			
					from _____ to _____			
					Clothing and kit allowance			
					Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
					Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Balance due to the Paymaster.....			7
		£	3	3 11		£	3	3 11

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ _____ is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b)

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____ 191 . Paymaster.



(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
 (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

PAY LIST.

to 31st March 1916. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *1st Newfoundland*
 No. *240* Rank *Private* Name *Jephitch*
 Died (a) *embarked at Scandinavian* on the *1st* of *Apr.* 191*6*
 Deserted at on the of 191*6*

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month... <i>31/3/16</i>			<i>7</i>	Balance Cr. last month.....			
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	191				days at from to			
	"				Messing allowance days at			
	"				from to			
	"				Clothing and kit allowance			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
					Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
		£		<i>7</i>	Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
					Balance due to the Paymaster.....			<i>7</i>
		£		<i>7</i>		£		<i>7</i>

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ *7* is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b)

Dated at

this

day of

191

Paymaster.

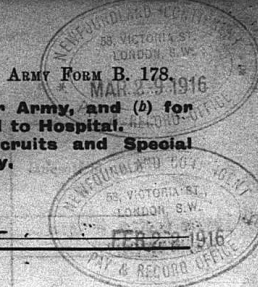
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 (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

No. 240 Name Wipditch, J. Sqn., Batty., or Company } B Corps 1st Newfoundland Regt. Date of enlistment } 15 Dec 1914 G.C. Badges }
 Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } 12-7-15 No. and date of last drunk } 4-12-7-15 Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra line } Sheet No. } Signature O.C. } Ann Alexander Capt Character } fair Service or Proficiency Pay }

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
<u>Cairo</u>	<u>1915</u> <u>Sept 11th</u>	<u>PT</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1 Absence, disorderly.</u> <u>Drunk in town at 2.10.15</u> <u>2 Irregular conduct.</u>	<u>Documentary</u>	<u>Fined 5/- 48 hrs</u> <u>F.P. 2.</u>	<u>13-9-15</u>	<u>Lt Col Burton</u>	<u>et</u>

Army Form B. 122

Temporary



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 Hepditch Christian Name J

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish _____ County _____

Examined { on _____ day of _____ 191 ,
at _____

Declared Age days.

Trade or Occupation

Height inches.

Weight lbs.

Chest { Girth when fully Expanded _____ inches.
Measurement { 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 _____
on _____ day of _____ 191 .

Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.
...	<u>1st Newfoundland</u>	<u>240</u>
Transferred to

Became non-effective by
on _____ day of _____ 191 .

(Signature) _____
(Rank) _____

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

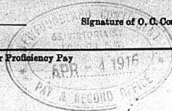
Army Form B. 121.

Number of Sheet: _____

Regiment of NewfoundlandSignature of O. O. Company Capt James Alexander

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Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<u>240</u> <u>Hinditch. g.</u>	Age on	<u>28</u> years <u>00</u> months	<u>Sailor</u>	
Joined Date		Date of Enlistment	<u>1/10/14</u>	Religion	
Joined Date		Period of	with Colours <u> </u> years.	<u>R.C.</u>	
Joined Date			with Reserve <u> </u> years.		



Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order discharging with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
Edinburgh	Mar 26 th	TC. 1		<u>Drunk at Castle Hill 10.10 p.m.</u>	<u>S. M. P. Documentary</u>	<u>7 days C.B.</u>	<u>27.3.15</u>	<u>Lt Col. Burton</u>	
Edinburgh	Apr 7 th	"		<u>Absent fr.attoo toattoo Apr 5</u>	<u>Capt Shortall</u>	<u>5 days C.B.</u>	<u>7.4.15</u>	<u>Capt Alexander</u>	<u>forfeits 1 days pay under R.W.</u>
Edinburgh	Apr 11 th	"		<u>Absent from defaulters bill.</u>	<u>Capt Steele</u>	<u>3 days C.B.</u>	<u>13.4.15</u>	<u>Capt Alexander</u>	
				<u>Breaking out of Barracks</u>					
Edinburgh	Apr: 17 th	" 2		<u>Drunk in bath 5: 10 p.m.</u>	<u>Capt Whyles</u>	<u>8 days C.B. fined 1/3</u>	<u>19.4.15</u>	<u>Lt Coln: Burton</u>	<u>L.G.B.</u>
Stobis Camp	June 26 th	" 3		<u>Drunk & causing a disturbance in Haulieck</u>	<u>Documentary</u>	<u>Fined 2/6 5/-</u> <u>8 days C.E</u> <u>imperfectly done & paroled</u>	<u>28.6.15</u>	<u>Lt Coln Burton</u>	
Stobis	July 2 nd	"		<u>Falling out of ranks without leave.</u>	<u>Capt Ayre</u>	<u>2 days C.E.</u>	<u>2.7.15</u>	<u>Capt Alexander</u>	
Stobis	July 10 th	" 4		<u>Drunk in Haulieck at 10.10. p.m.</u>	<u>Sgt Gardner</u>	<u>Fined 5/-</u> <u>7. days C.E.</u>	<u>11.7.15</u>	<u>Lt Coln Burton</u>	
				To be carried over					

COPY SENT TO
Adj. & Dep

Letter No. _____
Memorandum No. _____
Dated APR 5 - 1916

4/10

Jan 11th 6

O.C. Depot
Newfoundland Contingent
Camp.

240 The J. Hepditch

Please note that this mans address
from tomorrow until he

is at Waverly Hotel
Edinburgh

Fullmont expires 16/1/6.

F. W. Marshall
per ^{some} Payment out Name
Newfoundland Contingent

at present fit for ^{military} service and
is not the likelihood to become

so. Under these circumstances
I would recommend his
permanent discharge

Frederick Ferguson.

Maj. A. G. M. C. T.
Ophthalmic Surgeon
to the S. G. H.

P.S. I regard the condition as
due to injury sustained
in military service.
7-7



2nd Lt. S. G. H.
Stobhill.

Case of Hip-ditch.

This case is one of Paralysis
chiefly of the Superior oblique of
the left eye and also of
some branches of the third
nerve of the same eye.

He has now been under
treatment for some time
and there is practically no
change. I am convinced
that on account of the
diplopia the Hip-ditch is not

OC 2/1 4649/485

No 240 The J. Kennedy
Company.

Please credit the
above soldier's account
with Hospital Stoppage
~~overcharged~~, 1 day
60 cents ~~in fee~~ overcharged
in E.C. Pay Book for
period ended 4/8/16.

Whitehead, Morris & Co. Ltd.

Caxton House.

Westminster. s.w.

With Compliments.

224 Pte. J. Kennedy.

Reported at Depot 22/1/16. Attached to C.C.

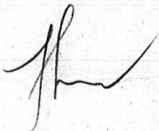
Credit to his ac

Errors in C.C. Pay Book. Period ending 4/5/16. ~~0/2~~

Recharged 1 day Hospital Stoppage

00

Command Col. 3.



To be Discharged from Hospital to-morrow.

Unit.	Squadron, battery, or company.	Regtl. No.	Rank and Name.	
1 st Newfoundland		240	Pte	Hepditch J.

To 58 Victoria Street.

This man is fit for furlough but has got no address to go to. Can you furnish him with an address & instruct him to report back to 3rd London Gen. Hosp. for his furlough papers. He has been furnished with a return railway ticket for Victoria.

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

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

3rd London General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S. W.

4649/485

O. C.,

2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.

.. Ayr..

F.M/W.F. November 8th G.

November 10th/16.

No. 240, PTE. T. KENNEDY, "B" Co..

Please credit the above soldier's
account with Hospital Stoppages,
1 day, 60 cents, overcharged in
"B" Co. Pay Book for period ended
4/8/16.

The amount of 60 cents has
been credited to No. 224 Pte.
T. Kennedy, there is no 240
Pte. T. Kennedy.

Capt.
Paymaster & Q. I/c Records.

(Sd.) C. Karn, Capt.,
for Lt.-Col.,

Commanding 2/1st Nfld. Regt.,
Newton-on-Ayr, N.B.

TOP NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & PROOF OFFICE	
Ref. No.	4273
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Ans'd.	
File No.	

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240

May 13th 22

No. 240 Ex Pts. J. Hipditch,
No. 16, Lime Street.

Dear Sir:-

Will you please call at the Record Office,
of this Department at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut

Officer i/c Records.

C.R. 240

RECEIPT.

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No 240 Name John + Hedditch
Mark off

Witness. W. Bryce

Date 4/12/19

Place St. John's

C.R. 240

RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF
RIBAND OF 1914-15 STAR.

I certify that I have received an issue
of 3 inches of Riband of 1914-15 Star.

NAME.....

J. X. Hepditch

W. W. Joyce

DATE.....

3/7/19

PLACE.....

Pt. Johnson

C.R. 240

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.

W. J. Readell 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, Madras* from *Sept* 1915 to *Nov.* 1915.

(Date) *3/17/19* (No) *240* (Rank) *Pte.* (Name) *W. J. Readell*

(Place) *St. John's*

* Fill in theatre of war where you served in Gallipoli, Madros, Lemnes, or Western Egyptian Frontier.

August 15th, 1918

From Asst. Adjutant,
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/o Records,
Militia Department

240 Pte. J. Hipditch

Above noted man, who has been employed as cook at Depot, was ordered to be struck off the strength by Officer Commanding Depot on 25-7-18, but his discharge was not made through me, nor was notified me until today. Consequently his Pay Account has been running. A Credit Balance of \$24.60 was brought forward from July month, which is now deleted from August Pay Books. Will you please debit him with the six days he was off the strength in July at \$1.60 per day and remit him balance due of \$15.00. I am unable to furnish you with his home address, as I have no papers concerning him.

August 13th

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From Asst. Adjutant.

To Adjutant.

240. Pte Hipditch.

I am still without any information from Quartermaster concerning above-noted man. Will you please insist that he furnishes me with something definite re his discharge. He is still carried on the strength and pay account is still running.

240

August 15th, 1918

From Asst. Adjutant,
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,
Militia Department

240 Pte. J. Hipditch

Above noted man, who has been employed as cook at Depot, was ordered to be struck off the strength by Officer Commanding Depot on 25-8-18, but his discharge was not made through me, nor was notified me until today. Consequently his Pay Account has been running. A Credit Balance of \$24.60 was brought forward from July month, which is now deleted from August Pay Books. Will you please debit him with the six days he was off the strength in July at \$1.60 per day and remit him balance due of \$15.00. I am unable to furnish you with his home address, as I have no papers concerning him.

C.R. 240

Extract from Daily Orders Partll Unit the Royal Nfld.
Regt. St. John's, dated August 15th, 1918.

240 Pte. J. Hipditch.

Employed for duty as Cook at Depot is struck off the strength
with effect from 25-8-18-



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
HEADQUARTERS

St. John's, Newfoundland,

July 29th, 1918 191

From Asst. Adjutant,
Depot

To Adjutant,
Depot

I

240 Pte. J. Hipditch

I understand above noted man was before the Commanding Officer a few days ago. Will you please advise me what happened to him, as copy of charge sheet and award has not come before me for entrance on his Conduct Sheet and the only information I have is from rumours I hear around the Barracks.

W. H. J. [Signature]
Asst Adjutant
Depot The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
St. John's, Nfld.

II

*attached is the charge sheet
of 240 Pte J Hipditch*

*I have written the Quartermaster
requesting him to have this
man sent to you to have his
account fixed up* *J. J. [Signature]*



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
HEADQUARTERS

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

From *Adjt Genl* *as directed by* *75* *July 26/18*
To *Capt Bennett*

I am directed by the Officer
Commanding Depot to
instruct you to discharge
Mr. Hepditch

J. J. Bennett Capt.
ADJT.

Depot.
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
St. John's.

*Instructions re Phillipps
have been copied out
of Phillipps
Secret*

*Went home this
morning
75
July 26/18
as directed by
Mr. Hepditch
from
Phillipps
C/1*

*From D.M.
to Adjutant Genl*

C.R. 240

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

240 Pte. J. Hipdith

~~Hindogah~~ Reattested struck off Strength 25-7-18.

C.R. 240

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated June 5th, 1918.

#240 Pte. Hipditch.

Appeared in Daily Orders Part 11, No. 84 of 16.5.18
as attached to Depot as Cook from 3.5.18 should read ~~Sgt~~
from 1.5.18

C.R. 240

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Wfld. Regt. St. John's, dated May 31, 1918

#240 Pte. Hipditch

Taken on the strength as cook from 1.5.18

C.R. 240

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Newfoundland Regiment, St. John's, dated May 16th, 1918.

#240 Pte. J. Hipditch.

Attached to Depot as Cooks from 7.5.18.

C.R. 240

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

240 Pte. John Hipditch discharged April 11th 1917,
Medically unfit.

C.R. 240

Extract from roll of Officers
N. C. O's and men of the
discharged from the Royal
Newfoundland Regiment.

Regtl.#	rank	name	date	reason.
240	Pte	Hipditch John	11.4/17	Med. Unfit.

C.R. 240

The following Men Returning by Scandanavain March,31,1916

340 Hpditch.

February 8, 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. 240, Private John Hipditch, who was previously reported with defective eyesight at Wandsworth, January 5th, is now fit for duty and was granted furlough on 6th January.

This information has been received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. George Hipditch,
Paradise, P.B.

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 240

Original in File
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Extract from Depot. Order by Major C.W. Whitaker
Commanding Depot - The Newfoundland Regiment.
January 18th 1916.

240, Pte Hipditch.

The following man of the First Battalion having reported
back from Hospital ^{is} ~~are~~ attached to "E" Company.

Extract of Casualty list received from Pay and Record office London dated
Jan. 11th. 1916.

240 Pte. J. Hepditch

1st, Nfld. R. Debility..... Trans. to H.S. for England ex St. Peters H. Chai
Tuffiema, Malta 26th. Dec. 1915.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&P.O.
January 9th 1916.

240, Pte J. Hipditch.

1/Newfoundland Defective Eyesight Adm. 3rd London General
Hospital Wandsworth 2nd January 1916.

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Counter No. _____

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Handwritten signature: Geo. George Hipditch

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent by	Check

Dated January 5, 1916.

To Mr. George Hipditch,
Paradise, P.B.

Record Office, London, today reports No. 240, Private
John Hipditch, previously reported with eye trouble, now admitted
Third London General Hospital, Wandsworth, suffering from defective
eyesight.

J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 240

Extract of Cablegram received from London, dated
January 4, 1916.

#240 Pte. Hipditch. ✓

Defective eyesight, at Wandsworth.

Extract of Casualty List received from P& R.O.
January 4th 1916.

240, Pte J. Hipditch.

At 3rd London General Hospital Wandsworth
Defective Eyesight

December 2, 1915.

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. 240, Private John Hipditch, who was previously reported at St. David's Hospital, Malta, (no particulars), is now reported suffering from eye trouble.

This information was received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

**Mr. George Hipditch,
Paradise, P.B.**

✓
H (12)

November 24, 195.

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. 240, Private John Hipditch, is at St. David's Hospital, Malta. No particulars given regarding illness.
This information was received by mail.

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,
J. R. Bennett
Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Geo. Hipditch,
Paradise, F.S.

C.R. 240

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, No. H. 2840, dated Nov. 11th. 1915.

240 Pte. J. Hipditch

1st. Newfoundland Contingent..... Eyes.....Adm. to
Hospital in Malta from H.S. "Glenart Castle" 20th. October 1915.

C.R. 240

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

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

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

240 Pte. J. Hipditch.

C.R. 240

Extract from Nominal Roll embarked St. John's per . . . FLORIANE

October 4th 1914
/a.

240 Hipditch John.

C.R. 240

John Hipditch was attested for General service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT onSept. 5, 1914.
Regimental No 240 was allotted to Pte. John Hipditch

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.



Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 240 Rank Pte. Name Hepditch, J.

Enlisted (a) 1/10/14 Terms of Service (a) One Year Service reckons from (a) Enlistment

Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment } Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended Re-engaged Aug 13/15 Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's,	NFLD.	3/10/14.	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
16/10/15.	"Glenark Castle"	Ill, Diarrhoea	A 36 H.S. "Glenark Castle"	14/10/15.	Auth. G 4120. <i>J</i>
20/10/15.	Comdt., Malta.	Admitted	Hosp., Malta	20/10/15.	" A 16900. <i>H</i>
6/1/16.	"Italia"	Invalided to England	H.S. "Italia"	26/12/15.	B 827. <i>J</i>

J.H.

W.A. Jackson

Captain
for Major,
Officer i/c Records 11 & 12 Dists.,
3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., M.E.F.

(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.]

Reg. No. 240 Rank _____ Name Nipditch, J.

Employer
Attested 7-5-18 Address _____

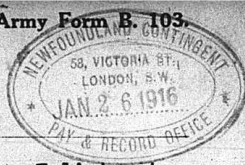
Allotment _____ Allottee _____

Date of Allotment _____ Returned from Overseas _____

Embarked for Overseas _____ Cause _____

attached to Depot as book from 7-5-18

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland.Regimental No. 240 Rank Pte. Name Hipditch, J.Enlisted (a) 1/10/14 Terms of Service (a) One year. Service reckons from (a) Enlistment.Date of promotion } _____ Date of appointment } _____ Numerical position on } _____
to present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }Extended _____ Re-engaged Aug. 13/15. ^{Duration of war} 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. 86, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's, Nfld		3/10/14	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
16/10/15	"Glenark Castle"	Ill, Diarrhoea A 36	H.S. "Glenark Castle"	14/10/15.	Auth. C 4120.
20/10/15	Comdt., Malta.	Admitted	Hosp., Malta.	20/10/15.	" A 16900.
6/1/16.	"Italia"	Invalided to England	H.S. "Italia"	26/12/15	B 827.
				(sd)	W. L. S. Jackson, Captain, for Major, Officer i/c records 11 & 12 Dists., 3rd Echelon, G.H.Q., M.E.F.

(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.



Medical Report on an Invalid.

NOTES:—

- (a) This report is solely concerned with Pensions.
- (b) A single copy only is required.
- (c) "Aggravated" being now a technical term, carrying right to pension, discrimination in its use is essential.
- (d) Be as brief as possible compatible with lucidity.
- (e) Avoid dubiety—"perhaps" "possibly" "might" and the like.
- (f) Only sufficient clinical data need be given to establish the degree of disability and assist the Board in arriving at a decision.

Statement of Case

Station

Date

A. Johnson
Mar 26/17

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---|
| 1. Unit <i>1st. Newfoundland</i> | 5. Age last birthday. <i>30</i> |
| 2. Regimental No. <i>240</i> | 6. Enlisted on <i>Aug. 1914</i> |
| 3. Rank. <i>Pte</i> | at <i>A. Johnson</i> |
| 4. Name. <i>Sergeant John</i> | 7. Former trade or occupation <i>Seaman</i> |

8. Disability

Diplopia

9. History *Due to shell bursting near him Gallipoli*
Nov. 1915

10. What is his present condition?

(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above.)

*Pupil of left eye widely dilated.
Says he has double vision of the
left.*

See report of Major. Greenland Negro attached.

11. Was sanatorium advised and refused?
operation

✓

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit?

Yes.

Signature

W. Burden

Rank or Qualification

Lieut.

Remarks if any by Officer in Hospital.

Place

.....

Signature

.....

Date

.....

Rank

.....

Opinion of the Medical Board.

In para. 13, the President should write "may" or "cannot" at x
Erase inapplicable words.

13. For pension purposes, the disability x *may* be considered as aggravated by—
due to
- (a) Service during this war.
 - (b) ~~Climate.~~
 - (c) ~~Ordinary Military Service~~

Remarks if any:— *left pupil dilated & complains of double vision on left eye R.S.H.*

14. At present his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market is lessened by:—
(Here the president should write in Total, 4-5, 3-5, 2-5, 1-5).

Remarks if any:—

20%

15. Is the disability permanent?

yes

16. Has the disability been aggravated by

- (a) Intemperance. *no*
- (b) Misconduct. *no*

17. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:—

- (a) Reasonable.
- (b) Unreasonable.

Remarks if any:—

18. We recommend discharge from retention in the Army

Remarks if any:—

Signatures.

R. S. H. President
Pindar, Capt
Seckerson
W. Mayo, Capt
Paterson

Place *Sydney*

Date *March 28/17*

APPROVED

Station

Date



Clay Macpherson Major
 Administrative Medical Officer.

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 240

Name **John Hipditch**

Apparent age **28** years months. Height _____ feet _____ inches.

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

Distinctive marks **Color: Fair, Hair: Dark, Eyes: Brown.**

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin **George Hipditch, Paradise, Placentia 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 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 5/9/14									
Joined at St. John's on 5th September '14									
<i>Discharged St. John's. 11/4/17</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " _____ "									

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Hipditch.

OF
Christian Name J.

Table I. - GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace: - Parish _____

County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	at	191	at	191
Declared age	years	days	years	days
Trade or occupation				
Height	feet	inches	feet	inches
Weight		lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measure. {	Girth when fully expanded ..	inches		inches
	Range of expansion ..	inches		inches
Physical development				
Vaccination marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
Number				
When vaccinated				
Vision	R.E. - V. =		R.E. - V. =	
	L.E. - V. =		L.E. - V. =	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
	(b)		(b)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection				
Approved by (Signature)		Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.
(Rank)				
Enlisted	at		at	
	on	day of	on	day of
Joined on enlistment	Corps	Regul. No.	Corps	Regul. No.
	1st.			
Transferred to.. .. .	Newfoundland	240.		
Became non-effective by				
(Signature)	on	day of	on	day of
(Rank)		191		191

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 of 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				
3rd. London Genl. Hospital Wandsworth.	2	1	16	6	1	16		5	<p>5 years ago. Old injury to eye.</p> <p>Shell burst near him. Smarting later.</p> <p>Diplopia lower part of field movements of left eye Defective in downward direction.</p> <p>Due to injury 5 years ago.</p> <p>Furlough.</p>	Lt. R.A.M.C.

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
15th. March.	Biplopia. Unfit for foreign service. M.J. Murray, Capt. R.A.M.C.

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



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 *Stephens John*
 Regiment from which discharged *1st. Newfoundland*
 Regimental number *240*
 Intended address *14 Lucie St.*
 Height on discharge *5* Feet *6 1/2*
 Color of hair on discharge *Dark brown*
 Complexion *Fair*
 Color of eyes *Grey*
 Figure on discharge *medium*
 Christian name of Father *George*
 Christian name of Mother *Mary*
 Wife's maiden name in full *Bessie Doyle*
 Date and place of marriage *7 Oct. 1916. P. Ohio.*
 Christian names of children *-*
 Place and date of soldier's birth *Paradise - 27 January 1887*
 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 S. Hammond *John Stephens*

(Rank)

Pte

Station

St. John's

Date

Mar. 26/17

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.

W. Borden Lewis

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

Station

St. John's

Date

Mar. 26/17



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1914

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

Examination of Rebecca John

aged 29

conducted at C I Barrony

Date: 1/9/14

Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST

FINDING

- 1 no
- 2 no
- 3 no
- 4 no
- 5 no
- 6 no
- 7 no
- 8 yes
- 9 yes
- 10 no
- 11 wide shakeq
- 12 n.
- 13 n.
- 14 ~~n~~ N
- 15 N N
- 17 N N
- 18 N N
- 19 $\frac{6}{9}$ $\frac{6}{9}$
- 20 N $\frac{6}{9}$
- 21 N
- 22 N
- 23 N
- 24 N
- 25 n
- 26 n
- 27 n
- 28 n
- 29 n
- 30 n
- 31 n
- 32 n
- 33 n

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Produce Placenta Bay

Signature of Medical Examiner:

Clary Macpherson M.D.

F.V. 240

COPY

4th Scottish Genl. Hosp.,
Stobhill.

Case of Hipditch.

This case is one of Paralysis chiefly of the superior oblique of the left eye and also of some branches of the third nerve of the same eye

He has now been under treatment for some time and there is practically no change. I am convinced that on account of the diplopia Pte. Hipditch is not at present fit for Military Service and is not likely to become so. Under these circumstances I would recommend his permanent discharge.

(Sgd) FREELAND FERGUS

Major, R. A. M. C. T.,
Optical Surgeon,
4th S. G. H.

P. S. I regard the condition as due to injury sustained in Military Service

F. F.

C O P Y

COPY

From the O.C.,
4th. Scottish General Hospital,

To the Officer Commanding
1st. Newfoundland Regiment,
AYR.

Reference:

No.240 Pte. Hepditch, John.
No.1056 Pte. Palley, Fred.

I attach herewith reports by Major Freeland
Fergus in the cases of the above-mentioned.

It would not be regular for me to Medical
Board these men here. You will observe that Major
Fergus states exactly what he considers ought to be
done with them.

I send these reports in order that the necessary
action may be taken by you. They will be discharged
from hospital in a few days.

n Stobhill, Glasgow,
28th. February, 1916.

(Sgd.) Hugh Walker,
Major & Registrar,
4th. Scottish General Hospital.

for. O.C.