



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2315 Name A. Holmes Corps _____

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? Archibald Holmes
2. What is your full Address? Sutton - Come - Bay.
3. Are you a British Subject? Yes.
4. What is your Age? 29 Months.
5. What is your Trade or Calling? None
6. Are you Married? No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, * which? Yes.
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? Yes.
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? Yes.
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? Name Corps _____
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? Yes.

FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR

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

Archibald Holmes SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

E. March 20th R.P. Holloway Signature of Witness.

Archibald Holmes OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at _____
on this 25 day March 1918
Signature of the Attesting Officer.

† Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the : _____
If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date _____ 1918
Place _____ Approving Officer.

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

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

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Name Archibald Holmes

Apparent age 20 years 9 months. Height 5 feet 10 inches.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 inches.
Range of expansion 3/4 inches.

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs Holmes
Selden - Cambridge - Mass | Relationship Father

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

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

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names.	Date and Place of Birth.

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	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 _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above									

Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days
 " " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " _____ "



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2315 Name A. Holmes Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- 1. What is your name? 1. Archibald Holmes ✓
- 2. What is your full Address? 2. Seldom. Come. bye.
- 3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes.
- 4. What is your age? 4. 20 Years 9 Months
- 5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Postman.
- 6. Are you Married? 6. No.
- 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? } 7. No.
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? } 8. Yes.
- 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? } 9. Yes.
- 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... } 10. { Name
Corps
- 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service } 11. Yes.
to be signed by you if you are accepted? }

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

Archibald Holmes SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

E. March 20th R. P. Hallway Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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

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

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at.....

on this.....day of.....1916.

Signature of Attesting Officer

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

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

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

Date.....1916 } Approving Officer.
Place..... }

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

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

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

2315

Name Archibald Holmes
 Apparent age 20 years 9 months Height 5 feet 10 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 inches
 Range of expansion 3 1/2 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Miss Holmes
12121 1/2 Con. Ave. | Relationship Sister
 Particulars as to Marriage

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.			
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>20-3-16</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> <u>March 20th 16</u>									
<u>Discharged 7 Sept 1919</u>									
<u>Contracted St John's St. Saviour for 18th 19th Co. Company for 19th 19th</u>									
<u>Joined 18th Co. in the field 14th 19th admitted 88th St. S. 20th 19th 19th 19th</u>									
<u>Wounded 9th 19th admitted 56th St. S. 10th 19th Invalidity to England 11th 19th 19th</u>									
<u>Wounded 4th 19th L. Sep. 11th 19th Sundry her letters to depot 12-12-17 to 12th 19th</u>									
<u>Arrived her first stand 21-12-18</u>									
<u>Demobilization St John's 5-2-1919</u>									

Total Service forfeited as above.....

Total Service towards Engagement to 5-2-1919 (date of discharge) 2 years 323 days
 Pension _____

C.R. 2315

Archibald Holmes was attested for General
Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON March 20th 1915.
Regimental No. 2315 was allotted to Pteg A. Holmes.

AUTHORITY: :
Record Ledger,
 Dept. of Militia.
 March 25th 1919

C.R. 2315

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot St. John's dated Feb. 7/1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilisation have been APPROVED
by Officer i/c Records on 5-2-19.

#2315 Pte. Arch. Holmes.

C.R. 2315

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

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

#2315 Pte. W. Holmes.

C.R. 2315

Extract from from Nominal Roll of Repatriation draft No. 79 per
which embarked at Filtur Books 18/12/18.
from End., Battalion of the Newfoundland Regiment.

#2315 Pte. A. Holmes.

C.R.

2315'

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, Depot St. John's
dated January 23rd., 1919.

The Discharge of the undernoted on demobilisation
have been APPROVED by C. C. Discharge Depot from
noted date .

#2315 Pte. A. Holmes

21-1-19.

C.R. 2315

Extract from Nominal Roll of NZIA. Regt. Draft No.11 from
2nd Bn. ~~BNMBN~~. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.S.F. Embarked Southampton.
3-10-16.

2315 Pte. A. Holmes.

C.R. 2315

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal WFLA.
Regt. Station G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon 27-10-17

Invalided to England.

.2315 Pts. A. Holmes.

12-10-17.

C.R. 2315

Holmes, Arch.

P. & R. O.

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Hazley Down Camp
 Date 28/11/18

1. Unit Royal Newfoundland 7. Former Trade }
 or Occupation }
 2. Regimental No. 2315
 3. Rank Plt
 4. Name HOLMES. A
 5. Age last birthday
 6. Enlisted { on
 at
- 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. P. leg perforating

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. Belgium.
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case. Boarded marked S¹ June 1918. HAZELEY DOWN CAMP
12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—
- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3). Wounded on active service.
- (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war. na.
- (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c. (VD cured)

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.

*Scar posterior surface calf leg
superficial cured, facial
paralysis side (left) which existed
prior to enlistment progressing.*

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

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

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

- If so—(a) When?
(b) Where?
(c) Opinion?

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

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

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

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

20. Do you recommend—

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

Repatriation (D)
MOR. 11
CASH NO.
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



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1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Archibald Holmes, Regl. No. 2315

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of 50 Dollars and 50 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.:

Allotment begins May 1st

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<u>2420</u>	<u>Father</u>	<u>Mass Holmes</u>	<u>Seldem. Cove. Nfld.</u>	<u>50</u>
		<u>Commencing 2/9/16.</u>		
			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.) R.P. Hollaway
Officer Commanding
H. Company
Sept 19th 1916.

(Sig.) Archibald Holmes
(Rank) Pt.

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.I./19, 26/5/17.

Regtl No. 2315 Rank Pt. Name Holmes, A. Unit ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. who was repatriated
Newfoundland on 11/12/18 Authority _____ Cause _____

DR. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT OR.

PERIOD: From 20/11/18. To 26/12/18.	PARTICULARS					£	s	d	PARTICULARS					£	s	d
	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.				Cr.	Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.			
	Balance Dr. from								Balance Cr. from							
	Allotment 19 days @ 50¢	19	50	11	19	1			Pay 19 days @ \$1.00	119	00					
	Cash Payments:								Field Allos 19 days @ \$ ¹⁰ / ₁₀₀	11	90					
	1 st Pay,								Other Allos days @ \$	120	90	14	5	11		
	2 nd "								Other Credits:							
	Other Debits:								Copy sent to of No. 21303/210							
	B. Damages								Ptd. 24-12-18							
	Misc. Stopp.								Total Credits			14	5	11		
	Total Debits			14	5	11			Balance due to Paymaster			14	5	11		
	Balance due by Paymaster			14	5	11						14	5	11		

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

F Co

HAZELEY DOWN CAMP

Dec. 11th 1918

(Place)

(Date)

J. K. ...
 O.C. "F" 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.

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Pay & Record Office, London,

at 2315 Rank

Name

Holmes A.

Pay	F.A.	Wkg.	Total
100	10		110
Less: Allotment			50
Net Rate			60

N.P.R. 3.

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£ s d		
						From	To			£	s	d
Balance					Balance	8/6/17				19	7	8
Acquittance Rolls		6	15	8	Pay @ Net Rate	8/6/17	27/11/17	17	25	60	103	20
Hospital Advances		1	7	0	Ration allowances							
A.B. 34					10 days @ 2/-	27/11	6/12					1
P. & R.O. Payments												0
Cheque No 7106		33	0	0	(33-9-1)							

41-11-9

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A.C.

No.

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ANGLO-AMERICAN

WESTERN UNION DIRECT UNITED STATES
CABLEGRAM



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WORDS	CHARGE	To _____	By _____	THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.	
24		VIA ANGLO.			

29/11/17 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To **KFM. MOSES E HOLMES**
SELDON-COME-BYE
REE (Newfoundland)
Notre Dame Bay

OH FURLOUGH FERLING FINE PLEASE CABLE TEN POUNDS
 THROUGH BANK OF SCOTLAND AYR

2315 A HOLMES



Authorized. *Charge to 2315 A. Holmes. II command Depot*

NOT TO BE
TELEGRAPHED.

Having read the conditions printed on the back hereof, I request that the above telegram be forwarded by the Western Union Telegraph-Cable System, subject to the said conditions to which I agree.

Signature _____

Address _____

58, Victoria St. S.W. 1.

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CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I.C. RECORDS
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT MEMORANDUM.
 33, VICTORIA STREET,
 From LONDON, S.W. 1.
 ENGLAND.

O.C. "F" COY.
 From 2nd BATT. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

To Officer Commanding,
 2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.
 Winchester.

To Paymaster

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office,
 27th March 1918
 2315, Pte. A. Holmes.

Winchester
 MAR 30 1918

With reference the attached letter from the O. C. "F" Company; 25/3/18, (2819):- Cheque for £23:5:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Voucher is also enclosed for completion, and return.

Cheque for 23:5:0 Pte. Holmes received & payment made.

[Signature]
 Major,
 Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records
 FM/S

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE
 Ref. Nos. IN 1991
 Rec'd 1 APR 1918
 Ack'd
 Ref. Nos. 001

At
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 O.C. "F" COY.
 2/218
 27/3/18

Forms
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MEMORANDUM.
 PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS,
 NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
 780, VICTORIA STREET,
 LONDON, S.W. 1.
 ENGLAND.

To Officer Commanding,
 2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt
 Winchester.

From

O.C. 7 Coy

To

Paymaster

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office,

29th January 1918

2315, Pte. A. Holmes.

Hazelton New Camp
31 Jan 1918

With reference to attached
 memo 23/1/18 (917); Postal
 Drafts £8:0:0 and £5:0:0 have
 been placed to credit of this
 man, in No. 2 (Trust) account,
 pending your further instructions.

Noted please

H.A. Munn
 Major,
 Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records

FM/S

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE
 105 W. O.C. 7 Coy
 105 W. O.C. 7 Coy
 Ack. 1
 Ref. Nos. 105 W. O.C. 7 Coy
 ACTED UPON
 BRANCH | DATE | BY
 Comd. | | |
 P & A. | | |
 R & C. | | |
 B & E | | |
 P.S. | | |

164/45 415 9341
7/1/50
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records,
Newfoundland Regt., 58 Victoria Street

2315 Pte ~~Hobbs~~ Holmes.

The attached are returned as this man has not yet reported to me, being still an absentee.

Mallett
Lieut. & Assistant Adjutant,
Northern Command Depot.

Ripon, 11/1/18

Lat
Op 2 1 1/2 1/8 1/4
Depot



12 JAN 1918

[Handwritten signature]

To the Paymaster:-

#2315 Pte. A. Holmes

sent us from hospital. Kindly forward to
us money-orders for line which were
returned to you while the above was
away from us

Hazelton Snow Camp,
Mch. 25/18.

D 2/218 27^{3/18}
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

Ref. Nos IN 9819

26 MAR 1918

Ack'd Ans'd

Ref. Nos 4993/347

A. J. CON
BY

Comd

P & R

B & F

P.S.

Paymaster General

O.C. "F" COY.
2nd. BATT. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

No. 17855/1943

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

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

To:

Officer Commanding,
2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.
Winchester.

4th November 1918

Subject: 2315, Pte. A. Holmes

Nov 6 1918

With reference to the following telegram (9492) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Receipt hereunder

Cam
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.,
Officer Commanding
Royal Newfoundland Regiment. LIEUT. COLONEL.

pay to 2315 Holmes £8:0:0

Received the sum of Eight
pounds on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

Draft £8:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

A Holmes

A. O. Munnell Maj.
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

No. 2315 Rank PL

Witness A Holmes

No. 14311/72

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N. F. P. 179.

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

To
Officer Commanding,
Northern Command Depot
Ripon

Subject: 21st December 1917

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Subject: 2315, Pte. A. Holmes

Receipt hereunder.

With reference to the following telegram (8203) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 20/12/17

Clap
Officer Comdg. 2 *Attn*
~~1st Newfoundland Regiment~~
N. C. P.

Pay to 2315, Holmes, £5:0:0

received the sum of £5

Draft £5: 0: 0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

_____ on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

F. H. Marshall
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

No. _____ Rank _____

No. 13554/52

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./79

From:

To:

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



Officer Commanding,
Northern Command Depot,
Ripon

10th December

1917

1917

Subject: 2315, Pte. A. Holmes,

With reference to the following telegram (7556) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 8/12/17

"Pay" to 2315 Holmes £8:0:0:

Draft £8:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

A. H. ... Maj.

Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

Officer Comdg. _____ Battn
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of _____

_____ on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

No. _____ Rank _____

771/50

2/1st Newfoundland Regt.
Winchester.

----- 15th January 8

2315, Pte. A. Holmes

7558

8 12 17

Pay to 2315, Holmes, £8:0:0

8:0:0

J
RSA

788/40

2/1st Newfoundland Regt.
Winchester.

----- 15th January 8

2315 Pte. A. Holmes

8203

20 12 17 5:0:0

Pay to 2315, Holmes £5:0:0

JH
RSH

No. 768/49

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./79.

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

To Officer Commanding,
2/1st Newfoundland Regt
Winchester.

Subject: 15th January 1918

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Subject: 2315 Pte. A. Holmes

With reference to the following telegram (8203) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 20 12 /17

9/24/18
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Receipt hereunder.

Pay to 2315, Holmes £5:0:0

Officer Comdg. _____ Battrn
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Draft £ 5:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier.

Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

received the sum of _____

[Signature]

_____ on account of cable remittance from Newfoundland.

[Signature]
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

No. _____ Rank _____

No. 771/50

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./70.

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

To Officer Commanding,
2/1st Newfoundland Regt.
Winchester.

Subject: 15th January 1918

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Subject: 2315, Pte. A. Holmes

Receipt hereunder.

With reference to the following telegram (7556) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 8/12/17

*As per
134*

Officer Comdg. _____ Battrn
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Pay to 2315, Holmes, £8:0:0

received the sum of _____

Draft £ 8:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier.

Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

_____ on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

A. O. Munnell Pay.
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

No. _____ Rank _____

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

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



No. _____ Date Nov 27th 1917 Admitted

(1) To the Officer i/c Records, 58, Victoria Street 12.10.17

S.W.

(2) The Officer Commanding, R.F.D. Command Depot

Reform, North

(3) The Paymaster, 58, Victoria Street

S.W.

Regimental No. 2315

Rank and Name Pte Hornlie A.

Regiment or Corps 1st R.F.D.

has been granted a furlough from Nov. 27th to Dec. 6th

His address while on leave will be: 58, Victoria Street (Furlough Dept)

S.W.

- (a) Duty. II Command Depot.
- (b) Light Duty, and likely to be fit for Service Overseas within three months.
- (c) Light Duty, and not likely to be fit for Service Overseas within three months or requiring special medical treatment.
- (d) Service at home, but unlikely ever to be fit for Service Overseas.

I consider he is fit for*

* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

Officer in charge

Registrar, R.A.M.C. Hospital,

3rd London General Hospital,

WANDSWORTH, S.W.

(Station).

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 Engineers two copies of A.F. W. 3016 will be sent to the Officer in charge R.E. Records and one to the Paymaster, instead of one copy to the Officer i/c Records, the Paymaster, and O.C. shown in the Schedule.

Subject to

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

No. 9837/948 ✓

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./70.

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

To: Officer Commanding
2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.
Winchester.

~~Subject:~~ 20th June 1918

Subject: 2315, Pte. A. Holmes,

With reference to the following telegram (5543) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 2315 Holmes £5:0:0

Draft £ 5:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

JRS
June 24^a 1918

Receipt hereunder.

LIEUT. COLONEL

COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of Five
pounds on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

a balance

Witnesses
No. 2315 Rank PTO
W. Dindor

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/108.

CIVIL EMPLOYMENT FORM

To be completed and signed by the Soldier and countersigned by the Officer Commanding his Company, and forwarded in DUPLICATE to the Pay & Record Office, 58, Victoria Street, London, S.W.1.

Regtl No. 2315 Rank Pte.
Surname Holmes Christian Names Archibald

1. What was your regular occupation previous to enlistment? Sailor.
2. Are you able to resume the same occupation? No.
3. Will your former occupation be open to you when you have received your discharge? No.
4. If you do not think so, state fully reasons why.

5. If your former occupation is no longer available, what form of employment do you now seek? Carpenter.
6. If a new form of employment is rendered necessary by disability caused by Military Service, what training do you consider requisite? No.

J. King
Capt.
Signature of O.C. "F." Company.

A. Holmes
Signature of Soldier.

Dated at

Hazelton Down Camp,
Winnchester.

6-12-1918

February 5th., 1919

#2315 Pte. Archibald Holmes,

Seldom-Come-Bye.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge
Certificate No. 834."

Yours truly,

Captain,
Paymaster & C.i/c Records

Enc^d 1.

Holmes, A.

2315

Ray Dept

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. 2315 Rank Plt. Name Holmes A. Unit ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. who was repatriated
to Newfoundland on 11/13/18 Authority _____ Cause _____

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.	PARTICULARS	\$				PARTICULARS	\$				CR.
		£	s	d	£		s	d			
PERIOD: From 23/11/16 To 20/12/18.	Balance Dr. from					Balance Cr. from					
	Allotment 19 days @ 50¢	9	50	1	19	Pay 19 days @ \$ 1 ⁰⁰	19	00			
	Cash Payments:					Field Allow 19 days @ \$ ¹⁰ / ₁₀₀	1	90			
	1st Pay.				15	Other Allowes days @ \$	20	90	4	5	
	2nd "				9					11	
	Other Debits:					Other Credits:					
	B. Damages				6						
	Mis Stopp.				1						
	Total Debits				4	Total Credits				4	
	Balance due by Paymaster				5	Balance due to Paymaster				11	

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

F. Co.

HAZELEY DOWN CAMP.

Dec 11th 1918.

(Place)

(Date)

J. J. [Signature]
O.C. [Signature] 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,

July 22, 1919

#2315 Pte. Archibald Holmes,
Seldom Come By.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your application I enclose cheque for seventy dollars (\$70.00), being amount of first payment due you on account of the war service Gratuity.

Yours truly

Captain & Paymaster.

10799

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 26th. 1919.

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration There must be no blanks and no dashes, if any questions are not applicable, the words "NOT APPLICABLE" must be written out.

On completion this Declaration is to be returned to THE OFFICER I/C RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

Christian name Archibald 2. Surname Holmes

3. Rank Private 4. Regtl. No. 2315

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded, Seldon Come by

740 District

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment March 20th 1916

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 dependents

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.

I was NOT on Active Service in Newfoundland except for Training Purposes

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas From 1st July 1916 to

4th Feb. 1919

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

I have had only one enlistment... And one Regimental Number

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...

I have not yet received any payment of Post Discharge pay or War Service Gratuity

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.

Not applicable

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.? No... If not give: (a) Date of discharge Feb 4th 1919 (b) Reason for discharge

medically unfit for further duty

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. Yes

On the Somme, from Oct to Nov 12th 1916 to March 4th 1917. Then at Arras, April 12th to June 11th 1917 then at Ypres, June 6th to October 9th 1917

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com. (b) If so are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee? I am not. No. Not applicable

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: *Archibald Holmes*
 Place of Residence: *Seldon Come by*
 Declared before me at: *Frigo*
 This *12th* day of *July* 19*19*....
Andrew Gosh...

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				
Date paid	Rank	Said	War Service	Net amount
		Soldier, Dependents	Gratuity.	due
.....
.....
Certified correct.				Pagmaster

[Faint, illegible text and markings, possibly bleed-through or ghosting from the reverse side of the page.]

February 12th. 1919.

Department of Militia,
City.

The sum of Six Dollars \$ 6.00 is due

Mr. Thomas Wagg, Port Albert, N.D.B., for driving
315 Pte. A. Helmes to his home.

<i>Trans.</i>	
ACCOUNT NO.	<i>10095</i>
DATE	<i>Feb</i>
AMOUNT	
PAY TO ORDER OF	
BY	

Voucher attached.

Correct for \$6.00

W.A.H.

J.C.Z.A.

C. D. Dickson

Demobilization Officer
Discharge Depot-Newfoundland

March 4, 1919

Mr. Thomas Wagg,
Port Albert, N.D.B.

A.C.R.

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith cheque for
\$6.00 being amount due you for driving #8315,
Pte. A. Holmes to his home.

Yours truly,

Capt.
Haymaster.

LM/

Enc. 1-

No. 9135

TRAVELLING WARRANT *B & B*

Date 22/1/19

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

*Please pay
Mr Thomas
Waggs*

General

Please issue 1st Class Passage and Meals for

No. 2315 Rank *Pvt*

Name *Holmes*

From

~~St. John's~~

To

Seldons Point Bay

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

PLEASE QUOTE THIS WARRANT NUMBER
ON STATEMENT AND MEAL CHECKS

C. S. Dicks Capt.
SIGNATURE OF ISSUING OFFICER.

Demobilisation Officer
Discharge Depot - Newfoundland

No 1054
papers

5553

seldom to come
By

Capt Howley 1/6/19

Sir/

Would you
kindly send me my post
discharge money as soon
as possible as I havent
received my payment since
I have been discharged
if I am greatly in need
of it I have written
twice before please
acknowledge this
letter &

Oblige yours
faithfully

Archibald.

Howley

813
Howley

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July 4



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

HEADQUARTERS

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

February 5th. 1919

Department of Militia,

The sum of Eighteen Dollars and Sixty Cents
\$18.60 is due Mr. R. W. Manuel of Lewisporte, for board, lodging,
and driving 2315 Pte. A. Holmes to his home.

Voucher attached.

Correct for \$18.60

6.2.19 G. D. Dicks Cpl.

Demobilisation Officer
Discharge Depot-Newfoundland

Geo. Leahy

Acty

DISTRICT OFFICER
NEWFOUNDLAND
FEB 7 1919
COMMANDING

NO. 110	9628	1917/18	<i>cur.</i>
NO. 110			
NO. 110			
NO. 110			
NO. 110			

Trans 130m \$15.3.60

No. 9133

TRAVELLING WARRANT

*Please pay
Mr. R. W.
In full*

Date 22/1/19

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

*the sum of
15 Dollars*

General

Please issue 1st Class Passage and Meals for

No. 2315

Rank Rt Lt

Name Holmes, A.

From Louisfort

ST. JOHN'S

To Boyer's Cove

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

PLEASE QUOTE THIS WARRANT NUMBER
ON STATEMENT AND MEAL CHECKS

A. D. Kirk
SIGNATURE OF ISSUING OFFICER.

Discharge Depot - Newfoundland

21-1-19

Prices consistent with quality are the best. A satisfied customer is our first consideration.

R. W. MANUEL, Proprietor
Mrs. R. W. MANUEL, Proprietress

Lewisporte, *Jan 24* 1919
Newfoundland

No. 2315 *Pte A. Holmes*

Dr. Manuel Hotel.

274.28

To Board and Lodging

~~8~~ ~~11~~
3 60

Motor Boat Hire

Cartage

Storage

Extras

Bills correct
Pte A. Holmes



Feb. 13th. 1919.

R. W. Manuel, Esq.,
Lewisporte, N.D.B.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$18.60,
being the amount due you for Transportation and Board
a/c Pts. A. Holmes.

Yours truly,

Capt. & Paymaster.

February 12th. 1919

Department of Militia,
City.

The sum of Seven Dollars \$ 7.00. is due

APPROVED	<i>Trans</i>
DATE	<i>10092</i>
BY	<i>EW</i>
FOR	
REMARKS	

Mr. Patrick Newman, Boyds-Cove For driving
2315 Pte. A. Helmes, *Boyd's Cove to Jewell Mr.*
~~to his home.~~

Voucher attached.

Correct for \$7.00

W. H. K.

12. 2. 19

P. J. Diko Capt.
Demobilisation Officer
Discharge Depot - Newfoundland

March 4, 1919

Mr. Patrick Newman,
BOYD'S COVE,
Hfld.

A.C.R.

Dear Sir :

I enclose herewith cheque for
\$7.00, being amount due you for driving
Pte. A. Holmes.

Yours truly,

Wapt.
Paymaster.

Please pay \$7.00

No. *G 234*

TRAVELLING WARRANT

Date *22/1/19* The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

*to Patrick
Keenan*

General.

Please issue 1st Class Passage and Meals for *Boys bone*

No. *2315* Rank *pts* Name *Holmes*

From *Boys Cove* - *St JOHN'S* - To *Farewell Pt*

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

PLEASE QUOTE THIS WARRANT NUMBER
ON STATEMENT AND MEAL CHECKS

Edwards Capt.
SIGNATURE OF ISSUING OFFICER.

Demobilization Office
Discharge Depot - Newfoundland



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 Archibald Holmes
aged 20 yrs. conducted at Fogo
Date: March 13th/16 Recruiting Officer: Fogo

NO. OF TEST	FINDING
1	no
2	no
3	no
4	no
5	no
6	no
7	yes
8	yes
9	no - no
10	no color blindness
11	good physique
12	normal
13	normal
14	normal
15	normal
16	u normal
17	u normal
18	u normal
19	normal 6/6 Lt 6/9 Rt
20	normal
21	normal
22	normal
23	normal
24	normal
25	normal
26	normal
27	normal
28	normal
29	no physical weakness
30	Ditto
31	normal
32	normal
33	no
34	5 ft 11 in 5'10
35	140 159
36	36 1/2 inches 13 1/2 38
37	550
38	Father
39	Nobody

2315

Signature of Medical Examiner: H. F. Donahue (M.D.)
Dr. Burden

used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists in the Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY

114 Hong Kong St.

Surname Holmes

Christian Name Archibald

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Seldom Cove County York

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	13 th	March		191
	at	Saint John's	at	
Declared Age	20	years		years
		9		days
Trade or Occupation				
Height	5	feet		feet
		10		inches
Weight		139		lbs.
Chest		38		inches
Measurement when fully expanded		3 1/2		inches
Range of expansion				
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
Number				
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=	6/6	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/6	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	NFLD		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	1914-18		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>James Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	Capt		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at	S. John's	at	
	on	13	day of	March
				191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
		1st Fed Reg 2315		
Transferred to	1st Newfoundland			
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of	on	day of
		191		191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick list in 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 further 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 th LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH.	12	10	17	27	11	17	G. S. W perforating L leg sebore	46	Wounded in France 8.10.17, skin untorn, ridge cut then Do further surgery	G C Hall Capt Med
3 rd Scottish General	24	12	14	11	2	18	Left of Puspuce 724 Fimbriae 20	50	Condition healed, discharge from unit (Army Hospital)	Stuckert Hqs. Capt.
4 th Scottish General Hospital, STOBHILL, GLASGOW.	12	2	18	4	3	18	Carbuncle 20	21	Section 2 anti Venere 1 of No. 3. 2 1/2. Condition clear. Yelko for Envocei Report	Stuckert Hqs. Capt.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

D 2315 S

DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2315 Rank RtE Name Holmes Archibald
 Date of Enlistment 13.3.16 Address Deedon Lane B. District 2090
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge B Medical Category E
 Recommendation S.M.B. Probably unfit Disability Rating Less than 20%
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:-

N.F. P. 3694	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 20-1-19

Archibald Holmes
 Capt
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am Not in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action. *a Holmes*

Date

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:-

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00

(b) Clothing Supplied Joseph A. Snowling

Date 20-1-19

O. i.c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *79133 134, 135*
MR 57A ... to his home
 at *Edson Ave. B.* and Release Certificate No. *877* issued.

Date *20-1-19*

C. S. Dicks
 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 *4-2-19*

Date *20-1-19*

W. H. C. Capt.
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *21. 1. 19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

Date *22. 1. 19*

C. S. Dicks Capt.
 Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED *h*

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.
 Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

ELIGIBLE for POST DISCHARGE PAY

Date *JAN 21 1919*

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

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

Date *Jan 23/19*

David ...
David ...

Reg. No. 2315 Rank pt. Name Holmes A.
Attested Address: Seldom come by
Allotment..... Allottee
Date of Allotment..... Returned from Overseas 21.12.18
Embarked for Overseas Cause Discharged

G. Leave from 31-12-18 to 6-1-19.

15-1-19. Rec Dis Permanently Unfit

20-1-19.

ASSIGNED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

21-1-19.

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2315 Rank PLC Name Holmes Archibald
 Date of Enlistment 13.3.16 Address Freedom, St. John's District 202
 Occupation Bookman Classification for Discharge B Medical Category F
 Recommendation S.M.B. Beneficially profited Disability Rating Less than 20%
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. R 394	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1.
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st.	" 2.
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd.	" 3. <u>3</u>
B 179	D 400B	Form L.	do 3rd.	" 4.
B 179a	D 400C	Form K.	do 4th.	" 5.
B 179b	B 103	ME 2.		" 6.
B 179c	B 120	M 93.		

Date 20.1.19

W. Holmes Capt
O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am not in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action W. Holmes

Date 20.1.19

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$100.00

(b) Clothing Supplied Joseph H. Snowfield

Date 20.1.19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *9133 154 154* *NER 572* to his home
 at *201 Cedar Lake* and Release Certificate No. *877* issued.

Date *20-1-19* Demobilization Officer *C. B. Dicks*

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 *4-2-19*

Date *20-1-19* Depot Paymaster *Monday Capt.*

Discharge approved for *21. 1. 19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/30	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	
E 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	<i>3</i>
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3	<i>2</i>
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4	
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5	
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6	
B 179c	B 120	M 93			

Date *22 1 19* Demobilization Officer *C. B. Dicks Capt.*

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to—

Officer i/c Records.
 Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

ELIGIBLE for FOOT DISCHARGE PAY

Date *JAN 21 1919* O. C. Discharge Depot *R. H. Sait Capt.*

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

Date

FORM K

No. 2021

1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

 I, *Archibald Holmes*, Regl. No. *2315*

 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of

 Dollars and *50* 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.:

Allotment begins

May 1st

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<i>2020</i>	<i>Father</i>	<i>Moses Holmes</i>	<i>Seldom. Come. bay</i>	<i>50</i>
			Total Allotment, \$	

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

(Sig.)

R. P. Holloway
R. Lewis
 Officer Commanding
 A. Company

(Sig.)

Archibald Holmes.

(Rank)

*Pte.**St. John's.*
April 19th 1916.

438A



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CASUALTIES

2nd BATTALION.

Reference Casualty Report 368.A.; deduct
2315, PTE. A. HOLMES (no longer in Hospital in
Scotland).

Authority:

Weekly Hospital
Return from
2nd Battalion.



NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.**Cable Connection with all the World****All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:**

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

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Dated

October 13, 1917.

To

Mr. Moses Holmes,**Seldom-Come-By.**

Regret to inform you that Record Office

London, officially reports **No. 2315, Private**
Archibald Holmes, is at Wandsworth suffering from
gunshot wound in the leg.

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

JOHN-R.-BENNETT, R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 2315

Extract From Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,
per S.S. "Sicilian" July 19, 1916.

2315 Pte. Holmes A.

C.R.

2315

Extract from Medical Board held Jan. 18th 1919.

2315 Pte. S. Holmes.

Recommended discharge as permanently unfit.

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps **1st Newfoundland**

Rank **Pvt.** Surname **Holmes** Christian Name **A**

Religion **meth.** Age on Enlistment **20** years **9** months.

Enlisted (a) **mar 20th 16** Terms of Service (a) **Duration from** Service reckons from (a)

Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____

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

Signature of Officer i/c Records.

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 Southampton		3 OCT 1916	
		Disembarked		4 OCT 1916	
		Joined Battalion		14 OCT 1916	
				With SATT	25.1.17
26.5.17	88 FA.	Ad. 267 Paris	France	20.5.17	E.O. 5268
29.5.17	36 FA.	Ad. Laebies	Do	24.5.17	E.O. 5694
9.6.17	Co. Unit	Re-joined Battalion	In the field?	JUN 1917	B 218 Y
	of Unit	Wounded in Action		9-10-17	B 213 B 2/10/17
	Hospital ship	En route to 56	Sea	11/10/17	W 3083
		G.O.W. 10/17	Stable		
					2 nd Lt MAJOR

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or called into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
(b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

Civil Re-establishment Committee



I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have had an interview with the Vocational Officer of the Civil Re-establishment Committee or other recognized vocational agent of the Committee who has explained to me the provisions made by the Committee for the industrial re-training of disabled or partially disabled sailors and soldiers as well as the readiness of the Committee to assist any returned sailors and soldiers (whether disabled or not) to find employment. My decision is as follows:

To become a carpenter.

a. Holmes.

Signature of Man.

B. H. Miller

Reg. No.

2315

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

St Johns Nf.

Date

Jan'y 16th 1919

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Hazeley Down CampDate 28/1/181. Unit Royal NewfoundlandOther Trade
or Occupation }2. Regimental No. 23153. Rank Pte4. Name Holmes. A.

5. Age last birthday

6. Enlisted { on
at

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. leg. perforatingStatement 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.

Belgium.

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

Boards. marked BI
June 1918. HAZELEY DOWN CAMP

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

(a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).

(b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.

(c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.

Wounded on Active ServiceN.A.V. D. C. (cured)

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?

Repatriation (1)

M. C. Brown
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.

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 Minister of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him 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, (A) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (B) due to causes not connected with present war, viz. (1) earlier active service, (2) climatic disease in pre-war service, (3) ordinary military service before the war. It is, therefore, essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.

(iv.) In answering question 21 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.

1. (a.) State whether the disability is clearly attributable to—

- (i.) Service during the present war;
- (ii.) Climate;
- (iii.) Ordinary military service;
- (iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.; or
- (v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary.

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

Scar about 2 inches across back of leg. - Superficial.

yes

G.S.W.

22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so, which?

23. Is the disability permanent?

24. If not permanent, how soon do the Board recommend re-examination?

25. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed for pension purposes at present?

Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:— 100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.

less than 20%

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

27. Do the Board recommend—

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

yes

28. If discharge is recommended it should be stated whether further medical treatment (including orthopaedic training) is desirable in a—

- (a) Sanatorium;
- (b) Hospital;
- (c) Convalescent home;
- (d) Asylum; or
- (e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended.

29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 114 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended?

30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person?

Signatures:—

Station

Date

Approved

Station

Date

H. H. Case President.

John Lawton
W. A. Brown Members.

Clayton Macpherson Administrative Medical Officer.





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

Archibald Holmes.

Regiment from which discharged

Royal Newfoundland

Regimental number

2015.

Intended address

Selton Camely.

Height on discharge

5' Feet *9.*

Color of hair on discharge

Dark.

Complexion

Fair.

Color of eyes

Grey.

Descriptive Marks

Figure on discharge

Slim.

Christian name of Father

James.

Christian name of Mother

Elizabeth.

Wife's maiden name in full

Date and place of marriage

Christian names of children

Place and date of soldier's birth

Selton Camely 1895.

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)

Archibald Holmes

Station

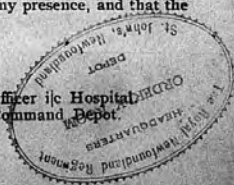
*St John's*Date *14.1.19*(Rank) *Plc.*

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

Station

Date

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



Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station HARLEY DOWN CAMPDate 22/11/16

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| <p>1. Unit ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND</p> <p>2. Regimental No. 2516</p> <p>3. Rank PRIVATE</p> <p>4. Name HOLMES ARCHIBALD</p> <p>5. Age last birthday</p> <p>6. Enlisted } on
at</p> | <p>7. Former Trade }
or Occupation }</p> <p>7a. If with previous service in Army, state—</p> <p>(a) Former Unit;</p> <p>(b) Regimental No.;</p> <p>(c) Date of Discharge;</p> <p>(d) Cause of Discharge.</p> |
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8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

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

GUN SHOT WOUND LEG. PERFORATING

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. **BELGIUM**
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case. **BOARDED MARKED 21 JUNE 1918 HARLEY DOWN CAMP**
12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—
- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3). **WOUNDED ON ACTIVE SERVICE**
- (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. **V.D.C. (CURED)**

SCAR POSTERIOR SURFACE CALF LEG. SUPERFICIAL
CURED. FACIAL PARALYSIS LEFT SIDE WHICH
EXISTED PRIOR TO ENLISTMENT, PROGRESSING

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?

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

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

20. Do you recommend—

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

REPATRIATION (1)

(Sgd) J. STP. KNIGHT, CAPT. ROYAL WFLD. REGT.

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.

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Opinion of the Medical Board.

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(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.

**SCAR ABOUT TWO INCHES ACROSS
BACK OF LEG - SUPERFICIAL**

1. (a.) State whether the disability is clearly attributable to—

(i.) Service during the present war; **YES**

(ii.) Climate;

(iii.) Ordinary military service;

(iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.; or

(v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary.

(b.) If due to one of the first three of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it? **G.S.W.**

22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so, which?

23. Is the disability permanent?

24. If not permanent, how soon do the Board recommend re-examination?

25. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed for pension purposes at present?

Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:— **LESS THAN 20%**
100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.

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

27. Do the Board recommend— **YES**

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or

(b) Change to England?

28. If discharge is recommended it should be stated whether further medical treatment (including orthopaedic training) is desirable in a—

(a) Sanatorium;

(b) Hospital;

(c) Convalescent home;

(d) Asylum; or

(e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended.

29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 144 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended?

30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person?

Signatures:—

(SGD) N. S. FRASER President.

Station ST. JOHN'S

J. S. TAIT

Date JAN. 15th., 1919

L. PATERSON, MAJOR

} Members.

Approved

(SGD) CLUNY MACPHERSON, MAJOR

Station

Administrative Medical Officer.

Date



The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2315 Rank Pvt Name Holmes, Archibald

Intended place of residence Seldom-comes-by

2. Occupation Fisherman

Classification of soldier B Medical Category F

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

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 ST. JOHN'S (sgnd) ALEXANDER C. C. Duley, Capt

Date Jan. 20, 1919 for 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 (sgnd) A. Holmes
Signature of soldier

20-1-19 " C. B. Dicks, 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 ST. JOHN'S (sgnd) A. Holmes
Signature of soldier

20-1-19 " W. J. Eaton RQMS.
Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 13-3-16 No of days on Military

Discharged from service 21-1-19 plus 14 days Service 1059

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place ST. JOHN'S (sgnd) R. H. Teit, Capt.
Officer Commanding Discharge Depot

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Date Jan. 21, 1919

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.

Place

Date Officer i/c Records
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Hold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.,

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's, Nfld.

Hold Here



July 2nd., 1921. 1919.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 833), is forwarded herewith toPrivate Archibald Holmesin respect of his service as No. 2315 Rank Pvte.Name Archibald Holmes Corps Royal Nfld. Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

Weth Shanks

Signature

Archibald Holmes *HJ.*

Date

Aug. 4th / 21

Address

Alcora 0 at
Canada

C.R. 2315

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL 1914-1919.

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

Name.....*Archibald Holmes*

Date.....*14/12/19*

Place.....*Alcorn Via Superior Junction*

1901



Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.



Fold Here

SEP 8 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**

is/are forwarded herewith to

Archibald Holmes

in respect of his service as No. **2315** Rank **Pte.**

Name **A. Holmes** **Royal Nfld. Regt.**
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received **Victory & British War Medals**

Signature **Archibald Holmes**

Date **Oct 24/21**

Address **Albora Cut**

[P.T.O.]