

First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No.

961

Name in full

Wesley Marshall Hudson

Age 21

Address

St. John's Island Cove Conception Bay

Married Single

Height

5' 8 3/4"

Weight

146

Color

Hair

Dark Brown

Eyes

Brown

Other distinguishing marks

Nearest relative

Father

Address

Dependents

Occupation

Teacher

Present Wage

50 month

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment

Jan 18 '14

Recruited by [Signature]

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.

Alex. M. Hudson.

Declared before me this 6 day

of 5 1914

[Signature]



**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.**

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

Reg. No. 911

Name Alex. Marshall Hudson

Apparent age 21 years      months. Height 5 feet 01 inches.

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

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

**INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.**

Name and Address of next of kin     

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 10/1/15  
 Joined at St. John's on 18th January '15

<p align="center"><i>Discharged April 31 1919</i></p>									
<p align="center"><i>Embarked S.S. Stephens St. John's 20<sup>th</sup> 15. Embarked N.S. 20<sup>th</sup> 15</i></p>									
<p align="center"><i>Embarked New and entrained for Lewis 31<sup>st</sup> 15. Embarked for Gallipoli 13<sup>th</sup> 16</i></p>									
<p align="center"><i>Landed Selva Bay night of 19-20 Sept 15. Admitted 4 David's Bn 16<sup>th</sup> Sept 15</i></p>									
<p align="center"><i>Involved to Lewis 12-16. Volunteered Handsworth 25-1-16. Embarked New entrained 14<sup>th</sup> 16</i></p>									
<p align="center"><i>L. Capt. 10-7-17. A. Capt. 9<sup>th</sup> 17. Confirmed Capt. 27<sup>th</sup> 17. A. Staff. 27<sup>th</sup> 17. In Newfoundland 12-12-18</i></p>									
<p align="center"><i>Arrived Newfoundland 31-12-18.</i></p>									
<p align="center"><i>Demobilization St. John's 2-4-19</i></p>									
<p align="center">Total Service forfeited as above ... ..</p>									

Total Service towards Engagement to 2-4-19 (date of discharge) 4 years 75 days  
 " " Pension " " " " " " " "

Hudson, S.

961

May 10<sup>th</sup> 1861

12/12/16  
3/17/16  
To be used only for Special Reserve Enrolls, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Hudson

Christian Name Alexander Marshall

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

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

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on 1 day of Jan 1915	at St. Johns.	on _____ day of _____ 1915	at _____
Declared Age	21 years	_____ days	_____ years	_____ days
Trade or Occupation	Teacher			
Height	5 feet 8 3/4 inches		_____ feet _____ inches	
Weight	146 lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	35 3/4 inches	_____ inches	
	Range of expansion	_____ inches	_____ inches	
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R. E.—V=	4/6	R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=	9/6	L. E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease			(a) Enlisted by Adjutant (Capt. Montgomerie) before W.O. Regulations received C.M.	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection			(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	Cluny Macpherson			
(Rank)	Capt.			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at St. Johns.		at _____	
	on 18 day of Jan 1915		on _____ day of _____ 1915	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	1st Regt. Regt.	Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	968	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on _____ day of _____ 1915		on _____ day of _____ 1915	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Table II.—Only for admissions to hospital or to the sick list

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on syphilis, admissions of treatment
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
3rd SCOTTISH GENERAL	5	7	16	22	8	16.	Blepharitis, unsp. -Genal. 289.	23	

in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters

the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of readmissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.

Signature of Medical Officer

12.6.16. L. peripheral vision, says  
he squinted when a child - Glasses  
not necessary.

Arthur James Ramsey  
M.D. R.N.S.

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.; Examinations 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
	<p>It is hereby certified that this soldier has been before the Standing Medical Board and has been classified as <u>B</u> for discharge on Demobilisation. Medical category <u>E</u></p> <p>16.1.19 Date of S.M.B.</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> Captain Assistant Adjutant General Discharge Inspector</p>

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
Sr John Uffel	Jan 15 15	20 Mar 15			
T.S. "Stephans"	20 Mar 15	22 Mar 15			
T.S. ORDUNA	22 Mar 15	30 Mar 15			
Birmingham Castle	30 Mar 15				



## 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 work with my father.*

*A. Hudson*

Signature of Man.

*Ed Dickson*

Reg. No.

*961*

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

*St. Johns*

Date

*18 - 3*

1919

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

B.F.F./28

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 22/5/17.

**ORIGINAL**

Regt No. 961 Rank Sergt Name Hudson. Unit R. Newfoundland Regt who was repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 11/12/18 Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

DR. OR.  
STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

PERIOD: From 23/11/18 to 20/12/18	PARTICULARS					PARTICULARS					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d		
Balance Dr. from						Balance Cr. from					
Allotment 19 days @ 50¢	9	50		1	19	0	Pay 19 days @ \$ 1.35	25	65		
Cash Payments:						Field Alice 19 days @ \$ .15	2	85			
						Other Allices days @ \$	28	50	5	17	
Other Debits:						Other Credits:					
Total Debits				1	19	0	Total Credits			5	17
Balance due by Paymaster				3	18	1	Balance due to Paymaster			5	17
				5	17	1					

*858*  
*18/12/18*

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

"P" Coy.,  
Hazley Down Camp, December 11th, 1918.

J. Nunns. Capt.,  
O.C. "P" Company.

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

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

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 961 Rank R/S Name Hobson PM

Enlisted (a) Jan 15/15 Terms of Service (a) 1 year Service reckons from (a) Jan 15/15

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

Extended Discharged Re-engaged August 15/15 Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Report		Record of promotions, selections, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form E. 213, Army Form A. 26, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form E. 213, Army Form A. 26, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				

		Embarked St. John's, NFLD.		20/3/15.	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
15/12/15.	Comdt., Malta.	Admitted, Frostbite ex "Rowa"	* St. David's Hosp., Malta.	2/12/15.	F 333.
26/1/16.	"Morea"	Invalided to England	H.S. "Morea"	12/1/16.	B 901.

*[Handwritten signature]*

*[Handwritten signature]*  
 Captain  
 for Major,  
 Officer i/c Records 11 & 12 Dists.,  
 Srd. Hobson, G.H.Q.M., 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, Shoeshing Smith, etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. (P.T.O.)

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.

Regt No. 961, Rank Sgt. Name Hudson, W.M. Unit ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. who was repatrolled  
to Newfoundland on 11/12/18 Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

DR.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

PERIOD: From 23/11/18. To 24/12/18.	PARTICULARS					CR.				
	\$	¢	£	s	d	\$	¢	£	s	d
Balance Dr. from						Balance Cr. from				
Allotment 19 days @ 50¢	9	5	1	19	1	Pay 19 days @ \$ 1.35	26	55		
Cash Payments:						Field Allow 19 days @ \$ 15/100	2	80		
1st Pay.			3	19	7	Other Allowes days @ \$	29	35	6	0
Other Debits:						Other Credits:				
B. Damages					6					
Misc. Stopps.					1					
Total Debits			6	0	7	Total Credits			6	0
Balance due by Paymaster						Balance due to Paymaster				7

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

H. Co. Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1918

Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office Hazeley Down Camp O.C. H. Co. Company. and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary. to 11

Pay & Record Office, London,

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

*Temporary*

used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and for the men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital. Form 2-178<sup>a</sup> to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

### MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Adair Christian Name A

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Examined ... .. { on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191  
at \_\_\_\_\_

Declared Age ... .. years \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_

Trade or Occupation ... \_\_\_\_\_

Height ... .. feet \_\_\_\_\_ inches \_\_\_\_\_

Weight ... .. lbs. \_\_\_\_\_

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded \_\_\_\_\_ inches.  
Range of Expansion \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

Physical Development ... \_\_\_\_\_

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... \_\_\_\_\_ Right \_\_\_\_\_ Left \_\_\_\_\_  
Number \_\_\_\_\_

When Vaccinated ... ..

Vision ... .. { R.E.—V= \_\_\_\_\_  
L.E.—V= \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Approved by (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Rank) \_\_\_\_\_ Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... .. { at \_\_\_\_\_  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191

Joined on Enlistment	Comp.	Regtl. No.
...	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland</i>	<i>961</i>
Transferred to	_____	_____

Became non-effective by ... ..  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Rank) \_\_\_\_\_





## Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Hazeley Down Camp.Date 29/1/18

1. Unit **ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REG.**
2. Regimental No. 961
3. Rank Serjt.
4. Name HUDSON
5. Age last birthday
6. Enlisted  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{on} \\ \text{at} \end{array} \right.$
7. Former Trade }  
or Occupation }
- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—
- (a) Former Unit;
- (b) Regimental No.;
- (c) Date of Discharge;
- (d) Cause of Discharge.

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

*(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).*Trench FeetStatement of Case.

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

9. Date of origin of disability.
10. Place of origin of disability.
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.
- Sent back from Gallipoli with Trench Feet. from which he has recovered with hospital treatment. Boarded July 1918 marked B.I. 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, etc.



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.

*Blepharitis. Defective vision left eye. (prior to enlistment).*

20. Do you recommend—

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

*Repatriation (2)*  
*M. J. [Signature]*  
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.

21. (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?

*Big toe nail dark colored & much thickened, painful  
Foot red-looking  
Blind, white eye (old condition)  
Upper lip pharitis better*

*Exposure (Climatic Conditions)*

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.

*20%*

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

27. Do the Board recommend—

(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. 1275 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended?

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

Station S. Johns

Date June 16/19

Approve Station JAN 16 1919

Date No.

[Signature] President.

[Signature]  
[Signature] Members.

[Signature] 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 *Alexander Hudson*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *961*

Intended address *St John's Lower Island Cove*

Height on discharge *5 Feet 10 "*

Color of hair on discharge *Black*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Brown*

Descriptive Marks

Figure on discharge *Tall*

Christian name of Father *Allan*

Christian name of Mother *Eliza*

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

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

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

Place and date of soldier's birth *Lower Island Cove 1894*

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) *Alexander Hudson*

Station *St John's* Date *6.1.19* (Rank) *Sergeant*

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 \_\_\_\_\_

April 3rd, 1919

#961 Sergt. Alexander M. Hudson,  
Lower Island Cove,  
Hk. Grace Dist.

Dear Sir:-

No. 1541."

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate

Yours truly,

Paymaster & C.i/c Records  
Captain.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 961 Rank Sergeant Name Hudson P.  
 Intended place of residence Lewis Island Cove
2. Occupation Teacher  
 Classification of soldier B Medical Category B
3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of DEMobilIZATION.

### Eligible for War Service Gratuity

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.
- Place St. John's  
 Date MAR 18 1919 for H. M. Lewis Lieut.  
 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  
18-11-19  
J. A. Hudson Signature of soldier  
Joseph A. Bowley 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  
18-3-19  
J. A. Hudson Signature of soldier  
Joseph A. Bowley Signature of witness

## STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 1-1-15 No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 20-3-19 Plus 14 days Service 1552 days

## APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer in Charge, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.
- Place ST. JOHN'S  
T. H. Lieut Capt Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
- Date MAR 20 1919

## CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.
- Place St. John's  
18-11-19  
J. A. Bowley Capt Officer in Charge  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

AD B 2079/1541

14  
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3  
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# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 961 Rank Sgt Name Sturgeon P  
 Date of Enlistment 1.1.15 Address Lower Island District St. John's  
 Occupation Teacher Classification for Discharge B Medical Category E  
 Recommendation S.M.B. Permanently unfit Disability Rating 20%  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P. 1344	B 268	B 121	1	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1		
B 178	W 3494	B 122		Board 1st	" 2		
B 178a	D 400A	B 191E		do 2nd	" 3	3	
B 179	D 400B	Form L		do 3rd	" 4		
B 179a	D 400C	Form K		do 4th	" 5		
B 179b	B 103	ME 2			" 6		
B 179c	B 120	M 93					

Date 21.1.19

*W. C. D. Charge Depot*  
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am                      in a position to resume civilian occupation.

*A. Sturgeon*

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date                     

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00  
 (b) Clothing Supplied

Date 18-3-19

O. C. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 1225 to his home at Amherst, Mass. and Release Certificate No. 1543 issued.

Date 18-3-19 Joseph H. Sawyer  
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 3/4-19

Date 18-3-19 H. M. H.  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 20.3-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P. <u>94</u>	B 268.	B 121.	N.F. Med.	D.P. 1	
E 178.	W 3494	B 122.	Board 1st.	" 2.	1 <u>3/19-19</u>
B 178a.	D 400A.	B 1915.	do 2nd.	" 3.	2
B 179.	D 400B.	Form L.	do 3rd.	" 4.	
B 179a.	D 400C.	Form K.	do 4th.	" 5.	
B 179b.	B 102.	ME 2.		" 6.	
B 179c.	B 120.	M 93.			

Date 19-3-19 Edwards Capt  
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

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

with following additional documents.

**ELIGIBLE for POST DISCHARGE PAY**

Date MAR 20 1919 R.H. Saut Capt.  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date .....

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

**DUPLICATE**  
**MAIL COPY**

N.F.P./94

To be rendered for all rank and discharge, ~~transfer~~ <sup>repatricated</sup> to other units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 28/5/17.

Regtl No. Newfoundland Name 11 12 18 Unit \_\_\_\_\_ Posted \_\_\_\_\_ who was \_\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_ on // / Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

DR. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

PARTICULARS	1918					1919					CR.												
	S	D	S	D	S	D	S	D	S	D													
Balance Dr. from																							
Allocation days @																							
Cash Payments:																							
Field Allowance days @																							
Other Allowances days @																							
Other Credits:																							
Other Debits:																							
Total Debits						1	19	0												5	17	1	
Balance due by Paymaster						3	18	1															
Total Credits						5	17	1													5	17	1
Balance due to Paymaster																							

CHECKED  
B.S.H.  
18/12/18

PERIOD: FROM

"P" Coy., Hazley Down Camp, December 1918, Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of J. Hanna, Capt.

(Place) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date) 191  
Made up, checked and in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London to 19/12/18.  
and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.  
Pay & Record Office, London,  
Dec. 19th. 1918.  
A.O. Munson Maj.  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who claims War Service Gratuity under Order-in-Council dated January 28th. 1919.

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

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

- Christian name *M. Alexander* ..... *Hudson*  
S. Rank *Serjeant* ..... 4. Regt. No. *961* .....  
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *Lower Island Cove*  
*B. T. T.*  
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *July 13/1915*  
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....  
*Not Applicable*  
8. Relationship of such dependents..... *Not Applicable*  
9. Address in full of such 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 App*  
11. Were you on active service only in field, if so, give dates and particulars of such service..... *Overseas*  
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in field or Overseas..... *4 years 5 1/2 days*

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

Not Applicable

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.

Not Applicable

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge? no

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

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

Not Applicable

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England? Not Applicable

(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 20/2/19 (b) Reason for discharge

Weakness

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 Y.P.

Gallipoli from Sep 12/19 to Dec 19/19

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. 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: *Alexander M. Hudson*  
Place of Residence: *London Lo Cove*

Declared before me at:  
This *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *May* 1919.....

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				Net amount
Date paid	Paid	Paid	War Service Gratuity.	Due
	Soldier.	Dependant:	<i>6 mes.</i>	<i>44 20/100</i>
Certified correct.				<i>James Duffell</i>



N<sup>o</sup> 1059

### 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ALLOTMENTS

I, Alexander Marshall Hudson, Regl. No. 961  
hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form, to make an Allotment of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars and fifty Cents, per diem, from my Pay,  
to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup> <sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof  
of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup> <sub>or</sub> Persons  
concerned, viz :

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<u>1066</u>	<u>Father</u>	<u>Allen Germaine Hudson</u>	<u>Lower Island Cove Conception Bay</u>	<u>50</u>

Total Allotment, \$

E.—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.) [Signature]  
Officer Commanding  
Company  
St Johns  
Nov 15 1915

(Sig.) Alex M. Hudson  
(Rank) Private



ST. JOHN'S, Mar 18<sup>th</sup> /19

# Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account.

To Sgt. A. Hudson

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Dec 21<sup>st</sup> /19 to Mar 20<sup>th</sup> /19

961- Sgt. A. Hudson 93 00

ACCOUNT	<u>29-23</u>
NO. NO.	
ISS. LEADS.	
<del>ISS. LEADS.</del>	
ISS. LEADS.	

Certified correct for \$ 93.

Joseph D. Shaw  
Billeting Officer.

A. Hudson

A. M. Hudson

961

P. R. O.

No. 1059



## 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

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

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
166		Tratte Allan Jensen Hudson	Lower Island Cove. Conception Bay	50
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.) Rue Shylock  
Officer Commanding  
Company

(Sig.) Alex M. Hudson  
(Rank) Private

St John

Mar. 15 1915





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

Date

Feb 4<sup>th</sup>

1916

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

V

58 Victoria St

Westminster (Station.)

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Contingent

Ayr (Station.)

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria St

Westminster (Station.)

Regimental No. 961

Rank and Name Pte Hudson A.

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

has been granted a furlough from Feb 4<sup>th</sup> to Feb 13<sup>th</sup>.

His address while on leave will be:—

58 Victoria St Manley Hotel  
Westminster Kingsbury

This man has been given a voucher to Victoria & an advance of £1 (one pound)

I consider he is fit for \*  Duty.  Light duty.

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

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

\* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

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

Enclosure

MEMORANDUM

Paymaster & O. 1/c Records  
Newfoundland Contgt.,  
58, Victoria St.,  
London, S.W. 1

From Officer Commanding

2/1st Newfoundland Regt.  
To The Paymaster

To Officer Commanding,  
2/1 Newfoundland R.,  
Barry,  
Scotland.

Newfoundland Regt.  
ANSWER. London, S.W.

HT/NW

Pay & Record Office,

Barry Camp,

5th July, 1917.

July 15th/17 1917

No. 981, PTE. A.M. HUDSON

Original letters:

No. 54, 12/6/17, from H.E.  
the Governor,

8/6/17, from L. G. Hudson,  
addressed to Major  
Montgomerie,

passed to you for your  
advices and return of docu-  
ments to enable me to reply,  
please.

It is regretted that  
regulations do not permit of  
this man of obtaining  
furlough to Newfoundland.

*W. J. ...*  
Major,

Paymaster & O. 1/c Records

*Ch...*

1917
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No. 3702
Rec'd. JUL 14 1917
Ass'd.
Ans'd. COMMANDING OFFICER 2/1st N.F.S. REGT., NEWTON-ON-AVE, W.C.
File No.

LT-COL.



GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
ST JOHN'S,  
NEWFOUNDLAND.

No. 54.

Paymaster & O i/c Records,  
London.

I forward a letter from Mr. Louis G. Hudson regarding No. 961 Pte. Alex. M. Hudson, who is alleged to have lost an eye and to be unfit for further active service.

For consideration in due course.

W. L. Davidson

Governor.

12 June, 1917.

RECORDED	INDEXED
FILED	RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No.	355
Rec'd.	JUL - 5 1917
Ass'd.	
Ans'd.	4/2/17
File No.	7050/86

14th July, 7.

7056/96

His Excellency the Governor,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

Sir,

No. 961, Pte. A. M. Hudson

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Your Excellency's letter No. 54, 12/6/17, and to enclose copy of my No. 6641/412, 8 & 12/7/17, exchanged with the O.C. 2nd Bn.

I also return letter 8/6/17 from Mr. L. G. Hudson, addressed to Major Montgomerie.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Major,  
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HT/RW



# Department of Militia

St. John's, Newfoundland,

September 25th. 1917/91

DUPLICATE.

From Minister of Militia,  
St. John's, Nfld.  
To Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,  
London, S. W.

Cable Remittance. 961 Hudson.

I beg to confirm our telegram of even date as per attached copy.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*Montgomery*  
Major.

For Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	V 6264
Rec'd.	27 OCT 1917
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	<i>Ed</i>
File No.	

## 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.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connection with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

## (NOT TRANSMITTED)

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Red	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated September 25th, 1917To Synoptical, London.

Pantibs nine sixty-one Hudson philostise.

Translation  
 Payp (961) Hudson £ 0 = 0 0.

Charge Department of Militia.

Report. Of ... 16 -

17772/1936

2/Bn Royal Wfld. Regt.  
Winchester.

2nd November 8

961, Sgt. A. Hudson

✓ 9426

Pay to 961 Hudson 66:5:4

6:5:4

X  
4/027529

No. 4977/359

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

W.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 Newfoundland Regt.  
Winchester.



Subject: 2nd April 1918

16 APR 1918

Subject: 961, Cpl. A. M. Hudson,

With reference to the following telegram (2923) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 29/3/18

Pay to 961 Hudson £3:0:0

Draft £ 3:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

*[Signature]* LIGHT COLONEL  
COMMANDING 2/BATTAL ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.  
1st Newfoundland Regiment

received the sum of Three  
pounds on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

A. M. Hudson  
No. 961 Rank Cpl



No. 17772/1938



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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

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

To:

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

2nd November 1918

Nov 6<sup>th</sup> 1918

Subject: 961, Sgt. A. Hudson

With reference to the following telegram (9486) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 961 Hudson £6:5:4

Draft £6:5:4 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

*A. D. Minors Maj.*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

*Chambers*  
LIEUT. COLONEL,  
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Received the sum of six pounds for challenges - expenses on account of cable remittance from Newfoundland.

A. Hudson  
No. 961 Rank Sgt

Witness \_\_\_\_\_

## Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station HAZELEY DOWN CAMPDate 29 NOV 1918

1. Unit ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REG.
2. Regimental No. 961
3. Rank Sgt
4. Name HUDSON
5. Age last birthday
6. Enlisted  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{on} \\ \text{at} \end{array} \right.$

7. Former Trade  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \\ \text{or Occupation} \end{array} \right.$ 

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).**Trench Feet.*Statement of Case.

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

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

*Sent back from Gallipoli with  
Trench feet from which he is  
recovered.  
Boarded July 1918 marked S1  
Category. 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.

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.

*Glaucoma left eye (prior to Enlistment)  
Defective vision left eye*

20. Do you recommend—

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

*Repatriation (2)*

*Mic  
A. Jones*

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.

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE OFFICE COPY.

N.F.P./94

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

Regt No. 961 Rank Sgt. Name Hudson Unit ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT who was repatrolled  
to Newfoundland on 11/12/18. Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

	PARTICULARS	£	s	d		PARTICULARS	£	s	d	GR.
PERIOD: From 23/11/18 To 20/12/18  \$58. 18/12/18	Balance Dr. from					Balance Cr. from				
	Allotment 19 days @ 50¢	19	50	11	19	0	Pay 14 days @ \$ 1.35	26	65	
	Cash Payments:						Field Allow 19 days @ \$ <sup>15</sup> / <sub>100</sub>	2	80	
							Other Allowes days @ \$	29	35	6 0 9
	Other Debits:						Other Credits:	25	65	
							65/100 sent M. J. M.	2	85	
							2/302/209 F.V.S. 23/12/18.	28	50	15 17 1
	Total Debits			11	19	0	Total Credits			15 17 1
	Balance due by Paymaster			15	17	1	Balance due to Paymaster			6 0 7
				15	17	1				15 17 1

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

F. C.  
(Place) HAZELEY DOWN CAMP (Date) Dec 11<sup>th</sup> 1918

J. J. M.  
to \_\_\_\_\_ O.C. "J." 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,

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

# OFFICE COPY.

Amended Statement.

## LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94.

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

Regt No. 961 Rank Sr Sgt Name Mudson. Unit Royal Nfld Regt who was rehabilitated  
to Newfoundland. on 12/12/17 Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

DR.

### STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

	PARTICULARS					PARTICULARS					CR.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	
Balance Dr. from						Balance Cr. from										
Alotment 19 days @ 50¢	19	50	11	19	1	Pay 19 days @ \$1.35	125	65								
Cash Payments:						Field Allice 19 days @ \$.15	12	85								
<i>Payment 7/12/18</i>			13	19	7		125	50	15	17	1					
Other Debits						Other Allices days @ \$										
<i>Barrack Damages</i>			1		6	Other Credits:										
<i>Misc. Stoppages</i>			1	1	5	<i>Coppy Rent</i>										
						<i>Headqrs.</i>										
						<i>N. 2.9/20.</i>			17	54	28					
Total Debits			16	0	7	Total Credits							15	17	1	
Balance due by Paymaster						Balance due to Paymaster							1	3	6	
			16	0	7								16	0	7	

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

London. Jan'y 27<sup>th</sup> 1919

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,

Jan'y 27 1919

U.C. " " Company.

Chief Paymaster & C. i/c Records.

CHECKED  
30/1/19

PERIOD: From 27-11-17 To 11-12-18

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. .... *961* ..... Name *Hudson* .....

To certify that I have received the 'AB 64 of the above  
named soldier.

Name *Alfred M. Hudson* .....

Date... *4-6-20* .....

Place *Lower 90 Case* .....

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



RECEIPT.

961

FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND OF VICTORY MEDAL 1914-1919.

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

NO. *961*.....NAME *A. M. Hudson*.....

DATE *26-1-20*.....

PLACE *Lower 2 Cove*.....

Receipt

C.R. 961

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915  
Star.

No 961

name

Walter M. Hudson

Witness

Beatrice Lous

Date

10-12-19

Place

Lamar Jo. Cox



A. G. HUDSON  
GENERAL DEALER



LOWER ISLAND COVE, 3-----5--- 19 20  
NEWFOUNDLAND

CR 961

2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut. H. C. Janes,  
Casualty Officer.

Dear Sir;-  
Your favor of Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> was duly received  
and I very much regret having overlooked the enclosed  
Receipt, thanking you

Respectfully yours

*Alan M. Hudson*

C.R. 961

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Rifles.  
Regt. St. John's, April 4th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization  
has been confirmed by Officer I/c Records on noted dated  
date

961 Sgt. Alex. Hudson

2-4-19.

C.R. 961

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RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF  
RIBAND OF 1914-15 STAR.

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

Name. *S. J. Johnson*

Date. *20.5.19.*

Place. *S. J. Johnson*

Please complete the following claim and  
return it to this Department. If possible, call  
at Room No. 8 for your issue.

Lieut. Colonel,  
Chief Staff Officer.

CLAIM FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND  
of 1914-15 STAR.

Department of Militia,  
St. John's.

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

I certify that I am entitled to this issue,  
having served on\* *Gallipoli (Suez)*  
from *Sept 1914* 1915 to *Nov* 1915.  
(Date *Sept 1914*) *S. J. O.* (Rank) *S. J. O.* (Name) *S. J. O.*  
(Place) *St. John's.*

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

C.R. 961

Extract of DAILY ORDERS PART II ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND  
REGIMENT DEPOT ST. JOHN'S DATED MARCH 21st/19.

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The Discharge of the undernoted on Demobilisation  
has been APPROVED by O.C. Discharge Depot from noted  
date.

#961 Sgt. P. Hudson.

20/3/19.

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sent by \_\_\_\_\_ Recd by \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Power Goldlove  
 Place Capt Duley  
 To Reg Hayes



*Since found no trains  
 travelling impossible  
 must report immediately  
 prepaid  
 961 Sgt. A. Hudson*

*Report my first opportunity  
 Capt Duley  
 March 3/1919*

C.R. 961

Extract from Medical Board Report, January 16th, 1919.

961 Pte. Hudson, A.

Recommended Discharge as permanently Unfit.

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C.R. 961

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, Depot  
St. John's dated December 23rd., 1916.

The u/a returned from Overseas and reported  
at Depot, 21-12-16.

#961 Sgt. A. M. Hudson.

BC .



C.R. 961

Extract from Nominal roll of repatriation draft No. 79 per  
S.S. "CORSIKAN" which embarked at Tilbury Docks, 12/12/18.  
from the 2nd., Battalion.

#961 A/Sgt. A. H. Hudson.

Dear Mr. Hudson,

C.R. 961

I am directed by the G<sup>o</sup> to acknowledge receipt of your ~~letter~~ <sup>communication</sup> of 15<sup>th</sup> inst, the purport of which gave H & ~~and~~ pleasure.

The Gov desires to congratulate you upon the fact that your gallant son has recently received promotion in the Regiment.

H & is glad to learn from ~~your letter~~ that your health has so much improved, & he ~~desires~~ <sup>hopes</sup> to assure you that he ~~is~~ <sup>is</sup> glad to hear of it & give him much pleasure to forward the application to which ~~he~~ <sup>reference</sup> is made in your letter.

Allen G. Hudson Esq  
Comd 3rd Reg Cav B.D.V.

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Wm. Watson Draft in a pleasant  
letter of the 14th inst. 1817

Two Island Cove  
Bay de Verde Dist  
August 1817

A. B. Hudson

To His Excellency Governor Davidson  
St. Johns

Your Excellency will pardon my pre-  
sumption in writing I hope, but I want  
to thank you for the interest you took  
in enquiring into the case of Alex. Mc Hudson,  
my son, who is on duty at Cay.

The beginning of the summer I was  
taken with lambrage just at the time of fitting  
out for the fishery, and for more than a week  
I could not go to work, and it appeared that  
much inconvenience would result to a number  
of families and loss, if I could not lead my  
business, so the Rev. C. P. Clout undertook  
to communicate with you to find whether  
Alex. could be furloughed home for the summer  
as he was not quite fit for the fishing line on  
account of his sight being impaired.

You condescended to make all necessary enquiry  
and inform me through Mr. Clout of the facts of  
the case. I am pleased to inform you that

I have been able to carry on my business  
successfully, have recovered my health, and  
been able to help many others to help themselves.  
In regard to calling my son home I do not  
wish to have him as long as he can in any  
way help the cause to which he willingly gave  
himself, and is just as willing to continue  
in unto the end. I was in hospital under  
a double operation when he left for England  
and I would not ask his detention there although  
my life was in jeopardy, either do I now desire  
for benefit or personal ease or pleasure to  
subtract one ounce of effort from this terrible  
war, until right prevails and victory for our  
Empire is carried all round the world.  
I will work as long as I can to this end  
and trust that with a little extra effort  
on my part that dear old life will be no  
worse off when the war is ended (and may that  
be soon) because my boy is where he ought to  
be, serving his King and Empire.  
Again I thank you Governor Davidson,  
I am also pleased to inform you that Alex has  
received a stripe and promotion in attention to  
duty recently. Believe me, Your Excellency to be  
Your Obedt<sup>o</sup> servant Allan G. Hudson Gov Secy

August 8, 1917.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 6th instant the application regarding furlough for Private A.M. Hudson was duly forwarded with a statement of the special grounds for consideration, each case being thus reported for the consideration of the medical authority, but the rule is this: All men discharged from Hospital are marked according to their health. A & B classes are fit for full duty; C & D classes are fit only for light duty or home defence.

If Pte. Hudson is classified in C or D, the Doctor may certify that he would benefit by a sea voyage or by a change home. If he is in A or B, furlough is not permitted. But parents and relatives have the satisfaction of knowing that the young soldier is in good health and strength.

You will well understand that it would not do for me or for anybody to override or attempt to modify the wise decisions of the highest Military Authorities.

Yours sincerely,

Governor.

Rev. C.R. Mount,  
Methodist Parsonage,  
Lower Island Cove.

Reply  
The Standard covered  
but preface it with  
a note that the application  
was duly forwarded into  
the Comd of 1st  
Special Normal  
each one being  
then referred to  
decided in  
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Parsonage,  
Ankhorst  
/ 1st of June  
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W.S.D.  
8.8.77

His Excellency Sir W. E. Davidson K.C. & G.

Lower S. Cove.  
Aug 6 1911  
C.R. 961

St. John's  
Sir:-

A few weeks ago, I wrote about Private A. M. Hudson, who at present is in England, blind in one eye, unfit for further active service, & asked for his discharge owing to the condition of his father's health.

May I ask Your Excellency if any steps have been taken for an inquiry into his condition? If not, may I renew my appeal, & suggest a furlough, or discharge seeing he has given two & a half years service. Your interest & favour will be greatly esteemed.

Yours obediently,  
C. R. Blount

C.R. 961



DUPLICATE  
MAIL COPY  
Posted 26 JUL 1917

14th July, 7.

7056/56

His Excellency the Governor,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

Sir,

No. 961, Pte. A. M. Hudson

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt  
of Your Excellency's letter No. 84, 12/6/17, and  
to enclose copy of my No. 5641/412, 5 & 15/7/17,  
exchanged with the O.C. 2nd Bn.

I also return letter 5/6/17 from Mr.  
L. G. Hudson, addressed to Major Montgomerie.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Major,  
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HT/WW

For reply  
W.S.A  
10.2.17

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS:  
"SYNOPTICAL,"  
LONDON.

TELEPHONE:  
VICTORIA 147.

COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS,  
AND THE FOLLOWING NO. QUOTED:

7056/86

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

55, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.,

14th July, 1917.

His Excellency the Governor,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

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Sir,

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to enclose copy of my No. 8641/412, 5 & 13/7/17,  
exchanged with the O.C. 2nd Bn.

I also return letter 8/6/17 from Mr.  
L. G. Hudson, addressed to Major Montgomerie.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*R. A. M. Hudson* Major,  
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.



14th July, 7.

7056/86

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HT/XV

5541/41B

Paymaster & O. i/c Hqs.,  
Newfoundland Contgt.,  
59, Victoria St.,  
London, S.W. 1

Officer Commanding,  
2/1 Newfoundland R.,  
Barry,  
Scotland.

BT/NW

Pay & Record Office,  
5th July, 7

No. 961, PTE. A.M. HUDSON

Original letters:

No. 54, 12/6/17, from H.E.  
the Governor,

8/6/17, from L. G. Hudson,  
addressed to Major  
Montgomery,

passed to you for your  
advice and return of docu-  
ments to enable me to reply,  
please.

Major,

Paymaster & O. i/c Records

Officer Commanding,  
2/1st Newfoundland Regt.

The Paymaster,  
Newfoundland Regt.,  
London, S.W.

Barry Camp,

July 23th/17.

It is regretted that  
regulations do not permit of  
this man obtaining furlough  
to Newfoundland.

(Sgd) G. Karn, Capt.,  
for Lt. Col.,  
Commanding 2/1st Mfld Regt.

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JUL 14 1917	
RECEIVED	
2/1st Mfld Regt.	

Methodist College Home June 9th  
1917.

Major Montgomery,  
Officer Commanding  
at Headquarters, St. John's.

Sir:—

My brother, <sup>W. H.</sup> Alex. M. Hudson, No. 961 D. Co. of the 1st Nfld. Regiment went overseas in March 1915 and served in the Gallipoli Campaign. As the result of exposure in the trenches he lost the sight of one eye and from recent reports we fear that the <sup>vision of the</sup> sight of the other is somewhat seriously impaired.

Since the withdrawal from Gallipoli he has been considered unfit for active service, yet he has offered several times for service in France.

If he can qualify for duty on the firing line we shall be glad for him to go, but that seems impossible, and his father and mother would, considering his state physically, both like to have him home.

But a few days ago his father, <sup>who is advanced</sup> suffered from a serious ~~hemorrhage~~ and needs his help, badly at the homestead.

I shall be glad, sir, if you will <sup>consider</sup> this matter <sup>and in due time</sup> refer to His Excellency the Governor, and if it is your pleasure arrange with his <sup>high</sup> commanding officer for his discharge. Awaiting a reply at your convenience, I remain  
Yours faithfully

Louis G. Hudson,  
Teacher, Methodist College

Sincerely,

~~For instructions~~

~~Received from~~  
Major

June 11/17



Government House,

12 June, 1917

Officer Commanding,

Headquarters.

I am forwarding the letter addressed to you by Mr. Louis G. Hudson, Methodist College Home, to the Pay and Record Office for special enquiry regarding No. 961 Pte. A.M. Hudson.

Please reply to Mr. Hudson that I deeply sympathise with him in his anxiety that the lad should return if he is no longer fit for active service, and I am much concerned at the state of his father's health.

Governor.

Government House,

St. John's, Nfld.

18 June, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I am directed by the Governor to  
acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 6th inst.

His Excellency deeply sympathizes with the  
father of Pte. Hudson in his anxiety that the lad  
should return if he is no longer fit for active  
service, and will forward a request to the Pay and  
Record Office London, for consideration of the case  
of Pte. Hudson.

Yours sincerely,

Capt.

Private Secretary & A.D.C.

Rev. C.R. Blount,

Methodist Parsonage,

Lower Is. Cove.

## SESSION I (L.A.)

Bills Introduced	2nd	3rd
31.5. (1) Daylight Saving (Priv.) Upper	1.7.	1.6. 5.
" (2) Amended Death Duties (P.M.)		5.
" (3) Discipline on Ships Controlled (P.Mg)		5.
" (4) Losses of Fire Insurance (P.M.)		5.
" (5) Riverside Woollen Mills (C.S)		
" (6) Riverside Woollen Mills		

(1). Forward for consideration.

(2) Ackn. receipt & sympathetic note sent to original  
applicant thru the Methodist-Parsonage,  
London - add also the  
name form of reg to and  
application W.C.S. 7.6.17  
Louise D. Cove.  
June 6<sup>th</sup> 17.

To His Excellency Sir Walter E. Davidson, K.C.M.G.,  
Governor of Newfoundland.

May it please Your Excellency:-

On behalf of A. G. Hudson, J.P. I beg you  
to consider giving an honourable discharge to Private  
Alex. M. Hudson, 961 D Co., "First Bats.", First Field Reg.

His father is in a critical state of health, suffering  
from Hemorrhage of the Lungs, & is depending upon  
this son to look after the business.

Our plea is based upon the following facts:-  
He enlisted Jan. 1915, went through the campaign  
in Gallipoli, sent to Wandsworth Hospital, then  
to the base at Ayr. Owing to the loss of sight in  
one eye, & the other eye being in a weak condition, he  
has been turned down when offering for further  
service in France. Seeing that he is of no further  
service for the Front, it would be a great favour  
if he could be discharged from service.

Trusting you will give this your consideration.

Yours obediently  
C.R. Blount.

C.R. 961

No. 54.

Paymaster & C i/c Records,  
London.

I forward a letter from Mr. Louis G. Hudson regarding No. 961 Pte. Alex. M. Hudson, who is alleged to have lost an eye and to be unfit for further active service.

For consideration in due course.

Governor.

12 June, 1817.



MAR 21 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. 961, Private A. M. Hudson, who was previously reported at Wandsworth January 28th suffering from frostbite, is now fit for duty and was granted furlough Feb. 4.

This information has been received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. A. G. Hudson,  
Lower Island Cove.

C.R. 961

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Mediterranean  
Expeditionary Force, List No: H. 5240, dated Jan. 31st 1916.

961 Pts. A. Hudson.

1/Newfoundland ..... Frostbite..... Adm. 3 London Gen.  
Hos. Wandsworth, S.W. 25th. Jan. 1916.

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

# FOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

*Handwritten signature: Fred M. Hudson*

Signature of Sender

Address

Line Number	Red	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **January 28, 1916.**

To **Mr. A. G. Hudson,  
Lower Island Cove.**

Record Office, London, today reports that No. 961, Private Alex. M. Hudson, has now been admitted to Third London General Hospital, Wandsworth, with frostbite.

**J. R. BENNETT,**  
Colonial Secretary.

CR 961  
Extract of Casualty List received from Pay and Record Office  
London Dated Jan. 27th. 1916.

961 Pte. A. Hudson

1st. Nfld. Adm. 3rd. London General Hospital Wandsworth 25th.  
Jan. 1916..... Frostbite

C.R. 961

Extract of Casualty List received from Pay and Record office

▼ London Dated Jan. 27th. 1916.

961 Pte. A. Hudson ✓

1st. <sup>Nfld.</sup> <sup>1<sup>st</sup></sup> Regt., Frostbite severe..... Trans. to H.S. <sup>Morea</sup> for  
Eng. ex St. David's Hos. Malta, 12th. Jan. 1916.

H34

January 14, 1915.

Dear Sir,

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that ~~No. 961.~~

~~Private Alex. M. Hudson, was admitted to the Military Hospital Floriana, Malta, on December 3rd, suffering from frostbite and exposure. This information has been 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,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. A. G. Hudson,  
Lower Island Cove.

C.R. 961

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.O.s. and Men of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, No: 5992, dated Dec. 20th. 1915.

961 Pte. A. Hudson

Newfoundland Contingent.....Frostbite & Exposure..... Admitted to Hospital in Malta ex H.S. "Rosa" 3rd. December 1915.

GR 961

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force, No: H. 5963, dated Dec. 18th. 1915.

961 Pte. A. Hudson.

1st. Newfoundland.....Frostbite Sgt.....Trans. from H.S. "Rewa"  
to St. David's Mpl. Malta 3rd. December 1915.



ADJUSTMENT

C.R. 961

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

961 Pte. A.M. Hudson.

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

C.R. 961

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft embarked for  
Overseas per S.S. Stephano March 30th 1915.

No. 7. Platoon.

961 Pte. A.M. Hudson.

C.R. 961

Alexander M. Hudson was attested for General service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on .....Jan. 18th 1915.  
Regimental No 961 was allotted to Pte. Alexander M. Hudson.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

961

DEMOLITION OF

Reg. No. 961 Rank Sergeant Name Hudson P.  
 Date of Enlistment 1.1.15 Address Lower Island District St. John's  
 Occupation Teacher Classification for Discharge B Medical Category E  
 Recommendation S.M.B. Recently unfit Disability Rating 70%

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents—

N.F. P. 94	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1.	
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st.	" 2.	
B 178a	D 400A	B 125	do 2nd.	" 3.	3
B 179	D 400B	Form L.	do 3rd.	" 4.	
B 179a	D 400C	Form K.	do 4th.	" 5.	
B 179b	B 102	ME 2		" 6.	
B 179c	B 120	M 93			

Date 21.1.19

W. J. Padden  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOLITION

**1. Civil Re-Establishment.**

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

A. Hudson

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Clothing.**

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$100.00
- (b) Clothing Supplied Gift of uniform

Date 18-3-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 6-770 to his home at Lower Westport and Release Certificate No. 18-3-19 issued.

Date 18-3-19 Joseph A. Cunningham  
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 3/4-19

Date 18-3-19 H. M. H.  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 20-3-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P 39	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 19-3-19 Osborne Capt.  
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-  
Officer in Charge Records,  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**ELIGIBLE for POST DISCHARGE PAY**

MAR 20 1919

R.H. Sait Capt.

Date ..... O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date March 21/1919 John M. H.  
John M. H.