



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

4185

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 4185 Name Arthur Le Brown Corps Infantry

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? ..... 1. Arthur Le Brown
2. What is your full Address? ..... } 9 Cabot St St. Johns.
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 18 Years ..... Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Clerk
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 to be signed by you if you are accepted? ..... } 11. Yes

I, Arthur Le Brown 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.

Arthur Le Brown ..... SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Robert Bell ..... Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Arthur Le Brown 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 St. Johns on this 11th day of Dec 1915.

Signature of Attesting Officer J. J. O'Rourke

### † 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 1st Bn.

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

Date 11 Dec 1915 St. Johns } Approving Officer. J. J. O'Rourke

Place St. Johns

† 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.

Name Burtcher L. Brown  
 Apparent age 18 years 1 months. Height 5 feet 9 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 34 inches  
 { Range of expansion 4 1/2 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

**INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT**

Name and Address of next of kin Jonas L. Brown  
9 Cabot St. St. Johns | 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	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>1-12-17</u>									<u>Leave Corp't. 24-9-18.</u> <u>Recruit to ranks 23-11-18.</u>
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>December 1-17</u>									
<u>Discharged June 29/19</u>									
<u>Contacted St. John's S.S. Hoegel to Halifax N.S. 29 '18.</u>									
<u>To Newfoundland for demobilization</u>					<u>22-5</u>	<u>1919</u>			
<u>Arrived Newfoundland 1-6-1919</u>									
<u>Demobilization St. John's</u>					<u>29-6</u>	<u>1919</u>			
<u>to Active Service</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>29-6-19</u> [date of discharge]					<u>1</u> years <u>211</u> days				
Pensions									

C.R. 4185

DUPLICATE  
MAIL COPY  
Posted 23 AUG 1918

30th July, 8.

12126/433/P.S.

The Hon. Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

4185 PTE. A. LEDREW.

Reference your C.R. 4185 of 28/6/18 (6598), on the subject of parcels addressed to the above-named man: I beg to inform you that a similar enquiry has been received from the Postmaster General, St. John's.

Two parcels have recently been received at this office and forwarded to Pte. Le Drew, one of which was on Parcel Bill No. 20, Entry No. 44. I am at present endeavouring to trace the other.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

C.R. 4185

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The  
Royal Nfld. Regt. St. John's, June 30-1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has been  
CONFIRMED by O.C. Discharge Depot from 29-6-19.

4185 Pte. Arthur LeDrew.

C.R. 4185

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal RHA, Regt.  
St. John's, June 16th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has been  
APPROVED by G.O. Discharge Depot with effect from 15-6-19.

15-6-19

4185 Pte. A. LeDrew.

C.R. 4185

Extract from Daily Orders Part LI unit The Royal Wfld.  
Regt. St. John's, June 14th, 1919.

4185 Pte. A. LeDrew.

Reported at Headquarters 1-6-19. Ex "Cornican" which  
sailed Liverpool 22-5-19.

C.R. 4185

Extract from Orders by Lt. Col., B. J. Barton, Commanding 2nd.,  
Battalino of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment dated 24-9-18.

#4185 Pte. A. LeDrew.

THE FOLLOWING TO B LANCE CORPORALS AND POSTED TO THE SIGNALLING  
SECTION.

C.R.4185

August 29th, 1918

Mrs. J. LeDrew  
9 Cabot Street  
CITY

Dear Mrs. LeDrew:-

With reference to your enquiry concerning two parcels despatched to your son, No. 4185, Private A. LeDrew, I beg to say that the Record Office London has replied stating that two parcels had been received by them and forwarded to Private LeDrew, one of which was on Parcel Bill No. 20. They will endeavour to trace the other one which was on Parcel Bill No 27, and when it has been found they will very likely notify us, when we will again communicate with you.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer



N.F. P/39.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

C.R. 4185

MEMORANDUM.

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS:  
"SYNOPTICAL,"  
LONDON.

TELEPHONE:  
VICTORIA 147.

COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/c RECORDS,  
AND THE FOLLOWING NO. QUOTED:

12126/433/P.S.

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W..

30th July, 1918.

To The Hon. Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

**SUBJECT:** 4185 PTE. A. LEDREW.

Reference your C.R. 4185 of 28/6/18 (6598), on the subject of parcels addressed to the above-named man: I beg to inform you that a similar enquiry has been received from the Postmaster General, St. John's.

Two parcels have recently been received at this office and forwarded to Pte. Le Drew, one of which was on Parcel Bill No. 20, Entry No. 44. I am at present endeavouring to trace the other.

*J. B. Anderson*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/NV

C.R. 4185

June 28th, 18

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

The Royal Newfoun ,and Regiment,

58 Victoria Street

London, S.W.1

Sir:-

Attached herewith are records of despatch of two parcels sent by the mother of #4185, Pte. Arthur LeDrew. The numbers of the Parcel Bills on these records are 20 and 27 respectively; and I beg to request that you advise if you have received Parcel Bills of these numbers.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Lieut. Col

Chief Staff Officer.



C.R. 4185

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GENERAL POST OFFICE,  
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

June 25th, 1918.

Dear Sir:-

Mrs. J. LeDrew of 9, Cabot Street has asked to furnish you with the attached records of despatch of two parcels posted by her during the months of April and May addressed to-

#4185 Pte. Arthur LeDrew,  
Royal Wfld. Regiment,  
Winchester.

They are recorded as duly despatched from this office on April 16th and May 28th.

Yours truly,

*J. A. Robinson*  
Postmaster General.

Lieut-Col. Rendell,  
Dept. of Militia.

C.R. 4186  
4185'

Extract from Orders by Lt. Col. B. J. BARTON  
COMMANDING 2nd. BN. OF THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND  
REGIMENT.

<sup>5</sup>  
4186 Pte. A. LeDrew.

#41876P

A draft of 31 Other ranks will be held in readiness  
to join the 1st. Bn. Those who have not already been  
granted leave will proceed on Draft Leave from 3 p.m.  
23rd. to mid-night 27th., inst.,.

Did not proceed to B.E.F.

C.R. 4185

Extract from Hospital Roll Unit "H" Company embarked  
A.S. Hospital Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1918.

4185 Pte. LeDrew A.

4185

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit, The Royal  
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, Dec. 3rd, 1917.

4185 Pte. A. LeGrow.

Attested for General Service with 1st Nfld. Regt. with  
effect from Dec. 1st, 1917.

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C.R. 4185

R.T.O.

30th July, 8.

12126/433/P.S.

The Hon. Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

ACKT dated	/ /	} No. IN
Received	/ /	
REPLY dated	/ /	}
Received	/ /	
LAST Ref No.		
NEXT " "		

4185 PTE. A. LEDREW.

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Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/NV



## SIGNALLER'S RECORD SHEET.

Regtl. No. 4185 Rank Pte Name & Initial LeDrew a.  
 Unit Royal Newfoundland Regt

## STANDARD TESTS. (Details overleaf.)

No.	Map Reading.		Electrical Instrument.		Signal Training.	
	Date.	Officer's Sig.	Date.	Officer's Sig.	Date.	Officer's Sig.
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*Quality of work*  
*4 tests*  
*SEP 16 1918*  
*W. H. C. P.*

## CLASSIFICATION TESTS.

Instrument.	Flag.	Buzzer.	Lamp.	Shutter.	Sema- phore.*	Date.
Sending	..98½%	99%	98%	99%	%.	
Reading	..99%	100%	98½%	99%	%.	

\* R.A. Signallers only.

Classified as 1st Class Signaller at Hazelton Down Camp  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Classifying Officer W. H. C. P.  
 Reclassified as \_\_\_\_\_ Class Signaller at \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Classifying Officer \_\_\_\_\_

Courses

Other qualifications

NOTE.—This Sheet is to be used as an Office Record during training, and on completion pasted in the Signaller's A.B. 64.

NOTE.—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (xvi. or xvii.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.  
In cases of soldiers not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to consideration for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

## Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps... *Royal Rifles* ..... 7. Former Trade or Occupation } *Clerk*
2. Regtl. No. *4185* 3. Rank... *plc* ..... 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—
4. Name *Robson* *W. Thuer* ..... (a) Former Regts. or Corps ;  
(Surname) (Christian Names) with Regtl. Nos.
5. Age last birthday. *19* .....
6. Posted for duty on..... at.....  
in category (or grade).....
8. If the disability is an injury was it caused  
(a) in action (b) on field service  
(c) on duty (d) off duty? (b) Date of Discharge ;  
(c) Cause of Discharge.
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state :—  
(a) When (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity  
(b) Where (if any)  
(c) Opinion of Court

NOTE.—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 B (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case.

### Statement of Case.

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here. (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "nil."
11. Date of origin of disability.
12. Place of origin of disability.
13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents.
- nil*  
*nil*  
*nil*

14. State whether the disabilities are
- |   | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war .. .. .                     | ✓                   |                   |
| (ii.) Previous active service.. .. .                            |                     |                   |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .                       |                     |                   |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .          | ✓                   |                   |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the }<br>man's part. } | ✓                   |                   |
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what }  
specific condition do you attribute it? }

In all cases such as facial injuries, eye, ear, nose and throat, disabilities, &c., a specialist's report is to be attached with radiographs where possible; and in cases of amputation the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition ?  
(A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)

*The complainant of his disability*

16. Was an operation performed? If so, when and what was its nature ?
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined ?
18. \*In the case of loss or decay of teeth,—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable ?
19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions ?

20. Do you recommend—
- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit ?
- (b) Change to United Kingdom ?
- Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invalided at Foreign Stations.

*Repatriation*

*W.E. Proemier* Capt. R.A.M.C.  
Medical Officer in charge of case.

Station .. *Hayley Town* .. .

Date .. *2/4/19* .. .

\* 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

TO,- The Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
58 Victoria Street,  
London, S.W.

Sir:-

Please charge the amounts set opposite my name to my account and pay it to the N.W.C.A. "Prisoners of War Fund" in quarterly instalments for the period of one year.

Commencing on the 1st July 1918.

Regtl. No.	Rank	Name	Amount	Signature.
4185	Pte	Le Drew A.	\$2 <sup>50</sup>	

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
for the Committee,  
Your obedient servant.

Date

14-8-18

A. Le Drew

No. 2416/365.

From: NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

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

12th February 1919

February 14 1919

4185. Pte LeDrew. A.

With reference to the following telegram from the Minister of Militia / / ( 15 )

Receipt hereunder.

"Pay to 4185. Pte LeDrew.

C. Skain Capt  
LIEUT. COLONEL,  
OFFICER COMMANDING THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

£7.0.0.

Received the sum of Seven pounds

Cheque £7.0.0. is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

\_\_\_\_\_ in respect of telegraphic remittance from the Minister of Militia.

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

A. LeDrew  
No. 4185 Rank Private  
Witness M. Roberts

"D" Coy

No. 11482/1140

N.F.P./79.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

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

To:

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

17th, July 1918

Subject: 4185, PTE. LeDREW, A.

With reference to the following telegram (6407) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received  
/ /

\*Pay to 4185 LeDrew £2. 0. 0

Draft £2. 0. 0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

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

July 18<sup>th</sup> 1918

Receipt hereunder.

*[Signature]*  
LIEUT. COLONEL,  
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.  
Officer Commandg. 2<sup>nd</sup> Batt'n  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of Two  
Pounds on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

A LeDrew  
No. 4185 Rank Private

Witness: 1229 J. Murphy  
*Pte*



*Le Gros*

*Manchester  
G. T. T. Record London.*

FORWARDING RECORD OF PARCEL.

Parcel Bill No

27

Entry No

114

Date of Forwarding

May 28, 18

Per

P. J. H. H. H.

Forwarded To

G. T. T. Record, London

*"Tobacco"*

Remarks  
*from Le Gros, St. John*

*P. J. H. H. H.  
Des. Clerk.*



*Le Drew.* *M. R. G. P.*  
*Manchester*  
*of Poyt Record.*

FORWARDING RECORD OF PARCEL.

Parcel Bill No 20

Entry No 44

Date of Forwarding April 16-18

For Port of New York,

Forwarded to Poyt Record.

Remarks:

*Spoke - from Le Drew St. John.*

*H. H. H. H.*  
*Des. Clerk*

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

No. 12169.

To: O.C., 2nd Battn.,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
H.D. Camp, Winchester, Hants.

P.&R. Office,  
31st July 1918.

4185 PTE. A. LeDREY

Reference reverse; No. 695 of 25/6/18 from P.M.G., St. John's (8543): there is no trace of this parcel reaching here, but a number of parcels were sent to Winchester direct from the G.P.O. It is not unlikely that this parcel has been received as it was addressed to the Depot. Will you please say?

Major,

HA/JC

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

COPY.

The Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
London, S.W.

Reference reverse.

This man states that he received the parcels in question.

(Sgd) J. W. MARCH, Major for Lt.-Col.

Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester,  
Aug. 13th 1918.

Comdg 2nd Bn., R. Newfoundland Regiment.

To: Postmaster General,  
General Post Office,  
St. John's, Newfoundland.

12322

13322.

Pay & Record Office,  
21st August 1918.

Passed to you, please.

for Major,  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

P.M.G., G.P.O., St. John's, Nfld,  
enquires as to a parcel addressed  
to the Soldier named on the reverse  
side.

(In. ref. No. 6543)

2100

the King's  
Royal Canadian Mounted Police  
Ottawa

Reference

the following information was received from the  
Post Office at St. John's, Nfld.

(Date) 11.11.1918

Post Office at St. John's, Nfld.

Reference  
to the  
file

P.M.G., G.P.O., St. John's, Nfld,  
enquires as to two parcels  
addressed to the Soldier named  
on reverse.

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

No. 12170.

To: O.C., 2nd Battn.,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
H.D.Camp, Winchester, Hants.

P.&R. Office,  
31/ 7/ 18.

4185.PTE. A. LeDREW.

Reference reverse, No. 695 of 25/6/18 from P.M.G., St. John's,  
(6542): two parcels were received at this Office 22/6/18 under  
No.20, entered as Nos. 44 and 48, and forwarded to the Depot  
24/6/18. Will you please ascertain if they were received?

(RECEIVED)

Major,

HA/JC

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

FORM K

No 4530



4 1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, A Le Drew, Regl. No. 11183, hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Dollars and seventy 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 Jan. 1 1918

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
3447	father	James Le Drew	9 Colwell St.	60
			Total Allotment, \$	60

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.) [Signature] Officer Commanding Company [Signature] Jan. 26 1918

(S) [Signature] (Rank) Plt

Reg. No. 4185 Rank Plt Name Loe. Dms A.  
Attested 1-12-17 Address 9 Cabot St.  
Allotment 60 Allottee James Sedgew  
Date of Allotment 1/1/18 Returned from Overseas \_\_\_\_\_  
Embarked for Overseas \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

		Vac. 7-12-17 June. 11-12-17, 2 <sup>nd</sup> 9 moe. 17/12/17
		Granted leave. 26/12/17 - 29/12/17, Returned Hqs. 27/12/17
		3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec 31/12/17
14.1.18.		also from church parade - 13.1.18 for full 10 day pay.
		H.S. 21.1.18 - 25.1.18 (100.257/18)

Le Drew, A

H185

Ray sept.



June 29, 1919

#4185 Pte. Arthur LeDrew,

#9 Cabot St.,

City.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed Discharge  
Certificate No. 2433.

Yours truly

Raymaster & Co./c Records,  
Captain.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 4185 Rank PC Name L. Drew A.  
 Intended place of residence 9 Cabot St. St John's

2. Occupation clerk  
 Classification of soldier E Medical Category A1

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 JUN 12 1919  
 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  
JUN 12 1919  
 Signature of soldier A. Lebrun  
 Signature of witness A. B. Lester

### 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  
JUN 12 1919  
 Signature of soldier A. Lebrun  
 Signature of witness James O'Rourke

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 1-12-17 No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service JUN 15 1919 plus 14 days Service 576

### APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place ST. JOHN'S  
 Date JUN 15 1919  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

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

Place St John's, Nfld  
 Date June 29/1919  
 Officer in Charge of Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization: 76

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date 10-6-19

Regimental No 4185

Name Le Drew, Arthur

Rank Pte

Address 9 Cabot St St Johns

Present Medical Category A1

Recommended for: {

(a) Immediate discharge

(b) ~~Standard Medical Board~~

Members of Board {

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

L. Peterson  
Senior Medical Officer

J. W. Burden  
M. O. Depot

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 4185 Rank Plt Name Le Drew A  
 Date of Enlistment 1-12-17 Address 9 Cabot St District St John's  
 Occupation Clerk Classification for Discharge E Medical Category A1  
 Recommendation S.M.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. 1/36	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 11-6-19 for O. C. Discharge Depot. H. H. Lewis

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable A 60
- (b) Clothing Supplied Alfred Lewis

Date 12-6-19 O i/c. Re-clothing

**3. Transportation and Release Certificate.**

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrants No. ~~.....~~ to his home at Ardy Waters and Release Certificate No. 2656 issued.

Date 12-6-19

*J.A. Snowleft*

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 29-8-19

Date 12-6-19

*H. News H.*

Depot Paymaster.

Discharged approved for 15-6-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C. Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36	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
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B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B179c	B 120	M 93		

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Date 12-6-19

*J.A. Snowleft*

O. C. Discharge Depot.

**APPROVED.**

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**Eligible for War Service Grateuity**

Date JUN 15 1919

*R.H. Sait Capt.*

O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date .....

## Civil Re-establishment Committee



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

*To resume former occupation*

*A Lebow*

Signature of Man.

Reg. No. *4185*

*J. A. Knowlton*

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place **ST. JOHN'S**

Date *4185 12-6-19*

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname

*Lee Drew*

Christian Name

*Arthur*

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish

*St. John's*

County

*Rfld*

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <i>1<sup>st</sup></i> day of <i>Dec</i> 191 <i>7</i>	on	day of	191
	at <i>St. John's</i>	at		
Declared Age	<i>18</i> years	<i>1</i> Moos	years	days
Trade or Occupation	<i>Clerk</i>			
Height	<i>5</i> feet	<i>5</i> inches	feet	inches
Weight		<i>116</i> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <i>34 1/2</i> inches			inches
	Range of Expansion... <i>1 1/2</i> inches			inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number	<i>1 Scar</i>	<i>1 Scar</i>	
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R. E.—V= <i>6/6</i>		R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V= <i>6/6</i>		L. E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Lammis Paterson</i>			
(Rank)	<i>Major</i>			
Enlisted	at <i>St. John's</i>	at		
	on <i>1<sup>st</sup></i> day of <i>Dec</i> 191 <i>7</i>	on	day of	191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Rfld</i>	<i>4185</i>		
Became non-effective by	on	day of	191	on
[Signature]			day of	191
[Rank]				







## 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

*Arthur Ledrew*Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*Regimental number *4185*Intended address *9 Cabot St, St. Johns*Height on discharge *5* Feet *8*Color of hair on discharge *light*Complexion *Fair*Color of eyes *Blue,*

Descriptive Marks —

Figure on discharge *medium*Christian name of Father *Jones*Christian name of Mother *Annie*

Wife's maiden name in full —

Date and place of marriage —

Christian names of children —

Place and date of soldier's birth *St. John's, 13 February 1899*

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)

*Arthur Ledrew**Pt.*

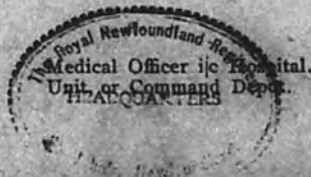
(Rank)

Station *ST. JOHN'S.*Date *10-6-19*

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

Station

Date



The Royal Wld. Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION

No. 41K Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Name L. Owen

Warned for demobilization on

JUN 12 1919

**NOTE.**—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (xvi. or xvii.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.  
In cases of soldiers not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to consideration for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

## Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps. *Royal Artillery*
2. Regtl. No. *H 1830* 3. Rank. *Pvt*
4. Name *Sherwin Arthur*  
(Surname) (Christian Names)
5. Age last birthday. *19*
6. Posted for duty on..... at.....  
in category (or grade).....
7. Former Trade or Occupation } *Blind*
- 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—  
(a) Former Regts. or Corps ; with Regtl. Nos.  
(b) Date of Discharge ;  
(c) Cause of Discharge.  
(d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity (if any)
8. If the disability is an injury was it caused  
(a) in action (b) on field service  
(c) on duty (d) off duty ?
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state :—  
(a) When  
(b) Where  
(c) Opinion of Court

**NOTE.**—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 B (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case.

### Statement of Case.

**NOTE.**—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here. (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "nil."
11. Date of origin of disability. *nil*
12. Place of origin of disability. *nil*
13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents. *nil*

14. State whether the disabilities are
- |  | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war .. .. .                        | ✓                   |                   |
| (ii.) Previous active service.. .. .                               | ✓                   |                   |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .                          | ✓                   |                   |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .             | ✓                   |                   |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the man's part. } .. .. . | ✓                   |                   |
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do you attribute it? } ✓

In all cases such as facial injuries, eye, ear, nose and throat, disabilities, etc., a specialist's report is to be attached with radiographs where possible; and in cases of amputation the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition?  
 (A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)

*No complaints of no disability*

16. Was an operation performed? If so, when and what was its nature?
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?
18. \*In the case of loss or decay of teeth,—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable?
19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions?

20. Do you recommend—
- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit?
- (b) Change to United Kingdom?

Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invalided at Foreign Stations.

*Repatriciation*

*W. E. Proctor*  
 Medical Officer in charge of case.

Station *Hazleydown*

Date *2-14-19*

\* 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

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 *Arthur* ..... 2. Surname *Le Breas* .....
3. Rank *Pte* ..... 4. Regt. No. *4785* .....
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *9. Cabot St. St. John's* .....
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *Nov. 5/17* .....
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....  
.....  
.....
8. Relationship of such dependents.....  
.....  
.....
9. Address in full of such dependents.....  
.....  
.....
10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?.....
11. Were you on active service only in 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..... *From Nov. 5/17 to June 12/19* .....

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

*No.*

14. Have you already received any payment of Post Discharge pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amount you and your dependents have already received and by whom paid.

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

16. Have you, during the present war, served in the Imperial Forces? *No*

17. Are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity in the nature of Post Discharge Pay from the Imperial Forces? If so, state amount received, or to which you are entitled. *No*

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

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

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? *No* If not give:- (a) Date of discharge. *June 12/19* (b) Reason for discharge.

*Temporary* *Revoluntarion*

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.

*No*

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com. (b) If so are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee. *No*

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

Signature of Applicant: *A. Labrow.*  
 Place of Residence: *9 Babos St. St. John's*  
 Declared before me at: *St. John's, Nfld.*  
 This *12th* day of *June* 19*19*.

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

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

ST. JOHN'S, JUN 13 1919

# Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Miss G. Le Drew  
9 Cabot St.

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from June 1/19 to June 15/19

4185 pts A Le Drew 15.50

ACCOUNT B39m

CH NO 23304

IND LEDGER

PAY LEDGER

Certified correct for \$ 15.50

J. P. Snowcraft  
A. Le Drew.

Billeting Officer.



# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms  
B 121.  
39.

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

Number of Sheets Aug.

Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade
No.	<u>1183</u>	Age on	<u>18</u> years <u>1</u> months	<u>Clerk</u>
Name <u>Loe Daw A.</u> Joined _____ Date _____ Joined _____ Date _____ Joined _____ Date _____ Joined _____ Date _____		Place and Date of Enlistment } <u>St. Johns</u> <u>1-13-17</u>	Religion	<u>Methodist</u>
			Period of } with Colours <u>211</u> years. with Reserve <u>365</u> years.	Place of Birth

Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay

Promoted to Lance Corporal 24-9-18. W.H.

Returns to private at his own request 23-11-10 W.H.

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>St. Johns Dist.</u>	<u>13-1-18</u>	<u>Pte.</u>		<u>Absent from Church Parade</u>	<u>St. Miller</u>	<u>2 days l.s.</u>	<u>14-1-18</u>	<u>Sgt. Gentry Major.</u>	<u>Infants 1 day pay</u>
				<u>Demobilized St. Johns,</u>			<u>29/6/19</u>		

To be carried over

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

4185

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 4185 Rank Private Name LeDrew A  
 Date of Enlistment 1-12-17 Address 9 Cabot St. District St. John's  
 Occupation Clerk Classification for Discharge E Medical Category A1  
 Recommendation S. M. B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. 1136	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
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B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 11-6-19 for O. C. Discharge Depot. A. LeDrew

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

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 None

Date 12-6-19

O i/c. Re-clothing

**3. Transportation and Release Certificate.**

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrants No. *12-6-19* to his home at *Hodge Waters* and Release Certificate No. *2656* issued.

Date

*12-6-19*

*J.A. Snowleft*  
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 *12-1-19*

Date

*12-1-19*

*J.A. Snowleft*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for

*15-6-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C. Discharge Depot.

N.F. P[36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
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*2 Form B*

Date

*12.6.19*

*J.A. Snowleft*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

**APPROVED.**

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

*R.H. Sait apf.*

Date

JUN 15 1919

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

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

Date

*June 20/19*

*J.A. Snowleft*  
for Records

Reg. No. *4191* Rank *Plt* Name *Lebrew, A.*

Attested ..... Address *9 Cabot St.*

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

Date of Allotment ..... Returned from Overseas *1.6.19.*

Returned on S.S. *Consuean* Cause *Discharge*

*11-6-19*  
*15-6-19*

PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION