



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 5845 Name Richard Marsh Corps Infantry

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. Richard Marsh
2. What is your full Address? 2. Bonaville
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 22 Years Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Fisherman
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, Richard Marsh 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.

Richard Marsh SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Cap. Raymond Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Richard Marsh 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. John's on this 26 day of July 1915.

Signature of Attesting Officer C. B. Dicks Lieut.

†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 rank of Private.

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

Date 27-7-15 1915 Place St. John's } Approving Officer.

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

* If so, 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)

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

5845

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

Name Richard Marsh

Apparent age 29 years months. Height 5 feet 3 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 inches
 Range of expansion 4 inches

Distinctive marks

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs Elizabeth Marsh
Bonavista | Relationship Mother

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>26-7-18</u>									
Joined at <u>M. S. S.</u> on <u>July 26-1918</u>									
<u>Embarked January 13/19</u>									
<u>Granted leave without pay from 25-8-1918</u>									
<u>Demobilization M. S. S. 13-1-1919</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 13-1-1919 [date of discharge] years 31 days

" " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "

C.R. 5845

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld.
Regt., St. John's, Jan. 28th, 1919.

The Discharge of the Undernoted on demobilization has been
Confirmed
approved by Officer i/c Records on noted dates.

5845 Pte. Rd. Marsh.

Jan. 15th, 1919.

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Extract of Daily Orders Part II, Depot St. John's, dated
Jan. 14th 1919.

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION

The discharge of the undernoted man on demobilisation has
been approved by the Officer Commanding Discharge Depot on
noted date.

5845 Pte. Rd. Marsh

Discharged 10-1-19

C.R. 5845

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Hfld. Regt. St. John's, dated July 27, 1918.

#5845 Pte. Richard Marsh.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Hfld. Regt.

26-7-18

Marsh, Richard

5845

May sept.

January 25th., 1919

#5845 Pte. Richard Marsh,

Bonavista, B.B.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge
Certificate No. 742."

Yours faithfully,

Captain,
Paymaster & O.i/c Records

Enc^d 1.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 5845 Rank. Ote Name Marsh, Richard
 Date of Enlistment 26.7.78 Address Bonavista District Bonavista
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge D Medical Category A
On date Leave without Pay granted,
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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
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 2.1.19

O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

NOT APPLICABLE.

Granted Leave without pay at his own request after
attestation to continue in civilian occupation

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable... ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT....
 and granted leave without pay.
- (b) Clothing Supplied

NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES.

Date.....

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. to his home
at and Release Certificate No. ⁴⁷⁷ issued.

Date 10-1-19

C.B. Dicks Capt.
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT

The herein named soldier's accounts ~~have been correctly balanced~~ and all matters in connection
therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to ~~and~~ **NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES.**

Date 10-1-19
Debit Balance \$3.30

W. H. Miley Capt.
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 10-1-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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Date 12.11.19

C.B. Dicks Capt.
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

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

JAN 10 1919

Date

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

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

Date

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Marsh OF Richard
 Christian Name

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE

Birthplace :—Parish Bonaville County Queensland

	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	26	July		191
Declared Age	28	years		days
Trade or Occupation	Johns			
Height	5	feet 5 inches		
Weight		127 lbs.		
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded		35	inches
	Range of Expansion		4	inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R. E.—V=	6/18	R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=	6/24	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)	<u>Lambertson</u>			
(Rank)	Medical Officer		Medical Officer	
Enlisted	at	<u>St John's</u>	at	
	on	26 day of July	on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps	<u>Royal</u>	Corps	
	Regtl. No.	<u>5815</u>	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to	<u>Regt</u>			
Became non-effective by	on	day of	on	day of
(Signature)		191		191
(Rank)				

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination held at Bonaville

Date _____ 191_____

1. Name Richard Marsh Age (a) Declared 22
(b) Apparent
2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? No.
What severe illnesses have you had? None. 5845 ✓
3. Height 5' 5" Weight 130.
4. Eyesight (a) Left 6/6 (b) Right 6/6.
5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise)
6. Examination of Lungs Normal
Measurement (a) Expiration 33 (b) Inspiration 35
7. Examination of Heart Normal.
8. Examination of Urine
9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)
Teeth fair
Throat chronic Tonsillitis
Nose ok.
Ears—(Deafness, Otorrhea) ok.
10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when? No.
11. Name and address of next of kin Henry Marsh,
Father Dead John, Bonaville.

REMARKS—

We consider this man { Fit
~~Temporarily unfit for Military Service~~
~~Permanently unfit for Military Service~~

(If unfit, Form M.S.B., 10 A, should be filled and attached).

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C. Forbes

Medical Examiners.

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at Headquarters on July 26 1918

1. Name Richard Marsh.

Age (a) Declared 22.

(b) Apparent

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you?

Trouble with Side & Back.

What severe illnesses have you had?

None.

Eyes Blue
Comp Fair
Mark.

3. Height 5'5.

Weight 127

4. Eyesight (a) Left 4/8

(b) Right 4/4

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6. Examination of Lungs n

Measurement

(a) Expiration

21

(b) Inspiration

35

7. Examination of Heart n

8. Examination of Urine n

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

Teeth

Throat

Nose

Ears—(Otorrhea)

(Deafness)

n

10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when?

Yes. Elizabeth Bonavata.

11. Name and address of next of kin

REMARKS—

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Archib. Galt
Edw. Curdew

Medical Examiners.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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Date.....

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Date 10-1-19
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Demobilization Officer C. B. Dicks Capt.

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Date 10-1-19
Debit Balance \$3³⁰
Depot Paymaster. W. M. Miley Capt.

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Date Jan 17 1919
.....
George R. ...

Reg. No. 5845 Rank - *Pfc* Name *Marck Richard*
Attested *26-7-18* Address *Ronovista*
Allotment *60* Allottee *Mrs Elizabeth Marck (R. Mother)*
Date of Allotment *1-9-18* Returned from Overseas.....
Embarked for Overseas..... Cause.....

Vacc 9-8-18

4. 28 2/8 - 28 2/8

4. heard without pay 29-8-18 to 15-10-18 held 30-8-18.

PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER JAN 10 1919

10-1-19.

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS

Received _____ m. By _____
 Sent out for delivery _____ m. By _____
 No. _____ Place from _____ No. of Words _____

No. _____



To *Bonavista 2*
Capt & Grady 9

please send discharge
 immediately want to
 leave home answer

5845 private Richard
 Marsh

Your temporary discharge will be mailed you in
 a day or two

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