



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 4704 Name William Mc Kay Corps R.C.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. William Mc Kay
2. What is your full Address? 2. St. John's
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. Engineer
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, William Mc Kay 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.

William Mc Kay SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
John J. ... Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, William Mc Kay 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 1st day of April 1915
Signature of Attesting Officer Benjamin ...

†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 Regiment.
If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.
Date 1st April 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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Paper is 15-14

I, William Mc Kay 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.

W. Mc Kay SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
A 25.4.18 Signature of Witness.

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I, William Mc Kay 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.

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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 on this 25 day of April 1918
Signature of Attesting Officer: Geo. E. Boutman

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I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the
If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.
Date April 25 1918
Place St. John's } Approving Officer.

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name William McKay
 Apparent age 22 years — months. Height 5 feet 6 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 34 inches
 Range of expansion 3 1/2 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Elizabeth Mc Kay
269 W. 1st St W, | Relationship Mother
SP John 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 Re-serve 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>25-4-18</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>April 25-1918</u>									
<u>No report for duty 15-5-18</u>									
<u>Travelling Medical Board recommended discharge</u>									
<u>Discharged Medically 27-5-1918</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 27-5-1918 (date of discharge) — years 12 days
 " " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "

C.R. 4304

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

4704 Pte. McKay

Discharged 27 - 5 - 18, Medically unfit

C.R. 4704

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated May 28, 1918

#4704 Pte. McKay.

Having been found Medically Unfit is discharged from
27.5.18

C.R. 4704

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Wfld.Regt. Lt. John's, dated April 26, 1918.

#4704 Pte. William McKay.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Wfld.Regt.
from 25/4/18 to report 15/5/18

Mr. Kay Wm

4704

Pay Dept

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

Army Form B. 268.

Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. 4704 Army Rank Private

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

Corps THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

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

Date of discharge May 27/1918

Place of discharge Prinsepink St John's N.F.

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age <u>21</u> years _____ months	Descriptive marks.
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>6</u> inches	
Chest measure { girth when fully expanded <u>34</u> ins.	
{ range of expansion <u>3 1/2</u> ins.	
Complexion <u>Brown</u>	
Eyes <u>Grey</u>	
Hair <u>Brown</u>	
Trade <u>Engineer</u>	
Intended place of residence { <u>269 Water St</u>	
(To be given as fully as practicable) { <u>St John's</u>	

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

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of Contracted Scurvy
inability to march.

(Not due to Active Service)
(Travelling Board)

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

3. Military character:—

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

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2087* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2068 has been issued to*

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

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

Classification for service, or proficiency pay. Class _____

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education

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

(Place) Genies Park Station

(Date) 27-5-18 Commanding _____ Battrn. _____ Regiment.

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

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

(Place) Genies Park Station W. M. Kay (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) 27-5-18 R. Edwards (Signature of Witness.)

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

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

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

_____ (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to 27-5 (the date to which the record of service is completed) _____ years 13 days.

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

Total " 13 "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

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

(Place) _____

Signature _____

(Date) _____

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

1/1st. REGAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.
REPORT OF HEADQUARTERS TRAVELLING BOARD UPON
SOLDIERS OF REGIMENTAL STRENGTH.

Depot. Headquarters 1st. Newfoundland Regiment.

Regimental No. 4704

Name W^m H. May.

Address 269 Water St West St John's

Disease or Disability. Contracted tendon leg. inability
to march.

Finding of last standing
Medical Board held on

..... 191

Present Condition as above not due to military service

Recommendation Discharge

Category

Members of Board
Geo L Barty C. C. Depot
W. J. Mason D. D. H. S.
W. Borden H. T. Depot.

DEPT.

Headquarters Royal Newfoundland Regiment 191

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname McKay OF Christian Name William

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish St John's County Wfld.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>25</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>8</u> at <u>St John's Wfld.</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>8</u> at _____	
Declared Age	<u>22</u> years — days		years	days
Trade or Occupation	<u>Engineer</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>6</u> inches	feet	inches
Weight		<u>124</u> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>34</u> inches		inches	
	Range of Expansion... <u>2½</u> inches		inches	
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V= <u>6/6</u> L.E.—V= <u>6/6</u>		R.E.—V= <u> </u> L.E.—V= <u> </u>	
	(a)		(a)	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease				
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection				
Approved by (Signature)				
(Rank)				
Enlisted	at <u>St John's Wfld.</u> on <u>29</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>8</u>		at _____ on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>8</u>	
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	<u>The Royal Wfld. Regt.</u>	<u>4704</u>		
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (3)
N. F. 1915

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

Examination of William M. Ray
aged 21 years conducted at Head Quarters
Date: April 25/19 Recruiting Officer: _____

NO OF TEST	FINDING
1	no
2	no
3	no
4	no
5	no
6	no
7	yes
8	yes
9	Has been troubled with fracture of left leg also troubled with the neck.
10	
11	~
12	~
13	~
14	~
15	~
16	~
17	~
18	~
19	6/6 Both
20	~
21	~
22	~
23	~
24	~
25	~
26	~
27	~
28	~
29	~
30	~
31	~
32	~
33	no
34	5ft 6
35	124
36	31/2 - 34
37	
38	Mother Elizabeth - 269 Water St. St Johns
39	no

W.M. Ray

W.M. Ray

Signature of Medical Examiner:

S.W. Gordon