



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2601 Name Cornelius Meyers Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. Cornelius Meyers
2. What is your full Address? 2. 150 S. Morrisgang,
Middalburg.
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. No Dutch
4. What is your age? 4. 24 Years 5 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Sailor
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 } THE DURATION OF THE WAR
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service } II. Yes
to be signed by you if you are accepted? } FOR

I, Cornelius Meyers 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.

C. A. P. 26/16 Cornelius Meyers SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
..... K. Outbridge Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 26 day of Apr 1916
Signature of Attesting Officer K. Outbridge 2nd 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:.....

If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.
Date 191 } Approving Officer
Place }

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

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

2601



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R. Outbridge Signature of Witness.

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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 at St. John's on this 25 day of Apr 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer R. Outbridge

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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
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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT
Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

2601

Name Cornelius Meyers
 Apparent age 24 years 5 months. Height feet inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 42 3/4 inches
 Range of expansion 3 1/2 inches
 Distinctive marks

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Juffi A. P. de Wet.
150 Smoorsgang | Relationship Wife
Middelburg, Holland. 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>26-4-16</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>April 26th 16</u>									
Discharged March 18/1919									
Entered <u>St John's S. Militia</u> 19 th					Entered for <u>OC F 30th</u>				
Joined <u>Walter</u> 12-12-16					Transferred to <u>10th</u> 23-6-17				
Transferred to <u>14-4-17</u>					Served at <u>South</u>				
Transferred to <u>25-11-18</u>					Served at <u>St John's</u> 26 th				
Transferred to <u>12-12-18</u>					Served at <u>St John's</u> 26 th				
Transferred to <u>21-12-18</u>					Served at <u>St John's</u> 26 th				
Discharged <u>St John's</u> 18-3-1919									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>18-3-19</u> (date of discharge)					2 years 327 days				
Pension [" "] [" "] [" "]									



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph.

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 *Cornelius Meyers*
aged *24* conducted at *C. L. B.*
Date: *Apr. 25th* Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

- 1 *no*
- 2 *no*
- 3 *no*
- 4 *no*
- 5 *no*
- 6 *no*
- 7 *yes*
- 8 *yes*
- 9 *no*
- 10 *no*
- 11 *no*
- 12 *no*
- 13 *no*
- 14 *no*
- 15 *no*
- 16 *no*
- 17 *no*
- 18 *no*
- 19 *6/6 Both*
- 20 *no*
- 21 *no*
- 22 *no*
- 23 *no*
- 24 *no*
- 25 *no*
- 26 *no*
- 27 *no*
- 28 *no*
- 29 *no*
- 30 *no*
- 31 *no*
- 32 *no*
- 33 *yes 15 scars & 9 years ago*
- 34 *5'8 1/2"*
- 35 *173 lbs*
- 36 *38/42 3/4*
- 37 *\$500*
- 38 *mother Mrs Joes Meyers Holland*
- 39 *no*

2601

Signature of Medical Examiner: *William Roberts*

C.R. 2601

STATEMENT OF PRISONER OF WAR.

260 Pte. C. Meyers, 5, Cabot Street.

Enlisted 21st April, 1916, Proceeded Overseas June 1916.

Company in France "C" Company.

Place & Date of Capture Monchy Le Preux, April 14th 1917.

Circumstances of Capture: While advancing on enemy lines we were completely surrounded and being short of ammunition were forced to surrender about 10 a.m. on the morning of April 14th 1917

Details of Life and Treatment under Capture: Just before being taken I was wounded in the head and right leg and after falling into German hands I was taken to a dressing station. The Doctor just looked at me and had me bundled into a box car and conveyed to a place where the rest of the men taken that morning were. We were without food until eight o'clock that night, then we received a piece of bread averaging about 2 ounces a man. From this place we were marched to Douai, here we were put in a Barracks until about 8 o'clock next morning when we received our usual ration of bread and some barley water, we remained here for about three days, during which time we were kept in a large room holding in all 200 men. About 5 o'clock on the third we fell in and marched to the station where we were put in a train like sardines are put in a can. About an hour after the train moved off and about eleven o'clock that night we arrived at a place called Montang, but remained aboard the train until 5 o'clock next morning when we marched to Gusnaing where we were enclosed in a churchyard, here we again received our 2 ounces of bread, Shortly after we were moved into a half finished house where we remained from the 18th April until 11th day of June 1917 the morning after arriving here, we were put to work digging a light railway, having to march about three miles for dinner, here we received about 3 helmets full of soup among fifteen men and for breakfast some coffee and bread, 5 a.m. we received our breakfast after which we went to work at about 6 a.m. and finished at 5 p.m. Leaving Gusnaing we marched to a place called Marschenens, we were marching ~~taxxplianxalled~~ from 9 a.m. on the 11th of June until 4 p.m. that afternoon, here things were fairly decent we had good quarters and Bunks to sleep in, things were much more comfortable here than in any other previous stopping place.

While at this place a German Officer came to the camp, he called out all English N.C.O's and told them through an interpreter that if any of our men ran away and if the N.C.O. did not report them they would be punished. I said to the interpreter that if any N.CO's did such a thing them men would see that he would get the just deserts when he got back to England, the interpreter told the Officer what I said, some days after this the Officer again visited the camp and seeing me asked if I was bad friends with the interpreter, I said yes, at which he went away saying alright, two days after this incident I was sent to jail to a place called Fort Flines at this place we had to walk five miles to work, our work being shovelling sods. I was working here three months and fourteen days, when my wound in leg opened up, Then I was sent to hospital to a place named Conde about fourteen kilometres from Fort Flines. In this Hospital I remained for nine months the treatment received here being very rough, our food consisted of bread and soup.

After leaving this hospital I was sent to Frennes a place about 2 kilometres from Conde, while here I was put to work carrying wood to a bakery, Our sleeping quarters here were all that could be desired as we had mattresses to sleep on, but the food was the same as ever, but at this time we were receiving regularly our parcels from England so on the whole things were very good. We remained at Frennes about two weeks when we were marched into Belgium, at the end of three days marching we arrived at a large town. After a little while here, all men who had been prisoners for eighteen months were picked out and sent on to another town in motor lorries about 40 kilometres away the name of this town being Mannach, here we were put to work at a motor base, after being here for about ten days, fifty men were sent to Biege, which left only fifteen men in Mannach. On about Nov. 8th 1918 Corporal Jesseau and myself escaped from Mannach about 7 o'clock in the evening and got into a village near by without being seen. In this village we were taken in by a Belgian and given civilian clothes, after leaving this house we went to another house close by and received something to eat and slept all that night, next morning about ten o'clock we took an electric street car and travelled to within five kilometres of Mons, and on the 11th of November 1918 we reported to a Canadian Officer near Mons, who sent us to ~~Brigade~~ Battalion Headquarters

from there we were sent to Brigade Headquarters from there to Divisional Headquarters from there to the 2nd Canadian Army Corps Headquarters at the end of our interview here we were sent into billets in a barn on the outskirts of Mons here we remained for two days living by what we picked up. After the second day we ran away again^{and}/arrived at a place called Desnain, where we were received good by the French people, and slept in a nice feather bed that night, we left here next day about 12 o'clock and walked about six minutes where we got a train and after a run of fourteen hours we arrived at Calais where we were put in a camp until next morning, and then sent to another camp where we got a bath and a suit of Kharki. Two days after this we embarked on a steamer for Dover, England where we arrived on the 23rd of November.

John C. Meyers, 2 Cabot Street,

Enlisted 21st April 1916 Proceeded Overseas July 1916

Company in France. "C" Company

Date of Capture Nonchley Be Prent April 14, 1917

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train moved off and about eleven o'clock
that night we arrived at a place called
Montang. We remained aboard the train
until 5 o'clock next morning when we
marched to Gussaing, where we were
enclosed in a Church yard here we again
received our 2 ounces of bread. Shortly after
we were moved into a half finished house
where we remained from the 18 of April until
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and from there to the 2nd Canadian Army Corps
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put in a camp until next morning and
then sent to another camp where we got a
bath and a suit of Khaki. Day after this we embarked
on a steamer for England where we arrived on the 23 of November
1918

C.R. 2601

Extract from Nominal Roll of draft no. 79 per S.S.COR ICAN
which embarked at Tilbury Docks 12/12/18.

#2601 Pte. C. Meyers.

C.R. 2601

Nov. 27th 18

Mrs. Emma Meyers,
C/o Mrs. David Power
11 Barron Street

Dear Madam:- #2601, Pte. Cornelius Meyers

I beg to inform you that an official report has to-day been received from the Record Office, London to the effect that your husband, repatriated prisoner of war from Germany, arrived in England in good health on November 25th.

Yours faithfully,

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 2601

Extract of Telegram from Synoptical, London, dated Nov. 26th 1918.

Following released Prisoner of War arrived in England well. Nov. 25th
2601 Meyers.

C.R. 2601

Extract from list of repatriated Prisoners of War arrived
22nd November 1918 Notified by Embarkment Officer, Calais
received from Pay and Record Office, London dated Nov.26th 1918.

List No.X 89417

2601 Pte.Meyers G.

- C.R. 2601

Extract from Prisoner of War Correspondence dated 8/9/18

From:- 2601 Pte. C. Meyers, R. Nfld., Regt.,
Kriegsgefangenenstammlager,
Friedrichsfeld bei Wesel, Germany.

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your letter of 31st. July '18: I am glad to tell you that I received all my clothing on 2/9/18 So I can tell you I was looking forward to it at the time, so I am 80 parcels missing, but I hope of receiving them all.

SGD. C. MEYERS.

PRISONER OF WAR.

2601 C.Meyers. Pte. ✓

C.R. 2303

Ext. of daily orders part 2 from G.H.Q.

3rd. Echelon, August 15th 1917.

Prisoner of War in German Hands, 14/4/17. Auth.

off. German Report forwarded by Geneva Red Cross.

Prev. "Struck off Strength" Missing, Ref.No.

22 C. 19/5/17.

M

July 20, 1917.

Dear Madam,

I have pleasure in informing you that the Record Office, London, to-day reports No. 2601, Private Cornelius Meyers, who was previously reported missing, is now reported prisoner of war at Limburg, Germany.

Yours faithfully,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. Emma Meyers,
93 South Side Rd.

C.R. 2601

Extract of Cablegram received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated May 13, 1917.

#2601 Pte. C. Meyers, C. Co.,

Reported "Missing" April 14th.

C.R. 2601

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,
per S.S. SICILIAN, July, 1916.

2601 Pte. Meyers C.

C.R. 2601

Cornelius Meyers was attested for General
Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON April 26th 1916
Regimental No. 2601 was allotted to Pte. C. Meyers

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger;

Dept. of Militia.

March 25th 1919

E Meyers

CR 2601

~~LRD~~

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94.

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

Regtl No. 2601 Rank Pte Name Meyers E Unit 2nd ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT who was Repatriated
to Newfoundland on 11/12/18. Authority D.O. Cause _____

DR. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT CR.

PARTICULARS	\$			£			s			d			CR.	
Balance Dr. from														
Allotment days @														
Cash Payments:														
<u>27/11/18</u>					2	0		0						
<u>6/12/18</u>						10		0						
Other Debits														
Total Debits					2	10		0						
Balance due by Paymaster					2	10		0						
Balance Cr. from														
Pay days @ \$														
Field Allowance days @ \$														
Other Allowances 7 days @ \$ 2/1											14	7		
Other Credits:														
Total Credits													14	7
Balance due to Paymaster											1	15		5
											2	10		0

PERIOD: From 28/1/18 To 20/12/18

No statement recd.
FILE

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

A Coy

Dec 11, 1918
(Date)

[Signature]

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 & O. i/c Records.

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

OFFICE

N.F.P./94

COPY

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. 260 Rank Private Name Myers G. Unit Royal Nfld. Regt who was repatriated
to Newfoundland on 15 12 18 Authority _____ Cause _____

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.	PARTICULARS	£ s d				PARTICULARS	CR.			
		£	s	d	£		s	d		
	Balance Dr. from				Balance Cr. from 21/12/17			5	2	7
	Allotment 356 days @ 90	320	40	65	18	8	Pay 356 days @ \$ 1.00	356	00	
	Cash Payments: P.&R.O. V.7981 21/11/18			17	0	0	Field Allow 356 days @ \$.10	55	00	
	Depot payments H. Coy. 27/11/18			2	0	0	Other Allowces 7 days @ \$ 2/1	391	00	80
	" " " 6/12/18			10	0	0			14	7
	Other Debits						Other Credits:			
	Total Debits			86	2	0	Total Credits		86	6
	Balance due by Paymaster			86	6	6	Balance due to Paymaster		86	6

To 12/12/18
From 22/12/17

Copy sent to
M.P.M.
6/1 - 2-1-19

CHECKED: 2/19
21-12-18
PERIOD:

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

(Place) _____ (Date) 1918
Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London to 31 12 18
and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.
Pay & Record Office, London, Dec. 31st 1918
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records:



Pay and Record Office.

20th March 1918.

From 2601 Pte. C. Meyers, Friedrichsfeld.
To. N.W.C.A.

21/1/18.

I received your postal card and you tell me your sending 3 parcels every fortnight but I have not received any of them. Please I hope you can do something for me so I receive the parcel and some clothing and under change, boots and socks. Will you please send them soon.

5339

Old Address
[Handwritten signature]

No. 5339/1/P.W.

Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,
England,

8th April, 1918.

2601, Private C. Meyers,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Kriegsgefangenen-Stammlager,
Friedrichsfeld,
Germany.

With reference to your communication of 21/1/18 to the Newfoundland War Contingent Association: it is regretted that you have not received the first issue of clothing sent 29/9/17, but it is hoped that you have received the second issue (sent 4th and 12th December 1917) by now.

Please notify this Office of any change of your address, which is at present understood to be as indicated now.

GB/JC

12202/2/P.W.

Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,
England,
31st July, 1918.

2601 Private C. Meyers,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Kriegsgefangenen-Stammlager,
Friedrichsfeld, bei Wesel,
Germany.

With reference to your postcard of 1/8/18 (6835): it is regretted that up to date of writing you have not received your clothing. Your first issue was sent on 29/9/17, the second issue on 4/12/17 and 17/12/17, and the third issue on 9/5/18. It is hoped you have received part if not all of them by now.

GB/JC

Please advise this Office of any change of your address, which is at present understood to be as now indicated.

12488/1./P.W.

Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,
England,

20th November 1917.

2801, Pte. C. Meyers,
1st Newfoundland Regiment,
Kriegsgefangenen-Stammlager,
Friedrichsfeld,
Germany.

With reference to your postcard dated
18/9/17 (8892). A parcel of clothing was
sent to you on 25/9/17, and it is hoped that
in due course you will receive it. The
sizes are noted for future guidance.

Regarding food parcels, the Newfoundland
War Contingent Association have been advised,
and will give the matter attention.

Please notify this Office of any change
of your address.

HA/JC

Kriegsgefangenen-Stammlager

Kriegsgefangenen

Limburg a. L. (früher Watten)

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

SENDING OFFICE

Friedrichsfeld bei
JUL 27 24

Ref. Nos. M 6835

Rec'd 29 JUL 1918

Name des Absenders
Name of the sender

@ Meyer

Rec'd

Am

Ref. Nos. 01/12202/2

Royal Field Post

Newfoundland Contingent



(Bestimmungsort)
Place of destination

58 Victoria Street

Persönliche Nummer
Personal Number

2601

Country state

London S.W.I.

Prisoner of war

County, Province



Germany

Home, Land

England

17 June 18

Dear Sir

With reference of a letter
of 8th / 4 / 18 and told me that have send
my second issue of Clothing have not
received my first one I am waiting for
it I have no boots on my feet so I hope
I will my Clothing send on 4th and
18th of December I am yours
Pte C. Meyer
2601 1st Royal Air Force
Regt

Nom et prénom de l'expéditeur :

261. Pt. C. Meyer, C. Coy.
1st Newfoundland Regt

Postüberwachungsstelle
Imp. E. Heitz, Strasbourg

LONDON E5
Kriegsgefangenensendung

Kriegsgefangenen Stammplatz
Friedrichsfeld
NOV 9 1917

4% Newfoundland. Pay & Record Office
58 Victoria Street

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
PAY OFFICE
London, S.W.

Ref. No. 60692

Prisonnier de guerre à

10 NOV 1917

Asst. 12488/1

Allemagne

File No.



16th July 1917

Dear Sir

I have received
your letter dated 26th July
which has cheered me
up a great deal knowing
as they will at home
of my whereabouts. As
to food and clothing
it is what we specially
need, any parcels you
can forward will be
thankfully received.

Requiring the the size
of boots 10's are just
my fit I remain cap^l
Pte. B. Meyers

I have received parcel No. 1 dated 9/5/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY	ARTICLE	QUANTITY														
<i>SOCKS, Pair.</i>	1	BRACES, Pair.	1	CAP.	1	CARDIGAN.	1	DRAWERS, Pair.	1	GLOVES, Pair.	1	GREATCOAT.	1	HANDKERCHIEFS.	1	JACKET.	1	KIT-BAG.	1	SHIRTS.	1	SHOES, CANVAS, Pair.	1	SOCKS, Pair.	1	TOWELS.	1	TROUSERS, Pair.	1	VESTS.	1

My present address is:

No. 2601 W. C. Meyers

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,

Presence of War
Department Germany

Date 25/7/18 C Meyers

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 1 dated 4/12/17 containing:—

ARTICLE	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	1	—	1

My present address is:

¹²²
No. 2601 Pt. Meyers
Royal Newfoundland Land Regt
Fredericton, N.B. Canada
Date July 29-18 P Meyers 2601

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 3 dated 9/5/18 containing:—

ARTICLE.	QUANTITY.	ARTICLE.	QUANTITY.	ARTICLE.	QUANTITY.	ARTICLE.	QUANTITY.	ARTICLE.	QUANTITY.	ARTICLE.	QUANTITY.	ARTICLE.	QUANTITY.	ARTICLE.	QUANTITY.
<i>10</i> BOOKS		BRACES, Pair.		CAP.		CARDIGAN.		DRAWERS, Pair.	1	GLOVES, Pair.	1	GREATCOAT.	1	HANDKERCHIEFS.	1
								JACKET.		KIT-BAG.		SHIRTS.	1	SHOES, CANVAS, Pair.	1
								SOCKS, Pair.	1	TOWELS.	1	TROUSERS, Pair.	1	VESTS.	1

My present address is:

123
No. 2601 A. C. Meyers

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,

The Grenadier Guards, Berlin, Germany

Date 25/7/18

A. C. Meyers
Signature.

I have received parcel No. 3 dated 9-5-18 containing:—

ARTICLE	QUANTITY
BRACES, Pair.	
CAP.	1
CARDIGAN.	1
DRAWERS, Pairs.	1
GLOVES, Pair.	1
GREATCOAT.	1
HANDKERCHIEFS.	1
JACKET.	1
KIT-BAG.	1
SHIRTS.	1
SHOES, CANVAS, Pair.	1
SOCKS, Pair.	1
TOWELS.	1
TROUSERS, Pair.	1
VESTS.	1

My present address is:

¹²³No. 2601 P. C. Meyers

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,

Royal Newfoundland Depot
Frederichfeld Germany

Date 25-7-18 P. Meyers 2001

Signature.

I have received parcel No. *4* dated, *12/2/18* containing:—

ARTICLES	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCHFS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>																
QUANTITY.																

My present address is:

122
No. 2601 - *Mr. C. Meyers*
Royal Newfoundland Regt
Fredericksfeld Germany

Date *July 29 1918* *C Meyers 2601*

Signature.

I have received parcel No. ⁴ 3 dated 19/12/17 containing:—

ARTICLE	QUANTITY
BOOTS, Pairs. ∞	
BRASES, Pairs.	
GAP.	
CARDIGAN.	
DRAWERS, Pairs	
GLOVES, PAIRS	
GREATCOAT.	
HARDKERCH'FS.	
JACKET.	1
KIT-BAG.	
SHIRTS.	
SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	1
SOCKS, Pairs.	
TOWELS.	
TROUSE' S, Pairs	1
VESTS.	

My present address is:

123
No. 2601 W. C. Meyers
Royal Clarence Hotel, 1st Regt
Buckingham Palace
London

Date 25/7/28

W. C. Meyers

Signature.

No. _____
(If replying, please quote above No.)

Army Form B. 104—83.

Newfoundland

Record Office,

58 Victoria St., Station.
London, S.W.
14th May, 191**7**

SIR OR MADAM,

I regret to have to inform you that a report has been received from the War Office to the effect that (No.) **2601** (Rank) **Private** (Name) **Cornelius Meyers** (Regiment) **1st Newfoundland** was posted as "missing" on the **14th April, 1917.**

The report that he is missing does not necessarily mean that he has been killed, as he may be a prisoner of war or temporarily separated from his regiment.

Official reports that men are prisoners of war take some time to reach this country, and if he has been captured by the enemy it is probable that unofficial news will reach you first. In that case, I am to ask you to forward any letter received at once to this Office, and it will be returned to you as soon as possible.

Should any further official information be received it will be at once communicated to you.

I am,

SIR OR MADAM,
Your obedient Servant,

Mrs. Juffi A.P. DeWet,
150, Smoorsgang,
Middelburg,
Holland.

Officer in charge of Records.

Important.—Any change of address should be immediately notified to this Office.

No. _____

(If replying, please quote
above No.)

Record Office,

20 JUL 1947

Station.

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SIR OR MADAM,

I have to inform you that a report has been received from the War Office to the effect that (No.) 2601
(Rank) Private (Name) Meyers 6
(Regiment) 1st New Brunswick
is a Prisoner of War at Gefangenenlager

Limburg a/ahr
Germany

Should any other information be received concerning him, such information will be at once communicated to you.

Instructions as to the method of communicating with Prisoners of War can be obtained at any Post Office.

I am,

SIR OR MADAM,

Your obedient Servant,

*Juffi A.P.
H. Dewit*

150 Smoorsgang

Middelburg

Holland

Officer in charge of Records.

IMPORTANT.—Any change of your address should be immediately notified to this Office. It should also be notified, if you receive information from the soldier above, that his address has been changed.

Meyers, C.

2661

Ray Dept

ST. JOHN'S, FEB 28 1919

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To H. C. Meyers

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Feb 21st /19 to Feb 28th /19

<u>2601 H. C. Meyers</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>20</u>

Certified correct for \$ 7. 20

R. J.

Osborne Cull

Billeting Officer.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Meyers Christian Name Cornelius

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on 25 day of April 1916		on _____ day of _____ 191	
Declared Age....	at 24 years 5 days		at _____ years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	Sailor			
Height	5 feet 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches		_____ feet _____ inches	
Weight	173 lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded...	42 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches		_____ inches
	Range of expansion..	4 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches		_____ inches
Physical Development...				
Vaccination Marks {	Arm			
	Number....	15		
When Vaccinated	9 years ago			
Vision	R.E.—V=	6/6	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/6	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
	(b)		(b)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection				
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Samuel Paterson</i>			
(Rank)	Major Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at <i>St John's</i>		at _____	
	on 25 day of April 1916		on _____ day of _____ 191	
Joined on Enlistment...	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<i>1st Nfld Reg 2601</i>			
Transferred to ..				
Became non-effective by				
	on _____ day of _____ 191		on _____ day of _____ 191	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization—
B.

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

 Date 22.7.19

 Regimental No. 2601.....

 Name M. J. Ryan Cornelius Sti

Address

 Present Medical Category..... E A III

 Recommended for:— { (a) ~~Immediate discharge~~
 (b) Standing Medical Board.....

Members of Board }

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

Sep for Medical Officer

Geo. Burdace
M. O. Depot

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2601 Rank Pt Name Murray L
 Date of Enlistment 7-3-14 Address 11 Borden St. District St. John's
 Occupation Soldier Classification for Discharge B Medical Category A-1
 Recommendation S.M.B. _____ Disability Rating 100%

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents—

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1	1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	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	<u>21 + 19 + 3</u>	" 6	
B 179c	B 120	M 93			

Date 7-3-19

H. Murray Lt.
 for D. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am _____ in a position to resume civilian occupation.

C. Murray

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

(b) Clothing Supplied for 100% of 100%

Date 4-3-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 1832 to his home at _____ and Release Certificate No. _____ issued.

Date 4-3-19 *[Signature]*
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 18-3-19

Date 4-3-19 *[Signature]*
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 4-3-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P. 188	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	<i>[Signature]</i>
F 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	
F 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 4.3.19 *[Signature]*
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-

Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

MAR 4 1919

Date _____ *[Signature]*
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date _____

March 18, 1919

#2601 Pte. Cornelius Meyers,

#11, Barron St.,

City

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate

No. 1345."

Yours truly,

Paymaster & C. i /c Records **Captain,**



Department of Militia, Newfoundland

Medical Department

Medical Report on an Invalid

NOTES:—

- This report is solely concerned with Pensions.
- A single copy only is required.
- "Aggravated" being now a technical term, carrying right to pension, discrimination in its use is essential.
- Be as brief as possible compatible with lucidity.
- Avoid dubiety—"perhaps" "possibly" "might" and the like.
- Only sufficient clinical data need be given to establish the degree of disability and assist the Board in arriving at a decision.

STATEMENT OF CASE

Station *St. John's, Nfld.*

Date *Feb 23rd 1915.*

- | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| 1. Unit <i>Royal Newfoundland</i> | 5. Age last birthday <i>29 yrs</i> |
| 2. Regimental No. <i>2601</i> | 6. Enlisted on <i>23rd April 1916</i> |
| 3. Rank <i>Serjeant</i> | at <i>St. John's</i> |
| 4. Name <i>Myron Cornelius</i> | 7. Former trade or occupation <i>Sailor.</i> |

8. Disability

P.S.W. Left-foot.

9. History

wounded left foot 14th April 1917. & taken prisoner of war in Germany 18 months.

10. What is his present condition?

(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above.)

See below Mr. Mallester, L. Ark.
Healed.
Complains of pain occasional

Medical Department

Medical Report on an Injured

11. Was sanatorium advised and refused? W
operation

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit? yes

STATEMENT OF CASE

Signature

Archibald

Rank or Qualification

5th MO Depot

Remarks if any by Officer in Hospital.

Place Signature

Date Rank

Opinion of the Medical Board

In para. 13, the President should write "may" or "cannot" at x
Erase inapplicable words

13. For pension purposes, the disability x may be considered as ~~aggravated by~~ due to

(a) Service during this war. (b) ~~Civilian~~ (c) ~~Ordinary Military Service~~
Remarks if any:—

14. Does the Board concur in preceding report? (see Sect. 10) If not give differing opinion and additional findings.

*Yes. Wound of scalp affected scalp
only - no disability -
Scar at internal malleolus of left
foot affected some nerve filaments
causing loss of sensation over heel Withstall*

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market?

less than 20%

(b) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market lessened by that portion of his disability to or incurred during service?

less than 20%

(State in percentage.)

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?

17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperance (b) Misconduct

18. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:— (a) Reasonable (b) Unreasonable

Remarks if any:—

19. If fit subject for Hospital do you recommend admittance to } General Hospital,
Naval and Military Convalescent Hospital,
Jensen Tuberculosis Camp.

20. We recommend discharge from the Army

Remarks if any:—

A III

[Signature]

President

Signatures

[Signature]
[Signature]

Place *S. Johns*

Date *Feb 22/19*

APPROVED



Station

Date

[Signature]

Administrative Medical Officer



Department of Militia, Newfoundland

Medical Department

Medical Report on an Invalid

NOTES—

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- (c) "Aggravated" being now a technical term, carrying right to pension, discrimination in its use is essential.
- (d) Be as brief as possible compatible with lucidity.
- (e) Avoid dubiety—"perhaps" "possibly" "might" and the like.
- (f) Only sufficient clinical data need be given to establish the degree of disability and assist the Board in arriving at a decision.

STATEMENT OF CASE

Station ... **ST. JOHN'S.**

Date ... **7/3. 22ND. 1919.**

- | | |
|---|---|
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Unit <i>Royal Newfoundland</i> 2. Regimental No. 2601. 3. Rank STE. 4. Name MYERS CORNELIS | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Age last birthday 28 YEARS. 6. Enlisted on 23RD. APRIL 1916.
at ST. JOHN'S. 7. Former trade or occupation SAILOR. 8. Disability |
|---|---|

G.S.W. LEFT FOOT.

9. History

FOUNDED LEFT FOOT 14TH APRIL 1917 & TAKEN PRISONER OF WAR IN GERMANY 18 MONTHS

10. What is his present condition? **SCAR BELOW INT. MALLEOLUS HEALED. COMPLAINS OF PAIN OCCASIONALLY.**

(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above.)

11. Was sanatorium advised and refused? **NO.**
operation

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit? **YES.**

Signature **ARCH. C. TAIT...**

Rank or Qualification **##### M.O.**

Remarks if any by Officer i/c Hospital.

Place Signature

Date Rank

Opinion of the Medical Board

In para. 13, the President should write "may" or "cannot" at x
Erase inapplicable words

13. For pension purposes, the disability x **MAY**, be considered as ~~aggravated by~~ due to

(a) Service during this war. (b) ~~Climate~~. (c) ~~Ordinary Military Service~~
Remarks if any:—

14. Does the Board concur in preceding report? (see Sect. 10) If not give differing opinion and additional findings.

YES. WR. OF SCALP AFFECTED SCALP ONLY. NO DISABILITY. SCAR AT INTERNAL MALLEOL US WALKS WELL. AFFECTED SOME NERVE FILAMENTS, CAUSING LOSS OF SENSATION OVER HEEL. OF LEFT FOOT. WALKS WELL.

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market?

(b) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market lessened by that portion of his disability to or incurred during service? **LESS THAN 20%.**

(State in percentage.)

LESS THAN 20%.

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?

17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperance (b) Misconduct

18. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:— (a) Reasonable (b) Unreasonable

Remarks if any:—

19. If fit subject for Hospital do you recommend admittance to

{ General Hospital,
Naval and Military Con-
valescent Hospital,
Jensen Tuberculosis Camp.

20. We recommend discharge from retention the Army

Remarks if any:—

A 111

..... **H. S. FRASER,**

President

Signatures **J. B. TAIT,**

..... **L. PATTERSON, MAJOR,**

Place **ST. JOHN'S,**

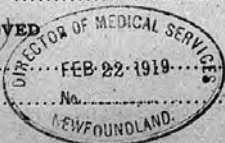
Date **FEB. 22ND. 1919.**

APPROVED

Station **DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES**

Date **FEB 22 1919**

No.



(SGD) CLUNY MACPHERSON, MAJOR.

Administrative Medical Officer

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 take charge of Steamboiler
"Bain Johnson & Co."

C. Meijers
Signature of Man.

Reg. No.

2601

C. S. S. Coff
Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

St John

Date

4-3-19

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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. & 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 *Cornelis Meyers.*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *2601.*

Intended address *11 Barron St.*

Height on discharge *5 Feet 10*

Color of hair on discharge *Light Brown*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Blue*

Descriptive Marks *Scar Left foot*

Figure on discharge *Aged*

Christian name of Father _____

Christian name of Mother *Wilhelmina*

Wife's maiden name in full *Emma Whitten*

Date and place of marriage *1-7-1916 St Johns Nfld*

Christian names of children *Thomas.*

Place and date of soldier's birth *Holland 24-11-1891*

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)

Cornelis Meyers Ho.

Station

St Johns

Date *21-7-19*

(Rank)

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



Medical Officer, Hospital,
Unit, or Command Depot.

Station

Date

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

ORIGINAL

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. 2601 Rank Private Name Myers G. Unit Royal Nfld. Regt who was repatriated
to Newfoundland on 12/12/18 Authority _____ Cause _____

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.

CR.

PARTICULARS		\$	¢	£	s	d	PARTICULARS		\$	¢	£	s	d
	Balance Dr. from						Balance Cr. from 21/12/17				5	2	7
	Allotment 356 days @ 90	320	40	65	16	8	Pay 356 days @ \$ 1.00	356	00				
	Cash Payments: P.&R.O.			17	0	0	Field Allow 356 days @ \$.10	35	80				
	V.7981 21/11/18				15	4							
	Depot payments H. Coy. 27/11/18				2	0	0	391	60	80	9	4	
	" " " 6/12/18				10	0	0				14	7	
	Other Debits						Other Allowces 7 days @ \$ 2/1						
							Other Credits:						
	Total Debits			86	2	0	Total Credits			86	6	6	
	Balance due by Paymaster				4	6	Balance due to Paymaster						
				86	6	6				86	6	6	

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

(Place)

(Date)

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Made up/checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office U.C. " " Company. London to 31/12/18 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,

Dec. 31st 1918

A. D. Murray
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

CHECKED.

31-12-18

Period: From 22/12/17 to 12/12/18

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. 2601 Rank Pte. Name Meyers E. Unit 22 ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. who was Repatriated
to Newfoundland on 11/12/18. Authority D.O. Cause _____

BR. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT CR.

PERIOD: FROM 28/10/18 TO 20/12/18	PARTICULARS					PARTICULARS					
	\$	£	s	d		\$	£	s	d		
Balance Dr. from						Balance Cr. from					
Allotment days @						Pay days @ \$					
Cash Payments:						Field Allowance days @ \$					
27/11/18			2	0	0	Other Allowances 7 days @ \$ 2/1			14	7	
6/12/18				10	0	Other Credits:					
Other Debits											
Total Debits			2	10	0	Total Credits			14	7	
Balance due by Paymaster						Balance due to Paymaster			1	15	5
			2	10	0				2	10	0

No Statement recd from O.R.O.

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

H Coy

Dec 10 1918

(Place) HAZELEV DOWN CAMP

(Date)

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 & O. i/c Records.

COPY

January 20, 1919

From Paymaster

To Officer Commanding,
Royal Wfld. Regt

Credit Balances

A cable has been received from the Chief
Paymaster, London, stating credit balances of
the following men up to Dec. 12/18:-

	£	s.	d.
2376 Hayes		1	1
2601 Meyers		4	6
2267 Skeans	46	14	4

(sgnd) H. M. Maddick, Lieut

for Paymaster

Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regimental Number 2601Rank Cpl Regiment or Corps 2/1 Newfoundlander Regt. 2146Surname Meyers Christian Name CorneliusReligion R.C. Age on Enlistment 24 years 5 months.Enlisted (a) 21/11/17 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 21/11/17

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

Extended { _____ } Re-engaged { _____ } Qualification (b) _____

or Corps Trade and Rate _____

Signature of Officer [Signature] i/c Records.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked <u>Shampton</u>	<u>30 NOV 1916</u>		
		Disembarked <u>Reuen</u>	<u>1-DEC 1916</u>		
	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Infantry Battalion</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>12/12/16</u>	<u>B213</u>
			<u>WISH DATE</u>	<u>23. 1917</u>	
<u>15 APR 1917</u>	<u>OC. Bn.</u>	<u>MISSING</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>14 APR 1917</u>	<u>B213</u>
	<u>Was Office</u>	<u>Prisoners of War in Germany</u>		<u>14-17</u>	<u>Off German Rep</u>
		<u>captured at Monchy</u>			<u>forwarded by</u>
					<u>Geneva Red Cross</u>
					<u>20/7/17</u>
			<u>Sadbury</u>		
					<u>Major</u>

(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) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

G. H. O. 3rd Edition.

[P.T.O.]

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 question 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. *Cornelius*..... 2. Surname... *Mejers*.....

3. Rank... *Pte*..... 4. Regt. No. *2601*.....

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to ~~be~~ forwarded, *Mr. C. Mejers*.....
14 Barron Street St. Johns.....

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment... *20 April 1916*.....

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge *Wife*..
Emma Mejers S. Tommy.....

8. Relationship of such dependents... *Emma Mejers*.....

9. Address in full of such dependent... *Mr. C. Mejers*.....
14 Barron Street St. Johns.....

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier? *No*.....

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service.. *No*.....

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld, or Overseas... *2 years 11 mo*.....

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. *No.*

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

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

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.? *Yes.* If not give:- (a) Date of discharge. (b) Reason for discharge.

20. Did you at any time serve at the front in an actual theatre of War? If so give particulars of places, and dates of such service. *Yes.*

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: *Elie Emiger*

Place of Residence: *11 Perry Street*

Declared before me at: *St. Joseph, Nfld.*

This *27th* day of *February* 191*9*

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent			
.....	<i>5.40</i>	<i>500.00</i>
.....
.....
Certified Correct.				Paymaster.	

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
 (Separation Allowance Branch)
 (Information for Board of Review)

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION must be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question.

Each statement is considered as being made on Oath and the form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate or Justice of the Peace and returned to:

THE PAYMASTER,
 Separation Allowance Branch,
 St. John's, Newfoundland.

- | 1. Name in full of soldier, Rank, Reg't. or Unit. | Regt. No. |
|--|----------------------|
| <i>Cornelis Meyers Rte A Co 1st Bn</i> | <i>2601</i> |
| 2. Age of soldier. | Married or single. |
| <i>24-11-1890 28-years</i> | <i>Married</i> |
| 3. Name in full of wife. | |
| <i>Emma Meyers</i> | |
| 4. Address in full. | |
| <i>Mr C Meyers 11 Barron st & St Johns</i> | |
| 5. Date of marriage | |
| <i>1-7-1916</i> | |
| 6. Place of marriage. | |
| <i>St Johns</i> | |
| 7. Did marriage take place since soldier's enlistment. | <i>yes</i> |
| 8. Was Commanding Officer's permission obtained? If not, why? | <i>yes</i> |
| 9. If not married, how long have you been dependent on the soldier for your maintenance, and supported regularly by him on a bona fide permanent domestic basis. | |
| 10. Were you living with your husband immediately prior to his enlistment? If not, how long have you been separated. | <i>yes</i> |
| 11. Is Separation a legal one? | |
| 12. If legal, are you in receipt of alimony, if so, state amount. | |
| 13. If not legal, how long since your husband contributed to your support, explain fully. | <i>Since Married</i> |

14. State amount of allotment received by you from soldier monthly.

40 cents 27.90

15. From what date have you received allotment.

1-7-1916

16. Names of children. Age last Birthday Names of children. Age last Birthday

Tommy Meyers 3 years 12-1-14 Tommy Meyers 3 years 12-1-14

17. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, state amount.

\$ 20.00 a month

18. Are you in receipt of payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much?

No

19. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance, if not, why? Give particulars.

No

20. Was your husband at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Newfoundland Government?

No

21. In what capacity and in what place.

22. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the Rfld. Regiment? If so, how much?

No

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under Oath and in virtue of the Evidence Act.

Signature of applicant *Mrs. Cora Meyers*

Place of residence *11 Bonon street City*

Declared and subscribed before me at

this *25th* day of *February* 19*16*

Signature of Barrister of Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace

John McCashy J.P.

This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a clergyman, the other a representative of your local Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their knowledge, after careful enquiry, the above statements are correct.

Signature of Clergyman

A. Clayton C. F.

Signature of member of Patriotic
Fund Committee

J. Adams
J. P. C. Adams

N.B. Marriage Certificate must accompany this application and will be returned after perusal. If marriage is after enlistment, Commanding Officer's permission in writing must be forwarded.

2601

February 20, 1919

Dear Madam:-

Will you kindly forward
your "Marriage Certificate" to be
recorded in connection with
retroactive Separation Allowance.

Yours truly,

Captain,
Seymour & O. I. c Records

Mrs. Emma Meyers,
C/o Mrs. David Power,
111 Barron St.,
City.

Reg. No. *2601* Rank *Pte* Name *Mayers G.*

Attested Address.....

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

Date of Allotment..... Returned from Overseas...*21.12.18*

Embarked for Overseas Cause... *Discharge*

Released Prisoner of War

*Special leave granted to Prisoner of War
until 21-7-19*

22.2.19. Rec. Dis. from Army. E.

5.3.19

PASSED TO DEMOBILISATION OFFICER

1.3.19

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.,

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's, Nfld.

Fold Here



July 2nd., 1921. 1917.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 926), is forwarded herewith to

Private Cornelius Meyers

in respect of his service as No. 2601 Rank Pvte.

Name C. Meyers Corps Royal Nfld. Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received *of Creighton*

Signature *C Meyers*

Date *19/10/21*

Address *5 Cabot street Sydney*

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

V. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C.

Forms
121
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(64) W.017/2124 1000m 6/10m 53 50

Regiment of

1st Newfoundland

Number of Sheet

First

Signature of O. C. Company

Albermarl

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<i>Moyers C</i>	Age on	<i>24</i> years <i>5</i> months	<i>Sailor</i>	
Joined	<i>Sept</i> Date <i>5/9/16</i>	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>S. John's</i> <i>Apr. 26. 76.</i>	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	{ with Colours <i>2</i> years with Reserve <i>36</i> years.	Place of Birth <i>Holland.</i>	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of other dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>ayr.</i>									
<i>Race Course</i>	<i>Aug. 11/16</i>	<i>pte</i>		<i>Assaulting an N. C. O.</i>	<i>Sgt. P. Polkey</i>	<i>28 days detention</i>	<i>Aug 5</i>	<i>Lt Col. Whitaker.</i>	<i>7/16</i>
<i>Racecourse</i>	<i>7.9.16</i>			<i>Absent 6.30 a.m. parade</i>	<i>Cpl. Barron</i>	<i>2 days CD</i>	<i>9.9.16</i>	<i>220 Lt. Barnes</i>	<i>EB</i>
<i>Racecourse</i>	<i>7.10.16</i>			<i>In Town 10.30 p.m. without a pass</i>	<i>Cpl. Pilling (G.M.P.)</i>	<i>2 days CC</i>		<i>Major Bernard</i>	<i>20</i>
<i>ayr</i>	<i>20.10.16</i>			<i>Innocence to N.C.O.</i>	<i>Sgt. Clouston</i> <i>Capt. Braithwaite</i>	<i>168 hrs detention</i>	<i>20.10.16</i>	<i>Major Bernard</i>	<i>Jan.</i>
				<i>S. John's Demobilized 18³/₁₉</i>					

To be carried over

C.R. 2601

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot
St. John's dated Mar. 6th., 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization
has been APPROVED by O. C. Discharge Depot on 4-3-19.

2601 Pte. C. Meyers.

C.R. 2601

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft No.14
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked South-
ampton, 30-11-16.

2601 Pte. C. Meyers.

C.R. 2601

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot St. John's date 22/3/19

The discharge of the u/n on demob. has been confirmed by O.i/s
Records on 18-3-19.

2601 Cornelius Meyers.

C.R. 7601

Extract from Medical Board held Saturday Feb. 22nd,
1919.

2601 Pte. C. Myers.

Recommended Discharge from the Army. AIII

C.R. 2601

Extract from Telegram from Synoptical to Military Jan. 19, 1919.

In answer your telrgam Jan. 15th., Credit
balance Dec. 12th., 2601 Meyers 4/6.

C.R. 2601

Extract from telegram from ~~Synoptical~~ Military to Synoptical
dated Jan. 15th., 1919.

Please inform balance of account of 2501 Meyers.

1092 C.R.

Extract of Daily Orders Part II, Headquarters St. John's,
dated Jan. 2nd 1919.

The undernoted man has been granted special Furlough or of
war leave with full pay and allowance from 21-12-18 to 21-2-19

2601 Pte. C. Meyers.

C.R. 2601

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London. Nov. 25th, 1918.

The undermentioned released Prisoner of War arrived
at Dover and is proceeding to Depot Winchester, 25-11-18.

2601 Pte. C.J. Meyers.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

2601

DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2601 Rank Pte Name Meyus G.
 Date of Enlistment 23-4-16 Address 11 Barron St District St Johns.
 Occupation Sailor Classification for Discharge B Medical Category A III
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating Less than 20%
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	J	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	J	Board 1st.	" 2.	
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915		do 2nd.	" 3.	3
B 179	2 D 400B	Form L		do 3rd.	" 4.	
B 179a	D 400C	Form K		do 4th.	" 5.	
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		<u>77 P 94</u>	" 6.	3
B 179c	B 120	M 93				

Date 3-3-19

H. Meyus G.
 for O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

C. Hojias

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable H. G.

(b) Clothing Supplied *[Signature]*

Date 4-3-19

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. 185-2 issued.

Date 4-3-19 [Signature] [Signature]
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 18-3-19

Date 4-3-19 [Signature]
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 4-3-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P364	3	B 268	B 121	1	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	1	Somm B
E 178		W 3494	B 122	1	Board 1st	" 2		
B 178a		D 400A	B 1915		do 2nd	" 3	2	
B 179	2	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 4.3.19 [Signature]
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

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

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

Date MAR 4 1919 [Signature]
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date March 8/1919 [Signature]
Depot Records

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

To Copy for H.O. File

Ottawa, Ont.

Date March 31, 1966

Attention of

P.A.

NAME MEYERS, Cornelius

SERVICE 2601 WWL
NUMBER ROYAL NFLD.
REGT.C.P.C. No. 261033
W.V.A. No. 232084NAVY
ARMY XXX
R.C.A.F.

The DEPARTMENT has received information from

Senior Pension Medical Examiner, G.P.C. St. John's, Nfld. d/March 25, 1966

(State authority and source of information of death)

regarding the death of the above mentioned veteran.

Particulars are as follows:

Date of Death..... not stated
Cause of Death.....
Place of Death..... DVA Pavilion, General Hospital, St. John's, Nfld.

Name and Address of next of kin (if known).....

Copies to: W.S.R.
V. I.
~~IPANK~~
~~BOX~~
H.O.

} Destroy form if advice of death already received.

E.C. Richards
for
Chief, Central Registry