



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 607

Name in full Thos Joseph O'Brien Age 21

Address Blackman's Rd.

Married Single Height 5-9 1/2 Weight 130

Color Fair Hair Very Light Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks Scar over left eye

Nearest relative Richard O'Brien

Address Blackman's Rd.

Dependents _____

Occupation Boiler Works Work Present Wage 8 40 per week

Previous service _____

Decorations _____

General Remarks _____

Date of Enlistment Dec. 15/14

I, Thos Joseph O'Brien, do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, and that I will faithfully serve His Majesty in any place where I may be needed (or in the Colony of Newfoundland, as the case may be) against all His enemies and opposers whatsoever, according to the condition of my service.

Thomas J O'Brien

Declared before me this 15 day
of Dec. 1914

Eric O'Brien
Lieut

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 657

Name Thomas Joseph O'Brien

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fair, Hair: Very Light, Eyes: Blue

Other distinguishing marks: Scar over left eye

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Richard O'Brien, Blackmarsh Road, St. John's
 | Relationship

Particulars as to Marriage.

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.
 (c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in which is not allowed to reckon towards G. O. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>15/12/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>15th December '14</u>									
<i>Recruited to 1st Battalion, The Buffs, 15 Dec 14. Served in Egypt, Palestine, and Mesopotamia. Wounded in the hand at the Battle of Beersheba on 31 Oct 1917. Served in the 1st Canadian Trench Mortar Battalion in Palestine. Discharged on 27 March 1918. Served in the 1st Canadian Trench Mortar Battalion in Palestine. Wounded in the hand at the Battle of Beersheba on 31 Oct 1917. Served in the 1st Canadian Trench Mortar Battalion in Palestine. Discharged on 27 March 1918.</i>									
<i>Discharged Medically unfit 27-3-17</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>27-3-17</u> (date of discharge) <u>2</u> years <u>102</u> days									
" " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									

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<u>Enlisted 1st Battalion, St. John's 5th Co. 14/12/14</u>									<u>Enlisted 14.6.20</u> <u>Enlisted for 1916</u> <u>Enlisted for 1916</u> <u>Enlisted for 1916</u>
<u>Discharged 31.3.15</u>									
<u>Re-enlisted 1st Battalion, St. John's 12.5.16</u>									
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" " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									

J. D. Brien.

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P. R. O.

ORIGINAL.

St. Victoria

Reprint for 1st Nfd. Regt. of Army Form B. 178a

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname *O'Brien* Christian Name *Thomas*



Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish..... County.....

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	10 th day of Dec 1914	St Johns	day of	191
Declared Age.....	21 years	Water Works!	years	days
Trade or Occupation.....				
Height	feet	inches	feet	inches
Weight		lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement } Girth when fully expanded... } Range of expansion.....		inches inches		inches inches
Physical Development.....				
Vaccination Marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
Number				
When Vaccinated	<i>Never.</i>			
Vision	R.E.—V=		R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=		L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)	<i>W</i>	(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Cluny Macpherson</i>			
(Rank)	<i>Capt.</i>			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St Johns	at	
	on	15 th day of Dec 1914	on	day of 191
		Corps.		Corps.
		Regtl. No.		Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	<i>1st Nfd. Regt. 657</i>			
Transferred to.....				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick list in case of Warrant officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
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Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.: Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>J. V.</i></p> <p>23.4.15 15-8-15 19 9. 16</p> <p>Vac. Fit for Foreign Service. Recommended for prolong on account of Rheumatic myalgia - <i>J. V.</i></p>

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
<i>H. Johns.</i>	<i>Dec 15/14</i>	<i>Feb. 5/15</i>			
<i>J.S. "Dominion"</i>	<i>Feb 6/15</i>	<i>" 16/15</i>			
<i>Edinburgh Castle</i>	<i>" 16/15</i>				



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Joseph O'Brien, Regl. No. 657
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
70 Dollars and 00 Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} 0 Persons, such payment to be made on proof
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} 0 Persons
 concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<u>76</u>	<u>Mother</u>	<u>Margaret O'Brien</u>	<u>St. John's Rd.</u>	<u>704</u>
<p><u>Jan. 23rd</u> <u>Cancelled</u> <u>27/3/19</u> <u>At Co. Order 57</u></p>				
Total Allotment, \$				<u>704</u>

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

Joseph O'Brien
 Officer Commanding
 Company

(Sig.) Joseph O'Brien
 (Rank) Sgt

Jan 29 1919

Mr. Joseph O'Brien

Admitted to Hospital
26.16

Army Form W. 3016.

No. _____

Date July 24th 1916

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria St

A.W.

(Station).

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Contingent

Ayr

(Station).

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria St

A.W.

(Station).

Regimental No. 657.

Rank and Name Pvt O'Brien T.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland

has been granted a furlough from July 24th to August 2nd

His address while on leave will be:—

58 Victoria St. A.W.

This man has been furnished with a warrant to
Victoria and given an advance of £1 (one pound)

I consider he is fit for ~~Light~~ and likely to be fit for service overseas
(Light duty within 3 months).

Horace Jagan Capt. R.A.M.C.(T)

Officer in charge

Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.
Hospital,
3rd London General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S.W.

(Station).

* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

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

Embarked Scandinavian
 at Liverpool 27-9-16

Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST.

to

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Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. *657*

Rank

Private

Name

J. O'Brien

Died (a)

at

San Aurlough

on the

of

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Deserted at

on the

6th Oct 1916

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I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

{ Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.

Date.	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month			5 11	Balance Cr. last month			
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 28 days at <i>1/3</i> from <i>2/9</i> to <i>29/9/16</i>	6	6	7
	<i>Sept 8 1916</i>	£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	<i>11 "</i>	10			days at _____ to _____			
	<i>22 "</i>	10			Messing allowance days at _____			
	<i>26 "</i>	1			from _____ to _____			
				2 10	Clothing and kit allowance			
	Allegation <i>70/-</i> <i>19/16</i>	4		6	Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
	Consolidated stoppage				Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
	<i>Laundry tickets</i>			2 7	Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
		£	6	19	Balance due to the Paymaster		12	5
						£	6	19

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ _____ is correctly chargeable against the Public^(b)

Dated at

this

day of

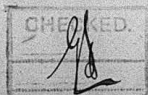
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Paymaster.

- (a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
 (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

W. 9667-4002-750M. 9/15.
 H. & J., Ltd., Bury St., E.C.

Forms
 O. 1625.
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INVALID SOLDIER.

2/1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

SEP 25 1916

PAY & RECORD

I recommend for Furlough

657 Pte O'Brien, T.

for 4 months in respect of

Rheumatism (Myalgia)

which renders him unfit for duty, will you kindly arrange for his
re-examination shortly before his Furlough expires.

Signed

H. G. Wilson
M.O. S. R. A. M. C.

20. 9. 16

W. B. Thomas

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Ray Dept

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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

No. 657.

Name Thos Brown

July 1 - 1915-17

<u>Date.</u>	<u>Particulars</u>	<u>Ch. No.</u>	<u>Dr.</u>	<u>Cr.</u>	<u>Pal.</u>
Oct 9	To Pay to date			11 00	11 00
31	" " "			35 20	46 20
Nov 30	" " "			55 50	101 70
Dec 31	" " "			57 35	159 05
Jan 31	" " "			57 35	216 40
Feb 28	" " "			54 15	270 55
March 13	Pay to date			24 05	294 60
	Bonus			12 95	307 55
	C allowance			25 00	332 55
Oct 12	To Pay	22	15 00		317 55
Nov 2	" "	38	15 00		302 55
	Balance due to P.M. 17/5		3 02		299 53
Dec 11	To Pay	66	30 00		269 53
31	Allotments 93 days @ 70¢		64 10		205 43
Feb 5	To Pay	114	20 00		185 43
Jan 31	allotment		21 70		163 73
28	"		19 60		144 13
Mar 1	Pay	132	30 00		114 13
15	"	140	114 13		0
			332 55	332 55	
			332 55	332 55	0

Signed

Hoany D. M.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

No. 657

Name Obrien, Theo

July 15/

Date	Particulars	Ch. No.	Dr.	Cr.	Bal.
	W A Gratuity		332 55	332 55	0
	1. mts @ 70 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀			70 00	70 00
	3 . = 70 ⁰⁰			210	280 00
Dec 19	P. S. Pay	7180	87 15		192 85
	Bonus		12 95		179 90
March 1	To Pay	11005	70 00		109 90
April 1	" "	13915	70 00		39 90
May	" "	17991	39 90		0
			612 55	612 55	
			612 55	612 55	

Signed Alvany Sen

21
11
1920

NEWFOUNDLAND.

CLAIM FOR PENSION

PENSION No. _____

EUROPEAN WAR.

NOTICE:—This Certificate is to be completed and returned IMMEDIATELY you receive it or payment of your pension will be delayed.

Name in full O'Brien I hereby solemnly declare that my name is O'Brien and that I was
Fill in rank and force a (rank) Private (1st. Nfld. Reg.) 1st Newfoundland Reg.
in (R. N. R.)
and that I am entitled to a Pension from the Colony of Newfoundland
Fill in place giving full postal address I am residing at (Street and number) Black Horse Road
Town of St. John's
and request my next pension cheque be sent to this address.
J. O'Brien SIGNATURE or mark of Pensioner.
Witness G. H. Shea

It is only during the months January and July that the following certificate MUST be completed.

This is to certify that the foregoing declaration and signature (or mark) were made by the above named pensioner in my presence this _____ day of _____ 19____, and I believe him to be the person he represents himself to be

To be signed by a Police, Magistrate or Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, or Clergyman.

..... Signature.
..... Rank or position.
..... Postal Address.

Add any Remarks

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PAY LIST,

to

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Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. *657*

Rank *Private*

Name *I. H. Bin*

Died (a)

at *On*

at Funchal

on the *26* of *Sept*

191 *6*

Deserted at

on the

of

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Embarked 'Scandinavian'

at Liverpool 27-9-16

Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.

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		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	<i>Sept. 8 1916</i>	<i>10</i>			days at from to			
	<i>15 "</i>	<i>10</i>			Messing allowance days at			
	<i>22 "</i>	<i>10</i>			from to			
	<i>28 "</i>	<i>1 00</i>			Clothing and kit allowance			
				<i>2 10 0</i>	Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
	<i>Alloctment 70' 1916</i>			<i>4 - 6</i>	Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
	Consolidated stoppage				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	<i>Sunday Stoppages</i>			<i>2 7</i>	Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Balance due to the Paymaster.....			<i>12 5</i>
		<i>£</i>		<i>6 19 0</i>		<i>£</i>		<i>6 19 0</i>

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ *6 19 0* is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at this



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J. H. Marshall
PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 1090 or Army Form O. 1815.

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CHECKED
OS

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..... *Thomas* 2. Surname..... *O'Brien*
3. Rank..... *Private* 4. Regtl. No. *657*
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to ~~for~~ be forwarded..... *17 McKay St. St. John's*
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *Dec. 15/14*
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge..... *No.*
8. Relationship of such dependents.....
9. Address in full of such dependent.....
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 Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service..... *Overseas*
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas..... *from Dec 15/14 to March 13 1917*

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.....

Inc. Clothing allowance \$25
P.D.P. 87.15

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge?.....
Yes

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.?..... If not give:- (a) Date of discharge.....
Mar. 19/17 (b) Reason for discharge.....
Physical unfitness

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.....

Gallipoli from Sept. 1915 to March 1916. France from March 1916 to June 1916

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com.?.....

(b). If (a), are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee.....

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: *J. O'Brien*

Place of Residence: *17 McKay St. St. John's*

Declared before me at: *St. John's Nfld*

This

27th

day of

March 1919

Signature of Barrister of the
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate,
Notary Public, Justice of the Peace,
or Commissioner of affidavits,
John McCarthy

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
<i>19.12.18</i>	<i>100.00</i>		<i>4 mos</i>	<i>280.00</i>
			<i>less P.D.P.</i>	<i>100.00</i>
				<i>179.90</i>
Certified Correct.				Paymaster.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 87 $\frac{15}{100}$

Dec 19th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Eighty Seven $\frac{15}{100}$ Dollars.
~~amount~~ of Pay. P.D.P.
balance

Ch. No.	7180	Initials	CW.
Pay Ledger	151.	Initials	AWL.
Gen. Ledger		Initials	

J. O'Brien
Regtl. No. Rank



No. 657

Rank O6

Name O'Brien J.

Handwritten notes, possibly a list or calculation, including numbers like 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

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1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

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 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.:

Identity Certificate	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
676	Mother	Margaret O'Brien	Blackman's Rd	70 ⁴
Total Allotment, \$				70 ⁴

E.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, counter-signed by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

Stephens
 Officer Commanding

Company

(Sig.)

(Rank)

Thomas J O'Brien
Private

Stephens
Jan 29th 1905

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June 22nd.1917.

Mr. T. O'Brien,
Blackmarsh Road.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith cheque for £4.86 being
the amount due you as Ration money whilst on Furlough
in England.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
Deputy Paymaster.

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.,

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's, Nfld.

Fold Here

June 18th., 1921. 1917.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 262), is forwarded herewith to

Private Thomas J. O'Brien

in respect of his service as No. 657 Rank Private.

Name Thos. J. O'Brien Corps Royal Nfld. Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received October 10th

Signature Thomas J O'Brien *Regt*

Date October 18th

Address 17 McKay st St Johns

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To the Officer in Charge of Records,



Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

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OCT 11 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**

is/are forwarded herewith to

Thomas J. O'Brien

in respect of his service as No. **657** Rank **Pte.**

Name **T.J. O'Brien** **Royal Nfld. Regt.**
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

October 19 1921

Signature

Thomas J O'Brien

Date

Oct 20 1921

Address

17 McKay St St Johns

[P.T.O.]

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
MINISTÈRE DES AFFAIRES DES ANCIENS COMBATTANTS

DEATH NOTIFICATION
AVIS DE DÉCÈS

Ottawa, Ont.
DATE July 22, 1970

TO:
À:

CEP

NAME O'BRIEN, Thomas J. Service No. CPC No.
NOM O'BRIEN, Thomas J. Matricule No. 657 WWI CCP No. 260881
ROY. NFLD. REGT. WVA No.
AAC No.

Information Received from: S.P.M.E. C.P.C. St. John's Nfld July 14, 1970
Information reçue de:

Date of Death
Date du Décès July 10, 1970

Place
Endroit not stated

Distribution: WSR-DA5G
VI - ASS
~~XXXXXX~~
HO - BC

Pour le chef,
G.F. Poulin
for Chief, Central Registry Division.
Dépôt central des dossiers.

RECEIPT.

C.R. 757

FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND OF VICTORY MEDAL 1914-1919.

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

NO. 757...NAME *S. C. Percy*

DATE. *17/1/20*.....

PLACE. *Portland Maine U.S.A.*

RECEIPT.

C.R. 657

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915

STAR.

No 657 Name J. O'Brien

Witness H.C. Jones

Date Dec. 2/19

Place St. John's

RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF

RIBAND OF 1914-15 Star.

C.R. 657

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

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

Date.....

Place..... Name *J. O'Brien*.....

Date *28-3/19*.....

Place.....

Please sign, and return to Dept. of Militia.

RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF

RIBAND OF 1914-15 STAR.

CIRCULAR LETTER

St. John's,

March 15th 1919.

Riband of 1914-15 Star.

Please complete the following claim and return it to this Department. If possible, call at Room No. 3 for your issue.

W. P. Rendell

Lieut. Colonel.

Chief Staff Officer.

CLAIM FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND

of 1914-15 STAR.

Department of Militia,

St. John's.

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

I certify that I am entitled to this issue, having served on* *Gallipoli & Egypt Western Frontier* from *Sept 1914* 1915 to 1915.

(Date) *Sept 1914* (NO) *657*.... (Rank) *Private*. (Name) *Lieut. J. O. Brien*

(Place) *McKay St. St. Johns Newfoundland*

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

C.R.

657

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal
Hfld. Regt., St. John's, March 27th, 1917.

657 Pte. T.J.O'Brien.

He & Unfit is discharged from March 27th, 1917..

C.R. 657

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

#657 Pte. Thomas J.O'Brien, discharged Mar.23th 1917, Medically
unfit

C.R. 657

Extract from Roll of Officers and N.C.O's
and men DISCHARGED from the Royal Newfound-
land Regiment.

<u>Regtl.#</u>	<u>rank</u>	<u>name</u>	<u>date</u>	<u>reason</u>
657	Pte/ O ^D	O'Brien Thos, J.	13/3/17	Med. Unfit.

C.F. 657

Extract from Telegram received from London, dated
September 30, 1916.

~~225-241100000~~ Leaving Liverpool, Scandinavia, September
27th passage has been provided, Quebec, following on
furlough:

#657 Pte. O'Brien.

Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld from P. & R.O. 30 Sep. 16.

657, Pte O'Brien.

Left Liverpool on Sacndinavian Sept. 27th. 1916. Passage provided
to Quebec. On Furlough.

C.R. 658

Extract from Casualties List NO.H.A. 1347

658 Pte. Evans, L.

Adm.26 Gen.Hos.Staples 28th July'16 P.U.O.

C.R.

657

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
July 25th. 1916.

657, Pte T. O'Brien.

Discharged from Hospital and granted furlough from 24/7/16
to 2/8/16. Fit for Light Duty and likely fit for service
overseas within 3 Months.

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C.R. 65⁴7

Extract of ~~Sanitation~~ letter from O.G. 3rd Lon.Gen.Hos.
to C.G.I/c Records, Nfld.Cont. 58 Victoria St., Lon.S.W.
In accordance with your Memo of 30th June, I beg to inform
you that the undermentioned man was transferred to the
Con. Home on 5/7/16.

#657 Pts. O'Brien. ✓

To Lammus Auxiliary Hospital, Esher.

C.R.

SICK & WOUNDED N.C.O's & MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.

<u>HOUNSLOW RECORD OFFICE.</u>		<u>LIST NO. 9403.</u>
20609 Pte. Mills, W.H.	13/R.Fus. SB.	GSW. Hand L.To Eng. ex 18 Gen.H. 2nd June 16. Flesh Sev.
11983 Pte. Mathirs, G.	1/E Surrey R.	Myalgia Sev. -do-
1967 Pte. Newton, J.W.	19/Midx.R. SB.	GSW. FaceAdm. 18 Gen.H. Dannes Camiers 2nd June 16. Flesh Sev. Slt.
19864 Pte. Nunnery, A.H.G.	26/R.Fus. SB.	GSW. Thigh L. Slt. -do-
8450 Pte. Richmond, E.	11/R.W.Kent R.SB.	GSW. Face Shldr L. -do- Thigh L. Hand L. Leg R. All Flesh Sev.
6453 Pte. Bradbury, H.	12/R.Fus. SB.	Caruncle Back. Slt. -do-
11209 Pte. Hope, A.	10/R.W.Kent.R.SB.	GSW. Leg. L. Flesh Sev. -do-
1458 Pte. Smith, E.E.	12/R.Fus. SB.	Supp. Mid. Bar L. Slt. -do-
6101 Pte. Wilmott, E.	9/E.Surrey R. SB.	GSW. Neck Arm. R. Thigh R. Flesh Slt. -do-
12090 Pte. Dean, W.A.	12/E.Surrey R.SB.	GSW. Face Flesh Blood in anterior chamber of eye Slt. -do-
19892 Pte. Semmons, V.	26/R.Fus. SB.	GSW. Face Eye L. GSW. Hands & Legs Flesh Slt. -do-
1399 Pte. Nixon, C.	7 att 8/E. Kent.R.	Boils Neck R Slt. -do-
12020 Pte. Faulkner, W.I.	13/Midx.R. SB.	Halux Valgus Slt. -do-
23014 Pte. Durston, W.J.C.	26/R.Fus. SB.	GSW. Multiple Slt. -do-
19795 Pte. Sharpe, J.C.	26/R.Fus. SB.	GSW. Shoulder R & Thigh R. Slt. -do-
22037 Pte. Agar W.R.	26/R.Fus. SB.	GSW. Hand Neck & Legs. Slt. -do-
19575 Pte. Davies, H.L.	26/R.Fus. SB.	GSW. Arm. R. Face & Foot Slt. -do-

1539 Pte. Hucks, F. TERRITORIAL FORCE HOUNSLOW RECORD OFFICE. LIST NO. H. 9403
1/8 Midx.R. Suffering from....To Eng. ex 18 Gen.H. 2nd June 16.
Shock Shell "w" Sev.

657 Pte. O'Brien, T. NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT. LIST NO. H. 9403
1/Newfoundland R. Myalgia Sev.To Eng. ex 18 Gen.H. 2nd June 16.

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C.R. 657

Extract from Code Telegram from Capt. Timewell, received 5th. June
1916.

657 T.J.O'Brien.

Myalgia.

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O (18)

June 5th, 1916.

Dear Sir,

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 657, Private Thomas Joseph O'Brien, has been admitted to the Third London General Hospital, Wandsworth, suffering from Myalgia.

I trust that later reports will bring news of his convalescence.

Any further information received at this Office as to his condition will be at once notified to you.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Richard O'Brien,
Blackmarsh Road.

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 657

Extract of Cablegram received from London, dated
June 5, 1916.

#657 Pte. O'Erien.

Myalgia. at Wandsworth.

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C.R. 657

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office
London dated May 27, 1916.

#657 Pte. O'Brien, T.

1st Newfoundland Inf.

Malgia Sgt. admitted 18th General Hospital, Camiers
18th May, 1916.

C.R. 657

Extract from List of Officers N. C. o's and men
of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment who were
Employed as Transport to the 1st., 2nd., 3rd.,
~~Composite~~ Battalions engaged on the Western
Frontier in Egypt. Dec-----Feb.

#657 Pte. T. J. O'Brien.

The above man did not embark for Gallipoli but
was left behind at Alexandria when the Battalion
sailed on Sept. 13, 1915.

22/4/16.

C.R. 657

Extract from Nominal Roll of Co. 1st Bn. New Zealand Regt.
Embarked at Devonport for Active Service 20-8-15.

657 Pte. T.O'Brien.

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

C.R. 657-

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's, per S.S.
"Dominion" Feb. 2nd, 1915.

657 Pte. O'Brien T.J.

C.R.

657

Thos. J.O'Brien was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on .Dec..15th. 1914.
Regimental No.657 was allotted to Ptq. T.J.O'Brien

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

~~THOS. J. O'BRIEN~~

Casualty Form—Active Service.



Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 Regimental No. C.R. 657 Rank Pte Name J. S. Brown
 Enlisted (a) 15/12/14 Terms of Service (a) one year Service reckons from (a) _____
 Date of promotion to } present rank } Date of appointment } to lance rank } Numerical position on } roll of N.C.Os. }
 Extended _____ Re-engaged 15/8/15 Qualification (b) _____

Date	Report		Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 86, or other official documents.
	From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 86, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.			
		Embarked St. John's, NFLD.		3.2.15	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1.9.15	
	<u>Sp. F. A</u>	<u>Admitted 2.5.16</u>	<u>St. John's</u>	<u>5.5.16</u>	<u>809542</u>
	<u>Do</u>	<u>Discharged</u>	<u>St. John's</u>	<u>12.5.16</u>	<u>809895 13.5.16</u>
	<u>Do</u>	<u>Admitted</u>	<u>St. John's</u>	<u>17.5.16</u>	<u>801008 23.5.16</u>
	<u>18th G. N</u>	<u>Admitted</u>	<u>St. John's</u>	<u>18.5.16</u>	<u>H 8862 31.5.16</u>
	<u>Sp. F. A</u>	<u>Admitted</u>	<u>St. John's</u>	<u>2.6.16</u>	<u>W 3083</u>

Stanley
Warrant Officer
Official Signatory Records
22 October 1916

Sp. F. A
10/10/16
Sp. F. A

(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. (P.T.O.)
 (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

