



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 2441 Name M. J. Osborne Corps

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

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|--|---|
| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>Moses J. Osborne</u> .....                  |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>Blaketown T. B.</u> .....                   |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>Yes</u> .....                               |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>18</u> Years <u>7</u> Months .....          |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Railway Land</u> .....                      |
| 6. Are you Married? .....  | 6. <u>No</u> .....                                |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? .....                             | 7. <u>No</u> .....                                |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....  | 8. <u>Yes</u> .....                               |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? .....   | 9. <u>Yes</u> .....                               |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? .....                                     | 10. <u>FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR</u> Name ..... |
| 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. <u>Yes</u> Corps .....                        |

I, M. J. Osborne, 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.

M. J. Osborne SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

R. P. Hallaway Signature of Witness.

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

I, M. J. Osborne, 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 Blaketown on this 6 day of April 1916.

Signature of Attesting Officer R. P. Hallaway

### †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 .....

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

Date.....1916

Place.....

} 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).....

## DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Moses T. Osbourne

Apparent age 18 years 7 months. Height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches  
Range of expansion 3 inches

Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

### INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Nathaniel Osbourne  
Bellevue T. B. | Relationship Father

#### Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

#### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

### STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ [date of discharge] _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ [ " " ] _____ " _____ "									



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2. What is your full Address? ..... { Blenketown T. B.
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 18 Years 7 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Railway hand
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? ..... } II. Yes

I, M. J. Osbourne, 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.

Moses J. Osbourne SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

R. P. Hallaway Signature of Witness.

6 April 1915

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

I, M. J. Osbourne, 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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R. P. Hallaway Signature of Attesting Officer

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Date ..... 1915 } Approving Officer.  
Place .....

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# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Miss M. Osbourne

Apparent age 18 years 7 months. Height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches  
Range of expansion 3 inches

Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Matthew Osbourne  
Blackburn T. 13 | Relationship Father

### Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>4-4-16</u>									
Joined at <u>Woburn</u> on <u>April 4/16</u> <del>Discharged July 5/19</del>									
<u>Embarked at John's S. Section for 1st 1916</u> <u>Embarked for 803.10.17</u> <u>Joined unit 27.2.17. Wounded 14/4/17. Admitted 27th St. 4th Regt 14/5/17. Admitted 18th Co. Staff</u> <u>Company 15/7. Transferred to 3rd Coy. 3/7. Earned 12 days on the field 7/7. West. Section 30/7.</u> <u>Recd. 26-10-18. Hard confined 14.1.19. Admitted 5/7. Transferred to 1st 6/7. Arrived Winchester 19/7/19</u> <u>to headquarters for demobilization 22.5.19. Arrived 1/6-19</u> <u>Demobilization at John's 5-1-1919</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>5-7-19</u> (date of discharge) <u>3</u> years <u>93</u> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)  
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 Misses J. Osbourne  
aged 18 conducted at C. L. B.  
Date: Apr 3/16 Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST	FINDING
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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	Deft. locom. arch
14	No
15	No
16	No
17	No
18	No
19	6/6 Best
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	Variocoe. not to disqualify
33	Yes. 1 ear, left arm, sym.
34	5-6 1/2
35	132 lbs
36	50 1/2 33/6
37	50 1/2 for mit.
38	parents Mr. Wm. Osbourne. Blakelam.
39	mons.

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FD

Signature of Medical Examiner: William Roberts

C.R. 2441

Ste. Desbroune, Nozes, J.



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1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, Moses J. Osbourne, Regl. No. 244

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Twenty Dollars and 00 Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup><sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup><sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins May 1/16.

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
2053	Mother	Mrs. Mat. Osbourne	Blaketown. T.B.	70
Commencing 2/7/16.				
Total Allotment, \$				

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.

(Sig.)

H. Outbridge

for

Officer Commanding

Company

St. John'sCap. nr1916

(Sig.)

Moses J. Osbourne

(Rank)

Pte.

No. 7751/354

*6604*

N.F.P./70.

From: NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

*FD 099976*

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

To: Officer Commanding, Depot  
1st Batt. Ryl. Nfld Regiment  
Winchester

20th May 1919

1919.

2441 Sgt. M.J. Osbourne

Receipt hereunder.

With reference to the following telegram from the Minister of Militia / / 19 ( ):

Officer Commdg. \_\_\_ Batt'n.

"Pay to- 2441 M.J. Osbourne  
£7. 4. 0.

Cheque £7. 4. 0. is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Received the sum of Seven Pounds for M.J. Osbourne in respect of telegraphic remittance from the Minister of Militia.

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

M. Osbourne  
No. 2441 Rank Sergt

Witness: [Signature]



No. 212

# ANGLO-AMERICAN WESTERN UNION DIRECT UNITED STATES CABLEGRAM



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WORDS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CHARGE	VIA ANGLO.		THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.

27/12/18 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To MRS N OSBOURNE

BLAKETOWN TRINITY BAY (Newfoundland)

CABLE FIVE POUNDS THROUGH MILITIA

2441 OSBOURNE

*Change date* →

*12/-*

*Pay*

CHARGED  
PAY LEDGER. *12/-*  
Date *10/1/19* by *W.H.*

CHECKED.  
*W.H.*  
*10/1/19*

Authorised.

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

Having read the conditions printed on the back hereof, I request that the above telegram be forwarded by the Western Union Telegraph-Cable System, subject to the said conditions to which I agree.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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No 2441

Dear Sir or Madam.

I now take the pleasure in writing to you about a young man in the Newfoundland Regiment is name is Mose Osborne of C. Company and ~~I would like~~ very much if you would give me his number as I have lost it some time ago and cant recall it so I would like very much if you could help me and if he is still living if so write to Miss B. Brighton 20 New Bridge St. Ayr. Scotland. I remain yours sincerely.

V5937

~~Handwritten signature and scribbles~~

In the absence of any report to the contrary it is assumed he is serving with his unit in France

2/27/18

~~Handwritten signature~~



14190/450.

1st.Bn. Royal Newfoundland Rgt.,  
B. E. F. FRANCE.

September 4th, 8

2441. Pte. M.J. Osborne.

✓ 7766

"Pay to Pte. M.J.Osborne, 2441,  
£14:5:8.

*Paul  
Paul.*

*10/14*

No. \_\_\_\_\_

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./55.

To:

No 2441

Pte. M. Osborne

Pay & Record Office,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1,

1<sup>st</sup> January 1918

Herewith

Postal Drafts No <sup>A</sup> 026032/3 value £10:2:10.

being

REMITTANCE FROM HEADQUARTERS.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.) M. Osborne.

(Date) Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1918

J. F. Marshall  
Chief Paymaster & Officer in Records.

9th July 1917.

CANADIAN RECORD OFFICE,

GREEN ARBOUR HOUSE,

OLD BAILEY, E.C.4.

The attached communication  
which is evidently intended  
for you, is forwarded with  
the compliments of the

Officer i/c Records,  
O.M.F.C.

The Officer i/c Records,  
New Foundland Regiment,  
Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.

Blake-Town  
June 4 / 17

in hood  
1 month  
with 2 weeks  
for 3/5/17

REGISTRY EXPEDY FORCE.
long
- 3 JUL 1917
ACTED BY
no m. 18019
GREEN HOUSE HOLDING

Capt James Bell

Pay & Record Office

London

England

Dear Sir

Would you send me an address to write to my brother  
 Pte Moses J Osburne R.O. 2 H.H.1 he went to France the  
 9th of February (1/17) and he has not received a letter from  
 home since & we have sent 2+3 every week to him & a parcel &  
 he never received any of it now Sir I would be very much  
 obliged if you would send me an address to write him  
 & give him the news of home or if you could get his letters  
 forwarded on to him as we always address his letters  
 some where in France Sir would this make a difference to  
 his letters reaching please send me full particulars &

I remain yours

my address is

Miss Elizabeth Julia Osburne

Blakeney

via Whitburne

Trinity Bay P 7 & D

1ST N WOODS BATTALION REGIMENT
PAY RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No. 3704
Rec'd. JUL 11 1917
A.S.D.
Ans'd.

# WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN DIRECT UNITED STATES  
**CABLEGRAM**



Prefix _____ Code _____		SENT		FOR STAMPS	
WORDS		At _____			
CHARGE		To _____ By _____			
180		2/12		VIA WESTERN UNION	

THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.

24/12/17 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To EFM MRS N. OSBORNE

BLAKETOWN TRINITY BAY (Newfoundland)

PLEASE CABLE FIFTEEN POUNDS THROUGH MINISTER MILITIA SEASONS GREETINGS

J  
M & OSBORNE

180  
 2 1/2  
 ---  
 36  
 9  
 ---  
 45  
 3 1/9

CHARGED  
 26/12/17  
 Date by *W.C.*

CHECKED.  
*W.C.*

Charge to M. J. Osborne  
 2441

Authorised.

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Moses Osborne 24411.

Promotions, Appointments, Reductions, and  
any casualty affecting the net daily rate of pay.

Date	Nature of Casualty	* Officer's Signature

\* NOTE.—In addition to the above record, the Officer making the entry will write across the columns for cash payments the nature of the casualty and the amended net rate of pay corresponding with page 4. He will also record in the same places all sentences of imprisonment, attesting such entries by his signature.

Signature of Soldier W. J. JohnsonBook opens on Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> 1917. (For the Net Daily Rate of Pay see pages 3 and 4, and Note on page 5).

If the soldier was in debt on the above date, the amount to be recovered from the next pay due to him should be stated.

Debt £        s.       Robertson Lino. C. Company, &c.

## Cash Payments

Date	Place or in the Field. When on Active Service enter in the Field only.	Amount		Signature of Officer
		£	s.	
191				
10/2/17	In the field	5	fr	awalcock Lt.
22/2/17	In the field	5	fr.	awalcock Lt.
5/3/17		20		W. J. Johnson
9-4-17	"	25		W. J. Bennister Lt.
29-4-17	-	25		W. J. Bennister, Lieut
1-5-17	-	25		W. J. Bennister Lieut
16/5/17	—	25	✓	W. J. Bennister Lieut
16/5/17	"	25	✓	W. J. Bennister Lieut
1-6-17	"	10	✓	W. J. Bennister Lieut
1/6/17	W. J.	25	✓	W. J. Bennister Lieut
3/6/17	"	25	✓	W. J. Bennister Lieut

Signature of Soldier W. D. Williams

Cash Payments made to \_\_\_\_\_

Date	Place	Amount	Signature of Officer.
4-7-17	Field.	25 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>5</sub> ✓	J. Kinnings Capt
18/7/17	"	25 ✓	J. Kinnings Capt
25-7-17	"	25 ✓	J. Kinnings Capt
4-8-17	"	25 ✓	W. Strong Lt
25 SEP 1917	3092	40 F ✓	W. J. Taylor
2/10/17	"	20 ✓	R. S. Drake Lt
13 10 17	"	20 ✓	R. S. Drake Lt
7-11-16	—	20 ✓	R. Sheppard Lt
Nov 18	—	20 ✓	R. Sheppard Lt
3-12-16	—	20 ✓	R. S. Hunter Capt
7-12-16	—	20 ✓	R. S. Hunter Capt
22-12-16	—	25 ✓	R. S. Hunter Capt
26-12-16	—	20 ✓	R. S. Hunter Capt
4/1/17	—	20 ✓	J. G. Bennett Lt
13/1/17	—	20 ✓	J. G. Bennett Lt

## Cash Payments made to

Date	Place	Amount	Signature of Officer.
4/1/17	Field	25	G. Bennis
5-2-17	"	25	J. J. ...
11/2/17	"	20	J. J. ...
15/2/17	"	20	G. G. Byrne
7-3-17	"	20	J. J. ...
15-3-17	"	21	H. H. Utter
23-3-17	"	20	H. H. Utter
1-11-17	Field	15	M. J. ...
12-11-17	Field	15	M. J. ...
26-11-17	"	20	M. J. ...
11/2/17	"	15	J. J. ...
8-12-17	In the field	13	P. G. ...
13-12-17	In the field	15	M. J. ...
22/12/17	"	20	H. H. Utter

No. 6984/1.

HA/JC

12th July

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Miss Elizabeth J. Osbourne,  
Blaketown, via Whitbourne,  
T.B., Newfoundland.

With reference to your enquiry dated 4/6/17,  
(3704), on the subject of 2441, Pte. M.J. Osbourne,  
1st Newfoundland Regiment.

The latest information received at this Office  
is that he was fit for duty on the 3/5/17 in France,  
after being in hospital for some weeks, with a  
gunshot wound in the neck.

If you address your letters "Somewhere in France"  
it is doubtful if they will ever reach your brother.  
You should address them: C/o Newfoundland Pay &  
Record Office, 58 Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1,  
England.

2nd Lt.,  
for Major,  
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

WILL:Name *Osbourne Mosley* <sup>693</sup>Regtl. No. *2441* - Rank *Plt*Regiment *Newfoundland*Date of:— *Feb 25<sup>th</sup> 1917*

Receipt ... ..

Transfer ... ..

Final disposal and  
to whom sent ...

No 4463/182

From:

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

CONTINGENT  
 CHIEF PAYMASTER & O.I.C. RECORDS.  
 NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
 58, VICTORIA STREET,  
 LONDON, S.W. 1.  
 B.E.F. ENGLAND.  
 1/Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

20th March 1919

2441 A/Sgt. Osbourne M.J.

With reference to the following telegram from the Minister of Militia, / / ( 84 )

"Pay to- 2441 Osbourne,

£9. 18. 0

Kindly advise whether this remittance should be

- (1) forwarded to you for payment to this Soldier;
- (2) retained to credit of his account; or
- (3) otherwise dealt with.

*A.A. Minshall Pay.*  
 Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records

31-3-1919

2441 A/Sgt Osbourne

This N.C.O. wishes the amount retained to the credit of his account please

*A.S. Newman*  
 Capt Adj. Major  
 For

CONTINGENT 1st Bn. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Deposited

20/3/19

g.b.

~~Enclure~~

6 Coy. 1<sup>st</sup> Bn Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
Francis  
7-3-19

To  
Paymaster

Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
58 Victoria Street  
London.

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Sir,

Will you please  
forward the following cablegram  
and oblige

No. 2441

Sergeant M. Osbourne

Cablegram

To

Nathaniel Osbourne  
Blacktown, Trinity Bay,  
Newfoundland

Recd 64/19  
11/11/19

able Ten Pounds To Pay & Record Office,  
immediately.

(Ed) M. Osbourne

H. F. Stauford

R.N.F.I.D. TR. eq. T.

(N. Osbourne)



C.R. 2441

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13 Clarke Town

A. 3. 20

Lt. Colonel W. F. Kendall  
Chief Staff Officer  
Medita Dept

Dear Sir.

Will you

Kindly forward me an application  
form for a widow to claim a separation  
allowance. Owing to my son # 2441.

Ex Sgt Osbourn M. who was my  
support. I served 3 yrs 90 days with  
the 1st W. I. L. Regt.

Trusting to hear from you as soon  
as possible

I remain

Mrs W. Osbourns.

13 Clarke Town, T. B.

2441

March 25th 1920

Mrs. H. Osbourne,

Blake Town

B.B.

Dear Madam:-

Reference your letter 8th March requesting application form for Separation Allowance on account of your son No. 2441 Ex Sergt M. Osbourne. The claim form is attached hereto, and I should be glad if you will have same completed at your earliest convenience and return to this Department when your case will be given consideration.

Yours faithfully,

Ident.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

C.R. 2441

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Unit the Royal Nfld.  
Regiment dated July 9th. 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization  
has been confirmed by Officer i/c Records on noted date.

#2441 Sgt. Moses Osbourne.

5-7-19.

C.R.2441

Moses J. Osbourne was attested for General  
Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON April 4th 1916  
Regimental No. 2441 was allotted to Pte. M. J. Osbourne.

AUTHORITY:

Recr & Ledger;

Dept. of Militia.

March 25th 1919

C.R. 2441

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal WFLD.  
Depot, St. John's, June 11th, 1919.

The Discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has  
been APPROVED by C.O. Discharge Depot with effect from  
21-6-19.

2441 Sgt. Osbourne, Moses.

C.R. 2441

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Depot, St. John's,

Date 10-6-19.

2441 Sgt. Moses Osbourne

Reported at Headquarters

1-6-19.  
19

BE "Corsican"

which sailed Liverpool May 22/1919.

C.R. 2441

Extract from Nominal Roll of Nfld. Regt. Draft No. 18  
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked South-  
ampton, 10-2-17.

2441 Pte. M.J. Osborne.

C.R. 2441

Extract of Telegram from Military to Synoptical, London.  
dated April 26th 1919.

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#2441, Osbourne philtered scalefoot.



C.R. 2441

Extracts of DAILY ORDERS PART II ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND  
REGIMENT IN FRANCE DATED 20/11/18.

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Appointed A/Cpl.

#2441 Pte. M. Osbourne.

26/10/18.

C.R. 2441

Extract of DAILY ORDERS PART II ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND  
REGIMENT IN FRANCE DATED 31/1/19.

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CONFIRMED TO RANK.

#2441 A/Cpl. M. Osbourne

14/1/19.

C.R.E. 2441

Extract of DAILY ORDERS PART II ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT  
IN FRANCE DATED 31/1/19.

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APPOINTED A/ Sergt.

#2441 Cpl. H. Osbourne.

15/1/19.

C.R. 2441

February 27th 1919.

Mr. E.J. Osbourne,  
Blaketown.

Dear Sir:

I am directed by the Minister of Militia to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 24th inst., in which you inquire as to the date on which another Draft will be leaving for here, and whether your brother, Sgt. Osbourne will be attached to same. I beg to say that at the present time we have no knowledge of when the next Draft will be coming, or the names of those who will comprise it. However, I shall keep your letter by me, and immediately upon receipt of anything definite, I shall again communicate with you.

Yours faithfully,

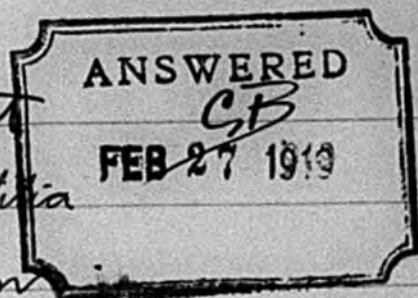
C.C.B.

Captain,  
Military Secretary.

Blackburn

Y B  
Feb 24/2/19

Hon J B Bennett  
Minister of Militia  
St John



Dear Sir:-

Could

you tell me what time another batch  
of soldiers will be leaving England for  
Newfoundland Please find out  
& let me know immediately as I  
am expecting my brother CB 7144  
Sergt Osbourne & a number of will they  
be coming via through by steamer  
Let me know at your earliest

convenience

& oblige me

E J Osbourne

Blackburn, Y. B.

CODE MESSAGE SENT TO SYNOPTICAL.

May 7, 1917.

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Telegraph whereabouts of 2293 Gallant, 2383 Hensworthy  
Report by telegraph present condition of 2771 Davy,  
1335 Curlew, 2803 Brown, 1949 Hall, 1736 Chaiker, 1093<sup>B</sup> Harriet.  
What is address of, report by telegraph present condition  
of 2009 Magford, 2639 Gosse, 2441 Osborns. Report by  
telegraph nature of wounds of, what is address of, report  
by telegraph present condition of 2009 Read.

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# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

*Edw. M. Murray*  
*To Dep. Sec. Gen.*

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated

11th May, 1917.

To

Mr. Nathaniel Osborne,

Blaketown, T. B.

In reply your letter May fourth upon enquiry am today informed by Record Office London that No. 2441 Private Moses J. Osborne is at Rest Camp near Boulogne and No. 2636 Private Solomon Gosse was fit for duty at Rouen April twentyfifth.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

Blake town

May 4 / 17

Hon J R Bennett

Col Secretary

St Johns

Dear Sir :-

Can you give me any  
Further Information about my Son Ste Moses J Osborne <sup>Regmt No 2636</sup> who  
was wounded in the neck on April the 5<sup>th</sup> inst Also Private Solomon  
Gosse who was wounded at the same time Regmt No 2636 will  
you please try & find out what hospital they went to so that I  
could wire myself & find out how he is my reason for trouble  
my you is there is a Rumour going around here that some  
of our wounded soldiers were on that hospital ship that was  
sunk is it a Train Ambulance a hospital or can you  
give me an address to wire him I please answer me by wire  
Telegram & Oblige yours truly

Yrs Faith Osborne

Blake town

J B



C.R. 2441

**Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated April 30th, 1917.**

#2441 Pte. M. J. Osbourne.

Gunshot wound Neck.

**Admitted 1 Con. Depot Boulogne 23 April 1917.**

C.R. 2441

Extract of Casualty List received from P&RO., London

Dated April 29th. 1917.

The following r/b O.C. Unit, 15.4.17. as "Wounded"  
14.4.17. No ~~previous~~ previous reports.

2441 Pte. M.J.Osbourne

1st. Newfoundland Regiment.

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**(NOT TRANSMITTED)**

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **April 25th, 1917.**

To **Mr. Nathaniel Osborne,**  
**Blaketown.**

No further report regarding No. 2441 Private Moses J. Osborne received. Shall endeavour obtain further particulars and wire you.

**COLONIAL SECRETARY.****FOR TYPEWRITER**

Belfast  
April 23 1917

Hon J R Bennett Cal Secretary

Dear Sir i am in Receipt of yours  
Message about my son being wounded.  
Prudat Moses Osborne 2441

could you give me any further  
information whether

is Wounded or serious or could you  
tell me what Hospital he is in

Please send me Particulars  
as i want to write to the Hospital  
that he is in

Please ~~answer~~ answer by wire  
and a bigy yours Thanked Servant

A Nathaniel Osborne

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender *John Nathaniel Osborne* Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number _____	Rcd _____	By _____	Sent _____	by _____	Check _____
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Dated **April 21, 1917.**  
To **Mr. Nathaniel Osborne,**  
**Blaketown. F.B.,**

Regret to inform you that Record Office,  
London, officially reports **No. 2441, Private**

**Moses J. Osborne, was admitted Sixth Stationary Hospital, Frevent, and transferred to train ambulance April fifteenth suffering from mild gunshot wound in the neck.**

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you and trust that next report will be of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT,  
Colonial Secretary.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

C.R. 2441

Extract from Nominal Roll of 20 Other ranks which embarked  
from Southampton 10/3/14 for B. S. F.

#2441 Pte. M. J. Osbourne.

C.R. 244

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,  
per S.S. "Sicilian" July 19, 1916.

2441 Pte. Psbourne M.J.

No. 2441 Name *Osborne. M. F.* Sq., Batty., } *c* Corps *2/1 nfld Regt.* Date of enlistment } *4/4/16* G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }

Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } *10/1/17* No. and date of last drunk } Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } Sheet No. *1* Signature O.C. Company, etc. } *Robertson Lieut* Character *Good*

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
			<i>15.1.19</i>	<i>Re-Joined Battalion 7.6.17.</i>					

*Robertson*



Oshorne, L.

2441

Gay sept.

June 12, 1919

Mrs. Nathaniel Osborne,  
WHITBOURNE.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your telegram of May 16th. I beg to advise you that I have cabled £7.4.0 the equivalent of \$35.00, to Sgt. Osborne.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization: 8.

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date .....

6.6.19

Regimental No. 2441..

Name .....

Wahone Moses

Sgt

Address .....

Beak town

Present Medical Category .....

A-1

Recommended for:— { (a) Immediate discharge .....

(b) ~~Standing~~ Medical Board .....

Members of Board {

RH Lant Capt

O.C. Discharge Depot.

Watson

Senior Medical Officer

Sewborden

M.O. Depot

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 24444 Rank Sgt Name Lesborne Thomas  
 Date of Enlistment 2-1-14 Address Blaketown District Trinity  
 Occupation Railway Hand Classification for Discharge E Medical Category A.I.  
 Recommendation S.M.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P136.....	B 268.....	B 121.....	1	N.F. Med.....	D.F. 1.....	1
B 178.....	W 3494.....	B 122.....	1	Board 1st.....	" 2.....	
B 178a.....	D 400A.....	B 1915.....	1	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.....			" 6.....	
B 179c.....	B 120.....	M 93.....				

Date 6-6-19

O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

*W. J. Osborne*

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00

(b) Clothing Supplied

*W. J. Osborne*

Date 7-6-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. P. 1556.9.634 to his home at Blaketown and Release Certificate No. 2433 issued.

Date 7-6-19 ..... J.A. Snow  
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 5-7-19

Date 7-6-19 ..... J.A. Snow  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 21-6-19 .....

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P136	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
F 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
R 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		

2 Form B

Date 7-6-19 ..... J.A. Snow  
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 JUN 21 1919 ..... R.H. Sait Capt.  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date .....

## Civil Re-establishment Committee



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

*To resume former occupation*

*W. J. DeBorja*

Signature of Man.

Reg. No. *2441*

*J. A. Snowliff*

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place *St. John*

Date *JUN 7 1919*

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Oshourne OF Christian Name Moses J.

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <sup>3<sup>rd</sup></sup> day of <u>April</u> 19 <u>16</u> at <u>Saint John N.B.</u>		on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u> at _____	
Declared Age	<u>18</u> years <u>7 mos</u> days		_____ years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>Railway Land.</u>		_____	
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>6½</u> inches		_____ feet _____ inches	
Weight	<u>137</u> lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>36</u> inches		_____ inches	
	Range of expansion... <u>3</u> inches		_____ inches	
Physical Development	_____		_____	
Vaccination Marks	Arm	_____	Right	Left
	Number	<u>1</u>	_____	_____
When Vaccinated	<u>5 yrs.</u>		_____	
Vision	R.E.—V=	<u>6/6</u>	R.E.—V=	_____
	L.E.—V=	<u>6/6</u>	L.E.—V=	_____
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a) _____		(a) _____	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b) _____		(b) _____	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>L. Anne Paterson</u>		_____	
(Rank)	<u>Major</u> Medical Officer.		_____ Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>3<sup>rd</sup></u> day of <u>April</u> 19 <u>16</u>		at _____ on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	<u>1st Nfld. Regt.</u>	<u>2441</u>	_____	_____
Transferred to	_____		_____	
Became non-effective by	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>		on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	
(Signature)	_____		_____	
(Rank)	_____		_____	







The Royal Nfld. Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION

No. *2441* Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Name *Stourie M*

Warned for demobilization on

JUN 7 1919

EM

6093

13 Lake Town N. J.

# 2441

Captain.

13-10-19

J. M. Howley

Pay Master & O. & Records  
St. Johns.

Ex Sergt. M. J. Osborn  
13 Lake Town  
Trinity Bay  
N. J.

Dear Sir.

Osborn

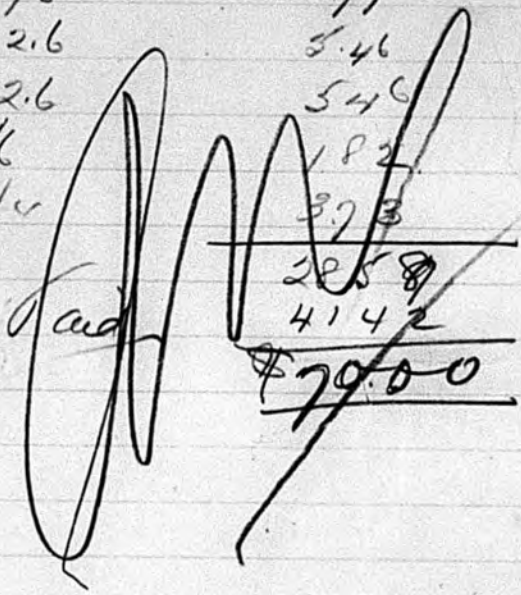
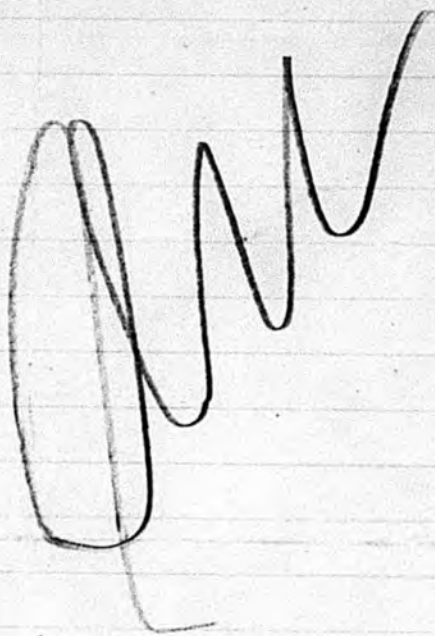
Wd. To Draw your attention to my  
last cheque I received for my War  
Service Gratuity. The cheque was  
only made out for \$41.42 (forty one  
dollar & forty two cents) when it should  
be for seventy dollars for I served  
3 yrs & 9. days. and arrived home  
in June this year from overseas.  
Trusting you will see & correct your  
error. at your earliest convenience  
I remain

Yours Respectfully,

(over)

The following amounts have  
been paid to you in parcels  
which have not be deducted  
Against your pay

\$1.3.0	5.59
15/4	3.73
11/6	2.79
£1.2.6	5.46
£1.2.6	5.46
7/6	1.82
15/4	3.73
	<hr/>
	28.59
	41.42
	<hr/>
	<del>£70.00</del>



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October 18, 1919

M.J. Osbourne,  
Blaketown,  
T.B.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter  
13/10/'19, certain amounts have been received  
from our London Office and debited to your account.  
These represent payments whilst in France, and are  
as follows:

5.59  
3.73  
2.79  
5.46  
5.46  
1.82  
3.73

28.58  
41.42  
70.00

Final payment of War Service Gratuity

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster

July 5, 1919

#7441 Sgt. Moses Osbourne,

Blaketown, T.B.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed Discharge Certificate

No. 2672

Yours truly

Captain  
Raymaster & O.i/c Records.

July 5, 1919

#2441 Sgt. Moses Osbourne,

Blaketown, T.B.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your application I enclose cheque  
for Seventy dollars (\$70.00), being amount of first  
payment due you on account of the War Service Gratuity.

Yours truly

Captain  
Paymaster & V.i/c Records.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who claims War Service Gratuity under Order-in-Council dated January 28th. 1919.

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration There must be no blanks and no dashes. If any questions are not applicable, the words "NOT APPLICABLE" must be written out.

On completion this Declaration is to be returned to THE OFFICER I/C

RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

Christian name *Moses* ..... 2. Surname *Osbourn* .....

3. Rank *Sergeant* ..... 4. Regtl. No. *2441* .....

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded, *Blatetown* .....

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment *April 4<sup>th</sup> 1916* .....

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....

*not applicable* .....

8. Relationship of such dependents *nil* .....

9. Address in full of such dependents.....

*nil* .....

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier? *Not applicable* .....

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.....

*Three years Three months* .....

13. Have you had more than one enlistment? If so, give particulars of discharge and re-enlistments, and under what regimental numbers.  
*Not applicable*

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.  
*Clashing allowance \$60.00*

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

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

17. Are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity in the nature of Post Discharge Pay from the Imperial Forces? If so, state amount received, or to which you are entitled.  
*Not applicable*

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England?  
*Not applicable*

(b) If so, was such reversion in consequence of Misconduct or inefficiency?  
*Not applicable*

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? If not give? - (a) date of discharge *June 30th 1917* (b) Reason for discharge  
*Demobilization*

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.  
*Manche 14th April 1917 Cambrai 7th Nov. 17  
Arras 16th August 17 + 9th Oct.*

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: *R. J. Osbourne*  
 Place of Residence: *Blaketown Trinity Bay*  
 Declared before me at: *St. John's Nfld*  
 This *7<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 19*19*...

*John M. Cooney*  
 Signature of Berrister of the  
 Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-  
 trate, Notary Public, Justice of the  
 Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits.

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

FORM K

No. 2055

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P. 5

1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Moses J. Osbourne, Regl. No. 244 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Dollars and Seventy Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person and Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person and Persons concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins May 1/16.

Table with 5 columns: Identity Certificate No., Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend, NAME (in full), ADDRESS, AMOUNT (each person). Includes handwritten entry for Mrs. Lat. Osbourne, Blaketown, T.B., with amount 70.

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.

(Sig.) H. Overbridge

for, Officer Commanding Company

St. John's Ap. 22 1916

(Sig.) Moses J. Osbourne

(Rank) Pte.

This N.C.G has called at this  
office & explained the debt  
bal to him

W.R.

7 Blake Town N.B.

Oct 13<sup>th</sup> / 19

Wm A. E. McKimman

Mem. of Militia

St Johns.

Hon. Sec.

Allow

Me to say that there was a mistake  
made in my last Cheque for my  
War Service Gratuity. The Cheque  
I received amounted to \$41.42  
(Forty one Dollars & forty two Cents)  
and it should be Seventy Dollars  
for I served 3 yrs & 90 days & returned  
Home in June this year.  
Trusting this error will soon be corrected  
I remain

Yours Respectfully

# 2441 (Ex) Sergt Wm J. Osborne.

7839

J. Blake Town

11-12-19

Capt. Howley  
Military Dept.  
St. Johns

Dear Sir

My Gratitude for This Month  
Hasnt Turned up yet. The  
Last I Got I Had To Go  
St. Johns for it. I Dont wish  
to do the same every month.  
Trusting You will see  
to it at your earliest  
convenience

J. T. Remain

Yours Respectfully

# 2441. Ex. Supt. M. J. Osborn

J. Blake Town

Trinity Bay

11 Dec 1919

10791

Upper Island Lake  
May the 15 1920

bapt Howdy

Dear Sir

Just a note to  
remind you of mays  
cheque Due Thomas Osborne  
per Mary Osborne I hope  
I dont offend you by  
so claim of how I would  
excised others before  
this time I thought  
you may forgotten if  
so send it on please  
how it is Due him  
yours truly

has been sent  
Mary Osborne

2441 M. Osbourne

Payments \$ 280<sup>00</sup>

Balance \$ 140<sup>00</sup>

420<sup>00</sup>

W. Newbury S.M.S.

From Advance of one month (\$7<sup>00</sup>) authorized please

20/10/19 G.C.B. for 20.

ACCOUNT	<u>Transey</u>
CH. NO.	<u>8022</u> INITIALS <u>RJH</u>
IND. LEDGER	INITIALS _____
PAY LEDGER	INITIALS _____
GEN. LEDGER	INITIALS _____

The Department of Militia.

The sum of three 3.00 dollars is due

MR. Peter Petipas Private

Reg No 2441 Rank Sgt Name Osborne M

From Whitbourne To Blaketown



Correct for \$ 3.00  
Ambluster Captain

Demobilisation Officer

No. 634

# TRAVELLING WARRANT

Date 2-6-19 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

*Correct:  
Sergt. M. Osborne*

*General*

Please issue 1st Class Passage and Meals for

No. 2441 Rank SA Name Ozborne M

From Whitbourne - ST. JOHN'S - To B. Belouze

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
DEPOT ST. JOHN'S, N.F.

*J. A. [Signature]*

SIGNATURE OF ISSUING OFFICER.

Demonstrator Officer  
Discharge Depot - Newfoundland

PLEASE QUOTE THIS WARRANT NUMBER  
ON STATEMENT AND MEAL CHECKS



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA,  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 70<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Oct 20 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment

the sum of Seventy Dollars.  
on account of Pay W. S. G.  
balance

M. Osbourne.

Ch. No. 16090	Initials. <u>CS</u>
Pay Ledger. 292/3	Initials. <u>CSN</u>
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No. 2441 Rank Serjt.

CSN

No. 244

Rank

Pf.

Name

M. Osburne

C.R. 2441

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL 1914-1919.

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

Name..... *M. J. Osbourne* .....

Date..... *Nov 15<sup>th</sup> / 14* .....

Place..... *13 Lake Loos, T. 13* .....

Reg. No. *2447* Rank *Lt.* Name *Oshorne. H.*  
Attested ..... Address *Blaketown*  
Allotment ..... Allottee .....  
Date of Allotment ..... Returned from Overseas *29.1.19.*  
Returned on S.S. *Lonsean* Cause *Discharge.*

*6-6-19*

PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OF *332*

*21-6-19*

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps 2/1 Newfoundland Regt-  
 Rank Pte Surname Osborne Christian Name M. J. **2402**  
 Religion Ch of E. Age on Enlistment 18 years 7 months.  
 Enlisted (a) St John's Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 1st Oct 16  
 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 i/c Records.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, 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. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked <u>Shampton</u>	<u>10-2-17</u>		
		Disembarked ... <u>Rouen</u>	<u>11-2-17</u>		
		Joined Battalion <u>France</u>	<u>24-2-17</u>		<u>B 213</u>
<u>15-4-17</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Wounded in Action</u>	<u>Do</u>	<u>14 APR 1917</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>16-4-17</u>	<u>87 FA</u>	<u>Ad. I trans lsw Neck</u>	<u>L.L.L</u>	<u>14-4-17</u>	<u>E.D. 3085</u>
<u>28-4-17</u>	<u>189 Hosp</u>	<u>Ad.</u>	<u>Do</u>	<u>15-4-17</u>	<u>H.A. 8633</u>
<u>6-5-17</u>	<u>29.9. B.I.</u>	<u>Joined Base Depot</u>	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>5-5-17</u>	<u>Norm. Roll</u>
<u>7-6-17</u>	<u>OC Unit</u>	<u>Joined Battalion</u>	<u>In the Field</u>	<u>7 JUN 1917</u>	<u>B 213</u>
		<b>W.I.I. Bn 30.12.17</b>			
	<u>of Mess</u>	<u>App of cpl.</u>	<u>Fried</u>	<u>26/10/18</u>	<u>B 213 1/18</u>
<u>21.12.18</u>	<u>.d.</u>	<u>granted leave w. 23/4 to 6/9.</u>			<u>B 213. Pass 1/18</u>
		<u>Confirmed to rank</u>		<u>15/1/19</u>	<u>B 213.</u>
		<u>App't'd O/Sgt.</u>			<u>B 213</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, Shoening-Smith, &c.



# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

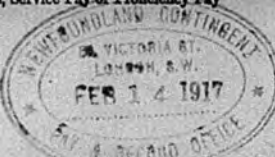
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Number of Sheet 1

Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company A. Robertson  
*Curt*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay  
No.	<u>2446 Osborne M.G.</u>	Age on	<u>18</u> years <u>7</u> months	<u>Roadside</u>	
Joined	<u>Depot</u> Date <u>5/9/16</u>	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St. John's</u>	Religion	
Joined	Date		<u>24-25-16</u>	<u>C.P.C.</u>	
Joined	Date	Period of	{ with Colours <u>23</u> years	<u>Blackburn</u>	
Joined	Date		{ with Reserve <u>36</u> years		

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>New York School</u>	<u>10/1/17</u>	<u>Pte.</u>		<u>Absent from all parades, Sgt. Sweeney</u>		<u>8 days C.P.</u>	<u>1/17</u>	<u>Baptist Robertson</u>	<u>for 10 days</u> <u>pay by Pte. W. R.</u>
				<u>Demobilized 5/19</u>					

To be carried over

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2441 Rank Serjt. Name Osborne, Alon  
Intended place of residence Blacktown

2. Occupation Railroader  
Classification of soldier E Medical Category AT

3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of..... DEMOLIALIZATION.....

### Eligible for War Service Gratuity

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

Place .....

Date ST. JOHN'S JUN 7 1919 ..... J. M. [Signature]  
Comanding Discharge Depot  
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

### CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, of all financial responsibility in my connection.

Place and date .....

ST. JOHN'S

JUN 7 - 1919

[Signature]  
Signature of soldier

[Signature]  
Signature of witness

### CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

6. I hereby certify that I am in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.

Place and Date .....

ST. JOHN'S

JUN 7 - 1919

[Signature]  
Signature of soldier

[Signature]  
Signature of witness

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 3-4-16 ..... No of days on Military  
Discharged from service JUN 21 1919 Plus 14 days Service 1189

### APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place ST. JOHN'S ..... [Signature]  
Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Date JUN 21 1919 .....

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

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

Place St. John's, Nfld ..... [Signature]  
Officer i/c Records  
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date July 5 1919 .....

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# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2441 Rank Sgt Name Osborne, Frances  
 Date of Enlistment 3-4-16 Address Blaketown District Trinity  
 Occupation Railway Hand Classification for Discharge E Medical Category A.I.  
 Recommendation S.M.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 6-6-19

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

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

**i. Civil Re-Establishment.**

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

*[Signature: H. J. Osborne]*

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Clothing.**

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00

(b) Clothing Supplied *[Signature]*

Date 7-6-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. R 1506.3.634 to his home at Blaketown and Release Certificate No. 2433 issued.

Date 7-6-19

*J.A. Snowball*  
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 7-7-19

Date 7-1-19

*J.A. Snowball*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 21-6-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P136	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	
F 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	2 Form B
R 178a	D 400A	B 1215	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 7-6-19

*J.A. Snowball*  
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

JUN 21 1919

Date .....

*R.H. Sait Capt.*

O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date June 4/19

*James H. ...*  
Records



## Descriptive Return of a Soldier Discharged on Account of Disability.

**INSTRUCTIONS**—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Pensions and Disabilities Board.

This section should be completed in the Hospital at which a man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, or, if the man is not in Hospital, by the Medical Officer of the Unit or Command Depot. The Soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification depends on his confirming this declaration. The "Rank," "Station" and "Date" should be in his own handwriting.

The form will then be attached to the Proceedings of the man's Medical Board and will be forwarded to the O. i/c Records together with the remainder of the man's documents.

Changes occurring in the description subsequent to the date of admission to pension should be noted in red ink.

Name in full *W. Osborne Rose*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *2441.*

Intended address *Blaketown T.N.P.*

Height on discharge *5* Feet

Color of hair on discharge *Dark Brown*

Complexion *Dark*

Color of eyes *Blue*

Descriptive Marks *—*

Figure on discharge *Medium*

Christian name of Father *Samuel*

Christian name of Mother *Jane*

Wife's maiden name in full *—*

Date and place of marriage *—*

Christian names of children *—*

Place and date of soldier's birth *Blaketown 25-8-1897*

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)

*W. J. Osborne*

(Rank)

Station **ST. JOHN'S.**

Date

*4-6-19*

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

Station

Date

