



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 3377 Name Andrew Parsons Corps RAM

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

1. What is your name? ..... Andrew Parsons.....
2. What is your full Address? ..... } Long Island.....
- ..... } N O B.....
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. yes.....
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 24 Years 6 Months.....
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Fisherman.....
6. Are you Married? ..... 6. no.....
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,\* which? } 7. none.....
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? } yes.....

Andrew Parsons 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.

Jan 27 17 Andrew Parsons SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
J. P. a. z. Parsons Signature of Witness.

Andrew Parsons OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.  
I, Andrew Parsons 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.....  
on this 27 day of Jan 1917  
Signature of Attesting Officer W. Strong R.

†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.....  
Place..... } Approving Officer.

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‡ 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 Parson's Andrew.  
 Apparent age 21 years 6 months. Height 5 feet 6 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 1/2 inches  
 Range of expansion 3 1/2 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mr J. Parsons  
Lusher Bight | Relationship Parent

### 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  
 " " " Pensions " \_\_\_\_\_ [ " " ] " " "



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H. D. B.
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- 5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Farmer
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Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>2-1-17</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>January 2<sup>nd</sup> 17</u>									
<u>Discharged St John's May 25/18</u>									
<u>Embarked St John's B. Train to Halifax N.S. 17<sup>th</sup></u>									
<u>Wined Bath in the field 2-7-17</u>									
<u>Nov 10-7-17</u>									
<u>Admitted 4 Oct. 1. SW 2. Heather 10<sup>th</sup> 17</u>									
<u>Went to base details 5-8-17</u>									
<u>Admitted 87<sup>th</sup> H. 1. SW 2. Heather 28<sup>th</sup> 17</u>									
<u>Admitted to Coy team 12-10-17</u>									
<u>Admitted 3<sup>rd</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> 17</u>									
<u>Admitted to 13-10-17</u>									
<u>Admitted 6-4-18.</u>									
<u>Admitted 9-4-18.</u>									
<u>Admitted 24-4-1918</u>									
<u>Discharged medically unfit 25<sup>th</sup> 17/18</u>									

Total Service forfeited as above.....

Total Service towards Engagement to 25-5-18 (date of discharge) 1 years 144 days  
 Pensions " " " " " " " "

C.R. 8377

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld.

Regt. Station C.H.Q. 3rd Echelon 27-10-17.

Invalided to England.

3377 Pte. A. Parsons

12-10-17.



C.R. 3377

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

P R E S T O N - REGULAR & TERRITORIAL FORCES

No.H.A.12574

20103	L/Cpl.Lawson T.	11 Manchesters	Balanitis Mild.....Adm.51	Gen.H.Etapes	5 Aug.'17
1361	Pte.Hodgkinson J.	2 Lancs Fus	V.D.G. Mild	do.	
3049	" Kennedy F.	2/5 L.N.Lancs	V.D.G. "	do.	
31477	" Gillespy W.	1 Lancs. Fus	V.D.G. "	do.	
10700	Cpl.Pinches H.	1 Borders	V.D.G. "	do.	
40921	Pte.Kirk T.	19 Manchesters	V.D.G. "	Dis.to Base Dtls.ex	51 Gen.H.Etapes 5 Aug'17
2161	" Tudor T.	10 L.N.Lancs	V.D.G. "	do.	
203248	" Todd W.	4 Res.L.N.Lancs	V.D.G. "	do.	
358961	" Wharton J.	2/10 Kings L'pls	Wd. Mild.....Dis.to Base Dtls.ex	56 Gen.H.Etapes	5 Aug'17
50192	" Foster H.	19 Kings L'pls Service Bn.	Sk. "	do.	
36233	L/Cpl.Brooks G.	8 South Lancs	Wd. Sev.....Adm.56	Gen.H.Etapes	5th Aug'17
269757	Pte.Low R.	7 Kings L'pl	Sk. Mild	do.	
307825	" Aldam G.H.	1/9 Kings L'pl	Sk. Sev	do.	
330858	" Willcock P.	1/9 do. 55 Div	Sk. Mild	do.	
27338	" Hooten T.	19 Kings L'Pls	Wd. Sev	do.	
241926	" Hartwood T	1/6 do.	Wd. "	do.	
26106	" Dew W.	att.1/15 Btn			
265716	" Humphries P.	9 L.N.Lancs	Wd. "	do.	
12266	Sgt.Bryan T.A.	1/7 Kings L'pl.	Wd. "	do.	
260116	Pte.Malt M.W.	19 Manchesters	Wd. "	do.	
52206	L/Cpl.McGann T.	1/5 L.N.Lancs	Wd. "	do.	
48502	Pte.Ogden D.	19 K.Liverpools	Wd. Mild	do.	
203915	Cpl.Bewley I.	19 Manchesters	Wd. Sev	do.	
19314	Pte.Thomasen J.	2/5 Lancs Fus	Wd. "	do.	
39044	" Bennett J.T.	7 South Lancs	Sk. Mild	do.	
36400	" Barlow H.	7 do.	Sk. "	do.	
		8 E. Lancs	Wd. Sev	do.	

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ARMY SERVICE CORPS

No.H.A.12574

DM/1/171756 Dvr.Gardiner M. ASC. MT. Stricture Mild.....Adm.51.Gen.H.Etapes 5th Aug'17

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No.H.A.12574

3377 Pte.Parsons A. 2/1 Newfoundland Wound Mild.....Dis.to Base Dtls.ex 56 Gen.H.Etapes 5 Aug'17

C.R. 3377

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

3377 Pte. A. Parsons

Discharged 25 - 5 - 18, Medically unfit

C.R. 3377

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated May 30th, 1918.

#3377 Pte. A. Parsons.

Having been found Medically Unfit is discharged  
from 25.5.18



C.R. 3377

Extract from Preliminary Report, from The Director  
of Medical Services, to Officer Commanding, Depot.  
dated May 11, 1918.

#3377 Pte. A. PARSONS.

Recommended Discharge - Permanently Unfit.

C.F. 3377

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated April 3, 1918.

FOR REPATRIATION

#3377 Pte. A. Parsons

ex 3rd London General Hospital 3/4/18, is granted furlough  
to 10 a.m., 6/5/18 with orders to report at the Pay &  
Record Office, for disposal.

C.R. 3377

Extract received from Pay & Record Office, London.

3377, Pte. A. Parsons.

Medically Unfit 9-4-18.

NEW FOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS. Counter No. 146



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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

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

Line Number _____	Rcd _____	By _____	Sent _____	by _____	Check _____
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Dated October 15, 1917.

To Mr. Job Parsons,  
Lush's Bight, N.D.B.

Record Office, London, today reports  
No. 3377, Private Andrew Parsons, is now  
at Wandsworth.

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary

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

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **October 6, 1917.**

To **Mr. Job Parsons,**

**Lushes Bight, N.D.B.**

Regret to inform you that Record Office

London, officially reports **No. 3377, Private**

**Andrew Parsons, was at Fiftyfourth General Hospital in the Field, France, September twentyninth, suffering from gunshot wounds thigh and elbow mild.**

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

**JOHN R. BENNETT, R.A. SQUIRES**

Colonial Secretary.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

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**(NOT TRANSMITTED)**

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated 7th September, 1917.

To Mr. Job Parsons,

Lush's Bight, N.D.B.

Replying my enquiry Record Office, London, today reports  
No. 3377, Private Andrew Parsons, discharged from Hospital  
at Etaples to base details August fifth.

R. A. SQUIRES,

Colonial Secretary.

# FOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

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

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Chock

Dated September 1, 1917.

To Mrs. Job Parsons,  
Lushes Bight.

Have no further news of your son No. 3377,  
Private Andrew Parsons. Will enquire and reply  
later.

R.A. SQUIRES

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

FOR TYPEWRITER

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# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 32 Sent by GC Rec'd by MP Check 91- No. 32

Place from Lushes Bright 31

To Cutwell  
R A Squires

AUG 31 1917

Col Secy.

Please let me know  
how my son is  
Progressing.  
Mrs Job Parsons.

3374  
A. Andrews



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*Frederick M. Stirling*  
*London*

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

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Dated July 20, 1917.

To Mr. Job Parsons,

Lush's Bight, N.D.B.  
Regret to inform you that Record Office

London, officially reports No. 3377, Private Andrew Parsons, was at Fiftysixth General Hospital, Etaples, July thirteenth, wounded slightly.

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

JOHN R. BENNETT, R.A. SQUIRES  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

No. 3377, Pte. A. Parsons.

1017

Extract of casualty list received Oct. 6th. 1917.

"At 54th General Hospital in the field, France Sept. 29,  
Gunshot wounds thigh and elbow mild".

TRANSLATION OF CODE MESSAGE SENT TO SYNOPTICAL,  
LONDON, SEPTEMBER 3, 1917.

state present condition and whereabouts of 1430 Bellows  
1934 Clarke 2368 Clarke 2952 Collins 2806 Kavanagh 3377  
Parsons 2325 White.

C.R. 3377

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No 24 from 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment  
Newton on Apr. to 1/1st Newfoundland Regiment B.F.F. 1/6/17.

3377 Pte. A. Parsons

MP.

NEWFOUNDLAND BOARD

C.R. 3377

Extract from Nominal Roll, embarked St. John's per S.S. Florizel

17/3/17

Per. overseas

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#3377 Pte. A. Parsons

C.R.

3377

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld.  
Regt., St. John's, Jan. 2nd, 1917.

3377 Pte. Andrew Parsons.

Attested this day, posted to "E Co'y" and assigned number  
as shown.

A. Parsons

C.R. 3317

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*Originals.*

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

Army Form B. 268.



### Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. <u>3377</u>	Army Rank <u>Private</u>	
Name <u>Parsons, Andrew</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>		
Corps <u>Royal Newfoundland Regiment</u>		
Battalion, Battery, Company, Det., etc. <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &amp;c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>		
Date of discharge _____		
Place of discharge _____		
1. <u>Description at the time of discharge.</u>		
Age <u>22</u> years _____ months	Descriptive marks. <u>G.S.W. Right thigh</u> <u>Right Elbow</u> <u>&amp; Lower lip</u> COPY SENT TO O.C. H.Q. ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D. <u>108-33. No. 5438/18</u>	
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>5 1/2</u> inches		
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.		
Complexion <u>Fresh</u>		
Eyes <u>Blue</u>		
Hair <u>Fair</u>		
Trade <u>Fisherman</u>		
Intended place of residence <small>(To be given as fully as practicable)</small> <u>Long Island Fishers Bay Newfoundland</u>		
<small>(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)</small>		
2. The abovenamed man is discharged in consequence of <u>Wounds received in Action.</u>		
<small>(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)</small>		
3. Military character:—		
4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:—		
To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.		
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.		
Initials of Commanding Officer. _____		
Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*		



*Original*

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station 3rd London General Hospital,  
WANDSWORTH, S.W.  
Date 1/4/18

- 1. Unit 8th R. Newfoundland.
- 2. Regimental No. 3377
- 3. Rank 9th
- 4. Name Parsons. A.
- 5. Age last birthday 22
- 6. Enlisted { on December 1916  
at St. Johns
- 7. Former Trade } Fisherman  
or Occupation }
- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—  
(a) Former Unit;  
(b) Regimental No.;  
(c) Date of Discharge; no  
(d) Cause of Discharge.

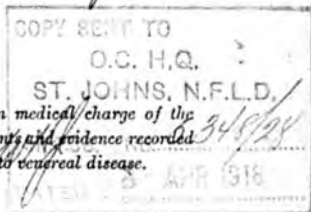
8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).

G. S. W Thigh (Right) Elbow (Right)

Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.



- 9. Date of origin of disability. 27 September 1917
- 10. Place of origin of disability. Steenbeek (Belgium)
- 11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case. Wounded by shell and had very extensive flesh wound on back part of R. thigh, and a flesh wound in anterior aspect of R. elbow. At C.C.S. the wound of thigh was sutured, the knee joint was opened and washed, and F.B. was removed from wound of R. elbow. Transferred to 3rd London Gen Hosp. where operation was performed 25.10.17 (pus evacuated from inner part of thigh) Sent to Convalescent Home on 2.11.17 with wounds healed but patient unable to get the leg straight
- 12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—
  - (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3). G. S. W
  - (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war. No
  - (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c. No



13. What is his present condition?

Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.

Big scar on posterior aspect of R. thigh, upper third.  
and several scars on internal aspect of R. knee and R. leg.  
Patient able to get the leg straight but cannot walk without stick. Cannot flex the foot properly  
Continual pain in the sole of foot

14. If the disability is an injury, was it caused—

- (a) In action?
- (b) On field service?
- (c) On duty?
- (d) Off duty?

—yes

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?

- If so—(a) When?
- (b) Where?
- (c) Opinion?

No

16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?

1. Operation at C.C.S. (Wound of thigh resealed  
R. knee joint opened and washed.  
F.B. removed from R. elbow)

17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?

2. Operation at London Gen. Hosp. Tissue evacuated from inner part of R. thigh.

18. In case of loss or decay of teeth. Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly\* attributable to active service?

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19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

L

20. Do you recommend—

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or
- (b) Change to England?

Permanently unfit

Jules Harmaide C.S.

Officer in medical charge of case.

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith,

except †

3rd London General Hospital,  
Station WANDSWORTH, S.W.

H. E. Duncanson M.A.  
Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date 7/4/18

\*Loss of teeth on or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES.—(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as, in the event of the man being invalidated, it is essential that the Minister of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him to decide upon the man's claim to pension.

(ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.

(iii.) The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is, (A) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (B) due to causes not connected with present war, viz. (1) earlier active service, (2) climatic disease in pre-war service, (3) ordinary military service before the war. It is, therefore, essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.

(iv.) In answering question 21 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

(v.) A disability is to be regarded as due to climate when it is caused by military service abroad in climates where there is a special liability to contract the disease.

1. (a.) State whether the disability is clearly attributable to—

(i.) Service during the present war; *Yes*

(ii.) Climate; *✓*

(iii.) Ordinary military service; *✓*

(iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.; or *✓*

(v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary. *✓*

(b.) If due to one of the first three of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it? *G.S.W. Active Service.*

22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so, which? *✓*

23. Is the disability permanent? *Yes*

24. If not permanent, how soon do the Board recommend re-examination? *✓*

25. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed for pension purposes at present? *100.*

*Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.*

26. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable? *Side 16.*

27. Do the Board recommend—

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or *Yes. return to Newfoundland.*

(b) ~~Change to England?~~

28. If discharge is recommended it should be stated whether further medical treatment (including orthopaedic training) is desirable in a— *✓*

(a) Sanatorium; *✓*

(b) Hospital; *✓*

(c) Convalescent home; *✓*

(d) Asylum; or *✓*

(e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended. *✓*

29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 144 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended? *✓*

30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person? *✓*

Signatures:—  
3rd London General Hospital

Station WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Date 2/4/18.

*Charles E. Barr, District Surgeon* President.

*J. C. Mathews, C.S.*

Members.

Approved.

3rd London General Hospital,  
Station WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Administrative Medical Officer.

No. 3110



H/ 1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT /

ALLOTMENTS

I, Andrew Parsons, Regl. No. 3377

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars and Sixty 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 March 1st 1917

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
3667	Father	<del>John Parsons</del> Job Parsons	Long Island Lucis Bight N.W.B.	60
Total Allotment, \$				60

NOTE.—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.

(Sig.) Wm R. Ayles Opt.

Officer Commanding  
8 Company

St John's  
3-3-17 191

(Sig.) Andrew Parsons

(Rank) pte

### 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 Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital.

Statement A should be completed in the Hospital at which the man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, and 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, to be completed by the Officer i/c Records when received by him, and will be forwarded by him, together with the remainder of the man's documents, to the Secretary, Royal Hospital Chelsea, London, S.W.1.

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

**A Name in full** *Parsons Andrew*  
**Regiment from which discharged** *11<sup>th</sup> R Rged*  
**Regimental Number** *3377*  
**Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when** *Notre Dame Bay Rged*  
**Intended address** *Long Island, Lushie's Bight. 11/5/95.*  
**Height on discharge** *5* Feet *5 1/2* Inches *Rged*  
**Colour of Hair on discharge** *Fair* **Colour of Eyes** *Blue*  
**Descriptive marks** *5 hrs R. Thigh & Rellows. Flare up* **Complexion** *Fresh*  
**Figure on discharge** *medium*  
**Christian name of Father** *Job*  
**Christian name of Mother** *Sorras.*  
**Wife's Maiden name in full** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date and Place of Marriage** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Christian names of Children** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Nature and locality of civil employment desired** *Fisherman if able.*



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) *Andrew Parsons*

**Station** *Wandsworth* **(Rank)** *Private*  
**Date** *24 March 1918*

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** *3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.* **Date** *24 March 1918* **Medical Officer i/c Hospital.** *Jules Hamond C.P.*

**B Period of Service and in what Corps** ...

Regiment	Years	Days	All Service Abroad with Stations	Years	Days
			India		
			S. Africa		

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DATED

Date inclusive to which pay has been issued

Sum due on account of advance of Pension }

Sums due on account of public debts ...

**Rank on Discharge**  
**Character (as on Certificate of discharge)**  
**Where born, and on what date**  
**Date and Place of first Enlistment**  
**Trade on Enlistment**  
**Cause of Discharge**  
**Number of G.C. Badges**  
**Wounds, and Actions in which received**

Medals

Other distinguishing marks

I certify that the above details of service and other particulars are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

**Station** \_\_\_\_\_ **Officer in Charge**  
**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Records**

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital. Army Form B. 178<sup>a</sup> to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY OF

Surname Pearson Christian Name Andrew

TABLE I.—General Table.

Birthplace { Parish .....  
County .....

Examined { on ..... day of ..... 191...  
at .....

Declared Age ..... years ..... days

Trade or Occupation .....

Height ..... feet ..... inches

Weight ..... lbs

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded ..... inches  
Range of Expansion ..... inches

Physical Development .....

Vaccination Marks { Arm ..... RIGHT | LEFT  
Number .....

When Vaccinated .....

Vision { R.R.—V— .....  
L.E.—V— .....

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease—  
.....  
.....

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection—  
.....  
.....

Approved by .....

Rank .....

Medical Officer

TABLE III.—Boards; Courts of Enquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, etc.; Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, etc.

Date	Brief Details and Signature
2.4.18	<i>Pearson, Andrew</i> <i>G. C. Hall Capt Genl</i> <i>for 3rd London General Hospital,</i> <i>WANDSWORTH, S.W.</i>




TABLE IV.—Service Table.

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation

Enlisted { at .....  
on ..... day of ..... 191...

Joined on enlistment { Corps 1 R Fed     Regtl. No. 3377

Transferred to {

Became non effective by .....

on ..... day of ..... 191...

(Signature).....

(Rank).....

**TABLE II.—Only for admissions 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 of 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				
3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.							S. W. R. Thigh R. Elbow		<p>Shouldered - see overleaf</p> <p>Disability - S. W. R. Thigh. S. W. R. Elbow.</p> <p>History of a lump.</p> <p>Cause - S. W. on active service</p> <p>Recommended Return to Reservoir at home</p>	<p><i>G. C. M. [Signature]</i> Capt. [Signature]</p> <p>3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.</p>

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No. 3377 Name **PARSONS, A.** Sqn., Batty., } **B** Corps **N.F.L.D.** Date of enlistment }  
or Company } **Temporary** G.C. }  
Badges } Service or  
Date of last entry in } No. and date } Period not reckoning towards } Sheet No. } Signature O.C. } Character }  
Company Conduct Sheet } of last drunk } freedom from extra fine } Company, etc. }

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

*John ...*  
*Recd.*

*Wounded*  
*10-7-17*  
*[Signature]*

Army Form B. 122



No. 3277 Rank Pvt Name A. Parsons

H-1<sup>14</sup>  
2-0<sup>3</sup>  
12

Pay	F.A.	Wkg	Total	N.S.
100	10		110	
Less Allotment			60	
Net Rate			50	

DEBITS	Date	£	s	d	CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d
						From	To					
Balance					Balance		21 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>17</sub>			16	8	6 ✓
Acquittance Rolls					Pay @ Net Rate	22 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>17</sub>	3 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>18</sub>	103	50	51	50	10 11 8 ✓
Hospital Advances		2	8	0	Rate adms							7 0 ✓
A.B. 64.					4 days @ 1/9	4 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>18</sub>	6 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>18</sub>	3	20	1	20	6 2 ✓
P.&.R.O. Payments		4	0	0								
<i>w.v.a. 236</i>		1	14	0								
<del>8-2-0</del>												
<i>Cheque 7954</i>	3 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>18</sub>	19	0	0								
<i>Cash. 6446</i>	6/4/18	0	11	0								

~~21-1-4~~  
27-13-4

27-2-0

ANT  
3-4-18

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.

Regtl No. 3377 Rank Pte Name A. Parsons Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Repatriated  
 to Newfoundland on / / Authority A. N. B. 172 Cause Class A.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

	PARTICULARS	£	s	d	PARTICULARS	£	s	d
To	Balance Dr. from				Balance Cr. from			
	Allotment 109 days @ 60	65	40		21/12/17			
	Cash Payments: P. & R. O.				Pay 109 days @ 1.00	109	00	
	Boots per W. C. A.				Field Allce 109 days @ 1/10	10	90	
	Hospital Advances					119	90	
	Other Debits:				Other Allces days @ 1/3			
					Other Credits:			
					<u>Ration Allowances.</u>			
					5/4/18-9/4/18, 7 days @ 1/3			12 3
					Total Credits			
From	Total Debits				Balance due to Paymaster	41	13	6
	Balance due by Paymaster			41 8 9				
				41 15 6				41 15 6

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

(Place) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date) 191 \_\_\_\_\_ O.C. " " Company.

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. London, S. W. to 8/4/18

Pay & Record Office, London,

8-4-1918

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

Information to be obtained from a Soldier (Regular or Territorial) whom it is proposed to discharge or to transfer to the Reserve Section W or W(T) in substitution for a man fit for General Service.

No. 3379 Rank Pte Regiment R. N. F. L. D.

Name Parsons Andrew.  
(Surname first)

1. State what special qualifications you have for employment in civil life.

*Fishing.*



2. State the name and address of your last, or any other employer before enlistment, etc., the nature of employment and how long you were employed.

*My own business*

*Fishing*

*10 years*

3. What is the nature and locality of the employment you desire?

*Same as before enlistment*

4. What is the name of your Approved Society?

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DATED *8* APR 1918

5. Have you been employed whilst with the Colours? If so, in what capacity?

*No*

Date

*21/3/18*

Signature

*A. Parsons*

NOTE.—This Army Form will be given to all patients in Hospital to complete who are suffering from a disability sufficiently serious to make discharge or reclassification in a category from which men are being transferred to Class P. or P.(T.) of the Reserve probable. In the event of the man being brought before a Medical Board for discharge, this Army Form will be produced to the Board, together with other documents laid down in para. 3 (ii), item 3, of Army Council Instruction No. 1912, of 1916.

When the soldier who is to be brought before a Medical Board is not a patient in Hospital, and in substitution cases, these instructions will be carried out by the man's C.O.

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Regtl. No. 3377  
Rank PTE  
Name Pearson. A.  
Regiment \_\_\_\_\_  
Date from 3-4-1918  
to 6-4-1918

To proceed to \_\_\_\_\_



I/c \_\_\_\_\_  
Station \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address whilst on furlough to which any orders will be sent:

43 Battersea  
Rise

FOR USE IN THE CASE OF ALL SOLDIERS SENT TO THEIR HOMES UNDER  
A.C.I. 1011 OF 1916, PARA. 2(ix.)

No. 1 R. Med (Regiment).  
Plc., Rank 3377, Name Parsons. A  
is discharged from\* 8th LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL  
WANDSWORTH.

with orders to proceed to his home:  
(Address 58 Victoria St  
S.W.)

and there to await further instructions as to his discharge from the Service.

8th LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL Officer Commanding.  
Place H. Jagan  
Capt. R.A.M.C.(F)

Date 3/4/18.  
\*Here enter name of Hospital or Unit from which the Soldier is discharged.  
8th London General Hospital,  
WANDSWORTH, S.W.

**Notification by President of Medical Board of Approval of a Soldier's Discharge, under Para. 392 (xvi.) King's Regulations.**

(To be completed and dispatched on the day on which the discharge is approved.)

To the Officer i/c Records \_\_\_\_\_

*S. B. Keatinge Esq.*

RECEIVED  
3 APR 1916  
RECORDS

The Soldier named below has appeared before an Army Medical Board at this station, and his discharge from the Service as "no longer physically fit for War Service" has this day been approved. (The discharge will be confirmed for a date 14 days after the date on this notification—see A.C.I. 1623 of 1916.)

Soldier's surname Parsons, Christian names Andrew  
(in full)

Regt. No. and Rank 2377 Pte Regt. or Corps 1<sup>st</sup> R. Regt.  
(If T.F. this should be stated)

His address on discharge will be Long Island

Lakes Brighton Road

This information is for the Central Army Pension Issue Office only.

The Soldier states that \_\_\_\_\_ allowance is being issued in respect of him.

\*Insert "separation," "dependants," "family," or "no," as the case may be. The space must not be left blank.

Army Form D. 400A. and Army Form B. 179 for the above-named Soldier are forwarded herewith.

Station 3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.

*Frank J. Green*  
*Lieutenant Colonel*  
President of Board  
(Approving Officer)

Date 2/4/16

A set of three forms will be made out for each Soldier whose discharge is approved, and will be dispatched to the officers severally indicated.

Attention is drawn to the fact that Forms A, B and C of each set are not in identical terms.

OK  
Sir 6331 WAM

Please advance me  
of £1 from my account  
oblige

approved  
signature  
cash

Yours Truly

3377 The A Parsons -  
Royal Wfld Regt.





Sir

Would you kindly advance us the  
sum of 1<sup>£</sup> one pound from my account.

3277 Pt. A. Parsons

Royal Newfoundland Regt

Approved  
The Hon. Capt.



OK  
£1.0.0 20/2/18  
JRS  
Receipt no. 5783

O.B. £ 1. --  
A.R.P.  
Rec. No 68146

Sir

Would you kindly advance me the sum  
of one pound 1/- from my account.

3377, Pt. A. Persons

Royal Newfoundland.



Yours  
Sincerely  
Ch. Pearce



O. K. i. £. March 16<sup>th</sup> 1918  
C. h. No 6111  
Sir



Please advance  
sum of £ one pound  
account of my  
obligation



Approved by  
S. H. Knight  
Colonel  
yours truly  
3377 Bte. C. Parsons.  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

BRANCH	
INITIALS	

**NOTIFICATION that a Soldier has been sent Home from Hospital to await Discharge under para. 392 (xvi.) King's Regulations.**

Soldier's } 3377 Rank Plt  
Regtl. No. }  
Name Parsons a (Admitted 13/10/18)  
(Surname first)  
Corps or Regiment } 1st Rnfd  
(also Unit if known) }  
To Officer i/c of Records 58 Victoria St SW  
Regimental Paymaster 58 Victoria St SW

The above-named man, who appeared before a Medical Board, and whose discharge as "no longer physically fit for war service" was approved by the President of the Board on the 2/4/18, has been sent to his home on <sup>the address below</sup> warrant to await instructions as to his final discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance and a suit of plain clothes.

He proceeded on (date) 3 April  
to (full address) 58 Victoria St  
London SW

Date 3/4/18 G. C. Hall Officer  
Capt Comm.  
Place \_\_\_\_\_ Hospital.

Three copies to be made; one copy sent to each Officer above-mentioned, and one copy filed in the Office.

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The above-named man, who appeared before a Medical Board, and whose discharge as "no longer physically fit for war service" was approved by the President of the Board on the 24/18, has been sent to <sup>the address below</sup> his home on warrant to await instructions as to his final discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance and a suit of plain clothes.

He proceeded on (date) 3 April  
to (full address) 58 Victoria St  
London SW

Date 3/4/18 { Officer  
Comm.

Place \_\_\_\_\_ Hospital.

Three copies to be made; one copy sent to each Officer above-mentioned, and one copy filed in the Office.

Parsons, A

3377

May 1897

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who claim 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..... *Andrew* ..... *Parsons* .....
3. Rank..... *Private* ..... 4. Reg't. No. .... *3377* .....
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... ~~St.~~ *Lusk's Bight N.D.B.* .....
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment... *Jan. 2/1917* .....
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..... *Not applicable* .....
9. Address in full of such dependents..... *Not applicable* .....
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 Mfld. If so, give dates and particulars of such service..... *Mfld and Overseas* .....
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Mfld. or Overseas..... *One year four months* .....
- ..... *12* .....

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.

*None*

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.

*Not applicable*

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? *Not applicable*

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? *No*... If not give:- (a) date of discharge *May 25<sup>th</sup> / 18* (b) Reason for discharge

*Discharged medically unfit owing to wounds*

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.

*June 1. 1917 France to Oct 13/17 =*

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. *Not applicable*

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: *Andrew Parente*

Place of Residence: *Wesley Heights*

Declared before me at: *St Johns*

This *21* day of *Oct* 19*.19...*

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

RECEIVED  
ST. JOHN'S, NEW BRUNSWICK

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

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

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# Proceedings on Discharge

Army Form B. 268.  
55 VICTORIA ST.  
LONDON, S.W.  
8 - APR 1918  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

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

No. 3377 Army Rank Private

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

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

Date of discharge May 25<sup>th</sup> 1918

Place of discharge A. Johns. used

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age <u>22</u> years _____ months	Descriptive marks. <u>GSW. Right thigh Right Elbow &amp; Lower lip.</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>5 1/2</u> inches	
Chest measure - { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.	
Complexion <u>Flesh</u>	
Eyes <u>Blue</u>	
Hair <u>Fair</u>	
Trade <u>Fisherman</u>	
Intended place of residence <u>Long Island</u>	
(To be given as fully as practicable) <u>Salisbury Street</u>	
<u>Newfoundland</u>	

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

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of Wounds received in Action

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

3. Military character:— Very Good

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

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067\* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to\*

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

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

Classification for service, or proficiency pay... .. Class \_\_\_\_\_

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of education .....

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

(Place) \_\_\_\_\_

(Date) \_\_\_\_\_ Commanding \_\_\_\_\_ Batta. \_\_\_\_\_ Regiment.

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

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

(Place) St. Denis Field - Andrew Parsons (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) May 25th 1918 A. C. Cole, S.S.M. (Signature of Witness.)

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Soldier.)

10. *Statement of service.*

Service towards engagement to \_\_\_\_\_ (the date to which the record of service is completed) \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ days.

Further service " " \_\_\_\_\_ (the date of confirmation of discharge) ... " " "

Total ... " " "

11. *Confirmation of discharge.*

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

(Place) \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

(Date) \_\_\_\_\_

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

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated and signed by the soldier.)

\_\_\_\_\_

— Nil —

**ORIGINAL**  
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. 3377 Rank Pte Name A. Parsons Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 9/4/18 Authority A. F. B. 179 Cause Class A.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.

CR.

	PARTICULARS									PARTICULARS												
	£	s	d	£	s	d																
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">PERIOD: FROM 22.12.17 To 9-4-18</p>	Balance Dr. from									Balance Cr. from 21/12/17												
	65	40		13	8	9				109	00			16	8	6						
				23	11	0				10	90											
				1	14	0				119	90			24	12	9						
				2	15	0																
	Other Debits:									Other Credits:												
										<u>Ration Allowances.</u>												
										3/4/18-9/4/18, 7 days @ 1/9								12	3			
	Total Debits							41	8	9	Total Credits								41	13	6	
	Balance due by Paymaster									4	9	Balance due to Paymaster										
				41	13	6								41	13	6						

*W.P.C.*  
*S.H.S.*

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

(Place) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date) 1918 \_\_\_\_\_ O.C. " " Company.

Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London, S. W. to 5/4/18 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,  
8-4 1918  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

## Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station

3rd London General Hospital  
Wandsworth SW

Date

1/4/18

1. Unit *1st Royal Newfoundland*
2. Regimental No. *3377*
3. Rank *Pte*
4. Name *Paisons A.*
5. Age last birthday *22*
6. Enlisted  on *December 1916.*  
 at *St Johns*
7. Former Trade or Occupation } *Fisherman*
- 7a. If with previous service in Army, state—
- (a) Former Unit;
- (b) Regimental No.; *No*
- (c) Date of Discharge;
- (d) Cause of Discharge.

## 8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).

*GSW Thigh (right) Elbow (right)*Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

9. Date of origin of disability. *27th September 1917*
10. Place of origin of disability. *Steenbeek (Belgium)*
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.
12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—
- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).
- (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
- (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.

*Wounded by shell and had very extensive flesh wound on back part of right thigh and a flesh wound on anterior aspect of right elbow. At CCS the wound of thigh was excised, the knee joint was opened and washed, and 4/3 was removed from wound of Rt Elbow. Transferred to 3rd London General Hosp where operation was performed 25.10.17 (hus evacuated from inner part of thigh) sent to convalescent home on 28.2.18 with wounds healed but patient unable to get the leg straight*

*GSW**No**Pte*

Big scar on posterior aspect of Rt thigh, upper third  
 and several scars on internal aspect of Rt knee & Rt Leg.  
 Patient able to get the leg straight but cannot walk  
 without stick. Cannot flex the foot properly.  
 Continual pain in the sole of foot.

13. What is his present condition?

Weight should be given in all cases when  
 it is likely to afford evidence of the  
 progress of the disability.

14. If the disability is an injury, was it  
 caused—

- (a) In action?  
 (b) On field service?  
 (c) On duty?  
 (d) Off duty?

Yes.

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the  
 injury?

- If so—(a) When?  
 (b) Where?  
 (c) Opinion?

No

16. Was an operation performed? If so,  
 what?

1. Operation at CCS } Wound of thigh excised  
 Rt knee joint opened & washed  
 Rt removed from Rt Elbow  
 2. Operation 3rd Lon. Gen. Hosp. pms evacuated from inner  
 part of Rt thigh

17. If not, was an operation advised and  
 declined?

✓

18. In case of loss or decay of teeth. Is the  
 loss of teeth the result of wounds,  
 injury or disease, directly\* attributable  
 to active service?

✓

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities  
 existing, but not in themselves sufficient  
 to cause invaliding, and state whether  
 they are attributable to or have been  
 aggravated by service during the present  
 war.

✓

20. Do you recommend—

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or  
 (b) ~~Change to England?~~

Permanently unfit

(Sgd) Jules Hamade CS

Officer in medical charge of case.

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith,

for + 3rd Lon. Gen. Hsp

Station Wandsworth SW

(Sgd) Lt Bruce Peter

Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date 2/4/18

\*Loss of teeth on or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES.--(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as, in the event of the man being invalided, it is essential that the Minister of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him to decide upon the man's claim to pension.

(ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.

(iii.) The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is, (A) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (B) due to causes not connected with present war, viz. (1) earlier active service, (2) climatic disease in pre-war service, (3) ordinary military service before the war. It is, therefore, essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.

(iv.) In answering question 21 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

(v.) A disability is to be regarded as due to climate when it is caused by military service abroad in climates where there is a special liability to contract the disease.

1. (a.) State whether the disability is clearly attributable to—

- (i.) Service during the present war; Yes
- (ii.) Climate; —
- (iii.) Ordinary military service; —
- (iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.; or —
- (v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary. —

(b.) If due to one of the first three of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it? GSW active Service

22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so, which? —

23. Is the disability permanent? Yes

24. If not permanent, how soon do the Board recommend re-examination? —

25. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed for pension purposes at present? 100

Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:— 100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.

26. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable? Vide 16

27. Do the Board recommend—  
(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, Yes return to Newfoundland.  
(b) ~~Change to England?~~

28. If discharge is recommended it should be stated whether further medical treatment (including orthopaedic training) is desirable in a—  
(a) Sanatorium; ✓  
(b) Hospital; ✓  
(c) Convalescent home; ✓  
(d) Asylum; or ✓  
(e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended. ✓

29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 114 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended? ✓

30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person? ✓

Station Wausworth SW Capt Charles James St Home President.  
Date 2/4/18 Capt R. H. Mathews CS. Members.

Approved Capt James St Home  
Station Wausworth SW  
Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Administrative Medical Officer.



### 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 Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital. Statement A should be completed in the Hospital at which the man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, and the soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification depends on his completing 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, to be completed by the Officer i/c Records when received by him, and will be forwarded by him, together with the remainder of the man's documents, to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, London, S.W.1.

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

**A Name in full** *Parsons Andrew*  
**Regiment from which discharged** *1st Royal Newfoundland*  
**Regimental Number** *3377*  
**Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when** *Notre Dame Bay Nfld. 11/5/95*  
**Intended address** *Long Island Lushes Bight Nfld.*  
**Height on discharge** *5* Feet *5 1/2* Inches  
**Colour of Hair on discharge** *Fair* **Colour of Eyes** *Blue*  
**Descriptive marks** *Ysw l. thigh 1 Elbow* **Complexion** *Fresh*  
**Figure on discharge** *medium* *lower lip*  
**Christian name of Father** *John*  
**Christian name of Mother** *Bonars*  
**Wife's Maiden name in full** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date and Place of Marriage** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Christian names of Children** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Nature and locality of civil employment desired** *Fisherman of able*



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)* *Sgd Andrew Parsons Pte*  
 (Rank) *Pte*  
 Station *Wardsworth* Date *24/3/18*

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.

*3rd London Genl Ape* *(Sgd) Jules Hamoree Esq* Medical Officer i/c Hospital.  
 Station *Wardsworth SW* Date *24/3/18*

B Period of Service and in what Corps ...	Regiment	Years	Days	All Service Abroad with Stations		
				Years	Days	Days
				India		
				S. Africa		
Disallowed ...						
Service towards Pension ...						
Date inclusive to which pay has been issued				Sum due on account of advance of Pension }		
Sums due on account of public debts ...						

**Rank on Discharge**  
**Character (as on Certificate of discharge)**  
**Where born, and on what date**  
**Date and Place of first Enlistment**  
**Trade on Enlistment**  
**Cause of Discharge**  
**Number of G.C. Badges**  
**Wounds, and Actions in which received**

Medals

Other distinguishing marks

I certify that the above details of service and other particulars are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

Station \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_

Officer in Charge \_\_\_\_\_  
 Records. \_\_\_\_\_

Information to be obtained from a Soldier (Regular or Territorial) whom it is proposed to discharge or to transfer to the Reserve Section W or W(T) in substitution for a man fit for General Service.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

No. 3377 Rank Pte  
Name (surname first) Parsons, Andrew  
Regiment Royal Newfoundland



1. State what special qualifications you have for employment in civil life.

*Fishing*

2. State the name and address of your last, or any other employer before enlistment, etc. the nature of employment and how long you were employed?

*My own business  
Fishing  
10 yrs.*

3. What is the nature and locality of the employment you desire?

*Same as before enlistment*

4. What is the name of your Approved Society?

5. Have you been employed whilst with the Colours? If so, in what capacity?

*No*

Date 21/3/18 Signature Capt A Parsons

NOTE.—This Army Form will be given to all patients in Hospital to complete who are suffering from a disability sufficiently serious to make discharge probable. In the event of the man being brought before a Medical Board for discharge, this Army Form will be produced to the Board, together with other documents laid down in para. 4 (ii), item 3, of Army Council Instruction No.....of 1916.

When the soldier who is to be brought before a Medical Board is not a patient in Hospital, and in substitution cases, these instructions will be carried out by the man's C.O.

**CERTIFIED TRUE COPY**

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps Royal Newfoundland

Rank Pte Surname Parsons Christian Name Andrew

Religion Methodist Age on Enlistment 21 years 6 months

Enlisted (a) St. Johns Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 2.1.17

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

Extended { ..... } Re-engaged { ..... } Qualification (b) .....  
or Corps Trade and rate .....

Occupation Fisherman Regd. P. Roseworthy 2/17 Signature of Officer.



Report	From whom received	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.
			Embarked ...	<u>Holystone</u>	<u>2/6/17</u>
			Disembarked	<u>Boulogne</u>	<u>3/6/17</u>
		<u>Joined Battalion</u>			
<u>10-7-17</u>	<u>DC Unit</u>	<u>Wounded in Action</u>	<u>Lutherfield</u>	<u>10/7/17</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>15/7/17</u>	<u>4 CCS</u>	<u>Ad. L. Chldn</u>		<u>10/7/17</u>	<u>ERD 7502</u>
<u>22/7/17</u>	<u>56 G. Corp</u>	<u>Ad. do</u>	<u>Staples</u>	<u>13/7/17</u>	<u>NA 11675</u>
<u>26/7/17</u>	<u>29 LBS</u>	<u>Joined Base Depot</u>	<u>Abouen</u>	<u>7/8/17</u>	<u>Home Roll</u>
<u>29/7/17</u>	<u>DC Unit</u>	<u>Rejoined Battalion</u>		<u>3/9/17</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>1/10/17</u>	<u>DC Unit</u>	<u>Wounded in Action</u>		<u>28/9/17</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>28/9/17</u>	<u>87 FA</u>	<u>Ad. G.W. Elbow, thigh hip to</u>	<u>H/PCS</u>	<u>28/9/17</u>	<u>ERD 1205</u>
	<u>54 Gen H/P</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>29/9/17</u>	<u>NA 14575</u>
	<u>4/8 "St Andrew"</u>	<u>transferred to England</u>		<u>12/10/17</u>	<u>W 9083</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 should be stated.  
 (b) Signaller, Shering-Smith, &c.  
 W. 227-4/202 10000 7117  
Regd. P. Roseworthy 2/17  
W/No 322

To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only.  
 Army Form B. 178<sup>A</sup> to be used for Special Reserve recruits  
 and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

**MEDICAL HISTORY of**

Surname Parsons Christian Name Andrew

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Examined ... { on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
 at \_\_\_\_\_ 191 \_\_\_\_\_



Declared Age ... years \_\_\_\_\_ days.

Trade or Occupation ... \_\_\_\_\_

Height ... feet, \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

Weight ... lbs. \_\_\_\_\_

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. \_\_\_\_\_ inches.  
 Range of Expansion \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

Physical Development ... \_\_\_\_\_

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... \_\_\_\_\_ Right \_\_\_\_\_ Left \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number \_\_\_\_\_

When Vaccinated ... \_\_\_\_\_

Vision ... { R.E.—V= \_\_\_\_\_  
 L.E.—V= \_\_\_\_\_

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { (a) \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... { (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

(Rank) \_\_\_\_\_ Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at \_\_\_\_\_  
 on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191 \_\_\_\_\_

Joined on Enlistment ...	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>Royal Newfoundland</u>	<u>3377</u>
Transferred to ...		

Became non-effective by \_\_\_\_\_

on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

(Rank) \_\_\_\_\_

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick L

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days in Hospital	Remarks
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
<i>3rd Lon. Gen. Hpt Wandsworth SW</i>							<i>GSW R. thigh R. Elbow</i>		

ist in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of future e. 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 ven in the special syphilis case sheet.

Signature of Medical Officer

Board held - see overlay  
Disability - GSW R thigh, GSW R Elbow  
walking c a limp  
Cause - GSW on Active Service  
Recommended Return to Newfoundland

(Sgd) G. Hall  
Capt. M. G.  
1st Lt. G. A. H.  
Woodsword



To Sup 9. 1879  
Paymaster, S. J. C. Record Office  
St. Johns

Dear Sir: - Will You Please forward  
my War Graduation Papers and  
by so doing will oblige you  
humbly servant -

No 33. 11. Pt Andrew Parsons  
Lucas Point  
Long Island

Send form (right) ✓



(6409)

Sept. 26, 1919

Ex Pte. Andrew Parsons,  
Channel

With reference to your letter of recent date, I enclose herewith form of claim for War Service Gratuity, which kindly have completed in the presence of a Magistrate or Justice of the Peace, and when completed, return to this Department.

Just as soon as same is received, payments of War Service Gratuity will be forwarded you.

Lieut.  
For Paymaster

WWE/EB

March 8th 1920.

To:- Major Howley,  
O. I. C. Pay & Records.

From:- V. O.

A. Parsons 3377.

This is to certify that this man abandons his course and  
proceeds home to resume the fisheries.

*W. M. Nicholl.*

Vocational Officer.

*[Handwritten signature]*



4/ 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT /

ALLOTMENTS

I, Andrew Parsons, Regl. No. 3377

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars and Sixty 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 March 1st 1917

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
3667	Father	<del>Joseph Parsons</del> Job Parsons	Long Island Lusk's Right N.W.B.	60
			Total Allotment, \$	<u>60</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.

(Sig.) Wm R. Ayre Opt.  
 Officer Commanding  
8 Company  
 St John's  
3-3-17 191

(Sig.) Andrew Parsons  
 (Rank) ptc

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 35<sup>00</sup>

Oct 22 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of thirty five Dollars.  
on account of Pay. Clothing  
balance

Andrew Harrison

Ch. No. ....	16168	Initials .....	AW
Pay Ledger .....	350	Initials .....	WR
Gen. Ledger .....		Initials .....	

Regtl. No. .... Rank .....

No. 3377

Rank

Pf

Name

A. Carlson

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$52<sup>85</sup>

May 25<sup>th</sup> 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Fifty Two <sup>85</sup> Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
balance

Andrew H. Parsons  
Caterer & Parsons  
marks

7006

Ch. No.	7006	Initials	ew
Pay Ledger	139	Initials	L. L. L.
Gen. Ledger	139	Initials	L. L. L.

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

No. 3377 Rank Pte.

Name A. Parsons.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$10<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Ten Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
balance

a Parson

Ch. No. 6189	Initials <u>ew</u>
Pay Ledger 3199	Initials <u>g y p</u>
Gen. Ledger <u>MS</u>	Initials <u>g y p</u>

Regtl. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_

CAF



No. 3377. Rank Pte

Name A. Parsons

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$15.00

Apr. 24 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Fifteen 00 Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
balance

his  
A. X. Parsons.  
mari.

Regtl. No.

Rank

Pte

Ch. No.	2878	Initials	
Pay Ledger	179	Initials	Y J
Gen. Ledger		Initials	Y J

No. 3377 Rank Pte

Name A. Parsons

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

**The Royal Nfld Regt.,**

**Dept of Militia,**

**St. John's Nfld.**

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~~July 6th. 1921.~~ 1917.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 1162 \_\_\_\_\_), is forwarded herewith to

Andrew Parsons,

in respect of his service as No. 3377 Rank Pyts,

Name A. Parsons, Corps Royal Nfld Regt.,

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

October 2 - 21

Signature

Andrew Parsons.

Date

October 21 - 21

Address

Sussex Bight

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

***Royal Nfld. Regt.***

***Dept. of Militia,***

***ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.***

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Fold Here

OCT 11 1921.

The accompanying Victory Medal and/or British War Medal  
is/are forwarded herewith to

Andrew Parsons

in respect of his service as No. 3377 Rank Pte.

Name A. Parsons Royal Nfld. Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received October 17-21

Signature Andrew Parsons

Date October 25

Address Sushes Bight

[P.T.O.]

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 3377 Name A Parsons

To Certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above  
named soldier.

Date A Parsons Name.....  
Place Sushes Right

N.B. For completion and return to the Department of Militia  
Insert in corner of envelope "AB 64"

*WV*



**Casualty Form - Active Service.**Regiment or Corps *2/1st Newfoundland*Rank *pte.* Surname *Parsons* Christian Name *Andrew*Religion *Methodist* Age on Enlistment *21* years *6* monthsEnlisted (a) *St. Johns* Terms of Service (a) *Duration* Service reckons from (a) *2.1.17*

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

Extended { ..... } Re-engaged { ..... } Qualification (b) .....  
or Corps Trade and Rate .....Occupation *Fisherman* Signature of Officer. *B. Mowbray 2nd Lieut.*

COPY SENT TO O.C. H.Q. ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D. Date		Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 56, 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.56, or other official documents.
No. <i>594828</i>				Embarked <i>Folkestone</i>	<i>3.6.17</i>	
Date <i>3 APR 1918</i>				Disembarked <i>Boulogne</i>	<i>3.6.17</i>	
				Joined Battalion	<i>2 JUL 1917</i>	<i>R 213</i>
<i>10.7.17</i>	<i>O.C. Unit</i>		<i>Wounded in Action</i>	<i>La the field</i>	<i>10 JUL 1917</i>	<i>B 213</i>
<i>15.7.17</i>	<i>4 G.S.B.</i>		<i>Ad. L. Shldr</i>		<i>10.7.17</i>	<i>ED 7502</i>
<i>22.7.17</i>	<i>50 G. Hosp.</i>		<i>Ad. Do</i>	<i>E. Staples</i>	<i>13.7.17</i>	<i>HA 11675</i>
<i>8.8.17</i>	<i>29 S.B.A.</i>		<i>Joined Base Depot</i>	<i>Rouen</i>	<i>7.8.17</i>	<i>Nom. Roll.</i>
<i>8.9.17</i>	<i>O.C. Unit</i>		<i>Re-Joined Battalion</i>		<i>3 SEP 1917</i>	<i>B 213</i>
<i>1 OCT 1917</i>	<i>O.C. Unit</i>		<i>Wounded in Action</i>		<i>28 SEP 1917</i>	<i>B 213</i>
<i>28-9-17</i>	<i>87 LA</i>		<i>W 9 SW below thigh right trans</i>	<i>47 G.B.S.</i>	<i>28-9-17</i>	<i>ED 1205</i>
	<i>54 G.S.B.</i>		<i>Do</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>29-9-17</i>	<i>HA 14575</i>
	<i>Sp. Andrew</i>		<i>Transferred to England</i>	<i>2nd Lt MAJOR</i>	<i>12/10/17</i>	<i>W 3083</i>

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section B, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.

(b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &amp;c.

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms  
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39.

Number of Sheet *1st*

Regiment of *1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland*

Signature of O. C. Company *W. A. C. [Signature]*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay
No. <i>377</i>	<i>Parsons Andrew</i>	Age on	<i>21</i> years <i>6</i> months	<i>Fisherman</i>	
lined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St. John's</i>	Religion	
lined	Date		<i>2.1.17</i>	<i>meth.</i>	
lined	Date	Period of		Place of Birth	
lined	Date	{ with Colours, <i>144</i> years. { with Reserve <i>365</i> 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

*W.A.C.* No. *5348/28*  
APR 1918

*Discharged Medically Unfit*  
*St. John 25<sup>5</sup> 18*

To be carried over

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