



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 3454 Name John Paterson Corps Pres.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>John Paterson</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>3. Beech's Terrace</u>
<u>Lancaster Rd., St. John's 9.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>17</u> Years <u>2</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Student</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>Army, O.T.C.</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. { Name |
| | Corps |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? | 11. <u>Yes</u> |

I, John Paterson 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.

John Paterson SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Advised Mitchell Signature of witness.

1-2-17

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
 The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
 I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 1 day of Feb 1917.
 Signature of Attesting Officer Advised Mitchell

†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.

† 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 John Paterson,

Apparent age 17 years 2 months. Height 5 feet 11 1/2 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 40 inches
 Range of expansion 5 inches

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Dr. J. Paterson
Luceus Rd. St. John's | Relationship Father.

Particulars as to Marriage

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

(a)	(b)	(c)	
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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 for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Re-serve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to _____ [date of discharge] _____ years _____ days

" " " Pensions " _____ [" "] _____ " _____ "



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

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- 1. What is your name? 1. John Paterson
- 2. What is your full Address? 2. 3. Bess. Dacia Terrace
Queen's Rd. St. John's N.F.
- 3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
- 4. What is your age? 4. 17 Years 2 Months
- 5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Student
- 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. Army, D.T.C.
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 8. Yes
- 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 9. Yes
- 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?..... 10. { Name
Corps
- 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? 11. Yes

I, John Paterson 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.

John Paterson SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

1-2-17

Signature of Witness.

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Signature of Attesting Officer [Signature]

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vis:—(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 John Paterson,
Apparent age 17 years 2 months. Height 5 feet 11 1/2 inches
Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 44.0 inches
Range of expansion 5 inches
Distinctive marks

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Dr. H. Paterson
Luccas Rd. St. Johns | 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.	
(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>11-2-17</u>								
		Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>February 1</u> 17.								<u>Acting Lt. Capt. 9-3-17</u>
		Embarked <u>St John's train to Halifax N.S.</u>								<u>Capt. 5-7-17</u>
		<u>at St John's College Cambridge 5/7. unsuccessful in examinations held at 5th O.C.D. Trinity College Cambridge</u>								<u>2 Lt. 31-11-1917</u>
		<u>Subsequently ordered to report at depot Dept. 17-12-17</u>								<u>Plaint 27-5-1918</u>
		<u>to Camp Hope, Newbridge. Appointed 29/78. unfit for duty since for 2 months 21-8-18</u>								<u>To report to O.C. 5</u>
		<u>to headquarters for demobilization 24-6-1919.</u>								<u>Admitted hospital</u>
		<u>Demobilization at St John's 15-7-1919</u>								
Total Service forfeited as above.....										
Total Service towards Engagement to.....										

Total Service towards Engagement to 15-7-1919 (date of discharge) 2 years 65 days

Pensions " ["]

C.F. 0 - 211

Extract of Militia Orders No. 48, dated July 15th 1919,
by the Hon. A.E.Hickman, Minister of Militia.

2nd Lieut. J. Paterson to be Lieutenant with effect from
27th May 1919

C.R. 0 - 211

Extract of Militia Orders No. 49, dated July 22nd 1919, by the
Hon A.E.Hickman, Minister of Militia.

The following is retired with effect from July 15th
1919, and is placed on the Reserve List of Officers.

Lieut.J.Paterson.

C.R. 0-211

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS DAY RECEIVED
FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AN IMPERIAL COMMISSION

SIGNED..... J. Paterson Lt.

DATE..... July - 19th 1919.

C.R. 0-211

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.

Regt. Sr. John's, July 26th, 1919.

Lt. J. Paterson.

Retired with effect from 15-7-19 and placed on Reserve

List of Officers

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

Regimental No.

Name Lieut. John Paterson

Address Queens Road

Present Medical Category A1

Recommended for:— { (a) Immediate discharge

(b) ~~Standing Medical Board~~

Members of Board { (sgnd) L. R. Cooper, Capt.
for O.C. Discharge Depot.
" L. Paterson
Senior Medical Officer
" F. W. Burden
M.O. Depot

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Demobilization Form 1

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date _____

Regimental No. _____

Name _____

Address _____

John Paterson Lieut
Queens Road.

Present Medical Category _____

A7

Recommended for:— (a) Immediate discharge _____

(b) ~~Standing~~ Medical Board _____

Members of Board {

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

J. Paterson
Senior Medical Officer

D. W. Burden
M. O. Depot

C.R. 0 - 211

Extract from Daily Orders Royal Artillery, The Royal Wfld.
Regt. St. John's, JULY 3rd, 1919.

Lieut. J.A. Paterson.

Reported at Headquarters 1-7-19 of "Cassandra" which
sailed Glasgow June 24th, 1919.

C.R. 0-211

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld. Regt.
St. John's 0 July 18th, 1919.

2/Lt. J. Paterson.

To be Lieutenant from 27-5-19.

C.R.O-211

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London. 10--219.

Digest of proceedings of a Medical Board, assembled
at Military Hospital, Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester
on 28-1-19. in the case of;

2 2/Lieut. J. Paterson.

Fit for General Service.

C.R.O-211

Extract of Casualties from Pay & Record Office London, dated Dec.
20/12/18.

Digest of Proceedings of a Medical Board assembled at Magdalen Camp
Hospital, Winchester, 25/11/18, in the case of

2/Lieut. J. Paterson.

Unfit for General Service 6 weeks.

Fit for Home Service.

Recommended three weeks leave, reporting to 2/Bn. on 15/12/18.

C.R. 0-211

Extract of Telegram despatched to Synoptical
London, dated January 8, 1918.

3454 Lance Corporal Paterson.

to be Second Lieutenant

from November 27th.

C.R. 0-211

Nov. 21st. 1918.

Major L. Patterson,
Queen's Road,
St. Johns.

Sir:-

I have the honour to forward you herewith
the Commission issued by the Newfoundland Government
to your son 2/Lieut. John Patterson, which has been
issued in place of one formerly sent to you, which
was incorrectly worded.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Lieut. Col.

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 0-211

Nov. 21st. 18

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary,
City.

Sir:-

I have the honour to acknowledge, with thanks,
receipt of your letter of November, 20th., forwarding
a Commission for 2/Lieut. John Patterson.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Lieut. Col.
Chief Staff Officer.



November 20th, 1918.

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 18th inst. with which you returned the Commission issued to Lance Corporal Paterson, for correction of the christian name, I beg to say that a new Commission has now been prepared with the necessary alteration, and the same is enclosed herewith.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

W. W. Halford
Colonial Secretary.

Lieut.-Col. W. F. Rendell,
Chief Staff Officer,
Department of Militia.

Nov. 8th, 18

Major L. Paterson,
Queen's Road.

Dear Major Paterson:-

The following digest of proceedings of a Medical Board assembled at 3rd Western General Hospital Cardiff, on 27th of Sept, 1918 in the case of your son, R/Lieut. John Paterson, has been received by mail from the Pay & Record Office, London to-day:-

"Address: Parc, Wern. Officers Hospital
"Swansea.
"Unfit for any duty for two months
"Requires surgical treatment in an
"Officers Hospital.
"Recommended for transfer to Magdalen
"Camp Hospital, Winchester."

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.

Casualty Officer.

C.R. 0-211

Oct 18th, 1918

The Honourable
Colonial Secretary

Sir:-

The father of Lieut. J. Paterson
has returned to us the enclosed Commission, with
a request that the christian name thereon may be
altered to John. Will you kindly have the change
made?

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.



C.R. 0-211

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DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S Sept. 27th 18
NEWFOUNDLAND

Major L. Paterson,
Queen's Road
C I T Y

Dear Sir:-

I have much pleasure in forwarding to you herewith the Commission in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, issued to your son, L/Corpl. C. Jack Paterson on 27th Nov., 1917, which has just been received.

I am notifying Lieut. Paterson that his Commission has been forwarded to you for safekeeping.

Yours faithfully,

W. F. Readell

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 0-211

Sept. 27th, 18

To:

Lieut. C.J. Peterson

2nd Battalion

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester

Your Commission issued by the Government in Newfoundland, appointing you to the rank of 2/Lieutenant, has just been received by this Department, and has been forwarded by us to your father for safekeeping.

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 0-211

Sept. 27th 18

Major L. Paterson,
Queen's Road
C I T Y

Dear Sir:-

I have much pleasure in forwarding to you herewith the Commission in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, issued to your son, L/Coral. G. Jack Paterson on 27th Nov., 1917, which has just been received.

I am notifying Lieut. Paterson that his Commission has been forwarded to you for safekeeping.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

CONFIDENTIAL.

Army Form A. 45.

MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station 3rd Western General Hospl, Cardiff.

Date 27/9/18.

- 1. Rank and Name 2/Lieutenant J. Paterson.
- 2. Unit R. Newfoundland Regiment.
- 3. Age 19 4. Total Service 1 6/12 War Service { (a) at home 1 6/12
(b) abroad None
- 5. Address Parc Wern Officers Hospital, Swansea.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

- 6. Disability Appendicitis.
- 7. Date of origin of disability 28/7/18.
- 8. Place of origin of disability Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester.
- 9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

Has improved since last Board. Some tenderness. Mass.
referred to in previous Board report not felt.



OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i) The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.

- (ii) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.
- (iii) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.
- (iv) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

- 10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? No.
(b) in the service? Yes.
- 11. Was it attributable to military service? No.
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? N.A.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

- 12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? No.
If so, by what specific military conditions? N.A.

- 13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? N.A.

14. What is the officer's present condition? _____
He is now quite convalescent and suitable for return to
Hospital for operation.

This Officer is recommended for transfer to Magdalen Camp
Hospital, Winchester. He is returning to Parc Wern pending
transfer to same.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time? 40.
(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent? No.

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended? 2 months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board? No.

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom? _____
None.

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature? _____
Yes, surgical treatment.

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person? No.

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service. No, 2 months.

B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad. 2 months.

C.—Fit for home service:—

(i) Active duty with troops. No, 2 months.

(ii) Sedentary employment only. No, 2 months.

D.—For admission to a command depot. No.

E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment:—

(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital. No.

(ii) In an officers' hospital. Yes.

F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service. N.A.

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with? N.A.

(Sgd) _____ President.

(Sgd) J. BEATTY, Capt. R.A.M.C.

(Sgd) T.R. BOWEN Capt. R.A.M.C. } Members.

C.R.O-211

Extract from Casualties from Pay and Record Office, London,
dated October 9th. 1918.

Digest of proceedings of a Medical Board assembled at 3rd
Western General Hospital, Cardiff, 27/9/18, in the case of

2/LT. J. PATERSON.

Address: Parc Wern Officers' Hospital, Swansea.
Unfit for any duty for 2 months.
Requires surgical treatment in an Officers' Hospital.
Recommended for transfer to Magdalen Camp Hospital,
Winchester.

Authority: A.F. A.45 from War Office, S.W. 1.

C.R. 0-211

Extract from Telegram to Synoptical, London dated September 6th 1918

Inform condition of Lt. J. Paterson in Hospital, no report parents
anxious.

C.R. 0-211

Extract from Telegram from Synoptical, London dated Sept. 9th 1918.

In answer your telegram Sept. 6th., 2/Lt. Paterson will have to undergo
Operation for appendicitis shortly at Swansea see Major Paterson

C.R. 0-211

Extract from Casualties received from P.M.O. Office,
London, Aug. 26th, 1918.

Digest of proceedings of a Medical Board assembled
at Magdalen Camp Hospital, Winchester, on 21/8/18, in
the case of:

S/lt. J. Paterson.

Unfit for any service ~~for~~ for 2 months. Receiving Hospital
treatment.

Authority:- A.F. A.45 from above named Hospital.

C.R. 0-211

Extract from Telegram despatched to Synoptical,
London, dated August 16, 1918.

Following for 2/Lieut. Paterson (begins) Rotten
luck hope for quick recovery ~~chess~~ love
Paterson.

C.R. 0-211

Extract from Casualties received from P & R Office London,
Aug.16-18.

2/Lt.H.Paterson,

Was admitted to Magdalen Camp Hospital, Winchester, on 29-7-18
from 2nd Battn. Suffering from Appendicitis.

Authority;

A.B. A.45 from Secretary, War office, S.W.

C.R. 0-211

Copy of telegram received from London, dated
December 19, 1917.

Following from Whitaker begins:

Cadet Paterson.

recommended for commission.

C.R. 3454

Extract of Telegram received from Pay & Record Office
London dated December 7, 1917.

3454 Paterson.

will return to his unit, writing O.C. 2nd Battalion.

C.R. 0-211

Extract from Nominal Roll, embarked St. John's for Overseas 7/4/17.

#3454 L/C J. PATERSON

C.R.

~~3454~~
0-2-11

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Wfld.
Regt., St. John's, March 9th, 1917.

3454 Pte. J. Paterson.

To be A/L/Cpl. from 9-3-17.

Lieut. J. Paterson

C.R. 0-211

P.R.O.

TO, - The Chief Paymaster,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W.

Sir;-

Please charge the amounts set opposite my name to my account and pay it to the N.W.C.A. "Prisoners of War Fund" in quarterly instalments for the period of one year, commencing on 1st July 1918.

Regtl. No.	Rank,	Name	Amount	Signature.
	2/Lieut	Latterman	\$1,000	J. Paterson 2/18

I have the honour to be, Sir,
for the Committee,
Your obedient servant.

Date

June 26/18

J. Paterson 2/18

Cambridge O.T.C.

Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST. 9.6.17 to 6.7.17 191 Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps 2^d Newfoundland.
No. 3454 Rank Capt. Name Patterson J.
Died at on the of 191
Deserted at on the of 191

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Robertson Capt. Commanding Squadron, Troop Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

FORM 1.

Table with columns: Date, Dr., £, s., d., Cr., £, s., d.
Rows include: Balance Dr. last month, Cash issues (June 15, 29, Annual), allot of 50¢ for 28 days, Barrack Damages, Miscellaneous Exp., Consolidated stoppage, Balance due by the Paymaster.
Cr. side includes: Balance Cr. last month, Pay 28 days at 10¢ from 9/4/17 to 4/7/17, Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay, Messing allowance 28 days at 10¢ from 9/4/17 to 4/7/17, Clothing and kit allowance, Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries, Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2, Amount of Savings Bank balance, Deferred Pay or Gratuity, Balance due to the Paymaster.

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 8. 3. 3 is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at this day of 191 Paymaster.

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

CHECKED. 13.7.17

No 3454 Cadet John Paterson
Newfoundland Regt

is at present at

No 1 Officer Cadet Battalion
Trinity College Cambridge



The accompanying communication is retransmitted, with

the compliments of the Secretary of the Army Council, to

The Officer in Charge

Newfoundland Records
558 Victoria Street

S.W.

to whose Department the subject appears to appertain.

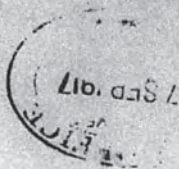
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WAR OFFICE,

Sept. 7th 1917

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63 Cockburn Street,
Edinburgh.
6th September 1917



Sir,

re John Paterson, Moredun House, Fettes College,
Edinburgh. Class C

The above noted lad is reported to be now serving as
a Commissioned Officer in the Newfoundland Contingent
he is also believed to have been under training at the
Officers Cadet Unit Gailles until the beginning of August
1917. Can you verify this gentleman having received
a commission please?

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Lieut. Col.
R.S.O. Edinburgh.

The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W.1.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	5063
Rec'd.	SEP - 8 1917
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	✓ 14/9/17
File No.	

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N.F./12.

Allotments.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 3454 (Rank) L/C (Name) Paterson John

hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on

N.F. 3371 dated May 12/17 in favour

of Mrs Florence Paterson for \$ 50 cts

per diem. Such cancellation to take place on the 31st day of August 1917

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

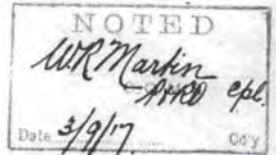
Dated at London

Sept 3rd 1917

Per request of Major Paterson 3/9/17
Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed,
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

W. G. CASTER & OFFICE COMPANY, LTD.



To be made out in TRIPLICATE and sent to the Paymaster & Officer in Charge of Records, who will forward Original to Headquarters by first mail, Duplicate by the following, and retain Triplicate.

11th September,

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Lt.-Col. W. Robertson,
R- S. O.,
63, Cockburn St.,
Edinburgh.

Sir,

No. 3454, Cadet J. Paterson, Newfoundland Regt.

With reference to your letter 6/9/17 which has been passed to me by the Secretary of the War Office: according to records in this office the above named Cadet is at present undergoing a course of training at No. 5 Officer Cadet Battalion, Trinity College, Cambridge.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Major,

HT/NW

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

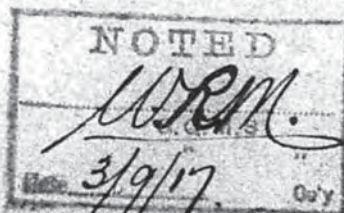
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Please stop allotment of ^{1/2} John Paterson
in favour of Florence L. Paterson (M^{rs})

Victoria St. SW (11)

2/9/17

L. Paterson



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
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Ans'd.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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27/11/17

S/nd Lieut. J. Paterson,

15/2/18 (61 days) ✓

Balance from last a/c

81 2 00 162 00 ✓

8 10 ✓

81 60 48 60 ✓

81 4/-

16 4 0 ✓

Outfit allow.

250 00 ✓

460 60 ✓

94 15 0 ✓

Jan 14

50 0 0 ✓

Feb 15

52 11 2 ✓

Dec. 1

Payment per P. & R.O.

10 0 0 ✓

Debit Balance

2 1 0 ✓

4th March

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WPA 112 18 0 ✓ 112 18 0 ✓

G. Hutchings

*This officer has been awarded
Pay & Allowances from 27/11/17.*

WRB

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	1754
Rec'd.	19 FEB 1918
Ack'd.	<i>[Signature]</i>
Ans'd.	<i>[Signature]</i>
File No.	5/9/18



*2nd Bn. Royal N.F.L.D. Regt.
Hazelton Camp
Winchester*

17-2-18

Sir,

*I would like to call your attention
to the fact, that my commission dates
from the 27th November - 1914 - although
I did not get gazetted until Jan 9th
I would like my account to be
settled up from that date - please -*

BRANCH
<i>Yours Truly</i>
<i>Pat</i>
ACTED UPON
<i>Paterson 2/17</i>
<i>Royal N.F.L.D. Regt.</i>
Office of Records
Pay & Record Office
55 Victoria St.

*Paterson 2/17
Royal N.F.L.D. Regt.*

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TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

5/9/18.

To E.F.M. MAJOR PATERSON,
ST. JOHNS (Newfoundland)

JACK AT PARC WERN OFFICERS HOSPITAL SWANSEA SOUTH WALES PRIOR TO OPERATION IN A FORTNIGHTS TIME.

KNIGHT.

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Authorised:

Charge Lieut J. Paterson.

CHARGED
 PAY BOOK
 Date *11/9/18* by

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 **58, Victoria St., S.W. 1.**

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13248/1/R.&.C.

Officer Commanding,
Magdalen Camp Hospital,
Winchester,
Hants.

Pay & Record Office,

19th August, 8

2nd Lieut. J. Paterson,
2/Bn. R. Newfoundland R.

*No reply to
6/9/18*

The following telegram dated
16/8/18 (7410) for the above-
named Officer has been received
from the Militia Department,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

"Rotten- luck- hope- for-
"rapid recovery- cheero-
"love- Paterson- ends-"

Will you convey the above
message to this Officer, please?

[Signature]
for Major,
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

HB/JC

All further communications on this subject should be addressed to—
The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W. 1.
and the following number quoted.

WAR OFFICE,
LONDON, S.W. 1.

1st November, 1918.

121/P./1228. (M. S. 4. K.)

Sir,

With reference to the copy of Proceedings of a Medical Board regarding 2nd/Lieutenant J. Paterson, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, which was forwarded to you on the 8th ultimo, I am directed to inform you that this officer had completed on the 23th October, 1918, the full amount of leave admissible under War Office letter No. 101/Gen. No./1098a

Will you please say what action you desire should be taken regarding him?

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. H. Hawkerworth
Capl
for Military Secretary.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Ref. Nos. 49 *9497*

Rec'd 2 - NOV 1918

Ack'd

Ref. Nos. 00 *17895/359*

ACI The Officer i/c of
BRANCH DATE Pay and Records,
Comd. Newfoundland Contingent,
P & A. 58, Victoria Street,
R & C. S.W. 1.
E & E

1st November, 1918,

121/P./1228. (M.S.4.K.)

Sir,

With reference to the copy of Proceedings of a Medical Board regarding 2nd/Lieutenant J. Paterson, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, which was forwarded to you on the 8th ultimo, I am directed to inform you that this officer had completed on the 28th October, 1918, the full amount of leave admissible under War Office letter No. 101/Gen. No./1098^a.

Will you please say what action you desire should be taken regarding him.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sd.) J. L. I. HAWKESWORTH,
Captain.
for Military Secretary.

The Officer i/c of
Pay and Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
S. W. I.

17895/359/R.&.C.

4th November,

8.

The Secretary,
War Office (M.S.4.K.),
S.W. 1.

Sir,

2/Lieut. J. Paterson
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

With reference to your letter 121/P/1228 (M.S.4.K.) of 1/11/18 (9477): I beg to confirm telephone conversation with Capt. Hawkesworth of this date, which was to the effect that this Officer should be returned to his Unit, the 2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt., Hazeley Down Camp, Near Winchester.

Kindly note that there is no occasion to refer such cases to this Office.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,

HA/NV

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

21022/1/P&A.

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ENCLOSURE

MEMORANDUM.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C. RECORDS.
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
53, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1.
ENGLAND.

From

To 2/Lieut. J. Paterson,
2/Bn. R. Nfld. Regt.,
Hazeley Down Camp,
Winchester.

To

FM/NM.

ANSWER.

Pay and Record Office.

December 18th 1918.

ANNUAL OUTFIT ALLOWANCE.

With reference to the enclosed claim, the date for which the allowance is admissible in your case is 27/11/17 to 26/11/18.

If you have not received any compensation for loss of kit during period kindly amend dates.

[Handwritten signature]

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O.I./c. Record

*Applied
23/12-18.*

Noted pay

AW 23/12/18

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21022/1/P&A.

SUSPENSE

CLEARED

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C. RECORDS,
NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1.
ENGLAND.

2/Lieut. J. Peterson,

2/Bn. R. Mfld. Regt.,
Hazeley Down Camp,
Winchester.

FM/NM.

Pay and Record Office.

December 18th 8.

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With reference to
the enclosed claim, the date for
which the allowance is
admissible in your case is
27/11/17 till 26/11/18.

If you have not
received any compensation
for loss of kit during period
kindly amend dates.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Record

Peterson John, ... 0-211

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Ray DeH

Nº 3371



41 1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT 3

ALLOTMENTS

I, John Paterson, Regl. No. 3454

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Dollars and ~~Fifty~~ Fifty Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} _{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} _{or} Persons concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins May 1st

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<u>3507</u>	<u>Royal Bank of Canada</u>		<u>St Johns</u>	<u>50</u>
	<u>Mother</u>	<u>Mrs Lamont (Florence) Paterson</u>	<u>Queens Rd St Johns</u>	
Total Allotment, \$				<u>50</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.) Chas R. Ayle Capt.

Officer Commanding
Co. Company

St Johns
6-3-17 191

(Sig.) John Paterson

(Rank) Pte

Paterson, J

Lieut

0-211

Ray Sept.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Peterson Christian Name John

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>23rd</u> day of <u>June</u> 191 <u>7</u> at <u>St John's</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u> at _____	
Declared Age	<u>7</u> years <u>2</u> days		_____ years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>Student</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>11 1/2</u> inches		_____ inches	
Weight	<u>168</u> lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement	<u>40</u> inches		_____ inches	
	<u>5</u> inches		_____ inches	
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm		Right	Left
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V= <u>6/6</u> L.E.—V= <u>6/6</u>		R.E.—V= <u> </u> L.E.—V= <u> </u>	
	(a)		(a)	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease				
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause rejection				
Approved by (Signature)	<u>W. Gordon</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Lieut</u>			
Enlisted	at <u>St John's</u> Medical Officer. on <u>1</u> day of <u>July</u> 191 <u>7</u>		at _____ Medical Officer. on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>1/4 R. Res. Regt. 3454</u>			
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—
The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W. 1.
and the following number quoted:

WAR OFFICE,
LONDON, S.W. 1.

121/P/1228 (A.L. 4.c) 6 December 1918.



The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments to { Officer in Charge Records Newfoundland Contingent 58 Victoria Street S.W.1 } and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for

the information of and retention a copy of the document noted in the subjoined schedule on the subject of 2nd Lieutenant J. Paterson 2nd Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date	From	Description
25 th November 1918	Military Hospital, Winchester.	Proceedings of a Medical Board.
<p>Extracted for contact of 20/12/18 [Signature]</p>		

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Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—
The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W. 1.
and the following number quoted.

WAR OFFICE,
LONDON, S.W. 1.

121/P/1228 6 February 1919

The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments to *The Officer in Charge* *Newfoundland Contingent* and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for his *58 Victoria Street S.W. 1* the information *and retention*

a copy of the document noted in the subjoined schedule on the subject of *Lieutenant Peterson* *Newfoundland Regiment*

Date	From	Description
28. 1. 19	<i>Southern Command</i>	<i>Proceedings of Medical Board</i>
<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>Extracted for Casualty return 7/2/19 [Signature]</i>

CONFIDENTIAL.**MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.**(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.) Military Hospital,
Station Magdalen Camp, Winchester.Date 25/11/18.

1. Rank and Name 2nd Lieut. J. Paterson.
 2. Unit 2nd R. Newfoundland Regt.
 3. Age 19 4. Total Service 1.6/12 War Service { (a) at home 1.6/12
 (b) abroad Nil.
 5. Address Magdalen Camp Hospital, Winchester.

STATEMENT OF CASE:

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability Appendicitis.
 7. Date of origin of disability 28.7.18.
 8. Place of origin of disability Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester.
 9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.):—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

Previous Board 27.9.18 From Home Troops. Transferred back here for operation 7/10/18. Operation showed an exteriorly diseased appendix which was removed. Wound healed by first intention, and then broke down. No abdominal rigors since operation.

Recommended three weeks leave and proceed to C/o Mrs. Gifford, Lynch Cottage, Wyke, Winchester, reporting to 2nd R. Newfoundland Regt. on 15/12/18.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i) The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.

(ii) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.

(iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.

(iv) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? No
 (b) in the service? Yes
 11. Was it attributable to military service? No
 If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? N.A.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease, are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? No.
 If so, by what specific military conditions? N.A.

13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? No.

14. What is the officer's present condition? Convalescent. Sound scar.

General condition good.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time? Under 20.

(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20 under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent? No.

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended? 6 ~~months~~ weeks.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board? No.

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom?

Completed in-patient treatment here.

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature? No.

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person? No.

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 158/1918. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service Unfit six weeks.

B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad No.

C.—Fit for home service:—

(i) Active duty with troops Yes

(ii) Sedentary employment only N.A.

D.—For admission to a command depot No.

E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment:—

(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital No

(ii) In an officers' hospital No

F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service No

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 807 of 1918 been complied with? N.Y.

(Sd.) G. P. Hunter, Major R.A.M.C.T. President.

(Sd.) Everard A. Gheadle-King,

Temp. Capt. R.A.M.C.

} Members.

CONFIDENTIAL.

Army Form A. 45.

MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

Officer ordered to rejoin (ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)
2nd Royal Newfoundland Regt., Station Military Hospital, Hazeley Down.
forthwith. Date 28th Jan. 1919.

1. Rank and Name 2nd Lieut. J. Paterson.
2. Unit R. Newfoundland Regt.
3. Age 19 2/12. Total Service 1 8/12. War Service { (a) at home 1 8/12 yrs.
(b) abroad Nil.
5. Address Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester.

STATEMENT OF CASE

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability Appendicitis (Operation)
7. Date of origin of disability 28.7.18.
8. Place of origin of disability Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester.
9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.):—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

States he has completely recovered.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i) **The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.**

- (ii) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.
(iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.
(iv) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? No.
(b) in the service? Yes.
11. Was it attributable to military service? No.
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? N.A.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease, are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? No.
If so, by what specific military conditions? N.A.

13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? No.

14. What is the officer's present condition? Operation scar firm now normal
state of health.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time? Nil.
(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20 under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent? N.A.

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended? N.A. months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board? No.

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom? None.

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature? No.

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person? No.

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 158/1918. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service Yes.

B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad _____)

C.—Fit for home service :— _____)

(i) Active duty with troops _____)

(ii) Sedentary employment only _____)

D.—For admission to a command depot _____)

E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :— _____)

(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital _____) N.A.

(ii) In an officers' hospital _____)

F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service _____)

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 807 of 1918 been complied with? _____)

H.H. Leipell. Major RAMC. President.

Hy Holt. Capt. R.A.M.C. _____)

C.St.A. Vivian, Capt. RAMC. } Members.

Any further communication
subject should be addressed to

The Secretary,
War Office

London, S.W.,

and the following number quoted



LONDON, S.W.,

October 1918.

121/P/1228

The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments
to *The Officer in Charge New Foundland Record*
59 Victoria Street S.W.
and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for ~~the~~ his
information ~~of~~ *and retention*

a copy of the document noted in the subjoined schedule on
the subject of *Lieutenant Watson*
Battalion New Foundland Regiment

Date

From

Description.

27. 9. 18

*General Office
Commonwealth
Western Command*

*Proceedings of a Medical
Board.*

*Carriage
extracted
9/10
9/18*

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Copy to Prof. M 18/18
RAB
MHB

COPY

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W.,

and the following number quoted.

WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W.,

8th October, 1918.

121/P/1228

The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments to the Officer in charge, Newfoundland Records 58 Victoria Street, S.W. 1. and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for the his information of- and retention a copy of the document noted in the subjoined schedule on the subject of 2/Lieutenant J. Paterson 2/Battalion, Newfoundland Regiment.

Date	From	Description.
27/9/18.	General Officer Commanding, Western Command.	Proceedings of a Medical Board.

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W.,

and the following number quoted.

WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W.,

15 August 1918

121/P/1228



The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments to *The Officer in Charge Newfoundland*

and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for *58 Victoria Street, S.W.!*

his information *of and retention*

a copy of the document noted in the subjoined schedule on

the subject of

*Lieutenant Paterson
2nd Battalion Newfoundland Regiment*

Date	From	Description
7.	8.	18 General Office Proceedings of a Commanding Medical Board Southern Command

*Contracted
16/8/18*

F.S.O.

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Army Form A. 45.

MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES)

Station 3rd Western General Hospital, Cardiff.Date 27.9.18.

1. Rank and Name 2/Lieutenant J. Paterson.
2. Unit R. Newfoundland Regiment.
3. Age 19 4. Total Service 1 $\frac{6}{12}$ War Service { (a) at home 1 $\frac{6}{12}$
(b) abroad None.
5. Address Parc Wern Officers Hospital, Swansea.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability Appendicitis.
7. Date of origin of disability 28.7.18.
8. Place of origin of disability Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester.
9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

Has improved since last Board. Some tenderness. Mass.
referred to in previous Board report not felt.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i.) The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.

- (ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.
- (iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.
- (iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? No.
(b) in the service? Yes.
11. Was it attributable to military service? No.
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? N.A.

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12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? No.
If so, by what specific military conditions? N.A.

13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? N.A.

14. What is the officer's present condition? _____

He is now quite convalescent and suitable for return to Hospital for operation.

This Officer is recommended for transfer to Magdalen Camp Hospital, Winchester. He is returning to Parc Wern pending transfer to same.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time? 40.

(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 20, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent? No.

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended? 2 months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board? No.

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom? _____

None.

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature? _____

Yes, surgical treatment.

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person? No.

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

A.—Fit for general service. No, 2 months.

B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad. 2 months.

C.—Fit for home service :—

(i) Active duty with troops. No, 2 months.

(ii) Sedentary employment only. No, 2 months.

D.—For admission to a command depot. No.

E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :—

(i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital. No.

(ii) In an officers' hospital. Yes

F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service. N.A.

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with? N.A.

(Sgd.) _____ President.

(Sgd.) J. Beatty, Capt. R.A.M.C.

(Sgd.) T.R. Bowen, Capt. R.A.M.C.T. } Members.

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Army Form A. 45.

MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station Magdalen Camp Hospital, Winchester.

Date 7.8.18.



- 1. Rank and Name 2/Lt Paterson J.
- 2. Unit 2nd Newfoundland Regiment.
- 3. Age 19. 4. Total Service 13/12. War Service { (a) at home _____
(b) abroad 12/12.
- 5. Address Magdalen Camp Hospital, Winchester.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

- 6. Disability Appendicitis.
- 7. Date of origin of disability 28.7.18.
- 8. Place of origin of disability Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester.
- 9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

Admitted from Home Troops to this hospital 29.7.18. No
previous Board documents available. Officer states was
taken with acute pain in stomach, vomited. On admission
large lump felt in right iliac ferra, tenderness on
pressure and constipation.

Officer remains in Hospital.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(i.) The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.

- (ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.
- (iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.
- (iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

- 10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? No.
(b) in the service? Yes.
- 11. Was it attributable to military service? No.
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? N.a.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

- 12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? No.
If so, by what specific military conditions? N.a.

- 13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? No.

14. What is the officer's present condition? There is a lump in right iliac
ferra which is getting smaller. He awaits the cold stage
for operation.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time? 100%
(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 20, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent? No.

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended? three months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board? No.

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom? In Patient
treatment here.

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature? Operative.

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person? No.

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

- A.—Fit for general service. Unfit, three months.
- B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad. Unfit, three months.
- C.—Fit for home service :—
 - (i) Active duty with troops. Unfit three months.
 - (ii) Sedentary employment only. N.a.
- D.—For admission to a command depot. No.
- E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :—
 - (i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital. N.a.
 - (ii) In an officers' hospital. Yes.
- F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service. No.

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with? N.a.

Major R.A.M.C. President.

Bernard A. Cheadle. Temp Capt
R.A.M.C. } Members.

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Army Form A. 45.

MEDICAL BOARD REPORT ON A DISABLED OFFICER.

(ALSO TO BE USED FOR DISABLED NURSES.)

Station Magdalen Camp Hospital, Winchester.

Date 21.8.18.

1. Rank and Name 2/Lt. Paterson J.
2. Unit 2nd Newfoundland Regiment.
3. Age 19 4. Total Service 1 3/12. War Service { (a) at home 3/12.
(b) abroad 12/12.
5. Address Magdalen Camp Hospital, Winchester.

STATEMENT OF CASE.

NOTE.—In answering the following questions the Board will carefully discriminate between the officer's statements and evidence recorded in his medical documents. When possible, a statement by his medical attendant should be attached.

6. Disability Appendicitis.
7. Date of origin of disability 28th July, 1918.
8. Place of origin of disability Hazeley ^{own} Dairn Camp, Winchester.
9. Give concisely the essential facts bearing on the history of the disability (personal and family history, etc.) :—

NOTE.—Boards subsequent to the first should record here the progress of the case since the officer's last appearance.

Admitted from Home Troops to this hospital 29.7.18.

Previous Board 7.8.18. Board on Transfer. Since last

Board lump in right iliac ferra has been observed. No tenderness.

Officer is being transferred to Parc Wern Officers

Hospital Swansea on 22nd.

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(1) The Board will on no account inform the officer of its opinion on any of the following questions.

- (ii.) Clear and decisive answers should be filled in by the Board to enable the Ministry of Pensions to come to a reliable decision on the officer's claim to pension, etc.
(iii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," should be avoided, if possible.
(iv.) When there is more than one disability the replies will distinguish between them.

10. Was the disability contracted (a) before entering the service? No.
(b) in the service? Yes.
11. Was it attributable to military service? No.
If so, to what specific military conditions is it attributed? not applicable.

[Enteric Fever, Dysentery, Malaria, &c., contracted on service in countries where there is a special liability to the disease are to be regarded as attributable to military service.]

12. If not attributable to, was it aggravated by, military service? No.
If so, by what specific military conditions? Not applicable.

13. Is it attributable to, or aggravated by, the officer's own negligence or misconduct? If so, in what way, and to what extent? No.

14. What is the officer's present condition? Officer is convalescent, but is is
not considered desirable to operate yet, the scars having
been so large and hard. Is still dieted.

15. To what degree is the officer disabled at the present time? 40%
(Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, under 20, or nil.)

16. Is the disability permanent? No.

17. If not permanent, how soon is re-examination recommended? TWO months.

18. Is it necessary that the officer should be re-examined by the same Board? No.

19. What treatment is the officer receiving, and where, and from whom? Completed In-Patients.
treatment here.

20. Is the officer in need of special medical treatment of any kind, and, if so, of what nature? No.
Arrangements have been made for his transfer to convalesce.

21. Does the officer require the constant attendance of another person? No.

22. Officers will be classified by the Medical Board under one of the following categories, the probable period of unfitness for the higher categories being stated. Explanation of these categories is in para. 5 of A.C.I. 1677/1917. In case of nurses, omit B. and (i) and (ii) of E.

- A.—Fit for general service. Unfit two months.
- B.—Fit for service in a garrison or labour unit abroad. Unfit two months,
- C.—Fit for home service :—
 - (i) Active duty with troops. Unfit two months.
 - (ii) Sedentary employment only. not applicable.
- D.—For admission to a command depot. No.
- E.—Requiring indoor hospital treatment :—
 - (i) In an officers' military or auxiliary convalescent hospital. No.
 - (ii) In an officers' hospital. No.
- F.—Permanently unfit for any further military service.

23. In the case of officers suffering from neurasthenia found permanently unfit, has A.C.I. 1289 of 1917 been complied with? Not applicable.

G.P. Hunter, Major, President.

H.W. Hayman, Capt., R.A.M.C.
Members.

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W.,

and the following number quoted.

WAR OFFICE



25 August 1918

121/P/1228

The Secretary of the War Office presents his compliments to *The Officer in Charge, Newfoundland Records, 58 Victoria Street, W.1.* and is commanded by the Army Council to transmit for the information of *and retention*

a copy of the document noted in the subjoined schedule on the subject of *Lieutenant J. Paterson, 2 Battalion Newfoundland Regiment*

Date

From

Description.

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General Officer Commanding Southern Command

Proceedings of a Medical Board.

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Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B. 121.
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Regiment of

1st Newfoundland

Number of Sheet

1st
Chas. R. Taylor

Signature of O. C. Company

Regimental Number and Name	
No.	<i>3454 Paterson, John</i>
Joined	Date
Joined	Date
Joined	Date
Joined	Date

Enlistment	
Age on	<i>17</i> years <i>2</i> months
Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St. John's Nfld</i> <i>1-2-17</i>
Period of	with Colours <i> </i> years. with Reserve <i> </i> years.

Trade	<i>Student</i>
Religion	<i>Pres.</i>
Place of Birth	

Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay
Appointed Lt/c. March. 9th. 1917.

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

To be carried over



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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 3454 (Rank) Lt (Name) Paterson John
hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on
N.F. 3371 dated May 1st/17 in favour
of Mrs Florence Paterson for \$ - cts 50
per diem. Such cancellation to take place on the
31st day of August 1917

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.

Dated at London
Sept. 3rd 1917

1891 ↓
Per request of Major Paterson 3/9/17.
Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed,
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

O. G. S. & Co. Company Ltd.



To be made out in TRIPLICATE and sent to the Paymaster & Officer in Charge of Records, who will forward Original to Headquarters by first mail, Duplicate by the following, and retain Triplicate.

GGB/OR.

May 13, 1920.

Major Howley,
O.I.C. Pay and Records.

Please pay to Lt. J. Patterson,
the sum of sixty eight dollars and ninety six cents,
on account of tuition course at the Methodist College.
Charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee.


\$68.96



W. W. McCall,

.....
Vocational Officer.

ACCOUNT	
CHK. NO. 37475	INITIALS R/6
IN. LEDGER	
PAY LEDGER	
GEN. LEDGER	



C. A. Byrne.

for Lt. Patterson

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ ³⁵~~100~~⁰⁰

July 2 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of ~~one hundred~~ ^{thirty five} Dollars.
on account of Pay.
~~balance~~

J. Paterson
[Signature]

Ch. No.	2055	Initials	<i>[Signature]</i>
Pay Ledger	165	Initials	<i>[Signature]</i>
Gen. Ledger		Initials	

Regtl. No. Rank

No.

Rank

2nd Lt

Name

C. J. Patterson

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 100⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Fr.

July 15 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of one hundred - Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

J. Paterson - Lt.

Ch. No. 3005	Initials <i>EW</i>
Pay Ledger 165	Initials <i>JH</i>
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No. Rank

J. C. P.

No.

Rank

27 Lt

Name

C. J. Patterson

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 93⁰⁰

Aug 1 1917

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

J. Paterson W.

Ch. No. 4273	Initials J.W.
Pay Ledger 165	Initials J.W.
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No.

Rank

J. C. J.

No.

Rank *St*

Name

J. Patterson