

**FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT**

**ATTESTATION OF**

No. 3569 Name Renton Corps ...

**Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment**

1. What is your name? ..... 1. Ronald Renton
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. ...
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 24 Years 0 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. ...
6. Are you Married? ..... 6. no
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,\* which? ..... 7. no
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... 8. yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ..... 9. yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... 10. { Name .....  
Corps .....
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? ..... 11. yes

I, ..... 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.

Ronald Renton ..... SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
... ..... Signature of Witness.

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

I, Ronald Renton ..... 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 22 day of Nov ..... 191  
Signature of Attesting Officer Charles H. Ayle Cpl.

**†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 Leonard Penton  
 Apparent age 20 years — months. Height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 43 inches  
 Range of expansion 7 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Ambrase Penton  
Joe Batt. Arm. | Relationship Father

### Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

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

Total Service towards Engagement to \_\_\_\_\_ [date of discharge] \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ days  
 " " " Pensions " \_\_\_\_\_ [ " " ] \_\_\_\_\_ " \_\_\_\_\_ "

# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 3269 Name L. Penton Corps R.C.

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

1. What is your name? ..... 1. Leonard Penton
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. Joe Batts Avon
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 20 Years ..... 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. no
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... 8. yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ..... 9. yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?..... 10. { Name .....  
Corps .....
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service } 11. yes  
to be signed by you if you are accepted? .....

I, Leonard Penton 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.

Nov. 22/16 Leonard Penton SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Charles C. Signature of Witness.

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

I, Leonard Penton 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 22 day of Nov 1916.  
Signature of Attesting Officer Charles Aye Cpt

### †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.

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# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Leonard Penton  
 Apparent age 20 years - months. Height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 43 inches  
 Range of expansion \_\_\_\_\_ inches  
 Distinctive marks 2.1 marked 7 9 2 2 2

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Amrose Penton  
Joe Bath Amrose | Relationship Father

### Particulars as to Marriage

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

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
<u>2.1</u>	<u>2.1</u>		

### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth
<u>2.1</u>	<u>marked</u>

## 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>22-11-16</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>November 22</u> <u>16</u>									
<u>E. Archer. St. John's. Jan. 12/18.</u> Embarked <u>St. John's S.S. Hospital to Windsor, N.S.</u> <u>9-1-17</u> <u>Embarked</u> <u>for S.C.</u> <u>11-6-17</u> <u>Disembarked France</u> <u>12-6-17</u> <u>Wines</u> <u>Bathn.</u> <u>2-7-17</u> <u>Wounded</u> <u>16-8-17</u> <u>Admitted</u> <u>1st Lt. S.W. 2 Reg. 195es</u> <u>16-8-17</u> <u>Frankford</u> <u>to the</u> <u>26-8-17</u> <u>Admitted</u> <u>3rd Lt. Woodworth</u> <u>4th S.W. 2 Reg. 57-8-17</u> <u>Southport</u> <u>report of M.D. Penton</u> <u>19-10-17</u> <u>to confirm law for discharge</u> <u>18-10-17</u> <u>Wines</u> <u>Windsorland</u> <u>1-11-1917</u> <u>Discharged medically</u> <u>Wght.</u> <u>12-1-18</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 12-1-18 (date of discharge) 1 years 52 days  
 " " " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "



This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

# Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. 3269 Army Rank Private

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

Corps 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regiment

Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &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 \_\_\_\_\_

Place of discharge \_\_\_\_\_

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age <u>21</u> years _____ months	Descriptive marks. <u>Scar Left Leg outer side</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches	
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.	
Complexion <u>Fresh</u>	
Eyes <u>Blue</u>	
Hair <u>Light</u>	<div data-bbox="724 876 1039 1098" data-label="Text"> <p>COPY SENT TO O.C. H.Q. ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D. N.F.P.38. No. <u>1076/126</u> DATED <u>17 OCT 1917</u></p> </div>
Trade <u>Bushman</u>	
Intended place of residence _____ (To be given as fully as practicable)	

(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 Injuries 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:—  
\_\_\_\_\_

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. 2087\* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to\*

\* Strike out if not applicable.



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. 3269

Rank Pte

Name (surname first) Penton L.

Regiment 1st N F L D



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

Have fair education but no previous experience in any clerical work.

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O.C. H.Q.  
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.  
N.F.F.38. No. 10767/126  
DATED 17 OCT 1917

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?

Superintendent, Seadley Railway station  
St Johns N.F.L.D. Fireman. 3 months

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

Clerical work if suitable. if not fishing.

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 27/9/17

Signature L. Penton

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. 1913, 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.



**Notification that a Soldier has been sent Home from  
Hospital to await Discharge under para. 392  
(xvi.) King's Regulations.** *admitted. 27.8.17*

Soldier's  
Regtl. No. 8269 Rank Pte Name Penton L.  
(Surname first)

Corps or Regiment (also Unit if known) 1st N.Y.L.D.



To OFFICER in charge of RECORDS 58, Victoria Street S.W.

REGIMENTAL PAYMASTER 58, Victoria Street S.W.

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 5.10.17., *at address below* has been sent to ~~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) October 15<sup>th</sup> 1917

to (full address) 58, Victoria Street S.W.

Place Wandsworth Officer Comm.

Date 15.10.17. G. C. Hall Hospital.  
*apt 900*

Three copies to be made; one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above, and one copy filed in the Office Registrar, R.A.M.C.I.



Notification by President of Medical Board of Approval of a Soldier's Discharge under Paragraph 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

58 Victoria St. SW

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~~<sup>21</sup> days after the date on this notification, see A.C.I. ~~1916~~<sup>1912</sup> of 1916.)

Soldier's surname Penton, Christian names Leonard James  
(in full)

Regt. No. and Rank 3269 Pte Regt. or Corps 1st Newfoundland  
(If T.F. this should be stated.)

His address on discharge will be Goeballs arm.  
Topo Dist. Med.

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 Lond. General Hospital,  
WANDSWORTH, S.W.  
Date: 5 OCT 1918  
78 Lancaster Gate,  
Hyde Park, W. 2.  
SPECIAL MEDICAL BOARD

A.R. Smith  
for President of Board  
(Approving Officer)

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.



Army Form W. 3484A.

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

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

To the Superintendent,

Central Army Pension Issue Office,

33, Baker Street, London, W.

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~~ <sup>21</sup> days after the date on this notification, see A.C.I. ~~1898~~ <sup>1912</sup> of 1916.)

Soldier's surname Penton, Christian names Leonard James  
(in full)

Regt. No. and Rank 3269 Pte Regt. or Corps 1st Newfoundland  
(If T.F. this should be stated.)

His address on discharge will be Footbathain Logo Dist  
Newfoundland

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.

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

ae Smith  
for President of Board  
(Approving Officer).

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



### Descriptive Return of a Soldier discharged on account of Disability.

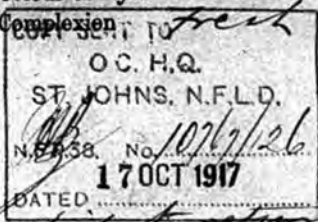
**INSTRUCTIONS.**—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital.

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 in Charge of 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.

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

**A** Name in full *Penton, Leonard James*  
 Regiment from which discharged *1st Regt*  
 Regimental Number *3269*  
 Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when *Goebattsam, Fogo Dist*  
 Intended address *Goebattsam Fogo Dist. 30/10/1915*  
 Height on discharge *5* Feet *7* Inches  
 Colour of Hair on discharge *Light* Colour of Eyes *Blue*  
 Descriptive marks *scar L. leg after fall* Complexion *Fresh*  
 Figure on discharge *sturdy*  
 Christian name of Father *Ambrose*  
 Christian name of Mother *Johanna*  
 Wife's Maiden name in full \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date and Place of Marriage \_\_\_\_\_  
 Christian names of Children \_\_\_\_\_  
 Nature and locality of civil employment desired *when fit to return as fisherman*



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) *Leonard J. Penton* (Rank) *19/9/17 Rts*  
 Station *Wandsworth* Date \_\_\_\_\_

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.

*J. J. Bell* Medical Officer in Charge  
 Hospital  
 3rd London General Hospital

Station *WANDSWORTH, S.W.* Date *19-9-17*

B Period of Service and in what Corps ...	Regiment	Years	Days	All Service Abroad with Stations	Years	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 ...	of advance of pension )					

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 \_\_\_\_\_ Medals \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wounds, and Actions in which received \_\_\_\_\_

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 \_\_\_\_\_

C.R. 3269

Extract from Roll of officers H.C.O. AND Men Discharged from The  
Royal Hild. Regt.

Regt.No..  
3269

Rank  
Pte.

Name  
Penton.L.

Date  
Jan.12/18.

Reason.

Med.Unfit.

C.R. 3269

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

3269 Pte. L. Penton

Discharged Jan. 12th 1917, Medically unfit

**Notification that a Soldier has been sent Home from Hospital to await Discharge under para. 392 (xvi.) King's Regulations.** *Admitted 27.8.17*

Soldier's Regtl. No. 3269 Rank Pte Name Penber L.  
(Surname first)

Corps or Regiment (also Unit if known) 1st N. F. S. D.



To OFFICER in charge of RECORDS 58, Victoria Street S.W.

REGIMENTAL PAYMASTER 58, Victoria Street S.W.

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 5.10.17.  
*the address below*  
has been sent to ~~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) October 15<sup>th</sup> 1917.

to (full address) 58, Victoria Street S.W.

Place Wandsworth Officer Comm.

Date 15.10.17. 9 Chalf Hospital.  
*Capt*

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

No. 3269 Rank Pts Name Penton L.

Pay	F.A.	WEG	Total
100	10		110
Less: Allotment			70
Net Rate			40

DEBITS	Date	£	s	d	CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d	Total
						From	To						
Balance					Balance								28 ✓
Acquittance rolls		2	5	2	Pay @ net rate	9	15	129	40	51	6	10	120 ✓
Hospital Advances		1	10	6	<del>Station allowance</del>	15	17	50	2/-				60 ✓
A.B. 34													
P. & R.O. Payments		5	0	0									
<i>57 Jm Hild</i>	9.0.3		4	7									
<i>Cash</i>	15 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>17</sub>	2	0	0	Balance f 7-0-5.								
					<u>11 0 3</u>								

*AKC RLD*  
15/10/17



### Statement of Accounts

OF

No. 5200 Rank Pte. Name Penton, J.

Company, etc. Repatr. 18/10/17 Classification "A"

From 9/6/17 to 18/10/17 (dates).

DEBITS				CREDITS			
Date				Date			
	<b>ALLOTMENT:</b>				Balance to period		
	Period 9/6/17 -				ending 8/6/17	2	8
	18/10/17 = 152 days				Period 9/6/17 -		
	@ 70 cents = \$92.40	18	19	9	18/10/17		
12/6/17	Deprived 3 days pay				<b>PAY</b>		
	= \$3.30		13	7	152 days @ \$1.00	27	2
5/10/17	Cable to Newfoundland		4	7	per day = \$152.00		5 1/2
	Acquittance Rolls				<b>FIELD ALLOWANCE</b>		
	(France) 65 Fr. =	2	7	8	152 days @ 10/-	2	14
	Clothing issued in				= \$15.20		2 1/2
	France on repayment		8	6	<b>Ration Allowance</b>		
	Hospital Advances		10	6	15/10/17 - 18/10/17		
3/10/17	P. & R. O. Payment	5	0	0	4 days @ 2/- =	8	0
15/10/17	do	2	0	0			
	Creditor Balance		2	9	Debtor Balance		
	Total £	30	7	4	Total £	30	7

Certified correct **FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT**

CHECKED: 16/6  
Date



Paymaster.  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORD

### Statement of Accounts

OF

No. 5269 Rank Pte. Name Penton, J.

~~Company etc.~~ Repatriated 18/10/17 Classification "A"

From 9/6/17 to 18/10/17 (dates).

DEBITS				CREDITS			
Date				Date			
	<b>ALLOTMENT:</b>				Balance to period ending 8/6/17	2	8
	Period 9/6/17 - 18/10/17 = 132 days @ 70 cents = £92.40	18	19	9	Period 9/6/17 - 18/10/17		
12/6/17	Deprived 3 days pay = £5.30	13	7		<b>PAY</b> 132 days @ £1.00 per day = £132.00	27	2
3/10/17	Cable to Newfoundland	4	7		<b>FIELD ALLOWANCE</b> 132 days @ 10/- = £13.20	2	14
	Acquittance Rolls (France) 65 Fr. =	2	7	8	<b>Ration Allowance</b> 15/10/17 - 18/10/17 4 days @ 2/- =	8	0
	Clothing issued in France on repayment	8	6				
	Hospital Advances	10	6				
3/10/17	P. & R. O. Payment	5	0	0			
15/10/17	- do	2	0	0			
	Creditor Balance		2	9	Debtor Balance		
	Total £	50	7	4	Total £	50	7

Certified correct NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Station \_\_\_\_\_  
Date 16/9/17



Paymaster.  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

3rd London General Hospital  
WANDSWORTH, S.W.



From, O. O., 3rd. London General Hospital.

19 SEP 1917

To, O. O., Records, Newfoundland . 58. Victoria St. S.W.

In accordance with instructions contained in A.O.I. No. 2069 of 1916, I beg to report that:-

No. 3269. Pte. L.G. Penton. 1. rfd.

will shortly be brought before a Medical Board and will probably be discharged from the army or re-classified.

Duplicate documents will not be required, please.

H. Jagan  
Capt. R.A.M.C.(F)

No. 5

N.F.P./45

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

O.K. £.5.  
3/10/17. G.R.  
Rec. No 4114

To: Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
58 Victoria Street,  
London, S.W.1

Please remit to Pt Linton 3269

the sum of five pounds            shillings, on  
account of any balance that may be due to me.

Regtl. No.            Rank Pt

Name Linton

Approved F. J. Bell  
Officer i/c,

3rd London General Hospital.

Dated at Wandsworth  
Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> 1917.

January 13th.

8.

From Adjutant,  
Depot.

To Paymaster and Officer i/o Records,  
Dept. of Militia.

3269 Pte. L.J. Penton.

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No. ....

Regtl. No. 3269 .....

Rank Pvt. .....

Name Fisher .....

Regiment .....

Date from 15-10 1917

to 10 am 17-10 1917

To proceed to .....

I/c. .... Hospital

Station .....

Date 15-10-17 .....

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

Peel House .....

Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number **C.R. 3269**

**Casualty Form - Active Service.**



Regiment or Corps **1st Newfoundland**  
 Rank **Pte** Surname **Penton** Christian Name **Leonard**  
 Religion **R.C.** Age on Enlistment **20** years **-** months  
 Enlisted (a) **22-1-16** Terms of Service (a) **Duration** Service reckons from (a) **22-1-16**  
 Date of promotion to present rank..... Date of appointment to lance rank.....  
 Extended {.....} Re-engaged {.....} Qualification (b).....  
 Occupation **Fisherman** or Corps Trade and Rate.....  
 Signature of Officer **[Signature]**

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked <b>Stampten</b>	<b>11.6.17</b>	
			Disembarked... <b>Rover</b>	<b>12.6.17</b>	
			Joined Battalion	<b>2 JUL 1917</b>	<b>B 213</b>
<b>18.8.17</b>	<b>O.C. Unit</b>	<b>Wounded in Action</b>		<b>16 AUG 1917</b>	<b>B 213</b>
<b>18.8.17</b>	<b>46 P.L.A.</b>	<b>Ad. 2nd Lt. Legd "W" Gassed</b>		<b>16.8.17</b>	<b>EP. 9358</b>
	<b>Barwick Road P.L.</b>	<b>Invalided to England en</b>		<b>26.8.17</b>	<b>W 3083</b>
		<b>10 &amp; Hosp., Rover</b>			
		<b>COPY SENT TO</b>	<b>[Signature]</b>		
		<b>O.C. H.Q.</b>			
		<b>ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.</b>			
		<b>No. 938 No. 11089/24</b>			
		<b>DATED 24 OCT 1917</b>	<b>1st Reg. Infantry Section</b>		
			<b>G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon</b>		

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.  
 (b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

# 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.

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

**A Name in full** *Tenton Leonard James*  
**Regiment from which discharged** *1st Buffs*  
**Regimental Number** *3269*  
**Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when** *St. Peter's Arm, 1897*  
**Intended address** *St. Peter's Arm, Dogo Hill*  
**Height on discharge** *5* Feet *7* Inches  
**Colour of Hair on discharge** *Light*  
**Colour of Eyes** *Blue*  
**Descriptive marks** *Scar, leg, outer side*  
**Complexion** *Bronze*  
**Figure on discharge** *Slender*  
**Christian name of Father** *Samuel*  
**Christian name of Mother** *Ambrose*  
**Wife's Maiden name in full** *Johanna*  
**Date and Place of Marriage**  
**Christian names of Children**  
**Nature and locality of civil employment desired** *When fit to return, as Dickerman*



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) *Leonard J. Tenton* (Rank) *19.9.17* *Private*  
 Station *Wandswoth* Date

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 *Wandswoth* *S.W.* Date *19.9.17*  
*W. D. Bell, C.S.* Medical Officer i/c  
*3rd London General Hospital.*

B Period of Service and in what Corps ...	Regiment	Years	Days	All Service Abroad with Stations	Years	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** **Medals**  
**Wounds, and Actions in which received**

**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.



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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender *R. A. Squires* Address *Joe Batt's Arm.*

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **September 25, 1917.**  
To **Mr. Ambrose Penton,**  
**Joe Batt's Arm.**

Replying my enquiry Record Office, London, today reports No. 3269, Private Leonard Penton, progressing satisfactorily.

**R.A. SQUIRES**  
Colonial Secretary

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Dated **August 30, 1917.**To **Mr. Ambrose Penton,****Joe Batt's Arm.****Record Office, London, today reports No. 3269,**

**Private Leonard Penton, has been admitted Wandsworth suffering from gunshot wound left leg.**

**R.A. SQUIRES****Colonial Secretary**



D-3269

# DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO  
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA  
AND QUOTE NO.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

January 18th. 1918.

Re No. 3269, Pte. Leonard Penton.

The O. C.,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
Headquarters.

Sir,-

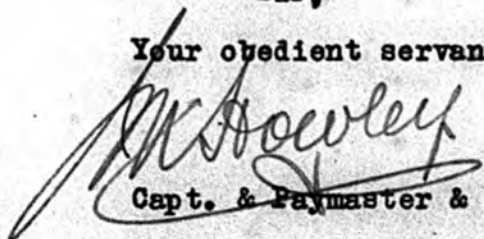
The marginally noted man has been  
discharged January 18th. 1918. Med. Unfit.

Kindly note and post in Daily Or-  
ders, Part II.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

  
Capt. & Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

JH/.



ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT  
HEADQUARTERS

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

January 12th. 1918.

From Adjutant,  
Depot.

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,  
Dept. of Militia.

3269 Pte. L.J. Penton.

Above noted man was recommended for discharge as permanently unfit by Medical Board held on Nov. 2nd. 1917. He has since been employed at Recruiting by Capt. Goodyear and has returned from these duties and reported to Depot for orders. I am sending him herewith for your attention and necessary action, please. His account is not on Company Pay Sheets.

  
Adjutant  
Depot, First Newfoundland Regiment,  
St. John's, Nfld.

Reg. No. 3269 Rank Pt Name Penton A. J.

Attested \_\_\_\_\_ Address Loc Bath Arm

Allotment \_\_\_\_\_ Allottee \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Allotment \_\_\_\_\_ Returned from Overseas 2.11.17

Embarked for Overseas \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

2-11-17	all Hqs from Nov 1 <sup>st</sup> 17 Board Recommends C iii Granted Home Dur from Nov 14 <sup>th</sup> to Nov 25 <sup>th</sup> Inc. Relieved from recruitment with Capt Jodger Sent to paymaster for discharge Discharged medically unfit. Effect 12.1.18
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C.R. 3269

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No.25 Embarked Southampton 11/6/17  
from 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment, Newton-on-Ayr, to 1/1st Newfoundland  
Regiment, B.E.F.

3269 Ptes Benton, L.

MP.

C.R. 3269

Extract of Officers and men Embarked St. John's 31-1-17  
Sailed Halifax " S.S. NORTHLAND" 17-4-17.

#3269 Pte. L.. Penton.

C.R. 4636

No. 3269 Pte. Penton.

Extract of telegram received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated Oct. 20th. 1917.

"Embarked at Liverpool per Government Transport,  
being sent home for discharge,"



C.R. 3585

3269 PTE. LEONARD PENTON. ✓

EXT.OF CASUALTY LIST RECEIVED AUG.30th 1917.  
PREVIOUSLY REPORTED WOUNDED AUG.16th NOW  
REPORTED G.S.W.LEFT LEG "ADMITTED WANDSWORTH."

C.R. 3269

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld.  
Regt., St. John's, Nev. Sns, 1917.

The following man returned from Overseas and is  
attached to Headquarters with effect from Nov, 1st, 1917.

3269 Pte. H.J. Penton.

C.R. 3269

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit 4/1st  
Newfoundland Regiment Headquarters, dated January  
14, 1918.

#3269 Pte. L. Penton.

Having been found Medically Unfit is discharged with effect from 12/1/18.

C.R. 3269

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal  
Mfld. Regt., St. John's, Nov. 22nd, 1916.

3269 Pte. L. Penton.

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

L. Lenton

C.R. 3269

~~ARR~~

January 18th. 1918.

Re No. 3269, Pte. Leonard Penton.

The O. C.,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
Headquarters.

Sir,-

The marginally noted man has been  
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ders, Part II.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Capt. & Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

JH/.

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms  
B 121.  
39.

Number of Sheets *1st*

Regiment of *R<sup>d</sup> Newfoundland.*

Signature of O. C. Company *Chas. A. C. Cpt.*

Regimental Number and Name	
No. <i>3269</i>	Name <i>Penton L</i>
Joined _____	Date _____
Joined _____	Date _____
Joined _____	Date _____
Joined _____	Date _____

Enlistment	
Age on <i>20</i> years <i>5</i> months	Trade <i>Fisher</i>
Place and Date of Enlistment <i>St. John's N.F.L.D.</i> <i>22.11.16</i>	Religion <i>R.C.</i>
Period of { with Colours <i>5 1/2</i> years. with Reserve <i>3 1/2</i> years.	Place of Birth _____

Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay

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
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COPY SENT TO  
O.C. H.Q.  
ST. JOHN'S, N.F.L.D.  
NOV 30, No. *11089/29*  
24 OCT 1917  
DATED

Discharged Medically Unfit  
St. John's 12 '18

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.

H.F.P./54

No. 503

From Pay & Record Office, London  
to Minister of Militia, St. John's, Nfld.

#3269 Pte L. Penton

Advance whilst at 3rd. Lon. Gen. Hosp. per voucher 2817 3 & 10-10-17  
7s. 0d.



H.P.P./61

No. 416

From Pay & Record Office,  
London

To Minister of Militia,  
St. John's, Nfld.

#3269 Pte. L. Penton

Overcredited Ration Allowance as per claim 171 1/0.

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

INFANTRY RECORD OFFICE - HAMILTON

No. H.A. 29823

Adm. 55 Gen. H. Boulogne 3 Oct '18

39668 Pte Gresham A.....	12 Ryl. Scots .....	GSW Thigh Sl.	C.R. 3269
28945 Pte Kerr D.	6 K.O.S. Bdrs.	GSW Hand Sl.	
41264 L/C Shearman J.	6 do.	GSW Foot Sl.	
316231 Pte Shields J.	9 Scots Rifles	GSW Thigh Sl.	
265509 Pte White A.....	2 Scots Rfls.....	GSW Thigh Sl.	
59193 Pte Hurst J.....	11 R.Scots Fus.....	P.U.O. Sl.	
40142 Pte Anderson J.	11 R.Scots Fus	Contus Rt.Knee W.	
41181 Pte Baird J.	2 Scots Fus	GSW Lt.Leg.Comp.Fr.	
30238 Pte Edmond J.	12 R.Scots Fus.	GSW Multiple Sl.	
26943 Pte Hamilton J.....	6th K.Own Scottish. Bdrs. HQ.	GSW Neck.Slt.	
59334 Pte Couper G.....	17 Royal Scots.....	GSW Lt Leg.Slt.	
17849 Pte Logue W.	12 H.L.I.	GSW Rt.Leg.(Fract) Sl.	
40869 Sgt Weston R.	6 KOBB	GSW Lt.Buttock Sl	

Dis.to Relief.Havre ex 39 Gen.H.4 Oct'18.

53031 Pte Roberts M..... 1/R.E.Fus (I.E.F.) Scabies.

No. TWO RECORD OFFICE - PRESTON

No. H.A. 29823

Adm. 55 Gen. H. Boulogne 3 Oct '18

41475 Pte Barlow T.....	1/4 K.O.R.Lanos.....	Gassed & SW Arm Sl.
63766 Pte Wiles S.	1/4 L.Nth Lanco	GSW Arm.Slt.
108207 Pte Hatton W.	25 K.L'pools.	P.U.O.Slt.
11257 Pte Kavanagh A.	2 L.N.Lanos.	Diarrhoes Sl.
30778 Pte Kerr W.J.....	2 L.N.Lanos.....	do.

NEWFOUNDLAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

No. H.A. 29823

Adm. 55 Gen. H. Boulogne 3 Oct '18

3269 Pte Petter H..... 1 Newfoundland... ..Trench Feet Sl.



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Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent by	Check

Dated

August 27, 1917.

To

Mr. Ambrose Penton,

Joe Batts Arm

Regret to inform you that Record Office

London, officially reports

No. 3269, Private

Leonard Penton, was wounded August sixteenth.

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

JOHN R. BENNETT,

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary.

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Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

*Dated*

September 13, 1917.

*To*

Mr. Ambrose Penton,

Joe Batts Arm.

Shall endeavour obtain from Record Office further information condition Private Leonard Penton and wire you.

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary



# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Message No. 19 Sent by J. B. West Rec'd by Wm. H. West Check 11-  
 No. 13  
 Place from \_\_\_\_\_  
 To \_\_\_\_\_

SEP 13 1917

*Hon. R. A. Squires  
Col. Peay*

*If any information  
 relative to Leonard  
 Pentons condition  
 kindly wire anxious  
 Ambrose Penton*

TRANSLATION OF CODE MESSAGE SENT TO SYNOPTICAL,  
LONDON, SEPTEMBER 19, 1917.

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Report by telegraph present condition of 2669  
Harris 3269 Penton 1019 Bishop 1871 Warford What  
is address Report by telegraph present condition  
of 1762 Brake Relatives anxious for news of 1015  
Meadus (stop) Next of kin 1111 Hogan Prisoner of  
War wishes you to send maximum sum of money weekly.

3769

Pl: L. Penton

Above noted says he was  
employed by Capt. Goodenow for  
freighting. Can you tell me  
what date he was taken  
on? He was first returned  
& reported to Dept. & this is  
the first intimation we have  
of his employment.

llo

Capt Goodyear had authority  
from D.O.C. to employ men  
at his own discretion; Capt Goodyear's  
last trip was arranged direct with  
D.O.C. He made no report re  
this man. Am sorry I can give  
you no information.

Says he was employed  
25-11-17 -



Penton, L. J.

3269

Ray Leph.



This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

[Blank box for Chelsea Number]

# Proceedings on Discharge



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

No. 3269 Army Rank Private

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

Corps 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regiment

Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &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 January 12<sup>th</sup> 1918

Place of discharge St. John's, Nfld

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age <u>21</u> years <u>2 1/2</u> months	Descriptive marks. <u>Scar Left Leg Outer side</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches	
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.	
Complexion <u>Flesh</u>	
Eyes <u>Blue</u>	
Hair <u>Light</u>	
Trade <u>Fisherman</u>	
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable) <u>109<sup>th</sup> Battalion</u> <u>St. John's, Nfld</u>	

(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the soldier 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 Injuries 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 :—

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. 2087\* 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. badges (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 John's Hill Sacramento (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) Jan 12 1898 Chas. C. Oke (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) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signatures

(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.)

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*No Reservations!*

*Leonard Denton*

*Chas. C. Oke C. A. M. S.*

COPY.

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. 3269  
Name (surname first) Sutton L.  
Regiment 1st Newfoundland

Rank

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

*Have fair education, but no previous experience in any clerical work*

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?

*Superintendent Ladley Railway Station  
St Johns Afield Fireman 2 Months*

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

*Clerical work if suitable, if not  
Fishing*

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 27.9.17 Signature L. Sutton

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.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$15.<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1917

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Fifteen 00/<sub>100</sub> Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
balance

Ct. L. Penton

Ch. No. ....	<u>772</u>	Initials .....	<u>E. W.</u>
Pay Ledger .....	<u>287</u>	Initials .....	<u>W. C.</u>
Gen. Ledger .....	<u>162</u>	Initials .....	<u>J. R. S.</u>

Regtl. No. 3269

Rank .....

No. 3269

Rank Pte

Name J. Penton



3269

July 2, 1910

Dear Sir:

With reference to your  
letter of June I enclose herewith form  
of claim for <sup>25</sup> Service Gratuity, which kindly  
have completed before a Magistrate or Justice  
of the Peace, and return to this Office.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster.

L.J. Penton,  
Joe Batt's Arm,  
Nfld.

For Battle Arm

June 25 1919

To Capt J. M. Howley

Sir

3269

Will you please forward  
me a war gratuity form  
as I think I am entitled  
to receive some money  
according to regulations  
and as it would be very  
welcome to me at present  
I should be very much obliged  
to receive it.

So I would <sup>like</sup> to  
have a form to fill in as  
the case stands. By sending  
me one you will greatly

Oblige

Yours most respectfully

L. J. Penton

For Battle Arm

Yours Diet

March 2, 1920

Ex Pte. L. Penton,  
Joe Batt's Arm,  
Fogo.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your  
letter of Jan. 22, kindly inform me what  
relation applicant for Separation Allowance  
is to you, please.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster.

3269

For Batts Am

684

Jan 22, 1920

The Paymaster  
Department of Militia

Sir

I hereby request you to  
forward me an application  
form for separation allowances  
by returned mail  
by doing so you will  
greatly oblige

Cpl Pte L. Renton

For Batts Am  
L. o. g.

What relative?





### Statement of Accounts

OF

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Company, etc. Repatriated 18/10/17 Classification "A"

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3/10/17	Hospital Advances		10	8			
	P. & R. O. Payment	5	0	0			
15/10/17	do	2	0	0			
	Creditor Balance		2	9	Debtor Balance		
	Total £	30	7	4	Total £	30	7 4

*check*  
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Station \_\_\_\_\_  
Date 17/10/17

Certified J. H. Marshall  
Paymaster  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS





July 22, 1919

#3269 Rte. Leonard Penton,  
Joe Watts Arm.,  
FOGO.

Dear sir:-

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

Yours truly,

Captain & Paymaster.

11088

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

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

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

On completion this Declaration is to be returned to THE OFFICER I/C RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

Christian name *Leonard J. Birt* 2. Surname *Birt*

3. Rank *Private* 4. Regtl. No. *9209*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded. *Self. Joe Matthews Barr. Fogo*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *November 20<sup>th</sup> 1916*

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

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 Nfld, if so, give dates and particulars of such service... *Served Overseas*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas. *Crossed November 20<sup>th</sup> 1916 to January 12<sup>th</sup> 1918*

13. Have you had more than one enlistment? If so, give particulars of discharge and re-enlistments, and under what regimental numbers.

..... *No* .....

14. Have you already received any payment of Post Discharge pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amount you and your dependents have already received and by whom paid.....

..... *None received* .....

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

..... *Yes* .....

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

..... *Yes* *in the 29th Division* .....

17. Are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity in the nature of Post Discharge Pay from the Imperial Forces? If so, state amount received, or to which you are entitled.....

..... *No* .....

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England?.....

..... *No* .....

(b) If so, was such reversion in consequence of Misconduct or inefficiency?.....

..... *Not applicable* .....

19. Are you now serving in the Rest?..... If not give (a) Date of discharge.....

..... *January 1918* (b) Reason for discharge.....

..... *Permanently unfit for War Service on Account of 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....

..... *Yes. At the battles of Langemarck, Ypres, and other places from June until August 1917* .....

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: *Leonard J. Renton*

Place of Residence: *Los Batts Arm*

Declared before me at: *Los Batts Arm*  
This *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 19*19*.....

*Andrew Cook S.P.*

Signature of Barrister of the  
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-  
trate, Notary Public, Justice of the  
Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits.

POST DISCHARGE PAY.			Not amount due
Date paid	paid	War Service Certificate.	
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Certified correct.			Paymaster

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MAIL COPY  
Posted 24 OCT 1917

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Certified correct

*J. O. Munnell*  
Paymaster.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS

Station 86  
Date 28.6



Date	Description	Debit	Credit	Balance
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*Checked*

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ST. JOHN'S  
MAR 12 18  
NEW BRUNSWICK

No. 56

From Reg. pay office

Registered Letter Addressed--

Mr. L. Denton

Joe Batt's Arm

Fargo  
A. M.

Received by \_\_\_\_\_

Arrival  
Office  
Stamp

NOTE.—This Form must be assorted up, each separately as a letter.

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

To **Copy for H.O. File**

Ottawa, Ont.  
Date **March 22, 1967**

Attention of

**P.A.** 484552

NAME **PENTON, Leonard James**

SERVICE	<b>3269 WML</b>	C.P.C. No.	<b>260395</b>	NAVY
NUMBER	<b>ROY.NFLD.REGT.</b>	W.V.A. No.	<b>211525</b>	ARMY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
				R.C.A.F.

The DEPARTMENT has received information from

**Mrs. John MacKay, (daughter) 24 Memorial Ave., Grand Falls, Nfld, March 10, 1967**

(State authority and source of information of death)

regarding the death of the above mentioned veteran.

Particulars are as follows:

Date of Death.....**March 2, 1967**.....  
Cause of Death.....  
Place of Death.....**not stated**.....

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

Copies to: W.S.R.  
V. I.  
~~HEIK~~  
D.O.  
H.O.

} Destroy form if advice of death already received.  
**ST. JOHNS NFLD**

*W.B. Corcoran*  
for  
Chief, Central Registry