



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1513

Name in full William Francis Phelan Age 22  
 Address 48 King's R. St. John's  
~~Married~~ Height 5ft 5in Weight 120  
 Single  
 Color Fresh Hair light Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks.....

Nearest relative Mother (Bridget)  
 Address 48 King's R.

Dependents.....

Occupation Office clerk Present Wage 1.30<sup>00</sup> per month

Previous service.....

Decorations.....

General Remarks.....

Date of Enlistment May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1914

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

Wm F. Phelan

Declared before me this 4 day  
 of May 1915  
J. J. [Signature]  
[Signature]



# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Name William Francis Phelan

Apparent age 22 years 0 months, Height 5 feet 8 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fresh, Hair: Light, Eyes: Light Blue.

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next-of kin Bridget Phelan, 48 Kings Rd., St. John's, Nfld.  
Relationship Mother.

### 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) Signature of Officer verifying entry from certificate.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d) Verified from certificate.

### Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate.

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in 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>May 3/16</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>May 3/16</u>									
<p><i>Embarked for U.K. 17/6/15. Appointed R.Cpl. 12/6/15. Promoted 2nd Lt. 5/12/15.                  Promoted Sergeant 3/6/16. Embarked for S.E. 25/3/16. Joined Batt. 17/4/16.                  Wounded Corporal Harold 4/1/18. Deployed to England 17/7/16.                  Promoted to Lt. Col. 18/10/18.                  Ad. S. I. E. H., Lambeth, S.E. 58th R. Regt. 1/7/16. Regd. Hosp. 19/9/16.                  Qualified as 2nd class Inst. of Rudicity at English Command School 18/5/17.                  Ad. Under War Hosp., Aldershot, 1/9/17. Regd. Hosp. 29/9/17. Ad. Mil. Hosp. Haslemere, B. of Lang. 3/11/18. Det. assigned to 1st Genl. Hosp. Culham Rd. London, S.W. 1/12/18.                  Ad. Genl. Hosp. Winchester, 26/6/18.                  Discharged <u>January 25/19/19</u></i></p>									
<p><i>Embarked Liverpool for St. John's Spec. Duty 21/4/18. Reported at Hdqrs. from Overseas 7/9/18. Proceeded to St. John's Spec. Duty 7/9/18. Returned to Hdqrs. 14/9/18.                  Ad. Convalescent Camp 14/10/19. Regd. Hosp. 19/11/19.                  Approved for discharge on demobilization 11/11/19.                  Demobilization confirmed 25/1/19</i></p>									
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>15-1-19</u> (date of discharge) <u>3</u> years <u>268</u> days									
Pension .. .. .									

W. F. Phelan .

1513.

P. H. O.

Regimental Number 1513

Company 7

THE  
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's  
Forces under the following conditions:

For the duration of the present war, or until my  
discharge.

Subject to the Army Act, the King's Regulations,  
and to such ordinances as may apply or may  
be made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act,  
5 George V., Chapter IV.

Signed

*William J. Holden*

Witness

*J. S. Lewis*

Dated at

*Newton Park School*

*Nov 27* 1916

C.F. 1513

Wm. F. Phelan was attested for General service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on May 3rd, 1915  
Regimental No 1518 was allotted to Pte. Wm. F. Phelan.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Depts. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.

C.R. 1513

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No.3. from 2nd  
Battn. Depot, to 1st Battn. B.M.F. Embarked 28-3-16.

1513 Sgt. F.Phelan.

C.R. 1513

Extract of Nominal Roll Draft (All Ranks) to 1st Bn.,  
B.E.F. Embarked Southampton, 28-3-16.

1513 Sgt. F. Phelan.



C.R. 1513

Extract from Memorial Roll of Warrant Officers and  
S.G.C's of the 1st K.K.K. Regt. (No date given)

1513 Wm.F? Phelan.

Promoted to L/Cpl. June.19,1915.

C.R. 1513

Extract of Telegram to Synoptical London dated June 10th 1918.

Pay to as follows:

1513 Phelan

5 pounds.

C.R. 1513

Extract from Casualties received from the Pay and Record  
Office, London 24th June 1918.

#1513 Sergt. W. F. PHELAN,

Was at depot. 22-6-18 awaiting repatriation.

C.R. 1513

Extract from Daily Order part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated August 5, 1918.

The following man returned from overseas and reported  
at Depot August 4, 1918.

#1513 Sergt. W.F. Phelan.

for Depot Buty.

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Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Depot August 30/18. St. John's.

C.R. 1513

#1513 Sergt. W. Phegan.

The following N. C. Os and men proceeded to Petty Harbour on Special  
-Leave 29-8-18.

Duty.

C.R. 1513

Extract from Daily Orders part 11 depot St. John's Sept. 16/1918

1513 Sgt. W. Phelan.

The above mentioned soldier returned from Special Duty at  
Petty Harbour 14-9-18

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C.R. 1513

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit the Royal Nfld.  
Regt. St. John's Nov4th, 1918.

1513 Sgt. W. Phalen.

Granted leave from 2-11-18 to 15-11-18

MM.

C.R.

1513

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Wfld.  
Regt. St. John's, Jan. 30th, 1919.

1513 Sgt. W. Phelan.

Left Jensen Camp 19-1-19 (Authority.letter from D.M.S?)



C.R. 15-13

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, Depot St. John's  
dated January 20th., 1919.

HOSPITAL

1513 Sgt, Wm. Phalen

Admitted to Jensen Camp 14-1-19.

C.R. 1573

EXTRACT FROM DAILY ORDERS (Part 11) Depot St. John's,  
January 20th, 1919.

1513 Sgt. Wm. Phalen

Admitted to Jensen Camp 14/1/19.

C.R. 1513

Extract from Daily Orders Post 21 Unit The Royal WFLD.  
Regt., St. John's, Jan. 25th, 1919.

The discharge of the undersigned on Demobilization has been  
confirmed by Officer i/c Records from noted date.

1513 Sgt. Wm. Phelan.

25-1-19.

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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 Regiment of **ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.**

 Number of Sheet 1  
 Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badge, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay		
No.	Phelan Wm. J.	Age on	22 years 8 months	Police Clerk	Promoted Sgt. 16.6.15 " " Cpl. 10.11.15 1 Sgt. 22.1.16 2/2/2/2 to be Sgt 27.4.18		
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	St Johns	Religion			R.C.
Joined	Date	Period of {		Place of Birth			St Johns N.F.
Joined	Date	with Colours 2 2/3 years.					
		with Reserve 3 1/2 years.					

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
AYR Race Course	7.4.17	Sgt.		Drunk on Staff Parade	R.S.M. McKay C.S.M. Melville	Severely Reprimanded	9.4.17	Lt Col Whitaker	FO I
				Demobilized	25/1/19				

To be carried over

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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

Number of Sheet 1  
Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay	
No.	<u>1513 Phelan William F.</u>	Age on	<u>22 years 8 months</u>	<u>Office Clerk.</u>	<u>Promoted 2. CPL 16-6-18</u>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St John's 15 May 15</u>	Religion	<u>" CPL 10--15</u>	
Joined	Date				<u>" Sgt 22-1-16</u>	
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours years.	Place of Birth	<u>of Sgt. To be Sgt., 27-4-18</u>	
Joined	Date					

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness.	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>P. AYR Racecourse</u>	<u>7.4.17</u>	<u>Sergt</u>		<u>Drunk on Staff Parade</u>	<u>R. S. M. Macky C. S. M. McNeill</u>	<u>Severely Reprimanded</u>	<u>9.4.17</u>	<u>Lt. Col. Whitaker</u>	<u>7.8.7.</u>

TO  
 M OF M  
 O.C. 1st Bn  
 " 2ND Bn  
 NO. 1713/173  
 DATE 9-AUG 1918  
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Army Form B. 121.

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps 1st. Newfoundland.  
 Regimental C.R. 1513 Rank Sgt. Name Phelan, William Francis  
 Enlisted (a) 3.5.15. Terms of Service (a) War. Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of promotion to present rank } 6.12.15. Date of appointment to lance rank } 12.6.15. Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. } \_\_\_\_\_  
 Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., 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	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
	Emb'k'd Southampton			28.3.16	
	Disemb'k'd ROUEN			30.3.16	
	1 Comd Lt Ad G. SWR Rasc		Empas.	2.7.16	HA 522
	D. Invt'd England		"Chieffe"	10.7.16	W 3083

*[Handwritten signature]*

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TO \_\_\_\_\_

M OF M \_\_\_\_\_

O.C. 1ST LIA \_\_\_\_\_

2ND DN \_\_\_\_\_

NO \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

8-AUG-1918

*[Handwritten signature]* CAPTAIN.  
 FOR O.I/c INFANTRY RECORDS  
 G. H. Q.; 3<sup>RD</sup> ECHELON.

(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) e.g., Signaller, Shooring Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

C.R. 1513

Dec. 5th 18.

Sgt. #1515 Wm. Phelan,  
48 King's Road.

Dear Sir:

The enclosed photograph has been received from the Officer Commanding 2nd Battalion, with a request that same be forwarded to you.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of same at your convenience.

Yours faithfully,

C.C. B.

Captain,  
Military Secretary.

C.R. 1513

April 11th 1918.

To: Director Medical Services

#1513, Sergt. W.F. Phelan

In reply to your memo of April 6th concerning the above mentioned soldier, I have to inform you that an enquiry was sent to the Record Office, London asking for particulars, and now quote their reply:

"In answer your telegram 28th March, 1513  
"Sergt. Phelan suffering from tuberculosis  
"lying in Hasleley Down Camp, awaiting admission  
"to Sanitarium."

*W.F.R.*  
Major, C.S.O.



C.R.

1513

Copy of telegram despatched to Synoptical, London, dated  
April 8th, 1918.

Unofficially reported D 1513 Whelan suffering from  
Pulmonary Tuberculosis. please report.



C.R. 1513



## DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

April 6th., 1918.

From:- D. M. S.

To:- C. S. O.

1513, Sergt. Phelan, W. F.

I have an enquiry from the Mother of the marginally noted man who wishes the latest information concerning him. She is given to understand that he is at present suffering from Pulmonary Tuberculosis.

Will you kindly have enquiries made as to his present whereabouts and condition?

*Clay Macpherson*

Major, D. M. S.

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April 4, 1917.

REMITTANCE RECEIVED

Dear Madam,

In reply to an enquiry, which I addressed to the Record Office, London, on the 2nd instant, I am to-day advised that No. 1513, Sergeant William F. Phelan, is at present at the depot.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. Bridget Phelan,  
48 King's Rd.

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CODE MESSAGE SENT TO SYNOPTICAL,

April 2, 1917.

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What is address of 1513 Phelan, 2286 Hipditch,  
report by telegraph present condition of 2nd Lieut.  
Burke, 1746 McDonald, 1949 Hall, 1105 Maher, 1889  
Power. Relatives anxious for news of 2495 Stone,  
1934 Clarke, 2368 Clarke, 377 Cornick, 1262 Wiseman.

COL. SEC.

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CASUALTIES

1513, Sergt. Phalen

GRANTED FURLOUGH,

19/9/16 to 29/9/16.



P. & R. O.

C.R.  
1513.

C.R. 1513

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated July 31, 1916.

(Extract from Army Form B 213, from O.C. 1st. Nfld. Regt.  
dated 11/7/16.)

#1513 Sergt. W.T. Phelan.

Wounded in Action 1/7/16.

17th July, 1916.

Dear Madam,

I am to-day in receipt of a further report from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 1513, ~~1st~~ Co. ~~1st~~ Co. William F. Phelan, who is suffering from a Gunshot Wound in the right knee, is improving and that his condition is not serious.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. Bridget Phelan,  
48 King's Road.

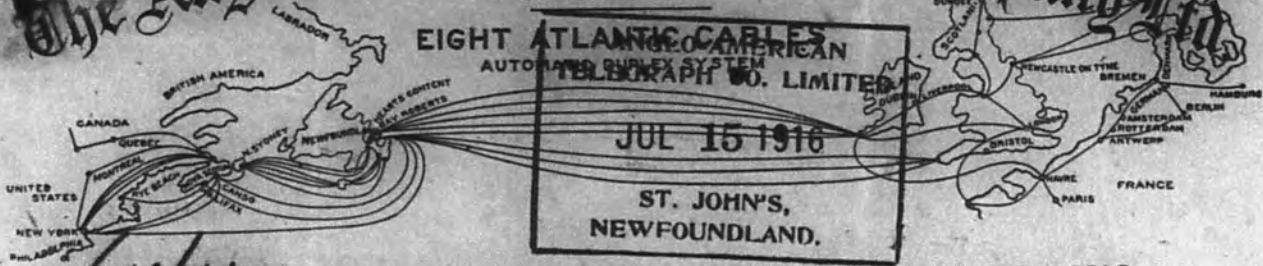
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TO: *Colonial Secretary*  
*St Johns*  
*From 1513* *Philan*  
*condition not serious*  
*gunshot wound right*  
*knee improving*  
*synoptical*

PLEASE HAND YOUR REPLY DIRECT TO THIS OFFICE.



C.R. 1513

Extract of Casualties received from London dated  
July 12, 1916.

#1513 Sergt. W. Phelan. ✓

Gunshot wound Right Knee.

Admitted 5th London General Hospital, at St. Thomas  
Hospital, July 11, 1916.

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

*Handwritten signature: Fred M. Stanley*

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated 12th July, 1916.

To SYNOPTICAL,  
LONDON.

W.S.M. For 1513 Phelan What is your condition Anxious Reply Mother.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

C.R. 1513

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office, London,  
July. 15th, 1916.

Admitted to 5th London General Hospital, July, 11th.

1513 Sgt. W. Phelan.

G.S.W. R. Kneese.

C.R. 1873

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.

July 10th. 1916.

1515, Sgt. W.F. Phelan. ✓

1st Newfoundland B. GSW Knee. R. Adm. 1 Can.  
Gen. Hos. Etaples 2nd July 1916.

C.R. 1513

Extract from Nominal Roll Ser Draft to B.E.F. arrived  
29.1.16. Reven 30-3-16. Joined Battalion 15-4-16.

#1513 Sergt. F. Phelan.

C.R. 1513

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas, per  
S.S. "Calgarian" June.19.1915. "F"

L/Cpl. 1513 Phelan WM.F.

Reg. No. 1513 Rank Supt Name Shelan W. J.

Attested ..... Address 45 Kings Road

Allotment ..... Allottee .....

Date of Allotment ..... Returned from Overseas 12-1-18

Embarked for Overseas ..... Cause For duty

29-8-18 Special Duty at Petty Harbour, Beld 14/9/18.

4 leave from 7-11-18 to 15-11-18.

8 leave from 19-11-18 to 25-11-18.

8.1.19 Rec Discharge promptly unfit

14-2-19 Admitted to Jansen Camp.

11-1-19 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

11-1-19 DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.

COPY

January 23rd, 1919

From D.M.S.

To O. C. Depot

1513 Sgt. Wm. Phelan

Please note that the marginally noted  
man left Jensen Camp Jan. 19th, 1919.

(sgnd) CLUNY MACPHERSON

Major, DMS.





DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

January 23rd., 1919.

From:- D. M. S.  
To:- B. P. C.

1513, Sergt. Phelan, Wm.

Please note that the marginally noted man left Jensen Camp January 19th., 1919.

*Cluny Macpherson*

Major, D. M. S.

Copy to B. of P. Commissioners for Nfld.

To be Noted

Part II. Orders .....  
Card Index .....  
Nominal Roll .....





# DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO  
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA  
AND QUOTE NO.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

January 18th., 1919.

From:- D. M. S.  
To:- O. C. Depot.

1513, Sergt. Phelan, Wm.

Please note that the marginally noted  
man entered JENSEN CAMP January 14th., 1919.

*Cluny Macpherson*

AMB.

Major, D. M. S.

Copy to B. of P. Commissioners for information,

To be Noted

{ Part II. Orders  
Card Index  
Nominal Roll



COPY



M. F. A. 2.

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT  
HEADQUARTERS

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

.....Jan. 18th, 1919.....

From D. M. S.  
To O. C. Depot

1513 Sgt. Wm. Phalen

Please note that the marginally noted man entered  
Jensen Camp January 14th, 1919.

(sgnd) CLUNY MACPHERSON

Major DMS.

~~SECRET~~

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Phelan OF Christian Name William Francis

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish St. John's County St. J. L.D.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	on <u>30<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>5</u>	at <u>St. John's</u>	on	day of 191
Declared Age	<u>22</u> years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	<u>Office Clerk</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>5</u> inches		
Weight		<u>120</u> lbs.		
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	<u>32</u> inches		
	Range of expansion	<u>3</u> inches		
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
When Vaccinated	<u>1908</u>			
Vision	R.E.—V=	<u>4/6</u>	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	<u>4/6</u>	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)	<u>Left ear ( Wax )</u>	(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>J. W. Buzden</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Lieut.</u>			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St. John's</u>		at	
	on <u>3<sup>rd</sup></u> day of <u>May</u> 191 <u>5</u>		on	day of 191
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	<u>1<sup>st</sup> St. J. L.D.</u>	<u>1513</u>		
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

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M. OF M.	<u>127/125</u>	<u>3-AUG 1918</u>
O.C. 1ST BN.		
" 2ND BN.		

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

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
5 <sup>th</sup> London Co. Hosp.	11	7	16	19	9	16	Op. R. Shoulder	71		Am. Robertson Capt.
DUNDEE WAR HOSPITAL	1	9	17	24	9	17	Pleurisy (dry)	23	Fracture healed before admis. by Regt. Med.	Am. W. G. H. Capt. Rouse
MILITARY HOSPITAL No. 11. Date..... HAZELEY DOWN.	31	1	18	12	4	18	Tubercle of lung	71	Tubercle bacilli found in sputum, X-ray plate shows many opaque patches diffused through both lung. During his stay in the Hosp patient showed gradual improvement, night sweats had ceased, cough greatly diminished, appetite good, and gained in weight. Transferred to Portsmouth.	H. C. Lawson Capt. R.A.M.C.

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.: Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
May 20 <sup>th</sup> June 7 <sup>th</sup> March 24/16	First Inoculation 500 Million Second " 1000 " Vaccinations Newton Park School
20.3.16.	Fit for active Service. Infm
12. 6. 17. } 22. 6. 17. }	F. A. B. 2
	Capt. R.A.M.C.
	M.O.

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
St John's Rifle					

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE.

Thos G. Bondy.

Military Hospital  
Nagelsy Down

Apr 24th 1855  
4 Balaclava  
1 Pallisano  
one Balaclava

B.

From Officer i/c



To Officer i/c Records.  
Newfoundland Regiment.  
58 Victoria Street.  
London S.W. 1

A.F.B178a B179 W3172 and sputum report of 1513 Phelan Sergt W.F. Newfoundland Regiment, who was transferred to Hospital for Consumption and Diseases of the Chest, Brompton, London. on April 12. herewith enclosed.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

*R.A.M.C. (S.R.)*

Capt. R.A.M.C. (S.R.)  
Officer i/c Hospital.



*acknowledged  
25/4/18 J.D.B.*



No. 1513 Name Phelan, W.F. Sqn., Batty., or Company } 7. Corps 1st. Mass. Land Date of enlistment } 3.5.15. G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }  
Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } No. and date of last drunk } Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } Sheet No. Signature O.C. Company, etc. } Character

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

Army Form B. 122

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



1. Unit *Newfoundland Regt*

2. Regimental No. *1513*

3. Rank *Sgt*

4. Name *Phelan*

5. Age last birthday *24 yrs*

6. Enlisted { on *May 1st 1915*  
at *St John's Newfoundland*

7. Former Trade or Occupation } *Clk. (Pharm)*

7A. If with previous service in Army, state—

- (a) Former Unit;
- (b) Regimental No.;
- (c) Date of Discharge;
- (d) Cause of Discharge.

} *Not applicable*

8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

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

*Submits of June*

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TO	No.	DATE
M. of M.	<i>12713/23</i>	<b>3-AUG 1918</b>
O.C. 1st. BN.		
" 2ND. BN.		

Statement of Case.

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

9. Date of origin of disability. *July 1917*

10. Place of origin of disability. *City Scotland*

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

*No entry in Medical History Sheet of present disease. Patient states that he was invalided from France July 1916 suffering from Bronchitis, after discharge from hospital Oct 1916 he felt perfectly well until July 1917 when he first noticed cough. Had an attack of Pleurisy in Aug and was admitted to hospital at Penny Drumbur. Had an attack of Haemoptysis in Dec, again in Jan another after admittance to the hosp. Has lost 1/2 stone in weight.*

Family History

*Father age 50 living*

*Wife " 50 living.*

*Brother, Mrs. living. None dead*

*Sister Mrs living. One " (Infant)*

12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—

- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).
- (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
- (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.

*(a) Attributed to disease during present war*

*Not applicable*

*No*

13. What is his present condition?

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

Patient has lost weight, Congestive troubles, Indurated in Right eye, X Ray plate shows many opaque patches dispersed through both lungs. Right eye especially affected. Indurated tissue found in System.

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

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

Not Applicable

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

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

Not applicable

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

Not applicable

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

Not applicable

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

Not applicable

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

Not applicable

20. Do you recommend—

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

Sanatorium Treatment.  
 Discharged as permanently unfit for any military service.

H. G. Latham  
 Officer in medical charge

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

Station

Date



C. P. Marder

CAPT., R. A. M. C. (S.R.)

OFFICER IN CHARGE OF HOSPITAL

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

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

Hazelton Down Hospital.Ward \_\_\_\_\_ No. of Bed \_\_\_\_\_ Date 21. 2. 18

Regl. No.	Rank and Name.	Corps.	Part to be X-Rayed.
1513	Sgt. Shelan W <sup>m</sup>	Newfoundland	

## SHORT HISTORY OF CASE.

(To be completed by M.O. i/c case.)

Patient has night sweats  
cough etc. Kiedly Screen  
for evidence of ~~consolidation~~  
consolidation Lung.

## REPORT ON RESULT OF X-RAY EXAMINATION.

(To be completed by Radiographer.)

No. of Plate \_\_\_\_\_

Plate shows many opaque patches  
diffused through both lungs. Rt  
chest especially affected.  
Suggests well developed actone  
J. B. McKinnon

Signature of M.O. J. B. McKinnonDate Capn KameSignature of Radiographer J. B. McKinnonDate 21 FEB 1918

MAJOR, R.A.M.C.T.

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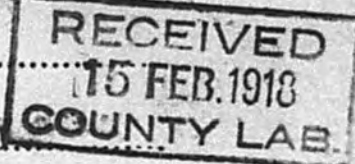
Outfit Number..... 48

Result of the examination of the specimen of..... sputum..... taken from

Reg. No. 1513..... Rank Sergeant..... Name Phelan Wm

Corps Newfoundland Regt

Result Tubercle bacilli Found



Feb 15th 1918

R. A. Hyatt  
Specialist Sanitary Officer.

To. A/c. Dundee War Hospital.

Supt. Plesan took ill on the 22<sup>nd</sup> inst.  
- a slight attack of pleurisy from which  
he seemed to recover & returned to  
duty. Yesterday however he reported to  
me suffering from the same pain,  
& I got decided filler.

D. Q. McArthur  
M.O. 7, 24th. Regt. 17 Army.

1/9/17

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

**MEDICAL HISTORY of**

Surname Phelan Christian Name William Francis

TABLE I. GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish St John's County Nfld.

Examined ... { on 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 1915.  
 at St John's.

Declared Age ... 22 years ... days.

Trade or Occupation ... Office Clerk

Height ... 5 feet, 5 inches.

Weight ... 120 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. 32 inches.

{ Range of Expansion 3 inches.

Physical Development ...

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right Left  
 Number 1

When Vaccinated ... 1908

Vision ... { R.E. - V = 6/6  
 L.E. - V = 6/6

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

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... Left ear (wax)

Approved by (Signature) Sgt. Fred W. Burden  
 (Rank) Lieut Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at St John's  
 on 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1915.

Joined on Enlistment ...	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to ...	<b>THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.</b>	<u>10-13.</u>

Became non-effective by  
 on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1915.  
 (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Rank) \_\_\_\_\_

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
5 London Gen.	11	7	16	19	9	16	Low Rt Shoulder	71		J. Robertson Capt.
Dundee War Hosp.	1	9	17	24	9	17	Phurisy (Dysp)	23	Friction heard before admission by Reg. M.O.	W. Whyte Capt. Reme.
Chil. Hosp. Hazelton	31	1	18	12	4	18	Subacute Lung	71	Subacute Bacilli found in Sputum, X Ray plate shows many opaque patches diffused through both lungs. During his stay in the Hospital patient showed gradual improvement, night sweats had ceased. Cough greatly diminished, appetite good, and gained in weight. Transferred to Brompton	J. P. Lawson Capt. Reme.



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

Date	Brief details, and signature
May 20 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup> Inoculation 500 Million
June 7 <sup>th</sup>	Second " 1000 "
March 24 <sup>th</sup> 16	Vaccinated N. Park School
20. 3. 16	Fit for Foreign Service Insp.
12. 6. 17	T. A. B.
22. 6. 17	2

It is hereby certified that this soldier has been before the Standing Medical Board and has been classified as B for discharge on Demobilisation. Medical category E.

8/19  
Date of S.M.B.

*[Signature]*  
Captain  
Assistant Adjutant  
Discharge Depot, Newbould Road

**Table IV.—Service Table.**

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation
St John's Inf.					

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Rank Sgt Surname Phelan Christian Name Wm Francis

Religion ..... Age on Enlistment ..... years ..... months

Enlisted (a) 3.5.15 Terms of Service (a) War Service reckons from (a) .....

Date of promotion to present rank ..... Date of appointment to lance rank 12.6.15

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

Occupation ..... Signature of Officer.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c. during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked <u>Shampton</u>	<u>28.3.16</u>	
			Disembarked... <u>Loren</u>	<u>30.3.16</u>	
	<u>1 Caullenthop</u>	<u>Ad. Gen. &amp; Kuee</u>	<u>Etapes</u>	<u>2.7.16</u>	<u>Hd. 522</u>
	<u>No.</u>	<u>Sub. to England</u>	<u>W/S Dieppe</u>	<u>10.7.16</u>	<u>W3083</u>

Sgt. A.E. Clark  
for Dip. Sup. Records  
3rd Echelon

(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, Shoing-Smith, &c.

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Military Hospital Hazelton  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

- 1. Unit **ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.**
- 2. Regimental No. 1513
- 3. Rank Sgt.
- 4. Name Phelan
- 5. Age last birthday 24
- 6. Enlisted { on May 1st 1915  
at St Johns Nfld.
- 7. Former Trade } Clerk  
or Occupation }
- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—  
(a) Former Unit;  
(b) Regimental No.;  
(c) Date of Discharge;  
(d) Cause of Discharge. } n/a

8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

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

Subsule of Lung. 44

Statement of Case.

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

- 9. Date of origin of disability. July 1917
- 10. Place of origin of disability. Dyr. Scotland
- 11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.  
No entry in Medical History Sheet of Present Disease  
Pt. states that he was invalided from France July 1916, suffering from Bronch. After discharge from Hospital Oct 1916, he felt perfectly well, until July 1917 when he first noticed cough. Had an attack of pleurisy in Aug & was admitted to hospital at Barry Dundee. Had attack of Haemoptysis in Dec. again in Jan. Another after admittance to this hospital, has lost 1/2 stone in weight.
- 12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—  
(a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).  
Attributed to Service during present war.  
(b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war. n/a  
(c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c. no

Father age 55 living  
Mother " 50 "  
Family History  
Brothers two, living, none dead  
Sisters " living one " (Infant)

13. What is his present condition?

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

Pt. has lost weight, cough troublesome Dulness  
Lr Rt Apex x Ray plate shows many vague patches  
diffused through both lungs. Rt Apex  
Especially affected.  
Tubercle Bacilli found in Sputum

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

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

n/a

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

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

n/a

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

n/a

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

n/a

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

n/a

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

n/a

20. Do you recommend—  
(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or  
(b) Change to England?

Sanatorium Treatment

Sgd. R B Lawson  
Officer in medical charge of case

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

Station mil. Hosp. Hazley Down. Sgd. C P A Morse Dept. Comm. (H)  
Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

**Department of Militia, Newfoundland**  
**Medical Department**

**Medical Report on an Invalid**

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**STATEMENT OF CASE**

Station St. Johns

Date Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1915

1. Unit Royal Newfoundland
2. Regimental No. 1513
3. Rank Pvt.
4. Name Phelan, William F.
5. Age last birthday 26.
6. Enlisted on March 30, 1915
7. Former trade or occupation at St. Johns, Nfld. Clerk

8. Disability

- I. G.S.W. R. Knee.  
II. Pulmonary T. B.

9. History wounded July 1<sup>st</sup> 1916. In Hq. 4 months. Returned to duty. Reported on Sick Parade w/ Haemoptysis Dec. 1917 at Depot. Another slight Haemorrhage Jan. 1918. at Hazelton Camp. Sent to Hospital - 2 or 3 months. Sent to Brompton Hosp - about 6 weeks. Then to Finlay Sanatorium - 2 weeks. Returned to depot - 6 weeks. Returned home on duty.

10. What is his present condition? *General condition poor.*

(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above.) *Cough + sputum.*

*Breath sounds weak all over chest.  
Irregular Breathing L. Axilla. + Rt apex.  
No rales.  
Heart rapid 100. + pulse easily compressible.*

11. Was sanatorium advised and refused? *no*  
operation

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit? *yes.*

Signature *Archibald*  
Rank or Qualification *for NO report*

Remarks if any by Officer i/c Hospital.

Place ..... Signature .....  
Date ..... Rank .....

## Opinion of the Medical Board

In para. 13, the President should write "may" or "cannot" at x  
Erase inapplicable words

13. For pension purposes, the disability x may be considered as aggravated by:—  
due to
- (a) ~~Service during this war.~~ (b) ~~Climate.~~ (c) Ordinary Military Service  
Remarks if any:—

14. Does the Board concur in preceding report? (see Sect. 10) If not give differing opinion and additional findings.
- Yes

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market? 100%
- (b) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market lessened by that portion of his disability to or incurred during service? Total about six months
- (State in percentage.)

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?

17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperance No. (b) Misconduct no

18. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:— (a) Reasonable (b) Unreasonable

Remarks if any:—

19. If fit subject for Hospital do you recommend admittance to } General Hospital,  
Naval and Military Con-  
valescent Hospital,  
Jensen Tuberculosis Camp. Yes

20. We recommend discharge from retention in the Army permanently unfit

Remarks if any:—

.....  
Signatures..... [Signature] President

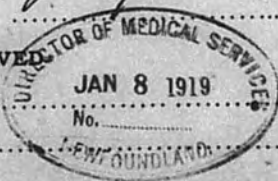
Place..... [Signature]

Date..... Jan 8/19

APPROVED.....

Station.....

Date.....



[Signature]  
Administrative Medical Officer [Signature]



## Department of Militia, Newfoundland

### Medical Department

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#### STATEMENT OF CASE

Station **ST. JOHN'S** .....

Date **DECEMBER 23rd., 1918** .....

- |                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| 1. Unit <i>Royal Newfoundland</i> | 5. Age last birthday <b>26</b>             |
| 2. Regimental No. <b>1513</b>     | 6. Enlisted on <b>MARCH 30th., 1918</b>    |
| 3. Rank <b>SERGEANT</b>           | at <b>ST. JOHN'S NFLD.</b>                 |
| 4. Name <b>PHELAN, WILLIAM P.</b> | 7. Former trade or occupation <b>CLERK</b> |

#### 8. Disability

- (1) **G. S. W. RIGHT KNEE**
- (2) **PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS**

#### 9. History

WOUNDED JULY 1st., 1916. IN HOSPITAL FOUR MONTHS. RETURNED TO DUTY. REPORTER ON SICK PARADE WITH HAEMOPTYSIS DECEMBER 1917. AT DEPOT APT. ANOTHER HEMORRHAGE JANUARY 1918. AT HANLEY DOWN CAMP. SENT TO HOSPITAL. 2 or 3 MONTHS. SENT TO BROMPTON HOSPITAL - ABOUT SIX WEEKS. THEN TO ? SANATORIUM - TWO WEEKS. RETURNED TO DEPOT - SIX WEEKS. RETURNED HOME ON DUTY



10. What is his present condition?

(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above.)

GENERAL CONDITION POOR. COUGH AND SPUTUM.  
BREATH SOUNDS WEAK ALL OVER CHEST. IRREGULAR  
BREATHING LEFT AXILLA. AND RIGHT APEX.  
NO RALE. HEART RAPID 100 AND PULSE  
EASILY COMPRESSIBLE

11. Was sanatorium operation advised and refused?

**NO**

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit?

**YES**

Signature (SGD) A. C. TAIF.....

Rank or Qualification FOR M.O. DEPOT.....

Remarks if any by Officer i/c Hospital.

Place ..... Signature .....

Date ..... Rank .....

## Opinion of the Medical Board

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Erase inapplicable words

13. For pension purposes, the disability x **may** be considered as ~~aggravated by~~ due to \_\_\_\_\_  
 (a) ~~Service during this war.~~ (b) ~~Climate~~ (c) Ordinary Military Service  
 Remarks if any:—
14. Does the Board concur in preceding report? (see Sect. 10) If not give differing opinion and additional findings.

**Y E S**

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market? **100%**  
 (b) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market lessened by that portion of his disability to or incurred during service? **100% for 6 months**  
 (State in percentage.)

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?
17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperance **NO** (b) Misconduct **NO**
18. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:— (a) Reasonable (b) Unreasonable

Remarks if any:—

19. If fit subject for Hospital do you recommend admittance to { General Hospital,  
 Naval and Military Con-  
 valescent Hospital,  
 Jensen Tuberculosis Camp. **YES**

20. We recommend discharge from ~~retention in~~ the Army **PERMANENTLY UNFIT**

Remarks if any:—

(SGD) H. S. FRASER

J. S. TAIT

President

Signatures .....

L. PATERSON. MAJOR

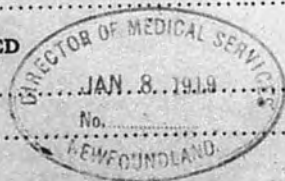
Place ST. JOHN'S .....

Date JAN. 8th., 1919 .....

APPROVED

Station DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICE .....

Date JAN. 8. 1919 No. ....



(SGD) CLYNT MACPHERSON. MAJOR

Administrative Medical Officer

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STATEMENT OF CASE

Station **ST. JOHN'S**.....

Date **DEEMBER 23rd., 1918**.....

- 1. Unit *Royal Newfoundland*
- 2. Regimental No. **1613**
- 3. Rank **SERGEANT**
- 4. Name **PHILAN, WILLIAM F.**
- 5. Age last birthday **26**
- 6. Enlisted on **MARCH 30th., 1916**  
at **ST. JOHN'S NYLD.**
- 7. Former trade or occupation **CLERK**

8. Disability

- (1) **G. S. W. RIGHT KNEE**
- (2) **PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS**

9. History

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EASILY COMPRESSIBLE

11. Was sanatorium advised and refused?  
operation

NO

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit?

YES

Signature (SOD) A. C. TAIT.....

Rank or Qualification ..... FOR M.O. DEPOT

Remarks if any by Officer i/c Hospital.

Place ..... Signature .....

Date ..... Rank .....

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- Remarks if any:—
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**Y E S**

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market? **100%**
- (b) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market lessened by that portion of his disability to or incurred during service? **100% for 6 months**
- (State in percentage.)

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?
17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperance **NO** (b) Misconduct **NO**
18. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:— (a) Reasonable (b) Unreasonable

Remarks if any:—

19. If fit subject for Hospital do you recommend admittance to { General Hospital,  
Naval and Military Con-  
valescent Hospital,  
Jensen Tuberculosis Camp. **YES**

20. We recommend discharge from retention in the Army **PERMANENTLY UNFIT**

Remarks if any:—

**(SGD) H. S. FRASER**

**J. S. TAIT**

President

Signatures .....

**L. PATERSON, MAJOR**

Place **ST. JOHN'S** .....

Date **JAN. 8th., 1919** .....

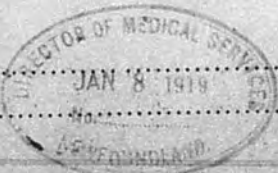
APPROVED

Station .....

Date .....

**(SGD) CLYDE MACPHERSON, MAJOR**

Administrative Medical Officer



1167

January 18th., 1919.

From:- D. M. S.  
To:- O. C. Depot.

1513, Sergt. Phelan, Wn.

Please note that the marginally noted  
man entered JENSEN CAMP January 14th., 1919.

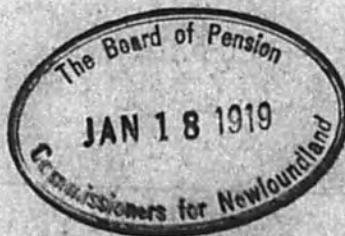
*Cluny Macpherson*

AMB.

Major, D. M. S.

Copy to B. of P. Commissioners for information,

*CF  
LUNN*



1167

January 23rd., 1919.

From:- D. M. S.  
To:- B. P. C.

1513. Sergt. Phelan, Wm.

Please note that the marginally noted  
man left Jensen Camp January 19th., 1919.

*Cluny Macpherson*  
Major, D. M. S.

Copy to B. of P. Commissioners for Wfld.



*OK  
Jensen*

WAR BOARD OF PENSION & BENEFIT STIPENDS  
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND.

Pension No. 1167

Regt. No. 1515 Rank Sgt. Name William Phelan

Corps Served with ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Date of Medical Board June 1st., 1920.

Pensionable disability 100% for <sup>less 1/3</sup> 6 months

SANATORIUM  
TREATMENT.

Pension Granted: \$ 53.13 per month for \_\_\_\_\_ months

Total Authorized amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

or Gratuity Granted: <sup>35 1/2</sup> / 100 Payable in \_\_\_\_\_ equal monthly instalments

*Phelan on third for refusal to take treatment*

Granted to:-

Name William Phelan  
Address 48 King's Road,  
City.

Date case disposed of \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by:

Members of Board  
*J. O. [Signature]* Chairman

*[Signature]*

Remarks:

*less 1/3 Refused 7/4*

*AM*  
*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*



## Report of Medical Board

Station	St. John's, Nfld.	Date	June 1st., 1920.
No. and Rank	1513 SERGEANT	Age	28 YEARS
Name	PHELAN, WILLIAM	Height	5' 4"
Unit	Royal Newfoundland	Complexion	FAIR
Address	48, KING'S ROAD	Eyes	BLUE
Former Trade	CLERK	Hair	LIGHT
Enlisted at	ST. JOHN'S On 30/3/15	(The Board will please note how the soldier's appearance corresponds with above description).	
Disease or Disability	Original	GUN SHOT WOUND RIGHT KNEE. PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS	

Subsequent

Present Condition (Compare with previous Board)

110 lbs, pulse 120 Coughs morning  
 Dull right lung. Crepitations all over right lung &  
 at left apex

**THE ENTIRE DISABILITY:** To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a livelihood in the general labour market?

100%

**PENSIONABLE DISABILITY:** To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened by that proportion of his disability due to or incurred during service?

100%

Recommendation of Medical Board

Sanatorium treatment

Members of Board

Clayton Macpherson  
 M.D.

W. J. D. Hall  
 Medical Capt.  
 W. J. D. Hall

Approving Medical Officer.





## 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, *William F. Phelan*, Regl. No. *1513*

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

Identity Certificate	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
9	Wife	Max Pierce	48 Kings Rd	50
7		Phelan	St Johns	
6				
		Cancelled		
		1/12/16		
		Commencing		
		June 13th		
			Total Allotment, \$	50

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.)

Officer Commanding

Company

*St Johns*  
*June 9th*

1916

(Sig.)

(Rank)

*Wm F. Phelan*  
*He*

ORIGINAL



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 1513 (Rank) Serjt (Name) W. J. Phelan  
 hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on  
 N.F.K.No. 1394 dated June 12/15 in favour  
 of Mrs P. Phelan 48 Kings Road St Johns for \$ — cts 50  
 per diem. Such cancellation to take place from (inclusive)  
 the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 1916

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 overdraw amount or amounts.\*

Dated at Ayer  
November 23<sup>rd</sup> 1916

Serjt. W. J. Phelan  
 Alloter.

Approved and Witnessed.  
R. D. Russell  
 C. C. "H." Company.

RECEIVED  
 R. Mackin  
 28/11/16

NOTED  
 J. Seymour  
 C.Q.M.S.  
 Date 24/11/16 Coy

\*Attention is drawn to the fact that Allotments are payable by Headquarters per Calendar, not Regimental month, and therefore reasonable time must be allowed for delivery of this request at St. John's, in order to become operative.

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.

9845/950/R.&.C.

Officer Commanding,  
2nd Bn. Royal Nfld Regt.,  
Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester, Hants.

Pay & Record Office,

20th June, 8

1513 SERGT. W.F. PHELAN.

Will you please say where  
this N.C.O. is at present?

It was thought he was still  
at Brompton Military Hospital,  
London, but he is stated not to  
be.

If on your strength, will you  
kindly also say what it is pro-  
posed to do with him, in view of  
his recent disability?

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & C. i/c Records.

*Answer*

*22/6/18*

*This NCO is at  
present here. It is  
proposed to  
repatriate him  
with next draft.*

*Sgd. C. Kam Capt  
etc..*

A/JC

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P. /94

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L. /19, 26/5/17.

Regt. No. 1579 Rank Serjt Name Phelan Unit 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn. R. Newfoundland who was Transferred  
Newfoundland on 20/7/18. Authority DO Cause \_\_\_\_\_

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

PARTICULARS	£	s	d	PARTICULARS	£	s	d	CR.			
								£	s	d	
Balance Dr. from				Balance Cr. from							
Alotment — days @				Pay 15 days @ \$1.35	120	25					
Cash Payments: 6/7/18		2	0	Field Alice 15 days @ \$15	12	25					
13/7/18		3	0	Other Alices days @ \$	12	00		4	12	5	
Other Debits:				Other Credits:							
Barrack Damages			6								
Miss Stop		2	6								
Total Debits				Total Credits							
Balance due by Paymaster	15	2	7	Balance due to Paymaster				15	2	7	

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

Hayley Down Camp, Whitehall 191  
 (Place) 20/7/18. (Date)

COPY SENT TO  
 O.C. H.Q.  
 ST. JOHNS, N.F.P.  
 necessary.  
 N.F.P.38. No. 12156  
 DATED 30 JUL 1918

*[Signature]*  
 C.O. 1 1  
 CHIEF PAYMASTER

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

Chief Paymaster & Officer 1/c Records

POST



CARD



To/ The Officer in Charge  
58 Victoria Street  
London S.W.

I want to send a parcel of cake etc

to 1513 Sergeant. W. J. Phelan

I.C. 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regiment

British Expeditionary Force.

am I able to send it direct to the man or  
must I send the parcel to Victoria Street  
to be forwarded please let me know exactly  
what I ought to do to be sure of the parcel's  
safe arrival

(Miss) A. Franklyn  
Quarry House  
Harnbrook. Beds.

1ST N.W. INDIA F. B. C. OFFICE  
PAY & RECORDS OFFICE

Ref No. 2048

Rec'd. JUN 26 1915

Ack'd

File No.

June 26

Temp. a/o.

CO. 30

NO. 1513 BANK Supt NAME Wm Philan

ALLOTMENT 50

Date	P.M.As. etc	Amount	PAY	Amount
	Dr. Balance		Credit Balance <u>14/4</u>	191
			Exchange "	101
	<u>Hospital</u>		<u>PAY 2 NET RATE</u>	
	<u>A.D. 64</u>		From <u>15/4</u> To <u>19/10/16</u> = <u>158 days</u>	
	<u>Acq. Fees</u>	4 14 80	<u>1-00</u>	158 <u>00</u> 132
	<u>Clothing et.</u>	9 4 1/2	From _____ To _____ days	9 4
				20 17 6 1/2
				6 6
	<u>P. &amp; R.O.</u>	3 13 6	From _____ To _____ days	
	<u>Uniform.</u>	1 0 0		
	<u>Cash</u>	2 0 0		
		2 0 0	From _____ To _____ days	
		2 0 0		
		3 0 0		
		2 0 0		
		<u>20 17 6 1/2</u>		

18  
3/8  
1335  
1394  
1434  
1480

*(Handwritten initials)*



# CABLEGRAM



No. of Message

244231

Date

12 JUL. 1916

The following CABLEGRAM received, at

9:17 P.M.

“Via Commercial Cables,”

From

Johns Hf  
Wm

No. of Words,

15

To

Synoptical

London

BRANCH

For

1513

WF.

phelan

ACTED UPON

BY

NW

DATE

12/7/16

What is your condition

anxious reply mother

bd Secy

J. Thomas HVP  
ST

ST. M. MONTREAL-DETROIT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No. 2351
Rec'd. JUL 13 1916
Ack'd.
Ans'd.
File No.

No Inquiry respecting this Message can be attended to without the production of this paper. Repetitions of doubtful words should be obtained through the Company's Offices, and not by direct application to the Sender.

5<sup>th</sup> London General Hospital  
Ward C Bed 29 -  
July 14 /16.

Dear Sir, -

In reply to telegram please  
state Condition not serious, Gun shot  
wound Right Knee, Improving.

Capt. W. F. Phelan.

Sent

1ST WOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	2374
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Sent

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No.

458/77

# WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN



DIRECT UNITED STATES

## CABLEGRAM

SENT

FOR STAMPS

Prefix _____	Code _____
WORDS	CHARGE

At \_\_\_\_\_  
To \_\_\_\_\_ By \_\_\_\_\_

VIA WESTERN UNION

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

TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

14th July 1916

Casualty Cablegram

To W.S.M. Colonial Secretary

*J. J. Lewis*

From 1513 Shelan

Condition not serious gunshot wound right knee improving.

Synoptical.

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

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

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

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## ANGLO-AMERICAN DIRECT UNITED STATES CABLEGRAM

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CITY OF LONDON RED CROSS HOSPITAL.

1209

FINSBURY SQUARE,  
LONDON, E.C.

Aug 3/16

Dear Sirs,

Would you kindly give the bearer  
of this note Two Pounds (£2.00) for me. I have  
no relations or friends on this side, hence  
my reason for asking this favour.

Yours truly

1513 Sergt. W. J. Phelan

*Dr. Prætorius*

RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICER,  
CITY OF LONDON HOSPITAL,  
FINSBURY SQUARE, E.C.



CITY OF LONDON RED CROSS HOSPITAL.

FINSBURY SQUARE,  
LONDON, E.C.

Aug 8/16.

Dear Sir-

would you kindly let me have  
One Pound (£1.0.0) and oblige.

Your obedient Servant,

1513 Sergt. W. S. Helan

7-8-16

Dr. Buchanan  
RESIDENT MEDICAL OFFICER

CITY OF LONDON RED CROSS HOSPITAL.

FINSBURY SQUARE,

LONDON, E.C.

Aug 20/16

Dear Sir-

Would you kindly let me  
have Two Pounds (£2.0.0.) and oblige,

Yours truly,

Leopt. Wm J. Phelan

1513, 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland St.

D. Company.

D. S. Braithwaite & Co.

To the Paymaster,

55 Victoria Street;

London, W.



~~St. Thomas Hosp.  
London Gen.~~

London Red X. Hosp.  
Finsbury Sq.  
QUARRY HOUSE, LONDON  
HAMBROOK, 88  
BRISTOL.

Dear Sir 3097/2

I had a letter this morning  
from St John's Newfoundland  
from the Mother of 75-13. Sgt W.F.  
Phelan. 1/1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.  
telling me that he was wounded on  
the 1<sup>st</sup> of July & is now in hospital in  
London, I should be very much obliged  
if you would kindly find out what  
hospital he is in for me, as I should  
like to write to him & perhaps I maybe able  
to visit him, I thought you would be sure  
to know <sup>3097</sup> all about him  
Yrs truly  
Annie Francklyn Aug 22<sup>nd</sup> 1909

CITY OF LONDON RED CROSS HOSPITAL.

FINSBURY SQUARE,  
LONDON, E.C.

Aug 31/16

*OK*  
*31/8/16*  
*W.P.*

Dear Sirs,

Kindly let me have Two Pounds  
£ 2.0.0. and oblige.

Yours truly,

Sergt W. F. Phelan

1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.

Pay & Record Office,  
58 Victoria Street.

Approved

31-5-16

*W.P.*  
*Done*

NOTED
<i>W.P.</i>
Date <i>31/8/16</i> P.M. Coy

CITY OF LONDON RED CROSS HOSPITAL.

FINSBURY SQUARE,

LONDON, E.C.

6-9-16

Dear Sirs,-

Would you kindly let me  
have Three Pounds, £3.0.0 and  
oblige.

Yours truly,

Sgt. W. F. Phelan, 1513  
1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.

6-9-16  
Approved  
Pay & Record Office  
Victoria Street.

Receipt No

1134

CITY OF LONDON RED CROSS HOSPITAL.

FINSBURY SQUARE,

LONDON, E.C.

12-9-16.

OK £2.00

J  
L

Dear Sir,-

would you kindly let me  
have Two Pounds (£2.00.) and  
oblige,

Yours truly,

Sgt. Wm J. Phelan, 1513,  
1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.

Pay & Record Office,  
58 Victoria St.,  
London, W.1.

Approved  
L.S. Mackinnon

4459  
21/11/16

5490/585

O. C.,  
2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.

.....AYF..

F.M/W.F. December 19th 1916.

1515, SGT. W. F. PHELAN.

26/12/16.

With reference to the enclosed letter from this N. C. O. there is nothing to indicate that the letter to which he refers to was sent through this Office. As it does not appear to have been registered no record of it having been received here can be traced. This N. C. O. should communicate the fact that he did not cash the order himself to the G. P. O. and ask for instruction as to what method may be employed with regard to recovery of the amount of the order.

Sergt. Phelan informed.

(Sgd) A.J. Herder,  
O.C. "H" Coy.

R  
D u 26/16

Major,  
Paymaster G. O. i/o Records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 5490/585

From  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.  
58, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W.  
December 19th 1916

To  
O. C.,  
2/1st. Newfoundland Regt.  
Ayr.

F.M/W.F.

**SUBJECT:**

1513, SGT. W. F. PHELAN.

Reference Nos.

**REPLY**

Dated

26/12/16.

191

With reference to the enclosed letter from this N. C. O. there is nothing to indicate that the letter to which he refers to was sent through this Office. As it does not appear to have been registered no record of it having been received here can be traced. This N. C. O. should communicate the fact that he did not cash the order himself to the G. P. O. and ask for instruction as to what method may be employed with regard to recovery of the amount of the order.

*Sgt Phelan informed.  
A. J. Hender.  
O.C. "H" Coy*

*A. J. Hender*  
Major,  
Paymaster & O i/c Records.

THE NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	5050
Rec'd.	DEC 28 1916
Acc'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

J.H.C. Records.

58 Victoria St.

BRANCH
Rao.
ACTED UPON
BY
DATE

No 1513. Sgt. Phelan W. has

developed Tuberculosis lung. He is in hospital here, and will be boarded in three days and discharged in about 3 weeks.

has fit to go home.

Can you let me know what arrangements have been made, for sanatorial treatment, so that I can inform local board please.

Medical Room  
Hazelley Down Camp  
Feb 18/18

1101K 20

RECEIVED
PAY & RECORD
M.O. R. No. 1506
Rec'd. 18 FEB 1918
Acc'd.
Ans'd.
The No.

2809/11/R+C

Medical office  
R 11  
Medical Room  
Hazardous Camp

1513 Serp. Melan

Ref you

letter of 17/1/18  
(1706)

This man should not  
be discharged from the service.  
Application should be made for  
admission to a Sanatorium  
on A.F.O. 1846 to the Secretary  
Local Government Board, Whitehall  
S.W. 1. by the O.C. hospital.  
You are also referred to  
A.C. 293 of 1917.



3213/2/R&O

Medical Officer,  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Winchester.



Pay & Record Office,

28th February 8

1513, Sgt. Phelan.

Reference attached correspondence (1706 and 1967):-  
Soldiers of this Contingent suffering from Tubercle of the Lung are not as a rule discharged until they return to Newfoundland. Hitherto they have been admitted to Sanatoria as Soldiers by consent of the Local Government Board.

It is thought that the Local Government Board will have no objection to accepting this application even if Phelan is not formally discharged.

Major  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/S

2809/1/ R & C.

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

The Medical Officer,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
Hazely Down Camp,  
WINCHESTER.

HA/DM.

Pay & Record Office.

20th February, 8.

1513. Sgt. Phelan.

Reference your letter  
of 18/2/18 (1706):- this  
man should not be discharged  
from the Service.

Application should be made  
for admission to a Sana-  
torium on A.F.O. 1846 to  
the Secretary, Local  
Government Board, Whitehall  
S.W.1. by the O.C. Hospital  
You are also referred to  
A.C.1 293 of 1917. *Please*

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

From, Medical Officer,  
i/c R. Nfld, Regt.

To, M. O. i/c  
Hazley Down Mil. Hosp.

22nd February 1918.

Herewith correspondence Sgt.  
Phelan, for your information and  
necessary action, please return.

J.St.P.Knight,  
Capt, R. A. M. C.

From, M. O.  
R. Newfoundland Regt.

To, O. C. Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

Reference Minute 1.

Is not this a misprint, Both  
A.C.I.293 and the A.F.O. 1846,  
refer to admission to sanitorium  
on discharge from service.

I have asked the O.C. Hospital  
to hold up the Medical Board find-  
ings till hearing from you.

(Sd) J. St.P.Knight,  
Capt. R.A.M.C.

Forms  
C. 348  
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MEMORANDUM.

From

*H O Rafter Rep.*

To

*Major's Records.*

From

To

ANSWER.

*Mar 3 1918*

191

*Ref. your 1573 Re  
Sgt. Phelan.*

*I have communicated  
w/ the Hospital re. our  
special arrangement with  
Local Government Board  
for admission from  
soldiers to Sanatoria;  
he will free up the  
admission from and  
support his admission*

*as a soldier.*

*The discharge by  
Medical Board has been  
received.*

*W. R. ...  
Capt. ...*

DEPARTMENT	<i>Rds.</i>
Reference No.	<i>2192</i>
Date Rec'd.	<i>6 MAR 1918</i>
" Ack'd.	
" Ans'd.	
File	

No. 9404/1

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P. /90.

FROM:

TO:

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

Officer Commanding,  
Brompton Mil. Hospital,  
Fulham Road, S. W.

12th June 1918

23.4 - 191

Subject: 1513, Sgt. W.F. Phelan,

ANSWER

With reference to the following telegram (5242) from the Hon the Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 1513 Phelan £5:0:0

*Answer*  
*Have you permitted*  
*to amount 1. 9. 18*

Kindly advise whether this amount should be remitted to you for payment to this Soldier. retained to credit of his account, or otherwise dealt with.

*A.A. Munnell Maj.*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

*KB, 2/6/18*

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

✓5492



Chief Paymaster,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
58 Victoria Street, S.W.1.

10161/982

re No.1513, Sgt. W.F. Phelan.

This N.C.O. cannot be traced as a patient in this  
Hospital or its Sections please.

*found mtd B  
30.9.16*

St. Mark's College,  
Chelsea, S.W.10.  
17th June, 1918.

*Arthurmann Major for* Lt.-Col.  
Comdg. 2nd London General Hospital.

MBH.

Record

I

The GCO was adm.  
2/9/18 ~~3/4/18~~ 23/4/18  
and is now understood  
to be each ITC.

II

I am not at all  
surprised to hear he is and  
to know that his attachment  
to 2nd. Bn. did not appear  
in part II orders, please.

18/6/18

J. D. B.

Capt Marshall

III

See on no. 9845/950  
attached, which throws a light  
of truth upon (II)

24/6/18

J. D. B.

9845/950/R.&C.

Forms  
C. 348  
1880

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

MEMORANDUM.

Officer Commanding,  
2nd Bn. Royal Nfld Regt.,  
Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester, Hants.

From Officer Commanding  
2nd Bn. Royal Nfld. Regiment.  
To The Chief paymaster  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
ANSWER. London, S.W.

Pay & Record Office,

Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester

20th June, 1918

June 22nd 1918. 1918

1513 SERGT. W.F. PHELAN.

Will you please say where  
this N.C.O. is at present?  
It was thought he was still  
at Brompton Military Hospital,  
London, but he is stated not to  
be.

This N.C.O is at present  
here. It is proposed to  
repatriate him with next

If on your strength, will you  
kindly also say what it is pro-  
posed to do with him, in view of  
his recent disability?

Draft	
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
REG. NO. IN	5679
REC'D	24 JUN 1918
ACK'D	
LIEUT. COLONEL, 2ND BNS ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.	

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

COMMANDING

HA/JC

Cas. extracts  
24/6/18 *[Signature]*

BR. A. C.	
Cont.	
P. & F.	
R. & G.	
B. & E.	
P. S.	

*[Signature]*  
Poted

10161/982

2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Winchester.

26th June 8

1513, Sgt. W. F. Phelan,

5242

Pay to 1513 Phelan £5:0:0

5:0:0

Witness,



No. 10161/982

N.F.P./79.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

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

To:

Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Winchester.

26th June 1918

June 29 10 1918

Subject: 1513, Sgt. W. F. Phelan

With reference to the following telegram (5242) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 1513 Phelan £5:0:0

Draft £ 5:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

*J. H. Marshall Carter*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

*Grant*  
LIEUT. COLONEL,  
COMMANDING 2ND BATT'N ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.  
2nd Bn Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of Five  
pound on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

W. F. Phelan

Witness, No. 1513 Rank Sergt.  
*W. P. Wilson Cpl*

Shelton, W. J.

1513

Sept

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

ORIGINAL

N.F.P. /94

is rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L. /19, 26/5/17.

Serial No. 1513 Rank Serjt. Name Phelan. Unit 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn. R. Newfoundland who was Transferred to Newfoundland on 20/7/18. Authority 50<sup>s</sup> Cause \_\_\_\_\_

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

PARTICULARS					PARTICULARS									
\$	s	d	\$	s	d	\$	s	d	\$	s	d			
Balance Dr. from					Balance Cr. from									
Allotment days @					Pay 15 days @ \$1.35.					20	25			
Cash Payments: 6/7/18					Field Allow 15 days @ \$1.15					12	25			
13/7/18					Other Allowances days @ \$					22	50	4	12	5
Other Debits:					Other Credits:									
Barrack Damages														
Miss Stop														
Total Debits					Total Credits								10	6
Balance due by Paymaster					Balance due to Paymaster					1	5	2	77	

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

H. Down Corp. Winchester ----- 191  
 (Place) 25/7/18 (Date)

Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.  
 Pay & Record Office, London,  
 17 JUL 1918 191

OK *W*

*W. H. C. C.*  
 O.C. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

DUPLICATE



## DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT OF Sgt. Phelan, W.P. No. 1513FROM 1/8/18 TO 31/8/18.

(both days inclusive)

1/9/18518/9/18LEDGER FOLIO No. 188

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day		Amount	
					Dr.	Cr.
	<b>CP.</b>					
	Pay	31	1	35		41 85
	Field Allowances	31		10		4 65
	Other "					
	Balances from previous paybook					12 48
		18				22 50
	<b>DR.</b>					
	Forfeited Pay					
	Fines					
	Clothing and Necessaries					
	Arms and Accoutrements					
	Casual Payments					
	1st Payment					3 00
	2nd "					15 00
	3rd "					22 50
	Balance from previous paybook					18 48
	Final Cash Payment					22 50
	Totals					<del>88 98</del> 58 98
	Debit Balance					81 48
	Credit Balance					81 48
	Checked by					<del>88 98</del> 58 98
						81 48



# DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT OF Sgt. Phelan, W.F. No. 1513

FROM 1/8/18 TO 31/8/18  
(both days inclusive)

*1/9/18*

*18/9/18*

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	<b>CP.</b>					
	Pay	31	1	35		41 85
	Field Allowances	31		10		4 65
	Other " .					
	Balances from previous paybook					12 48
		<i>1/3</i>				<del>22 50</del>
	<b>DR.</b>					
	Forfeited Pay					
	Fines					
	Clothing and Necessaries					
	Arms and Accoutrements					
	Casual Payments					
	1st Payment				3	00
	2nd "				15	00
	3rd "				22	50
	Balance from previous paybook				18	48
	Final Cash Payment				<del>22</del>	<del>50</del>
	Totals				<del>58 08</del>	<del>58 08</del>
	Debit Balance				81 48	81 48
	Credit Balance					
	Checked by				<del>58 08</del>	<del>58 08</del>
					81 48	81 48

*J.P.S.*

*noted  
ja.*

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

**DUPLICATE  
MAIL COPY** N.F.P./94

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 28/5/17.

Regtl No. 1513 Rank Serjt. Name Phelan Unit 2nd Bn. R. Newfoundland who was transferred  
to Newfoundland on 20/7/18 Authority D.O. Cause                       
Posted                     

DR. CR.  
**STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT**

PERIOD: From 6.7.18 To 20.7.18	PARTICULARS					PARTICULARS				
	\$	¢	£	s	d	\$	¢	£	s	d
	Balance Dr. from					Balance Cr. from				
	Allotment days @					Pay 15 days @ \$1.35				
	Cash Payments:					Field Allowance 15 days @ \$.15f				
	6-7-18									
	13-7-18					Other Allowances days @ \$				
	Other Debits:					Other Credits:				
	Barrack Damages									
	Office stop.									
	Total Debits					Total Credits				
	Balance due by Paymaster					Balance due to Paymaster				
	<b>15 2 11</b>					<b>15 2 11</b>				

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

Hazelton Camp, Winchester 25-7-1918  
(Place) (Date)

(Sgt.) J. G. Kelly, Capt.  
O.C. Company.

Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office to 27/JUL 1918 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,  
27 JUL 1918 191

A. D. Murray  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.



## 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, William J. Phelan, Regl. No. 1513

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Dollars and 50 Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
9	Wife	Max Pierce	48 Kings Rd	50
7		Phelan	St Johns	
6				
		Commencing		
		June 12th		
			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.) .....

Officer Commanding

Company

St Johns  
June 9th 1915

(Sig.)

(Rank)

William J. Phelan  
Pvt

St. John's, Oct 9<sup>th</sup> / 18

# Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Sgt. W. Helan

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Sept 26<sup>th</sup> / 18 to Sept 30<sup>th</sup> / 18

1518. Sgt. W. Helan	5	50
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ACCOUNT  
34m.  
580 EW  
W. J. Helan Capt.

Certified correct for \$ 5.50

A. J.

P. B. Dickofant  
Billeting Officer.



St. John's,

DEC 27 1918

# Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Sgt. W. Phelan

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> / 18 to Dec 27<sup>th</sup> / 18

1513 . Sgt . W. Phelan 7 20.  
ACCOUNT CH. NO. 7572 INITIALS EW

IMP. LEDGER INITIALS

PAY LEDGER INITIALS

CASH LEDGER INITIALS

Certified correct for \$ 7. 20

A.Y. Joseph H. Snow  
for W. Phelan Billeting Officer.

1918 - 1919.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 22<sup>50</sup> / -

Aug 15<sup>th</sup> 1918.

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of twenty two <sup>50</sup> / - Dollars.

~~in account~~ balance of Pay. to Aug 15<sup>th</sup> 18. W. J. Phelan

Ch. No. ... 1109	Initials ... EW
Pay Ledger ... 189	Initials ... WJ
Gen. Ledger .....	Initials ... J

Regtl. No. 1513 Rank. Sergt.

No. 1513.

Rank Sgt

Name Philip W.

1918 - 1919

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 18 <sup>45</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Aug. 27 <sup>th</sup>/<sub>19</sub> 18

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment

the sum of Eighteen <sup>45</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars.

~~on account~~ balance of Pay. to Aug 21 <sup>st</sup>/<sub>18</sub> P. J. Pular.

Ch. No. 1755	Initials EW
Pay Ledger 159	Initials Wm
Gen. Ledger	Initials J

Regtl. No. 1513 Rank Sergt

No. 1513.

Rank Sgt.

Name Charles W F.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 22 50

Sept 16 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Twenty Two  $\frac{50}{100}$  Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
balance

W. J. Phelan

Ch. No. 2649	Initials JH
Pay Ledger 189	Initials WJ
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No. 1513

Rank Sengt.

No. 1513

Rank

Adj

Name

Phelan W H

January 25th., 1919

#1513 Sergt. William F. Shelan,  
#48 Kings Road,  
City.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge  
Certificate/No. 724."

yours faithfully,

Captain,  
Paymaster & O.i/c Records

Enc'l 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 .....

*5 Dec 1918*

Regimental No. ....

*1513*

Name .....

*Phelan Williams J.*

Address .....

*48 King's Road*

*Serjt.  
City*

Present Medical Category.....

*E*

Recommended for:—

(a) ~~Immediate discharge~~ .....

(b) Standing Medical Board.....

Members of Board

*R H Last Capt.*  
.....  
O.C. Discharge Depot.

*J. P. ...*  
.....  
Senior Medical Officer

*W. ...*  
.....  
M. O. Depot



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

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

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

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

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

Name in full *Phelan, William F.*  
 Regiment from which discharged *1st. Newfoundland*  
 Regimental number *1513.*  
 Intended address *48 Kings Rd. St. John's.*  
 Height on discharge *5* Feet *4"*  
 Color of hair on discharge *Light*  
 Complexion *Fair*  
 Color of eyes *Blue*  
 Descriptive Marks *S. D. W. right knee*  
 Figure on discharge *slight*  
 Christian name of Father *Pierce*  
 Christian name of Mother  
 Wife's maiden name in full   
 Date and place of marriage   
 Christian names of children   
 Place and date of soldier's birth. *St. John's, Oct. 27, 1892*  
 Nature and locality of civil employment required

I declare that I am the soldier referred to above and that all the particulars contained in the above statement are, to the best of my knowledge, correct

(Soldier's signature in full) *William Phelan*

Station *St. John's* Date *Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>* (Rank) *Sgt.*

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

*Archibald*  
 Medical Officer i/c Hospital,  
 Unit, or Command Depot.

Station *St. John's, Nfld.* Date *Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>*

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 1513 Rank Sgt. Name Phelan W  
 Date of Enlistment 30.4.15 Address St Johns District St John  
 Occupation ..... Classification for Discharge B Medical Category E  
 Recommendation S.M.B. .... Disability Rating 100% O.M.S.

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 11.1.19

W. Phelan Capt.  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am not in a position to resume civilian occupation. that is I am to enter Jensen Camp for treatment  
W. J. Phelan Capt.

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date .....

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable. \$65.00
- (b) ~~Clothing Supplied~~ Supplied by Snow Print

Date 11-1-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. me to his home at St Thomas and Release Certificate No. 732 issued.

Date 11-1-19 Edwards Capt  
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 25-1-19

Date 11-1-19 W. H. S. Capt  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 11-1-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

Date 11-1-19 Edwards Capt  
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED. h.

Documents as above forwarded to:—  
Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.  
with following additional documents.

**ELIGIBLE for POST DISCHARGE PAY**

Date JAN 11 1919 R. H. Sait Capt  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date Jan 27<sup>th</sup> 1919 R. H. Sait  
Gen. of Records

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 1513 Rank. Sgt. Name Phalen Ed  
 Date of Enlistment. 30.4.13 Address St. Johns District John  
 Occupation ..... Classification for Discharge. B Medical Category PE  
 Recommendation S.M.B. .... Disability Rating 100% Bonus

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date. 11.1.19

W. H. W. Capt.  
O/C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am not in a position to resume civilian occupation.

That is I  
 am to enter Jensen Camp for treatment  
 of Phalen's Camp.

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date. 1.1.19

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable. \$65.00  
 (b) ~~Clothing Supplied~~ Johnston Law Firm

Date. 11-1-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *me* to his home  
 at *St. Thomas* and Release Certificate No. *732* issued.

Date *11-1-19* *Produce Capt*  
 Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection  
 therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to *25-1-19*

Date *11-1-19* *W. H. Kelly Capt.*  
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *11-1-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

Date *11-1-19* *Produce Capt*  
 Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.  
 Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

JAN 11 1919

Date ..... *R. H. Sait Capt.*  
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date .....

Jan. 11th, 1919

From Officer Commanding,  
Discharge Depot

To Board of Pension Commissioners,  
Militia Building

1513 Sgt. Wm. Phegan

Above noted man was before the Standing Medical Board on 8-1-19 and was recommended for discharge as permanently unfit and admission to Jensen Camp.

His discharge on demobilization has been approved by the Officer Commanding, effective from 11-1-19, and I am sending him herewith for your attention and necessary action, please.

Copy of his Medical Board will be forwarded you in due course.

CCD/C

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

COPY

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 1513 Rank Sgt. Name W. Phelan  
 Intended place of residence 48 Kins Road, St John's

2. Occupation Clerk  
 Classification of soldier B Medical Category E

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

### ELIGIBLE FOR POST DISCHARGE PAY

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

C. C. Duley, Capt.

Place St John's (sgnd) ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~  
 Commanding Discharge Depot  
 Date Jan. 11, 1919 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

### CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

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

Place and date St. John's (sgnd) W. F. Phelan Sgt.  
 Signature of soldier  
Jan. 11, 1919 " C. B. Dicks, Capt.  
 Signature of witness

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

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

Place and Date .....  
 Signature of soldier  
For Jensen Camp .....  
 Signature of witness

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 30-4-15 No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 11-1-19 plus 14 days Service 1367

### APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place St. John's (sgnd) R. H. Tait, Capt.  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
 Date Jan. 11, 1919

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

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

Place .....  
 Officer i/c Records  
 Date ..... The Royal Newfoundland Regiment



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 1513 Rank Sergeant Name W. J. Palmer  
Intended place of residence 48 Kings Rd. St John's

2. Occupation Clerk  
Classification of soldier B. Medical Category F.

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

### ELIGIBLE for POST DISCHARGE PAY

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

Place ..... JAN 11 1919 ..... W. J. Palmer Capt.  
Date ..... JAN 11 1919 ..... Commanding Discharge Depot  
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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Place and date St John's ..... W. J. Palmer Sgt.  
..... 11. 1. 19 ..... C. B. Deeks Capt.  
Signature of soldier  
Signature of witness

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

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

Place and Date St John's ..... W. J. Palmer Sgt.  
..... Jan 11 1919 ..... W. J. Palmer Sgt.  
**ST JOHN'S.** ..... W. J. Palmer Sgt.  
Signature of soldier  
Signature of witness

## STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 30. 4. 15 ..... No of days on Military  
Discharged from service 11. 1. 19 plus 14 days ..... Service 1353 days  
..... 1357

## APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place ST. JOHN'S. ..... R. H. L. Capt.  
Date JAN 11 1919 ..... Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

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

Place St John's ..... W. J. Palmer Capt.  
Date January 25 1919 ..... Officer in Charge of Records  
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

*ad B 2079/724*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

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

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

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

Christian name... *Wm J* ..... 2. Surname... *Phelan* .....  
3. Rank... *Sergt.* ..... 4. Regt. No. *1513* .....  
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to ~~be~~ be forwarded... *48 King's Road* .....  
*St. John's* .....  
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment... *May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1915* .....  
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....  
*Not Applicable* .....  
8. Relationship of such dependents... *Not Applicable* .....  
9. Address in full of such dependent... *Not Applicable* .....  
10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier? *Not Applicable* .....  
11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service... *No* .....  
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas... *3 Years + 8 Mos.* .....

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.....

*No*

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

*No*

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

*No*

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

*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 Regt.?..... If not give:- (a) Date of discharge. *Jan'y 11<sup>th</sup> '19* (b) Reason for discharge.....

*Medically Unfit*

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.....

*Beaumont Hamel July 1<sup>st</sup> '16*

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

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

*No*

And I make this solemn declaration, conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath.

Signature of Applicant:

*Wm J. Phelan*

Place of Residence:

*48 King's Rd.*

Declared before me at:

*St. John's Wpa.*

This

*28<sup>th</sup>*

day of *February* 19*19*

*Chas. E. Hunt,*

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

*Notary Public*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
.....	.....	.....	<i>6.40</i>	<i>420.00</i>
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Certified Correct.			Paymaster.	

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## Civil Re-establishment Committee



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

I have been recommended to enter Jensen

Camp for treatment

(sgnd) W. F. Phelan, Sgt.  
Signature of Man.

Reg. No. 1513

(sgnd) C. B. Dicks, Capt.  
Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place St John's

Date Jan. 11, 1919 191

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*Edwards Capt*

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Place

*St John's*

Date

*Jan. 11 1919*

C.R. 1513

Extract of Daily Orders Part II, Depot St. John's,  
dated Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> 1919.

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION

The discharge of the undernoted man on demobilization  
has been approved by O.C. Discharge Depot on noted dates.

1513 Sgt. Wm. F. Phelan

Discharged 11-1-19

C.R. 1513

Extract from Medical Board held Wednesday afternoon  
Jan. 8th, 1919.

1513 Sgt. Wm. Phelan.

Recommended Discharge as permanently Unfit.

ADMISSION TO JENSEN CAMP.



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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,



**The Royal Newfoundland Regiment,**

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**Department of Militia,**

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**St. John's Newfoundland.**

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Fold Here

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June 24th. 1921

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,  
(No. 567), is forwarded herewith to

Sergt. William Phelan (Now Deceased)

in respect of his service as No. 1513 Rank Sergt.

Name William Phelan Corps Royal Nfld Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

July 2/21

Signature

Gertrude Q Phelan *HJ*

Date

July 9/21

Address

48 King's Rd. St. John's

Die St Johns

410

WILL

No. 1513, Sgt. W. F. Phelan.

Budget Phelan

D. 48 Kings MS

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WILL.

N<sup>o</sup> 410

In the event of my death  
I give the whole of my  
money to my sister

Gertrude Phelan

48 King's Road,

St. John's,

Newfoundland

Signed Serg. W. J. Phelan

1513.

1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.

France

June 30/1916

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

COPY OF WILL

of

No. 1513, Sergt. W.F. Phelan.

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In the event of my death I give the whole of my money to my sister Gertrude Phelan 48 King's Road St. John's Newfoundland.

Signed Sergt. W.F. Phelan. 1513  
1st Nfld Regt. France

June 30/1916.

Certified True Copy.

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