

3309



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 3309 Name Robert Percy Corps Meth

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- 1. What is your name? I. Robert Percy
- 2. What is your full Address? 2. C. Matthews Co. com
St. John's Bay
- 3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
- 4. What is your age? 4. 20 Years - 0 Months
- 5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. fisherman
- 6. Are you Married? 6. no
- 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? } 7. no
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? } 8. yes
- 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 9. yes
- 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... } 10. { Name
Corps
- 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service } II. yes
to be signed by you if you are accepted? }

I, Robert Percy do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

E Dec 9/16 Robert Percy SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Harold Knight Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly given as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 9 day of December 1916
Signature of Attesting Officer Harold Knight

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the.....
If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 1916 }
Place } Approving Officer.

† The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

* If so, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz:—(Name).....re-enlisted in the (Regiment).....on the (Date).....

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Robert Percy
 Apparent age 20 years 0 months Height 5 feet 11 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 41 inches
 Range of expansion 2 1/2 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs. Jones Percy
Norman Cove | Relationship 1 mother
L.B. Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service 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>9-12-16</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>December 9th 16</u>									
<u>Discharged April 30/19</u>									
<u>Embarked at St. John's St. Koyal to Windsor N.S. 21/17</u>							<u>Embarked for S.C. 11/17</u>		
<u>Disembarked Queen 12-6-17 Joined Battle in the field</u>							<u>12-7-17 Wounded 14/17</u>		
<u>Admitted 89 St. J. S.W. Co. West 142 21/17 Discharged to duty 16-8-17</u>							<u>Wounded to duty 12/17</u>		
<u>Wounded 12-4-18 Admitted 2. Amal 4. Hosp. Boulogne 20-4-1918</u>							<u>Wounded to England 22-4/18</u>		
<u>Admitted 52 St. J. W. Band 22-4-1918 Sent back to duty to Hon. Manchester 10-6-18</u>							<u>Embarked for S.C. 26-10-18</u>		
<u>Embarked for S.C. 26-10-18 Joined Bath house 3-11-19</u>							<u>Transferred from S.C. to W. 19/19</u>		
<u>1. Referred to law for demobilization 30-1-1919</u>							<u>Arrives at home 7-2-1919</u>		
<u>Demobilization at St. John's</u>							<u>30-4-1919</u>		
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 30-4-1919 (date of discharge) 2 years 143 days
 " " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 155 Newfoundland
 Rank Pte Surname Pierce Christian Name Robert
 Religion Methodist Age on Enlistment 20 years 16 months
 Enlisted (a) 9-12-16 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 9-12-16
 Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____
 Extended (_____) Re-engaged (_____) Qualification (b) _____
 Occupation Fisherman or Corps Trade and Rate _____ Signature of _____

[Handwritten signature]

NEWFUNDLAND CONTINGENT
 88, VICTORIA ST.
 LONDON, S.W.
 15 MAY 1918
 RECORD OFFICE

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	Retaken from B.213, Army Form or do
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked <u>Stampton</u>	<u>11.6.17</u>	
			Disembarked <u>Rouen</u>	<u>13.6.17</u>	
			Joined Battalion	<u>13 JUL 1917</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>18.8.17</u>	<u>OC Unit</u>	<u>Wounded in Action</u>		<u>14 AUG 1917</u>	<u>5</u>
<u>18.8.17</u>	<u>89 FA</u>	<u>Ad. S.W. L. Wrist trans</u>	<u>4 G.D.</u>	<u>14.8.17</u>	<u>17</u>
<u>18.8.17</u>	<u>88 FA</u>	<u>Discharged to Unit</u>		<u>16.8.17</u>	<u>162</u>
		<u>En. 30-13-17</u>			
	<u>29 M.P. B.</u>	<u>Leave to UK from</u>	<u>26-2-18 to</u>	<u>12/3/18</u>	<u>7/3/18</u>
		<u>Wounded in Action</u>		<u>13/4/18</u>	<u>24/18</u>
<u>22.4.18</u>	<u>3 Aus G.V.</u>	<u>Transferred to England</u>	<u>per Cambria</u>	<u>22.4</u>	<u>3083</u>
<u>8.6.18</u>		<u>(trans. eag L)</u>			

[Handwritten signature]

Major
ret. Sect 201
P. H. G. G. O.
3/1/18

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



Descriptive Return of a Soldier Discharged on Account of Disability.

INSTRUCTIONS—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the 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. & F. 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 *Robert Percy.*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *5509.*

Intended address *Normans Cove, N.B.*

Height on discharge *5* Feet *10.*

Color of hair on discharge *Dark.*

Complexion *Fair.*

Color of eyes *Blue.*

Descriptive Marks *Scar on left leg & left breast.*

Figure on discharge *Tall.*

Christian name of Father *Jonas.*

Christian name of Mother *Marian.*

Wife's maiden name in full _____

Date and place of marriage _____

Christian names of children _____

Place and date of soldier's birth *Normans Cove. 2 Dec. 1897.*

Nature and locality of civil employment required _____

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

(Soldier's signature in full) *Robert Percy*

(Rank) *Sgt.*

Station *M. Johns* Date *8.4.19.*

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

Station _____

Date _____



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Receipt for Army Book 64

No... 3309 ... Name... R. Pursey ...

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

Name... Robert Pursey ...

Date... July 31 ...

Place... Normans Cove I.B.

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

[Handwritten signature]

Normans Cove

May 4th / 1920

C.R.

3309

Dear Sirs:-

I wish to inform you that I have not been getting well since I have been discharged from the Army. I started my work last summer as usual but I soon found out that I could not carry on as I did before my enlistment. I did not trouble about it then thinking that it was only my first starting new work again but I have found out since that it is caused by my wounds I received in France. For during the past winter I have had no comfortable rest whatever for my leg have been troubling me a great deal. I am therefore no good for hard work as I used to be. I received a pension of 27s. of which was send in 3 months I have not received any since August. I don't consider that right. I now have a wife to look after. as I looked over my book I saw by it I should get 50^s per month, and my wife 28^s. so if I get as said. I would not have to injure myself much to get a living. please answer as quick as possible and tell me what can be done as I am about to go somewhere to find some easy job for the summer. I should like to hear from you immediately. So oblige

3309 Pte Robert Piercey

Normans Cove. Trinity Bay

n 7 8 5

C.R. 3309

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND OF VICTORY MEDAL 1914-1919.

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

NO. 3309. NAME. Robert. Piercey

DATE. Feb. 17

PLACE. Normans Cove. J.B.

C.R. 3309

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Rifles Regt.
11
By Lt. Col. T.C. Mathias, D.S.O. Commanding 1st Bn. 3-18.

The following joined the Batta. 3-11-18.

3309 Pte. R. Piercey.

D Coy.

RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF
RIBAND OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL-1914-1919.

CR3309

I certify that I have received a ribbon of 2 inches
of Riband of British War Medal-1914-1919

NAME. *Robert Percy* 3309

(Date). *Feb. 19th*

(Place). *Normans Cove. D. B.*

RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF
RIBAND OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL-1914-1919.

CR. 3309

I certify that I have received a issue of 8 inches
of Riband of British War Medal-1914-1919

Name *Robert Percy* 3309

(Date) *Feb. 17th*

(Place) *Normans Cove, I.B.*...

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS.

ENCLOSURE C.R. ³³⁰⁹
N. F. P/38A.
DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

NB76/556/P&A

From

PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.1.

May 21st

1919.

To The Hon. the Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

FM/BC

SUBJECT:

3309 PTE. R. PIERCEY

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated June 22nd, 1919 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

With reference to your telegram
(11055):

"Ascertain-wishes of-3309-Piercey
"re-allotment-of pay-allothee-
"deceased-cheques-outstanding-
"since-Dec.31st-1917-inclusive-
"fullstop"

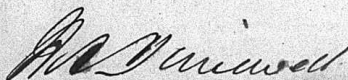
Minutes of Memoranda exchanged
with Officers Commanding, 1st &
2nd Battalions are enclosed for
information .

Stoppages have been made in
Piercey's account at 60 cents
per day during the period 1/2/17
- 30/1/19.

This soldier proceeded to
Newfoundland 30/1/19 and presumably
any necessary adjustment will be
made by you please.

The necessary adjustment
has been made, please.

Minister of Militia.



Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

21500/880/P&A

SUSPENSE | CLEARED

C.P.&O.1/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent
58, Victoria St., S.7.1.

O. C. 1st. Bn.
R.Nfld. Regt.

Officer Commanding,
1st. Bn. R. Nfld. Regt.,
B.E.F.

O. C. 107th. A. S. C.

January 6th, 1919.

WF/MN.

Pay & Record Office.

Passed to you please

27th. December, 8.

as this man is now attached to

3309.PTE.ROBERT.PIERCEY.
B.E.F.

you, would you kindly

ascertain his wishes.

With reference to the
following telegram from the
Hon. the Minister of Militia,
(11055):-

(Sd) S.G. Mathias, Lt. Col.
Comdg. 1st. Bn. R. Nfld. Regiment.

"Ascertain- wishes of- 3309-
"Piercey- re- allotment- of
"pay- allottee- deceased-
"cheques- outstanding- since-
"Dec. 31st- 1917- inclusive-
"fullstop-"

Kindly ascertain Piercey's
wishes in this matter to
enable me to reply, please.

515
16/1/19
Major.

Chief Paymaster & O.1/c Records.

21500/680/P&A

SUSPENSE

CLEARED

C.P.&O.1/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent
58, Victoria St., S.7.1.

Officer Commanding,
1st.Bn.R.Nfld.Regt.,
B.E.F.

WF/MN.

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B.E.F.

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(11055):-

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"Piercey- re- allotment- of
"pay- allottee- deceased-
"cheques- outstanding- since-
"Dec.31st- 1917- inclusive-
"fullstop-"

Kindly ascertain Piercey's
wishes in this matter to
enable me to reply, please.

515
16/1/19

Major.

Chief Paymaster &.O.1/c Records.

O. C. 1st. Bn.
R.Nfld..Regt..

O. C. 107th. A. S. C.

January 6th, 1919.

Passed to you please
as this man is now attached to
you, would you kindly
ascertain his wishes.

(Sd)S.G.Mathias,Lt.Col.
Comdg.1st.Bn.R.Nfld.Regiment.

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SUSPENSE

CLEARED

Chief Paymaster & O i/c Recds.
London, S. W. 1.

Officer Commanding,
2nd. Bn. R.Nfld. Regt.,
Winchester.

Reference reverse: No. 3309
Pte. R. Piercey wishes
all outstanding cheques
to be paid to his sister

Reference preced^{ing}
minutes: N.F's P/11 & 12
are forwarded to you for
completion and return to
this office.

Pte. Piercey is on
the nominal roll of the
Draft for Newfoundland.

Mrs. Edith Warren
Chapel Island
Trinity Bay
Newfoundland
and he also wishes to have
the same allotment as he was
previously paying paid to
above.

Kindly forward the
necessary papers for
above.

(Sd) A. E. Bernard, Major
Comdg. 1st. Bn. R.Nfld. Rgt.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Recds.

London, S. W. 1.
28th, January, 1919.

10/1/19.

C.R. 3309

Extract from Daily Orders part II,
Unit St. John's dated May 12nd. 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on
demobilisation has been CONFIRMED
by Officer I/O. Records on 30-4-19.

3309 Pte. Robt, Piercey.

C.R. 3309

Extract of Preliminary Report of a Medical Board held on
Thursday Afternoon April 10th/19. The following was the find-
ing.

RECOMMENDED DISCHARGE FROM THE ARMY.

3309, Pte. R. Piercey.

C.R. 3309

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot St. John's
dated 16/4/19.

The discharge of the u/n on demobilisation has been APPROVED
by Officer Commanding discharge Dept on 16-4-19.

#3309 Pte. Robt. Piercey.

CR. 3309

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wld. Regt.

St. John's, 11-2-19.

The undernoted returned from Overseas and reported to Depot
7/2/19.

Repatriated em/c of Demobilization.

3309 Pte. Robert Piercey.

C.R. 3309

Extract from Nominal Roll of the Royal Newfoundland Regt.
Embarked S.S. Cornician, Jan. 30th, 1919.

3309 Piersey.

C.R. 3309

Extract from Nominal Roll of the Royal Wfld. Regt.
24-1-19.

The Undermentioned who was transferred from B.E.F.
to the 2nd Bn., Winchester, 19-1-19 awaiting Repat-
riation.

3309 Pte. R. Pearsey.

C.R. 3309

Extract from Telegram from Sjn. to Mil. dated Jan. 23rd., 1919.

in answer your telegram Dec 19th., allotmnt of 3309
Piercey pay to Mrs. Edith Warren, Chapel Islands, T.B.
Takes effect from Jan. 1st., 1918.

C.R. 3309

Extract from General Order Re-enforcement Draft No. 55, embarked Folkeston,
24/10/18, from 2nd Batta, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, Hasleby Dock Camp,
Winchester, to 1st Batta, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, B.I.F.

3309 Pte. Piercy, R.

HR.

C.R. 3309

Extract of Orders Part 11 by Lt. Col., R.A. Bemers, D.S.O, Commanding 2nd Bn., Royal Newfoundland Regiment, dated 11/6/18.

The following having reported back from the 1st Bn., are posted to "H" Company:-

3309 Pte. Piercey.

10/6/18.

C.R. 3309

Extract of Cablegram to Pay and Record Office London Dated May 15th. 1918

Pay to as follows:

3309 Piercey

5 pounds.

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C.R. 3309

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Mfld. Regt. in the field, dated May 11, 1918

#3309 Pte. E. Piercey.

Invalided to United Kingdom (W) April 22, 1918

C.R. 3309

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

#3309 Pte. R. Piercey.

S.W. Left Leg mild.

Admitted 2nd Aust. Gen. Hosp. Boulogne, April 20, 1918.

C.R. 3309

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated May 2nd, 1918.

#3309 Pte. R. Piercey.

Wounded April 15th, 1918.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

C.R. 3309



Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

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I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender

Address Militia Dept.

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated April 25th 1918.

To Mrs Jonas Piercey, Norman's Cove, T.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports #3309, Private Robert Piercey at Wandsworth, suffering from G.S.W. left leg

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

J.R. Bennett

Acting Minister of Militia.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 3309

Extract from Telegram to London, dated Dec. 18th., 1918.

ascertain wishes of 3309 Piercey re allotment allottee
deceased cheques outstanding since Dec. 31st., 1917
inclusive.

NINE FOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender

Address

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated September 11, 1917.

To Mrs. Jonas Piercey,

Norman's Cove, T.B.

Record Office, London, today reports No. 3309,
Private Robert Piercey, returned to duty August
sixteenth.

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary.

3309 Pte. Robert Piercey. ✓

C.R. 3615

Ext. of Casualty list received Sept 11th., 1917.

Previously reported Wounded August 14 - now reported
returned to duty August 16.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated August 27, 1917.

To Mrs. Jonas Piercey,

Norman's Cove, T.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office London, officially reports **No. 3309, Private Robert Piercey, was wounded on August fourteenth.**

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

~~J. BENNETT~~ R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary.

Kiersey

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps **ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT**

Rank **Ht** Surname **Piercy** Christian Name **Robert**

Religion **Methodist** Age on Enlistment **20** years **~** months

Enlisted (a) **St John's** Terms of Service (a) **DURATION** Service reckons from (a) **9/12/16**

Date of promotion to present rank **~** Date of appointment to lance rank **~**

Extended **()** Re-engaged **()** Qualification (b) **~**
or Corps Trade and Rate **~**

Occupation **Fisherman** Signature of Officer **[Signature]**

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c. during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...	} 26 OCT 1918		
		Disembarked...			
		Joined Battalion	} 3 NOV 1918		
		Transferred to U.K. <i>for Re-patriation</i>			
					<i>Comd. 1st Lt Col.</i>
					<i>Not Infantry Section</i>
				<i>G.H.Q</i>	<i>3rd Echelon.</i>
	<i>Don't</i>				

C.R. 3309

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

3309 Pte. Piercy, R.

MP.

C.R. 3309

Extract from Officers and men embarked St. John's 22-1-17

Sailed Halifax "S. S. NORTHLAND 17-6-17.

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#3309 Pte. R. Piercey.

C.R. 3309

Extract from Daily Orders Part I Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt., St. John's, Dec. 9th, 1917.

3309 Pte. Robert Piercey.

Attached to the Strength from Dec. 9th, 1917.

D 3309

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 3309 Rank Pte Name Piercy, Robert
 Date of Enlistment 8-11-16 Address Tommy Lane District St. John's
 Occupation Soldier Classification for Discharge 13 Medical Category E
 Recommendation S.M.B. Recommendation by Capt Disability Rating Less than 5%
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 14-4-19 for H. News H.
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am in a position to resume civilian occupation.

R Piercy

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable. \$60.00
- (b) ~~Clothing Supplied~~

Date 14-4-19 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. **Transportation and Release Certificate.**

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 2000 G. 5855 to his home at 7111 and Release Certificate No. 2133 issued.

Date 14-4-19

J.A. Snowling
Demobilization Officer

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 30-4-19

Date 14-4-19

H. M. Smith
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 16-4-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P136	B 268	B 121	1	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	1	
F 178	W 3494	B 122	1	Board 1st	" 2	1	<i>Handwritten</i>
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915		do 2nd	" 3	2	
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 14-4-19

J.A. Snowling
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records,
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

Date APR 16 1919

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

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

Date 19/4/19

J.P. Howard Esq.
for officer i/c Records

Reg. No. *3309* Rank *Pte* Name *Piercey Robt.*

Attested Address *Roman's Cove S.B.*

Allotment Allottee

Date of Allotment Returned from Overseas *7-2-19*

Embarked for Overseas *Loisicau* Cause *Discharge*

10.4.19. Rec. Adv. from the army

APR 14 1919 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

16.4.19. **DISCHARGE APPROVED BY DEMOBILIZATION**

R Percy

GR. 3309

~~LRD~~



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 3309 Name Robert Percy Corps Meth

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- | | |
|--|--|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Robert Percy</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>C. Adams Cove</u>
<u>St. John's Bay</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>20</u> Years - <u>0</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>fisherman</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>no</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>no</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... | 10. { Name |
| | { Corps |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? | 11. <u>yes</u> |

I, Robert Percy do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

E Dec 9/16 Robert Percy SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Harold S. Knight SIGNATURE OF WITNESS.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me on this 9 day of December 1916.

Signature of Attesting Officer Charles Aye

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the.....

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

Date.....1916

Place..... } Approving Officer.

† The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

* If so, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz:—(Name).....re-enlisted in the (Regiment).....on the (Date).....

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Robert Percy
 Apparent age 20 years - months. Height 5 feet 11 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 41 inches
 Range of expansion 2 1/2 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs Jonas Percy
Normans Cove | Relationship mother
L.B. Particulars as to Marriage

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

<small>(a)</small>	<small>(b)</small>	<small>(c)</small>	<small>(d)</small>

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

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

FORM K

No 3292



X

1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

Robert Percy

Regl. No. *3309*

I, *Robert Percy* hereby agree, until further notification by me and in similar official form to make an Allotment of *60* Dollars and Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} _{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} _{or} Persons concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins *Feb. 1st 1917*

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<i>5465</i>	<i>Mother</i>	<i>Loisine Percy</i>	<i>Normans Cove T. N.</i>	<i>60</i>
			Total Allotment, \$	

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) *Chas. R. Ayadelt*
 Officer Commanding
8 Company
St. John's
Jan. 18th
 191*7*

(Sig.) *Robert Percy*
 (Rank) *Pt.*

No. 3309 Rank Pike Name A. Percy

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

Note

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s d			
						From	To							
Balance					Balance		21 ¹² / ₇			10	3	10		
Acquittance Rolls		4	11	8	Pay @ Net Rate	22 ¹² / ₇	27 ¹² / ₁₈	68 ¹ / ₂	50	34	05	6	19	5 ⁴ / ₂
Hospital Advances					Nation Allow									
A.B. 64. (155 frees)		5	13	8	14 days @ 1/9	28 ¹² / ₁₈	11 ³ / ₁₈	12	50	6	00	1	4	6
P.&R.C. Payments														
10 5 1/2					8 2 8									
18.5.4					1.7.4									
Receipt No. 5870		8	0	0										
Cash 6021	11 ³ / ₁₈	1	7	4										

18.8.0

19.12.8

Note
27¹²/₁₈ 2/18

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

VOUCHER

In A/c with 3309 Pk. R. Purvey
1st Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Voucher No. 257
 Cheque No. VE 520193.

A/c No. _____ Name _____ C.B. Folio No. _____

Date	Sub-Voucher No.	Particulars	Amount
May 23		W & Debit of amount planned to credit to 30/c.	5
		<i>[Signature]</i>	
			£ 5

CERTIFICATION

Date 25/5/18.Reference Cable A/c No. 4443. 14/5/18. *[Signature]*Checked by R. Andrews (Sgt)Paymaster & Officer i/c Records. *[Signature]*

RECEIPT

May 25th 1918.

Received from the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT the sum of

4 Pounds

Pounds

Shillings,

and _____ Pence, in payment as above stated.

£ 5-0-0.[Sig.] *[Signature]*

NOTE: Please return this whole form intact to:

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,

58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W.

WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN DIRECT UNITED STATES CABLEGRAM



Prefix	Words	Order	Charge	At	SENT	FOR STAMPS
	13			To	By	
	8/5/18			VIA WESTERN UNION		THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.

TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To **MR ANTHONY PIERCEY**

NORMANS COVE TRINITY BAY (Newfoundland)

CABLE FIVE POUNDS THROUGH MILITIA

R PIERCEY

CHECKED
22/5/18

3309

Charge to

13 9/2 ✓
 26 6/2 ✓
 12 32 1/2 ✓
 2 8 ✓

CHARGED
 PAY BOOK
 Date 10/5/18 by [Signature]

Authorized.

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.

66 Victoria St. S.W. 1.

Signature _____ Address _____

CABLE ADDRESSES REGISTERED IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD, OR WITH ANY COMPANY, ARE AVAILABLE OVER THE LINES OF THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH-CABLE SYSTEM.

5293/172

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



N.F.P/27.

Officer Commanding,
1st Newfoundland Regt.,

No. 18

B. E. E.

STATEMENT of AMOUNTS DRAWN from PAY & RECORD OFFICE
to be entered in A.B's 64 of SOLDIERS CONCERNED.

REFERENCE:- No. 1938/37, 25/5/18, to O.C., 1st Battalion.

Date of Payment	Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Authority	Paid to	Amount		
					£	s	d
6/4/18	3309	Pte R. Piercey	Reply to memo 4513/125/P&A (22/3/18) dated 2/4/18 (3146)	Mrs. Margaret Grainer, 1, Sandgate Street, Ayr.	1	17	0

CERTIFIED that entries have been made in A.B's 64 of the
soldiers concerned.

O.C. " " Company,
Battalion.

Please RETURN this FORM INTACT to:-

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

5293/173

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./27.

Officer Commanding,
/1st Newfoundland Regt.,
B. E. E.

No. 12

STATEMENT of AMOUNTS DRAWN from PAY & RECORD OFFICE
to be entered in A.B.'s 64 of SOLDIERS CONCERNED.

REFERENCE:- No. 1938/37, 25/5/18, to O.C., 1st Battalion.

Date of Payment	Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Authority	Paid to.	Amount		
					£	s	d
6/4/18	3309	Pte R. Piercey SAB 11/5/18	Reply to memo 4513/125/P&A 22/3/18) dated 2/4/18 (3146)	Mrs. Margar et Grainer, 1, Sandgate Street, Ayr.	1	17	0

CERTIFIED that entries have been made in A.B.'s 64 of the
Soldiers concerned.

[Signature]
O.C. " " Company,
Battalion.

Please RETURN this FORM INTACT to:-

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

P.T.O

This Soldier was Wounded, and
evacuated 18/4/18, please

Gene Lunn
L. Capt.
LIEUT. COL.

COMMANDING 1st Bn. ROYAL NEW ZEALAND REGIMENT.

In 3rd London General Hosp
Wandsworth SW 18
27/4/18 *JL*

Form
G. 348
1917

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

MEMORANDUM

From *OC P&A*

To Officer Commanding,
1/Bn. Royal Nfld. Regt.
B. E. F.

FM/WF

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

ANSWER

Pay & Record Office,

22nd, March 1918

3309, PTE. R. PIERCEY,
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

With reference to the following letter from Margaret Grainer, 1, Sandgate Street, Ayr, 18/3/18 (2657), -

"Could you forward to me the sum of 37s. as Pte. Robert Piercey, No. 3309, 1st Coy, attached Machine Gun C, 1st. Royal Newfoundland Regt. Pte. Robert Piercey owes me that sum for his board during his leave from France. He said that I would get same from London, as he had money to get before going back to France. I can't afford to lose the money.

Would you kindly let me know if I will be able to get some? Hoping to hear from you at your earliest. 34s. for his board, and 3s. for a pocket book.

*B. E. F.**April 2nd 1918*

*This Soldier owes
this amount to be paid
and debited to his ac*

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT	
PAY & RECORDS	3146
Rec'd	5 APR 1918
Ack'd	Anal
LIEUT. COL	
COMMANDING 1st Bn. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
Comd.	
P & A.	✓
R. & C.	
B & E	
P.S.	

Kindly advise whether
this Soldier wishes the amount
paid and debited to his account,
please

R. D. Maxwell
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

WAROME

4556/1/P&A

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

Margaret Grainer,
1, Sandgate St,
Ayr, N. B.

22nd, March 1918

3309, PTE. R. PIERCEY,
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your letter 18/3/18
(2657), relative to an amount of £1.17. 0
stated to be due to you from the above named
Soldier: The matter is being referred to his
Commanding Officer for attention.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

FM/WF

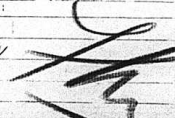
1 Sancelgate St
Ayr. 18th 3/18.

Sirs.

Could you forward
to me the sum, of
34 shillings. as Pte
Robert Pircey. WPO 3309
D. Coy. attached to the
G. C. 1st Royal
Newfoundland. Regt.
Pte. Robert Pircey owes
me that sum for his
board during his leave
from France. He will

3/4 shillings for his
board. and 3 shillings
for a pocket book.
total. 37 shillings

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.
Ref. Nos. 1 <u>9654</u>
Rec'd <u>20</u> MAR 1918
Ack'd
Ref. Nos. 101 <u>4572/125 4556/11</u>
BRANCH
Comd
P & V
R. & C
B & I
P.S.



that I would get some
from London, as he had
money to get before going
back to France.

I can't afford to lose the
money. Would you kindly
let me know if I will
be able to get some.

Hoping to hear from you
at your earliest.

I am

Faithfully Yours.
Margaret Greene

No. 10780/1040

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.

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

4th July 1918

July 12th 1918

Subject: 3309, Pte. R. Piercey

With reference to the following
telegram (6209) from the Hon.
Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 3309 Piercey £10:3:5

Draft £ 10:3:5 is enclosed
for payment to this Soldier.
Kindly obtain his receipt
hereon.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

Cham
COMMANDING OFFICER, ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
OFFICER COMMANDING, ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
LIEUT. COLONEL.

Received the sum of Ten pounds

Three & Five pence on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

R. Piercey
N 3309 Rank Pte

Witness: W.P. Wilson

1 Sandgate St. Cyr.
Scotland 14/4/18.

Paymaster.

Dear Sir.

Received cheque C/O 1914
3309
for £1-14-0. from Pte R.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
Percy J. Papp. Newfoundland.	
Ref. Nos. 3463	
Rec'd 16 APR 1918	
thanks. Yr. com	
Yours Truly,	
Edgard. Guiner.	
Comd.	
P & A. ✓	
R. & C.	
R & E	
F.S.	

No 3309.

OK
to be called
9/25/18

595

Ward 7
2nd London Gen. Hosp.
Wandsworth

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

Ref. Nos IN 4173

Rec'd 8 MAY 1918
Ack'd Ans'd

7-5-18

Let. Nos. OUT

The Chief Paymaster
Royal Nfld Regt

BRANCH
Comd
P & R
R & S
B & E
P.S.

Please send following
cable to Nfld. and charge
to my account.

Your obedient servant
3309 Rte R. Peircey

Mr. Anthony Peircey
Normans Cove
Inuit Bay

"Cable to 5 through Militia"

- Sir Please remit to me
the sum of £1 & charge the
same to my account

Chas R. Pirrey

3309

Royal Newfoundland
Regt



Signed
Approved by

General and
Capt

OK. £1.0.0.
4/5. 21-5-18.
Receipt no.

7299



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,
21st August 1918.

Please note that the TELEPHONE NUMBER of
this Office has been altered to:

Victoria 4923
Victoria 4924
(Two Lines).

With the compliments of the

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria St., S.W. 1.

S. S. M. Crocker

Pay at

N. Y. p 11412 for 13309 Piercy

was mailed to 2/1

with this office to 1673. 29/1/18.

J. P. Hardy

LR

P
Letter written a few days ago
to 2/B in re attached. Kindly attach
file in suspense.

NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINGENTTELEGRAM full text
extract from MINISTER OF MILITIA No. AG 89/18/37M

Dated 18 / 12 / 18 (11,055), Received 19 / 12 / 18

Decoded by H. H. B. Checked by J. L.Branch Pay. Acted upon (Initial) Acknowledged per No. dated / /

570.

Ascertain- wishes of- 3309- Piercey- re- allotment- of pay-
all ottee- deceased- cheques- outstanding- since- Dec. 31st-
1917- inclusive- fullstop.-

MILITARY.

1543/1/P&A.

SUSPENSE	CLEARED

Mrs. J. Piercey,
1, Drumlangrig Square
Hawick, N. B.

27th January, 1919.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

With reference to your letter 20/1/19, (750): Before claim for Separation Allowance can be admitted Marriage Certificate instead of Certificate of Marriage Notice, enclosed, must be forwarded to this Office.

Also kindly complete and return enclosed N.F.P.87a in support of claim, please.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Reeds.

FM/NM.

750 ✓
22 JAN 1919

1543/1

1 Drumlanrig Square
Nairn, Scotland

20.1.19

Sir;

I have received postal draft of 10th Jan.
to the value of £1.14.11, being Separation
Allowance & Allotment for the period from
1st to 14th Jan., 1919,

May I point out to you that I was
married to 454 Pte. J. C. Piercey, R., New Southland
Regt., on 22nd Nov. last, so will you please explain,
why I haven't received my Separation Allowance
& allotment from that date to the 1st January

Trusting this mistake will be rectified
at your early convenience.

Yours etc.
Mrs. J. Piercey

To the Paymaster,
Royal Newfld Regt.,
58 Victoria Street.

No. 3309 Rank, Pte. Name. Piercy R

Dr. "H" Coy Pay Book 6 1 10 ^{s. s. d.}
This man is on draft leave and can you pay him the balance due
to the end of the period, please.

Date.



Signed.

[Signature] Capt

2 10. 9
Receipt 9211

Cables and Telegrams:
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone:
VICTORIA 492 & 4.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS.

ENCLOSURE

N. F. P/38.
ORIGINAL.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 7876/336/P&A (3309)

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.

To The Hon. the Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

May 21st 1919.

FM/BC

SUBJECT:

3309 PTE. R. PIERCEY

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated June 22nd, 1919

Please return **ORIGINAL** and retain **DUPLICATE.**

With reference to your telegram (11055):

The necessary adjustment has been made, please.

"Ascertain-wishes of-3309-Piercey
"re-allotment-of pay-allottee-
"deceased-cheques-outstanding-
"since-Dec.31st-1917-inclusive-
"fullstop-"

Minutes of Memoranda exchanged with Officers Commanding, 1st & 2nd Battalions are enclosed for information .

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A. E. McKewan

Minister of Militia.

H. A. D. ...

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

[Handwritten signature]

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.
Ref. Nos. IN 4663
Rec'd 14 JUL 1919
Ref. Nos. OUT

PA. C. []
Comd. []
L. & C. []

[Handwritten signature]

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

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

Regtl. No.	Rank.	Name	Amount	Signature.
3309	Pte	Lucey	\$2.50	R. J.

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

Date

12/7/18

Robert Lucey

ACK'd dated	/ /	No. IN
Received	/ /	
REPLY dated	/ /	
Received	/ /	
LASI Ref No		
NEXT " "		

7576/536/P&A

The Hon. the Minister of Militia

St. John's.

PM/BC

May 21st

9.

Newfoundland.

3309 PTE. R. PIERCEY

With reference to your telegram (11055):

"Ascertain-wishes of-3309-Piercey
 "re-allotment-of pay-allottee-
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ACKT dated	/ /	No. IN
Received	/ /	
LT.P.Y dated	/ /	_____
Received	/ /	
LAST Ref No.		
NEXT " "		

7876/336/PA

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3309. Pte. R. Piercy

This man repatriated 30/1/19.
Consequently forms were not
signed. Presumably this
matter has been adjusted by
Pte. Piercy personally. ^{WRM}

Piersey Robert

3309

Pay Dept

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2309 Rank Pl Name Pursey Robert -
 Intended place of residence Romans Cove Trinity
 2. Occupation Fisherman
 Classification of soldier B Medical Category E

3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of.....
DEMobilIZATION.
Eligible for War Service Gratuity

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.
 Place ST. JOHN'S
 Date APR. 14 1919
 for H. News Comanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, of all financial responsibility in my connection.
 Place and date ST. JOHN'S
APR 14 1919
R. Pursey Signature of soldier
J. A. Snow 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
14-4-19
Robert Pursey Signature of soldier
J. A. Snow Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 8-11-16 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 16 4-19 14 days Service 904

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
APR 16 1919
R. H. Lait 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, Nfld.
 Date April 30, 1919
M. Stowley Capt Officer i/c Records
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

A. G. B. 2079/2141

22
31
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April 20, 1919

#2309 Pte. Robert Piercey,

Norman's Cove, T.B.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate
No. 2141."

Yours truly

Captain
Paymaster & O.i, c Records

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

Regimental No. 3309

Name Robert Percy

Address Normans Cove

Present Medical Category E

Recommended for:— { (a) ~~Immediate discharge~~
(b) Standing Medical Board.....

Members of Board {

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

Senior Medical Officer

J. P. Berdew
M. O. Depot

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 3309 Rank Pte Name Percy Robert
 Date of Enlistment 8-11-16 Address Norman Cove District Trinity
 Occupation fisherman Classification for Discharge B Medical Category E
 Recommendation S.M.B. permanently unfit Disability Rating Less than 5%
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P36	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	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 14-4-19 for H. News H
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am ✓ in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Percy

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable... \$60.00
 (b) Clothing Supplied... Abel Conston

Date 14-4-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *41300 G* to his home at *Normans Cove* and Release Certificate No. *2123* issued.

Date *14-4-19*
J.A. Newfield
 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 *30-4-19*

Date *14-4-19*
J.A. Newfield
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *16-4-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	
F 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 *14-4-19*
J.A. Newfield
 Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.
 Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

APR 16 1919

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

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

Date

Civil Re-establishment Committee



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

To resume former occupation
Fishing

A. Percy

Signature of Man.

J. A. Snowling

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Reg. No. 3309

Place **ST. JOHN'S**

Date

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Percy

Christian Name Richard

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.



Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on _____ day of _____ 191__	at _____	on _____ day of _____ 191__	at _____
Examined	8	St. John's.		
Declared Age	20	years		
Trade or Occupation	fisherman			
Height	5	feet 11 inches		
Weight		174 lbs.		
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded		41	inches
	Range of expansion		2 1/2	inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	—	—		
When Vaccinated	—			
Vision	R. E.—V=	6/6	R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=	6/6	L. E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	L. M. Patterson			
(Rank)	Major			
Enlisted	at _____	at _____		
	on 9 day of Dec 1916	on _____ day of _____ 191__		
Joined on Enlistment	Corps. 3rd Inf.	Regtl. No. 5309	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to	ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.			
Became non-effective by	on _____ day of _____ 191__	on _____ day of _____ 191__		
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing syphilis, admission of treatment
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
3rd LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH.	22	4	18	25	5	18	G.S.W L leg perforating simple, flesh.	33	

ist in case of Warrant officers treated in quarters.

on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of
is and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars
ment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.

Signature of Medical Officer

Wounded in France 18-4-18

GC Hall
Capt. Theal

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
Dec. 19, 1916	Vaccination LP
11-1-17 17-1-17 24-1-17 20-9-17	T.A.B. LP 3 LP Reince. <i>no</i>
<p>It is hereby certified that this soldier has been before the Standing Medical Board and has been classified as <u>B</u> for discharge on Demobilisation. Medical category <u>E</u></p> <p>10-4-19 Date of S.M.B.</p> <p><i>J. W. St.</i> Captain Assistant Adjutant Discharge Department</p>	

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
<i>S/S Storing Windeor</i>	3-1-17 3-2-17	3-2-17			



Department of Militia, Newfoundland

Medical Department

Medical Report on an Invalid

NOTES:—

- (a) This report is solely concerned with Pensions.
- (b) A single copy only is required.
- (c) "Aggravated" being now a technical term, carrying right to pension, discrimination in its use is essential.
- (d) Be as brief as possible compatible with lucidity.
- (e) Avoid dubiety—"perhaps" "possibly" "might" and the like.
- (f) Only sufficient clinical data need be given to establish the degree of disability and assist the Board in arriving at a decision.

STATEMENT OF CASE

Station *St Johns*

Date *April 15th 19*

1. Unit *Royal Newfoundland*
2. Regimental No. *3307*
3. Rank *Plt.*
4. Name *Percy R.*
5. Age last birthday *22*
6. Enlisted on *Dec 9th 16.*
at *St Johns.*
7. Former trade or occupation *fisherman*
8. Disability *9 sin left wrist.*
9 sin left leg.
9. History *9 sin. left wrist - Aug 14/17. Hoop 3 inks.*
9 sin. left leg. April 18/18. Hoop 3 inks

10. What is his present condition?

Well nourished good condition.

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

*Scars from 4 sur. on leg & arm healthy.
Complains little pain in leg on walking long distances
Heart & lungs normal*

11. Was sanatorium operation advised and refused?

No

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit?

No

Signature

[Handwritten Signature]

Rank or Qualification

Capt -

Remarks if any by Officer in 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.

Through & through wound of left leg w/impacting bone or nerve

Glancing wound left hand near thumb w/tearably. Teeth pad & complaints of bad taste. Well nourished

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market?

(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?

(State in percentage.)

less than 5%
less than 5%

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?

17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperence (b) Misconduct

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 Convalescent Hospital,
Jensen Tuberculosis Camp.

20. We recommend discharge from retention in the Army

Remarks if any:—

[Signature]
.....
President

Signatures *[Signature]* *[Signature]*
.....
[Signature]

Place *[Signature]*

Date *[Signature]*

APPROVED

Station

Date



[Signature]
.....
Administrative Medical Officer

No. *3309* Name *Robt Percy* ~~Sgt., Batty.,~~ *A & H* Corps ~~of Company~~ *ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT* Date of enlistment *9/12/16* ~~B.C. Budget~~ Service or Proficiency Pay *194*

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. } Character }
Company, etc. } *1000*

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

P.W.O.

May 2nd., 1919

#3309 Pte. Robert Piercy,

Horman's Cave, T.B.

Dear Sir:-

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

Yours truly

Paymaster & O. i/c Records. Captain,

1876

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

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

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration. There must be no blanks and no dashes. If any questions are not applicable, the words "NOT APPLICABLE" must be written out. On completion this Declaration is to be returned to THE OFFICER I/C

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

- 1. Christian name..... *Robert*
- 2. Surname..... *Pierney*
- 3. Rank..... *Private*
- 4. Regtl. No. *3309*
- 5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *Norman's Cove*
- *Trinity Bay.*
- 6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *Dec. 1916*
- 7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge..... ..
- 8. Relationship of such dependents..... *none*
- *not applicable*
- 9. Address in full of such dependents..... *not applicable*
-
- 10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier..... *not applicable*
- 11. Were you on active service only in Rfld. If so, give dates and particulars of such service..... ..
- *No. I went overseas Jan'y. 1917*
-
- 12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Rfld. or Overseas..... *2 years 4 months*
- *13*

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 Rest? If not give? - (a) date of discharge *Apr. 14th 1919* (b) Reason for discharge
..... *Demobilization*

20. Did you at any time serve at the front in an actual theatre of War? If so give particulars of places, and dates of such service.
..... *France 1917 + 1918 + 1919.*

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com. (b) If so are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee.
..... *not applicable*

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

Signature of Applicant: *Robert Percy*

Place of Residence: *homas Cove, D. W.*

Declared before me at: *St. John's*

This *15th* day of *April* 19*.19*....

Chas. D. Hunt

Signature of Barrister of the
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Legis-
trate, Notary Public, Justice of the Peace,
Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits. *Barrister at Law*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier.	Paid Dependent.	War Service Gratuity.	Net amount due
.....	<i>5 mes</i>	<i>25.00</i>
.....

Certified correct.

Registrar

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This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1915

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the Appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of *Robert Percie*

aged *19 years 11 months* conducted at

Date: *Nov 8 1916* Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST

FINDING

- 1 *no*
- 2 *no*
- 3 *no*
- 4 *no*
- 5 *no*
- 6 *no*
- 7 *yes*
- 8 *yes*
- 9 *no - h*
- 10 *h*
- 11 *h*
- 12 *h*
- 13 *h*
- 14 *h*
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- 29 *h*
- 30 *h*
- 31 *h*
- 32 *h*

h with to be attended to

h $\frac{1}{2}$ book.

Do report for

3309

no
5'11"

174 38 1/2 - 41"

\$400 per year

Mother Mrs Luara Percie Norman Cove 7 B

yes mother

Bill 6/10

Signature of Medical Examiner:

JW Barden

ACC	<i>Trans</i>
CH	<i>2097</i>
PA	<i>Regn of 2</i>
GEN	<i>1/17/19</i>

The Department of Militia,

The sum of *Five* \$ *5* Dollars and *3309* Cents is due *Pte R. P. Perry* for driving No. *1*

Rank *Private* Name *Youmans Cove* From *New Harbour*
 To *Youmans Cove*

Amount \$ 5.00

Vouchers attached,

Ad
 DISTRICT OFFICER
 NEWFOUNDLAND
 MAY 3 1919
 COMMANDING

2/5/19

J. P. Innes
 Demobilisation Officer
 Discharge Depot - Newfoundland
 Lieut.
 Demobilisation Officer.

No. *g.* 505

TRAVELLING WARRANT

Date *14-4-19* The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

General

Please issue 1st Class Passage and Meals for

No. *3309* Rank *plte* Name *Pierrey R.*

From ~~ST. JOHN'S~~ To *Parsons Cove*

New Harbour

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

PLEASE QUOTE THIS WARRANT NUMBER
ON STATEMENT AND MEAL CHECKS

J.A. [Signature]

SIGNATURE OF ISSUING OFFICER.

Substitution Office
Depot - Newfoundland

May 29, 1919

Pte. R. Piercy,
Norman's Cove, T.B.

Dear Sir:

I enclose cheque for \$5.00, amount of refund
due you on account of transportation to your home, paid by
you.

Yours truly,

Capt.
Paymaster.

ST. JOHN'S, April 4/19

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Pte R Piercey

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Feb 8/19 to April 16/19

330 of Pte R Piercey @ 70. 30

~~B. P. M. E. W.~~
16279 E. W.

Certified correct for \$ 70.30

J. A. Howland
Billeting Officer.
R. Piercey

2002