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FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

St. J.

No. *2751*

Name *Peter Joseph Power*

Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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|--|---|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <i>Peter Joseph Power</i> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <i>Angels Place</i> |
| | <i>St. John's</i> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <i>Yes</i> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <i>22</i> Years <i>4</i> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <i>Barber</i> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <i>Yes</i> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <i>No</i> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <i>Yes</i> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <i>Yes</i> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... | 10. <i>FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR</i> 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. <i>Yes</i> |

I, *Peter Joseph Power* 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.

8. May 16th. 16

Peter Joseph Power SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Charles Aye Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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

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

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at *St. John's*

on this *16th* day of *May* 191*6*

Signature of Attesting Officer *Charles Aye Capt*

†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 *Discharged Aug 19/16* } Approving Officer.
Place

† 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).....



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2751 Name Peter Joseph Power Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. Peter Joseph Power
2. What is your full Address? 2. Angel's Place
St. John's
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 22 Years 4 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Barber
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.
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 9. Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... } 10. { Name
Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? } 11. Yes

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Peter Joseph Power

Apparent age 22 years 4 months. Height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 33 1/2 inches
Range of expansion 2 inches

Distinctive marks.....

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs. Peter Power Angel Place, St. Johns. | Relationship Wife.

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) <u>Elizabeth Murphy Spinster</u>	(b) <u>St. Johns, Sept. 11th. 1913</u>	(c) <u>Angel Place, St. Johns.</u>	(d) <u>CMA. Cpt.</u>
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Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth
<u>Percy</u>	<u>September 1914 St. Johns.</u>
<u>Margaret</u>	<u>February 1916 St. Johns.</u>

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
				Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>16-5-16</u>					<u>18-8-16</u> Discharged Medically Capt
				Joined at <u>St. Johns</u> on <u>May 16th 16</u>					
<u>to overseas Service,</u>									
<u>Total Service forfeited as above.....</u>									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>18-8-16</u> [date of discharge] <u>—</u> years <u>95</u> days									
Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									



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 Peter Power

aged 23 yr conducted at Co B

Date: Wch 30/6 Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST

FINDING

1 No
2 No
3 Slight - 1 yr ago
4 No
5 No
6 No
7 Yes
8 Yes
9 No
10 No
11 No
12 No
13 No
14 No
15 No
16 No
17 No
18 No
19 6/19 R
20 No
21 No
22 No
23 No
24 No
25 No
26 No
27 No
28 No
29 No
30 No
31 No
32 No
33 1 scar left arm 12 yrs.
34 5 1/2"
35 123
36 21 1/2 / 33 1/2
37 \$ 48.00 month
38 parents wife Mrs Peter Power 74 Patrick St
39 wife & 2 children

No report
april 7

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Signature of Medical Examiner: William Robert

St Johns
May 10th 1916

Dear Sir I am satisfied
for my Husband to Enlist

I remain yours.

Mrs. Peter Power,

74 Patrick Street

Patrick Street
St. John's
April 3rd 1866

Wth Montgomerie

Dear Sir

My husband has gone and volunteered for war, but I want to tell you it is contrary to my wishes, and I do not wish him to go. I thot - he did not mean to do so, but - I have found it - to be so, and that - he has passed medical examination, which I cannot understand, as he is naturally delicate, and only a week ago was in bed for a number of days and not a year ago was in hospital with Rheumatism. I thot - it - was strong men were wanted to be Soldiers and my husband is certainly not - that. So sir, I

beg. if you not to accept-
him. He has two children
and myself dependant on
him, and I am confident
that he would be doing
an injustice to both them
and himself, as he is not
equal to the strenuous
work of preparing for war
not to say being actually
at the front—

Trusting Sir, that this
note may forego his leaving
home

I remain

Respectfully yours

Lizzie Power

(address)

Mrs. Peter Power,
Garrick Street—
St. Johns

2751 P. Power.

EXTRACT of report by Major L. Paterson, August 17th, 1916.

"I am of opinion that this man is unfit for Military service
his condition is not due to Military Service."

Disgd. 18/8/16.
A.C.P.

Original in M-576

C.R.

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Peter J. Power was attested for General service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on May 16th. 1916.
Regimental No ²⁷⁵¹ was allotted to Pte. **P J Power**

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

Power Peter

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Pay Dept

Certificate to be signed by Soldier on Discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my Pay and Allowances(including Clothing Allowances) and all just demands up to the present date.

Date Aug 30/18 ^{1883.} P. J. Power Sig. of Soldier.

Place M. Johns H. H. Maddick Sig. of Witness
Leut.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Powers

OF

Christian Name Prof. Peter

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish		County	
		SPECIAL RESERVE.	REGULAR ARMY
Examined	on <u>30</u> day of <u>March</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on	day of 191
	at <u>St. Johns. N.F.</u>	at	
Declared Age	<u>127</u> years <u>4</u> mo. <u>days</u>	years	days
Trade or Occupation	<u>Banker.</u>		
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>8 1/2</u> inches	feet	inches
Weight	<u>125</u> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>33 1/2</u> inches		inches
	Range of expansion... <u>2</u> inches		inches
Physical Development			
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right
	Arm	<u>1</u>	
	Number		
When Vaccinated	<u>12 years ago.</u>		
Vision	R.E.— <u>6/6</u>	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.— <u>6/6</u>	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)	(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)	(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>James D. Pallas</u>		
(Rank)	<u>Major</u> Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at <u>St. Johns</u>	at	
	on <u>30</u> day of <u>March</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.
	<u>1st Regt.</u>	<u>2751</u>	
Transferred to			
Became non-effective by			
(Signature)	on	day of 191	on
(Rank)			day of 191

