



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 5821 Name Henry B Roberts Corps Militia

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Henry B Roberts</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Bruden C B</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>27</u> Years |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Farming</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, Henry B Roberts 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.

H B Roberts SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Pte A Bonoulton Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Henry B Roberts 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 Johns on this 19 day of July 1915

Signature of Attesting Officer C B Dricks

† 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 rank of Private.

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

Date 20-7-1915

Place St Johns

Approving Officer. Walter H

† 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 Henry B Roberts
 Apparent age 25 years 0 months. Height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 34 inches
 Range of expansion 4 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Thomas Roberts
Brigus | Relationship Father

Particulars as to Marriage

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow.		(b) Place and date of marriage.	
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed 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 " _____ [" "] _____ " _____



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- 4. What is your age? 4. 25 Years Months
- 5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Farming
- 6. Are you Married? 6. No
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Place St. John's } Approving Officer. H. Stanley, Lt.

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(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.

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					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>9-7-18</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>July 19-1918</u>									
<p style="font-size: 2em; font-family: cursive;">Discharged Medically unfit 14-8-1918</p>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 14-8-1918 [date of discharge] 27 years 27 days
 " " Pensions " [" "] " " "

C.R. 5821

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt. St. John's, dated August 19th, 1918.

5821 Pte. H.V. Roberts.

Struck off the strength from 14/8/18-
Authority K.R. Para. 392-Sub/ Sec. (iii) (c)

C.R. 1285

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

5821 Pte. H. Roberts.

Discharged 14-8-18, K.&R/E.

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt. St. John's, dated July 20, 1918.

#5821 Pte. Henry Roberts.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Nfld. Regt.

19-7-18

Roberts, H

5821

Ray Sept.



Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. <u>5821</u>	Army Rank <u>Puwak</u>
Name <u>Robert Henry</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
Corps <u>THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT</u>	
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <u>H. Johns. Mea</u> <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>	
Date of discharge <u>AUG 14 1918</u>	
Place of discharge <u>H. Johns Mea</u>	
1. Description at the time of discharge.	
Age <u>26</u> years _____ months Height <u>5</u> feet <u>6.7</u> inches Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded <u>34</u> ins. range of expansion <u>4</u> ins. Complexion <u>Sallow</u> Eyes <u>Grey - Green</u> Hair <u>Black</u> Trade <u>Fisherman</u> Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable) <u>Brequis.</u>	Descriptive marks.
<p>(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)</p>	
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>Mentally deficient</u> <u>(Not due to Military Service)</u>	
<p>(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)</p>	
3. Military character :— _____ _____	
4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations :— _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____	
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.	
_____ Initials of Commanding Officer.	
Army Form B. 2068 has been issued to* _____	

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

5. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badges (if the man is a N.C.O. and enlisted prior to 1st July, 1881, the number he would have been entitled to had he not been promoted should be stated).

Is it probable that he will be entitled to another good conduct badge before the confirmation of these proceedings?

Classification for service, or proficiency pay... .. Class _____

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education

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

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
HEADQUARTERS
ORDERLY ROOM
AUG 14 1918

[Signature]
Commanding Depot Battn. R. N. Regiment.

8. Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.

I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
HEADQUARTERS
ORDERLY ROOM
AUG 14 1918

[Signature] (Signature of Soldier.)
[Signature] Ass't Adjutant (Signature of Witness.)
Depot The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward his proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)

9. Additional certificate in the case of a soldier who takes his discharge at his own request.

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

(Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to _____ (the date to which the record of service is completed) _____ years _____ days.

Further service " " _____ (the date of confirmation of discharge) " " "

12-11-18 to 11-8-18 Total ... " 29 " "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for _____ (date)

(Place) _____

[Signature]

(Date) _____

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

To be Noted

Part II. Orders _____
Card Index _____
Nominal Roll _____



The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

REPORT OF HEADQUARTERS TRAVELLING BOARD HELD ON SOLDIER ON REGIMENTAL STRENGTH

Depot: Headquarters, Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date August 6, 1918

Regimental No. 5821

Name Roberts Henry

Address _____

Disease or Disability mentally deficient

Finding of last Standing Medical Board, _____

held on _____ 19 _____

Present Condition not due to military service

Recommendation Discharge

Category _____

Members
of
Board

R. H. Last Capt.

O. C. Depot

W. Barden

D. D. M. S.

Accepted

M. O. Depot

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Roberts

Christian Name Henry

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE

Birthplace :—Parish

Brunswick

County

Newfoundland

	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	19	July		191
	at	St John's	at	
Declared Age	25	years		days
Trade or Occupation	Fisherman			
Height	5	feet	6 1/2	inches
Weight				lbs.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded	34		inches
	Range of Expansion		4	inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R. E.—V=	6/60	R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=	6/80	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)				
(Rank)	Medical Officer		Medical Officer	
Enlisted	at	St John's	at	
	on	19	day of	July
		1918		191
	Corps		Corps	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	Royal Nfld 5821 Regiment			
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on	day of	191	on
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at Headquarters on July 19 1918

1. Name Amey Roberts. Age (a) Declared 25
(b) Apparent

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? Under Doctor's care.

What severe illnesses have you had?

Scouring about 1 1/2 years ago.

Eyes. Brown
Comp. Dark.
Marks. —

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3. Height 5ft 6 1/2 Weight 122.
4. Eyesight (a) Left 4/60 (2.) (b) Right 6/80 (2.)
5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) ~

6. Examination of Lungs ~

Measurement (a) Expiration 30 (b) Inspiration 34

7. Examination of Heart ~

8. Examination of Urine ✓

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

Teeth
Throat
Nose
Ears—(Otorrhea)
(Deafness)

} ~

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10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when?

11. Name and address of next of kin

Sp. Father Thomas Briggs.

REMARKS—

Reason to believe that sight is not nearly as poor as stated.

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Archibald
W. Burden

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B 121.
39.

Regiment of Royal Newfoundland

Number of Sheet one
Signature of O. C. Company C. B. Dicks Lieut.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade
No.	<u>5821 Henry Roberts</u>	Age on	<u>25</u> years <u>0</u> months	<u>Larson</u>
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St John's</u>	Religion
Joined	Date	Period of	} with Colours <u>21</u> years.	Place of Birth
Joined	Date			

Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Name of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<u>Medically Unfit</u>	<u>St John's</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>8</u> <u>78</u>		

To be carried over.

Reg. No. 5821 Rank Pte Name Robert Henry

Attested 20-7-18 Address

Allotment Allottee

Date of Allotment Returned from Overseas

Embarked for Overseas Cause

1-5-18 Deal Quarters Travelling See Discharge
(Mentally deficient)

Struck off the strength from 14-9-18. No's 146.

Depot
5821

August 24th, 1918

From Officer Commanding,
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,
Militia Department

Strength Decreases.

5195 Pte. B. Murphy
5419 " G. Diamond
5821 " H. Roberts
5567 " L. Jensen

Marginally noted men have been discharged from Depot Strength on recommendation of Headquarters Travelling Board, as unfit for Military Service.

Their Company Pay Accounts have been squared up to and including date of their discharge, date of which is noted below, together with amount of allotments current.

Complete documents are sent under separate cover.

	<u>Date of Dis.</u>	<u>Allot.</u>
5195 Pte. B. Murphy	19-8-18	None
5419 " G. Diamond	17-8-18	60%
5821 " H. Roberts	14-8-18	None
5567 " L. Jensen	17-8-18	None