



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF



No. 2533 Name Walter B. Rowell Corps 1st

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

1. What is your name? ..... 1. Walter B. Rowell
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. Leading Ticker
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 19 Years 8 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Printer
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. No Corps 1st
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

FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR

I, Walter B. Rowell 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.

ap. 10/16 Walter B. Rowell SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
H. Outbridge Signature of Witness.

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

I, Walter B. Rowell 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.....

on this 19 day of ap. 1916

H. Outbridge Signature of Attesting Officer

### †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 compiled with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the.....

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

Date.....1916 } 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).....

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Walter Louisee  
 Apparent age 19 years 8 months. Height 5 feet 3 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches  
 Range of expansion 2 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Walter Russell  
Living Tibles | Relationship father

### Particulars as to Marriage

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

<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									
" " " Pension " [ " " ] " " "									

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

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Name John Russell  
 Apparent age 21 years 8 months. Height 5 feet 3 1/2 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches  
 Range of expansion 2 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin John Russell  
100 St. John's St. | Relationship father

### Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

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					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>10-4-16</u>									Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries <u>John Russell</u> 18 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>19</sub>
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>April 10<sup>th</sup> 16</u>									
<u>Discharged May 18 1919</u>									
<u>Embarked for 1st John's Bn. 19<sup>th</sup> 16</u> <u>Embarked for</u> <u>Bt. S. 11-10-16</u> <u>Wounded 14<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Admitted 14<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Gen. Hosp. Normans 19<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Admitted 16<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Invalided to England 17<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Admitted 3<sup>rd</sup> 18</u> <u>Wandsworth 17<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Discharged then attached</u> <u>May depot 20-6-17</u> <u>Embarked for Bt. S. 5<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Disembarked Normans 7-8-17</u> <u>Transferred</u> <u>to England 12<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Reported at 1st Bn. at port to Eng. 16<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Attached 1st Bn. camp 17<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Embarked for Bt. S. 26<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>Joined Battalion 3<sup>rd</sup> 18</u> <u>Transferred from Bt. S. to Normans 19<sup>th</sup> 17</u> <u>to title for demobilization 20-4-19.</u> <u>Arrived 17<sup>th</sup> 4-19</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above. <u>Demobilization</u>									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>18-5-19</u> [date of discharge]									
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 Walter B. Rawseel.

aged 19 years

conducted at C. L. B.

Date: April 16

Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

1 No

2 No

3 No

4 No

5 No

6 No

7 Yes

8 Yes

9 No

10 H

11 H

12 H

13 Rects to come out

out April 14/16  
RN

14 H

15 H

16 H

17 H

18 H

19 6/9 left 6/6 right

20 H

21 H

22 H

23 H

24 H

25 H

26 H

27 H

28 H

29 H

30 H

31 H

32 H

33 no.

34 5 3/4

35 159

36 34/36

37 26.0 per month

38 months

39 hours

25 8/3

In case Rawseel - Leading Tubles.

Signature of Medical Examiner: William Roberts

WBR



C.R. 2533

Extract from telegram from Syn. to MIL. Dated April 4/1919.

Following have embarked at Liverpool April 2nd.,  
Scandinavian to St. John N. B. in charge 2/Lieut. Western.

#2533 Rowsell & Wife.

Receipt for Army Book 64

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No. 2533 Name W. H. Rowse

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

Name W. B. Rowell

Date 24... 7... 20...

Place Leading.. Lickles.. West..

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

DUPLICATE  
MAIL COPY

ENCLOSURE

Posted.....MAR 1919

3065/101/P&A

CR 2533



The Hon. The Minister of Militia,  
St. John's,  
NEWFOUNDLAND.

PM/PK.

21st February 9.

2635 PTE. W.B. ROWSELL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Copies of correspondence relating to the above soldier's claim for Separation Allowance are forwarded for your consideration.

In this connection reference may be made to Canadian Routine Order No.5269 of 6/2/19 which gives the procedure for dealing with such cases. The claim is therefore submitted for your decision as to whether Separation Allowance should be granted, and perhaps you may consider it advisable to telegraph if any further action should be taken by this office, please.

Capt.  
Asst. Paymaster.  
For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Reads.

*not used.*



Minutes (1)

27/12/18.

From, Mrs. Janet P. Rowsell,  
31, Miller Road, Ayr, N.B.

To, Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,

I have been married since the 21st Oct. to Pte. W. B. Rowsell, 2553,  
21st Royal Newfoundland Regt. and I have never received any pay yet.  
You might see to it please and oblige.

(sd) Janet P. Rowsell,

11308/ 28/12/18

450/1/P&A

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8/1/19

From, Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

To, Mrs. J. P. Rowsell,  
31, Miller Road, Ayr, N. B.

Separation Allowance,  
2553, Pte. W. B. Rowsell.

With reference to your letter 27/12/18 (11308) regarding Separation Allowance: I order to support the claim you are required to complete the enclosed Statutory Declaration, N.F.P.87a, before Magistrate of your District, and return it to this Office as soon as possible. Marriage and Character Certificates are also required, and the former will be returned to you when the claim has been dealt with, please.

(sd) H. A. Timewell, Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Rcds.

(3)

8/1/19

From, Lt. T. G. McIntosh,  
31st South African Infantry,

To, Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

I beg to bring to your notice a grave of Mrs. Rowsell, wife of 2553, Pte. W. B. Rowsell, "H" Co. 2/1 Royal Newfoundland Regiment. They were married on Oct. 21st 1918, the marriage papers were sent in to Headquarters and acknowledged, with a view to obtaining the necessary Separation Allowance. As Mrs. Rowsell has never received any payment will you please have this expedited as early as possible. Sometime ago Mrs. Rowsell notified your Office as to the above neglect, but all her communications having been ignored she is due some explanation. I should deem it a favour should you grant me per return an explanation as to why no Separation Allowance has been paid. Thanking you in anticipation.

(sd) T. G. McIntosh, Lieut.  
31st S. A. I.

342/ 11/1/19,

745/1/P&A

15/1/19.

From, Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Rcds.,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

To, Lt. T. G. McIntosh, 3rd S.A.I.  
"Glenbuck", Douglas, N.B.

2553, Pte. W.B. Rowsell,

With reference to your letter 8/1/19 (342) on behalf of the above Soldier's wife, permit me to point out that the responsibility of claiming Separation Allowance rests entirely with the soldier concerned.

On receipt of Mrs. Rowsell's letter 27/12/18, stating that she had not received Separation Allowance the matter was reported to Pte. Rowsell's Command Officer who was asked to cause the necessary documents to be prepared, and meanwhile the customary form of Declaration has been forwarded to her for completion. Up to the present the documents

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asked for have not come to hand and a reminder has been sent to the Officer Commanding, 2nd Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.

(sd) H. A. Timewell, Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Rcds.

P.S. Since dictating the foregoing reply of O. C. 2/Bn has been received to contents of which have been conveyed to Mrs. Rowsell.

449/84/P&A

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10/1/19.

From, Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,

To, Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Winchester.

2533, pte. W. B. Rowsell.

With reference to the following letter from Mrs. J. P. Rowsell, 31, Miller Road, Ayr, Scotland, 27/12/18 (11308)-  
"I have been married since the 21st October to Pte. W.B.Rowsell, 2533, 2/1 Royal Newfoundland Regt. and I have never received any pay yet. You might see to it please, and oblige"

"Yours sincerely,  
Janet P. Rowsell"

No documents relating to Claim for Separation Allowance in favour of the above soldier's wife have so far been received in this Office. Will you kindly cause enquiry to be made and if Mrs. Rowsell's statement is correct, complete the enclosed N.F.'s P.82 and 84 and 11, and forward to this Office supported by Marriage and Character Certificates as customary, please.

(sd) H. A. Timewell, Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

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Jan.14/19,

From, Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

To, Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt., London.

Pte. Rowsell was refused permission to marry by me, on the recommendation of my M.O. as he was suffering from Venereal Disease. In the circumstances I am not prepared to sign N.F.P.84. Canadian Routine Order No.2291, para.1.A. of 23/8/17 and your letter 10508/614 would appear to make my permission necessary before application for Separation Allowance can be admissible.

(sd) B. T. Barton, Lieut. Colonel,  
Com. 2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

458/ 15/1/19.

1756/2/P&A

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30/1/19

From, Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

To, Mrs. J. P. Rowsell,  
31, Miller Road, Ayr, N.B.

2533, Pte. W. B. Rowsell,

With reference to your letter 27/12/18 (11308) regarding the question of Separation Allowance: Your husband's Commanding Officer has advised that for Medical reasons he refused to grant permission to marry. It is regretted therefore that in view of the present Regulations your claim for Separation Allowance is not admissible.

(sd) F. W. Marshall, Capt-for Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

1757/250/P&A

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30/1/19.

From, Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

To, Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt. Winchester.

2533, Pte. W. B. Rowsell.

Reference the preceding Minutes: Under the Canadian Regulations there is a standing board appointed, whose duty it is to make enquiries as to the wife's character on the grounds that if the wife is of good character she should not be penalized as under the circumstances she stands to lose on all sides. It is therefore suggested that for the present purposes you institute inquiries through the Local Police Authorities, and the Soldiers' and Sailors' Families Association, meanwhile do you approve of an allotment of 50¢ of pay being put into force against Rowsell's account.

(sd) F. W. Marshall, Capt. for Major,  
Chief Paymaster & Officer 1/c Records.

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3/2/19.

From, Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Winchester.

To, Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt, London.

I am quite satisfied as to Mrs. Rowsell's good character, and if it is the wish of the Newfoundland Authorities I have no objection to sanctioning the marriage. I would point however that if this sanction is taken in this case I shall be unable to refuse sanction to similar cases in the future. I have found in the past that the fact that the issue of Separation Allowance depends on my approval of the marriage has acted as an effective deterrent to certain men whose state of health as represented by my M.O. renders it undesirable that they should marry, until their cases are completed.

(sd) B. T. Barton, Lt. Colonel,  
Comdg. 2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.

1147/ 4/2/19



C.R. 2533

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.  
Regt. by Lt. Col. T.G. Mathias, D.S.O. Commanding 1st  
Battn, 3-11-18.

The following joined the <sup>B</sup>attn, 3-11-18.

2533 Pte. W. Rowsell.

A Coy.

Cables and Telegrams :  
"SYNOPTICAL" London.

Telephone :  
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

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

**ENCLOSURE**

N. F. P/32A

**DUPLICATE**

**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.**

**MEMORANDUM.**

No. 5065/101/P&A

C.R. 2533

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

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

21st February 1919.

FM/PL

**SUBJECT :**

2533 PTE. W.B. ROWSELL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.  
Reference Nos.

**REPLY**

Dated March 2nd., 1919

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

Copies of correspondence relating to the above soldier's claim for Separation Allowance are forwarded for your consideration.

In this connection reference may be made to Canadian Routine Order No. 5269 of 6/2/19 which gives the procedure for dealing with such cases. The claim is therefore submitted for your decision as to whether Separation Allowance should be granted, and perhaps you may consider it advisable to telegraph if any further action should be taken by this office, please.

Claim has been disposed of and payments made, please.

Lieut. Col.  
Chief Staff Officer.  
for Minister of Militia.

*F. H. Marshall* Capt.  
Asst. Paymaster.  
For Chief Paymaster & O.I/c.Recds.

C.R. 2533

3 - 10 - 19

To

A. E. Hickman

My master of Militia

Dear Sir.

I saw  
by the paper where we had to apply for our  
"General Service Ribands." Would you be kind  
enough to send mine to address given below  
Co. Plt. W. B. Russell 2899  
leading Section (West)  
Y. D. Bay

Ribbon Posted 6/10/19  
W.B.



Cables and Telegrams :  
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :  
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

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

N. F. P/38A.

DUPLICATE.

ENCLOSURE

# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

## MEMORANDUM.

No. ~~2533/562/PAA~~ **C.R. 2533**

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

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

28th May 1919

**SUBJECT :**

2533  
1801, Pte. W. B. Rowsell,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
Reference Nos.

**REPLY**

Date **July 15th**

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Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

The enclosed copies of  
correspondence exchanged with  
Mr. F. McDonald, 279, Chamberlayne  
Road, Eastleigh, Hants., 10/5/19,  
is forwarded for such action as  
you may consider desirable.

Pte Rowsell embarked per  
S. S. "Corsican" 31/1/19.

*A. J. Munro*  
Major,  
Chief Staff Officer (London).

This man has been commu-  
nicated with, and herewith is copy  
of his reply which states that he  
is taking the matter up with Mr.  
McDonald. You will note that  
his number is 2533, not as quoted  
on the obverse.

FM/S

Minister of Militia.

Address:-

Walter B. Rowsell,

Rowsell's Island,

Leading Tickles, West,

Notre Dame Bay,

Newfoundland.

From 2533 Ex. Pte Walter B. Rowse  
Rowse J. J. J.  
Leading Gunner's Mat.  
W.B. Rowse

June 25 1919.

To Chief Staff Officer  
Department of Militia

Recd your letter to day concerning  
Mr McDonald.

Will send a letter  
from Mr McDonald. I have not  
yet on taking steps for to settle it  
by self. I am writing Mr McDonald  
if there is any other word comes  
concerning this would you please reply  
keeping it quiet if you can  
on doing this week. Sorry for  
to have this letter. I must cover  
me but I will settle it by self.  
So I am your obedient servant.

2533 Ex. Pte Walter B. Rowse



C.R. 2533

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Royal Newfoundland  
Regiment Depot St. John's dated May 26th 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on Demobilization has  
been CONFIRMED by Officer i/o Records from noted date  
18/5/19.

2533, Pte. Walter Rowsell.

C.R. 2533

Extract from Daily Orders part II, depot St. John's  
dated May 6th., 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilisation has  
been APPROVED by C. J. Discharge Depot on 5-6-19.

#2533 Pte. Walter Rowsell.

C.R. 2533

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft NO28  
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Folke-  
stone., 5-8-17.

2533 Pte. W.B. Howsell.



C.R. 2533

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft NO28  
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Folke-  
stone., 5-8-17.

2533 Pte. W.B. Howsell.

C.R. 2533

Extract from Daily orders part II, Depot St. John's dated April 19, 1919

The w/n ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ returned from Overseas and reported at  
Depot 17-4-19.

2533 Pte. W. Rowsell.

C.R. 2533

Extract from Hospital Roll of the Royal H.Q. Regt.  
24-1-18.

The Underwent found who was transferred from  
H.Q. to the 2nd Bn. Winchester, 19-1-18, awaiting  
repatriation.

Rowsell  
2533 Pte. W. Russell.



C.R. 2533

Extract from Telegram despatched to Synoptical, London,  
dated June 4th, 1918.

Pay to a s follows:-

#2533 Pte. Rowsell,

£5.

C.R.25-33

Extract from Annual List of Improvement Draft No. 55, Internal Folio, 26/10/14, from 2nd Batta, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, Massey Barracks, St. John's, to 1st Batta, Royal Newfoundland Regiment N.S.F.

2533 Pte. Rowsell, W.B.

MINUTES.

.279, Chamberlayne Road,  
Eastleigh, Hants.,  
23/4/19.

Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

Dear Sir,

I have been advised by the C. O., in reference to private W. Rowsell of "H" Company, Newfoundland Infantry, lately stationed at Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, by whom my daughter has got into trouble to ask you to intercede on my daughters' behalf regarding present expenses and what is likely to follow. I have had to place her in a rest home at present which is costing 9/- per week and as I am only a working man with standing wages of 34/- per week it is a very big pull on me under present conditions and should the child live there will be other serious expenses to follow. He promised to make arrangements before he left England but he has not kept his word as he left for home three weeks ago with others of the Company. Trusing you will take this into your earnest consideration.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,  
(sd) F. McDonald.

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7295/2/P&A

10th May 1919

Mr. F. MacDonald,  
279, Chamberlayne Road,  
Eastleigh, Hants.,

Sir,

With reference to your letter 23/4/19 (3138); Kindly inform me whether you are aware of the Soldier's Regimental Number.

The particulars you have given point to a certain soldier who has left for Newfoundland recently, but it is necessary that his regimental number be quoted to enable him to be identified.

Your daughter's case is an unfortunate one and it is regretted that no assistance can be rendered by this Office. On receipt of your reply quoting regimental number, your letter will be sent on the Minister of Militia, St. John's, Newfoundland, for his consideration.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

(sd) F.W.Marshall, for Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.,

3.

279, Chamberlayne Road,  
Eastleigh, Hants.,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,

Dear Sir,

In answer to your letter 10/5/19 7295/2/P&A: I regret I am unable to obtain the Regimental Number of the soldier referred to, but he belonged to "H" Co. and I am given to understand he was the only man of that name in the regiment. I am in possession of his address in Newfoundland of which I enclose a copy if you think it will be of any use.

Thanking you very much for kindness.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,  
F. McDonald.



G.

15th May, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 8th instant, regarding the notification of the wounding of Private Walter B. Rowsell, and beg to say that on the 19th April we sent a message addressed to you at Leading Tickle, giving the information. The idea was that the message should be sent to the nearest station, and from there, transmitted to you. If this has not been done, it is an omission of the Postal Telegraph Office, and I very much regret the matter. As you remark, the first intimation of all such casualties is given to the next of kin of the soldier, and you certainly should have got this message long before the news reached you through other sources. I am asking the Postal Telegraph Office why they did not make delivery of the message.

Yours truly,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Israel A. Rowsell,  
Leading Tickle West,  
N.D.B.

Form 2

# Newfoundland Postal Telegraphs.

Office Stamp and Date.

From \_\_\_\_\_

SERVICE MESSAGE

MAY 16 1917

Time received \_\_\_\_\_

by \_\_\_\_\_

Time sent \_\_\_\_\_

by \_\_\_\_\_

From

Postal

To

basualty clerk

Message to Israel Rowseell <sup>MAY 16 1917</sup> Leading  
 Tickers N.D.B. Apl. 19<sup>th</sup> undelivered.  
 Sgt Leamington says notified us of non-  
 delivery but notice apparently mislaid

Leading Tickle (West

May 8<sup>th</sup> 1917

Hon

Colonial Secretary

St Johns

Dear Sir a fortnight ago the news come here by a man coming from Pelley's Island that our boy <sup>Pt</sup> Walter B Rowse was severely wounded. The next day the mail arrived from Point-Leonington and it was in the papers also about our boy being wounded. I should think that the parents ought to have had the first news here. If possible we haven't had any news of him since only what was on the papers first. I presume he is in hospital now we would like to hear very much. His Mother is naturally feeling very hoping we will soon hear how he is progressing. I remain Dearlly yours

Israel A Rowse

To

The Hon

Colonial Secretary

St Johns Nfld



Leading Tackles (West

May 8<sup>th</sup> 1917

Hon

Colonial Secretary

St Johns

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Very truly yours  
Israel A Rowse

To

The Hon

Colonial Secretary

St Johns Nfld

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

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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 *Isaac M. Rowell* Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	Check
		<i>Isaac M. Rowell</i>		

Dated April 19, 1917.

To Mr. Israel Rowsell,  
Leading Tickles, N.D.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office,  
London, officially reports No. 2533, Private  
Walter B. Rowsell, has been admitted to Wandsworth  
suffering from gunshot wounds in the left leg and  
right heel.  
Upon receipt of further information I shall immedi-  
ately wire you and trust that next report will be  
of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT,  
Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 2533

Extract of Casualty List received from PMS.,  
London Dated April 29th. 1917.

The following s/b O.C. B/W <sup>15.4.17.</sup> as "Wounded" 14.4.17  
No previous reports.

2533 Pte. W.B. Rowsell.

1st. Newfoundland Regiment.



C.R. 2533

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked at St. John's for Overseas,  
per S.S. "Sicilian" July, 1916.

2533 Pte. Rowell W.B.

R.C. 2533

Walter B. Rowsell was attested for General Service with  
the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT on April 10th 1916

Regimental No. 2533 was allotted to Pte W.B. Rowsell.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th 1919

W. G. Rawsee.

C.R.

2833

P. R. O.



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P6.



1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

8 AUG 1916

ALLOTMENTS

I, Walter B. Rowsell, Regl. No. 2533

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of          Dollars and Sixty 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.:

Allotment begins May 15th

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
2311	Wife	Mrs. Israel Rowsell	Leading Hill, N. D. Bay	60
		Commencing 21/4/16		
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.) H. D. Oubridge  
 Officer Commanding  
 Company  
St. John's  
May 6th 1916

(Sig.) Walter B Rowsell  
 (Rank) Private

ORIGINAL



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

1. I, (No) 2533 (Rank) Private (Name) Walter Rowzell  
hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on N.F.P./11  
No. 2186 dated June 1916 in favour of  
Mother  
for \$ — cts 60 per diem.

Such cancellation to take effect on the Thirty first day of  
May 1918

2. I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach Headquarters, St. John's, in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery, and thereby the allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage in the Pay Books as may be necessary, or otherwise to refund such overpaid amount or amounts.

Dated at

Winchester  
Hants  
May 16th 1918

Pt. Walter Rowzell  
Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed:

J. C. P. Jnr Captain  
O.C. "H." Company.

NOTED  
[Signature]  
C.Q.M.S.  
Date 3/6/18 Coy

NOTED  
[Signature]  
C.Q.M.S.  
10/10/18 10


To be made out in TRIPLICATE and delivered at the Pay & Record Office not later than date of cancellation, in accordance with P.&R.O. C.L./10, 9/12/16.

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.I.C.A. "Prisoners of War Fund" in quarterly instalments for the period of one year.

Commencing on the 1st July 1918.

Regtl. No.	Rank	Name	Amount	Signature
<del>2535</del> 2533.	Pte	Rowzell	£. 2/6 2.50	

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
~~Walter Rowzell~~,  
Your obedient servant.

Date 12-7-18

Walter Rowzell



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/33.

Temporary A/c.

Regtl No. 2533 Rank Private

Name W. Rowse

Pay	F. Allow	Working	Total
1.00	10		110
Less Allotment			60
Net Rate			50

Date	DEBITS	£	s	d	CREDITS	£	s	d
1917	Balance				Balance			
	P.M. ADVANCES:							
	A.B. 64				Pay @ Net Rate:			
	Acquittance Rolls	7	4	6	23/12/17 to 6/6/17 = 166 days	17	1	10
	Hospital Advances				at 50¢ = 83.00			
	STOPPAGES:				6/6/17 to 15/6/17 = 10 days			
	hospital dys =				@ 20¢ =			
	forfeited pay 1 dys	1	10		1/1 to 1/1 = days			
	Miscellaneous							
	Cables							
	P.S.R.O. PAYMENTS:							
	Sundry Bills							
	Cash							
		9	5	0				
		15						

Cash  $\frac{6}{16}$  £ ~~15~~ =  $\frac{15}{16}$  =

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No. 8096/815

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P. /70.

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

To: Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.



Subject: 6th June 1918

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Subject: 2533, Pte. W. B. Rowsell.

With reference to the following telegram (5039) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 2533 Rowsell £5:0:0

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

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

*W. Rowsell*  
LIEUT. COLONEL,  
OFFICER COMMANDING  
2/BN NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Received the sum of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

W Rowsell  
No 2533 Rank Pte

No. 11580/1149

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.

18th, July 1918

July 20 1918

Subject: 2533, Pte. W. B. Rowsell

Receipt hereunder

With reference to the follow-  
ing telegram (6427) from the Hon.  
Minister of Militia, received

*Chambers*  
LIEUT. COLONEL  
~~COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.~~  
Officer Commanding. Batt'n  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

"Pay to 2533 Rowsell £10. 0. 0

Received the sum of Ten

Draft £10. 0. 0 is enclosed  
for payment to this Soldier.  
Kindly obtain his receipt  
hereon.

Ten Pounds on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

*A. R. Minors*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

W. B. Rowsell  
No. 2533 Rank Pte.

witness.

*J. R. Hopkins*



Paymaster  
58 Victoria St.

No. 2533 Pt. Rowse St.

This man is on leave and can you pay him  
balance due to this date, please.

Dr. H. Bay. Pay Book 10/



Receipts.

O.C. "H" COY.  
2ND BATTN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

*[Handwritten signature]*  
*[Handwritten signature]*

3777/1/P.&.A

Capt. K.B. McIntosh,  
S.A.I.  
"Glenbuck,"  
8th Mch: 9. DOUGLAS. N.B.

2533. PTE. W.B. ROWSELL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your letter 4/3/19, (1869), a reply was sent to Mrs. Rowsell, 31/1/19, stating reason for non-payment of Separation Allowance. Permission to marry had been refused by the soldier's Commanding Officer, and his claim for Separation Allowance in favour of his wife could not therefore be admitted by this office.

After further reference to the O.C. 2nd. Battalion, full details of the case were submitted to the Minister of Militia, Newfoundland, 21/2/19 for consideration, and Mrs. Rowsell will be advised when reply is available.

Permit me to call your attention to a statement made in error in your letter as regards this office reply to your previous letter, 8/1/19. It was not stated that Mrs. Rowsell "would receive her Allowance in due course", but that "the reply of O.C. 2nd Batt. has been received, the contents of which have been conveyed to Mrs. Rowsell.

Capt.  
Asst. Paymaster.  
For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Recds.

CLEARED

SUSPENSE

1835/3/P&A

J. J. Martin

Mrs. J. P. Rowsell,  
31, Miller street  
AYR, N.B.

31st Jan. 9

2533, PTE. W. B. ROWSELL,  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your letter 27/12/18  
(11308 regarding the question of Separation  
Allowance: Your husband's Commanding Officer  
has advised that he refused to grant permission  
to marry. It is regretted therefore that in  
view of the present regulations your claim for  
Separation Allowance is not admissable. The  
claim is however under review with the  
Authorities concerned.

Capt.  
Chief Paymaster & O 1/c Recds.

FM/WF.



"GLENBUCK"

DOUGLAS

N. B

4 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>19</sub>

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT  
PAY & RE...

Ref. Nos. 14

Rec'd = 5 MAR 1919

Ack'd

Ref. Nos. 601

*O/c. Pay office*

*N<sup>o</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Contingent*

*3177/1*

Sir

I beg to bring  
 to your notice the case of Mrs R.  
 Rowse. (Wife of N<sup>o</sup> 2533. W.B.  
 Rowse. of about Contingent.)  
 Mrs Rowse has written advised  
 your office respecting separation  
 allowance due her, and seems  
 to desire no reply.  
 Some time ago Mrs Rowse  
 approached me in Ref to  
 about allowance, and I at  
 once wrote your office. The  
 reply received was to the  
 effect that her paper work  
 was complete and she (Mrs  
 Rowse) would receive her  
 allowance in due course.  
 Surely something is

ACQUITTED UPON	
BY	BY
To: J.	
A.	
& C.	
W. E.	

for wrong in your office  
when it takes almost 5 months  
to get Mr. Counsel's rep. at. though,  
Mr. Counsel is demanding an  
explanation, though one, which  
she is justly entitled to.  
I think this matter will be  
expedited as early as  
possible as Mr. Counsel, I  
understand, is contemplating  
sailing at an early date  
for N. Z. land and is  
very much in need of  
money etc.

Thanking you in  
anticipation for a  
prompt reply and  
perhaps action please  
yours faithfully  
R. B. H. H. H.  
Capt.  
S. A. I.

ACK <sup>d</sup> dated	/ /	No. in
Received	/ /	
REPLY dated	/ /	
Received	/ /	
LAST Ref. No.		
NEXT " "		

3063/101/PAA

The Hon. The Minister of Militia,  
St. John's,  
NEWFOUNDLAND.

21st February 9.

FM/FK.

2533 PTE. W.B. ROWSELL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Copies of correspondence relating to the above soldier's claim for Separation Allowance are forwarded for your consideration.

In this connection reference may be made to Canadian Routine Order No. 5269 of 6/2/19 which gives the procedure for dealing with such cases. The claim is therefore submitted for your decision as to whether Separation Allowance should be granted, and perhaps you may consider it advisable to telegraph if any further action should be taken by this office, please.

Capt.  
Asst. Paymaster.  
For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Recds.



FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Ref. Nos. IN 342.

Rec'd JAN 1919

Ack'd

Del. I.

GLENBUCK

DOUGLAS.

W. B

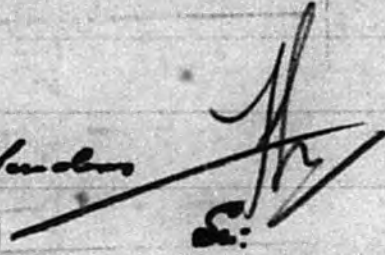
8-1-19

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Payments

Not paid

BRAI	
Comd	
P & A.	
R & O.	
B & F.	
P.S.	



I beg to bring to your notice a grievance of Mr Rowse.  
Wife of No 2533 The W. B. Rowse  
H. Coy of Royal New Zealand  
Regiment;  
They were married on Oct  
21<sup>st</sup> 1918. The marriage paper  
was sent in to the headquarters  
and acknowledged, with a  
view to obtaining the necessary  
Separation allowance.  
As Mr Rowse has never  
received any payment  
will you please have this  
expedited as early as  
possible.

Some time ago Mr. Russell  
notified you Officers of the above  
request, but all her communications  
having been ignored.

She is due some explanation  
I shall deem it a favor  
should you grant me  
in return an explanation  
as to why no separation  
allowance has been paid.

Thanking you in  
anticipation  
Yours faithfully

Wm. Walsh  
3rd A.I. Lieut.

Mr. Wm. Walsh  
3rd A.I.  
Scotland  
Russell Rd.  
P. O. No. 1117

745/1/P.&.A

C.P.&.O.i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contg.  
58, Victoria Street  
London, S.W.1.

Lt.T.C.McIntosh,  
3rd. S.A.I.  
"Glenbuck"  
Douglas.N.B.

15th. Jan: 9

2533. PTE. W. B. ROWSELL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your letter 8/1/19 (342) on behalf of the above Soldier's wife, permit me to point out that the responsibility of claiming Separation Allowance rests entirely with the Soldier concerned.

On receipt of Mrs. Rowsells letter 27/12/18 stating that she had not received Separation Allowance the matter was reported to Pte.Rowsells Commanding Officer who was asked to cause the necessary documents to be prepared, and meanwhile the customary form of declaration has been forwarded to her for completion.

Up to the present the documents asked for have not come to hand and a reminder has been sent to the Officer Commanding, 2nd.Battn. Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Major.  
Chief Paymaster &.O.i/c Records.

*Since receipt of the foregoing copy of  
OC 273 has been received the details  
of which have been conveyed to  
The Receiver.*

FM/MN.



**ENCLOSURE**

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.  
Army Form O. 349.

449/84/r&a.

Form  
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**MEMORANDUM**

105 IN 458 ✓

15 JAN 1919

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

From Officer Commanding,  
2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Hazeley Down Camp.

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

To The Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
London, S.W.

Fm./NM.

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office.

10th January, 1919

Jan. 14th 1919.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.  
2533, PTE. W.B. ROWSELL.  
ROYAL NFLD. REGIMENT.

With reference to the following letter from Mrs. J. P. Rowsell, 31, Miller Road, Ayr, Scotland, 27/12/18, (11308):

"I have been married since the twenty-first of October to Pte. W.B. Rowsell, 2533, 2/1, Royal Nfld. Regt., and I have never received any pay yet. You might see to it please and oblige,

Yours Sincerely,  
Janet P. Rowsell."

No documents relating to claim for Separation Allowances in favor of the above Soldier's Wife has so far been received in this Office. Will you kindly cause enquiry to be made and if Mrs. Rowsell's statement

Pte. Rowsell was refused permission to marry by me, on the recommendation of my M.O. as he was suffering from Venereal disease - In the circumstances I am not prepared to sign N.F.P/84. Canadian Routine Order No 2291-para 1 A. of 23-8-17 and your letter 10508/614 would appear to make my permission necessary before application for Separation allowance can be admissable.

*J. J. Barton*

LIEUT. COLONEL,  
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

is correct, complete the enclosed N.F's. P#82, 84 and 11 and forward to this Office supported by Marriage and Character Certificates as customary, please.

*A. J. Maxwell*

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.



Forms  
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1757/250/P&A

MEMORANDUM.

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

1147  
From **Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn. Royal Nfld Regt.,  
Winchester.**

To **Officer Commanding,  
2nd. Bn. R.Nfld. Rgt.,  
Winchester.**

To **Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Nfld Regt.,  
London.  
ANSWER.**

FM/WR

**Pay & Record Office,  
30th, Jany. 1919**

**2533, PTE. W. B. ROWSELL,**

**Hazeley Down Camp,  
February 3rd. 1919**

**2533 Pte W. B. Rowsell.**

Reference the preceding minutes: Under the Canadian Regulations there is a Standing Board appointed, whose duty it is to make enquiries as to the wife's character on the grounds that if the wife is of good character she should not be penalised as under the circumstances she stands to lose on all sides.

It is therefore suggested that for the present purposes you institute inquiries through the Local Police Authorities, and the Soldiers' & Sailors' Families Association, meanwhile do you approve of an allotment of 50 p. of pay being put into force against Rowsell's account.

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

I am quite satisfied as to Mrs Rowsells good character and if it is the wish of the Newfoundland authorities I have no objection to sanctioning the marriage. I would point out however that if this action is taken in this case I shall be unable to refuse saction to similar cases in the future - I have found in the past that the fact that the i sue of separation allowancem depends on my approval of the marriage has acted as an effective deterrent to certain men whose state of health, as represented by my M.O. renders it undesirable that they should marry, until their cases were completed.

*[Signature]* **LIEUT. COLONEL,  
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.**



1757/250/B&A

SUSPENSE

CLEARED

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

2nd. Bn. R.Nfld. Rgt.,

Winchester.

FM/WF

Pay & Record Office,

30th, Jany. . . . 9

2533, PTE. W. B. ROWSELL,

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Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Rcds.

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

## SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

1. Regimental No. and Rank	2533 Pte.
Name (in full)	W. B. Rowse.
Date of Enlistment	10/4/16
Unit	2. Bn. R. W. Regt.
2. Name(s) of Dependent(s) (in full)	Mrs. Joint P. Rowse.
Relationship	Wife
Address (if allowance is claimed for children, name and address of person with whom they reside should be stated)	31 Miller Road. Sydney
3. Ages of Children: Girls under 17 years Boys " 16 "	
4. Children's Guardian Address	
5. Particulars of Allotment Allottee Address Date effective from	\$ 60 cents per day in favour of Mrs. J. P. Rowse 31 Miller Road Sydney
6. Date of Marriage	Oct 21/19
7. Have you made previous claim, for Separation Allowance? If so, state particulars.	no
8. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to anyone in Newfoundland or elsewhere?	no

9. Name and address of your last Employer.	<i>And Co Yonkers</i>
10. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment.	<i>200 Per day.</i>
11. Are your wages or any portion being paid by your employer during your absence?	<i>No.</i>
12. If paid, what is the amount per month?	✓
13. Name of Corps prior to Enlistment in the Newfoundland Contingent.	✓

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement.

*W. B. Rowlett*

Signature of Officer forwarding this Application.

Unit \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_

FOR COMPLETION AT THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Date Marriage Certificate examined \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date Birth Certificates (in case of children) examined \_\_\_\_\_  
 If Soldier is sole support, does Statutory Declaration accompany this Application? \_\_\_\_\_



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 2533 (Rank) Pte. (Name) Rowell. W. B.  
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in required form,  
 to make an Allotment of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and Sixty cents  
 per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned  
 Person and/or Persons. Such payments to be made on proof of identity  
 of the Person and/or Persons concerned, viz.:

Whether Wife, Child, other Relative, or Friend.	NAME (In full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person)	
			\$	c
Wife.	Miss Janet Rowell.	31 Miller Road. Sydney		60
				60

This Allotment to take effect from and including Jan 18 1918.

NOTE:- This Form must be completed and signed by the Soldier, counter-  
 signed by the Officer Commanding his Company, and forwarded to the  
 Chief Paymaster in accordance with P.&R.O. C.L./10, 9/12/16.

(Sig.) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer Commanding,  
 " " Company.

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_

(Sig.) W. B. Rowell  
 Allotter.

Marriage Certificate of Private W. B. Russell,  
25.33. H. Coy. 2/1 Royal Ufld. Regt.  
Hayley Down Camp,  
Winchester. + Janet Park Wallace

3 Whites Land  
Glenbuck  
Ayrshire.  
The Manse,  
Glenbuck,  
Ayrshire.

21<sup>st</sup>. October 1918.

I hereby certify, that I have performed the  
marriage ceremony for Private W. B. Russell  
- as above designated - + Janet Park Wallace  
at 3 Whites Land, Glenbuck, this evening,  
October 21<sup>st</sup>. 1918. at 7.30 p. m.

John Mackenzie.  
Minister of the Parish of Glenbuck.  
Ayrshire

31 Miller Road

ays  
Scotland

27-12-18

To/  
Pay & Record Office.

I have been married since  
the twenty first of Oct. to Pte. W. B. Rowell 2533  
2/1 Royal Field Regt, and I have never received  
any pay yet.

You might see to it please and oblige.

Yours Sincerely

Janet P. Rowell.

RECORDING	CONTINENT.
PAY & RECC	D OFFICE.
Ref. Nos. In	11308
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G.P.&O.1/c Records  
Newfoundland Contg.  
58, Victoria Street  
London, S.W.1.

Mrs. J. P. Rowsell,  
31, Miller Road,  
Ayr,  
Scotland.

9th. Jan: 9

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.  
2533. PTE. W. B. ROWSELL.  
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

With reference to your letter 27/12/18  
(11308) regarding Separation Allowance:

In order to support the claim you are  
required to complete the enclosed Statutory  
Declaration, N.F.P/87.A, before a Magistrate  
of your District, and return it to this Office  
as soon as possible.

Marriage and Character Certificates are  
also required and the former will be returned  
to you when the claim has been dealt with,  
please.

Major.  
Chief Paymaster &.O.1/c Records.

WF/MN.

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

## SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

## NOTICE

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question. Each statement is considered to be made on Oath and the form is to be signed before a Magistrate of your District, and returned to

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

1. Name in full of Soldier <i>Walter B. Rowell</i>	Rank <i>Pte.</i>	Regiment or Unit <i>9/1 Royal Wilt Reg</i>	Regtl No <i>2533</i>
2. Age of Soldier: <i>22</i>	Married or Single:		
3. Name in full of Dependent <i>Janet P. Rowell</i>	Relationship: <i>Wife</i>		
4. Address in full	<i>31 Miller Road avr. Scotland</i>		
5. Date of Marriage	<i>21 Oct 1918</i>		
6. Place of Marriage	<i>3 1/2 hrs from Glenbrook, Denmark</i>		
7. Did marriage take place since Soldier's enlistment?	<i>Yes</i>		
8. Was Commanding Officer's permission obtained? If not, why?	<i>Yes</i>		
9. If not married, how long have you been dependent on the Soldier for your maintenance, and supported regularly by him on a bona fide domestic basis?			
10. Were you living with your husband immediately prior to his enlistment? If not, how long have you been separated?			
11. Is Separation a legal one?			
12. If legal are you in receipt of Alimony? If so, state amount			
13. If not legal, how long since your husband contributed to your support? Explain fully.			
14. State amount of Allotment received by you from Soldier.			
15. From what date have you received Allotment?			
16. Names of Children (Male)	Age last Birthday	Names of Children (Female)	Age last Birthday
<i>John Rowell</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>Janet Rowell</i>	<i>10</i>

17. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, state amount.	no.
18. Are you in receipt of payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much?	no.
19. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance? If not, why? Give particulars.	
20. Was your husband at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Newfoundland Government?	part Sol.
21. In what capacity and in what place?	
22. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in The Royal Newfoundland Regiment? If so, how much?	

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62.

Signature

Janet P. Russell

Place of Residence

31 Miller Road  
off. Scotland

Declared and subscribed before me at Ayr  
this Fifteenth day of January, 1919

Signature of the Magistrate

J. C. Haight, J.P.

Place or County for which he acts

for the County of Ayr

This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your local Soldiers & Sailors Families Association or other recognized society, certifying that to the best of their knowledge, after careful enquiry, the above statements are correct.

Signature of Clergyman

Hugh MacLuskie (West Main, Ayr)

Signature of representative

Jane Dunlop

State name of Society

Soldiers & Sailors Families Association Ayr.

N.B. - Marriage Certificate must accompany this application, and will be returned after perusal. If marriage is after enlistment, Commanding Officer's permission in writing must be forwarded.



NOTE.—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (xvi. or xvii.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.  
 In cases of soldiers not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to consideration for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

# Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps *Royal N. F. B.*
2. Regtl. No. *2573* 3. Rank *Pvt.*
4. Name *Howsell* *Walter*  
(Surname) (Christian Names)
5. Age last birthday *22*
6. Posted for duty on..... at.....  
 in category (or grade).....
7. Former Trade or Occupation }  
 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—  
 (a) Former Regts. or Corps ; with Regtl. Nos.  
 (b) Date of Discharge ;  
 (c) Cause of Discharge.  
 (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity (if any)
8. If the disability is an injury was it caused  
 (a) in action (b) on field service  
 (c) on duty (d) off duty ?
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state :—  
 (a) When  
 (b) Where  
 (c) Opinion of Court

NOTE.—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 b (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case

### Statement of Case.

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here.  
 (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "nil."
11. Date of origin of disability.
12. Place of origin of disability.
13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents.

COPIES SENT		
TO	No.	DATE
M. O. P. M.	<i>5734/88</i>	<i>7.4.19</i>
O.C. 1st. BN.		
" 2ND. BN.		

14. State whether the disabilities are
- |  | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war .. .. .                        | ✓                   |                   |
| (ii.) Previous active service.. .. .                               | ✓                   |                   |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .                          | ✓                   |                   |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .             | ✓                   |                   |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the man's part. } .. .. . | V.D.S. Cured ?      |                   |

14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do you attribute it? } nil

In all cases such as facial injuries, eye, ear, nose and throat, disabilities, &c., a specialist's report is to be attached with radiographs where possible; and in cases of amputation the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition?  
 (A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)

no complaints of no feasibility

16. Was an operation performed? If so, when and what was its nature?
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?
18. \*In the case of loss or decay of teeth,—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable?
19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions?

20. Do you recommend—
- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit?
- (b) Change to United Kingdom?

Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invalided at Foreign Stations.

*Retreatment*

*W. P. Proenier - Capt. R.A.M.C.*

Medical Officer in charge of case.

Station *Hampstead*

Date *25-3-19*

\* 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

The Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
London.



*J. Martin*

Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester.  
12-3-19.

*R. J. Raston*

LIEUT. COLONEL.  
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

*[Handwritten signature]*



Hazel Lambson  
March 10/3/19

Dear Sir.

2533 Pte W.B. Rowse.

Please send marriage  
lines to my wife wishing to  
get them before going home.

I am your obedient  
servant

Pte Walter B. Rowse.

Major

La Commission & P.M.O

J. M. White Capt

MAR 11 1919

Mailed 17/3/19 W.B.M.

O.C. "H" COY.  
REG. BATTN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

APPLICATION FOR OVERSEAS TRANSPORT

1. Name in full

Surname Russell

Christian Names Janet Park

2. Postal and Telegraphic Address.

3 1/2 by 1/2 Ross,  
Glenbuck. By Lamart.

3. Names and ages of all travelling with you except yourself.

4. Your last address in Newfoundland

5. When did you leave Newfoundland, and for what reason did you come here?

6. If Relation or Dependent of a Member of the Newfoundland Contingent state relationship, Regtl No., and Rank.

Wife of Pte G. B. Russell 2533

7. Your Destination in Newfoundland.

% Mr J. A. Russell. Leading Tickler (Port)

8. What arrangements have you made for Passport.

2. Postal and Telegraphic Address.

none

9. Can you leave for Newfoundland on 24 hours notice by telegram?

Yes. Must have three days at least.

10. Names and ages of all travelling with you except yourself.

No Government or Department can accept responsibility for safety of passengers or baggage, but is understood that the usual ocean passengers' baggage may be carried.

4. Your last address in Newfoundland

Date 23-1-19.

Signature J. P. Russell.

THIS FORM TO BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED TO:

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

8. If Relation or Dependent of a Member of the Newfoundland Contingent state relationship, Regtl No., and Rank.

7. Your Destination in Newfoundland.

*M.P. 26 24/19*

~~1/20 pm~~

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.

This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.

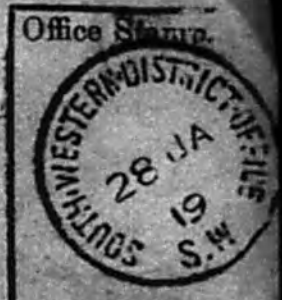
Office of Origin and Service Instructions.

Gloucester

Charges to pay a. d.

Handed in at } 5.50 p.m.

Received here at } 1-5 p.m.



TO }

Mr  
report

Pay & Record Office

58 Victoria St

Ldn SW1

Janet Rowell ill

Cont.

Thursday



1-12-0  
 1-5-0  
 2-17-10

60 50

No. 2533 Rank Pte Name Rowell W.

Pay	F.A. WKR	TOTAL
100	10	110
Less allotment		60
Net rate		50

*PSH*

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*£ 13-19-11*

*PSH*  
 31/1/19

MEMORANDUM CONTINUED

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July 31st 9

10079/2/SEA  
Mr. McDonald,

259 Chamberlayne Road,  
Eastleigh Hants.

Sir,

EX. NO. 2533 PTE. W.B. ROUSELL

With further reference to this office No. 7295/2/P&A, 10/5/19 and your reply received 20/5/19 (3785); Information has been received through the Minister of Militia (Newfoundland) that Pte. Rowsell is writing you direct and presumably you will hear from him in due course.

I am Sir,

Your obedient servant;

Major,  
Chief Staff Officer (London).

WF/BC

June 25th, 1919

From No 2533, Ex Private Walter B. Rowsell  
Rowsell Island  
Leading Ticles, West  
N.D.B., Newfoundland.

To: Chief Staff Officer  
Department of Militia.

Received your letter to-day concerning Mr. McDonald. Well Sir I received a letter from Mr. McDonald last week, and I am taking steps for to settle it myself, and I am writing Mr. McDonald to. If there is any other word comes concerning this, would you oblige me by keeping it quiet. I am going to send them money this week. Sorry for you to have this trouble concerning me, but I will settle it myself.

So I am your obedient servant

No. 2533 Ex Pte. Walter B. Rowsell.



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10th May

9.

7296/2/P&A

Mr. F. McDonald,  
279, Chamberlayne Road,  
Eastleigh, Hants.

Sir:-

With reference to your letter 23/4/19 (3138):  
Kindly inform me whether you are aware of the soldier's  
regimental number.

The particulars you have given point to a  
certain soldier who left for Newfoundland recently, but it  
is necessary that his regimental number be quoted to  
enable him to be identified.

Your daughter's case is an unfortunate one  
and it is regretted that no assistance can be rendered by  
this office. On receipt of your reply quoting regimental  
number, your letter will be sent on to the Minister of Militia,  
St. John's, Newfoundland, for his consideration.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

Major.  
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c.Recds.

FM/FK.

18/5/19

279 Chamberlayne Rd  
Eastleigh  
Hants

NEWFOUNDLAND DISTRICT  
BY AIR MAIL  
Post No 3765  
20 MAY 1919

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c records 8239/262

Dear Sir

In answer to your letter 10/5/19 7295/2/pa I regret I am unable to obtain the regimental number of the soldier referred to, but he belonged to H Company and I am given to understand he was the only man of that name in the regiment. I am in possession of his address in Newfoundland of which I enclose a copy if you think it will be of any use. Thanking you very much for kindness

I remain

Yours Sincerely  
F. McDonald



279 Chamberlayne Rd  
Eastleigh  
Hants  
23/4/19

Chief Paymaster  
Royal Newfoundland  
Contingent

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
PAY RECORD OFFICE.  
REF. NOS. IN 3138 ✓  
25 APR 1919  
ck'd  
REF. NOS. OUT 7295/2  
10/6/19

Dear Sir

I have been advised by  
the C.O. in reference to  
private W Rousell of  
H Company, Newfoundland  
Infantry lately stationed



at Hazelly down Camp  
Winchester by whom my  
daughter has got into trouble  
to ask you to intercede on  
my ~~both~~ daughter's behalf  
regarding present expenses  
and what is likely to follow  
I have had to place her in  
a rest home at present  
which is costing 9/- per  
week and as I am only  
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under present conditions, and  
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to follow. He promised to  
make arrangement before  
he left England but he has  
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left for home 3 weeks ago  
with others of the company.  
Trusting you will take this  
into your ~~earnest~~ consideration

I remain  
Yours Sincerely  
F. McDonald

Walter B. Rowse

Rowse's Island

Leading Tickle (West)

Notre Dame Bay

Newfoundland

MINUTES.

279, Chamberlayne Road,  
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23/4/19.

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I remain,

Yours sincerely,  
(sd) F. McDonald.

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7295/2/P&A

10th May 1919

Mr. F. MacDonald,  
279, Chamberlayne Road,  
Eastleigh, Hants.,

Sir,

With reference to your letter 23/4/19 (3158); Kindly inform me whether you are aware of the Soldier's Regimental Number.

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I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

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3.

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Thanking you very much for kindness.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,  
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7295/2/P&A

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Address:-

Walter B. Rowsell,  
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Notre Dame Bay,  
Newfoundland.

Address:-

Walter B. Rowsell,  
Rowsell's Island,  
Leading Tickles (West)  
Notre Dame Bay,  
Newfoundland.

Cables and Telegrams:  
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone:  
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

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

ENCLOSURE

N. F. P/38.

ORIGINAL

# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

## MEMORANDUM.

No. 8239/362/P&A

**C.R. 2533**

From

**PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,**

**58, VICTORIA STREET,**

**LONDON, S.W.1.**

28th May 1919

To

The Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

**SUBJECT:**

*253*  
1801, Pte. W. B. Rowsell,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

Reference Nos.

**REPLY**

Dated July 15th

1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

The enclosed copies of  
correspondence exchanged with  
Mr. F. McDonald, 279, Chamberlayne  
Road, Eastleigh, Hants., 10/5/19,  
is forwarded for such action as  
you may consider desirable.

Pte Rowsell embarked per  
S. S. "Corsican" 31/1/19.



Major,  
Chief Staff Officer (London)

FM/S

This man has been commu-  
nicated with, and herewith is copy  
of his reply which states that he  
is taking the matter up with Mr.  
McDonald. You will note that  
his number is 2533, not as quoted  
on the obverse.



Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

REF NOS IN *4822*

28 JUL 1919

ck'd And

cf. Nos. 001



ACKT dated	/ /	No. IN
Received	/ /	
REP. Y dated	/ /	
Received	/ /	
LASI Ref No.		
NEXT " "		

8239/362/P&A

2533

The Minister of Militia,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

28th May 9

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July 15th. 1919

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(Sgd) A.E. HICKMAN.  
Minister of Militia.

In. Ref. No.

4822

Date Recd. 28/7/19

FM/S

Rawsell, W.B.

2533

Pay Dept

May 18, 1919

#2533 Pte. Walter Rowsell,

Leading Tickers, West,

Twillingat Dist.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate

No. 2206."

Yours truly

Paymaster & O. i/c Records  
Captain,



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2533 Rank Pl Name Rowell Walter  
 Intended place of residence Leading Tickle  
 2. Occupation Fisherman  
 Classification of soldier E Medical Category A<sup>1</sup>  
 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 ..... J. H. Mousst .....  
 Date MAY 2 1919 ..... 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 ..... Walter B. Rowell .....  
2-5-19 ..... Signature of soldier  
 Signature of witness W. McIlwain ..... Lt

### 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. B. Rowell .....  
2-5-19 ..... Signature of soldier  
 Signature of witness James O. Heron ..... V.P.

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 10-4-16 ..... No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 4-5-19 per 14 days ..... Service 1134.....

### 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 ..... R. H. Sait Capt .....  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
 Date MAY 4 1919 .....

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed  
 Place St. John's, Nfld. ..... M. Hoolley Capt .....  
 Date May 18/1919 ..... Officer i/c Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

H. B. 20/19/2206

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18  
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# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

*E*

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date ..... *2-5-19* .....

Regimental No. *1533* .....

Name *Rossall Walker 13* .....

Address .....

Present Medical Category ..... *A1* .....

Recommended for:— { (a) Immediate discharge .....

(b) ~~Standing Medical Board~~ .....

Members of Board {

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

*H. Peterson*  
Senior Medical Officer

*W. Burden*  
~~M. O. Depot~~

DEPOT-ST. JOHN'S, N.F.

The Royal Newfoundland Reg't.

Regtl. No. 2533

Rank Pl

Name Russell W.

Date from 18-4-19

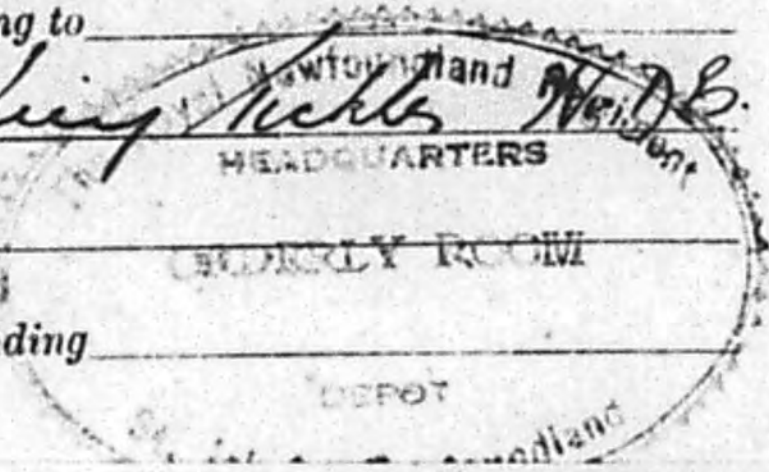
to 2-5-19

Proceeding to \_\_\_\_\_

Leading Clerk W. D. B.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Commanding \_\_\_\_\_





# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2955 Rank Pte Name Russell Walter B  
 Date of Enlistment 10-12-16 Address Leading Hedges Rd District Wellington  
 Occupation Bookbinder Classification for Discharge 1/1 Medical Category 1/1  
 Recommendation S.M.B. .... Disability Rating .....

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P 36.....	B 268.....	B 121.....	N.F. Med.....	D.F. 1.....	1	1235	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.....	AF Book 1.....	" 6.....			
B 179c.....	B 120.....	M 93.....	1239-1.....				

Date 2-5-19

H. Mans H  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

**1. Civil Re-Establishment.**

I am.....in a position to resume civilian occupation. W B Russell

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

**2. Clothing.**

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$6.00
- (b) Clothing Supplied new

Date 2-5-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *P 1354 9532* to his home at *Leading Triple* and Release Certificate No. *2207* issued.

Date *2-5-19* .....  
*J.A. Snow*  
 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 *18-5-19*

Date *2-5-19* .....  
*H. Mrs. H.*  
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *4-5-19* .....

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P 36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	1	D.F. 1	1	1235	1
F 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st		" 2			
R 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd		" 3	2	from	B
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd		" 4			
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th		" 5			
B 179b	B 103	ME 2	AF B 136	1	" 6			
B 179c	B 120	M 93	1239	1				

Date *2-5-19* .....  
*J.A. Snow*  
 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 *MAY 4 1919* .....  
*R.H. Sait*  
 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  
Fisherman

W. B. Russell

Signature of Man.

J. A. Snowfoot

Reg. No. 2533

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

ST. JOHN'S

Place

Date MAY 2 1919

Date

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used by for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists entering the Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Russell Christian Name Walter B

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on 10 day of April 1916 at 21 John St. 2.21		on _____ day of _____ 1911 at _____	
Declared Age	19 years 8 <sup>100</sup> / <sub>100</sub> days		_____ years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	Dishman		_____	
Height	5' feet 8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> inches		_____ feet _____ inches	
Weight	129 lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... 36 inches		_____ inches	
	Range of expansion... 1 inches		_____ inches	
Physical Development	_____		_____	
Vaccination Marks	Arm	_____	_____	_____
	Number	_____	_____	_____
When Vaccinated	_____		_____	
Vision	R.E.—V= 6/6 L.E.—V= 6/9		R.E.—V= _____ L.E.—V= _____	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a) _____		(a) _____	
	(b) _____		(b) _____	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>L. M. P. T. O.</u>		_____	
(Rank)	Major		_____	
Enlisted	at 5 <sup>th</sup> John St. on 10 day of April 1916		at _____ on _____ day of _____ 1911	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to	1 <sup>st</sup> Buffs Reg 2533		_____	
Became non-effective by	_____		_____	
(Signature)	_____		_____	
(Rank)	_____		_____	



Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick list in 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 further 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, etc., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
3 <sup>RD</sup> LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL. WANDSWORTH.	18	4	17	6	6	17	G. S. W. II 4 L. Iritis G. S. W. I 1 1 Slight R. heel	49	Wounded in France 14.4.17. Ext: L malleolus splinter (X-ray) Furlough	G. C. Hall Capt. Rtd.
Hilsea	19	2	18	30	3	18	W. Syphilis + 20/ gonorrhoea	40	Discharge from urethra & soon on penis Kawernann positive. Coelalg. To continue course Vido R. I 1235 Fit to rejoin unit.	Francis Capt. Rtd.







## 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 *Walter B. Rowse*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *2533.*

Intended address *Leading Ticker West. Walkington*

Height on discharge *5 Feet 4.*

Color of hair on discharge *Light Brown*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Blue.*

Descriptive Marks *Left Ankle Right Knee*

Figure on discharge *Short.*

Christian name of Father *Israel.*

Christian name of Mother *Frances.*

Wife's maiden name in full *Janet Wallace*

Date and place of marriage *21-10-1915 Glenbank Scotland*

Christian names of children *—*

Place and date of soldier's birth *Ratling Brook 21-9-1897*

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)

*Walter B. Rowse*

(Rank)

Station

*St John*

Date

*2-5-19*

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.

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

Station

Date

NOTE.—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (xvi. or xvii.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.  
 In cases of soldiers not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to consideration for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

# Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps..... *Royal Newfoundland* ..... 7. Former Trade }  
 2. Regtl. No. *28-33* 3. Rank..... *Pte.* ..... } or Occupation }  
 4. Name *Rowse* ..... *Wallis B.* ..... 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in }  
 (Surname) (Christian Names) } Army, he should state—  
 5. Age last birthday..... *22* ..... (a) Former Regts. or Corps ;  
 with Regtl. Nos.  
 6. Posted for duty on..... at.....  
 in category (or grade).....  
 8. If the disability is an injury was it caused  
 (a) in action (b) on field service  
 (c) on duty (d) off duty ? (b) Date of Discharge ;  
 (c) Cause of Discharge.  
 9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state :—  
 (a) When (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity  
 (b) Where (if any)  
 (c) Opinion of Court

NOTE.—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 b (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case.

### Statement of Case.

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here.  
 (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "nil."  
 11. Date of origin of disability. *nil*  
 12. Place of origin of disability. *nil.*  
 13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents. *nil*

14. State whether the disabilities are
- |  | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war .. .. .                | ✓                   |                   |
| (ii.) Previous active service.. .. .                       | ✓                   |                   |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .                  | ✓                   |                   |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .     | ✓                   |                   |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the man's part. } | U.S. (cured) . ?    |                   |
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do you attribute it? } nil

In all cases such as facial injuries, eye, ear, nose and throat, disabilities, etc., a specialist's report is to be attached with radiographs where possible; and in cases of amputation the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition?  
*(A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)*

Complains of no disability.

16. Was an operation performed? If so, when and what was its nature?
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?
18. \*In the case of loss or decay of teeth,—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable?
19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions?

20. Do you recommend—
- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit?
- (b) Change to United Kingdom?

Repatriation.

Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invalided at Foreign Stations.

W.E. Procunio, Capt. RAMB.

Station Hazeley Down.

Medical Officer in charge of case.

Date 2-3-19.

\* 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



**MORNING SICK REPORT**  
**MEDICAL INSPECTION REPORT**\*

Army Form B 25

Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Squadron, battery, or company \_\_\_\_\_

Station and date Hong Kong Camp 1917

Regtl. No.	Rank and Name (Christian name in full; Surname first; M under name if married.)	Completed Years of		Religion.	If for duty †	Whether a defaulter.	Lines or barracks.	Room.	Disease.	Disposal. Medical Officer's remarks and signature.
		Age	Service.							
2032	Pte Rowell W.	21	2 yrs							<p>The patient is for relief please see notes</p> <p><del>dentures fitted</del></p> <p><del>at 9-30</del></p> <p>all</p> <p>all</p> <p>all</p>

† State nature of duty for which warned. In the case of men for medical inspection, the reason, such as "Soldiers for trial by Court-Martial," or "joining the station," &c., should be stated against their names.

\* Strike out whichever is not applicable.

*P. A. Bishop*  
Orderly N.C.O.

FORM to be used (1) when a Soldier is placed under Medical Surveillance for Venereal Disease. (2) for furnishing information between Medical Officers when cases are transferred from one Station to another.

Corps	Company	Regimental No.	Rank and Name	* Date on which case originally came under treatment
2/ Ryl. Hfd.	H.	2533	Pte Rouseell. W.	REMARKS
<p style="text-align: center;">14 APR 1918 HILSEA, HANTS.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Herewith A. F. I. 1238. Kindly acknowledge receipt hereon</p> <p>Please note This man has completed treatment</p> <p>To OC. 2/ Ryl. Hfd. Reg. Coy. Station and date Hazeley Down, Winchester</p> <p style="text-align: right;">W. G. Clements. Lieut. Colonel, R.A.M.C.</p>				

The Officer who places the man under surveillance will prepare this form in duplicate. One copy will be sent to the Commanding Officer in Charge, and the other to the Medical Officer who will have the surveillance of the man. When any circumstances arise likely to interfere with the regular attendance of men on the continued treatment list, such as transfer to another station, military courses, imprisonment, and especially furlough, their Commanding Officer will apprise the Medical Officer of the fact.

\* When cases are transferred Medical Officers will be careful to insert the date on which the case was first placed on a syphilis register, irrespective of the number of registers the case may have passed through.

SYPHILIS CASE-SHEET.

Regtl. No. 2533 Rank and Name Pte Rowell W. Corps 2/ New Fld.  
 Placed on Syphilis Register at Hilsea on 19-2-18 No. in Register 1801  
 Disease contracted at Winchester . Primary sore appeared on (date) 7

CONDITION WHEN PLACED ON REGISTER.

Primary sore—character and site

Lymphatic glands Inguinal Adenitis

Skin (nature and distribution of rash)

Mucous membranes Abnormal of all M. of glans & inner surface of prepuce

Other symptoms

Examination of exudate from sore—Spirochaeta Pallida (present or absent) Not Taken

Examination of blood serum—(Method employed (original or modification) Original  
 Wassermann reaction (Result (positive or negative) Positive

Station Hilsea Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of M.O. [Signature] Capt Rame

Struck off Syphilis Register at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

Cause of being struck off Register { (a) Recovered  
 (b) Transferred to Army Reserve  
 (c) Discharged from Army }

Station \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of M.O. \_\_\_\_\_



N.B.—On completion of a course of treatment a red line to be drawn across the page, and the date when the next blood test is due to be entered in red ink below the line, e.g., "Blood test due 15.5.14."  
The date and result of the blood test to be entered; and if negative, the date on which the next blood test is due to be also entered.

Station	Date	Symptoms and progress (Date of admission to hospital, and date of discharge from hospital, to be entered in red ink.)	Weight clothed, without boots—lbs.	Urine		Wassermann Reaction			Treatment			Signature of M.O. (Each M.O. will sign his name in full on the first occasion; subsequent entries may be initialled)
				Normal (N) Albumen (Alb.)	Method (Original (O.) Modification (M.)	Result (Positive (+) Negative (-)	Arsenical	Mercurial	Other Methods			
										Intravenous Injection. Dose in grammes	Intramuscular Injection. Dose of Metallic Mercury in grains	
Hiloca	19-2-18	Admitted to Hospital										
	19-2-18	WASSERMANN. + + +										
	23-2-18				N		.6					
	23-2-18			BB					+			
	28-2-18				N		.6					
	28-2-18			BB					+			
	6-3-18				N		.9					
	6-3-18			BB					+			
	12-3-18	WASSERMANN. + + +										
	13-3-18			BB					+			
	21-3-18	Supp. New Khairwan			N		.6					
	21-3-18			BB					+			
	21-3-18	" " "			N		.6					
	28-3-18			BB					+			
	5-4-18				N		.9					
	5-4-18			BB					+			
	10-4-18	WASSERMANN TEST RESULT										
	10-7-18	WASSERMANN TEST RESULT										
	30-7-18				N		.6					
	30-7-18								+			
	6-8-18				N		.6					
	6-8-18								+			
	20-8-18				N		.6					
	20-8-18								+			
	27-8-18	WASSERMANN TEST RESULT										
	"											

*Handwritten signature: F. J. J. J. J.*

*Handwritten signature: C. J. J. J. J.*

*Handwritten signature: F. J. J. J. J.*

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.  
 Rank Ote Surname Rowse Christian Name Walter D.  
 Religion Methodist Age on Enlistment 19 years 8 months  
 Enlisted (a) St John's Terms of Service (a) DURATION Service reckons from (a) 10/4/16  
 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 \_\_\_\_\_

*Rowse*

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>Part 2 3/E</i>
					<i>Capt to Col</i>
					<i>Other to No1 Infantry Section</i>
					<i>G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon.</i>

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted in Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.  
 (b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.  
 (17501) Wt. W 1887-P 1124, 1,000,000. 6/18. D & S Form B/103. (E. 1256.) P.T.O.  
*Nest of Rowse; Father, Rowse, Israel Leading Section 1st*

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps 2/ Newfoundland

Rank Pte Surname Russell Christian Name Walter

Religion Methodist Age on Enlistment 19 years 8 months

Enlisted (a) 10-4-16 Terms of Service (a) duration of war Service reckons from (a) 10-4-16

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

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

Occupation ..... Signature of Officer A. Coley

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>5.8.17</u>	
			Disembarked... <u>Rover</u>	<u>7.8.17</u>	
			Joined Battalion		
<u>13.8.17</u>	<u>2nd B.A.</u>	<u>Classified P.B. (Old Sect. h. Ankle)</u>	<u>Rover</u>	<u>7.8.17</u>	<u>Non. Roll.</u>
"	<u>do</u>	<u>Transferred to England</u>		<u>12 AUG 1917</u>	<u>A.A.S.</u> <u>1858/272</u>
			<u>Salisbury</u>		
			O. i/c No. 1		<u>Major</u>
					<u>Reg. Infantry Section</u> <u>G. H. O. 3rd Echelon.</u>

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

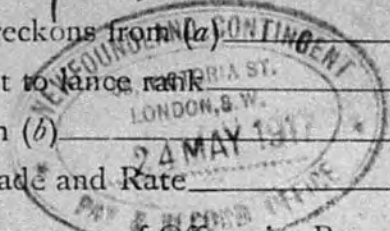
(b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.



**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regimental Number 2533

Regiment or Corps 2<sup>d</sup> Newfoundland Regt  
 Rank Pte Surname Rawcell Christian Name Walter 1916  
 Religion Meth Age on Enlistment 19 years 8 months.  
 Enlisted (a) 10/4/16 Terms of Service (a) War Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of promotion to present rank \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank \_\_\_\_\_  
 Extended { \_\_\_\_\_ } Re-engaged { \_\_\_\_\_ } Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_  
 or Corps Trade and Rate \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Officer i/c Records \_\_\_\_\_



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, 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. 38, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...			11 OCT 1916
		Disembarked ...			12 OCT 1916
		Joined Battalion		22 OCT 1916	
				With BATT. 25. I. IV	
15.4.17	Unit	Wounded in Action	France	14 APR 1917	B 212
30.4.17	19 B.S.	Ad. G.W. L. Leg & R. Heel	Do	15.4.17	F.D. 5422
28.9.17	14 Gen. Hosp.	Ad. G.W. R. Leg & Heel	Wimereu	16.4.17	H.A. 8613
	"Van Braydel"	Invalided England		17.4.17	W 3083

*[Signature]*  
 O. i/c No. 1 Reg. Infantry Section  
 G.H.Q., 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.  
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May 28, 1919

#2533 Pte. Walter Rowell,

Leading Ticker West, H.D.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,

20332

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

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

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

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

Christian name *Walter* ..... 2. Surname *Russell* .....

3. Rank *Pte* ..... 4. Regtl. No. *2533* .....

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *Leading Sickles West NFB*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *apl 10/16* .....

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

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

8. Relationship of such dependents.....

9. Address in full of such dependents.....

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?..... *No*

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld, if so, give dates and particulars of such service..... *Overseas*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas..... *From apl 10/16 to May 2/19 date of temporary discharge*



13. Have you had more than one enlistment? If so, give particulars of discharge and re-enlistments, and under what regimental numbers.  
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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.  
.....  
*Clothing allowance back pay \$94.20*  
*Board allowance 18*  
.....

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge?..... *No*

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

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.  
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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?.....

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.?..... *No* If not give? - (a) date of discharge *May 2, 1919* (b) Reason for discharge *Temporary Delegation*  
.....

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, Belgium & Germany from Oct 1916 to Jan 14/19 - Cambrai, Messines, Ypres - Guidercourt*

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:

*W. Rowell*

Place of Residence:

*Leading Tickles Wash,  
N. John's Wfd*

Declared before me at:

*May 19, 19...*

This

*3rd*

day of

*John McCaffrey*

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid

Paid  
Soldier.

Paid  
Dependent.

War Service  
Gratuity.

*(mes)*

Net amount  
due

*4 30 00*

Certified correct.

Registrar

*9*

No. 2186

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P6.

**1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT**

**ALLOTMENTS**

I, Walter B. Rowell, Regl. No. 2533

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Dollars and Sixty 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.:

Allotment begins May 15th

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
2211	Brother	Mrs. Israel Rowell	Leading Ticker N. D. Bay	60
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.) H. Outbridge  
 for Officer Commanding  
 Company  
St. John's

(Sig.) Walter B Rowell  
 (Rank) Private

May 6th 1916



SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant..... *Rowell, Janet P.*  
On account of *H. B. Rowell* No. *2533* Rank. *Pte.*

Decision..... *Approved*  
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Date..... *March 1<sup>st</sup> 1920.*  
*W. H. [Signature]*  
*M. Bowley, Major*

Instructions.....  
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Allotment of                      per                      payable to  
his                      from                      to  
Discontinued on account of

.....

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant..... *J. P. Russell* ..... (*Wife*)  
On account of *Walter B. Russell* No. *2533*. Rank. *Pte.*

Decision..... *Approved* .....

Date..... *Dec 6/1919* .....

~~*Richard S.*~~  
*W. H. Lee* Lieut. Col.  
*M. Bowley*, Major

Instructions..... *OK* .....

Allotment of *60<sup>¢</sup>* per day payable to *Mr Israel Russell*  
his *Mother* from *18/5/18* to *31/5/18*  
Discontinued on account of *Cancelled by allotment*

*284*

*No record of  
allot to wife*

*L. H. Staff Sgt*

*Paid from 21-10-18 To 18-5-19*

*#139.33*

Newfoundland Regiment  
(Separation Allowance Branch)  
(Information for Board of Review)

No.

Notice

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question.

Each statement is considered as being made on Oath, and the form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate or Justice of the Peace and returned to:

THE PAYMASTER  
Separation Allowance Branch,  
St. John's, Newfoundland.

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- |                             |             |                          |             |
|-----------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| 1. Name in full of soldier. | Rank.       | Reg't. or Unit.          | Regt. No    |
| <i>Walter B Russell</i>     | <i>Pte.</i> | <i>Royal Nfld Reg't.</i> | <i>2533</i> |
- 
2. Age of soldier. Married or single
- 22* *Married*
- 
3. Address in full. *Russell's Island*  
*Leading Light (West)*  
*St. John's Bay. Nfld.*
- 
4. Date of marriage. *Oct. 21<sup>st</sup> 1918.*
- 
5. Place of marriage. *3. U hyle's Row*  
*Glenbuck*  
*Ed. Lanark Scotland.*
- 
6. Did marriage take place since soldier's enlistment.
- Yes.*
- 
7. Was Commanding Officer's permission obtained? *Yes. but it was necessary.*
- 
8. If not married, how long have you been dependent on the soldier for your maintenance and supported regularly by him on a bona fide permanent domestic basis.
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9. Were you living with your husband immediately prior to his enlistment, if not, how long have you been separated.
- 
10. Is separation a legal one.
- 
11. If legal, are you in receipt of alimony? If so, state amount.
- 
12. If not legal, how long since your husband contributed to your support? Explain fully.
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13. State amount of allotment received by you from soldier monthly.

14. From what date have you received this allotment.

15. Names of children. Age last Birthday. Names of children. Age last Birthday.

*gone*

16. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, state amount *no.*

17. Are you in receipt of payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much. *no.*

18. ~~Did~~ <sup>Have</sup> you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance. If not, why? Give particulars. *yes.*

19. Was your husband at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Mfld. Government? *no*

20. In what capacity and in what place.

21. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the Mfld. Regiment, If so, how much?

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under oath and in virtue of the Evidence Act.

Signature of applicant.....*J. P. Russell*.....

Place of residence.....*Madug. Hills. (Crest) J. D. Bay*.....

Declared and subscribed before me  
as.....

this.....day of.....191.....

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace.....



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_  
NEWFOUNDLAND

This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a clergyman, the other a representative of your local Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their knowledge and belief, after careful inquiry, the above statements are correct.

Signature of clergyman..... *Leander Rowsell (Catechist)*

Signature of member of Patriotic Fund Committee.....

*I sent Marriage Certificate in last letter.*  
N.B. Marriage Certificate must accompany this application, and will be returned after perusal. If marriage is after enlistment, Commanding Officer's permission in writing must be forwarded.

*Sir,*  
*As there are no clergymen, or justices of the peace, I hope <sup>Mr</sup> L. Rowsell's signature will be enough as he is school teacher here.*  
*JPR.*

August 6, 1919

Mrs. J.P. Rowell,  
Leading Tickles,  
H.D.B.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your note of July 24th. I regret that mistake was made in sending you a form of claim for Separation Allowance for Mother, instead of wife.

I enclose herewith form of claim for Wife, which kindly have completed before a Magistrate or Justice of Peace, and return to this Department, so that your claim may be considered.

Yours truly,

Capt.  
For Paymaster



Dec 12, 1919

Mrs. J. P. Rowsell,  
Leading Tickers, N. D. B.

Dear Madam:-

Referring to your application for Separation Allowance, I enclose cheque for One hundred and thirty nine dollars and thirty three cents (\$139.33), being balance due to the date of your husband's discharge, and a cheque for One hundred and eighty dollars (\$180.00), representing six (6) payments on account of War Service Gratuity.

I also return your Marriage Certificate.

Yours truly

Major

paymaster.

27/12/18.

From, Mrs. Janet P. Rowsell,  
31, Miller Road, Ayr, N.B.

To, Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,

I have been married since the 21st Oct. to Pte. W. B. Rowsell, 2533, 21st Royal Newfoundland Regt. and I have never received any pay yet. You might see to it please and oblige.

(sd) Janet P. Rowsell,

11308/ 28/12/18

450/1/P&A

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8/1/19

From, Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

To, Mrs. J. P. Rowsell,  
31, Miller Road, Ayr, N. B.

Separation Allowance,  
2533, Pte. W. B. Rowsell.

With reference to your letter 27/12/18 (11308) regarding Separation Allowance: In order to support the claim you are required to complete the enclosed Statutory Declaration, N.F.P. 87a, before Magistrate of your District, and return it to this Office as soon as possible. Marriage and Character Certificates are also required, and the former will be returned to you when the claim has been dealt with, please.

(sd) H. A. Timewell, Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Rcds.

(3)

8/1/19

From, Lt. T. C. McIntosh,  
31st South African Infantry,

To, Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

I beg to bring to your notice a grave of Mrs. Rowsell, wife of 2533, Pte. W. B. Rowsell, "H" Co. 2/1 Royal Newfoundland Regiment. They were married on Oct. 21st 1918, the marriage papers were sent in to Headquarters and acknowledged, with a view to obtaining the necessary Separation Allowance. As Mrs. Rowsell has never received any payment will you please have this expedited as early as possible. Sometime ago Mrs. Rowsell notified your Office as to the above neglect, but all her communications having been ignored she is due some explanation. I should deem it a favour should you grant me per return an explanation as to why no Separation Allowance has been paid. Thanking you in anticipation.

(sd) T. C. McIntosh, Lieut.  
31st S. A. I.

342/ 11/1/19,

745/1/P&A

(4)

15/1/19.

From, Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Rcds.,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

To, Lt. T. C. McIntosh, 3rd S.A.I.  
"Glenbuck", Douglas, N.B.

2533, Pte. W.B. Rowsell,

With reference to your letter 8/1/19 (342) on behalf of the above Soldier's wife, permit me to point out that the responsibility of claiming Separation Allowance rests entirely with the soldier concerned.

On receipt of Mrs. Rowsell's letter 27/12/18, stating that she had not received Separation Allowance the matter was reported to Pte. Rowsell's Command Officer who was asked to cause the necessary documents to be prepared, and meanwhile the customary form of Declaration has been forwarded to her for completion. Up to the present the documents

(4) continued.

asked for have not come to hand and a reminder has been sent to the Officer Commanding, 2nd Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.

(sd) H. A. Timewell, Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Rcds.

P.S. Since dictating the foregoing reply of O. C. 2/Bn has been received to contents of which have been conveyed to Mrs. Rowsell.

449/84/P&A (5) 10/1/19.

From, Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,

To, Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Winchester.

2533, pte. W. B. Rowsell.

With reference to the following letter from Mrs. J. P. Rowsell, 31, Miller Road, Ayr, Scotland, 27/12/18 (11308)-

"I have been married since the 21st October to Pte. W.B.Rowsell, 2533, 2/1 Royal Newfoundland Regt. and I have never received any pay yet. You might see to it please, and oblige"

"Yours sincerely,  
Janet P. Rowsell"

No documents relating to Claim for Separation Allowance in favour of the above soldier's wife have so far been received in this Office. Will you kindly cause enquiry to be made and if Mrs. Rowsell's statement is correct, complete the enclosed N.F.'s P.82 and 84 and 11, and forward to this Office supported by Marriage and Character Certificates as customary, please.

(sd) H. A. Timewell, Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

(6) Jan.14/19,  
From, Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

To, Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt., London.

Pte. Rowsell was refused permission to marry by me, on the recommendation of my M.O. as he was suffering from Venereal Disease. In the circumstances I am not prepared to sign N.F.P.84. Canadian Routine Order No.2291, para.1.A. of 23/8/17 and your letter 10508/614 would appear to make my permission necessary before application for Separation Allowance can be admissible.

458/ 15/1/19. (sd) B. T. Barton, Lieut. Colonel,  
Com. 2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

1756/2/P&A (7) 20/1/19

From, Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

To, Mrs. J. P. Rowsell,  
31, Miller Road, Ayr, N.B.

2533, Pte. W. B. Rowsell,

With reference to your letter 27/12/18 (11308) regarding the question of Separation Allowance: Your husbands Commanding Officer has advised that for Medical reasons he refused to grant permission to marry. It is regretted therefore that in view of the present Regulations your claim for Separation Allowance is not admissible.

(sd) F. W. Marshall, Capt. for Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.



1757/250/P&A

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30/1/19.

From, Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent.

To, Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt. Winchester.

2533, Pte. W. B. Rowsell.

Reference the preceding Minutes: Under the Canadian Regulations there is a standing board appointed, whose duty it is to make enquiries as to the wife's character on the grounds that if the wife is of good character she should not be penalized as under the circumstances she stands to lose on all sides. It is therefore suggested that for the present purposes you institute inquiries through the Local Police Authorities, and the Soldiers' and Sailors' Families Association, meanwhile do you approve of an allotment of 50¢ of pay being put into force against Rowsell's account.

(sd) F. W. Marshall, Capt. for Major,  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

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3/2/19.

From, Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Winchester.

To, Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regt, London.

I am quite satisfied as to Mrs. Rowsell's good character, and if it is the wish of the Newfoundland Authorities I have objection to sanctioning the marriage. I would point however that if this sanction is taken in this case I shall be unable to refuse sanction to similar cases in the future. I have found in ~~the~~ the past that the fact that the issue of Separation Allowance depends on my approval of the marriage has acted as an effective deterrent to certain men whose state of health as represented by my M.O. renders it undesirable that they should marry, until their cases completed.

(sd) B. T. Barton, Lt. Colonel,  
Comdg. 2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.

1147/ 4/2/19

Reg. No. 2133 Rank 46 Name Lowell, B.  
Attested ..... Address Leading Ticker  
Allotment ..... Allottee .....  
Date of Allotment ..... Returned from Overseas .....  
Returned on S.S. .... Cause Discharge

2.1.19

4.5.19

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.

W.B.

2533

RECEIPT

FOR ISSUE OF RIBBON OF VICTORY MEDAL/1914-1919.

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

NO. 2533... NAME... W. B. Russell.

DATE. 15. 2. 20...

PLACE *Leading Yields*



Fold Here

**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records

*Royal Nfld. Regt.*

*Dept. of Militia,*

*ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.*

Fold Here



SEP 23 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**

is/are forwarded herewith to

Walter B. Rowsell

in respect of his service as No. 2533 Rank Pte.

Name W.B. Rowsell Royal Nfld. Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Medals

Signature W. B. Rowsell

Date 4 "10" 21

Address Leading Yickles. West

[P.T.O.]

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.  
 W6017/2124 1000m 6/10m 03 56

Forms  
B. 121  
25.

Regiment of

1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland

Number of Sheets

Signature of O. O. Company

C. H. ...  
Case

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade		Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay		
No.	2593	Age on	19 years 8 months	Trade	Tradesman			
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	St. Johns 18-4-16	Religion	M.			
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours 3 3/4 years. with Reserve 3 1/2 years.	Place of Birth	Newfoundland			
Joined	Date							
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
Capt.	1-8-17	Plt.		1 Absent from Tattoo until interviewed by Sgt. M. F. Police in Newburgs Street about 12:15 am on 2-8-17	Sgt. ...	4 days C.B.	3-8-17	Capt. H. Kendall	fine 1 day pay
"	2-8-17	..		2 Absent from Tattoo next reported 6:30 am found deficient of knife & spoon	Cpt. Miffles Sgt. Haines	Pay for same	31-1-18	Majr. March	P.G.A.R.
Fitzgibbon Down Camp	29-1-18			Agg. assault in mess room	K. A. T. Young	2 days C.B.	8-2-18	Lieut. F. G. A. Rendell	P.G.A.R.
do	7-9-17			Absent from tattoo	Cpl. Kendall	2 days C.B.	8-9-17	Capt. Whitty	[Signature]
do	11-9-17			" in company with Capt. ...	Sgt. McDermott	2 days C.B.	12-9-17	Capt. Whitty	[Signature]
				Absent without leave from 11 PM to 12 PM at ...	[Signature]	2 days C.B.		Capt. Whitty	[Signature]
				To be carried over					
				Demobilized 18/79					

Army Form B. 121.



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment 533

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2635 Rank *Pr* Name *Russell, Walter B.*  
 Date of Enlistment *10-11-16* Address *Leading Lighter St.* District *St. John's*  
 Occupation *Fisherman* Classification for Discharge *F* Medical Category *H/1*  
 Recommendation S.M.B. .... Disability Rating .....

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	/	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	/	1238-1
B 178	W 3494	B 122		Board 1st	" 2		
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915		do 2nd	" 3	3	
B 179	D 400B	Form 7		do 3rd	" 4		
B 179a	D 400C	Form K		do 4th	" 5		
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		<i>H.F. Book-1</i>	" 6		
B 179c	B 120	M 93		<i>1239-1</i>			

Date *2-5-19* O. C. Discharge Depot *H. News H.*

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am.....in a position to resume civilian occupation. *W. B. Russell*

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 *Shoes*

Date *2-5-19* O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *P13549532* to his home

at *London, Ontario* and Release Certificate No. *2207* issued.

Date *2-5-19*

*J.A. Snow*  
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 *18-5-19*

Date *2-5-19*

*H. W. H.*  
Depot Paymaster

Discharge approved for *4-5-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P 36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	1	D.F. 1	1	1235	1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st		" 2			
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd		" 3	2	June	B
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd		" 4			
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th		" 5			
B 179b	B 103	ME 2	AFB 156	1	" 6			
B 179c	B 120	M 93	1939	1				

Date *2-5-19*

*J.A. Snow*  
Demobilization Officer

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer in Charge Records,  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

MAY 4 1919

Date .....

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

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

Date *6/5/19*

*J.A. Snow*  
for officer in charge records