



# Newfoundland Forestry Companies

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 8392 Name David Sawers Corps

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

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| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>David Sawers</u>                      |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>14 Belvedere St</u><br><u>St John</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>yes</u>                               |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>20</u> Years <u>8</u> Months          |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Baker &amp; Patroller</u>             |
| 6. Are you Married? .....  | 6. <u>no</u>                                |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? .....                       | 7. <u>no</u>                                |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....  | 8. <u>yes</u>                               |
| 9. What is your Religion? .....  | 9. <u>Presb</u>                             |
| 10. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in this roll of service as applied to Forestry Companies? ..... | 10. <u>yes</u> { Name .....                 |
|  | { Corps .....                               |

I, David Sawers 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.

David Sawers SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

J. J. O'Rourke Signature of Witness.

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

I, David Sawers 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 serve His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in the United Kingdom, according to the conditions of my service.

### CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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

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

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

on this 20 day of Oct 1917

Signature of Attesting Officer J. J. O'Rourke

### †CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

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

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

Date Oct 20 1917

Place Depot

J. J. O'Rourke Approving Officer.

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

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

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

*Jan*  
 Name David Lawers  
 Present age 20 years 8 months. Height 5 feet 2 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded \_\_\_\_\_ inches *weight 161*  
 Range of expansion \_\_\_\_\_ inches  
 Distinctive marks Dark Brown Hair Gray eyes  
Four scars scars right arm

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Harry Lawers  
18 Belverde St | Relationship Father  
St John Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

## Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service 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 _____									
<i>Reached for March 9/1919</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to \_\_\_\_\_ [date of discharge] \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ days  
 " " Pensions " \_\_\_\_\_ [ " " ] \_\_\_\_\_ " \_\_\_\_\_ "

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Number of Sheet First

Forms  
B. 121  
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Regiment of North West Surrey Companies

Signature of O. C. Company

Regimental No. and Name	
No. <u>83923</u>	<u>David Lawson</u>
Joined _____ Date _____	
Joined _____ Date _____	
Joined _____ Date _____	
Joined _____ Date _____	

Enlistment		Trade	
Age on <u>20</u> years <u>8</u> months	<u>Labourer</u>		
Place and Date of Enlistment <u>Spahton</u> <u>20.12.17</u>	Religion <u>Presb.</u>		
Period of <u>with Colours 1/40</u> years.	Place of Birth <u>Glasgow</u>		
<u>with Reserve 36 1/2</u> years.			

Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of drinkiness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>Drunk</u>	<u>7/1/18</u>	<u>PL</u>		<u>Reporting sick without leave</u>	<u>Pl. Parsons</u>	<u>8 hours extra work</u>	<u>7/1/18</u>	<u>Capt W.S. Crowe</u>	
<u>Drunk</u>	<u>19/1/18</u>	<u>PL</u>		<u>absent from 1 pm parade + guttering work without permission</u>	<u>Sgt. Moray</u>	<u>6 hours extra work</u>	<u>19/1/18</u>	<u>Capt W.S. Crowe</u>	
<u>Drunk</u>	<u>17/3/18</u>	<u>PL</u>		<u>absent from Rose Case comm. at 9<sup>30</sup> pm until reporting back 11<sup>45</sup> pm 17/3/18.</u>	<u>comm. at 9<sup>30</sup> pm</u>	<u>Forfeits 2 days pay by Det. 21 hour extra work</u>	<u>19/3/18</u>	<u>Capt W.S. Crowe</u>	
<u>DO</u>	<u>17/4/18</u>	<u>PL</u>		<u>absent from 9<sup>45</sup> pm until 6 am 17/4/18</u>	<u>comm. at 9<sup>45</sup> pm</u>	<u>Forfeits 2 days pay by Det. 4 hours extra work</u>	<u>19/4/18</u>	<u>Capt W.S. Crowe</u>	
<u>DO</u>	<u>11/5/18</u>	<u>PL</u>		<u>absent from 9<sup>45</sup> pm until 6 am 11/5/18</u>	<u>capt. Langdon comm. at 9<sup>45</sup> pm</u>	<u>6 hours extra work</u>	<u>12/5/18</u>	<u>Capt W.S. Crowe</u>	
				To be carried over					
				<u>Demobilized</u>	<u>S. John</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>79</u>	

Dunkeld 1/6/18 P.G.

Brought forward  
absent from 10:30 pm  
until 9 am 10/6/18

Camelton 8 hours extra  
work

10/6/18

J.V.S. Cross  
Capt.

Forfeited 4 days  
pay by R.W.

Keenmore 28/10/18

overstaying pass from  
noon 29/10/18 until  
reporting 3:30 p 30/10/18

29/10/18

6 hours extra  
work

30/10/18

J.V.S. Cross  
Capt.

Forfeited 3 days  
pay by R.W.

150 30/11/18

absent from 1 pm  
30/11/18 until noon  
21/12/18

11/12/18

10 hours extra  
work

2/12/18

J.V.S. Cross  
Capt.

Forfeited 3 days  
pay by R.W.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 8392 ... Rank Private ... Name Bawers David  
 Intended place of residence 14 Belvedere St St Johns

2. Occupation Baker  
 Classification of soldier A ... Medical Category BI

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

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

Place ST. JOHN'S ...  
 Date FEB 22 1919 ...  
*[Signature]*  
 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 ...  
22. 2. 19 ...  
*[Signature]* ...  
 Signature of soldier  
*[Signature]* ...  
 Signature of witness

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

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

Place and Date ST. JOHN'S ...  
22. 2. 19 ...  
*[Signature]* ...  
 Signature of soldier  
*[Signature]* ...  
 Signature of witness

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 20-9-17 ... No of days on Military ...  
 Discharged from service 22. 2. 19 Plus 8 days ... Service 5249

### 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 ...  
FEB 22 1919 ...  
*[Signature]*  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

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

Place St Johns nfd ...  
March 8/1919 ...  
*[Signature]*  
 Officer i/c Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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