



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 5915 Name Henry Sheppard Corps 608

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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

I, Henry Sheppard 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.

Henry Sheppard SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

St. J. Bowden Signature of Witness.

3.8.18.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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

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

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 3 day of August 1918.

Signature of Attesting Officer C. D. Dickson Lieut

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

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

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

Date Aug 6 8. 1918

Place } Approving Officer.

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

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



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C.R. 5915

Extract from Daily Orders pt. II, Depot St. John's dated Dec. 30/1918.

The anticipated discharge on demobilisation have been approved by Officer Commanding depot from noted date. He is removed from depot strength and transferred to discharge depot pending confirmation by Officer i/o records.

#5915 Pte. Henry Sheppard.

C.R. 5915

Extract from Daily Orders Part, 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.

Regt. St. John's, dated August 19th, 1918.

5915. Pte. H. Sheppard.

Granted leave without pay from 28-8-18. to 15-10-18.

C.R. 5915

Extract of Daily Orders Part II, Depot, St. John's, dated
Jan. 6th 1919.

Demobilization

The discharge of the undernoted has been confirmed by
Officer i/c Records on dated dates.

5915 Pte. Henry Sheppard, 27-12-18

C.R. 5915

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

5915, Pte. H. Sheppard.

Granted leave from 17th/8/18 to 26/8/18.

C.R. 5915

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 from Unit The Royal
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated August 9, 1918.

5915, Pte. Henry Sheppard.

Attested for General service with The Royal Nfld, Regt.
from 5/8/1918.

Sheppard, Henry

5915

Ray & Sept.

January 3rd., 1919.

#5915 Pte. Henry Sheppard,
Catalina.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge
Certificate No. 270."

Yours faithfully,

Captain,
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

Enc 1 1.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 5915 Rank Plt Name Shepherd Henry
 Intended place of residence Catalana
 2. Occupation Fisherman
 Classification of soldier 1 Medical Category A. 1 leave without pay
 3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of.....

DEMOBILIZATION

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and he has impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations. **ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT**
 and granted leave without pay. 1st Lt Capt
 Place NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES Discharge Depot
 Date 11-12-18 St. John's 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 **ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT**
 and granted leave without pay.
 Place and date NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES Signature of soldier
 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 NOT APPLICABLE Signature of soldier
 Granted Leave without pay at his own request
 attestation to continue in civilian occupation
 Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 5.8.18 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 27.12.18 Service Home 141 1/2

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer in Charge, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.
 Place ST. JOHN'S Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.
 Date DEC 27 1918

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.
 Place St. John's, Nfld. M. Howley, Capt
 Date Dec 27/1918 Officer in Charge
20.2099/270 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 5915 Rank pte Name Shepherd, Angus
 Date of Enlistment 3.8.18 Address Catalina District Trinity
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge A Medical Category A
out back 45 days leave without pay
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating A

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 27.12.18

O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am.....in a position to resume civilian occupation.

NOT APPLICABLE.

Granted Leave without pay at his own request after
attestation to continue in civilian occupation

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable.....

(b) Clothing Supplied and granted leave without pay.

NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES

Date.....

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 1712 to his home
 at 12012322 01810000035 1500 and Release Certificate No. 646 mailed issued.

Date 27.12.18 CPD Duke Capt
 Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection
ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT
 therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 11-12-18
 and granted leave without pay.

Date 11-12-18 **NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES.** W. H. H. Capt.
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 27.12.18

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

| | | | | | |
|-----------|--------|--------|---|-----------|--------|
| N.F. P 36 | B 268 | B 121 | 1 | N.F. Med | D.F. 1 |
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| B 179c | B 120 | M 93 | 1 | | |

Date 27.12.18 CPD Duke Capt.
 Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—
 Officer i/c Records.
 Board of Pension Commissioners.
 with following additional documents.

DEC 27 1918

Date O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date Dec. 30/1918

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Sheppard Christian Name Henry

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE

Birthplace :—Parish Catalina County Newfoundland

| | SPECIAL RESERVE | | REGULAR ARMY | |
|---|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|
| | on | day of | on | day of |
| Examined | 5 | Aug | | 191 |
| Declared Age | 90 | years | | days |
| Trade or Occupation | fisherman | | | |
| Height | 5 | feet | 4 1/2 | inches |
| Weight | | 121 | | lbs. |
| Chest Measurement { | Girth when fully expanded | 34 1/2 | | inches |
| | Range of Expansion | 3 | | inches |
| Physical Development | | | | |
| Vaccination Marks { | Right | Left | Right | Left |
| | Arm | | | |
| When Vaccinated | | | | |
| Vision | R.E.—V= | 4/6 | R.E.—V= | |
| | L.E.—V= | 6/6 | L.E.—V= | |
| (a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease | (a) | | (a) | |
| (b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection | (b) | | (b) | |
| Approved by (Signature) | | | | |
| (Rank) | | | | |
| Enlisted | at | St John's | at | |
| | on | 5 day of Aug | on | day of 191 |
| Joined on Enlistment | Corps | Regtl. No. | Corps | Regtl. No. |
| | Royal | 5915 | | |
| Transferred to | 11th Regt | | | |
| Became non-effective by | on | day of | on | day of |
| (Signature) | | | | |
| (Rank) | | | | |

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 56 Sent by am at 9 1/2

Place from Catalina 12

To Capt. Brady



Is my leave of
absence extended
to november 15th.

#5915 Henry Sheppard

Mr. Wm. Pay to 15-10-18'

W. W. W. W.
Capt. H. Cobden

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at Headquarters on Aug 5 1918

1. Name Army Sheppard Age (a) Declared 20
 (b) Apparent 20

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? Trouble with left side.

What severe illnesses have you had? None.
Erys. Furunc.
Comp. Scur.
Marked

5915

3. Height 5-4 1/2 Weight 121
 4. Eyesight (a) Left 6/8 (b) Right 6/6
 5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) ~

6. Examination of Lungs ~
 Measurement (a) Expiration 31 1/2 (b) Inspiration 34 1/2

7. Examination of Heart ~

8. Examination of Urine ✓

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)
 Teeth }
 Throat } ~
 Nose }
 Ears—(Otorrhea) }
 (Deafness) }

10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when? No.
 11. Name and address of next of kin Father James Catalina

REMARKS—

A II

W. Borden
Archibald
 Medical Examiners.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B 121.
39.

Regiment of Royal Newfoundland

Number of Sheet One
Signature of O. C. Company C. P. Dicks *Lieut*

| Regimental Number and Name | | Enlistment | | Trade | Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|---|
| No. | <u>Henry Sheppard</u> | Age on | <u>20</u> years <u>0</u> months | <u>Fisherman</u> | |
| Joined | Date | Place and Date of Enlistment | <u>St Johns</u> | Religion | |
| Joined | Date | Period of | } with Colours <u>145</u> years. | Place of Birth | |
| Joined | Date | | | | } with Reserve <u>365</u> years. |
| Joined | Date | | | <u>Catalina</u> | |

| Place | Date of Offence | Rank | Cases of Drunkenness | OFFENCE | Name of Witnesses | Punishment awarded | Date of award or of order dispensing with trial | By whom awarded | REMARKS |
|-------|-----------------|------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---|-----------------|---------|
| | | | | <u>Demobilized St Johns</u> | <u>27</u> | | <u>12</u> <u>18</u> | | |

To be carried over.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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Date.....

O i/c. Re-clothing.

Reg. No. 5915 Rank Pfc Name Sheppard H J
Attested 5-8-18 Address Catalina
Allotment 50 Allottee James Sheppard (Father)
Date of Allotment 1-9-16 Returned from Overseas
Embarked for Overseas Cause

| | |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| Vac 9-8-18 | |
| P.L. Without pay from 18-8-18 to 15-10-18 | |
| 27-12-18 | PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER |
| 27-12-18 | DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION. |