



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2571 Name Alfonso Stares Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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|--|--|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Alfonso Stares</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Brooklyn</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>24</u> Years <u>7</u> 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 <u></u> |
| 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? | II. <u>Yes</u> |

FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR

I, Alfonso Stares 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.

Alfonso Stares SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

E 22/11 April J. Tower Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Alfonso Stares 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 24 day of Apr. 1916

H. O. M. Bridge 2nd Lieut
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 complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the

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

Date.....191..... } Approving Officer.
Place..... }

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‡ 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).....

Received 3.12.58



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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

25/11

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

Name.....

Apparent age..... years..... months..... Height..... feet..... inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded..... inches
 Range of expansion..... inches

Distinctive marks.....

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin..... | Relationship.....

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 22-4-16									
Joined at <i>St John's</i> on <i>April 22nd 16</i>									
<i>Discharged. St John's. April 2nd 1918</i>									
<i>Embarked St John's S.S. Sicilia for Cork 19th 16</i>									
<i>Embarked for Cork 11th 17</i>									
<i>Joined 10th at 22-10-16 Admitted 2nd Lt. Col. 11/10/17</i>									
<i>Admitted 3 London then Corp. 17th 17</i>									
<i>Embarked to 20-4-17. 6th Lt. for discharge 1-5-17</i>									
<i>Arrived Newfoundland 21-5-17</i>									
<i>Discharged Medically unfit. 5-4-18</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to *2-4-18* [date of discharge] *1* years *346* days

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



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1915

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the Appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of Alfonso Stares

aged 24

conducted at C. L. B.

Date: Apr 22/16

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 n
- 11 n
- 12 n
- 13 n
- 14 n
- 15 n
- 16 n
- 17 n
- 18 n
- 19 of Both
- 20 n
- 21 n
- 22 n
- 23 n
- 24 n
- 25 n
- 26 n
- 27 n
- 28 n
- 29 n
- 30 n
- 31 n
- 32 n

2571

- 33 no
- 34 5' 4 1/2
- 35 110 lbs
- 36 33-35 1/2
- 37 B400

38 parents Albert Stares Brooklyn.

39 parents partly.

PERSONAL EFFECTS

Received from Militia Department

One Kit Bag #2571 Pte. Alfonso Stares.

Signed

Albert B. Stares

Date

July 4th 1918

June 26, 1918.

Mr. Albert Stares,
Brooklyn, B.B.

Dear Mr. Stares:-

I am writing to inform you that I am forwarding
by "Express" one Kit Bag, which belongs to your
son #2571 Pte. Alfonso Stares of The Royal
Newfoundland Regiment.

Enclosed you will find receipt, will you
kindly sign same and return at your earliest
convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.

for Lieut. Col. G. S.-O.

Enc'l 1.

1197

Army Form W. 3032.

No. of Paper _____

PERSONAL EFFECTS.

Name D. Stares - A. No. 2571

Rank Plt. Regiment THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Article	Where stored	Notified by
<u>Kit-Bag.</u>		
	Final disposal	

Shipped from Depot.

Remarks: - Repacked
Alex of Kin: - Father
A. Stares
Brooklyn B.B.

C.R. 2571

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

2571 Pte. A. Stares.

Discharged 2 - 4 - 18, Medically unfit

C.R. 2571

See M 9-3

Extract from Preliminary Report from The Director of
Medical Services. To Officer Commanding Depot. dated
March 20, 1918.

#2571 Pte. A. Stares.

3rd Board. Recommended Discharge as Permanently Unfit.

C.R. 2571

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt., St. John's, May. 21st, 1917.

Attached to the Strength from May. 21st. 1917.

2571 Pte. M. Stares.

OUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

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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)

Fred M. Stares
per [unclear]

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated February 20, 1917.

To Mr. Albert Stares,
Brooklyn, B.B.

Record Office, London, today reports No. 2571,
Private Alfonso Stares, has been admitted to Wandsworth
suffering from appendicitis.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary

C.R. 2071

Extract from ~~Daily Express~~ Telegram received from London,
dated February 19, 1917

Appendicitis

At Wandsworth, ~~Alongate~~. #2571 Pte. Stares.

G.

13th February, 1917.

Dear Madam,

Letters for men in the
Regiment should be addressed to them
with their number, stating Newfoundland
Regiment, care of Pay and Record Office,
58 Victoria Street, London.

Yours truly,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. Annie Stares,
Brooklyn, B. B.

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Signature of Sender

Address

Line
Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

Dated

February 8, 1917.

To

Mr. Albert Stares,

Brooklyn, B.B.

Record Office, London, today reports that condition of
No. 2571, Private Alphonso Stares, was unchanged February third.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 2571

Extract from Casualties received from P & R Office London,
Feb. 8th, 1917.

2571 Stares.

Condition unchanged Feb. 3rd, 1917.

NORFOLK ISLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

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Signature of Sender _____

Address _____

Line
Number _____

Rcd _____

By _____

Sent _____

By _____

Check _____

Dated

February 2, 1917.

To

Mr. Albert Stares,

Brooklyn, B.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office,

London, officially reports No. 2571, Private Alfonso Stares, was at Casualty Clearing Station January thirtyfirst dangerously ill of appendicitis.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you and trust that next report will be of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 2571

Extract from Casualties received from P & R Office, London,

Feb. 1st, 1917.

2571 Stares.

Dangerously ill appendicitis. Casualty Clearing Station,

Jan. 31st.

Brooklyn 153
B Bay ✓
Jan 23rd 1917

J. H. Bennett Esq.

Sir,

I have received a field card
from my son, Private Alfonso Stares
2571 1st Inf Regiment B company 3rd Battal
ion Somewhere in France & he was sick
Admitted to hospital could you be so
kind as to let me know what is the
matter with him. He left St Johns
in July 1916 & have been in the trenches
about (3) three months.

Thanking you in anticipation
I remain

Yours Etc

(Mrs) Annie Stares

C.R. 2571

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,
per S.S. "Sicilian" July 19, 1916.

2571 Pte. Stares A.

C.R. 2571

Extract from Nominal Roll of RFLA. Regt. Embarked Southampton, N,
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Draft No. 12. 11-10-16.

2571 Pte. S. Stares.

9/1/18
2571
April 5th. 1918.

The C. G.,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Headquarters.

Sir,-

The undermentioned men have been
on the dates given.

Kindly note and post in Daily Orders,

Part 11.

I have the honour to be,

Sir

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd). J.M. Howley,

Capt. & Paymaster &
Officer i/c Records.

JMH/JH.

No. 2173	Corpl. Murphy, P.	2/4/18.	Med. Unfit.
No. 227	Corpl. Batstone, O.K.	2/4/18.	Med. Unfit.
No. 420.	Corpl. Pierfield, I.	2/4/18.	Med. Unfit.
No. 822.	Pte. Nutford, W.	2/4/18.	Med. Unfit.
No. 2571.	Pte. Stares, A.	2/4/18.	Med. Unfit.

LINEN BOND

March 15th. 1918.

From Officer Commanding,
Depot.

To Director of Medical Services,
Department of Militia.

2571 Pte. Stares, A.
2173 Cpl. Murphy, P.
420 Cpl. Fiefield, I.
822 Pte. Nutford, W.
1748 Pte. Lambert, B.
2488 L/Cp. House, H.

Marginally noted men have been recommended for attention of the Standing Medical Board by Headquarters Travelling Board held on March 14th. 1918. Will you please advise when these men can be sent up for disposal.

September 10th., 1917.

From: Director of Medical Services.

Reference No. 2571

To: O. C. Depot.

Re 5571 Pte.
A. Stares.

Your note to Lieut. Howley has been passed to me. The only record I have of the marginally noted man is that he was sent to me following his boarding to know whether he could be granted leave before entering Hospital. This question was answered by memo to you of May 28th., copy of which is enclosed.

Cluny Macpherson

Major, D. M. S.

COPY

Office of Director of Medical Services,

Colonial Building,

May 28th., 1917.

Q. C. DEPOT

Re 2571 Pte. A. Stares.

This man's admission to Hospital is for operation for Hernia following an Appendicitis operation. It is not urgent so that there is no medical reason why you should not grant him furlough for a short while if you so desire.

(Sgd) CLUNY MACPHERSON,

Major, D. M. S.

Sept 15/91

Esq. Stouley
Will you arrange to let this
man know the necessary
information

Please
W. H. Stouley

Brooklyn, B. B.

Aug. 9. /17

J. J. O. Grady Captain & adj

Dear Sir

Would you kindly let me know what is going to be done with me I have been home over two months I was told after my medical board I was recommended for discharge, by two weeks from then but I haven't heard from them since I would like to know what is going to be done with me as I am not feeling up to much thanking you I remain your obedance servant

Private Alfonso Stars

Attended to
Sept - 15/9/17

Brooklyn
B. Bay. ~~th~~
Feb 19th /18

To

Capt. J. J. O'Grady,
Dear Sir

As my furlough
has expired would you kindly send
my pass.

- 7591 - Yours Respectfully
(It) Alfonso Stairs

OK. W. K.

and Railway warrant.

February 23rd.

8.

2571 Pte. A. Stares,
Brooklyn, B. B.

Herewith railway warrant for your passage to
St. John's. On arrival you will immediately report
to the Officer Commanding, Headquarters, Royal Newfound-
land Regiment.

H.S.J.
Orderly Room Sergeant.

A. Stares.

C.R.

2571

P.R.O.

Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. <u>25714</u>	Army Rank <u>Private</u>			
Name <u>Stares Alfonso</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>				
Corps <u>Newfoundland Regiment</u>				
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>				
Date of discharge _____				
Place of discharge _____				
<p>1. <i>Description at the time of discharge.</i></p> <table style="width:100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; border-right: 1px solid black; vertical-align: top;"> <p>Age <u>25</u> years _____ months</p> <p>Height <u>5</u> feet <u>3</u> inches</p> <p>Chest measurement (girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.)</p> <p>Complexion <u>fresh</u></p> <p>Eyes <u>blue</u></p> <p>Hair <u>light brown</u></p> <p>Trade <u>Ship's Cook</u></p> <p>Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable) <u>Brooklyn</u> <u>St. John's Bay</u> <u>Newfoundland</u></p> </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p>Descriptive marks.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">12 APR 1917</p> <p><u>Operation Sea & Appendicitis</u></p> </td> </tr> </table> <p><small>(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)</small></p>			<p>Age <u>25</u> years _____ months</p> <p>Height <u>5</u> feet <u>3</u> inches</p> <p>Chest measurement (girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.)</p> <p>Complexion <u>fresh</u></p> <p>Eyes <u>blue</u></p> <p>Hair <u>light brown</u></p> <p>Trade <u>Ship's Cook</u></p> <p>Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable) <u>Brooklyn</u> <u>St. John's Bay</u> <u>Newfoundland</u></p>	<p>Descriptive marks.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">12 APR 1917</p> <p><u>Operation Sea & Appendicitis</u></p>
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2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>Appendicitis</u>				
<small>(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)</small>				
3. Military character :—				
4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations :—				
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.</p>				
<p>Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Initials of Commanding Officer.</p>				
Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*				

Original

71-13.

Army Form No. 179

Medical Report on an Invalid.



3rd London General Hospital

Station WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Date

25/3/17

1. Unit Newfoundland, 5. Age last birthday 25

2. Regimental No. 2541

6. Enlisted { on

April 22nd 1916.
St John's, Nfld.

3. Rank Private.

7. Former Trade { or Occupation {

Deep sea fisherman.

4. Name Stares. A.

8. Disability.

appendicitis

COPY SENT TO
O.C. H.Q.
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
P. 38. NO. 3252/25
12 APR 1917

Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

9. Date of origin of disability.

Jan 26th 1917

10. Place of origin of disability.

Somme

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

His pain in stomach got worse & he went to 2nd Lond. C.C. S. & was operated on & appendix removed on Jan 31st 1917. A tube was put in, & slept a week. The wound didn't quite heal by 1st infection. It was healed by Feb 28 1917.

12. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability.

(b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it (See notes on page 3).

? appendicitis { active service.

13. What is his present condition?

Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.

His wound has healed & he gets up & walks about but complains of pain & tenderness round the scar. The scar looks firm, but has not consolidated yet. Has some distention of the bowels.

14. If the disability is an injury, was it caused

- (a) In action?
- (b) On field service?
- (c) On duty?
- (d) Off duty?

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?

If so—(a) When?

(b) Where?

(c) Opinion?

16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?

Appendix removed.

17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?

18. *In case of loss or decay of teeth.* Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly* attributable to active service?

19. Do you recommend

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or
- (b) Change to ~~England~~

I think he will be fit for employment in about three months time, after rest.

H. S. Williams.
Capt R.A.M.C. F.R.C.

Officer in medical charge of case.

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith,

except†

3rd London General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Station

Date

26/3/17

H. E. Stone

Officer in charge of Hospital.

* 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.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

Notes.—(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as, in the event of the man being invalided, it is essential that the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital should be in possession of the most reliable information to **enable them to decide upon the man's claim to pension.**

- (ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.
- (iii.) The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is attributed to (a) active service, (b) climate, or (c) ordinary military service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (see Articles 1162 and 1165 Pay Warrant, 1913).
- (iv.) In answering question 20 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.
- (v.) A disability is to be regarded as due to climate when it is caused by military service abroad in climates where there is a special liability to contract the disease.

20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of (i.) active service, (ii.) climate, or (iii.) ordinary military service.
- (b) If due to one of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it?

Action service
Strain

21. Has the disability been aggravated by
- (a) Intemperance?
 - (b) Misconduct?
 - (c) Any of the conditions mentioned in Question 20, and if so which?

No
No
-

22. Is the disability permanent?

No, *months*

23. If not permanent, minimum duration to be stated in months

24. To what extent earning a full labour market value in defining the extent to which he can earn a livelihood, or total incapacity.

23a. Is he fit for discharge from the service as an out-patient, and will he require out-patient treatment on discharge from hospital?

Yes Yes

24A. Is the man suffering from a disability which would obviously, as far as you can judge, cause him to be rejected by an Approved Society under the National Insurance Act?

25. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

No

26. Do the Board recommend

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or
- (b) ~~Change to England?~~

Yes

Signatures:—

3rd London General Hospital,
Stamandsworth, S.W.
Date 31st March 1917

Surhighally Maje Ramesh President.
R.P. Howard Esq
Chalsoni Capt Ramesh Members.

3rd London General Hospital,
Stamandsworth, S.W.
Date 31st March 1917

Surhighally Maje Ramesh
Administrative Medical Officer.

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20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of (i.) active service, (ii.) climate, or (iii.) ordinary military service.

*Action service
Strain*

(b) If due to one of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it?

21. Has the disability been aggravated by

(a) Intemperance?

No

(b) Misconduct?

No

(c) Any of the conditions mentioned in Question 20, and if so which?

-

22. Is the disability permanent?

No

23. If not permanent, what is its probable minimum duration?

Indefinite months

To be stated in months.

24. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

Not at present

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{2}{4}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, or total incapacity.

24a. Is the man suffering from a disability which would obviously, as far as you can judge, cause him to be rejected by an Approved Society under the National Insurance Act?

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25. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

No

26. Do the Board recommend

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or

Yes

(b) ~~Change to England?~~

Signatures:—

3rd London General Hospital,
Station WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Date 31st March 1917

L. Higham Major R.A.M.C. President.
R. B. Howard Esq
C. Chalpin Capt R.A.M.C. Members.

3rd London General Hospital,
Station WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Date 31st March 1917

L. Higham Major R.A.M.C. Administrative Medical Officer.

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Forms/W. 3201/1

Army Form W. 3201

(In pads of 50)

ONLY FOR USE IN THE CASE OF SOLDIERS RETURNED FROM AN
EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, OR FROM GARRISONS ABROAD.

12th Field (Regiment).

No. 2571, Rank Plt, Name Stares, A.

is discharged from Hospital with orders to proceed to his home
(Address 58 Victoria St. S.W.)

and there await further instructions as to his discharge from the
Service.

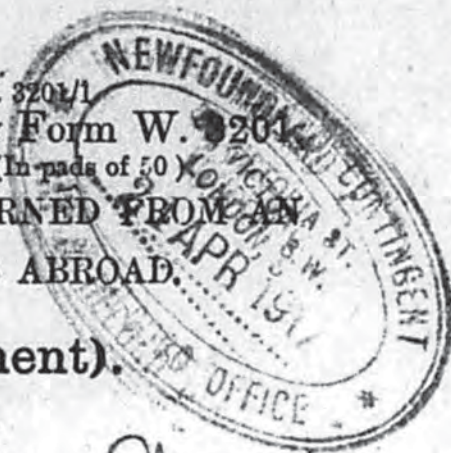
Place 3rd LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL
WANDSWORTH.

H. J. [Signature] Officer Commanding,
Capt. R. A. M. C. I.

Registrar, R. A. M. C. I. Hospital.

Date 21/4/17

3rd London General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S. W.



Admitted
17.2.17.

ONLY FOR USE IN THE CASE OF SOLDIERS RETURNED FROM AN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, OR FROM GARRISONS ABROAD.



24th Contingent Regiment.

*The Officer Commanding 24th Contingent - Coy.

The Officer in Charge of Records 58 Victoria St. S.W.

The Regimental Paymaster 58 Victoria St. S.W.

With reference to No. 2571 Pte Skares A. of the above Regiment, who appeared before a Medical Board and was approved by

the D.D.M.S. Wm Womand on the 31 - 3 - 17 for discharge from the Service as permanently unfit, please note that this man has been sent to his home address on warrant with orders to await instructions as to his final discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance and a suit of plain clothes.

He proceeded to 58 Victoria Street S.W.

on [date] 21 - 4 - 17.

H. Jagan
Capt. R.A.M.C.T. Officer Commanding
Hospital.

Place Wandsworth Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.
3rd London General Hospital,
Date 21 - 4 - 17 WANDSWORTH, S.W.

* In case of Territorial Force "Officer Commanding the Administrative Centre."
Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above, and one copy filed in the Office.



Notification by President of Medical Board of Approval of a Soldier's Discharge under Paragraph 392 (xvi.) King's Regulations.

(To be completed and dispatched on the day on which the discharge is approved.)

To the Officer i/c Records 58 Victoria St.
J.W.

The Soldier named below has appeared before an Army Medical Board at this station, and his discharge from the Service as "no longer physically fit for War Service" has **this day** been approved. (The discharge will be confirmed for a date ²¹ ~~14~~ days after the date on this notification—see A.C.I. 1623 of 1916.)

Soldier's surname Stores, Christian names Alphonso
(in full)
Regt. No. and Rank 2571 Pte. Regt. or Corps 1/1 Newfoundland
(If T.F. this should be stated)
His address on discharge will be Brooklyn, Bona Vista Bay,
Newfoundland

The Soldier states that no allowance is being issued in respect of him.
*Insert "separation," "dependants," "family," or "no," as the case may be. The space must not be left blank.

Army Form D. 400A. and Army Form B. 179 for the above-named Soldier are forwarded herewith.

3rd London General Hospital,
Station WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Surgeon Major General

Date 31/3/17.

President of Board
(Approving Officer).

A set of three forms will be made out for each soldier whose discharge is approved, and will be dispatched to the officers severally indicated.

Attention is drawn to the fact that Forms A, B and C of each set are not in identical terms.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Stares

Christian Name Alfonso



Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>27</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>6</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
Declared Age	<u>24</u> years <u>7</u> days		_____ years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>Fisherman</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>4 1/2</u> inches		_____ feet _____ inches	
Weight	<u>116</u> lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>35 1/2</u> inches		_____ inches	
	Range of expansion... <u>2 1/2</u> inches		_____ inches	
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm		Right	Left
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V==	<u>6/6</u>	R.E.—V==	
	L.E.—V==	<u>6/6</u>	L.E.—V==	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>L. Amos Peterson</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Major</u> Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St Johns</u>		at _____	
	on <u>27</u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>6</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	<u>1st Nfld Reg.</u>	Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	<u>2571</u>	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

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O.C. H.Q.
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
N.F.P. 38. No. 2212/25
DATED 12 APR 1917

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, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.	17	2	17				appendicitis		Board held - see overleaf Disability - appendicitis. Scar not consolidated. Cause - Strain on active service. Total - inability at present to earn a livelihood.	<i>H. J. G. Campbell</i> 3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.

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 Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital.

Statement A should be completed in the Hospital at which the man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, and 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, to be completed by the Officer in Charge when received by him, and will be forwarded by him, together with the remainder of the man's documents, to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, London, S.W.

Changes occurring in the description subsequent to the date of admission to pension should be noted in red ink.



A Name in full Stares - Alfonso
 Regiment from which discharged 1/ Newfoundland
 Regimental Number 2571
 Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when Brooklyn, Bonavista Bay, Newfoundland
 Intended address Brooklyn, Bonavista Bay, Newfoundland. 7/10/891
 Height on discharge 5 Feet 3 Inches
 Colour of Hair on discharge Light brown Colour of Eyes Blue
 Descriptive marks Operation scar appendicitis Complexion Fresh
 Figure on discharge Slender build
 Christian name of Father Albert
 Christian name of Mother Annie
 Wife's Maiden name in full —
 Date and Place of Marriage —
 Christian names of Children —
 Nature and locality of civil employment desired Sawmill in Newfoundland

COPY SENT TO
 O.C. H.Q.
 ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
 N.F.P.38. No. 2222
 12 APR 1917
 in Newfoundland

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) Wandsworth

Station Alfonso Stares (Rank) Plt.
 Date 24.3.17.

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.

Belmont Medical Officer i/c
Captn. Lombard Hospital

Station WANDSWORTH, S.W. Date 24.3.17.

B Period of Service and in what Corps ...	Regiment	Years	Days	All Service Abroad with Stations	Years	Days
					India	
				S. Africa		
Disallowed						
Service towards Pension						
Date inclusive to which pay has been issued	Sum due on account } of advance of pension }					
Sums due on account of public debts ...						

Rank on Discharge
 Character (as on Certificate of discharge)
 Where born, and on what date
 Date and Place of first Enlistment
 Trade on Enlistment
 Cause of Discharge
 Number of G.C. Badges
 Wounds, and Actions in which received

Medals

Other distinguishing marks

I certify that the above details of service and other particulars are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

Station _____ Officer in Charge
 Date _____ Records.

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1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Army Form W 3127.

NO EXTENSION OF THIS FURLOUGH IS PERMITTED

N.B.—This Form is to be used for N.O.O.'s and men granted furlough from Hospitals during the period of the war.



No. 8 London General Hospital at Wandsworth

FURLOUGH.

No. 2571 (Rank) Cadet (Name) Staus A.

Unit Newfoundland Regiment.

has been granted a furlough from Saturday April 21 1917

to tattoo on Monday April 30 /17 and leave to proceed to

London

No advance is to be made to him on any account without previous reference to the Paymaster at _____

(Station) _____

(Date) (4/)

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

I/c H.A. Anderson Hospital.
for PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS

Information to be obtained from a Soldier (Regular or Territorial) whom it is proposed to discharge or to transfer to the Reserve Section W or W(T) in substitution for a man fit for General Service.



No. 2571 Rank Pte
Name (surname first) Stears Alphonzo
Regiment 1st Newfoundland

1. State what special qualifications you have for employment in civil life.

Fisherman and Sawmill

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O.C. H.Q.
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
N.F.P.38. No. 3252/25
DATED 12 APR 1917

2. State the name and address of your last, or any other employer before enlistment, etc., the nature of employment and how long you were employed?

Stears 2 yrs
Alphonzo Stears
Brooklyn B. B. Newfoundland *as foreman in sawmill*

3. What is the nature and locality of the employment you desire?

Sawmill

4. What is the name of your Approved Society? —

5. Have you been employed whilst with the Colours? If so, in what capacity?

Company Rinner
Alphonzo Stears
Alphonzo Stears

Date 20/3/17

Signature _____

NOTE—This Army Form will be given to all patients in Hospital to complete who are suffering from a disability sufficiently serious to make discharge probable. In the event of the man being brought before a Medical Board for discharge, this Army Form will be produced to the Board, together with other documents laid down in para. 4 (ii), item 3, of Army Council Instruction No.....of 1916.

When the soldier who is to be brought before a Medical Board is not a patient in Hospital, and in substitution cases, these instructions will be carried out by the man's C.O.

No. 2571 Name *Staves A.* Sqn., Batty., or Company } *B.* Corps *herofordland.* Date of enlistment } *Apr. 22/16* G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }
 Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } *home.* No. and date of last drunk } *home.* Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } Sheet No. } *1* Signature O.C. } *W. D. ...* Character } *Excellent*
 Company, etc. } *...*

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
<i>In the field</i>	<i>5.11.16</i>	<i>Pvt.</i>		<i>Deficient of great coat</i>	<i>Sgt. Horddinnitt</i>	<i>Pay for same</i>	<i>6.11.16</i>	<i>Major Forbes Robertson</i>	<i>RHD</i>
				<i>Invalided to England</i>	<i>16.2.17</i>	<i>Pvt.</i>			

Army Form B. 199
Warranted
98-2-17
RHD
 p.s.o.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 2571 Pte Stares A.
 Company. From 23/12/16 To 4/5/17 (Dates inclusive)

(Substituting A.F.O. 1625) N.F.P/36.
 Embarked per S. S. Grampian
 From Liverpool Date 4/5/17
 Draft No. 55 OR.

DR. Classification (See procedure) A.

Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	¢	¢	£	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	¢	¢	£	s	d
	8	Forfeited Pay										1	Pay								
	9	Allotments	60	133		79	80					2	Field Allowances	1.00	133		13300				
	10											3	Other Allowances	10	133		1330				
	11/12	Total Stoppages										4/5	Total @ 4.86 2/3								
						79	80	16	8	0								14630	50	1	3
	13	Fines										6a									
	14	Clothing and Necessaries																			
	15	Arms & Accoutrements																			
	16	Barrack Damages																			
24/4/17	17	Hospital Stoppages																			
	17a	Miscellaneous Stoppages																			
	19	Casual Payments																			
24/4/17	20	1st Payment P & R. Office						16	0	0											
	21	2nd " " Acq. Roll France						2	6	7											
	22	3rd " "																			
	23	Final " "																			
	24	Balance Debit Last Period																			
	28	" Due by Paymaster						2	1	0		27	Balance Due to Paymaster								
						57	15	7													

Or. Balance 22/12/16

Ration Allowance 21/4/17-4/5/17

TIFIED CORRECT.

O.C. " " Company.

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CHECKED.



2571 Pte Stares A.
23/12/16 4/5/17

A.

Liverpool
35

Grampian
4/5/17

60 133 79 80

1.00 133 13300
10 133 1330

79 80 16 8 0

14630 30 1 3

24/4/17

***** Advances 1 0 0

Gr. Balance 22/12/16 6 6 4

24/4/17

*** s P & R. Office 16 0 0
*** Acq. Roll France 2 6 7

Ration Allowance 21/4/17-4/5/17 1 8 0

2 1 0

37 15 7

37 15 7



Handwritten signature or initials.

CASUALTIES.

FOR DISCHARGE.

2571, Pte. A. Stares ex. 5rd. London General
Hospital, 21/4/17 is granted furlough to 30/4/17 with orders
to report at the Record Office on the latter date for discharge
disposal. To be repatriated, 1/5/17

Auth: For discharge A. F. B. 179.

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Stanes a.

2571

Pay Dept

Despatching
Office
Stamp.



Arrival
Office
Stamp.

Ball

No. 701

From Militia Dept

Registered Letter Addressed—

Alfonso Stares Esq.
Brooklyn
N.S.

Received by

A. M.

Dispatching
Office
Stamp.



Arrival
Office
Stamp.

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No. 677

From

Regt. Office

Registered Letter Addressed—

A. Stares

Brooklyn

Received by

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 2571 Pte Stares A.
 Company. From 23/12/16 To 4/5/17 (Dates inclusive)

(Substituting A.F.O. 1625) N.F.P/36.
 Embarked per S. S. Gramplan
 From Liverpool Date 4/5/17
 Draft No. 35 CR.

DR.		Classification (See procedure)						A.		CR.						
Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	s	d	
	8	Forfeited Pay							1	Pay	1.00	133				
	0	Allotments	60	133	79	80			2	Field Allowances	10	133				
	10								3	Other Allowances						
	11/12	Total Stoppages							4/5	Total @ 4.86 2/3						
					79	80	16	8					146	30	1	3
	13	Fines							6a							
	14	Clothing and Necessaries														
	15	Arms & Accoutrements														
	16	Barrack Damages								Cr. Balance 22/12/16				6	6	4
24/4/17	17	Hospital ***** Advances			1	0	0									
	17a	Miscellaneous Stoppages								Ration Allowance. 21/4/17-4/5/17				1	8	0
	19	Casual Payments														
24/4/17	20	*** Payments P & R. Office			16	0	0									
	21	*** " Acq. Roll France			2	6	7									
	22	3rd "														
	23	Final "														
	24	Balance Debit Last Period														
	28	" Due by Paymaster			2	1	0		27	Balance Due to Paymaster						
					37	15	7							37	15	7



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TIFIED CORRECT.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
 O.C. " " Company.
 PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS

CHECKED.

DUPLICATE

M.F.P. 16 1000-10-17



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT OF #2571 Pte. A. Stares.

FROM 1-3-18. TO 1-3-18.
(both days inclusive)

LEDGER FOLIO NO. 89

Date	Particulars	No. of Days	Rate per Day	Amount	
				Dr.	Cr.
	CR.				
	Pay	1	1 00		1 00
	Field Allowances	1	10		10
	Other "				
	Balances from previous paybook				
	DR.				
	Alotment Forfeited Pay	1	60	60	
	Fines				
	Clothing and Necessaries				
	Arms and Accoutrements				
	Casual Payments				
	1st Payment				
	2nd "				
	3rd "				
	Balance from previous paybook				
	Final Cash Payment				
	Totals			60	1 10
	Debit Balance				
	Credit Balance			50	
	Checked by <i>lela</i>			\$1 10	\$1 10



Office of Director of Medical Services,

Colonial Building,

May 28th., 1917.

O. C. DEPOT

Re 2571 Pte. A. Stares.

This man's admission to Hospital is for operation for
Hernia following an ^{operation.} Appendicitis. It is not ur gent so that
there is no medical reason why you should not grant him furlough
for a short while if you so desire.

Cluny Macpherson

Major, D. M. S.

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

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

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

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education

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

(Place) _____

(Date) _____ Commanding _____ Batta. _____ Regiment.

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

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

(Place) St John's A. Stares (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) 2/4/18. C. G. Oke S.S.M. (Signature of Witness.)

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

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

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

_____ (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

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

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

Total " " "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

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

(Place) _____

Signature _____

(Date) _____

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

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated and signed by the soldier.)

No Reservations!—

A. Stares

Co. G. Oke SSM

Information to be obtained from a Soldier (Regular or Territorial) whom it is proposed to discharge or to transfer to the Reserve Section W or W(T) in substitution for a man fit for General Service.

No. 2571

Rank Private

Name (surname first) Stares Alfonso

Regiment 1st Newfoundland



1. State what special qualifications you have for employment in civil life.

Fisherman & Sawmill

2. State the name and address of your last, or any other employer before enlistment, etc., the nature of employment and how long you were employed?

Alonso Steers
Brooklyn B.B. Nfld
as foreman in sawmill

3. What is the nature and locality of the employment you desire?

Sawmill

4. What is the name of your Approved Society? —

5. Have you been employed whilst with the Colours? If so, in what capacity?

Company Runner

Date 20.3.17

Signature Alfonso Stares

NOTE.—This Army Form will be given to all patients in Hospital to complete who are suffering from a disability sufficiently serious to make discharge probable. In the event of the man being brought before a Medical Board for discharge, this Army Form will be produced to the Board, together with other documents laid down in para. 4 (ii), item 3, of Army Council Instruction No. of 1916.

When the soldier who is to be brought before a Medical Board is not a patient in Hospital, and in substitution cases, these instructions will be carried out by the man's C.O.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps NewfoundlandRegimental No. 2571Rank PteName James AlfonsoEnlisted (a) 22.4.16Terms of Service (a) War

Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion }
to present rank }Date of appointment }
to lance rank }Numerical position on }
roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended _____

Re-engaged _____

Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., 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	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked Southampton		11.10.16	
		Disembarked Rouen		12.10.16	
		Joined Battalion		22.10.16	
882 nd Lt.		Aff. Influenza	88 Bn.S.	29.12.16	E.D. 8043
88 Bn.S.		Discharged to Duty	Unit	3.1.17	E.D. 8310
Unit		Rejoined Battalion	France	10.1.17	B 213
		With Battalion		23.1.17	
89 th Lt.		Aff. P.M.O. transf	C.C.S.	3.1.17	E.D. 9583
"Sgt David"		Inv. to England at 12 Gen Hospital	Rouen	16.2.17	W 3083
		Sgt J.W. Durell Capt for/c No. 1 Regular Infantry Section E.D. 3rd Battalion			

(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) e.g., Signaller, Shoing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

[P.T.O.]

4/1st. Royal Newfoundland Regiment.
REPORT OF HEADQUARTERS TRAVELLING BOARD HELD ON
SOLDIER ON REGIMENTAL STRENGTH.

Depot. Headquarters, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Regimental NO. 2871.

Name, Pte A. Stone.

Address, 3 Geo. St.

Disease or Disability, Appendicitis ^{and} ~~with~~ Operation for
Neutral Artery

Finding of last standing
Medical Board held on
2nd Nov 27.....1917.

3 mos. furlough.

Present Condition. -

Recommendation, Med. Board.

Category.

Members of Board.

.....*Genl Hart*.....O.C. Dep.

.....*L. Paterson*.....D.D.M.S

.....*St. Burden*.....M.O. Dep.

Depot,
Headquarters, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.....*Mar 14*.....1918

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.. *Alfonso* 2. Surname.. *Starus*
3. Rank, *Pte.* 4. Regtl. No. *2571*
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded. *Brooklyn*
- *Bona Vista Bay*
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *April 22th 1916th*
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....
- *No Person*
8. Relationship of such dependents..... *No Person*
9. Address in full of such dependents..... *Not applicable*
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10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?..... *Not applicable*
11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates and particulars of such service..... *France*
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-
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas.. *1^{yr} 3^{mo} 46^{day}*
- 1. $\frac{2}{1}$

13. Have you had more than one enlistment? If so, give particulars of discharge and re-enlistments, and under what regimental numbers.

..... *Only one Enlistment*

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...

..... *I Have received No Gratuity*

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge? *Yes*

16. Have you, during the present war, served in the Imperial Forces? *No*

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. *No*

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 *April 2nd 1918th* (b) Reason for discharge *Medically unfit*

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 Oct. 1916 to Jan. 30th 1917*

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: *A Glass*

Place of Residence: *Brooklyn Bk.*

Declared before me at: *St John's*

This *23rd* day of *May* 19*19*.....

[Signature]
Signature of Registrar of the
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Legis-
trate, Notary Public, Justice of the
Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits. *Solicitor, Notary*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				Net amount
Date paid	Paid Soldier.	Paid Dependent.	War Service Gratuity.	due
.....	<i>4 mes</i>	<i>280⁰⁰</i>
.....
.....
Certified correct.			Paymaster	<i>[Signature]</i>

April 22nd 1919

Mr. Alfonso Stares,
353 2nd Avenue,
Sault St. Marie,
Ont.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of recent date I beg to inform you that we cannot issue you with a duplicate Discharge Paper, but for the benefit of whom it may concern, I will quote the following:

#2571, Pte. Alphonsus Stares, Royal Newfoundland
Regt.

The above noted man enlisted with the Royal Newfoundland Regiment on April 22nd/'16, and was discharged through medical unfitness on April 2nd. 1918.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
For Paymaster.

No 2571

Name Stares A. Pte

Date	Particulars	Ch.No.	Dr.	Cr.	Bal.
1917					
May 4	Balance due by P.M. \$2.10			9 97	9 97
18	By Pay 14 days @ 1 ¹⁰ / ₁₀₀			15 40	25 37
31	" " 13 " 2 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀			26 00	51 37
June 30	" " 30 " do			60 00	111 37
July 31	" " 31 " do			62 00	173 37
Aug 31	" " 31 " do			62 00	235 37
Sept 30	" " 30 " do			60 00	295 37
Oct 23	" " 23 " do			46 00	341 37
31	" " 8 " + 1 ¹⁰ / ₁₀₀			8 50	350 17
Nov 23	" " 23 " do			25 30	375 47
30	" " 7 " + 2 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀			14 00	389 47
Dec 31	" " 31 " + 2 ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀			62 00	451 47
Jan 31	" " 31 " do			62 00	513 47
Feb 28	" " 28 " do			56 00	569 47
	To Pay Lt Pappy		4 00		565 47
May 26	" " "		15 00		550 47
31	To allotment 27 days @ 60¢		16 20		534 27
June 30	To allotment		18 60		516 27
July 30	" "		18 60		497 67
Aug 30	" "		18 60		479 07
Sept 30	" "		18 00		461 07
	Boards To Pay	354	10 70		450 37
Oct 1	" "	4	20 00		400 37
30	To allotment		18 60		380 37
Nov 28	To Pay	1576	50 00		361 77
30	To allotment		18 00		311 77
			298 70	569 47	1293 77

815 Alvany SSM

No. 2571

Name Stares A

Date	Particulars	Ch.No.	Dr.	Cr.	Bal.
	Brought forward		275 70	569 47	293 77
Dec 31	To Allotment		18 60		275 17
1918 Jan 9	To Pay	2963	157 17		118 00
31	To allotment		18 60		99 40
Feb 28	do do		16 80		82 60
Mar 5	To Pay	4594	82 60		0
Mar 31	By Pay 2 days @ 1 st			87 34 10	34 10
	To allotment		18 60		15 50
	To Pay		10 00		5 50
Apr 2	By Pay 2 days @ 1 st			2 20	7 70
	Bonus			12 70	21 40
	Closing			25 00	46 40
2	To Pay	5337	46 40		0
	War Service Gratuity			280 00	280 00
	4 mos @ 70.00				
	Bonus		12 70		266 30
Mar 1	To Pay	1161	70 00		196 30
Apr 1	" "	14052	70 00		126 30
May 1	" "	18533	70 00		56 30
June 1	" "	21804	56 30		0
	Overpaid allotment		309 60		309 60 Dr
			1234 07	924 47	309 60 Dr

PAY LEDGER R 211/1
 Date 19-3-21 by [Signature]

Sis [Signature]

Dr. Balance \$ 309 ⁶⁰/₁₀₀

353. Second. Ave

Laull. Sea. Ineria

4668

Ont

J J O Grady Capt & Adjt

Dear Sir

I Have Had
My Discharge Stolen could
you do any thing for me
in sending a copy or something
showing my character and the
length of time in the Army &
I cant get a job without
showing my Discharge you
will oblige your truly

Alfonso. Stares

Med. Inf. (Afforduehis)

Received April 11/19 Private

~~Discharge~~ April 2nd 1918. ²⁵⁷¹

Enlisted April 22nd 1918

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$82.⁶⁰/₁₀₀

Mar 5th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Eighty two ^{Co} 100 Dollars.
on account of Pay. to 28/2/18
balance

[Handwritten signature]

Ch. No. <u>1590</u>	Initials <u>EW.</u>
Pay Ledger <u>89</u>	Initials <u>EL</u>
Gen. Ledger <u>RP</u>	Initials <u>RP</u>

Regtl. No. 2471

Rank Pte A Jones

No. *2571*

Rank *Pte*

Name *A. Stanes*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$46.⁴⁰/₁₀₀

Apr. 2nd 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Forty Six ⁴⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars.
on account of Pay when discharged.
balance

Ch. No. <u>537</u>	Initials <u>JH</u>
Pay Ledger <u>879</u>	Initials <u>WEL</u>
Gen. Ledger <u>Pay</u>	Initials <u>JH</u>

Regtl. No. Rank

[Handwritten signature]

No. 2571

Rank Pte

Name A. Stanes

No. 2571

Rank Pte.

Name A. Stares.

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DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$20.⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Oct. 1st 1917

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Twenty 00/₁₀ Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

Alfonso Steas

Ch. No. ... 4	Initials. CCO
Pay Ledger ... 89	Initials. CCO
Gen. Ledger	Initials. [Signature]

Regtl. No. 2571 Rank Pte



No. 2571

Rank Pte.

Name A. Stanes.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$50.⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Nov. 28th 1917

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of fifty ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

@ Stores

Ch. No. 1576	Initials EW.
Pay Ledger 89	Initials [Signature]
Gen. Ledger [Signature]	Initials [Signature]

Regtl. No. 2471

Rank Pte

No. 2571

Rank

Pte.

Name

A. Storer

257! Astarkes

220

Dis St Johns

No. 220

WILL

No. 2571 Pte AStarkes.

Brooklyn BB

720

18

WILL.

In the event of my death
I give the whole of my
property and effects to
my mother

Miss Albert Stares

Brooklyn

B/B

2571
Signature Alfonso Stares

Rank and Regiment Pvt 1st NATL

Date Dec 22/16

Vaccination 11/7/16
Inoculation 21/7/16
" 4/8/16
" 7/10/16

H. F. Wilson

Sent. R. A. Am. C

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

Signature

Date

Address

SEP 28 1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**
is/are forwarded herewith to

Alphonso Stares

in respect of his service as No. 2571 Rank Pte.

Name A. Stares Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Victory Medal, & Br. War Medal.

Signature Alfonso Stares. 2571.

Date October 1st 1921.

Address Brooklyn, Bonavista Bay

[P.T.O.]

Reg. No. 2591 Rank Pt Name Stares, H.

Attested ~~21.5.17~~ Address _____

Allotment _____ Allotee _____

Date of Allotment _____ Returned from Overseas 21.5.17

Embarked for Overseas _____ Cause _____

23-5-17	Rec enters Hospital for further operation admitted to General Hospital Oct 23 rd 1917
27-11-17.	2 nd Bd. Rec 3 mos Sick Furlough
11-3-18.	Retd from leave Repr. Hqs.
14-3-18	Hq Trav. Bd. Rec. Stand up med. Bd
20-3-18	Sent to paymaster for disposal.
19-3-18	3 rd Bd. Rec. St. perm. unfit.
2-4-18	Discharged.

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 2571 Name R Stares

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

Date July 27th 20

Name Rhousd Stares

Place Brooklyn B.B.

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

WV

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regimental Number 2571
C.R. 2571 *pt*



Regiment or Corps 2nd Newfoundland Regt
Rank Pte Surname Stares Christian Name Alfonso
Religion Cope Age on Enlistment 24 years 7 months.
Enlisted (a) 22/4/16 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. 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				
<u>22/2/17</u>			<u>Southampton</u>	<u>11 OCT 1916</u>	
<u>12 APR 1917</u>			<u>ROUEN</u>	<u>12 OCT 1916</u>	
		Joined Battalion	<u>22 OCT 1916</u>		
	<u>88 La.</u>	<u>Admitted Influenza 27/12/16 transf 88 B.P.S.</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>29/12/16</u>	<u>ED 8043</u>
	<u>88th B.P.S.</u>	<u>Discharged to Duty</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>3/1/17</u>	<u>ED 8310</u>
	<u>Unit</u>	Re-Joined Battalion	<u>France</u>	<u>10/1/17</u>	<u>B213</u>
			<u>WILD BATT.</u>	<u>28.1.17</u>	
	<u>89 F.A.</u>	<u>Admitted P.M.O. transf C.C.S.</u>		<u>31/1/17</u>	<u>ED.9583</u>
<u>Int</u>	<u>St. David</u>	<u>Invalided to England see 12th G.A. Rouen</u>		<u>16/2/17</u>	<u>W 5083</u>
			<u>Marchall</u>		<u>CAPTAIN.</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.

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 Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital.
 Statement A should be completed in the Hospital at which the man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, and 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, to be completed by the Officer in Charge when received by him, and will be forwarded by him, together with the remainder of the man's documents, to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, London, S.W.
 Changes occurring in the description subsequent to the date of admission to pension should be noted in the margin.



A Name in full Stares Alfuso
Regiment from which discharged Newfoundland
Regimental Number 2571
Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when Brooklyn, S.B. Nfld.
Intended address Brooklyn, Bonavista Bay, Nfld.
Height on discharge 5 Feet 3 Inches
Colour of Hair on discharge Light Brown **Colour of Eyes** Blue
Descriptive marks Operation near Appondictin **Complexion** Fresh
Figure on discharge Sturdy Build
Christian name of Father Albert
Christian name of Mother Janie
Wife's Maiden name in full —
Date and Place of Marriage —
Christian names of Children —
Nature and locality of civil employment desired Sawmill in Newfoundland

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) Alfuso Stares Jr. (Rank) —
 Station Woodworth Sd. Date 24.3.17

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.

Station Woodworth Sd. Date 24.3.17
W. C. Halliday, Cpt. R.N.Z.I. Medical Officer i/c
3rd London General Hospital.

	Regiment	Years	Days	All Service Abroad with Stations	Years	Days
B Period of Service and in what Corps ...				India		
				S. Africa		
Disallowed						
Service towards Pension						
Date inclusive to which pay has been issued	Sum due on account } of advance of pension }					
Sums due on account of public debts ...						

Rank on Discharge
Character (as on Certificate of discharge)
Where born, and on what date
Date and Place of first Enlistment
Trade on Enlistment
Cause of Discharge
Number of G.C. Badges
Wounds, and Actions in which received

Medals

Other distinguishing marks

I certify that the above details of service and other particulars are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.
 Station _____ Officer in Charge _____
 Date _____ Records. _____

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Field Regt. St. John's, dated April 6th, 1918.

#2571 Pte. A. Stares.

Having been found Medically Unfit ~~as~~ discharged with
effect from 2/4/18.

Brooklyn
B Bay.
Feb 5th 1899

J. H. Bennett Esq.
Would you
kindly Inform me if I
would adress 2571 Pte
Alfonso Stares 2367
Pte Lewis Chault letters
to France the same as
before they went to the
Hospital would they receive
them thanking you
Very much in Anticipation
Yours Etc
Mrs Annie Stares

March 20th. 1918.

From Officer Commanding,
Depot.

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,
Dept. of Militia.

420 Cpl. Fiefield, I.
2173 Cpl. Murphy, P.
2028 Pte. Moores, J.
2571 Pte. Stares, A.

Marginally noted men were recommended for discharge as permanently unfit by Medical Board held on March 19th. 1918. I am sending them herewith for your attention and necessary action please.

Their accounts have been squared up to and including March 20th. 1918, with the exception of Pte. Moores whose account is not on Company Pay Sheets. Allotments current are as follows,

420 Cpl. Fiefield, I.	58 Cts.
2173 Cpl. Murphy, P.	50 Cts.
2571 Pte. Stares, A.	60 Cts.