

4671

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

*James J. ...*  
1914-1918



# THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 4671 Name John Strachan Corps S.A

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

1. What is your name? ..... John Strachan
2. What is your full Address? ..... B. St. John Falls
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... Yes
4. What is your age? ..... 22 Years 3 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... Blacksmith
6. Are you Married? ..... No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which? ..... No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ..... Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? ..... ) 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? ..... Yes

I, John Strachan 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.

A John Strachan SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
24.4.18. Frank J. Gunn Signature of Witness.

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

I, John Strachan 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 Falls on this 24 day of April 1918.

Signature of Attesting Officer James Gunn

### † 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 April 24 1918  
Place St. John Falls } 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.

Name John Strucklen  
 Apparent age 22 years 3 months. Height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 1/2 inches  
 Range of expansion 4 1/2 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Thomas Strucklen  
Bishops Falls | 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

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Coy	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for raising 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 <u>24-4-18</u>									<u>Lance Sgt. 10</u> <u>6/78</u> <u>Reprints 1/11/12</u> <u>3/9</u>
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>April 24-1918</u>									
Discharged August 11/1919									

*Embarked St John's train to Halifax N.S. 11-6-18. Embarked for Oct. 26/19*  
 Joined Battalion France 3-11-1918. *Admitted 44.000. M.M.C. 2 2/8 (1918)*  
 Admitted to Com. Coy. 1st Coy. 1st Bn. 11-12-18. *joined 1st Bn. 1st Coy. 1st Bn. 23-12-18*  
 Remained unit 5-1-19. *Admitted to 6th Coy. 1st Bn. 1st Coy. 13-3-19. Transferred to*  
 Det. 7-4-19. *Admitted Royal W. Hosp. Kelly 8-4-19. Transferred to 3rd Coy. 1st Bn. 24-7-19*  
 Overlaid the report (Det. 21-6-19). *To be a forward unit for demobilization 24-7-19*  
 Arrived Newfoundland 7-7-19.  
 Total Service forfeited as above..... *Demobilization St. John's 11-8-1919*

Total Service towards Engagement to 11-8-1919 (date of discharge) 1 years 110 days  
 Pensions \_\_\_\_\_

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND OF VICTORY MEDAL 1914-1919.

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

DATE.

30/1/20

PLACE.

Bishops Falls

NO. 4671

NAME.

J. Strickland

No. 4571 Name Atchless J Sqn., Batty., or Company I Corps ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REG. Date of enlistment 12/1/18 Service or Proficiency Pay 100.00  
 Date of last entry in service 10/2/19 No. and date of last drunk 10/2/19 Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine 10/2/19 Sheet No. 100 Signature O.C. Company, etc. J. M. [Signature] Character 100

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
<u>Field</u>	<u>10-2-19</u>	<u>N/C</u>		<u>Neglect of Duty in failing to report two men absent from the unit 10/2/19 10 pm.</u>	<u>Cpt Seaver</u>	<u>100 words of lance</u>	<u>12/2/19</u>	<u>Rt Col. Mathias</u>	<u>100</u>
	<u>6-3-19</u>			<u>Table Knife / 1/4 yd.</u>	<u>CDMS [Signature]</u>	<u>Admon Pay for 8 d.</u>	<u>8/3/19</u>	<u>St. Col. Mathias</u>	

Army Form B. 122

C.R. 4671

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
~~Newfoundland~~  
Depot St. John's dated Aug. 21st 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has been  
CONFIRMED by officer i/c Records from noted date 11-8-19.

4671, Pte. John Stuckless.



C.R. 4671

Extract from Daily Orlando Post 11 Unit The Royal NCM.  
Regt. St. John's, July 6th, 1919

The discharge of the undernoted on Combilition has been  
APPROVED by officer i/c Records from 25-7-19

4671 Pte. J. Stuckless.

C.R. 4671

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Rifle Regt.  
St. John's, July 23rd 1919.

4671 Pte. J. Stuckless.

Reported at Headquarters 1-7-19 ex "Cassanite" which sailed  
Glasgow 24th June, 1919.



C.R. 4671

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 By Lt.Col. B.J. Barton,  
D.S.O., Commanding 2nd Battn. Royal Wfld. Regt. 2-6-19.

The following having reported back from Hospital is taken  
on the Strength and posted to "C" Company.

4671 Pte. J.Stuckless.

C.R. 4671

Extract from Casualtes received from the  
Pay and Record Office, London dated 26/6/19.

The undermentioned was discharged from the 3rd.  
London General Hospital on 20-6-19 and granted  
furlough to 29-6-19. ~~xxxx~~ he reported at the  
Pay and Record Office and was repatriated per  
S.S. SCassandra from Glasgow on 24/6/19.

4671 Pte. J. Stuckless I, Duty.

## NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



C.R. 4671

**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.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connection with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

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 \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Dept of Militia \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated April 12th, 1919

To Thomas Stuckless, Bishop Falls.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London,  
officially reports **Mo. 4671, Private John Stuckless**  
**Royal Victoria Military Hospital Netley April 8th**  
**suffering from G.S.F. carrier.**

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

J.R. Bennett

Chge Dept of Militia.  
Minister of Militia.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

C.R. 4671

Extract of Telegram from Synoptical London, To Military.

dated April 11th/19.

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Royal Victoria Military Hospital, Netley April 8th  
CSF Carrier #4671 Stuckless.

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C.R. 4671

Extract from Nominal Roll of Sick and wounded from the  
B.E.F. admitted to Royal Victoria Hospital Netley 8/4/19.

4671 Pte. I. Stuckless.

C.S.F. CARRIER.

C.R. 4671

Extract from Casualties ..... List No. H.A. 38359

4671 Pte. J. Struckless

P.U.O. Sev. Adm. 6 Gen. H. Rouen, Mar. 13, 19.

C.R. 4671

Extract from Daily Orders part II, in the field.

dated 15-2-19.

Deprived of Lance Corp. stripe from 10-2-19.

# 4671 L/C. J. Stuckless.



C.R. 4671

Extract from War Office List No. H. A. 33209.

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Adm. 1 Com: Dep: Boulogne 16th. Dec. 1918.

SICK.

Lt. B. Greenfield.  
#4671 L/C. J. Stockless.

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C.R. 4671

Extract from War Office List No. H.A. 33371.

TRANSFERRED TO TELINGTHUN DETAIL CAMP FIT EX 1 DEP. BOULOGNE  
20 OCTOBER 1918.

#4671 L/C. J. Stocklass.

C.R. 4671

Extract from Memorial Roll Re-inforcement Draft No.55 Embarked Folkestone  
26/10/18 from 2nd Batta., Royal Newfoundland Regiment, Hasleby Down  
Camp, Winchester, to 1st Batta, Royal Newfoundland Regiment B.E.F.  
4671 L/C Stuckless, J.

C.R. 4671

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11. from Unit The Royal Nfld.,  
Regiment, St. John's, dated June 14th 1918.

4671 L/C J. Stuckless

Embarked for Overseas with draft 11-6-18.

C.R. 4671

Extract from Daily Orders part II, from Unit: The Royal  
Hfld. Regt. St. John's, dated June 10, 1918.

#4671 Pte. J. Stuckless.

To be Lance Corporal from 10.6.18

C.R. 4671

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Mfld. Regt. St. John's, dated April 25, 1918.

#4671 Pte. Stackless John.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Mfld. Regt.  
from 24/4/18.

SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O.'s AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCEROYAL ENGINEERS (Transportation Branch)No. H.A. 35551ADM 6 CON DEP ETAPLES 19th MARCH 19

WR/206505 Pnr Lyford W.F. .... RE ROD Helleness Stn. .... Influenza.

DIS TO ETAPLES GEN BASE DEP EX 6 CON DEP 20 MARCH 19

290366 Cpl Tripp P.B. .... RE 98 LROC. .... Constipation

DIS TO GEN BASE DEP AMBLETEUSE EX 12 CON DEP 18 MARCH 19322886 Spr Downward H. .... RE 5 Rly. Tel. Con. Co. .... Strict. Urethra.  
WR/ 22447 Spr Pengelly W.J. .... RE 312 Rd. Con' Co. .... Influenza.DIS TO CONCEN CAMP ETAPLES EX 6 CON DEP 20 MARCH 19

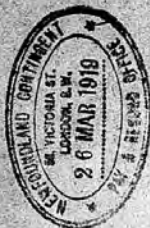
282728 Spr Brown W. .... RE R.O.D. .... V.D.G.

ADM 12 CON DEP AUBENGUE 19 MARCH 1949438 Pte Sullivan A.E. .... 14 Suffelke att. .... Influenza.  
Rly. Trans Establ.  
Charleroi.ADM 12 CON DEP AUBENGUE 20 MARCH 19

508422 Spr Davis E. .... RE IWT. .... Centus Hip. Rt.

NEWFOUNDLAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCENo. H.A. 35551ADM 25 STY H ROUEN 20 MARCH 1919

X 4671 Pte. Stuckless J. .... 1 Newfoundlers. .... ? S.C.M. Mild.



Handwritten initials 'ALCC' and the number '326' on the left margin.



J. C. Stuckless

C.R. 4671

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To

Paymaster

Approved:  
J. Titus Esq  
Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.

Royal School of Artillery  
WANDSWORTH, S.W.

88 Victoria St

Please Remit to me  
the sum of one pound  
on account of any  
balance that may be  
due to me

No 4671

J. Strickless

3rd LONDON GENERAL  
No.  
12 JUN 1919  
WANDSWORTH, S.W. 18

OK. £ 1.00  
m. 6.19 Receipt No. 2533



MEMORANDUM.

From O.C. "B" Coy. 2nd. Bn.  
Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester

From Vice

To Chief Paymaster and  
officer i/c Records  
58 Victoria Street S.W.1.

To Versa

17905

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office.

October 28th. 1918

4th November, 1918

4871. L/Spl. Stuckless J.

Please note that this watch has not yet reached this Office. On receipt it will be put in safe custody although this Office accepts no liability in the event of its loss.

I am sending you under separate cover a gold Hunter Waltham watch the property of the above soldier who has gone to France. Will you have this kept for him at your office. I have advised him that whilst you will have it kept in safe keeping as far as you are able you cannot accept any responsibility for it.

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT,  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

N.B.

Since typing the foregoing watch has been received and has been put into the safe pending application from the Soldier.

9452  
Recd NOV 1918  
Ack'd  
Ref. Nos. 001

Received the watch  
referred to in the  
above minute.

ACTED  
DATE  
SIGNED

London  
10/14/18



Recd the watchcase order  
from the Chief Staff  
Office London.

4671 J. Stuckless

*Duplicate*

ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL,

NETLEY, HANTS.

*April 10<sup>th</sup> 1919.*

Officer i/c Records, *Rgt. Newfoundland Conty Regt - 38. Victoria St. London. S.W.-I*

Notified for your information that the undermentioned men arrived at this Hospital on the *8/4/19*, ex. S.S. "*Abercloviaw*" Embarked at *France* (Para. 1102, King's Regulations.)

No pay should be charged for an invalid from abroad in Hospital until a Statement of Accounts, signed by the Regimental Paymaster, or notification from that Officer to deal with the man has been received.



*[Signature]*

Major, R.A.M.C., Registrar,  
for Officer-in-Charge.

Corps	No.	Rank and Name	Remarks
<i>Rgt. Newfoundland</i>	<i>4671</i>	<i>Pte. Amersley J.</i>	<i>C.S. F. Carrier.</i>

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Temporary Account

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P. / 191

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.I. / 19, 36/3/17.

Regt No. 4671 Rank Plt Name Stuckless J. Unit R. Inf. who was \_\_\_\_\_

to \_\_\_\_\_ on / / Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT Pay # 12 Altd. 50¢ Net Rate 60¢ GR.

TO	PERIOD. FROM	PARTICULARS	£ s d				PARTICULARS	£ s d			
			£	s	d	£		s	d		
		Balance Dr. from				Balance Cr. from					
		Alloctions days @				20-12-18			6	5	0
		Cash Payments:				Pay days @					
		<u>Post W Fund</u>			2	6					
		<u>Masp. Advances</u>			2	7	6				
		<u>P.R.O. Payment</u>			1	0	0				
		Other Debits									
		<u>Acquit. Rolls</u>			11	16	8				
		<u>✓ P.W. Dec. 8<sup>th</sup> 19</u>					4				
		<u>Direct Debit</u>									
		<u>Total Debits</u>									
		<u>Balance due by Paymaster</u>				£	15	7	0		
		<u>20-6-19 Cash Cheques</u>				£	13	17	0		
		<u>Postal Draft 1002257100223</u>									
		<u>Total Credits</u>									
		<u>Balance due to Paymaster</u>									
		<u>Q. Bal.</u>									

OK  
20/6/19

This is hereby certified this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of \_\_\_\_\_

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and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.  
Pay & Record Office, London,  
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Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

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

Commencing on 1st July 1918.

Regtl. No.	Rank.	Name	Amount	Signature.
4671	4/c.	Stuckless J	\$2.50	J. Stuckless

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
~~for the Committee,~~  
Your obedient servant.

Date

July 1/18.

J. Stuckless

No. 17187/1851

N.F.P./79.

From: NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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.

23rd October 1918

6 Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> 1918

Subject: 4671. L/Opl. J. Stuckless

With reference to the following telegram (9078) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

pay to 4671 Stuckless £4:10:0

Draft £ 4:10:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

*mas.*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

*B. J. B. 7th*  
Officer Commandg. Batt'n  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of 4.10.0

*four pounds ten shillings* account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

*J. Stuckless*  
No. 4671 Rank L/Opl

Stuckless, J

4671

May 2 sept.

August 14, 1919

#4671 Pte. John Stuckless,  
Bishop Falls.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed Discharge Certificate No. 3726.

Yours truly,

Captain & Paymaster.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 4671 Rank. Pte Name. Stuckless J  
 Intended place of residence. Bishop Falls  
 2. Occupation Blacksmith  
 Classification of soldier. E Medical Category. AI

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

Date JUL 14 1919

M. H. Stuckless  
 Commanding 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, ST. JOHN'S

Date JUL 14 1919

RESERVE PAY ACC'D

J. Stuckless  
 Signature of soldier

W. F. Leaton  
 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, ST. JOHN'S

Date JUL 14 1919

J. Stuckless  
 Signature of soldier

W. F. Leaton  
 Signature of witness

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service. 24-4-18 No. of days on Military  
 Discharged from service. 28.7.19 Plus 14 days Service. 475

### 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

Date JUL 28 1919

H. L. Cooper Capt.  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

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

Place, ST. JOHN'S

Date August 11/1919

J. Bowley Capt.  
 Officer in Charge  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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37  
20  
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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

*July 12/19*

Regimental No. *4671*

Name

*Stratton, J.*

Address

*Bishop's Falls*

Present Medical Category

*A7*

Recommended for:— (a) Immediate discharge

(b) Standing Medical Board

*J. R. Cooper Capt.*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Members of Board

*J. P. Stinson*  
Senior Medical Officer

*G. W. Borden*  
M. O. Depot



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 4071 Rank Pltr Name Stuckless  
 Date of Enlistment 2-11-41 Address Balfour District 1 Gt. St.  
 Occupation Blacksmith Classification for Discharge 17 Medical Category A1  
 Recommendation S.M.B. .... Disability Rating .....

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	/
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	3
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 12-7-19O. C. Discharge Depot. [Signature]

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am / in a position to resume civilian occupation.

f Stuckless

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 .....

[Signature]

Date 14-7-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. B2401 to his home at Bishop Falls and Release Certificate No. 3596 issued.

Date 14-7-19

*Ambrose*  
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 14-7-19 PAY ACC.

Date 14-7-19

*Ambrose*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 28-7-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
F 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 14-7-19

*Ambrose*  
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 JUL 28 1919

*N.R. Cooper Capt.*  
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.

*J. Strickless*

Signature of Man.

*W. Blawie*

Reg. No. 4671

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

ST. JOHN'S.

Place

Date

14-7-19

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## 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 Office 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 *Struckless John*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *4671*

Intended address *Bishop Hill. I Gith.*

Height on discharge *5* Feet

Color of hair on discharge *Bright*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Blue*

Descriptive Marks *Scar on R. Arm*

Figure on discharge *4671*

Christian name of Father *Thomas*

Christian name of Mother *Sarah*

Wife's maiden name in full \_\_\_\_\_

Date and place of marriage \_\_\_\_\_

Christian names of children \_\_\_\_\_

Place and date of soldier's birth *St. Jamesington. 10 Jan. 1896*

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) *John Struckless* (Rank) *Private*

Station *A. G. H.* Date *8-7-19*

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

August 16, 1919

Mr. Jehn Stuckless,  
Bishop Falls.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your application I enclose cheque for  
Seventy dollars (\$70.00), being amount of first payment due  
you on account of War Service Gratuity.

Yours truly,

Captain & Paymaster.

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..... *John* ..... 2. Surname..... *Stackless* .....

3. Rank..... *Pvt* ..... 4. Regtl. No. *4671* .....

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *Bishop ~~Stackless~~ Hall* .....

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *— April 1918* .....

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?.....

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..... *7 1/2 years* .....



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

*No*

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.

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

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

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.

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England?

(b) If so, was such reversion in consequence of Misconduct or inefficiency?

19. Are you now serving in the A.S.T.? *No* If not give: (a) Date of discharge. *July 28/19* (b) Reason for discharge. *Demob*

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 & Germany*

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.

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: *John Strucklas*  
 Place of Residence: *Bishop Falls*  
 Declared before me at: *St Johns*  
 This *14* day of *July* 19*19*....

Signature of Barrister of the *John M. Carthy*  
 Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public, Justice of the Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits. *J.P.*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				
De to paid	Paid	Paid	War Service	Net amount
	Soldier.	Dependent.	Gratuity.	due
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Certified correct.			.....	Paymaster

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

**MEDICAL HISTORY**

Surname Steckler Christian Name John n + 10  
9506

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Bishop Falls County Newfoundland

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	24 <sup>th</sup> day of <u>April</u> 1918	<u>St John's, nfld.</u>	day of	191
Declared Age	22 <sup>1/2</sup> years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	<u>Blacksmith.</u>			
Height	5 feet 5 <sup>3/4</sup>	inches	feet	inches
Weight	141	lbs.		lbs.
Chest (Girth when fully expanded)	38 <sup>1/2</sup>	inches		inches
Measure-ment (Range of Expansion)	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	inches		inches
Physical Development	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks	{ Area ..... { Number .....			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V— <u>6/6</u> L.E.—V— <u>6/6</u>		R.E.—V— 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>Samuel Dawson</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Major</u>			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at <u>St John's, nfld.</u>	at		
	on <u>24<sup>th</sup> day of April</u> 1918	on	day of	191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps. <u>The Royal nfld Regt.</u>	Regtl. No. <u>4671</u>	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to	ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.			
Became non-effective by	on	day of	191	on
	day of	191	day of	191
[Signature]				
{Rank}				

Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick list

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the syphilis, admissions and of treatment
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
Wexley Gsd.	8	4	19	3	6	19	Influenza (caval) C.S.F. carrier	27	admitted influenza of cerebral to a car now per for Trans,
2nd London Gen Hospl. Woundswe	3	6	19	20	6	19	C.S.F. carrier	7	7.6.19 hepaty

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Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In case 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

admitted as C.S.F. carrier convalescent from influenza. Never showed any symptoms of Cerebro Spinal Fever but was a contact to a case whilst in hospital for influenza. Now free from infection ~~for duty of hospital~~ for transfer to Convalescent hospital for disposal.

*[Signature]*

7.6.10 Report from dista instabale  
negative.

*[Signature]* Capt. R...

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J. M. H. [Signature]

7.6.18 Report from *dieta instabale* negative.

Dr. Kelsey Capt. [Signature]



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J. M. White M.D.

7.6.19 Report from doctor institute  
negative.

Dr. Kelway Capt. R. R. R.

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*J. M. White M.D.*

7.6.10 Report from *di. sta. instituta* negative.

*Wm. Kelway Capt. R.M.S.*



**Casualty Form - Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps Royal Newfoundland

Rank 7/c Surname Stallan Christian Name John  
 Religion SA Age on Enlistment 22 years 3 months  
 Enlisted (a) 24/4/18 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 24/4/18  
 Date of promotion to present rank..... Date of appointment to lance rank..... 10/2/18  
 Extended (.....) Re-engaged (.....) Qualification (b).....  
S or Corps Trade and rate.....  
 Occupation Blacksmith Flour Currier Signature of Officer.

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. This 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			
		Disembarked			
		Initial Battalion			
	<u>44 CCS</u>	<u>Adm. 4. 9. 18</u>	<u>Low HA.</u>	<u>11/1/18</u>	<u>6. 0. 5/3</u>
<u>7. 1. 19</u>	<u>4 CCS</u>	<u>Adm. 6. 4. 18</u>	<u>Stamora</u>	<u>12/1/18</u>	<u>1/4 33161</u>
<u>4. 1. 19</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>Adm. 6. 4. 18</u>	<u>Staple</u>	<u>14/1/19</u>	<u>1/4 33166</u>
	<u>5. 1. 19</u>	<u>Arrived</u>	<u>Rouse</u>	<u>23/1/19</u>	<u>Red</u>
		Joined Batt.		<u>5</u>	<u>JAN 1919</u>
		<u>Deprived of Lance Stripe</u>		<u>12/2/19</u>	<u>BE 15. 15-2-19</u>
		<u>Gen. Hospital Adm: PWO Ser.</u>		<u>13. 3. 19</u>	<u>74 38459</u>
		<u>25 Str. Hosp.</u>		<u>20. 3. 19</u>	<u>HA. 35551</u>
		<u>Adm. S.C.M. "mild"</u>		<u>7. 4. 19</u>	<u>113083</u>
		<u>Invalided to UK per a 2 "Aberdonian"</u>	<u>25 SH</u>		



C.R. 4671

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL 1914-1919.

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

Name *E. J. Stuckless*.....

Date *Nov 19 1919*.....

Place *Change Islands*.....



C.R. 4671

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FOR ISSUE OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL 1914-1919.

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

Name *John Stuckes*

Date *Nov. 22. 1919*

Place *Bishop's Falls*

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. *4671* Name *J. Shuckless*

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

Date *July 31/20*  
Place *Bishop's Falls*

Name *J. Shuckless*

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

*10*

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Fold Here

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

***Royal Nfld. Regt.***

***Dept. of Militia,***

***ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.***

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SEP 28 1921.

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

is/are forwarded herewith to

**John Stuckless**

in respect of his service as No. **4671** Rank **Pte.**

Name **J. Stuckless** Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received **Two Medals V.M. + B.W.M.**

Signature **John Stuckless**

Date **Oct 1 1921**

Address **Bushors Falls**

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms  
B. 121.  
39.

Number of Sheet 1 of 1

Regiment of Royal Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company W. M. Churchill

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay <u>10-6-12, promoted lance corporal.</u>
No.	<u>4671</u>	Age on	<u>22</u> years <u>3</u> months	<u>Blacksmith</u>	
Joined	<u>18th Feb 18</u>	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St John's</u>	Religion	
Joined		Period of } with Colours <u>1 1/2</u> years. with Reserve <u>3 1/2</u> years.	<u>St John's</u>	Place of Birth	
Joined			<u>Newfoundland</u>		

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
				<u>Demobilized St John's</u>		<u>11-8-19</u>			

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.

Sub 71  
Demobilization Form 7

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 4671 Rank Plt. Name Struckless J.  
 Date of Enlistment 24-4-18 Address Bushy Falls District Yates  
 Occupation Blacksmith Classification for Discharge 17 Medical Category A1  
 Recommendation S.M.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. F/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	<u>X</u> 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 12-7-19 O. C. Discharge Depot [Signature]

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

J Struckless

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~~ \_\_\_\_\_

Date 14-7-19 O i/c. Re-clothing \_\_\_\_\_

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 192401 to his home at Bishop Falls and Release Certificate No. 3596 issued [Signature]

Date 14-7-19

[Signature]  
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 11/1/19

Date 14-7-19

[Signature]  
Depot Paymaster

Discharge approved for 28-7-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P36	B 288	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	MB 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

[Signature]  
S. Form B

Date 14-7-19

[Signature]  
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.

JUL 28 1919

Date .....

[Signature]  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date Aug 7/19

[Signature]



Reg. No. 4671 Rank Y6 Name Starkless John

Attested ..... Address Bishops Falls

Allotment ..... Allottee .....

Date of Allotment ..... Returned from Overseas Jul 1 1919

Returned on S.S. Caranda Cause Discharge

14719 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICE

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DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.