



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 1726 Name William Sutton Corps _____

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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

I William Sutton 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.

E. J. [Signature] SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
[Signature] Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at _____ on this 21st day of July 1915
Signature of the Attesting Officer. [Signature]

† 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____
Place _____ } Approving Officer.

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

* If so, the 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 William Sutton age _____ years _____ months. Height 5 feet 6 inches.

Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 1/2 inches.
 Range of expansion _____ inches.

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Mr William Sutton, Burgos West Coast, Fla. | Relationship Wife

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)
<u>Annulcia Taylor</u>	<u>Burgos</u> <u>June 9/13</u>	<u>Burgos</u>	<u>Sec</u>

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names.	Date and Place of Birth.
<u>None</u>	

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotions, 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 _____									Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " _____ "									



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| 2. What is your full Address?..... | 2. <u>Burgio West Coast Nfld.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your Age?..... | 4. <u>(20) 20</u> Years <u>3</u> Months. |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Sailor</u> |
| 6. Are you Married?..... | 6. <u>Yes</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? } | 7. <u>Yes</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? } | 8. <u>Yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? } | 9. <u>Yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?..... } | 10. { Name
Corps |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted?..... } | 11. <u>Yes</u> |

I, William Sutton 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.

E. July 24 1915 William Sutton SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
E. Schornack Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at _____ on this 24th day of July 1915.
E. Schornack Signature of the 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 : _____
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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

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Name William Sutton
 Apparent age 30 years 3 months. Height 5 feet 6 inches.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 1/2 inches.
 { Range of expansion 2 1/4 inches.
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin William Sutton, Bungo
West Coast, Fla | Relationship Wife
 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)
<u>Annula Taylor</u>	<u>Bungo June 9/13</u>	<u>Bungo</u>	<u>See</u>

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names.	Date and Place of Birth.
<u>None</u>	<u>1</u>

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank.	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Re-serv 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>24-7-15</u>									
Joined at <u>St Johns</u> on <u>July 24/15</u>									
<u>Dischd. St Johns July 22/1918</u> <u>Own request after recommendation of Med. Bd</u>									
		<u>Admitted Wandsworth 3144 74</u>		<u>2-16</u>	<u>Surlough</u>	<u>14</u>			<u>Re-attached to 14 Coy, 23-11-17</u>
		<u>Home Depot 12-2-17</u>		<u>Admitted of Large Strife</u>	<u>2-6-17</u>	<u>Re-attached</u>			<u>to 14 Coy for 23-11-17</u>
		<u>Joined Battalion 15-9-17</u>		<u>Admitted 85</u>	<u>24-10-17</u>	<u>Admitted 43 CCS</u>			<u>Discharged 21-1-18</u>
		<u>Invalided to England 10-11-17</u>		<u>Admitted</u>	<u>13-11-17</u>	<u>Surlough</u>			<u>Re-attached to 14 Coy</u>
		<u>Admitted Wandsworth 40-1-18</u>		<u>Discharged</u>	<u>26-11-17</u>	<u>Admitted 43 CCS</u>			<u>for duty at 14 Coy</u>
		<u>10 months delay for discharge 26-3-18</u>		<u>Arrived</u>	<u>26-11-17</u>	<u>Re-attached</u>			<u>to 14 Coy for 21-1-18</u>
		<u>at 25-3-18</u>				<u>Re-attached</u>			<u>to 14 Coy for 25-3-18</u>
<u>Discharged Medically Dept 22-7-18</u>									

Total Service forfeited as above

Total Service towards Engagement to 22-7-18 (date of discharge) 2 years 364 days
 " " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " "



REGIMENTAL NUMBER 1726

COMPANY C

THE
1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's
Forces under the following conditions.

For the duration of the present war, or until my
discharge.

Subject to the Army Act. The King's Regulations
and to such ordinances as may apply or may be
made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunters Act.

5 George V.

Chapter IV.

Signed W. Butts

Witness Francis Guss St

Dated Aug

11 July 1916

CP 1726

Extract from Daily Orders Orders Part II Unit Royal
Newfoundland Regiment, Station C.H.Q. 3rd Echelon,
date 19-3-18.

Awarded D.C.M. London Gazette 26-11-17.

1726, Pte. W. Sutton.

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

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

ENCLOSURE

N. F. P/38A.

DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 9560/469/P&A

To **C.R. 1726**

From

PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,

58, VICTORIA STREET.

LONDON, S.W.1.

The Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

NEWFOUNDLAND.

14th July 1919

FM/PK.

SUBJECT:

EX 1726 SERGT. W. SUTTON.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Reference Nos.

Yours 1726, 18/9/18

Ours 17356, 26/10/18.

REPLY

Dated July 31st, 1919

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Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

With reference to the above quoted memoranda regarding extra Pension of 6d per day granted to the above ex soldier in respect of Gratuity for D.C.M., copies of correspondence exchanged with the War Office 17th and 30th June, are enclosed for information, please.

Copies of correspondence received and noted. I beg to refer to my No. M-3747 in reply to your No. 8897/396/P&A, to which of the War Office letter of 30th June is a reply.


Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

Minister of Militia.

COPY.

8738/171/P&A.

The Secretary,
War Office,
WHITEHALL.

Sir:-

GRATUITIES IN CONNECTION WITH AWARDS.

With reference to your letter 012/2828/(Accts.5 Pension) 14/3/18: I have the honour to enquire what is the procedure as regards adjustment of additional pension of 6d per day in the case of a recipient of the D.C.M. who may be granted a temporary pension, e.g. case of No. 1726 Pte. W. Sutton D.C.M. discharged 22/7/18. Awarded disability pension for period of six months.

Does the 6d per day cease at the date of expiry of disability pension?

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(Signed) H.A. Timewell. Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

COPY

All further communications on
this subject should be addressed
to -

The Secretary,
War Office,
LONDON. S.W.1.

War Office,
LONDON. S.W.1.
30th June 1919.

and the following number quoted:-

012/2997 (Accts.5.Pens.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 17th instant,
No. 8738/171/P&A, I am directed to inform you that the
additional pension in respect of the D.C.M. or M.C.
when payable to members of the Colonial Forces should
be issued with the disability pension awarded by the
Colonial Government, and reclaimed from this office
periodically, the claims being supported by the pensioners'
receipts.

The additional pension of 6d a day will in all
cases cease at the date of expiry of the disability pension,
but in the event of the recipient having been paid less
than £20 in respect of the decoration (the amount of
gratuity issuable), the balance may be paid to him and
reclaimed from this office.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(Signed W. Mayne,

For the Assistant Financial Secretary.

The Chief Staff Officer,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
LONDON. S.W.1.

Purfleet London
C.R. 1726
15-1-19

(Dear Sir 3845

Just a note at hand
asking if you will please
forward my Belgian medal
and Discharge Badge to London
as I am now in the
Merchant Service. Where I
will remain for some time
as I intend working up in
this till I can get a masters
Certificate and if there be
any money coming to me on
account of my Discharge
you may get it forwarded
on at the address I will
give please if any ^{of my} Relations
Inquires for my Present

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address dont give it to them
on any account as I dont
wish them to know my
were a Bouts. and if I am
to get a medical Examination
for Pension I will get it
at Victoria st. on my
Return in 7 weeks time
from the States Please oblige
me Sir I Dream your

Obedient Servant

William Sutton D.C.M

William Sutton D.C.M

2 B. Chestnut Grove

Balham

London S.W

C. P. O.
~~Respectfully~~

Badge sent to wife
at Burge.

What about medal referred to?

~~Yours truly~~

C.R. 1726

I hereby certify that I have received from the Dept. of Militia
St. John's my Belgian Croix de Guerre.

William Sutton D.C.M.

St. John's,

May 21st 1919.

C.R.

1726

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft No.9.
Embarked Southampton, 16-7-16. from 2nd Bn. Depot, to
1st Bn. B.E.F.

1726 Pte. W. Sutton.

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 147.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS,
and the following No. quoted :

N. F. P/38A.

DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 20961/645/P&A.

C.R. 1726

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

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

December 12th, 1918

FM/NM.

SUBJECT :

W. SUTTON.
FORMERLY 1726, SGT. W. SUTTON, D.C.M.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.
Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated January 21st. 1919 191

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

The above discharged Soldier who was understood to have been shipwrecked on the way from Spain to Newfoundland on the Sailing Vessel "Paragon", applied to this Office and stated that he wished to proceed to Newfoundland as soon as possible, but was without funds, and unable to obtain any as Capt. R. Kean who was master of the Ship went ashore in France and Sutton had not seen him since.

In view of his destitute condition the sum of £2.0.0. was advanced against his order on J.C. Grosbie, St. John's, for that amount. The order is enclosed for collection and credit to this Office.

It is understood that efforts are being made to arrange for his passage to Newfoundland by the S.S. "Corsican", please.

J. J. M. M. M.
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O I/c Records.

The sum of £2.0.0. has been collected from Hon. J. C. Grosbie, and is passed to your credit, please.

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 1726

Mar 1st, 1919

Mrs. William Sutton

Burgeo.

Dear Madam:-

I have received a letter from No. 1726, Sergt. William Sutton, D.C.M. asking me to forward to him his Belgian Croix de Guerre. Will you please let me know if you have this Medal, and if so, if you will forward it to me I will be able to have it sent forward by a safe means and avoid loss. Please reply at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

BOOKED
BOX
1919

Mar 18th
/19

R

C.R. 1726

Dear Sir

Received your Letter
Dated 1st I Haven't Received
nothing But a Discharge
Badge and a Pair of Boots
and nothing about the Medal
What ever. & I Haven't Received
no Pension since January.
and don't know the trouble.
I received two letters from
my Husband telling me
He would Be Home By
April but He said nothing
about ~~his~~ his Medal
if you writes 1726 Sutton
Would you Please

Let Him know I Have
a Baby girl as you may
know his ^{Right} address

I Remain your
faithfully

Mrs William Sutton

Burser
Wldy

W. Sutton

C.R.

1726

P.R.O.

Originals

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.



Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. 1726 Army Rank Private

Name Sutton William
(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)

Corps Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c.
(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.)

Date of discharge _____

Place of discharge _____

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age <u>23</u> years _____ months	Descriptive marks. <u>Vaccination Scar Left Arm.</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>8</u> inches	
Chest measure- ment { girth when fully expanded <u>35 1/2</u> ins. range of expansion <u>3 1/2</u> ins.	<div data-bbox="766 876 1101 1098" data-label="Text"> <p>COPY SENT TO O.C. H.Q. ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D. No. <u>466/24</u> DATED <u>25 MAR 1911</u></p> </div>
Complexion <u>Fresh</u>	
Eyes <u>Blue</u>	
Hair <u>Brown</u>	
Trade <u>Sailor</u>	
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable) { <u>Burges</u> <u>Newfoundland</u>	

(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.)

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of _____

(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.)

3. Military character :— _____

4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations :— _____

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

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.

Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*

* Strike out if not applicable.

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland
 Rank Private Surname Sutton Christian Name William
 Religion Church of England Age on Enlistment 20 years 3 months
 Enlisted (a) St. Johns Terms of Service (duration of war) Service reckons from (date of enlistment)
 Date of promotion to present rank 24/7/15 Date of appointment to lance rank 1
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b)
 or Corps Trade and Rate
 Occupation Sailor Signature of Officer C. Keale, Cap.

COPY SENT O.C. H.Q. ST. JOHNS, N.E.L.D. Date <u> </u> From whom received	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.
N.F.P.38 No. <u>4660/24</u> DATED <u>25 MAR 1918</u>		Embarked <u>Shampton 7.9.17</u>		
<u>8/10/17</u>	<u>43rd CCS Ad Bruchettes ex 887 A</u>	Disembarked... <u>Rouen 9.9.17</u>	18 SEP 1917	<u>B212</u> <u>602913</u>
<u>St. John's Castle</u>	<u> </u>	Joined Battalion <u> </u>	<u>1/1/17</u>	<u> </u>



J. Keary

MAJOR
 O. 1/c No. 1 Infantry Section
 Q.H.Q. 3rd Echelon

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) Signaller, Shoenig-Smith, &c. W. 21814-M1188 1600m 1/17 (27227) SP & Co, Ltd. Forms B./103/4 E./354. (P.T.O.)

Medical Report on an Invalid.

3rd London General Hospital,

Station WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Date 18 MAR 1918

1. Unit 1. R. nfd.
2. Regimental No. 1726.
3. Rank Pte.
4. Name Sutton, W. (B.C.H.)
5. Age last birthday 23. (Belgium Crisis)
6. Enlisted { on 23. July 1915
at St Johns nfd.
7. Former Trade or Occupation } Sailor (Merchant-Service)
- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—
(a) Former Unit;
(b) Regimental No.;
(c) Date of Discharge; nil.
(d) Cause of Discharge.

8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).

~~U.D.H.~~ D.A.H. W.W.
Bronchitis.

COPY SENT TO
O.C. H.Q.
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
N.F.P.38, No. 466724
DATED 25 MAR 1918

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. Unknown. (Feb 1915?)
10. Place of origin of disability. Unknown. (Scotland?)

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

Rheumatic fever. Pleurisy, as a child had been doing a man's work at sea, since the age of 12 yrs, & not a day illness until Feb 1916 while in the Army in Scotland. Sent to hospital & rheumatism, from Feb 1916 until May 1916. Later served six mos in France then invalided to Eng & then sent again, in Nov 12. 1917, & ~~invalided~~ invalided to Eng Returned to France Aug 1917 & then sent to Eng invalided to Eng D.A.H. W.W.

12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—

- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).
- (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
- (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.

Active Service

General condition fair.

*Patient complains of general weakness
attacks of giddiness.*

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.

*Heart A. B. 1/2 in within nipple line
at apex. Pulse, full & equal.
Soft blowing systolic bruit
apex not displaced
Good fast sounds
Systolic apex bruit
(relation in competition)*

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?

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. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

20. Do you recommend—

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

Yes.

F. J. Bell, C.S.

Officer in medical charge of case.

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

except†

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

Date 20 MAR. 1918

H. E. Domett

Officer in charge of Hospital.

Col. A.M.S.

Comdr. 3rd. London Gen. 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 invalidated, it is essential that the Minister of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him 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, (A) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (B) due to causes not connected with present war, viz. (1) earlier active service, (2) climatic disease in pre-war service, (3) ordinary military service before the war. It is, therefore, essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.*

(iv.) In answering question 21 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.

1. (a.) State whether the disability is clearly attributable to—

- (i.) Service during the present war;
- (ii.) Climate;
- (iii.) Ordinary military service;
- (iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.; or
- (v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary.

yes
✓
✓
no
no

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

Exposure + strain of flectin Service.

22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so, which?

✓

23. Is the disability permanent?

No

24. If not permanent, how soon do the Board recommend re-examination?

Twelve months

25. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed for pension purposes at present?

60

Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.

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

✓

27. Do the Board recommend—

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

yes Return to Newfoundland

28. If discharge is recommended it should be stated whether further medical treatment (including orthopaedic training) is desirable in a—

- (a) Sanatorium;
- (b) Hospital;
- (c) Convalescent home;
- (d) Asylum; or
- (e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended.

29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 144 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended?

No

30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person?

No

Station 3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.
Date 20/3/18

W. Edyunter Major President.
Jules Hamouide C.S. Members.

Station 3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.
Date 20/3/18

W. Edyunter Major R.N.M.S. Administrative Medical Officer.

SYPHILIS CASE-SHEET.

Regtl. No. 176 Rank and Name Pte Sutton Wm Corps 2/1 Rfd.

Placed on Syphilis Register at 4 BHP Glasgow on 25-6-17. No. in Register

Disease contracted at Glasgow. Primary sore appeared on (date) 22-5-17

CONDITION WHEN PLACED ON REGISTER.

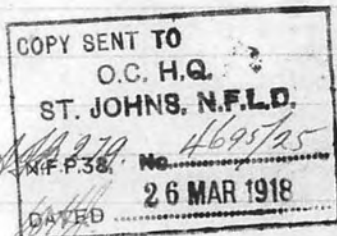
Primary sore—character and site Sore appeared under foreskin 22-5-17.

Lymphatic glands glands indurated

Skin (nature and distribution of rash)

Mucous membranes

Other symptoms



Examination of exudate from sore—Spirochaeta Pallida (present or absent)

Examination of blood serum—Method employed (original or modification) D

Wassermann reaction { Result (positive or negative) + 26-6-17

Station 4th BHP Glasgow. Date 24.8.17 Signature of M.O.

Stukhson
emp

Struck off Syphilis Register at on

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

Station Date Signature of M.O.

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

Station	Date	Symptoms and progress (Date of admission to hospital, and date of discharge from hospital, to be entered in red ink.)	Weight clothed, without boots—lbs.	Urine	Wassermann Reaction	Treatment			Signature of M.O. <small>(Each M.O. will sign his name in full on the first occasion; subsequent entries may be initialed)</small>	
				Normal (N.) Albumen (Alb.)	Method (Original (O) Modification (M))	Result (Positive (+) Negative (-))	Arsenical	Mercurial		Other Methods
							Intravenous Injection. Dose in grammes	Mercurial Intramuscular Injection. Dose of Metallic Mercury in grains.		Inunctions or Oral (Preparation and dose)
4th BHP Glasgow	25-6-17	admitted 4 th Sec Gen H Glasgow Large chancre under foreskin. Glands indurated								
	26-6-17				0 +					
	28-6-17		N			3grs Sri				
	1-7-17		N			3grs =				
	8-7-17		N			3grs Sri				
	15-7-17					= 8r1				
3 rd S. H. Glasgow	22-7-17	Transferred to 3 rd BHP Glasgow.								
	24-7-17									
	25-7-17		N			Pr.1.				
	31-7-17					4 grms.				
	1-8-18		N			Pr.1.				
	7-8-17		N			5 grms.				
	15-8-17		N			Pr.1.				
	16-8-17		N			5 grms.				
	21-8-17					Pr.1.				
	22-8-17		N			Pr.1.				
	24-8-17	No active signs.			0	5 grms.				

Blood test due 24.11.17.

No. *1726* Name *Sutton W.* Sqn., Batty., or Company } *D* Corps *1st Newfoundland Regt.* Date of enlistment }
 G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }
 Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } No. and date of last drunk } Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } Sheet No. } Signature O.C. *H. A. Oubridge* Company, etc. } *2nd Lt for* Character }

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>Pte</i>							
				Invalidated to England	<i>6.12.16 H.G.</i>				

Army Form B. 122

No. 1726 Name Sullivan, W

Sq., Batty., or Company

Corps Newfordland

Date of enlistment } 27:7:15

G.C. Badges

Service or Proficiency Pay

Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet

No. and date of last drunk

Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine

Sheet No. 1

Signature O.C. Company, etc.

Maxwell Lum

Character

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
				Invalidated to England			6-12-15		

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Army Form B. 153

[r.v.o.]

Notification by President of Medical Board of Approval of a Soldier's Discharge, under Para. 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

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 14 days after the date on this notification—see A.C.I. 1623 of 1916.)

Soldier's surname Sutton, Christian names None
(D.O.M.) (in full)

Regt. No. and Rank 1726 Pte Regt. or Corps I. R. n/d.
(If T.F. this should be stated)

His address on discharge will be Burgess

This information is for the Central Army Pension Issue Office only.

The Soldier states that* — 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.

Date 20/5/18.

W. Wynter Major
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.

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(I) in substitution for a man fit for General Service.

No. 1726 Rank Pte Regiment 1st R N F S O

Name William Sutton, William
(Surname first)

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

Sailor

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O.C. H.Q.	
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.	
N.F.P.38	No. <u>466/24</u>
DATED	<u>1</u>

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.

Merchant Service. 7 years

*Capt R Rose Burgess N F S O
as mate*

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

Sailor
Merchant Service

4. What is the name of your Approved Society?

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

Infantry

Date 14.3.18

Signature Jutton W

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 or reclassification in a category from which men are being transferred to Class P. or P.(T.) of the Reserve 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. 3 (ii), item 3, of Army Council Instruction No. 1912, 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.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Sutton

Christian Name William

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County Nfld.



	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>23</u> day of <u>July</u> 191 <u>5</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
	at <u>St Johns Nfld</u>		at _____	
Declared Age	<u>20</u> years _____ days		_____ years _____ days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>Sailor</u>		_____	
Height	<u>5</u> feet _____ inches		_____ feet _____ inches	
Weight	<u>130</u> lbs.		_____ lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>35 1/2</u> inches		_____ inches	
	Range of expansion... <u>3 1/2</u> inches		_____ inches	
Physical Development	_____		_____	
Vaccination Marks	Arm _____ Number _____		Arm _____ Number _____	
When Vaccinated	<u>1300</u>		_____	
Vision	R.E.—V= <u>5/6</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 Paterson</u>		_____	
(Rank)	<u>Capt.</u>		_____	
Medical Officer.	_____		_____	
Enlisted	at <u>St Johns</u>		at _____	
	on <u>23</u> day of <u>July</u> 191 <u>5</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	<u>1st Nfld Reg</u>	_____	_____	_____
Transferred to	<u>Newfoundland</u>	<u>1726</u>	_____	_____
Became non-effective by	_____		_____	
	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>		on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u>	
(Signature)	_____		_____	
(Rank)	_____		_____	

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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 future 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				
8rd Scot Gen Hosp	6	2	16	20	2	16	Bronchitis acuta (acute)	15	Recd in one week. Res. Extended rest	John Davis Capt R. D. Dwyer Capt. R. M. C. T.
	13	3	16	5	5	16	Acute. Pneumonia	54		
8th LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH.	7	12	16	10	1	17	Trench Feet.	34	Reported sick in France. 22/11/16—on admission feet & legs no longer affected. Furlough	St. Mungley Capt Ramot
4th SCOTTISH GENERAL HOSPITAL STOBHILL, GLASGOW	25	6	17	22	7	17	Syphilis (2)	28	Transferred to 3rd Gen Hosp 27.	D. J. G. G. G. J. H. G. G. G.
3rd SCOTTISH GENERAL HOSPITAL	22	7	17	25	8	17	Syphilis (2) Gonorrhoea (20)	34	Chancres 2. 8 from 11. 89%. Treatment completed	
3rd LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH.	12	11	17	31	12	17	V.D.H. (apical cystitis)	49	Reported sick in France 1. 11. 17 Some bronchitis & sinusitis	G. C. Hall Capt. Hall

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.: Examinations, Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
15.10.15	
19.11.15. Vacc.	R.P. Graham. L. Rance.
7.7.15	
30. 4. 17	T. K. B. } 30. 4. 17. <i>W. R. Minter</i>
8. 5. 17	9. 5. 17. <i>Capt Rance</i>

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
<i>St Johns Willd</i>					

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital. Army Form B. 173^A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY OF

Surname Sutton

Christian Name William

TABLE I.—General Table.

Birthplace { Parish
County

Examined { on day of 191...
at

Declared Age years days

Trade or Occupation.....

Height feet inches

Weight lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded inches
Range of Expansion inches

Physical Development

Vaccination Marks {	Arm.....	RIGHT	LEFT
	Number.....		

When Vaccinated

Vision { R.E.—V =
L.E.—V =

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease—
.....
.....

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection—
.....
.....

Approved by

Rank

Medical Officer.

TABLE III.—Boards; Courts of Enquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, etc.; Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, etc.

Date	Brief Details and Signature
20.3.18	Board held Permanently Hospital Board approved 20/3/18 [Signature] Capt RAUSBY 1/10 th London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.

TABLE IV.—Service Table.

Enlisted { at
on day of 191...

	Corps	Regtl. No.
Joined on enlistment	<u>N.R. Rlyd</u>	<u>1776</u>
Transferred to		

Became non effective by

on day of 191...
(Signature).....
(Rank).....

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation

TABLE II.—Only for admissions 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 of days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of future 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. 11	2	18					S. G. M. Borchitis		Board held - see working Disability - S. G. M. Borchitis General weakness Cause - Excess strain of active service Capacity - wearing a backband Insured by G.O. Co.	S. G. M. Capt. R. M. O. 3rd London General Hospital WANDSWORTH, S.W.

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O. D. H. O.
ST. JOHNS, N. F. L. D.
26/3/18
DATED 25 MAR 1918

Admitted

7-12-16.

Army Form W. 3016.

No. _____

Date Jan 10th 1917

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria St.

S. L.

(Station.)

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Infld Contingent

Gaza.

(Station.)

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria St.

S. L.

(Station.)

Regimental No. 1726

Rank and Name Platoon

Regiment or Corps 1st Infld

has been granted a furlough from Jan 10th to Jan 19th

His address while on leave will be:—

58 Victoria Street - S. L.

This man has been furnished with a warrant to Victoria and given an advance of £1. (one pound).

I consider he is fit for*

Duty
 Night duty

II Command Depot.

Horace Jagan Capt R.A.M.C. (F)
Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.

2nd London General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S.W.
Hospital,

Officer in charge

(Station.)

* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office.

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 i/c Records 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.1.

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

A Name in full *Sutton William*
Regiment from which discharged *10th R. Rfd*
Regimental Number *1726*
Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when *Burgco. Rfd. 9/5/94.*
Intended address *Burgco. Rfd*
Height on discharge *5* Feet *8* Inches
Colour of Hair on discharge *Brown* **Colour of Eyes** *Blue*
Descriptive marks *1 Vaccination Scar* **Complexion** *Fair*
Figure on discharge *medium*
Christian name of Father *George*
Christian name of Mother *Fanny*
Wife's Maiden name in full *Amelia Taylor*
Date and Place of Marriage *Burgco. Rfd. 1913*
Christian names of Children _____
Nature and locality of civil employment desired *Sailor when fit*

COPY SENT TO
 O.C. H.G.
 ST. JOHNS. N.F.L.D.
 No. 2660/24
 15 MAR 1918

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) *William Sutton*

Station *Wandsworth*

(Rank) *Pte*
Date *16 3 18*

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.

3rd London General Hospital
 Station *WANDSWORTH S.W.* *J. Bell. O.S. 16-3-18.* *Medical Officer i/c Hospital*

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 _____
Date _____

Officer in Charge _____
Records _____

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 147.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS,
and the following No. quoted :

N. F. P/38.

ORIGINAL

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 20981/643/P&A. *C.R. 1726*

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

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

FM/NM. December 12th, 1918. *OK*

SUBJECT :

W. SUTTON.
FORMERLY 1728, SGT. W. SUTTON, D.C.M.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.
Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated January 21st. 1919 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

The above discharged Soldier who was understood to have been shipwrecked on the way from Spain to Newfoundland, on the Sailing Vessel "Paragon", applied to this Office and stated that he wished to proceed to Newfoundland as soon as possible, but was without funds, and unable to obtain any as Capt. R. Kean who was master of the Ship went ashore in France, and Sutton had not seen him since.

The sum of £20.0. has been collected from Hon. J.C. Crosbie, and is passed to your credit, please.

In view of his destitute condition the sum of £20.0. was advanced against his order on J.C. Crosbie, St. John's, for that amount. The order is enclosed for collection and credit to this Office.

It is understood that efforts are being made to arrange for his passage to Newfoundland by the S.S. "Corsican", please.

H. J. Vincent
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

J. P. Bennett
Minister of Militia.



ORIGINAL



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No. 1726 (Rank) Private (Name) William Sutton
hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on
No. 1730 dated October 30th 1915 in favour
of Mrs Amelia Sutton for £ — etc. 70
per diem. Such cancellation to take place from (inclusive)
the First day of July 1916.

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

Dated at Apr Recceville
19 June 1916

W Sutton

Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed.

Maclean Thomas Lt.

C.O. "Company."

*Attention is drawn to the fact that Allotments are payable
by Headquarters per Calendar, not Regimental month, and
therefore reasonable time must be allowed for delivery of
this request at St. John's, in order to become operative.

To be made out in triplicate and sent to the Paymaster & O.I/c
Reports, who will forward original to Headquarters by first mail
duplicate by the following, and retain triplicate.

mk



COPY



FORM K.

No. 137
~~175~~

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

ALLOTMENTS.

I, William Sutton Serial No. 1726.

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form, to make an Allotment of — Dollars and 40 Cents per diem, from my Pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ~~or~~ Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ~~or~~ Persons concerned, viz:-

Identity Certif. No.	Whether Wife Child, other Relative or Friend.	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS.	AMOUNT (each person.)
<u>1752</u> 175	wife	Amelia Sutton In line Form No. 1730.	Burgoes. La Pile District N.F.	40 cents.

This Allotment to Commence from (inclusive) July 1st 1916.

Note:- This Form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) J. Macdonald Tolson
Officer Commanding
9. Company.

(Sig.) W Sutton

Received By
13 June 1916

(Rank) Plt.

7/16



ORIGINAL



FORM K.

No. 137

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

ALLOTMENTS.

I, William Sutton Regt. No. 1726

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form, to make an Allotment of _____ Dollars and 40 Cents per diem, from my Pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} or Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} or Persons concerned, viz:-

Identity Certif. No.	Whether Wife Child, other Relative or Friend.	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS.	AMOUNT (each person)
<u>752</u>	<u>wife</u>	<u>Amelia Sutton</u> <u>In lieu Jan 6. 1930</u>	<u>Burgoes</u> <u>La Poise District</u> <u>N.F.</u>	<u>40 cents</u>

This Allotment to Commence from (inclusive) July 1st 1916

Note:- This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) James Dunn Jr
Officer Commanding
Co. Company.

Racecourse Camp.
13 June 1916

(Sig.) W Sutton

(Rank) Pr.

6/16

No. 1726 Rank Pte Name Sutton W

Pay	F.A.	Wkg	Total
100	10		110
Less: Allotment			40
Net Rate			70

H.M.S. 100/100

W. Sutton

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£ s d		
						From	To			\$	£	s d
Balance			4	6	Balance	30	17			5	0	0
Acquittance Rolls	2	4	0		Pay Net Rate	19	31	122	70	85	40	17 11 5
Hospital Advances	2	1	0		Allowance							
A.B. 64					10 days @ 2/-							10 0 0
P. & R.O. Payments	7	10	0		(8.0.5)							
Hospital Slippers	3	11	6									
15 11 - 0												
Rec'd No 4983		8	0	0								

23 11 5

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Q. K. £ 1-10/-
 C. R. Refo 6114
 March 16th 1918

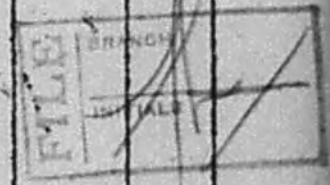
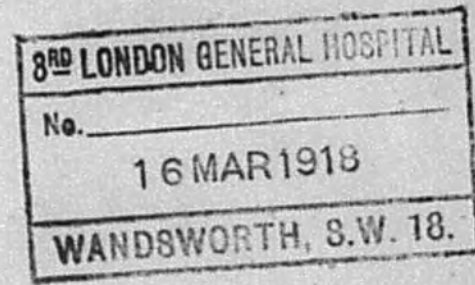
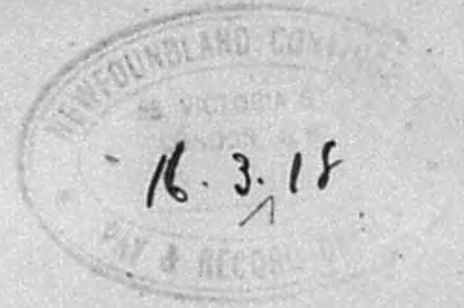
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./51.

Petty Cash Voucher

No. _____

Date	Particulars	Account	Amount		
			£	s	d
16.3.18	1736 Pte Sutton W 157 Royal V ^o 4 LD 3rd for Gen Hos Wandsworth		1	10	0
	<p>Sir Henry... 5th East... 16.3.18</p>				
	Received Payment,				
			1	10	0



163 1918

Promoted A/Sgt. 25/3/18

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regtl No. 1720 Rank A/Sgt Name W. Sutton Unit Royal Field. Regt. who was Repatriated
 to Newfoundland on 26 3 / 18 Authority A. P. H. 172 Cause Class A

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.		PARTICULARS					£	¢	£	s	d	CR.									
PERIOD: FROM <u>16/3/18</u> TO <u>26/5/18</u>	Balance Dr. from										Balance Cr. from										
	Allotment 11 days @ 40¢		4	40		18	1				Pay 15/3/18 9 days @ 1.00		9	00			16	5			
	Cash Payments: P. & R. O.					3	19	0				Field Allowance 9 days @ 1.00		9	00						
	Cables to Newfoundland					6	5				Other Allowances days @ 1.00										
	Hospital Advances					1	3	6	Subsistence Allowance 25/3/18-26/5/18 5 days @ 1.00				Other Credits:								
	PTRO 25/3/18					2	0	0	Pay & Allowance as A/Sgt. period 25/3/18-26/5/18 = 2 days @ 1.50						3	00					
	Other Debits:											Total Credits									
	Total Debits						8	6	10				Balance due to Paymaster						4	10	0
	Balance due by Paymaster						8	6	10									3	16	10	
							8	6	10									8	6	10	

CHECKED I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of

WFB (Place) 25/3/18 (Date) 191 London O.C. " " Company.

Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London, 25 MAR 1918 191 Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

No. 144

MEMORANDUM.

From The O.C.
2/1st Newfoundland Regt.
Ayr.

From Paymaster, London.

To The Paymaster
1st Newfoundland Regt.
London, S.W.

To O.C., 2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,
Newton-on-Ayr.

ANSWER.

2361.

Racecourse

Pay & Record Office,

June 15th/16. 191

16, June, 1916.

Herewith cancellation of
Allotment papers of No. 1726 Pte. W.
Sutton., for necessary action, please.

Attestation Forms received in place
of N.F.P/L. Please complete enclosed
N.F's.P/L. and return immediately.
Attestation Forms returned herewith.
Form K. held pending completion and
return of N.F's.P/L.

H.V. Stone
2/1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.

H.V. Stone
Capt.

For O.C.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

TO	
FROM	
DATE	1916
RECD.	JUN 16 1916
ACKD.	
ANS'D.	
FILE NO.	

~~SECRET~~

over

Paymaster
1st Artillery Regt.
London Etc.

Enclous. Herewith
et. J. P. L. completed as requested
in case of 1726. F. L. W. (Patten)

Handwritten signature
REGT. ART. 1ST. LONDON ETC.

RECEIVED
JUN 2 1916
1916
JUN 2 1916



The O.C.
1st Newfoundland Regt.
A.Y.

The Paymaster
1st Newfoundland Regt.
London, Etc.

Recourse

Time lapse



Herewith cancellation of
Assignment papers of No. 1726. F. L. W.
Patten., for necessary action, please.

For O.C.

14.11.17

1726 Pt W Sutton
157 N of S D Regt
3rd London Gen Hos
Ward 10 Wandsworth

Dear Sir

Post

If there be any letters or parcels at the
Pay and Record office for me would
you be kind enough to forward them
on to this address for me as I am
shortly here from France and would
be very pleased to have any letters
that his waiting for me and would
you please let me know if I would get
a note stamped and ~~sent~~ signed by
the M.C. to draw a bit of money
if I could do so from the Pay Office.

I remain
your obedient servant
W. Sutton

INDIA	BRANCH
6859	Pay of
15 NOV 1917	ACTED UPON
12026/1	<i>[Signature]</i>

3rd London Gen Ho 22-11-17

Wandsworth RECORD OFFICE

Dear Sir Pay

No. 7124
23 NOV 1917

Your letter Dated 12/11/17

Ans'd.

File No.

I must thank you for the trouble you have taken in sending me a Pay slip and I will Endeavour to get it signed by the M.C. and return to you as it is for a special purpose I want the money you spoke about the Association people in your letter will see I must tell you that I think he does all he can to make us comfortable well see I thank you for your kindness again and I still remain your obedient servant

1726 Pte W Sutton 12797/142

187 n F L D

3rd London Gen Ho

Wandsworth Ward 10

No. _____

N.F.P./45.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



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

Please remit to M Sutton

the sum of 2 pounds 0 shillings, on
account of any balance that may be due to me.

(£ 2).

Regtl No. 1726 Rank Pte

Name Sutton M

Approved J. M. B. [Signature] (Cyr-A H M C D)
Officer i/c.,

_____ Hospital.

OK JAC.
\$2-0-0
22/11/17

Dated at 22.11.17

1917

12797/142

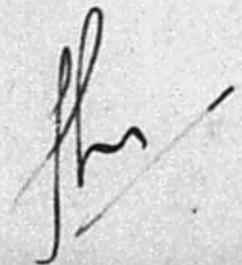
24th, November

3rd. London General

Wandsworth, S. W. (18).

1726 Pte. W. Sutton

£2. 0. 0.



No. _____

N.F.P./45.

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Newfoundland Contingent,
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W Sutton

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account of any balance that may be due to me.

(£ 5).

Regtl No. 1726 Rank Pte

Name Sutton W

Approved Johnna Broadbent Capt R.A.M.C.T
Officer i/c.,

3rd Lond. Gen. Hospital.



Dated at 3rd London Gen

6.12.1917

Handwritten notes:
£5.
6/12/17.
C.R.
R. 4638

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

No. 1726

From
MINISTER OF MILITIA,
 ST. JOHN'S,
 NEWFOUNDLAND

December 18, 1917

To **Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records,**
1st Newfoundland Regiment,
Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W. (1).
 1058

SUBJECT:

REPLY

Dated 21st January, 1918.

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

1726 Pte. Etn. Sutton.

The wife of the above mentioned soldier states, that she has received no letters from him since July.

Please forward a request to the Officer Commanding his Battalion advising Pte. Sutton of the desirability of his communicating with his wife.

W. J. Hendell

Major,
 C.S.O. Dept. of Militia.

Copy of this office No. 555/45/C, exchanged with the O.C. 2nd Bn., 12 & 16/1/18, enclosed for your information, please.

[Handwritten Signature]

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

NEWFOUNDLAND MILITIA
 PAY & RECORDS OFFICE
 462
 11 JAN 1918
 DEL. COS. C. 1
[Handwritten Signature]

Department of Militia

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NEWFOUNDLAND MILITIA
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE
 ✓ 462
 11 JAN 1918
 NO. NOS. 101
[Signature]



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

ADDRESS REPLY TO
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
AND QUOTE NO.

1726

December 29, 1917.

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria Street.

1726, Pte. W. Sutton.

A letter has been received from the parents of the above mentioned soldier, requesting that furlough might be obtained. A letter has been sent to them stating that until he is discharged from hospital it will be impossible to consider the matter, and it will then rest entirely on his medical recommendation, that is whether he is to be repatriated or discharged and advised to return home in order that he might benefit by the sea trip. Will you please keep this man's case before you, and on his discharge from hospital, inform this department if it is likely that he will be returned to Newfoundland.

Minister of Militia.

*Sutton was discharged from Hosp. 31/12/17
marked Dubli. P. R. O. London. J.P.B.*

NO.	
DATE	28 JAN 1918
BY	Mr.
P.S.	

Only for use with Men returned from an Expeditionary Force or from
Garrisons Abroad.

Army Form W. 3016.
(In Books of 200.)

No. _____ Date December 31st 1917. Admitted 12. 11. 17.

(1) To the Officer i/c Records, 58, Victoria Street
S.W. (Station).

(2) The Officer Commanding, 1st Afld Contingent
Barry Forfar (Station).

(3) The Paymaster, 58, Victoria Street
S.W. (Station).

Regimental No. 1726

Rank and Name. Pte Sutton W

Regiment or Corps. 1st Afld.

has been granted a furlough from Dec 31st 1917 to Jan 9th

His address while
on leave will be:

58, Victoria St.

S.W.

I consider he is
fit for*

- i. Duty. I
ii. Command Depot.
iii. Employment.

* Strike out that
which is inapplicable.

Officer in charge

g c Hall
Capt M
Registrar, R.A.M.C. Hospital,

3rd London General Hospital

WANDSWORTH

(Station).

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office.
In the case of men of the Royal Flying Corps, Royal Engineers and Army Ordnance Corps two copies of
A.F.W. 3016 will be sent to the Officer in charge Records concerned and one to the Paymaster, instead of
one copy to the Officer i/c Records, the Paymaster, and O.C. shown in the Schedule.

This man has been warned with
a warrant for Victoria and
an advance of £1. (one pound).

St Johns newfoundland

14718

~~Letter~~ Cross de guerre at present in Custody of this office awaiting opportunity for disposal

1726 Serjt W Sulton O.C.M.
Royal newfoundland Regt
St Johns newfoundland.

Dear Sir

I had a note at hand asking for information concerning my Belgian Cross. The querie as if it his at the Pay and Record office London I would like it forwarded on to me at newfoundland. Head quarters were i am at present.

I remain Sir

Yours obediant

Serjeant

1726 Serjt W Sulton

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT.
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

7348

15 AUG 1918

X

MA

taken by Capt Butler 21/8/18

25/1/18

Wey Villa
Busley Road
Chobham
Surrey

Dear Sir

Can you give me any information
of the whereabouts of Pte. Willie Sutton
No. 1726. 1st. Newfoundland ~~Regt.~~

And Oblige
Yours, Chapman

P.R.O.
W.S.B.

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NEWSPAPER AND PERIODICALS DIVISION POST OFFICE GENERAL DELIVERY NO. 1726 28 JAN 1918 W.S.B.

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 147.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS,
and the following No. quoted :

N. F. P/38.

ORIGINAL.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 1486/59/C

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

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

29th January, 1918.

HT/NW

SUBJECT: 1726, PTE. W. SUTTON, D.C.M.

REPLY

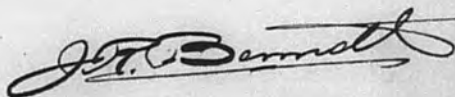
Dated March 5, 1918

Reference Nos.

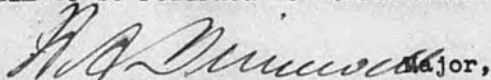
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With reference to your letter 29/12/17 (976) forwarding an application for furlough on behalf of the above named man: as will have been observed by Casualty Reports, Sutton was discharged from hospital on 31/12/17, marked Duty I. During my recent visit to the Depot at Winchester he was offered for temporary employment in this office as he was found to be unfit for any hard duty with the 2nd Battn., and in view of the scarcity of men here he has been given light duty here, but I fear that his education is insufficient for the purpose and when he is better in health I propose to return him to the Depot. Meanwhile, however, under all the circumstances it is not practicable for him to be returned to Newfoundland.

Your reference to the matter of furlough for this soldier is noted.



Acting Minister of Militia


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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
Ref. Nos. IN 3014
Rec'd - 1 APR 1918
Ack'd
Det. Nos. 407

1496/59/C

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

29th January, 8.

HT/NW

March 5th 8

1726, PTE.W.SUTTON,D.C.M.

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3014
1/4/18

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

DUPLICATE

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY
Posted 6 - FEB 1918



1486/59/0

The Hon. the Minister of
Militia,
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C.P.

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

No. _____

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

H.P.F./45.

To: No. 1726 H. W. Sutton
119 St. James Street
London

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

1 Febry 1918

Herewith 29th Divisional Certificate No. 471.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon:

(Sig.) W Sutton

(Date) 1 - 2 - 18

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

30/1/18

Mary. Villa
Bisley. Road
Chobham
Surrey

Dear Sir

I am, ~~much~~ obliged for
information of Pte. W. Sutton, but since
I wrote you I have heard from him.

Yours Truly

Mrs. Chapman.

RECEIVED
✓ 1108
1 FEB 1918

W. A.

W. A.

W. A.

987/66

555/45/C

Forms
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MEMORANDUM.

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

From Officer Commanding,
2/1st Newfoundland Regiment,
Winchester.

To Officer Commanding,
2/1 Newfoundland R.,
Ayr,
Scotland.

To The Paymaster,
Newfoundland Contingent,
London, S.W.

HT/NW

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office.

1058/43

12th January, 1918.

Jan 16th 1918.

No. 1726, PTE. W. SUTTON

Following received from
the M. M. is quoted for your
attention, please:

This man states that he
writes to his wife once a
month, and promises to write
more often.

"The wife of the above
mentioned soldier states
that she has received no
letters from him since July

He also states that he
received a letter from his wife
about a week ago saying that
she received his letters.

Please forward a re-
quest to the Officer Com-
manding his Battalion
advising Pte. Sutton of the
desirability of his
communicating with his wife

R. A. Stewart Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	1664	REC'D JAN 19 1918	Ans'd	FILED UPON	BY
Ref. Nos. IN					
Ref. Nos. OUT					
LIEUT. COLONEL COMMANDING 2nd BN. NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.					

2401/44/R.&C.

Forms
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MEMORANDUM.



From

From

To
Officer Commanding,
3rd London G. Hospital,
Wandsworth,
S.W. 18.

BRANON
To O/c Records.
Reported for Neg. &
ANSWER. London
BY
DATE P. Sutton 17/2/18

Pay & Record Office,

13th February, 1918

13/2/1918.

1726, PTE. W. SUTTON,
Royal Newfdld Regiment.

I have examined Pte Sutton & find
that he has valvular disease of the
Heart. Compensation good. I
consider his Category to be B1.

Will you kindly cause an
examination to be held on the
above-named man for the purpose
of re-classification, and state
result hereon? A.F. B.178.A.
is enclosed herewith.

W. W. W. W.
Capt Rawert

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

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No. 1579
Rec'd. 14 FEB 1918
Ack'd.
Ans'd.
File No. *[Signature]*

HA/JC

2522/180/c

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

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

HT/NV

Pay & Record Office,

15th February, 8.

1726 PTE. W. SUTTON.

This man, being desirous of rejoining the B.E.F., as a preliminary measure was sent to the 3rd London General Hospital for examination, and copy of M.O.'s report thereon is enclosed. This, however, does not appear to qualify Sutton for service in the Field. Meanwhile he is most anxious to go, and thinks with a little training he will be fit. Under the special circumstances, although it is doubtful if he will be medically fit, he is sent to you for what action may be found practicable, please.

*Replied to
WAS*

*It is agreed to the terms
will give please say*

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O.I/c Records.

2522/180/C

MEMORANDUM.

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

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

From O.C.
2nd Bn. Royal N.F.L.D. Regiment,
Hazeley Down Camp.

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

HT/NV

ANSWER.

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It would appear that this man's disability will always preclude him from being raised to Category A.

If that is the Medical opinion, it is useless to ~~write~~ return him here unless there is some possibility of his being raised to Category A.

If agreeable to the Commandant will you please say.
[Signature]
Major
Chief Paymaster & O.I/c Records

COMMANDING 2ND

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
1826
No. 2477 FEB 1918
LIEUT. COLONEL.
2ND BATTAL ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
Rec'd.
Ans'd.
File No.

2401/44/R.&.C.

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

Officer Commanding,
3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, S.W. 18.

O. i/c Records,
Royal Nfld Regt.,
London.

Pay & Record Office,

13th February, 1918.

15/2/18

Pte. Sutton, W. 1726.

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(Sgd) E.H. BINGLEY,

Capt. R.A.M.C.

HA/JC

1579

~~14/2/18~~

25th March,

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4664/2/O.T.

No. 1726, A/Sergt. W. Sutton, D.C.M.,
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
58, Victoria Street, S.W. 1.

REPATRIATION DRAFT NO. 59.

1. You will take charge of and conduct this draft to its destination, St. John's, Newfoundland.
2. Three copies of Nominal Roll herewith for disposal as follows:
 - (a) 1 for your retention.
 - (b) 1 " Embarkation Commandant, Liverpool.
 - (c) 1 " O.C. Depot, Royal Nfld Regt., H.Q.
3. You will assemble that portion of the draft proceeding from London on the ground floor of 58, Victoria Street at 8 p.m. to-day, Monday, and proceed therewith via St. James's (Underground) to Euston Station (changing trains at Charing Cross) to Euston Station L. & N.W. Railway, and entrain at 9.25 p.m. for Liverpool.
4. You will assemble the remainder of the draft of Foresters at Lime Street Station, Liverpool, due to arrive there at 5.40 a.m., Tuesday, 26/3/18.
5. You will then report at the Offices of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd., Royal Liver Buildings, Liverpool, not later than 8.30 a.m., whereupon breakfast will be provided.
6. At 10 p.m. you will proceed to the Prince's Landing Stage and report to the Embarkation Commandant.
7. On arrival at Canadian port of disembarkation you will report to the O.C., Discharge Depot, for further orders as to the remainder of the journey to Newfoundland, as may be arranged by the Minister of Militia, St. John's.
8. On arrival at St. John's you will report to O.C., Depot.
9. Documents relating to the draft are being despatched per mail, and should reach St. John's when you do.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

From, O. C.,
3rd London General Hospital:

Registrar, R.A.M.C.T

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

To, The O. C.,
Records, Nfld. Regt.

14 MAR 1918

In accordance with instructions contained in A. J.
2069 of 1916, I have to report that:-

No. 1726. Pte. W. Suttons, 1. Nfld Regt.

will shortly be brought before a Medical Board and will
be discharged from the Army or re-classified.

Duplicate documents will not be required, please.

H. Jagan
Capt. R.A.M.C.T.



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Form 11.
No. 179

WESTERN UNION

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To EFM MRS WILLIAM SUTTON

BURGO (Newfoundland)

CABLE FOUR POUNDS IMMEDIATELY THROUGH MINISTER MILITIA

1726 SUTTON

14
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CHARGE
 PAY BOOK
 Date
W. J. Sutton

Change to
 1726
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Sutton Newfld.

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MILITIA COMING HOME

WILLIAM SUTTON

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 40 = 3/4 ✓

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 1726 St. W. Sutton

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No. _____

Regtl. No. 1726

Rank Private

Name Sullivan, W.

Regiment _____

Date from 22 - 3 - 1918

to 10 AM 25 - 3 1918

To proceed to London

I/c _____

Station NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Date 22 - 3 - 18

Address whilst on furlough to which any orders will be sent: _____



FOR USE IN THE CASE OF **ALL** SOLDIERS SENT TO THEIR HOMES UNDER
A.C.I. 1011 OF 1916, PARA. 2(ix.)

No. 1726, Rank PLC, Name Sutton W. (1- R. Regt.) (Regiment).
is discharged from* 3 London General Hospital
with orders to proceed to his home.

(Address

58 Victoria St
S.W.)

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

Place Wandsworth, H. Jagan Officer Commanding.
Capt. R.A.M.C.T.
Date 22/3/18, Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.*

*Here enter name of Hospital or Unit from which the Soldier is discharged.
3rd London General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S.W.

4662/1/R.&.C.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS,
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1,
ENGLAND.

25/3/18.

1726 A/Sgt. W. Sutton,
Royal Newfoundland Regt.,
58, Victoria Street,
S.W. 1.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

You have been appointed Acting Sergeant from and including this date (25/3/18) for the purpose of overseas transport during the period of your being in charge of Repatriation Draft No. 59 only.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

HT/JC

Admitted 11-3-18

NOTIFICATION that a Soldier has been sent Home from Hospital to await Discharge under para. 392 (xvi.) King's Regulations.

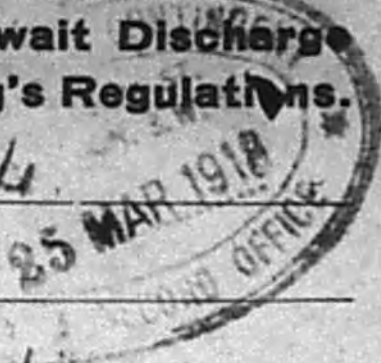
Soldier's Regtl. No. } 1726 Rank Pte.

Name Sutton W.
(Surname first)

Corps or Regiment (also Unit if known) } 1st R Rifles

To Officer i/c of Records 58 Victoria St S.W.

Regimental Paymaster 58 Victoria St S.W.



The above-named man, who appeared before a Medical Board, and whose discharge as "no longer physically fit for war service" was approved by the President of the Board on the 20-3-18, has been sent to his home on

The address below

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He proceeded on (date) 22-3-18

to (full address) 58 Victoria Street S.W.

Date 22-3-18 *M. J. [Signature]* Registrar, R.A.M.C.I. { Officer Comm.

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

Three copies to be made; one copy sent to each Officer above-mentioned, and one copy filed in the Office.

Admitted 11-3-18.

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Registrar, R.A.M.C.F. } Comm.

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WINDSORTH S.W.

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26th th March

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4691/3/B&E

1726, A/Sgt. W. Sutton,
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Headquarters, St. John's.

EFFECTS.

Reference your telegram 26/3/18 (2805) to
S.Q.M.S. Hunt, - No trace can be found of your
Greatcoat at this Office. Your boots will be
forwarded to Newfoundland with next shipment of
effects.

FM/S

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

H.B.—This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.

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Ref. Nos. IV	280s
Rec'd	26 MAR 1918
Ack'd	to pay Ans'd



Handed in at } *20* Received at } *18*

TO

*Staff Sgt Hunt
Newfoundland*

ACTED UPON		
FRANCE	DATE	BY
Comd.	<i>26/3/18</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>
P & A		
Rec'd		
P & E		
P.S.		

*Please
boots*

*forward great coat and
Sutton*

[Signature]
26/3/18

26th March

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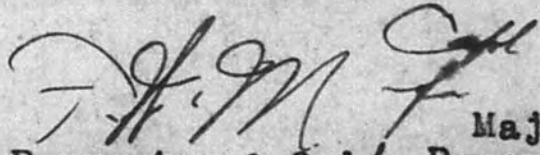
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1918
Regtl. Wing
Corres. Sect
168, Regent St.
W.1.

FROM:-

The Regimental Paymaster,
London District.

TO:-

Inf. Records
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Attached passed to you,
please, having apparently been
sent herewith in error.

W. Weston

Captain, A.P.
for Regimental Paymaster,
London District.



Miss Lily Price,
20 Myinard Rd
Monkland,
Partickhill
Glasgow.

Wednesday - 15th May - 1918.

Dear Sir,

Could you please give me the address of Private William Sutton, No 1726, D. Co. B. Royal Newfoundland Regiment. As I have had never heard from him since March. Please let me know if his brother (Wilson) is still in the firing line (No 3529, 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment), as no word has been heard from him since 1st April. And please, oblige,
Yours Sincerely
L. Price.

1726 POW Sutton is now
in Newfoundland, attached
Headquarters at St John's

3529 POW Sutton was wounded 11/3/18
but no further particulars have yet
been received as to his whereabouts
or condition

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT, PAY & REGIMENTAL OFFICE.	
Ref. Nos. 17	4636
Rec'd	22 MAY 1918
Ack'd	
Ref. Nos. 001	
L. Price	
C. Price	
R. & C. v 24/5/18	
B. & F.	
P. S.	

What payment have been
given to Sutton -

Have all up to date
& file this away.

GA 3/5/19.

Capt J. E. & F. D. C.

For Verification of award

Th

Sgt Chambers

OK

J. E. & F. D. C.

A.S. Mrs. Willey

Jy Sutton

1 Mrs. Glahue

Diff - all in Rev. Clothes

\$ 5.00	✓
35.00	✓
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110.00	✓

Lea £4.00 advanced
in Dec 20th of

£29.12.0

present not added
to diff

4.00	
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£ 18.12.0	

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CLAIM FOR WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

A complete reply must be given to every question. If any questions are not applicable the words "Not applicable" should be written opposite the question. There must be no blanks or dashes.

1. REGIMENTAL PARTICULARS:

- (a) Rank on Discharge or Retirement.
- (b) Christian Names
- (c) Surname
- (d) Date of Discharge or Retirement

Regtl No. 1726 Date of Enlistment 24-7-15

Unit Royal Nfld. Regt.

Sergeant

William

Sutton

22-7-18 Cause: Physically Unfit

2. Address in full to which future payments of Gratuity are to be forwarded

Not known

3. Name of Dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance was being issued immediately prior to Discharge.

Amelia Sutton

Burgess LaPorte Dr.

Wife

Relationship

Address

Burgess Nfld.

4. Rate of Separation Allowance

25 Dollars per month

Rate of Allotment

Dollars 70 Cents per day

5. Is said Dependent now, or was said Dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?

No

6. Were you at any time on the strength for Pay & Allowances of the Newfoundland Forestry Corps? If so, give dates of Service.

No

7. TOTAL SERVICE IN:

(a) Royal Newfoundland Regt.

2 years 564 days

(b) Newfoundland Forestry Corps

None

8. Were you at the time of enlistment a civil employee of the Newfoundland Government? If so, state Department. Were you in receipt of any portion of civil service salary during your military service? If so, give particulars and amt.

No.

9. Have you or your dependents received any payment of Post Discharge Pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amounts received, and by whom paid.

None received

Continued.

10. Have you, during the present War, served in the Imperial Forces? If so, are you entitled to receive, or you have you received any Gratuity from the Imperial Funds in respect of such service? State amount received or to which you are entitled.

No

11. Did you at any time serve at the Front in an actual Theatre of War? If so, give particulars and dates.

France from 16.7.16 to 6.12.16
do " 7.9.17 to 10.11.17

12. Have you received allowance in lieu of civilian clothes? If so, state amount, date and by whom paid.

Yes \$25⁰⁰ 22-7-18
at H.Q. St Johns Nfld.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing statements are to the best of my knowledge and belief true in all respects.

Signature of Applicant

W. Sutton

Place of Residence

Dail's Home Dock St. Ee

Date

8/4/19

NOTE: - The space hereunder is for completion by the Pay & Record Office, and must not be written on by Applicant.

Period for which gratuity is awarded

2 Years service and ~~under~~ over

Rate of Gratuity

100⁰⁰ mth.

153 days

Proportion payable to Dependent

None 25⁰⁰ per mth

Proportion payable to Applicant

None 75⁰⁰ " "

MEMORANDUM OF PAYMENTS

Issuing Office	Date	AMOUNT		Verified by	Remarks
		Dependent	Applicant		
<i>P & R O London</i>	<i>8/4/19</i>		<i>18-12-0</i>		<i>7 months gratuity, \$75⁰⁰ Less 10% old pension 24/1/18 Bal due civilian cloth, \$35⁰⁰</i>
			<i>14-0-0</i>	<i>Est</i>	<i>7.8 P 54</i>

Rate of Gratuity verified by

Amount recoverable from Imperial funds in respect of service in the Newfoundland Forestry Corps

Claim passed by

Completed by

Date

Period of Service

Rate per month

Amount due on account of civilian clothes, \$ *35⁰⁰*

Verified by

[Signature]

Checked by

Not applicable

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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<p>1. REGIMENTAL PARTICULARS:</p> <p>(a) Rank on Discharge or Retirement.</p> <p>(b) Christian Names</p> <p>(c) Surname</p> <p>(d) Date of Discharge or Retirement</p>	<p>Regtl No. <u>1726</u> Date of Enlistment <u>24/7/15</u></p> <p>Unit <u>Royal Newfoundland Regiment</u></p> <p><u>Sergeant</u></p> <p><u>William</u></p> <p><u>Sutton</u></p> <p><u>22/7/18</u> Cause <u>Physically Unfit</u></p>
<p>2. Address in full to which future payments of Gratuity are to be forwarded</p>	<p>Not known</p>
<p>3. Name of Dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance was being issued immediately prior to Discharge.</p> <p>Relationship</p> <p>Address</p>	<p><u>Amelia Sutton</u></p> <p><u>Burgeo, La Poile District,</u></p> <p><u>Wife</u></p> <p><u>Burgeo, Newfoundland</u></p>
<p>4. Rate of Separation Allowance</p> <p>Rate of Allotment</p>	<p><u>25</u> Dollars per month</p> <p>Dollars <u>70</u> Cents per day</p>
<p>5. Is said Dependent now, or was said Dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another Soldier?</p>	<p>No.</p>
<p>6. Were you at any time on the strength for Pay & Allowances of the Newfoundland Forestry Corps? If so, give dates of Service.</p>	<p>No.</p>
<p>7. TOTAL SERVICE IN:</p> <p>(a) Royal Newfoundland Regt. 2</p> <p>(b) Newfoundland Forestry Corps</p>	<p><u>2 years 364 days</u></p> <p>None</p>
<p>8. Were you at the time of enlistment a civil employee of the Newfoundland Government? If so, state Department. Were you in receipt of any portion of civil service salary during your military service? If so, give particulars and amt.</p>	<p>No</p>
<p>9. Have you or your dependents received any payment of Post Discharge Pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amounts received, and by whom paid.</p>	<p>None received</p>

Continued.

Copy sent *W.F.P.*
R.P.

<p>10. Have you, during the present War, served in the Imperial Forces? If so, are you entitled to receive, or you have you received, any Gratuity from the Imperial Funds in respect of such service? State amount received or to which you are entitled.</p>	<p>No.</p>
<p>11 Did you at any time serve at the Front in an actual Theatre of War? If so, give particulars and dates.</p>	<p>France from 16/7/16 to 6/12/16 do do 7/9/17 to 10/11/17</p>
<p>12. Have you received allowance in lieu of civilian clothes? If so, state amount, date and by whom paid.</p>	<p>Yes \$25.00 22/7/18 at H.Q. St. John's, Newfoundland</p>

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing statements are to the best of my knowledge and belief true in all respects.

Signature of Applicant (Signed) W. Sutton

Place of Residence Sailors Home, Dock Street, E.C.

Date 8/4/19

NOTE:- The space hereunder is for completion by the Pay & Record Office, and must not be written on by Applicant.

<p>Period for which gratuity is awarded</p>	<p>2 Years service and underover</p>
<p>Rate of Gratuity \$100.00 per month</p>	<p>153 days</p>
<p>Proportion payable to Dependent</p>	<p>\$25.00 per month</p>
<p>Proportion payable to Applicant</p>	<p>\$75.00 per month</p>

MEMORANDUM OF PAYMENTS

Issuing Office	Date	A M O U N T		Verified by	Remarks
		Dependent	Applicant		
<p>P. & R.O. London</p>	<p>8/4/19</p>		<p>£18.12.0</p>		<p>One months gratuity less £4.0.0. adv. on a/c pension 20/12/18. Balance due civilian cloths \$35.00</p>

Rate of Gratuity verified by _____

Claim passed by _____

Completed by _____ Date _____

Amount due on account of civilian clothes, \$ 35.00

Verified by E.M.

Amount recoverable from Imperial funds in respect of service in the Newfoundland Forestry Corps

Period of Service _____

Rate per month _____

Not applicable

Checked by _____

DUPLICATE
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X 5884/229/P.&.A X

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

FM/PK.

9th April

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EX NO. 1726 SGT. W. SUTTON, D.C.M.

The above named ex soldier called at this office to-day with regard to his War Service Gratuity. The usual form of declaration has been completed and the first payment issued this date at the rate of \$75.00 per month, the balance of \$25.00 being payable to his wife, Mrs. Amelia Sutton, Burgeo LaPoile District, N.F. for a period of 153 days (5 months).

Sutton has asked that the question of Separation Allowance in favour of his wife may be reviewed with you, and the following details in connection with this matter are submitted.

On his enlistment he made an allotment of 70 cents per day in favour of his wife which he reduced to 40 cents per day from 1/7/16. This allotment remained in force until his return to Newfoundland when it is understood he applied to you for Separation Allowance. He was then informed that his claim could not be admitted unless he made the customary allotment of 50 per cent of his pay. This he apparently agreed to, as he states the Allowance was granted from the date his allotment was increased.

Previous to his repatriation, Sutton was not aware that it was necessary for him to allot 50 per cent of his pay in order that his wife should receive benefit of Separation Allowance, and judging by the fact that the question of increase of his allotment did not arise until his return to Newfoundland no claim had been made previously by his wife or by him.

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Whilst the practice of paying Separation Allowance from the date that Sutton made the required allotment of 50 per cent of his pay in favour of his wife is strictly in accordance with the Regulations, it is understood that as far as the Canadian procedure is concerned where a soldier had omitted to claim Separation Allowance in favour of his wife (as distinct from other dependents) although he made not have made the required allotment at the date of his enlistment or marriage, provided that he had agreed to the allotment of 50 per cent of his pay when claiming, the allowance would be issuable from the date of marriage or enlistment. If this will apply in Sutton's case, his wife will be entitled to receive Separation Allowance from 1/9/17, the date the Newfoundland Act came into force. This method has been adopted by this office in dealing with claims that are payable in this country. Sutton's case is therefore submitted to you for further consideration. Meanwhile it is understood there is no question that retroactive Separation Allowance will be payable to Mrs. Sutton from the date of enlistment to 30/6/16, the date Sutton's allotment was reduced to 40 cents per day.

Copy of Claim for War Service Gratuity is enclosed for information. Sutton is endeavouring to get on a ship proceeding to Newfoundland, and he has been instructed to notify his address on arrival.

Capt.
Asst. Chief Paymaster.

For Chief Paymaster & O.I/c.Reeds.

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

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 147.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS,
and the following No. quoted :

N. F. P/38.

ORIGINAL

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 13981/484/R.&.C. 1726

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.
31st August, 1918.

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

SUBJECT :

1726 SGT. W. SUTTON, D.C.M.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated **Sept. 28th** 1918

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

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W.F. Rendell
Lieut. Col. *CSO*
Minister of Militia.

H.A. Munnell Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/NV

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

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20931/645/P&A.

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

FM/NA. December 1sth, 8

Jan. 21/19.

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ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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(sd) J. R. Bennett,
Minister of Militia.

1326
10/2/19.

It is understood that efforts are being made to arrange for his passage to Newfoundland by the S.S. "Corsican", please.

Chief Paymaster & O 1/c Records: Major.

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY.

Posted: 6 DEC 1919



20961/645/P&A.

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

OR

FM/NM.

December 12th,

8

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1726

R E M I N D E R

PASSED FOR INFORMATION	
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PAY LEDGERS	J. C.
NOM. ROLL	J. C. A.
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SEP. ALLGE.	_____
PENSIONS	_____
RECORDS	
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Please initial all documents FIRST and this Sheet afterwards. Finally return to CENTRAL REGISTRY for filing.

(Address)

Wm. Pether.

2B Chestnut Grove
Balham

from my 1426 Sgt R.A. Regd

Proceed to open shortly

N. F. 175

NEWFOUNDLAND AND CONTINGENT

PARCELS BILL No.

There has been no mail received

here for Lutton

[Signature]
J. P. Peggitt
8 24 50

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POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.



Office Stamp.

This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.

Office of Origin and Service Instructions.

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT.
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

Charges to pay 2947 s. d. 8



Handed in at ... M., Received here at ...

TO

Captain Marshall
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Ship 58
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Glasgow
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James
Glasgow

Department of Militia

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE
 REG. Nos. 12
 12 OCT 1918

MEMORANDUM

No. 726

From
 MINISTER OF MILITIA,
 ST. JOHN'S,
 NEWFOUNDLAND

To
 Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records
 Pay & Record Office
 The Royal Newfoundland Regt.
 58 Victoria Street
 London, S.W.1

Sent. 18th 1918

17356

SUBJECT:

REPLY

Dated October 26th, 1918

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I confirm the following telegrams:-

To Synoptical, Aug. 7/18

"Sergt. 1726 Sutton enquiring with regard to payment of gratuity for D.C.M. Please inform when it will be paid."

Military

To Military Aug. 17/18

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Synoptical

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Please inform if the Imperial

This subject has been fully dealt with in my reply to your Memorandum No. M 37/3, 9/7/18, this Office No. 13500, 23/8/18, which apparently crossed this communication.

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

FM/NM

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Minister of Militia.

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

FM/FK.

14th July 9

EX 1726 SERGT. W. SUTTON.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
Yours 1726, 18/9/18
Ours 17356, 26/10/18.

With reference to the
above quoted memoranda regarding
extra Pension of 6d per day granted
to the above ex soldier in respect
of Gratuity for D.C.M., copies of
correspondence exchanged with the
War Office 17th and 30th June, are
enclosed for information, please.

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

COPY

All further communications on this subject should be addressed to -

The Secretary,
War Office,
LONDON. S.W.1.

War Office,
LONDON. S.W.1.
30th June 1919.

and the following number quoted:-

012/2997 (Accts.5.Pens.)

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 17th instant, No. 8738/171/P&A, I am directed to inform you that the additional pension in respect of the D.C.M. or M.C. when payable to members of the Colonial Forces should be issued with the disability pension awarded by the Colonial Government, and reclaimed from this office periodically, the claims being supported by the pensioners' receipts.

The additional pension of 6d a day will in all cases cease at the date of expiry of the disability pension, but in the event of the recipient having been paid less than £20 in respect of the decoration (the amount of gratuity issuable), the balance may be paid to him and reclaimed from this office.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(Signed W. Mayne,

For the Assistant Financial Secretary.

The Chief Staff Officer,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
LONDON. S.W.1.

COPY.

8738/171/P&A.

The Secretary,
War Office,
WHITEHALL.

Sir:-

GRATUITIES IN CONNECTION WITH AWARDS.

With reference to your letter 012/2828/(Accts.5 Pension) 14/3/18: I have the honour to enquire what is the procedure as regards adjustment of additional pension of 6d per day in the case of a recipient of the D.C.M. who may be granted a temporary pension, e.g. case of No. 1726 Pte. W. Sutton D.C.M. discharged 22/7/18. Awarded disability pension for period of six months.

Does the 6d per day cease at the date of expiry of disability pension?

I have the honour to be,
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17th June

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8738/171/P&A

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PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
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Ref. Nos. 101
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P & A.
R & C.
B & E.
P.S.

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LONDON, S.W. 1.

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Your obedient servant,

W. M. Payne

for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

The Chief Staff Officer,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

A.P.

Sutton, W^d.

1726

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C.R. 1726

Extract of Telegram from Synoptical, London, to Military, St. John's
dated Dec. 21st 1918.

Sutton formerly 1762 without means awaiting passage to Newfoundland
made advance £4 against January pension. You can adjust

THE BOARD OF
PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

HON. SIR P. T. McGRATH, K.B.E.,
(President Legislative Council),
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(Minister Agriculture and Mines)
CAPT. W. H. PARSONS, R.A.M.C.



IN REPLY REFER TO

NO.....

St. John's

Nov. 29/18

Lt. Col. W. F. Rendell,
Chief Staff Officer,
City.

1726 ex-Sgt. Sutton, D.C.M.

Sir:-

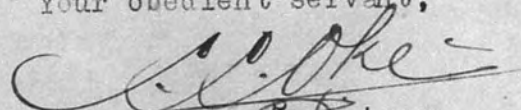
I have the honour,,by direction, to acknowledge receipt of your communication of Nov. 25th No. 1726, re the payment of gratuity of 6d. per day to the marginally noted.

I have been directed to state that the Board is quite willing to take over the payment of 6d. per day, and will follow out the suggestion of recovering same from the Imperial Government.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,


pro secretary,

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR Nfld.

DCO/LBD.

Nov. 25th., 1918.

Secretary,
Board of Pension Commissioners,
City.

Re-#1726 Sergt. W. Sutton, D.C.M.

Sir:-

I have the honour to quote for your information exchange of letters between the Chief Paymaster, London, and this Office concerning the payment of gratuity to the above mentioned soldier, in accordance with the provisions of the Royal Warrant:

"From: Minister of Militia . Subject:#1726 Sgt.W. Sutton.

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Military.

To Military

Aug. 17/18

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Synoptical.

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Please inform if the Imperial Authorities are settling these claims as they arise, or if it is intended to settle all such claims at the termination of hostilities.

(Sgd) J.R. Bennett

November, 25th., 1918

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"From Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records, Oct. 26/18.

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(Sgd) H. A. Timewell

Major
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records."

I should be glad to be informed if this payment of 6d. per day will be paid by your Department and recovered through the Chief Paymaster, London, on your behalf from Imperial Funds.

For your information I am attaching copies of Royal Warrant Article No. 1157 and Article No. 1230.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Lieut. Col.

Chief Staff Officer.

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY

POSTED 28/9/18



C.R. 1726

Chief Paymaster & C. i/c Records
Pay & Record Office
The Royal Newfoundland Regt.
58 Victoria Street
London, S.W.1

Ser't. 18th

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY
Posted 29 NOV 1918

17356

October 26th, 1918.

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To Military Aug. 17/18

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Minister of Militia.

RECEIVED
MAIL ROOM
JAN 1918

C.R. 1726

PERSONAL EFFECTS

RECEIVED FROM MILITIA DEPARTMENT.

ONE PACKAGE OF EFFECTS NO. 1726 SERGT. W. SUTTON.

SIGNED

Mrs. William Sutton

DATE

Sep 27 / 18.

no. 1726.

C.R. 1728

Chief Paymaster & C. i/o Records
Pay & Record Office
The Royal Newfoundland Regt.
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Sept. 18th 8

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Minister of Militia.

Department of Militia

MEMORANDUM

C.R. 1726

From
MINISTER OF MILITIA,
 ST. JOHN'S,
 NEWFOUNDLAND

Sept. 18th 1918

To
 Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records
 Pay & Record Office
 The Royal Newfoundland Regt.
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17356

SUBJECT:

1726 Sgt W. Sutton

REPLY

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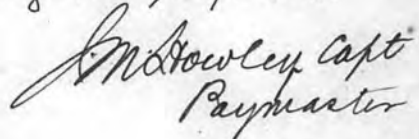


Major,
 Chief Paymaster & O i/c Recds.

FM/NM

II

I respectfully suggest that the Board of Pension Commissioners be requested to arrange this payment.



C.R. 1726

September 17, 1918.

Mrs. William Sutton,

Burgoe.

Dear Mrs. Sutton:-

I am writing to inform you that I am forwarding through "Parcel Post" one package containing Personal Effects, which belongs to your husband, ex #1726 Sergt. W. Sutton of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

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

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.


C. SULLY OFFICER.

Enc'l 1.

No. of Paper 1061

PERSONAL EFFECTS.

Name Dutton W.
 No. 1726 Rank A/Cor
 Regiment Meaford Land

Article	Where stored	Notified by
<u>1 Package :-</u> <u>Containing</u> <u>1 per Book.</u>		<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">RECEIVED BY THE NEWFOUNDLAND</p>
	<p>Final Disposal</p>	

Remarks: Repatriated :-

Next of Kin
Wife :-
Mrs W. Dutton
Burgess

SECTION IX.

GRATUITIES

1230.

A soldier has been awarded the medal for distinguished conduct in the field shall be paid a gratuity of £20 on promotion to a commission, transfer to our Army Reserve, or on discharge without pension. If he is discharged with a pension he shall be eligible for the additional 6d. a day under Article 1157.

3. PENSION FOR DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT.

1157.

In cases of gallant conduct in the performance of military duty or in saving, or attempting to save, the life of an officer or soldier, officially brought to notice at the time of occurrence, an additional pension of 6d. a day for Europeans, and 3d. per day for non-Europeans referred to in Article 1151, may be granted.

The possession of the Victoria Cross or the medal for Distinguished Conduct in the Field shall be a sufficient qualification for the award of this additional pension.

C.R. 1726

Aug. 29th, 18

Sergt. W. Sutton, D.C.M.,
Schooner "Paragon",
Belleoram.

Dear Sutton:-

With reference to your enquiry concerning gratuity on account of your award of Distinguished Conduct Medal, I have to state that a gratuity is paid only when a soldier is discharged without a pension. When a soldier is discharged with a pension, he is eligible for the 6d. a day additional provided for under Article 1157 of Royal Pay Warrant. It is understood that you were discharged with a 60% disability, and that you are drawing ^{25.50} ~~24.000~~ per month pension. The matter is being taken up with the Pay & Record Office, London, as the arrangement for the payment of 6d. per day must be made with the Imperial Authorities, who will either make payments themselves, or give instructions for payments to be made.

I am attaching copies of articles 1157 and 1235 R.W. for your information.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 147.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS,
and the following No. quoted :

N. F. P/38A.

DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 13981/484/R.&C. *CP 1726*

From

PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

31st August, 1918.

To

The Hon. Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

SUBJECT :

1726 SGT. W. SUTTON, D.G.M.

Reference Nos.

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With reference to the following letter from the above-named N.C.O.:

"Just a note at hand asking for information concerning my Belgian Croix de Guerre, as if it is at the Pay and Record Office, London I would like it forwarded on to me at Newfoundland Headquarters where I am at present."

I beg to inform you that Capt. B. Butler has been good enough to take Sergt. Sutton's Belgian Croix de Guerre for delivery to you and for subsequent disposal as you may deem fit, please.

R. A. Munn Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Sergeant Sutton will be presented with the Belgium Croix de Guerre on a suitable occasion

Minister of Militia.

HA/NV

C.R. 1756



NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 4 Sent by _____ Rec'd by _____ Check 25p No. _____

Place from Bellisoran 27

To Col Kendall

Min of Militia.

300

AUG 27 1918

I am discharged with
 pension of 20 pounds
 for D.C.M please send
 it here am leaving for
 foreign voyage soon.
 Srgt Sutton.

C.R. 1726
Counter No.

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Dated August 27, 1918

To Sergt. Button,
Schooner Paragan,
Belleoram.

Under Royal Warrant gratuity paid if no pension
sixpence per day paid if discharged with pension.

MILITIA.

FOR TYPEWRITER



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Line No. 50 Sent by Am Rec'd by _____ Check 12ps No. _____

Place from Belleoram 26

To Colonel Rendell

Min of Milit



If received answer about money d c m reply immediately

Sergt Sutton
Schr Paragon

Mil Sec.
Any reply to my cable re above R

C.R. 1726

Extract from Telegram received from London, Dated August
17th, 1918.

With reference to your telegram of August 8th., 1726 Sutton
not entitled to gratuity unless discharged from service without
pensions subject to provisions of Royal warrant article.
1230 Additional Pension 6d. a day if discharged from Service
with pension.

From Synoptical, London.

C.R. 1726
August 17th 1918.

With reference your telegram August 8th Sgt. 1726 Sutton not entitled to gratuity unless discharged from the service without a pension subject to provisions of Royal Warrant Article 1230 additional pension 6d. per day if discharged from the service with pension

C.G.B.

EXTRACTS OF TELEGRAMS RELATING TO:-

No. 1726. PTE. W. SUTTON.

Med 9M
C.R. 1726

"Synoptical.London.
"8/8/18, ~~1124~~:"

"1726 Sutton enquiring-with regard to- payment of- gratuity- for D.C.M-
"please inform- when he- will be paid.-"

"Military.

"Military. St. John's.
"17/8/18 (1124):

"With ref. your tel. 8th August- 1726- Sutton- not entitled to gratuity-
"unless- discharged from the Service- without Pension- subject to
"provision- of R.W. Art- 1230-nadditional - pension 6d per day- may be
"granted- if discharged from the Service- with pension.-"

"Synoptical."

C.R.

1726

Extract from Telegram despatched to Syméptical, London,
dated August 7th, 1918.

Sergt. 1726 Sutton enquiring with regard to payment
of gratuity for D.C.M. Please inform when it will be
paid.

C.R. 1726

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated July 30, 1918.

#1726 Sergt. W. Sutton

Having been found medically unfit is struck off
the strength from 26-7-18

CR. 1726

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

1726 Sgt, W.Sutton, D.C.M., Croix de Guerre

Discharged 26 - 7 - 18 Medically unfit

C.P. 1726

July 12th 1918.

From: C. S. O.

TO: Paymaster.

#1726 Sgt. W. Sutton, D.C.M., C.de G.

The above mentioned soldier has applied for separation Allowance, from the 1st September 1917, (from which date this Allowance is payable) up to the time that Separation Allowance was granted to his wife. Sgt. Sutton states that he was allotting 40 cents a day to his wife, while he was in France, and he was unable to acquaint himself with the Regulations at the time, otherwise, he would have increased his Allotment to comply with the Regulations. He has since increased the Allotment to 60 cents per day, and Separation Allowance is now being paid to his wife. Please let me have your view as to whether you consider that Separation Allowance should be paid to him, from the period between September 1st and the date of commencement of this payment.

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 1726

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Depot St. Johns #126
dated July 12th 1918.

#1726 Sgt. W. Sutton.

ADMITTED TO NAVAL AND MILITARY CON. HOSPITAL ~~8~~ 18-7-18.

C.R. 1726

Extract of Memorandum from Pay and Record Office London dated May 13th. 1918

DIVISIONAL CERTIFICATE.

The following certificate has been received:

1726 Pte. W. Sutton, D.C.M.

(Card.)

C.R. 1726

from
Extract/Preliminary Report received From: The Director of
Medical Services, to Officer Commanding, Depot, St. John's
dated April 24, 1918.

#1726 Pte. William Sutton.

Recommended 2 months rest.

C.R. 1726
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Form No. 17

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Dated April 2nd 1918.

To Mrs Wm. Sutton,

Burgeo.

#1726 Sutton on his way home.

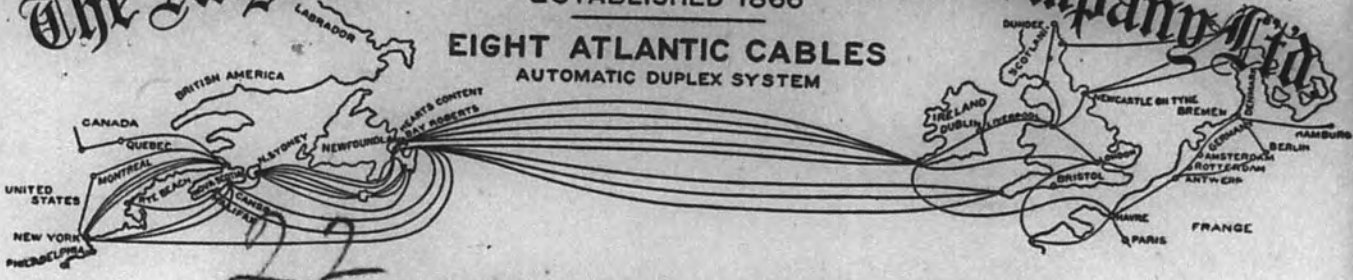
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TO {

Min. Militia

NEWFOUNDLAND
ST. JOHN'S
MAY 30 1874
THE ANGLO-AMERICAN TELEGRAPH CO. LIMITED

Pte 1726 Wm Sutton cables
for money says coming
home can you ascertain
if this correct reply
I quickly Mrs Wm Sutton

PLEASE HAND YOUR REPLY DIRECT TO THIS OFFICE.

C.R. 1726

Extract from Casualties received from Pay and Record
Office London, dated Mar. 22nd, 1918.

1726, Pte. W. Sutton.

3rd, London General Hospital. 22/3/18. ~~is granted~~ furlough
to 10 a.m. 25-3-18. with orders to report at P& R. O. on
the later date for disposal. to be repatriated.

J. R. Bennett Esq
Acting Minister of Militia
St-Johns

Burgessfield
March 21/8

C.R. 1726

Dear Sir

Your letter to hand safe
words fail me to tell you how
delighted I am to hear of my Husbands
honour's I trust - he will live long
to enjoy them and I am also very
proud and very thankful to you
for your very nice and encouraging
letters. I received letters from my
Husband and he wants me to come
to England to live I have no child &
what would you advise me to do in
the matter please let me know to
there home boats going direct from
St-Johns My Husband wrote and asked
me if I was getting my separation allowance
I have only received two lots is there any allowed
now I only get twelve dollars a month and
that is very little for one to live on now
in closing I remain yours sincerely
please write Mrs Wm Sutton

C.R. 1726

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated March 13, 1918.

O.C. 3rd London General Hospital, D.W. 18 reports
12/3/18.

#1726 Pte. W. Sutton. ✓

11/3/18.

Admitted to Hospital / Nature of Illness not stated.

C.R. 1726

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated March 13, 1918.

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11/3/18.

Admitted to Hospital / Nature of Illness not stated.

C.R. 1726

Extract from Casualties received from Pay and Record
Office, London dated 13th March 1918.

O. C., 3rd., London General Hospital S.W. 18,
Reports, 12/3/18.

ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL. nature of illness not stated.

#1726 Pte. W. Sutton.

BC .

March, 5, 1916

Mrs. George Sutton,
Burgee.

Dear Mrs. Sutton:-

I have the honour to enclose herewith
copy of letter received from Pay & Record Office, London
concerning this Dept's. application for furlough on be-
half of 1726, Private W. Sutton, D.C.M.

Yours faithfully,



Major, C.S.O.

C.R. 1726

March 1st. 1918.

Mrs Wm. Sutton,
Burgee.

Dear Mrs Sutton;

With further reference to your letter of 10, December, and my reply of 18, Dec., with reference to the matter of you not having received letters from your husband, #1726, Pte. Wm. Sutton, D.C.M., I have the honour to inform you that a reply received to-day from the Record Office, London, quoting a letter received from Officer Commanding 2nd Battalion; "This man states that he writes to his wife once a month and promises to write more often. He also states that he received a letter from his wife about a week ago saying that she received his letters."

Yours faithfully,



Major,

Chief Staff Officer.

WFR/JMP.

March 1st 18.

Mrs Wm. Sutton,
Burgeo.

#1726, Pte. Wm. Sutton, D.C.M.,

Dear Mrs Sutton;

I have very great pleasure in officially notifying you of the award of the Belgian Croix de Guerre to Pte. Sutton. It is a great honour to the Regiment, to have Foreign Decoration awarded to any of its members and I am sure you feel very proud of the conduct and work of Private Sutton. I have heard the very highest reports of this gallant soldier's achievements and learn that he is held in very high esteem by his superiors. I heartily congratulate you, both for myself and on behalf of the Department of Militia on the added distinction which has fallen to his lot.

Yours faithfully,



Acting Minister of Militia.

WFR/JMF.

C.R. 1726

Extract of Daily Orders Part 11 by Lieut Col. R.A. Berners, D.S.O.,
commanding 2nd. Batn. Royal "fld. regiment. dated 28/2/18.

The Commanding Officer is pleased to announce that the third Corps Commander
has awarded to

1726 Pte. W. Sutton,

the BELGIAN CROIX DE GUERRE.

C.R.

1726

Extract from Honours and Awards received from Pay & Record Office, London, dated February 25, 1918.

Extract from Daily Orders 1st, Battalion, Royal Nfld. Regiment dated 8/2/18.

The Belgian Croix de Guerre has been awarded to the undermentioned:-

#1726 Pte. W. Sutton. D.C.M.

The Corps, Division and Brigade Commander wish to convey their congratulations to the recipients.

Original in File No. M. 37.

C.R/1726

Extract from Orders by Lieut. Col. R.A. DARBORS, D.S.O., Commanding
2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regiment, dated 21/2/18.

HONOURS & AWARDS.

The Commanding Officer is pleased to announce that the 3rd. Corps Commander
has awarded the Belgian Croix de Guerre to -

1726 Pte. W. Sutton.

C.R. 1726

Extract of Honours and Awards Serial No. 21.

Supplement B. Supplement to London Gazette to be dated
6/2/18. No. 50512. from P.&.R.O. 12th February 1918.

#1726 Pte. W. Sutton.

Awarded D.C.M., for conspicuous gallantry and devotion
to duty. He collected a small party and organised an attack
on a blockhouse capturing a machine gun and 17 prisoners
He showed great courage and initiative.

C.R. 1726

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TO } Minister Militia

Cable no money
to my husband william
sutton

Amilia Sutton

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C.R. 1726

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W. P. R.

Signature of Sender _____

Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check
Dated <u>Feb. 11th, 1918.</u>					
To <u>Mrs. Wm. Sutton, Burgee.</u>					

No information 1726 Sutton returning shall we cable four pounds.

Militia

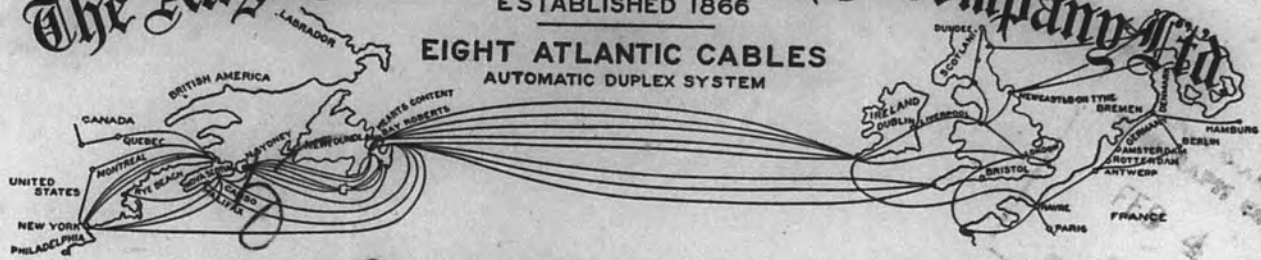
Charge to Dept of Militia.

C.R. 1726

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20/- Burges
No
Wd

TO { Minister Militia

Received cable from 1726 William
 Sutton asking cable four
 pounds do you know if
 he is returning on furlough
please Mrs Wm Sutton

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 147.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS,
and the following No. quoted :

N. F. P/38A.

DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 1486/59/C

C.R. 1726

From

PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

29th January, 1918.

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

HT/NW

SUBJECT: 1726, PTE. W. SUTTON, D.C.M.

REPLY

Dated March 5,

Reference Nos.

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

With reference to your letter 29/12/17 (976) forwarding an application for furlough on behalf of the above named man: as will have been observed by Casualty Reports, Sutton was discharged from hospital on 31/12/17, marked Duty I. During my recent visit to the Depot at Winchester he was offered for temporary employment in this office as he was found to be unfit for any hard duty with the 2nd Battn., and in view of the scarcity of men here he has been given light duty here, but I fear that his education is insufficient for the purpose and when he is better in health I propose to return him to the Depot. Meanwhile, however, under all the circumstances it is not practicable for him to be returned to Newfoundland.

Your reference to the matter of furlough for this soldier is noted.



Acting Minister of Militia

A. R. Munn Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

CR 1726

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, by Lieut.Col.C.W.
Whitaker, Commanding 2nd.Bn. Royal Newfoundland
Regiment, dated 22/1/18.

#1726 Pte. W. Sutton.

having reported to the Pay & Record Office for
duty is struck off the strength from 20/1/18.

555/45/c

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

Officer Commanding,
2/1 Newfoundland R.,
Ayr,
Scotland.

HT/NW

Pay & Record Office,

12th January, 8.

No. 1726, PTE. W. SUTTON

Following received from
the M. M. is quoted for your
attention, please:

"The wife of the above
mentioned soldier states
that she has received no
letters from him since July.

Please forward a re-
quest to the Officer Com-
manding his Battalion
advising Pte. Sutton of the
desirability of his
communicating with his wife"

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Officer Commanding,
2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,
Winchester.

The Paymaster,
Newfoundland Contingent,
London, S.W.

Jan. 16th, 1918.

This man states that he
writes to his wife once a
month, and promises to write
more often.

He also states that he
received a letter from his wife
about a week ago saying that
she received his letters.

(Sd.) C. Karn, Capt.,
for Lieut.-Col.,
Commanding 2nd Br. Newfoundland
Regt.

C.R. 1726

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated January 1, 1918.

#1726 Pte. W. Sutton. ✓

Discharged from 3rd London, General Hospital, Wandsworth,
Furlough from 31/12/17 to 9/1/18. Fit for i Duty.

December 29, 1917.

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria Street.

1726, Pte. W. Sutton.

A letter has been received from the parents of the above mentioned soldier requesting that furlough might be obtained. A letter has been sent to them stating that until he is discharged from hospital it will be impossible to consider the matter and it will then rest entirely on his medical recommendation that is whether he is to be repatriated or discharged and advised re return home in order that he might benefit by the sea trip. Will you please keep this man's case before you and on his discharge from hospital inform this department if it is likely that he will be returned to Newfoundland.



Minister of Militia.

WFR/JMP.

December 29, 1917.

Mrs Geo. Sutton,
BURGH.

Dear Mrs Sutton;

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 17, Dec., requesting that furlough might be obtained for No. 1726, Pte. W. Sutton, a letter will be forwarded to the Authorities in the United Kingdom, to see if it is possible to obtain furlough, but it must be understood that until he comes out of hospital it will be impossible to state whether furlough will be possible, on receipt of a reply you will be notified

Yours faithfully,



Major,

C.S.O. Dept. of Militia.

WFR/JMP.

Dec. 18, 1917.

Mrs Wm. Sutton,
BURGEO.

Dear Mrs. Sutton;

your letter of the 10, Dec., has been received and with reference to the matter of you not receiving letters from your husband I have the honour to state that a letter is being forwarded, requesting his Officer to speak about the matter. It is possible of course that he may have written and the letters have been lost in some of the ships which have been torpedoed, but if there is any other reason his Officer will I Hope set matters right.

I am,

Yours faithfully,


Major.

C.S.O. Dept. of Militia.

WFE/JMF.

Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records,
1st Newfoundland Regiment,
Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W. (1).

December 18, 7

Pte.Em.Sutton.

The wife of the above mentioned soldier states that she has received no letters from him since July.

Please forward a request to the Officer Commanding his Battalion advising Pte.Sutton of the desirability of his communicating with his wife.



Major,
C.S.C.Dept.of Militia.

C.R. 1726

Switzer
Dec 14/17

ANSWERED
DEC 28 1917

Dear Sir

I am writing to ask you if it is not right that my son should get leave to come home and see those two old people whom he left without a home to look after themselves and it is right that after him being there now quite a while that he should get a furlough to home and see what he can do towards their home to make them as comfortable as possible in their old days and as the old man is ill and would like to

See I'm very much his
grandfather is 90 and the old
lady 70 and he was looking
after them when he enlisted
as I got the two old people
and a large family of
my own to look after will
you kindly see what you
can do towards it - I would
like for him to do his duty
all my other sons are not old
enough to enlist -

I have another
old lady to look after 70
years of age whose husband
is dead and his wife stays
with us too

I Remain yours
very truly Mrs Geo Sutton
Buzaco. nfld.

Burgess

Dec. 17th
/14

Dear Sir

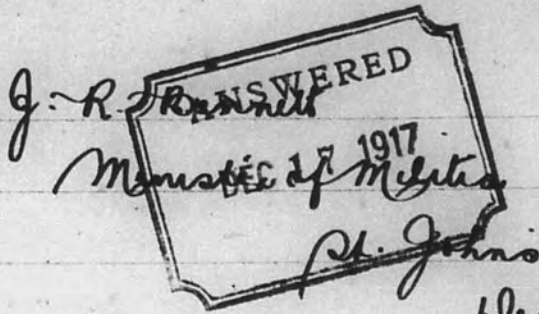
would you kindly forward
this message to Mrs. Son in
Woodworth Hospital. London. Pte
William Sutton. D.C.M. for to
try to get furlough home
as his grandfather is ill and
would like very much to see
him. Ask him would he try
to get furlough

Mrs Geo Sutton

C.R. 1726

Burgo

Dec. 10th 1917.



Dear Sir:-

Received your letter of Nov. 19th

informing me of the sword recently received by my husband.

I have received no letter from him since July. His mother is living here in Burgo, and she hears from him occasionally. But it is nearly six months since he has written me. Will you kindly look into the matter at your earliest convenience.

Thanking you in anticipation

Yours Gratefully

(Mrs) William Sutton

Burgo
Nfld.

Mrs. William Sutton

November 19, 1917.

Mrs. William Sutton,
Burgeon.

Dear Madam:-

Confirmation has been received by this department of the award for gallantry recently earned by your husband.

I am taking this opportunity of conveying to you my congratulations on the distinctions earned by your husband on the field of battle. It is due to the gallant and conspicuous conduct of such men, that the First Newfoundland Regiment has gained such fame as a fighting force.

I have the honour to be,

Madam,

Your obedient servant,

Minister of Militia.

WFR/KMD.

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Signature of Sender _____

Address _____

Line
Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

Dated

November 15, 1917.

*To*Mrs. William Sutton,
Burgeo.

Regret to inform you that Record Office
London, officially reports No. 1726, Private
William Sutton, D.C.M., has been admitted to
Wandsworth suffering from inflammation of skin
and connective tissue neck.
Upon receipt of further information I shall immedi-
ately wire you and trust that next report will be
of his convalescence.

~~JOHN R. BENNETT~~, R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

1726 Pte. William Sutton, D.C.M.

Extract of Casualty list received November 15, 1917.

Inflammation of Skin and Connective Tissue, Neck.

Admitted Wandsworth.

DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDALS.

2786 Pte. W. Sutton.

Date of Award.

Authority.

Daily Orders 1st Bn. 29/10/17.

Reference.

London Gazette.

C.R. 1726

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No.29: 51 Other Ranks from 2/1st
Newfoundland Regt., to 1/1st Newfoundland Regt., B.E.F. Embarked
Southampton 7/9/17.

1726 Pte.Sutton, W.

C.R. 1726

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated December, 14, 1916.

1726 Pte. W. Sutton.

Trench foot.

To England per HS "St. George" ex 5 General
Hospital, December 6, 1916.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender

Fred M. Shubey

Address

Line
Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

Dated

December 11, 1916.

To

Mrs. William Sutton,

Burgeo.

Regret to inform you that Record Office,

London, officially reports No. 1726, Private William Sutton, is at Wandsworth suffering from trench foot.

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. 1726

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
December 9th. 1916.

1726, Pte W. Sutton. ✓

At 3rd London General Hospital Wandsworth, 7/12/16.
Trench Foot.

(Sgd) Horace Fagan Capt. R.A.M.C.T.

C.R. 1726

Extract from Casualties.....List No. H.A. 4885.

1726 Pte. W. Sutton.

Trench Foot.. To Eng. per HS "St. George" ex 5 Gen. H. 6 Dec.

16.

C.R. 1126

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
December 4th. 1916.

1726, Pte W. Sutton. ✓

1 Newfoundland Trench Foot. Adm. 5
Gen. Hos. Rouen

25th. November 1916.

C.R. 1726

Extract of Casualties from list of sick and wounded N.C.Os and men of the Expeditionary Force - France, received from Pay and Record Office, London dated Dec. 4th 1916. List No. H.A. 4587.

1726 Pte W. Sutton

Trehen Foot..... ~~Adm. 5~~ Gen. H. Rouen 25th Nov'16.

C.R. 1726

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated October 15, 1916.

#1726 Pte. W. Sutton.

Discharged to Base Depot Rouen, Class "A" ex Con.Dep.

5th October 1916.



CR 1726

SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O's AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE

<u>HAMILTON RECORD OFFICE</u>				<u>LIST No. H.A. 2521</u>
2419	Pte. Thorn, T.	1st R.Scots Fus.	N.Y.D. Slt.	Adm. 1 Sty H. Rouen 15th Sept '16
16532	" Riding, W.	1st Scottish Rfls	V.D.G.	Dis.to Conv.Dep.Rouen ex 1 Sty H. 15th Sept '16
5206	Sgt. Stevenson, J.	18th H.L.I. att 3rd Ech. GHQ	V.D.S.	do.
35573	Pte. Dunn, W.	3rd R.Scots	GSW. Chest	Adm. 3 Sty H. Rouen 15th Sept '16
18015	Sgt. Rawlinson, H.	2nd K.O.S.B.	GSW. Head	do.
35573	Pte. Dunn, W.	160 MGC (3rd R. Scots)	GSW. Chest R.	To Eng: ex 3 Sty H. 15th Sept '16
29347	" Gregory, W.	14th H.L.I.	Adenitis Neck ? T.B.	To Eng: per H.S. Newhaven ex 32 Sty H. 15th Sept '16
13967	" Standen, H.	2nd Scott.Rfls	Bomb L.Leg Acc.	Adm. 32 Sty H. Wimereux 15th Sept '16
<u>TERRITORIAL FORCE HAMILTON RECORD OFFICE</u>				<u>LIST No. H.A. 2521</u>
1716	Pte. Goodall, J	5/6th Ryl.Scots	V.D.G.	Adm. 1 Sty H. Rouen ex 1 Conv. Dep. Bdulogne 15th Sept '16
<u>TERRITORIAL FORCE PERTH RECORD OFFICE</u>				<u>LIST No. H.A. 2521</u>
2044	Pte. Gilchrist, I.	9th A & S Hrs.	Balanitis N.V.	Dis.to 5 Inf.Base Dep. Rouen ex 1 Sty H. 15th Sept '16
1608	" Falconer, G.	1/6th Seaforths	Pyrexia	Adm. 32 Sty H. Wimereux 15th Sept '16
<u>CAVALRY RECORD OFFICE CANTERBURY</u>				<u>LIST No. H.A. 2521</u>
1650	L.C. Buckley, C.	2nd Kg.Edwards Horse	V.D.S.	Dis.to 5 Gen.Base Rouen ex 1 Sty H. 15th Sept '16
5697	Pte. Hills, E.	17th Lancers	do.	Dis.to Conv.Dep.Rouen ex 1 Sty H. 15th Sept '16
1396	" Morgan, J.	Kg.Edwards Horse	do.	do.
6341	L.C. Greenshields, J.	2nd Dragoon Gds	do.	do.
21453	Pte. Mellow, J.	7th Dragoon Gds	Diarrhoea	Adm. 3 Sty H. Rouen 15th Sept '16
3815	L.C. Bakker, C.	6th Dragoon Gds	Debility	do.
<u>NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT</u>				<u>LIST No. H.A. 2521</u>
1726	Pte. Sutton, W.	1st N'fld Rgt	V.D.S.	Dis.to Con.Dep. Rouen ex 1 Sty H. 15th Sept '16

CR. 1724

Extract from War Office List No.H.A.2119

1726 Pte. Sutton,W.

L/Nfld. R. VDS..Adm. 1 Sty.H. Rouen ex 39 Gen.H. 29th Aug.16.

CR

1726

Extract from War List. # H. A. 2053.
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#1726 Pte. W. Sutton.

V.D.S.

TRANSFERRED TO L STATIONERY HOSPITAL ROUEN EX 39 General.

HOSPITAL 28th August 1916.

C.R. 1726

Extract of Casualties received from London, dated
July 27, 1916.

#1726 Pte. W. Sutton. ✓

N.Y.D.V., Admitted 12th General Hospital, Rouen,
18th July 1916.

C.R. 1726

Extract of Casualties received from London, dated
July 27, 1916.

#1726 Pte. W. Sutton. ✓

N.Y.D.Slight.

Admitted 39th Gen.H. Havre, ex another Hospital,
19th July 1916. ^

C.R. 1726

Copy of telegram received from London, dated
February 25, 1916.

#1726 Pte. Sutton.

Awarded Croix de Guerre.

C.R. 1726

Extract from Nominal Roll Detained St. John's for Overseas,
27/10/15.

1726 Pte. W. Sutton.

Wm. Sutton

CR 1726
was attested for General Service

with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on .July. 24th. 1915..

Regimental No. 1726 was allotted to Pte Wm. Sutton

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

A. 1726.

St John's, Nfld.,

July 23rd, 1918

Officer Commanding,
Headquarters,
City

Dear Sir/-

The undermentioned discharges have been
completed.

Kindly note and post in D.O. Pt. II.

2626 I/C. F. Rees	July 16th	Med. Unfit
1726 Sgt. Wm. Sutton	July 22nd	"

Yours faithfully,

(sgnd) J.M. HOWLEY

Capt & Paymaster

Reg. No. 1726 Rank *Sgt.* Name *Suttons W.*

Attested _____ Address *Burgess (2 fields St)*

Allotment _____ Allotee _____

Date of Allotment _____ Returned from Overseas *19.4.18*

Embarked for Overseas _____ Cause _____

H.L. 2 months 22.4.18
5-7-18 Rec Admission to Naval & military
Convalescent Hospital.
12-7-18 admitted to Naval & military hos, Hos
13-7-18 Letter from D.M.S. advises dis, per unft
Discharged 16-7-18 Hos 136.

DISCHARGED—MEDICALLY UNFIT



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
AND QUOTE NO.

1726

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

July 11th., 1918

From:- D. M. S.

To:- O. C. Depot.

1726, Sergt. Wm. Sutton

The marginally noted man entered the Naval
& Military Convalescent Hospital July 8th., 1918.

CLUNY MACPHERSON,

Major, D. M. S.

Per *A W B.*

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.



Kb

Army Form B. 268.



Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. <u>1726</u>	Army Rank <u>Private Sgt.</u>
Name <u>Sutton Williams</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
Corps <u>Royal 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 <u>July 23rd 1918</u>	
Place of discharge <u>St. John's, Nfld.</u>	
1. Description at the time of discharge.	
Age <u>24</u> years <u>2</u> months Height <u>5</u> feet <u>8</u> inches Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded <u>35 1/2</u> ins. range of expansion <u>3 1/2</u> ins. Complexion <u>Fresh</u> Eyes <u>Blue</u> Hair <u>Brown</u> Trade <u>Sailor</u>	Descriptive marks. <u>Vaccination Scar Left Arm.</u>
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable) <u>Burgeo Newfoundland</u>	
<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>	
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>being no longer physically fit for war service</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:—	
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg); font-size: small; margin-right: 5px;">To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.</div> <div style="flex-grow: 1;"> <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> </div> </div>	

Army Form B. 2088 has been issued*

* Strike out if not applicable.

5. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badg's (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 _____ Battn. _____ 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 _____ Sgt W Suttan (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) July 2nd _____ Mollard (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 Reservation

Sgt W Sutton (D & M)

Wit. Holland

Promoted A/Sgt. 25/3/18

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regtl No. 1726 Rank A/Sgt Name W. Sutton Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Repatriated
to Newfoundland on 26/3/18 Authority A. F. B. 179 Cause Class A

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.

CR.

PERIOD: From 16/3/18 To 26/3/18	PARTICULARS				PARTICULARS					
	£	s	d		£	s	d			
					Balance Cr. from 15/3/18			16	5	
					Pay 9 days @ \$1.00	9	00			
					Field Allce 9 days @ \$.10		90			
					Other Allces days @ \$					
					Subsistence Allce. 25/3/18-26/3/18					
					5 days @ \$1.00	5	00			
					Other Credits:					
					Pay & ^{Sub} Allowance as A/Sgt. period					
					25/3/18-26/3/18= 2 days @ 1.50		3	00		
						17	90	3	13	7
					Total Credits			4	10	0
					Balance due to Paymaster			38	16	10
								88	6	10
					Total Debits					
					Balance due by Paymaster					

CHECKED

W.F.M.
25/3/18

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of _____

(Place)

(Date)

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G.C. " " Company.

Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London to 25/3/18 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,

25 MAR 1918 191

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE. A.
1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

1. Name of Soldier in Full (Surname first) *Sutton William*
2. Rank and Regimental Number *Serjt. 1726*
3. Date of Enlistment *July 23rd 1915.*
4. Full Name of Wife *Amelia Sutton (nee Taylor)* OR
- Widowed Mother OR
- Children's Guardian
5. Address *Bushey*
6. State ages of Children: Girls under 17 Boys under 16
7. With whom do your Children reside?
8. Amount of Allotment *60ct per day* 9. Name of Allottee *Sutton* *Amelia*
10. Address *Bushey*

Approved June 2/1918

11. From what date is Allotment effective? *First week 10th of July 1916, but also from May 1/18*
12. Date of Marriage *June 9th 1913.*
13. Date Marriage Certificate examined by Paymaster
14. Date Birth Certificates (in case of guardian) examined by Paymaster.....
15. If soldier is sole support, does Statutory Declaration accompany this application?.....
16. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance? Give particulars.....
-
17. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to any person? *No.*
18. Were you at the time of enlistment an employee of the Newfoundland Government? In what capacity, and in what place? *Merchant service Bonne Bay.*
19. Will you be in receipt of a salary as such, while serving? If so paid, how much per month? *No.*
20. Name of Corps prior to enlistment in the Nfld. Regt. *None.*

I hereby certify that the above is a true statement.

W. Sutton, Sgt.
 Name of Soldier.

Signature of Officer forwarding this application.

Unit.....

Date *May 3rd 1918.*

BB/EB

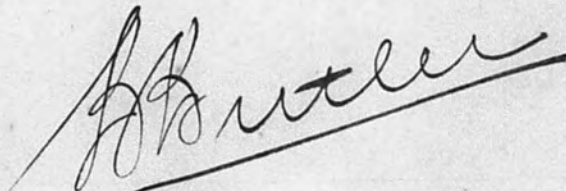
October 29, 1919.

Major Howley,
O. I. C. Pay and Records.

From:- V. O.

W. Sutton, 1726.

The above named man has completed his course with
the Civil Re-establishment Committee.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Howley', is written over a horizontal line.

Major
For V. O.

To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only.
 Army Form B. 178^a to be used for Special Reserve recruits
 and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Sutton Christian Name William

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish _____ County Afld
 Examined ... { on 23rd day of July 1915.
 at St Johns Afld
 Declared Age ... 29 years ... days.
 Trade or Occupation ... Sailor
 Height ... 5 feet, 6 inches.
 Weight ... 130 lbs.
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. 35 1/2 inches.
 Range of Expansion 3 1/2 inches.

Physical Development ...
 Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right _____ Left _____
 Number _____

When Vaccinated ... 1900
 Vision ... { R.E.—V—4/6
 L.E.—V—4/6

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ...
 (b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ...

Approved by (Signature) (Capt) Lamont Paterson
 (Rank) Capt Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at St Johns
 on 23rd day of July 1915.

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>1st Newfoundland Regt</u>	<u>1726</u>

Became non-effective by _____
 on _____ day of _____ 1915.
 (Signature) _____
 (Rank) _____

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days in Hospital	Remarks
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
3rd Scot. Gen. Hosp.	6	2	16	20	2	16	Bronchitis Acute	15	
	13	3	16	5	5	16	Acute Rheumatism	54	
3rd London Gen. Hosp. Wandsworth	7	12	16	10	1	17	Trench Feet	34	
4th Scot. Gen. Spl St. Hill Glasgow	25	6	17	22	7	17	Syphilis (42)	28	
3rd Scottish General	22	7	17	25	8	17	Syphilis (42) Gonorrhoea (20)	34	
3rd Lond. Gen. Hospital Wandsworth SW	12	11	17	25 31	12	17	V.D.H. (Atrial Systolic)	49	
3rd London General Hospital Wandsworth SW	11	3	18				I.A.H. Bronchitis		

List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

cases bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of future 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

<p>Reported sick in France 22/1/16 - On adm feet & legs no longer affected. Furlough. Transferred to 3rd Sec. Gen Sp</p>	<p>(Sgd) John Grace Capt (Sgd) R. Barclayless Capt R.A.M.C. (Sgd) E.H. Bingley Capt R.A.M.C. (Sgd) D. Watson Capt.</p>
<p>Kharsivon 2.8 gms Hg. 8 gr. treatment completed</p>	<p>(Sgd) J. Hutchison M.D. D.P.H.</p>
<p>Reported sick in France 1-11-17. Some bronchitis tonsillitis</p>	<p>(Sgd) G. Hall Capt D.M.S.</p>
<p>Board held - see overleaf. Disability - D.M.S. Bronchitis, General weakness Cause - Exposure & strain of active service Capacity - for earning a livelihood lessened by 60%</p>	<p>(Sgd) E.H. Bingley Capt R.A.M.C. Gen Sp 3rd Lon Gen Sp Wandsworth SW</p>

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. 1726. Rank Private
Name (surname first) Sutton William
Regiment Royal Newfoundland

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

Sailor



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?

Merchant Service 7 years
Capt R Rose
Burges. Rfld as mate

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

Sailor
Merchant Service

4. What is the name of your Approved Society?

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

Infantry

Date 14-3-18 Signature Sgt Sutton W

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 or reclassification in a category from which men are being transferred to Class P. or P.(T) of the Reserve 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. 3 (ii), item 3, of Army Council Instruction No. 1912, 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.

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 i/c Records 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.1.
Changes occurring in the description subsequent to the date of admission to pension should be noted in red ink.

A Name in full Sutton William
Regiment from which discharged 1st Royal Newfoundland
Regimental Number 1726
Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when Bungeo Pfld 9/5/94
Intended address Bungeo Pfld.

Height on discharge 5 Feet 8 Inches
Colour of Hair on discharge Brown Colour of Eyes Blue
Descriptive marks 1 Vaccination L Arm Complexion Fresh.
Figure on discharge Medium

Christian name of Father George
Christian name of Mother Mary
Wife's Maiden name in full Amelia Taylor
Date and Place of Marriage Bungeo Pfld 1913
Christian names of Children



Nature and locality of civil employment desired Sailor when fit

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) Capt William Sutton (Rank) Capt
Station Wandsworth Date 16-3-18

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 3rd London General Hospital Capt F Bell CS Medical Officer i/c
Station Wandsworth SW Date 16-3-18 Hospital.

B Period of Service and in what Corps ...	Regiment	Years	Days	All Service Abroad with Stations	Years	Days
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.

COPY.

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station 2nd London General Hospital Wandsworth SW

Date 18-3-18

- 1. Unit 1st Royal Newfoundland
- 2. Regimental No. 1726
- 3. Rank Pte
- 4. Name Sutton, W. (D. Sgt. Belgian Civil)
- 5. Age last birthday 23
- 6. Enlisted on 23 July 1915 at St. Johns Rfld.
- 7. Former Trade or Occupation } Sailor (Merchant Service)
- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—
 - (a) Former Unit;
 - (b) Regimental No.;
 - (c) Date of Discharge;
 - (d) Cause of Discharge.

Nil

8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).

~~H. D. H.~~ D. A. H. (new)
Bronchitis



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. Unknown (Feb 1915?)
- 10. Place of origin of disability. Unknown (Scotland?)
- 11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

Rheumatic Fever. Pleurisy, as a child. Had been doing a mans work at sea, since the age of 12 yrs & not a days illness until Feb 1916. & while in the army in Scotland. Sent to Hospital & rheumatism from Feb 1915 until May 1916. Later served six mos in France then invalided to Eng & trench feet 1916. Returned to France Aug 1917 Invalided to Eng. again in Nov 12-1917 & D. A. H. & Bronchitis.
- 12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—
 - (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).

Active Service
 - (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
 - (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.

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.

General condition fair. Patient complains of general weakness attacks of giddiness Heart A. B. 1/2 in within nipple line. Rt border normal.

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

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

Pulse, full & equal
Apex not displaced. Good first sound
Definite systolic limit (relative incompetence)

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?

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. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

20. Do you recommend—

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

Yes.

(Sgd) J. H. Bell CS

Officer in medical charge of case.

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

~~except~~ 3rd London Gen. Hpt
Station Wandsworth SW

(Sgd) H. Bruce Porter
Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date 20-3-18

Col Sims
Comdg 3rd Lon. Gen. Hpt.

*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 Minister of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him 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, (A) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (B) due to causes not connected with present war, viz. (1) earlier active service, (2) climatic disease in pre-war service, (3) ordinary military service before the war. It is, therefore, essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.*

(iv.) In answering question 21 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.

1. (a.) State whether the disability is clearly attributable to—

- (i.) Service during the present war ;
- (ii.) Climate ;
- (iii.) Ordinary military service ;
- (iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c. ; or
- (v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary.

Yes
✓
No
No

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

Exposure & strain of active service

22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so, which?

✓

23. Is the disability permanent?

No

24. If not permanent, how soon do the Board recommend re-examination?

Twelve months

25. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed for pension purposes at present?

60

Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:— 100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.

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

✓

27. Do the Board recommend—

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

Yes return to Newfoundland

28. If discharge is recommended it should be stated whether further medical treatment (including orthopaedic training) is desirable in a—

- (a) Sanatorium ;
- (b) Hospital ;
- (c) Convalescent home ;
- (d) Asylum ; or
- (e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended.

29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 114 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended?

No

30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person?

No

Station Wandsworth SW Date 20/3/18
 Signatures: General H.L. (Sgd) W.E. Wynter Major President.
J. (Sgd) John Hamocide C.S. Members.

Station Wandsworth SW Date 20/3/18
 Approved: (Sgd) W.E. Wynter Major R.A.M.C.
 Administrative Medical Officer.

COPY
COPY.

Army Form I. 1238.

SYPHILIS CASE-SHEET.

Regtl. No. *1726* Rank and Name *Pte Sutton Wm* Corps *41 Pfld*
Placed on Syphilis Register at *H/S G Glasgow* on *25-6-17* No. in Register
Disease contracted at *Glasgow* Primary sore appeared on (date) *22-5-17*

CONDITION WHEN PLACED ON REGISTER.

Primary sore—character and site *Sore appeared under foreskin 22-5-17*
Lymphatic glands *Glands Indurated.*
Skin (nature and distribution of rash)

Mucous membranes

Other symptoms

Examination of exudate from sore—Spirochaeta Pallida (present or absent)

Examination of blood serum— (Method employed (original or modification) *0*
Wassermann reaction (Result (positive or negative) *+ 26-6-17*)

Station *H/S G Glasgow* Date *24-8-17* Signature of M.O. *Wgd J Hutchison Tyle C.M.P.*

Struck off Syphilis Register at _____ on _____

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

Station _____ Date _____ Signature of M.O. _____



Report of Medical Board.

Station **St. John's, Nfld.** Date **April 23rd., 1918**
 No. and Rank **1726 - Private** Age **23** Height **5'8"**
 Name **Sutton, William** Complexion **Fresh**
 Unit **Royal Nfld.** *D.C.M.; Belgium* *Croix de Guerre* Eyes **Blue** Hair **Brown**
 Address **Burgeo**
 Former Trade **Sailor (Merchant Service)**
 Enlisted at **St. John's** On **23/7/15** (The Board will please note how the soldier's appearance corresponds with above description.)
 Disease or Disability: Original **BRONCHITIS. DISORDERED ACTION HEART**

Subsequent

Present Condition (Compare with previous Board)

*Heart action regular pulse 80
 Systolic murmur at apex
 No physical signs in lung*

Has he been employed, and by whom?

Average Weekly Earnings

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

Recommendation of Medical Board

Requires 2 months rest

Members of Board

*W. H. ...
 J. ...
 L. D. ...*

Approving Medical Officer

*Chas Macpherson
 Major*



Forms
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MEMORANDUM.

From O.C. Depot

From

To Paymaster

To

ANSWER.

St. John's Nfld

April 3rd 191 8.

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Attached is letter from Mrs. Wm. Sutton of Burgeo in which she asks for information regarding travelling to England.

Geo. L. Hart

MAJOR & O.C. DEPOT

Burgeo
March 20/18

Captain. J. O'Grady, Royal Newfoundland Regt. St John's:

Dear Sir:-

My husband has written asking me to go over to England and live with him, having heard various reports about permission to travel, I am sending to you to know if it is permissible to travel to England and what the cost of such a journey would be? If kindly let me know and any other information that you think helpful, especially concerning passports.

I remain

Yours Respectfully.

Mrs. William Sutton.

P.S. The My husband's address Pte. W. Sutton D.C.M. attached Pay & Record Office, London.

ORIGINAL.

No. 7514

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

~~1000~~

To: The Hon. The Min. of Militia.
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

No. 317.

" " Company.

MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of War Service Gratuity. & Clothing Allowance.

NOTE: - Charge under _____ Column.
Credit Pay & Record Office, London.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars & Authority	Pounds				
			£	s	d	p	
1726	Ex/Pte Sutton W.	One months War Service Gratuity. paid .					
		<i>Payments</i> { 20.12.18 £4:0:0: paid 8.4.19 £11:8:2:	75	00	15	8	2
		Diff. in Allow for civilian clothes	35	00	7	3	10
			22	12	0		

CHECKED.
[Signature]
13-5-19.

OK

(22-12-0)

Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

A. D. [Signature]
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

May 13th 1919.

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made
in the Pay Book " " Co'y for Period / / to / /

Dated at _____

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O.C. " " Company,
Battalion.

7514.

DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. 317.

To:

The Hon. The Min. of Militia.
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

" " Company.

MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of
War Service Gratuity.
& Clothing Allowance.

NOTE: - Charge under

Column.

Credit Pay & Record Office, London.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars & Authority	MONTH			
			P	S	T	D
1726	Ex/Pte Sutton W.	One months War Ser- vice Gratuity paid 20.12.18 £4:0:0: paid 8.4.19 £11:8:2:	75	00	15	8 2
		Diff. in Allow for civilian clothes	35	00	7	3 10
					22	12 0

CHECKED.

E.A.
13-5-19.Pay & Record Office,
58 Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

May 13th

191 9. Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

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Dated at _____

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O.C. " " Company,
_____ Battalion.

ORIGINAL

10007 NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

W. D. P. / 1919
No. **453**

To: **Minister of Militia.**
St John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND

" " Company.

MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/~~CREDITS~~ on account of

Paymaster's Advances

NOTE: - Charge under **War Service Gratuity** Column
Credit **Pay & Record Office London**

Regtl. No.	Rank & Name	Particulars & Authority	AMOUNT					
			£	s	d			
Ex 1726	Sergt W Sutton	Advances whilst at London on A/C War Service Gratuity.		5	0	0		
	<i>OK W</i>							
				5	0	0		

CHECKED.
WS
28. 7. 19

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

1919 *J. F. Marshall*
Chief Staff Officer (London).

July 28th

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/~~Credits~~ have been made
in the Pay Book " " Co'y for Period / / to / /

Dated at _____

1919

C C , " " Company,
Battalion.

Complete and return ORIGINAL, retain DUPLICATE.

DUPLICATE.

No. NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT N.F.P./54.

To: **Minister of Militia.**
St John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND

No. **453**

" " Company.

MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/~~*****~~CREDITS on account of
Paymaster's Advances

NOTE:-- Charge under **War Service Gratuity** Column
Credit **Pay & Record Office London**

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars & Authority	AMOUNT						
			£	s	d				
Ex 1726	Sergt W Sutton	Advances whilst at London on A/C War Service Gratuity.			5	0	0		
					5	0	0		

CHECKED.
W.S.
28.7.19

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

July 28th

1919 *F.H. Marshall*
Chief Staff Officer (London).

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/~~*****~~Credits have been made
in the Pay Book " " Co'y for Period / / to / /

Dated at _____

1919

C C , " " Company,
Battalion.

Complete and return ORIGINAL, retain DUPLICATE.

Promoted A/Sgt. 25/3/18

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

DUPLICATE MAIL COPY
 N.I.P. 94
 Posted 12 APR 1918

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regtl No. 1726 Rank A/Sgt Name W. Sutton Unit Royal Wfld. Regt. who was Repatriated
 to Newfoundland on 26/5/18 Authority A. F. B. 179 Cause Class A

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.

CR.

PERIOD: FROM 16/5/18 TO 26/3/18

PARTICULARS				£	s	d	PARTICULARS				£	s	d			
Balance Dr. from							Balance Cr. from									
Allotment 11 days @ 40¢				4	40		15/3/18									
Cash Payments: P. & R. O.						3	19	0	Pay 9 days @ \$ 1.00				9	00		
Cables to Newfoundland								6	3	Field Allowance 9 days @ \$.10					90	
Hospital Advances						1	5	6	Other Allowances days @ \$							
Cash Payment P.F.R.O. 25/3/18						2	0	0	Subsistence Allowance 25/3/18-26/3/18 5 days @ \$1.00				5	00		
Other Debits:									Other Credits:							
									Pay & Allowance as A/Sgt. period 25/3/18-26/3/18 = 2 days @ 1.50				3	00		
Total Debits						8	6	10	Total Credits.				17	90		
Balance due by Paymaster						8	6	10	Balance due to Paymaster				3	10	0	
						8	6	10					8	6	10	

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of

W.A.M.
25/3/18 (Place) 191 (Date)

Q.C. " " Company.
London to 25/3/18

Made up & checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,

25 MAR 1918 191

A. H. Newman
 Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

COPY

1726

July 11th., 1918

From:- D. M. S.

To:- O. C. Depot.

1726. Bergt. Wm. Sutton

The marginally noted man entered the Naval
& Military Convalescent Hospital July 8th., 1918.

CLUNY MACPHERSON,

Major, D. M. S.

Per *AWB*

THIRD BOARD

Form Z179 N.M.D.

Report of Medical Board.

Station	St. John's, Nfld.	Date	July 19th., 1918		
No. and Rank	1726 - Sgt.	Age	23	Height	5'8"
Name	SUTTON WILLIAM	Complexion	Fresh		
Unit	Royal Nfld.	Eyes	Blue	Hair	Brown
Address	Burgeo				
Former Trade	Sailor (Merchant Marine)				
Enlisted at	St. John's On 23/7/15	(The Board will please note how the soldier's appearance corresponds with above description.)			
Disease or Disability	Original	BRONCHITIS.	DISORDERED ACTION HEART		

Subsequent

Present Condition (Compare with previous Board)

PULSE 90. HEART'S ACTION REGULAR BUT SHOWS POOR RESPONSE TO WORK

THE ENTIRE DISABILITY : To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a livelihood in the general labour market ?

60%

PENSIONABLE DISABILITY : To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened by that proportion of his disability due to or incurred during service ?

60% 6 months

Recommendation of Medical Board:

DISCHARGE FROM N. & M. CON. HOSPITAL

DISCHARGE PERMANENTLY UNFIT

Members of Board

(SGD) N. S. FRASER

(SGD) CLUNY MACPHERSON, Major

J. S. TAIT

JOHN G. DUNCAN

Approving Medical Officer.

CERTIFIED CORRECT COPY

CLUNY MACPHERSON, Major

Per *A. W. B.*



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... *William* 2. Surname... *Sutton*... *S. C. M.*

3. Rank... *Sergeant* 4. Regtl. No... *1726*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded... *Burgo* -

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment... *July 23rd 1915*

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

..... *Mrs. William Sutton*

8. Relationship of such dependents... *Husband*

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

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

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld, if so, give dates and particulars of such service.... *not applicable*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas... *Two years and Three hundred and sixty four days* 12.

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

..... *not applicable*

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. *£ 18. 10 - 6*

..... *Pay & Record Office London*

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. *not*

..... *Applicable*

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? *not applicable*

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? *no* If not give:- (a) date of discharge *July 22nd 1918* (b) Reason for discharge *unfit*

..... *for further service*

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.

..... *Flanders Belgium Somme*

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Warl. Re-Establishment Com. (b) If so are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee. *(a) no - (b) Yes*

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: *William L. M. Burgeo*

Place of Residence: *Burgo*

Declared before me at: *St John's*

This *20th* day of *May* 19*49*....

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				Net amount due
Date paid	Paid Soldier.	Paid Dependent.	War Service Gratuity.	
.....	<i>6 mes</i>	<i>600 00</i>
.....
.....
Certified correct.			Paymaster	<i>[Signature]</i>

3 SA *Chy*
Swain J. Steward

FORM K



No. 137

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Williams Sutton, Regl. No. 1726

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form, to make an Allotment of Dollars and Forty Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and}/_{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and}/_{or} Persons concerned, viz:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person).
<u>1457</u>	<u>Wife</u>	<u>Amelia Sutton</u>	<u>Burgos. La Pote District N.F.L.</u>	<u>40 cents.</u>
<u>Commencing 1/7/16 in line Form K. 1730</u>				
Total Allotment, \$				

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) Sydney Johnson Lt
 Officer Commanding
4 Company
La Crosse Ave.
13 June 1916

(Sig.) W Sutton
 (Rank) Pt.

Aug 17. 1916

The Paymaster
First Newfoundland Regiment

Dear Sir:

At the request of Mrs Wm
Sutton, wife of Private Wm Sutton
No 1726, I am writing to ask
you to kindly explain why
her cheque drawn on Aug 1
was for \$12.40 only whereas
all previous cheques have
been drawn for \$20.00 or
upwards.

I am

Yours Truly

Edgar H. Fletcher

24th August

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Rev. E.H. Fletcher,
Burgeo. Nfld.

Dear Sir,-

Referring to your letter of August 17th. I beg
to state that Pte. William Sutton reduced his allotment to 40¢
per day from July 1st 1916.

Yours very truly,



Deputy Paymaster.

J.M.H/B.M.W.



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, William Swain, Regl. No. 1726
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and Sixty Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and}/_{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and}/_{or} Persons
 concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<u>1897</u>	<u>Wife</u>	<u>Elizabeth Swain</u>	<u>St. John's</u>	<u>10/6</u>
<u>Cancelled</u>				
<u>now made to</u>				
Total Allotment, \$				

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, counter-signed by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.)

Officer Commanding
 Company

(Sig.) William Swain

(Rank) Private

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant *Sutton, Mrs Wm (Wife)*
On account of *Wm Sutton USM* No. *1726* Rank *Sgt*

Decision *Approved*

A. E. Stukeman in for
W. F. Russell Lieut Col
M. H. Cowley Maj

Date *Sep 13/1919*

Instructions

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

Mr. Howley.

Dear Sir

With reference to my claim for separation allowance I beg to state that if I had known that separation allowance was payable I would have increased my allotment to the required amount on my return to Newfoundland and I did this at the first opportunity and I would request that matter of granting the allowance for the full period of my service be favourably considered.

I remain yours

Faithfull

1726 bc Sergt W Sutton

Cables and Telegrams:
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone:
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

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

ENCLOSURE

N. F. P/38.

ORIGINAL

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 5884/229/P.&A

From PAY AND RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W.1. 9th April 1919.	To The Hon. The Minister of Militia, St. John's, NEWFOUNDLAND.
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FM/FK.

SUBJECT:

EX NO. 1726 SGT. W. SUTTON, D.C.M.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

The above named ex soldier called at this office to-day with regard to his War Service Gratuity. The usual form of declaration has been completed and the first payment issued this date at the rate of \$75.00 per month, the balance of \$25.00 being payable to his wife, Mrs. Amelia Sutton, Burgeo LaPoile District, N.F. for a period of 153 days (5 months).

Sutton has asked that the question of Separation Allowance in favour of his wife may be reviewed with you, and the following details in connection with this matter are submitted.

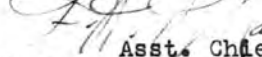
On his enlistment he made an allotment of 70 cents per day in favour of his wife which he reduced to 40 cents per day from 1/7/16. This allotment remained in force until his return to Newfoundland when it is understood he applied to you for Separation Allowance. He was then informed that his claim could not be admitted unless he made the customary allotment of 50 per cent of his pay. This he apparently agreed to, as he states the Allowance was granted from the date his allotment was increased.

Previous to his repatriation, Sutton was not aware that it was necessary for him to allot 50 per cent of his pay in order that his wife should receive benefit of Separation Allowance, and judging by the fact that the question of increase of his allotment did not arise until his return to Newfoundland no claim had been made previously by his wife or by him.

Whilst the practice of paying Separation Allowance from the date that Sutton made the required allotment of 50 per cent of his pay in favour of his wife is strictly in accordance with the Regulations, it is understood that as far as the Canadian procedure is concerned where a soldier had omitted to claim Separation Allowance in favour of his wife (as distinct from other dependents) although he may not have made the required allotment at the date of his enlistment or marriage, provided that he had agreed to the allotment of 50 per cent of his pay when claiming, the allowance would be issuable from the date of marriage or enlistment. If this will apply in Sutton's case, his wife will be entitled to receive Separation Allowance from 1/9/17, the date the Newfoundland Act came into force. This method has been adopted by this office in dealing with claims that are payable in this country.

Sutton's case is therefore submitted to you for further consideration. Meanwhile it is understood there is no question that retroactive Separation Allowance will be payable to Mrs. Sutton from the date of enlistment to 30/6/16, the date Sutton's allotment was reduced to 40 cents per day.

Copy of Claim for War Service Gratuity is enclosed for information. Sutton is endeavouring to get on a ship proceeding to Newfoundland, and he has been instructed to notify his address on arrival.


Asst. Chief Paymaster.
For Chief Paymaster & O.I/c.Recds.

Cables and Telegrams :
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone :
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

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

ENCLOSURE

N. F. P/38A,
DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 5884/229/P.G.A

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

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

9th April 1919

PM/PK.

SUBJECT :

EX NO. 1726 SGT. W. SUTTON, D.C.M.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated 1919

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

The above named ex soldier called at this office to-day with regard to his War Service Gratuity. The usual form of declaration has been completed and the first payment issued this date at the rate of \$75.00 per month, the balance of \$25.00 being payable to his wife, Mrs. Amelia Sutton, Burgeo LaPoile District, N.F. for a period of 153 days (5 months).

Sutton has asked that the question of Separation Allowance in favour of his wife may be reviewed with you, and the following details in connection with this matter are submitted.

On his enlistment he made an allotment of 70 cents per day in favour of his wife which he reduced to 40 cents per day from 1/7/16. This allotment remained in force until his return to Newfoundland when it is understood he applied to you for Separation Allowance. He was then informed that his claim could not be admitted unless he made the customary allotment of 50 per cent of his pay. This he apparently agreed to, as he states the Allowance was granted from the date his allotment was increased.

Previous to his repatriation, Sutton was not aware that it was necessary for him to allot 50 per cent of his pay in order that his wife should receive benefit of Separation Allowance, and judging by the fact that the question of increase of his allotment did not arise until his return to Newfoundland no claim had been made previously by his wife or by

Whilst the practice of paying Separation Allowance from the date that Sutton made the required allotment of 50 per cent of his pay in favour of his wife is strictly in accordance with the Regulations, it is understood that as far as the Canadian procedure is concerned where a soldier had omitted to claim Separation Allowance in favour of his wife (as distinct from other dependents) although he may not have made the required allotment at the date of his enlistment or marriage, provided that he had agreed to the allotment of 50 per cent of his pay when claiming, the allowance would be issuable from the date of marriage or enlistment. If this will apply in Sutton's case, his wife will be entitled to receive Separation Allowance from 1/9/17, the date the Newfoundland Act came into force. This method has been adopted by this office in dealing with claims that are payable in this country.

Sutton's case is therefore submitted to you for further consideration. Meanwhile it is understood there is no question that retroactive Separation Allowance will be payable to Mrs. Sutton from the date of enlistment to 30/6/16, the date Sutton's allotment was reduced to 40 cents per day.

Copy of Claim for War Service Gratuity is enclosed for information. Sutton is endeavouring to get on a ship proceeding to Newfoundland, and he has been instructed to notify his address on arrival.


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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CLAIM FOR WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

A complete reply must be given to every question. If any questions are not applicable the words "Not applicable" should be written opposite the question. There must be no blanks or dashes.

<p>1. REGIMENTAL PARTICULARS;</p> <p>(a) Rank on Discharge or Retirement.</p> <p>(b) Christian Names</p> <p>(c) Surname</p> <p>(d) Date of Discharge or Retirement</p>	<p>Regtl No. <u>1726</u> Date of Enlistment <u>24/7/15</u></p> <p>Unit <u>Royal Newfoundland Regiment,</u> <u>Sergeant.</u></p> <p><u>William</u></p> <p><u>Sutton</u></p> <p><u>22/7/18</u> Cause: <u>Physically Unfit</u></p>
<p>2. Address in full to which future payments of Gratuity are to be forwarded</p>	<p><u>Not known</u></p>
<p>3. Name of Dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance was being issued immediately prior to Discharge.</p> <p>Relationship</p> <p>Address</p>	<p><u>Amelia Sutton</u></p> <p><u>Burgeo, La Poile District,</u></p> <p><u>Wife</u></p> <p><u>Burgeo, Newfoundland.</u></p>
<p>4. Rate of Separation Allowance</p> <p>Rate of Allotment</p>	<p><u>25</u> Dollars per month</p> <p><u>Dollars 70 Cents per day</u></p>
<p>5. Is said Dependent now, or was said Dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another Soldier?</p>	<p><u>No.</u></p>
<p>6. Were you at any time on the strength for Pay & Allowances of the Newfoundland Forestry Corps? If so, give dates of Service.</p>	<p><u>No.</u></p>
<p>7. TOTAL SERVICE IN:</p> <p>(a) Royal Newfoundland Regt.</p> <p>(b) Newfoundland Forestry Corps</p>	<p><u>2 years 364 days.</u></p> <p><u>None</u></p>
<p>8. Were you at the time of enlistment a civil employee of the Newfoundland Government? If so, state Department. Were you in receipt of any portion of civil service salary during your military service? If so, give particulars and amt.</p>	<p><u>No.</u></p>
<p>9. Have you or your dependents received any payment of Post Discharge Pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amounts received, and by whom paid.</p>	<p><u>None received.</u></p>

Continued.

N.F.P. 110 Continued.

<p>10. Have you, during the present War, served in the Imperial Forces? If so, are you entitled to receive, or you have you received any Gratuity from the Imperial Funds in respect of such service? State amount received or to which you are entitled.</p>	<p>No.</p>
<p>11. Did you at any time serve at the Front in an actual theatre of War? If so, give particulars and dates.</p>	<p>France from 16/7/16 to 6/12/16 do do 7/9/17 to 10/11/17</p>
<p>12. Have you received allowance in lieu of civilian clothes? If so, state amount, date and by whom paid.</p>	<p>Yes, \$ 25.00 22/7/18 at H.Q. St. John's, Newfoundland.</p>

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing statements are to the best of my knowledge and belief true in all respects.

Signature of Applicant (Signed) W. Sutton.

Place of Residence Sailors' Home, Dock Street, E.C.

Date 8/4/19

NOTE:- The space hereunder is for completion by the Pay & Record Office, and must not be written on by Applicant.

<p>Period for which gratuity is awarded</p>	<p>2 Years service and under over</p>
<p>Rate of Gratuity \$100.00 per month</p>	<p>153 days</p>
<p>Proportion payable to Dependent</p>	<p>\$25.00 per month</p>
<p>Proportion payable to Applicant</p>	<p>\$75.00 per month</p>

MEMORANDUM OF PAYMENTS

Issuing Office	Date	A M O U N T		Verified by	Remarks
		Dependent	Applicant		
<p>P. & R.O.</p>	<p>8/4/19</p>		<p>£18.12.0</p>		<p>One months gratuity</p>
					<p>Less £4.0.0. adv. on a/c pension</p>
					<p>20/12/18. Balance due civilian cloth.</p>
					<p>\$35.00</p>

Rate of Gratuity verified by _____

Claim passed by _____

Completed by _____ Date _____

Amount due on account of civilian clothes, \$ 35.00

Verified by F.M.

Amount recoverable from Imperial funds in respect of service in the Newfoundland Forestry Corps

Period of Service _____

Rate per month _____

Checked by _____

Not applicable



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
AND QUOTE NO.

1726

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

July 12th 1916.

From: C. S. O.

TO: Paymaster.

#1726 Sgt. W. Sutton, D.C.M., C. de G.

The above mentioned soldier has applied for separation Allowance, from the 1st September 1917, (from which date this Allowance is payable) up to the time that Separation Allowance was granted to his wife. Sgt. Sutton states that he was allotting 40 cents a day to his wife, while he was in France, and he was unable to acquaint himself with the Regulations at the time, otherwise, he would have increased his Allotment to comply with the Regulations. He has since increased the Allotment to 60 cents per day, and Separation Allowance is now being paid to his wife. Please let me have your view as to whether you consider that Separation Allowance should be paid to him, from the period between September 1st and the date of commencement of this payment.

W. F. Rendell

Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

Inquire from clergyman

*Allotment correct for
40 cents July 1916. Increased
to 60 cents April. Discharged
22.6.18. B.B.S.*

172/6

or 3829
Mar. 4th. 1918.

Mrs. William Suttan,
Burgeon.

Dear Madam:-

Application has been made by your
husband to have Separation Allowance issued to you.

Will you kindly forward me your
marriage certificate to be recorded. Same will
be returned to you in due course.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

1109

Mr Howley

Capt. Papmaster

1776 Burgeo
May the 2nd 1776

Dear Sir enclosed you will

find my marriage certificate
you need not mind sending it
back as I am coming on to
St. John's with my Husband also
keep back my money until
I come on the next boat
going East - in conclusion I

I remain yours
very sincerely
Mrs William Sutton

Burgoe
Wfld

1726
or 3529
June, 4th. 1918.

Mrs. William Sutton,
Burgeo.

Dear Madam:-

Referring to your letter
of May, 2nd., I return herewith your Marriage
Certificate.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.



Magistrate's Office,

Burgos
January 24th 1918

177
03529

J. M. Howley Esq
Paymaster Mtd Regiment.

Dear Sir

I have not received my separation money
for Dec and Jan. Will you kindly have it
and oblige

I am dear Sir
Yours very truly
Wm William Sutton

1726

ST 3529

Feb. 3th. 1918.

Mrs. William Sutton,
Burgoo.

Dear Madam.-

Referring to your letter of January, 24th., I beg to state, that Separation allowance cannot be continued to you until such time as your husband allots you at least, half his pay.

At the present time, his allotment is only 40cts. per day. The cheques which were mailed you in September and October, should not have been sent.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

July 31st, 1919

WHEN REPLYING

QUOTE No. M-37-7

To: Paymaster

From: Chief Staff Officer

Gratuities in connection with Awards

I am attaching hereto for your information and any action necessary, copy of correspondence from the Chief Staff Officer, London forwarding correspondence exchanged with the War Office in the above noted connection.

W. J. Russell

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

COPY

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.1.

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

14th July 1919.

Yours 1726, 18/9/18
Ours 17356 26/10/18

SUBJECT: EX 1726 SERGT. W. SUTTON, ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to the above quoted memoranda regarding extra Pension of 6d per day granted to the above ex soldier in respect of Gratuity for D.C.M., copies of correspondence exchanged with the War Office 17th and 30th June, are enclosed for information, please.

(Signed) F.W. MARSHALL, Capt.
for Major.
Chief Staff Officer (LONDON)

COPY

8738/171/P&A.

The Secretary,
War Office,
WHITEHALL.

Sir:- GRATUITIES IN CONNECTION WITH AWARDS.

With reference to your letter 012/2828/(Accts.5 Pension)
14/3/18: I have the honour to enquire what is the procedure as
regards adjustment of additional pension of 6d per day in the case
of a recipient of the D.C.M. who may be granted a temporary pension,
e.g. case of No. 1726 Pte. W. Sutton D. C. M. discharged 22/7/18.
Awarded disability pension for period of six months.

Does the 6d per day cease at the date of expiry of disability
pension?

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

(Signed) H.A. Timewell, Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

COPY

All further communications on
this subject should be addressed
to -

The Secretary,
War Office,
LONDON, S.W.1.

War Office,
LONDON, S.W.1.
30th June 1919.

012/2997 (Accts. 5 Pens.)

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 17th instant, No. 8738/171/
P&A, I am directed to inform you that the additional pension in respect
of the D.C.M. or M.C. when payable to members of the Colonial Forces
should be issued with the disability pension awarded by the Colonial
Government, and reclaimed from this office periodically, the claims
being supported by the Pensioners' receipts.

The additional pension of 6d a day will in all cases
cease at the date of expiry of the disability pension, but in the event
of the recipient having been paid less than £20 in respect of the decor-
ation (the amount of gratuity issuable), the balance may be paid to him
and reclaimed from this office.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(Signed W. Mayne,

For the Assistant Financial Secretary.

The Chief Staff Officer,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W.1.

St. John's,

JUN 14 1918

(Date)

1st Newfoundland Regiment
BILLETING ACCOUNT

To Sgt. W. Sutton

Billeting soldiers as undermentioned

from May 9th /18 to June 9th /18

[Handwritten initials]

1726. Sgt. W. Sutton 27 60

4 week 4 days

Paid

W. Sutton

June 13/18

Certified correct for \$ 27. 60

R.J.

[Signature] Lieut

Billeting Officer

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 35⁰⁰

May 26 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of thirty five Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay. Clothing
balance

Wm Sutton

Ch. No. 21002	Initials <i>ew</i>
Pay Ledger 320	Initials <i>ew</i>
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No. 1426

Rank *Sgt*

No. 1726

Rank

Sgt

Name

W Sutton

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$10.⁰⁰

June 29th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Ten ⁰⁰ Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

[Handwritten initials]

Sutherland

Ch. No. <i>8196</i>	Initials <i>ew</i>
Pay Ledger <i>16</i>	Initials <i>Y L O</i>
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No. Rank

No. 1726

Rank *Asst. Sgt.*

Name

W. Sutton

1917-1918

*Entered 10/7/18
HAM*

**DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.**

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 1 21

July 15th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of One ²¹/₁₀₀ Dollars.
on account of Pay.
~~balance~~

Sgt W Sutton

Ch. No. 8485	Initials <i>JS</i>
Pay Ledger 167	Initials <i>HAM</i>
Gen. Ledger <i>AP</i>	Initials <i>[Signature]</i>

Regtl. No. _____ Rank _____

1918 - 1919

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 64.50

July 22nd 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Sixty four ⁵⁰ Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay.

Sgt W Sutter

Ch. No. 350	Initials JAS
Pay Ledger 167	Initials WS
Gen. Ledger AP	Initials J

Regtl. No. Rank

W. Sutter

No. 1726.

Rank

Sgt.

Name

Sutton, W.

1918-1919.

*Entered 1978
AMM*

**DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.**

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 10 ⁰⁰/₁₀₀

July 15th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment

the sum of Dollars.

on account
~~balance~~ of Pay.

Sgt W Sutton

Ch. No. 221	Initials.....
Pay Ledger 167	Initials <i>AMM</i>
Gen. Ledger <i>RP</i>	Initials <i>K</i>

Regtl. No. Rank

AMM

No. 1726

Rank *Serjt*

Name *W. Sutton*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$15⁰⁰/₁₀₀

May 3rd 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Fifteen _____ Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

Sgt W Sutton

Ch. No. 6191	Initials. EW
Pay Ledger 123	Initials. G. J. D.
Gen. Ledger	Initials. R. J. D.

Regtl. No.

Rank

W. J. D.

No. 1726 Rank of Sgt.

Name W. Sutton

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Apr. 24th 1888

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Ten Dollars.
on account of Pay. of W Sutton
balance

Ch. No. <u>589</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>
Pay Ledger <u>135</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>
Gen. Ledger <u>118</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>

Regtl. No. _____ Rank _____

EW

No. 1726 Rank of Sgt.

Name W. Sutton

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$15⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Apr. 20th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Fifteen Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

W. Sutton

Ch. No. 5733	Initials. EW
Pay Ledger 137	Initials. [Signature]
Gen. Ledger [Signature]	Initials. [Signature]

Regtl. No. 1726 Rank Serjt.

[Signature]

No. 1726 Rank Sgt.

Name W. Sutton

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$20.00

May 1918

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

Sgt W Sutton DCM

Ch. No. <u>6167</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>
Pay Ledger <u>23</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>
Gen. Ledger <u>Key</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>

Regtl. No. Rank

[Handwritten signature]

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$20.00

May 1918

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on account of Pay.
balance

Sgt W Sutton DCM

Ch. No. <u>6167</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>
Pay Ledger <u>23</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>
Gen. Ledger <u>Key</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>

Regtl. No. Rank

[Handwritten signature]

No. 1726

Rank

Sgt

Name

W. Sullivan

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ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment,

Department of Militia,

St. John's Newfoundland.

Fold Here

June 24th. 1921. 1917.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 639), is forwarded herewith to

Sergt. William Sutton,

in respect of his service as No. 1726 Rank Sergt.

Name Wm. Sutton Corps Royal Nfld Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

Copy of Discharge

Signature

William Sutton
per Melley Sutton

Date

July 27th 1921

Address

Burgen

C.R. 1726

Nov. 18th, 22

No. 1726 Ex-Serjt. Wm. Sutton, D.C.M.,
C/o Bank of Montreal,
Vancouver, B.C.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter addressed to the Board of Pension Commissioners, part of which refers to your Discharge Papers and your Service Medals, has been passed to this Office, for attention.

We cannot forward duplicate Discharge Certificate, but I am attaching hereto a certificate of your War Service which will serve just as well.

As regards your Service Medals, these were sent to Burgeo and received by Mrs. Wm. Sutton on Dec. 27th, 1921, and this office holds receipt of same from her.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 1726

Nov. 18th, 22

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S E C O N D B O A R D

M.D.

Report of Medical Board.

Station	St. John's, Nfld.	Date	July 5th., 1918
No. and Rank	1726-Sgt.	Age	23 Height 5'8"
Name	SUTTON WILLIAM	Complexion	Fresh
Unit	D. C. M. ; Belgium Croix de Guerre Royal Nfld.	Eyes	Blue Hair Brown
Address	Burgeo		
Former Trade	Sailor (Merchant Service)		
Enlisted at	St. John's On 23/7/15	(The Board will please note how the soldier's appearance corresponds with above description.)	
Disease or Disability	Original BRONCHITIS.	DISORDERED ACTION HEART	

Subsequent

Present Condition (Compare with previous Board)

*Pulse 120 kept normal. Weight 143 lbs
Bronchial sounds accompaniments*

THE ENTIRE DISABILITY: To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a livelihood in the general labour market? *What at present*

PENSIONABLE DISABILITY: To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened by that proportion of his disability due to or incurred during service?

Recommendation of Medical Board *Enter N.M. Com Corp.*
Discharge permanently unfit

Members of Board

Cluny Macpherson
Major

John Lawlat
Hattersm Major

Approving Medical Officer. D. M. S. NEWFOUNDLAND.



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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.

Fold Here

SEP 20 1921.

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

is/are forwarded herewith to

William Sutton

in respect of his service as No. **1725** Rank **Pte.**

Name **W. Sutton** **Royal Nfld. Regt.**
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received December 2 Medals

Signature Mrs. William Sutton

Date December 27th 1921

Address Bungas Rd

[P.T.O.]

C.R. 1726

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I HAVE RECEIVED FROM THE
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA? CERTIFICATE OF THE AWARD OF THE BELGIAN
CROIX DE GUERRE.

SIGNED..... Mrs. William Sutton,

DATE..... Jan 5th 1922 For William Sutton

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.
 (523) W12571/204 Form B. 121.
 3/15-1 53 58

Number of Sheet 1

Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regimental Number and Name 172 L W. Sutton.		Enlistment Age on 20 years 3 months		Trade Sailor.	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay Appointed Lt/Cpl 12.2.17 deprived Lt/serje 12.6.17.
Joined _____ Date _____	Joined _____ Date _____	Place and Date of Enlistment St. John's July 24 1915		Religion C of E.	
Joined _____ Date _____	Joined _____ Date _____	Period of { with Colours 2 3/4 years. with Reserve 2 3/4 years.		Place of Birth Burgeo.	
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: auto;"> COPY SENT TO ST. JOHN'S FIELD. 25 MAR 1918 466/24 </div>					

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>Offs Racecourse</u>	<u>26.1.17</u>	<u>Pte</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>(1) Drunk and causing a disturbance on George St about 10.30 PM</u>	<u>Pte Squires R.P.</u> <u>.. Hurdle R.P.</u> <u>Sergt Haranett</u>				
<u>"</u>	<u>4.4.17</u>	<u>Lt/Cpl</u>		<u>(2) Resisting Arrest</u> <u>Absent from Tattoo Roll call</u> <u>Next Reported 6 AM 5.4.17</u>	<u>Sergt Morrissey</u>	<u>7 days C.B.</u> <u>Severely</u>	<u>29.1.17</u> <u>5.4.17</u>	<u>Lt. Col. Whitaker</u> <u>Lt. Col. Whitaker</u>	<u>7. 0. 7.</u> <u>Forfeit 2 days pay</u> <u>by R.M. 7. 8. 7.</u>
<u>Newton P. School</u>	<u>17/4/17</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Absent from O. C. Lecture</u>	<u>C. S. Mc. Norman</u>	<u>Reprimanded.</u>	<u>13/4/17</u>	<u>Lt. Col. Whitaker</u>	<u>P.C.</u>
<u>"</u>	<u>30/4/17</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Late for Staff Parade</u>	<u>C. S. Mc. Norman</u>	<u>Reprimanded</u>	<u>15/4/17</u>	<u>Major Rendell</u>	<u>P.C.</u>
<u>Racecourse</u>	<u>10/6/17</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Absent from Guard mounting</u> <u>next reported 10.30 p. m.</u> <u>same date.</u>	<u>Sergt Norman</u>	<u>deprived Lt/serje</u>	<u>12/6/17</u>	<u>Lt. Col. Whitaker</u>	<u>P.C.</u>
				<u>Medically Unfit</u>	<u>22 7/10</u>				
To be carried over									

Copy

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey.
[82] W13042/4155 753m 12/15s 127 55

Form
B. 120
A.

COMPANY REGIMENTAL CONDUCT SHEET.

Army Form B. 120.

Grade. Sailor
Religion. C of E
Place of birth. Burges

Regimental Number and Name 1726. W Sutton

Royal Regiment of Newfoundland

Attested J. Jones July 24th 1915.

Number of sheets (in words) } First
Signature of C.O. or Adjutant } J. Jones
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.
Joined 24-7 1918.

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	Date of Commencement	Date of Expiration	REMARKS
<u>On Place Course</u>	<u>26-1-18</u>	<u>Sto</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>"Drunk and causing a disturbance on George St about 10.30pm</u>	<u>Abgaines RP</u> <u>" Hurdle RP</u> <u>Sgt Harsnett</u>						
<u>"</u>	<u>4-4-17</u>	<u>4ppl</u>		<u>"Resisting arrest</u> <u>Absent from tattoo roll call next alerted 6³⁰ am 5-4-17</u>	<u>Serjt Morrison</u>	<u>7 days CB</u> <u>Severely</u>	<u>29-4-17</u> <u>5-4-17</u>	<u>Lt Col Whitaker</u> <u>Lt Col Whitaker</u>			<u>7 8 8</u> <u>5-10-17</u> <u>By Lt Col Whitaker</u>
<u>Newfoundland School</u>	<u>24/17</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Absent from D. Lecture</u>	<u>CSM Norman</u>	<u>Severe reprimand</u>	<u>13/4/17</u>	<u>Lt Col Whitaker</u>			<u>SE</u>
<u>"</u>	<u>31/4/17</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Late for Staff Parade</u>	<u>CSM Norman</u>	<u>Reprimand</u>	<u>11/5/17</u>	<u>Major Rendell</u>			<u>SE</u>
<u>Place Course</u>	<u>19/4/17</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Absent from Guard mounting next alerted 10.30pm same date</u>	<u>Sgt Newman</u>	<u>Severely</u>	<u>19/4/17</u>	<u>Lt Col Whitaker</u>			<u>SE</u>

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Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment or Corps Newfoundland Regimental Number C.R. 1726
 Rank Pl. Surname Sutton Christian Name William
 Religion Church of England Age on Enlistment 20 years 3 months.
 Enlisted (a) 24. 7. 15 Terms of Service (a) duration Service reckons from (a) 24. 7. 15
 Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____
 Extended { _____ } Re-engaged { 11. 7. 16 } Qualification (b) _____
 or Corps Trade and Rate _____

Signature of Officer i/c Records.

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Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 86, 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. 86, or other official documents
		Embarked ...	<u>Southern</u>		<u>16. 7. 16</u>
		Disembarked...	<u>Raven</u>		<u>17. 7. 16</u>
	<u>12 Gen. H. H. H. 11400. trans</u>	<u>Joined Battalion</u>	<u>France</u>		
	<u>39 Gen. H. H. H.</u>	<u>Discharged.</u>	<u>39 Gen. H. H. H.</u>	<u>19. 7. 16</u>	<u>HA 1109</u>
	<u>1 1st Coy. B. P.</u>	<u>Re-joined Battalion</u>	<u>Raven</u>	<u>28. 8. 16</u>	<u>O/O 10 320</u>
	<u>29 Gen. H. H. H.</u>	<u>2 Coy. B. P.</u>	<u>Raven</u>	<u>29. 8. 16</u>	<u>HA 2119</u>
	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Re-joined Battalion</u>	<u>Raven</u>	<u>15. 9. 16</u>	<u>HA 2517</u>
	<u>14 C.N.S.</u>	<u>Admitted Ghern 26/10/16 trans</u>	<u>l.b.s.</u>	<u>5. 10. 16</u>	<u>Now Recd</u>
				<u>22 OCT 10 16</u>	<u>Full</u>
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Mr. Burchell
 CAPTAIN
 Ser Officer i/c No. 1 Regular Infantry Section
 General Headquarters, 3rd Echelon

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

