



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 3448 Name William Way Corps Meth.

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

1. What is your name? ..... 1. William Way
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. Bonavista
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 19 years 5 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. fisherman
6. Are you Married? ..... 6. no
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,\* which? ..... 7. no
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ..... 9. Yes
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. Yes

I, William Way 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.

July 23/17 William Way SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Harold Rutter Signature of Witness.

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

I, William Way 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 the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 23 day of July 1917  
Signature of Attesting Officer Chas. R. Campbell

### †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 ..... 1917  
Place ..... } Approving Officer.

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

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

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Wray  
 Apparent age 19 years — months. Height 5 feet 6 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 inches  
 Range of expansion 3 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Anna Wray  
Bonaville B.B. Relationship Father

### Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ [date of discharge] _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pensions " _____ [ " " ] _____ " _____ "									



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 3448 Name William Way Corps Merch.

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

1. What is your name? ..... 1. William Way
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. Bonaville
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 19 Years 3 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Merchant
6. Are you Married? ..... 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,\* which? ..... 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ..... 9. Yes
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? ..... II. Yes

I, William Way 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.

William Way SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Herold Hutchins Signature of Witness.

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

I, William Way do solemnly declare 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 ..... day of ..... 1915

Signature of Attesting Officer Chas. R. Aysc. Opt.

### †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 ..... 1915  
Place ..... } Approving Officer.

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

Name William Way  
 Apparent age 19 years — months. Height 5 feet 6 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 inches  
 Range of expansion 37 inches

Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

### INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin James Way  
Bonavista BB Relationship Father

#### Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

#### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

### STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>23-1-17</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>January 23<sup>rd</sup> 17</u>									
<u>Discharged Halifax Sep. 7/1918</u>									
<u>Embarked St John's Bay Halifax N.S. 17<sup>th</sup> 17</u>									
<u>for Block 11-6-17 disembarked Rovers 12-6-17</u>									<u>Bath in Hospital 2<sup>nd</sup> 17</u>
<u>Wounded 9-10-17 admitted to Base Hospital 2<sup>nd</sup> 17</u>									<u>admitted 12-10-17</u>
<u>3<sup>rd</sup> Lt. transferred to 14-10-17 transferred to command Depot</u>									<u>15-1-18</u>
<u>to 4-1-1918 I had permission for discharge on 7-18</u>									<u>Arrived Newfoundland 4-8-1918</u>
<u>Discharged Medically unfit 7-9-18</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>7-9-18</u> (date of discharge) <u>1</u> years <u>228</u> days									
" " " Pensions " " " " " " " "									



C.R. 3468

Way, W

P.V.R.O.

No. 5889/536

*8* **NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT**

*A 38360*  
N.F.P. /70.

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

To Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Winchester.

Subject: 4th May 1918

*April 8<sup>th</sup> 1918*

Subject: 3448, Pts. W. Way,

*Chambers*  
Received hereunder.

With reference to the following telegram (3922) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

*LIEUT. COLONEL*  
**COMMANDING 2ND BN ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT**  
1st Newfoundland Regiment

1/ 5 18

Pay to 3448 Way £5:15:0

received the sum of five  
Pounds fifteen shillings on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

Draft £ 5:15:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Way W  
No. 3448 Rank Pte

*J. B. Anderson Lieut*  
for Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

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

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

No. .... Date January 15<sup>th</sup> 1918. Admitted 14.13.17.

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

(2) The Officer Commanding, 9<sup>th</sup> Field Command Depot. Refuge North (Station).

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

Regimental No. 3118

Rank and Name Pt. Wm. H. W.

Regiment or Corps 1<sup>st</sup> Field

has been granted a furlough from January 15<sup>th</sup> to January 21<sup>st</sup>

His address while on leave will be: 58, Victoria Street S.W.

I consider he is fit for\*  
• Strike out that which is inapplicable.  
i. ~~Duty.~~  
ii. Command Depot. II  
iii. ~~Employment.~~

Officer in charge G. C. Hall Capt 9<sup>th</sup>  
Registrar, R.A.M.C.T. Hospital,  
3<sup>rd</sup> London General Hospital,  
WANDSWORTH, S.W. (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 form has been furnished to the  
a warrant to Victoria and Gen  
an advance of £1. (one pound).



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

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date January 15<sup>th</sup> 1918 Admitted 14.10.17

(1) To the Officer i/c Records, \_\_\_\_\_ (Station).

(2) The Officer Commanding, 1st Command Depot \_\_\_\_\_ (Station).  
Regiment North

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

Regimental No. 3448

Rank and Name Platoon Leader #10

Regiment or Corps 1st Bn

has been granted a furlough from January 15<sup>th</sup> to January

His address while on leave will be: 58, Victoria Street  
S.W.

I consider he is fit for\*  
\* Strike out that which is inapplicable.  
i. Duty.  
ii. Command Depot. II  
iii. Employment.

Officer in charge gc Hall Registrar, R.A.M.C.I. Appl 702  
3rd London General Hospital Hospital,  
WANDSWORTH, S.W. (Station).

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This man has been furnished with a warrant to Victoria and Gen in address of 51 (one) ...

Fold Here

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

*Royal Nfld. Regt.*

*Dept. of Militia,*

*ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.*

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Fold Here

SIP 28 1921.

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

is/are forwarded herewith to

William Way

in respect of his service as No. 3448 Rank Pte.

Name W. Way Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Nfld. Forestry Corps

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Oct 3rd 1921

Signature William Way

Date Oct 3rd 1921

Address Cape Shore Bonavista



No. 10030/963

*Handwritten initials/signature*

RECEIVED  
N.F.P. /79  
JUN 26 1918

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

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

To:

Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Winchester.

24th June 1918

Subject: 3448, Pte. W. Way,

With reference to the following telegram ( 5595 ) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 3448 Way £4:2:0

Draft £ 4:2:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

*for F. H. Marshall Capt*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

June 26<sup>th</sup> 1918

Receipt hereunder.

*Handwritten signature*

LIEUT. COLONEL,

Officer Commandg. Batt'n  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

W way

Witness, No. 3448 Rank Pte

*Handwritten signature*

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

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

No. 3245 Rank Pte Name Wray G. Unit R.R.F. who was Repatriated  
P.F.D. on 20/7/18 Authority STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT Cause \_\_\_\_\_

PARTICULARS	£ s d					PARTICULARS	£	s	d
	£	s	£	s	d				
Balance Dr. from						Balance Cr. from			
Allotment 15 days @ 60	19	00	11	17	0	Pay 15 days @ £ 1.00	15	00	
Cash Payments:						Field Allow 15 days @ £ 10	15	00	
12/7/18				12	6	Other Allowances days @ £	16	50	137 10
19/7/18				12	6	Other Credits:			
Other Debits:									
Barracks Dam					6				
Misc Shop					25				
<b>Total Debits</b>						<b>Total Credits</b>			
Balance due by Paymaster			13	2	11	Balance due to Paymaster			137 10

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be correct extract from the Pay Book of \_\_\_\_\_  
F. G. G. G. \_\_\_\_\_ 1918  
 (Place) St. John's (Date) 20-7-18

Made or Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary. 12156  
 Pay & Record Office, London,

COPY SENT TO  
 O.C. H.Q.  
 ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.  
 DATED 30 JUL 1918

G. G. G. G.  
 Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

No. 3448 Rank Pte Name Way W.

Pay	F.A.	Reg	Total
100	10		110
Less: Allotment			60
Net Rate			50

DEBITS	Date	£	s	d	CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d
						From	To					
Balance					Balance		8/6/17					
Acquittance Rolls		5	10	0	Pay @ net Rate		9/6/17	15	50	110	5	0
Hospital Advances		2	1	0			18	22	14	1		
A.S. 34					Ration allow.						1	0
P. & R.O. Payments					10 days at 9/-							
					(+63-1)							
					31							
7.11.0												
Cheque 7408		16	0	0								
<u>HC</u>												

23-74-1

RECEIVED



July 16th 1919.

Bte. W. Wey, #3448,  
Bonaventure,  
Mfld.

With reference to your letter of July 6th,

I beg to advise you that your Payment of

"War Service Gratuity" is made up as Follows:

Bonus, date of Discharge	\$13.70
Dec. 13th Post Discharge Pay,	86.40
April 14th, To pay	70.00
May 14th " "	70.00
June 14th " "	<u>39.90</u>

Total: \$280.00

Therefore, four months, "War Service Gratuity"  
of seventy dollars (\$70.00) equals two hundred  
and eighty dollars (\$280.00)

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster.

RS/.

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

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

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date January 15<sup>th</sup> 1918. Admitted 14.10.17.

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

(2) The Officer Commanding, Infld. Command Depot. Repton North. (Station).

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

Regimental No. 3448.

Rank and Name. Pte. Way #. 11

Regiment or Corps. 1<sup>st</sup> Infld

has been granted a furlough from January 15<sup>th</sup> to January 24<sup>th</sup>

His address while on leave will be: 58, Victoria Street. S.W.

I consider he is fit for\* II  
i. Duty.  
ii. Command Depot.  
iii. Employment.

Officer in charge. g c Hall Capt Theat  
Registrar, R.A.M.C.T Hospital,  
3rd London General Hospital,  
WILKINS NORTH, S.W. (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 furnished with a warrant for £1. (one pound).

St John's, Newfoundland,

August 31st, 1918

From D.M.S.,

To O.D. Depot

3735 Pte. P.Hinchy  
3448 " W.Way  
3162 " A.Gulliver

The marginally noted men entered the Naval  
& Military Convalescent Hospital August 31st, 1918.

(sgnd) CLYNY MACPHERSON

Major, D.M.S.

per A. M. B.



St John's, Nfld.

August 31st, 1918

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per A. M. B.

D3448

St John's, Nfld.

Oct. 1st, 1918

Officer Commanding,  
Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Headquarters

SIR:

The unmentioned men have been discharged on  
the dates given. Kindly note and post in Daily Orders  
Part II.

I have etc.

(sgnd) J.M.HOWLEY,

Capt. etc.

3234 Pte. McGrath, M.	Sept. 7th, 1918	Med. Unfit
3448 " Way, M.	Do.	Do.

C.R. 3448

Extract from Daily Orders Part **11** Unit The Royal Nfld. Regt.,  
St. John's Oct.5th,1918.

3448 Pte. M. Way.

Having been found medically unfit is discharged from Sept.  
7th,1918.

C.R. 3448

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld. Rgmt.,  
St. John's, Sept. 14th, 1918.

3448 Pte. W. Wray.

Admitted to N & M Hospital Conv. 31-8-18.



C.R. 3448

PR LIMINARY REPORT

Extract from Medical Board held Saturday Aug 24th, 1918.

3448 Pte. Way, Wm.

Recommended discharge Permanently Unfit and admission to  
N & M Convalescent Hospital.

C.R. 3448

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld. Regt.  
St. John's, dated August 20th, 1918.

3448 Pte. Wm. May.

Returned from leave and reported at Headquarters 20-8-18.

C.R. 3448

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Mfld. Regt. St. John's, dated August 5, 1918.

The following man returned from Overseas and reported  
at Depot August 4th.

#3448 Pte. W. Way.

C.R. 3448

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated January 16, 1918.

O.C. 3rd London General Hospital, S.W. 18 reports 15/1/18.

#3448 Pte. W. May. ✓

Discharged from Hospital 15/1/18 and granted furlough to  
24/1/18. fit for 11 Command Depot.  
Auth: A.Fs. W. 3016 from Hospital.



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Counter No.

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



## Cable Connection with all the World

### All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

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

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

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

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

I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **October 16, 1917.**

To **Mr. James Way,  
Bonavista.**

Regret to inform you that Record Office London, officially reports **No. 3448, Private William Way, is at Wandsworth suffering from gunshot wound in the right shoulder.**

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

~~JOHN R. BENNETT~~ **R.A. SQUIRES**

Colonial Secretary.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

C.R. 3448

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No.25: Embarked Southampton 11/6/17  
from 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment Newton-on-Ayr, to 1/1st Newfoundland  
Regiment B.C.F.

3448 Pte.Way, W.I

B.C.F.

C.R. 3448

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas.  
Mar. 17, 1917.

3448 Pte. W. Way.

C.R.

3448

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Hfld.  
Regt., Bt. John's, Jan. 23rd, 1917

3448 Pte. William Way.

Attached to the Strength from Jan. 23rd, 1917.

**DUPLICATE.**Cables and Telegrams :  
"SYNOPTICAL," London.Telephone :  
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.Communications to be addressed to the  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS.**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.****MEMORANDUM.**

No. 3448/127/PAA

3448

From

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

To

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

WF/FK.

3rd March 1919

**SUBJECT :**TELEGRAPHIC REMITTANCE.  
MISS MCWHIRTER.  
Reference Nos.**REPLY**

Dated May 4th, 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.Exchange of telegrams  
confirmed:-

(1).

Despatched 25/2/19 (95):  
"Military, St. John's."  
"With reference to your  
"telegram 18th February-  
"remittance to-Miss-Jean-  
"McWhirter-please inform-  
"name and address of-  
"sender.

SYNOPTICAL.

(2).

Received 1/3/19 (55):  
"Synoptical, London."  
"With reference to your  
"telegram February 25th  
"Miss-McWhirter-sender-  
"499 Sgt.Carew-fullstop.

MILITARY.

The desired information has  
been conveyed to Miss McWhirter,  
please.

Capt.

Asst. Paymaster.

For Chief Paymaster &amp; O.I./C.Recds.

Noted, please.

Minister of Militia.



Way Wm

3448

Pan Dept  
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*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. <u>3448</u>	Army Rank <u>Private</u>										
Name <u>Way William</u> (The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)											
Corps <u>ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.</u>											
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depôt, &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. <i>Description at the time of discharge.</i>											
Age <u>20</u> years _____ months Height _____ feet _____ inches Chest measure- ment { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins. Complexion _____ Eyes _____ Hair _____ Trade _____ Intended place of residence _____ (To be given as fully as practicable)	Descriptive marks. <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 10px auto; width: fit-content;"> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;"><b>COPIES SENT</b></p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 30%;">To _____</td> <td style="width: 30%;">No. <u>12009/08</u></td> <td style="width: 40%;">DATE <u>26 JUL 1918</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>M of M. _____</td> <td colspan="2" rowspan="2" style="text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;"> </td> </tr> <tr> <td>O.C. 1st Lt. _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>" 2nd Lt. _____</td> <td colspan="2"></td> </tr> </table> </div>	To _____	No. <u>12009/08</u>	DATE <u>26 JUL 1918</u>	M of M. _____			O.C. 1st Lt. _____	" 2nd Lt. _____		
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M of M. _____											
O.C. 1st Lt. _____											
" 2nd Lt. _____											
(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:— _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____											
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. <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 10px;">                     _____                      Initials of Commanding Officer.                 </div>											
Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to* _____											

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

\* Strike out if not applicable.

[OVER.



**THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT**  
**HEADQUARTERS**

*St. John's, Newfoundland,*

CCD\*AC

August 26th, 1918 191


From Officer Commanding,  
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,  
Militia Department

3448 Pte. Wm. Way

The above noted man was recommended for discharge as permanently unfit and admission to Naval & Military Convalescent Hospital by Medical Board held on Sarurday, August 24th.

I am sending him herewith for your attention and necessary action, please, and have given him verbal instructions to report to D.M.S. after he has finished his business with you.

  
Adjutant  
Depot The Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
St. John's, Nfld.

Copy to D.M.S.

Bonavista  
July 6 1919

5722

Captain Howley

Dear sir

Just  
few lines asked you  
if my pay are up  
of 70\$ per month &  
only received 2 months  
of 70\$ and I received  
a cheque of 39<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>  
final payment I want  
to know how many  
month are we getting  
70\$ I want to know  
I have wrote before  
but I never got no  
answer I would like  
for you to tell  
me if you please  
answer and tell  
me dont keep waiting



(2)

because I want to know  
it is funny how some  
soldiers get four  
month pay of 70¢ per  
month. and more only  
get 2 and half  
that is the reason  
I am sending this  
letter to you so  
please tell me how  
money month payment  
we are getting  
so I must close  
I remain your  
Truly &c W W Way 3448  
W W Way



Bonus date of discharge	13.70
Dec 13 to May	86.40
Apr 14	70.00
May 14	70.00
June 14	39.90
	<hr/>
	<u>\$280.00</u>

W.S. Grately @ 70<sup>00</sup>  
 4 Mos 280<sup>00</sup>

5505

3448  
Bonavista

June 19 1919

Captain Howley

Dear Sir  
I

received to day cheque  
off \$39 20 I want to  
know how many month  
of war service gratuity  
we are getting if it  
is four month are not  
if it is I havent got  
my rights I have only  
received two month

\$ 70 and why is it  
I havent got it this  
month I would like to  
know please let me  
know I remain

Yours truly  
William Way

Bonus date of delivery	13.70
Dec 13 to May	86.40
Apr 14	7000
May 14	2000
Jun 14	3990
	<u>28000</u>

W/S Gratuities 4 mos <sup>7000</sup>  
 \$ 28000.00

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

**ORIGINAL**

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. 2448 Rank Pte. Name Way W Unit Royal Nfld who was repatriated  
Nfld. on 20/7/18 Authority STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT Cause \_\_\_\_\_

PARTICULARS	\$				PARTICULARS	\$			
	£	s	d			£	s	d	
Balance Dr. from					Balance Cr. from				
Allotment 15 days @ 60	1	9	00	17	0	Pay 15 days @ \$ 1.00	1	5	00
Cash Payments:					Field Allow 15 days @ \$ 10	1	1	50	
12/7/18				12	6	Other Allow days @ \$	1	6	50
19/7/18				12	6	Other Credits:			
Other Debits:				6					
Barack Days				2	5				
Misc. Stop.									
<b>Total Debits</b>				1	21	<b>Total Credits</b>			
Balance due by Paymaster				1	3	7	10		

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be correct extract from the Pay Book of  
S. Cox  
Winchester 25-7-1918  
 (Place) (Date)

S. G. A. Rennie  
 Capt.  
 C.O. Company  
 27 JUL 1918  
 Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records

Have been 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,  
 27 JUL 1918 191

OK  
 Wm



LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

DUPLICATE  
MAIL COPY

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. 3448 Rank Pte. Name Wray W. Unit Royal Newfoundland who was Repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 20/7/18 Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

DR. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

PERIOD: From 6.7.18 To 20.7.18	PARTICULARS					£	s	d	PARTICULARS					CR.												
	\$	¢	£	s	d				\$	¢	£	s	d													
	Balance Dr. from								Balance Cr. from																	
	Allotment 15 days @ 60¢					1	9	00	1	1	17	0	Pay 15 days @ \$ 1.00					1	15	00						
	Cash Payments:								Field Allowance 15 days @ \$.10¢																	
	12-7-18												12	6	Other Allowances days @ \$											
	19-7-18												12	6	Other Credits:											
	Other Debits:								Barrack Damages																	
	Office stops.																									
	Total Debits								Total Credits																	
	Balance due by Paymaster								1	2	11		Balance due to Paymaster													
	C.S.								1	3	7	10														

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

F. Coy  
Winchester 25-7-18 191  
(Place) (Date)

(Sgt.) F.G.R. Rendell Lieut.  
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,

27 JUL 1918 191

A.D. [Signature]  
Chief Paymaster & Officer in Charge.

7 to 27 JUL 1918



FORM K

No. 3109



# H/ 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT 3

## ALLOTMENTS

I, William Way, Regl. No. 3448

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 <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof  
of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons  
concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins March 1st 1917

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
3666	Mother	Mrs James (Charlotte) Way	Cape Shore Bonavista	60
Total Allotment, \$				60

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.) Chas. L. Ayre Capt.  
Officer Commanding Company  
John's 3-3-17 191  
  
(Sig.) William Way  
(Rank) pte

May 19th, 1919

Capt. Howley,

O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to Mr. Wm. Way, No 3448, Bonavista,  
the sum of forty six dollars and sixty cents in payment  
of allowance for 13 weeks to May 17th, and charge same to  
Civil Re-establishment Committee.

\$46.60

Pension \$40 to Mar. 23rd  
" \$30 " Sep. 23rd  
Allow: 6 weeks at \$2.33  
" 7 " " 4.66

*W. W. Way*  
Vocational Officer

*6-12-8*

ACCOUNT	
CHEQ NO	<i>20735</i>
INITIALS	<i>lew</i>
IND LEDGER	
PAY LEDGER	
GEN LEDGER	

Recd. Wm. Way  
Per *[Signature]*  
May 26th, 1919

May 19th, 1919

Capt. Howley,  
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to Mr. James Crewe, Bonavista, on  
account of Wm. Way, No 3448, the sum of twenty one dollars  
and fifty four cents for instruction to May 2nd, 1919, and  
charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee.

\$21.54

ACCOUNT	<i>C. R. B.</i>
CH. NO.	<i>20734</i>
INITIALS	<i>CC</i>
IND. LEDGER	_____
INT. LEDGER	_____
INITIALS	_____
INITIALS	_____

*W. B. Buckell*  
Vocational Officer

Recd. James Crewe  
Per *J. J. J. J.*  
May 26th, 1919

Aug. 2. 1919

Capt. Howley,  
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to **W. Way, 3448 Bonavista**  
the sum of **Seven dollars**  
in payment of allowance for week ended this date  
in connection with re-education.

**\$7.00**

Pension      **\$30**

*W. Way*  
*per. Howley*

*W. Way*  
Vocational Officer



JUN 21 1919

Capt. Howley,  
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to W. Way, No 3448 (Bonavista)  
the sum of **seven dollars**  
in payment of allowance for week ended this date  
in connection with re-education.

\$7.00

Pension \$30

*W. Stachall.*  
Vocational Officer.

JUL 8

Recd

*J. J. [Signature]*



JUN 7 1919

Capt. Howley,  
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to W. Way (Bonavista) No 3448  
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**  
in payment of allowance for week ended this date  
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension \$30

*W. W. Mackall*  
Vocational Officer

*Rec'd. Payroll  
6/7/19  
for W. Way.*

JUN 14 1919

Capt. Howley,  
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to W. Way, #3448 (Bonavista)  
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**  
in payment of allowance for week ended this date  
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension \$30

*Recd.  
W. Way  
for W. Way*

*W. B. McCall*  
Vocational Officer.

JUN 28 1919

Capt. Howley,  
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to W. Way No 3448 (Bonavista)  
the sum of **seven dollars**  
in payment of allowance for week ended this date  
in connection with re-education.

\$7.00

Pension \$30.00

*W. H. Ackall.*  
Vocational Officer.

JUL 8 Recd  
*[Signature]*

BB/EB

November 12, 1919.

A. C. R.

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

ACCOUNT	
CH. NO.	19558 <i>Red</i>
IND. LEDGER	
PAY LEDGER	
GEN. LEDGER	

Please pay W. Way 3448,  
the sum of thirteen dollars and ninety cents,  
on account of board five days, and transportation from  
St. John's to Bonavista. Charge same to the Civil Re-  
establishment Committee.

\$13.90

*A. C. R.*

Major

For V. O.

*W. Way*

BB/EB

November 8, 1919.

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

F. C. R.

Please pay 3448 W. Way,  
the sum of Fourteen dollars and forty cents,  
on account of transportation from Bonavista to St. John's,  
and board for two days. Charge same to the Civil Re-establish-  
ment Committee.

\$14.40

ACCOUNT	
CH. NO.	19393
INITIALS	Cev
IND. LEDGER	INITIALS
PAY LEDGER	INITIALS
GEN. LEDGER	INITIALS

Shutter  
for Major For V. O.  
W Way



WWB/EB

September 25, 1919.

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

Kindly pay to Mr. James Crewe,  
The sum of five dollars,  
In payment of tutorial services to Ex. Pte. Wm. Way 3448,  
at Bonavista up to May 16th. Charge the same to the Civil  
Re-establishment Committee.

\$5.00

*W. M. Mackall*  
Vocational Officer.

ACCOUNT	<i>C. R. e</i>
CH NO	<i>11578</i>
INITIALS	<i>EW</i>
IND	
PAY L	
GEN	

*Edna Barnes*

*J. C. B.*

MAY 24 1919

Capt. Howley,  
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to W. Way, No 3448, Bonavista  
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**  
in payment of allowance for week ended this date  
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension \$30

*B Butler*  
for Vocational Officer

Recd. W. Way  
Per *[Signature]*  
May 30th, 1919

MAY 31 1919

Capt. Howley,  
O. I. C. Records.

Please pay to W. Way, No 3448 (Bonavista)  
the sum of **four dollars and sixty six cents**  
in payment of allowance for week ended this date  
in connection with re-education.

\$4.66

Pension \$30

Vocational Officer

*Rec'd. Payment  
Gross.  
W. Way.*

1918 - 1919

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 15<sup>00</sup>

Sep 2<sup>nd</sup> 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of 15 <sup>00</sup> Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
~~Balance~~

W Way

Ch. No. 2009	Initials EW
Pay Ledger 64	Initials W
Gen. Ledger	Initials J

Regtl. No. Rank

No. 3448

Rank PL-

Name Way W -



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 39<sup>60</sup>

Sept 16 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Thirty Nine 60/100 Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
~~balance~~

W. W. W.

Ch. No. <u>2644</u> Initials <u>[Signature]</u>
Pay Ledger <u>64</u> Initials <u>[Signature]</u>
Gen. Ledger..... Initials.....

Regtl. No. .... Rank .....

No. 3448

Rank *Pt*

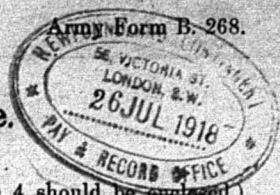
Name *W Way*

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# Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No.	<u>3448</u>	Army Rank	<u>Private</u>
Name	<u>Way William</u>		
(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)			
Corps	<u>ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.</u>		
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	<u>September 7<sup>th</sup> 1918</u>		
Place of discharge	<u>St. John's, Nfld.</u>		
1. Description at the time of discharge			
Age	<u>20</u> years <u>5</u> months	Descriptive marks.	
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>6</u> inches	<u>large scar across right shoulder</u>	
Chest measurement	girth when fully expanded _____ ins.		
	range of expansion _____ ins.		
Complexion	<u>fair</u>		
Eyes	<u>blue</u>		
Hair	<u>dark</u>		
Trade	<u>Fisherman</u>		
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable)	<u>Bonaville</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 filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)			
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>being no longer physically fit for war service on account of wounds received in action.</u>			
(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:—			
_____			
_____			
_____			
_____			
_____			
_____			
_____			
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*			

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

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

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

Classification for service, or proficiency pay... .. Class \_\_\_\_\_

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education .....

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

(Place) \_\_\_\_\_

(Date) \_\_\_\_\_

Commanding \_\_\_\_\_ Battrn. \_\_\_\_\_ 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

W W ay (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) 16/9/18

J Holland (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.)

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No Reservations  
w/ way  
J Holland



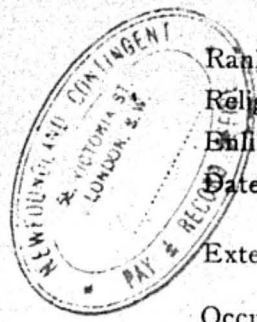
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Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number 3448

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.



Rank Pte Surname Way Christian Name William  
 Religion Methodist Age on Enlistment 19 years 11 months  
 Enlisted (a) St Johns Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 23/1/17  
 Date of promotion to present rank \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank \_\_\_\_\_  
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Occupation Fisherman Capt S Robertson Signature of Officer.

Date	Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
	From whom received					
				Embarked <u>Shampton</u>	<u>11/6/17</u>	
				Disembarked <u>Rover</u>	<u>12/6/17</u>	
				Joined <u>Battn</u>	<u>2/7/17</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>15/10/17</u>	<u>Q/c Unit</u>	<u>Wounded in Action</u>			<u>9/10/17</u>	<u>B 213</u>
	<u>Q/c St Andrew</u>	<u>Trans. to England ex 2nd Lt Gen Bonlogne</u>			<u>12/1/17</u>	<u>W 3083</u>
				<u>Capt J Heary</u>		
				<u>2nd Lt for Major</u>		
				<u>Q/c No 1 Infy Section</u>		
				<u>3rd Echelon</u>		

Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number **C.R. 3448**

**Casualty Form - Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps **2/1st New Zealand**

Rank **Pvt** Surname **Way** Christian Name **William**

Religion **Methodist** Age on Enlistment **19** years ..... months

Enlisted (a) **St John** Terms of Service (a) **Duration** Service reckons from (a) **23.1.17**

Date of promotion to present rank ..... Date of appointment to lance rank .....

Extended { ..... } Re-engaged { ..... } Qualification (b).....  
or Corps Trade and Rate.....

Occupation **Fisherman** Signature of Officer **S. Robertson Balf**

RECEIVED THE CONTINENT  
30 OCT 1917

COMPASS SENT  
DATE 26 JUL 1918  
TO M of M  
O.C. 1st Bn  
2nd Bn  
15/10/17  
J. S. Andrew

Report	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.
		Embarked <b>Shampton</b>	<b>11.6.17</b>	
		Disembarked... <b>Roover</b>	<b>12.6.17</b>	
		Joined Battalion	<b>2 JUL 1917</b>	<b>B 213</b>
		Wounded in Action	<b>9 OCT 1917</b>	<b>B 213</b>
		Transferred to England <b>at 2 West Ten. Boulogne</b>	<b>13/10/17</b>	<b>W 3003</b>

*[Handwritten signature]*

**J. J. Kearney**  
2nd Lt MAJOR  
B 1/4 No 1 Infantry Section  
6. H. Q. 3rd Feb

(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, Shoeling-Smith, &c.

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Hazelton Depot Camp

Date July 1st 1918

1. Unit 2<sup>nd</sup> Battrn Royal Newfoundland Former Trade } Fisherman  
 or Occupation }  
 2. Regimental No. 3448  
 3. Rank Pte  
 4. Name WAY, WILLIAM.  
 5. Age last birthday 20  
 6. Enlisted { on Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> 1917  
 at St. John's Hfld.

- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—  
 (a) Former Unit;  
 (b) Regimental No.;  
 (c) Date of Discharge;  
 (d) Cause of Discharge. } No.

8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.  
 (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).

L.S.W. Right Shoulder.

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. 10<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917
10. Place of origin of disability. Steenebeck Belgium  
*He states*
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.  
Whilst on sentry duty in front line trench he was struck by piece of shell fragment from arbig bang which exploded about 15 or 20 yds behind a barbed. He was sent back to England and was 92 days in Sandeworth Hosp. where he states the F.S. were removed and later skin grafting was performed. He was then sent to a Command Depot at Hixon and returned as unrecitab. Vide report attached  
Vide 3-2-178
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).  
Wounded on active service  
me  
na  
 (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.



There is a large scar 5" x 2 1/2" across the right shoulder over the scapula. It is very tender on gentle palpation. He is getting his arm and back massaged and active movements are encouraged. He is able to do no useful work here.

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.

14. If the disability is an injury, was it caused—  
 (a) In action?  
 (b) On field service?  
 (c) On duty?  
 (d) Off duty?

na

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?  
 If so—(a) When?  
 (b) Where?  
 (c) Opinion?

na

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

Yes "Removal of F.B. & skin grafting"

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

na

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?

na

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.

na

20. Do you recommend—  
 (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or  
 (b) Change to England?

Discharge as permanently unfit for active service

*[Signature]*  
 Officer in medical charge of case.

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

Station Hazeley Down Camp. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date July 1st 1918

\*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.

21. (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.

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

G.S.W.

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

23. Is the disability permanent? ✓

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

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

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? ✓

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.

yes. N + M. C. 1 tp. for massage + passive movement

29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 1275 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended? no.

30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person? no.

Signatures:—

Station St John's Nfld

Date Aug 24<sup>th</sup> 1918

John Dunean President.  
 [Signature] Members.  
 [Signature]

Approved.

Station

Date



[Signature] Administrative Medical Officer Major.  
 D. M. S. NEWFOUNDLAND.



Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Hageley Down Camp  
 Date July 1<sup>st</sup> 1918

1. Unit 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn. Royal Newfoundland Former Trade } Fisherman  
 or Occupation }  
 2. Regimental No. 3448  
 3. Rank Pte  
 4. Name WAY, WILLIAM.  
 5. Age last birthday 20  
 6. Enlisted { on Jan 23<sup>rd</sup> 1917  
 at St. John's, Nfld

- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—  
 (a) Former Unit;  
 (b) Regimental No.;  
 (c) Date of Discharge;  
 (d) Cause of Discharge. } NO

8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

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

Loss Right Shoulder

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G.C. Ist. Dh.		
Adm. Br.		

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. 10 Oct. 1917.
10. Place of origin of disability. Steenbeek Belgium.
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.  
He states.  
Whilst on sentry duty in front line trench he was struck by piece of shell fragment, from a whizzbang, which exploded about 15 or 20 yards behind the parapet. He was sent back to England and was 93 days in Woodworth Hosp; where he states the shrapnel was removed, and later skin-grafting was performed. He was then sent to Command Depot at Ripon; and returned in unimpaired view Report attached. vide A.F.B. 178.
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).  
Wounded in active service.  
 na.  
 na.
- (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.

There is a large scar 5" x 2 1/2" across the right shoulder in the scapula. His arm is in full palpation. He is getting his arm in better shape and active movements are encouraged; he is able to do no useful work here.

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

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

na.

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

- If so—(a) When?
- (b) Where?
- (c) Opinion?

na.

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

Yes.  
"Removal of 1 lb. of skin grafts"

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

na.

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?

na.

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.

na.

20. Do you recommend—  
(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or  
(b) Change to England?

Discharge as permanently unfit for active service.

J. R. Capt R. A. McC.  
Officer in medical charge of case.

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

Station Hazelton Down Camp

Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date 1-7-18

\*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.

CD 25-1-18  
Unsub 20-1-18  
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To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Way OF Christian Name William

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.



Birthplace:—Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

	SPECIAL RESERVE.	REGULAR ARMY.
Examined	on <u>23</u> day of <u>Jan</u> 191 <u>7</u> at <u>St John's Hld</u>	on _____ day of _____ 191 <u>1</u> at _____
Declared Age	<u>19</u> years _____ days	_____ years _____ days
Trade or Occupation	<u>fisherman</u>	_____
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>6</u> inches	_____
Weight	<u>128</u> lbs.	_____
Chest Measurement	Grith when fully expanded <u>37</u> inches	_____
	Range of Expansion <u>3</u> inches	_____
Physical Development	_____	_____

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O.C. 1st Lt.	_____	_____
2nd Lt.	_____	_____

	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks { Arm				
{ Number				

When Vaccinated never

Vision R.E.—V=6/6  
L.E.—V=6/6

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause rejection \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by (Signature) T. B. Barden  
(Rank) Leut  
Medical Officer.

Enlisted at St John's Hld on 23 day of Jan 1917

Corps. \_\_\_\_\_ Regtl. No. 3448

Joined on Enlistment 31 Hld Reg


Transferred to Newfoundland

Became non-effective by \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1911

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Rank) \_\_\_\_\_



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, etc., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
3 <sup>rd</sup> London Gen. Hosp.	14	10	17	15	1	18	G.S. W R Shouldered serne	93	Wounded in face 10.10.17	G.C. Hall Capt. Genl
N. Command Depot Rifon	28	1	18	30	1	18	Do	3	Unsuitable for command Depot	R. J. Harris Lt. Col. R.A.M.C. M.O. i/c Northern Command Depot, RIFON.
 Hazeley Down	21	FEB	1918	15	4	18	Mumps.	53	Recovered <del>discharged</del> & duty. Re-admitted for Scabies	H. P. Lawson Capt. R.A.M.C.
Hazeley Down	15	4	18	24	4	18	Scabies	12	Amplum Reuter, King's College. Recovered discharged & duty	H. P. Lawson Capt. R.A.M.C.







From:- The Commandant,  
Northern Command Depot,  
North Camp, RIPON.



To:- Officer Commanding,  
2/1st Newfoundland Regt.  
Hazeley Down Camp.  
W I N C H E S T E R

Jan'y 29th 1918.

The undermentioned having been found by the Standing Medical Board to be unsuitable case for a Command Depot will be despatched to you on Jan'y 30th 1918, in accordance with Army Council Instruction 1594 of 1917,

Your attention is directed to the Report of the Standing Medical Board below.

Please note that this man will be struck off the strength of this depot from the date sated above.

*D. S. Carter*  
Colonel, Commandant,  
Northern Command Depot.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Rank &amp; Name.</u>	<u>Unit.</u>
3448.	Pte Way.W.	1st Newfoundland Regt.

REPORT OF STANDING MEDICAL BOARD.

G.S.W. Rt Shoulder, France 10-10-17. There is a large tender adherent scar situated in the lower portion of the right scapula. Will be quite unable to carry equipment and therefore will not make A or B1 and is unsuitable for a Command Depot. Does not require hospital treatment. Came here from the 3rd London General Hospital, London. To return to his reserve unit.

Reg. No. 3448. Rank. *Sgt* Name. *Way William*

Attested ..... Address. *Bonavista*

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

Date of Allotment ..... Returned from Overseas. *4-8-18.*

Embarked for Overseas ..... Cause .....

*S.L. 4-8-18 to 18-8-18 Ret ~~18-8-18~~ 30-8-18*  
*24-8-18 Recd Discharge - Per - unfit & admission to*  
*to H. & M. - Gen. Hosp.*  
*31-8-18. Admitted to Caval & military convalescent Hosp.*

DISCHARGED - MEDICALLY UNFIT *30-9-18* *173*

CCD#AC

August 26th, 1918

From Officer Commanding,  
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,  
Militia Department

3448 Pte. Wm. Way

The above noted man was recommended for discharge as permanently unfit and admission to Naval & Military Convalescent Hospital by Medical Board held on Saturday, August 24th.

I am sending him herewith for your attention and necessary action, please, and have given him verbal instructions to report to D.M.S. after he has finished his business with you.

Copy to D.M.S.



## Descriptive Return of a Soldier Discharged on Account of Disability

**INSTRUCTIONS**—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Pensions and Disabilities Board.

This section should be completed in the Hospital at which a man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, or, if the man is not in Hospital, by the Medical Officer of the Unit or Command Depot. The Soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification depends on his confirming this declaration. The "Rank," "Station," and "Date" should be in his own handwriting.

The form will then be attached to the Proceedings of the man's Medical Board and will be forwarded to the O. i/c Records together with the remainder of the man's documents.

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

Name in full *Way William*  
 Regiment from which discharged *1st. Newfoundland*  
 Regimental number *31148*  
 Intended address *Bonavista*  
 Height on discharge *5* Feet *6*  
 Color of hair on discharge *Dark*  
 Complexion *Fair*  
 Color of eyes *Blue*  
 Descriptive Marks *medium*  
 Figure on discharge *—*  
 Christian name of Father *James*  
 Christian name of Mother *Charlotte*  
 Wife's maiden name in full *—*  
 Date and place of marriage *—*  
 Christian names of children *—*  
 Place and date of soldier's birth *Bonavista Nov 30<sup>th</sup> 1898*  
 Nature and locality of civil employment required

I declare that I am the soldier referred to above and that all the particulars contained in the above statement are, to the best of my knowledge, correct

(Soldier's signature in full) *William Way*

(Rank) *Plé*

Station *St Johns*

Date *Aug 20*

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.

*W. Burden*  
 Medical Officer i/c Hospital,  
 Unit, or Command Depot.

Station *St Johns*

Date *Aug 20-18.*



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 *Way* .....
3. Rank *Cpl* ..... 4. Regtl. No. *3448* .....
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded. *Bonaville, B.B.* .....
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *Jan 23/17* .....
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge. *No* .....
8. Relationship of such dependents. *—* .....
9. Address in full of such dependents. *—* .....
10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier? *No* .....
11. Were you on active service only in field. If so, give dates and particulars of such service. *Overseas* .....
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in field or Overseas. *from Jan 23/17 to*  
*Sept 7/18* ~~date of the former discharge~~ .....

*Wnt*



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

*No*

14. Have you already received any payment of Post Discharge pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amount you and your dependents have already received and by whom paid.....

*Gratuity*

*86.40*

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

*yes*

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

*No*

17. Are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity in the nature of Post Discharge Pay from the Imperial Forces? If so, state amount received, or to which you are entitled.....

*No*

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

*No*

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

19. Are you now serving in the Rest?..... If not give - (a) date of discharge..... (b) Reason for discharge.....

*No*

*Sept 2/18*

*Physical unfitness*

20. Did you at any time serve at the front in an actual theatre of War? If so give particulars of places and dates of such service.....

*France + Belgium - from June 10/17 to Oct 10/17 - Steenbeke, Broomebeke*

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com. (b) If so are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee.....

*No*

And I make this solemn declaration, conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under Oath.

William Way

Signature of Applicant:

Place of Residence:

Declared before me at:

This

14th day of

April 1919

John W. McCarthy

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public, Justice of the Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits.

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier.	Paid Dependent.	War Service Gratuity.	Net amount due
			\$ mes.	280 <sup>00</sup> / <sub>100</sub>
.....				
.....				
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Certified correct.

Registrar

*[Handwritten mark]*

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms  
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1917

Number of Sheet Just

Regiment of 1st New Brunswick

Signature of O. C. Company Frank Lloyd Capt.

Regimental Number and Name <u>5148 Way, William</u>		Enlistment Age on <u>19</u> years <u>7</u> months Place and Date of Enlistment <u>St. John's, N.B. 23.1.17.</u>		Trade <u>Fisherman</u> Religion <u>Method.</u> Place of Birth _____		Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay	
Joined _____ Date _____	Joined _____ Date _____	Joined _____ Date _____	Period of <u>228</u> years with Colours	Period of <u>365</u> years with Reserve			

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order disposing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>St. John's, N.B.</u>	<u>4/8/17</u>	<u>Pte.</u>		<u>Absent from Church Parade</u>	<u>Dr. H. Knight a/cos.</u>	<u>Admonished</u>	<u>5/1/17</u>	<u>Capt. C. Lloyd</u>	<u>Forfeits 1 day pay</u> <u>Rw</u> <u>cla</u>
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