

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2598 Name Herbert Denty Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Herbert Denty</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Traytown, Alexander Bay, Bosta Bay</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>21</u> Years <u>11</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Lumberman</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>No</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>No</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>Yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>Yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... | 10. { Name of the Officer who gave it to you? |
| 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> |

FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR

I, Herbert Denty, 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. A. B. B. Herbert Denty SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
H. M. Bridge Signature of Witness.

Herbert Denty OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Herbert Denty, 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 fully entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 26 day of Apr 1916.

Signature of Attesting Officer H. M. Bridge E. A. B. B.

† 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, 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)

C.R. 2598

Herbert Denty was attested for General
Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON April 26th 1916
Regimental No. 2598 was allotted to Pte. H. Denty

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia.

March 25th 1919

C.R. 2598

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

2598 Pte. Denty.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Denty OF Christian Name Herbert

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____ County _____

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	day of	191
Examined	on	25 day of April	on	day of
Declared Age	at	21 years 11 days	at	years days
Trade or Occupation		Lumberman		
Height		5 feet 5 inches		feet inches
Weight		122 lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	35 inches		inches
	Range of expansion	3 inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V==	6/6	R.E.—V==	
	L.E.—V==	6/6	L.E.—V==	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>James Parsons</i>			
(Rank)	Major		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at	St John's	at	
	on	25 day of April	on	day of
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
		1st Field Reg 2598		
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on	day of	on	day of
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

This form is to be used in connection with the physical examination of recruits.
 In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in this manual.
 Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number
 of that test.

Examination of Herbert Denty
 aged 21 conducted at C. L. B.

Date: Apr. 25th /16 Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST	FINDING
1	no
2	no
3	no
4	no
5	no
6	no
7	yes
8	yes
9	no
10	no
11	no
12	no
13	no
14	no
15	no
16	no
17	no
18	no
19	6/6 Ball
20	no
21	no
22	no
23	no
24	no
25	no
26	no
27	no
28	no
29	no
30	no
31	no
32	no
33	no
34	5'5"
35	122
36	32/35
37	400
38	Parents - Mrs. Simon Denty - Rebecca Bay
	no

2596

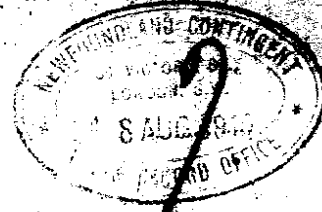
C.R. 2598

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

2598 Pte. H. Denty.

FORM K

No. 2315



2 1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Herbert Senty, Regl. No. 5098

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Dollars and 50 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 July 1st 1916.

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child or other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<u>2215</u>	<u>Wife</u>	<u>Mrs Senty</u>	<u>Prayton B.B. (Alexander Bay)</u>	<u>50</u>
		<u>Commencing 24/7/16</u>		
Total Allotment. <u>5</u>				

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.) Chas. H. Ayscough

Officer Commanding Company

W. Jones
June 12

1916

(Sig.) Herbert Senty

(Rank) Private

to 191

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

No. *2598*

Rank

Pte France

Name

Deputy A.

on the

14th of

April

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Died (a)

Intestate

at

on the

of

191

Deserted at

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

{ *Commanding Squadron, Troop,
Battery or Company.*

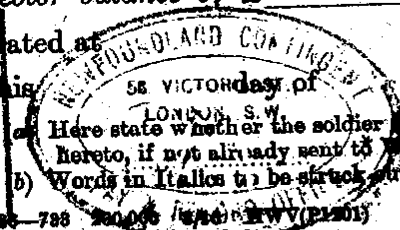
STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[Form 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.		Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month <i>14 17</i>		<i>14</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>6</i> ✓
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to				
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at from to				
	191				Messing allowance days at from to				
	"				Kit allowance				
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2				
	"				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)				
	Consolidated stoppage				Deferred Pay or Gratuity				
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>14</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>6</i> ✓	Balance due to the Paymaster				
		<i>£ 14</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>6</i> ✓			<i>£ 14</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>6</i> ✓

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 14 1 6 is correctly chargeable against the Public (a) CONTINGENT.

CHECKED.
4/6/19



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Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be affixed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
(b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

ORIGINAL FIELD SERVICE.

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36 or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT } NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT. Squadron, }
or } Troop, Battery } B Company
CORPS } or Company }

Regtl. No. 2598 Rank Private

Name DENTY, H.

Date April 14th., 1917.

Died Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 15/4/17.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

* State if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Place

Burial Date

By whom reported

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand.
(b) in Small Book (if at Base) do
(c) as a separate document do

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Signature of Officer in charge } *Doohie* Lieut. for Lt. Col.,
of Section Adjutant-General's }
Office at the Base } Officer i/c Records Reg. Inf. Sec. 1,
3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F.

Station and Date 3rd. Echelon, 22/4/17.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPH

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

Sec by

Check

Dated

April 26, 1917.

To

Mr. Simeon Denty,

Troytown, B.B.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London,
today reports No. 2598, Private Herbert Denty,
was killed in action April fourteenth.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary

FOR TYPEWRITER

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 2598 Rank Plt Name Denty Herbert

Enlisted (a) 20.4.16 Terms of Service (a) War Service reckons from (a) _____

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

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 56, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 56, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked Southampton		11.10.16	
		Disembarked Rouen		12.10.16	
		Joined Battalion		22.10.16	
		With Battalion		23.11.17	
		Killed in action			

Sgt. L. Bookill
O/c No 1 Reg Infantry
S. G. 3rd Bde

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) e.g., Signaller, Shocking Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

January 15th, 1918.

Simeon Denty, Esq.,
Traytown, A.B.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$78.09, being the balance due you as Administrator of the Estate of the late Pte. H. Denty. I also enclose letter of Administration.

Yours faithfully,

ENCLOSURES 2.

E/W.

Paymaster & ^{Capt.} C.1/8 Records.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$78.⁰⁹/₁₀₀

Jan 11th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Seventy eight ⁰⁹/₁₀₀ Dollars.
on account of Pay. Estate.
balance

Ch. No.	315	Initials	FCW
Pay Ledger	176	Initials	lll
Gen. Ledger	601	Initials	JAS

Regtl. No.

Rank



March 18, 1920

From: The Paymaster
To : The Secretary,
Ed. of Pension Commissioners for Hfld.

Re No. 2598, H. Dentz

The amount paid in continuance of
the above man's allotment is \$480.00

Major
Paymaster

AJI/EM.

May 4, 1920

From: Paymaster

To : Board of Pensions Commissioners for Hfld.

Re #2598, H. Denty

I have been directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of April 17th. (2064), enclosing cheque for \$480.00 refund of amount paid in continuance of the above man's allotment, and to thank you for same.

Capt.
For Paymaster.

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's.

.....1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. *2598* Rank *Sergeant*
Name *Herbert Dent*
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Mrs. Simon Dent.....(Sgd.)

Father.....Relationship.

Address *Traytown, St. John's.*

SEP 20 1921.

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

Mr. Simeon Denty (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 2888 Rank Pte.

Name Herbert Denty Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received medals

Signature Simeon Denty

Date sept 23rd

Address Alu Bay

[P.T.O.]

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Number of Sheet 1st

W. P. G. & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.
 (1944) W/2617/1134 1000m 6/156 03 56

Signature of O. C. Company Alderson

Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay

Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade							
No.	<u>2598</u>	Age on	21 years 11 months	Trade	<u>Landminer</u>						
Joined	<u>Sept 11 1916</u>	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St John's Newfoundland</u>	Religion	<u>Methodist</u>						
Joined		Period of	<u>354 days</u>	Place of Birth	<u>Newfoundland</u>						
Joined			<u>with Reserves</u>								
Place		Date of Offences		Rank		Cases of Drunkenness		OFFENCE		Names of Witnesses	
								Punishment awarded		By whom awarded	
										REMARKS	

Killed in Action 14.7.79

To be carried over

W. G. Rendell

C.R. 2598

Alexander
February 23/19

Dear Sir

Message with thanks: please receipt
of Both received scroll &

Yours Very Truly
Wimmon Duntz

C.R.