



# THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 4745 Name Arthur J. Rowe ~~Comp~~ R.C.

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

1. What is your name? .....	1. <u>Arthur J. Rowe</u>
2. What is your full Address? .....	2. <u>Cape George</u>
3. Are you a British Subject? .....	3. <u>yes</u>
4. What is your age? .....	4. <u>18</u> Years <u>      </u> Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....	5. <u>Farmer</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 .....
	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, Arthur J. Rowe 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.

Arthur J. Rowe SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

James Pittman Signature of Witness.

Arthur J. Rowe OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Arthur J. Rowe 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 Cape George on this 26th day of Apr 1918.

Signature of Attesting Officer James Pittman

† 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.....1918

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).....

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

Name Arthur J. Howe

Apparent age 18 years 0 months Height 5 feet 5 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 inches  
Range of expansion 3 inches

Distinctive marks .....

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY PRECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin George Henry Rowe Cape

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 L'epot	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>26-4-18</u>									
Joined at <u>M. S. S. S.</u> on <u>April 26-1918</u>									
				<u>Discharged</u>	<u>Admiral's Hospital</u>	<u>Jan. 11/1919</u>			
				<u>Discharged</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>26-8-18</u>		
				<u>Special duty home defence</u>	<u>Stephens W. King</u>	<u>2-9-18</u>			
				<u>Returns to Headquarters</u>	<u>22-11-1918</u>				
				<u>Remobilization</u>	<u>M. S. S. S.</u>	<u>11-1-1919</u>			
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>11-1-1919</u> [date of discharge] .....									
Pensions .....									

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The  
Royal Wfld.Regt. St.John's, dated April 29,1918.

#4745 Pte. A.J.Rowe.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Wfld.  
Regt. ~~St.~~ from 26/4/18.

C.R. 4745

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.

Regt. St. John's dated August 26th, 1918.

4745 Pte. A. Rowe.

Discharged from Barracks hospital 24/8/18.

C.R. 4745

Extract from Daily Orders, Part 11, UNIT: The Royal Newfoundland  
Regiment, dated Nov. 23rd. 1918.

SPECIAL DUTY.

4745 Pte. A. Rowe.

Returned from SPECIAL DUTY at Stephenville 22/11/18.

C.R. 4745

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld.  
Regt, St. John's , Dec. 16th, 1918.

The undernoted Man discharges on Demobilization ~~has~~  
been approved by O.C. Discharge Depot from Noted date  
~~that~~ he was removed from Depot Strength and transferred  
to Discharge pending confirmation by Officer I/C Records.

4745 Pte. A. Rowe.

14-12-18.

January 11th., 1919.

#4745 Pte. Arthur Rowe,  
Cape St. George.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge  
Certificate No. 421."

Yours faithfully,

Captain,  
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

Enc'l 1.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 4745 Rank Pte. Name Arthur Rowe  
 Intended place of residence Capt. St George

2. Occupation Fisherman  
 Classification of soldier A Medical Category Aii

3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of Demobilization

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.  
 Place DEC 12 1918  
 Date DEC 12 1918  
Arthur Rowe  
 Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, of all financial responsibility in my connection.  
 Place and date St Johns Dec 12<sup>th</sup> 1918  
Arthur Rowe Mark W. Plator  
 Signature of soldier Arthur Rowe  
 Signature of witness Mark W. Plator

## CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

6. I hereby certify that I am in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.  
 Place and Date St Johns Dec 12<sup>th</sup> 1918  
Arthur Rowe James St  
 Signature of soldier Arthur Rowe  
 Signature of witness James St

## STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 26. 4. 18 No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 14. 12. 18 plus 28 days Service 256 days  
261

## APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer i/c Records, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.  
 Place ST. JOHN'S  
R.H. Dainton  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
 Date DEC 14 1918

## CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed  
 Place St Johns, Nfld  
 Date January 11, 1919  
W. Howley Capt  
 Officer i/c Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 14745 Rank Pvt Name Rowe Arthur  
 Date of Enlistment 26.4.18 Address Cape St. George District St. George  
 Occupation Seamster Classification for Discharge A Medical Category ATF  
 Recommendation S.M.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating H-11  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 178a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 28.11.18 Arthur Capt  
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

Arthur Rowe  
 Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00
- (b) ~~Clothing Supplied~~ Joseph H. H. Snowling

Date 12-12-18 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. R 220 to his home at March Point Cape St George and Release Certificate No. 295 issued.

Date 12-12-18

O B Dicks R Capt  
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 11-1-19

Date 12-12-18

W Holey Capt  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 14. 12. 18

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	✓ 1	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	✓ 1	
F 178	W 3494	B 122		Board 1st	" 2	✓ 1	form Bv
F 178a	D 400A	B 1915	✓ 2	do 2nd	" 3	✓ 2	
B 179	D 400B	Form L		do 3rd	" 4		
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	✓ 1	do 4th	" 5		
B 179b	B 103	ME 2	✓ 1		" 6		
B 179c	B 120	M 93					

Date 12. 12. 18

O B Dicks R Capt  
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—  
Officer i/c Records,  
Board of Pension Commissioners.  
with following additional documents.

Date DEC 13 1918

R. H. Last Capt  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date Dec 16/1918

W Holey Capt  
W Holey

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Rawe

OF

Christian Name Arthur J

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Cape & George County Nfld

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	26	St Johns		
Declared Age	18 years			
Trade or Occupation	Teamster			
Height	5 feet 5 inches			
Weight	145 lbs.			
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	35 inches		
	Range of Expansion	3 inches		
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
		1500		
When Vaccinated	5/10/190			
Vision	R. E.—V=	6/10	R. E.—V=	
	L. E.—V=	6/10	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>Lamont Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	[Rank]			
Enlisted	at	St Johns	at	
Joined on Enlistment	on	26 day of Apr 1918	on	
Transferred to	Corps.	Medical 47405	Corps.	
Became non-effective by	on		on	
(Signature)				
[Rank]				

[ P. T. O. ]

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
<p>27.4.18 3.5.18 17-5-18</p>	<p>Nac. <del>BB</del> I. a. B. <del>BB</del> do <del>BB</del></p> <p><i>It is hereby certified that this soldier has been before a Travelling Medical Board and has been classified as</i>  <i>for Discharge on Demobilisation. Medical category</i>  <b>NOV 27 1918</b>  <small>Date of T.M.B.</small></p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> <small>Captain Assistant Adjutant Discharge/Post-Resident</small></p>

**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



## 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 *Arthur Rowe*  
 Regiment from which discharged *1st. Newfoundland*  
 Regimental number *4745*  
 Intended address *Mach's Point Bay's Edge*  
 Height on discharge *Feet*  
 Color of hair on discharge *Black*  
 Complexion *Dark*  
 Color of eyes *Brown*  
 Descriptive Marks *none*  
 Figure on discharge *Fair*  
 Christian name of Father *Henry*  
 Christian name of Mother *Maggie*  
 Wife's maiden name in full *Jessie*  
 Date and place of marriage  
 Christian names of children  
 Place and date of soldier's birth. *Mach's Point B.S.P. 11 Dec 1900.*  
 Nature and locality of civil employment required *Fishing*

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)

*Arthur Rowe* (Rank) *Pte*  
 Station *Princess Point* Date *Dec 10 1918*

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

Date

*[Signature]*  
 Medical Officer i/c Hospital.  
 Unit, or Command Depot.

## Civil Re-establishment Committee.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have had an interview with the Vocational Officer of the Civil Re-establishment Committee or other recognized vocational agent of the Committee who has explained to me the provisions made by the Committee for the industrial re-training of disabled or partially disabled sailors and soldiers as well as the readiness of the Committee to assist any returned sailors and soldiers (whether disabled or not) to find employment. My decision is as follows:

*To work at Fishing*

*his*  
*Arthur X Rowe* Signature of Man.  
*mark*  
Witness *P. Keegan*  
*Edward A. Bell* Reg. No. *4745*  
Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place *St John's*

Date *12/2/18* 191

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization: A

Report of Demobilization  
Travelling Board, held on soldier for  
discharge.

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date **NOV 27 1918**

.....

Regimental No. 4745

Name Rowe Arthur Pte

Address Marches St. Bay St George

Present Medical Category A II

Recommended for:— (a) Immediate discharge .....  
(b) ~~Standing Medical Board~~ .....

Members of Board {  
..... R.H. Lait Capt. .....  
O.C. Discharge Depot.  
..... L. Stinson .....  
Senior Medical Officer  
..... B. W. Borden .....  
M. O. Depot



**UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT**  
**For Information of the Separation**  
**Allowance Board.**

1. Name and regimental number  
of soldier in respect of whom  
Separation Allowance is claimed.

} *Arthur Rowe*

2. Name and age of  
said soldier.

} *Arthur Rowe, 18 years*

3. Is said a chronic  
invalid and totally in-  
capacitated.

} *Yes.*

4. Of what nature is disability?

} *Chronic Tuberculosis.*

5. From what date has this total  
incapacity been existent?

} *About two years.*

6. How long is total incapacity  
likely to continue and what will  
be the effect on earning power?

} *Not lifetime*

7. If not totally incapacitated  
by what per cent in your opinion  
is capacity for work reduced, and  
from what date?

} *Totally incapacitated*

8. Are you the regular attending  
physician?

} *Yes.*

Y      Y

9. Relationship to soldier of  
applicant?

}

I certify that the above statements are correct.

*Paul au Paul.*  
.....Place.

*August 22, 1918.*  
.....Date.

*T. J. McNeill.*  
.....  
Physician.

4745  
2772

Post au Post  
Allotment <sup>28/9/18</sup>  
Sep 1, et annu <sup>28/9/18</sup>  
we received  
7 Oct

Dear Sir, Mrs Henry Rowe of St. George's  
Point, Cape St. George, writes me  
that her son, Pte. Arthur Rowe, has  
inquired of her whether she has  
received his "allowance" yet. If  
by this he means an allotment,  
I may say that she has not and if  
any has been made her she has not  
received it, although I beg to assure  
you that she needs it badly.

The Paymaster  
Royal Wld. Regt.  
St. Johns

Yours respectfully  
A.C. DesBourcier

3041

will be forwarded  
- next day - month

March's Point Port-au-Pot  
Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> 1918

H-74's

The Paymaster  
Separation Allowance Branch  
St. John's

Dear Sir, I desire to say that Mr. Dubaudieu  
of Port-au-Pot made out a Separation Allowance  
Claim for me some months ago and says  
that he sent it to your department but  
I have received nothing yet. Will you  
please send me what is due me  
as I have an invalid husband and several  
small children to support and the  
only help I had is in the Army.

Yours truly  
(Mrs) Henry Rowe

4745  
or 682

October 31st. 1918.

Mrs. Henry Rowe  
Marsh's Point, Port au Port.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of October 26th, I beg to inform you that on the 7th. of November a cheque for Separation Allowance will be forwarded to you in payment from the date your boy declared his allotment up to the 31st. Oct. In future all cheques will be forwarded to you on the 7th. of each month in payment for the preceding month.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms  
B. 121.  
39.

Number of Sheet one

Regiment of Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Signature of O. C. Company Wm. Churchill

Regimental Number and Name				Enlistment	Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay			
No.	<u>Private G. J.</u>			Age on <u>18</u> years <u>0</u> months	<u>Accounter</u>				
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment <u>St. John's</u>			Religion <u>P.C.</u>				
Joined	Date	Period of <u>with Colours 261</u> years.			Place of Birth <u>Cape St. George</u>				
Joined	Date	<u>with Reserve 365</u> years.							
Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<u>Demobilized</u>	<u>St. John's</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>19</u>		

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.