



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 5591 Name Thomas Smith Corps Cpls

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. Thomas Smith
2. What is your full Address? 2. Boat Mr. Bay
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 32 years Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Fireman
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, Thomas Smith 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.

Thomas Smith SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
[Signature] Signature of Witness.

3/6/18 I, Thomas Smith do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.
The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at on this 3 day of June 1918
Signature of Attesting Officer [Signature]

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the
If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.
Date 191
Place } Approving Officer.

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

* If so, 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 Thomas Smith

Apparent age 22 years months. Height 5 feet 7 1/4 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 1/2 inches
 Range of expansion 3 1/2 inches

Distinctive marks

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mr Smith
Boat #1 R 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 <u>3-6-18</u>										
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>Jan 3-1918</u>										
<u>Discharged August 8 1919</u>										
<u>Embarked St. John's N.S. bound for Halifax N.S. 22-7-18</u>										
<u>to HQ for demobilization 24-6-1919</u>										
<u>Arrived Newfoundland 1-7-1919</u>										
<u>Demobilization St. John's 8-8-1919</u>										
Total Service forfeited as above.....										
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>8-8-1919</u> [date of discharge]										
" " Pensions " " " "										

C.R. 5591

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal Wfld. Re
Regt. St. John's, dated June 5, 1918.

#5591 Pte. T. Smith.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Wfld. Regt.
from 3.6.18

C.R.

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Extract from Daily Orders para 11, from Unit The Royal
Wilt Regt. St. John's, dated July 25, 1918.

The following man embarked for overseas on H.M.S.
"Columella" July 22, 1918.

#5591 Pte. Thomas Smith.

C.R. 5591

extract from Daily Orders Part II Royal Newfoundland Regiment
Depot St. John's dated Aug. 19th 1919.

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

5591, Pte. T. Smith.

No 8677/1628

100 200

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F.E.

From: NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Officer Commanding,
2nd Batt. Rul. Nfld. Regiment
Winchester. Hants

16th June 1919

5591 Pte. T. Smith

With reference to the following telegram from the Minister of Militia / / 19 (236):

"Pay to- 5591 T. Smith
£6. 0. 0.

Cheque £6. 0. 0. is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

18th June 1919.

Receipt hereunder

E. K...

Officer Commanding: *2nd Batt R.*

A. R. R.

Received the sum of *Six Pounds*

in respect of telegraphic remittance from the Minister of Militia.

T. Smith x

No *5591* Rank *Pte*

Witness: *W. R. Hodder*

August 8th 1919.

#5591. Pte. F. Smith,

Boat Hr.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find Discharge Certificate
#3644.

Yours truly,

Capt. W.

Officer i/c records.

RS/.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 5591 Rank Pvt. Name Smith T
Intended place of residence Boat-H

2. Occupation Fisherman
Classification of soldier E Medical Category A 1

3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of
DEMOBILIZATION
Eligible for War Service Gratuity

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.
Place, ST. JOHN'S
Date JUL 11 1919
Commanding Discharge Depot
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, of all financial responsibility in my connection.
Place, ST. JOHN'S
Date JUL 11 1919
Signature of soldier: Thos. Mark Smith
Signature of witness: J. A. Snowfoot

CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

6. I hereby certify that I am in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.
Place, ST. JOHN'S
Date JUL 11 1919
Signature of soldier: Thos. Mark Smith
Signature of witness: James O. Newman

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 3-6-18 No. of days on Military Service 432
Discharged from service 25-7-19 Plus 14 days

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer in Charge, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.
Place, ST. JOHN'S
Date JUL 25 1919
Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.
Place, ST. JOHN'S
Date August 8/1919
Officer in Charge
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

AB 5079/2644

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The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:— *6.*

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date *10.7.19*

Regimental No. *5591*

Name *Smith Ihs.*

Address *Boat St.*

Present Medical Category *A1*

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

Members of Board { *R.H. Last Major*
O.C. Discharge Depot.
..... *T. Palerson*
Senior Medical Officer
..... *D.W. Sinden*
M. O. Depot

128878

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 5091 Rank Private Name Wesley J. ...
 Date of Enlistment 2-6-18 Address Beaufort District Charlottetown
 Occupation Handyman Classification for Discharge 1-1 Medical Category A1
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 10-4-19 O. C. Discharge Depot Beaufort

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

i. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am in a position to resume civilian occupation Yes

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date

a. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable Yes
- (b) Clothing Supplied Yes

Date 11-7-19 O. i/c. Re-clothing

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. R2331 to his home
at Boat No. and Release Certificate No. 3485 issued

Date 11-7-19

J.A. Sawcuff
 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 5 5 - 119

Date 11-7-19

J.A. Sawcuff
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 25-7-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P136	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
F 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
R 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 11-7-19

J.A. Sawcuff
 Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—
 Officer in Records.
 Board of Pension Commissioners.
 with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

Date JUL 25 1919

A.R. Cooper Capt
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date

Civil Re-establishment Committee



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

To resume former Occupation.

Smith T.
Signature of Man.

Reg. No. 5571

J. A. Knowlton
Signature of the Vocational Officer or His Representative.

Place *At Johns*

Date *11-7-18* 191.....



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 *Thomas Thomas*

Regiment from which discharged **Royal Newfoundland**

Regimental number *3391*

Intended address *Booth St. R.F.*

Height on discharge *5 feet 8*

Color of hair on discharge *Black*

Complexion *Dark*

Color of eyes *Grey*

Descriptive Marks _____

Figure on discharge *M.S.*

Christian name of Father *John*

Christian name of Mother *Sarah*

Wife's maiden name in full _____

Date and place of marriage _____

Christian names of children _____

Place and date of soldier's birth *Booth St. 26 Aug. 1893.*

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)

Thomas Thomas
Rank *Witness* *(Rank)*

Station

Date

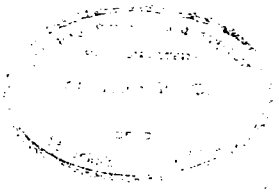
7.7.19

I certify that the above named soldier signed the foregoing declaration in my presence, and that the above description and details are, to the best of my knowledge correct.

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

Station

Date



NOTE.—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (xvi. or xvii.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P., or P. (T), of the Reserve. In cases of soldiers not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to consideration for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps... *Royal Household Cavalry* } Former Trade or Occupation } *F. Johnson*
2. Regtl. No. *2391* 3. Rank... *Platoon* 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—
4. Name *Smith* } *Thomas* } (a) Former Regts. or Corps ;
(Surname) (Christian Names) with Regtl. Nos.
5. Age last birthday. *25*
6. Posted for duty on..... at.....
in category (or grade).....
8. If the disability is an injury was it caused
(a) in action (b) on field service
(c) on duty (d) off duty? (b) Date of Discharge ;
(c) Cause of Discharge.
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state :—
(a) When (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity
(b) Where (if any)
(c) Opinion of Court

NOTE.—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 B (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case.

Statement of Case.

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here. (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "nil."

11. Date of origin of disability. *nil*
12. Place of origin of disability. *nil*
13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents. *nil*

August 18, 1919

Mr. T. Smith,
Boat Harbor, P.B.

Dear Sir:-

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

Yours truly

Captain & Paymaster.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who claims War Service Gratuity under Order-in-Council dated January 28th. 1919.

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration. There must be no blanks and no dashes. If any questions are not applicable, the words "NOT APPLICABLE" must be written out.

On completion this Declaration is to be returned to THE OFFICER I/C RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

Christian name *J. A.* 2. Surname *Smith*

3. Rank *Pte* 4. Regtl. No. *5591*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded. *Bank Harbor P.B.*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *May 28/18*

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. *no*

9. Address in full of such dependents. *no*

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

11. Were you on active service only in field. If so, give dates and particulars of such service. *Oversas*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in field or Overseas. *15 1/2 months*

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

no

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

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

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

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

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

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

19. Are you now serving in the R.A.F.? If not give: (a) Date of discharge (b) Reason for discharge.

July 20/19

no
Removal

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.

England

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

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

Signature of Applicant: *Louis X Smith*
 Place of Residence: *Boat St P.B.*
 Declared before me at: *St Johns*
 This *11* day of *July* 19*.18*....

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

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

OCT 20 1921 1921.

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

Thomas Smith

in respect of his service as No. 5591 Rank Pte.

Name T. Smith Royal Nfld. Regt.
~~Now in the Service of the Government~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received *The British War Medal*

Signature *Thomas Smith*

Date *Nov. 29th 1921*

Address *Boat Harbour, Placentia Bay*
N. Y. L. D.

[P.T.O.]

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Form
B 121.
39.

Regiment of Royal Newfoundland.

Number of Sheet

One

Signature of O. C. Company

C. B. Dicks Lieut.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay
No.	<u>5791</u>	Age on	<u>22</u> years	<u>Fisherman</u>	
<u>Smith Thomas</u>		months		<u>Religion</u>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>Sydney</u>	<u>C of R.</u>	
Joined	Date	Period of	<u>12-6-13</u>	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date	with Colours	<u>16 1/2</u> years	<u>Wants Point</u>	
Joined	Date	with Reserve	<u>3 1/2</u> years		

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Name of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>Hayley Barr Camp</u>	<u>3/10/18</u>	<u>Pt</u>		<u>Duty on Parade</u>	<u>Ser. Fagots</u>	<u>2 days C.B.</u>	<u>4/10/18</u>	<u>Capt. Piffy</u>	<u>1888</u>
				<u>Demobilized</u>	<u>M. Johns</u>		<u>8-19</u>		

To be carried over.

The Victory
Smith

Boat Harbour
Placentia Bay
Nov. 29th 1921

To the Officer in charge of Records.
Royal N.Y.L.D. Regiment
Dept of Militia
St Johns N.Y.L.D.

Dear Sir:

I have received the British war medal. but I did not receive the victory medal. I am writing to ask you if I am entitled to the victory medal please let me know if I am going to get the victory medal.

and I beg
yours truly
Thomas Smith

my Address. 8596 Capt Thomas Smith
Boat Harbour
Placentia Bay
N.Y.L.D.

Dec. 6th/21.

6591 Ex Pte. Thomas Smith,
Beet Hr. P.B.

Dear Sir:-

Receipt for British War Medal
received with thanks.

With regard to your enquiry for the Victory Medal,
we wish to state, that, as you had no service in a theatre of
war you are not entitled to this medal.

Hoping the above information will prove satisfactory
to you,

Faithfully Yours,

Lieut.

O/o. Records.