



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 2114 Name Ralph Johnson Corps

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

1. What is your name? Ralph Johnson
2. What is your full Address? Trinity Bay
3. Are you a British Subject? No
4. What is your age? 22 Years 2 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? Paper makers
6. Are you Married? No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,\* which? No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? No
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? No
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?... No
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? No

I, Ralph Johnson 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.

Ralph Johnson SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

E. Hall SIGNATURE OF WITNESS.

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

I, Ralph Johnson 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 Trinity Bay on this 24 day of February 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer R.P. Holloway

### 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 1916

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 ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

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### Distinctive marks

## Name and Address of next of kin

Trinity Bay

Relationship

Truly  
Father

(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.

(c)

(♂)

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(c)

### Christian Names

Date and Place of Birth

Corps in  
which served

Rgt. or  
DepotPromotion, 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

Service towards limited engagement reckons from

joined at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

Total Service forfeited as above.....

Total Service towards Engagement to

[date of discharge]

years \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_

### Promotion



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4. What is your age? 23 Years 2 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? Copper makers
6. Are you Married? No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which? No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? 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? Yes

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SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

E. Feb. 23.

Signature of Witness.

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Signature of Attesting Officer

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vis:—(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 Ralph Johnson  
 Apparent age 22 years 4 months. Height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 3/4 inches  
 Range of expansion 4 3/4 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin James Johnson, Trinity  
Trinity Bay | 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 20-2-16  
 Joined at St John on February 20/16

Discharged Admiral Oct. 5/1918  
Embarked St John's St. Station for Feb. 19/16 Embarked for B.C. 5/16  
Disembarked France 4/16 Rejoined Dec. 14/16 Admitted 7/16 Rejoined 18/16  
Discharged to have been 4/16 Rejoined B.C. 19/16 Rejoined 14/17 Admitted  
8/17 4/17 Shoulder 15/17 Sanitized to England 25/17 Admitted 32/17 Admitted 20/17  
Embarked for attached depot 17/18 Embarked for B.C. 12/18 Rejoined 13/18  
Admitted to C.O.S. France 10/18 Rejoined 14/18 Admitted 14/18 Admitted 14/18  
Embarked for attached Winchester 12/18 Rejoined 14/18 Admitted 14/18  
Rejoined Newfoundland 24-5-18 Rejoined 14/18 Admitted 14/18

Total Service forfeited as above.....

Total Service towards Engagement to 5-10-18 (date of discharge) 2 years 225 days

Pension

1



R. Jackson.

C.R.

Y/14.

P.L.O.

From Office Commanding  
15 Corps Main Dressing Station

To Office Commanding  
14 Newfoundland Regt

11/11/20.

Herewith a 7. B 117 for R<sup>d</sup>.  
2114 PR Johnson R. of the Unit under  
your command. On completion the  
document should be forwarded to the  
Office of a G. Office for attachment to  
the mans Medical History Sheet



Major Rame  
COMMANDING  
37TH FIELD AMBULANCE.

15 Corps M.D.S.



# Report on Wounds or other Injuries, received otherwise than in Action.

114  
Gen. No.  
4505.

## Certificate of Medical Officer.

No. 2114 Pte. Johnson R. 1st Newfoundland Rgt

was admitted to hospital on the 14-10-16 suffering from front wound Abdominal wall

Here insert "trivial" or "serious."

The disability is of a trivial nature, and in all probability will not interfere with his future efficiency as a soldier.

Here insert "will" or "will not."

Here insert "claims" or "does not claim."

He claims that he was in the performance of military duty at the time of the accident.

(If the soldier makes no claim that he was on duty at the time, the certificate below should be signed by him.)

Station Y Corps D. Str

Date 14-10-16

Phil H. McKibbin Capt R.A.M.C.  
Medical Officer in Charge.

## Certificate to be signed by soldier.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ hereby declare that the injury sustained by me on the \_\_\_\_\_ did not occur while I was in the performance of military duty.

{ Soldier's  
Signature.

Station \_\_\_\_\_

{ Signature  
of Medical  
Officer.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Certificate of Commanding Officer.

(This certificate will be completed only in cases of trivial injury where the soldier claims to have been injured while on duty.)

Here insert "occurred" or "did not occur."

I certify that the injury to the above-named soldier did not occur while he was in the performance of military duty.

If on duty, state:  
(a) The date of the injury.  
(b) The place where it occurred.  
(c) The nature of the duty.  
(d) Whether the soldier was in any way to blame.

† \_\_\_\_\_



The soldier has been so informed.

Station 1st Detachment

Date 14/10/16

J. L. Hadow Lt Col.  
Commanding 1st Newfoundland Rgt

This Army Form will be attached to the Medical History Sheet, on which it will be recorded whether the soldier was on duty, and whether he was to blame.

# LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

OFFICE 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, 28/5/17.

Regtl No. 2114 Rank Pte Name R. Johnston Unit Royal Hfld. Regt. who was Repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 7 / 8/18 Authority A. F. B. 179 Cause Class A

DR.

## STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

	PARTICULARS						PARTICULARS						CR.					
PERIOD: From 16/5/18 To 7/8/18	Balance Dr. from						Balance Cr. from 15/5/18											
	Allotment 145 days @ 50	71	50	14	17	11	Pay 145 days @ 1.00	145	00									
	Cash Payments: P. & R. O.			12	15	0	Field Allow 145 days @ 10	14	50									
	Acquittance Rolls B. E. F.			2	7	8				159	50	32	15	6				
	Hospital Advances			2	15	0	Other Allowances days @											
	Other Debits: Vr. 265	1	10				Other Credits: Vr. 265		50									
	Purchase per W. P. A.			1	1	0												
	Payment "H" Co. Depot			1	0	0	Ration Allowance.											
	Cash P. & R.O. 6/8/18			1	8	2	20/7/18-25/7/18, 6 days @ 2/1											
	Total Debits			36	9	3	Total Credits						36	9	3			
	Balance due by Paymaster						Balance due to Paymaster											
				36	9	3							36	9	3			

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

(Place) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date) 191

Made up/checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London, S.W.10 6/8/18  
and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.  
Pay & Record Office, London,

6/8/18 191

Chief Paymaster & Officer 1/c Records.

№ 2265



**1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT**

## ALLOTMENTS

1. R. Johnston

Regl. No. 2114

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 <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

[illegible]

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. *R. P. Holloway*  
*J. Lint*  
Officer Commanding  
# Company  
*S. Johns 24.*  
*May 24*  
1916.

(Sig.) *Ralph Johnson*  
(Rank) *Plt.*

N.F.D. /94

U.S. 712, 10/5/21.

1. No. 2114 Rank Pl. Name Johnson R. Unit 2nd Bn R. Newfoundland Who was Transferred  
Newfoundland on 5/5/18. Authority D.O. Cause Repatriation

STATISTICAL OFFICE OF ACCOUNT

RECEIVED  
NO. VICTORIA ST.  
10/5/21

[illegible]

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

Place Hopely Prison Camp Winchester 1918  
(Date) (2010)

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.

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

N.F.P. /94

With C.D. 7/15, 26/5/17.  
Regt. No. 2nd Rank Pl. Name John R Unit 2nd Bn. P. Rif. who was Transferred  
Newfoundland on 5/8/15. Authority D.O. Cause Repatriation  
STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be correct extract from the Pay Book of J. C. Coy.

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,

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records

### Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps *Royal Newfoundland*  
Rank *Pte* Surname *Johnston* Christian Name *Ralph*  
Religion *Church of England* Age on Enlistment *22* years *2* months  
Enlisted (a) *St John's* Terms of Service (a) *Duration* Service reckons from (a) *23-2-16*  
Date of promotion to present rank \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank \_\_\_\_\_  
Extended ☒ Re-engaged ☒ Qualification (b) ☒  
or Corps Trade and Rate ☒  
Occupation *Cape Baker* *permanently* Signature of Officer \_\_\_\_\_



Report		Signature of Officer.	
From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, Acc. during active service, as reported on Army Form B.312, Army Form A. 31, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty
		Embarked	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.312, Army Form A.31, or other official documents.
		1 MAR 1918	
		Disembarked...	3 MAR 1918
	Wounded in Action		
5772	Ad. Sw. Chest Trans	62 CBS	13/4/18 823 7/4/18
24 Gen. Ak			13/4/18 820 164 14/4/18
27.4.18	Transferred to England (Gaw chest - penes)		14/4/18 828 3034 14/4/18
		27.4.18	10'3083.
9.5.18			

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To	No	DATE
M. of M.	1/13/18	1/1/18
G. C. of M.		
Q. M. (in)		

1177

0.1/6/18

for label

100,000, 100,000

(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.



No. 2114 Rank PTE Name \_\_\_\_\_

Pay	F.A.	W/kg	Total
100	10		110
Less: Allotment			50
Net Rate			60

CHECKED.

Brooklands Mtg. Hops  
Weybridge, Surrey,  
May 28th. 1917.

Major Limerell,  
Pay & Record Office.  
Sir,

My brother, Ote George Johnstone 1930  
Wfld Regt. went over the top with us April 14th.  
and though I have repeatedly written to him, I  
can hear nothing of him. If you could  
give me any information of his present  
whereabouts you would greatly oblige.

Sincerely yours.  
2114. Ralph Johnstone.  
~~Wfld Regt.~~

Missing 14/4/17

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1414 WOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	2749
Rec'd.	MAY 31 1917
Ass'd.	
Ans'd.	1/6/17
File No.	528/1

**NOTIFICATION by President of Medical Board in  
the case of a soldier brought before the  
Board pending transfer to Class P. or P.(T.)  
Reserve.**

(To be completed and dispatched on the day on which the Medical  
Board is held.)

To the Officer i/c Records.

58 Victoria St  
In

The Soldier named below has this day appeared before an  
Army Medical Board at this station, and his documents are  
forwarded for transmission to Chelsea for the consideration of  
his claim to pension.

*Note.*—His transfer to Class P. or P.(T.) Reserve will take effect  
from 21 days after the approval of the General Officer  
Commanding-in-Chief, and will be notified to you by the  
Officer i/c Records concerned.

Soldier's surname.....

Christian names.....

Regt. No. and Rank.....

Regt. or Corps.....  
(If T.F. this should be stated.)

On transfer to the Reserve he will be placed in Class P. or P.(T.),  
and you will immediately furnish his address to C.A.P.I.O.,  
33, Baker Street, London, W.

3rd London General Hospital

Station.....  
WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Date.....

President of Board.

**NOTIFICATION by the Officer i/c Records to the  
O.C. Unit of a Soldier placed in Class P. or  
P.(T.) of the Reserve, in case of his trans-  
fer to the Reserve.**

(To be completed and dispatched without delay.)

To the Officer Commanding

The Medical Board before whom this Soldier appeared are of opinion that his disabilities have been caused or aggravated by military service, and his documents have been sent to Chelsea for the consideration of his claim to a pension.

In the event of his transfer to the Reserve, he will be placed in Class P. or P.(T).\*

\* Strike out Class not applicable.

Soldier's surname.....

Christian names.....

(in full)

Regt. No. and Rank.....

Regt. or Corps.....

(If T.F. this should be stated.)

Officer i/c Records.

Station.....

Date.....

N.B.—This Army Form will be left blank and sent with Army Form W. 3498(b) to the Officer i/c Records.

Brookland Mt Hop.  
Waybridge.

June 1st 1917

The Taysmouth  
Nfld Regt.

Sir

Please forward to  
me half a dozen applications that  
similar to the one enclosed.

and oblige

Yrs Sincerely

R. Johnston

2114 Nfld Regt

FILE NO.	2789
DATE	JUN - 2 1917
RECD.	
ACK'D.	
ANS'D.	5/17 5317/2
FILE NO.	

. 5317/8.

5th June,

7.

No.2114 Johnstone,

1st Newfoundland Regiment,

Brooklands Military Hospital, Weybridge.

1 6 17 (2789)



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/45.

No. ~~2777~~

Treasurer & Officer i/c Records,  
Newfoundland Contingent,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W.

Please remit per Postal Money Order to:

*Chk 2.00*  
*26/11*  
The Matron Brooklands Military  
Hospital, Weybridge.

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

Regtl. No. 2114 Rank Pte.

Name Ralph Johnson

Approved C Mayne

Matron Officer i/c

Brooklands Military Hospital.

*2788*  
*1917*  
*7/6/17 - 5247/12*  
Dated at June 1 cl.

1917

N.F.P.

5247/12

Matron  
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2nd June 1917.

Brooklands Military

Weybridge, Surrey.

2114, Pte. R. Johnson, 1st Nfld Regt.

Cheque  
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Receipt form on back of cheque to be completed before  
presenting at a Bank, please.  
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3rd L of Hospital  
Wandsworth

7-8-17

The paymaster of the Regt.

Dear Sir

one of my patients  
2114. Pte. R. Johnson. of the  
has permission from me  
of one pound. from  
his pay office.

Sincerely

W. H. H.

Approved  
S. C. Hall  
Capt. M. B.

Receipt no 3476

OK + \$  
ad. 21<sup>st</sup> 1917

S. John's Hospital  
Holmesdale Johns.  
Hastings.  
Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> 17.

To The Paymaster  
Sir

I should be glad if you  
would forward me \$1 to the above  
address, from my credit

I am sir

Yours respectfully

R. Johnson

Pte 2114.

1<sup>st</sup> N. F. L. D.

Approved.  
for J. Locke

M.O. IN CHARGE  
ST. JOHN HOSP. HASTINGS

1ST N. F. L. D. REGIMENT	BRANCH
HEAD OFFICE	
6458	
2 NOV 1917	
116751, 2/4/17	
DATE	

RECEIVED  
ACTED UPON  
[Signature]

11675/1

2nd, November

St. John's

Holmesdale Gdns. Hastings

2114 ..... Pte ..... R. Johnson

1. O. O.

COPY.

PROCEEDINGS of a Court of Enquiry assembled in the Field on the 25 October 1916 by order of Lieut. Col. A.L. Hadow Comdg. 1/ Newfoundland Regt. for the purpose of taking evidence as to how certain men of the Regiment were injured by a bomb explosion, on the 13th October 1916.

PRESIDENT.

Major J. Forbes - Robertson.  
1/ Newfoundland Regt.

MEMBERS.

Lieut. G.M. Johnson.  
1/ Newfoundland Regt.  
2 Lieut. A.M. Clouston.  
1/ Newfoundland Regt.



The Court having assembled pursuant to order, proceed to take evidence.

1st Witness. No. 1554 Sergt. A. Taylor 1/ Newfoundland Regt. states:-  
I came out with a Draft & arrived at the Transport Lines on the 12 Oct. 16. Next day about 9a.m. we were busy clearing up in Camp I noticed No. 2231 Pte. F. Small throw a bomb down in front of him about 8 yards away it was a Mills bomb but I did not notice the gandle fly off. The bomb exploded & wounded Pte. Small & two or three othermen. There were a great many bombs lying about the Camp, we had no bombs of our own. We were not on duty at the time. Pte Small was one of the draft & we had all thrown a live bomb before leaving the Depot.

(Sd). Sergt. A. Taylor  
1/ Newfoundland Regt.

2nd Witness. No. 2330 Pte. S. Lewis 1/ Newfoundland Regt. states:-  
At the Transport Lines on the 13th Oct. the day after my Draft arrived, I was sitting down with Pte. M. Taylor after breakfast. I heard an explosion & then ran for a trench. I found I was slightly hit in the hand & Leg. I did not know at the time how it had happened but heard that Pte. Small had exploded a bomb. We were not on duty at the time, I saw several bombs lying about in the mud. I threw a live bomb before I left the Depot.

(Sd). Pte. S. Lewis.  
1/ Newfoundland Regt.

3rd Witness. No. 2701 Pte. M. Taylor 1/ Newfoundland Regt. states:-  
I came out with a Draft & the day following at the Transport Lines on the 13th Oct., I was sitting with Pte. Lewis. I heard an explosion & found I was slightly hit in the leg. I was not on duty at the time. I did not know how the explosion was caused. I threw a live bomb while at the Depot, and I saw a few bombs lying about in the mud in our Camp.

(Sd). Matthew Taylor Pte.  
1/ Newfoundland Regt.

*2114 Johnson*  
*F. 2231 Small*

4th Witness. No. 2282 Pte M. Murphy 1/ Newfoundland Regt. states:-  
 I came out with the Draft & arrived at the Transport Lines on the 12 October. Next morning I was washing & the other men were clearing up generally. I saw Pte Small about 6 yards away pick up a bomb out of the mud. It was a Mills bomb. I did not see him draw the pin but I saw him throw it a couple of yards away. I did not see the handle fly off. The bomb burst and badly wounded Pte. Johnson standing next to me & Pte Small. Ptes. Lewis & Taylor were also slightly wounded.  
 There were lots of bombs lying about the camp. I threw a live bomb while at the Depot. We were not on duty at the time of the accident.

(Sd) Michael Murphy. Pte.  
 1/ Newfoundland Regt.

5th Witness. No 2698 Pte. A. Moore 1/ Newfoundland Regt. states:-  
 I came out with the Draft & arrived at the Transport Lines on the 12th Oct. Next morning I was cleaning my rifle about 3 yards from Pte. Small. I saw Pte Small pick up a Mills bomb out of some sticks. ~~He then threw the bomb about 6 yards away.~~ I did not see him draw the pin but I heard the lever click. He then threw the bomb about 6 yards away. It exploded and 4 men were injured. We were not on duty at the time. There were lots of bombs lying about the Camp. I threw a live bomb before I left the Depot.

(Sd) Albert Moore Pte.  
 1/ Newfoundland Regt.

The following men were injured by the bomb.

No 2231 Pte. F. Small	
2114 " R. Johnson	
2330 " S. Lewis	} slightly injured.
2701 " M. Taylor	

Signed in the field this twenty fifth day of October 1916.

(Sd) J. Forbes - Robertson Major.	}	President
1/ Newfoundland Regt.		
(Sd) G. Macness Johnson Lt.	}	Members
1/ Newfoundland Regt.		
(Sd) A.M. Clouston 2/Lt.	}	
1/ Newfoundland Regt.		

I am of opinion that the occurrence was an accident, caused probably through ignorance on the part of Pte Small.

(Sd) D.E. Cayley Brig Gen.  
 23/10/16 Comdg 88th Infy Bde.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY.

(Sd) J.M. Burchell, Capt. for  
 Officer i/c Regular Infantry Section No.1.  
 19/12/16. G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Pay & Record Office,

N.F.C. 7/20

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

191

Please remit to PTE H. Johnson enclosed in payment  
of 3rd London General Hospital  
the sum of one pound and eight pence in your  
on account of any balance that may be due to me.

per day (including travel) = 8

Regtl. No. 2114 Rank PTE

Name H. Johnson

Approved W. J. M. R. R. R. Officer i/c.

3rd London General Hospital

Dated at May 11th  
1918



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

10172/62

Esher Red Cross  
Shop.  
June 25<sup>th</sup> 1918

Paymaster

Please remit to Mr R.  
Johnstone the sum of Two pounds  
2 £

Regt. No. 2114  
Royal Field Regt  
R. Johnston

Escher

NEWFOUNDLAND  
PAY 5990  
June 25th 1918. OK. 2-0-8 up.  
Rec'd 26 JUL 1918  
Aclm  
10172/62/26/18  
approved. 7/6/18  
Hil Salbot  
Peter Red X House

10172/62

Red Cross

26th June 8

Esher.

2114

Pte

R. Johnstone

2:0:0

KB  
26/6/8



June 1st 1918



To: Regt. Poyman  
58. Victoria St.

Please deliver me the  
sum of 1 pound <sup>me</sup> £1. on  
account of Balance due  
me & oblige

No 2114

Pt B. Johnson

OK  
\$1.00  
1/6 1/8 4528

apron  
scall  
cape



3rd London Gen Hosp.  
London  
18-7-18

To Paymaster R. Newfoundland.

Dear Sir

Please pay to <sup>2114</sup>~~2112~~ Private  
Johnson the sum of L1 "one pound"  
and deduct the same from  
my account

<sup>2114</sup>~~2112~~ Private R Johnson  
OK'd. O.O.  
15/7/18.

Receipt No 8168.

approved

Wm Miller  
Capt. R.A.M.C.

FILE	BRANCH	18/7/18
3RD LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL		
No.		
18 JUL 1918		
WANDSWORTH, S.W. 18.		

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

Army Form W. 3016.  
(In Blocks of 100.)

No. 68928 Date 1 JAN 1918 191

- (1) To the Officer i/c Records, Newfoundland Regt  
58 Victoria St. S.W. (Station).
- (2) The Officer Commanding, Regt Newfoundland Regt  
Ayr (Station).
- (3) The Paymaster, Newfoundland Regt  
58 Victoria St. S.W. (Station).

Regimental No. 2114

Rank and Name Pte Johnson. P.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland

has been granted a furlough from 2 JAN 1918 to 11 JAN 1918

His address while on leave will be: 59 Grosvenor Road  
London S.W.

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

Officer in charge V. S. Stanbury Hospital,  
COMMANDANT GUYARD HOSPITAL  
EASTBOURNE (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.



Johnson, L

2114

Haycraft

COPY

May 14th., 1919.

From:- D. M. S.  
To :- B. P. C.

2114. Pte. Johnson, R.

Please note that the marginally noted man  
was discharged from the Naval & Military  
Convalescent Hospital May 14th., 1919.

CLUNY MACPHERSON,  
Major, D. M. S.  
Per

AMB.

mas' 

COPY.

This space to be left blank  
for the Chelsea Number.

Army Form B. 268.

## Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No.	K114		Army Rank	Private	
Name	Johnson Ralph.				
(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)					
Corps	ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.				
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c.					
(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)					
Date of discharge	October 5 <sup>th</sup> 1918				
Place of discharge	St. John's, Nfld.				
1. Description at the time of discharge.					
Age	21	years	9	months	Descriptive marks. Wound scars chest and back
Height	5	feet	7	inches	
Chest measure-ment	girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.				
Complexion	fresh				
Eyes	blue				
Hair	dark brown				
Trade	paper maker				
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable)	Mouly Bay				
(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 being no longer physically fit for war service on account of wounds received in action					
(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:—					
<div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 100px; width: 100%;"></div>					
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 480 was awarded in this case.					
					Initials of Commanding Officer.
Army Form B. 2068 has been issued to*					

To be filled in on the soldier's quitting the Colours.



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT  
HEADQUARTERS

*St. John's, Newfoundland,*

Sept. 23rd 1918

191

From Assistant Adjutant Headquarters

To Paymaster & Officer i/c of Records, Militia Dept.

2114, Pte. Johnson, R.

Above noted soldier was recommended for discharge as permanently unfit, and admission to N. and M. Convalescent Hospital, by medical Board held on Saturday, Sept. 21st. I am sending him herewith for your attention and necessary action please, and have given him verbal instructions to report to D.M.S. for his attention, when he has finished his business with you.

Diet :-

CCD/WFC

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



**COPY**

**Descriptive Return of a Soldier discharged on account of Disability.**

**INSTRUCTIONS.**—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital.  
Statement A should be completed in the Hospital at which the man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, and the soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification depends on his confirming this declaration. The "Rank," "Station" and "Date" should be in his own handwriting.

The Form will then be attached to the Proceedings of the man's Medical Board, to be completed by the Officer i/c Records when received by him, and will be forwarded by him, together with the remainder of the man's documents, to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, London, S.W.1.

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

**A Name in full** Johnson Ralph  
**Regiment from which discharged** ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.  
**Regimental Number** 2114  
**Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when** Trinity Upld Dec. 1896  
**Intended address** Trinity  
**Height on discharge** 5 Feet 7 Inches  
**Colour of Hair on discharge** Dark Brown **Colour of Eyes** Blue  
**Descriptive marks** Scars on back & chest **Complexion** Fresh  
**Figure on discharge** Slight  
**Christian name of Father** James  
**Christian name of Mother** Emily  
**Wife's Maiden name in full** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date and Place of Marriage** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Christian names of Children** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Nature and locality of civil employment desired** \_\_\_\_\_



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) Ralph Johnson

**3rd London General Hospital**

(Rank) 1st

Date July 17 - 1918

**Station** WANDSWORTH S W

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

**3rd London General Hospital**

J. D. Davies CB

**Medical Officer i/c Hospital.**

**Station** WANDSWORTH S W

Date July 18/18

**B Period of Service and in what Corps**

	Regiment	Years	Days	All Service Abroad with Stations	Years	Days
				India		
				S. Africa		
Disallowed	...	...	...			
Service towards Pension	...	...	...			
Date inclusive to which pay has been issued				Sum due on account of advance of Pension }		
Sums due on account of public debts						

**Rank on Discharge**

**Character (as on Certificate of discharge)**

**Where born, and on what date**

**Date and Place of first Enlistment**

**Trade on Enlistment**

**Cause of Discharge**

**Number of G.C. Badges**

**Medals**

**Wounds, and Actions in which received**

**Other distinguishing marks**

I certify that the above details of service and other particulars are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

**Station** \_\_\_\_\_

**Officer in Charge**

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Records.**

N.F.P./54

No.425.

From Pay & Record Office, London

To Minister of Militia, St. John's, "fld.

#2114 Pte. R. B. Johnson

Balance brought forward from "H" Co. as £1.0.0. should  
be £1.3.10 Dr. Difference. 3s.10d.

✓  
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 question 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..... *Ralph* 2. Surname..... *Johnson*

3. Rank..... *Pte* 4. Regtl. No..... *2114*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to ~~be~~ forwarded..... *Trinity Trinity Bay*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *Feb. 23/1916*

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued immediately prior to your discharge..... *None*

8. Relationship of such dependents..... *None*

9. Address in full of such dependent..... *None*

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

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service..... *None*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or overseas..... *1917 - 1918*

*Trinity Bay*

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.....

*\$84.78 by myself*

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.....

*none*

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?.....

*no*

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? ... If not give:- (a) Date of discharge.....

*Oct 5/18*

*no*

(b) Reason for discharge.....

*on account of wounds*

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....

*1917-1918*

*France*

*& Belgium*

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.....

*none*

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:

*R. Johnson*

Place of Residence:

*Proby, Trinity Bay*

Declared before me at:

*S. John's, Nfld*

This

*1st.*

day of

*March 1919.*

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

*John M. Carthy*  
*J.P.*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
13.12.18	100.10		5.00	350.00
			100.00	100.00
				249.92
Certified Correct.				Pymaster.

COPY.

Army Form W. 3494.

Information to be obtained from a Soldier (Regular or Territorial) whom it is proposed to discharge or to transfer to the Reserve Section W or W(I) in substitution for a man fit for General Service.

No. 2114 Rank Pte Regiment ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Name Johnson Ralph  
(Surname first)

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

*Wood Bunker*



2. State the name and address of your last, or any other employer before enlistment, etc., the nature of employment and how long you were employed.

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

*Light Employment*

4. What is the name of your Approved Society?

*\_\_\_\_\_*

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

*\_\_\_\_\_*

Date

*17/7/18*

Signature

*Ed Johnson Ralph*

NOTE.—This Army Form will be given to all patients in Hospital to complete who are suffering from a disability sufficiently serious to make discharge or reclassification in a category from which men are being transferred to Class P. or P.(T.) of the Reserve probable. In the event of the man being brought before a Medical Board for discharge, this Army Form will be produced to the Board, together with other documents laid down in para. 3 (ii), item 3, of Army Council Instruction No. 1912, of 1916.

When the soldier who is to be brought before a Medical Board is not a patient in Hospital, and in substitution cases, these instructions will be carried out by the man's C.O.

July 16 1/19  
Grand Falls

Mrs Howley. Dear Sir  
you Haven't rec'd  
any gratatued Money sence May.  
will you please  
look it up for me

5837

Yours sincerely,  
Ralph Johnson

address Ex Box Ralph Johnson  
Grand Falls

Ridallcherry  
MS

2114

14/19/19  
2114



# ORIGINAL

## LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94

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

Regtl No. 2114 Rank Pte Name R. Johnston Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 7 / 8/18 Authority A. F. B. 179 Cause Class A

DR.

### STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

	PARTICULARS					PARTICULARS				
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	CR.
Balance Dr. from						Balance Cr. from 15/3/18				
Allotment 145 days @ 50	72	50		14	17	11	Pay 145 days @ £ 1.00	145	00	
Cash Payments: P. & R. O.				12	15	0	Field Allowance 145 days @ £ 10	14	50	
Acquittance Rolls B. E. F.				2	7	8	Other Allowances days @ £	159	50	
Hospital Advances				2	15	0	Other Credits: Vr. 265		32	15
Other Debits: Vr. 265	1	10			4	6		50		6
Purchase per W. P. A.				1	1	0	Ration Allowance.			2
Payment "H" Co. Depot				1	0	0	20/7/18-25/7/18, 6 days @ 2/1			12
Cash P. & R.O. 6/8/18				1	8	2				6
Total Debits				36	9	3	Total Credits			36
Balance due by Paymaster				36	9	3	Balance due to Paymaster			9
										3

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

(Place) 191 (Date) 6/8/18  
Made up/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office O.C. " " Company.  
and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary. London, S.W. to 6/8/18  
Pay & Record Office, London,  
6/8/18 191  
OK  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

COPY.

Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number 2114

## Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Rank Pte Surname Johnston Christian Name Ralph  
 Religion Church of England Age on Enlistment 22 years 2 months  
 Enlisted (a) St Johns Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 23-2-16  
 Date of promotion to present rank..... Date of appointment to lance rank.....  
 Extended { ..... } Re-engaged { ..... } Qualification (b).....  
 or Corps Trade and rate.....  
 Occupation Paper Maker Rd J. March Major Signature of Officer.



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B 215, Army Form A. 26, 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. 215, Army Form A. 26, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...		<u>1-3-18</u>	
		Disembarked ..		<u>3-3-18</u>	
	<u>57 4P</u>	<u>Wounded in Action</u>		<u>13/4/18</u>	<u>2215 24/4/18</u>
	<u>24 Gen 4P</u>	<u>Ad Swchest Trans</u>	<u>62 CCS</u>	<u>13/4/18</u>	<u>SD164 14/4/18</u>
<u>27/4/18</u>	<u>— .. —</u>	<u>Transferred to England (Swchest post)</u>		<u>13/4/18</u>	<u>W/3034 17/4/18</u>
		<u>(Ugd) H L Filgate</u>		<u>27/4/18</u>	<u>W/9083</u>
<u>9/5/18</u>		<u>Maj Gen L Col</u>			
		<u>8th Bn 1 Inf Section</u>			
		<u>GN 2 3rd Battalion</u>			

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted in the Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.  
 (b) Signature, Shering-Smith, &c.

W. 2027—22000 10000 7127 (20000) C. F. &amp; S., Ltd. Forms B. 103 B. 104a.

P.T.C.



Aug. 30, 1919

Mr. Ralph Johnson,  
Grand Falls.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter  
of July 16th I beg to advise you that you  
have received all the War Service Gratuity  
cheques due you.

Yours truly,

Capt.  
For Paymaster.

October 8th, 1918.

Pte. Ralph Johnson,  
Trouty, T.B.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$42.40, being  
balance of pay due you at date of discharge, also  
certificate of pay.

I also enclose Certificate of Discharge,  
dated Oct. 5th, 1908, together with special form which  
kindly sign and return to this office.

Yours faithfully,

Capt.  
Paymaster & C. i/o Records.

ENCLOSURES 4.

E/W.

1918 - 1918

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 42 <sup>40</sup> /

Oct 8<sup>th</sup> 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Forty two <sup>40</sup> / <sub>25</sub> Dollars.  
~~on account~~  
balance of Pay.

Ch. No.	3668	Initials	EW
Pay Ledger	114	Initials	wn
Gen. Ledger	114	Initials	

Regtl. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_

*[Signature]*

No. 2114

Rank

Pl-

Name

Johnson, Ralph

1918 - 1919.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 15<sup>00</sup>

Aug 24<sup>th</sup> 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of fifteen <sup>00</sup> Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
balance

Johnson P  
Regtl. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Ch. No. ....	1559	Initials .....
Pay Ledger .....	114	Initials <u>we</u>
Gen. Ledger .....		Initials <u>J</u>



No. 2114

Rank PL-

Name Johnson J.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 10 00

Sept. 12 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Ten <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars.  
on account of Pay.  
balance

Johnson R

Ch. No.	2391	Initials	EW
Pay Ledger	114	Initials	WM
Gen. Ledger		Initials	02

Regtl. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Rank \_\_\_\_\_

No. 2114

Rank Pte

Name Johnson R.

1908-1719

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 15<sup>00</sup>

Sep. 28<sup>th</sup> 1918

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

R. Johnson  
Regtl. No. Rank

Ch. No. 2960	Initials. <i>EW</i>
Pay Ledger 114	Initials. <i>[Signature]</i>
Gen. Ledger	Initials. <i>[Signature]</i>

No. 9114 Rank PL-

Name Johnson R.



☒ This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph.

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of *Ralph Johnson*

aged *22* conducted at *Grand Falls*

Date: *Feb. 19. 16* Recruiting officer:

NO. OF  
TEST

FINDING

*Recommended.*

1

*no defect.*

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*Foreign service*

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13

*1 tooth to be extracted* -

14

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✓

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✓

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✓

18

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✓

19

*Both Eyes OK  
Fingers slightly flexed. not serious.*

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32

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33

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34

*no. 5-5 1/2  
136 lbs.  
32-36 3/4*

35

*134*

36

*28*

37

*150*

38

*mother*

39

*no one*

Signature of Examiner:

*A. B. Chant. Hain*

*2114*

*W*

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



June 30th., 1921.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 775), is forwarded herewith toPrivate Ralph Johnsonin respect of his service as No. 2114 Rank Prte.Name Ralph Johnson Corps Royal Nfld. Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

Kings Certificate July 26<sup>th</sup>

Signature

Ralph Johnson

Date

August 2 H. J.

Address

County T B



C.R. 2114

Ralph Johnson was attested for General Service with  
the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT on Feb. 23rd 1916.  
Regimental No. 2114 was allotted to Pte R. Johnson.

AUTHORITY:

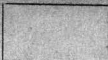
Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th 1919

*Originals*

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for the Chelsea Number.



Army Form B. 268.

## Proceedings on Discharge.

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No. 2114 Army Rank Private  
Name Johnson Ralph  
(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)

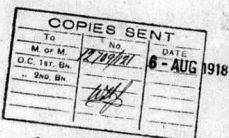
Corps ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c.  
(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)

Date of discharge \_\_\_\_\_

Place of discharge \_\_\_\_\_

1. *Description at the time of discharge.*

Age _____ years _____ months	<p><i>Descriptive marks.</i></p> 
Height _____ feet _____ inches	
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded _____ ins.	
{ range of expansion _____ ins.	
Complexion _____	
Eyes _____	
Hair _____	
Trade _____	
Intended place of residence _____	
(To be given as fully as practicable)	

(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 :—  
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Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2667\* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer. \_\_\_\_\_

Army Form B. 2688 has been issued to\* \_\_\_\_\_

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

Regiment or Corps 1st NewfoundRank PteSurname JohnsonChristian Name RReligion C of EAge on Enlistment 22 yearsEnlisted (a) Feb 23/16Terms of Service (a) Duration of Service reckons from NEWFOUNDLAND C. 1904

Date of promotion to present rank

Date of appointment to lance rank

Extended { }

Re-engaged { }

Qualification (b)

or Corps Trade and Rate

Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c. during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 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 Southampton	3 OCT 1916	
			Disembarked ROUEN	4 OCT 1916	
	12th Mch. Cpl. Lt. Colonel Abdomenez transf. Cpl.			14/10/16	E.D. 44129
	9 Gen. Hosp. Ad. Do Do		Louen	18/10/16	A.A. 3471
	29 F.B.D. Joined Ence Dep.		Louen	9/11/16	Sp. Fall
	Unit Joined Battalion		Louen	19/11/16	B213
	<del>1st Mch. Cpl. Admitted General Hospital</del>		<del>St. James of CCS</del>	<del>20/11/16</del>	<del>E.D. 6426</del>
			With BATT.	25.1.17	
15.4.17	Unit	Wounded in Action	France	14 APR 1917	B213
20.4.17	87 FA	Ad 1 trans. 5th W. R. P. H. L.	6.1.17	15.4.17	E.A. 3402
30.4.17	43 Hosp. Ad.	80	trans. 6.1.17	15.4.17	H.A. 8532
2.5.17	76th S. Hosp. Ad.	80	6.1.17	15.4.17	H.A. 8812

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.

(b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &amp;c.

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## Descriptive Return of a Soldier discharged on account of Disability.

**INSTRUCTIONS.**—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital.

Statement A should be completed in the Hospital at which the man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, and the soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification depends on his confirming this declaration. The "Rank," "Station" and "Date" should be in his own handwriting.

The Form will then be attached to the Proceedings of the man's Medical Board, to be completed by the Officer i/c Records when received by him, and will be forwarded by him, together with the remainder of the man's documents, to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, London, S.W.1.

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

A Name in full *Johnson Ralph*  
Regiment from which discharged *R Newfoundland*  
Regimental Number *2114*  
Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when *Trinity Newfoundland. Dec 22/1896*  
Intended address *Trinity.*  
Height on discharge *5* Feet *7* Inches  
Colour of Hair on discharge *Dark Brown* Colour of Eyes *Blue*  
Descriptive marks *Scars on Back, Chest* Complexion *Fair*  
Figure on discharge *Slight.*  
Christian name of Father *James*  
Christian name of Mother *Emily.*  
Wife's Maiden name in full  
Date and Place of Marriage  
Christian names of Children  
Nature and locality of civil employment desired

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M of M.	<i>12/10/12</i>	<b>6 - AUG 1918</b>
G.C. 1st En.		
2ND En.		

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)

*Ralph Johnson*  
3rd London General Hospital,  
Station **WANDSWORTH, S.W.**

(Rank) *pte*  
Date *July 18 1916*

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

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

*Dr James G. P.* Medical Officer i/c  
Hospital.  
Date *July 15 1916*

B Period of Service and in what Corps ...

				Regiment	Years	Days	All Service Abroad with Stations	Years	Days
Period of Service and in what Corps ...							India		
							S. Africa		
Disallowed ...				...					
Service towards Pension ...				...					
Date inclusive to which pay has been issued				Sum due on account of advance of Pension }					
Sums due on account of public debts ...									

Rank on Discharge

Character (as on Certificate of discharge)

Where born, and on what date

Date and Place of first Enlistment

Trade on Enlistment

Cause of Discharge

Number of G.C. Badges

Medals

Wounds, and Actions in which received

Other distinguishing marks

I certify that the above details of service and other particulars are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

Station

Officer in Charge

Date

Receipts.

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Army Form B. 121.

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Number of Sheet

Signature of O. C. Combs

Regiment of

Good Conduct Badge, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade
No.	<i>Johnson R</i>	Age on	<i>22 years 3 months</i>	<i>Libe Males</i>
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>Albany 12/24/16</i>	Religion
Joined	Date			<i>Cof E</i>
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours <i>2 1/2 years</i> with Reserve <i>1 1/2</i>	Place of Birth
Joined	Date			<i>Monticello, N.Y.</i>

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Army Form B. 121

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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B. 121.

Regiment of 1st New South Wales

Number of Sheets 1  
Signature of O. C. Company W. H. Rendell Major

Regimental Number and Name <u>2114 Johnson R.</u>		Enlistment Age on <u>22</u> years <u>2</u> months		Trade <u>Paper Maker.</u>	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
Place and Date of Enlistment <u>Edinburgh 24th 2/11</u>		Religion <u>R of C</u>			
Period of { with Colours years with Reserve years		Place of Birth <u>Trinity T. B.</u>			
Joined Date Joined Date Joined Date					

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order discharging with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS																								
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No. 2114	Name Ralph Johnson	Rank or Company	"A"	Corps ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.	23/2/16	G.C. Badges	Service or Proficiency Pay
Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet	2/5/16	No. and date of last drunk	in	Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine	Sheet No. 1	Signature O.C. Company, etc.	Character V. Good

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C.R. 2114

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft No.11 from  
And Bn. Depot to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Southampton, 3-10-16.

2114 Pte<sup>#</sup> R. Johnson.

C.R. 2114

Extract from daily orders part 11  
depot, St. John's dated Oct. 9th 1918.

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2114 PTE. E. JOHNSON.

5-10-18  
STRUCK OF THE STRENGTH ~~20-9-18~~ MEDICALLY UNFIT.

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C.R. 2 114

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

2114 Pte. R. Johnson

Discharged 5 - 10 - 18, "medically unfit

C.R. 2114

Extract from Preliminary Report of Medical Board held Saturday Sept.  
25th. 1918.

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2114 Pte. R. Johnson

RECOMMENDED DISCHARGE, PERMANENTLY UNFIT AND ADMISSION TO N. & M.  
CONVALESCENT HOSPITAL.

C.R. 2114

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 U<sup>H</sup>it The Royal W<sup>ld</sup>.

Regt. St. Johns, dated August 24th, 1918.

2114 Pte. Johnson. R.

This Man returned from Overseas and reported at Depot  
24-8-18.

C.R. 2114

Extrait from Telegram received from London, dated  
August 9th, 1918.

Following man embarked August 7th from London  
for Quebec being sent Home for discharge:

#2114 Pte. Johnson.

C.R. 2114

Extract from Casualties Received from P & R Office London.  
Aug. 9-18.

Nominal Roll of Repatriation Draft No. 70.  
Which embarked 7-8-18.

SENT HOME FOR DISCHARGE.

2114 Pte. Johnson. R.

C.R. 2114

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 By Lt. Col. B.J.  
Barton, B.S.O. Commanding 1Bn Royal Wfld. Regt.  
dated 29-7-18.

2114 Pte. Johnsen, R.

Having reported back from 1st Battn. is posted to "H"  
company. 26-7-18.



CR 2114

Extract of Casualties from Pay and Record Offices London dated  
22nd July 1918.

2114 Pte. R. Johnson

The above-mentioned ~~was~~ discharged from the 3rd London General  
Hospital on 20/7/18 and granted furlough to 29/7/18. Both marked  
111 Employment; classified Category B. 111.  
Authority: A.Fs. W. 3016.

C.R. 2114

Extract from Casualties received from P.A.R. Office London,  
May 11th, 1918.

Association Visiting Committee report condition of following  
men in Hospital:-

Improving

2114 Pte. Johnson,

C: 2114

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Nfld. Regt. in the field, dated May 11, 1918

#2114 Pte. R. Johnson.

Invalided to United Kingdom (W) April 22, 1918

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

Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated April 29th, 1918.To James Johnson, Trouty P.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London,  
officially reports No. 2114, Private Ralph Johnson  
at Wandsworth

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

J.R. Bennett

Actg. Minister of Militia.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

C.R. 2114

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Expeditionary  
Force --France, dated 25th April, 1918.

List No: H.A. 8650.

2114 Pte. R. Johnson

1 Newfoundland Inf..... GSW. SH. R.Mild .....Adm. 6 Sty. Hos.  
Prevent and Dis. to 30 AT. 17 Apl. 1917.

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Dated April 23rd, 1918

To James Johnson, Trouty, T.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London,  
officially reports No. 2114, Private Ralph Johnson  
at 25th General Hospital, Etaples, April 15th  
G.S.W. chest penetrating severe.

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

J.R. Bennett

Acting

Minister of Militia.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

C. 2114

Extract from War Office List No.H.A. 8812

NFLD. CONTINGENT.

#2114 Pte.R' Johnson.

Admitted 7th Can. Gen.Hosp. Etaples April 18,1918.

GunsWoy wound Left Shoulder slight.

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No. 39., 50 Other Banks from  
2nd Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regiment, to 1st Bn. Royal Newfoundland  
Regiment, P. A. T.

Embarked Southampton, 1/3/16

CR 2114

2114 Pte. R. Johnson.



C.R. 2114

Extract from Casualties received from Pay and Record Office  
London dated 2nd., January, 1918.

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From. Convalescent Hospital, Eastbourne,  
No. 2114 PTE. R . JOHNSON  
Furlor from 2/1/18 to 11/1/18  
Fit for 11 Command Depot.

C.R. 2114

Extract of Casualty list received from Pay & Record Office,  
Office, London, dated January 2.1918.

#2114 Pte. R. Johnson. ✓

From Convalescent Hospital, Eastbourne, Furlough from  
2/1/18 to 11/1/18 Fit for 11 Command Depot.

C.R. 2114

Extract from CASUALTIES from P.&R.O., London, dated 8th. Dec. '17.

TRANSFERRED from Military Hospital, Eastbourne, to Convalescent Hospital, Eastbourne, 6/12/17.

2114 Pte. R. Johnson

Authority: A.F. W.3119 from Conval. Hosp. Eastbourne.

C.R. 2144

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated December 8, 1917.

#2114 Pte. R. Johnson. ✓

Transferred from Military Hospital, Eastbourne, to  
Convalescent Hospital, Eastbourne 6/12/17.

A.F. W.3119 from Conval.Hosp. Eastbourne.

C.R. 2114

Extract of Casualty List received from P&O.,

London Dated April 29th. 1917.

The following r/b C.C. Bn 15.4.17. as "Wounded"

14.4.17. Has Previous reports.

2114 Pte. R. Johnson

1st. Newfoundland Regiment.

C.R. 2114.

Extract of Casualties from Pay and Record Office, London dated  
28th April, 1918.

List No: 100.

The following Casualties in the 1/1st. Newfoundland Regiment, with  
the British Expeditionary Force, are reported under various dates:-

2114 Pte. R. Johnson

Wounded.

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By

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Dated

April 25, 1917.

To

Mr. James Johnson,

Trouty, T.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office,  
London, officially reports No. 2114, Private  
Ralph Johnson, has been admitted to Wandsworth  
suffering from gunshot in left shoulder.

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

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 2114

SICK AND WOUNDED M.C.O.'S AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.WARWICK RECORD OFFICE.

7688 Pte Wildbere.J. 10 R.Warwicks.  
 17251 L/C Lampett.J. 1 Worcs.  
 8168 Pte Bailey.J. 1 do  
 24143 Titmus.A. 1 do  
 8088 L/C Hardman H. 2 do  
 21485 Pte Dean.J. 3 do  
 39509 Cpl Thorley.J. 3 do  
 8899 Dedwell.T. 10 do  
 42752 Pte Pyett H. 10 do  
 23677 Wareham.C. 5 R.Berks.  
 24049 Rolison.J. 11 do  
 32938 Liddell.W. 6 Ox& Bucks.  
 39596 Sgt Tansley.L. 8 Glos.  
 13266 Pte Wilkinson.B. 10 do  
 22410 Rhodes.J. 3 Worcs.

No.H.A.4072.

Dis to Base Dep.Rouen.Class A.ex Cen Dep.9 Nov'16.

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 do Class A.  
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TERRITORIAL FORCE WARWICK RECORD OFFICE.

3022 Sgt Taylor.F. 7 Worcs.  
 3247 Pte Dee A. 4 R.Berks.  
 5729 Rean.H. 4 Glos.  
 2573 L/C Quarterman.H. Q.Own Oxford Hussars.

No.H.A.4072.Dis to Base Dep.Rouen Class T.B.ex Cen Dep.  
9 Nov'1916.

do Class A.  
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2114 Pte Johnson.R. 2/1 Newfld.Infy.

No.H.A.4072Dis to Base Depot.Rouen.Class A.ex Cen Dep.  
9 Nov'1916.



C.R. 2414

SICK AND WOUNDED N.G.O's AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.YORK RECORD OFFICE.

LIST NO. H.A. 3977.

8409	Pte. Glenn, J.	7th Yorks.	Influenza. . . . .	Adm. 9 Gen. H. Rouen 5th Nov '16.	
20479	" Thornton, H.T.	9th W. Riding.	Trench Feet.		Do.
20415	" Thornton, T.	9th Do.	Myalgia.		Do.
28667	" Abbott, W.	10th W. Yorks.	Trench Feet.		Do.
24111	" Copestake, J.T.	9th Nth. Fus.	G.S.W. Hand L.		Do.
4880	" Marshall, J.T.	7th Yks & Lancs.	Conjunc.	Trans. to 5 Gen. H. Rouen ex 9 Gen. H. 5th Nov '16.	
6784	Sgt. Huby, G.	2nd K.O.Y.L.I.	Debility Edentulous.	To Eng. ex 9 Gen. H. 5th November. 1916.	
34968	Pte. Laidler, W.	9th Do.	. . . . .	Dis. to Base Dtls. Fit ex 1 Con. Dep. Boulogne 6th November '16.	
21358	" Horsfall, I.	18th W. Yorks.			Do.
21945	" Marshall, W.C.	8th E. Yorks.			Do.
22835	" Sanderson, L.	7th E. Yorks att.			Do.
		50 M.G.C.			
309	" Doyle, A.	17th W. Yorks.		Dis. to Base Dtls. Fit ex 1 Con. Dep. Boulogne 6th November '16.	
8/20739	" Mitchell, J.	16th Nthland Fus.			Do.
1184	" Edwards, R.	12th Y & Lancs.			Do.
14257	" Wright, D.E.	8th W. Rds.			Do.
3274	" Land, A.F.	8th E. Yorks.			Do.
12/401	" Allen, T.	8th Do.			Do. Unfit.
4515	" Bentham, J.	9th Y & Lancs.			Do. Do.
1032	Sgt. Rodgers, G.H.	12th Do.	Sick. . . . .	Adm. 1 Con. Dep. Boulogne ex H. 6th November '16.	
26590	Pte. Young, C.	8th Yorks.	Do.		Do.
179	L/C. Dodds, R.	26th N. Fus.	Do.		Do.
169	Pte. Wilkinson, C.	17th W. Yorks.	Do.		Do.
32/353	" Wright, W.H.	13th N. Fus.	Wounded.		Do.
18321	Sgt. Middleton, G.C.	12th D.L.I.	Do.		Do.
14543	Pte. Gardner, W.	15th Do.	Do.		Do.
34209	" Brown, F.R.	18th W. Yorks.	Do.		Do.
10406	" Newlove, H.	6th E. Yorks.	Sick.		Do.

NEW-FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

2114 Pte. Johnson, R.

1st Newfld.

Acc. Wd. Abdomen. . . . Trans. to Con. Camp ex 9 Gen. H. Rouen 5th Nov '16.

LIST NO. H.A. 3977.

C.R. 2114

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated November 3, 1916.

#2114 Pte. R. Jahnson.

Wounded accidentally 14/10/16.

✓

C.R. 2114

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.  
October 26th 1916.

2114, Pte R. Johnson. ✓

1 Newfoundland Regt. Acc. Cont. Abdomen. Adm. 9 Gen.  
Hos. Rouen 18th October 1916.

C O P Y.

Proceedings of a Court of Enquiry assembled in the Field on the 25th October 1916 by order of Lieut. Col. A.L. Hadow, Commanding 1st Newfoundland Regiment, for the purpose of taking evidence as to how certain men of the Regiment were injured by a bomb explosion, on the 13th October 1916.

## PRESIDENT.

Major J. Forbes - Robertson.  
1/ Newfoundland Regt.

## MEMBERS.

Lieut. G.M. Johnson, Regt.  
1/ Newfoundland Regt.  
2 Lieut. A.M. Clouston,  
1st Newfoundland Regt.

The Court having assembled pursuant to order, proceed to take evidence.

1. Witness. No. 1554 Sergt. A. Taylor, 1/ Newfoundland Regiment states:-  
I came out with a Draft & arrived at the Transport Lines on the 13th October 1916. Next day about 9 a.m., we were busy clearing up in Camp. I noticed No. 2231 Pte. F. Small throw a bomb down in front of him about 8 yards away it was a Mills bomb but I did not notice the handle fly off. The bomb exploded and wounded Pte. Small and two or three other men. There were a great many bombs lying about the Camp, we had no bombs of our own. We were not on duty at the time. Pte. Small was one of the Draft and we had all thrown a live bomb before leaving the Depot.

(Sd) Sergt. A. Taylor,  
1/ Newfoundland Regiment.

2. Witness. No. 2250 Pte. S. Lewis 1/ Newfoundland Regiment. states:-  
At the Transport Lines on the 13th October. the day after my Draft arrived, I was sitting down with Pte. M. Taylor after breakfast. I heard an explosion & then ran for a trench. I found I was slightly hit in the hand and leg. I did not know at the time how it had happened but heard that Pte. Small had exploded a bomb. We were not on duty at the time, I saw several bombs lying about in the mud. I threw a live bomb before I left the Depot.

(Sd). Pte. S. Lewis,  
1/ Newfoundland Regiment,

3. Witness. No. 2701 Pte. M. Taylor 1/Newfoundland Regiment, states:-  
I came out with a Draft and the day following at the Transport Lines on the 15th October I was sitting with Pte. Lewis. I heard an explosion and found I was slightly hit in the leg. I was not on duty at the time. I did not know how the explosion was caused. I threw a live bomb while at the Depot, and I saw a few bombs lying about in the mud in our Camp.

4. Witness. No. 2282 Pte. M. Murphy 1/Newfoundland Regiment states:-  
I came out with the Draft and arrived at the Transport Lines on the 12th October. Next morning I was washing and the other men were clearing up generally. I saw Pte. Small about 6 yards away pick up a bomb out of the mud. It was a Mills bomb, I did not see him draw the pin but I saw him throw it a couple of yards away. I did not see the handle fly off. The bomb burst and badly wounded Pte. Johnson standing next to me and Pte. Small. Ptes. Lewis and Taylor were also slightly wounded. There were lots of bombs lying about the camp. I threw a live bomb while at the Depot. We were not on duty at the time of the accident.

(Sd) Michael Murphy, Pte.  
1/Newfoundland Regiment.

5. Witness. No. 2698 Pte. A. Moore, 1/Newfoundland Regiment states:-  
I came out with the Draft and arrived at the Transport Lines on the 12th October. Next morning I was cleaning my rifle about 5 yards from Pte. Small. I saw Pte. Small pick up a Mills bomb out of some sticks. I did not see him draw the pin but I heard the lever click. He then threw the bomb about 6 yards away. It exploded and 4 men were injured. We were not on duty at the time. There were lots of bombs lying about the camp. I threw a live bomb before I left the Depot.

(Sd) Albert Moore, Pte.  
1/Newfoundland Regt.

The following men were injured by the bomb.

#2231 Pte. F. Small,  
#2114 Pte. R. Johnson,  
#2380 Pte. S. Lewis, slightly injured.  
#2701 Pte. M. Taylor)

Signed in the Field this twenty-fifth day of October 1916.

(Sd) J. Forbes - Robertson, Major (President  
1/Newfoundland Regt.

(Sd) G. Maconness Johnson, Lt. } Members  
1/Newfoundland Regt.

(Sd) A. M. Clouston, 2/Lt. }  
1/Newfoundland Regt.)

I am of opinion that the occurrence was an accident,  
caused probably through ignorance on the part of Pte.  
Small.

(Sd) D.B. Gayley, Brig Gen.

Commanding 88th Infy Bde.

26/10/16

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY.

(Sd) J.M. Burchell, Capt. for

Officer i/c Regular Infantry Section No.1.

G.H.Q., 3rd Echelon.

18/12/16.

C.R. 2114

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

2114 Pte. Johnson R.

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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— SEP 9 1921 — 1921.

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

Ralph Johnson

in respect of his service as No. 2114 Rank Pte.

Name R. Johnson Royal Nfld. Regt.  
~~North Foreland Camp~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Victory Medal & British War Medal

Signature Ralph Johnson

Date Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> 1921

Address Trinity, T.B.

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 2114 Name R. Johnston

To Certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above  
named soldier.

Name Ralph Johnson

Date Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 1920

Place Trinity, Trinity Bay.

H.B. For completion and return to the Department of Militia  
insert in corner of envelope "AB 64"

WJ  
25.10.20

Reg. No. 2114 Rank *A6* Name *Johnson Ralph*  
Attested *Trouty S.B.* Address *Trouty S.B.*  
Allotment Allottee  
Date of Allotment Returned from Overseas *24-8-18*  
Embarked for Overseas Cause

*4 leave 27-8-18 to 10-9-18. Reto 12-9-18.*  
*31-9-18. Rec-Bio-Per. Unfit & admission to H. +*  
*M. Con - Hosp.*

**DISCHARGED - MEDICALLY UNFIT** *3-10-18* *Do 1/3*

Septr. 23rd 1918

From Assistant Adjutant Headquarters

To Paymaster & Officer i/c of Records, Militia Dept.

2114, Pte. Johnson, R.

Above noted soldier was recommended for discharge as permanently unfit, and admission to N. and M. Convalescent Hospital, by medical Board held on Saturday, Septr. 21st. I am sending him herewith for your attention and necessary action please, and have given him verbal instructions to report to D.M.S. for his attention, when he has finished his business with you.

Diet :-

CCD/WPC



## DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO  
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA  
AND QUOTE NO.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

September 23rd., 1918.

From:- D. M. S.

To:- O. C. Depot.

2114. Pte. R. Johnson

The marginally noted man has been recommended for admission to N. & M. Convalescent Hospital by the Standing Medical Board.

As there is no vacancy in the Hospital at present there is no reason why he cannot be granted home leave, until recalled.

*Cluny Macpherson*  
Major, D. M. S.

*Ans. 20/11*  
*Issued 23 9/11*  
*B*

St John's, Newfoundland

October 8th, 1918

Officer Commanding,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
Headquarters

SIR,-

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

I have etc.

(sgns) J. M. HOLEY,  
Capt. etc.

1409 Etc.	Brake, Harrison	20-9-18	Med. unfit
2114 "	Johnson, Ralph	5-10-18	Do.
2178 "	Pitcher, Gilbert	"	Do.
2258 "	Earl, Raymond	"	Do.
3556 "	Gunnell, Felix	"	Do.
1079 "	Wilton, Am. F.	8-10-18	

## Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

1. Unit *Rgt. 21st.*7. Former Trade } *Paper mill Worker.*  
or Occupation }2. Regimental No. *7114*

7A. If with previous service in Army, state—

3. Rank *PL*

(a) Former Unit;

4. Name *JOHNSON Ralph*

(b) Regimental No.;

5. Age last birthday *22*

(c) Date of Discharge;

6. Enlisted { on *19 Feb 1916*  
at *S. Johnston*

(d) Cause of Discharge.

## 8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question 11.)

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## 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.

*12-4-18*

10. Place of origin of disability.

*American*

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 he was wounded with a rifle bullet, entering the upper arm about an inch below coracoid process, and at inferior angle of scapula (L) the bullet being fractured.*  
*Wound healed in 5 days duration.*  
*admitted 3-7-18. S. Johnston 27-4-18.*  
*Discharged 21-7-18. { permanent unfit*  
*vide. AF B 1781179.*

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

(a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).

(b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.

(c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &amp;c.

*wounded on active service.**h.a.**h.a.*

## Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

1. Unit *Rifles Regt.*2. Regimental No. *2114*3. Rank *Plt.*4. Name *JOHNSON Ralph*5. Age last birthday *22*6. Enlisted { on *19 Feb. 1911*  
at *B. B. N. F.*7. Former Trade } *Paper mill Worker.*  
or Occupation }

7a. If with previous service in Army, state—

(a) Former Unit;

(b) Regimental No.;

(c) Date of Discharge;

(d) Cause of Discharge.

## 8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question 9.)

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## 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. *12-4-11*10. Place of origin of disability. *America*

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 he was wounded with a rifle bullet, it entering the upper part about 1" below <sup>level</sup> coracoid process. exit at inferior angle of scapula (b) the 5th rib being fractured. Wound healed in 5 days duration. Admitted 3<sup>rd</sup> S. A. H. 27-4-11. Discharged 30-7-11. { <sup>Bill</sup> permanent unfit. *Visc. AF B 17-11-11.**

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

(a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).

(b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.

(c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &amp;c.

*wounded in active service.**na.**na.*



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.*

Drooping flesh should be entirely thinned or  
incubated weakness. ordered for  
of the three proteins. absence of right  
left bone: diminished teeth and  
Pain over breast seen in slight pressure.  
Heart sound weak.  
trouble to carry food. ∴ kept for  
further active service.

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

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

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

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- If so—(a) When?

- (b) Where?
- (c) Opinion?

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

no

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

h.

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.

Recess Tow Left Shoulder  
(Acroscapula).

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

Drachage as previously agreed  
for further future service.  
D.R. 24  
Cap. Rone.

Officer in medical charge of case.

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

Station \_\_\_\_\_

Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*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.

Original

Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station 2<sup>d</sup> London General Hospital

Date 18-7-18

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|----------------------|---|--|--------------------------|
| 1. Unit              | <u>R. Newfoundland</u>                            | 7. Former Trade or Occupation                | <u>Paper-Mill Worker</u> |
| 2. Regimental No.    | <u>2114</u>                                       | 7a. If with previous service in Army, state— |                          |
| 3. Rank              | <u>Private</u>                                    | (a) Former Unit;                             | } <u>N/A</u>             |
| 4. Name              | <u>Johnson Ralph</u>                              | (b) Regimental No.;                          |                          |
| 5. Age last birthday | <u>22</u>   | (c) Date of Discharge;                       |                          |
| 6. Enlisted          | { on <u>January 1916.</u><br>at <u>St. John's</u> | (d) Cause of Discharge.                      |                          |

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

G. S. W. Chas (T.F.) fracture of 5<sup>th</sup> Rib left side.

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. 12-4-18.
10. Place of origin of disability. Bruxelles.
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.
- Received T.F. wounds of L. Chest. Wounds being in front in right ant-wall of 5<sup>th</sup> rib at an oblique angle of h. Scapula, the 5<sup>th</sup> rib being fractured. There was haemoptoe of 5 days duration. Wound healed 7<sup>th</sup> rib chest soon became normal. Admitted here on 27-4-18.
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).
- G. S. W. Active Service.
- (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
- (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.

13. What is his present condition?

Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.

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

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

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

If so—(a) When?

(b) Where?

(c) Opinion?

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

No.

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

18. In case of loss or decay of teeth. Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly\* attributable to active service?

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

Remains wounds in back (April 1917).

20. Do you recommend—

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

Reclassification.

A. H. Davies C.B.

Officer in medical charge of case.

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

Station 2nd London Gen. Hosp. Sec

Date 19-7-18

H. E. Duncanson

Officer in charge of Hospital.

Col A. J. S.

Comdg. 3rd. London Gen. Hospital.

\*Loss of teeth on or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

# Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES.—(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as, in the event of the man being invalided, it is essential that the Minister of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him to decide upon the man's claim to pension.

(ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.

(iii.) *The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is, (a) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (b) due to causes not connected with present war, viz. (1) earlier active service, (2) climatic disease in pre-war service, (3) ordinary military service before the war. It is, therefore, essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.*

(iv.) In answering question 21 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

(v.) A disability is to be regarded as due to climate when it is caused by military service abroad in climates where there is a special liability to contract the disease.

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

(i.) Service during the present war;

(ii.) Climate;

(iii.) Ordinary military service;

(iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.; or

(v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary.

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

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 orthopedic training) is desirable in a—

(a) Sanatorium;

(b) Hospital;

(c) Convalescent home;

(d) Asylum; or

(e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended.

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

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

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To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisted in the Regular Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname JohnsonChristian Name Ralph

5 - JAN 1918

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish

County

		SPECIAL RESERVE.																		
Examined	on 19 day of February 1916	at St. John's, Nfld.	at	day of	191															
Declared Age	22 years	days	years	days																
Trade or Occupation																				
Height	5 feet 5½ inches																			
Weight	136 lbs.																			
Chest Measure-ment	Girth when fully expanded... 36¾ inches Range of expansion... 4¾ inches																			
Physical Development																				
Vaccination Marks	Arm... Number...	Right	Left	Right	Left															
When Vaccinated																				
Vision	R.E.—V= 4/6 L.E.—V= 6/6			R.E.—V=	L.E.—V=															
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(Rank)	Capt		Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.															
Enlisted	at St. John's	on 19 day of Feb 1916	at	day of	191															
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.																
Transferred to	1st Nfld. Reg. 2114 ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT Newfoundland.																			
Became non-effective by	on	day of	191	on	day of															
(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 further use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and readmissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
3 <sup>rd</sup> LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH	24	4	17	29	8	17	G. S. W. (Shropshire) 125 L. shoulder scar	25	Wounded in France 14.4.17. Since still open 13.6.17 In Sumner C.H. Eastbourne.	G. C. Hall Capt. Inf.
<i>Spencer Carlson</i> ST. JOHN HOSPITAL LONDON	27	8	17	29	10	17	— " —	64	Wound not healed on admission. Discharging inner limb. Has attended Gymnasium but has not improved. Is transferred for further treatment to M.A. Carlisle	G. Brooks Capt. R.A.M.C.
McClary Convalescent Hq. Eastbourne	29	10	17				— " —		Transferred to M.A. Carlisle - wound healed.	Devenney M.D. ST. JOHN HOSPITAL, HASTINGS.
6	12	17	2	1	18		— do —	27	Fit to go back to command depot.	Capt. Brooks Capt. R.A.M.C.
3 <sup>rd</sup> LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH	27	11	18				G. S. W. Chest RT. pleurisy Left side		Board held see overleaf. G. S. W. does not face of 5 <sup>th</sup> rib. Left side thick and scales of bone is unable to raise shoulder more than 100% Total incapability bearing weight of 100% Now active service	G. C. Hall Capt. Inf.







Information to be obtained from a Soldier (Regular or Territorial) whom it is proposed to discharge or to transfer to the Reserve Section W or W(I) in substitution for a man fit for General Service.

No. 2114 Rank pl Regiment 1st New York  
 Name Johnson, Ralph  
 (Surname first)

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

Wood Barker

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2. State the name and address of your last, or any other employer before enlistment, etc., the nature of employment and how long you were employed.

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

*Light Employment*

4. What is the name of your Approved Society?

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

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Date

*17/7/18*

Signature

*James Ralph*

NOTE.—This Army Form will be given to all patients in Hospital to complete who are suffering from a disability sufficiently serious to make discharge or reclassification in a category from which men are being transferred to Class P. or P.(T.) of the Reserve probable. In the event of the man being brought before a Medical Board for discharge, this Army Form will be produced to the Board, together with other documents laid down in para. 3 (ii.), item 3, of Army Council Instruction No. 1012, of 1916.

When the soldier who is to be brought before a Medical Board is not a patient in Hospital, and in substitution cases, these instructions will be carried out by the man's C.O.