

3972



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 3972 Name Cecil Blackmore Corps S A

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

- 1. What is your name? ..... 1. Cecil W. Blackmore
- 2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. Belle Isle
- 3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
- 4. What is your age? ..... 4. 19 Years 8 Months
- 5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Miner
- 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, Cecil W. Blackmore 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.

Cecil W. Blackmore.....SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Brendan Sinnott.....Signature of Witness.

13-10-17

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

Cecil W. Blackmore 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 St. John's on this 13 day of Oct 1917

Signature of Attesting Officer ..... W. King

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

† 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

3972

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

Name Cecil W. Blackmore  
 Apparent age 18 years 8 months. Height 5 feet 7 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 33 inches  
 Range of expansion 3 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Elijah Blackmore  
Belle Island | 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>13-10-17</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>October 13-17</u>									
<u>Discharged July 30 1919</u>									
<u>Embarked at St John's N. Novet to Halifax N.S. 29<sup>th</sup> 18.</u>									
<u>To Newfoundland for demobilization 24-6-19.</u>									
<u>Arrived Newfoundland 1-7-1919.</u>									
<u>Demobilization St John's 30-7-19</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 30-7-19 (date of discharge) 1 years 291 days  
 " " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Blackmore OF Christian Name Reid M.

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Bell Island County \_\_\_\_\_

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	13	Oct	1917	191
Declared Age	18	years	8	days
Trade or Occupation	Miner.		years	days
Height	5	feet	7	inches
Weight	114	lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	33	inches	inches
	Range of Expansion	3	inches	inches
Physical Development	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks	Arms			
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=	6/9	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/9	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Samuel P. ...</i>			
(Rank)	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	St John's, J. F.	at	
	on	13	on	day of 1917
	Corps.		Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment	1.5.17, J.F.D. 3972			
Transferred to	Regt.			
Became non-effective by	on	day of	on	day of 191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick list in case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In case of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, etc., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
Bazeley Down	16	9	18	23	SEP	1918	Fistula in ano	7	Transferred to Genl. M. T. for further treatment	Morse MAJOR, R.A.M.C. (S.P.)
	23	9	19	30	1	19	— do —	730	Operative. Abscess removed from perineum - healed -	Thomson, Col. R.S.C.



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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
6-11-17	Vacc. 20
19-10-17	T.A.B. 20
29-10-17	Do. 20
4-11-17	" 20

*It is hereby certified that this soldier has been before a Travelling Medical Board, and has been classified as*

*16 for Discharge on Demobilization. Medical category*

*July 15/19*  
Date of F.F.S.

*[Signature]*  
Captain  
Discharge Board

Table IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation



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

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

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

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

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

Name in full *Blackmore, Cecil*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *3972.*

Intended address *Bill Island.*

Height on discharge *5 Feet 7*

Color of hair on discharge *Dark Brown*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Brown*

Descriptive Marks

Figure on discharge *Medium*

Christian name of Father *Elijah*

Christian name of Mother *Jane*

Wife's maiden name in full

Date and place of marriage

Christian names of children

Place and date of soldier's birth *Pelly Island. 10-9-1898*

Nature and locality of civil employment required

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

(Soldier's signature in full) *Cecil Blackmore*

*Private*  
(Rank)

Station **ST. JOHN'S.**

Date *15-7-19*

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

**Transfer Statement of Clothing and Necessaries.**

INSTRUCTIONS—This Statement will be made out by the Depot and will be sent to the Commanding Officer of the unit receiving the transfer, who will retain it as a voucher to the unit's Clothing Account. The Statement will also be forwarded in the case of men in the United Kingdom passing from Hospitals to Depots or units.

STATEMENT showing the Articles in possession of (Regimental No.,

Rank and Name) 3972 Private W.C. Blackmore  
 proceeding from the Mil Hosp. Hazley Down  
 to the General Mil Hosp Winchester

Date of Enlistment \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Transfer 23<sup>rd</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> 1918

**FOR DETAIL OF ARTICLES, see overleaf.**

Certified that this Statement, as detailed overleaf, is correct in every particular.

(1) Station \_\_\_\_\_



Date \_\_\_\_\_

B. Morse

Commanding Squadron, Battery, \_\_\_\_\_

OFFICER in CHARGE MILITARY HOSPITAL.

Name of Unit man is leaving.

(2) Station \_\_\_\_\_

Commanding Squadron, Battery,  
or Company

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Unit man is joining.

# Articles of Clothing & Necessaries in Possession.

Articles not in possession should be struck out of the list. Any articles not included should be inserted.

Clothing.	No.	Necessaries.	No.
Aprons, kilt .. ..	—	Badge, cap .. ..	one
Boots, ankle, pairs ..	one	Bag, Kit .. ..	—
Caps, Service Dress ..	one	Braces, pairs .. ..	one
Caps, Glengarry .. ..	—	Brass, Button .. ..	—
Drawers, pairs .. ..	one	Brush, Brass .. ..	—
Frocks, Canvas .. ..	—	"  Blacking .. ..	one
Greatcoat, D.M. .. ..	one	"  Clothes .. ..	—
Jackets, Service Dress ..	—	"  Hair .. ..	one
Kilts .. ..	—	"  Polishing .. ..	—
Pantaloons, cord, pairs ..	—	"  Shaving .. ..	—
Putties, pairs .. ..	one	"  Tooth .. ..	one
Spurs, Jack, pairs .. ..	—	Cap, Comforter .. ..	—
Trousers, Service Dress, pairs	one	Comb, hair .. ..	one
Trousers, Canvas or Khaki	—	Disc, identity, with cord ..	—
Drill Overalls, pairs ..	—	Fork .. ..	—
Waistcoat, cardigan .. ..	—	Garters, Highland, pairs ..	—
Coat, waterproof .. ..	—	Holdall .. ..	—
Gloves, leather, pairs ..	—	Hose Tops, pairs .. ..	—
Gloves, Motor Cyclist, pairs	—	Housewife .. ..	—
Goggles, pairs .. ..	—	Knife, Clasp .. ..	—
	—	Knife, Table .. ..	—
	—	Laces, leather, spare, pairs ..	—
	—	Shirts, flannel .. ..	two
	—	Socks, worsted, pairs .. ..	one
	—	Spoon .. ..	—
	—	Titles, metal, pairs .. ..	one
	—	Towels, hand .. ..	one
	—	Wax Polish, tin .. ..	—

I certify that this statement is correct.

Date 23rd Sept 18

Signature of the Soldier Blackmore P. W.



DUPLICATE  
MAIL COPY



Posted. 27 MAR 1919

42-1/171/P&A.

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

WF/PK\*

16th March 9

3972 PTE. C. BLACKMORE.  
NEWFOUNDLAND FORESTRY CORPS:

CR 3972

Exchange of telegrams  
confirmed:-

(1).  
Received 17/12/17 ( ).  
"Synoptical, London."

"Pay to 3972 Blackmore £5:0:0:  
MILITARY"

(2).  
Received 12/2/19 (18).  
"Synoptical, London."

"With reference to my telegram-  
"December-17-3972-Blackmore-  
"if and when was this paid.  
MILITARY"

(3).  
Despatched. 14/2/19 (76).  
"Military, St. John's."

"With reference to your  
"telegram 12-February-3972  
"Blackmore-date of payment  
"December-20th.

SYNOPTICAL"

Copy of H.F.P/79 No.

21059/2593 was forwarded to you  
with this office No. 3838/145/P&A,  
11/3/19.

Capt.  
a/ Asst. Chief Paymaster.  
For Chief Paymaster & C.I./C. Reeds.

3972



Kindly convey the foregoing  
facts to Mr. Blackmore, please.

URGENT

ASST. PAYMASTER

Capt.  
Asst. Paymaster.  
For Chief Paymaster & O. & C. Reeds.

C.R. 3972

Extract from Daily Orders Postmill Unit The Royal Field.  
Regt. St. John's, July 3rd, 1919.

3972 Pts. C.W.Blackmore.

Reported at Headquarters 1-7-19 on "Cassandra" which  
sailed Glasgow June 28th, 1919.

C.R. 3972

JUNE 12th 1919.

Mr. Elijah Blackmore,  
Bell Island.

Dear Sir:

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 6th inst., in which you ask to have your son, #3972 Pte. Cecil Blackmore, returned with the next draft.

I beg to advise you that the next draft is due to leave the other side during the latter part of this month, when all men who are fit to travel will be sent home. No doubt your son will be one of the number.

Yours faithfully,

C.C.B.

Captain,  
Military Secretary .

Bell Island

June 6/19

To the Tritonia

Dear Sir

I am writing  
you concerning my son Pe Cecil  
Blackmore #3972 would you please  
get him home on the next draft  
as I need his help as he is the only  
help I have I was willing to give him  
for the great war but as the war is  
over I would like for you to please  
get him home on the next draft.  
if you can.

Yours truly

Elijah Blackmore

P.S. would you please answer

Address Elijah Blackmore  
Bell Island

Port Row 8

Newfoundland Postal Telegraphs.

Prefix \_\_\_\_\_ **SERVICE MESSAGE**

Time received \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ Time sent \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_

From \_\_\_\_\_



W. B. Hickman  
Member of militia

Red Island advises  
Yours yesterday to  
Blackmore undelivered  
no such name there

Postal

C.R. 3972

Counter No.

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



## Cable Connection with all the World

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

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

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

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

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

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

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Militia Dept.

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **May 29th. 1919.**

To **Elijah Blackmore, Red Island.**

Req to inform you that 3972 Blackmore not with draft.

*Forwarded to White Island.*

A. E. HICKMAN

MINISTER OF MILITIA.

CHARGE TO DEPT. OF MILITIA.





# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 10 Sent by Ba Rec'd by \_\_\_\_\_ Check \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_

Place from Red Island

To Min of Militia  
S. Johns



Is Cecil Blackmore  
number 3972 coming  
with draft.

Glynn Blackmore

**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.**

**MEMORANDUM.**

No. 4261/171/P&A  
To **C.R. 3972**

From

**PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,**

58, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W.1.

**WF/PK** 16th March 1919

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

**SUBJECT:**

**3972 PTE. G. BLACKMORE.**  
**NEWFOUNDLAND FORESTRY CORPS:**  
Reference Nos.

**REPLY**

Dated May 4th, 1919 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

Exchange of telegrams  
confirmed:-

(1).  
Received 17/12/17 ( ) .  
"Synoptical, London.

"Pay to 3972 Blackmore £5:0:0:  
MILITARY"

(2).  
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11/3/19.

*F. J. W.*  
Capt.  
Asst. Chief Paymaster.  
For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Recds.

Noted, please.

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 3972

Abstract from Telegram from Syn. to Mil. dated Feb. 14/1919.

With reference your telegram Feb. 12th.,

3972 Blackmore date of payment

Dec. 28th.,

C.R. 3972

Extract from Telegram Sent to Synoptical London Feb. 11th,  
1919

With reference to my telegram Dec. 17 1912  
Blackmore if and when was this paid.

C.R. 3972

Sept 17th, 1918

Mr. Elijah Blackmore  
Bell Island

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your letter dated July 6th to the Pay & Record Office, London, copy of which has been forwarded to this Department, I beg to say that reply has been received by this Office stating that no trace can be found of the two parcels posted on the 30th of Jan., 1918 as having reached the Record Office, London; but other parcels were received and forwarded to the Depot as follows:-

1 parcel on	21/6/18
4 " " "	24/6/18
1 " " "	24/7/18

Five of these parcels were received a week after Private Blackmore had written about them to you. It very often happens that parcels enquiries are solved after the lapse of time, and more often that not, very shortly after complaints of alleged losses are made. Perhaps if you refer to the Postmaster General regarding the first two parcels, we could make a better endeavour to trace them

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

June 17th 1918.

Mr. Eliash B. Blackmore,  
Bell Island.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 14th inst., requesting us to make some inquiries with regard to five parcels sent by you to your son, 3972 Pte. Cecil Blackmore, which have not been received by him. We will take this matter up with the Record Office, London, and upon receipt of any information from them in this connection, we shall again communicate with you.

You did not state how you addressed those parcels, but I would suggest that in future all letters and parcels be addressed as follows:

3972 Pte. Cecil Blackmore,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
c/o Pay & Record Office,  
58 Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1.,  
England.

Yours faithfully,

C.G.B.

Captain,  
for Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 3972



Bell Island

June 14/8

To Minister of Militia  
Oceania  
Dear Sir

I have sent five parcels to my son Pt Cecil W. Blackmore # 3972 which is in England Winchester Hazelbury Down camps and I had a letter from him to day dated May 19<sup>th</sup> and he says that he have not received either parcel from me.

How would you please try and see what have become of them for I would very much like for him to get them I sent the first two the 30<sup>th</sup> of March and two in April he hoping that you will do you best. and oblige

your  
Elijah B Blackmore

Address Mrs

Elijah B Blackmore  
Bell Island  
Conception Bay  
Post Office # 8

C.R. 3972

Extract of Telegram to Synoptical London dated May 23rd.1918.

Pay as follows:

,           3972 Blackmore

Royal Nfld. Regt.....6 pounds.



C.R. 3972

Extract from Seminal Roll Draft "H" Company embarked  
U.S. "Florissel" Jan. 29th, 1918.

3972 Pte. Blackmore.C.W.

C.R. 3972

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal  
Hfld. Regt., Ste. John's, Oct. 15th, 1917.

3972 Pte. C. Blackmore.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Hfld.  
Regt., and posted to "G" Company with effect from  
Oct. 15th, 1917.

# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

## MEMORANDUM.

No. 15063/451/P.S.

From  
**PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,**  
58, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W.  
13th August, 1918

To  
The Hon. Minister of Militia,  
St. John's,  
Newfoundland.

**SUBJECT: POSTAL SERVICES:  
3972 PTE. G. W. BLACKMORE.**

**REPLY**  
Dated **Sept. 18th** 1918

Reference Nos.

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

With reference to the following  
letter dated 26/7/18 (7106), from  
Elijah Blackmore, Bell Island:

Noted; and Mr. Blackmore  
has been duly notified., please

"I have sent six parcels to my  
son 3972 Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore  
and I received a letter from him  
to-day dated June 18th and he says  
that he have not received either  
parcel up to that date. I posted  
two parcels to him on the 30th of  
January and two April the 13th  
and one April the 30th and one  
May the 11th. Would you please  
try and find out the delay for I  
would like very much for him to get  
them.

Minister of Militia.

This is the address that I put  
on the parcels that I sent to  
No. 3972 Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore,  
No. 3972 Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore,  
2/3 Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester, England.  
c/o Newfoundland Pay & Record  
Office,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. England.  
Is that address right?"

no trace can be found of the two  
parcels posted 30/1/18 as having  
reached this Office; other parcels  
were received and forwarded to the  
Depot as follows:

1 parcel on 21/6/18  
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Five of these parcels were  
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had written about them. It very  
often happens that parcels inquiries  
are solved after the lapse of time,  
and more often than not, very shortly  
after complaints of alleged losses  
are made. Perhaps if Mr. Blackmore

C.R. 3972

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal WFLA.  
Regt. St. John's, July 19th, 1919.

The discharge of the undersigned on demobilisation has been  
APPROVED by C.C. Discharge Depot with effect from 16-7-19

3972 Pto. C. Blackmore.

C.R. 3-972

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
Depot St. John's dated Aug. 6th 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilisation has been  
CONFIRMED BY Officer i/c Records from noted date. 30-7-19.

3972, Pte. C. Blackmore.

Bell Island

September 27/19

To The Minister of Militia

Dear Sir C.R. 3972

I saw by the papers that Men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment was to call for to get their General Service Riband and as I am living at Bell Island will you please send mine to me hoping to hear from you soon  
I remains yours

#3972 Priv. Cecil W. Blackmore

Address Cecil W. Blackmore  
East Wabana Bell Island  
Conception Bay  
P. O. B. 8

Replied 30/9/19  
W. Blackmore

**ENCLOSURE**

**DUPLICATE.**

**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.**

**MEMORANDUM.**

No 3859/149/P&A

*C.R. 3972*

From  
**PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,**

58, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W.1.

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

FM/FK. 11th March '91

**SUBJECT :**

**TELEGRAPHIC REMITTANCE.  
NO. 3972. PTE. C. BLACKMORE.**

Reference Nos.

**REPLY**

Dated November 18th, 1919 101

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

With reference to the following letter from Elijah Blackmore, Bell Island, Conception Bay, Post Office, Box 8:-

"I cabled five pounds on  
"Dec. 17th to my son 3972  
"Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore,  
"and I received a letter  
"from him yesterday dated  
"14th and he had not received  
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"October. I thought you  
"would send it to him and he  
"has not received any mail  
"from me for two months.  
"Trusting that you will do  
"your best to find the money  
"for him.

The following telegraphic remittances were received from you and paid on the dates indicated -

Your telegram, 18/12/18, £5:0:0:  
paid 20/12/18.  
" " 21/1/19, £4:0:0:  
paid 26/1/19.

Noted, please.

*R*

Minister of Militia.

Copies of N.F.P/79 are

enclosed for further reference.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Kindly convey the foregoing facts to Mr. Blackmore, please.

*A. J. [Signature]* Capt.  
Asst. Paymaster.

For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Reeds.



March 31. 19

Mr. Elijah Blackmore,  
BELL ISLAND,  
P.O. Box, 8.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter to the Chief Paymaster, London, regarding cable transfers, made to your son, #3972, Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore, on Dec. 17th, and Jan. 21st. I beg to inform you that I have received a communication from London, requesting <sup>to inform</sup> you that these remittances were paid to your son on Dec. 20th. & Jan. 26th. respectively.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster.

No. 1279/191

N.F.P./79.

FROM:

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Officer Commanding.  
2/Bn. Royal Nfld Regt.  
Winchester.

22nd January 1919

January 26th. 1919

3972 Pte C. Blackmore

Receipt hereunder.

With reference to the follow-  
ing telegram from the Minister of  
Militia / / ( 756 )

B. I. Barton, Lieut Colonel.  
Officer Commdg. 2nd. Batt'n.

"Pay to-3972 Blackmore £4:0:0

Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Received the sum of Four  
pounds in respect of

Cheque £ 4.0.0. is enclosed.  
for payment to this Soldier.  
Kindly obtain his receipt  
hereon.

telegraphic remittance from the  
Minister of Militia.

N.A. Timewell, Major.

Blackmore

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

No. 3972 Rank Pte.

Witness M. Rockett.

No. 21059/2593

N.F.P./79.

From. NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Officer Commanding,  
2/bn. Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Winchester.

18th. December 1919

January 26th. 1919

3972 Pte. C. Blackmore.

Receipt hereunder.

With reference to the following telegram from the Minister of Militia / / (10988)

B. I. Barton, Lieut. Colonel.  
Officer Commdg. 2nd. Batt'n.

"Pay to- 3972 Blackmore £5:0:0

Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Received the sum of Five

Cheque £5. 0. 0. is enclosed for payment to this Soldier.

Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

pounds in respect of

telegraphic remittance from the Minister of Militia.

N. A. Timewell. Major.

Blackmore

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

No. 3972 Rank Pte.

Witness M. Rockett.

W. T. Blackmore

C.R. 3972

R.P.O.

14. State whether the disabilities are (a) attributable to (b) aggravated by
- (i) Service during the present war .. .. .
  - (ii) Previous active service .. .. .
  - (iii) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .
  - (iv) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .
  - (v) Serious negligence or misconduct on the }  
man's part. .. .. .
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what }  
specific condition do you attribute it ? }

In all cases such as facial injuries, eye, ear, nose and throat, disabilities, etc., a specialist's report is to be attached with radiographs where possible; and in cases of amputation the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition ?  
(A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)

*No complaints of no disability*

16. Was an operation performed ? If so, when and what was its nature ?
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined ?
18. \*In the case of loss or decay of teeth,—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable ?
19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions ?

*Refutation*

20. Do you recommend—
- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit ?
  - (b) Change to United Kingdom ?

Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invalided at Foreign Stations.

*W.E. Procmier. Capt R.A.M.C.*  
Medical Officer in charge of case.

Station *Hazeliy Kevani*  
Date *H. 43-19*

\* 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

Cables and Telegrams:  
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone:  
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

Communications to be addressed to the  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS.

**ENCLOSURE**

N. F. P/38.  
**ORIGINAL**

# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

## MEMORANDUM.

No. 3838/149/P&A

3972

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

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

FM/FK. 11th March 1919

**SUBJECT:**

TELEGRAPHIC REMITTANCE.  
NO. 3972. PTE. G. BLACKMORE.

Reference Nos.

**REPLY**

Dated **November 12th, 1919**

Please return **ORIGINAL** and retain **DUPLICATE.**

With reference to the following letter from Elijah Blackmore, Bell Island, Conception Bay, Post Office, Box. 8:-

"I cabled five pounds on Dec. 17th to my son 3972 Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore, and I received a letter from him yesterday dated 14th and he had not received it at that date. Would you please try and find where it has got to and I also cabled four pounds to him on the 21st of Jan. and would you please find out if he has received it or not. I am sorry to have to trouble you about it, but I would like my son to get his money. I cabled the money to the Pay & Record Office thinking that it would be the best place to send it as he has been in Hospital since October. I thought you would send it to him and he has not received any mail from me for two months. Trusting that you will do your best to find the money for him.

The following telegraphic remittances were received from you and paid on the dates indicated -

Your telegram, 18/12/18, £5:0:0:  
paid 20/12/18.  
" " 21/1/19, £4:0:0:  
paid 26/1/19.

Copies of N.F.P/79 are enclosed for further reference.

Noted, please.

*W.F. Rendell*  
*Lieut. Col.*  
Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
RECEIVED	6138
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Ret. Frs. Unit	
ACCOMPLISHED BY	
BRANCH	
Comd	
P & A	✓ 23/1/19 FM
R & C	
B & E	
PS	

Kindly convey the foregoing facts to Mr. Blackmore, please.

*F. H. Marshall* Capt.  
Asst. Paymaster.  
For Chief Paymaster & O. & C. Recds.

*[Faint, mostly illegible text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page]*

Cables and Telegrams:  
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone:  
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

Communications to be addressed to the  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS.

N. F. P/38.

ORIGINAL.

# NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

## MEMORANDUM.

No. 4261/171/P&A. (3972)

From  
**PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,**  
 58, VICTORIA STREET,  
 LONDON, S.W.1.  
 WF/FK. 16th March 1919.

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

*C. J. ...*  
*O. B. ...*

**SUBJECT:**

3972 PTE. C. BLACKMORE.  
NEWFOUNDLAND FORESTRY CORPS:

Reference Nos.

**REPLY**

Dated May 4th, 1919 191

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE.

Exchange of telegrams  
confirmed:-

(1).  
Received 17/12/17 ( ).  
"Synoptical, London."

"Pay to 3972 Blackmore £5:0:0:  
MILITARY"

(2).  
Received 12/2/19 (18).  
"Synoptical, London."

"With reference to my telegram-  
"December-17-3972-Blackmore-  
"if and when-was this paid.  
MILITARY"

(3).  
Despatched. 14/2/19 (76).  
"Military, St. John's."

"With reference to your  
"telegram 12-February-3972  
"Blackmore-date of payment  
"December-20th.

SYNOPTICAL"

Copy of N.F.P/79 No.

21059/2593 was forwarded to you  
with this office No. 3838/143/P&A,  
11/3/19.

*F. J. Harold* Capt.  
Asst. Chief Paymaster.  
For Chief Paymaster & O.I/c.Recds.

Noted, please.

*J. P. ...*

Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.  
No. 4261/171/P&A. 3972  
26 MAY 1919  
MILITARY

Genl.	
P&A.	
P. & C.	
C. & E.	
P.S.	

*[Signature]*



ACK'T dated	//	//	No. 111
Received	//	//	
PLY dated	//	//	
Received	//	//	
LAST Ref No.			
NEXT " "			

4261/171/P&A.

(3972)

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

WF/FR 16th March 9

May 4th. 1919.

3972 PTE. C. BLACKMORE.  
NEWFOUNDLAND FORESTRY CORPS:

Noted, please.

Exchange of telegrams  
confirmed:-

(Sgd) J. R. BENNETT.

(1).  
Received 17/12/17 ( ).  
"Synoptical, London.

Minister of Militia.

"Pay to 3972 Blackmore £5:0:0:  
MILITARY"

( In. Ref. No. 3891)

(2).  
Received 12/2/19 (18).  
"Synoptical, London.

"With reference to my telegram-  
"December-17-3972-Blackmore-  
"if and when-was this paid.  
MILITARY"

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Despatched. 14/2/19 (76).  
"Military, St. John's.

"With reference to your  
"telegram 12-February-3972  
"Blackmore-date of payment  
"December-20th.

SYNOPTICAL"

Copy of N.F.P/79 No.

21059/2593 was forwarded to you  
with this office No. 3839/143/P&A.  
11/3/19.

For Chief Paymaster & O.i/s. Needs.  
Capt.  
Asst. Chief Paymaster.

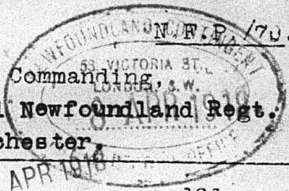
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No. 4988/362

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To  
Officer Commanding  
2/Bn Royal Newfoundland Regt.  
Winchester



Subject: 2nd April 1918

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Subject: 3972, Pte. C. W. Blackmore

*D. Deane*  
Receipt hereunder

With reference to the following telegram (2983) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 29 / 3/18

RECEIVED  
LIEUT. COLONEL  
COMMANDING 2ND BATTN NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.  
Officer Comdg. 2nd BATTN  
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Pay to 3972 Blackmore £3:0:0

Draft £ 3:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Received the sum of Three  
Pounds. on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

*A. A. Minnis Maj.*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

C. W. Blackmore  
No 3972 Rank Pte.

No. 8328/723

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./70.

From

To

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

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

~~Subject~~ 27th May 1918

Subject: 3972 Pte. C.W.Blackmore,

With reference to the following telegram (4698) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 3972 Blackmore £6:0:0

Draft £ 6:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier.

Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

*A. K. ...*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

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May 31st 1918

Received hereunder.

LIEUT. COLONEL.

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

Received the sum of Six

Guineas. on account of cable remittance from Newfoundland.

Cecil W Blackmore

No. 3972 Rank Private.

No. 14903/1534.

N.F.P./79.

NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From: -

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

To:

Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester.

September 17th, 1918

Sep 22 1918

Subject: 3972, Pte. Blackmore, C.W.

With reference to the following telegram (8045) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

"Pay to 3972, Pte. C.W. Blackmore, £6:0:0.

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

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

*Clarm*  
LIEUT. COLONEL,  
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.  
Officer Commanding, Batt'n  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of six  
pounds on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

Blackmore, C  
No. 3972 Rank Pte

TO,- The Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
58 Victoria Street,  
London, S.W.

Sir;-

Please charge the amounts set opposite my name to my account and pay it to the N.W.C.A. "Prisoners of War Fund" in quarterly instalments for the period of one year.

Commencing on 1st July 1918.

Regtl. No.	Rank,	Name	Amount	Signature.
3972	Pte	Blackmore E.	8/2 50	

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
~~for this Committee,~~  
Your obedient servant.

Date 14-7-18

E. Blackmore

13683/1385. ✓

NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

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

To:

Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester.

August 29th 1918

Subject: 3972, Pte. C.W. Blackmore.

With reference to the following telegram (7648 ) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

"Pay to 3972 Pte. C.W. Blackmore.  
£6.0.0.

Draft £6.0.0. is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

*A. A. [Signature]*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Aug 31 1918

Receipt hereunder  
*W. M. Emerald* **LIEUT. COLONEL,**  
**COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.**  
Officer Commdg. 2nd Batt'n  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of Six  
Pounds on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

C. W. Blackmore  
No. 3972 Rank Private

Witness 1227 *[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*

4392/645

N.F.P./79.

From: NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt.,  
Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester.

19th March 1919

March 20th 1919

3972 Pte Blackmore G.

Receipt hereunder.

With reference to the following  
telegram from the Minister of  
Militia / / ( 82 )

*Quaintance*  
LIEUT. COLONEL.  
COMMANDING 2ND BATTAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

"Pay to- 3972 Blackmore,  
£6:0:0

Received the sum of £6

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

pounds in respect of  
telegraphic remittance from the  
Minister of Militia.

*S. A. Minshall Maj.*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

G Blackmore

No. 3972 Rank Pte

Witness M. Wicketts

No. 6816/1115

N.F.P. 79.

From: NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To: Officer Commanding,  
2nd Bn Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
Winchester.



9th May 1919

May 10th 1919.

3972 Pte Blackmore C.W.

Receipt hereunder.

With reference to the following telegram from the Minister of Militia (11/9/19):

G. I. Barton LIEUT. COLONEL.

"Pay to 3972 Blackmore  
£4:0:0"

COMMANDING 2ND BN ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

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

Received the sum of Four Pounds

in respect of telegraphic remittance from the Minister of Militia.

G. H. Marshall  
Chief Paymaster & Q. 1/c records

G. Blackmore  
No. 3972 Rank Private  
Witness: M. Rockett



~~DUPLICATE~~  
~~MAIL COPY~~

Posted.....

13063

15967/451/P.S.

*Don. mailed*  
*23/8/18.*  
*J.P.P.*

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

13th August, 8

POSTAL SERVICES:

3972 PTE. G. W. BLACKMORE.

With reference to the following  
letter dated 6/7/18 (7106), from  
Elijah Blackmore, Bell Island:

"I have sent six parcels to my  
son 3972 Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore  
and I received a letter from him  
to-day dated June 18th and he says  
that he have not received either  
parcel up to that date. I posted  
two parcels to him on the 30th of  
January and two April the 13th  
and one April the 30th and one  
May the 11th. Would you please  
try and find out the delay for I  
would like very much for him to get  
them.

This is the address that I put  
on the parcels that I sent to  
No. 3972 Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore.

No. 3972 Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore,  
2/1 Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
Hazeley Down Camp,  
Winchester, England.  
c/o Newfoundland Pay & Record  
Office,

58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. England.

Is that address right?"

no trace can be found of the two  
parcels posted 30/1/18 as having  
reached this Office; other parcels  
were received and forwarded to the  
Depot as follows:

1	parcel	on	21/6/18
4	"	"	24/6/18
1	"	"	24/7/18.

Five of these parcels were  
received a week after Pte. Blackmore  
had written about them. It very  
often happens that parcels inquiries  
are solved after the lapse of time,  
and more often than not, very shortly  
after complaints of alleged losses  
are made. Perhaps if Mr. Blackmore

(over

will refer to the Post Office of  
origin regarding the 1st two  
parcels, this Office could then  
make an endeavour to trace them.

Will you please inform Mr.  
Blackmore, whose full address is:

P.O. Box 8,  
East Wabana,  
Bell Island, N.F.

The address on the parcels  
was quite correct.

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/NV

ACKT dated	/ /	No. IN
Received	/ /	
Yr dated	/ /	
Received	/ /	
L.A.S.I. Ref No.		
NEXT " "		

3838/149/P&A

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

FM/PZ.

11th March 9

TELEGRAPHIC REMITTANCE.  
NO. 3972. PTR. C. BLACKMORE.

With reference to the following letter from Elijah Blackmore, Bell Island, Conception Bay, Post Office, Box. 8:-

"I cabled five pounds on  
"Dec. 17th to my son 3972  
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"and I received a letter  
"from him yesterday dated  
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"it at that date. Would  
"you please try and find where  
"it has got to and I also  
"cabled four pounds to him  
"on the 21st of Jan. and  
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"that it would be the best  
"place to send it as he has  
"been in Hospital since  
"October. I thought you  
"would send it to him and he  
"has not received any mail  
"from me for two months.  
"Trusting that you will do  
"your best to find the money  
"for him.

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paid 20/12/18.  
" " 21/1/19, £4:0:0;  
paid 26/1/19.

Copies of H.F.P/79 are enclosed for further reference.

11.01	✓	✓	batch TMA
	✓	✓	batch
	✓	✓	batch
	✓	✓	batch

Kindly convey the foregoing facts to Mr. Blackmore, please.

Capt.  
 Asst. Paymaster.  
 For Chief Paymaster & C. & S. Recds.

Address

Elijah Blackmore  
Bell Island

Conception Bay

Post Office Box 8

Newfoundland

Capt Marshall

Remittances  
referred to in the  
attached were  
received and  
paid as follows.

Dec 18<sup>th</sup> £5-0-0  
received & paid on  
Dec 20<sup>th</sup> /18

Jan'y 21<sup>st</sup> £4-0-0  
received & paid on  
Jan'y 23<sup>rd</sup> /19

Florence

Bell Island

Feb 4/19

HEADQUARTERS CONTINGENT,  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

PL. POS IN 1731

To The Pay and Record Office

PL. POS. OUT 3858/149

Dear Sir

I cabled five pounds on December 17<sup>th</sup> to my son # 3972. Pte Cecil W. Blackmore and I received a letter from him yesterday dated January 14<sup>th</sup> and he had not received it at that date would you please try and find where it is got to and I also cabled four pounds to him on the twenty first of January 21<sup>st</sup> and would you please find out if he have received it or not I am sorry to have to trouble you about it but I would like for my son to get his money I cabled the money to the Pay and Record Office thinking that ~~to~~ it would be the best place to send it as he have been in Hospital since October I thought you would send it to him and he have not received any mail from me for two month the trusting that you will do your best to find the money for him I remain your truly  
Elijah Blackmore

Address

Elijah Blackmore  
Bell Island

Conception Bay

Newfoundland

Post office Box 8



No. 21059/2593

006268

N.F.P./79.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

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

To:

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

18th December 1918

Subject: 3972, Pte. C. Blackmore,

With reference to the following telegram (10988) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 3972 Blackmore £5:0:0

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

*R. C. Minnie*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

2 copies  
=

Jan 26<sup>th</sup> 1919

Receipt hereunder.

*R. J. Barton* **LIEUT. COLONEL,**  
**COMMANDING 2ND BN ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.**  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Received the sum of Five Pounds

\_\_\_\_\_ on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

Blackmore  
No. 3972 Rank Private  
Witness M. Rockett

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No. 1279/191

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N.F.P./79.

From:

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

To:

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

22nd January 1919

Jan 26th 1919

Subject: 3972, Pte. C. Blackmore

With reference to the following telegram (756) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Receipt hereunder.

B. J. Bastin LIEUT. COLONEL,  
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.  
Officer Commdg. 2nd Batt'n,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Pay to 3972 Blackmore £4:0:0

Received the sum of Four pounds

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

\_\_\_\_\_ on account of  
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

A. A. Minnell Maj.  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records

Blackmore  
No. 3974 Rank Private  
Witness M. Rockett



ORIGINAL

will refer to the Post Office of origin regarding the 1st two parcels, this Office could then make an endeavour to trace them.

Will you please inform Mr. E M Blackmore, whose full address is:

P.O. Box 8,  
East Wabana,  
Bell Island, N.F.

The address on the parcels was quite correct.

*E. M. Blackmore*  
Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/NV

NEWFOUNDLAND  
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE  
100 VICTORIA STREET  
ST. JOHN'S, N.F.

SUBJECT: [Illegible]  
[Illegible text follows, appearing to be a letter or report with several paragraphs of text, though the characters are difficult to decipher due to the quality of the scan.]

ACKT date	12/9/18	No. IN
Received	10/10/18	8687
REPLY dated		
Received		
LAST Ref. No.		
NEXT " "		

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22867/451/P.S.

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

13th August, 8

POSTAL SERVICES:

3972 PTE. G. W. BLACKMORE.

With reference to the following letter dated 30/7/18 (7106), from Elijah Blackmore, Bell Island:

"I have sent six parcels to my son 3972 Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore and I received a letter from him to-day dated June 16th and he says that he have not received either parcel up to that date. I posted two parcels to him on the 30th of January and two April the 13th and one April the 30th and one May the 11th. Would you please try and find out the delay for I would like very much for him to get them.

This is the address that I put on the parcels that I sent to No. 3972 Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore, No. 3972 Pte. Cecil W. Blackmore, S/I Royal Newfoundland Regiment, Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester, England. c/o Newfoundland Pay & Record Office, 58, Victoria Street, London, S.W. England. Is that address right?"

no trace can be found of the two parcels posted 30/1/18 as having reached this Office; other parcels were received and forwarded to the Depot as follows:

1	parcel	on	31/6/18
4	"	"	24/6/18
1	"	"	24/7/18.

Five of these parcels were received a week after Pte. Blackmore had written about them. It very often happens that parcels inquiries are solved after the lapse of time, and more often than not, very shortly after complaints of alleged losses are made. Perhaps if Mr. Blackmore  
(over

will refer to the Post Office of  
origin regarding the 1st two  
parcels, this Office could then  
make an endeavour to trace them.  
Will you please inform Mr.  
Blackmore, whose full address is:

P.O. Box 8,  
East Wabana,  
Bell Island, N.F.

The address on the parcels  
was quite correct.

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/NV

Bell Island  
July 6/18

Pay and Record Office

Dear Sirs

I have sent  
six parcels to my son # 3972 Pte  
Cecil W. Blackmore and I received a  
letter from him today dated June 16th and  
he says that he have not received either parcel  
up to that date I posted two parcels to him  
on the 30th of January and two April the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
and one April the 20<sup>th</sup> and one May the 11<sup>th</sup>  
would you please try and find out the  
delay for I would be very much for him  
to get them I am

Yours obedient servant  
Elijah Blackmore

Address

Elijah Blackmore  
East Webana  
Bell Island

Newfoundland

P. O. Box

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,  
No. 8 AUG 1918  
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P. O. Box  
P. & S.  
R. & C.  
B. & E.  
P. S.

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This is the address that I put on  
the parcels that I sent to  
# 3972 Pte Cecil W. Blackmore

# 3972 Pte Cecil W. Blackmore  
2/1 Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
Hazelley Down Camps  
Winchester England  
c/o Newfoundland Pay and Record Office  
58 Victoria Street  
London S. W. England

Is that Address right

Four of the parcels was sent by Mrs Elijah Blackmore  
two January 20<sup>th</sup> and two April 13<sup>th</sup>  
and one by John Blackmore on April 20<sup>th</sup>  
and one by Jessie Blackmore on June 11<sup>th</sup>





Blackmore, L

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Gay Sept.

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

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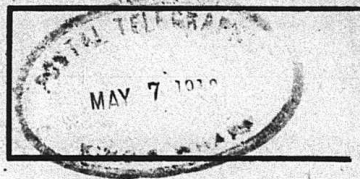
Place from

To

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Bell Island

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Min Militia



Cable 3972 Ste Cecil Blackmore  
more Hazely Camp Four  
pounds \$19.9 Call  
Money order office for  
amount

Elijah Blackmore  
\$4

July 30th 1919.

#3972, Pte.C.Blackmore,  
Bell Island. C.B.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find Discharge Certificate.

# 3266.

Yours truly,

Capt. & Paymaster.

RS/.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 3972 Rank Pte Name Blackmore L  
 Intended place of residence Bell Isls  
 2. Occupation None  
 Classification of soldier E Medical Category A1

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 16 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 16 1919  
 Signature of soldier L Blackmore  
 Signature of witness A M Clouston

### 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 16 1919  
 Signature of soldier L Blackmore  
 Signature of witness W J Gleason

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 13-10-14 No. of days on Military  
 Discharged from service JUL 16 1919 Plus 14 days Service 656

### 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, 14 twenty-eight days from date.  
 Place, ST. JOHN'S  
 Date JUL 16 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 July 30 1919  
 Officer in Charge  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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*Handwritten notes:* AMB 2079/326

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

*E.*

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

*July 15/19*

Regimental No. *3972*

Name

*Blackmore Cecil*

Address

*Bell Island*

Present Medical Category

*A1*

Recommended for:— (a) Immediate discharge

(b) ~~Standing Medical Board~~

*K. R. Cooper Capt.*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Members of Board

*W. Paterson*  
Senior Medical Officer

*Geo. Burden*  
M. O. Depot

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 5972 Rank Plt Name Blackmore, G.  
 Date of Enlistment 13/10/17 Address Bell's Is. District St. John's  
 Occupation Miner Classification for Discharge 1 Medical Category H.I.  
 Recommendation S.M.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 15/7/19 O. C. Discharge Depot. [Signature]

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am  in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Cecil Blackmore

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable #65
- (b) Clothing Supplied [Signature]

Date 16-7-19 O. C. Re-clothing. \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Transportation and Release Certificate.**

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 89199920 to his home at Bell Island and Release Certificate No. 3657 issued.

Date 16-7-19

*[Signature]*  
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 30-7-19

Date 16-7-19

*[Signature]*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 16-7-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

Date 17-7-19

*[Signature]*  
Demobilization Officer.

**APPROVED.**

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**Eligible for War Service Gratuity**

JUL 16 1919

*[Signature]*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Date .....

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.

*Cecil Blackmore*  
Signature of Man.

*Alfred [unclear]*  
Reg. No. 3972

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place **ST. JOHN'S.**

Date *16-9-19* 191

June 11, 1919

Mr. Elijah Blackmore,  
HELL ISLAND.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your telegram  
of May 7th. I beg to state that I have cabled  
24 to No. 3972, Pte. Cecil Blackmore.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
For Paymaster

August 1st 1919.

Mr. C. Blackmore,  
P.O. Box, 8, Bell Isl. C.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 ser-  
vice gratuity.

Yours truly,

Capt.<sup>us</sup> Paymaster.

RS/.

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.... *Perit* ..... 2. Surname. *Bladmore* .....
3. Rank..... *Pt.* ..... 4. Regtl. No. .... *3922* .....
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded... *P.O. Box 8... Bell... Island... Conception Bay* .....
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *1917* .....
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....  
*Not Applicable* .....
8. Relationship of such dependents..... *Not applicable* .....
9. Address in full of such dependents..... *Not applicable* .....
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 Nfld. If so, give dates and particulars of such service..... *Overseas, from February 11<sup>th</sup> 1918*  
*to July 1<sup>st</sup> 1919* .....
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas..... *1 year 6 months 20 days* .....
- ..... *1 1/2* .....

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.

..... *no* .....

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

..... *no* .....

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

..... *no* .....

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

..... *no* .....

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

..... *no* .....

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

..... *Not Applicable* .....

19. Are you now serving in the Reserve? .....

..... *no* .....

If not give - (a) date of discharge *July 20<sup>th</sup> 1919* (b) Reason for discharge *Demobilization*

..... *Demobilization* .....

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.

..... *no* .....

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

..... *no* .....

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

Signature of Applicant: *Gerie Blackman*  
 Place of Residence: *P.O. Box 8, Bell Island - C.B.*  
 Declared before me at: *St. John's*  
 This *17<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 19*19*....

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public, Justice of the Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits. *John McLaughlin J.P.*

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



ST. JOHN'S, JUL 16 1919

# Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Plt. C. Blackmore

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from July 1/19 to July 14/19

3972 Plt C Blackmore 11. 60

ACCOUNT	<u>B + m</u>
CH. NO.	<u>3135</u> INITIALS <u>ew</u>
IND. LEDGER	--- INITIALS ---
PAY LEDGER	--- INITIALS ---
GEN. LEDGER	--- INITIALS ---

Certified correct for \$ 11.60

*[Signature]*

Billeting Officer.

*[Handwritten initials]*

C Blackmore



C.R. 3972

RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF  
RIBAND OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL 1914-1919

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I certify that I have received a issue of 5 inches  
of Riband of British War Medal-1914-1919.

No. *E. W. Blackman* 3972  
NAME .....

(Date) *October 2/19*

(Place) *Bell Island C. Bay*

1893

Fold Here

**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

***Royal Nfld. Regt.***

***Dept. of Militia,***

***ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.***

Fold Here



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The accompanying ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ British War Medal  
is/are forwarded herewith to

Cecil W. Blackmore

in respect of his service as No. 3972 Rank Pte.

Name C.W. Blackmore

Royal Nfld. Regt.  
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Oct 20 21.

Signature Cecil W Blackmore

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address Bell Island Wobana  
Nfld

[P.T.O.]

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.  
 (6-5) W 5017/2124 1000m 6/15es 93 B6

Forms  
B. 121.  
23.

Regiment of

*1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland*

Number of Sheet

*First*

Signature of O. C. Company

*W. J. J.*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay		
No.	<i>3972 Blackmore L.</i>	Age on	<i>18 years 8 months</i>	<i>Minor</i>			
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St Johns 13-10-17</i>	Religion			
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours <i>291 years.</i> with Reserve <i>365 years.</i>	Place of Birth			
Joined	Date						

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>Hogley Barr Camp.</i>	<i>24-18</i>	<i>Pte</i>		<i>Destroying Government Property.</i>	<i>Copt. Wilson</i>	<i>Pay for Damage.</i>	<i>24-18</i>	<i>Mt. J.A. Edens</i>	<i>Mt.</i>
"	<i>21-8-18</i>	"		<i>Failing to Comply with an order</i>					
"				<i>Duties on Parade</i>	<i>Sgt. White</i>	<i>3 days C.B.</i>	<i>22/18</i>	<i>Capt. M. Long</i>	<i>Mt.</i>
<i>Hogley Barr Camp</i>	<i>21/4-19</i>	"		<i>Overtaking pass from 23.59 21-4-19 To 1500 22/4-19. (15 hours)</i>	<i>Mc Lawrence</i>	<i>Admonished</i>	<i>25/4-19</i>	<i>Major J. M. Mackenzie</i>	<i>Exp. id. 25/4-19</i>
<i>Demobilized St. John's 31/7</i>									
<i>To be carried over</i>									

Form B. 121.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

3974

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 3972 Rank Plt. Name Blackmore C.  
 Date of Enlistment 13-10-17 Address Bell's Bay District St. John's  
 Occupation Marine Classification for Discharge 1 Medical Category A.I.  
 Recommendation S.M.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 13-7-19 O. C. Discharge Depot. Mess H

## PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am  in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Cecil Blackmore

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date 13-7-19

### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00

(b) ~~Clothing Supplied~~

Date 16-7-19 O/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 89199920 to his home at Bell D Shid and Release Certificate No. 3657 issued.

Date 16-7-19 ..... Almelo  
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 30-7-19

Date 16-7-19 ..... Almelo  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 16-7-19 .....

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P 36.....	B 268.....	B 121.....	N.F. Med.....	D.F. 1.....
B 178.....	W 3494.....	B 122.....	Board 1st.....	" 2.....
B 178a.....	D 400A.....	B 1915.....	do 2nd.....	" 3.....
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B 179b.....	B 103.....	ME 2.....		" 6.....
B 179c.....	B 120.....	M 93.....		

Date 17-7-19 ..... Almelo  
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**Eligible for War Service Gratuity**

Date JUL 16 1919 ..... D.R. Coombe Capt  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date July 28 1919 ..... Almelo

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 T.F.C.* 7. Former Trade or Occupation } *Printer*
2. Regtl. No. *3972* 3. Rank. *Plt.* 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—
4. Name *Blackmore* *Seal* (a) Former Regts. or Corps ;  
(Surname) (Christian Names) with Regtl. Nos.
5. Age last birthday. *20*
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.
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.

14. State whether the disabilities are
- |  | (a) attributable to                 | (b) aggravated by        |
|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war .. .. .                        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (ii.) Previous active service. . . . .                             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .                          | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the man's part. } .. .. . | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do you attribute it? }

In all cases such as facial injuries, eye, ear, nose and throat, disabilities, &c., a specialist's report is to be attached with radiographs where possible; and in cases of amputation the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition?  
*(A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)*

*His complaint of his disability*

16. Was an operation performed? If so, when and what was its nature?
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?
18. \*In the case of loss or decay of teeth,—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable?
19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions?

20. Do you recommend—
- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit?
- (b) Change to United Kingdom?

Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invaded at Foreign Stations.

*Repatination*

*W. Proemier Capt R.A.M.C.*  
 Medical Officer in charge of case.

Station *Haydock Road*

Date *27-3-19*

\* 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



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Date of Allotment ..... Returned from Overseas *JUL 1 1919*

Returned on S S. *Cassandra* Cause *Discharge.*

*15-7-19*  
*16-7-19*

**PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER**

**DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.**