



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 515³ Name Edgar Brown Corps 1st A

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

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|--|--------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Edgar Brown</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Westville Bay</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>18</u> Years |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>fisherman</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>no</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which? | 7. <u>no</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? | 10. Name |
| | Corps |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? | 11. <u>yes</u> |

I, Edgar Brown 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.

Edgar Brown SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

J. P. Raymond Signature of Witness.

Edgar Brown do hereby TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION. 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 John's on this 18 day of May 1915.

Signature of Attesting Officer C. S. Dricks

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 1915

Place St. John's

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).....



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. *5153*

Name *Edgar Brown* Corps *S.A.*

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

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|--|--------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <i>Edgar Brown</i> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <i>Westville Bay</i> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <i>Yes</i> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <i>18</i> Years |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <i>Yesterman</i> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <i>No</i> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <i>No</i> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <i>Yes</i> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <i>Yes</i> |
| 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. <i>Yes</i> |

I, *Edgar Brown* 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.

Edgar Brown SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
J.P. Raymond Signature of Witness.

I, *Edgar Brown* 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 on this *18* day of *May* 191*5*.

C. S. Dicks Signature of Attesting Officer

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:

Edgar Brown if enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date *18 May* 191*5*

Place *St. John's*

J. J. Johns 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)

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

5-153

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

Name Edgar Brown
 Apparent age 18 years _____ months. Height 5 feet 7 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 inches
 Range of expansion 3 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Burge Brown
Wesleyville B 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 L'epot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>18-5-18</u>									
Joined at <u>St. Helier</u> on <u>10 Oct 18-18</u>									
<u>Discharged Jan 23rd 1919</u>									
<u>Special duty Home defence</u>					<u>10th Dec</u>	<u>24-9-18</u>			
<u>Returns to Headquarters</u>					<u>13.12.1918</u>				
<u>Remobilization St. Helier</u>					<u>23-1-1919</u>				
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>23-1-1919</u> (date of discharge) <u>in</u> <u>251</u> days									
" " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "									

C.R. 5153

Extract from Daily Orders part II, depot St. John's
dated January 24th. 1916.

The discharges of the undetected or demobilized
have been CONFIRMED by Officers in charge of
recorson noted noted dates. 23-1-16.

#5153 Pte. Edgar Brown.

C.R. 5153

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, Depot St. J. dated Dec. 30/1918.

The undernoted discharge on demobilisation have been approved by Officer Commanding discharge depot from noted date. 26-12-18. He is removed from Depot strength and transferred to discharge depot pending Confirmation by Officer in charge of Records.

#5153 Pte. E. Brown.

C.R. 5153

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal WFLD.
Regt., St. John's, Nov. 15th, 1918.

THE FOLLOWING MAN RETURNED FROM SPECIAL DUTY AT BELL
ISLAND? 13-11-18.

5153 Pte. E. Brown.

ML.

Extract from Daily Orders part 11 Depot St. John's dated Sept. 25/1918.

#5153 Pte. E. Brown

The above mentioned soldier proceeded on Special Duty to Bell Island
C.B. ON 24/9/18

C.R. 5153

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Wilt,
Regt. St. John's, dated August 27th, 1918.

5153 Pte. E. Brown.

Transferred from "C" Coy. to "D" Coy.

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal Bld.
Regt. St. John's, dated May 20th, 1918.

#5153 Pte. Edgar Brown.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Bld. Regt.
from 13.5.18.

Brown, E

5153

Sept

January 23rd., 1919

#5153 Pte. Edgar Brown,
Wesleyville, B.B.

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed "Discharge
Certificate No. 691."

Yours faithfully,

Captain,
Paymaster & Officer in Charge Records

Enc'l 1.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 5153 Rank Pl. Name Edgar Brown
 Intended place of residence Wesleyville S.B.

2. Occupation Justice man
 Classification of soldier C Medical Category A-7

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

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.

Place DEC 23 1918 Attesty Capt.
 Date DEC 23 1918 Comanding Discharge Depot
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, of all financial responsibility in my connection.

Place and date St Johns E Brown
Dec 23rd 1918 E Brooks Capt
 Signature of soldier Signature of witness

CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

6. I hereby certify that I am in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.

Place and Date Dec 23rd 1918 E Brown
St Johns J Raymond Sgt.
 Signature of soldier Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 15. 5. 18 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 26. 12. 18 plus 21 days Service 251 Days

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer i/c Records, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.

Place ST. JOHN'S R.H. Lat Cap
 Date DEC 26 1918 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.
 Place St Johns, Nfld Ed Bowley Capt
 Date January 23rd 1919 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

28 B 2079/69

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 5153 Rank Pte Name Brown Edgar
 Date of Enlistment 18.5.18 Address Wesleyville District Bonaville
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge C Medical Category A II
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 17-12-18

W. H. Cash
O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am in a position to resume civilian occupation.

E. Brown

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable 6.00
 (b) Clothing Supplied Joseph R. H. Newfield

Date 23-12-18

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *8417* to his home
 at *Wesleyville* and Release Certificate No. *569* issued.

Date *23-12-18*

Wesley Capt
 Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection
 therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to *73-1-19*

Date *73-12-18*

Wesley Capt
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *26.12.18*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

Date *24 12 18*

Wesley Capt
 Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-

Officer in Records.
 Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Date *DEC 26 1918*

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

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

Date *Dec. 28/1918*

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname

Braws

Christian Name

Egas

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish

Wesleyville

County

Nfld

	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	18	May	1918	191
at	St Johns		at	
Declared Age	18	years		days
Trade or Occupation	Fisherman			
Height	5	feet	7	inches
Weight	149	lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	37	inches	inches
	Range of Expansion	3	inches	inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=	6/6	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/60	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)	[Signature]			
(Rank)	Major		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at	St Johns	at	
	on	18	day of	May
		1918		191
	Corps.		Regtl. No.	
Joined on Enlistment	The Royal Nfld Regt		5153	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on	day of	191	on
(Signature)			day of	
(Rank)			191	

Civil Re-establishment Committee



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

To work at Fishing

E BROWN

Signature of Man.

Reg. No. 5158

Charles C. ...
Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

St John's N.Y. Co

Date

23/12/18

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Bonavista

Demobilization Form 1

400 A

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

C

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date NOV 29 1918

Regimental No. 5153

Name Brown Edgar Pte.

Address Wesleyville

Bonavista Bay

Present Medical Category A.II

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

Members of Board { R.H. Lait Capt.
O.C. Discharge Depot.

W. Paterson
Senior Medical Officer

Bob Burden
M. O. Depot



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. & 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 *Bramm Edgar*
 Regiment from which discharged *1st. Newfoundland*
 Regimental number *5153*
 Intended address *Wesleyville, B. Bay*
 Height on discharge Feet
 Color of hair on discharge *Light*
 Complexion *Fair*
 Color of eyes *Blue*
 Descriptive Marks
 Figure on discharge *Normal*
 Christian name of Father *Birge*
 Christian name of Mother *Mary Jane*
 Wife's maiden name in full
 Date and place of marriage
 Christian names of children
 Place and date of soldier's birth. *July 19th, 1899, Wesleyville, B. Bay*
 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) - *Edgar Bramm* (Rank) *Plt*

Station Date

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.



[Signature]
 Medical Officer in Charge Hospital Unit, or Command Depot.

Station Date

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at

Headquarters May 18/18

1. Name Edgar Brown Age (a) Declared 18
(b) Apparent

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? no

What severe illnesses have you had?

Scrub typhus

3. Height 5'5 1/2"
4. Eyesight (a) Left 6/6
5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) n

Weight 149

(b) Right 6/6

6. Examination of Lungs n

Measurement

(a) Expiration

34

(b) Inspiration

37

7. Examination of Heart n

8. Examination of Urine

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

Teeth

Throat

Nose

Ears—(Otorrhea)

(Deafness)

n

10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when? no

11. Name and address of next of kin Father Surge Wesley Hill

REMARKS—

A. 11

St. W. Borden
Archibald

This is to certify, that Edwin William Brown
of Archeville has been examined by me and found
Medically unfit for service in the Royal Naval Reserve.

Dated this 18 day of May 1918

Inspection Vision $R.V. = \frac{6}{6}$ $L.V. = \frac{6}{6}$
feet

Dr. Bannister
Fleet Surgeon, R.N.,

H. M. S. "Briton,"

St. John's, N.F.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 70Sent by WPaid by WClass 15No. 25Place from WesleyvilleTo Capt Grady

5-15-18 Brown is so ill
 that extension of furlough
 is necessary

Geo F Bowden
 MD

Granted
 June 12
 G. F. B.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B. 121.
39.Number of Sheet one

Regiment of

Royal Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company

ASDicks Lieut

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay		
No.	<u>Brown Edgar</u>	Age on	<u>18</u> years / months	<u>Justice man</u>			
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St John's 18.5.18</u>	Religion			
Joined	Date	Period of	} with Colours ²⁵¹ years. with Reserve ³⁶⁵ years.	<u>S.A.</u>			
Joined	Date			Place of Birth	<u>Wesleyville P.B.</u>		
Joined	Date						

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness.	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order disposing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
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Demobilized 23/19

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

5153

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 5153 Rank Pte Name Brown Edgar
 Date of Enlistment 19.5.18 Address Wesleyville District Bona Vista
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge C Medical Category A II
 Recommendation S.M.B. _____ Disability Rating _____
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 17-12-18

Wesley Carr
 C. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am _____ in a position to resume civilian occupation.

E Brown

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date _____

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable 6.00
 (b) Clothing Supplied Joseph R H Snowfield

Date 13-12-18

O i/c. Re-clothing.

DEC 20 1918

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 8417 to his home at Walesleyville and Release Certificate No. 569 issued.

Date 22-12-18 Orlando Capt.
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 73-1-19

Date 73-12-18 Atkinson Capt.
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 26.12.18

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
F 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	M.B.		" 6
B 179c	B 120	X 93		

Date 24.12.18 Orlando Capt.
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-

Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Date DEC 28 1918 R.H. Last Capt.
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date Dec 28/1918 Atkinson Capt.

Reg. No. 5153 Rank Pte Name Brown E.
Attested 18-5-18 Address Wesleyville B. B.
Allotment 50 Allotee Mrs Mary Jane Brown (mother)
Date of Allotment 1-8-18 Returned from Overseas
Embarked for Overseas Cause

20-5-18 Vacc 1st Inc 6-7-18 2nd 2-9-18 3rd 9-9-18.
A.L. 6-6-18 to 14-6-18
33 1/2 days Special from Home leave, duty.
24/6/18 Returned from leave reported ill.
20-9-18 Transferred from G. Coy to C. Coy
24-9-18 Special duty Self Islands. Lecturers 15-11-18.
17-12-18

PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

DEC 26 1918

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION.