



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 3807 Name Edward Brown Corps Inf.

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

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| <p>1. What is your name? .....</p> <p>2. What is your full Address? .....</p> <p>3. Are you a British Subject? .....</p> <p>4. What is your age? .....</p> <p>5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....</p> <p>6. Are you Married? .....</p> <p>7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? .....</p> <p>8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....</p> <p>9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? .....</p> <p>10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.....</p> <p>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? .....</p> | <p>1. <u>Edward Brown</u></p> <p>2. <u>Thoroughfare St.</u></p> <p>3. <u>Yes</u></p> <p>4. <u>20</u> Years <u>6</u> Months</p> <p>5. <u>Soliderman</u></p> <p>6. <u>No</u></p> <p>7. <u>No</u></p> <p>8. <u>Yes</u></p> <p>9. <u>Yes</u></p> <p>10. { Name <u>.....</u><br/>Corps <u>.....</u></p> <p>11. <u>Yes</u></p> |
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FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR

Edward 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.

Edward Brown ..... SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Edwards ..... Signature of Witness.

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

I, Edward 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 21 day of May 1915.

Signature of Attesting Officer W. J. ...

### (CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the.....

If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date.....191.....

Place.....

} Approving Officer.

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

\* If so, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz:—(Name).....re-enlisted in the (Regiment).....on the (Date).....

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Edward Brown  
 Apparent age 22 years 6 months. Height 5 feet 3 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 inches  
 Range of expansion 4 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin James Brown  
Thoroughfare No 13 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 _____									_____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to \_\_\_\_\_ [date of discharge] \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ days  
 " " Pensions " \_\_\_\_\_ [ " " ] \_\_\_\_\_ " \_\_\_\_\_ "



3804

# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 3804 Name Edward Brown Corps Infantry

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1. What is your name? ..... 1. Edward Brown
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. Thoroughfare St
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 22 Years 6 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Merchant
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, Edward 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.

Edward Brown SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
E. Brown Signature of Witness

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Signature of Attesting Officer W. J. ...

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Date ..... 191 ..... } Approving Officer.  
Place ..... }

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					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>21-5-17</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>May 21<sup>st</sup> 17</u>									
<del>Discharged April 14 1919</del>									
Embarked <u>St John's S.S. Fleet</u> to <u>Halifax N.S.</u> <u>4<sup>th</sup> 17</u>									
Embarked for <u>W.S.</u> <u>4-2-18</u> joined <u>Batter St John's</u> <u>15-2-18</u>									
While on leave from <u>W.S.</u> joined <u>1<sup>st</sup> Bn. West Yorks</u> <u>19-1-19</u>									
to <u>Leamington</u> for demobilization <u>30-1-19</u> Arrives <u>W.S.</u> <u>7<sup>th</sup> 19</u>									
<u>Demobilization</u> <u>St John's</u> <u>14-4-19</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 14-4-19 (date of discharge) 1 years 329 days  
 " " Penalties " [ " " ] " " " " " " " "

C.R. 3804

Extract of casualties from Pay & Record Office, London, dated  
Jan. 28/1/19.

Nominal Roll of N.C.O's and men (25 O.Rs) on leave from 1st Bn.,  
who joined 2nd Bn. Winchester 19/1/19 for repatriation and sub-  
sequent demobilization.

3894 PTE. E. BROWN.

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Officer i/c Records, Wfld Contgt.

C.R. 3804

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal  
Wals. Regt. April 2nd, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilisation  
has been APPROVED by C.O. 1/J. Discharge Depot from  
noted date.

3804 Pte. E. Browne

31-3-19.

C.R. 3804

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld  
Regt. St. John's, 11-2-19.

The underneted returned from Overseas and reported  
to Depot. 7-2-19.

Repatriated on account of Demobilization.

3804 Pte. Ed. Brown.

C.R. 3804

Extract from Huminal Roll of the Royal HZA, Regt.  
Stationary Embarked S.S. Corsican, Jan. 30th, 1919.

3804 Brown.



C.R. 3804

Extract from Nominal Roll Draft No. 36, 200 Other Ranks, from  
2nd., (Reserve) Battn, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, and proceeded  
to join the 1st., Battalion Royal Newfoundland Regt., B. E. F.,  
Embarked Southampton, 4/2/18.

#3804 Pte. E. Borwn.

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CR 3804

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas  
per S.S. "Florizel" Aug. 4, 1917.

3804 Pte. G. Brown.

C.R.

3804

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Rifles.  
Regt., St. John's, May. Bist., 1925.

Attested this day, posted 66 P. Coy., and assigned number as  
shown.

3804 Pte. E. Brown.

C. Brown.

3804

P. + P. 6



H.1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Edward Brown., Regl. No. 3804.

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of ... Dollars and ... Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ... Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ... Persons concerned, viz. :

Allotment begins July 1st/17

Table with 5 columns: Identity Certificate No., Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend, NAME (in full), ADDRESS, and AMOUNT (each person). Includes entry for 'Mother of ... Brown' with amount 60 and a total allotment of 60.

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, counter-signed by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) Capt. J. Brown, Officer Commanding Company. June 22 1917

(Sig.) Edward Brown (Rank)

No 3939



*H.1* **ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT**

**ALLOTMENTS**

I, *Edward Brown.*, Regl. No. *3804.*

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in ~~an~~ all official form to make an Allotment of          Dollars and *sixty* Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins *July 1<sup>st</sup> /17*

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
<i>30/3</i>	<i>mother</i>	<i>John (Jas) Brown.</i>	<i>Thoroughfare St. H.</i>	<i>60</i>
Total Allotment, \$				<i>60</i>

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) *[Signature]*  
Capt  
Officer Commanding  
Company  
*[Signature]*  
1917

(Sig.) *Edward Brown*  
(Rank) *Pte.*

No. 3804 Rank Pte Name Brown G.

PAY	100	10		170
Code				60
NSU				50

*£ 3-15-9*  
*WN 1/11/19*

DEBITS	Date	£ s d		CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£ s d	
					From	To				
Balance				Balance		20-12-18				16 17 6 ✓
Acquittance Rolls		3	15	9	Pay @ Net Rate	21-12-18/14-1-19	25	50	1250	2 11 4 ✓
Hospital Advances					<i>RA, B.C.A.</i>					1 4 6 ✓
A.B. 64.										
P.&.R.O. Payments										20 13 4 ✓
<hr/>										
Cash R447	14/1/19	16	10	0	<del>£ 17-7</del>					

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Brown, G.

3804

Ray Dept.



April 14, 1919

#3804 Pte. Edward Brown,

Thoroughfare,

Trinity.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate  
No. 1852."

Yours truly

Paymaster & <sup>Captain</sup> i/c Records

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 3804 Rank Pte Name Brown E.  
 Intended place of residence Thoroughfare, Triamby  
 2. Occupation Fisherman  
 Classification of soldier E Medical Category A.I.

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 **MAR. 29 1919**

*H. Miss [unclear]*  
 Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

### CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

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

Place and date **ST. JOHN'S**

29-3-19

*E. Brown*  
 Signature of soldier

*J. P. Bowley*  
 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 **ST. JOHN'S**

29-3-19

*E. Brown*  
 Signature of soldier

*E. Wilcox Ogl.*  
 Signature of witness

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 21-5-17 No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 31-3-19 plus 14 days Service 694

### 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**

Date **MAR 31 1919**

*R. H. [unclear]*  
 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, Nfld  
 Date April 14/1919  
*M. Bowley Capt*  
 Officer i/c Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

*A. G. B. 2079/1852*

## 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  
(Fishing)

*E. Brown*  
Signature of Man.

Reg. No. 3804

*J. H. Brown*  
Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place St Johns

Date 29 / 2 / 19 191

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 3804 Rank PM Name Brown E  
 Date of Enlistment 21 5 17 Address Thoroughfare District I  
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge ..... Medical Category AI  
 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.....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
B 178.....	W 3494.....	B 122.....	Board 1st.....	" 2.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
B 178a.....	D 400A.....	B 1915.....	do 2nd.....	" 3.....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
B 179.....	D 400B.....	Form L.....	do 3rd.....	" 4.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
B 179a.....	D 400C.....	Form K.....	do 4th.....	" 5.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
B 179b.....	B 103.....	ME 2.....		" 6.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
B 179c.....	B 120.....	M 93.....			<input type="checkbox"/>

Date 28 3 19 .....

H. Mours  
for C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### i. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

E. Brown

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

#### a. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00 .....

(b) Clothing Supplied J. P. Brown .....

Date 29-3-19 .....

O i/c. Re-clothing.

**3. Transportation and Release Certificate.**

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. R.107.3.5.40 to his home at Shona fave and Release Certificate No. 1866 issued.

Date 29-3-19

*J.A. Crawford*  
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 14-4-19

Date 29-3-19

*H. M. ...*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 31-3-19

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	/
F 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 29.3.19

*J.A. Crawford*  
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 MAR. 31. 1919

*R.H. Sait Capt.*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date .....

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

28.3.19

Regimental No.

3804

Name

Pte Brown Esd.

Address

Thoroughfare

Present Medical Category

A1

Recommended for:—

- (a) Immediate discharge .....
- (b) ~~Standing Medical Board~~ .....

Members of Board

*RH Lait*  
O.C. Discharge Depot.

*P Peterson*  
Senior Medical Officer

*SW Curran*  
M. O. Depot

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Brown

Christian Name James



Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Thoroughfare T.O.B. County

		SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
		Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>21</u> day of <u>May</u> 191 <u>7</u>	on	day of	191	
	at <u>Headquarters</u>	at			
Declared Age	<u>22</u> years <u>6</u> months	years	days		
Trade or Occupation	<u>Fisherman</u>				
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>3</u> inches	feet	inches		
Weight	<u>126</u> lbs.	lbs.			
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>37</u> inches	inches			
	Range of Expansion... <u>4</u> inches	inches			
Physical Development					
Vaccination Marks	Arm	—	—		
	Number				
When Vaccinated					
Vision	R.E.—V= <u>6/9</u>	R.E.—V=			
	L.E.—V= <u>6/9</u>	L.E.—V=			
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)			(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)			(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>James Paterson</u>				
(Rank)	<u>major</u>	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St. Johns</u>	at			
	on <u>21</u> day of <u>May</u> 191 <u>7</u>	on	day of	191	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.	
	<u>4<sup>th</sup> F.L.D.</u>	<u>3804</u>			
Transferred to					
Became non-effective by	on	day of	191	on	day of
(Signature)					
(Rank)					

**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
23-6-17	Vacc. 20
28-5-17	I.P.S. 20
18-6-17	3 20
<del>24-6-17</del>	20

*It is hereby certified that this soldier has been before a Travelling Medical Board and has been classified as \_\_\_\_\_ for Discharge on Deprobilisation. Medical category \_\_\_\_\_*

*28.3.19*  
Date of T.M.B.

*[Signature]*  
Ambulant A. Captain  
Discharge Depot - Newington

**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



No. 3804

Name

Brown, G.

Sqr., Batty., or Company

Corps

1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt

Date of Enlistment

21-5-17

G.C. Badges

Service or Proficiency Pay

free

Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet

No. and date of last drunk

Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine

Sheet No. 1

Signature O.C. Company, etc.

Character

free

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
Field	15-2-16	Pvt		deficient in Return	Capt. Kanwin	Pay for same	3.3.16	Plat. W. H. ...	

Army Form B. 159



## 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

*Edward Brown*

Regiment from which discharged

*Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number

*3804*

Intended address

*Thoroughfare*

Height on discharge

*5 Feet 3*

Color of hair on discharge

*Light*

Complexion

*Fair*

Color of eyes

*Grey*

Descriptive Marks

Figure on discharge

*short*

Christian name of Father

*James*

Christian name of Mother

*Heath*

Wife's maiden name in full

—

Date and place of marriage

—

Christian names of children

—

Place and date of soldier's birth

*Thoroughfare 1894 Nov. 5<sup>th</sup>*

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)

*E. Brown*

(Rank)

*Private*

Station

*St. John's*

Date

*27. 3. 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

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

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RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

- Christian name..... *Edward* ..... Surname..... *Brown*
3. Rank..... *Pl* ..... 4. Regtl. No..... *3804*
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *Thoroughfare, S. B.*
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *May 21/17*
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge..... *Reck Brown,*
8. Relationship of such dependents..... *Mother*
9. Address in full of such dependents..... *Thoroughfare, S. B.*
10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?..... *No*
11. Were you on active service only in Nfld, if so, give dates and particulars of such service..... *Overseas.*
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld or Overseas..... *From May 21/17 to March 1919.* 1.

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?.....

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?.....

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.?..... *No* If not give? - (a) Date of discharge *March 1919* (b) Reason for discharge.....

..... *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....

..... *France & Belgium for 11 months from February 1918* .....

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

Signature of Applicant:

*his*  
*Edward X Brown*  
*mark*

Place of Residence:

*Thoroughfare, Nfld*

Declared before me at:

*St. John's, Nfld*

This

*29th*

day of

*Oct.*

19*19*

*John W. Cooney*  
*J.P.*

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid Paid  
Soldier. Dependent.

War Service  
Gratuity.

Net amount  
due

.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....
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Certified correct.

Paymaster

April 19, 1919

#3804 Pte. Edward Brown,

Thoroughfare, T. H.

Dear Sir:-

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

Yours truly

Paymaster & C. i/o Records.   
 Captain,

15780

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

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Christian name, *Edward* *Brown*

3. Rank, *Oke* 4. Regt. No. *3804*

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

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment, *May 21/17*

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge, *No*

8. Relationship of such dependents, *—*

9. Address in full of such dependents, *—*

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

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

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas, *Mar 29/19*  
*date of temporary discharge*

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.....

*Clothing allowance \$60 -  
Board allowance 51  
P.A. 40.29*

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

*No*

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*No*  
*Mar. 29/19*  
*Temporary 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.....

*France, Belgium & Germany - From Feb 1918 to Dec 15/19  
Officer, Comantiers, Paschendale*

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com.?

(b). If (a), 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.



*his*

Signature of Applicant:

*Edward X Brown*

Place of Residence:

*Thompson, Trinity Bay.*

Declared before me at:

*St. John's Nfld.*

This

*29th* day of *March* 1919

*John McCarthy*  
*J.P.*

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
.....	.....	.....	<i>18 mes.</i>	<i>280<sup>00</sup></i>
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Certified Correct.

Paymaster. *J*



**Casualty Form—Active Service.****C.R.****B**

Regiment or Corps *Royal Newfoundland*

Rank *Pte* Surname *Brown* Christian Name *Edward*

Religion *Meth* Age on Enlistment *21* years *6* months

Enlisted (a) *21-5-17* Terms of Service (a) *Duration* Service reckons from (a) *21-5-17*

Date of promotion to present rank ..... Date of appointment to lance rank .....

Extended { ..... } Re-engaged { ..... } Qualification (b) .....  
 or Corps Trade and Rate *Captain*

Occupation *Fisherman* Signature of Officer *E. J. Fox*

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...	3 FEB 1918		
		Disembarked...	6 FEB 1918		
		Joined Battalion	15 FEB 1918		
		Transferred to U. K. <i>for Repatriation</i>			<i>Para 3/5</i>
					<i>Capt for Lt Col.</i>
					<i>Office 1/3 No. Infantry Section</i>
					<i>G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon.</i>
	<i>Int</i>				

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

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



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

3804

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 3804 Rank PM Name James E. Thoroughfare District Imperial  
 Date of Enlistment 21.5.17 Address Thoroughfare District Imperial  
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge 15 Medical Category 15  
 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 28.3.19

for H. M. S. S. S. S.  
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 \$60.00

(b) Clothing Supplied J. A. Brown

Date 29-3-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

MAR 31 1919

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *R.107.35404* to his home at *Shimoga* and Release Certificate No. *1866* issued.

Date *29-3-19* *J.A. Crawford* 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 *14-11-19*

Date *14-3-19* *J.A. Crawford* Depot Paymaster

Discharge approved for *31-3-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date *29. 3. 19* *J.A. Crawford* 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 *MAR 31 1919* *R.H. Sait Capt.*  
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date *Apr 3/1919* *J.A. Crawford* Depot Records

Reg. No. *3804.* Rank *Pte.* Name *Brown, Edward.*  
Attested ..... Address *Thoroughfare*  
Allotment ..... Allottee .....  
Date of Allotment ..... Returned from Overseas *7.2.19.*  
Returned on S.S. *Basilean* Cause *Discharge*

*24.3.19* PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

*31.3.19* DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.

The United Ch. Paroisse,  
Hickman's Harbour  
J.B.



May 11 1928.

Dear Sir,

I have just returned from Thoroughfare,  
Ransom Is. where I visited one of my  
franchisees who is at present residing,  
Mr Edward Brown by name.

Mr Brown is an ex-member of the  
Newfoundland Regiment, entering May  
21st 1917 & serving two years on  
active service before Demobilization.

His Regimental number is 3804  
Rank: Private. It appears that shortly  
after he returned he suffered from  
acute stomach trouble, which I  
understand was diagnosed as ulcerated  
stomach. Doctor claimed the trouble  
was due to war experience in trenches.  
Ever since he has been a semi-invalid  
never feeling strong & considerably  
incapacitated for work. Being of an  
independent nature he refused to  
accept advice to apply for a Pension.



He is now lying very ill & apparently his present condition is due to the same trouble. Both Dr. Cross & Dr. Sinclair are familiar with his case having treated him. He is unable to work & has no means & with the years, is growing more dependent upon outside assistance. Is a Pension possible for him? Will you consider the case if we can obtain medical evidence that his present physical disability is due to war experience? If so kindly send me all necessary papers, & I will have them properly filed in & forwarded for your consideration. He has no family: his wife is delicate & a small Pension would meet their needs.

Kindly let me know his possibilities of procuring financial assistance,  
Truly yours

Thomas J. Pitt  
W. C. Pastor.

M-3804

June 2nd., 1938.

Rev. Thos. J. Pitt,  
United Church Parsonage,  
Hickman's Hr. T.B.

Re - 3804, Edward Brown:  
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Rev., & Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 11th., relative to the case of the above noted man.

I beg to advise you that there is no medical evidence whatever in this man's Service Sheet pertaining to any condition contracted during Service. However, the case will be submitted to the Board for consideration, if you will forward a Medical Certificate showing his present disablement to be due to his war experience.

Yours very truly,

J.A. MCGRATH,  
Clerk, War Pensions.

BT: