



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1518

Name in full Daniel Churchill Age 23

Address Portugal Cove

~~Married~~ Height 5ft 4 in Weight 132

Single Color Fresh Hair Light Eyes Blue

Other distinguishing marks

Nearest relative Father (Levi)

Address Portugal Cove

Dependents Father (partly)

Occupation Fisherman Present Wage 4.00 per year

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment May 3rd 1915 P.M.

I, Daniel Churchill do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty, and that I will faithfully serve His Majesty in any place where I may be needed (or in the Colony of Newfoundland, as the case may be), against all His enemies and opposers whatsoever, according to the condition of my service.

Daniel Churchill
his mark

Declared before me this 6 day

of May 1915

Witness J. K. ...

J. K. ...
himself

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet No. 1518

Name **Daniel Churchill**
 Apparent age **25** years _____ months. Height **5** feet **4** inches.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded _____ inches.
 { Range of expansion _____ inches.
 Distinctive marks **Colors Fresh, Hairs Light, Eyes Blue.**

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin **Levi Churchill, Portugal Cove, Nfld.**
 | 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) Signature of Officer verifying entry from certificate.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
			Verified from certificate.

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate.

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed 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 May 3/15									
Joined at St. John's on May 3/16 Embarked for A. K. 17/6/15									
Embarked for B. I. via Egypt 13/3/16									
Joined Bait. in the field 8/4/16 at Alondra Beaumont									
At 3d. 3/16 at Alondra Beaumont 6/7/16									
Reported to depot, St. John's , from Alondra Beaumont 14/2/17									
Discharged St. John's Med. Unit 4/4/17									
Total Service forfeited as above									

Total Service towards Engagement to **4-4-17** (date of discharge) **1** years **343** days
 " " " Pension " (") " " "

RECEIPT.

CR. 1518

FOR ISSUE OF RIBBON OF VICTORY MEDAL/1914-1919.

I certify that I have received an issue of 2 inches
of Ribbon of British Victory Medal-1914-1919.

NO. 1518... NAME. Daniel Churchill

DATE. 8.1.20.....

PLACE. Bridgall. Leve

C.R. 1518

Extract from Nominal Roll of R.E.M. Regt. embarked Devonport
23-3-16 for Egypt, transferred to B.E.F. & Disembarked Mar-
seille 3-4-16.

1518 Pte. D. Churchill.

D. Churchill

C.R.

1518

P.R.O.

Regimental Number 1518

Company P

THE
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's
Forces under the following conditions :

For the duration of the present war, or until my
discharge.

Subject to the Army Act, the King's Regulations,
and to such ordinances as may apply or may
be made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act,
5 George V., Chapter IV.

Signed D Churchill ^{witness leRendell 2nd Lt}
his mark

Witness Wayne 2nd Lt

Dated at _____



191 _____

1921

The accompanying Victoria Medal and the British War Medal

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S



To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

Fold Here



1921

SEP 16 1921

1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**

is/are forwarded herewith to

Daniel Churchill

in respect of his service as No. 1518 Rank Pte.

Name D. Churchill

Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

Victory and British Medal

Signature

Daniel Churchill

Date

21 September 1921

Address

Portugal Cove.

[P.T.O.]

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. *1518* Name ... *Churchill D.*

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

Name ... *Daniel Churchill*

Date *2.17.20*

Place *Portugal home*

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

A

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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Forms
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29.

Number of Sheet 1

Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company _____

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<u>1518</u>	Age on	<u>20</u> years <u>0</u> months	<u>Fisherman</u>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St John's</u> <u>May 3rd 15</u>	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	{ with Colours <u>3 1/2</u> years. with Reserve <u>3 1/2</u> years.	Church of England.	
Joined	Date			Place of Birth	<u>Portugal Cove</u>

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
<u>Camp</u>	<u>1916</u> <u>Feb 12</u>	<u>Pte.</u>		<u>Absent from tattoo</u> <u>until 01 PM 13/2/16</u>	<u>Sp. Collins</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>14/2/16</u>	<u>Capt J. Hedingham</u>	<u>forfeit 2 days</u> <u>priv. 10. S.</u>
				<u>Medically Unfit</u>					

COPY SENT TO
O. C. H. Q.
ST. JOHNS, N. F. L. D.
No. 38. No. 1185/4
DATED FEB 9 - 1917

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.

ORIGINAL



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 1518 (Rank) Private (Name) Dennis Churchill
hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on
N.F.K.No 1060^A dated 12/6/16 in favour
of Mrs Leni Churchill for \$ — cts. 50
per diem. Such cancellation to take place from (inclusive)
the First day of June 1916.

I agree to accept all risks and consequences of this application failing to reach Headquarters, St. John's, by mail in time to become operative at above nominated cancelling date; and that in the event of such non-delivery by mail, and thereby the Allotment continuing to be paid to the Allottee, I also agree to such further stoppage as may be thereby necessary being made against me in the Pay Books, or otherwise to refund such overdrawn amount or amounts.*

Dated at St. John's
June 13th 1916.

per Letter 13/6/16
Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed.
J. Munns Capt
O.C. "B" Company.

*Attention is drawn to the fact that Allotments are payable by Headquarters per Calendar, not Regimental month, and therefore reasonable time must be allowed for delivery of this request at St. John's, in order to become operative.

To be made out in triplicate and sent to the Paymaster & O.I/c Records, who will forward original to Headquarters by first mail, duplicate by the following, and retain triplicate.

M.H.

C.R.

1518

Daniel Churchill was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ... **May. 3rd. 1915..**
Regimental No. **1518** was allotted to Pte **Daniel Churchill.**

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

In the Field

June 13th 1916.

1518 Pte. Daniel Churchill,
wishes to cancel allotment
made in St. John's in favour
of Levi Churchill his Father
(since deceased) for 50¢ per day.

Make allotment to his
wife Mrs. Daniel Churchill,
nee (Maggie Wilson)

for Mrs Wilson, 166 Preatwich Rd,
Ayr, Scotland.

to amount of 60¢ per day

his
Daniel X Churchill

mark
Witness

Witness

J. Kinnis
Capt.
O.C. B. Coy

Witness Lt/cpl Geo Butler
Sect. Comdr

1st Newfoundland Regt
June 15th 1916.

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGT
RECORDS OFFICE
1920
RE JUN 16 1916
ACK'D.
AM'D.
FILE NO.

Admitted 6.7.16.

Army Form W. 3202.

ONLY FOR USE IN THE CASE OF SOLDIERS RETURNED FROM AN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, OR FROM GARRISONS ABROAD.



~~1st~~ Infed Cont Regiment.

*The Officer Commanding Infed Cont Coy

The Officer in Charge of Records 58 Victoria St SW

The Regimental Paymaster 58 Victoria St SW

With reference to No. 1518. Pte. Churchhill D. of the above Regiment, who appeared before a Medical Board and was approved by

~~the D.D.M.S.~~ Infed Cont Command, on the 18.1.17 for discharge from the Service as permanently unfit, please note that this man has been sent to his home on warrant with orders to await instructions as to his final discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance and ~~a suit of plain clothes.~~

He proceeded to 58 Victoria St on [date] 19/2/17

A. Hagan Officer Commanding
Capt. R.A.M.C. (D) Registrar, R.A.M.C.I. Hospital.

Place Wandsworth 5rd London General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S. W.

Date 19/2/17

* In case of Territorial Force "Officer Commanding the Administrative Centre."

July 15th.,

6

2755/8

Major W.F. Rendell,
2/1st. Newfoundland Regiment,
Newton-on-Ayr.

F.M/W.F.

NO. 1518, PTE. D. CHURCHILL.

Reference to your letter 12/7/16.
Allotment has been forwarded to Mrs. Churchill for
period ending 7/7/16. This was made payable from 1/6/16
at sixty cents, (.60¢) per diem.

Capt.
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

POST OFFICE
PAID
POSTED UPON
BY *FM.*
DATE *14/7/16 2/5/16*



Newton-on-Ayre
12th July 1916

From Major W. F. Rudee

To The Paymaster
R. Newfoundland Regt.
58 Victoria St. S.W.

No. 1518, Pte S. Churchill

This man was married here
on 1st February 1916, and promised
his wife we would transfer allotment
to her. At the time the allotment was
payable to his father, who was then
dead some weeks. Mr. Churchill
would like to know if you have any
instructions on the matter, please.
Churchill is now in Wandsworth
Hospital, I believe.

LETTER OF THE DAY
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No. *2324*
Rec'd. *JUL 13 1916*
Ack'd.
A.S.D.
Fwd. 'o.

W. F. Rudee
Major
R. Newfoundland Regt.

Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. <u>1518</u>	Army Rank <u>Private</u>	
Name <u>Churchill Daniel</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>		
Corps <u>Newfoundland Regiment</u>		
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>		
Date of discharge _____	COPY SENT TO O.C. H.Q. ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D. N.F.P. 38. No. <u>1185/4</u> DATED FEB. 9 - 1917 Descriptive marks.	
Place of discharge _____		
1. <i>Description at the time of discharge.</i>		
Age <u>24</u> years _____ months	<u>Stiff ankle L. G. S.D.</u>	
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>4</u> inches		
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.		
Complexion <u>Flesh</u>		
Eyes <u>Blue</u>		
Hair <u>Fair</u>		
Trade <u>Fisherman</u>		
Intended place of residence { <u>St. Johns East</u> (To be given as fully as practicable) <u>Newfoundland</u>		
<small>(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)</small>		
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>Gunshot wound</u> <u>Right ear Left Ankle Compound comminuted Fracture.</u>		
<small>(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)</small>		
3. Military character :—		
4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations :—		
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.		
Initials of Commanding Officer.		

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*



Army Form B, 179.

Original

Medical Report of an Invalid.

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

Date 12th Jan: 1917

- 1. Unit 1st Newfoundland
- 2. Regimental No. 1518
- 3. Rank Private
- 4. Name Churchill D.
- 5. Age last birthday 24
- 6. Enlisted about on 12th Oct 1914
at St. John's N.F.L.D.
- 7. Former Trade or Occupation Fishing

8. Disability.

G. S. W. R. ear
G. S. W. L. ankle - Compound. Compound fracture

Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

- 9. Date of origin of disability. 3 July 1916 - France / Somme
- 10. Place of origin of disability. Somme

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

On admission wounds were very septic. Under local anaesthetic incisions for further drainage were made. On 24-7-16 under general anaesthetic ankle was opened up. - Multiple fragments of tibia & os trigonum were removed. On 16 Oct 16. Under general anaesthetic several small sequestra removed from ankle.

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- 12. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability.
- (b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it (See notes on page 3).

In active service
G. S. W. / bullet

13. What is his present condition?

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

Wounds are healed
Ankle is ankylosed: He can only walk with aid of a stick

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

In action

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

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

If so—(a) When?

(b) Where?

(c) Opinion?

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

2 operations: Removal of sequestra

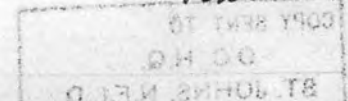
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined?

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

19. Do you recommend

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

Permanently unfit



V. D. Black, Res. Surg. & Maj. Gen. Hosp. Wounds war
Officer in medical charge of case.

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

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

H. E. Dounce, Lt. Col. R.A.M.C.T.
Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date 17/1/17

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

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

Opinion of the Medical Board.

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

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

(iii.) The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is attributed to (a) active service, (b) climate, or (c) ordinary military service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (*see* Articles 1162 and 1165 Pay Warrant, 1913).

(iv.) In answering question 20 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

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

20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of (i.) active service, (ii.) climate, or (iii.) ordinary military service.

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

Active Service
J.S.W.

21. Has the disability been aggravated by

(a) Intemperance? *No*

(b) Misconduct? *No*

(c) Any of the conditions mentioned in Question 20, and if so which?

22. Is the disability permanent? *Yes*

23. If not permanent, what is its probable minimum duration?

To be stated in months.

24. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, or total incapacity.

Total at present

24A. Is the man suffering from a disability which would obviously, as far as you can judge, cause him to be rejected by an Approved Society under the National Insurance Act? *No*

25. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable? *vide 16*

26. Do the Board recommend

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or *Yes*

(b) Change to England?

Signatures :—

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

Date *18.1.17*

W. Wynter Maj. Ramet President.
H. Woodhead. Capt. R.M.C.
A. B. Howard Es. Members.

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

Date *18.1.17*

W. Wynter Maj. Ramet
Administrative Medical Officer.

(On leaving Corps or Station where invalided.)

Transfer { Date _____
 Station _____ } Conveyance _____
 or Name of { Vessel _____
 Embarkation { Date _____
 Port _____ } Officer in medical charge _____

Brief remarks on case during transit, and state on transfer for final disposal.

Re-transferred { Date _____
 Hospital or Station _____ } Officer in medical charge _____

(At Station or Hospital where finally disposed of.)

Station and Hospital }
 Arrived from _____ Date _____

If admitted Date	If under treatment		Disease	How finally disposed of	Date of Discharge, &c.
	From	To			

Detailed statement as to condition on discharge and whether discharged as an invalid, to corps, to station, or to depôt. In cases of discharge from the service it should be stated whether the answers to questions 22, 23 and 24 are concurred in.

Date of final Medical Board, or decision }

Administrative Medical Officer.

Army Form B. 179.

MEDICAL REPORT ON AN
INVALID.

Station Ayr
 Corps 1st Newfoundland
 Regimental No. 1518
 Rank Pte
 Name Churchill R
 Disability G. S. M. R. Ser. 1st class, comp. lower part.
 Date 18/1/07

Hospital or Station }
 transferred to for final disposal }
 Date of final disposal }
 How finally disposed of }

The original Report is invariably to accompany the discharge documents of Invalids.
 (4736.) W. 8830/2774. 500w. 9/15. C. F. Ltd.

No. 1518 Name *Churchie, D.* Sqn., Batty., or Company } *F* Corps *1st Inf. Regt.* Date of enlistment } *May 3/15* G.C. Badges }
 Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } *_____* No. and date of last drunk } *_____* Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } *_____* Sheet No. *Clean* Signature O.C. Company, etc. } *Sherman* Character

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>Pte.</i>							

Army Form B. 122

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Churchill OF Christian Name Samuel



Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Portugal Cove County N.F.L.D.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>5th</u> day of <u>May</u> 19 <u>15</u>	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>
	at <u>St. John's</u>	at _____	at _____	at _____
Declared Age	<u>23</u> years	_____ days	_____ years	_____ days
Trade or Occupation	<u>Fisherman</u>	_____	_____	_____
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>4</u> inches	_____ inches	_____ inches
Weight	_____ lbs.	<u>132</u> lbs.	_____ lbs.	_____ lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	<u>36½</u> inches	_____ inches	_____ inches
	Range of expansion	<u>3</u> inches	_____ inches	_____ inches
Physical Development	_____	_____	_____	_____
Vaccination Marks	Arm	<u>1</u>	_____	_____
	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>How Burden</u>		_____	
(Rank)	<u>Lieut.</u>		_____	
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at <u>St. John's</u>	at _____	at _____	at _____
	on <u>3rd</u> day of <u>May</u> 19 <u>15</u>	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>
	Corps. _____	Regtl. No. _____	Corps. _____	Regtl. No. _____
Joined on Enlistment	<u>1st N.F.L.D.</u>	<u>1510</u>	_____	_____
	<u>1518</u>	_____	_____	_____
Transferred to	_____	_____	_____	_____
Became non-effective by	_____	_____	_____	_____
	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>
(Signature)	_____	_____	_____	_____
(Rank)	_____	_____	_____	_____

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ST. JOHN'S, N.F.L.D.
N.F.P. 38, No. 118574
DATED FEB 9 1917

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 cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
	6	7	16				G.S.H. R. ear G.S.H. L. ankle Compound comminuted fracture.		Board held - see overleaf Disability - G.S.H. R. ear. L. ankle, compound comminuted fracture. Can only walk with aid of a stick Cause - G.S.H. on Active Service. Total - Inability to earn a livelihood at present.	H. Hagan Capt R.M.C. 3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.

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
<p>May 20th June 7th " 25th</p>	<p>First Inoculation 500 million Second " 1000 " Vaccinated at Sea</p>
<p>18-1-17</p>	<p>Board held - 18/1/17. Found - Permanently unfit. Board - Approved 18/1/17.</p> <p>H. Tagan Capt R.A.M.C. 3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.</p>

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
<p>St Johns nflo</p>					

Notification by President of Medical Board of Approval of a Soldier's Discharge under Paragraph 392 (xvi.) King's Regulations.

(To be completed and dispatched on the day on which the discharge is approved.)



To the Officer i/c Records 58 Victoria St

The Soldier named below has appeared before an Army Medical Board at this station, and his discharge from the Service as "no longer physically fit for War Service" has **this day** been approved. (The discharge will be confirmed for a date ¹⁴ ~~14~~ days after the date on this notification—see A.C.I. 1623 of 1916.)

Soldier's surname Churchill, Christian names Daniel
(in full)

Regt. No. and Rank 1518 Pte Regt. or Corps 1st Newfoundland
(If T.F. this should be stated)

His address on discharge will be St. John's East.
Newfoundland

This information is for the Central Army Pension Issue Office only. The Soldier states that no allowance is being issued in respect of him.

*Insert "separation," "dependants," "family," or "no," as the case may be. The space must not be left blank.

Army Form D. 400A. and Army Form B. 179 for the above-named Soldier are forwarded herewith.

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

Date 18th Jan 1917

Walter May Ramo
President of Board
(Approving Officer).

A set of three forms will be made out for each soldier whose discharge is approved, and will be dispatched to the officers severally indicated.

Attention is drawn to the fact that Forms A, B and C of each set are not in identical terms.

Descriptive Return of a Soldier discharged on account of Disability

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

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

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

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

COPY SENT TO
ST. JOHN'S N.F.L.D.
DATED FEB 9 - 1917

A Name in full Churchill - Daniel
Regiment from which discharged 1st Newfoundland
Regimental number 1518
Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when
Intended address St. John's East, Newfoundland.

Portugal Cove, Newfoundland
(uncertain birthday - 1892)

Height on discharge 5 Feet 4 Inches
Colour of Hair on discharge Fair Colour of Eyes Blue
Descriptive marks Stiff ankle (L)-G.S.W. Complexion Fresh
Figure on discharge Medium
Christian name of Father Levy
Christian name of Mother Mary Ann Somerton
Wife's Maiden name in full Maggie Wilson
Date and Place of Marriage Decr. 1915 - Ayr, Scotland
Christian names of Children none
Nature and locality of civil employment desired Uncertain owing to disability.



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) Daniel Churchill (Rank) Pte X his mark
Date 16th Jan 1917

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.

F. J. Proctor Medical Officer i/c
3rd London General Hospital, Hospital.
Date 16. Jan 1917

Station Wandsworth S.W.

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

Rank on Discharge
Character (as on Certificate of discharge)
Where born, and on what date
Date and Place of first Enlistment
Trade on Enlistment
Cause of Discharge
Number of G.C. Badges
Wounds, and Actions in which received

Medals

Other distinguishing marks

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

Station _____ Officer in Charge
Date _____ Records.

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

No. 1518. Rank Private.
Name (surname first) Churchill, Daniel
Regiment 1st Newfoundland

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

Deep sea fisherman.

COPY SENT TO
O.C. H.Q.
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
N.F.P. 36. NO. 1180/15
DATED FEB 9 - 1917



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

*On own account, for about 12 years.
as fisherman.*

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

Hope to become a Driver. (horse or taxi).

4. What is the name of your Approved Society? *None.*

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

About a month as driver with transport.

Date 12/1/17

Signature Daniel Churchill

his mark

NOTE.—This Army Form will be given to all patients in Hospital to complete who are suffering from a disability sufficiently serious to make discharge probable. In the event of the man being brought before a Medical Board for discharge, this Army Form will be produced to the Board, together with other documents laid down in para. 4 (ii), item 8, of Army Council Instruction No. of 1916.

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

admitted 6.7.16.

Army Form W. 3202.

ONLY FOR USE IN THE CASE OF SOLDIERS RETURNED FROM AN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, OR FROM GARRISONS ABROAD.

1st Med Cont^y Regiment.

*The Officer Commanding 1st Med Cont Ayr.

The Officer in Charge of Records 58 Victoria St SW

The Regimental Paymaster 58 Victoria St SW

With reference to No. 1518. Pte. Churchhill D. of the above Regiment, who appeared before a Medical Board and was approved

the ~~MANUS.~~ Board, on the 18.1.17. for discharge from the Service as permanently unfit, please note that this man has been sent to his home on warrant with orders to await instructions as to his final discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance ~~and a suit of plain clothes.~~

He proceeded to 58 Victoria St.

on [date] 19/2/17.

A. Jagan Officer Commanding

Capt. R.A.M. C.T.F. Hospital.

Place Wandsworth Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.

Date 19/2/17. 5th London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.

In case of Territorial Force "Officer Commanding the Administrative Centre." Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above, and one copy filed in the Office.



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Daniel Churchill, Regl. No. 1518

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of 50 Dollars and 50 Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person and 7 Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person and or Persons concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
1	Mother	Mrs Liza Churchill	Portugal Cove	50
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
Commenced 9 June 12 th				
Cancelled 11/16				
Total Allotment, £				50

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.)

Officer Commanding
Company

Appld
June 12 1915

(Sig.) Daniel Churchill

(Rank) pt

Witness Boyd Crocker
Pat. 1529

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 1518 Pte. Churchill D.

(Substituting A.F.O. 1325) N.F.P./Co.
 Embarked per S.S. Messanake
 From Liverpool Date 9/3/17
 Draft No. 31 CR.

"H" Company. From 23/12/16 To 9/3/17 (Dates inclusive)

DR. Classification (See procedure) A MAR 22 1917

Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	¢	£	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	¢	£	s	d
	8	Forfeited Pay									1	Pay	100	77	77				
	9	Allotments	60	77	46	20					2	Field Allowances	10	77	77	0			
	10										3	Other Allowances							
11/12		Total Stoppages			46	20	99	10		4/5		Total @ \$4.86 2/3			84	70	17	8	1
13		Fines								6a									
14		Clothing & Necessaries																	
15		Arms & Accoutrements																	
13		Barrack Damages																	
17		Hospital Stoppages																	
17a		Miscellaneous Stoppages																	
19		Casual Payments																	
19/2/17	20	1st Payment <i>Add Hospital</i>					10	0											
19/2/17	21	2nd " <i>PR O</i>					25	10											
	22	3rd "																	
	23	Final "																	
	24	Balance Debit Last Period																	
	28	" Due by Paymaster					3	15	9		27	Balance Due to Paymaster							

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This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 15/3/17 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

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CHECKED
[Signature]

Racecourse, Ayr
March 7th 1917

CERTIFIED CORRECT.
W. M. Greene & Co
 O.C. "H" Company.

NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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CHECKED *[Signature]*

Racecourse, Ayr
March 7th 1917

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

W. M. Greene & Co.
O.C. "H" Company.

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16.92-191 75,000 1/16



ONLY FOR USE IN THE CASE OF SOLDIERS RETURNED FROM AN
EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, OR FROM GARRISONS

12th Infld. (Regiment).

No. 1518, Rank Pte, Name Churchill,

is discharged from Hospital with orders to proceed to his home
(Address 58 Victoria St.)

S.W.
and there await further instructions as to his discharge from the
Service.

3 Place ~~GENERAL HOSPITAL~~
~~WANDSWORTH.~~

H. Jaeger
Officer Commanding

Registrar, R.A.M.C.I.
Hospital.
3rd London General Hospital.
WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Date 19/2/17

3rd London General Hospital.

Wandsworth S.W.

From,
O. C.
3rd London General Hospital.

To,
O. C. Records. *58 Victoria St Sw.*



In conformity with instructions contained in A. C. I.
No. 1629 of 1916., I beg to report that:-
1518 Pte D. Churchill - 1st Newfoundland
will shortly be brought before a Medical Board, and will probably
be discharged from the Army or re-Classified.

Norval Jagan Capt. R.A.M.C.(F)

No. 112

MEMORANDUM.

From **O.C.**
2/1st Newfoundland Regiment,
Ayr.

To **The Paymaster,**
1st Newfoundland Regiment,
London, S.W.

From **Paymaster, London.**

To **O.C., 2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,**
Newton-on-Ayr.

ANSWER.

1725.

~~Racecourse~~

Pay & Record Office,

May 5th 1916

8, May, 1916.

Reference No 1518 Private
Daniel Churchill.

This man has apparently married
here and is now with the first
Battalion.

His wife is receiving no money
and is in straightened circumstances.

It is believed this man's allotment
is paid to his parents in Newfoundland,
it would appear to be necessary for
him to make a new allotment, if he
has not already done so, in favour
of his wife. Can you send any
information on this matter.

The allotment of this man is 50 cents
per diem in favour of his mother,
Mrs. Levi Churchill, Portugal Cove,
Newfoundland. The only course appears
to be to get the man's consent to a
new allotment, and accordingly a copy
of the within is being forwarded to
the O.C. 1st. Battalion and on receipt
of reply you will be further communic-
ated with.

Capt.

Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

H. J. Colman ADJUTANT,
1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,
NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.

For O.C.

1ST	AND REGIMENT
PAY	OFFICE
Ref. No.	1431
Rec'd.	MA 1916
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

pass to my husband's
address, which is as
follows:-

Daniel Churchill,
Portugal Cove,
St Johns. East,
Newfoundland.

Thanking you in
anticipation of an early
reply

I remain

Yours truly,
Margaret Churchill

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
RECORD OFFICE	
Re.	2393
Rec'd.	MAY 15 1917
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	21/5/17
File No.	4778/1

Wife of ~~1518~~ 1518 (Mte. D) Churchill.
repat. 11-13-17.

166 Presbiterian Row
Apt.
St. John's
Newfoundland.
1518 Churchill
May 1917

Dear Sir,

About a month
ago my husband -
Daniel Churchill - of
the first Newfoundland
Regiment was discharged
from the army and as
he has now returned to
Newfoundland ~~and~~ ^{is now}
no longer being in receipt
of any sustenance
allowance I am anxious
to join him out there.

I should therefore be
greatly obliged if under
the circumstances you
would kindly arrange
to let me have a free

21st May, 7.

Mrs. M. Churchill,

4778/1

166, Prestwick Road,

Ayr, Scotland.

PASSAGE to NEWFOUNDLAND

With reference to your letter 14/5/17; your application for a passage to Newfoundland to join your husband has been referred to the authorities concerned, and you will be notified when information is received from them.

In view of present restrictions it may be some weeks before the necessary arrangements can be completed.

Casualty Form-Active Service.

Regiment or Corps *Newfoundland*Regimental No. *1518* Rank *Pte* Name *Daniel Churchill*Enlisted (a) *3.5.15* Terms of Service (a) *war* Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Date	Report		Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
	From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., 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.			
		<i>Disembarked</i>	<i>Mansell</i>	<i>3.4.16</i>	
	<i>mess</i>	<i>James Burtation</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>8.4.16</i>	<i>B 213</i>

COPY SENT TO O.C. H.Q. ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D., <i>[Signature]</i> N.F.P. 38, No. <i>1185/4</i> DATED FEB. 9 - 1917 Transferred to England	<i>[Handwritten signature]</i>
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FOR O.C.'s INFANTRY RECORDS G.H.Q.; 3RD ECHELON <i>[Handwritten signature]</i> <i>3083</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) e.g., Signaller, Shoing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

[P.T.O.]

January 27 1918.

1518 ex-Pte. Daniel Churchill.

Sir:-

I have the honour to forward you correspondence covering letter from Rev. A. Legge, Portugal Cove, with reference to the above man, together with report from the Paymaster, from which it would appear that this man's pension was stopped on instructions from the Pensions and Disabilities Board.

I shall be glad if you can furnish me with a report so that full explanation can be made to Mr. Legge.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Major.

District Officer Commanding.

Newfoundland.

Chairman Pensions & Disabilities Board,

City.

ENCLOSURE

January 2nd. 1918.

Rev. A.E. Legge.
The Rectory.
Portugal Cove.

My dear Mr. Legge,

I have just received your letter of the 31st ult., having reference to Daniel Churchill of Portugal Cove, a returned soldier.

I can assure you that you are perfectly correct when you say that the condition of this man was entirely unknown to me and had I had the least idea that his condition was such as you represent it I would have authorized you, or some other person, to provide immediately for his requirements. As to who is to blame for Churchill's position, it is hard to say. I am immediately taking the matter up with the Pensions & Disabilities Board as, after a soldier is discharged, it is this Board which arranges for a payment to him pending the adjustment of his pension. Churchill's case is one that no doubt requires special consideration and should have been referred to the Committee of the Patriotic Fund with a request that they augment the amount allowed in lieu of pension. This has evidently escaped the consideration of either of those Committees but I shall see that the matter is promptly brought

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brought to their notice.

In the meantime, will you be good enough to look after this soldier and provide for him in such a manner as he is entitled to, as a returned soldier who has fought for his Country. Forward the bills on account of same to me and I shall see them immediately liquidated. I can assure you that this case has my entire sympathy and I will endeavour to have this man properly provided for.

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 1578

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

1518 Pte. Daniel Churchill discharged April 11th 1917
Medically unfit

C.R. 1578

Hon. Secretary,
Finance Committee.

This letter was handed to me today by

Rev. A. E. E. Legge No. 1518 Pte. Churchill. One of the Churchill's of
Portugal Cove

Portugal Cove who have done well in the war.

He was returned for discharge on March 26 (v. T. 960 of 11 March). He will get some pension in due course.

This problem of Scottish marriages will face us at every turn. I wonder whether the payment of passages to Newfoundland of the wives would be a legitimate use of the Patriotic Funds.

But the first idea in my mind is to get an indulgence passage by Canadian Transport. We may not have to pay at all.

Is it best to send a general instruction to the Pay and Record Office or to make the application to the Governor General direct.

Let me have the views of your Committee and of the Trustees.

Governor.

28 March 1917.

1518

C.R.

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt., St. John's, March, 27th, 1917.

1518 Pte. W. Churchill.

Attached to the Strength from Mar. 26th-17.

January 2, 1918.

Sir:-

I am directed to forward you the enclosed for your information, and to request that you report thereon at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Military Secretary.

Major Montgomerie,

District Officer Commanding.

C.R. 1518

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated July 31, 1916.

(Extract from Army Form B 215, from G.O. 1st Bfld. Regt.
dated 11/7/16.)

/ #1518 L/Cpl. D. Churchill.

Wounded in Action 1/7/16.

C.R. 15-18

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
July 17th..1916.

1518, Pte D. Churchill. ✓

1 Newfoundland Regiment GSW L. Foot and Right Ear. to Eng.
ex 385 Gen. Hos. Etaples 6th. July 1916.

C.R. 1518

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated July 12, 1916.

#1518 Pte. D. Churchill. ✓

Gunshot wound Left Foot Right Ear.
Admitted 23 General Hospital, Etaples, 4th July 1916.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

Cable Connection with all the World

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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.

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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 _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated 10th July, 1916.

To Mr. Levi Churchill,
Portugal Cove.

Regret to inform you No. 1518 Private Daniel Churchill reported Wandsworth Hospital wounded Left Foot.

J. R. BENNETT,

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

C.R. 1518

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated July 8th, 1916.

#1518 Pte. D. Churchill, ✓

Gunshot wound Left Foot.

Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, S.W.,
July 6th, 1916.

C.R. 1518

Extract from Casualties

List No. H.A. 680.

1518 Pte. Churchill, D.

1st/Nfld. R. Adm. 23 Gen. H. Staples 4th July.16.

1st/Nfld.R. GSW L. Foot R. Bar.

C.R. 1518

Extract from Nominal Roll embarked St. John's for Overseas, per
S.S. "Calgarion" June 19th, 1915. "P"

1518 Pte. Churchill D.

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Office in Charge of Records,



The Royal Newfoundland Regiment,

Department of Militia,

St. John's Newfoundland.

Fold Here



June 24th, 1921, 1917.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 570), is forwarded herewith to

Private Daniel Churchill

in respect of his service as No. 1518 Rank Pvte.

Name Daniel Churchill Corps Royal Nfld Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

July 2nd

Signature

Daniel Churchill

Date

July 2nd

H6J

Address

Portugal Cove

Churchill, D

1518

Ray Sept

NOTICE

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
(Separation Allowance Branch)
(Information for Board of Review)

WIFE

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question.

Each Statement is considered as being made on Oath and the form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate or Justice of the Peace and returned to:-

THE PAYMASTER
Separation Allowance Branch,
St. John's, NEWFOUNDLAND.

1. Name in full of soldier. Rank. Reg't of Unit. Reg't No.
Daniel Churchill Privah Royal Nfld. Regt. 1518

2. Age of soldier. Married or single.
27 years Married

3. Name in full of wife.
Margaret Churchill

4. Address in full.
Portugal Cove, St. John's East

5. Date of marriage.
February 1st, 1916

6. Place of marriage.
St. James' Church, Ayr, Scotland

7. Did marriage take place since soldier's enlistment.
Yes

8. Was Commanding Officer's permission obtained? If not, why?
No. Did not think there was any necessity for such permission?

9. If not married, how long have you been dependant on the soldier for your maintenance, and supported regularly by him on a bona fide permanent domestic basis.

10. Were you living with your husband immediately prior to his enlistment? If not, how long have you been separated.
Part March 1914

11. Is separation a legal one?

12. If legal, are you in receipt of alimony? If so, state amount.

13. If not legal, how long since your husband contributed to your support? Explain fully

14. State amount of allotment received by you from soldier monthly

£ 3. 9. 05.

15. From what date have you received allotment.

About July 1st, 1916

16. Names of children.	Age last Birthday.	Names of Children.	Age last Birthday.
Elizabeth Catharine Churchill	9 mos.		

17. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any Source? If so, state amount.

No

18. Are you in receipt of payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much?

No

19. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance, if not, why? Give particulars.

No. Did not know where to apply.

20. Was your husband at the time of his enlistment an employee of the British Government?

No

21. In what capacity and in what place.

22. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the British Regiment. If so, how much?

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under Oath and in virtue of the Evidence Act.

Signature of applicant..... Margaret Churchill.....

Place of residence..... Portugal home.....

Declared and subscribed before me St. John's
 at.....
 this.....eighteenth.....day of.....March.....1919
 Signature of Barrister of Supreme
 Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary
 Public or Justice of Peace.....Chas. E. Hunt.....
Notary Public

This application must be signed by two responsible parties
 one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your
 local Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their
 knowledge, after careful enquiry, the above statements are correct.

Signature of Clergyman.....A. C. Higgs.....
 Signature of member of Patriotic Fund
 Committee.....L. C. Huessey.....

N.B. Marriage Certificate must accompany this application, and will
 be returned after perusal. If marriage is after enlistment,
 Commanding Officer's permission in writing must be forwarded.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 1518 Pte. Sturcell D.

(Substituting A.F.O. 225) N.F.P/Ka

"H" Company. From 23/12/16 To 9/2/17 (Dates inclusive)

Embarked per S.S. Messambie

From Liverpool Date 9/2/17

DR. Classification (See procedure) A

Draft No. 31 CR.

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March 7th 1917



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W M Green
O.C. "H" Company.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 1518 Pte. Sturckill D.

(Substituting A.F.O. 1225) N.F.P/Ka
 Embarked per S.S. Missourie
 From Liverpool Date 9/3/17
 Draft No. 31 CR.

"H" Company. From 23/12/16 To 9/3/17 (Dates inclusive)

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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. 1918.

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 *Daniel* 2. Surname *Churchill*
3. Rank *Pte.* 4. Regt. No. *1580, 18.*
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded... *Portugal Cove, St. John's, Nfld*
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment... *May 7/1915*
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued immediately prior to your discharge..... *Margaret Churchill*
8. Relationship of such dependents..... *wife*
9. Address in full of such dependents..... *Portugal Cove, St. John's, Nfld.*
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, *1915* *Nfld* whether in Nfld. or Overseas..... *From May 7/1915 to April 1918.*
..... 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.

*Clothing allowance + back pay) \$60 -
Kition allowance*

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

Yes No

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

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

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

April 1918

(b) Reason for discharge

Physical unfitness

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 - Beaumont Hamel

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:

his
Daniel Mark Churchill

Place of Residence:

Portugal Cove, St. John's Lab

Declared before me at:

St. John's, Newfoundland

This *14th* day of

May 1919

John W. Carthy
Signature of Barrister of the
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Legis-
trats, 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>4 mos</i>	<i>4 00 00</i>
Certified correct.			Paymaster	

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KLB Proceedings on Discharge



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

No. 1518 Army Rank Private

Name Churchill Daniel
(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)

Corps 1st Newfoundland Regiment

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

Date of discharge April 11th 1917

Place of discharge St. John's, Nfld.

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age <u>22</u> years _____ months	Descriptive marks. <u>Stiff ankle L. R.L.D.</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>4</u> inches	
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.	
Complexion <u>Flesh</u>	
Eyes <u>Blue</u>	
Hair <u>Fair</u>	
Trade <u>Fitterman</u>	
Intended place of residence <u>St. John's East</u>	
(To be given as fully as practicable) <u>Newfoundland</u>	

(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of Gunshot wound
Right ear, left ankle. Compound comminuted fracture.

(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)

3. Military character :—

4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations :—

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*

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SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant *Mary Ann Churchie (Mother)*

On account of *Daniel Churchie* No. *1580*. Rank *Pte*

Decision *Refused*

Date *Jan 13/1920*
William S. M. Bowley Major

Instructions

Allotment of *50* per day payable to *Mr Lewis Churchie*
his *Mother* from *12/6/16* to *11/4/17*
Discontinued on account of *being discharged*
L. W. S. Spt.

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ROYAL NEWSPAPER REGIMENT
(Separation Allowance Branch)

NOTICE

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Each statement is considered as being made on OATH, and the form is to be signed before a Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace and returned to:

THE PAYMASTER,
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE BRANCH
ST. JOHN'S WOOD.

1. Name in full of soldier Rank Reg't or Unit Reg't No.
Daniel Churchill *Private* *Royal Nfld Regt* *1580*

2. Age of soldier Married or single.
27 years *Married*

3. Name in full of mother. Age. Occupation. Permanent Address
Mary Ann Churchill *(Died over 20 yrs ago)*

4. Give name of your husband. Age Occupation Where employed
Levi Churchill *(Died 4 years ago)*

5. If your husband is not supporting you state the reason.

6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady. (A Medical Certificate must be enclosed with this document stating from what date husband has been totally incapacitated, and for how long incapacity is likely to continue).

7. If you are a widow, state date and place of death of your husband.

8. Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband?

9. Name s of your other children. Address in full Age. Occupation. Married or single.
Lyona Churchill, *Portugal Cove* *30* *Fisherman* *Single*
Mary Mitchell *do* *33* *Married*
Louisa Evelyn *Longch* *25* *do*

10. State amount earned by (a) Yourself
(b) Your husband

11. State amount and source of any other income.

12. State value of real property belonging to you and your husband.

13. State value of personal property belonging to you and your husband.

14. If husband is dead state value of real and personal left by him.

about \$400

15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to his enlistment

about \$200

16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly.

monthly

17. Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc.

no

18. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment.

Fisherman

19. State amount of his wages per week.

about \$200 per week

20. State name and address of his last employer.

21. State amount of monthly support from son since enlistment.

\$15 per month for 10 months

22. State amount of allotment received by you from son since enlistment.

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23. State from what date did you receive allotment

Sept. 1914

24. Actual amount contributed by other children.

weekly

monthly.

York Church

\$10

25. Are any of these children in the employ of you or your husband?

26. If not receiving support from other children, state cause. Explain fully.

27. With whom are you residing at present?

28. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance. If not, why?

Give particulars.

29. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, how much? No

30. Are you already in receipt of any payment from any Patriotic Fund? If so, how much? No

31. Was the soldier at the time of his enlistment an employee of the Nfld. Government. No

32. In what capacity and in what place? /

33. Is he in receipt of a salary as such while serving in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment? If so, how much? /

I herewith make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under Oath, and in Virtue of the Evidence Act.

Signature of Applicant Amie ^{let} Churchie

Place of Residence Portage Ave St Johns East

Declared and subscribed before me at St Johns

this 15th day of April 1919

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace. [Signature]

This application must be signed by two responsible parties one of whom must be a Clergyman, the other a representative of your local Patriotic Fund Committee, certifying that to the best of their knowledge after careful investigation the above statements are correct and the soldier first above mentioned is the sole support of the applicant.

Signature of Clergyman A. E. Legg

Signature of member of the Patriotic Fund Committee -----



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Daniel Churchill, Regl. No. 1518
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and 50 Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} _{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} _{or} Persons
 concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
1	Mother	Mrs Leni Churchill	Portugal Cove	50
2				
3				
6			50¢	
Commencing 9 June 12 th				
Total Allotment, \$				50

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.) _____
 Officer Commanding
 Company
Appld
June 12 1913

(Sig.) Daniel Churchill
 (Rank) pt
 Witness Boyd Carter
Pat 1529

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant *Louis Churchill* (Father)

On account of *Daniel Churchill* No. *1818* Rank *Pte*

Decision *Refused*
It is not shown that father was totally dependent on son Daniel during period of latter's service

Date *April 23rd 1920*

W. F. Rendell Lieut. Col
M. H. Rowley Major

Instructions.....
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Allotment of *50* per day payable to *Mr Louis Churchill*
his *Mother* from *12/6/19* to *30/6/16*

Discontinued ~~on account of~~ by *allowance*

L. P. S. S. S.

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ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

(Separation Allowance Branch.)

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The Paymaster
Separation Allowance Branch
St. John's, Nfld.

(1) Name in full of soldier Daniel Churchill Rank Private Reg't or Unit Royal Mtd Regt Reg't No 1518

(2) Age of soldier 28 Married or Single married

(3) Name in full of ^{wife} father, ^{father} of soldier George Churchill Age 74 Occupation Deaf Permanent Address Portugal Cove

(4) If you are a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady (Medical Certificate must be enclosed with this document, stating from what date applicant has been totally incapacitated, and for how long incapacity is likely to continue).

(5) Names of your ~~other~~ children Elizabeth Address in full Portugal Cove Occupation - Married or single married
Child of Daniel 3 years

(6) State amount earned by yourself per month Pension of \$ 20. per month

(7) State date and place of death of your ^{mother} wife. Died about 25 yrs ago

(8) State amount and source of any other income. Receive \$ 70 per month while going to school

(9) What is the value of your real property. About three hundred dollars

(10) State actual amount contributed by soldier during year prior to enlistment. About thirty dollars per month

(11) Was this amount contributed weekly or Monthly? monthly

(12) Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc?

Yes

(13) State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment.

Fisherman

(14) State amount of his wages per week.

\$10.50

(15) State name and address of his last employer.

Self

(16) State amount of support monthly from son since enlistment.

(17) State amount of "Assigned Pay" received by you from son monthly

(18) From what date have you received "Assigned Pay"?

(19) Actual amount contributed by other children

Weekly

Monthly

(20) If not receiving support from other children, state cause. Answer fully.

(21) Are any of these children in your employ?

(22) Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance? If so, why. Give particulars.

~~*Yes*~~

(23) What is the value of your personal property?

None

(24) With whom do you reside at present?

~~*Wife*~~ *Dead*

(25) Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source. If so, how much?

no

(26) Are you in receipt of assistance from any Patriotic Fund. If so, how much?

no

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no

(28) In what capacity and in what place.

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I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true; and knowing it to be of the same force and effect as if made under Oath, and in virtue of the Evidence Act.

Signature of Applicant-----

^{his}
Daniel X Churchill
_{mark}

Place of Residence-----

Portugal Cove

Declared and subscribed before me at-----

St. John's

this-----

14th

day of-----

January 1920

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace

Robert A. Hop
Commissioner
Supreme Court

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Signature of Clergyman-----

A. C. Heagy

Signature of member of Patriotic Fund Committee-----

Feb. 23, 1920

Mr. Daniel Churchill,
Portugal Cove.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your father's claim for Separation Allowance, I have been directed to request that you have your Doctor furnish me with the following particulars, showing your father's condition prior to his death:

1. What was the nature of his Disability?
2. From what date may it be considered to have been existent?
3. By what per-cent was his earning power reduced, thereby?

Yours truly

Major

Paymaster.

The Rectory,
Portugal Cove,
March 6, 1920

Major M. Howley,
St. John's.

Dear Sir,

In view of the fact that no
Dr. was in immediate attend-
ance upon the late Levi Church
ill at the time of his death,
I have been asked to answer
the questions contained in
your letter of Feb. 23.

1. Nature of Discharge - Cancer of Stomach
2. About 8 years
3. 100 per cent - in fact
did not earn any wages for
13 years previous to his death.

Yours truly

A. E. Leggs.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND

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Major

Paymaster.

The Hon.

P. J. McGrath, M.P.,

Chairman Pensions & Disabilities Board,

St. John's.

The Rectory,

Portugal Cove,

Jan. 31, 1918

Dear Sir,

Thank you very much, for your letter of the 24th inst., in which you go into Churchill's case very thoroughly. I appreciate the labour which this investigation involved, and I do not doubt for one moment that you wish to do the man justice.

I beg to reply as follows:—

1. It seems to me that the Pensions & Disabilities Board took an exaggerated view of the seriousness of Churchill's offence when they treated him as a "deserter". However if that is the principle acted upon in such cases there is probably good reason for it. Only it seems an unkind designation for a man who has risked his life for his country's cause.
2. If the P. & D. Board, as a body, was ignorant of Churchill's whereabouts, the same cannot be said of Lieut. Howley, who is connected with the board, for he had been communicated with more than once.
3. I think I said that Churchill had been "badly wounded"—a true statement, I think, of the condition of a man whose foot is never likely to be of any further use to him. Of course I did not mean to imply, as you seem to conclude, that he was 80 or 100% disabled.
4. You, I think, misunderstood my point re Churchill's condition. I was referring to the condition of his cap-board, not his health.

5. I gather from your letter that the P. & O. Board stopped Churchill's pension on or about the 5th ~~Nov.~~ Nov. If, therefore, the renewal of his pension dated from Dec. 11th, there is an intervening period to be accounted for. Churchill was advanced \$10 on Jan. 10th & later was sent a cheque for \$22, making a total of \$32, which covered the period from Dec. 11 to Feb. 11. I presume that the Board keeps a record of its monthly cheques. It is a comparatively easy matter for you to look up that record and ascertain the facts. And the Bank will show how many cheques have been cashed in favour of Churchill between Aug. & Dec.

6. Of course Churchill is to blame up to a certain point. But why did the P. & O. Board allow such a long time to elapse before they took up his case? What did they imagine he was existing on while they were deliberating? But for the Christian charity of the people of Portugal Cove I question whether Churchill & his wife would have managed to keep body & soul together. Surely that is not a nice position for any soldier to be placed in. The amount paid him as a pension each month is barely sufficient to keep them along from month to month.

7. Howley cannot, if the Board can, plead ignorance of Churchill's whereabouts. I telephoned him myself early in December, & he promised to take up the matter right away. It was more than a month after that before Churchill got his advance of \$10. This is, to my mind, an unpardonable lack of interest on the part of Lieut. Howley. Why did he not bring the case before the Board's room? Why was it necessary for me to write to Mr. Bennett, & for him to make representations to the Board before the case was looked into?

8 You need have ³ no qualms about accepting my statements as true. There has been no misrepresentation. The remainder of Churchill's physical condition depends on the point of view. You have yours. I have mine. And it is right that you should have a point of view for the sake of the State, as you say. But there is only one point of view for the State of Churchill's cupboard, & that is the one which I have taken.

9 When I found out from Churchill that his pension had been stopped I purposely allowed a few weeks to elapse before taking the matter up, as I did not wish to interfere with the authorities. It was only after I could see that he & his wife were suffering that I felt it to be my duty to take up the case.

10 Why throw the onus of responsibility as to his condition on me? The P. & D. Board is composed of men who are married & know the difficulties of keeping house. Why did they not ask themselves - "What are Churchill & his wife living on while we are dealing with his case?"

11 I fully appreciate the difficulties that the Board has to deal with. I would not willingly add to those difficulties. But I could not allow my voice to be silent when one of the men from this Dominion delights to honour ~~us~~ ^{us} reduced to such a financial condition that an appeal

had the made⁴ the different denominations
at Portugal Cove on his behalf.

12 My sole object in writing so often about this
case is to give Churchill fair play. There
ought to be no hint from the Board that I would
be a party to imposition. I have had some
little work to do for the Patriotic Fund since
the war began, & I have tried to save ~~them~~ it
from being imposed upon - & I have done so.
I would do the same for the P. & D. Board.

13 In conclusion I would utter my
appreciation of the interest you have man-
ifested in this case. I know you have certain
hard & fast rules to govern your acts, & if you
find it impossible, within the rules laid down, to
give Churchill more than his present pension, no
more can be done. I take it that you do not, under
any circumstances, grant a pension of more
than \$16 monthly to any man who is 40% disabled.

Again thanking you,

Yours sincerely
A. E. Legge

February 5th. 1917

Hon. P. T. McGrath, D.L.D.
Chairman, Pensions and Disabilities Board,
City.

Sir:-

With reference to your request for a report from me regarding the case of Daniel Churchill, of Portugal Cove, I respectfully submit the following.

On April 3rd. 1917, the report of the Medical Board on this soldier was considered at a meeting of the Pensions and Disabilities Board, and he was awarded a pension of £15.00 per month for twelve months.

On August 3rd. 1917, the Secretary of the Medical Board wrote stating that Churchill had been admitted to the Naval & Military Convalescent Home.

On August 11th., the Secretary of the Medical Board advised us that Churchill had been discharged from the Home on August 3rd. - the day after he entered. No particulars were given, nor any reason assigned for his leaving, so the natural assumption at the time was that he no longer required treatment there.

On November 5th. 1917 - three months after - The Secretary of the Medical Board wrote as follows:

"This man was recommended for Naval & Military Convalescent Hospital. He entered there on August 3rd. He came to town for his clothes. From town he telephoned the Matron that he had had news of his wife's illness, so that he would have to go home, but would return next day. I have had no word from him since."

This letter was presented to the Pensions and Disabilities Board at its meeting on November 14th., the first meeting after receipt of the letter - and the minute of that meeting reads:- "The Secretary was directed to hold future cheques so that Churchill may be got in touch with."

Rev. Mr. Legge lays particular stress on the fact that I must have known Churchill's whereabouts. I do not deny that I believed he was at Portugal Cove, as this seemed to me to be the most natural place for him to be; but I respectfully submit that the question was not one of his whereabouts, but of adopting the surest means of having him call, so that his view of his failure to return to the Convalescent Home, as promised, could be ascertained. In view of our varied experiences with men who refuse treatment, it was, in my opinion, the Board's idea that letter writing in such cases is more or less futile, and that the withholding of his cheques would be the surest way to get in touch with him. My opinion may be an error of judgment, but such is the construction which I put on the Board's decision.

Pursuant to this order the cheque that would have been mailed on Dec. 1st., being payment in advance to January 11th. 1918, was not sent out.

The next point Rev. Mr. Legge brings up is that there must be some money due to Churchill from November 5th. to January 11th., less the amount of £32. paid him in January. This is not correct. The cheques which were mailed him on the first day of each month represented payment in advance to the 11th. of the following month. Thus the cheque which was mailed him on Nov. 1st., before the order was given to withhold future cheques, was payment to Dec. 11th., and the payment of £32.00 made in January was for two months ending February 11th. 1918.

In the matter of the state of Churchill's larder at Christmas, I would like to call your attention to the fact that the cheques mailed Nov. 1st., was cashed at Cahall Brothers on or about December 13th. On looking up

cheque I find the undersigned (2) in Churchill's own writing, that it may be possible that he did not recall this, but that cannot be.

attributed to any negligence on the part of myself or any other servant of the Board. It has occurred to me that the endorsement may possibly have been written by Mrs Churchill. If such is the case the facts do not bear out Rev. Mr. Legge's contention that the family was in destitute circumstances with all due respect to the Rev. gentleman and his opinions. The facts are (1) If Churchill received the cheque as soon as he did those of previous months, the fact that he held it for six weeks before cashing it would not uphold the statement that he was in destitute circumstances. (2) A cheque for \$16.00 cashed within ten days of Christmas would not lead to the opinion that there was no food in his house at Christmas time.

On December 6th, Churchill appeared in this office and a statement was taken from him with regard to his non-return to the Convalescent Home. He may have telephoned me before that date, and have come in on my request, but I cannot be sure of this. However this statement ~~was~~ together with a further communication from the Secretary of the Medical Board advising re-boarding, was presented at the very next meeting of the Pensions and Disabilities Board, on December 20th. You will perhaps remember that about that time our meeting was postponed at least once. On the recommendation of Major Macpherson re-board was ordered, and on January 14th, 1918, the report was considered by the P. & D. Board, and the same pension as before, continued.

In the meantime, that is, between December 20th, 1917, and January 14th, 1918, Churchill again appeared at the office, and I personally advanced him \$10.00, and immediately after the decision of the P. & D. Board on January 14th, the balance due him was forwarded him.

I respectfully submit that Rev. Mr. Legge's insinuations against me are uncalled for, in view of the facts of the case as set forth above. I do not deny that I was aware of the most likely whereabouts of Churchill, but I do most emphatically protest against the insinuations that I wilfully neglected the case. I did have some telephone communications on the subject, though I do not remember from whom, or exactly when, and I do not doubt that I promised to take the matter up with the Board at its first meeting. I was informed then that we would probably have a meeting at the end of that week, and for this reason gave information as above, but owing to postponement of meeting the consideration of the matter was delayed through no fault of mine.

I might say that in view of the number of cases of the Patriotic Fund of the Pensions Board, of the Separation allowance claims, and the various duties attached to the supervision of the Pay & Record Office, I cannot reasonably be supposed to bear in mind every detail of every case that comes to my notice, and I further submit, that in any telephone calls I received, it was not asserted that Churchill's case was urgent, but merely that his pension was held up, and should be continued.

In the light of this explanation, I trust that the Pensions Board will exonerate me from the insinuations in Rev. Mr. Legge's letter (Charges, if you will).

Respectfully submitted

Secretary,
Pensions and Disabilities Board.

5 February 1918

Rev. A. E. E. Legge
Portugal Cove.

Rev. and Dear Sir,

I duly received your letter on Saturday last, and wrote you at once advising that I would have the matter looked into and have your statement re- Captain Howley, etc., looked into and write you more fully on receipt of his reply.

I have now received his reply and attach a certified copy herewith. It explains many of the points raised in your letter and for myself I would merely say, in reply to the points you raise for my consideration, that

(1) I cannot agree with you that we took an exaggerated view of the seriousness of Churchill's offence in treating him as a deserter, because that it precisely how he would be treated if he left an institution in the Old Country which was established for the purpose of helping to restore him to health and to which he had been sent for treatment. It must not be forgotten that the more effective medical and surgical treatment that can be provided for these men, the less likely they are to be a permanent burden on the Colony, and therefore we have to take every possible precaution, even if inconvenient to them personally, to see that this treatment is carried out and the State relieved of possible liabilities.

(2) I can quite see that I may have misunderstood your point re- Churchill's condition in that you were referring to the condition of his cupboard and not his health, but I have already said, and I repeat now, that I deeply regret that Churchill spent such a miserable Christmas, and if I had been informed personally of the matter, I would have taken steps to have his case attended to; but I did not know anything about it, and Captain Howley tells me his side of it in his own letter.

(3) In dealing with the matter of cheques, you are probably not aware that we have a great deal of difficulty in regard to them, owing to the fact that they are distributed all over the country, and go to people frequently who can neither read nor write.

I am sure we have had during the past two or three years twenty or thirty cases involving frauds in this regard, all of which we have placed in the hands of the police, and they secured the return of the money without having to prosecute the guilty parties. That is the reason why I wanted the point made clear as to whether Churchill had got the cheques or not, because frequently they have endorsements written on them for the owners of the cheques (in cases where they cannot write) by neighbours or friends or business people.

(4) You ask why we allowed such a time to elapse before we dealt with his case and how we imagined he was existing. We did not know but that Churchill might have gone to work at Bell Island or sailing or otherwise. We have had a number of cases in which men on our Pension list have taken up employments and earned good money at them, and it is expressly stipulated in our Pensions that a man's enjoyment of a Pension in no way affects his right to take any other employment he can secure. There are nearly 300 names now on our Pensions roll, and we cannot keep track as to the movements of every one of them. The fact that men go to work is one of the reasons why we adopted the expedient of stopping his cheque until we knew something about him, because, as Captain Howley says in his letter, we have found through sad experience that writing letters to these people is on most instances of no avail whatever.

I would like to add that I regret you should have supposed that my language implied that you were misrepresenting the case. Nothing was further from my mind. The point I was endeavouring to impress upon you was that one in your position, however desirous of holding an even balance, is often and necessarily influenced by the exaggerated statements of men as to their claims to consideration.

to know
I ~~was~~ the Patriotic Fund has benefitted greatly by the information you have supplied it from time to time, and feel sure you will do the same for the Pensions Board, but the fact I wished you to grasp was that the doctors who examined Churchill, and who, as a matter of fact, dealt with his case on the 9th January last, found his condition no worse than what it was when he came home, and continued him this pension of \$16 a month for one year from that date.

I should like to see Churchill and his wife get more.

and doubtless would the doctors also, but we are all guided by the regulations made for dealing with these cases, and when we have given Churchill what the law allows we can only plead that we are powerless to do any more for him.

Finally, you ask me if we, under any circumstances, grant a pension of more than \$16 a month to any man who is 40% disabled, and I reply that we do not. Our pension allowances apply automatically on the findings of the medical board.

I regret that in this lengthy correspondence it is not possible that anything more more can be done for Churchill, and I regret that the man should have suffered as he appears to have done at Christmas, but I cannot help pointing out again that he is somewhat to blame himself because of the fact that when he was offered the best treatment the country could afford him, he rejected it, went home, and made no report whatever about his condition until we had to send after him.

Yours faithfully,

Chairman.

May 3, 1920

Mr. Daniel Churchill,
Portu al Cove, C.B.

Dear Sir:-

With reference to your application for Separation Allowance on behalf of your late father, I have been directed to state that same cannot be granted, because it is not shown that your father was totally dependent upon you during the period of your service.

Yours truly

Major

Paymaster.

September 19th. 7.

Daniel Churchill, Esq.,
Portugal Cove.

1578

Dear Sir,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$16.90, being a
refund of passage money a/c Mrs. Daniel Churchill.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
D/Paymaster

September 6th. 1917.

Mr. Daniel Churchill, 1578

Late Private, 1st. Mfld. Regt.,

Portugal Cove.

Dear Sir:-

Kindly advise me without delay on what steamer your wife arrived in Canada, at what point she disembarked, and how she came to St. John's from point of debarkation.

I shall be obliged if you will let me have this information, with as little delay as possible.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
Deputy Paymaster.

1518

Portugal Cove
May 18th 1917

Dear Sir

I recieved a letter
from My Wife to day. She
has recieved no word from this
side about coming to N. J. I. d.
So I am beginning to think
she has recieved no words
If you have sent her word
Please write and let me
know. As I am Anxious

Please Oblige

Private Daniel Church
shall I write Ungwell to
provide passage?

Yes
Yes

No 1518

Name Churchill D.

Date	Particulars	Ch.No.	Dr.	Cr.	Bal.
Mar 9	Bal due by P.Mo £3-15-9.			18 43	18 43
24	By Pay 15 days @ 1 ¹⁰ / ₁₀₀			16 50	34 93
31	" " 7 " @ 1 ¹⁰ / ₁₀₀			12 95	47 88
Apr 11	" " " " 20			20 35	68 23
	Bonus			12 95	81 18
	clothing			25 00	106 18
Mar 26	To Pay		15 00		91 18
31	Allotment of 22 days @ 60 ⁺		13 20		77 98
Apr 12	To Pay		87 95		40 03
19	" "		40 03		0
	War Service Gratuity 4 mo @ 100 ⁺			400 00	400 00
	clothing			20 00	420 00
	Bonus		12 95		407 05
Jan 4	To Pay	7934	87 15		319 90
	To allotment 2 days @ 60		1 20		318 70
Feb 1	To Pay	10026	20 00		298 70
Mar 1	" "	10513	70 00		228 70
	S.A.	2448	30 00		198 70
Apr 1	To Pay	13480	70 00		128 70
	S.A.	2786	30 00		98 70
May 1	To Pay	3193	68 70		30 00
	S.A.		30 00		0
			526 18	526 18	0

PAY LEDGER No 44/1 39 1/2
Date by

Sis February 55th

April 26th, 7.

Pts. D. Churchill,
Portugal Cove.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$40.03, being the balance
due you at date of discharge.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
D/Paymaster

1578

Dispatching
Office
Stamp.



No. 783

From

Wald. Regt.

Registered Letter Addressed—

*Mr. Dan. Churchill
Portugal Cove*

Arrival
Office
Stamp.

Received by

[Signature]

April 13, 7

Mr. Daniel Churchill,

Portugal Cove,

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith certificate of discharge dated ~~from~~ April 11th. 1917.

I also enclose cheque for \$37.95 being amount of bonus of a full week's pay allowed to men at the time of discharge, and civilian clothing allowance of \$25.00.

Owing to the fact that statement of your account has not yet been received from the Paymaster, London, I am unable to make a final adjustment, but will do so as soon as the statement arrives.

Yours truly,

1578

Lieut. & Deputy Paymaster.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
ST JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

28 May, 1917.

Dear Mr. McGrath,

I beg to enclose herewith a letter received by His Excellency the Governor having reference to Mrs. Daniel Churchill.

Will you kindly do what you consider necessary, replying direct to her husband at Portugal Cove?

Yours faithfully,

Charles John Selby. Capt.

Private Secretary & A.D.C.

Hon. P.T. McGrath,

Hon. Secretary,

Finance Committee,

N.P.A.

Governor of Newfoundland

Mr R. Watson
Post this through
Who does it?
Wed 23rd

Portugal Cove.

May 19th 1777.

Dear Sir,

I would like to know if you sent for my wife, I had a letter from her saying that she never heard any-thing about it, I would be very glad to know if you sent for her or no, as I would like to get her here as quick as I can, as I am all alone and no body to do nothing for me. trusting on strangers, so would you oblige me by letting me know if you sent for her.

I am your Obedient Servant,
Daniel Inghill
Portugal Cove.



PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE,
ST JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

4 December 1919

Dear Major Howley,

The enclosed papers were left with my Secretary,
Mr. Carew, by ex-Private Daniel Churchill of the Royal Nfld. Regt.

Churchill states that there is an amount of
money due him from your Department in the shape of Allotments
which were not drawn by him since his father's death some months
ago.

Perhaps you would let me know how the matter
stands in order that I may explain things to Churchill.

Sincerely yours

Major J.M. Howley,
Paymaster,
Militia Department.

*Cancelled by allotter
June 1/1916.
overpaid 15⁰⁰*

December 10th.1919

Hon.R.A.Squires,

City

Dear Mr.Squires:-

I am in receipt of your letter of 4th.inst.,regarding Daniel Churchill of Portugal Cove.

I was quite at a loss to understand what Churchill was referring to,as he has been discharged since April 11th.1919. However,I chanced to find him this morning,and I find from him that it is Separation Allowance he means.

I might state that no application was ever received from his mother,and the claim is now rather complicated owing to her decease. I have, however,given him an application form to be completed on her account by himself,and as soon as same is returned,I shall give the matter my best attention.

Yours truly,

Major
Paymaster

Oct 4th 1919

Major Howley
O. I. C. Records

Please pay to D. Churchill 1518
the sum of eight dollars and seventy four cents
in paymrt of allowance for four days ended this date
in connection with re-education

\$8.74

Pension	\$15.00
Allowance	10.50
Dependents	4.80

A. C. J.

W. M. Hall,
Vocational Officer

D Churchill

ACCOUNT	INITIALS
CH. NO. 14224	<i>Edw</i>
IND. LEDGER	INITIALS
PAY LEDGER	INITIALS
GEN. LEDGER	INITIALS

April 3, 1920
~~March 31st 1920~~

Major Howley
O. I. C. Records

1578
~~1580~~

Please pay to D. Churchill,
the sum of forty five dollars
in payment of P. & A. Bonus
and charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee

\$45.00

Pension \$15.00

ACCOUNT	
CHK. NO.	33880
INS. LEDGER	INITIALS
PAY LEDGER	INITIALS
GEN. LEDGER	INITIALS

Geo. Meckell
Vocational Officer

his
to *D. Churchill*
mark
Witness *E. Walsh*

Portugal Cove.
Sep. 7th 1917.

M. Howler
Lieut
Deputy Paymaster.

Dear Sir

Received your postal to day referring to
my wifes arrival in Canada.

My wife arrived in Canada on a ship named the
Justicia. Sailing from Liverpool. came on this
ship to Halifax. Then took the train and came
by way of Sydney to St John's Newfoundland
My wife paid her own passage from Halifax
to St John's a sum of sixteen dollars and
ninety cents. \$16.90

cheque no. 1863

Refund \$16.90

Yours truly
Daniel Churchill
Late Private 1st M.F.S.D. Regt.
Portugal Cove.
Sept. 19th
cheque mailed

Received from the Rev. A. E. Huggie the
sum of nine dollars & eighty-six cents (\$9.86),
being amount due me for groceries, etc
on account of Daniel Churchill.

Portugal Cove,
Feb. 12, 1918

Elizabeth Folger

Feb. 11th. 18.


Rev. A.E.E. Legge,
Portugal Cove.

Dear Sir,-

With reference to your letter of
February, 6th., to the Minister of Militia, I
have been directed to forward you the enclosed
cheque for \$9.86 covering Mrs. Bolger's account
against Pte. Daniel Churchill.

Kindly acknowledge receipt, and oblige,

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster. 

The Hon. J. R. Bennett
St. John's
Dear Sir,

The Rectory
Portugal Cove
Feb. 6/18

As Mrs Bolger has not yet been paid for the provisions, etc which you authorized me to get for ex-Private Daniel Churchill, I shall be glad if you will kindly take the steps necessary to have the debt liquidated, & oblige

Yours faithfully,
A. E. Legge.

Portugal Cove, C.B.

Jan 1st 1918

M. Res. Dr. Leye

Bought of

Mrs. ELIZABETH BOLGER

POST OFFICE. GENERAL DEALER.

One tub butter.			3.	15-
5-lb. Tea.	65		2.	75-
1 stone Sugar			1.	65-
10. lb. Beef.	20		2.	00
			\$ 9	65-
2 bars sunlight soap				11
2 bars Berkman's do	10			20
				9.86

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All Communications should be addressed to the Secretary
2ND. LIEUT. J. M. HOWLEY,
Deputy Paymaster 1st. Nfd. Regt.
St. John's.

St. John's, Newfoundland;

January 26, 1918.

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J. R. Bennett, Esq.,
Minister of Militia.

Sir:-

With reference to the attached bill arising out of the case of ex-Private Daniel Church ill, Portugal Cove, which Mr. Howley submitted to us at our meeting on Thursday night with an intimation that you desired the Patriotic Fund to pay the same, and that the trustees of the P.F. had decided that they could not deal with the case because the man, being a returned soldier and under pension, was not one within their Province, and that in any event they could not assume responsibility for bills contracted without their authority, but had referred the matter to the Pension Board --

I am desired by our Board to say that we, too, find ourselves unable to meet this account for the reason set forward in my letter to Rev. Mr. Legge, with respect to this case, copy of which is attached, for the reason that, if we did, we would have to deduct it from the amount of his pension, and as we think this would be an undesirable step, I am to suggest that you may see your way clear to meeting it out of the funds at your disposal. The reason we take this position is that, if every man under pension who disregarded the regulations and on whose behalf an appeal was made to your Department for help, was to be helped, and then we were to assume the liability for the amount, this would afford an easy and frequently utilized means of securing grants in addition to the pension fixed in such cases, a precedent which we feel sure that you, as well as we, are not desirous of creating.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

ACCOUNT	<i>Incidentals</i>
CH. NO.	<i>101</i>
IND. LEDE	<i>101</i>
P.V. LEDE	<i>101</i>
C. LEDE	<i>101</i>

J. M. Howley
CHAIRMAN

Postugal Cove
January 2nd/18

J M Howley Esq

Dear Sir: 3639

I am writing you
regarding the 3 months pay due
discharged soldiers, I was discharged
on April 11th/17 after serving 1 year
& 344 days with the Colours, I would
be very much obliged if you could
forward the money due ~~me~~ as
soon as possible.

Yours Truly
Daniel Churchill

1518 Pte Daniel Churchill
Royal Newfoundland Regt

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 20.00

Feb 17 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Twenty ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars.
~~on account~~ of Pay. Colony
balance

John
Delhushill
mark

Ch. No. <u>10026</u>	Initials <u>EW</u>
Pay Ledger <u>44</u>	Initials <u>WM</u>
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No.

Wit C. J. [Signature]

No. 1518

Rank P6

Name

Charles D

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 87 ¹⁵/₁₀₀

January 4 19 19

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Eighty Seven ¹⁵/₁₀₀ Dollars.
~~on account~~
balance of Pay. P. D. P.

Ch. No. 7934	Initials. E.W.
Pay Ledger. 44	Initials. M.L.
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No. *Frederick Jones*
Rank

No. 1518

Rank

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Name

Churchie D

Jan. 7th. 1919.

Pte. D. Churchill,
Portugal Cove, C.B.

Frederick Jones

Dear Sir,-

Referring to your letter of Jan. 2nd.,
I beg to enclose cheque for \$87.15, being three
months pay due you after discharge.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

ENCLOSURE 1.