



# THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 6229 Name Lawrence Collier Corps R.C

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

- |  |                                    |
|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>Lawrence Collier</u>         |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>St. Albans</u>               |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>Yes</u>                      |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>29</u> years <u>0</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Fisherman</u>                |
| 6. Are you Married? .....  | 6. <u>No</u>                       |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? .....                             | 7. <u>No</u>                       |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....  | 8. <u>Yes</u>                      |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? .....   | 9. <u>Yes</u>                      |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? .....                                     | 10. Name .....<br>Corps .....      |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? ..... | 11. <u>Yes</u>                     |

I, Lawrence Collier do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Lawrence Collier SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Th. D. Dowder Signature of Witness.

OATH TAKEN BY RECRUIT, ON ATTESTATION.

I, Lawrence Collier do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 3 day of October 1918

Signature of Attesting Officer C. D. Dick Lieut.

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the rank of .....  
 If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date OCT - 4 1918 1918  
 Place St. John's

St. John's Approving Officer.

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

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

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Lawrence Collier  
 Apparent age 20 years      months. Height 6 feet 7 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 34 1/2 inches  
 { Range of expansion 4 1/2 inches  
 Distinctive marks     

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Richard Collier  
St Albans | Relationship Father

### Particulars as to Marriage

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.  
 (c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from									Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

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



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Date OCT - 4 1918 1918 Robertson Capt MAJOR } Approving Officer.  
Place for Commissioning Depot

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*Dischd. St Albans Jan 9/1919*

Total Service forfeited as above.....

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

C.R. 6229

Extract from Medical Board held on MONDAY AFTERNOON December 2nd.,  
the following were the findings.

#6229 Pte. L. Collier

RECOMMENDED DISCHARGE AS PERMANENTLY UNFIT.

C. 12,6229

Extract of Daily Orders Part II, dated Jan. 10th 1919

DEMOBILI ZATION.

The discharge of the Undernoted man has been confirmed  
by the Officer i/c Records on noted dates.

6229 Pte. I. Collier.

Discharged 9-1-19

C.R. 6229

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld. Regt.,  
St. John's, Dec. 12th, 1918.

The undernoted man discharges on Demobilization has been approved by O.C. Discharge Depot from noted date. He is removed from Depot Strength to Discharge Depot pending confirmation by Officer i/c Records.

6229 Pte. L. Collier.

18-12-18.

C.R. 6229

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Hfld. Regt.,  
St. John's 1st Oct. 5th, 1918.

6229 Pte. Lawrence Collier.

Attested for General Service with The Royal Hfld. Regt., from  
5-10-18.



C.R. 6229

November 9, 1918.

Rev. & Dear Sir,-

Referring to your letter in connection with enlistment of Colliers of St. Albans, I went into this matter with the Medical Authorities and found that the men in question on examination did not indicate that there was anything wrong with them that would prevent them from being attested. The medical examinations showed them to be in normal health.

These men suffered from colds and have been under medical treatment. There is nothing however, to indicate that they are suffering from Tubercular trouble.

#6229 Pte. L. Collier.

This man has been on duty constantly since his enlistment and has not reported himself sick once.

Yours truly,

Major.  
District Officer Commanding.  
Newfoundland.

Rev. S. St. Croix,  
St. Albans,  
Bay D'Espoir.



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## DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO  
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA  
AND QUOTE NO.

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ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

October 17, 1918.

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From:- District Officer Commanding,  
Newfoundland.

To:- Assistant Director Recruiting,  
City.

I enclose copy of letter from Rev. S.  
St. Croix, St. Albans, Bay D'Espoir in  
connection with certain men attested for  
the Regiment.

Will you please obtain full report on  
the matter from the Medical Examiners?

Major.  
District Officer Commanding.  
Newfoundland.

ENCLOSURE.

C O P Y.

126 New Gower Street,  
St. John's.

Mr. J. R. Bennett,  
St. John's.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to make at least a mild protest against the passing for Military Service of some young men from St. Alban's, Bay D'Espoir. The following have sprung from families infected with tuberculosis.

Lawrence Collier <sup>6229</sup> Chas. Collier <sup>6220</sup>  
Patrick Collier <sup>6232</sup> Sam. Cox. <sup>6230</sup>  
William Collier. <sup>6237</sup>

I predict that these chaps will very soon be subjects for a sanatarium. They are all very ill now and it seems to me akin to manslaughter to hold such men in the Military Service. We who know the history of those families are filled with astonishment that such subjects should pass the medical board.

Yours sincerely,

(Rev) S. St Croix.



**THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT**  
**HEADQUARTERS**

*St. John's, Newfoundland,*

October 19th. 1918. *191*

F. W. Burden, Esq., M. D.,  
City.

Dear Sir,

Reference attached letter from  
D. O. C. to me dated October 17th. Will you please  
communicate with Doctor Tait and furnish report asked  
for.

Copies of Examination papers  
of undermentioned men herewith.

No. 6229 Lawrence Collier.

No. 6232 Patrick Collier.

No. 6220 Charley Collier.

No. 6230 Samuel Collier. *Cof*

No. 6233 William Collier.

Please return letter and papers with report.

Yours faithfully,

*A. B. Dickson*

Assistant Director of Recruiting.

October 24th. 1918.

The District Officer Commanding,  
Newfoundland.

As instructed in your letter of October 17th., I have asked the Medical Examiners for a report on the men whom the Rev. S. St. Creix wrote about.

Herewith I send report from Drs. Burdick and A. C. Tait and copies of the Medical Examinations of the men concerned.

Assistant Director of Recruiting.



C.R. 6229

**THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT**  
**HEADQUARTERS**

*St. John's, Newfoundland,*

.....November 4th/18..... 191.....

*4 copies*

From: Officer Commanding,  
Depot.

To D.O.C., Newfoundland,  
Militia Department.

6229,	Pte.	L. Collier
6232,	"	P. Collier
6233,	"	W. Collier
6220,	"	C. Collier
6230,	"	S. Cox

Reference attached correspondence concerning above noted men. Four of them are at present in the M.I.D. Hospital suffering from Colds. They were admitted to M.I.D. from Barracks Hospital 8th October except C. Collier who was admitted on the 24th October after 15 days in Barracks Hospital.

The only apparent thing wrong with them was a slight increase in Temperature at night time but they are all marked as "Improving" at the M.I.D. Hospital. There is nothing in the Medical Report to show that they are suffering from Tubercular trouble.

6229 Pte Lawrence Collier has been on duty since he enlisted and has not reported on any sick parade. There is another man of the same name, from the same place who was in Barracks Hospital 3 days with a slight temperature but he has been discharged to Duty.



6229 Pte S. Collier

*R.H. [Signature]*  
Captain,  
O.C. Depot



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ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

*Nov 18*

*A. Joseph*  
Letter from Rev. J. Gray re carried.  
may I have a reply please  
*Richard J. Joseph*  
*Major*



To S.M.O. Will you please let me have report as requested  
of return correspondence. R.H. Lait Capt. 4/11/18  
O.C. Report

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From:- District Officer Commanding,  
Newfoundland.

To:- Officer Commanding Depot,  
City.

I enclose letter from Rev. S. St Croix with reference to several young men from St. Albans, Bay D'Espoir, who, apparently, have been attested and are now in the Regiment.

Please take this matter up with the Senior Medical Officer with a view to obtaining a full report on the position.

I am forwarding a copy of the letter to the Assistant Director Recruiting for the purpose of obtaining a report on these men from the medical examiners.

Major.  
District Officer Commanding.  
Newfoundland.

ENCLOSURE.

St. John's,

October 21st. 1918.

To Assistant Director of Recruiting,

St. John's.

Reference to Medical Examination of:-

No. 6225 Lawrence Collier.

No. 6232 Patrick Collier.

No. 6220 Charley Collier.

No. 6230 Samuel Cox.

No. 6237 William Collier.

All these men were given a thorough Medical Examination and passed All, nothing being found upon examination which would warrant them being placed in any other Category. All these men appeared to be in good health and gave satisfactory answers to questions concerning past or present illness.

One man Number 6232 Patrick Collier was marked "Try Out" owing to vague history of Stomach Trouble.

*Archibald P.  
St. John's*



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*P. B. Dicks*  
Lieut.  
Assistant Director of Recruiting.

5 copies

Report for Service 377

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Copy

Medical Examination Held at Adgato on Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> 1918

1. Name Lawrence Collier Age (a) Declared 20  
(b) Apparent

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

What severe illnesses have you had? None.

Eyes Grey  
Complexion  
marks

6229

3. Height 5' 10" Weight 130

4. Eyesight (a) Left 6/6 (b) Right 6/12

5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) ---

6. Examination of Lungs ---

Measurement (a) Expiration 30 (b) Inspiration 34 1/2

7. Examination of Heart ---

8. Examination of Urine ---

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

- Teeth
- Throat
- Nose
- Ears—(Otorrhea)
- (Deafness)

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

11. Name and address of next of kin Father Richard Galliano

12. Category

REMARKS—

A 11

Sgt  
Orch. C. Tait  
J. W. Bunden  
Medical Examiners.

October 24th. 1918.

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(Sgd.) C.B. Dicks, LIEUT.  
Assistant Director of  
Recruiting.

Collier, L

6229

Sept

January 9th., 1919.

#6229 Pte. Laurence Collier,  
St. Johns,  
Bay D'Espoir.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge  
Certificate No. 350."

Yours faithfully,

Captain,  
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records

Enc 1 1.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 6279 Rank Plt Name Lawrence Collier  
 Intended place of residence St Albans, Bay d'Espoir

2. Occupation Fisherman  
 Classification of soldier C B Medical Category A E

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

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.  
 Place DEC 9 1918  
 Date DEC 9 1918 Abbley Capt  
 Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

### CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

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

Place and date St Johns Lawrence Collier  
Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 1918 Signature of soldier  
A. Capt  
 Signature of witness

### CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

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

Place and Date St Johns Lawrence Collier  
9-12-18 Signature of soldier  
J. Helles Plt  
 Signature of witness

29  
30  
31  
9  
99

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 3-10-18 No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 12-12-18 plus 28 day Service 99

### APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place ST. JOHN'S R. H. Dunt Capt.  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Date DEC 13 1918

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.

Place St Johns, Nfld M. Howley Capt  
 Officer i/c Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date January 9/1919  
2079/550



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 6229 Rank Pte Name Collier Lawrence  
 Date of Enlistment 3.10.18 Address St. Alban's District Fortune  
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge B Medical Category E  
 Recommendation S.M.B. Per unfit Disability Rating less 20%  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 9.1.20.18

W. H. C. Capps  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

Lawrence Collier

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable.....  
 (b) Clothing Supplied.....

Date.....

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

N 155

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 29 to his home at 9-12-18 and Release Certificate No. [Signature] issued.

Date ..... Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 9-1-19

Date 9-12-18 12 12 19 Depot Paymaster [Signature]

Discharge approved for .....

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

Date 9 12 18 ..... Demobilization Officer [Signature]

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

DEC 12 1918

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

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

Date Dec 12/1918 .....

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Collins

Christian Name Lawrence

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE

Birthplace :—Parish St Albans County Newfoundland

	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined .....	5	Oct		191
	at	St John	at	
Declared Age .....	20	years		days
Trade or Occupation .....	Fisherman.			
Height .....	5	feet		inches
Weight .....	130	lbs.		ll s.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded .....	34 1/2		inches
	Range of Expansion .....	1 1/2		inches
Physical Development .....				
Vaccination Marks {	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Number .....			
When Vaccinated .....				
Vision .....	R.E.—V=	6/20	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=		L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease .....	(a)		(a)	
	(b)		(b)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection .....				
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Lamm Watson</u>			
(Rank)	Major		Medical Officer	
Enlisted .....	at	St John	at	
	on	3	day of	Oct
		1918		191
Joined on Enlistment .....	Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.
	<u>Royal Nfld Regt 6229</u>			
Transferred to .....				
Became non-effective by .....	on	day of	on	day of
		191		191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				



Fortune

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

A B.

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date 25/11/18

Regimental No. 6229

Name Collier Lawrence Pte.

Address St. Albans

Present Medical Category

A B E

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

R.H. East Capt.

O.C. Discharge Depot.

Members of Board

Spaterman

Senior Medical Officer

See Burden

M. O. Depot

## Civil Re-establishment Committee



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

*Go work Fishing*

*Lawrence Collier*

Signature of Man.

Reg. No. *6229*

*Patrick Kap*

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place *St John's W.F.S.D*

Date *9/12/18* 191

**Department of Militia, Newfoundland**  
**Medical Department**

**Medical Report on an Invalid**

NOTES:—

- (a) This report is solely concerned with Pensions.
- (b) A single copy only is required.
- (c) "Aggravated" being now a technical term, carrying right to pension, discrimination in its use is essential.
- (d) Be as brief as possible compatible with lucidity.
- (e) Avoid dubiety—"perhaps" "possibly" "might" and the like.
- (f) Only sufficient clinical data need be given to establish the degree of disability and assist the Board in arriving at a decision.

**STATEMENT OF CASE**

Station ... *St. Johns* .....

Date ... *29<sup>th</sup> Nov 1919* .....

- 1. Unit *Royal Newfoundland*
- 2. Regimental No. *6229*
- 3. Rank *Pte.*
- 4. Name *Collier Lawrence*
- 5. Age last birthday *20 years*
- 6. Enlisted on *3<sup>rd</sup> Oct 1918*  
at *St. Johns*
- 7. Former trade or occupation *Lumberman*

8. Disability

*Deficiency  
 Debility*

9. History

*Reported frequently on Sick Parade.*

10. What is his present condition? *P. 88. T. normal.*

(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above.)

*Complains of  
Pain in left side (mid-axillary line  
Base). upon exertion*

*General condition fair.  
No accompaniments in chest.*

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11. Was sanatorium advised and refused? *No*  
operation

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit? *Yes*

STATEMENT OF CASE

Signature

*Archibald P.  
M. O. Dept*

Rank or Qualification

Remarks if any by Officer i/c Hospital.

Place

Signature

Date

Rank



## Opinion of the Medical Board

In para. 13, the President should write "may" or "cannot" at x  
Erase inapplicable words

13. For pension purposes, the disability x *cannot* be considered as aggravated by:—  
due to

(a) Service during this war. (b) Climate. (c) Ordinary Military Service  
Remarks if any:—

14. Does the Board concur in preceding report? (see Sect. 10) If not give differing opinion and additional findings.

*Always had a pain in side*

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market? *not less than 70% not*

(b) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market lessened by that portion of his disability to or incurred during service?

(State in percentage.) *not*

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent? *no*

17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperence (b) Misconduct

18. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:— (a) Reasonable (b) Unreasonable

Remarks if any:—

19. If fit subject for Hospital do you recommend admittance to { General Hospital,  
Naval and Military Con- *no*  
valescent Hospital,  
Jensen Tuberculosis Camp.

20. We recommend discharge from retention in the Army *permanently unfit*

Remarks if any:—

.....  
President  
Signatures *J. J. ...*  
*W. ...*

Place *S. ...*  
Date *Dec 2/18*

APPROVED  
Station .....  
Date .....



*Amey Macpherson Major*  
Administrative Medical Officer



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## REPORT OF HEADQUARTERS TRAVELLING BOARD HELD ON SOLDIER ON REGIMENTAL STRENGTH

Depot: Headquarters, Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date 29<sup>th</sup> Nov 1915

Regimental No. 6229

Name Collins Lawrence

Address St Albans

Disease or Disability Debility

Finding of last Standing Medical Board,

held on \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Present Condition \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation S. M. 73.

Category E

Members  
of  
Board

R. H. [Signature]  
O. C. Depot

[Signature]  
D. D. M. S.

[Signature]  
M. O. Depot

D. D. M. S.

M. O. Depot



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

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

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

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

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

Name in full

Collier Lawrence

Regiment from which discharged

1st. Newfoundland

Regimental number

6229

Intended address

St Albans Bay Desper

Height on discharge

5' Feet 7 1/2"

Color of hair on discharge

Light

Complexion

Fair

Color of eyes

Gray Left Leg

Descriptive Marks

Scar

Figure on discharge

Medium

Christian name of Father

Richard

Christian name of Mother

✓

Wife's maiden name in full

✓

Date and place of marriage

✓

Christian names of children

✓

Place and date of soldier's birth.

St Albans 15 Jan 1899

Nature and locality of civil employment required

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

(Soldier's signature in full)

Lawrence Collier

(Rank) Pte

Station

St John's

Date

2 Dec 1918

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.

*W. C. ...*  
Medical Officer i/c Hospital.  
Unit, or Command Depot.

Station

St John's

Date

2 Dec 1918





ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at Adgato on OCT 3 - 1918 1918

1. Name Lawrence Collins Age (a) Declared 20

(b) Apparent Piles

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? None

What severe illnesses have you had? None

Eyes Grey  
Comp Fair  
Mark

6229

3. Height 5'8" Weight 130

4. Eyesight (a) Left 6/6 (b) Right 6/12

5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) ~

6. Examination of Lungs ~

Measurement (a) Expiration 30 (b) Inspiration 34 1/2

7. Examination of Heart ~

8. Examination of Urine \_\_\_\_\_

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

- Teeth
- Throat
- Nose
- Ears—(Otorrhea)
- (Deafness)

10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when? Yes

11. Name and address of next of kin Father Ireland St Albans

12. Category

REMARKS—

Ait

Archibald  
W. Burden

Medical Examiners.



# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

6229

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 6229 Rank Pte Name Collier Lawrence  
 Date of Enlistment 3.10.18 Address St Alban's District Fortune  
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge B Medical Category A  
 Recommendation S.M.B. Per unfit Disability Rating less 20%  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 9-12-18

W. S. Capel  
 O. C. Discharge Depot

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

Lawrence Collier

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:

(a) Clothing Allowance payable.....

(b) Clothing Supplied.....

£ 60.00  
£ 60.00  
John H. Lawrence

Date.....

O i/c. Re-clothing.



3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. R 155.....to his home at St Albans..... and Release Certificate No. 229..... issued.

Date 9-12-18..... C. S. Dicks Capt.  
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 9-1-19.....

Date 9-12-18..... M. Howley Capt.  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 12.12.19.....

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

Date 9.12.18..... C. S. Dicks Capt.  
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED. M  
Documents as above forwarded to:—  
Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.  
with following additional documents.

DEC 12 1918

Date ..... R. H. East Capt.  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Received the above noted documents from O. C. Discharge Depot.  
Date Dec. 12/1918..... M. Howley Capt.  
i/c R.

126 New Gower Street,  
St. John's, N.F.

Mr. J. R. Bennett,  
St. John's.

Dear Sir:

I beg to make at least a mild protest against the passing for Military Service of some young men from St. Albans, Bay D'Espoir. The following have sprung from families infected with tuberculosis:

Lawrence Collier,	Chas. Collier,
Patrick Collier,	Samuel Cox,
Wm. Collier,	

I predict that these chaps will very soon be subjects for a Sanatorium. They are all very ill now and it seems to me akin to manslaughter to hold such men in the Military Service.

We, who know the history of those families, are filled with astonishment that such subjects should pass the Medical Board.

Yours sincerely,

(SIGNED) S. St.Croix.

Reg. No. 6229 Rank Pte Name Pollock Lawrence  
Attested 3-10-18 Address St Albans  
Allotment 604 Allottee Richard Pollock's Father  
Date of Allotment 1-11-18 Returned from Overseas.....  
Embarked for Overseas ..... Cause.....

<u>4-10-18</u>	<u>1st Lt</u>	<u>25-10-18</u>
<u>4-12-18</u>	<u>Recommended Discharge Permanently unfit.</u>	
<u>9-12-18</u>	<b>FORWARDED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER</b>	
<u>12-12-18</u>	<b>DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.</b>	

No. 703

Received from

Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as on the Receipt Form bearing the above No.

Office Stamp

R108

A REGISTERED POSTAL PACKET

Addressed—

Abdul H. Alvi  
Khatu Road

Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as above...

*[Handwritten signature]*

C.R. 6299

Nov. 2nd, 18

Mr. Adolph Alexander  
Mattis Pt.,  
St. George

Dear Mr. Alexander:-

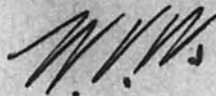
I am writing to inform you that it is my regrettable duty to forward to you one package containing the effects of your late son, No. 6299, Pte. J. Alexander of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

I am enclosing herewith receipt, will you kindly sign same and return at your earliest convenience.

Assuring you of my deepest sympathy in your bereavement, and in the added sorrow which the receipt of these effects must entail,

I am,

Yours sincerely,



Lieut.

Casualty Officer.