



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2312 Name Norbert Cranford Corps _____

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Norbert Cranford</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>New York
Trinity Bldg.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes.</u> |
| 4. What is your Age? | 4. <u>18</u> Years <u>6</u> Months. |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>None</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>No</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which? | 7. <u>No</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>Yes.</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>Yes.</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? | 10. { Name
Corps
Date of Enlistment
Name of the War
Yes. |
| 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? | Yes. |

I, Norbert Cranford 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.

Norbert Cranford SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

E. March 21st R.P. Holloway Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Norbert Cranford 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 New York on this 25 day of March 1916.

R.P. Holloway Signature of the Attesting Officer.

† Certificate of Approving Officer.

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

Date 1916 _____
Place _____ Approving Officer.

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

* If so, the 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 Herbert Cranford
 Apparent age 15 years 6 months. Height 5 feet 4 inches.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 inches.
 Range of expansion 3 inches.
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs William Cranford
New Harbour T. B. | Relationship Mother

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	Promotions, 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.P. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years | days	years | days	years | days	years | days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ (") _____ " _____									

2312



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| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>New Harbour</u>
<u>Trinity Bay.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your Age? | 4. <u>18</u> Years <u>6</u> Months. |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Yeoman</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> |
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| | { Corps |
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Granford, Herbert

C.R. 2312

P. & R. O.

NOTE.—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (xvi. or xvii.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.
In cases of soldiers not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to consideration for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps..... *Royal Newfoundland* } Former Trade or Occupation }
 2. Regtl. No. *232* 3. Rank *Serjt* }
 4. Name *C. RAY FORD* }
 (Surname) (Christian Names)
 5. Age last birthday.....
 6. Posted for duty on..... at.....
 in category (or grade).....
 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—
 (a) Former Regts. or Corps; with Regtl. Nos.
 (b) Date of Discharge;
 (c) Cause of Discharge.
 8. If the disability is an injury was it caused
 (a) in action (b) on field service
 (c) on duty (d) off duty?
 9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state :—
 (a) When (b) Where (c) Opinion of Court
 (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity (if any)

NOTE.—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 a (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case.

Statement of Case.

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here. (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "na"

11. Date of origin of disability. *Apr 14th 1918 May 25th 1918*
 12. Place of origin of disability. *Armentiers. Staples*
 13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents.
Diagonal wound in nose. 14th Apr 1918. slight taken to 2nd Cav. Hosp. Staples trans Gen. Con. Depot. Discharged on 25th May 1918. Open wound to left foot. sent to 2nd Gen. trans. 23-7-18. wound healed. no disability.

14. State whether the disabilities are
- | | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war | <i>Yes</i> | |
| (ii.) Previous active service | <i>No</i> | |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service | <i>No</i> | |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war | <i>No</i> | |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the man's part. | <i>No</i> | |
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do you attribute it? } *M.D.*

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

15. What is his present condition? *Slight scar right side nose, no pain on pressure*
(A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.) *no Disabilities.*
no wound scar on dorsal surface left foot at base of big and second toes slight pain on pressure, complains of pain after prolonged marches.

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

20. Do you recommend—
- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit?
- (b) Change to United Kingdom?
- Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invalided at Foreign Stations.

Refractation

Produce no

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REG.

Station *Hazley Down Camp*

Date *Jan 8 1919*

Medical Officer in charge of case.

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

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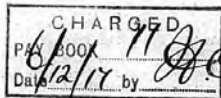
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To **EPM MRS WM CRANFORD**
NEW HARBOUR
TRINITY BAY (Newfoundland)

ON FURLOUGH FROM FRANCE PLEASE CABLE TWENTY POUNDS
THROUGH MINISTER MILITIA STJOHNS

HERBERT CRANFORD



2 1/2
42 1/2
10 1/2
52 1/2
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Charge to
2312 Cpl. H. Cranford

Authorized.

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TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

9/12/14. ✓
 To E.F.M. MRS. W. GRANFORD,
 NEW HARBOUR,
 TRINITY BAY (NEWFOUNDLAND).

PLEASE CABLE FIFTEEN POUNDS THROUGH MINISTER MILITIA RECEIVED
 FIVE REQUIRE TWENTY.

CHARGED	
PAY BOOK	11
Date	12/17/17 by <i>PH</i>

E.F.M. Opl. H. GRANFORD



Authorised:

*Charge to
2312 Corp. H. Cranford*

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Department of Militia

St. John's, Newfoundland,

Sept. 21st. 1917. 194

From Minister of Militia,
St. John's, Nfld.
To Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
London, S.W.

2312. Corp. Herbert Cranford.

I have the honour to enclose letters received from Mrs. Susanna Cranford relative to this soldier, together with copy of my reply.

Will you have this application dealt with in the usual way.

A. L. Montgomery
Major
for Minister of Militia.

N. 1 '20/9/17
Case N 2456a. *B.H.F.*

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT	
PAY & RECORDS OFFICE	
Ref. No.	V 6145
Rec'd.	23 OCT 1917
Ans'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	11-233/29



Sept. 21st. 1917.

Dear Madam:- 2312. Corp. Herbert Cranford.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of 15th. inst. relative to your son, and have also received a letter from the Hon. Dr. Lloyd on the same subject.

Under the Regulations governing the men of the Regiment when they go on Active Service, they come under the charge of British Authorities.

This means that when they go on Active Service they are attached to British troops, and can only get leave when given by the British Authorities.

If your son is not fit for the work he would be examined by a Board of Doctors who would decide this matter. If they considered that he was able to do the work, I am afraid that we could not interfere in the matter. If he was found unfit he would be sent back to the Depot at Ayr, and if he continued to be unfit, would eventually be sent back to St. John's.

I am forwarding your letters to our Office in London asking them to see what could be done.

I have the honour to be,
Madam,
Your obedient servant,

Mrs. Rosanna Cranford,
New Hr., T.B.

Major,
for Minister of Militia.

~~St. Louis~~
Hospital
France.

Aug. 18th / 16.

My dear Gotthel :-

Just a word
to say that I am in
hospital. There is not
much wrong with me only
run down. I won't be
here long but it is a
nice visit.

Gooss is here too
he will soon be going
out.

I was talking to a couple
of our fellows that just
came out. They said that
Gooss was gone up the
line again.

Don't worry about

one as I am only having
a good rest:

I did not receive
your parcel yet, but I
am expecting it any
day. They are sending it
out from the Battalion
With love to all ~~them~~

I am

Your Loving Son
Herbert

P.S.

Send your letters to
the same address as
before. also parcels
H.L.B

New Harbor
Trinity Bay
Sept. 13/17

Yours
J. R. Bennett
St John

Dear Sir:-

I have received a letter from my son ²³¹² Corporal Hubert Cranford. saying that he is in Hospital again. in a real down condition Now. Sir. I wish to point out that my son is too delicate to fight as a mother you will agree with me that I know pretty well the conditions of him. as he always was a very delicate Chap. from his infancy. Owing to the losing my Husband from Down & my oldest son killed in the lumbering woods. & now that my youngest son is in a place where I am sure is not strong enough to protect himself. You can imagine the life I am living. which I can assure is a miserable one.

I am enclosing the last letter I had from him. he never speaks about home or more of his letter than he does on this one. & it is unknown to him that I am seeking his discharge. I am quite sure that his services

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to the regt is not profitable & has he says
on this letter not to worry about him
it is quite natural for him to say so
if he was dying. as he understand the life.
I live & the troubles I have gone through
which is almost unbearable

I know he has spirit enough to fight
but that is no good without the strength.
I am only asking for justice to be done
which has been done to other people. except
that they had three sons discharged at the
time of their enlistment. ^{when they has been medically fit} and I consider
I am not asking for any partiality after
my son spending a year & a half in the
regt. & I am sure in a delicate state as
it was impossible for him to get better all
at once. & it has been proved by him
going to the hospitals so often

Please do your best for the sake of humanity

Yours truly

Mrs Rosanna Cranford

P.S. I am confident that he hid things from
the Sec at the time of his examination in
order to be accepted for the Regt.

In replying, the date of
this letter should be quoted.



SEP 18 1917

September 14th, 1917.

Sir,

I beg to enclose herewith letter I have received from Mrs. Wm. Cranford in relation to her son 2312, Corporal Herbert Cranford. I do not know what can be done in the matter. This is one of several letters I have received of the same tenor.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. J. Boyd

Minister of Justice.

Hon. John R. Bennett,

Minister of Militia.

New Harbour
Trinity Bay
Aug 28/77

Hon. W. F. Lloyd
St John

Dear Sir:-

I have been so long looking
for a reply the the favor I ask of you in
reference to my son #2312 Corporal Herbert Cranford
in getting his discharge so to be sent
home on furlough. Please state my case
to the Authorities. As I to spend my life
time in a heart Broken Condition I must
if some one dont come to my assistance
I am trusting you are the man to whom
to whom will bring relief

Yours truly
Mrs William Cranford

Yours truly
Mrs William Cranford

24th October,

7.

11233/79 The Hon. the Minister of Militia,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Sir, Application for furlough, No. 2312, Cpl. H. Cranford

With reference to your letter 21/9/17 (6145): I have the honour to state that according to latest advices received at this office the above named soldier is now serving with the B.E.F. having returned to duty on 20/9/17, (see Casualty report No. 2434a). As referred to in my letter No. 11232/78 of this date, under the circumstances it would not appear possible to consider the application for the present.

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

Major,

HT/NW

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

No. 18336/1998

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT



From:

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

To:

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

13th November 1918

Nov 21. 1918

Subject: 2312, A/Sgt. Cranford

Receipt hereunder.

With reference to the following telegram (9654) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Chas. F. J.

LIEUT. COLONEL.

COMMANDING 2ND BN ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Pay to 2312 Cranford £6:5:0

Received the sum of Six Pounds

Draft £ 6:5:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Six Shillings on account of cable remittance from Newfoundland.

H. J. Marshall
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

H. Cranford

No. 2312 Rank Sgt.

Witness J. R. Hopkins. 627ms.

No. 220/45/P&A.

N.F.P./79.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

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

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

5th January, 1919

Subject: 2312, a/Sgt. H. Crawford,

With reference to the following telegram (119) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

"Pay to 2312 Crawford, £4.8.5.

Draft £4.8.5. is enclosed for payment to this Soldier.

Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

F. H. Mansel
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

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

Received the sum of Four

Pounds Eight Shillings 5d. on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

H. Crawford
No. 2312 Rank Sgt.

A Witness *C. [unclear]*

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
58, VICTORIA ST.
LONDON, S.W. 1
4 JAN. 1919
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

Barkham Lodge.
Weybridge
Surrey.
June 26th /17

To
Chief Paymaster & Officer in Charge of Record
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Sir:-

Please let me have a statement
of my credit. And oblige

Yours Respectfully
2312 Sgt. H. Cranford



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Ref. Nos. 5854

Rec'd 28 JUN 1917

Ack'd

Ref. Nos. 001

5/15/17

P.S.

²⁰
- Gajos Timewell

Say & Record Officer

Royal Newfoundland Regt

Sir:

Please advance me the sum of
Two Pounds (£2.0.0) has charged to
my account

L. 312 Sgt. H. Cranford

FILE

BRANCH

INITIALS

18/1/18

Weybridge

17.1.18

£2.0.0

18/1/18

Receipt no. 8156

Space

Weybridge

Action

O.K. £1.0.0 net.
to 9/9/18 Recept. No 8029

Chief Paymaster & Officer in Charge of Record
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Sir:-

Please advance me the sum of
one pound (£1) and charge to
my account.

to 812 Sgt. H. Cranford.

Barham Lodge.

9.9.18



Grace Newbery
Nelson

To

Chief Paymaster



OK
1-1-0
RB

18/6/18

Receipt No. 7780

Please advance me the sum

of one Pound (£1) and charge to my account.

2312 Sgt. Cranford

18.6.18

Approved.
[Signature]
C. R. Ramer



To

FILE	BRANCH
	INITIALS

NB 22/6/18

Chief Paymaster
Royal G. & L. Regt.



2-2-0
 22-6-18
 Proprietary 778570

Sir: — 22/6/18.

Please advance me the sum of
 two pounds (£2) charge to
 my account.



(Sgd) 25/6/18

W.A.M.

Lawford
 approves
 nominally
 C. R. Rames

£2.6.18



M.K. = 2-0-5 ~~huff~~
20 2/7/18 Receipt No 7961

Chief Paymaster & Officer in Charge of Records.
1st Royal Newfoundland Regt.

FILE BRANCH
INITIALS
RB 2/7/18

Sir:
Please advance me the sum
of Two Pounds (£2).

had charge to my account.
2312 Sgt. H. Cranford

2.7.18 Grace Newbery - Nelson.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
88 VICTORIA ST.
LONDON S.W. 1
JUN 1918
PAY & REGR OFFICE

1/6/18
JRB Receipt No. 7634
of Lt. Royal New Zealand Regt

REGISTRAR
7-JUN-1918
No. 1
LONDON
WANDSWORTH

Please advance me the sum of
one pound (£1⁰⁰) and charge to
my account. And oblige.

(Sgt) 2812 Sgt. H. Stanford

approved
W. H. Miller
Capt. Commandant

7.6.18

FILE
BRANCH
INITIALS
7/6/18

To Paymaster

M. No. 11-0-0 1st Royal Newfoundland Regt
Sir - JRS 10/6/18

Please advance me one pound (£1)
and charge to my account.

Signed. 3812 Sgt. H. Crawford

10.6.18



3RD LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL	
No.	10 JUN 1918
WANDSWORTH, S.W. 18.	

approved
submitted by
Capt R. [Signature]

FILE	BRANCH
	JRS 10/6/18
INITIALS	[Signature]

106134 *Kay*NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N. F. P/27.

No. 20

Officer Commanding,
1/1st Newfoundland Regt.,

B.E.F.

STATEMENT of AMOUNTS DRAWN from PAY & RECORD OFFICE
to be entered in A.B's 64 of SOLDIERS CONCERNED.

REFERENCE:- No. 1938/57, 25/5/13, to O.C., 1st Battalion.

Date of Payment	Regtl No.	Rank & Name		Authority	Paid to	Amount		
						£	s	d
13/10/17	2312	Cpl	Cranford, H	Letter from Cpl. Cranford dated 7/10/17 (5849)	Miss E. Ford 1, Hermatage Road, Staple Hill, Bristol	4	0	0
		<i>London</i> <i>13/17</i>		<i>J. H. M. Wallace</i> CHIEF QUARTERS & OFFICER IN CHARGE				

CERTIFIED that entries have been made in A.B's 64 of the
Soldiers concerned.

C. S. ... Capt
O.C. "A" Company,
1st. Battalion.

Please RETURN this FORM INTACT to:-

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

cc
a/c

For your attention
please

C. Dicks / L
a.a.

29-10-17

No. 13836/1

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./55.

Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,

To: 2312, Cpl. H. Cranford

Queens Hotel,

13th December 1917

Ayr.

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Herewith Postal Drafts for £15:4:1, in respect of remittance from
Newfoundland, forwarded at request of Minister of Militia, St. John's

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.) H. Cranford

(Date) 15/12/17

F.H. Marshall
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

Ref No. 4285
 Rec'd. AUG 20 1917
 Add. Lieut. Marshall
 Ans'd. 8841 London
 File No. ✓

Hospital.

France.

Aug 19th /17

OK RM 29/4/17

£7-0-0

Would you please advance me "seven pounds" and put it to my account.

I have been in France since the first of October /16. And am now down the line in Hospital. I lost the majority of my kit coming down and would like to get several things I need before proceeding to the line again.

Trusting that I am not putting you to any inconvenience

I am Sir

Yours, Respectfully

2312 Cpl. H. Cranford

8841/6 .

PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS,
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
53, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1.
ENGLAND.

30th, August 1917.

O. O.,
No. 1 Stationary Hospital,
Rouen.

2312, CPL. H. CRANIFORD.

With reference to the following letter from
the above Soldier 19/8/17, (4785),-

"Would you please advance me "Seven pounds" and put
it to my account. I have been in France since the
1st. October, 1916, and am now down the line in
Hospital. I lost the majority of my kit coming
down and would like to get several things I need
before proceeding to the line again. Trusting that
I am not putting you to any inconvenience".

As it is not customary to remit money to
Soldiers with Expeditionary Forces, the above letter is
repeated to you for necessary action, please.

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

FM/WF

B. E. F.

France.

Oct. 7th 17

Lt. Marshall.

Sir:

Please remit "Four Pounds"
(£ 4) to Miss E. Ford

Col. Hermatage Road
Stable Hill

British. Eng.

and charge it to my account.

To pay certain necessities
sent to me.

I am Sir,

Yours & respectfully,

2312 Sgt W. Crawford

1st N.F.L.D. Regt

Handwritten signature and amount:
\$4.00

Pay

1ST N.F.L.D. REGIMENT	
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13th, October

Miss E. Ford,

1, Hermatage Road,

Staple Hill, Bristol.

Postal Draft

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2312, Cpl. H. Cranford, 1st. Newfoundland

Regiment.

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13/10/17 2312 Cpl Cranford, H

Letter from
Cpl. Cranford
dated 7/10/17
(5849)

Miss E. Ford
1, Hermatage
Road, Staple
Hill, Bristol

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13/10/17

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C.R. 2312

Extract from General Roll of Hfld. Regt. Draft No 11,
From 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Southampton,
8-10-16.

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New Harbor
Trinity Bay.

April 24/17

Hon J R Bennett.

St Johns:

Dear Sir:-

After three months
without getting a letter from
my dear Boy. 2312 Corporal
Herbert Cranford or hardly
a word except a few words
from another Soldier Boy
saying that my boy was
in hospital I feel it my
duty to enquire the cause
of being in Hospital
although I feel sure I know
the cause as I doubt if
there is any Doctor that
know any better than I
do the ailments of my
child

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but I would like for his
Superiors to know the cause
When he enlisted I was
surprised to hear that he
passed Medical exams.

As he his one of the weak
heartedest ever was born
but I said to myself
that if he passed I would
not interfere (although it
is my only support.) as I
would like to be as patriotic
as any person.

But seeing that he is in
Hospital & I havent any doubt
^{but} it is through is old sickness
I consider he is only a
burden to the Regiment.
& for the sake of Humanity
I call on you for help

#3

govern by what I have read of you. you will act promptly.

what I need of you is not out of the question.

would you be so kind as to wire immediately to find the cause of him being in Hospital (as he has not been reported) or have I got a word from himself since January.

And if he is sick I want him to be examined as I feel sure he cannot stand to fight because ever since he was a baby if he only cut his finger he would faint away. And I told him when he was going away

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that he would not be
able to stand to fight.
which I am sure he have
proved it in this

One would you be so kind
as to grant him leave.
I have had lots of ups &
downs in my life my
Husband was lost in
1899. & the following ^{Winter} my
oldest son was killed in
the Lumbering woods
& now the thoughts of
my Boy being so far away
& I am sure his Old sickness
up against him it almost
sets me frantic I dont
know what I will do
If you are somebody cant
relieve me

#5-

I might say that his
complaint was very easy
to hide which he done so.
& seeing that he was so
anxious for war I let him
alone & I wouldnt
interfere now If I was
sure he was able to fight
please try your best &
see what you can
do for me I think if
you can get statement
of his sickness you will
prove my words

Thanking you in advance
I am,

Yours etc

Mrs. Williams Cranford

P.S.

please write by return mail what
you can do in the matter

I might say that he has been
in France since last
October.

End

C.R. 2312

G.

26th April, 1917.

Dear Madam,

In reply to your letter of the 24th instant, I beg to say that no information respecting your son, No. 2312, Corporal Herbert Cranford, has been received at this office. I shall, however, communicate by cable with the Newfoundland Pay and Record Office, London, and endeavour to ascertain whether he has been in Hospital, and also what is his address and condition at the present time. Upon receipt of any information respecting him, I shall immediately communicate the same to you.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. William Cranford,
New Harbor, T. B.

Copy

TRANSLATION OF CODE MESSAGE SENT TO
SYNOPTICAL, LONDON, ON
APRIL 28, 1917

What is address of Report by Telegraph present
condition of 2612 Roseworthy 2524 Jones 2515
Baden Relative anxious for news of 2512
Granford 2425 Gillard Report by telegraph pre-
sent condition of 2625 Fry 1319 Brown 446 Hatty
What is address of 2568 Clarke.

C.R. 2312

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt. St. John's, April 4th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization
has been confirmed by Officer 1/c Records on noted dated
date

2312 Sgt. Herbert Cranford.

2-4-19.

C.R. 2312

Extract of DAILY ORDERS PART II ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND
REGIMENT DEPOT ST. JOHN'S DATED MARCH 21st/19.

The Discharge of the undernoted on Demobilization
has been APPROVED by O.C. Discharge Depot on noted
date.

#2312 Sgt. Herbert Cranford.

20/3/19.

C.R. 2312

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot St. John's
JUNE 9th, PROMOTIONS.

To be actg. Corporals.

#2312 H. J. Granaford.

C.R. 2312

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

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

Repatriated on A.F. Bl79.

2312 Sgt. Herbert Craniford.

C.R. 2372

Extract from Orders By LT. Col. Barton, Commanding The
Royal Nfld. Regt., 8-8-18.

The Following N.C.O. having reported back from the 1st Bn.
is posted to H Co., from 8-8-18.

2312 Sgt. Crawford.

C.R. 23/27

Extract from Casualties received from P & R Office London,
dated July, 24, 1918.

The undermentioned was discharged from the 2nd London G.
Hospital, on 23-7-18 and granted furlough to 1-8-18.

2312 Sgt. Cranford, H. 1 Duty.

CR 2312

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The
Royal Wfld. Regt. In the field, dated 8-6-18

#2312 a/Sergt. H. Cranford.

Invalided to England 25-5-18 Sick.

C.R. 2312

Extract of Code Telegram from Secretary of state received June 8th 1918.

Following from Reeve:

Association Visiting Committee reports:

2312 Cranford

Royal Wfld. Regt.....Progressing favourably.

C.R. 2312

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record Office, London,
dated 5, June 1918.

3rd London General Hosp. S.W. 18, Reports, 1st June 1918,

Transferred from Mile End M. Hospital, 31-5-18.

2312 Sergt. H. Cranford

C.R. 2312

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. & men of the Expeditionary
Force—France. List No. H.A. 23891. dated May 29th. 1918.

2312 Sgt. H. Cranford

Royal Wld. Regt. Dis. ~~46~~ 46 Sty. H. Etaples 23 May '18.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

Counter No. _____

C.R. 2312

Cable Connection with all the World



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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 Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated May 28th, 1918

To Mrs William Cranford, New Hr. T.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports No.2312, Sergt. Herbert Cranford at Mile End Military Hospital, London, G.S.W. Short

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you and trust that next report will be of his convalescence.

W.F. Rendell, Lieut Col. G.S.O.

for Minister of Militia.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 2312

Extract of Telegram to Military St. John's from London dated May 27th 1918.

2312 Granford

Royal Nfld. Regt., G.S.W. Foot, Mile End Military Hospital.



C.R. 2312

SICK AND WOUNDED N.I.C.O's AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.

ARMY SERVICE CORPS

No. H.A. 23911

Trans To Base Detls St Martin's Camp ex 54 Gen H Aubergue 24 May '18

544228 Pte Lewis A.J.....A.S.C. att'd RGA 251 S.B.....Myalgia.

Adm 57 Gen Hos Versailles 21 May '18

550338 Dvr Mason T.....(ASC.(HT) att MEMosp(San Squad.Influenza....Mild.

Adm 72 Gen Hos Trouville 22 May '18

M2/052028 Dvr Croad H.A.....ASC MT Lorry Pk Beauville.....ICT Arm L.
M2/061220 Dvr Bullen W.R.....ASC MT Lorry Pk Beauville.....ICT Arm L.

No. 1. RECORD OFFICE EXETER

No. H.A. 23911

Adm 72 Gen Hos Trouville 21 May '18

8502 Pte Hayden P.....I Hants.....Measles

NEWFOUNDLAND EXPED. FORCE

No. H.A. 23911

Adm 56 Gen Hos Staples 22/24 May '18

2312 Sgt Grenford H.....I/Newfoundland.....SW Foot Lt.....Wd, Sev.

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C.R. 23 12

SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O'S AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.



1 RECORD OFFICE PRESTON.

LIST NO. H.A. 23652

834	Pte.	Hicks W.H.	2/5 Lances.Fus.		Dis.to St.Martins Cp.Boulogne ex 8 Sty.H.Wimereux 17th May '18.
981	"	Fish R.	15th Lances.Fus.		Dis.to St.Martins Cp.Boulogne ex 8 Sty.H.Wimereux 17th May '18.
0738	"	Browne E.F.	10th Lances.Fus.	I.O.T. Axilla R. Sev.	Adm.11 Sty.H.Rouen 17 May '18.
86928	"	Coleman L.G.	10th do.	Diarrhoea. Sev.	Adm.11 Sty.H.Rouen 17 May '18.
242860	"	Horswill W.P.	1/5 East Lances.	N. Y. D. Mild.	Adm.46 Sty.H.Etaples 17 May '18.
23918	"	Heard E.J.	8th East Lances att M.B.Depot. Etaples.	Obs. Measles Mild.	Adm.46 Sty.H.Etaples 17 May '18.

No. TWO RECORD OFFICE PRESTON.

LIST NO. H.A. 23652

38204	Pte.	Tillotson E.	1/12 L.N.Lan.R.	Boil Mild.	Adm.11 Sty.H.Rouen 17 May '18.
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No. 1 RECORD OFFICE SHREWSBURY.

LIST NO. H.A. 23652

22648	Pte.	King E.A.	15th Welsh Rgt.	P. U. O. Sev.	Adm.11 Sty.H.Rouen 17th May '18.
56231	"	Kelly C.	9th Welsh Rgt.	P. U. O. Mild.	Adm.11 Sty.H.Rouen 17th May '18.
291307	L.C.	Leatherbarrow	2 Welsh Rgt.att P. 6 Conv.Dep:Staff.	Obs. T.B.Lung Mild.	Adm.46 Sty.H:Etaples 17 May '18.

No. TWO RECORD OFFICE SHREWSBURY.

LIST NO. H.A. 23652

315996	Pte.	Kelling J.	4th R.W.Fus.	P. U. O. (TF) Sev.	Adm.11 Sty.H.Rouen 17th May '18.
64192	"	Kemp A.	10th Ches.R.	do. Mild.	Adm.11 Sty.H.Rouen 17th May '18.

NEWFOUNDLAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

LIST NO. H.A. 23652

2312	Sgt.	Cranford H.	1st R.Newfd'land.	Tonsillitis Mild. Rgt.	Adm.46 Sty.H.Etaples 17 May '18.
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SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O.'S AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE

A R M Y . . . ROYAL HORSE & ROYAL FIELD

No. H.A. 23119

Adm 5 Con. Dep. Cayeux 3 May. 18.

26057 Cpl Butler C.....	RHA N/17 Bde.....	Cont Wd F'head.
101774 Dvr Middleton J.	RHA Late 17 Bde	Rheumatism.
74369 Dvr Johnson R.	RFA 19/9.	Denture.
12477 " Edwards R.	RFA 19/9.	Bronchitis.
42367 Dvr Hawley J.....	18 D.A.C. 24.....	IGT Perineum.
106227 " Roots W.	RFA 16 & 23 Bde.	Influenza.
28975 Dvr Wall W.....	RHA 17 Bde.....	Trench Fever.

C.R. 2312

Dis to Base Dep. Havre ex 5 Con. Dep. 3 May. 18.

960442 Sgt Goodyer F.....	RFA A/210 Bde.....
636171 Dvr Kerr R.	RFA A/256 Bde.
222369 Gnr Myers F.	RFA B/165 Bde.
14407 " Watson L.	RFA C/149 Bde.
231675 " Dalby W.	RFA C/211 Bde.....
801175 Pte Lyons G.....	RFA C/295 Bde.....
24550 Dvr Crook A.	RFA 92 Bde.
66729 SEM Clark D.	RFA D/168 Bde.
218720 Dvr Messop F.	RFA 34 DAC.
199492 Gnr Tuck W.....	RFA X/55 TMB.....
82866 Gnr Jeffries H.....	RFA C/124 Bde att 4 Army A Sch
11261 Dvr Ware C.	RFA 24/38 Bde.
137090 Gnr Card J.	RFA 460/15 Bde.....

Dis. to Base Dep. Etaples ex 5 Con. Dep. 3 May '18

98589 L/C Mourant C..... MGC 242 Co. late H.A.C.....

NEWFOUNDLAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

No. H.A. 23119

Dis. to Base Dep. Rouen ex 5 Con. Dep. 3 May '18

2312 Sgt Crawford H. 1st Roy. Newfound.....

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SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O's AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.ARTILLERY - ROYAL HORSE AND ROYAL FIELD.

LIST No. H.A. 20195.

125795	Sgt. McCade, J.	RFA. A/93-Bde. Army.	P.U.O. Sev.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
822285	Dvr. Moss, W.	do. D/517- Bde.	ICT. Ring & Little Finger.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
27175	McCormack, A.	do. 51-D.A.G.	Lumbago. Mild.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
695361	Sgt. Brown, W.E.	do. att. R.A. Sect.	Asc. Simp. Frac. Radius.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
754200	QMS. Attenborrow, A.I.	RA. Section 3= Echelon.	P.U.O.	Dis: ex 10	Gen: H. Rouen.	25th Feb'18.
98845	Dvr. Kirton, J.	RFA. B/182-Bde.	Enteralgia.	Adm:72	Gen: H. Trouville.	ex 15 Con: Dep. 26. Feb'18.
31768	Pte. Ford, E.	do. 16/D.A.C.	V.D.S.	Dis: to duty ex 51	Gen: H. Etaples.	28th Feb'18.

ARTILLERY - ROYAL GARRISON.

LIST No. H.A. 20193.

107755	Cpr. Ingram, S.J.	BGA. 68-Sge Bty.	P.U.O. Sev.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
132991	Cole, W.E.	do. 127-Sge Bty.	Eczema. Face Mild.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
167049	Wardell, H.S.	do. 244- do.	P.U.O. Sev.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
358003	Todd, E.	do. 261- do.	Asc. Contusion. Middle Finger. R. Sev.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
13848	Mulkerno, P.	do. 899- do.	Debility. Sev.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
72737	Opl. Fawcett, G.F.	do. 151-Bvy. Bty.	Internal Derangement. Knee R. Mild.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.

745200	QMS. Attenborrow, A.I.	RA. Sec. 3-Echelon.	P.U.O.	Dis: ex 10	Gen: H. Rouen.	25th Feb'18.
307210	A/Sgt. Whyte, A.S.	RGA. 1-Low. R.A. Sec.	Frac. Clavicle. R.	Dis: ex 10	Gen: H. Rouen.	25th Feb'18.

MACHINE GUN CORPS.

LIST No. H.A. 20195.

21852	Pte. James, W.H.	1-R.R.R. att. M.G. Corps.	ICT. Thumb. R. Mild.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
128706	Brewer, H.	M.G. Coy. 52-Coy.	Ing. Hernia. R. Mild.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
125124	Viner, W.	do. 75- do.	H.Y.D.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
124893	Freeman, T.A.	do. 154- do.	D.A.H. Sev.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
S/43245	Fraser, FB.	do. 235- do.	Eczema. Face Sev.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
102213	Simpson, C.	do. 232- do.	GSW. Leg & Shldr. R. Sev.	Adm:10	Gen: H. Rouen.	24th Feb'18.
15929	Taylor, E.	14-M.G. Coy.	Measles.	Adm:72	Gen: H. Trouville.	ex 15 Con: Dep. 26. Feb'18.
121892	Weaver, H.J.	M.G. Coy. 7-Depot.	Inf. Larynx.	Adm:72	Gen: H. Trouville.	ex 15 Con: Dep. 26. Feb'18.
70832	Thompson, HW.	157-M.G. Coy.	Balanitis. Mild.	Adm:51	Gen: H. Etaples.	28th Feb'18.
20759	Sgt. Chambers, A.	48- do.	Debility. N.V.	Dis: to duty ex 51	Gen: H. Etaples.	28th Feb'18.

NEW FOUNDLAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

LIST No. H.A. 20195.

2312	Sgt. Granford, H.	1-R. Newfoundland.	Tonsillitis. Sev.	Adm:4	Gen: H. Darnes Camiers.	25th Feb'18.
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C.R. 1312

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record Office, London
dated 6th May 1918.

2312 Sergt. H. Cranford

Admitted 5th Con, Depot Cayeux 24th April 1918.

S.W. Nose

(ex 6 Con. Dep.)

G.R. 2312

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record Office, London,
dated 6th May 1918.

2312 Sergt. H. Cranford

Wounded

C.R. 2312

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record Office, London,
dated 6th May 1918.

2312 Sgt. H. Cranford.

Wounded 14/4/18.

Auth: O. C..Unit 22/4/18.

C.R. 2312

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Expeditionary Force

-----France. List No: H.A. 22169. Dated 27th. April 1918.

2312 Sgt. H. Cranford

Royal Newfoundland Regiment....."A" S.W.Nose mild.....

Admitted 7 Can. Gen. H. Etaples 16th April '18.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

C.R. 2312



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All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

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

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

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

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Signature of Sender _____ Address _____ Dept of Militia.

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated April 27th, 1918.

To Mrs. William Cranford, New Harbor, T.N.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports
 No. 2312, Sergt. Herbert Cranford
 at 7th Canadian General Hospital, Etaples, April 16th
 shell wound nose mild.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you and trust that next report will be of his convalescence.

J.R. Bennett

Actg. Minister of Militia.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 2312

Extract from Personal History of the Royal Wilt. Regt.
Submitted S.S. Corbridge, Jan. 30th, 1919.

2312 Sg t. Cranford.

C.R. 8312

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit 1st Divd.
Regiment, 3rd Echelon, B.E.F., dated 26/1/18.

#2312 Cpl. H. Cranford, A.Co.,

appointed a/Sergeant 26/12/17. ✓

WOUNDED & SICK N.C.O's. & MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.

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ARTILLERY - ROYAL HORSE & ROYAL FIELD. LIST NO. H.A. 20815.
 29513 Dvr. Porteous, R. RFA. 6/78 Spr. Elbow, Jt. Lt. Adm. 15 Con. Dep. Trouville ex 73 Gen. H. 19 March '18.
 18734 Gnr. Powell, J. RFA. 6/71 Pde. Piles..... Adm. 15 Con. Dep. Trouville ex 73 Gen. H. 19 March '18.
 51803 Tpr. Alderson, R. RFA. 2 Cav. Dv. Neurasthenia..... Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre ex 1 Gen. H. 20 March '18.
 2549 Gnr. Bennett, J. RFA. Dtls. Hernia. Rt. Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre ex 40 Sty. H. 20 March '18.
 50022 Gnr. White, S. RFA. 6/15. Debility..... Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre ex M.B. Base Dep. 20 March '18.
 207242 Dvr. Smith, R. -do- -do- Fr. Foot... Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre ex K.B. Base Dep. 20 March '18.
 198953 .. Burke, J. A. RFA. 47 DAC Dis. to Reinf. Havre Class "A" ex 4 Con. Dep. 21 March '18.
 911545 Cpl. Erith, W. RFA. 41 Btty. IST. Ping. Rt. Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre ex 40 Sty. H. 21 March '18.
 31976 Gnr. Griffiths, A. RFA. D/ Btty. Diarrhoea..... Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre ex 20 Sty. H. 21 March '18.
 128860 .. Bennett, S. RFA. Base Diarrhoea &..... Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre ex 40 Sty. H. 21 March '18.
 Dtls. Vomiting.
 33023 Dvr. Manville, W. RFA. Base Dtls. Piles..... Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre ex 40 Sty. H. 21 March '18.
 302 Dvr. Jones, O. RFA. Dtls. Debility..... Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre ex M.B. Dep., Harfleur, 21 Mar '18.

NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT. LIST NO. H.A. 20815.
 2312 Sgt. Granford, H. 1/R. Newfoundland Regt. Tonsillitis... Adm. 15 Con. Dep. Trouville ex 73 Gen. H. 18 March '18.

CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE. LIST NO. H.A. 20815.
 62795 Pte. Wilson, T. 105 Lab. Co. P.U.O..... Adm. 15 Con. Dep. Trouville ex 72 Gen. H. 18 March '18.
 att. 2 Cans. Trns.
 Coy.

GUERNSEY BRANCH RECORD OFFICE. LIST NO. H.A. 20815.
 1570 Pte. Lemessurier, N. 1/R. Guernsey Lt. I. Trench Feet..... Adm. 15 Con. Dep. Trouville ex 72 Gen. H. 18 March '18.

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WOUNDED & SICK N.C.O.'s & MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.NO. 1. RECORD OFFICE - ARLEY.

04801 Pte. Dodge, W. 6/North'n.R.
 38837 Pte. Hansell, J. 2/Suff.H.
 42268 Pte. Cackett, R. 2/-do-
 13635 Pte. Jacklin, F.B. 11/-do-
 17806 Pte. Cook, E. 2/-do-

LIST NO. H.A. 20585.
 Trench Fever, Mild. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 18 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.
 VDH. Mild. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 24 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.
 DAH. Mild. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 24 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.
 DAH. Mild. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 24 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.
 Myalgia. Mild. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 24 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.

NO. TWO RECORD OFFICE - ARLEY.

12146 L/C. Walters, A. 2/Essex R.
 39601 Pte. Tinsale, C. 2/-do-
 33113 Pte. Ratcliff, E. 2/Essex R.
 31560 Pte. Burdett, H. 1/Essex R. att.
 112/Ede. HQ's.
 353037 Pte. Rollings, G. 2/5 Essex.
 ADMIRALTY.

LIST NO. H.A. 20585.
 Sprn. ankle L. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 4 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.
 Mild.
 ICT. Shldrs. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 18 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.
 Back, Legs. & Chest. Mild.
 Trench Fever, Md. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 20 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.
 -do- Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 56 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.
 Gas Shell Sev. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 23 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.
 Trench Fever, Md. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 56 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.

NEW FOUND LAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

2312 Sgt. Cranford, H. 1/Newfoundland. Inf. of Tonsils. Adm. 73
 Mild.

LIST NO. H.A. 20585.
 Gen. H. Trouville ex 4 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.

SOUTH AFRICAN - RECORD OFFICE.

13396 Pte. Bienegill, E. 3/SAI, att.
 20/Int. Batt.

LIST NO. H.A. 20585.
 Debility. Dis. to Base Dep. ex 6 Gen. H. Rouen 12 Mar. 18.

HOUSEHOLD BATTALION.

3149 Tpr. Steele, J. Household Bn.

LIST NO. H.A. 20585.
 Gastralgia. Mild. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville ex 56 Gen. H. 12 Mar. 18.



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January 12, 1918.

Dear Mrs Cranford,

Your letter of 10th December has been received, and I am directed to inform you that £15.4.1d was sent on December 12th to ~~F23~~ #2312 Cpl. H. Cranford.

With reference to the matter of his getting furlough, I am directed to inform you that his case will be represented at once to the authorities in the United Kingdom. When a reply has been received you will be notified.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



Chief Staff Officer.

Mrs. Wm. Cranford,
New Harbour, T.B.

C.R. 2312

Major J.R. Meiklejohn, D.S.O.
Extract of Daily Orders part 11 by ~~Major J.R. Meiklejohn, D.S.O.~~
commanding the Nfld. Regiment. 27/12/17.

2312 Corpl. H. Cranford A. Coy

to be A/Sergt.

C.R. 23F2

New Harbor
Trinity Bay
Dec 10/17

ANSWERED
JAN 12 1918

Hon J. R. Bennett
St John

21/5/17
Learson
2312

I herewith enclosed express orders to the amount of \$75.00 to forward by cable to 2312 Sgt H Crawford. London. I received a cablegram from him last week requesting me to send twenty pounds & I thought he made a mistake & meant twenty Dollars as you are aware I sent twenty Dollars & today I received another cablegram saying he received five pounds & he required twenty pounds please cable immediately fifteen pounds.

A Would it be possible for you to have him come home on Furlough As I have already stated to you that he was always a delicate chap & it is only a short time ago that he got out of the Hospital How did the British authorities approve of my request please reply
Yours truly
Mr. William Crawford

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT. ^{CP 2312}

N.F.P. 6.

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS:
"SYNOPTICAL"
LONDON.

TELEPHONE:
VICTORIA 147.

COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE
PAYMASTER & OFFICER i/c RECORDS,
AND THE FOLLOWING NO. QUOTE:

PAY & RECORD OFFICE,

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W. 1.

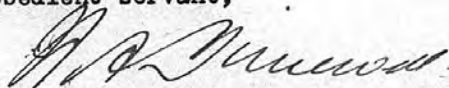
24th October, 1917.

11233/79 The Hon. the Minister of Militia,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Sir, Application for furlough, No. 2312, Cpl. H. Cranford

With reference to your letter 21/9/17 (8145): I have the honour to state that according to latest advices received at this office the above named soldier is now serving with the B.E.F. having returned to duty on 20/9/17, (see Casualty report No. 2434a). As referred to in my letter No. 11232/78 of this date, under the circumstances it would not appear possible to consider the application for the present.

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

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

HT/NW

2312. Corp. Herbert Cranford.

I have the honour to enclose letters received from Mrs. Susanna Cranford relative to this soldier, together with a copy of my reply.

Will you have this application dealt with in the usual way.

Major,
for Minister of Militia.

Sept. 21st. 1917.

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From Minister of Militia,

St. John's, Nfld.

To Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,

London, S.W.

2312. Corp. Herbert Cranford.

I have the honour to enclose letters received from Mrs. Susanna Cranford relative to this soldier, together with a copy of my reply.

Will you have this application dealt with in the usual way.

Major,
for Minister of Militia.

Sept. 21st. 1917.

Dear Madam;- 2312. Corp. Herbert Cranford.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of 15th. inst. relative to your son, and have also received a letter from the Hon. Dr. Lloyd on the same subject.

Under the Regulations governing the men of the Regiment when they go on Active Service, they come under the charge of British Authorities.

This means that when they go on Active Service they are attached to British troops, and can only get leave when given by the British Authorities.

If your son is not fit for the work he would be examined by a Board of Doctors who would decide this matter. If they considered that he was able to do the work, I am afraid that we could not interfere in the matter. If he was found unfit he would be sent back to the Depot at Ayr, and if he continued to be unfit, would eventually be sent back to St. John's.

I am forwarding your letters to our Office in London asking them to see what could be done.

I have the honour to be,

Madam,

Your obedient servant.

Mrs. Rosanna Cranford,
New Hr., T.B.

Major,
for Minister of Militia.

Sept. 18th. 1917.

Sir;- re 231²N, Cpl. H. Cranford.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your communication of 14th. inst. enclosing letter from Mrs. W. Cranford, relative to her son.

I have also received communication direct from Mrs. Cranford on this subject.

The matter is one that will have to be decided by the British Authorities, and I am afraid that unless his physical condition is such as to prevent him from ~~performing~~ performing his usual Military duties, that some difficulty will be experienced in obtaining furlough.

I am sending the application forward, however, asking that it be given the necessary consideration.

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

Hon. Dr. W.F. Lloyd, K.C..D.C.L.,
Minister of Justice.

for Minister of Militia.

July 26, 1917.

Dear Mrs. Cranford,

I have received your letter of the 9th instant, and I deeply sympathise in all your anxieties and distress.

You will readily understand that the question of the discharge from the Regiment of your son, No. 2312 Corporal Herbert Cranford, is entirely a matter for the decision of the military authorities, I am, therefore, forwarding your request to the proper quarter for consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Governor.

Mrs. William Cranford,
New Harbour,
Trinity Bay.

C.R. 2312

~~W. L. S. P.S.~~
Please send
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imp. pathetic

New Harbour
Trinity Bay

July 9th 17

H. E. Sir Walter Davidson K.C.M.G.
St Johns

Dear Sir:-

I do sincerely appeal to you in this hour of grave anxiety & distress which is unbearable under my circumstances which I will try to describe.

My Husband was lost in the gale of Sept 14th 1899. & on January 15th 1901 my oldest son was killed in the Sumner Woods leaving me with four small children to look for which I managed to raise with great difficulty. And with all the hardships involved to day I am left

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with no one to look to me
my youngest child I managed
to get him educated enough to
teach school which he did so
for three years. when he volunteered
for the Regiment & after going
through such losses which I mentioned
It almost sent me insane. I
intended to go & stop him when
he enlisted but he felt so determined
to go & fight for his king & country
I decided in my own mind
to let him go for a year &
now the time has expired I
appeal to you to have him
discharged. seeing that he has
spent nine months in the

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trenches in France I consider
that he & me has done our
duty to King & Country. & that he
has come through without a
mishap.. I have known parents
that has stopped their sons when
they enlisted first when their case
was not so bad as mine
And I do not think it to much
to ask for my son to be discharged
after spending such time fighting.
If the principle on which they are
fighting is for right & justice
to all British people
Please consider my position & try
& do your best. I leave reply.
Yours Respectfully
Mrs William Cranford

P.S.

My son's name is

2312 Corporal Herbert Cranford

1st Newfoundland Regt.

B. E. F.

France

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from Pay & R.O. March 24th 1917.

2312 Cpl, H. Cranford.

1/Newfoundland Tonsilitis Sgt. Adm. 1 Aust. Gen. H Rouen 17 March 1917

C.R. 2312 ✓

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Germany.
U.S. "Sicilian" July 19, 1916.

2312 Cpl. Cranford H.

CR 2312

Extract of Depot Daily Orders part 11, dated
May 9th, 1916.

The following promotion is approved by the
Commanding Officer, and is effective from
this date:-

#2312 Pte. H.J. Crawford. ✓

To be Lance Corporal.

C.R. 2312

Extract of Depot Daily Orders part 11, dated
June 9th, 1916.

#2312 Ete. H. J. Cranford. ✓

To be Acting Corporal.

EXTRACT FROM STATEMENT OF A/C TO 31-1-19 FROM PAY OFFICE

DATE

LONDON

21/1/19

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2312 A/Sgt. Cranford, H.

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C.R. 2317

Walter Graniford was attested for General Service with
the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT on March 24th 1916

Regimental No. 2312 was allotted to Pte Walter Graniford

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th 1919



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1915

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the Appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of *Herbert Crawford.*

aged *18.* conducted at *660 B*

Date: *March 20, 1916.* Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST	FINDING
1	<i>No.</i>
2	<i>No.</i>
3	<i>No.</i>
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5	<i>No.</i>
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7	<i>Yes.</i>
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32	<i>u</i>
33	<i>Yes. 15cans. left arm syro</i>
34	<i>5'4"</i>
35	<i>117 lbs.</i>
36	<i>3 1/4 38 1/4</i>
37	<i>\$3.00 month</i>
38	<i>Mother. Mrs. Wm. Crawford. New H. T. B.</i>
39	<i>Mother. parily</i>

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Signature of Medical Examiner:

D. W. Burden

Cranford H

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Ray D. M.

April 3rd, 1919

#2512 Sergt. Herbert Cranford,
New Harbor, T.B.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate
No. 1508."

Yours truly

Paymaster & ^{Captain}
i/c Records

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2312 Rank Sgt Name Cranford Herbert
 Intended place of residence New St. Trinity Bay
2. Occupation Teacher
 Classification of soldier F Medical Category A.I.
3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of... **DEMOBILIZATION!**
 **Eligible for War Service Gratuity**
4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.
- Place
 Date MAR 19 1919
 H. Howley 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. EXCEPT TO ADJUSTMENT OF OVERSEAS PAY ACCOUNT
- Place and date ST. JOHN'S
 19.3.19
 H. Howley Capt
 Signature of soldier
 C. Smith 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. JOHN'S
 19.3.19
 H. Cranford
 Signature of soldier
 E. Wilson Sgt
 Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 20.3.16 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 20.3.19 plus 14 days Service 1110

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. Lait Capt
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
- Date MAR 20 1919

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed
- Place St. John's Nfld
 Date April 5/1919
 H. Howley Capt
 Officer i/c Records
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

H. Howley
 1919/1961

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2312 Rank Sergeant Name Crossland, Herbert
 Date of Enlistment 20-3-16 Address New St District St. John's
 Occupation Teacher Classification for Discharge F Medical Category H6
 Recommendation S.M.B. _____ Disability Rating _____

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1.	1
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 19-3-19 H. Crossland
 O. C. Discharge Depot

PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am _____ in a position to resume civilian occupation.

H. Crossland

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date: _____

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00

(b) Clothing Supplied Yes

Date 19-3-19 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *1551* to his home at *New York* and Release Certificate No. *1551* issued.

Date *19-3-19* *J.A. Lawrence*
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 *3-1-19*

Date *19-3-19* *W. H. Capt.*
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *20-3-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P136	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
E 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
E 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 *20. 3. 19* *C. Dicks Capt.*
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer of Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

Date *MAR 20 1919* *R.H. Capt.*
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

6.

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date 20-3-19

Regimental No. 2012

Name ..

C. Crawford Sgt

Address ..

New Harbour

Present Medical Category.....

A1

Recommended for:— { (a) Immediate discharge

(b) Standing Medical Board

Members of Board {

R.H. Last Capt

O.C. Discharge Depot.

J. Paterson

Senior Medical Officer

Archibald

M.O. Depot

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Crawford

Christian Name Herbert

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish

County

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	on <u>20th</u>	day of <u>March</u>	on	day of
	at <u>Saint John's</u>		at	
Declared Age	<u>18</u> years	<u>6</u> days	years	days
Trade or Occupation				
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>4</u> inches	feet	inches
Weight		<u>117</u> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>35½</u> inches		inches	
	Range of expansion... <u>3</u> inches		inches	
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
		<u>1</u>		
When Vaccinated	<u>5 yrs. ago</u>			
Vision	R.E.—V=	<u>6/6</u>	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	<u>6/6</u>	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<u>James Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at <u>S. John's</u>		at	
	on <u>2nd</u>	day of <u>March</u>	on	day of
		191 <u>6</u>		191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>2nd Bn</u>	<u>23rd</u>		
Transferred to	<u>ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT</u>			
		<u>2312</u>		
Became non-effective by	on	day of	on	day of
		191		191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

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

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of further use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and readmissions 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				
MILE END MILITARY HOSPITAL. BANOCROFT ROAD — LONDON, E. —	25	5	18	31	5	18	Shrap. W. Lt. Foot	6	No fracture, No S.D. Fracture	W. H. Smith
8 th LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL. WANDSWORTH.	25	5	18	23	7	18	ditto	53	Washed in place 19.5.18 X-ray = Nil	G. C. Hall Capt. Med.

Civil Re-establishment Committee



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

To resume former occupation
School Teaching

H. Crawford

Signature of Man.

Edwards Call

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Reg. No.

Place

Date

St Johns
19 3-19

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NOTE.—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (xvi. or xvii.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.
In cases of soldiers not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to consideration for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps. *Royal Newfoundland*.....
2. Regtl. No. *2312* 3. Rank. *Sgt.*.....
4. Name *CRANFORD*.....
(Surname) (Christian Names)
5. Age last birthday. *21*.....
6. Posted for duty on..... at.....
in category (or grade).....
7. Former Trade or Occupation }
7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—
(a) Former Regts. or Corps; with Regtl. Nos.
(b) Date of Discharge;
(c) Cause of Discharge.
(d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity (if any)
8. If the disability is an injury was it caused
(a) in action (b) on field service
(c) on duty (d) off duty?
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state:—
(a) When
(b) Where
(c) Opinion of Court

NOTE.—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 B (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case.

Statement of Case.

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here. (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "nil."

11. Date of origin of disability. *14th April '18 Shoaf nose. Shoaf. not left foot 25th May '18*
12. Place of origin of disability. *Armentieres Etaples*
13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents. *Shoaf not in nose 12th April '18 slight taken to 2nd Gen. Hosp. Etaples. Trans. New Con. Depot. discharged to duty May 12th Again w/d. 25th May left foot went to 46th Gen. Trans 3rd S. G. H. discharged 23-7-18 not healed. no disability*

14. State whether the disabilities are
- | | | |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
| (ii.) Previous active service | <i>Yes</i> | ..... |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service | <i>No</i> | ..... |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war | <i>No</i> | ..... |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the man's part. | <i>No</i> | ..... |
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do you attribute it? } *N. G.*

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

15. What is his present condition? *Slight scar right side nose repaired (A note should be made as to weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)*
- second wld. scar on dorsal surface left foot ~~damaged~~ by 4 second toes slight pain on pressure. complain of pain after prolonged marches.*

16. Was an operation performed? If so, when and what was its nature? *his infected shoe removed*

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

18. *In the case of loss or decay of teeth.—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable?

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions?

20. Do you recommend— *Repatriation*

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit?
(b) Change to United Kingdom?

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

Station *Handley Down Camp*

Date *Jan 21 1919*

Medicine
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REG.

Medical Officer in charge of case.

*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

OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.

NOTES.—(1) Clear and definite answers are to be filled in by the Board, as, in the event of a man being invalided, it is essential that the Minister of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him to decide upon the man's claim to pension.

Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," etc., are to be avoided.

(ii.) The rates of pension vary according to whether the disability is (a) caused or aggravated by service in the present war. (b) Due to causes not connected with the present war, viz., (1) Previous active service. (2) Climatic diseases in pre-war service. (3) Ordinary military service before the war. It is, therefore, essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.

21. Give diagnosis and particulars of:—

- (a) Any disability claimed or discovered.
(b) The present condition thereof.

22. State whether the disabilities are:—

- | | | |
|--|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| (i) Service during the present war | (a) Attributable to | (b) Aggravated by |
| (ii.) Previous active service .. .. . | ..... | ..... |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service .. .. . | ..... | ..... |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. . | ..... | ..... |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the part of the soldier .. .. . | ..... | ..... |
- Give details:

22 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do the Board attribute it?

23. Is the disability in a final stationary condition? If not

- (a) How long is the present degree of disability likely to last?
(b) If the present degree of disability is not likely to last 12 months can a further assessment at a reduced rate be made with reasonable confidence to cover a period of 12 months in all? If so, the reduced percentage and the period to which it will be applicable should be indicated in the answer to Question 24a.



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 Crawford, Herbert
 Regiment from which discharged Royal Newfoundland
 Regimental number 2382
 Intended address New Harbour

Height on discharge 5 Feet 6"
 Color of hair on discharge light Brown
 Complexion Fair
 Color of eyes Blue

Descriptive Marks —
 Figure on discharge medium

Christian name of Father —
 Christian name of Mother Rosanna

Wife's maiden name in full —
 Date and place of marriage —
 Christian names of children —

Place and date of soldier's birth New Harb. Sept 1st 1894

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)

H. Crawford

Station St John's

Date 18.3.19

(Rank) Serjt.

I certify that the above named soldier signed the foregoing declaration in my presence, and that the above description and details are, to the best of my knowledge correct.



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

Station

Date

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st NewfoundlandRank Corpl. Surname Cranford Christian Name HeberReligion C. of E. Age on Enlistment 18 years 6 months.Enlisted (a) Mar. 21/16 Terms of Service (a) Duration (was) Service reckons from (a) 1/16Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank May. 9th/16Extended { _____ } Re-engaged { _____ } Qualification (b) _____
or Corps Trade and Rate _____

Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...	<u>Sevastopol</u>	<u>3.10.16</u>	
		Disembarked...	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>4.10.16</u>	
		Joined Battalion		<u>22 OCT 1916</u>	
			<u>W. 3. 7. HARB.</u>	<u>22. 1. 17</u>	
<u>17.3.17</u>	<u>OC. 88 F.A.</u>	<u>Ad. Diphtheria trans</u>	<u>38 S.S.D</u>	<u>14.3.17</u>	<u>E.D. 1500</u>
	<u>1. Capt. G. Hoop</u>	<u>Ad. Tonsillitis</u>	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>17.3.17</u>	<u>H.A. 7716</u>
<u>15.4.17</u>	<u>29 S.B.S</u>	<u>Joined Base Depot</u>	<u>Do</u>	<u>14.4.17</u>	<u>Non Roll</u>
<u>12.5.17</u>	<u>O.C. Unit</u>	<u>Joined Battalion</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>7 MAY 1917</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>7.7.17</u>	<u>OC</u>	<u>Temp. att 173rd Coy R.C.</u>		<u>6.7.17</u>	<u>B 213</u>
<u>11.8.17</u>	<u>10 S.B.S.</u>	<u>Ad. Gonorrhoea</u>		<u>9.8.17</u>	<u>E.D. 8887</u>
<u>26.8.17</u>	<u>1. Capt. Hoop</u>	<u>Ad. Do</u>	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>11.8.17</u>	<u>H.A. 12872</u>
<u>23.9.17</u>	<u>23 S.B.S.</u>	<u>Ad. Do</u>		<u>20.9.17</u>	<u>E.D. 8332</u>
<u>4.10.17</u>	<u>Do</u>	<u>Dep to duty</u>		<u>20.9.17</u>	<u>H.A. 14258</u>
		<u>Remaining at COB</u>		<u>20.9.17</u>	<u>B 01519</u>

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

(b) Signaller, Shoemaker, &c.

2312 CPL H. Crawford

Report		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.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
13/10/17	29 PWD	Joined 29 PWD	Rowen	15/10/17	Newbold
		He joined Battalion		25 OCT 1917	
29/1/17	Of Mess	App. of Sgt	Rowen	26-11-17	B213
	89 P.A.	WATH En. 20-13-17		23-2-18	ED 7964
	4 Gen Hp	Ad. Considered 4000	Rowen	25-2-18	A 36 20193
	73 Gen Hp	" " "	Trowville	12-3-18	HA 20585
27/4/18	1/4th	Joined New Depot	Rowen	28-3-18	Kill
	1/4th	Wounded in Action		14-4-18	B213
14/4/18	64 CCS	to SW nose		14/4/18	ED 409
	7 En. P. Has	Adm.		16-6-18	HA 97169
	6 CA	" " "	Etaples	20-11-18	HA 22425
	5 CO	" " "	Etaples	24-11-18	HA 22730
S.S. 18	D I B A.	Adm.	Rowen	4-5-18	Inst.
		He joined Battalion		10-5-18	
	46 Ptdy Hp	ad (Etaples) Rowen	Grand	17/5/18	HA 22652
	1/4th	to England		25-5-18	W 3003
		7 Fitzgale			MAJOR for
		G. I. Co. 1	Infantry Section		
			G.H.C. 3rd Echelon		

April 5th., 1919

#2312 Sergt. Herbert Cranford,

New Harbor, T.B.

Dear Sir:-

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

Yours truly,

Captin,
Paymaster & U. i/ c Records

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE - GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who claims War Service Gratuity under Order-in-Council dated January 28th, 1919.

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration. There must be no blanks and no dashes. If any question 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.

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Christian name *Herbert* 2. Surname *Crawford*

3. Rank *Sergeant* 4. Regt. No. *2312*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to ~~be~~ forwarded *New St. St. B.*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment *March 20/16*

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

8. Relationship of such dependents *_____*

9. Address in full of such dependent *_____*

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier? *_____*

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

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas *From March 20/16 to March 19/19.*

13. Have you had more than one enlistment? If so, give particulars of discharge and re-enlistments, and under what regimental numbers.....

No.

14. Have you already received any payment of Post Discharge pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amount you and your dependents have already received and by whom paid.....

*Clothing allowance \$60 -
Board money + P.D. \$91. -*

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

No.

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

No.

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

No.

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

No.

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

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? If not give:- (a) Date of discharge..... (b) Reason for discharge.....

*No.
March 19/19
Temporary Demobilization*

20. Did you at any time serve at the front in an actual theatre of War? If so give particulars of places, and dates of such service....

France + Belgium - From Oct 1916 to May 1918. Arras, Somme, Cambrai and Caen.

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

No.

(b). If (a), are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee.....

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:

H. Crawford
New H. J. B.

Place of Residence:

St. John's, Nfld.

Declared before me at:

20th day of *March* 19*19*

This

John M. Cochrane

Signature of Barrister of the
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate,
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>6 mos.</i>	<i>420.00</i>
.....
.....

Certified Correct,

Pryster.

1881

Coonks Cove

Fortune Bay

Sept. 8th / 19.

²⁰
The Minister of Pensions
St. John's

RECEIVED	NO. 7.19	COONKS
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Dear Sir:-

Would you kindly look into the matter. How it was that my mother did not receive any Separation allowance from me whilst in the Regiment.

I enlisted in March 1916 and was discharged in April of this year. My mother applied for separation allowance, but received no reply to her application.

As I have been her sole support for the last five years. I think it very strange.

that she was not entitled to
an allowance.

Trusting that you will give
this your kind consideration.

And reply

I am, Sir;

yours Respectfully

H. Cranford

Regt. Co. 2312 Sergt.

P. R.

W. R. P.

Send form
2.

Oct. 7, 1919

Ex Sgt. H. Cranford,
Coomb's Cove, F.B.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of Sept. 8th. I enclose form of claim for Separation Allowance, which kindly have your mother complete in the presence of a Magistrate or Justice of the Peace and return to this Department,

Yours truly,

Lieut.
For Paymaster.

Separation Allowance Branch.

OFFICE.

THIS SUPPLEMENTARY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in very 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, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace and returned to :-

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

Name in full of Soldier	Rank	Reg't or Unit	Regt. No.
Herbert Cranford	Sergeant	1st Mfld Regt.	2312.
Age of Soldier		Married or Single.	
20 yrs		Single	

Name in full of Mother	Age	Occupation	Permanent Address
Rosanna Cranford	55	none	Newark Bay.

Give name of your husband	Age	Occupation	Here Employed.
William Cranford	deceased		

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

If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated state nature of invalidity. (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.)

If you are a widow state date and place of death of your husband.
Sept 14th 1899 lost at Cape Line on Sept 14th 1899

Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband?
No.

Names of your other children	Address in full	Age	Occupation	Married or Single.
Edward Charles Cranford	Newark	33	Fisherman	Married
James Cranford	18 Gilbert St. H. John	31	Carpenter	Married
William Cranford	Newark.	28	Fisherman	Married

State amount earned by (a) yourself
(b) your husband.

None

11. State amount and source of any other income.

None

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

have not any. only what has been inherited by my children

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

None

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

a small house & land valued about \$400. Inherited by my sons.

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

about \$200.

16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly.

Quarterly

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

No. only the time of his Holidays

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

School Teacher

19. State amount of his wages per week.

I do not know cannot give the amount of his wages per week as

20. State name and address of his last employer.

W. W. Blackhall.

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

about \$10.

22. State amount of allotment received by you from son monthly.

\$21.50 more than half of this I spend on him in sending him parcels & money when on furlough.

23. State from what date did you receive allotment?

June 1916

24. Actual amount contributed by other children.

no particular figure, but the fact is, I have been compelled to trust to my other children for food since my son enlisted, because the small amount I have left for myself is only able to buy clothing & my son has family of their own.

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

No.

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

My other children is taxed to their fullest capacity in supporting their families

27. With whom are you residing at present.

William

28. Have you made a previous claim for Separation allowance? If not, why? Give particulars.

the 12 of April

No. It did not come to my notice about the allowances given until

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

No.

30. Are you 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 U.S. Government.

I suppose as he was School Teaching

32. In what capacity and in what place?

School Teaching Exploits U.S. Bay.

33. Is he in receipt of a salary as much while serving in the 1st. U.S. Regt. If so, how much?

Nothing only what he is getting from the Regt.

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

Signature of applicant..... *Wm. William Cranford, Jr.*

Place of Residence..... *New Harbor Trinity Bay.*

Declared on. subscribed before me at..... *New Harbour*

this..... *30th* day of..... *April*..... 1918

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace..... *J. Woodman J. P.*

This application must be signed by two responsible Parties 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 above soldier first mentioned, is the sole support of the applicant

Signature of Clergyman..... *(Lay-Reader in charge) Ernest Laing.*

Signature of Member of Patriotic Fund Committee..... *Chas Woodman*

no Patriotic Fund Committee working here.

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MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

For information of the Separation
Allowance Branch.

1. Name and regimental number
of soldier in respect of whom
Separation Allowance is claimed. }

2. Name and age of
said soldier. }

3. Is said a chronic
invalid and totally in-
capacitated. }

4. Of what nature is disability? }

5. From what date has this total
incapacity been existent? }

6. How long is total incapacity
likely to continue and what will
be the effect on earning power? }

7. If not totally incapacitated
by what per cent in your opinion
is capacity for work reduced, and
from what date? }

8. Are you the regular attending
physician? }

Y Y

9. Relationship to soldier of
applicant? }

I certify that the above statements are correct.

.....Place.

.....Date.

.....
Physician.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant *Reanna Cranford* ~~Mother~~

On account of *Herbert Cranford* No. *2312* Rank *Sgt*

Decision *Approved*

Date *March 11/1920*
W. H. Kendall *Lieut. Col.*
M. Bowley *Major*

Instructions

2177 Allotment of *70* per day payable to *Mrs Wm Cranford*
his *Mother* from *1/5/16* to *3/4/19*
Discontinued on account of *being discharged*
L. H. S. Sgt.

26-12-17

Notice.

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

1. Name in full of soldier. Rank. Reg't. or Unit. Reg't. No.
Herbert Cranford Sgt. *R. F. F. L. B.* *2312*

2. Age of soldier. Married or single.
22 years. *Single*

3. Name in full of mother. Age. Occupation. Permanent address.
Rosanna Cranford. 56. *—* *New Harbor
Trinity Bay*

4. Give name of your husband. Age. Occupation. Where employed
William Cranford (deceased)

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

6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady. (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.
Lost at Cape Pine Sept 14th 1899

8. Have you married again since death of above mentioned husband.
No.

9. Names of your other children. Address in full. Age. Occupation. Married or single.

Married date	Name	Address	Age	Occupation	Married or single
<i>22/4/08</i>	<i>E. C. Cranford</i>	<i>Reg't H. 2. G. Bay</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>Fisherman</i>	<i>Married</i>
<i>25/4/04</i>	<i>James Cranford</i>	<i>216 New Crown St St John's</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>Carpenter</i>	<i>—</i>
<i>11/2/04</i>	<i>William Cranford</i>	<i>New H. 2. G. Bay</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>Fisherman</i>	<i>—</i>

Marriage certificates examined 20/2/20 *[Signature]*

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.
cannot estimate value just a small outport house + garden

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

14. If husband is dead, state value of real and personal property left by him.
not much. just a small house + garden

15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to enlistment
kept no record he simply supplied my needs

16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly.

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

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

19. State amount of his wages per week. *Eight Dollars*

20. State name and address of his last employer. *Dr. W. W. Blackall. St. John's*

21. State amount of monthly support from son since enlistment. *Twenty Dollars*

22. State amount of allotment received by you from son since enlistment. *Seventy cents (per Day)*

23. State from what date did you receive allotment. *May 1916*

24. Actual amount contributed by _____ Weekly _____ monthly.
other children. _____

25. Are any of these children in the employ of you or your husband? *No*

26. If not receiving support from other children, state cause. Explain fully.
They have families of their own to support

27. With whom are you residing at present.
Y Still Living in my own little Home, Supported by Herbert

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

29. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any course? 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... *Rosanna Cranford*

Place of residence... *New Harbor, Trinity Bay*

Declared and subscribed before me at... *New Harbour*

this... *27th* ... day of... *Nov* ... 1919

Signature of Barrister of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Notary Public or Justice of the Peace. } *L. Woodman J. P.*

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 mentioned is the sole support of the applicant.

Signature of clergyman... *J. P. Beauchamp*

Signature of member of the Patriotic Fund Committee... ..

Jan. 23, 1920

Mrs. Rosanna Cranford,
New Harbor, T.B.

Dear Madam:-

Referring to your application for Separation Allowance, will you kindly furnish me with Marriage Certificate of your sons: E.C. James and William, or else a certified extract from your Parish Register showing dates of their marriages.

Yours truly

Major

Paymaster.

Mar. 10, 1920

Mrs. Rosanna Cranford,
New Harbor, T.B.

Dear Madam:-

Referring to your application for Separation Allowance, I enclose cheque for Seven hundred and seventy seven dollars and fifty cents (\$777.50) in payment of same.

Yours truly,

Major

Paymaster.

New Harbor
Trinity Bay
April 12/18

Wm J R Bennett
St John,

Dear Sir:-

It has come to my notice
that there is a Deperation Allowance
of \$20⁰⁰ per month allowed to
the soldier that has anyone depending
on him for support in addition
to his Regimental pay.
I might say that I have been
obliged to depend entirely on my
son #2312 Sgt. H Cranford
for my support as I have no
other means whatever not
the fraction of a cent income
in no form

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I am sorry to say that I have been overlooked in this respect & would ask you to kindly look into the matter as I expect to get whatever is due my son from the time that this separation allowance was granted up to the present & to continue as long as it is in force.

Please see that I am treated the same as others under my circumstance

Please Reply

Yours truly

Wm. William Cranford

1143

New Harbor
Trinity Bay
May 30/18.

The Paymaster
Separation Allowance
Branch

St John
Dear Sir:-

About a month ago
I sent the forms that
you sent to fill out. (The
Separation Allowance) & up
to this time I have not
heard from them I do not
know if I was granted the
allowance or not anyway.
I have been entirely depending
on my son #2312 Capt Hubert Crawford
& if I do not receive the allowance
I do not know who it is cut out
for as I am sure there is

#2

no one more entitled to it than
I am as my only support
is gone to war

Please let me know
as soon as possible

Yours truly
Mrs Wm Cranford

P.O.D. York
Penn.

ST. JOHN'S, MAR 21 1919

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To *Sgt. A. Cranford*

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from *Feb 8th /19* to *Mar 20th 1919*

A.C.

2012. Sgt. A. Cranford 42 60

ACCOUNT	<i>B.M.</i>	INITIALS	<i>EW</i>
CH. NO	<i>13502</i>	INITIALS	
IND. LEDGER	---	IND. ALL	
P.V. LEDGER	---	INITIALS	
		IND. NO	

Certified correct for \$ *42.60*

J.A. [Signature]
A.J. *A. Cranford*
Billeting Officer.

Reg. No. 2312. Rank Sgt Name Granford Herbert

Attested Address New York

Allotment No. Allottee

Date of Allotment Returned from Overseas 229

Returned on S.S. Cause Discharge

19.3.19.

20.3.19.

PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION ORDER

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION

C.R. 2312

RECEIPT.

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

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

NO. 2312.....NAME.....H.J. Cranford

DATE. Feb 10th / 20.

PLACE: Coamps Co VI

C.R. 2312

RECEIPT.

FOR ISSUE OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL 1914-1919.

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

Date *Dec 15th / 19*
~~.....~~
Place *Combs, Conn.*
~~.....~~

Name *Herbert Cranford*
.....

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.



Fold Here



SEP 20 1921

1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**
is/are forwarded herewith to

Herbert Cranford

in respect of his service as No. **2312** Rank **Sgt.**

Name **H. Cranford** **Royal Nfld. Regt.**
~~2nd Bn. Canadian Infantry Corps.~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received **Victory & British War Medal.**

Signature *H. Cranford*

Date **Oct. 28/21**

Address **323 Simcoe St. Peterboro', Ont.**

[P.T.O.]

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

2312

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2312 Rank Sergeant Name Stanford, Herbert
 Date of Enlistment 20-3-16 Address New St District St. John's
 Occupation Teacher Classification for Discharge E Medical Category #5
 Recommendation S.M.B. _____ Disability Rating _____

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3	cu
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 19-3-19
 in O. C. Discharge Depot.
H. Mars Lunt

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am _____ in a position to resume civilian occupation.

H. Stanford

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date _____

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

 (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00

 (b) Clothing Supplied for H. Mars Lunt
Date 19-3-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 12903 to his home at Mpls Minn and Release Certificate No. 1571 issued.

Date 19-3-19

J. A. [Signature]
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 3-11-19

Date 19-3-19

W. W. [Signature]
Depot Paymaster

SUBJECT TO ADJUSTMENT OF OVERSEAS PAY ADCT.

Discharge approved for 20-3-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P36	B 268	B 121	1	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	1	
B 178	W 3494	B 122	1	Board 1st	" 2	1	<i>2.17.19 [Signature]</i>
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	1	do 2nd	" 3	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	1		" 6		
B 179c	B 120	M 98					

Date 20-3-19

R. H. [Signature]
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-

Officer in Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

Date MAR 20 1919

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

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

Date 20/3/1919

[Signature]
[Signature]