

**FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.**

**ATTESTATION OF**

No. 2090 Name John M. Crow Corps \_\_\_\_\_

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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|--|---------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>John M. Crow</u>          |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>Harbours Quay</u>         |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>Yes</u>                   |
| 4. What is your Age? .....   | 4. <u>28</u> Years..... Months. |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Carpenter</u>             |
| 6. Are you Married? .....  | 6. <u>No</u>                    |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which? .....                              | 7. <u>No</u>                    |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....  | 8. <u>Yes</u>                   |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? .....   | 9. <u>Yes</u>                   |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? .....                                     | 10. { Name .....                |
|  | { Corps .....                   |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? ..... | 11. <u>Yes</u>                  |

I, John M. Crow 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.

John M. Crow SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Garold W. Payne Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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

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

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. Johns, 24th

on this 8th day of February 1916

Garold W. Payne  
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 compiled 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.

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† 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) \_\_\_\_\_

VE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height 5 feet 8 inches.

Girth when fully expanded 40 inches.

Range of expansion 4 inches.

marks \_\_\_\_\_

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin James Gray, Harbour Grace

Relationship Father

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

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

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names.	Date and Place of Birth.

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	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. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years   days	years   days			
Service towards limited engagement reckons from									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ ( " ) _____ " _____									

REGIMENTAL NUMBER 7090.

COMPANY 18.



THE  
1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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

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

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

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act.

§ George V.,

Chapter IV.

signed

John M. Crow

witness

W. H. Renwick  
Major

Dated at

Saccourse Apr  
June 30<sup>th</sup> 1916.



**FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.**

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2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. 112 St. John's St.
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your Age? ..... 4. 25 Years ..... Months.
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Barber
6. Are you Married? ..... 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which? ..... 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... 8. Yes
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C.R. 2090

Extract from telegram from syn., London to military  
Dated July 25th 1919.

Should allotment and separation allowance be continued  
to dependents of the following. If discharged telegraph  
particulars.

2090, Cron.

C.R. 2090

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Rifles,  
Regt. St. John's, July 14th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has been  
CONFIRMED by Officer i/o Records from 10-7-19.

10-7-19

2090 Pte. John Cron.

C.R. 2090

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Depot St. John's, June 28th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has been APPROVED  
by O.C. Discharge Depot with effect from 26-6-19.

2090 Pte. John Cron.



C.R. 2090

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Depot. St. John's,  
Date June, 18th 1919.

2090, Pte. J. Cron.

Reported at Headquarters      1/6/19.      NZ "Corsican"  
which sailed Liverpool May 22/1919.

C.R. 2090

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft No.8.  
from 2nd Bn. Depot to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Southampton  
9-7-16.

2090 Pte. J. Cron.

C.R. 2090

Extract from Schedule of Separation Allowances, payable  
in U.K. from P.R.O. London.

#2090 Pte. J.M. Cron.

Married. 8-11-17

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G.R. 2090

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

The following man of the 1/1st Newfoundland Regt. has been discharged from the 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, on the 4/1/17, and has been granted furlough during the period stated below.

Regtl. No.	Rank and Name	Period of Furlough	Fit for
2090	Pte. J.M. Cron	4/1/17 - 13/1/17	1 Duty

C.R. 7090

NO. 2090 CRON.

EXTRACT OF CASUALTY LIST RECEIVED FROM THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE  
LONDON DATED NOVEMBER 27, 1916.

"WANDSWORTH SYNOVITIS OF KNEE." 6/11/16.

2090

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.  
November 13th. 1916.

2090, Pte J.M. Cron.

1/Newfoundland Synovitis Knee L. To Eng. ex 6 Gen  
Hosp. 4th. November 1916.

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COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated  
9th November, 1916.

Mrs. James Cren,

Harbor Grace.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,  
No. 2090 Private John N.

London, officially reports  
~~Cren at Eleventh General Hospital Dannes Camiers October~~  
~~31st Synovitis Knee.~~

Upon receipt of further information I shall immedi-  
ately wire you and trust that the next report will  
be of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT,


Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 2090

NO. 2090 CRON.

EXTRACT OF CASUALTY RECEIVED FROM THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE  
8.11.16.

"WANDSWORTH SYNOVOTIS KNEE."





C.R. 2090

Extract from Casualties List No. H.A. 5915.

2090 Pte.Cron, J.M.

Synovitis Knee L. To Eng.ex 6 Gen.Hos. 4th Nov.16.



C.R. 2090

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

DUBLIN RECORD OFFICE

17185 Pte Boyle F.	2 R.Dub.Fus	W.Shell Shock
23978 " Mc Guagan J.	1 R.Ir.Fus.	W.Shell Shock
6184 " Campbell W.	1 R.Ir.Fus.	GSW Head
7449 " McAulrey C.	2 R.Ir Rif.att.74.	" Hand R.
	MGC.	
11401 " Foy H.	2 R.Ir.Rif.	N.Y.D.Card V.D.H.
11008 " Harbanson L.	2 do.	Trench Feet
9663 Cpl O'Rourke F.	1 R.Dub.Fus.	GSW Thigh Acc.
11008 Pte Harbinson D.	2 R.Ir.Rif.	Trench Feet
23200 " Spencer W.	2 R.Dub.Fus.	N.Y.D.
7449 " McAulrey C.	2 R.Ir.Rif.	GSW Hand R.
16121 " Bingham W.	1 R.Dub.Fus.	Scabies

No.H.A.3664

Dis to 2 Gen.Dep.Rouen ex 6 Gen.H.24 Oct'16.  
do.  
DIED in 6 Gen.H.Rouen 24 October 1916.  
Adm.6 Gen.H.Rouen 24 October 1916.

Adm.6 Gen.Hos.Rouen 25 October 1916.  
To Eng.ex 6 Gen.Hos.25 October 1916.  
do.  
Adm.6 Gen.Hos.Rouen 25 October 1916.  
Dis to 2 Gen.Dep.Rouen ex 6 Gen.Hos.26 Oct'1916.  
Adm.6 Gen.Hos.Rouen 26 October 1916.

INDIAN FORCE INDIA OFFICE

1770 BEM Matthews T.	R.H.A.A.Bty.1 Ind. N.Y.D.
38997 Dvr Higgins W.	R.H.A.Bde.
	R.H.A.N.Bty.9 Second.Wd.Thigh Acc.
	Can.Bde.

No.H.A.3664

Adm.6 Gen.Hos.Rouen 25 October 1916.  
do. 26 Oct'1916.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

2090 Pte Cron J.M.	1 Newfoundland	Synovitis Knee L.
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No.H.A.3664

Adm.6 Gen.Hos.Rouen 26 October 1916.

C.R.

NO.. 2090 PTE. CRON.

EXTRACT OF CASUALTY LIST RECEIVED FROM THE PAY OFFICE  
LONDON DATED 1.11.16.

"W 20.10.16."

C.R. 2090

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

HOUNSLOW RECORD OFFICE.

No.H.A.3553.

28150 Pte. Wodehouse, A.E.	10/R.Fus.	Contusion Ankle L.....	Adm. 4 Sty.H.Arques 22 Oct'16.
4301 " Newstead, R.	4/Mx.R.	Tachycardia.	do.
23 " Drury, S.	6/W.Kent R.	GSW L.Buttock W.....	Trans.to Eng.per H.S."St George"ex 11 Sty.H. 22nd Oct'16.
1275 " Elliott, A.	2/Hamps.late 3/ Sussex R.	Spr.R Ankle Fract.	do.
16027 Sgt. Jones, A.	Intelligence Corps. 3rd Army.	Fibula.S. Scabies.....	Dis.to duty ex 12 Sty.H.St.Pol 21 Oct'16.

WINCHESTER RECORD OFFICE.

No.H.A.3553.

1088 Pte. Kneller, A.V.	13/K.R.R.C.	P.O.U.O.....	Dis.to unit ex 4 Sty.H.Arques 22 Oct'16.
17580 " Ayerst, F.	7/Rifle Bde.	GSW L.Leg & Neck.W.	Trans.to Eng.per H.S."St George"ex 11 Sty.H. 22 Oct'16.
2398 " Jefferies, B.	5/Rif.Bde att.3 AHQ.	Appendicitis.....	Adm.12 Sty.H.St Pol 21st Oct'16.

TERRITORIAL FORCE PERTH RECORD OFFICE.

No.H.A.3553.

4704 Pte. Anderson, W.	2/6 A & S.H.att. 11 Entrench Bn.	Dental Caries.....	Dis.to unit ex 4 Sty.H.Arques 22 Oct'16.
4289 " Ross, J.	5/Gord.Highrs.	Inf.Mid.Ear.....	Adm.12 Sty H.St Pol 21 Oct'16.
2439 " Urquhart, K.	4/Sea.Highrs.att 4 E.Bn.	do.	do.

TERRITORIAL FORCE HAMILTON RECORD OFFICE.

No.H.A.3553.

43240 Pte. Shirra, W.	12/R Scots late 5th	GSW Neck & R Thigh.	Adm.11 Sty.H.Rouen 22 Oct'16.
40638 " Rox, C.	9/Cameronians late.	Spr.L.Ankle. S.	Trans.to Eng.per H.S."St George"ex 11 Sty.H. 22nd Oct'16.
5079 " Grimshaw, G.	2/6 do. 9/H.L.I.	Infl.Midd.Ear (S).....	Adm.12 Sty.H.St Pol 21 Oct'16.

NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

No.H.A.3553.

2090 Pte. Cron, J.M.	1/Newfoundland	Inf.L.Knee Jnt.....	Trans.to Con.Dsp.Rouen ex 11 Sty.H.22 Oct'16.
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


C.R. 2090

NO. 2090 CRON L.

EXTRACT OF CASUALTY LIST RECEIVED FROM THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE  
LONDON DATED OCTOBER 28th, 1916."

"INF. KNEE ENT. L. ADM. 2 CON. DEP. ROUEN EX 1 STY. HOS. 22nd  
OCT. 1916."



C.R. 2090

Extract from casualties .....List No. H.A. 355A.  
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2090 Ptw, J. Cron.

1/Nfld. Inf. Knee Knt. L. Adm. 2Con. Dep. Rouen ex 11 Sty.  
Hos. 22nd Oct.1916.

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

C.R. 2090



INFANTRY RECORD OFFICE - LONDON RECORD OFFICE.

71 Pte. Robus, F. 2-Londons. Trench Fever. . . . .  
 72 " Harverson, W.F. 23- do. T.F. N.Y.D.Sit. . . . .  
 73 " Calcott, A. 19- do. V.D.S. . . . .  
 74 " King, S. 1-9- do. Balanitis. V. . . . .  
 75 " Owles, C.W. 20- do. Impetigo. . . . .  
 76 Cpl. Harris, A.R. 18- do. 47-Div. G.S.W.L.Foot. . . . .  
 77 " Harris, A.R. 18- do. 47-do. do.L.Foot. . . . .

LIST No. E.A. 2557  
 Transito Con:Dep.Havre. ex 2 Gen:Hos:16 th Sept'16.  
 Adm:39 Gen:Hos:Havre.16th Sept'16.  
 Dis:to 12 Camp.ex 39 Gen:Hos:Havre.16th Sept'16.  
 do.  
 do.  
 Adm:2 Aust.Gen:Hos:Boulogne.16th Sept. '16.  
 To Eng:per Hos:Ship."St David".ex 2 Aust.Gen:Hos'  
 16th Sept'16.  
 do.

5058 Pte.Marshall, W.G. 23- do. 47-do. Rheumatism. . . . .

FOOT GUARDS RECORD OFFICE - BUCKINGHAM GATE S.W.

11066 Pte.Naylor, R. 4-Gren Gds. N.Y.D.Sit. . . . .

LIST No. H.A. 2557.  
 Adm:39 Gen:Hos:Havre.16th Sept'16.

ROYAL FLYING CORPS RECORD OFFICE.

8890 Sgt.Davies, G.J. R.F.C.1-A.Dep. V.D.G. . . . .

LIST No. H.A. 2557.  
 Dis:to St.Omer ex 39 Gen:Hos:16th Sept'16.

INDIAN FORCE - INDIA OFFICE.

8045 Pte.Greecham, T. 1-Bde. M.G.C.1-Ind.att.Influenza. . . . .  
 att.Gds.Div.

LIST No. H.A. 2557.  
 To Eng:per Hos:Ship."St David".ex 2 Aust.Gen:Hos'  
 13th Sept'16.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

2090 Pte.Grom, J.M. 1-Newfoundland. Psoriasis & V.D.G. . . . .

LIST No. H.A. 2557.  
 Dis:to Rouen.ex 39 Gen:Hos:16th Sept'16.

SOUTH AFRICAN RECORD OFFICE

800 Cnr.Smith.Trogoning W.J. 72-Baty.South. Crushed Finger.R.Acc. . . . .  
 Afr.Hvy.Artilleary.

LIST No. H.A. 2557  
 Adm:2 Aust.Gen:Hos:Boulogne.16th Sept'16.

MACHINE GUN RECORD OFFICE

4187 Cpl.Lucas, F. M.G.C.55-Co.Late.9, V.D.G. . . . .  
 R.W.Kents.  
 14245 Pte.Osbern, S. M.G.C.19-Co.Late.3-I.C.T.Finger.R. . . . .  
 E.Surreys.  
 28894 QMS.Lee, G. MGC.late.3-Essex. P.O.U.O. . . . .  
 32128 Cnr.Allen, F.A. H.S.M.G.C. N.Y.D. Sit. . . . .  
 4185 Pte.Lucas, F. M.G.C.55-Coy. do. . . . .  
 13722 " Hornby, G.H. 32-M.G.C. 2-Div. G.S.W.Back. . . . .  
 39093 " Glossop, H. 32- do. 11-do. I.C.T.L.Heel. & R.Leg.  
 9045 " Greecham, T. 1-Bde.MGC.1-Ind.att.Influenza. . . . .  
 Gds.Div.  
 10493 " Challis, O. MGC.54-Bde.19-Div. Myalgia. . . . .

LIST No. H.A. 2557  
 Transito 39 Gen:Hos:Sanvic.ex 2 Gen:Hos:16th  
 Sept'16.  
 Transito Con:Dep.Havre.ex 2 Gen:Hos:16.Sept'16.  
 do.  
 Adm:39 Gen:Hos:Havre.ex anr Hos:16 th Sept'16.  
 do.  
 Adm:2 Aust.Gen:Hos:Boulogne.16th Sept' 16.  
 To Eng:per Hos:Ship."Jan Breydel." ex 2 Aust'  
 Gen:Hos:16th Sept'16  
 To Eng:per Hos:Ship."St.David"ex 2 Aust.Gen:  
 Hos.16th Sept'16.  
 do.

C.R. 2090

Extract of Casualties received from London, dated  
July 27, 1916.

#2090 Pte. J.M. Crom. ✓

~~Admitted~~

N.Y.D. Slight. Admitted 39th General Hospital, ex  
other Hospital, July 18, 1916.





L. M. Lyon.

C.R.

2090

P.R.O.

Admitted 28.12.16

Army Form W. 3016.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date Jan'y 4<sup>th</sup> 1917

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria St

S.W. (Station.)

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Infld Coy

Qu'rs. (Station.)

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria St

S.W. (Station.)

Regimental No. 2090

Rank and Name Plé Bron. J. M.

Regiment or Corps 1<sup>st</sup> Infld. Coy.

has been granted a furlough from 4 Jan'y to 13 Jan'y.

His address while on leave will be:—

58 Victoria St S.W.

*This man has been furnished with  
a warrant to Victoria and given  
an advance of £1. (one pound).*

I consider he is fit for\*

Light Inftry. I Duty.

Horace Fagan Capt R.A.M.C.(F)

Officer in charge Registrar, R.A.M.C.T. Hospital,  
3rd London General Hospital,  
WANDSWORTH, S. W.

(Station.)

\* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office.

No. 2994DUPLICATE  
ORIGINAL

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

## ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 3090 (Rank) Private (Name) John W. Crow  
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in required form,  
 to make an allotment of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars and Sixty cents  
 per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned  
 Person and/or Persons. Such payments to be made on proof of identity  
 of the Person and/or Persons concerned, viz:-

Whether Wife Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (In Full.)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person)	
			\$	c
<u>Wife</u>	<u>Mrs. J. W. Crow</u>	<u>40 Smith 95 West Scotland St. Glasgow</u>		<u>60</u>

This Allotment to take effect from and including November 24th 1917

NOTE:- This Form must be completed and signed by the Soldier, counter-  
 signed by the Officer Commanding his Company, and forwarded to the  
 Paymaster in accordance with P. & R.O. C.L./10, 9/12/16.

(Sig.)

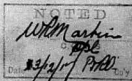
J. Reynolds  
 Officer Commanding  
 "H" Company.

Dated at

Glenburn School Apr. 13.  
November 29th 1917

(Sig.)

John W. Crow  
 Allotter.







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FM/WP

6th, March . . . . . 7

Midland Railway (Parcels Department)

189, Victoria Street,

.. S. W.

.. 2090, PTE. J. M. CRON.

With reference to your letter T.5420, relating to parcel addressed to the above soldier: this man is understood to be with the 2nd. Battalion, 1st. Newfoundland Regiment, Ayr, N. B.

Kindly communicate with his Commanding Officer, please.

(7)

..... Major,  
Paymaster & C. I/O Records

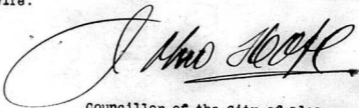
TELEPHONE  
N<sup>o</sup> 2146 CENTRAL.

JOHN HOPE,  
WRITER & NOTARY PUBLIC.

173 St. Vincent Street.

Glasgow, 10th December, 1917.

I have much pleasure in stating that Mrs Catherine McKay Smith or Cron, wife of Private John Cron, is well known to me and I can state from my own personal knowledge of her that she is of a perfectly upright character and in every way suitable to make a fit and proper wife.

A large, elegant handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "John Hope". The signature is written in a cursive style with a prominent loop at the beginning and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Councillor of the City of Glasgow.



ORIGINAL



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

CANCELLATION OF ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) 2090 (Rank) Sgt (Name) Brown John M.

hereby apply for cancellation of Allotment made by me on

N.F. 1971 dated 22/3/17 in favour

of James Brown Harbour Gas Works for £ - cts 40

per diem. Such cancellation to take place on the

30<sup>th</sup> day of June 1917

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

Dated at Aspx  
June 19<sup>th</sup> 1917

John M Brown  
Allotter.

Approved and Witnessed,

A. Kelly  
O.C. "H." Company.

NOTED
<u>Mr Martin</u>
<u>APR 4</u>
Date <u>29/6/17</u>

NOTED
<u>F. L. Kelly</u>
<u>29/6/17</u>
Date <u>27-6-17</u>

To be made out in TRIPLICATE and sent to the Paymaster & Officer in Charge of Records, who will forward Original to Headquarters by first mail, Duplicate by the following, and retain Triplicate.



CASE OF NON-DELIVERY.

In your Reply



PLEASE USE THIS REFERENCE.

# MIDLAND RAILWAY.

P. F. 265.  
G.

*Parcels* Department.

*189 Victoria St* Station, *March 1<sup>st</sup>* 191*7*  
*Gentlemen*

I beg to inform you that the *Parcel*  
you forwarded to *E. E. Cook, Ayr*

1	N W FOUND AND REGIMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	<i>1070</i>
Rec'd.	<i>MAR - 2 1917</i>
ack'd, on hand at	<i>Ayr</i>
Expense of the office	<i>None</i>
File No.	

cannot be  
*unknown at Headquarters*

Please give early instructions for disposal, and note the same remains

Station, at the risk and

Yours obediently,

*H. Pignall, W. Y.*

Have you any  
trace of this  
parcel being sent  
for P.O.

2090. Crow.

~~reported Back at~~

~~depot. 14/1/17~~

~~parcel despatched~~

26/2/17.

man still at depot

Gals

7

No. 3261.

2090 Pte. J. M. Cron,  
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

H.P.F./45.

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



To: Mrs. C. M. Cron

W. Smith

95 West Scotland St. Glasgow.

February 25<sup>th</sup> 1918

Herewith Marriage Certificate as requested.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon:

(Sig.) Catherine M. Cron

(Date) 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 1918.

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

2.

your purpose with same is served.  
I thought perhaps it had been  
overlooked and forgotten to be  
returned to me.

Yours faithfully,

(Mrs) Catherine M. Brown.

Marriage Certificate returned  
~~2/3/18~~

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.		
Ref. Nos IN	V 703	
Rec'd	19 JAN 1918	
Pr'd	Ans'd	
Ref. Nos. UU1		
ACTED UPON		
BY	DATE	BY
C. M. I.		
P. E.	2/3/18	
P. & C.		
B. S. I.		
P. S.		

C/o Smith,  
95 West Scotland St.,  
Glasgow.  
18th Jan. 1918.

The Chief Paymaster,

Pay & Record Office,

Wfld. Contingents

58, Victoria St.,

London, S.W. 1.

Dear Sir,

I would be much obliged  
by your returning to me my  
Marriage Certificate, sent to you  
some time ago by my husband.  
Pte. J. M. Brown, No. 2090, if  
your/

yet come to hand

I should be very much obliged if you would see that the certificate returned to me whenever purpose with it is served.

BRANCH
ACTED BY
DATE
BY
DATE

Yours faithfully,

(Mrs) Catherine M. Cron.  
 Marriage Certificate returned 1/2/18

THE H. W. FOUNDATION RECORDS
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
Ref. No. 1269
Rec'd. 20 FEB 1918
ACK'd. [Signature]
Ans'd. [Signature]
File

C/o Smith,  
 95 West Scotland St.,  
 Glasgow, 18<sup>2</sup>/<sub>18</sub>

Major Timewell,  
 Pay & Record Office,  
 58, Victoria St.,  
 London, S.W. 1.

Sir,  
 I wrote you about a month ago, asking for the return of my Marriage Certificate and fully expected to receive it along with the Allowance and Allotment for the past month, but it has not yet!

H Belmas Terrell,  
Pollockshields,  
Glasgow.

I have much pleasure  
in Testifying to the excellent  
character and personal  
worth of Mrs Crow,  
residing at 95 W. Sutherland  
Street, Glasgow. She is a  
member in full communion  
with my church and is  
in every way satisfactory.  
She is a lady of good manners  
and address and has had  
a good education and  
good up-bringing. All I  
know of Mrs Crow  
warrants me in recom-  
mending her most cordially.

Wm Edgar, B.A., D.D.

4 Dec. 1917  
Kinning Park Church



Hamburg School,  
Frederick 1/11/17

O.C.

2/1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.

Sir,



As I am desirous of getting married this coming week, I now ask, you, sir, for your permission. For your information, I might say, that I am 30 years old, and have been two years with the Regiment, and have not previously been married.

I remain your obedient servant  
(The) J Maxwell Brown  
H' Coy 2090

Approved  
Subscribed

J. P. [unclear] 24  
W. C. H. Coy.

J. P. [unclear]  
by [unclear] Officer  
[unclear]

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTSEPARATION ALLOWANCE

To be Used in the Case of Men Already Married

The Officer Commanding 4<sup>th</sup> Newfoundland Regt.

I have the honour to request permission to my past marriage, and your recommendation for the issue of Separation Allowance to my wife, Mrs Catherine M. Cron

of 95 West Scotland St. Glasgow Scotland  
to whom I was married on November 8<sup>th</sup> 1917 at Glasgow Scotland

My wife's maiden name was Catherine McKay Smith  
Address at time of marriage 95 West Scotland St. Glasgow Occupation Typist

Name and address of parents or guardian at time of marriage Mrs & Mrs Thomas A. Smith  
95 West Scotland St. Glasgow Scotland

I attach hereby my marriage certificate, together with the necessary certificate as to my wife's character and general worthiness

from Rev. Edgar B.A. B.A. 4 Belmore Terrace, Inverchapel, Glasgow.

I am not in receipt of a salary from the Newfoundland Government in addition to my Military Pay.

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

John M. Cron  
Regtl No 2090 Rank Private

I hereby approve of the marriage of the above named Soldier, and recommend that separation allowance be granted to his wife.

I have personally investigated the above application and am satisfied as to the wife's good character and consider her worthy to receive the benefits of Separation Allowance.

The Soldier has assigned at least 50% of his pay in favour of his wife.

\*CERTIFIED COPY OF PT. II ORDERS No 332 Dated Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1917

PERMISSION TO MARRY The marginally named is granted permission to marry with effect November 3<sup>rd</sup> 1917  
2090 Pte. J. Cron. \*Auth.

The written evidence upon which my decision is based is enclosed for your disposal together with the marriage certificate.

Signature A. Whiteaker Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Dated Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 1917 Commanding 1<sup>st</sup> N.F.L.D. REGT.

This document must be signed personally by the Officer Commanding the Unit. Soldier's application must accompany this form.

6843/1092

2nd Batt. Ryl. Wfld. Regiment  
Winchester.

8th May

2090 Pte. J.M. Cron

174

2090 J.M. Cron  
£10. 0. 0.

10. 0. 0.

**Medical Report on an Invalid.**

Station *Hazely Down Camp*

Date *Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> 1916*

1. Unit *Royal Newfoundland* } Former Trade }  
 2. Regimental No. *2090* } or Occupation }
3. Rank *Crown. Pte*
4. Name *CROWN. M.*
5. Age last birthday
6. Enlisted { on  
 { at
- 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—  
 (a) Former Unit;  
 (b) Regimental No.;  
 (c) Date of Discharge;  
 (d) Cause of Discharge.

**8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.**

*(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).*

*Inflammation of Knee joint*

Statement of Case.

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

9. Date of origin of disability.
10. Place of origin of disability.
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

*Stumbled in France.  
 59 days in Wandsworth*

12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—

- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).
- (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
- (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, etc.

*attributed to injury received whilst on active service.*

*W. C. P. M.*

13. What is his present condition?

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

*Slight grating on friction  
continuously troubled  
with psoriasis on legs  
unable to wear  
puttees.*

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

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

*no*

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

If so—(a) When?

(b) Where?

(c) Opinion?

*no*

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

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

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

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

*Psoriasis.*

20. Do you recommend—

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

*Repatriation (3).*

*Max. C. H. M.* ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND

\_\_\_\_\_  
Officer in medical charge of case.

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

Station \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

NFD/32.

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

1. Regimental No. and Rank	2090 Private
Name	John Maxwell Crow
Unit	2 <sup>nd</sup> Newfoundland Regt.
2. Full Name of Dependent. <i>Wife.</i>	Mrs Catherine M Crow
3. Address	90 Smith 95 West Scotland St. Glasgow Scotland.
4. Have you made previous claim for Separation Allowance? If so, state particulars.	No
5. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to anyone in Nfld or elsewhere?	No
6. Date of Marriage.	3/11/17
7. Name and Address of your last Employer.	James Crow Harbour Grace Newfoundland
8. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment.	Seven Hundred & fifty Dollars \$750 <sup>00</sup> /-
9. Are your wages or any portion being paid by your employer during your absence?	No
10. If paid, what is the amount per month?	✓
11. Name of Corps prior to enlistment in the Nfld Contingent.	✓

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement.

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE

RETURNED 28/2/18.

John Maxwell Crow

Signature of Officer forwarding this application.

Ad Whitaker

Unit 2<sup>nd</sup> Newfoundland Regt.

Date Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1917

LT.-COL.  
COMMANDING, 2nd<sup>nd</sup> N.F.L.D. REGT.

u  
Crown, J

2090

Receipt

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2090 Rank Pte Name Cron J.  
 Intended place of residence St. John's

2. Occupation Draper  
 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, ST. JOHN'S

Date JUN 25 1919

*[Signature]*  
 Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

### CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

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

Place, ST. JOHN'S

Date JUN 25 1919

*[Signature]*  
 Signature of soldier

*[Signature]*  
 Signature of witness

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

6. I hereby certify that I am <sup>not</sup> in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.

Place, ST. JOHN'S

Date JUN 25 1919

*[Signature]*  
 Signature of soldier

*[Signature]*  
 Signature of witness

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 7-2-16 No. of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 26-6-19 Plus 14 days Service 1249

### APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place, ST. JOHN'S

Date JUN 26 1919

*[Signature]*  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed

Place, ST. JOHN'S

Date July 10/1919

*[Signature]*  
 Officer in Charge Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

*2079/2912*



July 20, 1919

#8090 Pts. John M. Cron,

Harbor Grace.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed Discharge Certificate  
No. 2912.

Yours truly

Paymaster & Officer in Charge Records  
Captain

July 12, 1919

#2090 Ptr. John H. Cron,

C/o James Cron,  
Harbor Grace.

Dear Sir:-

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

Yours truly

Capt. in,  
Paymaster & C. 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 26th. 1919.

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration There must be no blanks and no dashes. If any questions are not applicable, the words "NOT APPLICABLE" must be written out.

On completion this Declaration is to be returned to THE OFFICER I/C RECORDS, PAY & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

Christian name..... *John M.* ..... 2. Service..... *Canon* .....

3. Rank..... *Ct.* ..... 4. Regt. No..... *2090* .....

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *Mr. M. Lemon - 61/3 James Street - St. John's - Nfld.* .....

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *Feb'y 23<sup>rd</sup> 1916* .....

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge..... *Mrs. Catherine M. Lemon* .....

8. Relationship of such dependents..... *Wife* .....

9. Address in full of such dependents..... *C/o Smith, 98 West Scotland St. Glasgow, Scotland* .....

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

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates and particulars of such service..... *Not applicable* .....

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas..... *3 years & one hundred twenty seven days* .....

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

..... *Nil* .....

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.....

..... *Nil* .....

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?.....

..... *No* .....

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

..... *26 June 19*..... *Demobilized* .....

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 1916-17* .....

21. (c) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com. (b) If so are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee.....

..... *Nil* .....

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: *John M. Evans*  
 Place of Residence: *Harlow Park, Lond.*  
 Declared before me at: *St. Johns*  
 This *25* day of *June* 19*.19...*

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

*Wm. Guines*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				Net amount
Date paid	Paid	War Service		due
	Soldier.	Dependent.	Classify.	
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Certified correct.			Paymaster	

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization: —

*A*

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date 2-6-19

Regimental No 2090

Name Cross John M Rank Plt

Address St. Grace

Present Medical Category A1

Recommended for: — { (a) Immediate discharge \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) ~~Standard Medical Board~~ \_\_\_\_\_

Members of Board {

*R.H. East Major*  
O.C. Discharge Depot.

*H. Paterson*  
Senior Medical Officer

*D.W. Burden*  
M. O. Depot

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2090 Rank Plt Name Leon J. Snow  
 Date of Enlistment 7-7-16 Address St. John's District St. John's  
 Occupation Printer Classification for Discharge E Medical Category A I  
 Recommendation S.M.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. 136	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	3
B 171	D 400N	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 24-6-19 O. C. Discharge Depot. J. Snow

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment

I am not in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date 25-6-19

#### 2. Clothing

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Clothing Supplied \_\_\_\_\_

Date 24-6-19

O i.c. Re-clothing \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Transportation and Release Certificate.**

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrants No. R1960 to his home at Mr. Grace and Release Certificate No. 3033 issued.

Date 25-6-19

J.A. Snow Capt.  
Demobilization Officer

**4. Pay and Allowances.**

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 10-7-19

Date 25-1-19

H. J. Sims Lt.  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharged approved for 26-6-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C. Discharge Depot.

N.F. P36	B 288	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board Ist	" 2
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

2 Form B

Date 25-6-19

J.A. Snow Capt.  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

**APPROVED.**

Documents as above forwarded to:-

Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**Eligible for War Service Gratuity**

Date 11th Dec 1919

R.H. Jait MAJOR  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date .....



## 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 take up work as Draper or  
similar occupation.

*J. M. Brown*  
Signature of Man.

Reg. No. 2090

*L. C. Murphy* Capt.  
Signature of the Vocational Officer for his Representative.

Place *Greenlee Base*

Date *June 25,* 1919



Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reserve

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Name Bron Christian Name John

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish		County			
		SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
Examined	on <u>7</u> day of <u>February</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on	day of	191 <u>6</u>	
	at <u>St. John's Hfd.</u>	at			
Declared Age	<u>28</u> years	days	years	days	
Trade or Occupation					
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>8</u> inches	feet	inches		
Weight	<u>160</u> lbs.		lbs.		
Chest (Girth when fully expanded...)	<u>40</u> inches		inches		
	Range of expansion... <u>4</u> inches		inches		inches T.J.
Physical Development					
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left	
		<u>2</u>			
When Vaccinated	<u>20 yrs ago</u>				
Vision	R.E.—V= <u>4</u>	R.E.—V=			
	L.E.—V= <u>6/36</u>	L.E.—V=			
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease					
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection					
Approved by (Signature)	<u>J.W. Borden</u>				
(Rank)	<u>Lieut.</u>	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at	at			
	on <u>      </u> day of <u>      </u> 191 <u>  </u>	on <u>      </u> day of <u>      </u> 191 <u>  </u>			
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.	
	<u>12th Regt. Reg.</u>	<u>2090</u>			
Transferred to					
Became non-effective by	on <u>      </u> day of <u>      </u> 191 <u>  </u>	on <u>      </u> day of <u>      </u> 191 <u>  </u>			
(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 case of syphilis, admission and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
8 <sup>th</sup> LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH.	6	11	16	4	1	17	Inflammation of left knee joint.	57	Reports sick in France with swelling of knee joint. On his return, he has a hard knee & is unable to march. It has to open again, but under the operation — Surlough.	W. S. Sully Capt. R. A. M. D.
3 <sup>rd</sup> SCOTTISH GENERAL HOSPITAL	26	3	17	26	5	17	3,974 various Chicken pox 25.4.17	68	Chyanothin Ointment. & Antiseptic Internally Temp. 101.8°F. Swollen & tender lymphatic Remount to Civil Infanter. Hosp.	R. Barclay Ross Capt. R. A. M. D.



The Royal Field. Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION

No. 7090 Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Name Cron \_\_\_\_\_

Warned for demobilization on

Wednesday

JUN 25 1919



## 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 *Crown, John Ray*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *2090*

Intended address *St. Marys*

Height on discharge *5 Feet 8.*

Color of hair on discharge *Black*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Blue*

Descriptive Marks

Figure on discharge *Medium*

Christian name of Father *James*

Christian name of Mother

Wife's maiden name in full *Catherine Smith*

Date and place of marriage *17 November 1907 Glasgow*

Christian names of children *James*

Place and date of soldier's birth *St. Marys 23-12-1886*

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) *J. Ray* *Ho*  
(Rank)

Station \_\_\_\_\_ Date *13-6-19*

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

Station \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



## Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station Hazelton Down CampDate 28/11/18

1. Unit Royal Newfoundland Regt
2. Regimental No. 2090
3. Rank Pte
4. Name Crow M.
5. Age last birthday
6. Enlisted  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{on} \\ \text{at} \end{array} \right.$
7. Former Trade  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \\ \text{or Occupation} \end{array} \right.$
- 7a. If with previous service in Army, state—
- (a) Former Unit;
- (b) Regimental No.;
- (c) Date of Discharge;
- (d) Cause of Discharge.

## 8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).

Inflammation left knee jointStatement of Case.

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

9. Date of origin of disability.
10. Place of origin of disability.
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case. Stumbled in France 59 days in Wandsworth
12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—
- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).
- (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
- (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.
- attributed to injury received while in active service.
- no report.

13. What is his present condition?

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

*Slight wasting on flexion  
friction continuously troubled  
with psoriasis on legs under  
near feet.*

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

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

*no report.*

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

- If so—(a) When?  
(b) Where?  
(c) Opinion?

*no report.*

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

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

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

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

*psoriasis*

20. Do you recommend—

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

*Repatriation (3)*

*M.R. / C.H.M.*

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND

\_\_\_\_\_  
Officer in medical charge of case.

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

*except †*

Station \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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

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



Casualty Form—Active Service.

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7 Draft

Regiment or Corps 1<sup>st</sup> New Zealand Regt. Regimental Number 4080

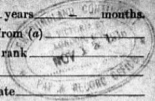
Rank Sgt Surname Cron Christian Name J. M.

Religion Presbyterian Age on Enlistment 28 years — months.

Enlisted 24. 2. 16 Terms of Service (Duration of service reckons from (a))

Date of promotion to present rank \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank \_\_\_\_\_

Extended  Re-engaged  Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_ or Corps Trade and Rate \_\_\_\_\_



Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 103, Army Form A. 56, 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. 103, Army Form A. 56, or other official documents
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		Embarked ...	<u>Southampton</u>	<u>9. 7. 16</u>	
		Disembarked...	<u>Rouen</u>	<u>10. 7. 16</u>	

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		<u>to N.Y.D.S.</u>	<u>Harve</u>	<u>10. 7. 16</u>	<u>AA 1008</u>

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<u>Ad.</u>	<u>"Notarius"</u>	<u>Invalidated to England.</u>		<u>4/11/16</u>	<u>W 3083</u>
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		<u>as to Hoop. London</u>			
		<u>Synovite</u>			

*[Handwritten signature]*

*[Large handwritten signature]*

LIEUT. COL.

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

(b) Signaller, Shoehorn-smith, &c.

[P.T.O.]



Harbor Grace

Augt 31/17

The Minister of Militia  
Pay Department,

Dear Sir: The writer is the  
recipient of allotment from  
pay of No 2090 Pte J. Mat; Cron  
not receiving any for July month  
would like to know whether there  
has been any change made in the  
allotment.

Yours truly  
James M

transmitted  
June 30

September 3rd.1917.

Mr. James Cron,

Harbour Grace, Nfld.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of August 31st. to the Minister of Militia, has been handed to me for attention.

I beg to inform you that your son No. 2090, Private J. E. Cron has cancelled his allotment from June 30th.1917.inclusive.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
Deputy Paymaster.

This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph.

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 *John M. Cron*  
aged *28 yrs.* conducted at *C. L. B.*  
Date: *February 7/16* Recruiting officer:

NO. OF TEST

FINDING

1 no

2 no

3 no

4 no

5 no

6 no

7 yes

8 yes

9 n

10 n

11 n

12 n

13 Teeth to be attended too.

209°

14 n

15 n

16 n

17 n

18 n

19  $\frac{1}{2}$  left eye,  $\frac{1}{2}$  right eye

20 n

21 n

22 n

23 n

24 n

25 n

26 n

27 n

28 n

29 n

30 n

31 n

32 n

33 yes 2 scars right arm 20 yrs ago.

34 6-8

35 160 lbs.

36 36-40

37 55 months

38 Father, James Cron, H. Trace

39 nobody

Signature of Medical Examiner:

*J. W. Barker*

*JM*

ST. JOHN'S, JUN 25 1919

# Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Mr. J. Cron

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from June 1<sup>st</sup> /19 to June 26<sup>th</sup> /19

2090 . Mr. J. Cron 27 10

ACCOUNT	<u>37m</u>
AM. NO.	<u>24909</u>
IND. LEDGER	INITIALS
PAY LEDGER	INITIALS
GEN. LEDGER	INITIALS

Certified correct for \$ 27.10

J. H. Newell  
Billeting Officer.  
J. M. Cron



C.R. 2090

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.....*Nov 13th*  
Place.....*H. Grace*

Name.....*J. Wilson*  
*Ex No. 2090*



Harbor Grace

9/2/20

C.R. 2090

Minister of Militia  
at Johns  
Sir

When leaving for  
Boston in May 1919, my wife &  
children were unable to travel with me  
I saw the GO & O of Coy about the  
matter & they told me that everything  
would be alright regarding their travel  
provision when most convenient to them  
I also wrote the Pay & Pensions officer  
& received a similar reply -

Now I would like to get them out  
would you kindly let me what can  
or will be done in this matter

Yours respectfully  
(Ex 2090) J. M. Grant

## Department of Militia

## MEMORANDUM

No. 261/2090.

C.R. 2090

From

MINISTER OF MILITIA,  
ST. JOHN'S,  
NEWFOUNDLAND

Feb. 12th, 1920

To

Chief Staff Officer  
Newfoundland Contingent  
C/o High Commissioner  
for Newfoundland  
58 Victoria Street  
London, S.W.(1)

SUBJECT:

No. 2090 Ex-Pte. J.N. Cron

REPLY

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Dated 20th. May, 1920. W.

31st July 1920

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

The above ex-soldier is anxious to have the transportation to this country of his wife and child arranged. I presume you have her address in your office, and I should be glad if you will communicate with her and arrange for her transportation by first opportunity.



Lieut.- Col.,  
Chief Staff Officer

Reference obverse:  
A letter addressed to Mrs Cron at 95 West Scotland Street, Glasgow was despatched on 5th March asking when it would be convenient for her to travel to Newfoundland, and offering passage per "SACHEM" 13th March. No reply has been received and in the absence of proof of letter not having reached Mrs Cron it is assumed that she does not wish to proceed and has communicated the fact to her husband.

Since the above was written a further registered communication was addressed to Mrs Cron, to which a reply has been received stating that she would accept a passage per s.s. "Sachem" sailing August 4th.

A letter however has now been received from Mrs Cron stating that a passage could not possibly be accepted by this opportunity.

The reservation per "Sachem" has therefore been cancelled.



Secretary.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.	
Ref. Nos IN	4-85
Rec'd -	5 MAR 1920
Ans'd	
Ref. Nos. DU1	
ACCEPTED	
MARCH 05	
Comd.	
P.M.A.	
S.A.C.	
B & E	
P.S.	

C. No. 2090

Feb. 12th. 1920

No. 2090, Ex-Pts. J.M. Cron  
Mr. Grace

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of Feb. 9th, I would state that I am communicating with the Chief Staff Officer, London, with relation to arranging for the passage of your wife and child to this country. You will of course write to her and ask her to communicate with Col. Timewell at 58 Victoria Street S.W.

It is not possible at this date to arrange for her passage by the "Diana" which is due to leave tomorrow or Friday from Liverpool. By the first available opportunity I will direct to arrange for the sailing by the following boat.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.,

Chief Staff Officer

2090

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2090 Rank Plt Name Cross J  
 Date of Enlistment 7.7.16 Address St. Johns District St. John's  
 Occupation Amper Classification for Discharge 6 Medical Category A I  
 Recommendation S.M.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. 136	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 178b	D 400H	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 24.6.19 O. C. Discharge Depot. H. Cross

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am not in a position to resume civilian occupation.

H. Cross

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date 25-6-19 J. Snowball

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable.

(b) Clothing Supplied.

J. Snowball

Date 29-6-19 O. i/c. Re-clothing

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrants No. *R1960* to his home at *Heigraue* and Release Certificate No. *3033* issued.

Date *25-6-19* *J.A. Snow Capt*  
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

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

Date *25-6-19* *J.A. Snow Capt*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *26-6-19*  
Forwarded with following documents to O.C. Discharge Depot.

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
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		

*2 Form B*

Date *25-6-19* *J.A. Snow Capt*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-  
Officer in Records,  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents: *Eligible for War Service Gratitude*

Date *26-6-19* *R.H. Sait MAJOR*  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Received the above noted documents from O. C. Discharge Depot.  
Date *July 9/19* *Amelia H. Woodhouse*

