



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 4974 Name Andrew Binney Corps Went

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

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| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>Andrew Binney</u> .....            |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>St. John's</u> .....               |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>Yes</u> .....                      |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>17</u> Years <u>0</u> Months ..... |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Student</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, Andrew Binney 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.

Andrew Binney SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Andrew Binney Signature of Witness.

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

I, Andrew Binney 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 .....

Signature of Attesting Officer Andrew Binney

### †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 ..... 1915 } Approving Officer.  
 Place .....

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

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

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Andrew Dwyer  
 Apparent age 19 years — months. Height 5 feet 8 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches  
 Range of expansion 4 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Wm Jas Dwyer, Belle  
Quinn, Cal Bay | Relationship Father

### Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

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

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



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 4374 Name Andrew Dinney ~~corp~~ metk

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

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|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>Andrew Dinney</u>            |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>Bellefleur Bay</u>           |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>yes</u>                      |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>19</u> Years <u>—</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>trimming</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, Andrew Dinney 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.

H. 28/3/18

Andrew Dinney SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Joseph Pittman Signature of Witness.

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

I, Andrew Dinney 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 explained as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St John's on this 28 day of March 1918

Signature of Attesting Officer George Stark

### †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 1st regt if enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date.....1918  
 Place..... } Approving Officer.

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

\* If so, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows: vis:—(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 Andrew Dunne  
 Apparent age 19 years — months. Height 5 feet 6 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches  
 Range of expansion 4 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY REGRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Wm Jas Dunne, Belle Glana, C. Bay 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

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					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>28-3-18</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>March 28-3-18</u>									
Discharged Under Age 30-4-1918									

Total Service forfeited as above.....

Total Service towards Engagement to 30-4-1918 (date of discharge) — years 34 days

C.R. 4374

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 unit the Royal Nfld.  
Regt. St. John's, dated August 23, 1918.

4374 Pte. A. Dinney.

Struck off the Strength from April 30th, 1918. Authority K.R.  
& Para. 392 Sub-section (v1).

C.R. 4374

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

4374 Pte. A. Dinney

Discharged 30-4-18, JK.R.&.R

C.R. 4374

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Newfoundland Regiment, St. John's. March 30, 1918.

#4374 Ptw. A. Dinney.

Attested for General Service with effect from 28/3/18.

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Disney

Christian Name Andrew

*Depot 4374*

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Belle Island County Newfoundland

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>28<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>March</u> 191 <u>8</u>	on	day of	191
	at <u>S. Johns</u>	at		
Declared Age	<u>19</u> years	— days	years	days
Trade or Occupation				
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>5</u> inches	feet	inches
Weight		<u>118</u> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded...	<u>36</u> inches		inches
	Range of Expansion..	<u>4</u> inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R. E.—V=	<u>6/10</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>Lammie Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	<u>Major</u>			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at <u>S. Johns</u>	at		
	on <u>28<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>March</u> 191 <u>8</u>	on	day of	191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>The Royal Wtd 4374</u>			
Transferred to	<u>Regt</u>			
Became non-effective by	on	day of	191	on
			day of	191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				





-th  
April 25  
1975

40 West Wabana  
P. O. Box 83  
Bell Island  
C. B.

To  
Major Carshy  
St. Johns

Dear Sir:-

In reference to my  
sons Baptismal Certificate I  
beg to say that I have not  
secured it - yet Our Clergy  
here tried to get it in St-  
Johns but failed to get it  
there. So He has sent down  
to St-Anthony the place  
where He was Baptised. And  
we expect to get it - from  
there soon you would be  
doing us a great favour by  
keeping Him in St. Johns until  
He is eighteen as He was only  
sixteen - the 15<sup>th</sup> of April.  
we will send the Certificate as  
soon as we receive it.

I beg to remain  
Sir your Obedient-Servant  
J. W. Dinney.



# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sent by \_\_\_\_\_ Rec'd by \_\_\_\_\_ Check 10/- No. \_\_\_\_\_

Place from St. Anthony

To Rev. Wm. J. Eddy

27/4/18

Andrew Linnay born April  
16<sup>th</sup> 1902. Little Brahet-  
bergymann Edwin Lewis

A. W. Martin

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Form No. 15

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 25 Sent by W Rec'd by Bell Island Check 18/5

Place from

To

Hon J. R. Bennett  
Acty Minister Militia  
St Johns

APR 1 1918

stop andrew Binney volunteering  
not 16 years old my  
other boy gone to  
England volunteered

Mrs Binney

Observe for the

DISTRICT OFFICER  
NEWFOUNDLAND  
Apr 1 1918  
COMMANDING

Received

Answered  
h/6

Bell Island  
C. B.

8/21/18

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Dear Sir:-

Your Letter of  
Aug 17<sup>th</sup> To hand concerning  
my son, Andrew Dinney  
& I beg to say that  
to my knowledge He  
enlisted - The 29<sup>th</sup> of March  
and was discharged the  
30<sup>th</sup> of April for under  
Age.

I Beg to remain  
Sir.

Your Obedient Servant

J. W. Dinney  
— " —

August 17th/18

Sir:-

Reference your son Ex-private Andrew Dinney, Regimental No 4374, will you please be good enough to advise me, at your earliest convenience, the date on which your son arrived home to you after being discharged from the Regiment for under age.

I can find no official record of his being struck off Regimental Strength, and I require this information for record purposes.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

CCD/TJ.

W. J. Dinney, Esq.,

Bell Island, C.B.

August 23rd, 1918

From Officer Commanding,  
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,  
Militia Department

4374 Pte. A. Dinney

Above noted man is one that I have been trying to trace for some weeks. I now find that he was discharged for under age, without reference to Part II Orders, on April 30th, 1918.

Pay balance brought forward and amounting to \$101.20 up to and including 31st July, is therefore cancelled and has been struck off August Pay lists. By deducting 92 days (period from 30-4-18 to 31-7-18) from this balance, his Pay Account is square on day of his discharge.



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 Andrew Dinney  
aged 19 conducted at Head quarters  
Date: March 25/15. Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

- 1 no
- 2 no
- 3 no
- 4 no
- 5 no
- 6 no
- 7 yes
- 8 yes
- 9 no
- 10 n
- 11 n
- 12 n
- 13 n
- 14 n
- 15 n
- 16 n
- 17 n
- 18 n
- 19 6/10 right 6/6 left
- 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 no
- 34 5ft 5"
- 35 115 lbs
- 36 32-36
- 37 n
- 38 Father William Belle Island. conception day
- 39 nobody

*Handwritten initials or signature, possibly 'W. H. H.'*

*Handwritten initials 'JH'*

Signature of Medical Examiner: W. H. H.



# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Number of Sheets one

Forms  
B 121.  
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Regiment of The Royal New Foundland

Signature of O. C. Company Ld James Hunt

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay
No. <u>1127</u>	<u>Andrew Birney</u>	Age on <u>17</u> years <u> </u> months		<u>Miner</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____		Place and Date of Enlistment } <u>St Johns</u>		Religion	
Joined _____ Date _____		} <u>28-3-18</u>		<u>meth</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____		Period of } with Colours _____ years.		Place of Birth	
Joined _____ Date _____		} with Reserve _____ years.			

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness.	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS

To be carried over

C.R. 4374

Paradise Sound

May 30/21  
— .. —

To C. O. or Chief Sec.  
St. John's

Dear Sir:

As you know that in March 1918 I enlisted, and on Major McCarty, receiving my ~~Birth~~ Birth Certificate I was sent home until old enough to be accepted in the forces which would have been <sup>the</sup> 15 April 1921 and now that the war is over, I think that I should have something to show, I think I should receive something similar to the other demobilized boys. I enlisted from Belle Island C. B. don't know just how long I was in the Reg. but something over two months. Trusting you will see to this Sir, I am yours

very sincerely  
Andrew Winney

Address Lieut. Andrew Winney  
Officer in Charge Salvation Army  
Paradise Sound.  
via Clathral Str.  
P. B. *nded*

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C.R. 4374

June 17th, 1921

Mr. Andrew Denney,  
Paradise, P.B.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of May 30th has been duly received. In reply I would state that under the conditions of your discharge you are not entitled to the Silver Discharge Badge which is issued to those only who are discharged medically unfit. You are not entitled to the Class 2 War Badge issued to those demobilised at the end of the war. On your enlistment you gave a wrong statement of your age, and on proof being produced that you were under age, your discharge was carried out in accordance with King's Regulations.

I am returning your Birth Certificate herewith, please.

Yours faithfully

Lieut.-Col.,  
Chief Staff Officer