

**ROYAL NEW FOUNDLAND REGT.**

*Received 2-12-51*

**1914-1918**



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1555

Name in full Sylvester Fitzgerald Age 24  
 Address Mundy Pond R<sup>o</sup>, St. John's.  
~~Married~~  
 Single  
 Height 5ft 5in Weight 122  
 Color Fresh Hair Dark Brown Eyes Blue  
 Other distinguishing marks "S.F." tattooed left hand.  
 Nearest relative Mother (Elizabeth)  
 Address Mundy Pond R<sup>o</sup>.  
 Dependents Mother partly.  
 Occupation Seaman Present Wage 120<sup>00</sup> per month.  
 Previous service  
 Decorations  
 General Remarks  
 Date of Enlistment May 13<sup>th</sup> 1915

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

Sylvester Fitzgerald

Declared before me this 22 day

of May 1915

J. J. Keenan  
Lieut.

**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.**

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

Reg. No. 1555

Name **Sylvester Fitzgerald**

Apparent age **24** years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height **5** feet **8** inches.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded \_\_\_\_\_ inches.  
Range of expansion \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

Distinctive marks **Color: Fresh, Hair: Dark brown, Eyes: Blue.**

**Other distinguishing marks: "S.F." tattooed left arm.**

**INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.**

Name and Address of next of kin **Elizabeth Fitzgerald, Mundy Pond Rd., St. John's**

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) Signature of Officer verifying entry from certificate.

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

**Particulars as to Children.**

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

**STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.**

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed 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 <b>May 13/15</b>									
Joined at <b>St. John's</b> on <b>May 13/15</b> Embarked for U.K. <b>17/6/15.</b>									
Embarked for B. & F. via Egypt <b>13/3/16</b> 1st Batt <b>8/4/16</b>									
With Batt <b>4/7/16</b> Ence. to <b>Depot V.A. 3 26/7/17</b> Ad. 1st Batt <b>405. Korea 3/7/17</b>									
Disgd. to <b>Depot 24/10/17</b> Rejoined Unit <b>11/11/17</b> With Batt <b>30/12/17</b>									
Ence. to <b>Depot 19/4/18</b> Ad. 17th <b>sent. H. 27/6/18</b>									
Rejoined to <b>England 30/6/18</b> and admitted <b>3rd H. W. Lelandsworth,</b>									
brought to <b>England 30/6/18</b> and admitted <b>3rd H. W. Lelandsworth,</b>									
Embarked for <b>W.A. for discharge 21/9/18</b> Returned from <b>1 year</b>									
at <b>Depot 4/8/18</b> Admitted <b>General H. 24/9/18</b>									
Discharged <b>St. John's</b> <b>Medically H. 7/9/18</b>									
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									
Total Service towards Engagement to <b>7-9-18</b> (date of discharge) <b>3</b> years <b>17</b> days									
" " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									

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<u>Revised: St. John's. Sep 7/1918</u>									
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Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									}
" " " Pension " _____ ( " ) _____ " _____									

Regimental Number 1555

Company \_\_\_\_\_

THE  
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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

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

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

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

Signed S. Fitzgerald

Witness S. Robertson

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_



\_\_\_\_\_ 191

C.R. 1535

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

1555 Pte. S. Fitzgerald,

Discharged 7 - 9 - 18, Medically unfit

C.R. 1555

Extract from Daily Orders part 11 Unit the Royal Field. Regt.  
St. John's Sept. 21/10.

1555 Pts. S. Fitzgerald.

Having been found medically unfit is discharged from 7-9-10.

C.R.

1555

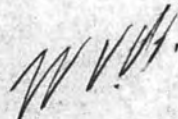
September 25th, 1918.

Mrs. Aubrey Hicks,  
Mandy Pond Road,  
City.

Dear Mrs. Hicks:-

I am writing to inform you that your son  
No. 1555 Pte. Fitzgerald at the General Hospital,  
is off seriously ill list, improving.

Yours faithfully,



Lieut.

Casualty Officer.



C.R. 1555

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld. Regt.

St. John's, Sept. 21/18.

1555 Pte. S. Fitzgerald.

Admitted to General Hosp. 20-9-18.

C.R. - 1555

Next of Kin of 1555 Pte S. Fitzgerald

Mrs Aubrey Hicks

Mundy Pond Road (Per Records)

C.R.

1555

PRELIMINARY REPORT

*Aug.*

Extract from Medical Board held on Saturday 24th, 1918.

1555 Pte. S. Fitzgerald.

Recommended Discharge-Permanently unfit.

C.R. 1555

Extract from Preliminary Report held Thursday 22 Aug. 1918

The following were the findings:-

#1555 PTE. S. FITZGERALD.

DID NOT PRESENT HIMSELF:-

C.R. 15335

PRELIMINARY REPORT

Extract from Medical Board held Aug. 19th, 1918.

1555 Fitzgerald, S.

Did not present himself (Mundy Pond Road )

C.R. 1555

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The  
Royal Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated August 5, 1918.

The following man returned from Overseas and reported  
at Depot August 4th.

#1555 Pte. S. Fitzgerald.

C.K. 1555

July 19th. 1918.

Mrs. Aubrey Hicks.  
Repewalk Range.  
City.

Dear Madam,

In answer to our enquiries as to the condition of your son 1555 Pte. Fitzgerald, we are advised by the Record Office, London, that he has been recommended for discharge and will be repatriated in the near future.

Yours faithfully,

C.C.B.

Capt.

For Chief Staff Officer.

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C.R. 1555

Extract of Casualty List from Pay and Record Office, London dated  
18th July, 1918.

FOR REPATRIATION.

1555 PTE. S. FITZGERALD.

ex 3rd L.G.H. on 18/7/18 is granted furlough to 10 a.m. 22/7/18  
with orders to report P.&R.O. on latter date for disposal.

Authority: A.Fs. B.179.



C.R. 1555

Extract from Telegram, received from London, dated  
July 17, 1918.

In answer to your telegram of July 13th 1555 Fitzgerald &&&&  
recommended for discharge soon he will be repatriated.

1555

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld.  
Regt. Brance, dated 13-7-18.

1555, Pte. S. Fitzgerald,

Invalided to England 30-6-18. "sick"

C.R. 1555

Extract of Code Telegram from Secretary of State (received July 13th.  
1918) dated 13/7/18.

Following from Reeve:-

Association Visiting Committee reports:

Progressing favourably.

1555 Pte. Sylvester Fitzgerald.

C.R. 1555  

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**Extract from Telegram despatched to Synoptical, London,  
dated July 13, 1918**

Reference your telegram June 11th verigy #1555 Pte.  
Fitzgerald, is <sup>he</sup> seriously ill.

July 3rd, 18

Dear Mrs. Fitzgerald:-

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that

No. 1555, Private Sylvester Fitzgerald is at Wandsworth suffering from chronic bronchitis.

I trust that later reports will bring news of his convalescence.

Any further information received at this Office as to his condition will be at once notified to you.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.

Chief Staff Officer,  
for Minister of Militia.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fitzgerald  
Mundy Pond Road.

C.F. 7555

Extract from Telegram received from London, dated  
July 2, 1918.

At Wandsworth, Chronic Bronchitis.

#1555 Pte. Fitzgerald.





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

NEW ZEALAND CONTINGENT.

LIST No. H.A. 12260.

5/58	Gnr. Moore, R.O.G.	N.Z.F.A. 5/2. Bde.	Urethritis. NYD.	Slt.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	ex 3. Can: Gen: Hos: 27th. July '17.
11521	Pte. Ormerod, E.W.	N.Z. 3rd. Auck.	Pleuro Pneumonia.	Slt.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	ex 55. Gen: Hos: 27. July '17.
25730	" Mastalarchuk, T.	2-NZ. RB.	Appendicitis.	do.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	ex 25. Gen: Hos: 27th. July '17.
9/1976	" Spraggs, A.G.	2-N.Z. MGC.	V.D.G.	do.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	27th. July '17.
35355	" Lindblad, J.	4-NZ. RB. 3. Btn.	do.	do.	do.	do.
24/129	" Dawe, C.	2-NZ. RB.	?V.D.	do.	do.	do.
41798	" Haliburton, G.	NZ. 4. R. Bde.	Influenza.	do.	Dis: to 3 Rest Camp Marlboro'	ex 7. Con: Dep: 27. July '17.
22549	" Hunter, R.	NZ. 3. do.	do.	do.	do.	do.
22208	Cpl. Beattie, G.C.	NZ. 1. Otago.	Diarrhoea.	do.	do.	do.
29829	Pte. Wilson, R.H.	NZ. 2. Cant.	Enteritis.	do.	do.	do.

CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

LIST No. H.A. 12260.

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302912	Gnr. Morgan, F.A.	Can. G.A. 3. Sge.	Syno. Knee. R. acc.	Slt.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	ex 3. Can: Gen: Hos: 27. July '17.
435640	Pte. Roberts, H.W.	50-Canadians.	SW. Thigh. R.	do.	do.	do.
226114	Tpr. James, C.W.	Can. Lt. Horse.	Sprn. Ank. L. Acc.	do.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	ex 2. Can: Sty: Hos: 27. July '17.
552587	Pte. Lloyd, L.E.	8-Canadians.	P.U.O.	do.	do.	do.
889777	" Ward, W.	24- do.	Catarrh.	do.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	ex 25. Gen: Hos: 27th. July '17.
746021	" Irvine, J.	18- do.	Gastritis.	do.	do.	do.
177363	" Orange, C.	87- do.	Scabies.	do.	do.	do.
6373	" Pile, S.	1- do.	do.	do.	do.	do.
466536	Spr. Lillie, W.	9-Can. Rly. Trps.	V.D.G.	do.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	27th. July '17.
501190	" King, D.W.	2-Can. Tunn. Coy.	do.	do.	do.	do.
469217	" Charlesworth, G.	9-Can. Rly. Trps.	do.	do.	do.	do.
487423	" Stewart, H.	9- do.	do.	do.	do.	do.
1102165	" De Rosie, F.	9- do.	do.	do.	do.	do.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

LIST No. H.A. 12260.

1555	Pte. Fitzgerald, S.	1-Newfoundlands.	V.D.G.	Slt.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	27th. July '17.
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COLONIAL OFFICE.

LIST No. H.A. 12260.

5816	Pte. Wiggan, W.	7-B.W. Indies.	V.D.S.	Slt.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	27th. July '17.
7427	" Cole, S.	7- do.	V.D.C. & Bubo.	do.	do.	do.
7807	Cpl. Robinson, M.	7- do.	V.D.S.	do.	do.	do.
1074	Gnr. Stowell, A.J.	Bermuda RGA. Am. Col.	?V.D.G.	do.	do.	do.
7575	Pte. Ellis, B.	6-B.W. Indies.	P.U.O.	do.	Adm:7. Con: Dep: Boulogne	ex 2. Can: Sty: Hos: 27. July '17.



R 1555

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas, per  
S.S. Calgarian, June, 19. 1915. "F"

1555 Pte. Fitzgerald S.

C.R. 1555

Extract from War Office List No. H.A. 12364.

Admitted 1. Sty. Hospital H. Rouen 31st. July 1917.

V.D.S.C. & V.D.G. MILD.

#1555 Pte. S. Fitzgerald.

C.R. 1555

September 24, 1920

Mrs. Elizabeth Fitzgerald,  
Mundy Pond Road,  
City.

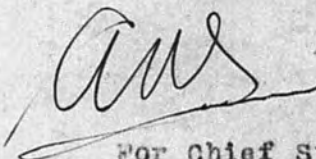
Ex 1555, S. Fitzgerald.

Dear Madam:

The enclosed contents  
have been returned from the General Post Office, London  
to this Department for forwarding to the above named  
ex soldier.

As your son's present  
address is unknown to this Office, and it is presumed  
you are aware of his whereabouts, will you kindly forward  
on to his proper address.

Faithfully, yours,



SSM.  
For Chief Staff Officer

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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Regiment of ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Number of Sheet 1  
 Signature of O. C. Company J. H. Blumstein  
*J.H.*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<u>Fitzgerald J.</u>	Age on	<u>24</u> years — months	<u>Seaman</u>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St. Johns, Nfld. 18<sup>th</sup> 1915</u>	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	<u>3</u> years (with Colours <u>3</u> years with Reserve <u>36</u> years)	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date				
Joined	Date				

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>Stobs</u>	<u>16.7.15</u>	<u>PLt.</u>		<u>Absent from Quarters from 9.30 pm July 16<sup>th</sup> to 7 am. July 19<sup>th</sup>.</u>	<u>Epl. Blumstein</u> <u>" Hawn.</u>	<u>3 days C.C.</u>	<u>20.7.15</u>	<u>Capt E.S. Ayres</u>	<u>forfeits 4 days pay by R.C.</u>
<u>Stobs</u>	<u>19.7.15</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Absent from 7 am Parade.</u>		<u>1 day's C.C.</u>	<u>20.7.15</u>	<u>Capt E.S. Ayres</u>	
<u>Stobs</u>	<u>28.7.15</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Absent tattoo until 7 am 29.7.15</u>	<u>Epl. Brown</u> <u>" Cornick</u>	<u>5 days C.C.</u>	<u>29.7.17</u>	<u>Lt Col. Burston</u>	<u>forfeits 5 days pay</u>
<u>-do-</u>	<u>4.8.15</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Absent from tattoo Aug 1 to 6 am Aug 4</u>	<u>Epl. Power.</u>	<u>7 days C.C.</u>		<u>Major Whitaker</u>	<u>forfeits 4 days pay</u>
<u>Stobs</u>	<u>7.8.15</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Absent while a default, from 9.15 am parade till arrested in Harwick &amp; brought to Camp. 7. pm. 9. 8. 15</u>	<u>Epl. Ross</u>	<u>24 hrs. F.P. 2</u> <u>1 days pay</u>	<u>10.8.15</u>	<u>Capt. O'Brien</u>	

To be carried over  
Medically Unfit 7/18

Army Form B. 121.

Brought forward

Quinn	27.8.15	Plc.	Absent from tattoo until 6 am. Aug. 8.	Spl. Ross	Forfeits one days Pay 3 day C.B.	25.8.15	Lieut Pippy	
Agar	30.8.15	"	Absent from 7 am. Parade	Corp. Ross	Forfeits 1 days Pay 4 days C.B.	31.8.15	Lt. Pippy	
Newton	18.9.15	"	Absent from tattoo until 11 am. Sept 19	Spl. Bartlett	Forfeits two days Pay (2)	19.9.15	Lt Pippy	
Newton	3.10.15	"	Absent from tattoo till Arrested in Barracks 7.45 am Oct 6 while under open arrest	Rpl. Ross, Plc. Curley	7 days C.B.	6.10.15	Capt. Aggar	Forfeits 3 days pay.
Newton	10.10.15	"	Absent from duties for parade Oct 9 <sup>th</sup> & 10 <sup>th</sup> .	Spl. Mahoney	96 hrs. F.P. 2	11.10.15	Major Whitaker	Forfeits 2 days Pay.
Newton	24.11.15	"	Submits warrant officer at 10.30 p.m. on Nov. 23, 15 - Absent from 9.15 - am. Parade	Spl. Stephenson Rsm. Mackay.	96 hrs F.P. 2	24.11.15	Major Whitaker	Forfeits 1 days Pay by R.W.
Newton	6.12.15	"	Drunk when parading for picket duty 4.12.15	Sr. McKay Copl. Sellers	7. Days C.B.	6.12.15	Major Whitaker	
Newton	12.12.15	"	Absent from Patrol 5. P.M.	Spl Costello.	96 hrs. F.P. 2	13.12.15	Major Whitaker	Forfeits 1 days Pay by R.W.
Newton	2.1.16	"	Absent from tattoo until 9. P.M. 5.1.16.	Corp. White	deprived 4 days Pay.	3.1.16	Major Whitaker	Forfeits 4 days Pay by R.W.
Dailes	Feb 18	"	Absent from tattoo until 12.30 P.M. Feb 21	Corp. Collins " Flynn		21.2.16	Capt. Ledingham	Forfeits 4 days. Pay by R.W. Lt.

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Number of Sheet 2.

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Regiment of

~~ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.~~  
 Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay

Signature of O. C. Company (Sgd) J. B. Remester  
27/11.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment			Trade
No.	<u>15.5.5. Fitzgerald J.</u>	Age on	years	months	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment			
Joined	Date	Period of			Religion
Joined	Date				with Colours
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
<u>Newton</u>	<u>15.1.16</u>	<u>Pte.</u>		<u>Absent from tattoo 15.1.16</u>	<u>Corp. S. Lynn</u>	<u>Deprived 3 days.</u>		<u>Major Whitaker</u>	<u>Forfeits 3 days pay.</u>
<u>Gables</u>	<u>25.2.16</u>	<u>..</u>		<u>until 7.45-P.M. 17.1.16</u> <u>Absent from tattoo until 8.30 Am.</u>	<u>Cpl. S. Lynn</u>	<u>Pay for absence</u>	<u>26.2.16</u>	<u>Capt. J. Ledwitham</u>	<u>Forfeits 1 day's Pay by Rev. P.R.</u>

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.

No. 1555 Name

B. Fitzgerald

Sqn., Batty.,  
or Company

9 A Corps Newfoundland

Date of enlistment } May 13/15

G.C. Badges

Service or Proficiency Pay

Date of last entry in  
Company Conduct Sheet

15/1/16

No. and date  
of last drunk

1-6-12-15

Period not reckoning towards  
freedom from extra fine

Sheet No. 2

Signature O.C.  
Company, etc.

J. G. ...  
Character

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
B.A.X. Lawrenceville	13/4/16	Pte		not shaved for Guard Mounting	Opl Gardiner	Extra Guard	14/4/16	SS Wong 2/Lieut	15/4/16. SS Wong

Army Form B. 122

C.R. 1535

**Sylvester**  
**Fitzgerald** was attested for General service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on .. May 13th, 1915  
Regimental No **1555** was allotted to Pte. **Sylvester Fitzgerald**.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Depts of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.



RECEIPT

C.R.

1555

FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND 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. 1555... NAME Pte. S. Fitzgerald

DATE Jan 28...

PLACE Mundy Pond Rd.

RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF  
RIBAND OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL-1914-1919.

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C.R. 1555

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

Name *Pte. S. Fitzgerald*

(Date) *Jan. 8*

(Place) *Mundy Pond Rd.*

C.R. 1555

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Embarked Devonport  
13-3-16 for Egypt transferred to B.E.F. & Disembarked  
Marseilles 3-4-16.

1555 Pte. S. ~~A.~~ Fitzgerald.

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Extract from Registered Receipt, dated Feb. 17th., 1919.

One package No. R1615

Mrs. Elizabeth Fitzgerald,

Mundy Pond Road.

C.R. 1555

Feb. 14th 19.

Mrs Elisabeth Fitzgerald,  
Mundy Pond Road,  
City.

Dear Mrs Fitzgerald:

I beg to inform you that we are forwarding to you one cotton bag containing effects belonging to your son No. 1555, Pte. Sylvester Fitzgerald of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Herewith enclosed you will find receipt, kindly sign same and return at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely,



Lieut.

Casualty Officer.

ST JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

Sept. 19th, 1918

Officer Commanding,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
Headquarters

SIR:

The undermentioned men have been  
discharged on the dates given. Kindly note  
and post in Daily Orders Part II.

I have etc.

(sgnd) J.M. HOWLEY.

Capt. etc.

3247	Pte.	Scott, Harold	5-9-18	Med. Unfit
3340	"	Dingwall, Aaron	"	"
2792	L/C.	Garland, Henry	"	"
2765	Pte.	Crane, Archibald	"	"
4965	"	Kelly, Richard	"	"
958	"	Saunders, William	7-9-18	"
729	"	Brown, Chas.	"	"
2482	"	Stone, Robert	"	"
2741	"	Rideout, Cadis	"	"
3435	"	Greene, Augustine	"	"
2098	Cpl.	Dunn, James	"	"
1555	Pte.	Fitzgerald, Sylvester	"	"
2673	"	Bauld, James	9-9-18	"
2793	"	Evans, Joseph	10-9-18	"
3038	"	Hedder, Norman	"	"
3391	"	King, Harold	"	"
3170	"	Hillier, Leo	"	"
2653	Cpl.	Turner, F.C.	14-9-18	"
1165	"	Piffeld, Mark	"	"
2699	"	Stone, Clarence	"	"
2611	"	Martin, William	"	"
1957	"	Wagg, Austin	"	"
1487	"	Goulding, Sylvester	"	"
2483	"	Parsons, Frank	17-9-18	"

Reg. No. 1555 Rank P/10 Name Fitzgerald, S.

Attested ..... Address .....  
Mundy Pond Rd

Allotment ..... Allottee .....

Date of Allotment ..... Returned from Overseas 4-8-18

Embarked for Overseas ..... Cause Discharge

24-8-18 Rec - Discharge for unfit

**DISCHARGED - MEDICALLY UNFIT**

7-9-18 Da: 167

Acts of  
Sheet  
7/6/17

No 1555 Name Pte Fitzgerald S. Sqn., Batty., } A Coy. Corps Newfoundland Regt. Date of enlistment } G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }  
 Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } No. and date of last drunk } Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } Sheet No. Temporary Signature O.C. Company, etc. } Character Fair

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
Held	5/6/18	Pte		Drunk	Documentary	7 days F.F. #1	7/6/18	Major General	MS

Army Form B. 122



S. Fitzgerald

C.R.

ms

PR

*Original*

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

### Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. 1855- Army Rank Private

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

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

Date of discharge \_\_\_\_\_

Place of discharge \_\_\_\_\_

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age 25 years \_\_\_\_\_ months  
Height 5 feet 7 inches  
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded \_\_\_\_\_ ins.  
range of expansion \_\_\_\_\_ ins.  
Complexion Fresh  
Eyes Brown  
Hair dk. Brown.  
Trade Sailor  
Intended place of residence Mundy Pond Rd.  
(To be given as fully as practicable) St Johns  
Newfoundland

Descriptive marks.  
Minus 1st joint 3rd finger  
Right hand.

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

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

3. Military character :— \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to\*

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

Private

no 9

Army Form B. 179.

### Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station 3rd London General Hospital  
WANDSWORTH S.W.  
Date 14. 7. 18

1. Unit Royal Newfoundland  
2. Regimental No. 1585  
3. Rank Private  
4. Name Sitzgerald - Sitrecker  
5. Age last birthday 25.  
6. Enlisted { on January 1915  
at St Johns Newfoundland

7. Former Trade } Sailor  
or Occupation }  
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)

Mononucleosis

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#### 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. January 1917.  
10. Place of origin of disability. France (Somme area)

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

Inhaler in Jan 1915 served in Gallipoli & since then in France. Last winter much troubles with cough but did not report sick. Cough persisted & shortened of breath gave him much trouble during last few months which he attributes to exposure to gas in action at Paschendaele. On admission to S. L. G. H. 25. / 6 / 18. severe cough to present. Chest R. side near axilla. No sputum

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.

attributable to service during present war.  
exposure.

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.

*acute symptoms have now subsided but still has a cough which is very troublesome at night. Sypnera marked.*

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

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

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

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

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

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.

*Some neurasthemia. depressed mental condition. This is explained by the circumstances of his family. One of his brothers has been killed in action & his father has become insane.*

20. Do you recommend—

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

*Discharge as permanently unfit.*

*W. H. Ramey Capt. Ramey*

Officer in medical charge of case.

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

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

Date

*15.7.18*

*W. H. Ramey*  
Officer in charge of Hospital.

*W. H. Ramey*  
Comdg. 3rd. London Gen. Hospital.

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

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

Opinion of the Medical Board.

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

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

(iii.) *The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is, (A) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (B) due to causes not connected with present war, viz. (1) earlier active service, (2) climatic disease 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.*

(iv.) In answering question 21 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

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

1. (a.) State whether the disability is clearly attributable to—

- (i.) Service during the present war ;
- (ii.) Climate ;
- (iii.) Ordinary military service ;
- (iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c. ; or
- (v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary.

*1/2*  
*-*  
*2/3*  
*2/3*

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

*Impotence + Gas poisoning -*

22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so, which?

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23. Is the disability permanent?

*No*

24. If not permanent, how soon do the Board recommend re-examination?

*See next page.*

25. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed for pension purposes at present?

*100.*

*Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:— 100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.*

26. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?

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27. Do the Board recommend—

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

*Yes.*

28. If discharge is recommended it should be stated whether further medical treatment (including orthopaedic training) is desirable in a—

- (a) Sanatorium;
- (b) Hospital;
- (c) Convalescent home;
- (d) Asylum; or
- (e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended.

*As an out-patient.*

29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 144 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended?

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30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person?

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Signatures:—

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

*L. Johnston Senior Captain* President.

Date 15.11.18

*R. B. Howard Esq* Members.

Approved.

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

*L. Johnston Senior Captain*  
Administrative Medical Officer.

Date 15.11.18

**Descriptive Return of a Soldier discharged on account of Disability.**

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

Statement A should be completed in the Hospital at which the man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, and the soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent 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, to be completed by the Officer i/c Records when received by him, and will be forwarded by him, together with the remainder of the man's documents, to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, London, S.W.1.

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

**A Name in full** *Fitzgerald Silvester*  
**Regiment from which discharged** *Royal Newfoundland*  
**Regimental Number** *1585*  
**Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when** *St Johns Newfoundland Sept 26 1892*  
**Intended address** *Mundypond Rd. St Johns Newfoundland*  
**Height on discharge** *5 Feet 7 Inches*  
**Colour of Hair on discharge** *Dr Brown* **Colour of Eyes** *Brown*  
**Descriptive marks** *2 Minus 1st Joint 3rd finger Right hand.* **Complexion** *Flesh*  
**Figure on discharge** *Medium*  
**Christian name of Father** *Thomas*  
**Christian name of Mother** *Elizabeth*  
**Wife's Maiden name in full** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date and Place of Marriage** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Christian names of Children** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Nature and locality of civil employment desired** *Sailor.*

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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)

*Silvester Fitzgerald*  
 3rd London General Hospital,  
 Station **WANDSWORTH, S.W.**

(Rank) *10*  
 Date *12/7/18*

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.

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

*W. M. Ramet* Medical Officer i/c  
 Hospital.  
 Date *12/9/18.*

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

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

Medals

Other distinguishing marks

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

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

Officer in Charge \_\_\_\_\_  
 Records. \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

To the Officer i/c Records \_\_\_\_\_

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

Soldier's surname Fitzgerald, Christian names Alvester  
(in full)

Regt. No. and Rank 1555 Qk Regt. or Corps Royal  
(If T.F. this should be stated)

His address on discharge will be Mundy Pond Rd. S. J. Jones  
W. J. Jones

This information is for the Central Army Pension Issue Office only.

The Soldier states that\* \_\_\_\_\_ allowance is being issued in respect of him.

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

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

Station 9 Col. Gen. Hospital, S. J. Jones  
Date 15/7/18. President of Board (Approving Officer).

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

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

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

No. 1535 Rank Pte Regiment Royal Newfoundland

Name Fitzgerald - Stewart  
(Surname first)

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

Sailor

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

Black Diamond Steam Ship Co



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

*Sailor.*

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4. What is the name of your Approved Society?

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

*No*

Date

*15/7/18*

Signature

*Ed S Fitzgerald*

NOTE.—This Army Form will be given to all patients in Hospital to complete who are suffering from a disability sufficiently serious to make discharge or reclassification in a category from which men are being transferred to Class P. or P.(T.) of the Reserve probable. In the event of the man being brought before a Medical Board for discharge, this Army Form will be produced to the Board, together with other documents laid down in para. 3 (ii), item 3, of Army Council Instruction No. 1912, of 1916.

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

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Fitzgerald OF Christian Name Sydney

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Newfoundland County \_\_\_\_\_

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	22	May		
	at	St Johns	at	
Declared Age	24	years		
Trade or Occupation	Seaman			
Height	5	feet		
Weight		122		
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	35 1/2		
	Range of expansion	2 1/2		
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
When Vaccinated	India unsuccessful			
Vision	R. E.—V	6/6	R. E.—V	
	L. E.—V		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>Fred W. Burden</u>			
(Rank)	Lieut.			
	Medical Officer.			
Enlisted	at		at	
	on	13 day of May	on	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	new 2nd Regt.	Corps.	
	Regtl. No.	1555	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of	on	day of
(Signature)		1915		191
(Rank)				

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

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.										
Admitted	25	6	18				Bronchitis Asthma		Board held see overleaf Disability Cause Total	
									see overleaf Bronchitis & asthma still has a cough which is very troublesome Exposure marked Exposure to gas poisoning on active service Inability to earn a living 100%	
										W. W. Wingley Capt. R.A.M.C. for & C. 3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.: Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
May 25 June 7 " 25 <sup>th</sup> 1915	First inoculation 500 Million Second " 1000 " Vaccinated at Sea <i>J</i>
July 15 <sup>th</sup>	Board held Board finding Remained after fit Board approved. 15/7/18. Through Capt. reamer for <i>Q</i> rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
St Johns Nfld					

FOR USE IN THE CASE OF ALL SOLDIERS SENT TO THEIR HOMES UNDER  
A.C.I. 1011 OF 1916, PARA. 2(ix.)

No. 1555, Rank Private Name Fitzgerald  
Royal Newfoundland (Regiment).

is discharged from \* 3rd London General Hospital  
with orders to proceed to his home:

(Address 58. Victoria Street)



*Handwritten:* Inbrough 22/7/18

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

E.M. Buckley Officer Commanding.  
Capt. RAMEY

Place Wandsworth

Date 18/7/18

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

\*Here enter name of Hospital or Unit from which the Soldier is discharged

Admitted 30.6.18

**NOTIFICATION** that a soldier has been sent Home from Hospital to await discharge under para. 392 (xvi.) King's Regulations.



Soldier's } 1555 Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
Regtl. No. }

Name Fitzgerald S  
(Surname first)

Corps or Regiment } R. Med. Winchester  
(also Unit if known) }

To Officer i/c of Records 58 Victoria St

Regimental Paymaster 58 Victoria St

The above-named man, who appeared before a Medical Board, and whose discharge as "no longer physically fit for war service" was approved by the President of the Board on the 17.7.18, has been sent to the address below

warrant to await instructions as to his final discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance and a suit of plain clothes.

He proceeded on (date) 18.7.18

to (full address) 58 Victoria St

Date 18/7/18 G.C.H. { Officer  
Captain T.H. { Comm.

Place Woodswork Registrar, R.H.M.O.F.

Three copies to be made; one copy sent to each Officer Hospital,  
mentioned, and one copy filed in the Office 3rd London General Hospital,  
WANDSWORTH, S. W.

Admitted 30.6.18

**NOTIFICATION that a Soldier has returned at Home from Hospital to await Discharge under para. 392 (xv) of the Army Regulations**



Soldier's Regt. No. } 1555 Rank Private

Name Fitzgerald  
(Surname first)

Corps or Regiment (also Unit if known) } R. Infed. Winchester

To Officer i/c of Records 58 Victoria St

Regimental Paymaster 58 Victoria St

The above-named man, who appeared before a Medical Board, and whose discharge as "no longer physically fit for war service" was approved by the President of the Board on the 17.7.18, has been sent to his home on warrant to await instructions as to his final discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance and a suit of plain clothes.

He proceeded on (date) 18-7-18

to (full address) 58 Victoria St

Date 18/7/18 9000/1000 { Officer Comm.

Place Woodswork Registrar, R.A.M.C.F. Hospital

Three copies to be made; one copy sent to each Officer above mentioned, and one copy filed in the Office.

No. 1378



# 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, Sylvester Fitzgerald, Regl. No. 1555 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of 50 Dollars and 50 Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup> or Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup> or Persons concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
9	Mother	Mrs <del>Bart</del>	Mundy	50
6		Aurby Hicks	Pond Road	
0				
<p><i>Commencing June 12</i></p>				
				Total Allotment, \$ <u>50</u>

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer Commanding  
 Company  
St. John's  
June 9 1915

(Sig.) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Rank) Ptr.



## Statement of Accounts

OF

No. 1555 Rank Pte Name Fitzgerald, S.

Company, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

From 9-6-17 to 25-10-17 (dates).

DEBITS				CREDITS			
Date				Date			
Period 9/6 to 25/10/17				Bal. from period ending 8/6/17	23	19	9
<u>Allotment</u>				Period 9/6 to 25/10/17			
139 days @ .50 <sup>¢</sup> = \$69.50	14	5	7 1/2	<u>Pay</u>			
Aquittance rolls, B.E.F.	3	17	0	139 days @ \$1.00 = \$139.00	28	11	3
P. & R.O. Payments	24	10	0	<u>Field Allow.</u>			
<u>Hospital stoppages</u>				139 days @ .10 <sup>¢</sup> = \$13.90	2	17	1
1/8/17 to 19/9/17 = 50 days.	6	3	3 1/2				
@ .60 <sup>¢</sup> = \$30.00							
<u>Forfeited Pay.</u>							
13 days @ \$1.10 = \$14.30	2	18	9				
Creditor Balance		3	13	5	Debtor Balance		
Total £	55	8	1	Total £	55	8	1

Certified correct, NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Station \_\_\_\_\_

Date 25.10.17Paymaster,  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

### Statement of Accounts

OF

No. 1555 Rank Pte. Name Fitzgerald, S.

Company, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

From 9-6-17 to 25-10-17 (dates).

DEBITS				CREDITS				
Date				Date				
Period 9/6 to 25/10/17				Bal from period ending 5/6/17				23 19 9 ✓
<u>Allotment</u>				Period 9/6 to 25/10/17				
139 days @ .50 <sup>¢</sup> = \$69.50	14	5	7 1/2	<u>Pay</u>				
Aquittance rolls, B.S.F.	3	17	0	139 days @ \$1.00 = \$139.00	28	11	3 ✓	
P. & R.O. Payments	24	10	0	<u>Field Allow.</u>				
<u>Hospital stoppages</u>				139 days @ .10 <sup>¢</sup> = \$13.90				2 17 1 ✓
1/8/17 to 19/9/17 = 50 days								
@ 60 <sup>¢</sup> = \$30.00	6	3	3 1/2 ✓					
<u>Forfeited Pay</u>								
13 days @ \$1.10 = \$14.30	2	18	9 ✓					
Creditor Balance			3 13 5	Debtor Balance				
Total £			55 8 1 ✓	Total £			55 8 1 ✓	

Certified correct, NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Station \_\_\_\_\_

Paymaster.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS



Date  
*Ac*  
 25.10.17  
 25.10.17



**FAMILY REMITTANCES.**

Corps RAMB (T.F.) { Squadron, Battery, or Company } 51 blowing

STATEMENT OF PAY AND ALLOWANCES not drawn by officers, civilians (including subordinates), warrant officers, non-commissioned officers, and men during the month of October, 1917, which it is desired to remit for payment at home. (In the case of inter-colonial remittances the name of the colony should be substituted for home.)

Remitter			Name, christian name and address of person to whom payment is to be made	Amount			Signature of remitter
Regtl. No.	Rank	Name		£	s.	d.	
1555	Plt	Fitzgerald, S.	Miss J. Cassidy 15 Drive Road, Govan, Glasgow	5	24	33	S. Fitzgerald
<u>1st Newfoundland Regt</u>							
<p>The necessary entries have been made in the books of the above named</p>							
				£ 5			<p>Certified correct.</p> <p><i>Ph. J. ...</i> Officer Comdg. P. M. C. STATION</p>

The sum of (in words) \_\_\_\_\_ will be credited by me in my account for \_\_\_\_\_ 191 , under the head of "Remittances," and I certify that the remittances included in this return are strictly in accordance with regulations.

Station \_\_\_\_\_ Paymaster. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_ 191 .



**FAMILY REMITTANCES.**

Corps RAMB (T.F.) { Squadron, Battery, or Company } 51 Clearing Station

STATEMENT OF PAY AND ALLOWANCES not drawn by officers, civilians (including subordinates), warrant officers, non-commissioned officers, and men during the month of October, 1917, which it is desired to remit for payment at home. (In the case of inter-colonial remittances the name of the colony should be substituted for home.)

Remitter			Name, christian name and address of person to whom payment is to be made	Amount			Signature of remitter
Regtl. No.	Rank	Name		£	s.	d.	
1555	Pte	Fitzgerald, D.	Miss J. Cassidy 15, Drive Road, Govan Glasgow	5			D. Fitzgerald
1st Newfoundland Regt.							
<div data-bbox="294 1118 608 1320" data-label="Image"> </div>							
<p>The necessary entries have been made in MB 64 of the above named.</p>							
				£ 5 .			<div data-bbox="782 1179 1083 1421" data-label="Image"> </div>
				<div data-bbox="909 1552 1173 1683" data-label="Text"> <p>Certified correct Wm. Stirling Hood Officer Comdg. No. 51 S.C. STATION</p> </div>			

The sum of (in words) \_\_\_\_\_ will be credited by me in my account for \_\_\_\_\_ 191, under the head of "Remittances," and I certify that the remittances included in this return are strictly in accordance with regulations.

Station \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ 191. \_\_\_\_\_ Paymaster.

No. 1555 Rank Plt Name G. Fitzgerald

Pay	F.A.	Wks	Total	N.F.P/73
100	10		110	✓
Less Allotment			50	
Net Rate			60	✓

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£ s d		
						From	To					
Balance				Balance		21 <sup>12</sup> - 17					7 19 1 ✓	
Acquittance Rolls		15	9	0	Pay @ Net Rate	22/12	15/11	209	60	125	40 25	15 3 ✓
Hospital Advances					R. allow							10 5 ✓
A.B. 64.					15-17-17 to 22/11							
P.&.R.O. Payments				10 0 ✓								
4 wks. of day pay				1 11 7	15-13-2							
Chq. no. 8730	18 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>18</sub>	15	10	0								

~~33-15-9~~  
34-3-9

~~18-10-9~~  
18-10-9

*[Handwritten signature]*

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE *OFFICE COPY.* N.F.P./94

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regtl No. 1555 Rank Pte Name S. Fitzgerald Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 21/7/18 Authority A.F.B.179 Cause Class A

DR. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

	PARTICULARS	£			CR.				
		£	s	d	£	s	d		
From 22/12/17 To 21/7/18	Balance Dr. from				Balance Cr. from 21/12/17				
	Allotment 212 days @ 50	106	00	21 15 8	Pay 212 days @ \$ 1.00	212	00	7 18 1	
	Cash Payments: P. & R. O.			16 10 0	Field Allce 212 days @ \$ .10	21	20		
	Acquittance Rolls, B. E. F.			17 1 0	Other Allces days @ \$	233	20	47 18 4	
	Hospital Advances			1 0 0	Other Credits:				
	Other Debits:				Ration Allowance.				
	Forfeited Pay 7 days @ 1.10	7	70	1 11 7	18/7/18-21/7/18, 4 days @ 2/1				8 4
	<i>Gier</i>								
	Total Debits			57 18 3	Total Credits			56 4 9	
	Balance due by Paymaster				Balance due to Paymaster			1 15 6	
			57 18 3				57 18 3		

CHECKED: *[Signature]*  
PERIOD: 1918

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Pay & Record Office, London,

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./33.

Temporary A/c.

Regtl No. 1555 Rank Pk

Name S. Fitzgerald

Pay	F. Allow	Working	Total
100	10		110
Less Allotment			50
Net Rate			60

Date 1917	DEBITS	£	s	d	CREDITS	£	s	d
	Balance				Balance			
1/1					22/12/16	13	11	2 1/2
	<u>P.M. ADVANCES:</u>				<u>Pay @ Net Rate:</u>			
	A.B. 64.	1	13	4	23/12/16 to 7/7/17 = 197 days.			
	Acquittance Rolls	7	11	6	@ 60 = \$ 118.20	24	5	8
	Hospital Advances				1/1 to 1/1 = days.			
	<u>STOPPAGES:</u>				@ Ration Allow			
	Hospital dys @ =				1/1 to 1/1 = days.			
	Forfeited Pay 12 dys @ 10	2	14	2	8/7/17 to 13/7/17 = 6 "	38	14	10
	Miscellaneous 13 " 10	2	18	8	ok now to 60 3.60			
	Cables				14/7/17 1			
	<u>P. &amp; R.O. PAYMENTS:</u>							
	Cash	16	7	0		39	9	2
	<i>Chq 6316</i>							
	<i>Cash 9/7/17</i>	21	10	0				
	<i>" 13/7/17</i>	2	0	0				
	<i>" 16/7/17</i>	1	0	0				

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

10/7/16

To, The U.C.I.,  
Records, 58 Victoria St

Sm

In accordance with instructions contained in A. C. I. No,  
2062 of 1916, I beg to report that:- *Pte S Fitzgerald*  
No. *1553*

*15th Regt*

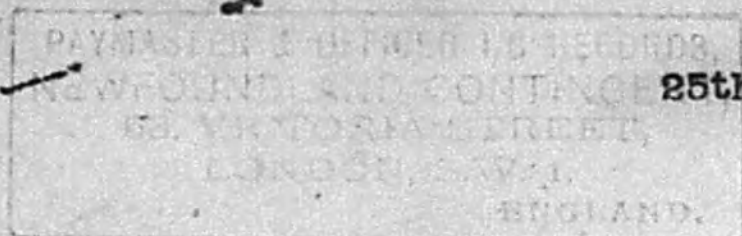
will shortly be brought before a medical board and will probably  
be discharged from the Army or re-classified.

Duplicate documents will not be required, please.

*H. Tagon*  
major

*R. A. D. T.*  
Registrar, R.A.M.  
3rd London General Hospital.  
DSWORTH





25th, August

7

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

1555, PTE. S. FITZGERALD.

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With reference to the following letter from the above named Soldier, 17/8/17,-

"Will you oblige and let me have two pounds in my  
 "credit as I am in Hospital and need some money  
 "for some Cigarettes and Tobacco, I would not send  
 "at all only I need a little money for smokes and  
 "Tobacco while I am in Hospital. I hope you will  
 "do me this favour as it is for a good cause and  
 "oblige".

As it is not customary to remit money to  
 Soldiers with the B. E. F, the above letter is quoted  
 for your kind consideration and attention, please.

Major,  
 Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

FM/WF

On Active Service



**WITH THE BRITISH  
EXPEDITIONARY FORCE**



Aug 17 /17

No 1 Stationary Hospital France

~~Sent Marshall~~ Dear sir will you  
oblige and let me have 2 pounds  
in my credit as i am in Hospital  
and need some money for some  
cigarettes and tobacco. Dear sir  
i would not send at all only i  
need a little money for smokes  
and tobacco while i am in Hospital

Dear sir i hope you will do me this  
favor as it is for a good cause  
and oblige pte. S. Fitzgerald  
No 1555 ist N F L D Regt  
B E F France

*PTO for  
reply*

RECEIVED AND DOCUMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFF.	
File No.	4670
Date	AUG 24 1917
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Ass'd.	
File No.	

Reply

Os. No. 1, Stabing Hospital 8/10/17

1555 M.S. Fitzgerald

With ref to the following letter.  
from the above named society, 17/8/17

"  
" Luck

As it is not customary to remit money  
to Soldiers with M.S.F. the above  
letter is quoted for your kind consideration  
and attention please.

Stationary Shop.  
Rover

15 Drive Road

Govan

Glasgow

1/9/17.

To the Paymaster.

Sir

Could you, at your convenience  
give me any information  
regarding Pte. Sylvester  
Fitzgibbon No. 1556, 1st Newfoundland  
Regiment, A. Coy. It is now almost  
three months since I have had  
any news, & as it is unusual I  
have been fearing something has  
happened. So any information  
will be gratefully received by

Your sincerely

Jean Cassidy



REF. NO.	5093
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ANAL.	V. L. 10/9/17
FILE NO.	

No 1555 Pte Fitzgerald &  
of Royal M<sup>o</sup> L<sup>o</sup> I<sup>o</sup>  
Regt. Please give me  
one pound & 6 pence  
same to my Credit.



KB 9/7/18  
~~W. J. ...~~  
W. J. ...  
R. M. ...

S. Fitzgerald

OK. £1-0-0 p.p.

8/7/18 Recd No 8050

N.B.—This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.



H. CRY AND SONS, Ltd., London.

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TO

*1555 pke 5 Fitzgerald Newfoundland*  
*Regt Peel House Regency N SW*

*226 2077/18 ana Report 58*  
*Victoria St London 3 pm*

*Tomorrow Sunday 21st inst.*

*Not delivered  
Returned to  
P.O.*



*Synopsis*

Sent to the P.M. for discharge Mrs. Cassidy  
on 21/7/18

15 Drive Rd  
S. Govan  
Glasgow

To The Record Officer

Would you be kind  
enough to inform me  
of the whereabouts of  
Pt. Silvester Fitzgerald  
No 1555. of the R. I. T. I. regt  
as I got word a month  
ago he was coming to  
Glasgow, but he has not

turned up yet and  
I would like to know  
if there is anything  
wrong with him

And Oblige

Mrs. Cassidy

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.		
Ref. Nos.	10	1414
Rec'd	17	AUG 1918
Ack'd		Am'd JH
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ACTED UPON		
BRANCH	DATE	BY
Comd		
P & A.		
R & C	19/8/18	JH
B & F		
P.S.		



CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE  
 NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT  
 58, VICTORIA STREET,  
 LONDON, S.W. 1.  
 ENGLAND.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,  
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Ref. Nos. IN ✓ 6096  
4 AUG 1918  
 Ans'd  
 Ref. Nos. OUT

AC	
BRANCH	
Comd	<i>[Signature]</i>
P & A	
R & C	
B & E	
P.S.	

Herewith *✓* Bob of the

1555 Pte. J. Fitzgerald  
 Invalid to Eng. 30.6.18.

13590 Pte M. Mansfield  
 Rep. W. & M. 12.4.18.

*OK [Signature]*

21-7-18

*V. G. Mathews* Major  
 COMMANDING 1st Bn. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Fitzgerald, S.

1555

Sept

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

DUPLICATE  
MAIL COPY

Regtl No. 1855 Rank Pte Name S. Fitzgerald Posted..... Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 21/7/18 Authority A.F.B.179 Cause Class A

DR.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

OR.

PARTICULARS						£	¢	£	s	d	PARTICULARS						£	¢	£	s	d	
FROM 22/12/17 TO 21/7/18	Balance Dr. from											Balance Cr. from 21/12/17								7	18	1
	Allotment 212 days @ 50						106	00	21	15	8	Pay 212 days @ \$ 1.00						212	00			
	Cash Payments: P. & R. O.								16	10	0	Field Allow 212 days @ \$ .10						21	20			
	Acquittance Rolls, B. E. F.								17	1	0							253	20	47	18	4
	Hospital Advances								1	0	0	Other Allowances days @ \$										
	Other Debits:											Other Credits:										
	Forfeited Pay 7 days @ 1.10						7	70	1	11	7	Ration Allowance. 18/7/18-21/7/18, 4 days @ 2/1										8
Total Debits								57	18	3	Total Credits								56	4	9	
Balance due by Paymaster											Balance due to Paymaster								1	15	6	
						57	18	3											57	18	3	

CHECKED.  
*[Signature]*  
18/7/18

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Pay & Record Office, London,

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*[Signature]*  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

# ORIGINAL

No. 18622/

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./54

No. 540

To: The Hon. the Minister of Militia,  
St. John's, Newfoundland.

" " Company.

MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/~~CREDITS~~ on Account of  
Paymasters Advances.NOTE:- Charge under Column  
Credit Pay & Record Office, London, S.W.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars and Authority	AMOUNT					
			£	s	d			
1555.	Pte S. Fitzgerald	Casual Payment, France, 50 Francs, as per Acquittance Rolls, 3/2/18, Vr. 3423,		1	2	0		
		<i>AB64 note the office at date of preparation</i>						
							1	2 0

CHECKED  
*[Signature]*  
1918*OK, avx.*Pay & Record Office,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1,  
19th November 1918*A. A. Munnell Maj.*  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made  
in the Pay Book " " Company for period / / to / /

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_

191

O.C. " " Company,  
Battalion.

ORIGINAL of this FORM to be COMPLETED and RETURNED INTACT to Chief Paymaster &amp; Officer i/c Records, Newfoundland Contingent, 58 Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1. DUPLICATE to accompany PAY BOOK as VOUCHER.

DUPLICATE ORIGINAL

No. 10622/

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./54

No. 540

To:

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

" " Company.

MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of

Paymasters Advances.

NOTE: - Charge under

Column

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 Newfoundland Contingent, 58 Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.  
 DUPLICATE to accompany PAY BOOK as VOUCHER.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars and Authority	AMOUNT						
			£	s	d				
1555	Pte S. FitzGerald	Casual Payment, France, 50 Francs, as per Acquittance Rolls, 3/2/18, Vr. 3425,		1	2	0			
							1	2	0

CHIEF,  
*[Signature]*

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

19th November 1918

*[Signature]*  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made  
in the Pay Book " " Company for period / / to / /

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_

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O.C. " " Company,  
Battalion.

No. 18622/

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./54

DUPLICATE MAIL COPY

No. 540

" Company.

Posted 29 NOV 1918



To: The Hon. the Minister of Militia,  
LONDON, S. St. John's, Newfoundland.

MEMORANDUM OF STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of  
Paymasters Advances.

NOTE:- Charge under Column  
Credit Pay & Record Office, London, S.W.

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars and Authority	AMOUNT						
			£	s	d				
1555	Pte S. Fitzgerald	Casual Payment, France, 80 Francs, as per Acquittance No. 18, 3/2/18, Vr. 5423,			1	2	0		
					1	2	0		

*Handwritten initials*

CHECKED

Pay & Record Office,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1,  
19th November 1918

*Handwritten signature*  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

CERTIFIED that the above Stoppages/Credits have been made  
in the Pay Book " " Company for period / / to / /

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ 191

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O.C. " " Company,  
\_\_\_\_\_ Battalion.

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## LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regtl No. 1555 Rank Pte Name S. FitzGerald Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 21/7/18 Authority A.F.B.179 Cause Class A

DR.		STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT										CR.	
		PARTICULARS					PARTICULARS						
		£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
From 22/12/17 To 21/7/18	Balance Dr. from							Balance Cr. from 21/12/17			7	18	
	Allotment 212 days @ 50	106	00		21	15	8	Pay 212 days @ £ 1.00	212	00			
	Cash Payments: P. & R. O.				16	10	0	Field Allce 212 days @ £ .10	21	20			
	Acquittance Rolls, B. E. F.				17	1	0	Other Allces days @ £	233	20	47	18	4
	Hospital Advances				1	0	0	Other Credits:					
	Other Debits:							Ration Allowance.					
	Forfeited Pay 7 days @ 1.10	7	70		1	11	7	18/7/18-21/7/18, 4 days @ 2/1				8	4
	Total Debits				57	18	3	Total Credits			56	4	9
	Balance due by Paymaster							Balance due to Paymaster			1	13	6
					57	18	3				57	18	3

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Pay & Record Office, London,

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OK  
WR

O.C. " " Company.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

**COPY.**

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

No. 1555 Rank Plt.

Name (surname first) Fitzgerald Sylvester

Regiment R. Newfoundland

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

Sailor

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

Black Diamond Steam Ship Co.

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

Sailor

4. What is the name of your Approved Society?

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

No

Date 17.7.18

Signature S. Fitzgerald <sup>his</sup> <sub>work</sub>

NOTE.—This Army Form will be given to all patients in Hospital to complete who are suffering from a disability sufficiently serious to make discharge probable. In the event of the man being brought before a Medical Board for discharge, this Army Form will be produced to the Board, together with other documents laid down in para. 4 (ii), item 3, of Army Council Instruction No. .... of 1916.

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



**COPY**

**Descriptive Return of a Soldier discharged on account of Disability.**

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

Statement A should be completed in the Hospital at which the man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, and the soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent 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, to be completed by the Officer i/c Records when received by him, and will be forwarded by him, together with the remainder of the man's documents, to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, London, S.W.1.

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

**A Name in full** Fitzgerald Sylvester  
**Regiment from which discharged** ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.  
**Regimental Number** 15-5-5-  
**Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when** Stephus Nfld, Sept 25/1892  
**Intended address** Mundy Pond Rd Stephus Nfld.

**Height on discharge** 5 Feet 7 Inches  
**Colour of Hair on discharge** dk. Brown **Colour of Eyes** Brown  
**Descriptive marks** Minus 18 fruit 3rd finger **Complexion** Fresh  
**Figure on discharge** Medium Rt Hand  
**Christian name of Father** Thomas  
**Christian name of Mother** Elizabeth  
**Wife's Maiden name in full** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date and Place of Marriage** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Christian names of Children** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Nature and locality of civil employment desired** Sailor

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) Fitzgerald Sylvester  
3rd London Gen Hosp. (Rank) Pte.  
**Station** Wandsworth Gen. **Date** 12.7.18

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.

Edw. C. Atkinson **Medical Officer i/c**  
Capt. R. G. ... **Hospital.**  
**Station** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** 12.7.18

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

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

**Other distinguishing marks**

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

**Station** \_\_\_\_\_ **Officer in Charge**  
**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Records.**

**Casualty Form - Active Service.**

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Regiment or Corps .....

Rank *1555* Surname *Fitzgerald* Christian Name *S.*

Religion..... Age on Enlistment ..... years..... months

Enlisted (a) *May 13<sup>th</sup> 15* Terms of Service (a) *war* 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.....

Occupation..... Signature of Officer.....

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 ...	<i>Marsville</i>	<i>3.4.16</i>	
		Disembarked ...			
	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Joined Unit</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>8.4.16</i>	<i>B213</i>
	<i>Unit</i>	<i>At. Bridge. M. Gun. Co.</i>		<i>18.6.16</i>	<i>B213 24.6.16</i>
	<i>-do-</i>	<i>with Batt</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>4.7.16</i>	<i>B213</i>
	<i>-do-</i>	<i>Recd. 28. days Pay</i>	<i>-do-</i>	<i>27.7.16</i>	<i>01810 29 B 19.8.16</i>
		<i>with</i>	<i>BATT</i>	<i>23.1.17</i>	
	<i>A.C. Unit</i>	<i>Awarded 7 days F.P.I</i>	<i>in field</i>	<i>1.4.17</i>	<i>01810, 16c 14.4.17</i>
	<i>-do-</i>	<i>forfeits 3 days pay + awarded</i>			<i>01810, 24 30.6.17</i>
		<i>10 days F.P.I abs. 19.6.17 to 24.6.17</i>		<i>26.7.17</i>	<del><i>B213 28.7.17</i></del>
	<i>-do-</i>	<i>Admitted Hosp.</i>		<i>26.7.17</i>	<i>B213. 28.7.17</i>
	<i>87. F.A.</i>	<i>Ad. + trans Londonsea</i>	<i>10 c. c. s</i>	<i>26.7.17</i>	<i>3.10 8261</i>
	<i>1 Staff Hosp.</i>	<i>Ad. V.D.S.E + V.D.G.</i>	<i>Rouen</i>	<i>31.7.17</i>	<i>H.A. 12364</i>

(4) 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, Shoeing-Smith, &c. W. 8635 - M2733 2000m 9/17 (35611. C. P. & S., Ltd., Form B.103 E/1807. P.T.O.

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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				
8	51 C.C.S.	Ad. Gonorrhoea		20.9.17	Sd. 835
	- do -	Dis to Duty		20.9.17	No. 1425-8
	29. L.R. 10	formed Base Dep.	R men	26.10.17	Roll. 27.10.17
3. 11. 17	OC unit	Rejoined Batt.		1. 11. 17	Pg 213
21. 11. 17	37. 7a.	ad. Sprained Ankle trans	III C.R.S.	21. 11. 17	8.10.8827
1. 12. 17	62 7a. Cks	Lo duty	unit	22. 11. 17	<del>8.10.4039</del> 8.10.4039
1. 12. 17	37. 7a.	ad. Sprained Ankle trans	III C.R.S.	15. 12. 17	8.10.4369
8. 12. 17	- do -	To Duty	unit	6. 12. 17	8.10.4786
29. 12. 17	ackn	from Hospital		10. 12. 17	Pg 213
		with Batt		30. 12. 17	
21 D.R. 86		ad. (Trench Feet)		19. 4. 18	8.10.531
5. 6. 18	apc unit	Awarded 7 days F.P. no I	Field	5. 6. 18	01810 287
	1 <sup>st</sup> Schw. 1000	Adm. P.U. 6 trans	59 C.C.S.	25. 6. 18	8.10.3038
	7 Cks Gen			27. 6. 18	8.10.3208
W/S	"ville de Liege"	Lo England	<del>30. 6. 18</del>	30. 6. 18	W. 3083
		(29d)	W.P. Torroval		of Lt.
			for 6 ye		Inf. Section
					G.H. 20. 3 Echelon.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

(For information of Separation Allowance Department.)

1. Name and regimental number of soldier in respect of whom Separation Allowance is claimed. } Thomas Fitzgerald D. 1645  
Sylvester Fitzgerald A 1555
2. Name and age of father of said Soldier. } Arthur Hicks 79 years  
Aubrey
3. Is said father a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated? } Yes
4. Of what nature is disability? } Dementia
5. From what date has this total incapacity been existent? } Admitted to Asylum for the Insane  
August 27, 1916.
6. How long is total incapacity likely to continue and what will be effect of his earning power? } Probably permanent  
Nil.
7. If not totally incapacitated by what percent in your opinion is capacity for work reduced, and from what date? }
8. Are you the regular attending physician? } Yes
9. Relationship to soldier of applicant? } Step father

I certify that the above statements are correct.

*J. M. & Duncan.*  
.....  
Physician

*Asylum for the Insane*  
..... Place  
*November 15 - 1917*  
..... Date.

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Call up Papers etc  
*RJ*

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

### Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. <u>15-5-5-</u>	Army Rank <u>Private</u>
Name <u>Fitzgerald Sylvester</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
Corps <u>ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.</u>	
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &amp;c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>	
Date of discharge <u>September 7<sup>th</sup> 1918</u>	
Place of discharge <u>St. John's. Nfld.</u>	
1. Description at the time of discharge.	
Age <u>25</u> years <u>11</u> months Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins. Complexion <u>Fresh</u> Eyes <u>Brown</u> Hair <u>dk. Brown</u> Trade <u>Sailor</u> Intended place of residence { <u>Mundy Pond Rd</u> <u>St John's.</u> <u>Newfoundland</u> <small>(To be given as fully as practicable)</small>	Descriptive marks. <u>Minus 1st joint, 3rd finger</u> <u>Right Hand.</u>
<small>(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)</small>	
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>being no longer physically fit for war service</u>	
<small>(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)</small>	
3. Military character :—	
4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations :—	
<div style="border-left: 1px solid black; padding-left: 5px; margin-left: 10px;">           To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.         </div>	
Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.	
Initials of Commanding Officer.	
Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*	

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.

Christian name *Sylvester* 2. Surname *Fitzgerald*

3. Rank *Private* 4. Regtl. No. *1555*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded *Rosebank Camp, St. John's, Newfoundland*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment *May 13<sup>th</sup> 1915*

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

8. Relationship of such dependents *Mother*

9. Address in full of such dependent *Rosebank Camp, St. John's, Newfoundland*

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 *Three years, 126 days*

*Sylvester Fitzgerald*

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

*Not Applicable*

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.....

*Received P.D. pay to the amount of \$100.10. Paid by Payments Royal Wm's Regt.*

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

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.....

*Not Applicable*

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England?..... *Not Applicable*

(b). If so, was such reversion in consequence of misconduct or inefficiency?..... *Not Applicable*

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? *No* If not give:- (a) Date of discharge.....

*Sept 7<sup>th</sup> 1918. (b) Reason for discharge..... Permanently unfit, on account of wounds received in action*

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 from March 15/16 to June 21/18*

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

*Not Applicable*

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.

*S. J. G.*

Signature of Applicant: *Sylvester Fitzgerald*

Place of Residence: *New York City*

Declared before me at:

This *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *July* 19*17*

*[Signature]*

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
14: 12: 18	100: 10		6 mos	600: 00
31: 1: 19		60: 00	Less P.D.P.	160: 10
	160: 10			439: 90
	Certified Correct.			Paymaster.





# 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, Sylvester Fitzgerald, Regl. No. 1555  
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of  
50 Dollars and 50 Cents, per diem, from my Pay,  
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup> or Persons, such payment to be made on proof  
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup> or Persons  
 concerned, viz.:

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
9	Mother	Mrs <del>Beck</del>	Mundy	50
6		Aurby Hicks	Pond Road	
0		Aurby		
<p><i>Commencing June 12</i></p>				
Total Allotment, \$				<u>50</u>

NOTE.—This form must be completed by the Officer Commanding Company, signed by the Volunteer, countersigned by the Officer Commanding Company and handed to the Paymaster as authority to make the required payments on application.

(Sig.) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer Commanding  
 Company  
St Johns  
June 9 1915

(Sig.) Sylvester Fitzgerald  
 (Rank) Pvt.

Dep't of Militia  
St. John's

Please pay to James W.  
Goath on May 1<sup>st</sup> One hundred  
dollars (\$100.) due me for war  
service gratuity

St. John's Nfld

22<sup>nd</sup> March 1919

Sylvester Fitzgerald

Dep<sup>t</sup> of Militia  
St. John's

Please pay my fifty two dollar  
Gratuity of \$72 and 1/2 account

Jas M. Grath Service  
April to

April 1919  
Received \$25000  
and out of the fund  
think is about \$550.

St. John's Nfld

18<sup>th</sup> March 1919.

Sylvester Fitzgerald

Dep<sup>t</sup> of Militia

St. John's

April 4

Please pay to Jas. M. Grath  
the \$30. due me on 1<sup>st</sup> April on account  
of War Service Gratuity.

St. John's Nfld

18<sup>th</sup> March 1919

Chas. W. Hicks

Sylvester Fitzgerald

Covers period from enlistment to 1 Sept. 17

NOTICE.

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

MOTHER.

(Separation Allowance Branch )

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

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

1. Name in full of soldier. Rank. Reg't. or Unit. Regt. No.  
*Sylvester Fitzgerald Private Regt 24th Regt 1855*

2. Age of soldier. *28* Married or Single.

3. Name in full of mother. Age. Occupation. Permanent Address.  
*Elizabeth Hicks 53 Widow, Popewalk Range*  
*Mrs E Hicks 53*

4. Give name of your husband. Age. Occupation Where Employed.  
*Antony Hicks*  
*Dead*

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. ( A Medical Certificate must be enclosed with this document stating from what date husband has been totally incapacitated, and for how long incapacity is likely to continue.)

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

*August 3<sup>rd</sup> 1881 St John's Nfld*

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.

*Coram Hicks Popewalk 12 2nd single*  
*Hicks Range 14 14 2nd do.*  
*Mrs E Hicks*

10. State amount earned by (a) Yourself *Practically nil*<sup>2/-</sup>  
 (b) Your husband. \_\_\_\_\_
- 
11. State amount and source of any other income. *None*
- 
12. State value of real property belonging to you and your husband. *None*
- 
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. *None*
- 
15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to enlistment. *\$250<sup>00</sup> a year.*
- 
16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly. *Sometimes weekly & sometimes whenever paid (my son being a seaman)*
- 
17. Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc. *Yes when home*
- 
18. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. *Mariner*
- 
19. State amount of his wages per week. *\$6<sup>00</sup> per week*  
*25 a month abt including board*
- 
20. State name and address of his last employer. *Black Diamond Mine (Barvey & Co., Agents)*
- 
21. State amount of monthly support from son since enlistment. *\$15<sup>00</sup> per month*
- 
22. State amount of allotment received by you from son since enlistment. *About \$600<sup>00</sup>*
- 
23. State from what date did you receive allotment? *June 30<sup>th</sup> 1915*
- 
24. Actual amount contributed by other children. 

	Weekly	Monthly.
<i>Allotment 9c other son (killed)</i>	<i>None</i>	<i>\$18<sup>60</sup></i>
- 
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. *Unable to work through ill health.*
- 
27. With whom are you residing at present? *With my sons.*
- 
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 source? If so, how much? *Yes. Since Sept 1907 from my son Private [unclear]*
- 
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..... *Elizabeth Heikes*  
 Place of Residence..... *Ropewalk, St. John's*

Declared and subscribed before me at..... *St. John's Nfld., Leving*  
*been first read over & explained*  
 this..... *2/13*..... day of..... *March*..... 191*9*

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

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

Signature of Clergyman..... *J.P. Sheehan*  
 Signature of member of the Patriotic Fund Committee..... \_\_\_\_\_

*W.F.R.*

(Separation Allowance Branch.)

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

No.	Name in full of Soldier	Rank	Reg't. or Unit	Reg't. No. & Coy.
1.	Pt. Laurista Kelsford	Pt	77 N.Ld.	1655 C Coy.
2.	Pt. Thomas L. Hedges	Pt	77 N.Ld.	1645 D Coy.

3. Age of Soldier

28 years

Married or Single.

NO - yes

4. Name in full of Mother

Elizabeth Hicks

Age

58

Occupation

—

Permanent Address.

Popple Range

5. Give name of your husband.

Aubrey Hicks

Age

49

Occupation

—

Where employed.

—

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

Confined to the Asylum for Insane

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

Dementia

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

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

10. Names of your other Children

Address in Full.

Age.

Occupation

Married or Single.

Hector Hicks

Popple Range 14

Gordon ill of Paralysis Stroke of Brain

Thomas 60¢ from Oct 29/1916  
by contract. 50¢ from June 12/1915

SPS

10. State amount earned by <sup>(a)</sup> yourself <sup>(b)</sup> Your husband <sup>(a)</sup> <sup>(b)</sup> \_\_\_\_\_
11. State amount and source of any other income. \_\_\_\_\_
12. State value of Real Property belonging to you and your husband. \_\_\_\_\_
13. State value of personal property belonging to you and your husband. \_\_\_\_\_
14. If husband is dead state value of Real and personal Property left by him. \_\_\_\_\_
15. Actual amount contributed by soldier during the year prior to enlistment. *Sylvester 30 dollars a month  
Thomas 8/40 a week*
16. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly? *Sylvester Monthly Thomas Weekly*
17. Did this amount include payment of son's Board etc. *included this one Thomas*
18. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment. *Sylvester Sailor Thomas Worker for City Council*
19. State amount of his wages per week. *8/40*
20. State name and address of his last employer. *Sailor for Harvey J. Donnelly, 92 Farrell Power St*
21. State amount of support monthly from son since enlistment. *Sylvester 80¢ a day Thomas 60¢ a day*
22. State amount of Allotment received by you from son monthly. *Sylvester 25/- dollars Thomas 18/ dollars*
23. From what date did you receive Allotment? *Sylvester 4th July 1915 Thomas 7th November 1915*
24. Actual amount contributed by other children } *Weekly Monthly*
25. Are any of these children in the employ of you or husband? \_\_\_\_\_
26. If not receiving support from other children state cause. Explain fully. *got none able to work*
27. With whom are you residing at present. *Paying Rent*
28. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance? If not, Why? Give particulars. *No*
29. Are you already in receipt of Separation Allowance from any source? If so, how much? *none*



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

*No*

31. Was the Soldier at time of his enlistment an employee of the Newfoundland Government.

*Yes one son*

32. In what capacity and in what place.

*City Council St Johns*

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

*None*

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..... *Elizabeth Heaps* .....

Place of Residence ..... *Rope Walks Ramee* .....

Declared and subscribed before me at..... *St Johns Newfoundland* .....

this *29<sup>th</sup>* day of..... *November* ..... 1917

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

*W. C. [Signature]*  
*Barrister at Law*

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 above Soldier, first mentioned, is the sole support of the applicant.

Signature of Clergyman ..... *Jos. F. Pippy C.C.* .....

Signature of Member of Patriotic Fund Committee. ....

*Approved, 15/1/18*  
*J.F.P.*  
*W.F.R.*  
*[Signature]*

1918 1919

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 44 <sup>90</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Sept 17<sup>th</sup> 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of forty four <sup>90</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars.  
~~an account~~  
balance of Pay.

Ch. No. 2801	Initials EW
Pay Ledger 190	Initials WJ
Gen. Ledger	Initials

Regtl. No. Rank

No. 15637

Rank PL

Name Fitzgerald S.

Sept. 25th, 1918.

Pte. S. Fitzgerald,  
Mundy Pond Road.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose cheque for \$44.90, being balance of pay due you at date of Discharge, also certificate of pay.

I also enclose Certificate of Discharge dated Sept. 7th, 1918, together with special form which kindly sign and return to this office.

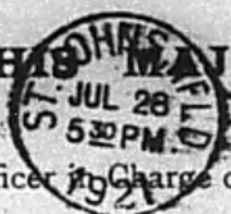
Yours faithfully,

Capt.  
Paymaster & O. I/c Records.

Enclosures 4.

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE



To the Officer in Charge of Records

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment,

Department of Militia,

St. John's Newfoundland.

Fold Here



June 24th. 1921 4917.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 577), is forwarded herewith to

Private Sylvester Fitzgerald

in respect of his service as No. 1555 Rank Pvte

Name S. Fitzgerald Corps Royal Nfld Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

July 25<sup>th</sup> Honour Roll

Signature

Sylvester Fitzgerald


Date

July 25<sup>th</sup> 6.11.21

Address

Mundy Pond Road

No. of Paper 1425**PERSONAL EFFECTS.**Name Fitzgerald A.C.R. 1555Rank PrivateRegiment ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Article	Where stored	Notified by
<p>1 cotton bag, containing:— Personal effects extracted from Kit Bag.</p>		<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Shipped to Newfoundland.</p>
	Final disposal	

Remarks:— Sent to Newfoundland for discharge 21/7/18

Next of Kin:— Mother:— Elizabeth Fitzgerald  
Mundy Pond Road  
St. Johns.



Casualty Form—Active Service.

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Regiment or Corps Newfoundland  
 Regimental No. 1555 Rank Pte Name S Fitzgerald  
 Enlisted May 13/15 Terms of Service (a) war Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of promotion to present rank \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank \_\_\_\_\_ Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

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	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Dep. embarked Newcastle	3/4/16		
		Unit joined Battalion	France	2/4/16	B 213
		Attached Brig. Mach. Gun Coy	France	18.6.16	B 213, 24.6.16
		With Battalion	France	11/7.16	B 213
		Dep 28 days pay	DE	27/7.16	Q 1810 29 B 19.8.16
		Awarded 7 days F.P.I.	WITH BATT.	28.1.17	
		Forfeits 3 days pay awarded 10 days F.P.I.	In the Field	1.4.17	Q 1810, 16 c, 14.4.17
		absent 19/6/17 to 21/6/17			Q 1810, 29 c, 30.6.17
		Admitted Hospital		26.7.17	B 213 787.17
		Ad. Trans. Gonorrhoea	10.6.6.17	26.7.17	E.D. 8261.
		Ad. VD & L. & I.D.S.	Rouen	31.7.17	H.A. 12364.
		Ad. Gonorrhoea		20.9.17	E.A. 835.
		Dis to duty		20.9.17	Spec 14258.
		Spec. Res. Report	Rouen	26/10/17	Spec 27/10/17

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.  
 (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.



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Date	From whom received				
3/2/17	C. M. M. S.	Rejoined Battalion		1/1/17	B 213.
2/1/17	3770	ad. Appointed to duty	III CCL	2/1/17	EO 3017
1/1/17	6270	To duty	unit	2/1/17	EO 1039
1/1/17	3770	ad. Appointed to duty	III CCL	1/1/17	EO 4369
1/1/17	3770	To duty	unit	1/1/17	EO 4786
29.12.17	Oct 17	From home		10-12-17	B 213.
		WITH . Bn. 30-13-17.			
21. D.R. Sec		Adm (Grand Rev)		19-4-18	EO 531
5-6-18	1st Lt	Awarded 7 days P. P. No.	Field	5-6-18	EO 1010 289
	1st Lt	Adm. App. Trans	59 CCL	25-6-18	EO 3038
	1st Lt			27-6-18	EO 3208
	1st Lt	To England		30-6-18	W 2003
	1st Lt	To France			

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Signature of O. C. Company *J. G. Bernier*  
*2 Lines*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<i>1555</i>	Age on	<i>21</i> years <i>12</i> months	<i>Seaman</i>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St. John's May 13/16</i>	Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours years.	Roman Catholic	
Joined	Date				
Joined	Date				

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>Newton Ridge</i>	<i>15/1/16</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>Absent from Tattoo 15/1/16 until 7.45 p.m. 17/1/16</i>	<i>Corp. Flynn</i>	<i>Deprived 3 days pay for absence</i>		<i>Major Whitaker</i>	<i>Forfeit 3 days pay</i>
<i>Gates</i>	<i>25/1/16</i>			<i>Absent from tattoo until 8.30 a.m. 26/1/16</i>	<i>Corp. Flynn</i>			<i>26/1/16 Capt. Chedington</i>	<i>Forfeit 1 day pay by rule</i>

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Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No. <u>1555</u>	<u>Fitzgerald S</u>	Age on <u>24</u> years <u>0</u> months		<u>Seaman</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____	Place and Date of Enlistment) <u>St John's May 13-1915</u>			Religion <u>Roman Catholic</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____	Period of { with Colours _____ years.			Place of Birth _____	
Joined _____ Date _____	Period of { 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
<u>Stobs</u>	<u>16/7/15</u>	<u>Pte</u>		<u>Absent from quarters from 9.30pm July 16th to 7am &amp; Hann July 19th.</u>	<u>Cpls. Bernicki &amp; Hann</u>	<u>3 days C.E.</u>	<u>20/7/15</u>	<u>Capt E S Ayre</u>	<u>Forfeit 4 days pay R.W.</u>
<u>Stobs</u>	<u>19/7/15</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Absent from 7am parade</u>		<u>1 days C.E.</u>	<u>20/7/15</u>	<u>Capt E S Ayre</u>	
<u>Stobs</u>	<u>25.7.15</u>	<u>"</u>		<u>Absent from Tattoo until 7am 29.7.15</u>	<u>Cpl. Bernicki</u>	<u>5 Days CC</u>	<u>29.7.15</u>	<u>Lt. Col. Burton</u>	<u>Forfeit 5 Days Pay</u>
<u>do</u>	<u>4/8/15</u>			<u>Absent from Tattoo Aug 1 to 6 am Aug 4th</u>	<u>Cpl Power</u>	<u>7 days C.E.</u>		<u>Major Whitaker</u>	<u>Forfeit 4 days pay</u>
<u>Stobs</u>				<u>Absent while a defaulter from 9.15 AM parade till arrested in Hawick and brought to camp 7pm 9/8/15</u>	<u>Cpl Ross</u>	<u>24 hrs 7 P. 2 1 days pay</u>	<u>10/8/15</u>	<u>Capt O'Brien</u>	

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Apr	27/5/15	Pte	Absent from tattoo till 6 am Aug 25.	Corp Power	forfeits 1 days pay 3 days C.B.	28/7/15	Lieut Pippy	
Apr	20/5/15	"	absent from 7 AM parade	Corp Ross	forfeits 1 days pay 4 days C.B.	31/7/15	Lieut Pippy	
Newton	10.9.15	"	absent from tattoo till 11 am Sept 19.	Cpl Bartlett.	forfeits 2 days pay	19.9.15	Lt. Pippy	
Newton.	3.10.15	"	absent from tattoo till arrested in Barracks 7.45 am Oct 6. While under arrest	Cpl Ross. Pte Curley	7 days C.B.	6.10.15	Capt Ayre	forfeits 3 days pay.
Newton.	10.10.15	"	absent from defaulters parade Oct. 9 and 10.	Cpl Mahoney	96 hrs F.P. 2.	11.10.15	Major Whitaker	forfeits 2 days pay.
"	25.10.15		absent without leave from base 2 1/2 hrs till 7 P.M. 25/10 at 4.55 PM Disrupt + retraining orders	Supt. Lamb Jat.				
Newton	24/11/15	Pte	insolence to Warrant officer at 10.20 AM Nov 23/15. absent from 9.15 AM parade	Cpl Hepperson. N. MacKay	96 hours P.P. No 2.	24/11/15	Major Whitaker	forfeits 1 day pay R.W.
Newton	6.12.15	"	Drunk when parading for guard duty 4.12.15	Ser. McKay Cpl Scales	7 days C.B.	6.12.15	Major Whitaker	
Newton	12.12.15	"	absent from parade 5 pm.	Cpl Corrado	96 hrs 7 P. No 2.	12.12.15	Major Whitaker	forfeits 1 day pay by R.W.
Newton	2.1.16	"	absent from tattoo until 9 pm 5.1.16	Cpl White	deprived 4 days pay	3.1.16	Major Whitaker	forfeits 4 days pay by R.W.
Galles	Feb 18		Insolence to A.C.O. absent from tattoo until 12.30 PM Feb 21	Cpl Johnson Cpl Collins Flynn	48 hrs 2 P. No 2	21/1/16	Capt J. D. Dingham	forfeits 1 day pay by R.W. L.S.