



# THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

No. 5810 Name John Howlett Corps R.R.

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

1. What is your name? ..... 1. John Howlett
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. St. Louis Cove
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 25 Years ..... Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Fisherman
6. Are you Married? ..... 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,\* which? ..... 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ..... 9. Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? ..... 10. Name ..... Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? ..... 11. Yes

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

John Howlett SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Corp Raymond Signature of Witness.

18-7-18

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

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

### CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.  
The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.  
I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly given as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at ..... on this 18 day of July 1915  
Signature of Attesting Officer Edwards Lieut.

### CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the .....  
If enlisted by special authority such will be attached to the original attestation.  
Date July 18 1915 .....  
Place St. John's ..... } Approving Officer.

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

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name John Howlett  
 Apparent age 25 years      months. Height 5 feet 2 1/2 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 inches  
 Range of expansion 3 inches  
 Distinctive marks     

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Patrick Howlett, Ips. Cove  
 | Relationship Father

### Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

### Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

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

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

# THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 5810 Name John Howlett Corps RD

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

1. What is your name? John Howlett
2. What is your full Address? Low Cove
3. Are you a British Subject? Yes
4. What is your age? 25 Years 0 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? Masterman
6. Are you Married? no
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,\* which? no
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? Yes Name          Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? Yes

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

John Howlett SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

18-7-18 Corp Raymond Signature of Witness.

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

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

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly explained as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at Low Cove on this 18 day of July 1918.

Asst Dickson Signature of Attesting Officer

### †CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

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

Date July 18 1918 } Approving Officer.  
Place St. John's } Worley

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

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					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>18-7-1918</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>July 18-1918</u>									
<u>Discharged St John's Dec 12/1917</u>									
<u>Granted leave without pay from 18-7-18</u>									
<u>Demobilization St John's 17-12-1918</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>17-12-1918</u> [date of discharge] <u>  </u> years <u>  </u> days									
Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "									

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Nfl Regt. St. John's, dated July 19, 1918.

#5810 Pte. John Howlett.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Nfld. Regt.  
July 18, 1918.

5'810

C.R.

Extract of Daily Orders Part II, Deopt, St. John's dated Jan.  
2nd 1919.

DEMOBILIZATION.

The undernoted man has been discharged, confirmed by Officer  
i/c records on noted dates.

5810 Pte. John Howlett

Discharged 17-12-18



C.R. 5810

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, Depot St. John's  
dated December 20th., 1918.

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6028 Pte. John Howlett

The a/m discharge on demobilisation have been approved  
by O. C. Discharge Depot from noted date. He is removed  
from Depot strength and transferred to discharge depot  
pending confirmation by Officer i/c Records

17-12-18.

Howlett, John

5810

Ray sept.



December 30th., 1918.

#5810 Pte. Hohn Howlett,

Tors Cove.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge  
Certificate No. 190."

Yours faithfully,

Captain.  
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

Enc' 1 1.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 5810 Rank Plt Name Bowlett - John  
 Intended place of residence Toronto

2. Occupation Fisherman  
 Classification of soldier D Medical Category A2

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

### DEMobilIZATION.

4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance ~~ENLISTED~~ under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT

Place 17-12-18 and granted leave without pay.  
 Date 17-12-18 ~~NOT ELIGIBLE~~ for PAY and ALLOWANCES W. H. Capt  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

### CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

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

Place and date ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT.....  
 and granted leave without pay. Signature of soldier  
~~NOT ELIGIBLE~~ for PAY and ALLOWANCES..... Signature of witness

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

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

Place and Date ..... NOT APPLICABLE.....  
 Granted Leave without pay at his own request after Signature of soldier  
 attestation to continue in civilian occupation  
 Signature of witness

### STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 18-7-18..... No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 17-12-18..... Service None

### APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place ST. JOHN'S..... R. H. Capt  
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
 Date DEC 17 1918

### CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed W. H. Bowley Capt  
 Place St. John's Nfld.....  
 Date December 17th 1918  
and 20th 1919  
 Officer in Charge Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 5810 Rank Pte Name Hawdeth John  
 Date of Enlistment 18-7-18 Address Town Cove District St. John's  
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge A Medical Category A2  
 Recommendation S.M.B. 330 Disability Rating Date for no pay granted  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 17-12-18 O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

NOT APPLICABLE.

Granted Leave without pay at his own request after attestation to continue in civilian occupation.

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with ~~MILITARY SERVICE ACT~~.

(a) Clothing Allowance payable ~~under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT~~

(b) Clothing Supplied ~~and granted leave without pay~~

Date..... NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES:

O i/c. Re-clothing.



3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 461 <sup>mailed</sup> to his home at Don's Cove and Release Certificate No. 461 issued.

Date 18-12-18

C. B. Dick's Capt.  
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances without pay, and granted **ENLISTED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT**

Date 17-12-18

**NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES.**

W. H. W. Capt.  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 17 12 18

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

Date 17-12-18

C. B. Dick's Capt.  
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-

- Officer i/c Records.
- Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

DEC 17 1918

Date .....

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

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

Dec 21/1918

Date .....

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname

*Hawlett*

Christian Name

*John*

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE

Birthplace:—Parish

*Tono Cove*

County

*Devonshire*

**SPECIAL RESERVE**

**REGULAR ARMY**

Examined	on <i>15</i> day of <i>July</i> 191 <i>8</i>	on	day of	191
	at <i>St John</i>	at		
Declared Age	<i>25</i> years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	<i>Yeoman</i>			
Height	<i>5</i> feet	<i>2 1/2</i> inches	feet	inches
Weight	<i>139</i> lbs.			lls.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	<i>38</i> inches		inches
	Range of Expansion	<i>3</i> inches		inches

Vaccination Marks	Arm	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Number				

When Vaccinated	R. E.—V=	<i>6/9</i>	R. E.—V=	
Vision	L. E.—V=	<i>6/9</i>	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) \_\_\_\_\_ (Rank) \_\_\_\_\_ Medical Officer \_\_\_\_\_ Medical Officer \_\_\_\_\_

Enlisted	at <i>St John</i>	at	
	on <i>15</i> day of <i>July</i> 191 <i>8</i>	on	day of 191
	Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps Regtl. No.

Joined on Enlistment..... *Royal N.S.D 5810*

Transferred to ..... *Regiment*

Became non-effective by.....

on day of 191 on day of 191

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_ (Rank) \_\_\_\_\_





# ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at St. John's on July 15 1918

1. Name John Lawlett Age (a) Declared 25  
(b) Apparent

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? Bad eyes + back

What severe illnesses have you had? none

eyes blue  
hair fair  
marked

3. Height 5'2 1/2 Weight 139

4. Eyesight (a) Left 6/9 (b) Right 6/9

5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) ~

6. Examination of Lungs ~

Measurement (a) Expiration 35 (b) Inspiration 38

7. Examination of Heart ~

8. Examination of Urine ~

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

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

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

11. Name and address of next of kin Father Patrick D'Arcy Cove.

REMARKS—

A 11

W. Borden  
Archibald

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms  
B 121.  
39.

Regiment of Royal Newfoundland

Number of Sheet one

Signature of O. C. Company Asst. Dir. Genl

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay
No.	Name	Age on	years months	Trade	
5810	John Howlett	25		Fisherman	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment		Religion	
Joined	Date	St. John's 18. 7. 18		R.C.	
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours	Place of Birth	
Joined	Date		153 years.		with Reserve
			365 years.	Tore Cove, Ferry land Dist	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Name of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				Demobilized	St John's				17/18.

To be carried over.

Army Form B. 121

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 5810 Rank Pte Name Howlett John  
 Date of Enlistment 18-7-18 Address Tors Cove District St. John's  
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge A Medical Category by A2  
 Recommendation S.M.B. \_\_\_\_\_ Disability Rating \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date 17-12-18 Prohibited

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 17-12-18 O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

**1. Civil Re-Establishment.**

I am..... in a position to resume civilian occupation.  
**NOT APPLICABLE**

Granted Leave without pay at his own request after  
 attestation to continue in civilian occupation.

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

**2. Clothing.**

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with

(a) Clothing Allowance payable.....

(b) Clothing Supplied .....

**EXCLUDED under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT  
 and granted leave without pay,  
 NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES**

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



3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 461 to his home at India Cove and Release Certificate No. 461 issued mailed.

Date 17-12-18

P. D. Dick  
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances without pay, and granted under the MILITARY SERVICE ACT NOT ELIGIBLE for PAY and ALLOWANCES.

Date 17-12-18

W. Bowley  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 17 12 18

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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Date 17-12-18

P. D. Dick  
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Date DEC 17 1918

R. H. Int Capt  
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date Dec 21/1918

W. Bowley  
Capt  
O.C.D.

Reg. No. *5810* Rank *Pte* Name *Howarth John* *2*

Attested *18-7-18* Address *Ton Lane*

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

Date of Allotment..... Returned from Overseas.....

Embarked for Overseas..... Cause.....

*✓ Acc 31-8-18*

*G.L. without Pay 18-7-18 to 15-8-18*

**DEC 17 1918 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER**

**DEC 17 1918**

**DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.**