



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 77.

Name in full Richard Stephen Lacey Age 28

Address 15 Adelaide St

Married  Single  Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_

Color white Hair Dark Brown Eyes Brown

Other distinguishing marks  tatto mark on left arm

Nearest relative Father - William Lacey

Address Western Cove - White Bay.

Dependents none

Occupation Fisherman Present Wage Three shillings

Previous service Five years in Royal Naval Reserve

Decorations \_\_\_\_\_

General Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Enlistment \_\_\_\_\_

I, Richard Stephen Lacey, 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 conditions of my service.

Richard Lacey

Declared before me this 15 day  
of October 1914

Arthur Lacey



**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.**

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

Reg. No. 77

Name **Roland Stephen Lacey**

Apparent age **28** years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height \_\_\_\_\_ feet \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

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

Distinctive marks **Color: White, Hair: Dark Brown, Eyes: Brown.**

~~Other distinguishing marks: Tattoo on left arm.~~

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin **William Lacey, Western Cove, White Bay, Nfld.**

| 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	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Re-servenot 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>4/9/14.</b>									
Joined at <b>St. John's</b> on <b>4th September '14.</b>									
<i>Discharged 11/7/17</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above .. .. .									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
" " " Pension " _____ ( " ) _____ " _____									

*Company*

To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only.  
Army Form B. 178 to be used for Special Reserve recruits  
and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.



# MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Lacey Christian Name R.

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Examined ... { on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191  
at \_\_\_\_\_

Declared Age ... years \_\_\_\_\_ days.

Trade or Occupation ... \_\_\_\_\_

Height ... feet, \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

Weight ... lbs. \_\_\_\_\_

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. \_\_\_\_\_ inches.  
Range of Expansion \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

Physical Development ... \_\_\_\_\_

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right \_\_\_\_\_ Left \_\_\_\_\_  
Number \_\_\_\_\_

When Vaccinated ... \_\_\_\_\_

Vision ... { R.E.—V= \_\_\_\_\_  
L.E.—V= \_\_\_\_\_

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... { \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

(Rank) \_\_\_\_\_ Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at \_\_\_\_\_  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191

Joined on Enlistment ...	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<i>1. Newfoundland.</i>	<i>77.</i>
Transferred to ...		

Became non-effective by \_\_\_\_\_

on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191

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

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

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of 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 Handsworth.	14	12	15	20	1	16.	Dysentery.	38.	<p><u>Cause</u> Active Service (Bardanelles).</p> <p><u>Nature</u> Convalescent from Dysentery.</p> <p><u>Results</u> Recount. All bacteriological tests negative. (Sent to Eschew previously).</p>	<p>Signed: V. Mitchell Capt R.A.M.C.(F)</p>
3rd London General Hospital Handsworth W.	4	7	16.				<p>G.S.M.R. foot. IX 4. Metatarsal phalanges.</p>		<p>Board held. see coverleaf.</p> <p><u>Disability</u> G.S.M. R foot IX 4 Metatarsal &amp; phalanges Can walk fairly well.</p> <p><u>Cause</u> G.S.M. on Active Service</p> <p><u>Capacity for earning livelihood</u> Lessened by 2/3rd. Three quarters.</p>	<p>Signed: H. Fagan Capt. R.A.M.C.(F) 3rd London Gen Hosp Handsworth W.</p>

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

Date	Brief details, and signature
8.2.17.	<p>Board held                      Found - permanently unfit                      Board - Approved</p> <p><i>A. S. Hagan</i> Captain M.C.                      7th London General Hospital                      Wandsworth S.W.</p>

**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

THIRD BOARD

Form 79 N.M.D.

Report of Medical Board.

Station **St. John's, Nfld.** Date **October 22nd., 1918**  
 No. and Rank **77 - Corporal** Age **23** Height **5' 10"**  
 Name **LACEY, ROLAND** Complexion **Fair**  
 Unit **Royal Nfld.** Eyes **Brown** Hair **Dark Brown**  
 Address **15 Adelaide Street**  
 Former Trade **Fisherman**  
 Enlisted at **St. John's** On **Aug. 1914** (The Board will please note how the soldier's appearance corresponds with above description.)  
 Disease or Disability Original **GUN SHOT WOUND, RIGHT FOOT**

Subsequent

Present Condition (Compare with previous Board)

*Still has painful corn under ball of foot. Cannot move toes. Can move ankle freely walking is painful, uses a stick.*

THE ENTIRE DISABILITY : To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a livelihood in the general labour market ?

*20%*

PENSIONABLE DISABILITY : To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened by that proportion of his disability due to or incurred during service ?

*20%*

Recommendation of Medical Board

Members of Board

*Cluny Macpherson*  
 Major  
 D. M. S. NEWFOUNDLAND.

*A. H. Lewis*  
*Pindar Lick*  
*H. Patterson*

Approving Medical Officer.



**NEWFOUNDLAND.**  
**REPORT OF MEDICAL BOARD**  
**ON SOLDIER OR NAVAL RESERVIST RETURNED**  
**FROM OVERSEAS**

Station **ST. JOHN'S NFLD.** Date **SEPTEMBER 22nd., 1917.**  
 No. **~~911~~ 77** Age **32** Height **5'10"**  
 Rank **LANCE CORPORAL** Complexion **FAIR**  
 Name **LACEY, ROLAND** Eyes **BROWN** Hair **DARK BROWN**  
 Unit **1ST NEWFOUNDLAND**  
 Address **15 ADELAIDE STREET** Former Trade **FISHERMAN**  
 Enlisted at **ST. JOHN'S NFLD.** on **AUGUST 1914**  
 Disease or disability **GUN SHOT WOUND RIGHT FOOT**

Present condition *Working in shell factory for 5 weeks making \$1.80 a day. Could not stand work & has been doing nothing for 3 weeks. Still limps in walking. Has corn under head 3<sup>rd</sup> vertebrae*

Estimated disability *20%*

Recommendation of Medical Board

Class

Members of Board

*H. A. ...*  
*J. Sinclair, Capt.*  
*Chas. Macpherson, Major.*

Approving Medical Officer.

*Chas. Macpherson, Major.*





*Confidential*



# Medical Report on an Invalid.

Station 3rd London General Hospital  
Handsworth  
Date 2nd April 1917.

- 1. Unit 1/ Newfoundland
- 2. Regimental No. 77
- 3. Rank Lance Corporal.
- 4. Name Loay R. S.
- 5. Age last birthday 31
- 6. Enlisted { on Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 1914  
at St Johns, Nfld.
- 7. Former Trade or Occupation { Miner (iron)

## 8. Disability.

G. I. W. R. foot.  
IX. H. Metatarsal & Phalange 5 R.

## 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. July 1<sup>st</sup> 1916.
- 10. Place of origin of disability. France

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case. Was advancing when a shrapnel bullet struck his right foot. Fractured 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Metatarsal & 1<sup>st</sup> phalange of 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> toes of R<sup>r</sup> foot.

Operation July 19<sup>th</sup> and F.B.s and bone removed. Has had about 8 more operations for sepsis since then the wounds have healed except one at the base of Great toe.

- 12. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability.
- (b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it (See notes on page 3).

Active Service  
G. I. W.

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.

Can walk fairly well. move foot well. and can nearly stand on toes. Owing to the fracture he will always have a weak foot, but it should not interfere with civil life occupations when long marching is not necessary.

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

- (a) In action? *Yes.*
- (b) On field service? *Yes*
- (c) On duty? *Yes*
- (d) Off duty? *No.*

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?

*About nine operations for removal of F.B. bone.*

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. Do you recommend

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

*Yes.  
Fit for occupations*

*(Signed) A.G. Martland*  
*Capt RAMC*

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 (Signed)*

Station

*Wandsworth SW. A.G. Bruce Porter*

Date

*3rd April 1917.*

Officer in charge of Hospital.

*R. Col. R.A.M.C. (D)*

\* 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 Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable them 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 attributed to (a) active service, (b) climate, or (c) ordinary military service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (see Articles 1162 and 1165, Pay Warrant, 1913).

(iv.) In answering question 20 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.

20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of (i.) active service, (ii.) climate, or (iii.) ordinary military service.

*Active Service*

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

*G.S.W.*

21. Has the disability been aggravated by

(a) Intemperance?

*No.*

(b) Misconduct?

*No.*

Is the disability permanent?

*Yes.*

If not permanent, what is its probable minimum duration?

*✓*

be stated in months.

23. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ , or total incapacity.

*lessened by  $\frac{3}{4}$ .*

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

*vide 16.*

26. Do the Board recommend

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or

*Yes.*

(b) Change to England?

Signatures:—

<p><i>3rd London General Hospital</i> <i>Handsworth.</i></p> <p>Station _____</p> <p>Date <i>8. V. 17.</i></p>	<p>Signed</p>	<p><i>A. Woelker Major R.A.M.C.</i> Resident.</p> <p>Signed <i>C. Galpin Capt R.A.M.C.</i></p> <p>Signed <i>R. B. Howard C.S.</i></p>	<p>Members.</p>
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Approved.

<p><i>3rd London General Hospital</i> <i>Handsworth</i></p> <p>Station _____</p> <p>Date <i>8. V. 17.</i></p>	<p><i>A. Woelker Major R.A.M.C.</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Administrative Medical Officer.</p>
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*Active Service*

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*G. S. W.*

  
23a. Is <sup>he</sup> fit for discharge from the service as an out-patient, and will he require out-patient treatment on discharge from Hospital?

*Yes. Yes*

*No.  
No.  
Yes.*

24. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{3}{4}$ , or total incapacity.

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*vide 16.*

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*Yes.*

Signatures:—

*3rd London General Hospital. A. Woelker Major R.A.M.C. (T) President.*  
*Handsworth. Signed C. G. Galpin Capt R.A.M.C. (T)*  
Station \_\_\_\_\_  
Date *8. V. 17.* *Signed R. B. Howard C.S.* } Members.

Approved.

*3rd London General Hospital. A. Woelker Major R.A.M.C. (T)*  
Station *Handsworth* \_\_\_\_\_  
Date *8. V. 17.* \_\_\_\_\_  
Administrative Medical Officer.

(On leaving Corps or Station where invalided.)

Transfer { Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Station \_\_\_\_\_ } Name { Conveyance \_\_\_\_\_  
or \_\_\_\_\_ } of { Vessel \_\_\_\_\_  
Embark- { Date \_\_\_\_\_  
ation { Port \_\_\_\_\_ } Officer in }  
medical charge \_\_\_\_\_

Brief remarks on case during transit, and state on transfer for final disposal.

Re-transferred { Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Hospital or } \_\_\_\_\_ Officer in medical charge.  
Station }

(At Station or Hospital where finally disposed of.)

Station and ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Hospital ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Arrived from \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

If admitted Date	If under treatment		Disease	How finally disposed of	Date of Discharge, &c.
	From	To			

Detailed statement as to condition on discharge and whether discharged as an invalid, to corps, to station, or to depôt. In cases of discharge from the service it should be stated whether the answers to questions 22, 23 and 24 are concurred in.

Date of final Medical }  
Board, or decision } \_\_\_\_\_  
Administrative Medical Officer.

Army Form B. 179  
MEDICAL REPORT ON AN  
INVALID.

Station \_\_\_\_\_  
Corps \_\_\_\_\_  
Regimental No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Disability \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

Hospital or Station }  
transferred to for }  
final disposal }  
Date of final }  
disposal }  
How finally }  
disposed of }

The original Report is invariably to accompany the  
discharge documents of Invalids.  
(x1) (88579) W. 1886 4704 5-15 W B & L  
Form  
B. 179  
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# Medical Report on an Invalid.

NOTES:—

- (a) This report is solely concerned with Pensions.
- (b) A single copy only is required.
- (c) "Aggravated" being now a technical term, carrying right to pension, discrimination in its use is essential.
- (d) Be as brief as possible compatible with lucidity.
- (e) Avoid dubiety—"perhaps" "possibly" "might" and the like.
- (f) Only sufficient clinical data need be given to establish the degree of disability and assist the Board in arriving at a decision.

### Statement of Case

Station

Date

*St. John's*  
*June 26/17*

1. Unit *1st. Newfoundland*

5. Age last birthday.

*32*

2. Regimental No.

*77*

6. Enlisted on

*Aug. 1914.*

3. Rank.

*Lance Corp.*

at

*St. John's*

4. Name.

*Lacey Rowland*

7. Former trade or occupation

*Fisherman*

### 8. Disability

*Sev. R. foot.*

9. History

*Active Service France July 1, 1916.*

10. What is his present condition?

(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above.)

Wounds healed  
Cannot put weight of body on  
toes, walks with a limp.

11. Was sanatorium operation advised and refused? —

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit?

Yes.

Signature

J. W. Borden

Rank or Qualification

MO

Remarks if any by Officer i/c Hospital.

Place .....

Signature .....

Date .....

Rank .....

## Opinion of the Medical Board.

In para. 13, the President should write "may" or "cannot" at x  
Erase inapplicable words.

13. For pension purposes, the disability x *may* be considered as aggravated by due to
- (a) Service during this war.
  - (b) Climate.
  - (c) ~~Ordinary Military Service~~

Remarks if any:— *right foot too stiff - second toe amputated  
wounds all healed. Cannot put weight on toes walks  
with limp, and has to use stick. General health good*

14. At present his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market is lessened by:—  
(Here the president should write in Total, 4-5, 3-5, 2-5, 1-5).

Remarks if any:—

15. Is the disability permanent? *will improve*

16. Has the disability been aggravated by

- (a) Intemperance.
- (b) Misconduct.

17. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:—

- (a) Reasonable.
- (b) Unreasonable.

Remarks if any:—

18. We recommend discharge from retention in the Army

*40% for three months*

Remarks if any:—

Signatures.

*Paterson* President  
*John G. Dunlop*  
*John G. Dunlop*

Place *St. John's*

Date *Jan. 27<sup>th</sup> 1917*

APPROVED

Station .....

Date .....

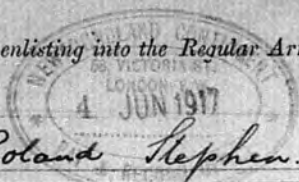


*Clay Macpherson*  
Administrative Medical Officer.



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

# MEDICAL HISTORY



Surname

*Lacey*

OF

Christian Name

*Roland Stephen*

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish

County

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on day of 191	at	on day of 191	at
Examined ... ..				
Declared age ... ..	years	days	years	days
Trade or occupation ... ..				
Height ... ..	feet	inches	feet	inches
Weight ... ..		lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measure-ment { Girth when fully expanded Range of expansion ...		inches		inches
		inches		inches
Physical development ... ..				
Vaccination marks { Arm ... Number ...	Right	Left	Right	Left
When vaccinated ... ..				
Vision ... ..	R.E.—V.=		R.E.—V.=	
	L.E.—V.=		L.E.—V.=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
	(b)		(b)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection				
Approved by (Signature) (Rank)	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted ... ..	on day of 191	at	on day of 191	at
Joined on enlistment ... ..	Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.
	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Afla Rgt.</i>	<i>77.</i>		
Transferred to ... ..				
Became non-effective by ... ..	on day of 191		on day of 191	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				





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

Date January 20th 1918

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria Street,

S.W. (Station).

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Contingent,

Ayr. (Station).

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria Street,

S.W. (Station).

Regimental No 77

Rank and Name Pte. Lacey, R.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland,

has been granted a furlough from Jan. 20th to Jan. 29th.

His address while on leave will be :-

Waverley Hotel,

Edinburgh

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

I consider he is fit for \* Light duty.

(sd) A. Hope Gosse, Capt. R.A.M.C.T.,  
Registrar R.A.M.C.T.,

Officer in charge St. London Genl. Hospital,

Wandsworth, S.W. (Station).

\* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

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

R. Lacey

C.R.

77

RRP  
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## Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No.	<i>77</i>	Army Rank	<i>Lance Corporal</i>
Name	<i>Lacey Roland Stephen</i>		
(The name must agree exactly with that of enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)			
Corps	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regiment</i>		
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depôt, &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			
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D. NO. 5280/54 DATED 4 JUN 1917			
1.	Description at the time of discharge.		
Age	<i>31</i> years	months	Descriptive marks. <i>G. W. Scars. R. Foot</i>
Height	<i>5</i> feet	<i>9</i> inches	
Chest measurement	girth when fully expanded _____ ins.		
	range of expansion _____ ins.		
Complexion	<i>fresh</i>		
Eyes	<i>Brown</i>		
Hair	<i>Dark Brown</i>		
Trade	<i>Miner</i>		
Intended place of residence	<i>15 Adelaide St</i>		
(To be given as fully as practicable)	<i>St John's Newfoundland</i>		
(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 <i>Guns hot wound. Right Foot. Metatarsal &amp; phalanges</i>		
(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.)			
To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.	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*			

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 77, L.Cpl. Lacey, R.

(Substituting A.F.O. 1625). N.F.P./36.

Embarked per S.S. Grampian.

Company. From 23/12/16 To 5/6/17 (Dates inclusive).

From Liverpool Date 5/6/17.

Classification (See Procedure). 2/1

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	5	Forfeited Pay							1	Pay						
	9	Allotments							2	Field Allowances	1.05	165	173.25			
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	11/12	Total Stoppages							4/5	Total @ 4.86 2/3						
	13	Fines							6a				189	75	38	
	14	Clothing & Necessaries														
	15	Arms & Accoutrements														
	16	Barrack Damages								Cr. Bal. 22/12/16.			48	17	5	
	17	Hospital Stoppages								Ration Allice. 29/5/17 - 5/6/17.				16	0	
	17a	Miscellaneous Stoppages														
	19	Casual Payments														
29/5/17	20	1st Payment	P. & R. O.		40	0	0									
29/5/17	21	2nd "	Hospital Advances.		3	12	6									
3/4/17	22	3rd "	Cable per N.W.C.A.		13	0										
	23	Final "														
	24	Balance Debit Last Period														
	28	" Due by Paymaster			45	7	9		27	Balance Due to Paymaster						
					£	87	13	5					£	87	13	5

CERTIFIED CORRECT.

P.&R.O., London, S.W. 1,

4th June, 1917.

Q.J. " " Company

*SH*





29/5/17 - 7/6/17.

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16092-191 75,000 1/16

Forms/W. 3201/1

Army Form W. 3201.

(In pads of 50)

ONLY FOR USE IN THE CASE OF SOLDIERS RETIRED FROM AN  
EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, OR FROM GARRISONS ABROAD

12th Field.

(Regiment)

No. 77, Rank

S/C., Name



is discharged from Hospital with orders to proceed to his home

(Address 58 Victoria St.)

S.W.

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

H. Jagan

Officer Commanding,

Capt. [Signature]

Place

Wandsworth

Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.

1 Hospital

Hospital.

Date

29/5/17

3rd London

WANDSWORTH, S.W.

Copy sent to OC 7.

29th, May

7.

5108/1.  
HA/RC.

77, L/Cpl. R. Lacey,  
1st Newfoundland Regiment,  
Brooklands Military Hospital,  
Weybridge, Surrey.

PASSAGE TO NEWFOUNDLAND.

With reference to your call at this office today and to your furlough pass: You are now informed that the steamer on which your passage is booked leaves this country on the 4th June; you must therefore report to the Adjutant 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment, Ayr, on the morning of 3rd June not later than 10 o'clock.

Paymaster & O. i/c Reg.

Bm Hospital  
Weybridge  
2/12/16

Dear Sir.

can you please inform me  
as regards our pensions are  
we paid by the government  
of Newfoundland or of England  
as i have to undergo a  
board at Wandswoth to  
decide if i shall have  
to have my foot amputated  
or not. i should like to  
know what recompence i  
should get before i am  
satisfied to lose a limb  
i am supposed to be unfit  
for the Army now but i  
get my civilian life to  
think about. excuse me if  
this matter is not in your  
dutys but i dont know whos  
it is i remain yours respectfully

# 77 L/c R Lacey.

R corps 1st of - F.L.G. Regt

1st N.W. BUNSLA'D REG'T	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	4734
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Ask'd.	
Ans'd.	9/12/16
File No.	5308/A

9th December, 6.

No. 77, L/Cpl. R. Lasey,

Brooklands Military Hospital,

Weybridge.

5308/4

HT/NW

PENSIONS.

Referring to your letter 8/12/16: the matter of pensions is one that is in the hands of the Newfoundland Government, but I am unable to give you any particulars beyond the fact that a Board exists for the purpose of considering claims.

Unfortunately there have already been several cases of soldiers losing limbs, and it is understood that each one will be taken into consideration with as little delay as possible.

Major,

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.



44 25/2

Prosperslands military  
Hospital Surrey  
25/10/16

Dear Sir

Will you please forward me a form  
to get signed by the doctor for  
some money from the P & R office  
on account of pay and allowances  
and oblige yours truly

A. M. L. Lt Col R Lacey B Comp

1st Lt R. L. G.

Plus usual form

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1916



4573/2.

November 1st ..... 8

Mrs. K. Cole,  
Matron,  
Brooklands Military Hospital, Weybridge.

Herewith enclosed Postal Money Order £. 0. 0.  
remitted at the request and on account of Number  
77, L/C. R. Lacey, 1st. Newfoundland Regt.

Kindly acknowledge receipt on the attached form.

Capt.,  
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

4572/3

November 1st ..... 8.

77, L/C. R. Lacey, 1st. Newfoundland Regiment,  
.. Brooklands Military Hospital,  
Weybridge, Surrey...

With reference to your letter of the 30th ulto.  
the sum of two pounds ..... shillings  
and ..... pence has been remitted to

Mrs. K. Cole, Matron, Brooklands Military Hospital,  
Weybridge.

and charged to your account.

Capt.,  
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.







**BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY.**

COUNTY OF SURREY BRANCH.

PRESIDENT: THE HON. MRS. CUBITT.

NORTH SURREY DIVISION.

ASSISTANT COUNTY DIRECTOR AND VICE-PRESIDENT: MRS. LOCKE KING.

TELEPHONE NO. 523 WEYBRIDGE.

From

**BROOKLANDS MILITARY HOSPITAL,  
WEYBRIDGE.**

*No 77 L. Cpl 2 Lacey*

*With - compliments - & thanks*

*R. Coe  
Major*

OK 5.  
16/9/16  
MRA

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



Please remit the sum of 5 line pounds — shillings  
to me on account of Pay & Allowances.

Reg. No. 77 Rank L/c

Name Roland Lacey.

Approved [Signature]

Medical Officer i/c.,

Brockland A.M. Hospital.

NOTED  
A.P.H.  
Date 16/9/16

3422  
SEP 16 1916

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

CABLES AND TELEGRAMS:  
"SYNOPTICAL,"  
LONDON.

TELEPHONE:  
VICTORIA 147.

COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE  
PAYMASTER & OFFICER-I/C. RECORDS.  
AND THE FOLLOWING NO QUOTED:

PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

58, VICTORIA STREET.

LONDON, S.W..

191

3843/1

To No. 77 L.Cpl. R. Lacey,

Brooklands A. M. Hospital,

Weybridge.

F.M/C.

**SUBJECT:** MONEY ORDER £ 5 - 0 - 0.

Reference your request. Postal Money Order for  
£5-0-0 enclosed herewith, together with receipt form  
for signature and return.

*F. H. Marshall* 2nd Lieut,  
Ass't Paymaster,  
for Paymaster & O. i/c. Records.





# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 77.

Name in full Richard Stephen Lacey Age 28  
Address 15 Adelaide St

Married Single white Height Dark Brown Weight Brown  
Color white Hair Dark Brown Eyes Brown

Other distinguishing marks White mark on left arm

Nearest relative Father - William Lacey  
Address Western Cove - White Bay

Dependents None

Occupation Fisherman Present Wage Uncertain

Previous service Five years in Royal Naval Reserve

Decorations \_\_\_\_\_

General Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Enlistment \_\_\_\_\_

*Richard Stephen Lacey*  
*13.8.14*  
*Witness*

I, Richard Stephen Lacey, 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 conditions of my service.

Richard Lacey

Declared before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day  
of October 1914

Arthur Lacey

Sept. 14/14



5/4/17 put back for further treatment

Original

# Medical Report on an Invalid.



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

Date 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1917

1. Unit 1/ Newfoundland.  
 2. Regimental No. 77  
 3. Rank Lance/cpl.  
 4. Name Lacey, R.S.

5. Age last birthday 31  
 6. Enlisted { on Aug 27<sup>th</sup> 1914  
                   { at St John's, Nfld.  
 7. Former Trade { Miner (iron)  
                   or Occupation {

### 8. Disability.

Gen. R'f. 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Metastasis Pharynx & 4<sup>th</sup>

### 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. July 1<sup>st</sup> 1916  
 10. Place of origin of disability. France

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 O.C. H.Q.  
 ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.  
 N.F.P.38. No. 5280/1914  
 DATED 4 JUN 1917

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

was admitted when a shrapnel bullet struck his R'f. & fractured 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> metastasis & 4<sup>th</sup> pharynx of 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> lvs of R'f.  
operation: July 19<sup>th</sup> 1916 & D.B. Home removed. Has had about 8 more operations for sepsis.  
Since then it would have healed except one at time of first op.

12. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability.  
 (b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it (See notes on page 3).

Active Service  
S.S.



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.

Can walk fairly well & more force  
well & can nearly stand on his. Owing to the  
fracture he will always have a weak foot, but  
it should not interfere with civil life occupations  
when long marching is necessary.

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

- (a) In action? *Yes*
- (b) On field service? *Yes*
- (c) On duty? *Yes*
- (d) Off duty? *No*

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?

Abut nose operation for removal of  
O.S. & bone.

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. Do you recommend

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

*Yes*  
*in his occupation*

*H. J. Walker*  
*Surgeon Major*

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,  
WANDSWORTH, S.W.  
Station

*H. E. Edwards*  
*Major*

Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date *3rd April 1917*

Lt. Col. R.A.M.C.T.

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 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 Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable them 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 attributed to (a) active service, (b) climate, or (c) ordinary military service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (*see* Articles 1162 and 1165 Pay Warrant, 1913).

(iv) In answering question 20 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.

20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of (i.) active service, (ii.) climate, or (iii.) ordinary military service.

*Active service*

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

*cf. S.W*

21. Has the disability been aggravated by

*no*

(a) Intemperance?

*no*

(b) Misconduct?

(c) Any of the conditions mentioned in Ques

*✓*

22. Is the disability

23. If not permanent, minimum duration to be stated in minutes

23a. Is he fit for discharge from the service as an out-patient, and will he require out-patient treatment on discharge from hospital?

*Yes Yes*

24. To what extent earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

*Lessened by three quarters.*

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ , or total incapacity.

24a. Is the man suffering from a disability which would obviously, as far as you can judge, cause him to be rejected by an Approved Society under the National Insurance Act?

*no*

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

*vide 16.*

26. Do the Board recommend

*yes*

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or

(b) Change to England?

Signatures:—

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

*A. F. Woelcker Major R.A.M.C.* President.

*C. J. Dalpin Capt R.A.M.C.* } Members.

*R. P. Howard C.S.* }

Date *8.V.17*

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

*A. F. Woelcker Major R.A.M.C.*  
Administrative Medical Officer.

Date *8.V.17*

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*Active service*

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

*cf. S.W*

21. Has the disability been aggravated by

(a) Intemperance?

*no*

(b) Misconduct?

*no*

(c) Any of the conditions mentioned in Question 20, and if so which?

*✓*

22. Is the disability permanent?

*yes*

23. If not permanent, what is its probable minimum duration?

*✓*

To be stated in months.

24. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

*Lessened by three quarters.*

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{2}{3}$ , or total incapacity.

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*no*

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*vide 15.*

26. Do the Board recommend

(a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or

*yes*

(b) Change to England?

Signatures:—

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

*A. Worrell Major R.A.M.C.* President.

Date 8.V.17

*C. Dalpin Capt R.A.M.C.*  
*R. Howard C.S.* Members.

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

*A. Worrell Major R.A.M.C.*  
Administrative Medical Officer.

Date 8.V.17

(On leaving Corps or Station where invalided.)

Transfer { Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Station \_\_\_\_\_  
 or Embarkation { Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Port \_\_\_\_\_

Name of { Conveyance \_\_\_\_\_  
 Vessel \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer in medical charge \_\_\_\_\_

Brief remarks on case during transit, and state on transfer for final disposal.

Re-transferred { Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hospital or Station \_\_\_\_\_

Officer in medical charge.

(At Station or Hospital where finally disposed of.)

Station and Hospital }  
 Arrived from \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

If admitted	If under treatment		Disease	How finally disposed of	Date of Discharge, &c.
	Date	From			

Detailed statement as to condition on discharge and whether discharged as an invalid, to corps, to station, or to depôt. In cases of discharge from the service it should be stated whether the answers to questions 22, 23 and 24 are concurred in.

Date of final Medical Board, or decision }

Administrative Medical Officer.

Army Form B. 179.

MEDICAL REPORT ON AN  
 INVALID.

5826

Station *Apr*  
 Corps *1st Hampshire*  
 Regimental No. *77*  
 Rank *4th Corp*  
 Name *James H.S.*  
 Disability *4th Retiree*  
 Date *8.5.19*

Hospital or Station transferred to for final disposal }  
 Date of final disposal }  
 How finally disposed of }

The original Report is invariably to accompany the discharge documents of invalids.  
 (4736.) W. 8530/2774. 500w. 9/15. C. P. Ltd.  
 Form B. 179.  
 34.

Admitted 4-7-17

ONLY FOR USE IN THE CASE OF SOLDIERS RETURNED FROM AN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, OR FROM GARRISONS ABROAD.

1st Regt Regiment.

\*The Officer Commanding 1st Regt Comd Coy

The Officer in Charge of Records 58 Victoria St A W

The Regimental Paymaster 58 Victoria St A W

With reference to No. 77 Plc. Lacey R S  
of the above Regiment, who appeared before a Medical Board and was approved by  
the D.D.M.S. Command, on the 8.5.17.

for discharge from the Service as permanently unfit, please note that this man has  
been sent to <sup>the address below</sup> his home on warrant with orders to await instructions as to his final  
discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance and a suit of plain clothes.

He proceeded to 58 Victoria St A W

on [date] 29 May 1917

H. Jagan Officer Commanding  
Capt. R.A.M.C. (T) Hospital.

Place Wands worth

Date 29/5/17.

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



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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Lacey Christian Name Roland Steph

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish		County				
Examined	on	day of	191	on	day of	191
	at			at		
Declared age	years	days		years	days	
Trade or occupation						
Height	feet	inches		feet	inches	
Weight		lbs.			lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	inches		inches		
	Range of expansion	inches		inches		
Physical development						
Vaccination marks	Arm			Right	Left	
	Number					
When vaccinated						
Vision	R.E.—V =			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)						
(Rank)						
			Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at			at		
Joined on enlistment	on	day of	191	on	day of	191
		Corps	Regtl. No.		Corps	Regtl. No.
Transferred to						
Became non-effective by						
	on	day of	191	on	day of	191
(Signature)						
(Rank)						

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 ST. JOHN'S, N.F.L.D.  
 NO. 5285/54  
 MAY 1917

*12 Nfld*  
**77**







Temporary

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital. Army Form B. 178<sup>A</sup> to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Lacey Christian Name P.



TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish ... County ...

Examined ... on ... day of ... 191 ... at ...

Declared Age ... years ... days.

Trade or Occupation ...

Height ... feet ... inches.

Weight ... lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded ... inches. Range of Expansion ... inches.

Physical Development ...

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Number ...

When Vaccinated ...

Vision ... { R.E.—V= L.E.—V=

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ...

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ...

Approved by (Signature) (Rank) Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at ... on ... day of ... 191 ...

Table with 2 columns: Corps, Regtl. No. Row 1: 1st Newfoundland, 77

Became non-effective by ...

on ... day of ... 191 ... (Signature) (Rank)





**Notification by President of Medical Board of Approval of a Soldier's Discharge under Paragraph 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 58 Victoria St.  
Sw

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 <sup>21</sup> ~~14~~ days after the date on this notification—see A.C.I. 1623 of 1916.)

Soldier's surname Lacey, Christian names Roland, Stephen  
(in full)

Regt. No. and Rank 77 2/Cpl. Regt. or Corps Newfoundland  
(If T.F. this should be stated)

His address on discharge will be 15 Adelaide St.  
St. John's Newfoundland

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

The Soldier states that no 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.

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

Station \_\_\_\_\_  
Date 8.5.17

A. F. Voslellan Major R.C.M.D.  
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.

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

**A** Name in full Lacey - Roland, Stephen  
 Regiment from which discharged 1 Newfoundland  
 Regimental Number 77  
 Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when Notre Dame Bay, Newfoundland  
 Intended address 15 Mac Adelaide St. St. Johns, Newfoundland. 17/5/1885  
 Height on discharge 5 Feet 9 Inches  
 Colour of Hair on discharge Dark brown Colour of Eyes Brown  
 Descriptive marks L.S.W. scars R. foot Complexion Fresh  
 Figure on discharge Shrubby build  
 Christian name of Father \_\_\_\_\_  
 Christian name of Mother William Savina  
 Wife's Maiden name in full \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date and Place of Marriage \_\_\_\_\_  
 Christian names of Children \_\_\_\_\_  
 Nature and locality of civil employment desired Iron mining in Newfoundland

COPY SENT TO  
 O.C. H.Q.  
 ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.  
 No. 5287/54  
 DATED 4 JUN 1917

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)

Station Roland Stephen Lacey (Rank) L/Cpl  
 Date 31/5/17  
 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.

J. M. Williams Medical Officer i/c  
3rd London General Hospital

Station WANDSWORTH, S.W. Date 31. 3. 17.

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 ...	of advance of pension }					

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

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



No. 77

Rank L/Pl

Name (surname first) Lacey Roland Stephen

Regiment Newfoundland

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

*A.P. sailor fisherman miner*

COPY SENT TO  
O.C. H.Q.  
ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.  
N.F.P. 38. No. 22574  
DATED 4 JUN 1917

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?

*Dismissed from I. Steel to Mahara mines  
general labourer <sup>two</sup> 2 years*

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

4. What is the name of your Approved Society? *nil*

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

Date 28/3/17

Signature Roland S. Lacey

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.



Army Form W. 3016.

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

Date Jan 20<sup>th</sup> 1916

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria Street

S.W. (Station).

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Contingent

Ay 2 (Station).

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria Street

S.W. (Station).

Regimental No. 77

Rank and Name Pte Lacey R.

Regiment or Corps 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland

has been granted a furlough from Jan 20<sup>th</sup> to Jan 29<sup>th</sup>

His address while on leave will be:—

Waverley Hotel

Edinburgh

This man has been furnished with a railway warrant to Edinburgh & given an advance of £1 (one pound)

I consider he is fit for  Duty.  
 Light duty.

A. Hope Gosse Capt. R.A.M.C.T.

Officer in charge \_\_\_\_\_ Hospital,

**Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.**

**3rd London General Hospital**

**WANDSWORTH, S.W.**

\* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

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

R. Lacey

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8. He is in possession of the following number of G.C. badges (if the man is a N.C.O. and enlisted prior to 1st July, 1881, the number he would have been entitled to had he not been promoted should be stated).

Is it probable that he will be entitled to another good conduct badge before the confirmation of these proceedings?

Classification for service, or proficiency pay... .. Class \_\_\_\_\_

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

{ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of education .....

7. His accounts are correctly balanced, and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with Regulations.

(Place) \_\_\_\_\_

(Date) \_\_\_\_\_

Commanding \_\_\_\_\_ Battrn. \_\_\_\_\_ Regiment.

8. *Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.*

hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) St John's Wood R. D. Lacey (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) July 11 1897 [Signature] (Signature of Witness.)

(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)

9. *Additional certificate in the case of a soldier who takes his discharge at his own request.*

I hereby declare that I do of my own free will request to be discharged from His Majesty's Service.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Signature of Soldier.)

10. *Statement of service.*

Service towards engagement to \_\_\_\_\_ (the date to which the record of service is completed) \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ days.

Further service " " \_\_\_\_\_ (the date of confirmation of discharge) ... .. " "

Total ... .. " "

11. *Confirmation of discharge.*

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for \_\_\_\_\_ (date)

(Place) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

(Date) \_\_\_\_\_

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster, if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated, and signed by the soldier.)

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No Reservations.

R. D. Lacey

C. C. C. C.



## Descriptive Return of a Soldier Discharged on Account of Disability

**INSTRUCTIONS**—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Pensions and Disabilities Board.

This section should be completed in the Hospital at which a man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, or, if the man is not in Hospital, by the Medical Officer of the Unit or Command Depot. The Soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification depends on his confirming this declaration. The "Rank," "Station," and "Date" should be in his own handwriting.

The form will then be attached to the Proceedings of the man's Medical Board and will be forwarded to the O. i/c Records together with the remainder of the man's documents.

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

Name in full *Lacey Roland*  
 Regiment from which discharged *1st. Newfoundland*  
 Regimental number *77*  
 Intended address *15 Adelaide St*  
 Height on discharge *5* Feet *10*  
 Color of hair on discharge *Dark Brown*  
 Complexion *fair*  
 Color of eyes *Brown*  
 Figure on discharge *medium*  
 Christian name of Father *William*  
 Christian name of Mother *deceased*  
 Wife's maiden name in full   
 Date and place of marriage   
 Christian names of children   
 Place and date of soldier's birth. *Lislesby N.S.B. 17 May. 1895*  
 Nature and locality of civil employment required

I declare that I am the soldier referred to above and that all the particulars contained in the above statement are, to the best of my knowledge, correct

(Soldier's signature in full) *Roland Lacey*

Station *St Johns*

Date *June 26/17*

(Rank) *Sgt.*

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.

*T. W. Burden*

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

Station *St Johns*

Date *June 26/17*

**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT**

STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 77, L.Cpl. Lacey, R.

(Substituting A.F.O. 1625). **N.F.P./36.**

Embarked per S.S. Grampian.

Company. From 23/12/16 To 5/6/17 (Dates inclusive).

From Liverpool Date 5/6/17.

Classification (See Procedure) A

Draft No. 38

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Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	s	d
	8	Forfeited Pay							1	Pay	1.05	165	173	25	
	9	Allotments							2	Field Allowances	.10	165	16	50	
	10								3	Other Allowances					
	11/12	Total Stoppages							4/5	Total @ 4.86 2/3					
	13	Fines							6a				189	75	38
	14	Clothing & Necessaries													
	15	Arms & Accoutrements													
	16	Barrack Damages								Cr. Bal. 22/12/16.			48	17	5
	17	Hospital Stoppages								Ration Allee. 29/5/17 - 5/6/17.			16		0
	17a	Miscellaneous Stoppages								This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 516 117 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.					
	19	Casual Payments								27	Balance Due to Paymaster				
29/5/17	20	1st Payment P. & R. O.			40	0	0								
29/5/17	21	2nd " Hospital Advances.			3	12	6								
3/4/17	22	3rd " Cable per N.W.C.A.				13	0								
	23	Final "													
	24	Balance Debit Last Period													
	28	" Due by Paymaster			43	7	9								
					£ 87	13	3						£ 87	13	3

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

*R.A. Munnell Maj.*

PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

"---" Company.

P. & R.O., London, S.W. 1,



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STATEMENT of ACCOUNT of No. 77, L.Cpl. Lacey, R.

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P. & R. O., London, S.W. 1,



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*A. A. Stewart Maj.*

PAYMASTER & OFFICER IN CHARGE

Company.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

No. 215

Minister of Militia

Officer Commanding,

1st Newfoundland Regt.,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

MEMORANDUM of STOPPAGES/CREDITS on Account of  
AMENDED BALANCE.

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

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

Regtl No.	Rank & Name	Particulars & Authority	AMOUNT							
			£	s	d	£	s	d		
77	L/O Lacey, R	Gr. balance of £43.7.9. notified per non-effective account 5/8/17 amended to £44.7.9. Credit difference				1	0	0		
						1	0	0		

Pay & Record Office,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. I,  
7th, September 1917

*A. D. Munn* Major,  
Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

CERTIFIED that the above stoppages/credits have been made in  
the Pay Book of **Headquarters** Company for Period / / to / /  
and debited to Pay & Record Office, London, S. W. I.

Dated at St. John's, Newfoundland.

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1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT  
Minister of Militia  
O.C. Company,  
PAY DEPARTMENT  
Battalion.



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

Certificate of Discharge



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

**A Name in full** *Lacy Roland Stephen*  
**Regiment from which discharged** *11 Newfoundland*  
**Regimental Number** *44*  
**Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when** *Robt Dams Bay, Newfoundland*  
**Intended address** *15, Adelaide St. St John's, Newfoundland.* *17/5/1885.*  
**Height on discharge** *5 Feet 9 Inches*  
**Colour of Hair on discharge** *Dark Brown* **Colour of Eyes** *Brown*  
**Descriptive marks** *40 scars R. foot.* **Complexion** *Fresh*  
**Figure on discharge** *Sturdy built*  
**Christian name of Father** *William*  
**Christian name of Mother** *Lavinia*  
**Wife's Maiden name in full** *—*  
**Date and Place of Marriage** *—*  
**Christian names of Children** *—*  
**Nature and locality of civil employment desired** *Iron mining in Newfoundland.*

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)*  
**Station** *(Signed) Roland Stephen Lacy* **(Rank)** *Lance Corporal.*  
**Date** *31. 3. 17.*

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.

*H. G. Mellam. Medical Officer i/c*  
*Capt R.A.M.C.(F) Hospital,*  
*3rd London Cav. Regt. Royal.*  
**Date** *31. 3. 17.* *Wandsworth Ld.*

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

**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.**

*Certified true 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. 77

Rank Lance Corporal

Name (surname first) Lacy Roland Stephen

Regiment 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland

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

*A.B. Tailor. Fisherman. Miner.*

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?

*Dominion Iron & Steel Coy. Mabana Mines  
General Labourer two years.*

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

*None.*

4. What is the name of your Approved Society?

*Nil.*

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

*Nil.*

Date 29/3/17.

*(Liquid)*  
Signature Roland S. Lacy

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.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

(Substituting A.F.O. 1625). N.F.P./36.

Embarked per S.S. Grampian.

From Liverpool Date 5/6/17.

Draft No. 38

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STATEMENT of ACCOUNTS of No. 77, L.Cpl. Lacey, R.

Company. From 23/12/16 To 5/6/17 (Dates inclusive).

Classification (See Procedure).

Posted 14 JUN 1917

Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	s	d	Date	Pay Book Col.	Particulars	Rate	Dys	£	s	d	
8 Forfeited Pay							1	Pay	1.05	165	175.25			
9 Allotments							2	Field Allowances	.10	165	16.50			
10							3	Other Allowances						
11/12 Total Stoppages							4/5	Total @ 4.86 2/3						
13 Fines							6a				189	75	38 19 10	
14 Clothing & Necessaries														
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3/4/17 22 3rd " Cable per N.W.C.A.				15	0									
23 Final "														
24 Balance Debit Last Period														
28 " Due by Paymaster			45	7	9		27	Balance Due to Paymaster						
			£	87	15	5					£	87	15	5

Gr. Bal. 22/12/16.

48 17 5

Ration Allice. 29/5/17 - 5/6/17.

18 0

This account is in accordance with information received at the Pay & Record Office to 5/6/17 and is therefore subject to amendment if, and as may be found necessary.

CERTIFIED CORRECT.



4th June, 1917

Company

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 From Liverpool Date 5/6/17.  
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*[Signature]*

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4th June, 1917

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*[Signature]*

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P. & R. O., London, S.W. 1,

4th June, 1917

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Company--

CHECKED *[Signature]*

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT No. 215

Minister of Militia  
 Officer Commanding,  
 1st Newfoundland Regt.,  
 St. John's,  
 Newfoundland.



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 MAIL COPY  
 Posted 20 SEP 1917

MEMORANDUM of ~~STOPPAGES~~/CREDITS on Account of  
**AMENDED BALANCE.**

NOTE: - ~~Charge under~~ Debit Pay & Record Office, London, S.W.

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

Regtl No.	Rank & Name		Particulars & Authority	AMOUNT						
				£	s	d				
77	L/C	Lacey, R	Gr. balance of £43.7.9. notified per non-effective account 5/6/17 amended to £44.7.9. Credit difference			1	0	0		
						1	0	0		

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

7th, September 1917

*A. D. [Signature]* Major,  
 Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

CERTIFIED that the above ~~Stoppages~~/Credits have been made in  
 the Pay Book of ~~Headquarters~~ for Period / / to / /  
 and debited to Pay & Record Office, London, S. W. 1.

Dated at St. John's, Newfoundland.

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Minister of Militia  
 Company,  
 Battalion.

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 questions are not applicable, the words "NOT APPLICABLE" must be written out.

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

Christian name, *Roland* ..... 2. Surname, *Lacey* .....

3. Rank, ..... 4. Regtl. No. .... *77* .....

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded, ..... *15 Adelaide St. City* .....

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment, ..... *Sept 14/14* .....

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

8. Relationship of such dependents, ..... *now* .....

9. Address in full of such dependents, ..... *now* .....

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, ..... *Overseas* .....

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld. or Overseas, ..... *Two years 10 months* .....

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.....

*Yes*  
*\$ 2.48 — Mexico Sept*

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.....

*No*

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

*No*

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

*No*

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

*No*  
*June 10/17*

*Physically unfit*

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....

*Belgium and France*

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.....

*No*

And I make this solemn declaration, conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under Oath.



Signature of Applicant: - *Roland Lacey*  
 Place of Residence: *15 Adelaide Street*  
 Declared before me at: *St John's*  
 This *12th* day of *January* 19*20*.....

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

*J. P. Halley*

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

No. 77

Name Lacey R. S. Hape

Date	Particulars	Ch. No.	Dr.	Cr.	Bal.
June 8	Balance due by Pk #43-7-9.			211 14	211 14
23	By Pay 18 days @ 1 <sup>15</sup> / <sub>100</sub>			20 70	231 84
30	" " 7 " @ 2 <sup>05</sup> / <sub>100</sub>			14 35	246 19
July 11	" " " " @ 40			22 55	268 74
	Bonus			14 05	282 79
	Clothing			25 00	307 79
	Ration allowance			4 86	312 65
June 21	To Pay at Sydney		3 00		309 65
25	To Pay		15 00		294 65
29	" "		10 00		284 65
30	" "		28 00		<del>256 65</del> 4 86
July 10	" "		279 79		0
Sept 27	" "		4 86		0
	War Service Gratuity 5 mos @ 90%			350 00	350 00
	Bonus		14 05		335 95
Jan 6	To Pay		90 60		245 35
Mar 1	To Pay	10667	70 00		175 35
Apr 1	" "	13776	70 00		105 35
May 1	" "	17851	70 00		35 35
June 1	" "	21559	35 35		0
			662 65	662 65	0

PAY LEDGER R. 42/1...  
Date 5-4-21 by AH

Sig Alvany SSB









DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 90<sup>60</sup>

Jan 6 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Ninety <sup>60</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars.  
on account of Pay. P.O.  
balance

Roland Lacey.

Ch. No. 7950	Initials. EW
Pay Ledger. 142	Initials. awl.
Gen. Ledger.....	Initials.....

Regtl. No.

Rank

Frederick Green

No. 77

Rank *L/Chl*

Name

*Lacey R.S.*



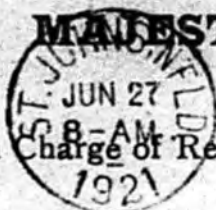


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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,



**Royal Nfld. Regt.,**

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**Dept. of Militia,**

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**St. John's, Nfld.**

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June 15th., 1921 1917.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 91), is forwarded herewith to

Lance Corporal Ronald Lacey

in respect of his service as No. 77 Rank L/Cpl.

Name Ronald Lacey Corps Royal Nfld. Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received \_\_\_\_\_

Signature R. Lacey

Date 15/6/21

Address 416 Water St. City

OCT 5

1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**

is/are forwarded herewith to

**Roland Lacey**

in respect of his service as No. **27** Rank **Pte.**

Name **R. Lacey** **Royal Nfld. Regt.**

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

*Roland S Lacey*

Signature

Date

*16/11/21*

Address

*416 Water St*

[P.T.O.]

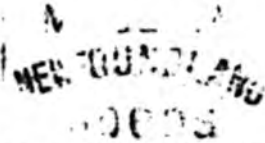
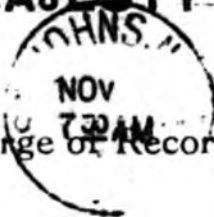


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***Dept. of Militia,***

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C.R. 77

COUNTER NO. \_\_\_\_\_

# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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**(NOT TRANSMITTED)**

Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated March 2nd, 1920.

To H.C. Janes,  
Casualty Officer,  
Dept. of Militia.

I find on enquiry from Post Master, Westport that registered letter addressed 77, L/C. Roland S. Lacey received there but was not returned to Militia Department again.

James Lacey  
of Wm. C. Lacey.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

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

C.R. ~~77~~ 77

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Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check
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*Dated* March 2nd 1920.

*To* James Lacey of Wm. C. Lacey.

La Scie.

Medal received from Post Office  
this morning.

W.F. RENDALL Lt. Col.

CHIEF STAFF OFFICER.

**FOR TYPEWRITER**

C.R. 77

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

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Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

*Dated* March 1st 1920.

*To* Wm. C. Lacey, LaSalle.

Medal addressed 77 LC. Roland S. Lacey Western Cove forwarded Registered Post December 9th. Have you received same or have you any knowledge that it has been received by Postmaster Western Cove. Reply immediately collect to

Charge to Dept. of Militia. H.C. Janes, Casualty Officer. Department of Militia.

FOR TYPEWRITER





# NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 2 Sent by 2R Rec'd by B Check 107 No. 173

Place from Lancaster

To Roland Lacey  
416 Water St

28 FEB 28 1920

*St Johns*

Empty letter randill  
when you joined  
he claims Star ribbon

*Wm C. Lacey*

RECEIPT.

C.R.

77 ?

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915  
STAR.

No

78

Name

Roland Lacey

Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Place \_\_\_\_\_

L. B.

C.R. 77

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

77 Pte. Ronald Stephen Lacey,

Discharged July 11th 1917, medically unfit

C.R. 77

Extract from roll of Officers N. C. O's  
and men DISCHARGED from the Royal Newfound-  
land Regiment.

Regtl.#	rank	name	date	Reason.
77	Pte.	Lacey Ronald Stephen	11/7/17	MED. UNFIT.

G.

15th August, 1916.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 17th July, intimating that you desire to have your son's body sent home from England, if his wound should prove fatal. Permit me to say that this is a matter with which the Government of the Colony have nothing to do. Such matters are left altogether in the hands of the Military Authorities in England. I know of no case where such action has been taken, and I really do not think that they would be able to carry such out.

However, I sincerely trust that your son will soon recover, and the chances are, nine to ten, that he will, as these gunshot wounds are seldom fatal.

Yours truly,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. William C. Lacey,  
Westport, White Bay.

# WFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check
To <i>Cal Sect St Johns</i>					

*Your message Received.*

*if my son dies of wound*

*i requier his Body sent home*

*Wm E. Lacey*

C.R. 77

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office, London,  
dated August 5, 1916.

From Officer Commanding, 3rd London General Hospital, to Officer  
i/c Records, Mfld. Contingent, 58 Victoria Street, S.W., In  
accordance with your memo of 30th June, I beg to inform you that  
the undermentioned man was transferred to the Con. Home on 2/8/16.

#77 L/Cpl. R. Lacey. ✓

To Brooklands Military Hospital Weybridge.

West Port July 17<sup>th</sup> 1916 9

Hon. sir. i thank you very much  
for your prompt information  
of my sons Been wounded at  
Wandsworth Hospital

But i regret that i could not get  
a wire to you in answer to yours  
and requesting to have his Bodley  
sent home to me in case his wound  
~~should~~ did prove fatal

i submitted the Enclosed message  
to the operator at west port but  
he refused to transmit it and  
said he had orders not to send  
any official message collect and  
i had not money to pre pay it  
this hon. sir seems to me to be

Economay with avengance  
again thanking you hon. sir.  
for your well meant kindness  
i remain yours sincerely

Wm. C. Lacey  
P.S. i want my sons Bodley sent home  
if wound proves fatal



COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated

July 5, 1916.

To

Mr. William C. Lacey.

Westport.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,  
London, officially reports No. 77, Private Ronald S. Lacey, is at Third London General Hospital, Wandsworth, suffering from gunshot wound in leg.

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

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 77

Extract of Cablegram received from London, dated  
5/7/16.

#77 Pte. Lacey. ✓

Gunshot wound Leg. at Wandsworth.

1907



CASUALTIES.

77, L/C. R. Lacey admitted 3rd. London General Hospital

4/7/18, G. S. W. right foot.

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Authority: Letter from L/C Lacey to O 1/c Records.



C.R.

77 J

C.R. 77

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated July 6, 1916.

#77 L/Cpl. R. Lacey. ✓

Gunshot wound rightfoot.

Admitted 3rd London, General Hospital, Wandsworth.  
July 4, 1916.

C.R. 77

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated July 11, 1916.

#77 L/Cpl. R. Lacey. ✓

Gunshot wound right foot.

To England per H.S. "Cambria" ex 8 Stationary Hospital,  
3rd July 1916.

C.R.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.

10th July 1916.

77, L/C R. Lacey. ✓

1/Newfoundland R. GS. R. Leg. Adm. 8 Sty. Hos.

Wimereux 3rd July 1916.

C.R. 77

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, dated July 31, 1916.

(Extract from Army Form B 213, from O.C. 1st, Wfld Regt.  
dated 11/7/16.)

#77 L/C. R. Lacey. ✓

Wounded in action ~~1/7/16~~ 1/7/16

C.R. 77

Extract from 22nd Nominal Roll 3rd Draft to B.E.F. arrived  
29, A.B.D. Rouen 30-3-16. Joined Battalion 15-4-16

#77 L/Cpl. R. Lacey.



C.R. 77

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No.3. from 8nd Bn. Depot  
to 1st Bn. B.E.F. embarked 28-3-16

77 L/Cpl. R.Lacey.

7  
FEB 18 1916

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that additional information has to-day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 77, Private Ronald S. Lacey, who was reported at Wandsworth on November 16th suffering from dysentery, was fit for duty and granted furlough on January 20th.

This information has been received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mr. William Lacey,  
Westport.

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~~December 10,~~ 1915.

Dear Sir,

I beg to inform you that additional information has to-day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that

No. 77, Private Ronald S. Lacey, who was previously reported as having arrived in England with dysentery, is now reported at Third London General Hospital, Wandsworth, November 16th.

This information was received by mail.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary

Mr. William Lacey,  
Westport.

✓  
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COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated  
November 22nd, 1915.  
Mr. William Lacey,  
Westport, White Bay.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,  
London, officially reports ~~No. 77, Private Ronald  
Stephen Lacey, has recently arrived in England, and  
is suffering from dysentery.~~  
Upon receipt of further information I shall immedi-  
ately wire you and trust that the next report will  
be of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT,

Colonial Secretary.

CR. 77

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and MEN of the Mediterranean  
Expeditionary Force, No: H. 3204, dated Nov. 22nd. 1915.

77 Pte. R. Lacey.

1st. Newfoundland.....Dysentery.....Adm. 3rd London  
General Hospital Nov. 15th. 1915.

C.R. 77

Extract of Daily Orders Part 11 <sup>from</sup> ~~by~~ Unit Newfoundland Regiment, Dated  
4/1/16.

77Pte. R. Lacey, B Co., ✓

Invalided to England and Adm. No. 3 London General Hospital, Wandsworth  
15/11/15, ... Auth. H. 3204.

C.R. 77  
Extract from Nominal Roll Co. 1st. Bn. Nfld. Regt.  
Embarked, at Devenport for Active Service 20-8-15

Disembarked Alexandria, 31-8-15, Proceeded to Abbassia,  
Cairo, same date, Embarked ~~for~~ Alexandria for Gallipoli  
13-9-15.

77 Pte. R. Lacey.

C.R.

77

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's per S.S?

Florizel, Oct. 4, 1914.

#77 Lacey Roland S.



C.R. 77

**Ron. Stev. Lacey**

was attested for General service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ..... Sept. <sup>4<sup>th</sup></sup> ~~2<sup>nd</sup>~~ 1914.  
Regimental No 77 was allotted to Pte. Ron. Stev. Lacey.

**AUTHORITY;**

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

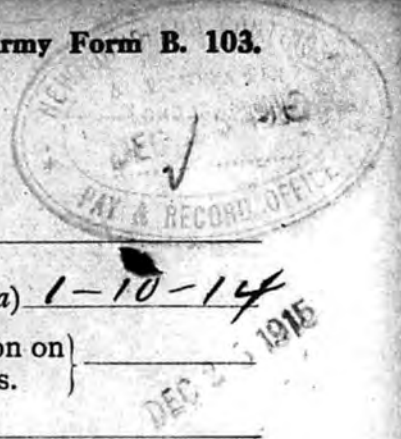
Regiment or Corps Newfoundland

Regimental No. 77 Rank pte Name Lacey, R.

Enlisted (a) 1-10-14 Terms of Service (a) one year. Service reckons from (a) 1-10-14

Date of promotion to } \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment } \_\_\_\_\_ Numerical position on } \_\_\_\_\_  
 present rank } \_\_\_\_\_ to lance rank } \_\_\_\_\_ roll of N.C.Os. } \_\_\_\_\_

Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged duration of war. Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 86, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 218, Army Form A. 86, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				

15/11/15.  
do.

		Embarked St. John's, N.F.L.D.		3/10/14.	
		Disembarked Alexandria		1/9/15.	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		13/9/15.	
	"Valdivia"	Admitted, Dysentery	H.S. "Valdivia"	28/10/15.	Auth. C 4411. #
	War Office	Invalidated to England & Admitted	3rd. London G.H., Wandsworth	15/11/15.	" H. 3204. JP

COPY SENT TO  
 O.C. H.Q.  
 ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.  
 No. 5285/54  
 JUN 1917

**H Parkhouse**  
 Captain,  
 Officer i/c Records, T. F. 6,  
 3rd. Echelon, M. E. F.

(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. [P.T.O.]

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

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Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland

Regimental No. 77 Rank L. Cpl Name R. Lacey

Enlisted (a) 2-10-14 Terms of Service (a) duration Service reckons from (a) 2-10-14

Date of promotion } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }  
to present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

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Date	From whom received				
		Emb'k'd Southampton		28.3.16	
		Disemb'k'd ROUEN		30.3.16	
	<i>8/4A</i>	<i>ESW Foot band</i>	<i>6.6.5</i>	<i>2.7.16</i>	<i>6 D 11968.</i>
	<i>8/4A</i>	<i>Co. ESW Rky.</i>	<i>Warrance</i>	<i>3.7.16</i>	<i>KA 539</i>
<p><i>St. Laurent</i></p>		<p>COPY SENT TO O.C. H.Q. ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D. N.F.P. 38, NO. <i>5280/24</i> 4 JUN 1917</p>		<p><i>8/4A</i> <i>Warrance</i> <i>3 JUL 1916</i> <i>W 3083</i></p>	
				<p><i>all Clerk</i> <b>CAPTAIN.</b> FOR O.I.C INFANTRY RECORDS G.H.Q.; 3<sup>rd</sup> ECHELON.</p>	

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