



# THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 1157 Name Walter D. ... Corps ...

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

1. What is your name? ..... 1. Walter D. ...
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. ...
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 3 Years ..... Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. ...
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. ....
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, Walter D. ... 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.

..... SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

..... Signature of Witness.

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

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

### CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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

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

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at ... on this ... day of ... 1915.

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 ... 1915 ..... } Approving Officer.

Place ... .....

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

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

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name T. J. [unclear]  
 Apparent age 20 years 0 months. Height 5 feet 7 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 inches  
 Range of expansion 3 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin [unclear]  
[unclear] | 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 Re-serve 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 <u>17.4.18</u>							
		Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>17th April 1918</u> <u>Newfoundland</u>							
		<u>Promoted L/C - 13.7.18</u>							
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

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



# 4 / THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT /

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 4459 Name Martin Bertum Corps Congregation

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

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|--|---------------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>Bert Martin</u>                 |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>Cor. Ordance &amp; Gower St</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>Yes</u>                         |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>23</u> Years .. Months          |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Accountant</u>                  |
| 6. Are you Married? .....  | 6. <u>No</u>                          |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? .....                             | 7. <u>No</u>                          |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....  | 8. <u>Yes</u>                         |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? .....   | 9. <u>Yes</u>                         |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? .....                                     | 10. Name ..<br>Corps ..               |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? ..... | 11. <u>Yes</u>                        |

I, Bertum Martin 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.

Bertum Martin SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

J. Raymond Signature of Witness.

Bertum Martin OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

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

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

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St John's on this 17 day of April 1918.

Signature of Attesting Officer W. James

† CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been compiled with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the .....

If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date April 17 1918 ..  
Place St. John's ..

Signature of Approving Officer W. James

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

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

Report 145-18

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Bert Martin  
 Apparent age 23 years 0 months. Height 5 feet 7 inches  
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 inches  
 Range of expansion 5 inches  
 Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Frank Martin  
Longway St Denver England Relationship Father  
 Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

## Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

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					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>17-4-1918</u>									<u>Launce. Hoop. 13<sup>7</sup>/<sub>18</sub></u>
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>April 17-1918</u>									
<del>Discharged with 6/1919 in UK</del>									
Report for duty <u>17-5-1918</u>									<u>Demobilization Hooley down Camp 6/1919</u>
Embarked <u>St. John's S.D. Columella</u> <u>22-7-1918</u>									
Honour demobilization leave from <u>7-2-1919</u> - <u>6-3-1919</u> to be discharged for <u>6th. 6-3-1919</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 6-3-1919 [date of discharge] 324 years 324 days  
 " " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "

C.R. 4459

Extract from Daily Orders Part II by Lt.Col. B.J.  
Barton, Commanding 2nd Batta, Royal Hfld.Regt. 16-3-19.

The following other ranks having been discharged  
in Great Britain, is struck off the strength as from  
10-3-19.

4459 L/Cpl. B.Martin.

C.R. 4459

Extract from Nominal Roll of Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Mar. 13th, 1919.

The discharge of the Undernoted in the United  
Kingdom on date stated is confirmed by the Officer  
i/c Records, London.

4459 I/Cpl. B. Martin

6-3-19.

C.R. 4459

Extract from Casualties received from Pay and  
Record Office, London dated 25 Feb. 1919.

The u/m to be discharged in the U. K. 6/3/19  
is granted demob. leave from 6/2/19 - 6/3/19.

4459 L/O. Martin.

## Department of Militia

## MEMORANDUM

No. 4459

From

MINISTER OF MILITIA,

ST. JOHN'S,

NEWFOUNDLAND

December 30. 1918

To

The Chief Paymaster & C i/o  
Records,Royal Wld. Regt.,  
Pay & Record Office,  
LONDON, S.W.

SUBJECT:

Re No. 4459, B. Martin.

REPLY

Dated

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Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

You were notified some time ago that the allotment on this man's account was paid up to July 31st. 1918.

I wish to state that the cheque forwarded to Mrs. Jas. F. Martin in payment for the month of July was returned to this Department.

Will you kindly adjust, and we will cancel the allotment cheque for July.

Allotment is therefore paid by this Department on this man's account up to June 30th. inclusive and not July 31st. as previously informed.



Minister of Militia



# Department of Militia

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## MEMORANDUM

C.R. 4459

No. 4459

From  
**MINISTER OF MILITIA,**  
ST. JOHN'S,  
NEWFOUNDLAND

To **The Chief Paymaster & O i/c**  
**Records,**

Royal Nfld. Regt.,  
Pay & Record Office,  
LONDON, S.W.

December 30, 1918

FWM/BC

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SUBJECT:

REPLY

Re No. 4459, B. Martin.

Dated 3rd February 1919.

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

You were notified some time ago that the allotment on this man's account was paid up to July 31st. 1918.

Adjustment has been made in Private's Martin's Account, please.

I wish to state that the cheque forwarded to Mrs. Jas. F. Martin in payment for the month of July was returned to this Department.

Will you kindly adjust, and we will cancel the allotment cheque for July.

Allotment is therefore paid by this Department on this man's account up to June 30th. inclusive and not July 31st. as previously informed.

*F. H. Marshall*  
Major,  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Rds.

*J. R. Bennett*

Minister of Militia

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C. 4459

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Artillery, dated July 25, 1914.

The following man embarked for overseas on R.M.S.  
"Columbia" July 22, 1914.

#4459 <sup>40</sup> Rte. Bertram Martin.

C.R.

4459

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment, dated April 18, 1918.

#4459 Pte. B. Martin.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Newfound-  
-land Regiment, St. John's, dated April 18, 1918.

To report. 17/5/18.

Reg. No. 4459 Rank Pte. Name Martin B. D. Co  
Attested J. H. 18 Address Cr. Ord name of Governor  
Allotment 1st Lt. Alloted Jas. F. Martin (Father)  
Date of Allotment 1-7-1918 Returned from Overseas  
Embarked for Overseas JUL 22 1918 Cause

Report 17.5.18 Reported 20/8

21-5-18 Vac  
13/8/18 Proc

13-7-18 Promoted to Lance Corporal.



Regtl. No. 4459 Rank Lance Corporal

Name Bertram Martin  
(Christian Names in full) (Surname)

Unit 2nd Battalion Regt. Royal Newfoundland Regiment.  
or Corps

**COVER**

**FOR**

**DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS.**

This space to be left blank for the Chelsea Number.

# Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. 4459 Army Rank Lance Corporal

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

Corps Royal Newfoundland

Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. 2nd  
(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 March 6<sup>th</sup> 1919

Place of discharge Hazley Down Camp Winchester Hants

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age 23 years 9 months  
 Height 5 feet 7 inches  
 Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded 35 ins.  
                                   range of expansion 5 ins.  
 Complexion Fair  
 Eyes Blue  
 Hair Dark  
 Trade Accountant  
 Intended place of residence { Torquay  
 (To be given as fully as practicable) { S. Devon

Descriptive marks.

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M. or M.	<u>4408/183</u>	<u>Sept. 19. 19</u>
O.C. 1st. Bn.		
2nd Bn.		

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

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

3. Military character:—

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

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2087\* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to\*

5. 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

*Nil*

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) Nazley Down Camp  
Winchelsea Hank Coy.  
(Date) 6. 11. 19.  
J. Barton  
Commanding 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REG. LIEUT. COLONEL

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

I 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) Nazley Down Camp  
Winchelsea Hank Coy.  
(Date) 7th February 1919  
Bertram Hartley (Signature of Soldier.)  
W. L. ... (Signature of Witness.)

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.

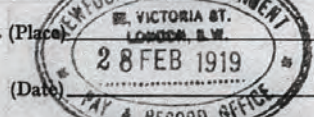
Bertram Hartley (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to 6/3-19 (the date to which the record of service is completed) ... years 32 days.  
Further service " " — (the date of confirmation of discharge) ... .. " ..  
Total ... .. 324 ..

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above named man is hereby confirmed for March 6th 1919 (date)



Signature  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS

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.)

War Service Gratuity ~~as laid down by instruction~~  
as authorized by the Government of Newfoundland.  
~~enacted on 15th September 1914.~~

Beitrans by act. L/Cpl 4459

Witness  
A. H. [Signature]

NOTE.—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (xvi. or xvii.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

In cases of soldier's not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to consideration for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

## Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps *Royal Newfoundlands* } Former Trade  
or Occupation }
2. Regtl. No. *4459* 3. Rank *Left* 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—  
(a) Former Regts. or Corps; with Regtl. No.
4. Name *MARTIN* *Belet*  
(Surname) (Christian Names)
5. Age last birthday *24 yrs.*
6. Posted for duty on *12.9.14* at *S. John*  
in category (or grade).....
8. If the disability is an injury was it caused  
(a) in action (b) on field service  
(c) on duty (d) off duty?
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state:—  
(a) When  
(b) Where  
(c) Opinion of Court  
(d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity (if any)

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M. of M.	<i>4459/183</i>	<i>Dec. 19. 19</i>
O.C. 1st. Br.		
" 2ND. Br.		
	(b) Date of Discharge;	
	(c) Cause of Discharge.	

NOTE.—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 a (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case.

### Statement of Case.

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here. (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "nil."  
*nil*

11. Date of origin of disability.
12. Place of origin of disability.
13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents.  
*nil*

14. State whether the disabilities are (a) attributable to (b) aggravated by
- (i.) Service during the present war .. .. . *na* .. .. .
- (ii.) Previous active service.. .. . *na* .. .. .
- (iii.) Climate in pre-war service .. .. . *na* .. .. .
- (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. . *na* .. .. .
- (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the } .. .. . *na* .. .. .  
 man's part.
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what } .. .. . *na* }  
 specific condition do you attribute it ?

In all cases such as facial injuries, eye, ear, nose and throat, disabilities, etc., a specialist's report is to be attached with radiographs where possible; and in cases of amputation the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition ?  
*(A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)*

*The complaint for disability*

16. Was an operation performed ? If so, when and what was its nature ? *na*
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined ? *na*
18. \*In the case of loss or decay of teeth,—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable ? *na*
19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions ? *na*

20. Do you recommend—  
 (a) Discharge as permanently unfit ?  
 (b) Change to United Kingdom ?  
*Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invalided at Foreign Stations.*

*Dist. C.  
 J. M. B. C.  
 Capt. Bore.*

Station ..... Medical Officer in charge of case.  
 Date .....

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

**OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.**

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

Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," etc., are to be avoided.

(ii.) *The rates of pension vary according to whether the disability is (a) caused or aggravated by service in the present war. (b) Due to causes not connected with the present war, viz., (1) Previous active service. (2) Climatic diseases in pre-war service. (3) Ordinary military service before the war. It is, therefore, essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.*

21. Give diagnosis and particulars of:—

- (a) Any disability claimed or discovered.
- (b) The present condition thereof.

*ail*  
*The complaint of no disability occurs from military service.*

22. State whether the disabilities are:—

- (i) Service during the present war .. .. .
- (ii.) Previous active service.. .. .
- (iii.) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .
- (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .
- (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the part of the soldier .. .. .

(a) Attributable to

(b) Aggravated by

.....	.....
.....	.....
.....	.....
.....	.....
.....	.....

Give details:

22 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do the Board attribute it? .. .. .

*na.*  
.....

23. Is the disability in a final stationary condition? If not

- (a) How long is the present degree of disability likely to last?
- (b) If the present degree of disability is not likely to last 12 months can a further assessment at a reduced rate be made with reasonable confidence to cover a period of 12 months in all? If so, the reduced percentage and the period to which it will be applicable should be indicated in the answer to Question 24a.

*na.*  
*na.*  
*na.*

24. (a) What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed at present, independent of hospital or other treatment. (Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or Nil) (Vide Royal Warrant of 17/4/18 issued as A.O. 162 of 1918, and Instructions to Pension Boards) (assessment to be stated in words as well as figures).
- (b) In case of aggravation or where there is any evidence that there was a disability on entry, what in your opinion was the degree of disablement which existed at the time of joining the Army?

no

no

no

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

If the Military Member is in disagreement with the Civilian Members, he is to state his opinion in the space provided.

26. (a) Do the Board recommend discharge as physically unfit for further War Service, i.e., do they place him in Grade IV. only?

Opinion of Military Member in case of disagreement.

OR

- (b) In what other grade do the Board place him?  
 (c) Do the Board recommend change to the United Kingdom (in the case of a soldier invalided at a foreign station)?

Academy

Only to be answered when the soldier is placed in other than Grade IV.

27. Do the Board find that the soldier has suffered any impairment in health since his entry into the Service?

no

28. Is treatment being recommended on Army Form B. 179c?

no

29. Does the soldier require:—

- (a) An attendant for his journey home?  
 (b) Transport from railway station to his home?  
 (c) The constant attendance of another person in his own home?

no

Signatures:—

Station *Hughes Drunk*  
 Date *10 Feb 1919*

*[Handwritten signatures]*  
 President or Chairman.  
 Members.

Discharge Approved under Para. 392 (xvi) King's Regulations.

Station .....  
 Date .....

Officer in charge, Central Hospital.

Only applicable in cases of Patients in Hospitals.

OR

Discharge Approved under Para. 392 ( ) King's Regulations.  
 or Transfer Approved to Class of the Reserve.

(insert sub-para. King's Regulations under which discharge is approved or insert W. or W.(T), P. or P.(T)).

Station .....  
 Date .....

O.C. Discharge Centre.

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Martin OF Christian Name Reston

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish St John's County Newfoundland

	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
Examined	on <u>17<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>April</u> 191 <u>8</u>	at <u>St John's</u>	on	day of 191
Declared Age	<u>23</u> years	<u>23</u> days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	<u>Accountant</u>			
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>7</u> inches	feet	inches
Weight		<u>132</u> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>35</u> inches			inches
	Range of Expansion... <u>5</u> inches			inches
Physical Development				

	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks	<u>10 yrs ago</u>			
	<u>1 seen</u>			

When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V= <u>6/10</u> L.E.—V= <u>6/10</u>		R.E.—V= <u>6/10</u> L.E.—V= <u>6/10</u>	

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Approved by (Signature) Samuel Paterson  
(Rank) Major Medical Officer.

Enlisted at St John's on 17<sup>th</sup> day of April 1918

Joined on Enlistment... The Herald Unit 59  
Nfld Regt

Became non-effective by on day of 191 on day of 191

[Signature] [Rank]

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

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
<p>Vacc 21-5-18.            30c 7/2            8 x 1 1/4            22 x 1 1/4</p>	<p>TAB            TAB            TAB</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





FORM K

No 4068 A



# 1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, Bert Martin, Regl. No. 4459

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of Fifty Dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ Cents, per diem, from my Pay,

to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup><sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup><sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz. :

Allotment begins July 1. 1918

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
4252	Wife	Gas F. Martin	Petworth Hotel Chestnut Ave. Torquay South Devon	50 <sup>00</sup>
			Total Allotment, \$	50 <sup>00</sup>

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

Sig.) HG James 2/Lt  
Officer Commanding  
J. John W. D. Company  
June 12<sup>th</sup>  
1918

(Sig.) Bert Martin  
(Rank) Private

## NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

## DEMobilIZATION

COPIES SENT		
To	No.	DATE
M. OF M.	4408/83	Dec. 19.3.19
O.C. 1st. BN		
" 2nd. BN		

This Form to be completed and signed by members of the Newfoundland Contingent who elect to take their discharge in the United Kingdom.

I, (No.) 4459 (Rank) L/Cpl (Name) B. Martin  
of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, in view of my being demobilized in the United Kingdom in accordance with my own wish, hereby affirm:

- (1) That I have no relatives or other persons in the Dominion of Newfoundland dependent upon me for support in any form whatsoever.
- (2) That I absolve the Newfoundland Government and/or any of its representatives from any liability whatsoever, civil and/or military, in respect of my repatriation or that of my family to Newfoundland at this or any future date.

Martin  
Jan 30<sup>th</sup> 1919.

Signature

B. Martin

Rank

L/Cpl

Signature )  
of )  
Witness )

M. King Cpl

A. MACPHERSON, PRESIDENT  
J. FRANK MARTIN, VICE-PRESIDENT

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

P.O. Box 696  
TELEPHONE 591

# Martin = Royal Stores = Hardware Co. Ltd.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.  
OFFICE.  
9871  
1913

Chief Paymaster  
Royal Rifle Regiment

St. John's, N.S.

Dear Sir With reference to my some  
attainment pay, I am in receipt of Identity  
Certificate mailed to me from St. John's but  
was not correctly addressed, therefore will  
please make same right as below, I understand  
payments on this are made from the London office.

Add  
J. Frank Martin  
Petworth Hotel  
Chestnut Ave.  
Torquay,  
S. Devon,

Yours truly  
J. Frank Martin

on get L/P/B.D. Martin # 4457.

1152/1/Demob.

20th January

9

J. F. Martin, Esq.,  
39, Bedford Square,  
London, W. C.

Sir,                    4459, Pte. B. W. Martin,  
                          Royal Newfoundland Regt.,

With reference to this Office No. 21001/1/Demob. of 18/12/18, regarding the demobilization of your son, No. 4459, Pte. Martin, B. W. presently serving with the 2nd Battalion, Royal Newfoundland Regt., authority has now been received from the Minister of Militia, to discharge men of the Newfoundland Contingent in this Country, provided that it is assured that dependants in Newfoundland, are provided for, when such exist. All claims against Government of Newfoundland for repatriation, should be waived on discharge.

The O. C. 2nd Bn. has notified this Office, that he is prepared to release Pte. Martin from Military Service, so if you will kindly state whether you wish your son to be discharged in accordance with the above named conditions, the matter of his demobilization, may be proceeded with at once.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c "records,

JF/S

**MEMORANDUM.**

No. 184/36/Demob.

From

To **Officer Commanding,  
2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Winchester, Hants.**

From **Officer Commanding,  
2nd Bn. Royal Nfld Regt.,  
Winchester.**  
To **Chief Paymaster,  
Royal Nfld Regt.,  
London.**

**ANSWER.**

pay & Record Office,

Hazeley Down Camp,

4th January 1918

January 6th 1919.

Demobilization.

Release of: 4459, Pte. B.W. Martin,

4459 Pte B.W. Martin.

Copy of letter from J. F. Martin, Esq., of the Martin Royal Hardware Stores, Ltd., presently residing in this Country, and my reply thereto are attached for information.

No decision regarding release prior to general demobilization has yet been arrived at, beyond the Minister of Militia's ruling that pivotal men are not specially required in Newfoundland at this season (see my reply to your No. 186) It would appear that special sanction would have to be obtained in this case.

In the meantime perhaps you would be good enough to inform this Office whether Pte. Martin is in Cat. A. 1. whether he has yet been Overseas, and whether you approve of his release for Civil Employment, please, in view of the possible demand for reinforcements for 1st Battalion.

Martin is unfit (permanently) for service overseas - though he has not yet been there. I would approve of his release for civil employment as soon as authority can be obtained.

*Leyman's List*  
for

**LIEUT. COLONEL,  
COMMANDING 2ND. BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.**

*[Signature]*  
Major,  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Rds.

JF/S

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
Ref. Nos. IN	267
Rec'd	JAN 1919
Ack'd.	
Ref. Nos. OUT	
PREPARED BY	
COPIED	
FILED	
R. & O.	
B. & E.	
P.S.	

18th December

8

J. F. Martin, Esq.,  
39, Bedford Square,  
London.

21001/1/Demob.

4459, Pte. B. W. Martin.

Your letter of December 16th 1918, (10920), relative to the release of No.4459, Pte. Martin, B.W. in order to resume civil occupation, has been received. A reply will be communicated to you as soon as the authorities concerned have arrived at a decision, regarding the Demobilization of pivotal men.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records, Major,

JF/S

10920

39 Bedford Square  
London

Dec 16/18

To  
Chief Paymaster & Records  
Newfoundland Contingent  
55 Victoria Street

London E.C.1.

Sir

I wish to make application for the release of my son No 4454 Pte B.W. Martin 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn Royal Suffolk Regiment from service with his Regiment in order that he may resume his civil occupation.

The head of one of our departments has recently resigned and it is of the utmost importance that my son should take his place at the earliest possible moment.

If the Military Authorities will approve my son's release, I can guarantee that he will at once commence <sup>work</sup> of such a nature as will entail a brief business training in this country to fit him for the handling of important affairs in connection with our business (interest) in Newfoundland.

On these grounds I presume my son could be regarded as a "Privat" man

and I understand that authority has  
already been given or is about to be  
given for the release of such men, up  
to a certain point.

I should be glad if you would  
kindly forward this application to the  
proper authority for consideration with  
the least possible delay, as my son's  
services are urgently required.

I am

Sir

Yours truly

J. Frank Martin



2349/2/Demob.

11th February

9

J. F. Martin, Esq.,  
Petworth Hotel,  
Torquay.

Dear Mr. Martin,

4459, Pte. B. W. Martin.

I have been away from this office for a few days, and have just received your letter of 6/2/19. I understand that the men of the Newfoundland Contingent to be demobilized in the United Kingdom, have already been medically boarded at Winchester, and released for civil occupation, so I presume your son was discharged while your letter was on its way to me. If this is not the case will you please communicate with me at once, and I shall take the matter up with the O. C. 2nd Battalion.

Yours faithfully,

JF/S

2349/2

Peter Hotel  
Forquay

Dear Capt Fox

It is now some two weeks since I signed up release forms connected with my sons (B.W. Martin's) discharge from the Regiment.

Will you please let me know when he will likely be discharged which I hope will be very soon because I urgently need him on business matters connected with our business.

Your kind attention to this matter will greatly oblige

Yours sincerely,  
J. Frank Martin

NEWFOUNDLAND GOVERNMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,	
Ref. Nos. 11	1811
Rec'd	24 JAN 1919
Act'd	
Ref. Nos. 001	
By	
By	
C. & G.	
R. & C.	
B. & F.	
S. & S.	

Petworth Hotel  
 Chestnut Ave  
 Torquay.  
 S. Devon,

Chief Paymaster & Officer of Records  
 Dear Sir

Replying to yours  
 of the 20<sup>th</sup> inst 1182/1 Demob with  
 reference to the demobilization of  
 my son No 4489 Pte R.D. Martin.

I desire that he shall be  
 released as soon as possible in  
 England subject to the conditions  
 stated, namely that all claims  
 against the Government of Newfoundland  
 for repatriation shall be waived  
 on discharge.

Yours truly  
 J. Frank Martin

Jan 23/19

# HAMMERMILL BOND

## RE M I N D E R

PASSED FOR INFORMATION	
BRANCH	NOTED BY
PAY LEDGERS	✓
NOM. ROLL	<del>Handwritten signature</del>
ALLOCMENTS	
SEP. ALLOC.	
PENSIONS	<del>Handwritten signature</del>
RECORDS	
Ledgers	
Nom. Roll	
POSTAL	

Please initial all documents  
FIRST and this Sheet after-  
wards. Finally return to  
CENTRAL REGISTRY for filing.

# Department of Militia

## MEMORANDUM

No. 4459

From  
MINISTER OF MILITIA,  
ST. JOHN'S,  
NEWFOUNDLAND  
December 30. 1918

To  
The Chief Paymaster & O I/c  
Records,  
Royal Wfld. Regt.,  
Pay & Record Office,  
LONDON, S.W.

FWM/BC

SUBJECT:

Re No. 4459, B. Martin.

REPLY

Dated 3rd February 1919

Please return ORIGINAL and retain DUPLICATE

You were notified some time ago that the allotment on this man's account was paid up to July 31st, 1918.

I wish to state that the cheque forwarded to Mrs. Jas. F. Martin in payment for the month of July was returned to this Department.

Will you kindly adjust, and we will cancel the allotment cheque for July.

Allotment is therefore paid by this Department on this man's account up to June 30th, inclusive and not July 31st, as previously informed.

Minister of Militia

Adjustment has been made in Private's Martin's Account, please.

F. H. M. Capt. Major.  
Chief Paymaster & O. I. c. Recds.

RECEIVED
PAY & RECORD OFFICE
10000
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# Department of Militia

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ST. JOHN'S,  
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*J. F. M. Cash*  
Major,  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Rds.

*J. R. V. Bennett*

Minister of Militia

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE  
REF. NO. 4459  
21 JAN 1919  
780  
[Handwritten signature]

-- Statement of this man's  
War Service Gratuity has  
been transferred to hpld.

File away. EA 30-5-19.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTCLAIM FORWAR SERVICE GRATUITY

A complete reply must be given to every question. If any questions are not applicable the words "Not applicable" should be written opposite the question. There must be no blanks or dashes.

1. REGIMENTAL PARTICULARS:	Date of Enlistment <u>17/24/18</u> Regtl No. <u>459</u>
(a) Rank on Discharge or Retirement. (State whether Acting or Substantive)	Unit <u>Royal Newfound Regt.</u> <u>Lance Corporal</u>
(b) Christian Names	<u>Bertram</u>
(c) Surname	<u>Martin</u>
(d) Date of Discharge or Retirement.	<u>6/3/19.</u>
2. Address in full to which future payments of Gratuity are to be forwarded.	<u>Petworth Hotel</u> <u>Chequer Avenue</u> <u>Trinity</u>
3. Name of Dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance was being issued immediately prior to Discharge.  Relationship.  Address.	<u>Not Applicable</u>
4. Rate of Separation Allowance  Rate of Allotment	<u>Not applicable</u> dollars per month <u>91.0.</u> Dollars Cents per day
5. Is said Dependent now, or was said Dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another Soldier?	<u>Not applicable</u>
6. Were you at any time on the strength of for Pay & Allowances of the Newfoundland Forestry Corps? If so, give dates of Service.	<u>No.</u>
7. TOTAL SERVICE IN:  (a) Royal Newfoundland Regt.  (b) Newfoundland Forest Corps	<u>324 days.</u> <u>Nil.</u>
8. Were you at the time of enlistment a civil employee of the Newfoundland Government? If so, state Department. Are you returning to such employment on being demobilized?	<u>No.</u>
9. Have you or your dependents received any payment of Post Discharge Pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amounts received, and by whom paid.	<u>No.</u>



10. Have you, during the present War, served in the Imperial Forces?  
 If so, are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity from the Imperial Funds in respect of such service?  
 State amount received or to which you are entitled. No.
11. Did you at any time serve at the Front in an actual Theatre of War? If so, give particulars and dates. No.
12. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge? If so, what Class? No.
13. Have you received allowance in lieu of civilian clothes? If so, state amount, date and by whom paid. Yes. \$60<sup>00</sup> from  
C.C. 2nd Bn.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing statements are to the best of my knowledge and belief true in all respects.

Signature of Applicant Bestram Martin  
 Place of Residence Petworth Hotel Chiswick Avenue  
 Date 6/3/19 Troy

NOTE:- The space hereunder is for completion by the Pay & Record Office, and must not be written on by Applicant.

Period for which Gratuity is awarded Years service and under 1 Year  
 Rate of Gratuity 92 days @ \$70<sup>00</sup> in lieu of each payment of 30 or 31 days  
 Proportion payable to Dependent Nil  
 Proportion payable to Applicant \$210<sup>00</sup>

MEMORANDUM OF PAYMENTS

Issuing Office	Date	AMOUNT		Verified by	Remarks
		Dependent	Applicant		
<u>P.20 Loner</u>	<u>6/3/19</u>	<u>Nil</u>	<u>70.00</u>	<u>BSM</u>	

Rate of Gratuity verified by BSM Amount recoverable from Imperial Funds in respect of service in the Newfoundland Forestry Corps Not applicable  
 Claim passed by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Completed by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Amt due on acct of civilian clothes \$ Nil Period of service \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rate per month \_\_\_\_\_  
 Checked by \_\_\_\_\_

# DUPLICATE

## LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94.

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 28/5/17.

Regtl No. 4489 Rank L/Cpl Name Martin B.W. Unit Royal Nfld who was discharged in  
United Kingdom on 6/3/19 Authority Demobilisation. Cause

### STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

	PARTICULARS				PARTICULARS							
	P	A	C	D	P	A	C	D				
To	Balance Dr. from P & A C. S. 19				Balance Cr. from							
				85	Pay days @ £							
	Allotment days @				Field Allowance days @ £							
	Cash Payments: <sup>70</sup>				Other Allowances days @ £ <sup>70</sup>							
	Cheque 3445 for <sup>70</sup> £90.00 paid 70 00				War Service Gratuity <sup>70</sup> £90.00							
	6.3.19 in respect of War Service Gratuity.				per mth, 92 days P & Allowances.							
	Other Debits:				Other Credits:							
					210 00							
PERIOD: FROM	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> <p style="margin: 0;">CHECKED</p> <p style="margin: 0;"><i>29/5/19</i></p> <p style="margin: 0;"><i>nm</i></p> </div>				Total Debits				Total Credits			
					70 65				210 00			
					139 35				210 00			
					£210 00				£210 00			
To	Balance due by Paymaster				Balance due to Paymaster							

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of

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(Place) \_\_\_\_\_ (Date) \_\_\_\_\_ O.C. " " Company. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Made up and checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary. London to 29 5 19  
 Pay & Record Office, London, S.W. 1. Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.



LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./94.

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer, with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance

Regtl No. 4156 Rank L/C Name Martini B. Unit 2<sup>nd</sup> B. Coy 14<sup>th</sup> Bn. who was referred discharged  
 for amalgamation in U.K. 7/2/19 Authority \_\_\_\_\_ Cause \_\_\_\_\_

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

PARTICULARS		\$	¢	£	s	d	PARTICULARS		\$	¢	£	s	d
Balance Dr. from							Balance Cr. from						
Allotment 21 days @ 50¢		10	50	2	3	2.	Pay 21 days @ \$ 1.25		22	05			
Cash Payments:							Field Allowance 21 days @ 1/10¢		2	10			
1 <sup>st</sup> Pay 24/1/19					15	0	Blatting allowance		60	00			
2 <sup>nd</sup> Pay 1/2/19					15		Other Allowances 28 days @ \$ 65¢		18	20			
Squaring of c/c 7/2/19				20	2	0	Pay less allotment						
Other Debits:							Other Credits:						
Barrack Damages							Ration allowance 28 days @ 2/1		102	35	21	0	7.
Miscellaneous Stoppages											2	18	4
Total Debits				23	18	11	Total Credits				23	18	11
Balance due by Paymaster							Balance due <del>to</del> Paymaster						

PERIOD: FROM 18/1/19 TO 7/2/19

Cancelled and follow

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of

B.Co.  
Regency Down by Winchester 7/2/1919  
 (Place) (Date)

W. H. Long  
 O.C. "B" Company.

Made up and checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

HAMMERMILL  
BOND

Amalgam  
Statement of Gustavus  
forwarded to NPL  
5-6-19

W. E. H. 5-6-19

NO. OF BS

File

RECEIVED AND CONFIRMED  
PAID & DEPOSITED  
J 3091

W.P.K.  
E.H. 29/5/19

Petworth Hotel  
Chestnut Ave  
Lorquay  
Apr 22/19

Dear Sir:-

As I am leaving here and am sailing on the  
S/S Digby on Saturday for St. John's, would you  
kindly forward a cheque for amounts due me, to  
the Undermentioned address and oblige.

C/o Martini-Royal Stores Hardware Co; Ltd  
St. John's. N. F. L. D.

Yours truly

Ex 4459 Bill Martini

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Statement of Gratuity & Dr. Bal. Pk  
a. Acct. transferred M/d E.H. 29.5.19

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Martin, B

4459

Hay Sept.



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT  
DISCHARGE DEPOT

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

June 17th, 1919.....

From Adjutant,  
Discharge Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,  
Militia Department

Herewith, please, original of last Pay Certificate on N.F. P/94 of 4459 L/C. B.W. Martin. This N.C.O. has never reported here but returned some time ago on the "Digby", having been demobilised in England.

*K. R. Coofee*  
*Capt i Adjnt*

LRC/C



ORIGINAL

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

LAST P.N.F.P./94

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

Regt No. 4459 Rank L/Cpl Name Martin B.W. Unit Royal Nfld Name who was discharged in United Kingdom on 6 / 3 / 19 Authority Demobilisation. Cause / / Authority

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

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PERIOD: From	PARTICULARS				£	s	d	PERIOD: To	PARTICULARS				£	s	d
	£	s	d						£	s	d				
TO	Balance Dr. from P & A 6.3.19		65					Balance Cr. from							
	Allotment days @							Pay days @							
	Cash Payments:							Field Allowance days @							
	Cheque 3445 for \$100.00 paid 6.3.19 in respect of War Service Gratuity.	70	00					Other Allowances days @							
	Other Debits:							War Service Gratuity \$100.00 per mth, 92 days P & Allices.				210	00		
								Other Credits:							
								Total Credits				210	00		
	Total Debits	70	65					Balance due to Paymaster							
	Balance due by Paymaster	139	35												
		\$210	00									\$210	00		

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay-Book of


(Place) 191 (Date) 191 (Place) 191

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COPY.

### Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. <u>4439</u>	Army Rank <u>Lance Corporal</u>
Name <u>Martin Bertman</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
Corps <u>ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.</u>	
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <u>2nd Br Hazelley Down Camp</u> <small>(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &amp;c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)</small>	
Date of discharge <u>March 6<sup>th</sup> 1919</u>	
Place of discharge <u>Hazelley Down Camp Winchester, Hants.</u>	
1. <u>Description at the time of discharge.</u>	
Age <u>23</u> years <u>9</u> months Height <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches Chest measure- ment { girth when fully expanded <u>35</u> ins. range of expansion <u>5</u> ins. Complexion <u>Fair</u> Eyes <u>Blue</u> Hair <u>Dark</u> Trade <u>Accountant</u>	Descriptive marks. 
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable) <u>Longway S. Devon</u> <small>(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)</small>	
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>Demobilisation</u>	
<small>(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)</small>	
3. Military character :—	
4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations :—	
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg); font-size: small; margin-right: 5px;">To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; flex-grow: 1; min-height: 100px;"></div> </div>	
<small>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.</small>	
<small>Initials of Commanding Officer.</small>	
<small>Army Form B. 2088 has been issued to*</small>	

5. He is in possession of the following number of G.O. 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 personally inquired into all matters brought before me in accordance with Regulations.

(Place) Hazley Down Camp

(Date) 6. 2. 19

Commanding 2nd Battn. R. R. R. Regiment.

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

I 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 ~~responsibility~~ of the claims noted on the 3rd page.

(Place) Hazley Down Camp

(Date) 7th February 1919

Bertie Martin (Signature of Soldier.)  
W. P. Long Capt. (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

Bertie Martin (Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

Service towards engagement to 6/3/19 (the date to which the record of service is completed) \_\_\_\_\_ years 324 days.

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

Total ... " " 324 "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for March (date) 6th 1919 NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

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

(Date) 28.2.19

W. P. Long Capt.  
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS

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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War Gratuity as authorized by the Govern-  
ment of Newfoundland

Cpl. Herbert Martin 44879

Witness

Cpl. [Signature]

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENTDEMOBILIZATION

This Form to be completed and signed by members of the Newfoundland Contingent who elect to take their discharge in the United Kingdom.

I, (No.) 4459 (Rank) L/Cpl. (Name) B. Hyatt  
of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, in view of my being demobilized in the United Kingdom in accordance with my own wish, hereby affirm:

- (1) That I have no relatives or other persons in the Dominion of Newfoundland dependent upon me for support in any form whatsoever.
- (2) That I absolve the Newfoundland Government and/or any of its representatives from any liability whatsoever, civil and/or military, in respect of my repatriation or that of my family to Newfoundland at this or any future date.

St. John's  
January 30<sup>th</sup> 1919.

Signature B. Hyatt

Rank L/Cpl.

Signature )  
of )  
Witness )

W. M. ...

NOTE.—This Form is only to be forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions in cases of discharge under para. 392 (xvi. or xvii.), King's Regulations, and in cases of discharge under para. 392 (vi.), King's Regulations, when the soldier has suffered impairment in health since his entry into military service, or in cases of transfer to Class P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.  
 In cases of soldiers not discharged or transferred to the Reserve as above, but who are qualified by length of service to consideration for a Service Pension this Form is to be sent to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, S.W. 3.

# Medical Report on a Soldier Boarded Prior to Discharge or Transfer to Class W., W. (T), P., or P. (T), of the Reserve.

1. Unit and Corps. *Royal Newfoundland Regt* }  
 7. Former Trade or Occupation }
2. Regtl. No. *44593* 3. Rank..... 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—  
 (a) Former Regts. or Corps ; with Regtl. Nos.
4. Name *MARTIN* *BERTRAM*  
 (Surname) (Christian Names)
5. Age last birthday... *24*...
6. Posted for duty on... *17/4/18* at... *St John's Hb.*  
 in category (or grade).....
8. If the disability is an injury was it caused  
 (a) in action (b) on field service  
 (c) on duty (d) off duty ?
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state :—  
 (a) When (b) Date of Discharge ;  
 (b) Where (c) Cause of Discharge.  
 (c) Opinion of Court (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity (if any)

NOTE.—The foregoing particulars are to be filled in and A.F.B. 179 B (statement by the soldier) completed before the soldier is seen by the Officer in charge of the case.

### Statement of Case.

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer in charge of the case. In answering them he will take care to confine himself exclusively to the medical aspect of the case and to such information as may be recorded in the invalid's military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish and clearly state when cases are due to venereal disease.

10. If brought forward for invaliding, disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed to be stated here.  
 (Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19). If no disability enter "nil."  
*nil*
11. Date of origin of disability.
12. Place of origin of disability.
13. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability in so far as it is recorded in the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case and in other relevant official documents.  
*nil*

14. State whether the disabilities are
- |  | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war .. .. .                | nil                 |                   |
| (ii.) Previous active service.. .. .                       | na                  |                   |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .                  |                     |                   |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .     |                     |                   |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the man's part. } |                     |                   |
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do you attribute it? }

In all cases such as facial injuries, eye, ear, nose and throat, disabilities, &c., a specialist's report is to be attached with radiographs where possible; and in cases of amputation the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition?  
*(A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)*

nil

16. Was an operation performed? If so, when and what was its nature?

no

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

18. \*In the case of loss or decay of teeth,—Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease directly attributable to active service or through service under such conditions that dental treatment was unobtainable?

na  
na

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding. State whether or not they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war, and if so, to what or by what specific military conditions?

na

20. Do you recommend—

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit?  
 (b) Change to United Kingdom?

Note—(b) is only applicable to soldiers invalided at Foreign Stations.

*Discharge for benevolence  
 J. S. [unclear] Capt.  
 Ramsey*

Station *Hazley Down Camp*  
*Manchester*

Date .....

Medical Officer in charge of case.

\* 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

**OPINION OF THE MEDICAL BOARD.**

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

Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," etc., are to be avoided.

(ii.) *The rates of pension vary according to whether the disability is (a) caused or aggravated by service in the present war. (b) Due to causes not connected with the present war, viz., (1) Previous active service. (2) Climatic diseases in pre-war service. (3) Ordinary military service before the war. It is, therefore, essential when assigning the cause of a disability to differentiate between them.*

21. Give diagnosis and particulars of:—

- (a) Any disability claimed or discovered.
- (b) The present condition thereof.

*Complains of no disability accruing from military service.*

22. State whether the disabilities are:—

- (i) Service during the present war .. .. .
- (ii) Previous active service .. .. .
- (iii) Climate in pre-war service .. .. .
- (iv) Ordinary military service before the war .. .. .
- (v) Serious negligence or misconduct on the part of the soldier .. .. .

(a) Attributable to

(b) Aggravated by

*nil* .. .. .  
*na* .. .. .  
*na* .. .. .  
*na* .. .. .  
*na* .. .. .

Give details:

22 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do the Board attribute it? .. .. .

*nil* .. .. .

23. Is the disability in a final stationary condition? If not

(a) How long is the present degree of disability likely to last?

*nil*  
*na*

(b) If the present degree of disability is not likely to last 12 months can a further assessment at a reduced rate be made with reasonable confidence to cover a period of 12 months in all? If so, the reduced percentage and the period to which it will be applicable should be indicated in the answer to Question 24a.

*na*



24. (a) What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed at present, independent of hospital or other treatment. (Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or Nil) (Vide Royal Warrant of 17/4/18 issued as A.O. 162 of 1918, and Instructions to Pension Boards) (assessment to be stated in words as well as figures). nil
- (b) In case of aggravation or where there is any evidence that there was a disability on entry, what in your opinion was the degree of disablement which existed at the time of joining the Army?

25. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable? no

If the Military Member is in disagreement with the Civilian Members, he is to state his opinion in the space provided.

26. (a) Do the Board recommend discharge as physically unfit for further War Service, i.e., do they place him in Grade IV. only? Opinion of Military Member in case of disagreement.
- OR
- (b) In what other grade do the Board place him? A Category
- (c) Do the Board recommend change to the United Kingdom (in the case of a soldier invalided at a foreign station)?

Only to be answered when the soldier is placed in other than Grade IV.

27. Do the Board find that the soldier has suffered any impairment in health since his entry into the Service? nil

28. Is treatment being recommended on Army Form B. 179c? na

29. Does the soldier require:—

- (a) An attendant for his journey home? na.
- (b) Transport from railway station to his home?
- (c) The constant attendance of another person in his own home?

Signatures:—

Station Hozly Brown Camp, Winchester

Date 4.1.19

*[Handwritten signatures and names]*  
 } President or Chairman.  
 } Members.

Discharge Approved under Para. 392 (xvi) King's Regulations.

Station .....

Officer in charge, Central Hospital.

Date .....

} Only applicable in cases of Patients in Hospitals.

OR

Discharge Approved under Para. 392 ( ) King's Regulations. or Transfer Approved to Class of the Reserve.

(insert sub-para. King's Regulations under which discharge is approved or insert W. or W.(T), P. or P.(T)).

Station .....

O.C. Discharge Centre.

Date .....



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
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July 15 1919

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
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balance

B. W. Martin

Ch. No. 3024	Initials. EW
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Gen. Ledger	Initials.

Regtl. No. 4459 Rank S/ Cpl.

No. 4459

Rank Lieut

Name Bro Martin



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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,



*Royal Nfld. Regt.*

*Dept. of Militia,*

**ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.**

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Fold Here



OCT 15 1921.

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

is/are forwarded herewith to

Bertram Martin

in respect of his service as No. 4459 - Rank Pte.

Name B. Martin Royal Nfld. Regt.  
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received With thanks

Signature B. D. Martin

Date Nov 3/21

Address St. John's Branch Hill Rd. Torquay, E. Devon  
England

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms  
B 121.  
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Number of Sheet one

Regiment of The Royal Rifles

Signature of O. C. Company G. James Hunt

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay	
No.	<u>4459</u>	Age on	<u>23</u> years <u>1</u> months	Accountant	<u>13-7-8 Promoted to Lance Corporal</u>	
No. <u>Herbrom Martin</u> Joined _____ Date _____ Joined _____ Date _____ Joined _____ Date _____ Joined _____ Date _____		Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St John</u> <u>17-1-18</u>	Religion		
		Period of	with Colours <u>324</u> years. with Reserve <u>365</u> years.	Congre	<small>REG. BY ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE</small>	
				Place of Birth	<u>St John</u>	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness.	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<p style="font-size: 1.2em;">Demobilized Hazelton Down Camp</p> <p style="font-size: 1.2em;">Wanchester 6 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>19</sub></p>					

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.