



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 6141 Name James Thomas May Corps Cpl

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

1. What is your name? James Thomas May
2. What is your full Address? 413
3. Are you a British Subject? Yes
4. What is your age? 19 Years 4 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? Fisherman
6. Are you Married? No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? Yes
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? Yes

I, James Thomas May 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.

James Thomas May SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
W. J. [Signature] Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, James Thomas May 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 stated 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 5 day of Sept 1918

[Signature] 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 413

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

Date 6-9-1918
 Place St. John's } Approving Officer.
[Signature]

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

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

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

6141

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

Name James W. May

Apparent age 19 years 7 months. Height 5 feet 5 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 inches
 Range of expansion 2 1/2 inches

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin John May

Solly Case Top Street Relationship Father

Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									<div style="font-size: 2em; font-family: cursive;">Discharged January 30th 1919</div>
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ [date of discharge] _____ years _____ days									
" " Pensions " _____ [" "] _____ " _____ "									

C.R.

6141

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

#6141 Pte. J. T. May

Admitted to Barracks Hospital 18-12-18.

C.R. 6141

Extract of Daily Orders Part II, dated Jan. 3rd 1919.

The undernoted man's discharge on Demobilization has been approved by O.C. Discharge Depot on noted dates. He is removed from Depot Strength and transferred to Discharge Depot pending confirmation by Officer i/c Records.

6141 Pte. J.F. May

Discharged 2-1-19

C.R. 614
Counter No.

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I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated Dec. 16th 1918.

To John Farewell, Marystown.

Beg to inform you that #6141 Private Farewell is now improved.

J. R. Bennett,
Minister of Militia.

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C.R.

Extract from Daily Orders part II, depot St. John's dated
December 26th., 1918.

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#6141 Pte. J. T. May

Discharged from Barracks Hospital 24-12-18.

C.R. 6141

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld. Regt.,
At. John's Sept.24/18.

RETURNED FROM SPECIAL DUTY AT PETTY HARBOUR. L7-9-18.

6141 Pte. J. May.

C.R. 614

Extract from Daily Orders part 11 depot St. John's dated Sep.16/1918

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6141 Pte. J. May

THE ABOVE MENTIONED SOLDIER PROCEEDED ON SPECIAL DUTY TO
PROCEEDED ON SPECIAL DUTY TO PETTY HARBOUR 14-9-18.

C.R. 6141

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot St. John's dated Jan. 31/1919.

The Discharges of the undernoted on demobilization have been
CONFIRMED by Officer i/c Records. 30-1-19.

#6141 Pte. Jas. T. May.

C.R. 6141

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit, St. John's
Dated September 7th 1916.

#6141 Pte. James May.

ATTACHED FOR ORIGINAL SERVICE WITH THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND
REGIMENT 6 - 9 - 16

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May, Jas. 1.

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May Sept.

January 30th., 1919

#6141 Pte . James T. May,
Lally Cove, N.B.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge
Certificate No. 664. "

Yours faithfully,

Captain,
Paymaster & O.i/c Records

Enc'l 1.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 6141 Rank Pvt. Name John May
 Intended place of residence Fally Cove

2. Occupation Jude-man
 Classification of soldier C Medical Category A11

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

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

Place DEC 31 1918
 Date DEC 31 1918 Howley Capt
 for Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

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

Place and date St. John's 31.12.18
John May Signature of soldier
C. S. Dicks Capt Signature of witness

CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

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

Place and Date St. John's Dec 30th 1918
John May Signature of soldier
Robert [unclear] Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 5.9.18 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 2.1.19 plus 25 days Service 178 days

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place ST. JOHN'S
Robert [unclear] Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.
 Date JAN 2 1919

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.

Place St. John's, Nfld
 Date January 30/1919
Howley Capt Officer i/c Records
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

at B 2029/664

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 6111 Rank..... Name John
 Date of Enlistment 5.9.18 Address Lilly Cove District Fortune
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge pa Medical Category 15
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P 36.....	B 268.....	B 121.....	1	N.F. Med.....	D.F. 1.....	1
B 178.....	W 3494.....	B 122.....		Board 1st.....	" 2.....	
B 178a.....	1 D 400A.....	1 B 1915.....	7	do 2nd.....	" 3.....	3
B 179.....	D 400B.....	Form L.....		do 3rd.....	" 4.....	
B 179a.....	D 400C.....	Form K.....	1	do 4th.....	" 5.....	
B 179b.....	B 103.....	ME 2.....			" 6.....	
B 179c.....	B 120.....	M 93.....	1			

Date 20.12.18.....

Wesley Carr
O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable.....

(b) Clothing Supplied.....

Date 30-12-18.....

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

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The above named Henry Love has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 657 to his home at 31-12-18 and Release Certificate No. 31-12-18 issued.

C. S. Ducks Capt

Date Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced 30-12-19 and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to 31-12-18

Henry Capt

Date Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for.....

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

31. 12. 18.

C. S. Ducks Capt

Date Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—
 Officer i/c Records.
 Board of Pension Commissioners.
 with following additional documents.

JAN 2 1919

R. H. Sait Capt

Date O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date Jan 6/1919

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Pray

Christian Name John Thomas

Table A.—GENERAL TABLE

Birthplace:—Parish Lilly Cove County Dezfordland

SPECIAL RESERVE

REGULAR ARMY

Examined on 0 day of Sept 1918 at St Johns

Declared Age 19 years days

Trade or Occupation fisherman

Height 5 feet 5 inches

Weight 147 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 inches
Range of Expansion 3 1/2 inches

Physical Development	SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks { Arm				
{ Number				

When Vaccinated

Vision R.E.—V=6/p L.E.—V=6/p

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

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Approved by (Signature) Commander Peterson (Rank) Medical Officer

Enlisted at St Johns on 0 day of Sept 1918

Joined on Enlistment.....	Corps	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.
	<u>Regiment</u>	<u>6141</u>		

Became non-effective by..... on day of 1918

(Signature) (Rank)

57
58
145

Civil Re-establishment Committee



I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have had an interview with the Vocational Officer of the Civil Re-establishment Committee or other recognized vocational agent of the Committee who has explained to me the provisions made by the Committee for the industrial re-training of disabled or partially disabled sailors and soldiers as well as the readiness of the Committee to assist any returned sailors and soldiers (whether disabled or not) to find employment. My decision is as follows:

To work at Fishing.

James I. ^{his} Markway, G. W. Hester
Witness

Signature of Man

Reg. No: *6141*

C. B. Dicks Capt.

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place *St Johns*

Date *Dec 30th* 191*8*

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Fortune

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The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—
C

Report of Demobilization
Travelling Board, held on soldier for
discharge.

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date NOV 29 1918

Regimental No. *6141*

Name *Mayo James Pt.*

Address *Lally Cove*

Fortune Bay Dist.

Present Medical Category *A-ii*

Recommended for:— { (a) Immediate discharge

(b) ~~Standing Medical Board~~

Members of Board { *R. J. Hart Capt.*
O.C. Discharge Depot.

P. Paterson
Senior Medical Officer

J. W. Burdett
M. O. Depot



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 *May James Thomas*
 Regiment from which discharged *1st. Newfoundland*
 Regimental number *6141*
 Intended address *Lally Cove Fortune Bay*
 Height on discharge Feet
 Color of hair on discharge *Light*
 Complexion *Fair*
 Color of eyes *Blue*
 Descriptive Marks
 Figure on discharge *normal*
 Christian name of Father *John*
 Christian name of Mother *Sarah Ann*
 Wife's maiden name in full
 Date and place of marriage
 Christian names of children
 Place and date of soldier's birth. *Nov 10th 1898 Lally Cove Fortune Bay*
 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) *May^{1st} James Thomas*

(Rank) *Plb*

Station

Date

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.



Station

Date

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

Report for Service 2167

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at Adolphus on Sept 6 1918

1. Name James Thomas May Age (a) Declared 19
(b) Apparent

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? No

What severe illnesses have you had? None.

Eyes Blue
Club Feet
Weak

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3. Height 5-5" Weight 147

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

5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) m

6. Examination of Lungs m

Measurement (a) Expiration 2 4 1/2 (b) Inspiration 3 7

7. Examination of Heart m

8. Examination of Urine _____

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

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

10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when? Yes 5 yrs ago. 1st time.

11. Name and address of next of kin Father John Golly Lane A.B.

REMARKS—

A

Archibald
Sw. Borden
Medical Examiners.

ST JOHN'S

October 30th, 1918.

Royal Newfoundland Regiment

To

6141. Pte. J.F. May

For Board and Lodgings while on home leave

\$5.20

BP Attached

Robertson
Adjutant
Depot The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
St. John's, Nfld.

May



ACCOUNT	<i>136m.</i>
CHEQUE NO	<i>4758</i>
INITIALS	<i>EW</i>
TWO LEDGER	INITIALS
PAY LEDGER	INITIALS
CASH LEDGER	INITIALS

Off. Robertson

JERSEY SIDE

PLACENTIA, N.F., *Oct 6th* 191*8*

M # 6141 J. G. May

To the **WILCOX HOTEL**

MRS. ED. WILCOX, Proprietress

*2 days board
2 meals*

4 00

1 20

5 20

*Paid Oct. 6/18.
Mrs E Wilcox*

Nov. 15th, 1906

#5141 Pte. J. F. May,
Headquarters.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$5.20, being
the amount due you for Board & Lodgings whilst on home
leave.

Yours truly,

Paymaster & ^{Capt.} 9.1/c Records.

Enclosure

HW.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 6141 Rank Pte Name May - John
 Date of Enlistment 5.9.18 Address Lolly Cove District Fortune
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge f Medical Category A-F
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P 36.....	B 268.....	B 121.....	1	N.F. Med.....	D.F. 1.....	1
B 178.....	W 3494.....	B 122.....		Board 1st.....	" 2.....	
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Date 20.12.18

W. May
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

John May
mark
Joseph H. Snow

Date.....

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with: oo

(a) Clothing Allowance payable.....

(b) Clothing Supplied.....

Joseph H. Snow

Date 30-12-18

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *200* to his home at *Sally Cove* and Release Certificate No. *657* issued.

Date *31-12-18* *Asdicks Capt*
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to *30-1-19*

Date *31-12-18* *Asdicks Capt*
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *2-1-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

Date *31. 12. 18.* *Asdicks Capt*
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—
Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.
with following additional documents.

Date *JAN 2 1919* *R.H. Lait Capt*
O. C. Discharge Depot.

Received the above noted documents from O. C. Discharge Depot.
Date *Jan 6/1919* *M Dowley Capt*
O.C.R.

Reg. No. 6141 Rank *Able* Name *May Jas (B Roy)*
Attested *5-9-18* Address *Lally Cove*
Allotment *Co* Allottee *Mrs John May (Mother)*
Date of Allotment *1-10-18* Returned from Overseas
Embarked for Overseas Cause

Vacc 6-9-18. 1st 28-9-18 3rd Nov 2-10-18

Leave 3-10-18 to 12-10-18.

14-9-18. Special Duty Petty Harbour to 1-10-18.

18-12-18 Admitted to Barracks Hosp

DEC 20 1918

PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER.

98-12-18 2-1-19

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION: