



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2159 Name William G. Percy Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>William George Percy</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Fortune, S. P.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>22</u> Years <u>7</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Sailor</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 |
| | 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, William G. Percy 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.

William George Percy SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

8. Feb. 21st 1916 Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, William G. Percy 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 25th day of February 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer Quaid W. Ayre

†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 1916 } 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 William P. Percy
 22 years 7 months. Height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches
 Weight { Girth when fully expanded 37 1/4 inches
 Range of expansion 3 1/4 inches
 Marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin William P. Percy, 7 B
 | Relationship Grandmother

Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

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



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1. What is your name? 1. William George Percy
2. What is your full Address? 2. Hertford
District Board
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 32 Years 7 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Sailor
6. Are you Married? 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 9. Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... 10. { Name
Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? II. Yes

I, William G. Percy 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.

William George Percy SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

S. J. G. 21st 1916 S. J. G. 21st 1916 Signature of Witness.

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

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

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at S. J. G. 21st 1916 on this 21st day of February 1916

S. J. G. 21st 1916 Signature of Attesting Officer

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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

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REGIMENTAL NUMBER

7159

COMPANY

A.

THE
1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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

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

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

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act.

8 George V.

Chapter IV.

Signed Wm. Gen. Piercey

Witness Wm. Churchill R/H

Dated at

Saccourse cap.

June 30th 1916.

C.R. 2159

Extract from Nominal Roll of RFLD, Regt. Draft No. 8.
Embarked Southampton, 9-7-16. From 2nd Bn. Depot to
1st Bn. B.E.F.

2159 Pte. W. Piersey.

R.

2159

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal
NFLS. Regt. Station G.H.Q. 27-10-17.

Invalided to England

2159 Pte. W.G. Piercey

14-10-17.

C.R. 2159

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot St. John's.
dated April 30th. 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization
has been CONFIRMED by Officer i/c Records on 27-4-19.

2159 SERGT. WILLIAM PIERCEY

C.R. 2159

Extract from Medical Board held on TUESDAY AFTERNOON APRIL 8th., 1919
the following were the findings.

Sgt.
#2159 Pte. W. G. Piercey.

Recommended discharge from the Army.

C.R. 2159

Abstract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal WFLA.
Regt. St. John's, ¹¹⁻²⁻¹⁹ 2159-10.

The undersigned returned from Overseas and reported at
Depot F-2159 ⁷⁻²⁻¹⁹

Registered on A.F. 1270.

2159 Sgt. W.G. Piercey.

C.R. 2159

Extract from Nominal Roll of the Royal Nfld. Regt.
Reburied S.S. Jonsson, Jan. 30, 1919.

2159 Sgt. Piercey

C.R. 2159

Extract of Daily Orders Part II Royal Newfoundland Regiment.
Depot St. John's dated April 14th/19.

The discharge of the undernoted on Demobilization has been
APPROVED by O.C. Discharge Depot on noted date.

2159 Sgt. W.G. Piercey.

13/4/19.

C.R. 2159

Extract from Orders By. Lt. Col. Barton, B.J. D.S.O.
Commanding 2nd Bn. The Royal Hild. Regt. 17-8-18.

2159 L/Cpl. Piercey.

To be A/Cpl. of "D".

C.R. 2159

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot Winchester
by Lt. Col., B. J. Barton, D.S.O. Officer Commanding
2nd., Battalion of the Newfoundland Regiment. 4-11-18

The undernoted to be acting Sergt. from 7-11-18.

#2159 Pte. W. Piercey.

C.R. 2159

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
Nov. 13th. 1916.

2159, Pte W. Piercey.

1/Newfoundland Inf. Dis Class A. to Base Rouen ex2
Con. Dep. 4th. November 1916.

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In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

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The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connect on with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

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

October 16, 1917.

To

Mrs. Caroline Lake,

Fortune.

Regret to inform you that Record Office

London, officially reports

Mo. 2159, Private

William G. Piercey, is at Wandsworth suffering from
gunshot wound in the left hand.

Upon receipt of further information I shall immedi-
ately wire you and trust that next report will be
of his convalescence.

JOHN B. BENNETT

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 2159

Extract from Menial Roll of Draft. No.29: 51 Other Ranks from 2/1st
Newfoundland Regt., to 1/1st Newfoundland Regt., B.C.F. Embarked
Southampton 7/9/17.

2159 Pte.Piercey, W.G.

MP

C.R. 2159

Extract fro, Casualties received from Pay And Record Office
London dated 28th., December 1917

O. C., 3rd., London General Hospital S.W. 16, Reports
DISCHARGED HOSP. 27/12/17. Parlo^r to 5/1/18.

#2159 Pte. W. G. Piercey.

C.R. 2159

Extract of Casualties received from Pa & Record Office,
London, dated December 28, 1917.

O.C. 3rd London General Hospital, S.W. 18, reports:-

#2159 Pte. W.G. Piercey. ✓

Fit for 11 Command Depot.

Discharged Hospital, 27/12/17 furlough to 5/1/18.

C.R. 2159

Extract of Casualty List received from PARO, London dated April 28th.
1917.

The following r/b G.C. Unit as "Wounded" 14.4.17. Report dated 15.4.17.

No previous reports.

2159 Pte. W.G. Piercey

1st Newfoundland Regiment.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Lucy M. Perry

Signature of Sender _____

Address _____

Line Number _____	Red _____	By _____	Sent _____	Check _____
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Dated April 21, 1917.

To Mrs. Caroline Lake,
Fortune.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports No. 2159, Private William G. Piercey, has been admitted to Wandsworth suffering from gunshot wound in the left thigh.

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

J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

2159 Perry

C.R. 2159

Extract from Casualties List No.H.A.3924

2159 Pte.Piercey W.

Dis@Class A. to Base Dep.Rouen ex 2 Con.Dep.4th Nov.16.

C.R. 2159

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated October 30, 1916.

#2159 Vere W.G. Piercey. ✓

Wounded 12/10/16 and reported by C.C.En. 14/10/16.

C.R. 2159

Extract from London Gazette No. 37 197, dated 27-10-16

42159 Pte. W. G. Piercy.

FOUNDER

13-10-18

ED.

Authority:- O. C. Bn. 14-10-16.

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COPY OF TELEGRAM.

Dated
24th October, 1916.

Mrs. Caroline Lake,
Fortune.

Regret to inform you that the Record Office,
London, officially reports No. 2159 Private William G.
Piersey at Fifth General Hospital Rouen October fourteenth

Gunshot Wound Upper Extremity Left.

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.

C.R. 2159

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas,
per/ Mar. 23, 1916.

2159 Pte. W.G. Piersey.

C.R. 2159

Wm.G.Piercey was attested for General Service with
the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT on February 21st 1916

Regimental No. 2159 was allotted to Pte Wm.G.Piercey

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th 1919

C.R. 2159

Wm.G.Piercey was attested for General Service with
the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT on February 21st 1916
Regimental No. 2169 was allotted to Pte Wm.G.Piercey

AUTHORITY:

Repaired to 1880

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th 1919

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

C.R. 2159



P R E S T O N R E C O R D O F F I C E

27726 Pte Crossland T.H.	9/Lancs Fus.	Inf. Conn. Tissue.	Adm 5 Gen.H. Rouen	LIST NO. H. A. 3844 31/Oct/16.
12985 Pte Morris W.	7/N.Lancs.	Hernia Ing.R.		do
27413 Pte Cooke J.H.	7/K.O.R.L.	Myalgia.		do
21312 Pte Cranshaw J.H.	7/E.Lancs.	N.Y.D. (S)		do
30209 Pte Heyes R.	7/K.O.R.L.	N.Y.D. (S)		do
15016 Pte Wilson T.G.	8/Borders.	N.Y.D. (W)		do
33933 Pte King W.	6/L.N.Lancs.	G.W.I(1)VI(1).		do
24696 Pte Jefferson L.	11/Borders.	P.O.U.O.		do
17939 Pte Davies W.	7/L.N.Lancs.	Tonsillitis.	Trans. to 2 Con. Dep. Rouen ex 5 Gen.H.	31/Oct/16. 1/Novr.16.

S H R E W S B U R Y R E C O R D O F F I C E

54311 Pte Gallagher W.	9/R.W.Fus.	Conjunctivitis (S).	Adm 5 Gen.H. Rouen	LIST NO. H. A. 3844 31/Oct/16.
53880 Pte Wakefield W.T.	9/Welsh.	Scabies.		do
33855 Pte Thomas W.	9/Welsh.	Myalgia.		do
3391 CSM Brown W.G.	7/S.Lancs.	Inf. Stomach.		do
26565 Pte Thomas J.	5/S.W.Borders.	Influenza		do
26165 Pte Jones J.	17/R.W.Fus.	Myopia.	Adm 5 Gen.H. Rouen	1/Nov/16.
11583 Pte Bradshaw W.	7/S.Lancs.	Conjunctivitis.	Dis. to Base Dep. ex 5 Gen.H. Rouen	1/Nov/16.
53880 Pte Wakefield W.T.	9/Welsh Rgt.	Scabies.	Trans. to 2 Con. Dep. Rouen ex 5 Gen.H.	1/Nov/16.

TERRITORIAL FORCE SHREWSBURY RECORD OFFICE

1771. Pte Gibson J.K.	6/Cheshires.	Inf. Conn. T.	Adm 5 Gen.H. Rouen	LIST NO. H. A. 3844 31/Oct/16.
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W A R W I C K R E C O R D O F F I C E

27319 Pte Cooke G.L.	10/R. Warwicks.	P.O.U.O.	Adm 5 Gen.H. Rouen	LIST NO. H. A. 3844 31/Oct/16.
37352 Pte Cooper P.	6/R. Berks.	Inf. Conn. Tissue.		do
27421 Pte Simmonds J.	10/R. Warwicks.	do.		do
26190 Pte Blay W.	11/R. Berks.	P.O.U.O.		do
30404 Pte Makamore L.	10/R. Warwicks.	Influenza.		do
11100 Gnr Neal A.C.	6/R. Berks.	G.W. V. (3)		do
36532 Pte Barker G.C.	6/ do.	G.W. VIII(1)VI(1)		do
		VIII(1)IX(1)L.		
411 Pte Nock T.	16/R. Warwicks.	7 Erysipelas.	Adm 7 Gen.H. St. Omer	1/Nov/16.

N E W F O U N D L A N D C O N T I N G E N T

2159 Pte Piercey W.G.	1/Newfoundlands.	G.W.VIII(1) L.	Trans. to 2 Con. Dep. Rouen ex 5 Gen.H.	LIST NO. H. A. 3844 31/Oct/16.
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W. M. Pierce

C.R.

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 consider 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 West Regt*
2. Regtl. No. *2159* 3. Rank. *Serjt*
4. Name *PIERCE, Wm J.*
(Surname) (Christian Names)
5. Age last birthday.....
6. Posted for duty on..... at.....
in category (or grade).....
7. Former Trade or Occupation }
7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—
(a) Former Regts. or Corps; with Regtl. Nos.
8. If the disability is an injury was it caused
(a) in action (b) on field service
(c) on duty (d) off duty? (b) Date of Discharge;
(c) Cause of Discharge.
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state:—
(a) When (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity (if any)
(b) Where
(c) Opinion of Court

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."

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.

St Wound Morch 1917.
1st Scarpas. Triangle,
popliteal space
also superficial wound
treated 3rd Lt. G. H. No injury to bone or
nerve. 2nd wound left hand fracture
proximal and terminal phalange
little finger, cured

14. State whether the disabilities are
- | | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war | <i>Yes</i> | ..... |
| (ii.) Previous active service | <i>No</i> | ..... |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service | <i>No</i> | ..... |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war | <i>No</i> | ..... |
| (v.) Serious negligence or misconduct on the man's part. } | <i>No</i> | ..... |
- 14 (a). If not due to any of these causes, to what specific condition do you attribute it? } *M.M.A.*

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 suspicious the exact position should be stated.

15. What is his present condition? *Two large scars scarpa's triangle, not attached to muscle*
complaints of pain in hip during long marches. Wound popliteal space no disability. Wound hand cured, power of grip good. no disability.

(A note should be made as to Weight in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)

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

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.

Repatriation
1914/15
C. J. D. Dore

Station *Loggery House Camp*

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

No. 18967/2114

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/ SC

N.F.P./79.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

Chief Paymaster & O.I/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

To:

Officer Commanding,
2/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.
Winchester.

29 NOV 1918

21st November 1918

November 29th 1918

Subject: 2159, A/Sgt. W. G. Piercey

Receipt hereunder

With reference to the following telegram (9984) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

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

Pay to 2159 Piercey £10:0:0

Officer Commdg. Batt'n,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Draft £10:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Received the sum of Ten

Pounds on account of cable remittance from Newfoundland.

W. G. Piercey
Chief Paymaster & O. I/c Records.

W. G. Piercey
No. 2159 Rank Sergeant

Witness

No. 10199/986

N.F.P./79.

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

To: 047797
officer Commanding
S/Bn Royal Nfld. Regt.
Winchester.

26th June 1918

June 29th 1918

Subject: 2159, Pte. W. G. Piercey

With reference to the following telegram (5777) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

Pay to 2159 Piercey £10:0:0

Draft £10:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

J. J. Mansel Capt
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

W. G. Piercey
W. G. Piercey
LIEUT. COLONEL.
Officer Commanding 2nd Battalion
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of Ten
Pounds on account of

cable remittance from Newfoundland.

W. G. Piercey
No. 2159 Rank pte.

Witness, W. P. Wilson Capt

No. 13671/1382 ✓

N.P.P./79.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From:

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records
Newfoundland Contingent
Pay & Record Office,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

To:

Officer Commanding,
2/Bn *R. Newfoundland Regt.
Winchester.

30th, August 1918

Subject: 2159, Corp. W.G. Piercey

With reference to the following telegram (7617) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received

"Pay to 2158 Piercey £5.0.0

Draft £ 5.0.0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Sept. 3rd 1918

Receipt hereunder.

W. G. Piercey

LIEUT. COLONEL.

COMMANDING OFFICER NEWFOUNDLAND BATT.
Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of five Pounds

£ 5.0.0 on account of

cable remittance from Newfoundland.

W. G. Piercey

No. 2159 Rank Capt

Arthur's A. Hoamy a/c com

No. 6906/555

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~~NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT~~

N. P. P. / 173.

From

Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

Officer Commanding
2/Bn Rpyal Newfoundland Regt.
Winchester.

~~Subjects~~

4th May 1918

May 5th 1918.

Subject: 2159, Pte. W.G. Piercey,

With reference to the following telegram (4006) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 3/5/18

Pay to 2159 Piercey £10:0:0

Draft £ 10:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Receipt hereunder.
R. J. Beames
LIEUT. COLONEL.
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.
1st Newfoundland Regiment

received the sum of Ten pounds on account of cable remittance from Newfoundland.

W. G. Piercey
No. 2159 Rank Private

J. S. Anderson Lieut
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

H Coy.

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No. 3959/291

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

To
Officer Commanding,
2/Ln Royal Newfoundland Regt,
Winchester.

~~13th march~~ 13th march 1918

29/3/18 191

Subject: 2159, pte. T. W. Piercej

With reference to the following telegram (2467) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 13/3/18

Receipt hereunder.
Cham
LIEUT. COLONEL,
Officer Comdg. 2nd Batta
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Pay to 2159, Piercej, £6:3:0

Draft £ 6:3:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

received the sum of Six
pounds 3 Shillings on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

A. H. Marshall
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

W. J. Piercej
No 2159 Rank pte

No. 2159 Rank Pvt Name Percy W. Es.

Pay	F.A.	Wkg	Total
100	10		110
Less: Allotment			60
Net Rate			50

M.P. 1/2

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	¢	¢	s d		
						From	To							
Diff in allot. H. Co					Balance		31/8/17							
Balance Period 31-8-17			2	5 1/2								-	-	-
Acquittance Rolls		1	2	0	Pay @ Net Rate	1/9/17	21/12/17	118	50	59	00	12	2	5 1/2
Hospital Advances			3	0	Ration allow									
Port Books per N.W.C.A.		1	12	0	10 dys @ 2/-								1	0
A.B. 84					Ration allow.									
P. & R.O. Payments		2	0	0	26-8-17 to 31-8-17			5	1/9				8	9
					G diff in pay									
					H. Co. Period 31-8-17			1	110				4	6
					6-11-3									
Receipt No. 4924	27/11/16		10	0										

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John

15-8 1/2

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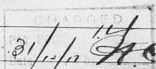
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STJOHNS (Newfoundland)

PLEASE CABLE TWENTY POUNDS FROM ACCOUNT

2159 W. G. PIERCY

~~2-8-12-3-6-1~~
 13 1/2
 2 1/2
 3 1/2



Change to Piercy.
 2159 W.G.

Authorised.

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Address _____

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NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./33.

Temporary A/c.

Regtl No. 2159 Rank Plts

Name W. J. Piercey

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

Date 1917	DEBITS	£ s d			CREDITS	£ s d		
	Balance	1	1		Balance	1	1	3
	<u>P.M. ADVANCES:</u>							
	A.B. 64.				<u>Pay @ Net Rate:</u>			
	Acquittance Rolls	6	16	11	23/12/16 to 9/1/17 = 199 days.			
	Hospital Advances	2	11	6	✓ @ 50 = \$99.50 ✓	2	8	11
	<u>STOPPAGES:</u>				19/1/17 to 8/1/17 = 10 days.			
	Hospital dys @ =	2	5	2	@ 2/- = \$ Allowance	1	0	6
	Forfeited Pay 11 dys @ 1/10				1/1 to 1/1 = days			
	Miscellaneous 11.00				@ = \$			
	Cables							
	<u>P. & R.O. PAYMENTS:</u>							
	Sundry Bills	11	13	7				
	Cash							
		21	10	0				

No. _____

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./55.

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

To:

2159

W. G. Piercy

1st January 1918

Herewith

Postal Draft No ^A 1,026034/5 value £20 only

being REMITTANCE FROM HEADQUARTERS.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.) W. G. Piercy #2159

(Date) 1st Jan. 1918

J. W. Marshall
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

No. _____ Date 27 Dec 1917 Admitted

(1) To the Officer i/c Records, 58 Victoria St 14/11/17
SW (Station)

(2) The Officer Commanding, Infld Command Depot
Ripon north (Station)

(3) The Paymaster, 58 Victoria St
SW (Station)

Regimental No. 2159

Rank and Name. Pte Pircey W. G.

Regiment or Corps. 1st Infld

has been granted a furlough from 27 Dec 1917 to 5 Jan 1918

His address while on leave will be: 58 Victoria St
SW

I consider he is fit for*
* Strike out that which is inapplicable. Duty ii. Command Depot. II iii. Employment

Officer in charge. 9 C Hall
Registrar, R.A.M.F. Hospital,
3rd London General Hospital,
WINDSWORTH, S.W. (Station)

Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above and one copy filed in the office. In the case of men of the Royal Flying Corps, Royal Engineers and Army Ordnance Corps two copies of A.F.W. 3016 will be sent to the Officer in charge Records concerned and one to the Paymaster, instead of one copy to the Officer i/c Records, the Paymaster, and O.C. shown in the Schedule.

as advance of £1. (one pound)

6K. £2.
Rubb

3rd London Gen Hospital
Wandsworth

Ward. B.1.

Dec. 8th 1917

2159.

Pte. W. G. Piercey
Newfoundland Reg

Pay the Bearer the
Sum of £. 2 - two

app. G. Hall
capt. W



No. 1897



1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Wm. G. Piercy, Regl. No. 2159
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and 60 Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and}/_{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and}/_{or} Persons
 concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins March 22 1916.

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
		<u>Bank of Montreal</u>	<u>St. John.</u>	<u>60</u>
<u>1026</u>	<u>Guardmaster</u>	<u>Mrs. E. Lake</u>	<u>Fortune, F. N.</u>	
Total Allotment, \$				

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

(Sig.) R. P. Hallaway
 for Officer Commanding
H. Company
St. John's.
March 22. 1916

(Sig.) Wm. G. Piercy
 (Rank) Pfc.

↓

Stacey, W. E.

2159

Sept

April 27, 1919

#2159 Sergt. William Piercey,

Fortune, F.B.

Dear Sir :-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate
No. 2094."

Yours truly

Captain,
Paymaster & C. i/c Records

Holds!

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2159 Rank Sgt Name Purvey W. J.
 Intended place of residence Fortune

2. Occupation Sailor
 Classification of soldier B Medical Category E

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

~~Eligible for War Service Gratuity~~

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

Place ST. JOHN'S
 Date APR 11 1919 *J. Mrs. H.*
 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
APR 11 1919
W. J. Purvey
 Signature of soldier
Amelousters
 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
W. J. Purvey
 Signature of soldier
James O. Newman
 Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 2-1-2-16 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 13-4-19 14 days Service 1161

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
APR 13 1919
R. H. [unclear] Capt
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed
 Place St. John's, Nfld
 Date April 27 1919
Mr Howley Capt
 Officer i/c Records
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

W. J. Purvey

8
21
27
66

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2459 Rank Serjeant Name Percy W G
 Date of Enlistment 21.2.15 Address Fortugal District Fortugal
 Occupation Sailor Classification for Discharge B Medical Category E
 Recommendation S.M.B. Planned to be employed Disability Rating Nil
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1.
B 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2.
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3.
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4.
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5.
B 179b	B 102	ME 2		" 6.
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 16.11.49

for 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 \$60.00

(b) Clothing Supplied

Date 11-4-49

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 9485 to his home at Fortne and Release Certificate No. 2084 issued.

Date 11-2-19

J.A. Snow
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 27-4-19

Date 11-4-19

J.H. News H.
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for: 13-9-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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

Date 11-4-19

J.A. Snow
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

APR 13 1919

Date

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

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

Date

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 resume former occupation
Reason

W G Pierce
Signature of Man.

J. A. Snow Reg. No. 2159
Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

ST. JOHNS

Date

APR 10 1918

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization —

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

Regimental No. 2159

Name W. H. Scurry

Address

Present Medical Category E

Recommended for:— (a) ~~Immediate Discharge~~

(b) Standing Medical Board

Members of Board

T. H. Lait Capt.
O.C. Discharge Depot.

J. P. Storer
Senior Medical Officer

S. W. Burden
M. O. Depot

used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists entering the Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Pircey

Christian Name W

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish

County



		SPECIAL RESERVE.			
Examined	on <u>21st</u> day of <u>February</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on	day of	191	
	at <u>St. John's, Nfld.</u>	at			
Declared Age	<u>22</u> years	days	year	days	
Trade or Occupation					
Height	<u>5</u> feet	<u>6 1/2</u> inches			inches
Weight		<u>135</u> lbs.			lbs.
Chest Measurement	{ Girth when fully expanded... Range of expansion..	<u>37 3/4</u> inches			inches
		<u>3 1/4</u> inches			inches
Physical Development					
Vaccination Marks	{ Arm Number	Right	Left	Right	Left
			/		
When Vaccinated					
Vision	R.E.—V= <u>5/60</u>	R.E.—V= <u>5/60</u>			
	L.E.—V= <u>4/60</u>	L.E.—V= <u>4/60</u>			
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)	(a)			
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)	(b)			
Approved by (Signature)	<u>J. G. Borden</u>				
(Rank)	<u>Lieut.</u>	Medical Officer.			
Enlisted	at	at			
	on day of 191	on day of 191			
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.	
Joined on Enlistment	<u>Nfld. Reg.</u>	<u>2159</u>			
Transferred to	<u>Newfoundland</u>				
Became non-effective by					
	on day of 191	on day of 191			
(Signature)					
(Rank)					



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

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of further 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, etc., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
8th LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH	20	4	17	9	4	17	G. S. W IX 1 skiv L: thigh IX Slight L: leg	87	Wounded in France 14.4.17. No injury to bone or nerve	G. C. Hall Capt Med.
3rd LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL WANDSWORTH	14	10	17	27	12	17	G. S. W L hand fract. prox. terminal phal. 4 fingers.	74	Wounded in France 9.10.17 Slow to heal, sequentum felt.	G. C. Hall Capt Med.

Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.; Examination 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
No. 7. 16.	1 st Inoculation <i>Doth.</i>
5. 8. 16.	2 nd " <i>Doth.</i>
24. 6. 16	Vaccination Completed <i>M.H.</i>
6. 7. 16	Fit for foreign Service <i>A.F.W.</i>
8-1-19	Recommend Rebatation <i>M.H. 1/1</i> <i>On Dir. C.</i>

It is hereby certified that this soldier has been before the Standing Medical Board and has been classified as B for discharge on Demobilisation. Medical category E

8.4.19
Date of S.M.B.

[Signature] Captain
Discharge Department

TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of Service Embarkation	Date of Departure Disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
<i>[Signature]</i>	23/2/16	9/4/16			

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 be considered 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 Rifles Regt.* 7. Former Trade }
or Occupation }
2. Regt. No. *7159* 3. Rank... *Serjt* 7a. If the soldier claims previous service in
Army, he should state—
(a) Former Regts. or Corps;
with Regt. Nos.
4. Name *Pencey William*
(Surname) (Christian Names)
5. Age last birthday.....
6. Posted for duty on..... at.....
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? (b) Date of Discharge;
(c) Cause of Discharge.
9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state:—
(a) When (d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity
(b) Where (if any)
(c) Opinion of Court

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."
Hand injury
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.
*1st Hand injury 1917
787 Scarpa's Triangle also superficial
wound popliteal space treated
S.L.G.H. no injury to hand or nerves
S^d wound. Left hand fracture
approx. and terminal phalanges
with finger left hand. Cured.
pc*

14. State whether the disabilities are
- | | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|
| (i.) Service during the present war | <i>Yes</i> | ..... |
| (ii.) Previous active service | <i>no</i> | ..... |
| (iii.) Climate in pre-war service | <i>no</i> | ..... |
| (iv.) Ordinary military service before the war | <i>no</i> | ..... |
| (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 ? } | <i>n.a</i> | |

In all cases such as facial injuries, eye, ear, nose and throat, dislocation, 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.)

*Two large scars scarps
 triangle not attached to muscle
 complain of pain in hip
 during long marches.
 wound perfect space
 round hand left. Cured power
 of grip good. no disability*

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

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.

*Repopulation
 11/11/11
 Capt. G. D. ...*

Station *Hazely, Devon Camp*

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.—(1) 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.

As per 19. He states that he has no complaints and feels well in every way

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
- Give details:

(a) Attributable to

(b) Aggravated by

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

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

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.

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) (Wife 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?

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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)?

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?

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

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?

Signature

[Handwritten Signature]

President or Chairman.

Station *St. John's*

[Handwritten Signatures]

Members.

Date *April 8th 1919*

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

Station *No.*

[Handwritten Signature]
Officer in charge, Central Hospital.

Only applicable in cases of Patients in Hospitals.

Date *APR 8 1919*

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



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

*Wm Geo. Piercey*Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*Regimental number *2159.*

Intended address

*Fortune*Height on discharge *5* Feet *8*.Color of hair on discharge *Light*Complexion *Fair*Color of eyes *Brown*Descriptive Marks *1 Scar left Leg.*Figure on discharge *Medium*Christian name of Father *John*Christian name of Mother *—*Wife's maiden name in full *—*Date and place of marriage *—*Christian names of children *—*

Place and date of soldier's birth

Fortune, 15th July 1894

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)

William George Piercey Sgt.

(Rank)

Station

ST. JOHN'S.

Date

7-4-19

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



Casualty Form—Active Service.

1379

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland Regt Regimental Number 7159
 Rank Sgt Surname Piercy Christian Name W. J.
 Religion meth Age on Enlistment 27 years 0 months.
 Enlisted Feb. 21/16 Terms of Service (a) duration for Service reckons from
 Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____
 Extended [] Re-engaged [] Qualification (b) _____
 or Corps Trade and Rate _____



Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 23, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 23, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
		Embarked ...	<u>Newfoundland</u>	<u>9.7.16</u>	
		Disembarked...	<u>Bezen</u>	<u>10.7.16</u>	
	<u>Unit</u>	<u>140 7A Shipwall Head</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>21 JUL 1916</u>	<u>ED 5361</u>
	<u>29 PBD</u>	<u>Found Base Depot.</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>4-11-16</u>	<u>How 408</u>
	<u>2 Co Dep. Force</u>	<u>France 1st Div. Band co.</u>	<u>5th Hosp</u>	<u>31/10/16</u>	<u>HA 3844</u>
	<u>Unit</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>13/4/16</u>	<u>B. 213</u>
				<u>With DATE. 20. 2-17</u>	
<u>15.4.17</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Wounded in Action</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>14/4/17</u>	<u>B. 213</u>
<u>16.4.17</u>	<u>87 FA</u>	<u>Ad. 3 Trans. B. W. L. Hosp</u>	<u>41.6.17</u>	<u>14.4.17</u>	<u>ED 3085</u>
<u>28.4.17</u>	<u>3 Ban 3 Hosp. Ad.</u>	<u>Invalidated to England</u>	<u>Boulogne</u>	<u>16.4.17</u>	<u>HA 8154</u>
	<u>Princess Elizabeth</u>			<u>19.4.17</u>	<u>W 3083</u>

(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 shall be entered.

(b) Signaller, Shoosmith, &c.

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G. I/c No. 1 Reg-Infantry Section (P.T.O.)

G.H.Q., 3rd Echelon

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland
 Rank Private Surname Percy Christian Name William G.
 Religion Age on Enlistment 22 years months
 Enlisted (a) John Terms of Service (duration of war) Service reckons from (date of Enlistment)
21/2/16
 Date of promotion to present rank Date of appointment to lance rank
 Extended (.....) Re-engaged (.....) Qualification (b).....
 or Corps Trade and Rate.....
 Occupation Signature of Officer. A. H. Kelly, Capt.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.103, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.103, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked <u>Shampton</u>	<u>7 9 17</u>	
			Disembarked... <u>Lower</u>	<u>7 9 17</u>	
			Joined Battalion	<u>18 SEP 1917</u>	<u>B. 213</u>
	<u>of Unit</u>	Wounded in Action	<u>9 OCT 1917</u>	<u>18 SEP 1917</u>	<u>B. 213 12 OCT 1917</u>
	<u>Hospital Ship</u>	Transferred to England	<u>at Tan Gull's, Etobicoke</u>	<u>17/10/17</u>	<u>W 3A B 3</u>
			<u>L. Percy</u>		<u>24/10/17</u>

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(b) Signaller, Sheering-Smith, &c.

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[P.T.O.]

April 29, 1919

#2159 Sergt. William G. Piercey,

Fortune,

Burin Dist.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your application I enclose cheque for
Seventy dollars (\$70.00), being amount of first payment due you
on account of the "War Service Gratuity."

Yours truly

Paymaster & U. S. Records

Captain,

17449

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.

- 1. Christian name *William George* 2. Surname *Parcy*
- 3. Rank *Sergeant* 4. Regt. No. *2159*
- 5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded. *P.O. Home, Barin*
- 6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *Feb. 21/16*
- 7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge. *No*
- 8. Relationship of such dependents. _____
- 9. Address in full of such dependents. _____
- 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 field, if so, give dates and particulars of such service. *Oversea*
- 12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in field or Overseas. *From Feb. 21/16 to Apr 11/19 date of temporary discharge*

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

No

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.

*Clothing allowance & back pay 111.28
Board allowance 9.40*

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

No

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?

19. Are you now serving in the Res? In not give? - (a) Date of discharge

No

*Apr. 11/19
Temporary*

(b) Reason for discharge
Demobilization

20. Did you at any time serve at the front in an actual theatre of War? If so, give particulars of places, and dates of such service.

*France & Belgium - July 8/16 to July 19/18
Quindichin, Montigny & Reuphward*

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:

W. J. Piercey

Place of Residence:

Portune, Barrin District

Declared before me at:

St. John's, Nfld.

This

11th

day of

April

1919

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

*John M. Carthy
J.P.*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid Paid
Soldier. Dependent.

War Service
Gratuity.

Net amount

due

420.00

ones

Certified correct.

Registrar

[Signature]



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N.F. 1915

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of *William G. John R. Pursey*
aged *22 yrs.* conducted at *C. L. B.*
Date: *Feb. 21st/16* Recruiting officer:

NO. OF TEST

FINDING

- 1 no
- 2 no
- 3 no
- 4 no
- 5 no
- 6 no
- 7 *yes*
- 8 *yes*
- 9 *yes*
- 10 *yes*
- 11 *yes*
- 12 *yes*
- 13 *yes*
- 14 *yes*
- 15 *yes*
- 16 *yes*
- 17 *yes*
- 18 *yes*
- 19 *yes both*
- 20 *yes*
- 21 *yes*
- 22 *yes*
- 23 *yes*
- 24 *yes*
- 25 *yes*
- 26 *yes*
- 27 *yes*
- 28 *yes*
- 29 *yes*
- 30 *yes*
- 31 *yes*
- 32 *yes*

2159

yes 1 scar left arm.

5' 6 1/2"

135

32 3/4 34 - 37 1/4

300 year

Grandmother Carbine Lake Fortine

nobody

Signature of Medical Examiner:

J. W. Gordon

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N. F. 1914

In the spaces below should be entered the findings in the routine of examination set forth in the Appendix. Care should be exercised that each finding be entered after the number below which corresponds to the number of that test.

Examination of William George Pircey
aged 27 yrs conducted at Fortune
Date: Feb 12/16 Recruiting Officer: G. R. Forsey, M.D.

NO. OF TEST

FINDING

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1 No
2 No
3 No
4 No
5 No
6 No
7 No
8 yes
9 yes
10 No
11 Not applied
12 Wm Geo Pircey - yes 27 yrs - Foreign Service
13 Passed the test
14 " " "
15 " " "
16 " " "
17 " " "
18 " " "
19 " " "
20 Normal vision in each eye 7/8 both.
21 Passed this test
22 " " "
23 " " "
24 " " "
25 " " "
26 " " "
27 " " "
28 " " "
29 " " "
30 " " "
31 " " "
32 " " "
33 "
34 yes 1 rear left Arm
35 67 inches 5-6 1/2
36 140 lbs. 135 lbs.
37 Max 37 1/4 Min 35
38 # 300
39 Grandmother
No one

Signature of Medical Examiner: A. McDonald

ST. JOHN'S, April 5th /19

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Sgt. W. Percy

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Feb 8th /19 to April 4th /19

2159 - Sgt. W. Percy	57 60
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15037	EW

Certified correct for \$ 57⁰⁰

M.S.
W. J. Percy
Sgt. Billeting Officer.

ST. JOHN'S, APR 11 1919

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To *Sgt. W. Piercy*

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from *Apr 4th /19* to *Apr 13th /19*

2159. Sgt. W. Piercy 9 40

<i>B.M.</i>	
<i>15558</i>	
1.22	1.00
2.00	1.00
3.00	1.00

Certified correct for \$ *9. 40*

R.J.

W. M. Houston

for Billeting Officer..

W. J. Piercy

Reg. No. *2159* Rank *Serjt* Name *Piercey Wm G*
Attested Address *Fortune*
Allotment Allottee
Date of Allotment Returned from Overseas *7-2-18*
Returned on S.S. *Lonsiard* Cause *Discharge*

8.1.19. Rec. Dis. from the Army.

APR 10 1919 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICE

13.1.19.

DISCHARGE APPROVED BY DEMOBILIZATION

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld.

Fold Here

OCT 11 1921.

The accompanying Victory Medal and/or British War Medal

is/are forwarded herewith to

William G. Piercey

in respect of his service as No. 2159 Rank Pte.

Name W.G. Piercey Royal Nfld. Regt.

~~Nfld. Mounted Rifles~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Nov 18/21

Signature W.G. Piercey

Date Dec 3/21

Address Fortune

[P.T.O.]

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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Regiment of 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment

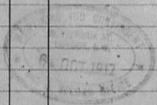
Number of Sheet 1

Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badge, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay	
No.	<u>Percy G. G.</u>	Age on	<u>22 years 7 months</u>	<u>Sailor</u>	<u>Promoted Lance Corporal 2-5-16</u> <u>[Signature] 16/8/18</u> <u>10. P. 4th Coy.</u> <u>[Signature] - 7-11-18 M.K.</u>	
<u>3159</u>		Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>At Halifax N.S. Feb. 7th 1916</u>	Religion		
Joined	Date	Period of	<u>with Colours 3 1/2 years.</u> <u>with Reserve 3 1/2 years.</u>	Place of Birth		
Joined	Date			<u>St Johns Nfld.</u>		
Joined	Date					

Place	Date of Office	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order expiring with oral	By whom awarded	REMARKS
		<u>Pvt.</u>		<u>Demobilized 27th 1918</u>					

To be carried over



Army Form B. 121.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2159 Rank Serjt Name Piercy W G
 Date of Enlistment 21.2.15 Address Fortuna District Fortuna
 Occupation Sailor Classification for Discharge B Medical Category E
 Recommendation S.M.B. Permanently unfit Disability Rating 7th
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 10.11.19 for O. C. Discharge Depot. H. Miss H

PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.
 I am in a position to resume civilian occupation.
W G Piercy

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date

2. Clothing.
 Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—
 (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00
 (b) ~~Clothing~~ Supplied W. C. Houston

Date 11-4-19 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 218 to his home.
 at Fortune and Release Certificate No. 218 issued.

Date 11-4-19

J.A. Snow
 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 27-4-19

Date 11-4-19

J.H. Mear
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 13-9-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P136	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
F 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
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B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6
B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 11-4-19

J.A. Snow
 Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-

Officer i/c Records.
 Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratiuity

Date APR 13 1919

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

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

Date 19/4/19

W.H. Mear
 for Officer i/c Records