



First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 296

Name in full Walter Piggott Age 25
 Address 9 Monroe Street, St. Johns.
 Married Single Height 5' 10" Weight 145
 Color Dark Comp. Hair Brown Eyes Blue
 Other distinguishing marks Mole on neck right side
 Nearest relative Father
 Address 45 Pearson Street, Netherfield, Notts, England.
 Dependents None
 Occupation Storekeeper Present Wage #4
 Previous service 4th Notts "Devils"
 Decorations _____
 General Remarks _____
 Date of Enlistment _____

I, Walter Piggott, do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty and that I will faithfully serve His Majesty in any place where I may be needed (or in the Colony of Newfoundland as the case may be) against all his enemies and opposers whatsoever according to the conditions of my service.

*Recruited for war
 1914
 M. J. [Signature]*

Walter Piggott

Declared before me this _____ day
 of Oct. 1914
M. J. [Signature]

Sept 30 1914

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)
Applicable to all ranks.

Reg.No.296

Name Walter Piggott

Apparent age 25 years months. Height 5 feet 10 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fresh, Hair: Brown, Eyes: Blue

Other distinguishing marks: Mole on neck right side

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin - - - Piggott, 45 Pearson St., Netherfield,
Notts, 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.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Service in 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 <u>5/9/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>5th September '14</u>									
		<u>Jamdice</u>		<u>3/11/16</u>					
		<u>and 3rd 2.4.14 4 months</u>		<u>3/11/16</u>					
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to (date of discharge) years days									
" " " Pension (" ") " " "									

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(a)	(b)	(c)	(d) Verified from certificate.

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed 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>5/9/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. Johns</u> on <u>5th Sept. 14</u>									
				<u>Embarked S.S. Horlog for U.K. 3rd 74</u>					<u>Embarked for 6th 20th 75</u>
				<u>Re-embarked Alex. and embarked for Lagos 31st 75</u>					<u>Embarked for Fallaba 15th 75</u>
				<u>Arrived Felix Bay night of 19-20 Sept 15.</u>					<u>Admitted 26th C.C.S. Port of Spain 4th 75</u>
				<u>Invalided to England 15th 75. Admitted 15th 76</u>					<u>Full pay then</u>
				<u>Arrived 9th 76. Pay & Pension Office 13th 76.</u>					
				<u>Attd. 23rd 76.</u>					
				<u>Attd. 24th 77.</u>					
				<u>Attd. 3rd 78.</u>					
				<u>Attd. 9th 78.</u>					
				<u>Attd. 21st 78.</u>					
				<u>Invalided U.K. 15th 79.</u>					
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>15-2-19</u> (date of discharge) <u>4</u> years <u>164</u> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									



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

Walter Biggitt Walter 546

aged

14

conducted at

C I B Army

Date:

Sept 14

Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST

FINDING

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

33 *82.9 years*
34 *5.9*
35 *1.40*
36 *32-35*

37 *89.50* *mark*
38 *father* *Henry Nuttfield Nottingham Eng*

39 *no*
Signature of Medical Examiner: Henry Nuttfield Nottingham Eng

F. 296



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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

~~Walter~~ *Biggitt Walter* 546

aged *24*

conducted at *C I B Army*

Date: *Sept 14*

Recruiting Officer:

NO. OF TEST

FINDING

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

8 or 9 years

5' 9"
140
32-35

\$9.50
Fallen
No

Henry Nuttfield Nottingham England

F. 296

Signature of Medical Examiner: *Cluny Macpherson M.D.*

copy

Regional No.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

A.F. B.178 A

Regimental No. *296*

Region

Surname *Piggatt*

Christian Names *Walker*

TABLE I.—General Table

Birthplace { Parish

 { County

Examined { on _____ day of _____ 191

 { at

Declared Age *25* years _____ days.

Trade or Occupation *Store-keeper*

Height *5* feet *10* inches. Weight *145* lbs.

Colour of Hair _____ Complexion _____

 " Eyes _____

Chest { Girth when fully expanded _____ inches.

Measurement { Range of expansion _____ inches.

Physical Development _____

Vaccination Marks { Arm, RIGHT LEFT

 { Number _____ | _____

When Vaccinated _____

Vision { R.E.—V = _____ With Glasses { R. _____

 { L.E.—V = _____ { L. _____

Identification Marks, such as Tattoo, Moles, Scars, etc:—

Defects or Ailments:—

Examined and found—

- Fit for Grade { I.
- { II.
- { III.
- { IV.

(Strike out those which do not apply.)

Signature _____
Chairman of Medical Board.

Re-examined for posting at _____

On _____ day of _____ 191

Enlisted { at *St. John's, N.Z.*

 { on _____ day of _____ 191

Joined on enlistment	Corps	Regtl. No.
Transferred to		

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

Date	Brief details and Signature
	T.V.
<i>14.8.15.</i>	<i>File for Foreign Service</i>
<i>1.6.17.</i>	<i>Examined & classified</i>
	<i>C III</i>
	<i>Sgt E.A. Bandy</i>
	<i>Capt. Rams.</i>

Special Remarks: state if a discharged Soldier

TABLE IV.—Service Table.

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation
Became non-effective by		
on _____ day of _____ 191		
(Signature) _____		
(Rank) _____		

ENCLOSURE

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 9380/445/P&A

296

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.

To The Hon, the Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

July 4th 1919

WF/BC

SUBJECT:

296 SQMS. W. PIGGOTT.
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated **January 16th, 1920** 191

Please return **ORIGINAL** and retain **DUPLICATE.**

With further reference to this office No. 3647/106/P&A., 6/3/19 and the following exchange of telegrams :

"Despatched 13/5/19 (220):
"Military St. John's
"Expedite please reply to my
"letter 6th March-No. 106-
"296-Piggott-fullstop-"

SYNOPTICAL"

"Despatched 20/6/19 (268):
"Military St. John's.
"Reference to my telegram 13th
"May-296-Piggott-expedite please
"reply-fullstop-"

SYNOPTICAL"

"Received 24/6/19 (2549):
"Synoptical London
"Reference your telegram 13th
"May-Reference your letter 6th
"March-No. 106-296-Piggott-
"separation allowance-granted-
"with effect-from-Jan. 27th-
"1919-fullstop- Medical certifi-
"cate-should be forwarded-
"showing-date of-total-incapacity
"of-husband-prior to-death-
"fullstop-"

MILITARY"

Copies of Death Certificate and certificate shewing total incapacity of claimants father prior to decease are enclosed please.

W. J. Piggott
Major,

Chief Staff Officer (London).

The following decision has been recorded, in connection with this claim:-

"Approved - Payable from
"15/11/17 (commencement
"of husband's total incap-
"acity) to 27/1/19 (date
"from which Separation
"Allowance has already
"been paid)".

Please adjust accordingly.

Certificate of death of ~~xxxxx~~
Mr. Piggott is returned herewith,
please.

W. J. Piggott

Lt. Col.,
C.S.O.

for Minister of Militia,

mb
9.2.20

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Comd	
P&A	WA
R&C	
S&E	
P.S.	

3647/106/P&A.

ACKT dated	/ /	No. IN
Received	/ /	
PLYtiated	/ /	
Received	/ /	
LAST Ref No.		
EXI " "		

The Hon. The Minister of Militia
St. John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

FM/PK. 6th March 9

296. A/S. M.S. W. PIGGOTT.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

The enclosed N.F.P/82
Claim for Separation Allowance in
favour of the above soldier's
widowed mother and N.F.P.87 Statutory
Declaration are forwarded for your
consideration.

Kindly advise by telegraph
whether the claim is admissable.

Capt.
Asst. Paymaster.
For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Recds.

Casualty Form—Active Service.



Regiment or Corps St. Newfoundland

Regimental No. 296 Rank Pte. Name W. Piggott

Enlisted (a) Oct 2/14 Terms of Service (a) Duration of war Service reckons from (a) Oct 2/14

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

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's, NFLD.		<u>10/14</u>	
		Disembarked Alexandria		<u>19/15</u>	
		Embarked for Gallipoli		<u>15/9/15</u>	
<u>24/1/15</u>	<u>26 C.C.S.</u>	<u>Reverted British Standard</u>	<u>26 C.C.S.</u>	<u>4/2/15</u>	<u>B 5171</u>
<u>7/1/15</u>	<u>16 Stat</u>	<u>Do.</u>	<u>16 Stat</u>	<u>5/1/15</u>	<u>B 5126</u>
<u>27/1/16</u>	<u>Quarters</u>	<u>Transferred to England</u>	<u>Quarters</u>	<u>26/1/15</u>	<u>B 884</u>

[Signature]
 Captain Major
 Officer in Charge 11th Dr. Subsection
 3rd Echelon M.A.

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. [P.T.O.]

No. _____

Date May 18th 1916

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58 Victoria St

S.W. (Station.)

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Contingent

Ayr. (Station.)

(3) The Paymaster,

58 Victoria St

S.W. (Station.)

Regimental No. 296

Rank and Name Pte Piggott W.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland Contingent

has been granted a furlough from May 18th to May 27th

His address while on leave will be:—

45 Pearson St. Netherfield

Nottingham

Nottingham

This man has been furnished with a warrant to ~~leave~~ and given an advance of £1 (one pound)

I consider he is fit for * ~~Light~~ Light duty. and not likely to be fit for service overseas within 3 months

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

Officer in charge _____ Hospital Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.

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

* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

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

To
Paymaster & O% Records
Newfoundland Regt.
London

Enclosed
charge has been received &
is being returned to you
for action.

It was apparently
sent out here on account
of Corpl Piggott giving his
unit as 1st Battalion
Newfoundland Regt, instead
of simply Newfoundland Regt.

96 P

~~2 a. Outer bridge~~

17. 3. 17.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	1332
Rec'd.	MAR 20 1917
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

2/21/17
Newfoundland Regt.

In Report

London

J. F. E. & Co., Ltd., London, S.W.
W 18558/M 251. 4,000,000. 2/18.

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Army Form B. 252
(see King's Regulations.)



CHARGE.

1st Newfoundland Rifles

BATTERY, SQUADRON, TROOP OR COMPANY.

CHARGE against No. *296* *Corpl Riggott W*

Place.	Date of Offence.	Offence.	Names of witnesses.	Punishment awarded	By whom awarded.
<i>London</i>	<i>7/3/17</i>	WHILE ON ACTIVE SERVICE. I FAILING TO SALUTE <i>several</i> AN OFFICER.	<i>R W Harrison Corpl C.M.P.</i> <i>W McQueen Pte C.M.P.</i>	<i>Accused stated that he did not see the Officer; or would have saluted -</i> <i>Cautioned</i>	<i>A. J. Dinnick</i>
<i>360</i>					

WHEN COMPLETE
PLEASE RETURN TO:-
ASST PROVOST MARSHAL,
CANADIANS. 103, OXFORD ST.,
LONDON, W.
URGENT.

P.D.

G. B. Kelly Capt.
MAJOR,
ASSIST PROVOST MARSHAL,
CANADIANS *Commanding Battery.*
Squadron, Troop or Company.

7. 3. 17

Sir

While on duty on the Strand London at 10.40 am 7.3.17. I saw the accused who failed to salute several Officers. I checked him for his pass which was in good order. I informed him a report would be sent to his Unit

R W Harrison Corp
C.M.P.

Sir I was present when the accused was checked & corroborate the above statement

W M: 2017 to C.M.P.

In Report

London

J. J. K. & Co., Ltd., London, S.E.
W 16569/M 261. 4,000,000. 2/16.

Forms
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Army Form B. 252

(See King's Regulations.)

LONDON, S.W.

MAR 20 1917

REGIMENTAL RECORD OFFICE

CHARGE.

1st Newfoundland Rifles

BATTERY, SQUADRON, TROOP OR COMPANY.

CHARGE against No. *296* *boyle* *Piggot* *W*

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360

G. B. Jones
 MAJOR,
 Commanding Battery,
 ASSIST. PROVOST MARSHAL,
 Squadron, Troop or Company,
 CANADIANS, LONDON.

7-3-17

Sir

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R. W. Harrison Corp.
S.M.P.

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I was present when the accused was checked
and corroborate the above statement

W. M. Queen Pte. S.M.P.

N.B.—This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.



BYRE & SPOTTISWOODE, Ltd., Lond.

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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.

Wetherfield

Charges } s. d.
to pay }

Handed } 9 9a Received }
in at } .M. here at } 9



TO {

Reply paid: Synodical

*my
so*

*son corporal Piggott not
well please advise*

296 Piggott

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref. No.	<i>2521</i>
Rec'd.	<i>MAY 21 1917</i>
Ack'd.	
Ans'd.	<i>21-5-17</i>
File No.	

Piggott.

45 Pearson Street.

Netherfield. Notts.

Return poor as fit.

Asymptical.

No. _____

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./55.

296 Cpl W. Piggott

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

16 Nov. 1917.

Herewith

Postal Drafts value £16-0-0 (sixteen pounds)

Please acknowledge receipt hereon:

(Sig.)

Cpl W. Piggott

(Date)

16 Nov 17

H. D. Minwell Major,

Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

VOUCHERS MUST BE OBTAINED FROM THE MAN'S UNIT.

To be handed to Booking Clerk, and Fare to be paid at the time of Booking.

No. 39

APPLICATION for issue of Third Class Railway Ticket at reduced Fare to MEN of His Majesty's Forces, Naval and Military, and of Ambulance Corps engaged with the Forces, travelling on leave IN UNIFORM.

To the Railway Company at Station.

Please issue to (No.) 296 (Rank) S.P.M. Sgt.

Name) Eggott W. (Regt.)

One Third Class Single Ticket at half the ordinary single fare } Minimum charge
One Third Class Return Ticket at the ordinary single fare } One Shilling (1/-).

(*The words which are not applicable must be struck out as necessary.)

(Railway Station).

Signature of Officer Commanding.

This voucher is not valid after 10.1.19. (This date to correspond with the date of the termination of the man's leave.)

To be filled in by Booking Clerk.

No. of Ticket Issued. Fare Paid. Initials of Booking Clerk.

Unless this Voucher is surrendered at the time of booking, the ordinary fare will be chargeable, and no refund will be made in respect of the extra fare or fares paid.

* If the Booking Clerk cannot issue a Ticket through to destination, he will book to furthest point and issue a re-booking Voucher.

VOUCHERS MUST BE OBTAINED FROM THE MAN'S UNIT.

To be handed to Booking Clerk, and Fare to be paid at the time of Booking.

No. 40

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WESTERN UNION

ANGLO-AMERICAN

DIRECT UNITED STATES

CABLEGRAM



Prefix 12 Code _____

At _____
To _____ By _____

FOR STAMPS

WORDS 22

CHARGE 2 1/2 per wd.

VIA WESTERN UNION

THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.

20/6/18 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To EFM E TUCK

FRESHWATER ROAD STJOHNS (Newfoundland)

SHALL I RESIGN AND GO HOME REPLY THROUGH DEPARTMENT
MILITIA TO LONDON RECORD OFFICE

NELL TUCK

Charge of 296 Sgt W. Piggott.

CHARGE LEDGERS
PAY BOOK
Date
22/6/18
55
417

Authorised.

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

Having read the conditions printed on the back hereof, I request that the above telegram be forwarded by the Western Union Telegraph-Cable System, subject to the said conditions to which I agree.

Signature _____ Address 58 Victoria St. S.W. 1.

CABLE ADDRESSES REGISTERED IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD, OR WITH ANY COMPANY, ARE AVAILABLE OVER THE LINES OF THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH-CABLE SYSTEM.

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Original taken by
Supt. Piggott. Army Form C. 348.

10309/1006/P.S.

MEMORANDUM.

H.D.B.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C. RECORDS,
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
55, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1,
ENGLAND.

From

From Vice

To

To Versa

Officer Commanding,
2nd Bn. Royal Nfld Regt.,
Hazeley Down Camp,
Winchester, Hants.

ANSWER.

~~Pay & Record Office,~~

~~Hazeley Down Camp, Winchester~~

~~28th June, 1918~~

~~June 29th 1918. 191~~

POSTAL.

296 Sergt. W. Piggott, Postal
N.C.O. at this Office, is visit-
ing the Depot, please, to-day,
and it will be appreciated if you
will allow him to consult your
Postal Corporal with a view to
clearing up several points
regarding mail matters.

Noted.

J.D. Anderson

for Chf Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Lieut. Colonel

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.
55, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W. 1.

5940. LIEUT. COLONEL,
COMMANDING 2ND BN. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Ed
Ch. Rec. Off.
[Handwritten notes and signatures]

PS. ✓

HA/JC

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BOROUGH OF WANDSWORTH.

75, HIGH STREET,

WANDSWORTH, S.W..18.

D. A. NICHOLL,
REGISTRATION OFFICER.

Telephone No. Battersea 45.

8th. November, 1919.

Dear Sir,

AUTUMN REGISTER 1919.

I enclose herewith R.P's 53
in duplicate, of men who are
affiliated to your Record Office
and are registered in the follow-
ing Constituencies :-

Wandsworth Central

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.....

Yours faithfully,

D. A. Nicholl

Registration
Officer.

DN

To the Officer in Charge Newfoundland Contingent Record Office,
Address Station of Record Office 58 Victoria St.

CONSTITUENCY of Wandsworth Central

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<u>296.</u>	<u>S/Sgt.</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>Piggott.</u>	<u>Royal Newfoundland</u>	<u>2627</u>

[Large handwritten mark resembling a stylized '7' or 'F']

D. A. NICHOLL,
75, HIGH STREET, WANDSWORTH. S.W. 18

Signed.....Registration Officer.

* Care should be taken to keep together the Names of Men in each Regiment or Corps. If there are a number of names, separate sheets should be used for each Regiment or Corps.

To the Officer in Charge Newfoundland Contingent Record Office,
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22/1/19

45 Pearson St
Netherfield
Nottingham

Dear Capt. Anderson

Just a semi
re condition of my father.

I am very thankful to say that there is a slight improvement, but his condition still causes great anxiety, & is still dangerously ill. However, if the improvement still continues, I hope to be able to resume my duties at the office this week-end. Do not think it safe to leave now as there may be a relapse. Trusting that I am not putting you to any inconvenience. Will you please ask Tergt. Fallon to hold my mail.

Walter P. Talbot

Your Obedient Servant
W. P. Talbot
J. G. H. Tergt

POST OFFICE



TELEGRAPHS.

Office Stamp



This Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.

Office of Origin and Service Instructions.

Netherfield

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Anderson Synoptical London

*Unable to come at present
father had relapse*

Piggott

"A" Form
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 2121
(In pads of 100.)

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TO	SOMS	PIGGOTT	ROYAL	NEWFOUNDLAND
	REGIMENT	45	PEARSON	STREET
	WETHERFIELD (Nottingham)			

Sender's Number. 146	Day of Month. 28/1/19	In reply to Number.	AAA
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Sincere	sympathy	return	<i>your</i>	earliest
convenience			<i>a</i>	
		Synoptical.		

From		
Place		
Time		

The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z)

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Censor. Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name

* This line should be erased if not required.

Noted postal. 45 Pearson St

Netherfield

Nottingham

26/1/19

Dear Capt Anderson

I am very sorry to say that my father is still in a precarious condition. There is no hope of his recovery, & it is now only a matter of time. That, we cannot determine, it may be a few minutes or a few days. One thing I am glad to say, is, that he is conscious & knows each one of us. I find it almost impossible to leave him, as he is constantly asking for me. Under these circumstances, Sir, I am asking that I may be allowed such time as is necessary, even if it means loss of pay. Would you kindly wire me, to say if granted or not. Any expense can be put against my account.

Your Obedient Servant

W Piggott J. R. M. Capt.

over

If leave granted, would you please
ask Capt Fallon to forward any mail,
as I ask him to hold it.

W.A.

45 Pearson To

Netherfield

Nottingham

27/1/19

Dear Capt. Anderson

I am very

sorry to say that my

father died this morning. The

funeral has been arranged

for Thursday. I hope to be

back to the office later end

of this week.

Yours Obediently

W. Peggott
J. Z. M. Sgt

3647/106/72 6/2/9
N.F.P. 127.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

NOTICE

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

1. Name in full of Soldier Rank Regiment or Unit Regtl No.

Walter Piggott 197 Royal Newfoundland Regt 296

2. Age of Soldier: 30 Married or Single: Single

3. Name in full of Mother of Soldier: Ellen Piggott Age 68 Occupation Nil Permanent Address 45 Pearson Street Netherfield Nottingham

4. If your husband is alive state: Name in full Deceased Age Occupation Where Employed

5. If your husband is alive and is not supporting you, state reason.

6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady which must be supported by a medical certificate, and enclosed with this document.

7. If a widow state date and place of death of your husband. January 27th 1919 Netherfield, Nottingham

8. Names of your other children Age Occupation Addresses in full
Rose 116 Nil 51 Northville Nottingham
Harry 114 Engineer Dublin India
Alice 38 Nil Linton, Notts
Aggie 34 Nil Carlton Notts
Alfred 32 Signaller 41 Pearson St. Netherfield
Ernest 28 Colliery Labourer Priory Road Gedling

9. State amount earned by (a) you (a) Nil
(b) your husband (b) —

10. State amount and source of any other income, such as Old Age Pension, National Relief Fund, Pension from any Authority, Interest, Dividend, etc.	<i>Nil</i>
11. Are you in receipt of Separation Allowance from the British Government, if so, how much?	<i>No</i>
12. Actual amount contributed by Soldier prior to enlistment.	<i>Nil. Husband alive</i>
13. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly?	<i>—</i>
14. Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc.	<i>—</i>
15. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment.	<i>Shipping Clerk</i>
16. State amount of his wages.	<i>50 dollar per month</i>
17. State name and address of his last employer.	<i>Bowring Bros Ltd St John Newfoundland</i>
18. State amount of support monthly from son since enlistment.	<i>\$ 2. 10. 0 Direct Remittance</i>
19. Actual amount contributed by other children weekly or monthly.	<i>3/4 Weekly</i>
20. If not receiving support from other children state the cause. (Marriage of sons cannot be regarded as a valid reason for non-support.)	<i>Daughters married with families & Newspance with forces. Sons also married with families</i>

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62.

Signature *A. F. Ellen Pigott her mark*

Place of Residence *42 Pearson St. Newfield*
Witness to the above John Lewis

Declared and subscribed before me at *Newfield*
 this *1st* day of *March* 1919

Signature of the Magistrate *John Lewis*

Place or County for which he acts *JP for Rolle*

Court Seal.



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

1. Regimental No. and Rank

Name (in full)

Date of Enlistment

Unit

2. Name(s) of Dependent(s) (in full)

Relationship

Address

(If allowance is claimed for children, name and address of person with whom they reside should be stated)

3. Ages of Children:

Girls under 17 years

Boys " " "

4. Children's Guardian

Address

5. Particulars of Allotment

Allottee

Address

Date effective from

6. Date of Marriage

7. Have you made previous claim, for Separation Allowance? If so, state particulars.

8. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to anyone in Newfoundland or elsewhere?

296 ~~High Street~~ ~~Marble Street~~ ~~Leigh~~

Piggott Nettie

Aug 28th 1914

Royal Newfoundland Regt

Piggott Ellen

Mother

45 Pearson St

Netherfield

Nottingham

\$ 70 cents per day in favour

of Ellen Piggott

45 Pearson St Netherfield Notts

Feb 15/19

No.

No.

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MAY 1919

O.C. PAY

" 2ND BATT.

9. Name and address of your last Employer.	<i>Bowring Bros Ltd St Johns Newfoundland</i>
10. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment.	<i>\$ 50 per month</i>
11. Are your wages or any portion being paid by your employer during your absence?	<i>No.</i>
12. If paid, what is the amount per month?	—
13. Name of Corps prior to Enlistment in the Newfoundland Contingent.	—

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement.

W. P. Regan J. L. M. Sgt

Signature of Officer forwarding this Application.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

J. H. Marshall
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I.C. RECORDS

Unit _____

Date 13/2/19.

FOR COMPLETION AT THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Date Marriage Certificate examined _____

Date Birth Certificates (in case of children) examined _____

If Soldier is sole support, does Statutory Declaration accompany this Application? Yes.

SUSPENSE ~~CLEAR~~

2941/1/P&A

C.P.&O.i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contg
58, Victoria Street
London, S.W.1.

Mrs. E. Piggott,
45, Pearson Street
Netherfield,
Notts.

19th. Febry. 9

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.
NO. 296. S.Q.M.S. W. PIGGOTT.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Application for Separation Allowance on your behalf has been received from the above named Warrant Officer.

To support your claim it is necessary that the enclosed N.F.P/87 should be completed and returned to this office, please.

Captain.
Asst. Paymaster.
Chief Paymaster & O i/c Records.

WF/MN.

File WRC

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

5058

N.F.C. 31.	
PAY LEDGERS	<i>20</i>
N.M. ROLL	<i>320</i>
ALLOT. INDEX	
" REGISTER	<i>1st.</i>
EXAMINED	

ALLOTMENT

I, (No.) *296* (Rank) *S. L. M. Sgt* (Name) *Piggott*

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in required form, to make an Allotment of _____ dollars and *70* cents per diem, from my pay, to and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person and/or Persons. Such payments to be made on proof of identity of the Person and/or Persons concerned, viz.:

Whether Wife, Child, other Relative, or Friend.	NAME (In full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (Each Person)	
			\$	c
<i>Mother</i>	<i>Ellen Piggott</i>	<i>45 Pearson St Netherfield Nottingham</i>		<i>70</i>
			<i>-</i>	<i>70</i>

This Allotment to take effect from and including *Feb 15* 1919

NOTE:- This Form must be completed and signed by the Soldier, counter-signed by the Officer Commanding his Company, and forwarded to the Chief Paymaster in accordance with P.&R.O. C.L./10, 9/12/16.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,

(Sig.) *[Signature]*
OFFICER COMMANDING RECORDS,
" " Company.

Dated at _____
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
58, VICTORIA ST.
LONDON, S.W.
13/2/19 1919
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

(Sig.) *[Signature]*
Allotter.

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Cor. B. W. 41580 4,000,000 3/19 A. H. & S. (E4488)

Reply Rd Cynoptical London

Please grant four days extension

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P. T. O

17/10/19

PIGGOTT CARE GRAY

FIRS EAST-DEREHAM NORFOLK

EXTENSION

TWO

DAYS

ONLY

SYNOPTICAL

P. J. O.

C O P Y

This is to certify that Mr Piggott was
certified by me as unable to continue in his employment
on account of failing health and advancing years, on
November 16th.1917.

G.F.Gaillard

B.A. etc.

July 1st.1919

CERTIFIED COPY of an ENTRY of DEATH
PURSUANT TO THE BIRTHS & DEATHS REGISTRATION ACT 1836 to 1874

REGISTRATION DISTRICT B A S F O R D									
1919 DEATH IN THE SUB DISTRICT OF C A R L T O N IN THE COUNTY OF N O T T I N G H A M									
Columns:- 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9									
No.	When & Where Died	Name & Surname	Sex	Age	Rank or Profession	Cause of Death	Signature, Description and Residence of Informant	When Registered	Signature of Registrar.
	Twenty seventh January 1919	Henry Piggott	Male	69 years	Retired Railway Guard	1. Myocardial. 2. Aggina Pectoris	William Piggott Son present at death 45 Pearson St. Carlton	28th January 1919	John Smith Interim
	45 Pearson Street Carlton U.D.					Certified by G.F. Gallard L.S.A.			

I, ARTHUR HOLMES Registrar of Births and Deaths for the Sub-district of Carlton in the County of NOTTINGHAM do hereby certify that this is a true copy of the Entry No 192 in the Register Book of Deaths for the said Sub-Districts and, that such Register Book is now legally in my custody.

Witness My Hand this 28th day of June 1919

A. Holmes.

Registrar of Births & Deaths.

12238/80/R&C



Officer Commanding,
3rd Ldn Gen. Hospital,
Wandsworth, S.W. 18.

Pay & Record Office,


15th November, 9

296 SQMS. W. PIGGOTT,
R. Newfoundland Regt.

As arranged by telephone
yesterday, the above-named
W.O. reports to you for Medical
Board on demobilization.

A.Fs. B.178A and B.2505
are enclosed, please.

Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London).



*Checked
Records
July 15th 1919*

N.F.P./110.

NEWFOUNDLAND - CONTINENT

CLAIM FOR WAR 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.

<p><i>J.M.</i> 1. REGIMENTAL PARTICULARS:</p> <p>(a) Rank on Discharge or Retirement.</p> <p>(b) Christian Names</p> <p>(c) Surname</p> <p>(d) Date of Discharge or Retirement</p>	<p>Regtl. No. <u>296</u> Date of Enlistment <u>Sept 5th 1914</u></p> <p>Unit <u>Royal Newfoundland Regt</u> <u>Staff Sergeant, Machine Sq.</u></p> <p><u>W. Walter</u></p> <p><u>J. Piggott</u></p> <p><u>Dec 16/1919</u> Cause: <u>Demobilization</u></p>
<p>2. Address in full to which future payments of Gratuity are to be forwarded</p>	<p><u>58 Victoria St</u> <u>S.W. 1.</u></p>
<p>3. Name of Dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance was being issued immediately prior to Discharge.</p> <p>Relationship</p> <p>Address</p>	<p><u>E. Piggott</u></p> <p><u>Mother</u></p> <p><u>No 5 Pearson St. Netherfield Notts</u></p>
<p><i>W.P.M.</i> 4. Rate of Separation Allowance</p> <p>Rate of Allotment</p> <p>Is said Dependent now, or was said</p>	<p><u>\$25.00</u> Dollars per month</p> <p><u>—</u> Dollars <u>70</u> Cents per day</p>
<p>5. Dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?</p>	<p><u>No.</u></p>
<p>6. Were you at any time on the strength for Pay & Allowances of the Newfoundland Forestry Corps? If so, give dates of Service.</p>	<p><u>No.</u></p>
<p><i>S.P.</i> 7. TOTAL SERVICE IN:</p> <p>(a) Royal Newfoundland Regt.</p> <p>(b) Newfoundland Forestry Corps</p>	<p><u>5 years 10 1/2 days.</u></p>
<p>8. Were you at the time of enlistment a civil employee of the Newfoundland Government? If so, state Department. Were you in receipt of any portion of civil service salary during your military service? If so, give particulars and amt.</p>	<p><u>No.</u></p>
<p>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.</p>	<p><u>No.</u></p>

Continued.

10. Have you, during the present War, served in the Imperial Forces? If so, are you entitled to receive, or ~~you~~ 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.

Yes
Galapoli 1915

12. Have you received allowance in lieu of civilian clothes? If so, state amount, date and by whom paid.

Yes
60⁰⁰ 16/11/19
Chief Paymaster London.

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

Signature of Applicant

W. Peggott

Place of Residence

319 Trinity Road Wandsworth S.W.

Date

15/12/19

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

Rate of Gratuity

Proportion payable to Dependent

Proportion payable to Applicant

MEMORANDUM OF PAYMENTS

Issuing Office	Date	AMOUNT		Verified by	Remarks
		Dependent	Applicant		
<i>P & R London</i>	<i>15.12.19</i>	<i>6.3.4</i>	<i>61.4.8</i>	<i>WH</i>	<i>Order for Bank of England Cheque 4883.4</i>
"	<i>13.1.20</i>	<i>6.3.4</i>	<i>14.7.8</i>	<i>WH</i>	<i>" 4986.7</i>
"	<i>15.1.20</i>	<i>24.15.0</i>	<i>57.10.8</i>	<i>WH</i>	<i>" 4993.4</i>

Rate of Gratuity verified by *WH*

Amount recoverable from Imperial funds in respect of service in the Newfoundland Forestry Corps

Claim passed by *WH*

Completed by *15/20* Date *WH*

Period of Service _____

Rate per month _____

Amount due on account of civilian clothes, \$ *✓*

Verified by _____

Checked by _____

High Commissioner for Nfld
58 Victoria St

14-1-20

S.W.I.

Re Gratuity

To

In reference to above I have still
five payments due to me & would like
same to be paid in a lump sum, if
possible.

My reasons for making this request is
to enable me to make up a certain
sum of money, which I intend to place
in a sound & permanent investment.
It would benefit me very much indeed
if this request could be granted.

I remain

Yours Obediently
W. Piggott

ex 296.

J. J. M. Sergt
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Lt Col. H. A. Tomwell.

Piggott. W.

296

Pay Dept

1616

No. _____

Date May 18, 1916

(1) To the Officer i/c Records,

58, Victoria Street,

S.W. (Station).

(2) The Officer Commanding,

Newfoundland Contingent,

Ayr. (Station).

(3) The Paymaster,

58, Victoria Street,

S.W. (Station).

Regimental No. 296

Rank and Name Pte. Piggott, W.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland Contingent

has been granted a furlough from May 18 to May 27

His address while on leave will be:—

45, Pearson Street, Netherfield,

Nottingham.

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

I consider he is fit for* ~~Duty~~ and not likely to be fit for service ~~Light duty~~ overseas within 3 months.

A. Hope Gosse, Capt., R.A.M.C.T.,
Registrar "

Officer in charge 3rd London Gen. Hospital,

Wandsworth, S.W. (Station).

* Strike out that which is inapplicable.

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

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant *Piggott, Mrs (mother)*

On account of *W. Piggott* No. *296* Rank *Sgms.*

Decision *Approved*
payable from 16/11/17 (Commencement
of total incapacity of father) to 27/1/19.
(date from which S.A. has already been paid)

A. E. Heddum
W. P. Rudell
M. Dudley

Date *Sept 17/1919*

Instructions.....
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Allotment of per payable to
his from to
Discontinued on account of

.....

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NETHERFIELD,
NOTTINGHAM.

This is to certify that
Mr Piggott was certified
by me as unable to
continue in his em-
ployment, on account
of failing health &
advancing years, on
November 16th 1917

G. F. Gaillard
BA LSA LDCP

July 1st 1919

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE.

Claimant..... *Piggott, Ellen (mother, widow)*

On account of *W. Piggott*..... No. *296*..... Rank *A/Sgt. U.S.*

Decision. *Approved.*
Payable from date of husband's death
or marriage of latest married son, whichever
is the later date

A. E. Newman
W. F. Hendell Lieut. Col.
M. Bowley Capt.

Date *July 24/1919*

Instructions.....
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Allotment of per payable to
his from to
Discontinued on account of

.....

In ans. to Y. Ltr May 13 with
ref. to Y. Ltr. March 6 #106
296 Piggott. sep. all. granted
with eff. fr. Jan. 27. 1919. Stop
med. cert. sh^d be fwded showing
date of total incap. of husband
prior to death.

Cables and Telegrams:
"SYNOPTICAL," London.

Telephone:
VICTORIA 4923 & 4.

Communications to be addressed to the
CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/O RECORDS.

ENCLOSURE

N. F. P/88.
ORIGINAL

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 3647/106/P&A.

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.
6th March 1919.

To
The Hon. The Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

FM/FK.

SUBJECT:

296. A/S.Q.M.S. W.PIGGOTT.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated 1919

Please return **ORIGINAL** and retain **DUPLICATE.**

The enclosed N.F.P/82
Claim for Separation Allowance in
favour of the above soldier's
widowed mother and N.F.P.87 Statutory
Declaration are forwarded for your
consideration.

Kindly advise by telegraph
whether the claim is admissable.

F. J. Marshall Capt.
Asst. Paymaster.
For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Recds.

ENCLOSURE

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 8847/106/P&A.

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.

To
The Hon. The Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

6th March 1919

PM/PK.

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For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Recds.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

1. Regimental No. and Rank	296 Staff Quarter Master Sergt.
Name (in full)	Piggott Walter,
Date of Enlistment	Aug. 28th 1914.
Unit	Royal Newfoundland Regt.
2. Name(s) of Dependent(s) (in full)	Piggott Ellen,
Relationship	Mother.
Address (If allowance is claimed for children name and address of person with whom they reside should be stated)	45, Pearson Street, Netherfield, Nottingham.
3. Ages of Children Girls under 17 years Boys " 16 "	
4. Children's Guardian Address	
5. Particulars of Allotment Allottee Address Date effective from	£ 70. cents per day in favour of Ellen Piggott, 45, Pearson Street, Netherfield Not February 15/19.
6. Date of Marriage	
7. Have you made previous claim, for Separation Allowance? If so, state particulars.	No.
8. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to anyone in Newfoundland or elsewhere?	No.

9. Name and address of your last Employer.	Bowling Bros Ltd, St. Johns, Newfoundland.
10. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment.	No.
11. Are your wages or any portion being paid by your employer during your absence?	
12. If paid, what is the amount per month?	
13. Name of Corps prior to Enlistment in the Newfoundland Contingent.	

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement

W.Piggott S.Q.M.Sgt.

Signature of Officer forwarding this Application.

F.W.Marshall Capt.
for Chief Paymaster & Officer i/C Records

Unit _____
Date 13/2/19.

10. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment.
FOR COMPLETION AT THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

11. Are your wages or any portion being paid by your employer during your absence?
Date marriage Certificate examined _____

12. If paid, what is the amount per month?
Date Birth Certificates (in case of children) examined _____

13. If Soldier is sole support, does he accompany Statutory Declaration
Yes.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

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Each statement is considered as being made on oath by virtue of the Provisions of Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62, and the form is to be signed before a Magistrate of your District, and returned to

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

1. Name in full of Soldier	Rank	Regiment or Unit	Regtl No.
Walter Piggott	SQMS.	Royal Newfoundland Regt.	296.
2. Age of Soldier:	Married or Single:		
3. Name in full of Mother of Soldier:-	Age	Occupation	Permanent Address
Ellen Piggott	68	Nil.	45, Pearson Street, Netherfield, Nottingham.
4. If your husband is alive state:	Age	Occupation	Where Employed
Name in full			
Deceased			
5. If your husband is alive and is not supporting you, state reason.			
6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady which must be supported by a medical certificate, and enclosed with this document.			
7. If a widow state date and place of death of your husband.	January 27th 1919. Netherfield, Nottingham.		
8. Names of your other children	Age	Occupation	Addresses in full
Rose	48	Nil.	51, Northville St. Nottingham.
Harry	44	Engineer.	Mable India.
Alice	38	Nil.	Swinton, Notts.
Aggie.	34	Nil.	Carlton, Notts.
Albert.	33	Signalmen,	41, Pearson Street, Netherfield,
Ernest.	28	Colliery Labourer.	Priory Road, Gedling
9. State amount earned by (a) you	(a) Nil		
(b) your husband	(b) ---		

10. State amount and source of any other Income, such as Old Age Pension, National Relief Fund, Pension from any Authority, Interest, Dividend, etc.	Nil.
11. Are you in receipt of Separation Allowance from the British Government, if so, how much?	No.
12. Actual amount contributed by Soldier prior to enlistment.	Nil. Husband alive.
13. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly?	----
14. Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc.	----
15. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment.	Shipping Clerk,
16. State amount of his wages.	50 dollars per month.
17. State name and address of his last employer.	Bowring Bros Ltd. St. Johns, Newfoundland,
18. State amount of support monthly from son since enlistment.	£2 10 0 Direct remittance.
19. Actual amount contributed by other children weekly or monthly.	3/- weekly,
20. If not receiving support from other children state the cause. (Marriage of sons cannot be regarded as a valid reason for non-support.)	Daughters married with families and husband with Forces, Sons also married with families.

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62.

Signature Ellen Pigott her mark

Place of Residence 45, Pearson Street, Netherfield, Notts.
witness to the above John Lemlin

Declared and subscribed before me at Netherfield,

this 1st day of March 1919.

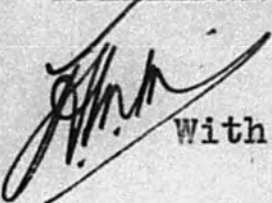
Signature of the Magistrate John Lemlin,

Place or County for which he acts J.P. for Notts.

Court Seal.

From Synoptical, London.

June 20th 1919.

 With reference to my telegram May 13th 296 Piggott, please expedite reply.

C.C.B.

Duplicate

Army Form B. 179A

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, 18
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.....
2. Regtl. No. 296
3. Rank S. Q. M. Serjt.
4. Name Piggott Walter
(Surname) (Christian Names)

7. Former Trade or Occupation } Shipping clerk
& Storekeeper
7a. If the soldier claims previous service in Army, he should state—
(a) Former Regts. or Corps; with Regtl. Nos.

5. Age last birthday... 30
6. Posted for duty on Sept 4th at St. John's
in category (or grade)... A

8. If the disability is an injury was it caused
(a) in action NA (b) on field service Yes
(c) on duty Yes (d) off duty? No

9. If a Court of Inquiry was held on an injury state :—
(a) When
(b) Where
(c) Opinion of Court

(b) Date of Discharge ;
(c) Cause of Discharge.
(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."

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.

Had frostbite in Nov 1915 in Gallipoli, resulting in flat feet. Had jaundice in Nov. 1915 in Gallipoli.

14. State whether the disabilities are
- | | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
| (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 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, 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.)

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.

Station
 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.—(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.

*Flat foot (bilateral)
 Moderate degree
 Could be improved by supports.*

22. State whether the disabilities are:—
- | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| | (a) Attributable to | (b) Aggravated by |
| (i) Service during the present war | <i>Yes</i> .. .. . | ..... |
| (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:

- 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? *Yes*
- (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) (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).

*Twenty percent
20%*

(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?

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?

Grade III

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?

Yes

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?

also

Signatures:—

(Sgd) *W.E. Wynne* Major } President or Chairman.

Station *Wandsworth* (Sgd) *J.E. Lane* Major } Members.

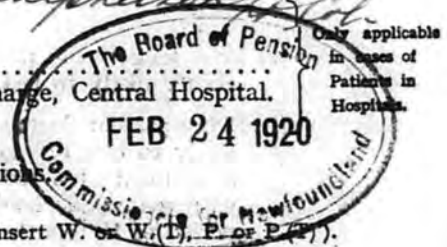
Date *17-11-19* (Sgd) *Geo. Perkins* Capt. Ranc } Members.

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

Station

Officer in charge, Central Hospital.

Date



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.(I), P. or P(I)).

Station

O.C. Discharge Centre.

Date

Certified true copy W.H.

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... *1/Rn. Regt.*
- 2. Regtl. No. *296* 3. Rank... *2/Lt*
- 4. Name *Magox* *W.*
(Surname) (Christian Names)
- 5. Age last birthday... *31*
- 6. Posted for duty on... *4/9/14* at... *St. John's*
in category (or grade)... *2*
- 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.
(b) Date of Discharge;
(c) Cause of Discharge.
(d) Particulars of Pension or Gratuity (if any)
- 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

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."

- 11. Date of origin of disability. *1916*
- 12. Place of origin of disability. *Dardanellis*
- 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.
Bigga 17/11/19
B103 Missing
B178 Frost bite 3/1/16 whilst at Dardanellis.

14. State whether the disabilities are
- | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| | (a) attributable to | (b) aggravated by |
| (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 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, 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.)

16. Was an operation performed? If so, when and what was its nature? *No*
17. If not, was an operation advised and declined? *No*
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? *N/A*
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.

Station

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:—

Flat feet.
(a) Any disability claimed or discovered. *Heaching in calves of leg and feet get very hot in walking so unable to work far.*
(b) The present condition thereof. *L.C. Good. Muscles in order. Heart not enlarged. Short systolic heart heard at all areas. Temp. N/A abnormal.*
Feet *No plaques in both feet more marked on right. No discoloration. No callouses. Hammer toes in 2nd, 3rd & 4th toes left foot. Jarsal joints stiff and movements poor and cause some pain. Ankle joints normal. Can rise fairly well on toes.*
B.I.F. *Confirms from file of feet from active service in 1916*
The board considers the conditions attributable to active service

22. State whether the disabilities are:—
- | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| | (a) Attributable to | (b) Aggravated by |
| (i) Service during the present war | <i>Yes</i> | <i>No</i> |
| (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 | <i>N/A</i> | <i>N/A</i> |
- Give details:

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

23. Is the disability in a final stationary condition? If not *No*

(a) How long is the present degree of disability likely to last? *12 months.*

(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. *N/A*

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?

20% (Twenty)

NA

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

NA

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?
- 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)?

Already acknowledged

Opinion of Military Member in case of disagreement.

10/11/20
W. J. D.

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?

Yes. approved

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:—

Ministry of Pensions
Cheltenham Terrace
Station
Date 9th of Nov 1920

..... M. A. Evans { President or Chairman.
..... J. Ingham }
..... Charles F. Harford } 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.

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.,

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's, Nfld.

Newfoundland

Fold Here



June 15th., 1921.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 160), is forwarded herewith to

Staff Q.M. Sergt. Walter Piggott

in respect of his service as No. 296 Rank SQMS.

Name Walter Piggott Corps Royal Nfld. Regt.

. Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

See July 15/21

Signature

W Piggott

Received
Date

the above mentioned Certificate

Address

58 Victoria St - S.W.I.

I hereby acknowledge receipt of the *British War and
Victory Medals.*

Date *Sept 29* 1921

Regtl. No.

296

Rank

S. 2. N. S.

Signature

W. P. Peggitt

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 296 Name W. Piggott

To Certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above named soldier.

Name [Signature]

Date 11/8/29

Place London

N.B. For completion and return to the Department of Militia insert in corner of envelope "AB 64"

[Signature]
12/20

C.R. 296

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS DAY
RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA WARRANT
APPOINTING ME A WARRANT OFFICER CLASS **II**

NO. 296 RANK. S2M Sgt
NAME. W. P. [unclear]

DATE. 18 - 11 - 20



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 12865/891/P&A

From

PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

31st. December, 1919.

To

C.R. 296

The Minister of Militia,

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

SUBJECT:

DEMOBILISATION IN U. K.

Reference Nos. 12397/815/R&C - 28/11/19

REPLY

Dated March 20th 1920 191

The discharge of the undermentioned Warrant Officer is confirmed as from December 16th, 1919.

296.S.O.M.S. W.Piggott.

A.F.B. 179a, 268, 2079 and 178a are enclosed, also N.F.P/111 and A.F.W.3997.

Kindly advise whether any pension is payable.

R. L. Munnord
Lt.-Col.,
Chief Staff Officer (London).

FM/MN.

The Board of Pension Commissioners have requested that pension be paid to No. 298 SQMS Piggott at the rate of \$5.00 per month for twelve months from the date of his discharge.

Copy of communication in this connection is attached please

Lieut.-Col.,
Chief Staff Officer
for Minister of Militia.

THE BOARD OF
PENSION COMMISSIONERS
FOR NEWFOUNDLAND

Hon. Sir P. T. McGrath, K.B.E.,
(President Legislative Council),
Chairman.
Hon. J. A. Cmt, K.C., C.B.E.,
Major W. H. Parsons, M.C.,
R.A.M.C.



In reply refer to

No.....

C.R. 296

St. John's,

March 12/20



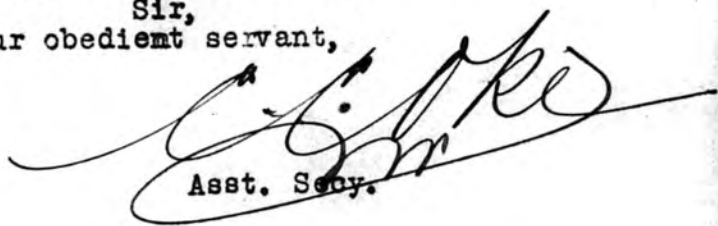
Lt. Col. W. F. Rendell, C.B.E.,
Chief Staff Officer,
City.

~~296 Sgt. W. S. Walter Piggott.~~

Sir:-

I have the honour by direction, to request that you be good enough to instruct the Chief Staff Officer, London, to pay pension in the above mentioned case, at the rate of \$5.00 per month for twelve months from the date of his discharge.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,


Asst. Secy.

LBD.

296

Feb. 17th. 1920

Secretary

Board of Pension Commissioners

Sir:-

No. 296, S.Q.M.S. W. Piggott

Forwarded herewith are copies of
Medical Report and Medical History in the case of the
above mentioned man. Will you kindly inform
me if he is entitled to pension in order that I may
advise the Chief Staff Officer, London

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your obedient servant

Lieut.-Col.

Chief Staff Officer

C.R. 296

Extract from telegram ^{sent to} ~~received from~~ Burality, London Jan. 10/20

With reference to your telegram Jan. 8th 296
Piggott authorized if purpose referred to considered sufficient.

CT 296

Extract from telegram received from High Commissioner
London, Jan. 8th, 1920.

296 Piggott has applied for payment in full
W.S.G. for special purpose telegarpg instructions.

C.R. 296

Extract from Casualty received from Pay & Record Office
London,

The discharge on demobilization of the undermentioned
in the United Kingdom is confirmed by the Chief Staff Officer,
London.

296. S.Q. M. S. W. Piggott.

15/12/19.

Copy C.R. 296

Regtl. No. 396 Rank SQ.M.S.
 Name Walker Piggott
(Christian Names in full) (Surname)
 Unit ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
Regt. M Corps
 Date of

Discharge* Disembodiment* Transfer to the Reserve*	}	<u>December</u>	<u>6th</u>	191 <u>9</u>
			<u>12th</u>	

 * Strike out whichever inapplicable.

COVER

FOR

DISCHARGE DOCUMENTS.

NOTE.—In every case where A.F. Z.22 is included among the documents the letter Z is to be stamped in the space provided below.



WARNING.—If you lose this Certificate a duplicate cannot be issued.

copy

N.B.—Any person finding this Certificate is requested to forward it, in an unstamped envelope, to the Secretary, War Office, London, S.W. 1.

Certificate of discharge of No. <u>296</u> (Rank) <u>Sgt. S.</u>	
(Name) <u>Walker Piggott.</u>	
(Regiment) <u>ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.</u>	
who was enlisted at <u>St. John's, Nfld.</u>	
on the <u>5th Sept</u> 19 <u>19</u> .	
He is discharged in consequence of <u>Demobilisation</u>	
after serving <u>5</u> years <u>107</u> days with the Colours, and	
<u>—</u> years <u>—</u> days in the Army Reserve.	
(Place) <u>18. 11. 19.</u>	Signature of <u>[Signature]</u> Commanding Officer
(Date) <u>18. 11. 19.</u>	16 th
*Description of the above-named man on <u>Dec. 16/19</u> when he left the Colours.	
Age <u>30 - 10</u>	Marks or Scars, whether on face or other parts of body. <u>Mole on neck</u>
Height <u>5 - 11</u>	
Complexion <u>Fair</u>	
Eyes <u>Blue</u>	
Hair <u>Dark</u>	

*Should agree with the description on Character Certificate, Army Form B. 2067

SUBSTITUTE FOR A.F. B.25C (Continuation Page).

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 hereunder.

Place NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT Sig. of Soldier M. Peggitt S. 2. 14. Sgt.
Date 16. 12. 19. Sig. of Witness J. W. Murphy Sgt.

RESERVATIONS: (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 authorised by the Newfoundland Govt
"Blue Putty" Leave as granted to men of the 1st five hundred
(Signature of Soldier) M. Peggitt S. 2. 14. Sgt.
(Signature of Witness) J. W. Murphy Sgt.

Additional Certificate in the case of a Soldier who takes his Discharge at his own request.

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

M. Peggitt S. 2. 14. Sgt.
Signature of Soldier.

10. Statement of Service.

Service towards engagement to 17. 11. 19. (the date to which the record of service is completed) 5 years 74 days
Further service engagement to 16. 12. 19. (the date of confirmation of discharge) 1 years 28 days
(Total: Five Years 102 Days) Total 5 years 102 days

11. Confirmation of Discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for December 16th 1919 (date).

Place NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT Signature J. J. Marshall Capt.
Date 16. 12. 19. Rank CHIEF STAFF OFFICER (LONDON).

copy.

Substitute
A.F. B.268

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

No. 296 Rank Serjt Name Walter Piggott.
Corps ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
Date of Discharge December 16th 1919
Place of Discharge 58 Victoria St London Sw. 1.

1. Age 30 years 10 months
Height 5 feet 11 inches
Chest girth when fully expanded 38 ins
measure) -ment range of expansion 4 ins
Complexion Fair
Eyes Blue
Hair Dark
Trade clerk
Intended place of residence 319 Trinity Road
(full particulars) Wandsworth Common Sw. 18.

DESCRIPTIVE
MARKS

Mole on
neck

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

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations. Gallipoli 1915
1914-1918 Star, British War Medal, Allied Victory Medal
Certificate of Education S

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

Place: 58, VICTORIA ST. LONDON, S.W.
Date: 16.12.19

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.
F. H. Mearns
CHIEF STAFF OFFICER (LONDON).
Commdg _____

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N.F. P/111.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

DEMOBILIZATION

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.) 296 (Rank) S.M.S. (Name) W. Piggott
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. *Except in so far as provided under N.F. P. 118.*



1919.

Signature

W. Piggott

Rank

S. A. M. Sgt.

Signature of Witness

J. Murphy Sgt.

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Extract from casualties from Pay & Record Office, London,

Dated 19-11-19.

296, S.Q.M.S. W. Piggott proceeded on demobilization leave
18-11-19. His DISCHARGE IN THE U.K. will be confirmed by
The Chief Staff Officer (London) on 16-12-19, the date ~~is~~
following expiry of leave.

Authority:

Chief Staff Officer (London).

C.R. 296

Extract from telegram from Syn., to Military
dated Nov. 18th 1919.

296, Piggott will be demobilized in United Kingdom
Dec. 15th.

C.R.

296

Extract from telegram from Military
to Syn., London, dated Sept. 25th 1919..

STOP PAY TO SQMS. 296, PIGGOTT £2.

ENCLOSURE

DUPLICATE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 3360/445/P&A **C.R. 296**

From
PAY AND RECORD OFFICE,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.

The Hon, the Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

July 4th 1919

WF/BC

SUBJECT :

**296 SQMS, W. PIGGOTT,
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE**

Reference Nos.

REPLY

Dated **January 16th, 1920** 191

Please return **ORIGINAL** and retain **DUPLICATE.**

With further reference to this office No.3647/106/P&A., 6/3/19 and the following exchange of telegrams :

"Despatched 13/5/19 (220):
"Military St. John's
"Expedite please reply to-my
"letter 6th March-No.106-
"296-Piggott-fullstop-"

SYNOPTICAL"

"Despatched 20/6/19 (268):
"Military St. John's.
"Reference to my telegram 13th
"May-296-Piggott-expedite please
"reply-fullstop-"

SYNOPTICAL"

"Received 24/6/19 (2549):
"Synoptical London
"Reference your telegram 13th
"May-Reference your letter 6th
"March-No.106-296-Piggott-
"separation allowance-granted-
"with effect-from-Jan.27th-
"1919-fullstop- Medical certifi-
"cate-should be forwarded-
"showing-date of-total-incapacity
"of-husband-prior to-death-
"fullstop-"

MILITARY"

Copies of Death Certificate and certificate shewing total incapacity of claimants father prior to decease are enclosed please.

A. J. Guinness
Major,
Chief Staff Officer (London),

The following decision has been recorded, in connection with this claim:-

"Approved - Payable from
"16/11/17 (commencement
"of husband's total incap-
"acity) to 27/1/19 (date
"from which Separation
"Allowance has already
"been paid)".

Please adjust accordingly.

Certificate of death of husband Mr. Piggott is returned herewith, please.

Lt. Col.,
C.S.O.

for Minister of Militia.

C.R. 296

Extract from telegram from Mil. to Syn. dated June 24, 1919.

In answer to your telegram May 13th. with reference to your letter March 6th. No. 106. 296 Piggott separation allowance granted with effect from Jan. 27th. 1919. Medical certificate should be forwarded showing date of total incapacity of husband prior to death.

(For Mother)

C.R. 296

Extract from telegram from Syn., London to Military
dated June 20th 1919.

With reference to my telegram May 13th 296, Piggott,
please expedite reply.

C.R. 296

~~Extract~~ from telegram from Synoptical, London to Military.

Dated May 13th/19.

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Please expediate reply to my letter of March 6th #106

#296, Piggott.

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No. 4862

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./35.

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

To: The Hon. the Minister of Militia,

March 27th 1919

St. John's,

Newfoundland

With the compliments of:

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS.

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY

3647/106/P&A.

Posted. 27 MAR 1919



The Hon. The Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

FM/FK.

6th March

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296. A/S.Q.M.S. W.PIGGOTT.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

The enclosed N.F.P/82
Claim for Separation Allowance in
favour of the above soldier's
widowed mother and N.F.P.87 Statutory
Declaration are forwarded for your
consideration.

Kindly advise by telegraph
whether the claim is admissable.

 Capt.
Asst. Paymaster.
For Chief Paymaster & O.i/c.Recds.

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DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY

N.F.P./82.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE
Posted: 208 Staff Quarter Master Sergt.

1. Regimental No. and Rank

Piggott Walter,

Name (in full)

Aug. 28th 1914.

Date of Enlistment

Royal Newfoundland Regt.

Unit

Piggott Ellen,

2. Name(s) of Dependent(s) (in full)

Mother.

Relationship

45, Pearson Street,

Address

Netherfield,
Nottingham.

(If allowance is claimed for children, name and address of person with whom they reside should be stated)

3. Ages of Children:

Girls under 17 years

Boys " 16 "

4. Children's Guardian

N.F.P./82.

Address NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT LTD

70.

5. Particulars of Allowance

SEPARATION ALLOWANCE
Ellen Piggott, day in favour

Rank: Allottee

of 45, Pearson Street, Netherfield Not

Name (Address)

February 15/19.

Date effective from

Date of Enlistment

6. Date of Marriage

Unit

7. Have you made previous claim, for Separation Allowance? If so, state particulars.

No.

8. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to anyone in Newfoundland or elsewhere?

No.

Address

(If allowance is claimed for children, name and address of person with whom they reside should be stated)

9. Name and address of your last Employer.

Bowing Bros Ltd,
St. Johns,
Newfoundland.

10. The amount of your salary or wages immediately prior to Enlistment.

No.

11. Are your wages or any portion being paid by your employer during your absence?

12. If paid, what is the amount per month?

13. Name of Corps prior to Enlistment in the Newfoundland Contingent.

I CERTIFY that the above is a true statement

W. Piggott S.Q.M. Sgt.

Signature of Officer forwarding this Application.

F.W. Marshall Capt.
for Chief Paymaster & Officer i/C Records

Unit _____

Date _____

13/2/19.

FOR COMPLETION AT THE PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Date Marriage Certificate examined _____

Date Birth Certificates (in case of children) examined _____

If Soldier is sole support, does Statutory Declaration accompany this Application?

Yes.

DUPLICATE

N.F.P./87

NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

MAIL COPY

Posted
SEPARATION ALLOWANCE

NOTICE.

THIS STATUTORY DECLARATION is to be filled in correctly in every detail, and a complete reply must be given to each question.

Each statement is considered as being made on oath by virtue of the Provisions of Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62, and the form is to be signed before a Magistrate of your District, and returned to

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

1. Name in full of Soldier	Rank	Regiment or Unit	Regtl No.
Walter Piggott	SQMS.	Royal Newfoundland Regt.	296.
2. Age of Soldier:		Married or Single:	
3. Name in full of Mother of Soldier:		Age	Occupation
Ellen Piggott		68	Nil.
		Permanent Address 45, Pearson Street, Netherfield, Nottingham.	
4. If your husband is alive state: Name in full		Age	Occupation
Deceased		-	---
5. If your husband is alive and is not supporting you, state reason.		-----	
6. If your husband is a chronic invalid and totally incapacitated, state nature of malady which must be supported by a medical certificate, and enclosed with this document.		-----	
7. If a widow state date and place of death of your husband.		January 27th 1919. Netherfield, Nottingham,	
8. Names of your other children		Age	Occupation
Rose		48	Nil.
Harry		44	Engineer
Alice		38	Nil.
Aggie.		34	Nil.
Albert.		33	Signalmen,
Ernest.		28	Colliery Labourer.
		Addresses in full 51, Northville St. Nottingham.	
		Hulse India.	
		Swinton, Notts,	
		Carlton, Notts.	
		41, Pearson Street, Netherfield,	
		Priory Road, Gedling	
9. State amount earned by (a) you		(a) Nil	
(b) your husband		(b) ---	

10. State amount and source of any other Income, such as Old Age Pension, National Relief Fund, Pension from any Authority, Interest, Dividend, etc.	Nil.
11. Are you in receipt of Separation Allowance from the British Government, if so, how much?	No.
12. Actual amount contributed by Soldier prior to enlistment.	Nil. Husband alive
13. Was this amount contributed weekly or monthly?	-----
14. Did this amount include payment of son's board, etc.	-----
15. State your son's trade or occupation prior to enlistment.	Shipping Clerk,
16. State amount of his wages.	50 dollars per month,
17. State name and address of his last employer.	Bowring Bros Ltd, St Johns, Newfoundland,
18. State amount of support monthly from son since enlistment.	£2 10 0 Direct Remittance,
19. Actual amount contributed by other children weekly or monthly.	3/- weekly,
20. If not receiving support from other children state the cause. (Marriage of sons cannot be regarded as a valid reason for non-support.)	Daughters married with families and husband with Forces, Sons also married with Families.

I herewith make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Acts 5 & 6, Will. IV., c. 62.

Signature Ellen Pigott her mark,

Place of Residence 45, Pearson Street, Netherfield,
witness to the above, John Lennin

Declared and subscribed before me at Netherfield,

this 1st day of March 1919.

Signature of the Magistrate Johns Lennin,

Place or County for which he acts JP for Notts.

Court Seal.

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Extract of General Order from P.&R.O., London dated December 15th 1917.

The following Acting Promotions is made subject to confirmation by the Hon. the Minister of Militia, St. John's Newfoundland.

296 a/Corporal W. Piggott

a/Sergeant.....to date from 24/11/17 and whilst attached for duty at the Pay and Record Office London.

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Extract from Casualty List received from Pay & Record Office, London, dated January 30, 1916.

#296 Pte. W. Piggott.

Catarrh Jaundice.

Transferred to Base per H.S. "Aquitania" ex 16 S.H.
Madras East, 25th December 1915.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R.O.
January 11th 1916.

296^q Pte W. Piggott.

1 Newfoundland R. Jaundice Adm. 16 SH Mudros 5th December 1915.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&.R O.
January 15th 1916.

296, Pte W. Piggott.

1 Newfoundland Adm. 3rd London General Hospital Wandsworth
3rd January 1916. Frost Bite,

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Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld.

from P. & R. O. 5/1/16.

296, Pte Piggott. ✓

Admitted Wandsworth, Frostbite.

C.R. 296

Excerpt from Nominal Roll of "A" Co. 1st Bn. WFLD Regt.
Embarked at Devonport for Active Service 20-8-15

296 Pte. W. Piggott.

Disembarked Alexandria 21-8-15 Proceeded to Suez
Suez, Cairo, same date. Embarked Alexandria for
Gallipoli 15-9-15.

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

"Florizel" Oct. 4, 1914.

296 Piggott Walter.

C.R.

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Walter Piggott was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ... Sept. 5th, 1914.
Regimental No. 296 was allotted to Pte Walter Piggott

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.