



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 5842 Name George Pike Corps Infantry

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- 1. What is your name? 1. George Pike
- 2. What is your full Address? 2. 1811 Cove Rd
- 3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
- 4. What is your age? 4. 19 Years Months
- 5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Postman
- 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? 11. Yes

I, George Pike 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.

George Pike SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Wm. J. ... Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, George Pike 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 26 day of July 1915.

Signature of Attesting Officer Wm. J. ...

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 1st Bn.

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

Date 27-7-15 1915 } Approving Officer.

Place St. John's }

† 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 George Lake
 Apparent age 19 years months. Height 5 feet 7 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches
 Range of expansion 4 inches
 Distinctive marks

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs Julia Lake
Placerville Bay California Relationship Mother

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
 " " Pensions " _____ [" "] _____ " _____

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No. 5842 Name George Pike Corps Meth

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1. What is your name? 1. George Pike
2. What is your full Address? 2. 167 St. John's St. St. John's N.S.
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 29 Years Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Printer
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? 11. Yes

I, George Pike 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.

George Pike SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
96748 George Pike SIGNATURE OF WITNESS.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, George Pike 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 25 day of July 1915.
Signature of Attesting Officer Asst. Lieut.

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 11-7-15 1915
Place } Approving Officer.

† 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.

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C.R. 5842*

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld. Regt.,
St. John's for Oct. 5th, 1918.

5842 Pte. G. Pike.

Struck off the strength from 5-10-18 authority K.R. & R. Para.

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C.R. 5842

Draft entrained for Overseas at St. John's, Sept. 22, 1918.
Extract from Telegram from Officer Commanding draft, Port-
au-Basque, dated Sept. 24/9/18.

5842 Pte. G. Pike.

Is returning to Depot.

C.R. 5842

Extract from Nominal Roll Entrained ~~xxx~~ St. John's for Overseas.

S_ept. 22, 1918. "M".

5842 Pte. Pike Gontge.

CR 5842

Extract of Daily Orders, Part 11, UNIT: The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, dated Oct. 2nd 1918.

Strength Increases.

5842 Pte. G. Pike

Reported Headquarters 2/10/18 from overseas draft 22/9/18

C.R. 5842

Extract of Memo from Ass't Adjutant, Depot The Royal Nfld.
Regt., St. John's, 1-10-18.

5842 Pte. Pike Geo.

Supposed to return to Depot, has not yet reported.

5842

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Field.
Regt. BertJahn's, dated August 17th, 1918.

5842. Pte. G. Pike,

Granted leave from 17-8-18 to 26-8-18.

C.R. 5842

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
HMA Regt. St. John's, dated July 27, 1918.

#5842 Pte. George Pike.

Attested for General Service with the Royal HMA Regt.
26-7-18.

Hike, Geo.

5842

Pay sept.

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

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

Classification for service, or proficiency pay... .. Class _____

6. Campaigns, Medals and Decorations

Certificate of education

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

(Place) HEADQUARTERS
(Date) OCT 5 1918
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

R. H. Lait Capt.
Commanding Depot Battr. R.N.R. Regiment.

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

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

(Place) HEADQUARTERS
(Date) OCT 5 1918
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

George J. P... (Signature of Soldier.)
W. H. J... (Signature of Witness.)
Asst Adjutant

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

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

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

(Signature of Soldier.)

10. Statement of service.

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

Further service " " _____ (the date of confirmation of discharge) " " " " " "

26-7-18 to 3-10-18 = Total ... " 69 "

11. Confirmation of discharge.

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

(Place) _____

Signature _____

(Date) _____

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

To be Noted

Part II. Orders _____
Card Index _____
Nominal Roll _____



The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

REPORT OF HEADQUARTERS TRAVELLING BOARD HELD ON SOLDIER ON REGIMENTAL STRENGTH

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Depot: Headquarters, Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date **OCT 3 1918** 19_____

attested 26-7-18

Regimental No. **5942**

Name **Pike, George**

Address _____

Disease or Disability **"mentally deficient"**

Finding of last Standing Medical Board, _____

held on _____ 19_____

Present Condition **not due to military service**

Recommendation **Discharge**

Category _____

Members of Board

}	R. H. Lait Capt.	O. C. Depot
	W. B. Borden	D. D. M. S.
	W. B. Borden Capt. B. B. Borden	M. O. Depot

Royal Newfoundland Regt.
REID NEWFOUNDLAND COMPANY.

Form 332.

RAILWAY AND STEAMSHIP LINES.

TO WOC

7th mo. Draft Port au Prince Station,

Sept 24 1911

5842 Geo Peter

E Coy

The marginally noted man in my opinion is mentally deficient & unfit for General Service and have advised Capt Dennis & Co Draft to return him to Headquarters. Attached find report from his 2^d Company Commander Lieut Sammes.

J.P. Atkinson Major
New Draft.

Reported 2/10/18



REID NEWFOUNDLAND COMPANY.

RAILWAY AND STEAMSHIP LINES.

Station,

Sep. 23 1918

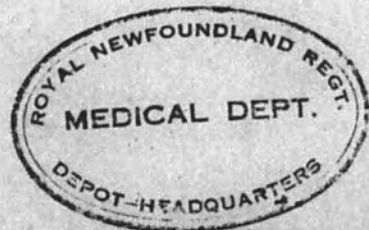
To M.O.,
Draft.

In regard to #5842 George Pike, Private
I beg to report that while acting as his
Company Commander. I always found him
extremely slow & untidy on parade, he
appeared to me to be half-witted, & irresponsible
I reported this matter verbally
to the Adjutant some time ago.

A. L. Summers
Lieut.

23-9-18

Reported 2-10-18



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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname

Pick

Christian Name

George

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE

Birthplace:—Parish

St. John's County *Newfoundland*

SPECIAL RESERVE

REGULAR ARMY

Examined	on <i>26</i> day of <i>July</i> 191 <i>8</i>	on	day of	191
	at <i>St. John's</i>	at		
Declared Age	years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation	<i>Yachtman</i>			
Height	<i>5</i> feet	<i>7</i> inches	feet	inches
Weight	<i>142</i> lbs.			lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	<i>36</i> inches		inches
	Range of Expansion	<i>4</i> inches		inches

Physical Development

Vaccination Marks	Arm	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Number				

When Vaccinated

Vision	R.E.—V=	<i>6/9</i>	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	<i>6/9</i>	L.E.—V=	

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection

Approved by (Signature)

Lammert Peterson

(Rank)

Medical Officer

Medical Officer

Enlisted

at *St. John's* at
on *26* day of *July* 191*8* on day of 191

Corps

Regt. No.

Corps

Regt. No.

Joined on Enlistment

Royal 5842

Transferred to

1st Lt
Regt

Became non-effective by

on day of 191 on day of 191

(Signature)

(Rank)

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at Headquarters on July 26 1915

1. Name George Peter, Age (a) Declared 19
(b) Apparent

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? Trouble with Back.

What severe illnesses have you had? None.

Eyes Brown
Dark
Scars on left cheek.

3. Height 5ft 7 1/2" Weight 142

4. Eyesight (a) Left 1/9 (b) Right 1/9

5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise)

5842

6. Examination of Lungs
Measurement (a) Expiration 39 (b) Inspiration 36

7. Examination of Heart

8. Examination of Urine

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

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

10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when? No.
11. Name and address of next of kin Mother Julia Placentia Bay, Trissey's Cove.

REMARKS—

AS

Archibald
W. Curd
Medical Examiners.

Sept. 25th., 1918.

Mrs. Julia Pike,
Trimney Cove,
Placentia Bay.

Dear Madam:-

Application has been made by your
son Pte. George Pike, #5642 to have Sep ration Allowance
granted to you.

I enclose Statutory Declaration in con-
nection with same, which kindly have completed in the
presence of a Magistrate or Justice of the Peace and re-
turn to me at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

11. From what date is Allotment effective? 1st September 1918
12. Date of Marriage _____
13. Date Marriage Certificate examined by Paymaster _____
14. Date Birth Certificates (in case of guardian) examined by Paymaster _____
15. If soldier is sole support, does Statutory Declaration accompany this application? No.
16. Have you made a previous claim for Separation Allowance? Give particulars No.
17. Is Separation Allowance being paid on your account to any person? No.
18. Were you at the time of enlistment an employee of the Newfoundland Government? In what capacity, and in what place? No.
19. Will you be in receipt of a salary as such, while serving? If so paid, how much per month? No.
20. Name of Corps prior to enlistment in the Nfld. Regt. _____

I hereby certify that the above is a true statement.

Signature of Officer forwarding this application.

his
George X Pike
mark. Name of Soldier. Boyd

Unit Royal Nfld Regt Boyd

Date Aug. 16th 1918.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B 121.
39.

Regiment of

Royal Newfoundland Regt

Number of Sheet

One

Signature of O. C. Company

C. D. Dinko/ind.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay		
No.	<i>5842 Geo Pike</i>	Age on	<i>19</i> years <i>0</i> months	<i>Glazerman's</i>			
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St John's 26-7-18</i>	Religion			
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours <i>12</i> years. with Reserve <i>365</i> years.	Place of Birth			
Joined	Date				<i>Placentia Bay</i>		

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Name of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<i>Medically Unfit</i>	<i>St John's</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>18</i>		

To be carried over.

Depot
5842

October 11th, 1918

From Officer Commanding,
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,
Militia Department

STRENGTH DECREASES

The undernoted men have been discharged on recommendation of Headquarters Travelling Board on given dates and all documents in connection with them are enclosed herewith for your records, please. Kindly acknowledge receipt of same on accompanying forms.

Their Company Pay Accounts have been squared up to and including date of their discharge and allotments current are as follows:

<u>REGS</u>	<u>Date of Disch.</u>	<u>Allotment</u>
5906 Pte. Edward Briffett	11-10-18	60¢
5800 " Augustus Macdonald	7-10-18	None
5842 " George Pike	5-10-18	50¢

OCD*AC

Reg. No. 5842 Rank *Plt* Name *Pike George*
 Attested 26-7-18 Address *Placentia Bay E*
 Allotment 50 Allottee *Mrs Elizabeth Pike (mother)*
 Date of Allotment 1-9-18 Returned from Overseas
 Embarked for Overseas ~~SEP 26 1918~~ Cause

Vac 9-8-18, 1st Inc 2-8-18. 2nd 2-9-18. 3rd 9-9-18.
 16 th App location for Discharge sent to Paymaster *E.*
 H. L. 27-8-18 to 26-8-18. Retd 26-8-18
 3-10-18. Head Quarters Travelling Bd.
 recommends discharge (mentally deficient)
 present condition, not due to military service
 Struck off the strength from 5¹⁰/₁₈ by 17³/₂

Entrained with draft of 72-9-18
I sent back from Portau B
by Major Paterson.