



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2626 Name Fred S Rees Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. Fred S Rees
2. What is your full Address? 2. Lance Cove, Bell Island.
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 24 Years 10 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. machinist
6. Are you Married? 6. Yes
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? 7. Naval Reserve
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. For me
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

DURATION OF THE WAR

I, Fred S Rees 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.

Fred S Rees SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

26/11

J. P. Power Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Fred S Rees 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 18 day of April 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer H. D. ...

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the
If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 1916 } Approving Officer.
Place

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

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

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Fred S Rees

Apparent age 24 years 10 months. Height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 1/2 inches
Range of expansion 3 inches

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin William Rees Lancy Cove Bell Island
Lancy Cove Bell Island | 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) <u>S. Mc Haskay</u> <u>(Irene)</u>	(b) <u>St John's 1916</u> <u>March</u>	(c) <u>Shoeburgh Road</u> <u>St John's</u>	(d) <u>[Signature]</u>
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Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									<div style="margin-bottom: 5px;">Joined at _____ on _____</div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div> <div style="margin-bottom: 5px;"> </div>
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days									
Pension " _____ { " " } _____									



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| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>machinist</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>No</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>Naval Reserve</u> |
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Date.....1916

Place.....

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Lance Corporal Bell Island | 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) <u>Grace Hooley</u> (Name)	(b) <u>St John's 1916</u> <u>March 1916</u>	(c) <u>St John's</u>	(d) <u>R.O.</u>
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					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>28-4-16</u>									<u>Coopt. 7-11-17</u> <u>M. M.</u>
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>April 28th 16</u>									
<u>Discharged. St John's. July 16/1918</u>									
<u>Embarked St John's S.S. Steamer for UK 19 to Embarked for 156 11 19</u>									
<u>Joined 156th in the field 22-10-16 Wounded 20-11-17 Admitted 09 St. John's 21/17</u>									
<u>Invalider to Cayland 28-12-17 Admitted 3rd St. John's 30-12-17 Surlough Run</u>									
<u>Report 1st AD 27.5.18 To left for discharge 30-5-18 Arrives Newfoundland 10-6-18</u>									
<u>Discharged Medically Unfit. 22-7-18</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>22-7-18</u> [date of discharge]					<u>2</u> years	<u>86</u> days			
Pension _____									

A. 2626

St John's, Nfld.,

July 23rd, 1918

Officer Commanding,
Headquarters,
City

Sir/-

The undermentioned discharges have been completed.

Kindly note and post in D.O. Pt.II.

2626	I/C. F. Rees	July 16th	Med. Unfit
1726	Sgt. Wm. Sutton	July 22nd	"

Yours faithfully,

(sgnd) J.M.HOWLEY

Capt & Paymaster

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C.R. 2626

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Hfld. Regt. St. John's, dated July 30, 1918.

#2626 L/Cpl. F. Rees.

Having been found medically unfit is struck off the
strength from 16-7-18

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C.R. 2626

Extract from list of men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment
discharged on various dates.

2626 L/C B Rees.

Discharged 16 - 7 - 18, Medically unfit

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C.P. 2626

Extract from Daily Orders parb.11 from Unit The Royal 4218
Regt. St. John's, dated June 17, 1918

#2626 Corpl. F. Rees.

Returned from overseas and reported by Headquarters
Desot 10-6-18

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C.R. 2626

July 10th, 18

Mrs. Irene Rees,
Thorburn Rd.
C I T Y

Dear Mrs. Rees:-

The following extract from Honours and Awards is quoted in connection with the deed for which No. 2626, Private F. Rees won the Military Medal:-

"For conspicuous bravery under heavy Machine Gun fire, he brought several message of an important nature. His services were valuable, as most of the H.C.O's had become casualties, and he helped in a great way in organising for attack on 3rd objective. His personal work in the counter-attack is worthy of special mention." 9/10/18

I wish to congratulate you on the conduct of your husband, which reflects credit, not only on himself, but on his Regiment.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col

Chief Staff Officer.

2626

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record Office, London
dated June 3rd, 1918.

Due to embark 3055-18.

For discharge as physically unfit

2626 A/Cpl. F.S.Rees, (Conducting N.C.O.)

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C.R. 2626

EXTRACT OF CASUALTY RECEIVED FROM LONDON OAY & RECORD
OFFICE DATED; 27/5/18

FOR REPATRIATION

2626, L/Cpl. F. Rees reference Casualty report
No. 1142, the above mentioned man is granted extension
of ~~YUMV6~~ purlough to 29/5/18

C.R. 2626

Extract of Memorandum from Pay and Record Office London dated May 15th. 1918

DIVISIONAL CERTIFICATE.

The following certificate has been received:

2626 Pte. F. Rees, M.M.

(Certificate.)

C.R. 2026

WOUNDED AND SICK N.C.Os. AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCENO. 1 RECORD OFFICE - WARLEY

23013 Pte. Warren, E.L.	6/N.Hants.	Nephritis.....Adm. 3	Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	28 Dec. 17.
88018 Pte. Wood, A.W.	147 Lab. Co. (9/N'Hants.)	Epilepsy. Mild.....Adm. 3	Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	27 Dec. 17.
37175 Pte. Vaughan, T.W.	116 MG Corps. 10/Suffolks	Gastritis.....Adm. 3	Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	28 Dec. 17.

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NO. 170 RECORD OFFICE - WARLEY

265515 L/C. Plested, A.	1/Herts.	GSW. L. Shldr.....Dis. to Base	Dep. ex 3 Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	28 Dec. 17.
31404 Pte. Shortland, W.	7/Bedfords	GSW. Fngr. Hand.....Dis. to Base	Dep. ex 3 Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	28 Dec. 17.
33769 Pte. Shailer, S.T.	7/-do-	GSW. R. Fngr.....Dis. to Base	Dep. ex 3 Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	28 Dec. 17.
30987 Pte. Hare, F.	1/1 Bedfords att Whitlow L. Thumb.	Adm. 3 Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville		28 Dec. 17.
	Cav. Corps. School.			

LIST NO H.A. 17929

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

536338 Pte. Hargreaves, F.E.	RAMC. 5/Ldn.	Gassed shell.....Adm. 3	Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	28 Dec. 17.
40005 Pte. Batchelor, G.A.	RAMC. 2/3 S. Mid. Str.	Muscles.....Dis. to Base	Dep. ex 3 Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	28 Dec. 17.
51471 Pte. Hunter, C.	RAMC. 22/CCS,	Urethritis. VDG.....Adm. 3	Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	27 Dec. 17.
		Cystitis. Mild.		

LIST NO H.A. 17929

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY

294609 Dvr. Barker, J.	RGA. 148 Hvy.	Bronchitis. Mild....Adm. 3	Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	27 Dec. 17.
154575 Gnr. Jowett, A.W.	RGA. 178 Sge.	Trench Fever.....Adm. 3	Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	28 Dec. 17.
366243 Gnr. Ridley, G.H.	RGA. 232 Sge.	P.U.O.....Adm. 3	Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	28 Dec. 17.

LIST NO H.A. 17929

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

2625 L/C. Rees, F.	1/Nfld.	GSW. L. Wrist R.....Adm. 3	Aust. Gen. H. Abbeville	28 Dec. 17.
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DEPARTMENT OF

THE DOMINION OF NEWFOUNDLAND
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

Dept. of Militia

JAN 2 - 1918

Dear Mrs. Irene Rees:-

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that No. 2626 L/Cpl. Fred S. Rees is at Wandsworth

I trust that later reports will bring news of his convalescence.

Any further information received at this Office as to his condition will be at once notified to you.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs. Irene Rees
CITY

Minister of Militia

~~John A. Green~~

C.R. 2626

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated January 1, 1918.

#2626 L/Cpl. F. Rees. ✓

Gunshot wound right arm.

To 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, 30/12/17.

Authority A.Fs. W. 3026A.

G.



18th December, 1917.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, enclosing copy of communication addressed to you by Mrs. Rees, of Thorburn Road, St. John's, wife of No. 2626 Lance Corporal Fred S. Rees, in which she notifies her change of address.

This has been duly noted in our records.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Colonial Secretary.

Hon. J.R. Bennett,
Minister of Militia.

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Your obedient servant,

Colonial Secretary.

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Hon. J.R. Bennett,
Minister of Militia.

Dec. 15th, 1917.

The Hon., the Colonial Secretary,

C I T Y.

Sir:-

I have the honour to forward herewith copy
of letter received from Mrs. Rees, Thorburn Road, St.
John's, West, notifying her change of address.

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. P. R.

Minister of Militia.



2626 R.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
AND QUOTE NO.

2626

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

Dec. 15th, 1917.

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C I T Y.

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of letter received from Mrs. Rees, Thorburn Road, St.
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I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. F. Keudee
Major, C.S.O.
for
Minister of Militia.

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December 14, 1917.

Mrs. Fred Rees,
Freshwater Road,
St. John's, West.

2626 L/Corp. F. S. Rees.

Dear Mrs. Rees:-

Your letter of 12th Dec., has been received and the contents noted. I have the honour to inform you that your ~~change of~~ change of address has been noted.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Minister of Militia.

WFR/CE.

Got his father's i never will
he has handed out the 7 and
i set his name in the paper
pleas Mrs Bennet tell you
oblige me by sending me
all news from my husband
of 6.7.6 lance, Copral -
Fred S Rees

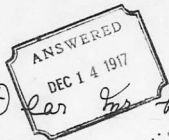
My adress is Mrs Fred
rees Thorburn Road
St Johns West he rames
from Bellisland i am
remoued to Thorburn Road
cence your friend Fred Rees

Dec 17 1917

Thorburn

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C.R. 2626



Dear Mrs Bennet

i wrote to you
some time ago and asked
you would you send me
any present missing that
would come from my husband
and you promised me to
do so but ^{you} never you send
all news to lance Come
Bellisland i think i am
the right one to get the news

C O P Y

DEC. 12th, 1917

Thoburn

Dear Mr. Bennett:-

I rote you some time ago and asked you would send me eny privet mesteg that would come from my husband and you promised me to do so, but you never. You send all nuse to Lance Cove, Bell Island. I think I am the right one to get the nuse, not his father. I never nuse he was wounded ontill the 7th and I saw his name in the paper. Pleas Mr. Bennett will you oblige me be sending me all nuse from my husband 2626 Lance Corporal Fred S. Rees.

My address is Mrs. Fred Rees, Thoburn Road, St. John's West. He comes from Bell Island; removed to Thoburn Road cence.

Your frend,

(Sgd) Irene Rees.

C.R. 2626

Extract of Casualty received from Pay & Record
Office, London, dated December 4, 1917.

#2626 L/Cpl. F. Rees. ✓

Wounded 20/11/17.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

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

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

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

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

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Red	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated

December 1, 1917.

To

Mr. William Rees,
Lance Cove,
Bell Island.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London,
officially reports No. 2626, L.Corp. Fred. S. Rees,

M.M., was at Third Australian General Hospital, Abbeyville,
November twentyfirst suffering from gunshot wound right
wrist.

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

R. A. SQUIRES,
Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.F. 2626

#2626 L/Corp. Fred S. Rees, M.M. ✓

Extract of Casualty list received December 1, 1917.

Gunshot Wound Right Wrist .

At 3rd Australian General Hospital, Abbeville November 21.

2626 Original Files

November 19, 1917.

W. Rees Esq.,
Lance Cove,
Bell Island.

Dear Sir:-

Confirmation has been received by this department, of the award for gallantry, recently earned by your son.

I am taking this opportunity of conveying to you my congratulations on the distinction earned by your son, on the field of battle. It is due in a very large measure, to the gallantry and conspicuous conduct of such men, that the First Newfoundland Regiment has gained such fame as a fighting force.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 2626

PROMOTION.

Daily Orders part 11. 3rd Echelon. 17/11/17.

2626 Pte F. Rees.

Promoted L/Cpl. 1/11/17.

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C.R. 2626

Extract of Daily Orders part 11, by Lieut.Col.A.L.
Hadow, C.M.G., Commanding Newfoundland Regiment,
9/11/17.

2626 Pte. F. Rees, A.Co.,

to be Lance Corporal.

The above promotion to date from November 1, 1917.

MILITARY MEDAL.

2626

Pte F. Rees.

Date of Award.

Authority

Daily Orders 1st Bn. 27/10/17.

Reference.

London Gazette.

C.R. 2626

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's for Overseas
per S.S. SICILIAN, 19, July 1916.

2626 Pte. Rees Fred S.

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Rees ^u F

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ORIGINAL

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./54

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

Regt No. 2626 Rank a/Cpl. Name Rees, F. S. Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Repatriated
to Newfoundland on 30/5/18 Authority A. F. B. 179 Cause Class "A"

DE. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

	PARTICULARS			PARTICULARS			CR.		
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
Balance Br. from				Balance Cr. from 21/12/17					
Alotment 180 days @ 65¢	104	00		Pay 188 2 days @ 1.05			165	90	18 9 9
Cash Payments: P & R. O.			32	10 0	Field Allow 160 days @ 1.10		2	20	
Hospital Advances			5	5 6	Other Allow 160 days @ 1.10		16	00	
Other Debits:					Other Allow 2 days @ 1.10		184	10	37 16 7
					Other Credits:				
					Ration Allowance				
					18/5/18 - 30/5/18				
					13 days @ 2/1				1 7 1
Total Debits			57	2 11	Total Credits				
Balance due by Paymaster				10 6	Balance due to Paymaster			57	13 5
			57	13 5				57	13 5

PERIOD: FROM 22/1/17 TO 30/5/18

CHECKED
dls
29/5/18

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

(Place) _____ (Date) 1918 8 _____ O.C. " " Company.

Made up/checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London to 29/5/18 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,

29th, May 1918

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

DEPARTMENT OF SOLDIERS' CIVIL RE-ESTABLISHMENT

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 9th, 1919.

TO THE PAYMASTER, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, St. John's, Newfoundland.

Name Rees, Fred S. 2626 L/Cpl. 1st Nfld. Regt.

was admitted for treatment under this Department on 8-12-19

On receipt of this form, please complete and detach lower portion, and return same to Asst. Director for N.S. & P.E.I., Bellevue, Spring Garden Rd., Halifax, N.S.

Discharged from H.M.F. at St. John's, Nfld., on July 16th, 1919.

DEPARTMENT OF SOLDIERS' CIVIL RE-ESTABLISHMENT

TO THE ASST. DIRECTOR Unit Place

Date

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Reg't or Naval No. and Rank

Name (Surname first)

Married or Single

Rate of Pay

Date to which Separation Allowance was paid Amount per Mon.

Date to which Assigned Pay was paid Amount per Mon.

If Gratuity or Post Discharge Pay has been paid (Give particulars)

Name and Address of Dependent (in full)

Certified Correct:

Signature of Issuing Officer of the Dept. of Militia and Defence or Naval Service.

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY

N.F.P./94

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

Regtl No. 2026 Rank s/Cpl. Name Rees, F. P. Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was Repatriated to Newfoundland on 30/5/18 Authority A. F. B. 179 Cause Class "A"

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.

PARTICULARS	£ s d			PARTICULARS	£ s d		
	£	s	d		£	s	d
Balance Dr. from				Balance Cr. from			
Allotment 160 days @ $\frac{65}{100}$	104	00		21/12/17			
Cash Payments: P & R. O.			21 7 5	Pay 153 days @ $\frac{1.05}{100}$	155	90	18 9 9
Hospital Advances			32 10 0	Field Allowance 160 days @ $\frac{1.10}{100}$	2	20	
Other Debits:			3 5 6	Other Allowances days @ $\frac{1}{100}$	16	00	
Total Debits			57 2 11	Other Credits:	184	10	37 16 7
Balance due by Paymaster			10 6	Ration Allowance 18/5/18 - 30/5/18 13 days @ $\frac{2}{100}$			1 7 1
			57 13 6	Total Credits			57 13 5
				Balance due to Paymaster			

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

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(Place)

(Date)

O.C. " " Company.

Made up and checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London to 29/5/18 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay & Record Office, London,

29th May 1918

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

MS
29/5/18

PERIOD: FROM 22/1/17 TO 30/5/18

DEPARTMENT OF SOLDIERS' CIVIL RE-ESTABLISHMENT

Halifax, N.S. January 15th, 1920.

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To The Paymaster,
1st. Newfoundland Regiment,
Dept. of Militia & Defence,
ST. JOHN'S, Newfld.

MARK YOUR REPLY:

For attention of

For attention of

M. R. SCOTT.

Your file

Mr. Crawford.

Fyle

DGCR "B" R-435

SUBJECT

2626 Ex Pte. F. REES.

S.C.R. 123-500a. 2-15

NOTE:—Each letter shall treat with one subject only which shall be indicated in space provided. Fyle No. shown on letter, to which your reply refers, must be quoted.

With reference to yours of January 5th in answer to ours requesting Statement of Account, yours of the 5th does not include any information which we have not already got, as we know that the marginally named was discharged from the Militia & Defence and was no doubt paid in full, but what we want and what our request asked for was - viz:- (a) Rate of Pay per diem with the Militia and Defence, (b) Separation Allowance if any, with Statement of Separation Allowance if any, while with the Militia & Defence, (c) Statement of Assigned Pay if any, while with the Militia & Defence.

This information is requested in order that this man will receive Pay and Allowances entitled him, as received while with your Department and it will be appreciated very greatly if this would be considered as URGENT.

M. R. Scott
for Asst. Director for N.S. & P.E.I.
DEPARTMENT OF S.C.R.

MRS/EMP.

February 7, 1920

The Dept. of Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment,
HALIFAX,
N.S.

Attention of Mr. M. R. Scott

No. 2166, Pte. Chas Coles
" 2445 " Fred. Parmiter
" 2742 " Herb. Vaughan
" 2626 " F. Rees.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letters of recent date, DSCR "B" R-435, DSCR "B" V/71, DSCR "B" F-362 and DSCR "B" C-826 of the 15th. ultimo. I beg to inform you that the marginally noted men have been paid up to the date of their discharge, at the rate of \$1.10 per day. No Separation Allowance have been paid, except with the exception of #2626 Rees, *JW 26*

Yours truly,

Lieut.
For PAYMASTER.

H.F.P./54

No.204.

From Pay & Record Office, London
To Minister of Militia, St. John's, Nfld.

#2626 L/C F.Rees

Hospital advances as per voucher 5310 3s.6d.

H.F.P./52

No.204

From Pay & Record Office, London
To Minister of Militia, St. John's, Nfld.

#2626 L/C F.Rees

Hospital advances per voucher 5310. 3s.6d.

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DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who claim War Service Gratuity under Order-in-Council dated January 28th, 1919.

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration. There must be no blanks and no dashes. If any question are not applicable, the words "NOT APPLICABLE" must be written out.

On completion this Declaration is to be returned to THE OFFICER I/C RECORDS, PAY & RECORDS OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

Christian names.. *Fredrick.. Squires.* 2, Surname... *Rus*.....

3 Rank.. *Lt. Col.*..... 4 Regt. No. *26 26*.....

5 Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded.. *51 Scott Street St. John's N. F. L.*.....

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment... *April 8/1916*.....

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....
Mrs. Anne Rus.....

8. Relationship of such dependents... *Wife + "Child"*.....

9. Address in full, of such dependents... *51 Scott Street St. John's*.....

10 Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier?.. *No*.....

11. Were you on active service only in MIL. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service... *Went overseas on July 19th 1916..... 3 months and 21 days service in Newfoundland (from April 25th to July 19th 1916)*.....

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in MIL. or Overseas... *2 years and 100 days*.....

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

Enlisted in Royal Naval Reserve, Nov. 12th 1914. discharged on 26th March 1916. for purpose of joining Regiment

14. Have you already received any payment of Post Discharge pay or War Service Gratuity? If so, state amount you and your dependents have already received and by whom paid....

Recd. \$ 94.⁰⁰ Post Discharge Pay. And \$ 62.⁵⁰ for 3 months separation allowance. Paid by Comptroller Pay & Record Office

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

16. Have you, during the present war, served in the Imperial Forces. No

17. Are you entitled to receive, or have you received any Gratuity in the nature of Post Discharge Pay from the Imperial Forces? If so, state amount received, or to which you are entitled.

Entitled to Naval Allowances

18. Did you revert overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England? No

(b). If so, was such reversion in consequence of misconduct or inefficiency? "not applicable"

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? No If not give: - (a) Date of discharge. July 16th 1918

(b) Reason for discharge. on account of wounds received in action

20. Did you at any time serve at the front in an actual theatre of War? If so give particulars of places, and dates of such service. Served on the Somme from 14th October 1916 to March 1917. Arrived June 1917 Belgium to October & Cambrai in November.

21. (a) Are you receiving treatment from the Civil Re-Establishment Com.

(b). If (a), are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee. No but Receiving Pension

and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing what it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath.

Signature of Applicant: *Fred. Ruse*
 Place of Residence: *51 Scott Street St Johns.*
 Declared before me at: *St. Johns, N. West.*
 This *27th* day of *February* 191*9*

John W. Carthy
 Signature of Barrister of the
 Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-
 trate, Notary Public, Justice of the
 Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits.

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				
Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
<i>31.1.19</i>	<i>\$ 660.00</i>		<i>5 mos</i>	<i>500.00</i>
	<i>109.20</i>		<i>less P.D.P.</i>	<i>169.20</i>
				<u><i>330.80</i></u>
Certified Correct.			Bymaster.	

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To The Paymaster,
1st Newfoundland Regt.,
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Halifax, N.S., Feb. 10th, 1920

MARK YOUR REPLY:

For attention of

For attention of

J.L. Thevenard.
DSCR "B" R-435.

Your file

File

SUBJECT #2626 Ex. L/Cpl. Rees, Fred S.
1st Nfld. Regt.

S.C.R. 123-5000. 9-19.

NOTE:—Each letter shall treat with one subject only which shall be indicated in space provided. File No. shown on letter, to which your reply refers, must be quoted.

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May we now be favored with a reply to this office letter of Dec. 9th, 1919, requesting Last Pay Certificate or Statement of Account relative to the above noted man, who was discharged from His Majesty's Forces at St. John's on July 16th, 1918 and taken on the strength of this Department on 8-12-19.

Kindly treat this as being very urgent.

J.L. Thevenard.
For- Asst. Director for N.S. & P.E.I.,
Dept. of S.C.R.

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MMS/SP.



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
HEADQUARTERS

St. John's, Newfoundland,

July 3rd, 1918 *191*

From Officer Commanding,
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/o Records,
Militia Department

2626 L/Cpl. F. Rees *Bill Lee*

The above noted man was recommended for discharge as permanently unfit by Medical Board held on Tuesday, July 2nd.

I am send him herewith for your attention and necessary action, please.

W. H. ... Ass't Adjutant
Depot The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
St. John's, Nfld.

August 8th.1918.

Corpl. Fred Rees,
Lance Cove,
Bell Island.

Dear Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith two cheques;
for \$3.75 and \$58.60 respectively, being the balance of
pay due you to the date of discharge, also a Certificate
of Pay. I also enclose Certificate of Discharge, and
Character Certificate, dated July 16th.1918,together
with special form,which kindly sign and return to this
Office, at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster &
Officer i/c Records.

Encl. 6.

J/H.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$15.00

June 11th 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Fifteen _____ ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars.
on account of Pay. C. B. H.
balance F. Pres

Ch. No. <u>7578</u>	Initials <u>[Signature]</u>
Pay Ledger <u>201</u>	Initials <u>[Signature]</u>
Gen. Ledger <u>[Signature]</u>	Initials <u>[Signature]</u>

Regtl. No. _____ Rank _____

No. 2526 Rank 4th Lt

Name Fred Rees

1917-1918

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 3 ⁷⁵/₁₀₀

July 22nd 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of Three ⁷⁵/₁₀₀ Dollars.

on account
balance of Pay. to 30/6/18

Ch. No.	8539	Initials	JSH
Pay Ledger	3	Initials	ZM
Gen. Ledger	PP	Initials	J

Regtl. No. _____ Rank _____

No. 2626

Rank Capt.

Name Fred Reed

1918 - 1919

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$58.⁶⁰

July 22nd 1918

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment
the sum of fifty eight ⁶⁰ Dollars.
on account of Pay.
balance

Cheque mailed August 9th/18.

Ch. No. 333	Initials J.S.
Pay Ledger 3	Initials J.S.
Gen. Ledger PP	Initials J.S.

Regtl. No. _____ Rank _____

58.60

No. 2626

Rank 9 Capt.

Name Fred. Rees.

F. Rees.

2626

T.P.R. 10

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C.R. 2626

Fred. S.Rees was attested for General Service with
the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT on April 28th 1916
Regimental No. 2626 was allotted to Pte **F.S.Rees**

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th 1919

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Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

The Royal Nfld Regt.,

Dept of Militia,

St. John's Nfld.

Fold Here

July 5th. 1921. 1919.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No 936), is forwarded herewith to

Fred S. Rees,

in respect of his service as No. 2626 Rank L/Cpl.

Name Fred S. Rees, Corps Royal Nfld Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

King's Certificate

Signature

F. S. Rees

Date

July 14 21

Address

Thorburn Road.

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

Fold Here

SEP 28 1921.

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

is/are forwarded herewith to

Fred. S. Rees

in respect of his service as No. 2626 Rank Pte

Name F. S. Rees Royal Nfld. Regt.
1st Bn. Canadian Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Oct 13th 1921

Signature F. S. Rees

~~Date~~ Victory and War Medal

Address Thorburn Road

[P.T.O.]

C.R. 2626

Extract from Nominal Roll of NZIA. Regt. Draft. No. 12
Embarked Southampton, from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.N.F.

11-10-16.

2626 Pte. T. Rees.

No. 2626 Rank Ltjg Name Wes. H.

Pay 105 10
 Last Month's Pay 65
 Net Rate 50

DEBITS	Date	£	s	d	CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d	
						From	To						
Balance					Balance	21 ¹² / ₁₇				18	9	9	
Acquittance Rolls					Pay @ Net Rate	22 ¹⁷ / ₁₇	18 ⁵ / ₁₈	148	50	7400	15	41	1
Hospital Advances		3	5	6		19 ⁵ / ₁₈	27 ⁵ / ₁₈	9	50	450	18	6	0
A.F. Gd.													
P.&R.C. Payments		9	0	0	12 days @ 2/11								
Cash 7251	18 ⁵ / ₁₈	10	0	0	21¹²/₁₇								
Cash	12¹¹/₁₈												
Cheque 8127	27 ⁵ / ₁₈	13	10	0	18-11-10								
Cash 7405	27 ⁵ / ₁₈	13	10	0									

~~23-13-10~~

35-17-4

~~12-5-6~~
22-5-6

Am. 18⁵/₁₈

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

N.F.P./64

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

Regt No. 2028 Rank s/Cpl. Name Ross, F. P. Unit Royal Wfld. Regt. who was Repatriated
to Newfoundland on 30/5/18 Authority A.F.B. 172 Cause Class "A"

DR.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

PARTICULARS	£			s			d			PARTICULARS	£			s			d		
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d		£	s	d	£	s	d			
Balance Dr. from							Balance Cr. from												
Allotment 150 days @ .65¢	104	00		21	7	5	Pay 150 days @ \$ 1.05	155	90		21/12/17				18	9	9		
Cash Payments: P & R. O.				32	10	0	Field Allowance	2	20		150 days @ \$.10	16	00						
Hospital Advances				3	5	6	Other Allowances	184	10		days @ \$				37	16	7		
Other Debits:							Other Credits:												
							Ration Allowance												
							18/5/18 - 30/5/18							1	7	1			
							15 days @ 2/1												
Total Debits				57	2	11	Total Credits												
Balance due by Paymaster					10	6	Balance due to Paymaster				57	15	5						

PERIOD: From 28/1/17 to 30/5/18

Handwritten initials/signature

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

(Place) _____ (Date) 1918

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

Pay & Record Office, London, London to 29/5/18

29th May 1918

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.



Paymaster -

Pay and Record Office
Royal N.F.L.D. Regt.
58 Victoria St.

Please let me have
£6. (Six pounds) and charge
to my account.



Taylor acc't

Approved
S. C. Hall
Capt

OK. £6.0.0. 10/18
30/18 Recept. no 5913

2626 - Lt. Col. F. Rees
R. N.F.L.D. Regt.

Third L. G. Hospital,



Go Pay Master
Pay & Period Office
58 Victoria St. London

Please pay me the sum of £1
One pound (which is to my credit)
and oblige

Yours
Sincerely

L. Cpl. F. Russ
R. Knifield Regt
L. G. Hospital
Harroworth Row 18



Approved

S. C. Hall
Capt. R. Russ

20/4/18
6671
[Signature]

WILL.

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Name Rees FredRegtl. No. 4676 Rank PtRegiment NewfoundlandDate of:— 15/10/16

Receipt

Transfer

Final disposal and
to whom sent

To paymaster. —

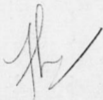
Pay & record office.

would you please send
me by bearer. (one pound)
and oblige —

2626 L.C. Rees

3rd L.G. H.

Handsworth



No. _____

N.F.P./45.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

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

J.S.B.
£10.00 10/11/18
J.R.P.
Receipt No. 6509

Please remit to _____

Fred Rees

the sum of one pounds _____ s. (£)

on account of any balance that may be due to me.

3rd LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL
No. _____
5 - APR 1918
WANDSWORTH, S.W. 18.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
58 VICTORIA ST
LONDON S.W. 1
10/11/18
& RECORD OFFICE

Regtl. No. 2626 Rank L/c

Name Fred Rees

Approved _____
Officer i/c.,

Hospital.

Dated at 3rd h. G. Hospital

April 5 - 1918

Approved J.C. Hall Capt

No. _____

N.F.P./45.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

To: Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Record
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

WANDSWORTH, B.W. 78.
29 MAR 1918
32 LONDON GENERAL HOSPITAL
No.

Please remit to F. Rees

the sum of one pounds _____ s. (£ 1)
on account of any balance that may be due to me.

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Regtl. No. 2626 Rank h/c.

Name F. Rees

*Approved
1/1/18
C. J. [unclear]*



Officer i/c.,

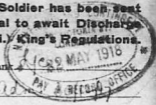
Hospital.

Dated at Paris

9 March 29 1918

*J.K. H - 0.0 h/c
Receipt No. 6302 - 29/18*

NOTIFICATION that a Soldier has been sent Home from Hospital to await Discharge under para. 392 (xvi.) King's Regulations.



Soldier's } 2626 Rank *2nd Lt*
Regtl. No. }

Name *Rees J. Adams*
(Surname first)

Corps or Regiment } *1st Royal*
(also Unit if known) }

To Officer i/c of Records *58 Victoria St SW*

Regimental Paymaster _____

The above-named man, who appeared before a Medical Board, and whose discharge as "no longer physically fit for war service" was approved by the President of the Board on the 16/5/18 *at the address below*, has been sent to his home on warrant to await instructions as to his final discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance and a suit of plain clothes.

He proceeded on (date) *18 May 1918*

to (full address) *58 Victoria St SW*

Date *18/5/18* *9 c Hall* { Officer
capt { Comm.
Registrar, R.A.M.C.F.

Place *3rd London General Hospital,* Hospital.
W. ANDSWORTH, S. W.

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

NOTIFICATION that a Soldier has been sent Home from Hospital to await Discharge under para. 392 (xvi.) King's Regulations.

Soldier's } 2626 Rank *Lie*
 Regtl. No. }
 Name *Rees J.* Adm: *30/12/18*
 (Surname first)
 Corps or Regiment } *1st Royal*
 (also Unit if known) }
 To Officer i/c of Records *58 Victoria St W*
 Regimental Paymaster



The above-named man, who appeared before a Medical Board, and whose discharge as "no longer physically fit for war service" was approved by the President of the Board on the 16/5/18, has been sent to ^{the address before} his home on warrant to await instructions as to his final discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance and a suit of plain clothes.

He proceeded on (date) 18 May 1918
 to (full address) 58 Victoria St

M.R.
 Date 18/5/18 *g c Hall* { Officer
 Registrar, R.A.M.C. { Comm.
 Place 3rd London General Hospital, Hospital.
WINDSOR, S.W.

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

SERIAL No	REGTL No	RANK & NAME	DATE OF AWARD	AUTHORITY	RECORD.
2626	PTE F. REES.	9/10/17	S/O/D. No 6 D.R.O. 25/11/17	<p>For conspicuous bravery under heavy machine gun fire he brought several messages of an important nature. His services were valuable as most of the A.C.O's had become casualties and he helped in a great way in organizing for attacks on 3rd objective. His personal work in the counter attack is worthy of special mention.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">9/10/17</p>	

No. 1711

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

H.P.P./44.

To:

No. 2626 A.P. Gas

1st Lt. L. H. Regt

7th Bn. C. H. Wainwright

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

1st Feby

1918

Herewith

29th Divisional Certificate No. 478

Please acknowledge receipt hereon:

(Sig.) F. Rees

(Date) Feb 2 / 18

[Signature]
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

No. 13626/1

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P./79

From:

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

To:

Officer Commanding,
3rd Aus. Gen. Hqs.
Abbeville

Eb

11th December 1917

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Subject: 2626, L/C. F. Rees

With reference to the following telegram (7511) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received 7/12/17

Pay to 2626, Rees £1:0:0

Xmas Gift from Dominion Fire Brigade

Draft £1:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier. Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

Receipt hereunder.

Officer Comdg. Battrn
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of One on account of cable remittance from Newfoundland.

Donna
J. Marshall
a.a.p.g.

No. 2626 Rank Pte

THIRD AUSTRALIAN GENERAL HOSPITAL

3rd
AUSTRALIAN
GENERAL HOSPITAL.

16th December, 1917

Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
LONDON. S.W. I.



Rees

Subject - 2626 L/C. F. Rees.

With reference to the attached, I have to inform you that Draft for £1-0-0 has been handed to L/C. F. Rees. He was unable to sign the receipt owing to a wound of the arm. His mark (X) was obtained and witnessed by Sister i/c Charge of Ward.

M. B. [Signature]

Colonel.

C.O. Third Australian Genl. Hoospital.

Reg. No. 2626 Rank Cop. Name R. F.
Attested..... Address Sell School (297 1/2 Water St - West
Allotment..... Allottee.....
Date of Allotment..... Returned from Overseas 10/9/18
Embarked for Overseas..... Cause.....

2-7-18 Rec discharged Per Unfit

Discharged 28-7-18 Dis 106

~~DISCHARGED~~ ~~MEDICALLY UNFIT~~

COPY.

Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number *26267*

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps **ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.**

Rank *Plt* Surname *Rees* Christian Name *Fredrick*
 Religion *C of E* Age on Enlistment *24* years *10* months
 Enlisted (a) *28/4/16* Terms of Service (a) *War* Service reckons from
 Date of promotion to present rank..... Date of appointment to lance rank.....
 Extended {.....} Re-engaged {.....} Qualification (b).....
 or Corps Trade and rank.....
 Occupation.....



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, Ac., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.26, or of 10 other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.26, or other official documents.	
Date	From whom received					
			Embarked	<i>S. Hampton</i>	<i>1/10/16</i>	
			Disembarked	<i>Bonen</i>	<i>2/10/16</i>	
			Joined Battalion		<i>22/10/16</i>	
			With	"	<i>23/1/17</i>	
<i>10/1/17</i>	<i>1/6 Unit</i>	<i>Appointed lance Corporal</i>			<i>1/1/17</i>	<i>B.213</i>
<i>26/1/17</i>	<i>OC</i>	<i>Wounded in Action</i>			<i>28/4/17</i>	<i>B.213</i>
<i>29/4/17</i>	<i>Sgt. T.C.</i>	<i>ad Genl Wriats trans</i>	<i>H.P.C.C.S</i>		<i>2/1/17</i>	<i>ED 4004</i>
	<i>3rd Bus Squad</i>	"		<i>Abbeville</i>	<i>2/1/17</i>	<i>HA 16710</i>
	"	"		"	<i>28/12/17</i>	<i>" 17429</i>
	"	"		"	<i>28/1/17</i>	<i>W.3083</i>
	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>				
		<i>(Sgd) P. Aldridge Major</i>				
		<i>1/6 Co 1 Royal Inf Sect</i>				
		<i>2nd Bus Echelon.</i>				

(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.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

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B. 121.
22.Regiment of 1st NewfoundlandNumber of Sheet 1Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No. <u>2626</u>	<u>Rees P.</u>	Age on <u>24</u> years <u>10</u> months	<u>Machinist</u>		
Joined _____ Date _____		Place and Date of Enlistment) <u>St. Johns</u>	Religion <u>M.C.F.</u>		
Joined _____ Date _____		Period of { with Colours <u>2 1/2</u> years with Reserve <u>3 1/2</u> years	Place of Birth <u>Newfoundland</u>		

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order discharging with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<u>Dismissed Medically Unfit</u>	<u>22 7/18</u>				

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Army Form B. 121.

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Army Form B. 268.

Proceedings on Discharge



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

No. 2626 Army Rank Private

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

Corps ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c.
(If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)

Date of discharge July 16th 1918

Place of discharge St. John's, Nfld

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age <u>26</u> years <u>1</u> months	Descriptive marks. <u>Small scar under left side of left Eye.</u> <u>Scar on Right Forearm.</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>8</u> inches	
Chest measure- ment { girth when fully expanded _____ ins. range of expansion _____ ins.	
Complexion <u>Dark</u>	
Eyes <u>Brown</u>	
Hair <u>Dark</u>	
Trade _____	
Intended place of residence (To be given as fully as practicable) <u>Lance Cove</u> <u>Bell Island</u> <u>Newfoundland</u>	

(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)

2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of Wounds received in Action.

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

3. Military character: Very good

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

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2007* and that Army Form D. 480 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer. _____

Army Form B. 2068 has been issued to*

To be filled in on the soldier quitting the Colours.

* Strike out if not applicable.

[OVER.]

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

(Place) _____

(Date) _____ Commanding _____ Batta. _____ 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) St. John's Rd. _____ (Signature of Soldier.)

(Date) July 16th 1918 _____ (Signature of Witness.)

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

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

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

(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) " " "

Total " " "

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.

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 _____

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RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 8.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated and signed by the soldier.)

— Nil —

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Descriptive Return of a Soldier discharged on account of Disability.

INSTRUCTIONS.—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital.
Statement A should be completed in the Hospital at which the man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, and the soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification depends on his confirming this declaration. The "Rank," "Station" and "Date" should be in his own handwriting.
The Form will then be attached to the Proceedings of the man's Medical Board, to be completed by the Officer i/c Records when received by him, and will be forwarded by him, together with the remainder of the man's documents, to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, London, S.W.1.

Changes occurring in the description subsequent to the date of admission to pension should be noted in red ink.

A Name in full Rees Frederick
Regiment from which discharged ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.
Regimental Number 2626
Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when Lance Cove Bell Island 13 June 1892
Intended address Lance Cove Bell Island Newfld.
Height on discharge 5 Feet 8 Inches
Colour of Hair on discharge Dark **Colour of Eyes** Brown
Descriptive marks Small scar under left side of left eye **Complexion** Dark
Figure on discharge Slight Scar on right forearm
Christian name of Father William
Christian name of Mother Agnes
Wife's Maiden name in full Gene Hooker
Date and Place of Marriage Cathedral St Johns Mch 1912
Christian names of Children Myrtle
Nature and locality of civil employment desired Light Employment.



I declare that I am the soldier referred to above, and that all the particulars contained in the above Statement are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

(Soldier's Signature in full) (Sgd) Frederick Rees

(Rank) Lie Colonel
Date May 10th

Station

I certify that the above-named soldier signed the foregoing declaration in my presence, and that the above description and details are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

3rd London Gen Hosp

(Sgd) Al Davies CB

Medical Officer i/c Hospital.

Station

Handsworth SW

Date May 10th

B Period of Service and in what Corps ...

Regiment	Years	Days	All Service Abroad with Stations	Years	Days
			India		
			S. Africa		
Disallowed			
Service towards Pension			

Date inclusive to which pay has been issued

Sum due on account of advance of Pension }

Sums due on account of public debts ...

Rank on Discharge

Character (as on Certificate of discharge)

Where born, and on what date

Date and Place of first Enlistment

Trade on Enlistment

Cause of Discharge

Number of G.C. Badges

Medals

Wounds, and Actions in which received

Other distinguishing marks

I certify that the above details of service and other particulars are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

Station

Officer in Charge

Date

Records.

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Information to be obtained from a Soldier (Regular or Territorial) whom it is proposed to discharge or to transfer to the Reserve Section W or W(T) in substitution for a man fit for General Service.

No. 2626 Rank S/Plt
Name (surname first) Fredrick Rees.
Regiment ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

1. State what special qualifications you have for employment in civil life.

No special qualifications



2. State the name and address of your last, or any other employer before enlistment, etc., the nature of employment and how long you were employed?

*Employed as machinist with Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Co.
Wabang, Bell Island
Newfoundland.
for four years.*

3. What is the nature and locality of the employment you desire?

No

4. What is the name of your Approved Society?

No

5. Have you been employed whilst with the Colours? If so, in what capacity?

No

Date 17/5/18

Signature Fredrick Rees.

NOTE.—This Army Form will be given to all patients in Hospital to complete who are suffering from a disability sufficiently serious to make discharge probable. In the event of the man being brought before a Medical Board for discharge, this Army Form will be produced to the Board, together with other documents laid down in para. 4 (ii), Item 3, of Army Council Instruction No. of 1916.

When the soldier who is to be brought before a Medical Board is not a patient in Hospital, and in substitution cases, these instructions will be carried out by the man's C.O.

Medical Report on an Invalid.

3rd London General Hospital,
 DSWORTH, S.W.



10/5/18

1. Unit *1st Royal*
 2. Regimental No. *262*
 3. Rank *Cpl*
 4. Name *Rees. F.*
 5. Age last birthday *26*
 6. Enlisted (on *apl 1916*)
 (at *St John's*)

7. *Machines*
 7A. If with previous service in Army, state—
 (a) Former Unit;
 (b) Regimental No.;
 (c) Date of Discharge;
 (d) Cause of Discharge. *Yrill*

8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is Proposed.

(Other disabilities should be reported upon in answer to question No. 19).

*G.S.W. Rt. Forearm
 Radius & Ulna badly smashed.*

Statement of Case.

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupervised and supervised periods in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases of physical and mental disease.

9. Date of origin of disability. *20-11-17,*
 10. Place of origin of disability. *Cambrai.*

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11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case. *Received T.R. wounds of Rt. Forearm
 upper third - Radial artery severed &
 Radius & Ulna badly smashed. Wound cleaned &
 dressed arct. X-ray Spoke - Communion of Radius & Ulna.
 Admitted here 30-12-17. Operated only Capt Wellham on
 1-1-18, a 16-1-18; asari hand & 2 pieces of lead bone being
 removed each time. Wounds of arm remained open until
 May 7th*

12. Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability, stating whether in your opinion it is—

- (a) attributable to or aggravated by service during the present war, climate, or ordinary military service. (The specific condition to which it is attributed should be stated, see Notes on page 3).
 (b) constitutional or hereditary, and not aggravated by service during the present war.
 (c) attributable to or aggravated by want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.

G.S.W.

Active Service.

13. What is his present condition?

Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.

Wounds healed - Forearm
gird was lost - Wrist Joint stiff.
Impaired circulation over median nerve
in Palm - index (ripar). Residual union of forearm
Hand also wasted. Am still capable

14. If the disability is an injury, was it caused—

- (a) In action?
- (b) On field service?
- (c) On duty?
- (d) Off duty?

Yes
Yes
Yes
Yes

15. Was a Court of Inquiry held on the injury?

If so—(a) When?

(b) Where?

(c) Opinion?

—
—
—

16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?

Yes. 5" nail - Two in (narrow)
(causing wounds)
3 in by hand square
rule 11.

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

—

18. In case of loss or decay of teeth. Is the loss of teeth the result of wounds, injury or disease, directly attributable to active service?

—

19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing, but not in themselves sufficient to cause invaliding, and state whether they are attributable to or have been aggravated by service during the present war.

—

20. Do you recommend—

- (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or
- (b) Change to England?

Permanently unfit

S. A. Davies Esq.

Officer in medical charge of case.

I have satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, and concur therewith, except †

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

H. E. ...

Officer in charge of Hospital.
Col. A.M.S.

Date May 10th 1918

Comdr. 3rd London Gen. Hospital.

*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.

† Delete this word if no exceptions are to be made.

Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES.—(i.) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as, in the event of the 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.

(ii.) Expressions such as "may," "might," "probably," &c., should be avoided.

(iii.) The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is, (A) caused or aggravated by service in the present war, (B) due to causes not connected with present war, viz. (1) earlier active service, (2) climatic disease 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.

(iv.) In answering question 21 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

(v.) A disability is to be regarded as due to climate when it is caused by military service abroad in climates where there is a special liability to contract the disease.

1. (a.) State whether the disability is clearly attributable to—
 - (i.) Service during the present war;
 - (ii.) Climate;
 - (iii.) Ordinary military service;
 - (iv.) Want of proper care on the man's part, e.g., intemperance, misconduct, &c.; or
 - (v.) Whether it is constitutional or hereditary.
- (b.) If due to one of the first three of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it?
22. Has the disability been aggravated by any of the conditions mentioned in Question 21, and if so, which?
23. Is the disability permanent?
24. If not permanent, how soon do the Board recommend re-examination?
25. What is the degree of disablement at which, in the Board's opinion, he should be assessed for pension purposes at present?
Degrees of disablement should be expressed in the following percentages:—100, 80, 70, 60, 50, 40, 30, 20, less than 20, or nil.
26. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?
27. Do the Board recommend—
 - (a) Discharge as permanently unfit, or
 - (b) Change to England?
28. If discharge is recommended it should be stated whether further medical treatment (including orthopaedic training) is desirable in a—
 - (a) Sanatorium;
 - (b) Hospital;
 - (c) Convalescent home;
 - (d) Asylum; or
 - (e) Other institution either as an in-patient or an out-patient, and if so the period for which recommended.
29. With reference to Army Council Instruction No. 144 of 1917, is any surgical appliance recommended?
30. Does the man require the constant attendance of another person?

60
2
20
—
9. S.W.
—
Yes.
—
100.
no 16.
Yes.
Yes out-patient in London
—
Yes some appliances as per necessary.

Signatures:—
 3rd London General Hospital,
 Station **WANDSWORTH, S.W.**
 Date 16. v. 18

H. Rowland Davis President.
W. J. ... Members.

Approved.
 Station General Hospital,
WANDSWORTH, S.W.
 Date 16. v. 18

H. Rowland Davis Administrative Medical Officer.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname

Rees

Christian Name

Fred S.

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.



Birthplace:—Parish

County

SPECIAL RESERVE.

REGULAR ARMY

Examined	on	27 day of	<i>April</i>	1916	on	day of	191
	at				at		
Declared Age		24	years	10	days		
Trade or Occupation		<i>machinist</i>					
Height		5	feet	6 1/2	inches		
Weight		<i>133</i>			lbs.		
Chest Measurement	{	Girth when fully expanded		36 1/2	inches		
		Range of expansion		3	inches		
Physical Development							



Vaccination Marks	{	Arm	Right	Left	Right	Left
		Number		<i>1</i>		
When Vaccinated		<i>18 months ago.</i>				
Vision	{	R.E.—V=	<i>6/16</i>		R.E.—V=	
		L.E.—V=	<i>6/16</i>		L.E.—V=	

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection

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Approved by (Signature)

(Rank)

Lamont Paterson
Major Medical Officer.

Medical Officer.

Enlisted on *27* day of *April* 1916

Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<i>Nfld Reg</i>	<i>2626</i>		

Became non-effective by

on day of 191 on day of 191

(Signature)

(Rank)

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

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of further use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and readmissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
3rd London General Hospital WANDSWORTH, S.W. 17							<p><i>G. G. M. R. Green</i> <i>Radium & Ulcer</i> <i>badly Swathed</i></p>		<p><i>Board held see overleaf</i> <i>Disability Radium & Ulcer</i> <i>badly Swathed</i> <i>Forearm much wasted</i> <i>wrist joint stiff</i> <i>Hand also wasted</i> <i>arm still in splint</i> <i>F & M on active service</i> <i>Capse</i> <i>Total</i> <i>inability to earn a</i> <i>livelihood less than 100%</i></p>	<p><i>G. C. Hall</i> <i>Capt. Rtd</i></p> <p>3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.</p>

Notification by President of Medical Board of Approval of a Soldier's Discharge, under Para. 392 (xvi.) King's Regulations.

(To be completed and dispatched on the day on which the discharge is approved.)

To the Officer i/c Records _____

The Soldier named below has appeared before an Army Medical Board at this station, and his discharge from the Service as "no longer physically fit for War Service" has **this day** been approved. (The discharge will be confirmed for a date 14 days after the date on this notification—see A.C.I. 1623 of 1916.)

Soldier's surname Rees, Christian names J.
(in full)

Regt. No. and Rank 2626 Regt. or Corps 1st Royal
(If T.F., this should be stated)

His address on discharge will be Laure Court, Port St
London

This information is for the Central Army Pension Issue Office only. **The Soldier states that** _____ allowance is being issued in respect of him.

*Insert "separation," "dependants," "family," or "no," as the case may be. The space must not be left blank.

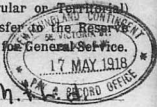
Army Form D. 400A. and Army Form B. 179 for the above-named Soldier are forwarded herewith.

Station 3rd London General Hospital St Andrew's Lane, Port St
WANDSWORTH, S.W. President of Board (Approving Officer).
Date 10/13/18

A set of three forms will be made out for each Soldier whose discharge is approved, and will be dispatched to the officers severally indicated.

Attention is drawn to the fact that Forms A, B and C of each set are not in identical terms.

Information to be obtained from a Soldier (Regular or Territorial) whom it is proposed to discharge or to transfer to the Reserve Section W or W(I) in substitution for a man fit for General Service.



No. 2626 Rank b/cpl Regiment R. N. I.
 Name Frederick Rees
(Surname first)

1. State what special qualifications you have for employment in civil life.

no special qualifications

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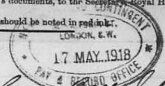
2. State the name and address of your last, or any other employer before enlistment, etc., the nature of employment and how long you were employed.

*employed as machinist with Nova-
 Scotia. Steub. and Coal. Co.
 Wabana.
 Bill Island
 Newfoundland.
 for four years.*

Descriptive Return of a Soldier discharged on account of Disability.

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Changes occurring in the description subsequent to the date of admission to pension should be noted in red ink.



A Name in full Rees Frederick
 Regiment from which discharged 10th Rfld
 Regimental Number 2676
 Where born (Parish, Town and County), and when Lance Cove Bell Island
 Intended address Bell Island Rfld
 Height on discharge 5 Feet 8 Inches
 Colour of Hair on discharge Dark
 Descriptive marks Small scar under left eye Colour of Eyes Brown
 Figure on discharge Slender Complexion Dark
 Christian name of Father William
 Christian name of Mother Louisa
 Wife's Maiden name in full Mrs Hookey
 Date and Place of Marriage Cathedral St. John's Nfld 1912
 Christian names of Children Myrtle
 Nature and locality of civil employment desired Light employment

I declare that I am the soldier referred to above, and that all the particulars contained in the above Statement are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

(Soldier's Signature in full) Frederick Rees (Rank) Serjeant
 Station Chelsea Date 17 May 1918

I certify that the above-named soldier signed the foregoing declaration in my presence, and that the above description and details are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

B. H. Jones Medical Officer i/c Hospital.

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

Date May 10

B Period of Service and in what Corps ...
 Disallowed ...
 Service towards Pension ...
 Date inclusive to which pay has been issued
 Sums due on account of public debts ...

Regiment	Years	Days	All Service	Absent with Status	Pension	Day
India						
S. Africa						

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ST. JOHNS, N.F.L.D.
 P.38. No. 8514/14
DATED 20 MAY 1918

Rank on Discharge
 Character (as on Certificate of discharge)
 Where born, and on what date
 Date and Place of first Enlistment
 Trade on Enlistment
 Cause of Discharge
 Number of G.C. Badges
 Wounds, and Actions in which received

Medals

Other distinguishing marks

I certify that the above details of service and other particulars are, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

Station _____ Officer in Charge
 Date _____ Records.