



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 4515 Name F. J. Shears Corps C.A.E.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- | | |
|--|---|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Fred J. Shears</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>St. John's</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>18</u> Years <u>2</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>None</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>No</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>No</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>Yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>Yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? | 10. Name <u>Fred J. Shears</u>
Corps <u>C.A.E.</u> |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? | 11. <u>Yes</u> |

I, Fred J. Shears, 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 J. Shears SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Fred J. Shears Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Fred J. Shears, 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 20th day of April 1915.

Fred J. Shears Signature of Attesting Officer

†CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the C.A.E.

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

Date 1915

Place St. John's

} 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.

* 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)

Attested 29-4-15

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Frederick John Stears
 Apparent age _____ years _____ months. 36 Height 5 feet 7 3/4 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded _____ inches
 Range of expansion 5 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin John Stears
Melton Square | Relationship Father

Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

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



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|--|------------------------------------|
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| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>211 King St. St. John's</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>18</u> Years <u>—</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Trades</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>no</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? | 7. <u>no</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>yes</u> |
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Corps |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? | 11. <u>yes</u> |

I, Fredk. J. Shears 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.

F. J. Shears SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Frank Pittman Signature of Witness.

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Signature of Attesting Officer Geoff. S. Hart

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Effective 29-4-18

a. 20-4-18

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 Apparent age years months. Height 5 feet 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches
 Range of expansion 5 inches
 Distinctive marks

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin John Shears
Waller Square | 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)

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Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

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					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>20-4-18</u>									<u>Done Sept 14 8/18</u>
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>April 20-1918</u>									
<u>Discharged. Antwerp. Jan. 14 1919.</u>									
Report for duty <u>29-4-1918</u>									
Transferred <u>Antwerp</u> leave for the purpose of taking up civil employment with <u>Messing Bros</u> from <u>26-11-18</u> returned for demobilization <u>7-12-1918</u>									
<u>Demobilization St. John's 14-1-19</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 14-1-1919 (date of discharge) — years 270 days
 " " Pensions " " " " " " " " " " " "

C. R. 4515

Extract of Daily Orders Part II, Depot St. John's, Depot St.
John's, dated Jan. 15th 1919.

DISCHARGE CONFIRMED ON DEMOBILIZATION

The discharge of the underacted man on demobilization has
been confirmed by the Officer i/c Records on noted date.

4515 I/C F. Sears.

C.R. 4575

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit ~~the~~ Royal Nfld.
Regt., St. John's, Dec. 18th, 1918.

The undernoted man discharges on Demobilization has been approved ~~xx~~ by O.C. Discharge Depot from noted date. He is removed from Depot Strength to Discharge Depot pending confirmation by Officer i/c Records.

4515 ~~D-Pl.~~ Pl. Fred. Shears.

17-12-18.

C.R. 4515

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit the Royal Rifles Regt,
St. John's, Sept. 14th, 1918.

4515 L/C. F. Shears.

Granted leave without pay from 14-9-18 to 24-9-18.

C.R. 4575

Abstract from Bill Orders Part II Unit The Royal Field Art.
Co. 1888's. dated Aug 16, 1918.

~~1888~~ Pte. F. shears.

40/0

o 55 1/Cpl. From 14-8-18.

C.R. 4515

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Field Regt. St. John's, dated April 20, 1918.

#4515 Pte. F.J. Shears.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Newfoundland
Regiment, from 19/4/18 to report 29/4/18.

Shears, Fred

4515

May sept.

January 14th, 1919

#4515 L, Corpl. Frederick Shears,
#2 Allan Square,
City

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge
Certificate No.476."

Yours faithfully,

Captain,
Paymaster & O.i/c Records

Enc '1 1.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 4515 Rank Spc Name Shears Fred
 Intended place of residence no 2 Allan Sq City
2. Occupation Draper
 Classification of soldier A Medical Category A1
3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of DEMOBILIZATION.
4. His accounts are correctly balanced and I have impartially inquired into all matters brought before me, in accordance with Regulations.
- Place DEC 17 1918 for McNeely Capt.
 Date DEC 17 1918 Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, of all financial responsibility in my connection.
- Place and date St John's 17. 12. 18. ✓ Fred. J. Shears.
 Signature of soldier
C. B. Dicko Capt.
 Signature of witness

CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

6. I hereby certify that I am in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.
- Place and Date Dec 17 1918 St John's ✓ Fred. J. Shears.
 Signature of soldier
J. J. Arnold Sp1
 Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 21. 4. 18. No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 17. 12. 18 plus 28 days Service 270 days

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer in Charge, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.
- Place ST. JOHN'S R. H. Latour.
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.
- Date DEC 17 1918

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.
- Place St John's Nfld McNeely Capt
 Officer in Charge
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
- Date January 14, 1919
2079/1476

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 4515 Rank Capt Name Shears - Fred
 Date of Enlistment 20 4 18 Address St John's District St John's
 Occupation Driver Classification for Discharge A Medical Category AF
 Recommendation S.M.B. _____ Disability Rating _____

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 17 12 18

W. H. C. [Signature]
O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

Fred. J. Shears

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

2. Clothing:

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable

(b) Clothing Supplied

\$69.00
Joseph H. A. Snow [Signature]
Date 17 12 18
O. i. c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 7161 to his home
at 117-12-18 and Release Certificate No. 409 issued.

Date 11-12-18 QBDaks Capt
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

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

Date 11-12-18 W. H. Kelley Capt
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 17. 12. 18

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4		
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5		
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6		
B 179c	B 120	M 93				

Date 17. 12. 18 QBDaks Capt
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

DEC 17 1918

Date Dec 17 1918 R.H. Lait Capt
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date Dec 19/1918

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname

Shears

Christian Name

Fredrick John

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish

St Johns

County

Nflda

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	20 th	April	1918	191
	at	<i>St Johns</i>	at	
Declared Age	18	YEARS	—	days
Trade or Occupation	<i>Wraper</i>		years	days
Height	5	feet	7 ³ / ₄	inches
Weight	<i>131</i>		lbs.	lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded		36	inches
	Range of Expansion		5	inches
Physical Development	Right	Left	Right	Left
Vaccination Marks	Arm	<i>26th Apr</i>	Right	Left
	Number	<i>12 cas</i>		
When Vaccinated	<i>6/6</i>		R. E.—V—	L. E.—V—
Vision	<i>6/6</i>		R. E.—V—	L. E.—V—
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Lammont Peterson</i>		Medical Officer.	Medical Officer.
(Rank)	<i>Major</i>		Medical Officer.	Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at	<i>St Johns</i>	at	
	on	20 th day of April	on	day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	<i>Medical</i>	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	Regtl. No.	<i>4575</i>	Regtl. No.	<i>Nflda Regt</i>
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on	day of	on	day of
[Signature]	191	191	191	191
[Rank]				



Descriptive Return of a Soldier Discharged on Account of Disability.

INSTRUCTIONS—This form is to be completed in the case of every discharged soldier whose claim to pension, on account of disability, is to be submitted for the consideration of the Pensions and Disabilities Board.

This section should be completed in the Hospital at which a man is attending at the time of his examination by a Medical Board, or, if the man is not in Hospital, by the Medical Officer of the Unit or Command Depot. The Soldier should be given a full opportunity of examining it, as, if awarded a pension, his subsequent identification, depends on his confirming this declaration. The "Rank," "Station" and "Date" should be in his own handwriting.

The form will then be attached to the Proceedings of the man's Medical Board and will be forwarded to the O. i. c. Records together with the remainder of the man's documents.

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

Name in full *Frederick John Shears.*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *4515.*

Intended address *2 Allan's Square S. Johns*

Height on discharge _____ Feet

Color of hair on discharge *Dark*

Complexion *Dark*

Color of eyes *Blue*

Descriptive Marks _____

Figure on discharge *good*

Christian name of Father *John R.*

Christian name of Mother *Catherine*

Wife's maiden name in full _____

Date and place of marriage _____

Christian names of children _____

Place and date of soldier's birth *Little Bay, Nass. March 26th 1900.*

Nature and locality of civil employment required *Bowen's Bay good.*

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 John Shears.* *R CPL*

(Rank)

Station *Dennis Park* Date *Dec 7 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.

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

Station

Date

Civil Re-establishment Committee



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

To work as clerk.

Fred. J. Shears

Signature of Man.

Reg. No. *4515*

Charles Kelly

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

St John's n. F. L. A.

Date

17/12/18.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE WITHOUT PAY.

In consideration of having been granted leave of absence without pay from the Royal Newfoundland Regiment for I agree to free the Royal Newfoundland Regiment from any responsibility or claim whatsoever, on my behalf, arising during that period of absence without pay on account of my services in the Regiment since attestation.

This leave of absence is subject to my reporting for duty at any time when ordered within the period mentioned.

Date 25-11-18.

Signature of Soldier F. J. Shears.

Witness R. Edward
C. M.

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REPORT OF DEPOT MEDICAL OFFICER.

Examination on No. 4515 Rank Lance Corp Name F. Shears

Held 25-11-18. at Princes Rink St Johns

This is to certify that the above mentioned soldier has been medically examined and that he suffers from no disability whatsoever on account of Military Service in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

L. L. L.

Medical Officer, Depot.

4815 Mr. F. Shears is granted leave
of absence without pay till further orders.

R.H. Hart Capt.

9/11/18.

Employer

Bowring Bros.

Dry Goods.



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

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

Examination of *Inaniers John Shear*
aged *18 years* conducted at *Headquarters*
Date: *April 20/18* Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

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

10/15

yes two weeks ago. 1 ear. Left Arm.)
5/18 4 3/4"
131
31-36"
n father John & Shear Square

try out

Signature of Medical Examiner: *J. B. [unclear]*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

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

A complete reply must be given to every question in this Declaration. There must be no blanks and no dashes, if any 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 & RECORD OFFICE, ST. JOHN'S.

Christian name. *Fredrick John* 2. Surname. *Sheppard*.....

3. Rank. *Lance Corporal*..... 4. Regtl. No. *4515*.....

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded. *2 Allan St. St. Johns*.....

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *April 20th 1918*.....

7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge.....
Not Applicable

8. Relationship of such dependents... *Not Applicable*.....

9. Address in full of such dependent. *Not Applicable*.....

10. Is said dependent, now, or was said dependent at any time in receipt of Separation Allowance on account of another soldier? *Not Applicable*

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service. *Yes from Apr. 20/18 to Jan 14/19*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld, or Overseas. *270 Days*.....

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

Not Applicable

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.....

No ~~I received £2.5 days pay and board money when I received my Release Certificate~~

15. Have you been issued with a War Service Badge?..... *No*

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

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

Not Applicable

18. Did you revert Overseas to a rank lower than the substantive rank held by you on your arrival in England?.. *Not Applicable*

(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. *Jan 14th 1919* (b) Reason for discharge.....

Demobilization

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

Not Applicable

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

(b). If so, are you in receipt of full pay and allowances from that Committee..... *Not Applicable*

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

J.M.

Signature of Applicant: *Fred J. Shears*
 Place of Residence: *2111 1/2 S. Jefferson St. St. Louis, Mo.*
 Declared before me at: *St. Louis, Mo.*
 This *20th* day of *March*, 191*8*
[Signature] Registrar of Law
 Signature of Registrar of the
 Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-
 trate, Notary Public, Justice of the
 Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits. *[Signature]*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.					
Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity		Net amount due
.....	<i>Nil</i>
.....
.....
Certified Correct.					Registrar.



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Frederick J Shears, Regl. No. 4575
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
 Dollars and Fifty Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
 to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person ^{and} _{or} Persons, such payment to be made on proof
 of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person ^{and} _{or} Persons
 concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins August 1st 1918.

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
6602	Father	John R. Shears	2 Allan Square St. John's	50
Total Allotment, \$				50

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

(Sig.) [Signature]
 Officer Commanding
 "C" Company
St John's Nfld.
July 6th 1918

(Sig.) F. J. Shears.
 (Rank) Private

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

Forms
B 121.
39.

Number of Sheet one

Regiment of Royal Newfound Land

Signature of O. C. Company W. Watson Lieut.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade
No.	<u>4515</u>	Age on	18 years - months	<u>Driver</u>
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St. John's</u>	Religion
Joined	Date			<u>20.4.18</u>
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours 770 years.	Place of Birth
Joined	Date			

Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay

Promoted Clerk 14.8.18

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness.	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
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Demobilized St. John's. 14/19

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.

4515
Demobilization Form 1

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 4515 Rank Lieut Name Shears - Fred
 Date of Enlistment 20.4.18 Address St John's District St John's
 Occupation Draper Classification for Discharge A Medical Category A2
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

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

Date 17.12.18 O. C. Discharge Depot St John's

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Fred. J. Shears

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$160.00
- (b) Clothing Supplied Joseph A. Snowling

Date 17-12-18 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *Nil*.....to his home at *Chennai*..... and Release Certificate No. *409*..... issued.

Date *17-12-18*.....

O. B. Dicks Capt.
Demobilization Officer

4. Pay and Allowances.

The herein named soldier's accounts have been correctly balanced and all matters in connection therewith settled. He has received pay and allowances to *14-1-19*.....

Date *17-12-18*.....

W. Bowley Capt.
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for..... *17. 12. 18*.....

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36.....	B 268.....	B 121.....	✓ 1	N.F. Med.....	D.F. 1.....	✓ 1	
B 178.....	W 3494.....	B 122.....		Board 1st.....	" 2.....	✓ 1	<i>John B.</i>
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B 179c.....	B 120.....	M 93.....					

Date *17. 12. 18*.....

O. B. Dicks Capt.
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED. *h*

Documents as above forwarded to:-

Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

DEC 17 1918

Date.....

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

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

Date *Dec. 19/1918*.....

W. Bowley Capt.
O. C. R.

Reg. No. H 515 Rank Ove Name Stearns J C
 Attested 20.11.18 Address City
 Allotment 50 Allottee John R. Stearns (Father)
 Date of Allotment 1-8-18 Returned from Overseas _____
 Embarked for Overseas _____ Cause _____

Report 29.11.18. Promoted 4/12/18 14-8-18
 27-4-18 Vac.
 1st Dec 4-5-18 2nd Dec 20/18, 3rd Dec 15-7-18.
 19-9-18 to 24-9-18
 Granted conditional leave from 26-11-18 for the
 purpose of taking up civil employment at Bowring Bros.
 Leeds 17-12-18
 17-11-18
 17-12-18

PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER
DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.