



# FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 2267 Name Frank Skeanes Corps

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

1. What is your name? ..... Frank Skeanes ..... 1. Frank Skeanes .....
2. What is your full Address? ..... 2. 18 George Street .....
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. Yes .....
4. What is your age? ..... 4. 19 Years ..... Months .....
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. Trimmer .....
6. Are you Married? ..... 6. No .....
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,\* which? } 7. No .....
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... 8. Yes .....
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ..... 9. Yes .....
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... } 10. Name .....  
Corps .....
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service } 11. Yes .....  
to be signed by you if you are accepted? .....

FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR

I, Frank Skeanes ..... 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.

Frank Skeanes ..... SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

E. March 14.

R. P. Hallaway ..... Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Frank Skeanes ..... 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 15 day of March ..... 191 6

Signature of Attesting Officer R. P. Hallaway

### † 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 Rank .....

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

Date ..... 191 ..... } 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 Frank Skeans

Apparent age 19 years      months. Height 5 feet 4 inches

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

Distinctive marks     

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Robert Skeans  
18 George Street | 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 Re-serve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ [date of discharge] _____ years _____ days									
" " Pension " _____ [ " " ] _____ " _____ "									



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- 3. Are you a British Subject? Yes
- 4. What is your age? 19 Years 6 Months
- 5. What is your Trade or Calling? Summer
- 6. Are you Married? No
- 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,\* which? No
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? Yes
- 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? Yes
- 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? No
- 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? Yes

I, Frank Skeans 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.

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Date.....1916 } Approving Officer.  
Place.....

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Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>14-3-16</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>March 14<sup>th</sup> 16</u>									
<u>Discharged</u>									
<u>March 18/1919</u>									
<u>Embarked St John's B. Station for det. 19<sup>th</sup> 16</u>									
<u>Embarked for det. 5<sup>th</sup> 16</u>									
<u>Joined Battalion 14-10-16</u>									
<u>Training 14-1-17</u>									
<u>1st Bn. in Germany 23-6-17</u>									
<u>Released</u>									
<u>Arrived Dover 6-12-18</u>									
<u>S. Wimereux 8-12-18</u>									
<u>S. Kempford Camp for discharge 12-12-18</u>									
<u>Arrived Kempford Camp 31-12-18</u>									
<u>Demobilization St John's 18-3-1919</u>									

Total Service forfeited as above.....

Total Service towards Engagement to 18-3-1919 (date of discharge) 1 years 5 days  
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C.R. 2267

STATEMENT OF PRISONER OF WAR.

2267. Pte. F. Skeans, 18 George Street.

Enlisted March 13th, 1916 - Proceeded Overseas July 1916.

Company in France - "B" Company.

Place & Date of Capture - Monchy-le-Preux, April 14th, 1917.

Circumstances of Capture - While advancing on enemy's trenches we were completely surrounded and being short of ammunition were forced to surrender about 10 a.m. on the morning of April 14th, 1917.

Details of Life & Treatment under Capture - Shortly before being taken by the enemy I was slightly wounded in the left hand after our surrender we were taken to a small village behind the lines where we remained for a short time, after which we were marched to Douai, remained in Douai four days then taken to Fort MacDonald, Lille where eighty men were stowed into one room, slept on the floor, had no blankets and very little food. In this room was a thirty gallon tierce to use as a laboratory. We remained here for six days, when we were taken out in parties of one hundred and eighty men and put in a train twelve men in a seat supposed to hold eight, slept all night in this train, arrived at Gusnaing early morning of next day when we were moved into a half finished house where one hundred and eight men slept in the basement. Two days after we were put to work on a heavy railway, about 22 Kilometers long, after finishing this work we left Gusnaing for Machinnes where we stayed about four months, from here I was sent to Fort Flines and did five and a half months punishment, had scarcely anything to eat, worked at shovelling sand from a canal barge by day and cutting straw until 12 O'clock every night, plenty to contend with, cloths worn off our backs, no boots rags worn on our feet for weeks. While here received ten parcels from the British Red Cross most of the stuff been stolen before arriving to us. After leaving Fort Flines was sent to Domain stayed here for 3 months building dugouts for German Officers. From here we were sent to Combs we were put to work on an eight section railroad, discipline been very severe here, sentries bashing us about with the butts of their rifles, if any protest was made we would be immediately put under arrest, we had nothing to eat, and only

cold water to drink, not allowed to wash, we remained here for five weeks, when we were sent to Fresnes and from Fresnes to Marnack. I was sent from Marnack back to Fresnes for punishment, left Fresnes and retreated with the Germans. Left Hannet a town in Belgium on November 21-1918 beat my way right through to Namur where I got a train came down to a Village on the outskirts of Mons, from Mons I again beat my way to Calais where I embarked for Dover and arrived in England in December.

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CR 2267

Extract of DAILY ORDERS PART II ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND  
REGIMENT DEPOT ST. JOHN'S DATED 20/3/19/

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The Discharge of the unde rnoted on Demobilization  
has been CONFIRMED by Officer i/o Records on noted  
date.

#2267 Pte. Frank Skanes.

18/3/19.

C.R. 2267

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft No. 11 from  
2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Southampton,  
3-10-16.

2267 Pte. F. Skanes.

C.R. 2267

Extract from Daily Orders part II,  
Depot St. John's dated March 6th., 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demob-  
ilization has been APPROVED by C. C. Discharge  
Depot on 4-3-19.

#2267 Pte. Frank Skanes.

C.R. 2267

Extract of Nominal Roll Draft (All Ranks) to 1st Bn.,  
B.E.F. embarked Southampton.

2267 Pte. F. Skanes.

3-10-16.

CP 2267

Extract from Medical Board held on MONDAY AFTERNOON FEB. 24th., 1919  
the following were the findings,

Recommended discharge from the Army. AI

#2267 Pte. F. Skeans.

C.R. 2267

Extract from Telegram from Synoptical to Military Jan. 19, 1919.

In answer your telegram Jan. 15th., Credit Balance Dec. 12th.,

~~2267~~

2267 Skeans £46. 14. 5.



C.R. 2267

Extract from telegram from ~~Synoptical~~ Military to Synoptical  
dated Jan. 15th., 1919.

Please inform balance of account of 2267 Skeans.

C.R. 2267

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, Depot St. John's dated Dec. 23rd. 1918

The u/m returned from Overseas and reported at Depot 21-12-18.

#2267 Pte. F. Skeanes.

C.R. 2267

Extract of Daily Orders Part II, Headquarters St. John's,  
dated Jan. 2nd 1919.

The undernoted man has been granted special Prisoner of  
War leave with full pay and allowance from 21-12-18 to 21-2-19

2267 Pte. F. Skeans

C.R. 2267

Extract of Casualties received from The Pay and Record  
Office, London, dated Dec.10th 1918.

2267 Pte.F.Skeans released Prisoner of War, proceeded to  
Depot, Winchester, 8/12/18

Authority.

Memo from C.S.M. Walsh

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LIST OF REPATRIATED BRITISH PRISONERS OF WAR ARRIVED AT DOVER 6TH, DECEMBER 1918.

C O R K - RECORD OFFICE

LIST NO X 90886

C.R. 2267

- 18012 Pte. Johnstone V.
- 46119 Pte. Harnson A.
- 4243 Pte. Carberry W.
- 18050 L/C Sumner L.
- 1269 Sjt Vance D.
  
- 10655 Pte. McManus J.
- 3169 3169 Pte. O'Connor
- 7137 Pte. Riordan D.
- 7292 Pte. Murley J.
- 8252 Pte. Moore E.
  
- 16809 Sjt. Kearney J.
- 8139 L/C Lawson
- 49697 Pte. Byrne G.
- 8921 Pte. Flynn T.
- 75653 Pte. Graham L.
  
- 5965 Pte. Saxton W.
- 40727 Pte. Robbin H.
- 21455 Pte. Cody J.
- 2740 Pte. Barrett F.

- 1/Munsters.
- 8/Leinsters.
- 2/-do.
- 2/-do.
- 16/R. Irish.
  
- 2/Munsters.
- Conn. Rangers.
- 2/Munsters.
- 1/Leinsters.
- 2/R. Munsters.
  
- 2/R. I. Regt.
- 2/R. Ir. Regt.
- 2/R. Ir. Regt.
- 1/R. Ir. Regt.
- 2/Conn. Ingra.
  
- 2/R. Ir. Regt.
- 7/Leinsters.
- 2/R. Ir. Regt.
- 1/Munsters.

NO. TWO RECORD OFFICE - WARLEY

LIST NO X 90886

- 29088 L/C Thurling G. A.
- 35596 Pte. Bradley W.
- 19336 Cpl. Hubbard W.

- 13/Essex.
- 13/-do-
- 2/Bedfords.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

LIST NO H X 90886

- 100105 Sjt. Thompson N.

R. A. F.

NEWZEALAND CONTINGENT

LIST NO H X 90886

- 25502 Pte. Stone A

N. Zealand.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

LIST NO. X. 90886

- 2287 Pte. Skene W.

1/N. R. Newf'lands.

NO. TWO RECORD OFFICE - EXETER

LIST NO X 90886

- 31503 Pte. Mitchell A. E.
- 20455 Pte. Merrell W.
- 27815 Pte. Heath G.T.

- 1/Dorsets.
- 5/Dorset.
- 8/Somerset.

C.R. 2267

Dec 9th 18

Mr. Robert Skeans

Dear Sir:-

I beg to inform, you that a cable has to-day been received from the Record Office of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, London to the effect that your son, No. 2267, Private Frank Skeans has been released from Germany, and has arrived in London in good health.

Yours faithfully,

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 2267

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, Dec. 7th, 1918.

2267 Pte. Skeans.

Released Prisoner of War is reported by C.S.M. Walsh  
Daver, arrived well 6-12-18.

C.R. 2267

Extract from Telegram from Synoptical London, Dec.7th,  
1918.

Following released Prisoner of War has arrived  
Well 2267 Skeans. Stop.



C.R. 2267

Extract from C. specialties received from Pay & Record Office,  
London, Sept. 4th, 1916.

(b) 2267 Pte. F. Sheams,  
Camp.No. E.K.111,  
Camp of Friedrichsfeld near Wesel,  
Germany.

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C.R. ~~2276~~  
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April 26th, 1918.

Mr. Robert Skeans,  
18 George Street  
CITY

Dear Sir:-

A message has been received from the  
Record Office, London, dated 24th inst., stating  
that No. 2276, Private F. Skeans has acknowledged  
two parcels on January.

Yours faithfully,

Major, C.S.O.

CR. 2267

Extract from Telegram despatched to Synoptical, London, dated  
April 20, 1918.

Has 2267 Skeans been acknowledging receipt of parcels.

C.R. 2267

April 5th, 1918.

Mr. Robert Skeans,  
18 George Street,  
City.

Sir:-

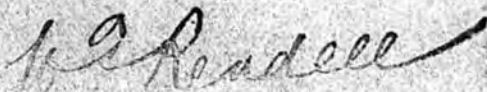
I have the honour to forward you from the  
Pay & Record Office, London, the present  
address of:-

"#2267 Pte. F. Skeans,  
"(Stammlager) Friedrichs-  
"feld bei Wesel,"

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.



Major Chief Staff Officer.

PRISONER OF WAR

C.R. 4293

2267 Pte. F. Skeans.

INT. OF DAILY ORDERS PART 2 FROM G.H.Q.

AND BRUNNEN, AUGUST 1915, 1917.

"PRISONER OF WAR IN GERMAN HANDS, 10/4/17 and.

OFF G.H.Q. REPORT FOR ANDER BY GEN. H. H. WOOD.

STAFF. 'STRENGTH OF STRENGTH' MISSING REF. NO. 22 C.

10/6/17

AND INFO. WHICH SHE FEEL "PRISONERS OF WAR" DAILY

REPORTS 6 942.

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July 20, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I have pleasure in informing you  
Record Office, London, to-day reports No. 2267,  
Private Frank Skeans, who was previously  
reported missing, is now reported a prisoner of  
war at Limburg, Germany.

Yours faithfully,

Acting Colonial Secretary

Mr. Robert Skeans,  
18 George Street.

May 13, 7.  
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Sir,

Dear

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. 2267, Private Frank Skeans,

missing April 14th.

has been posted as

Should any further information be received concerning him, such information will be at once communicated to you.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Robert Skeans,  
18 George St.

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 2267

Extract of Cablegram received from War & Record Office,  
London, dated May 15, 1917.

#2267 Pte. F. Skeans.

Reported "Missing" April 24th.



C.R. 2267

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

2267 Pte. Skeans F.

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

DUPLICATE  
MAIL  
N.F.P./94.  
Postal  
who was repatriated

To be rendered for all ranks on discharge, transfer to other Units, or on return to Newfoundland in accordance with C.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regt No 2267 Rank Private Name F. Skeans Unit Royal Nfld .Regt.  
to Newfoundland 012 12 18 Authority ----- Cause -----

DR. CR.  
STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

	PARTICULARS					£	s	d	PARTICULARS					£	s	d
	£	s	d	£	s				d							
	Balance Dr. from								Balance Cr. from 21/12/17				43	6	5	
	Allotment 356 days @ 50	178	00	37	11	5			Pay 356 days @ \$1.00	356	00					
	Cash Payments:								Field Allce 356 days @ \$10	35	80					
	V. 11177 10/12/18			10	0	0			Other Allces days @ \$	391	50		80	9	4	
	11258 9/12/18			25	0	0			Other Credits:							
	Cash Payments to H. Coy. 9/12/18			2	0	0										
	- : - Ripon V. 8108			2	10	0										
	Other Debits															
	Total Debits			77	1	5			Total Credits				123	15	9	
	Balance due by Paymaster			46	14	4			Balance due to Paymaster				123	15	9	
				123	15	9							123	15	9	

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/Checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London O.C. " " Company. 1267/12/18  
and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.  
Pay & Record Office, London, 26/12/1918  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

CHECKED  
WA  
26/12/18  
PERIOD: FROM 22/12/18 TO 12/12/18

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

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.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regt No 2267 Rank Pte. Name Sheans F. Unit 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn. ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. who was Repatriated.  
to Newfoundland on 11/12/18. Authority D.O. Cause \_\_\_\_\_

**MR.** STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT **CR.**

PARTICULARS	\$				£				PARTICULARS	\$				£					
	d	s	p	c	d	s	p	d		s	p	c	d	s	p	c			
Balance Dr. from									Balance Cr. from										
Allotment days @									Pay days @ \$										
Cash Payments:									Field Allowance days @ \$										
<i>Dec. 9/18.</i>						2	0	0	Other Allowances days @ \$										
Other Debits									Other Credits:										
Total Debits							2	0	0	Total Credits									
Balance due by Paymaster									Balance due to Paymaster							2	0	0	
							2	0	0								2	0	0

PERIOD: From 23/11/18. To 20/12/18.

*No Statement from P. K.R.O.*

*[Signature]*  
D.O. \_\_\_\_\_ Company \_\_\_\_\_  
to / /

I have carefully examined this Statement of Account and find it to be a correct extract from the Pay Book of H. Coy.  
Hazley Down Camp Dec. 11 1918.  
(Place) (Date)

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Pay & Record Office, London,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

COPY

January 20, 1919

From Paymaster  
To Officer Commanding,  
Royal Wfld. Regt

Credit Balances

A cable has been received from the Chief  
Paymaster, London, stating credit balances of  
the following men up to Dec. 12/18:-

	£	s.	d.
2376 Hayes		1	1
2601 Meyers		4	6
2267 Skeans	46	14	4

(sgnd) H. M. Maddick, Lieut

for Paymaster

C.R. 2267

Frank Skeans was attested for General Service with  
the NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT on March 14th 1916  
Regimental No. 2267 was allotted to Pte F Skeans

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia;

March 25th 1919



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 Frank Skanes  
aged 19 yrs. conducted at C.L.B.  
Date: Mar 13 1916 Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

- 1 no
- 2 no
- 3 no
- 4 no
- 5 no
- 6 no
- 7 yes
- 8 yes
- 9 no ← no.
- 10 in
- 11 n
- 12 n
- 13 n
- 14 n
- 15 in
- 16 in
- 17 n
- 18 n
- 19 6/6 Both Eyes
- 20 n
- 21 n
- 22 n
- 23 n
- 24 n
- 25 in
- 26 n
- 27 n
- 28 in
- 29 n
- 30 n
- 31 n
- 32 n
- 33 1 mark left arm 5 yrs. ago.
- 34 5-4
- 35 132
- 36 33-36 1/2
- 37 41.0 mouth
- 38 Father Robert — 18 Georgia St.
- 39 nobody

2267

Signature of Medical Examiner: H. W. Burden

G. Skanes.

C.R.

2267

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FORM K

Nº 2467



# 1st. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, Frank Skeans, Regl. No. 2267

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of 50 Dollars and 50 Cents, per diem, from my Pay, to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons, such payment to be made on proof of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person <sup>and</sup>/<sub>or</sub> Persons concerned, viz.:

Allotment begins July 21 1916

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
2452	Mother	Mary Skeans	18 George St	50
Commencing 21/7/16				
Total Allotment, \$				

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

(Sig.) Chas. A. Aye Capt.  
Officer Commanding  
Company

(Sig.) Frank Skeans  
(Rank) Private

Ad. Jones  
January 1916



OFFICE COPY

LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

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.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regt No 2297 Rank Private Name F. Skeans Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was repatriated to Newfoundland on 12/18 Authority ----- Cause -----

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.	PARTICULARS	\$			£			PARTICULARS	\$			£			CR.
		d	c	s	d	s	d		d	c	s	d	s	d	
	Balance Dr. from							Balance Cr. from 21/12/17				43	6	5	
	Allotment 356 days @ 50	178	00		37	11	5	Pay 356 days @ \$ 1.00	356	00					
	Cash Payments:							Field Allow 356 days @ \$ 10	3560						
	V. 11177 10/12/18				10	0	0		36160			80	9	4	
	11258 9/12/18				25	0	0	Other Allowes days @ \$							
	Cash Payments to H. Coy. 9/12/18				2	0	0	Other Credits:							
	- : - : Ripon V. 8108				2	10	0	<i>Copy sent in file 6/1 - 2 - 1 - 19</i>							
	Other Debits							Total Credits				123	15	9	
	Total Debits				77	1	5	Balance due to Paymaster				123	15	9	
	Balance due by Paymaster				46	14	4								
					123	15	9								

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.

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Pay & Record Office, London,

26/12/1918

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

CHECKED  
W.N.  
26/12/18  
REPROD. FROM 22/12/18 TO 12/12/18

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Regt No. 2267 Rank Pte. Name Sheans J. Unit 3<sup>rd</sup> Br. <sup>26</sup>ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. who was Repatriated to Newfoundland on 11/12/18. Authority Do. Cause \_\_\_\_\_

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

No.	PARTICULARS	\$				£				CR.				
		d	s	p	0	d	s	p	0					
	Balance Dr. from									Balance Cr. from				
	Allotment days @									Pay days @ \$				
	Cash Payments:									Field Allowance days @ \$				
	<u>Dec. 9/18</u>					2	0	0		Other Allowances days @ \$				
	Other Debits									Other Credits:				
	Total Debits						2	0	0	Total Credits				
	Balance due by Paymaster									Balance due to Paymaster				
						2	0	0						

*No Statement from P. & R. O. FILE*

PERIOD: From 23/11/18. To 20/12/18.

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(Place) (Date)

*[Signature]*

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Pay & Record Office, London,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.



INTER ARMA CARITAS

Prière de rappeler  
dans la réponse  
le No ci-dessous

Please refer to

A27120

Owing to the recent closing of the Franco-Swiss frontier, and the consequent accumulation of correspondence, there has been inevitable delay in the despatch of our reply.

CORRESPONDENCE WITH OUR AGENTS  
IS POST FREE.

DE LA CROIX-ROUGE  
DES PRISONNIERS DE GUERRE

Your Reference  
13415/3. / P. V. C.

Genève, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> 1917

To The Officer in Charge  
Newfoundland Contingent  
58, Victoria Street  
Westminster, S.W. 1

Dear Sir,  
We are in receipt of your letter of the  
7<sup>th</sup> December respecting Pk. F. Skedus

### Notice concerning Limburg

Limburg is not only a Prisoners of War camp, it is also a "clearing station" for correspondence from the occupied territory of France and Belgium. Letters from behind the German lines, therefore, bear the postmark of that place which does not signify that the writer is there.

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Genève, *Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>* 1917

*Boat 910*  
*Pl...*  
To The Officer in Charge  
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Westminster, S.W. 1

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Westminster, S.W. 1

Dear Sir,  
We are in receipt of your letter of the  
7<sup>th</sup> December respecting Pk. F. Steaus  
Newfoundland Pt.

We have, unhappily, no further information  
than what you are already in possession of,  
i.e. that he is a prisoner — the intelligence  
coming through Limburg.

We do not think he has been actually at  
that place, but behind the German lines,  
which would explain in some measure the

abundance of news - direct or indirect.

We enclose herewith a 'skip' concerning  
Limberg which shows the double nature  
- so to speak - of this camp.

We have noted Pte. Skeaws' name, and  
a new address will be forwarded as soon  
as obtained.

In the meantime we are also sending a 'reply'  
card to him in the hope that it may by  
chance be transmitted, and that we may  
thus receive word from himself as to his  
health etc.

We are, Sir,

yours faithfully

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT, PAY & RECC'D OFFICE, C/O S. W. 8284 DEC 31 DEC 1917 C/O
cf. Nos. 001
COMITÉ INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX-ROUGE GENÈVE AGENCE INTERNATIONALE DES PRISONNIERS DE GUERRE BRITISH SECTION

*Amf.*

*823*



PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

6th March 1918.

Changes of address: (Authority - Canadian Red Cross 5/3/18)

*New address*

2267 Pte. F. Skeans,  
Friedrichsfeld bei Wesel,  
(Stammlager)

*G.P.B. 3/6/18*

*Supperge 8/27/17*  
*W.B.*

St. John's  
Oct. 27/1917

Staff. Capt. J. Burt

Dear Sir:

Would you kindly supply me if possible with any information concerning Private Frank Skeam  
1<sup>st</sup> T.F.C. L. N. Regiment

# 40-2207 A. Company

He has been posted officially as prisoner of war at Limbeny some place in Germany We would like to get some message to or from him if possible if you could get me some information about him I am sure you would greatly oblige I hope I have not asked you the impossible if I have you will only have to excuse me  
Trusting you will do your best  
In remembrance

BRANCH
<i>Rob</i>
ACTED UPON
BY
DATE

1215 W. B. PLANT
PAY & RECORDS
Ref. No. <i>4928</i>
Rec'd. 23 NOV 1917
Ack'd.
Ans'd. <i>34/11 6/4/17</i>
File No.

*Wm*  
R. Skeam  
18 Genge St. (6)  
St John's  
T.F.C. L. N.



13411/1./R.&C.

6th December, 7.

R. Skeans, Esq.,  
18, George Street E.,  
St. John's, Newfoundland.

Dear Sir, 2267, Pte. F. Skeans.

In reply to your letter of 27/10/17 (7128) addressed to Staff Sergt. G. Burt: the only report regarding Pte. Skeans received at this Office was that he was registered at Limburg, Germany, in July last. Further than this there appears to be no news of or from him. I am asking the Geneva Red Cross Society if they can procure any information with regard to him, and when I receive a reply I will immediately transmit it to you.

Any letters which you may direct to this Office for Pte. Skeans will be duly forwarded to the latest address recorded here.

Please address all communications to the Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records, and not to individuals in this Office. This will save delay and trouble to all concerned.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

HA/JC

13415/3./R.&C.

7th December, 7.

Secretary,  
Comite Internationale de la Croix-Rouge,  
Geneva, Switzerland.

Dear Sir, 2267 Pte. F. Skeans, 1st Newfoundland Regt.

I would be obliged if you will be good enough to cause an enquiry to be made regarding the above-named man, who was reported last July as being registered at the Prisoner of War Camp at Limburg, Germany. There does not appear to have been any news heard of or from him by his relatives since, and naturally they are in some anxiety regarding his welfare.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

Major,  
Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

HA/JC

*Spare*

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Copy of postcard addressed to Sir Joseph Outerbridge,  
Care Newfoundland Contingent, London, S.W. 1.

From: 2287, Pte. A. Skeans, R. Nfld Regt.,  
Kriegsgefangenen-Stammlager,  
Friedrichsfeld, Germany.

17/3/18

Dear Sir:

Just a postcard to let you know I have not received many parcels since I was captured and I wish you would send me some, especially some clothing parcels, also some cigarettes and tobacco, and a Regt. cap badge. Will you please inform my people of my address.

Believe me,  
Your obedient Servant,

(Sgd) PTE. F. SKEANS.

*7704/1*  
*[Signature]*  
*Orig. sent to Sir Joseph*  
*8/3/18*



7704/1/P.W.

Newfoundland Contingent,  
58, Victoria Street,  
London, S.W. 1,  
England,

16th May, 1918.

2287, Private A. Skeans,  
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,  
Kriegsgefangenen-Stammlager,  
Friedrichsfeld,  
Germany.

With reference to your postcard of 17/3/18 addressed to Sir Joseph Outerbridge: it is regretted that you have not received your parcels. This is probably due to the fact that until 7/3/18 "Limburg" was the only address known at this Office for you. Your second issue of clothing was sent to Friedrichsfeld on 13/3/18. It is hoped you have received it by now. A third issue was sent on 29/4/18. Badges will be sent with next issue.

The Newfoundland War Contingent Association have been advised regarding your food parcels, and will give the matter attention.

It is hoped that in future you will have better satisfaction.

Please advise this Office of any change of your address, which is at present understood to be as now indicated.

GB/JC

No 2267 Rank Pte Name J. Skeams

Pay	F.A.	Wkr	Total	N.F.P/B3
100	10		110	
Less Allotment			50	
Net Rate			60	<i>(Amud)</i>

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£ s d				
						From	To			£	s	d		
Balance					Balance		21 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			43	6	5		
Acquittance Rolls					Pay @ Net Rate	22 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>17</sub>	9 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>18</sub>	353	60	211	80	43	10	5
Hospital Advances												86	16	10
A.B. 64.														
P.&.R.O. Payments					<del>£ 24-6-10</del>									
P of W Depot Payment		2	10	0										
Cash 10258		25	0	0										
Cheque 11177	10 <sup>12</sup> / <sub>18</sub>	10	0	0										

Actual 9.12.18

WILL.

854

Name

Sheavis F.

Regtl. No.

2267

Rank

Pls

Regiment

Date of:—

28/5/19.

Receipt ...

Transfer ...

Final disposal and  
to whom sent ...



COMITÉ INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX-ROUGE, GENEVE

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

AGENCE INTERNATIONALE DES PRISONNIERS DE GUERRE

INTER ARMA CARITAS

PAT & RECORD OFFICE.



Franc de port

Ref. Nos IN ✓ 3963

Rec'd 2 MAY 1918

AGENCE INTERNATIONALE DES PRISONNIERS DE GUERRE

Ref. Nos. 001

ACTIF

BRANCH

Comd.

P & A.

R. & C. ✓

B & E

P. S.

To the  
Office etc.  
Page Record Office  
Newfoundland Cont.  
58, Victoria St.  
Westminster  
Angleterre London S.W

CORBES  
*[Handwritten signature]*

*[Handwritten signature]*

Geneva. April 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Dear Sir, we are informed, on list  
despatched from Berlin 12.4.18  
that Pfc. Frank Skeans. 2267. 1<sup>st</sup>.  
Newfoundland B., arrived from the  
front at Friedrichsfeld

Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

Please refer to

A 27120

COMITÉ INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX ROUGE  
GENÈVE  
AGENCE DES PRISONNIERS DE GUERRE



Asst. Surgeon General  
Dear Sir.

Friedrichsfeld,

Copy to SWCA  
Paris  
1918  
Nispor

Mr. G. H. B.

WRITE CLEARLY.

Your letter of May 15 1918 received  
thanking <sup>you</sup> very much for same I am pleased  
to be able to tell you that I am at last  
receiving my parcels of food and clothing  
in fairly good condition and large numbers.

Please accept for the 27th I.D. Regiment and the War  
Contingent Ass. my greatest thanks for all the trouble  
they are taking on my behalf for in keeping me supplied  
my health is good and my address  
is as indicated on the reverse side of this card. I am Sir yours  
Very truly F. Heavis

I have received parcel No. 1 dated 12/3/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>Frank Shears</i>	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1

My present address is:

136 No. *St. A Shears #2267*  
Newfoundland Regiment  
Stadmlager. Friedrichsfeld Bei Wesel

Date *July 14th 1918.* *Frank Shears* *Pr.*

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 1 dated 23/11/18 containing:—

ARTICLE.	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/	/

My present address is:

<sup>136</sup>No. 2267 *Mr. F. Skeans*  
Newfoundland Regiment  
Stammplatz Friedrichsfeld Bei Wesel

Date *July 8th 1918* *Frank Skeans Pte*

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 2 dated 12 / 3 / 18 containing:—

ARTICLE.	BOOTS, PAIRS.	BRACES, PAIRS.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, PAIRS.	GLOVES, PAIRS.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANVAS. PAIRS.	SOCKS, PAIRS.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, PAIRS.	VESTS.
<i>[Handwritten scribbles]</i>	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	2	—	—	2	—	1	1	—	1

My present address is:

<sup>136</sup>  
No. 2267 *[Handwritten signature]*  
Newfoundland Regiment  
Blammülgers-Friedrichsfeld. Bei Wuhl.

Date July 12 1918. *[Handwritten signature]*

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 2 dated 23/11/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	BOOTS, PAIRS.	BRACES, PAIRS.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, PAIRS.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[scribble]</i>					/	/	/				/	/	/	/	/	/

My present address is:

136 No. 226 Rte. St. Okauc  
Newfoundland. Regiment  
Stammlager. Friedrichsfeld. Bei. Wesel.

Date July 8th 1918

Frank. Skeans. Plc.

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 3 dated 23/4/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[scribble]</i>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

My present address is:

<sup>136</sup>No. 2267 Pte. J. Pheas.  
Newfoundland Regiment  
Kamm-lager Friedrichsfeld. Bes. West

Date July 8<sup>th</sup> 1918

Frank Sheano. Pte

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 3 dated 12/3/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS,	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>																
QUANTITY.																

My present address is:

<sup>136</sup>  
No. 2267 Mr. J. O'Leary  
Newfoundland Regiment  
Stammlages. Friedruchfeld Bei Weese

Date July 14<sup>th</sup> 1918. Frank O'Leary. P.

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 4 dated 12/3/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHIRTS.	SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[Signature]</i>	1		1		1	1		3	1				2	2	1	1

My present address is:

<sup>136</sup>No. 3267 M. A. Deane  
Newfoundland Regiment  
Stambridge. Newfoundland

Date July 20th 1918 Frank Deane  
Signature.



Shanes, A.

2267

Hay Sept.

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2267 Rank Pvt Name Frank Shearer  
 Intended place of residence 8 George St. St. John's  
 2. Occupation Labourer  
 Classification of soldier B.F. Medical Category A1

3. The above named man is discharged in consequence of DEMobilIZATION  
Eligible for War Service Gratuity

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

Place .....  
 Date 1919 MAR 4 for H. Mans H  
 Commanding Discharge Depot  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE

5. I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance) and all just demands up to the present date, and hereby release the Discharge Depot, Royal Newfoundland Regiment, of all financial responsibility in my connection.

Place and date ST. JOHN'S  
4. 3. 19  
M. Shearer  
 Signature of soldier  
W. J. L. Giff  
 Signature of witness

## CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

6. I hereby certify that I am in a position to resume civilian occupation immediately on discharge.

Place and Date ST. JOHN'S  
4. 3. 19  
M. Shearer  
 Signature of soldier  
W. J. L. Giff  
 Signature of witness

## STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 15. 3. 16 No of days on Military  
 Discharged from service 4. 3. 19 1st Lt Dan Service 1101 days

## APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

8. The discharge of the above mentioned soldier is hereby approved to be confirmed by the Officer in Charge Records, The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, twenty-eight days from date.

Place ST. JOHN'S  
MAR 4 1919  
R. H. Gait  
 Officer in Charge Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed  
 Place St. John's  
March 19 1919  
W. J. L. Giff  
 Officer in Charge Records  
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

A.F.B. 2079/1350

March 16, 1919

#2267 Pte. Frank Skeans,

#18 George St.

City

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate

No. 1350."

Yours truly,

Paymaster & U. S. Records <sup>Captain,</sup>

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 22602 Rank Pvt Name James Frank  
 Date of Enlistment 13 3 16 Address St Johns District St Johns  
 Occupation Drummer Classification for Discharge B Medical Category H-1  
 Recommendation S.M.B. permanent flight Disability Rating Nil  
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. F35-94	1	B 268		B 121	1	N.F. Med.		D.F. 1.	1	
B 178		W 3494		B 122	1	Board 1st.		" 2.		
B 178a	1	D 400A	1	B 1915		do 2nd.		" 3.	3	
B 179	2	D 400B		Form L		do 3rd.		" 4.		
B 179a		D 400C		Form K		do 4th.		" 5.		
B 179b		B 103	1	ME 2				" 6.		
B 179c		B 120		M 93						

Date 3-3-19 H. M. Lewis  
 for O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

J. Skewins  
 Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$6.00  
 (b) Clothing Supplied Joseph A. Brown

Date 4-3-19

O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. 1357 to his home at ..... and Release Certificate No. 1357 issued.  
 Date 4-3-19 .....  
*C. 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 18-3-19  
 Date 4-3-19 .....  
 for *H. Mearns* H.  
 Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 4. 3. 19 .....

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P13	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1	<i>3 forms B</i>
E 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2	
B 178a	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3	
B 179	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4	
B 179a	D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5	
B 179b	B 103	ME 2		" 6	
B 179c	B 120	M 93			

Date 4. 3. 19 .....  
*C. B. Dicks* Capt.  
 Demobilization Officer

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.  
 Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**Eligible for War Service Gratuity**

Date MAR 4 1919 .....  
*R. H. Sait* Capt.  
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date .....

# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date ..... 4-3-19 .....

Regimental No. 2264...

Name ..... S. R. Jones ..... Frank ..... J. G. ....

Address .....

Present Medical Category ..... E A T .....

Recommended for:— { (a) ~~Immediate discharge~~ .....

(b) Standing Medical Board.....

Members of Board {

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

*L. P. Paterson*  
.....  
Senior Medical Officer

*Geo. Burden*  
.....  
M. O. Depot

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Shanes

Christian Name Frank

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	at	on	at
Examined	on 13 <sup>th</sup> day of March 1911	at St. John's. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Fed.	on	day of 1911
Declared Age	19 years	days	years	days
Trade or Occupation				
Height	5 feet 4 inches		feet	inches
Weight	131 lbs.			lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded...	36 1/2 inches		inches
	Range of expansion...	3 1/4 inches		inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
	Arm			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=	6/6	R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=	6/6	L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease				
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection				
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Samuel Paterson</u>			
(Rank)	Capt Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	on 13 day of March 1911	at St. John's	on	day of 1911
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>P. 2<sup>nd</sup> Fed. Reg. 2267</u>			
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by	on	day of 1911	on	day of 1911
(Signature)				
(Rank)				





## 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 Labourer.

*J. Skewton*  
Signature of Man.

*W. Dick Cuff*  
Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Reg. No. 2267.

Place *St. John's*

Date *4/3/19* 191


The Royal Field. Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION

No. 2267 Rank RtE  
Name J. Kearns

Warned for demobilization on

MAR 4 1919



Department of Militia, Newfoundland

Medical Department

**Medical Report on an Invalid**

NOTES:—

- (a) This report is solely concerned with Pensions.
- (b) A single copy only is required.
- (c) "Aggravated" being now a technical term, carrying right to pension, discrimination in its use is essential.
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- (e) Avoid dubiety—"perhaps" "possibly" "might" and the like.
- (f) Only sufficient clinical data need be given to establish the degree of disability and assist the Board in arriving at a decision.

STATEMENT OF CASE

Station *St. Johns Nfld.*

Date *Feb. 24<sup>th</sup> 1919.*

1. Unit *Royal Newfoundland*
2. Regimental No. *2267*
3. Rank *Private*
4. Name *Skene Frank.*
5. Age last birthday *20*
6. Enlisted on *13<sup>th</sup> March 1916*  
at *St. Johns.*
7. Former trade or occupation *labourer.*
8. Disability

9. History *Made Prisoner of war. 2 Germany 18 months.  
In good health all the time except for  
Influenza - not in hospital.*

10. What is his present condition?

*General Condition Good.*

(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above.)

*No disabilities*

11. Was sanatorium advised and refused?  
operation

*no*

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit?

*yes*

Signature

*Archibald*

Rank or Qualification

*MO-Depot*

Remarks if any by Officer i/c Hospital.

Place

Signature

Date

Rank

## Opinion of the Medical Board

In para. 13, the President should write "may" or "cannot" at x  
Erase inapplicable words

13. For pension purposes, the disability x na be considered as aggravated by:—  
due to
- (a) Service during this war. (b) Climate. (c) Ordinary Military Service
- Remarks if any:—
14. Does the Board concur in preceding report? (see Sect. 10) If not give differing opinion and additional findings.

Yes                      no disability

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market? ✓
- (b) PENSIONABLE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market lessened by that portion of his disability to or incurred during service? ✓
- (State in percentage.)

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?
17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperance (b) Misconduct
18. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:— (a) Reasonable (b) Unreasonable

Remarks if any:—

19. If fit subject for Hospital do you recommend admittance to
- |   |   |
|---|---|
| } | General Hospital,                         |
|   | Naval and Military Convalescent Hospital, |
|   | Jensen Tuberculosis Camp.                 |
|   |   |

20. We recommend discharge from retention in the Army

Remarks if any:—

AI

[Signature]  
President

Signatures [Signature]  
[Signature]

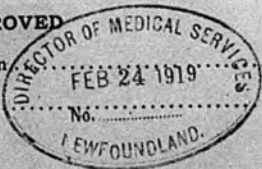
Place [Signature]

Date [Signature]

APPROVED

Station \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



[Signature]  
Administrative Medical Officer



Department of Militia, Newfoundland  
Medical Department

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STATEMENT OF CASE

Station **ST. JOHN'S**.....

Date **FEB. 24TH. 1929**.....

- |                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| 1. Unit <i>Royal Newfoundland</i> | 5. Age last birthday <b>20.</b>                |
| 2. Regimental No. <b>2267</b>     | 6. Enlisted on <b>13TH. MARCH 1916.</b>        |
| 3. Rank <b>PTE.</b>               | at <b>ST. JOHN'S.</b>                          |
| 4. Name <b>SKANES FRANK</b>       | 7. Former trade or occupation <b>LABOURER.</b> |
|                                   | 8. Disability <b>None</b>                      |

9. History

**MADE PRISONER OF WAR. IN GERMANY 19 MONTHS IN GOOD HEALTH ALL THE TIME EXCEPT FOR INFLUENZA. NOT IN HOSPITAL.**

10. What is his present condition?

**GENERAL CONDITION GOOD NO DISABILITY.**

(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above.)

11. Was sanatorium advised and refused? **NO.**  
operation

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit? **YES.**

Signature ARCH. C. TAIT.

Rank or Qualification FOR. M.O. DEPOT.

Remarks if any by Officer i/c Hospital.

Place ..... Signature .....

Date ..... Rank .....

## Opinion of the Medical Board

In para. 13, the President should write "may" or "cannot" at x  
Erase inapplicable words

13. For pension purposes, the disability x **N.A.** be considered as ~~total disability~~ due to  
(a) Service during this war. (b) Climate. (c) Ordinary Military Service  
Remarks if any:—
14. Does the Board concur in preceding report? (see Sect. 10) If not give differing opinion and additional findings.

**YES. NO DISABILITY.**

15. (a) **THE ENTIRE DISABILITY**—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market?  
(b) **PENSIONABLE DISABILITY**—To what extent is his capacity at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market lessened by that portion of his disability to or incurred during service?  
(State in percentage.)

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?
17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperence (b) Misconduct
18. The refusal of operation is:— (a) Reasonable  
sanatorium (b) Unreasonable

Remarks if any:—

19. If fit subject for Hospital do you recommend admittance to { General Hospital,  
Naval and Military Con-  
valescent Hospital,  
Jensen Tuberculosis Camp.

20. We recommend discharge from the Army  
retention-in

Remarks if any:— **"A1."**

..... **N. S. FRASER.** .....

President

Signatures..... **J. S. TAIT.** .....

..... **L. PATERSON. MAJOR.** .....

Place ... **ST. JOHN'S.** .....

Date ... **FEB. 24TH. 1919.** .....

APPROVED

Station **DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES** .....

Date **FEB 24 1919**  
No. ....

**NEWFOUNDLAND** .....

(SGD) **CLUNY MACPHERSON. MAJOR.** .....

Administrative Medical Officer





## 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 *Frank Skeans*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *2267*

Intended address *18 George Street*

Height on discharge *5* Feet *7*

Color of hair on discharge *Brown*

Complexion *Ruddy (Fair)*

Color of eyes *Blue*

Descriptive Marks *—*

Figure on discharge *Medium*

Christian name of Father *Robert*

Christian name of Mother *Mary*

Wife's maiden name in full *—*

Date and place of marriage *—*

Christian names of children *—*

Place and date of soldier's birth *St Johns 17-12-1899*

Nature and locality of civil employment required *—*

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

(Soldier's signature in full) *Frank Skeans* *St*  
(Rank)

Station *St Johns* Date *21-2-19*

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

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

Station

Date

ORIGINAL.

## LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

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.L./19, 26/5/17.

Regt No. 2267 Rank Private Name F. Skeans Unit Royal Nfld. Regt. who was repatriated  
to Newfoundland on 12/12/18 Authority ----- Cause -----

## STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

DR.	PARTICULARS	\$			£			PARTICULARS	\$			£			CR.
		d	c	s	d	s	d		d	c	s	d	s	d	
	Balance Dr. from							Balance Cr. from 21/12/17				43	6	5	
	Allotment 356 days @ 50	178	00	37	11	5		Pay 356 days @ \$ 1.00	356	00					
	Cash Payments:							Field Allow 356 days @ \$.10	35	60					
	V. 11177 10/12/18			10	0	0		Other Allowances days @ \$				80	9	4	
	11258 9/12/18			25	0	0		Other Credits:							
	Cash Payments to H. Coy. 9/12/18			2	0	0									
	- - - Ripon V. 8108			2	10	0									
	Other Debits														
	Total Debits			77	1	5		Total Credits				123	15	9	
	Balance due by Paymaster			46	14	4		Balance due to Paymaster				123	15	9	
				123	15	9						123	15	9	

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

(Place)

(Date)

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O.C.

Company

Made up/checked in accordance with information received in the Pay & Record Office London to 26/12/18 and is therefore subject to amendment if and as may be found necessary.

Pay &amp; Record Office, London,

26/12/ 1918

*R. O. Munnell Maj.*  
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

No. 2267 Name *Spears, F.* Sq., Batty., or Company } *'A' Corps 1st Newfoundland* Date of Discharge } *14/3/16* G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }  
 Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } *20/9/16* No. and date of last drink } *20/8/16* Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } Sheet No. } *one* Signature O.C. Company, etc. } *J. Williams* Character } *Fair*

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Case of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
<i>Rouen</i>	<i>5-10-16</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>When on active service being deficient of kit</i>	<i>J. H. Channell</i>	<i>Det<sup>d</sup> 3 days pay</i>	<i>5.0.16</i>	<i>W. G. Glynne</i>	<i>1916</i>
<i>Bield</i>	<i>14/9/17</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>Deficient of kit</i>	<i>Cpl Haynes</i>	<i>Det<sup>d</sup> 2 days pay</i>	<i>10/3/17</i>	<i>W. G. J. Jones</i>	<i>Robertson</i>



**RETURNED.**  
 Posted Missing 14/4/17

Army Form B, 122

Regiment or Corps *1st N.F.D.C.*

Rank *Pte.*

Surname *Shears*

Christian Name *F.*

*1748*

Religion *M.*

Age on Enlistment *19* years *—* months.

Enlisted (a) *14/3/16* Terms of Service (a) *Duration of War* weeks from (a)

Date of promotion to present rank

Date of appointment to lance rank

Extended {  }

Re-engaged {  }

Qualification (b)

or Corps Trade and Rate

Signature of Officer i/c Records



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked Southampton	<i>3</i> OCT 1916	
			Disembarked	ROUEN <i>4</i> OCT 1916	
		Joined Battalion	<i>14</i> OCT 1916		
			With BATT.	<i>2d. I. 17</i>	
<i>15</i> APR 1917	OC. Bn.	MISSING	<i>France</i> <i>14</i> APR 1917	<i>8.2.17</i>	<i>4 ff. German left forwarded by Geneva Red Cross 20.7.17.</i>
	Was Office	Prisoner of War in Germany Captured at Manchy		<i>14.4.17</i>	
			<i>Sherwood</i>		<i>Major</i>
			O. i/c No. 1 Reg. Infantry Section		
			<i>G. M. G.</i> 3rd Echelon		

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.

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

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... *Francis* 2. Surname... *Deane* *Deane (R. 2008)*

3. Rank... *Private* 4. Regtl. No. *2267*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to ~~be~~ forwarded... *18 George St. St. John's*  
*Newfoundland*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment... *12 March 1906*

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?... *No*

11. Were you on active service only in Nfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service... *Abroad*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Nfld, or Overseas... *3 years overseas*

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

*Only one enlistment*

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.....

*None has*

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.....

*None*

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?.....

*No*

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.?..... If not give:- (a) Date of discharge.....

*No*

*18. March 1919 (b) Reason for discharge: Prisoner of War*

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

*France and Belgium*

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*

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

Signature of Applicant:

*M. Skew*

Place of Residence:

Declared before me at:

This *18th*

day of *March* 19*47*

Signature of Berrister of the  
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-  
trate, Notary Public, Justice of the  
Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits.

*R J M Gault*  
*Barrister at Law*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	War Service Gratuity	Net amount due
.....	.....	.....	<i>6 mos</i>	<i>420.00</i>
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Certified Correct.

Pryster.





PM.

2267 Skeans

Please pay balance W. S. G.

18/7/19

W. S. G.

F. C. S.

ST. JOHN'S, FEB 28 1919

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Mrs. Skreams

George St

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Feb 21<sup>st</sup> /19 to Feb 28<sup>th</sup> /19

<u>2267. Pte. F. Skreams</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>20</u>
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Certified correct for \$ 7. 20

J. H. Snowball  
Billeting Officer.

May 29th 1920

Major Howley  
O. I. C. Records

Please pay to F. Skeans, 2267  
the sum of forty dollars and seventy one cents  
in payment of P. & A. Bonus  
and charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee

\$40.71

Wages

\$19.29

*J.C.A.*

ACCOUNT	
CHEK. NO. 38561	<i>W. W. McCall</i>
INTL. LEADER	
PNV LEADER	
GEN. LEADER	

*[Signature]*

*W. W. McCall*  
Vocational Officer

*F. Skeans*

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.  
REGIMENTAL PAY BRANCH.

PAY VOUCHER.

\$ 70<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

July 18 1919.

Received from the First Newfoundland Regiment  
the sum of Seventy \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars.  
on account of Pay. W. S. G.  
balance

M. Skans

Ch. No. ....	318	Initials.....	ces
Pay Ledger.....	467	Initials.....	wr
Gen. Ledger.....		Initials.....	

Regtl. No. ....

Rank

*[Signature]*

No. 2267

Rank Private

Name F. Skeans.

*Dio St. Johns*

*854*

[Army Form W3601.]

**WILL**

**Soldier's**  
**Regl. No.** *2267*

**Surname** *Skames*

**Christian**  
**Names** *J.*

**Corps** \_\_\_\_\_

*18 George St*

WILL.

854.

In the event of my  
 death I give the whole  
 of my property and  
 effects to my Mother,

Mrs. Mary Skeans

No 18 George St.

St. Johns

Newfoundland

Signature

Frank Skeans

Rank and Regiment

Private No 2267

Date

Oct. 25th. 1916 Filed

Reg. No. 2267 Rank *pte* Name *James F*

Attested ..... Address *15 Georges St.*

Allotment..... Allottee .....

Date of Allotment..... Returned from Overseas *21.12.18*

Embarked for Overseas ..... Cause *Discharged.*

*Released Prisoner of war*

*Special leave granted to Prisoner of war  
until 21-2-19.*

MAR 4 1919 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

*4.3.19*

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILIZATION



# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Regiment of 1st. Newfoundland.

Number of Sheet First  
 Signature of C. G. Company Chas. C. C. Coyt.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade		Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No.	<u>2267. Skeans, Y.</u>	Age on	19 years	months	<u>Trimmer.</u>	
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St. Johns. 1/13/16</u>		Religion	
Joined	Date	Period of	with Colours <u>5</u> years.		Place of Birth	
Joined	Date		with Reserve <u>3 1/2</u> years.			

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
<u>John's</u>	<u>Jan 24/16</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Absent at Intro Roll</u>	<u>Pl. Brown</u>	<u>3 days C.B.</u>		<u>C. C. Coyt.</u>	<u>S.H.</u>
<u>"</u>	<u>Jan 24/16</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Call</u>	<u>Pl. Brown</u>	<u>5 days C.B.</u>		<u>C. C. Coyt.</u>	<u>S.H.</u>
<u>Clyde</u>	<u>4/5/16</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1. Drunk</u>	<u>Sgt Vokoy</u>	<u>7 days C. B.</u>	<u>7/8/16</u>	<u>W. F. Rendell, Major</u>	<u>R. P. H.</u>
				<u>2. Creating a disturbance in Camp at 9.30 P.M.</u>					
<u>ayr.</u>	<u>15/5/16</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1. Drunk</u>	<u>Sgt Cameron</u>	<u>12 hrs. Detention</u>	<u>2. 8/6</u>	<u>Major Rendell</u>	<u>W. F.</u>
				<u>2. Resisting Arrest</u>		<u>Fined 2/6</u>			
				<u>3. Striking Mr. Malton</u>	<u>Mr. Malton</u>				
				<u>Member of Picquet</u>					
<u>"</u>	<u>19/9/16</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>Absent from 630am</u>	<u>Cpl. Perry</u>	<u>2 days C.B.</u>	<u>24/9/16</u>	<u>Trimmer</u>	<u>C. C. Coyt.</u>
				<u>Demobilized 18/3/19</u>					

To be carried over

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# The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

## DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2267 Rank Private Name James Frank  
 Date of Enlistment 13.3.16 Address St Johns District St Johns  
 Occupation Carriage Driver Classification for Discharge 100% Medical Category H.1  
 Recommendation S.M.B. Permanently fit Disability Rating Nil

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P/3694	1	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
B 178		W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
B 178a	1	D 400A	B 1915	do 2nd	" 3
B 179	2	D 400B	Form L	do 3rd	" 4
B 179a		D 400C	Form K	do 4th	" 5
B 179b		B 103	ME 2	" 6	" 6
B 179c		B 120	M 93		

Date 3-3-19 for W Mess Unit O. C. Discharge Depot.

### PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

#### 1. Civil Re-Establishment.

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

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Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date.....

#### 2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$6.00
- (b) Clothing Supplied 100% of new suit

Date 4-3-19 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. \_\_\_\_\_ to his home  
at \_\_\_\_\_ and Release Certificate No. 1357 issued.

Date 4-3-19

*Cl. Drisko 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 18-3-19

Date 4-3-19

*H. Mears Jr.*  
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 4.3.19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. 175a	1	B 268		B 121	1	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1.	1	<i>Form B</i>
F 175		W 3494		B 122		Board 1st.	" 2.		
R 175a	1	D 400A	1	B 1915		do 2nd.	" 3.	2	
H 179	2	D 400B		Form L		do 3rd.	" 4.		
B 179a		D 400C		Form K		do 4th.	" 5.		
B 179b		B 103	1	ME 2			" 6.		
B 179c		B 120		M 93					

Date 4.3.19

*Cl. Drisko Capt.*  
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer i/c Records.  
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

**Eligible for War Service Gratuity**

MAR 4 1919

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Date March 7/1919

*Rep Field Lieut*  
*Sait Records*