



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 673

Name in full John St. John Age 25

Address Bell Island (Salmon house) Llanfair-yn-Iwan-yddol, Porthmadog, Gwynedd, S. Wales

~~Married~~ Single Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_

Color Dark Hair Dark Brown Eyes Gray

Other distinguishing marks Scar over right eyebrow

Nearest relative (Mother) Elizabeth St. John

Address Salmon house Llanfair-yn-Iwan-yddol, Porthmadog, S. Wales

Dependents Mother partly

Occupation Elect. Engineer Present Wage 7/6 per week

Previous service \_\_\_\_\_

Decorations \_\_\_\_\_

General Remarks Dec 15<sup>th</sup>

Date of Enlistment \_\_\_\_\_

John St. John

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

Declared before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 1914

Eric Shyne Lieut-

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg.No. 873

Name John St. John

Apparent age \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Dark, Hair: Dark Brown, Eyes: Grey

Other distinguishing marks: Scar over right eyebrow

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Elizabeth St. John, Salem House, Llantivel, Vardra, Ponty Prodd, South Wales, England | Relationship Mother

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

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

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. O. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>15/12/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>15th December '14</u>									
<u>Daniell R. S. W.</u> <u>14/12</u>									
<i>Entered Regt. Dominions 15. 12. 14. 5th Bn. Lancers 15. 12. 14. 5th Bn. Lancers</i>									<i>Duncan Barker H. S. W. Head 2 1/2 Landed 28 1/2</i>
<i>Re-entrained for G.O. 15. 12. 14. 5th Bn. Lancers 15. 12. 14. 5th Bn. Lancers</i>									
<i>Bay night of 19. 20 Sept 15. 15th Lancers</i>									
<i>Countersigned J. S. Dominions 3 3/4 15th Lancers 15. 12. 14. 5th Bn. Lancers</i>									<i>Landed 28 1/2 4.5.14. Head 2 1/2 4.5.14. 28 1/2</i>
<i>Subs. Regt. 1 2/3 15th Lancers 2 3/4 15th Lancers</i>									
<i>Admitted 15th Lancers 12 3/4 15th Lancers</i>									
<i>Admitted 15th Lancers 22.16. 15th Lancers then attached 8 3/4 15th Lancers</i>									
<i>10 weeks England for 15th Lancers for 15th Lancers</i>									
<i>Admitted 15th Lancers 19. 15th Lancers</i>									
<i>Discharged 24 6/16</i>									
Total Service forfeited as above .. .. .									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>24-6-16</u> (date of discharge) <u>1</u> years <u>191</u> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "									

J. St. John.

673.

P.R. 10.

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

# MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname *St John*

Christian Name *John*

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish..... County.....

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined .....	on <i>4</i> day of <i>Dec</i> 191 <i>4</i>	at <i>St John</i>	on ..... day of ..... 191	at .....
Declared Age.....	<i>25</i> years ..... days		years ..... days	
Trade or Occupation.....	<i>Elect Engineer</i>			
Height .....	<i>5</i> feet	<i>5 1/2</i> inches	feet	inches
Weight .....		<i>150</i> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement {	Girth when fully expanded...	<i>35 1/2</i> inches		inches
	Range of expansion..	<i>3 1/2</i> inches		inches
Physical Development.....				
Vaccination Marks {	Arm .....			
	Number .....			
When Vaccinated .....				
Vision .....	R.E.—V==	} <i>71</i>	R.E.—V==	
	L.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>Cuny Macpherson</i>			
(Rank)	<i>Capt.</i>			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted .....	at <i>St John</i>		at .....	
	on <i>15</i> day of <i>Dec</i> 191 <i>4</i>		on ..... day of ..... 191	
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Joined on Enlistment .....	<i>1st Wfld Regt</i>	<i>673</i>		
Transferred to..				
Became non-effective by.				
	on ..... day of ..... 191		on ..... day of ..... 191	
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

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

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W.	1	2	16	27	4	16	G. S. W. Head slight Hemiplegia	87	Board held - see overleaf Disability - G. S. W. Head, slight Hemiplegia Cause - Active Service Totally - incapacitated from earning a livelihood.	<i>A. J. Swan</i> Assistant-Registrar, R.A. 3rd London General H WANDSWORTH,

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**Table III.—Boards: Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.: Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.**

Date	Brief Details, and Signature
25.4.15	<p><i>J. V.</i>  <i>✓</i>  <i>Vac.</i>  <i>Ch. V.</i>  <i>✓</i>  <i>Fit for foreign service</i></p> <p>3rd London General Hospital,  WANDSWORTH, S.W. Board held March 10<sup>th</sup> 1916  Found permanently unfit for War Service, Home Service &amp; Light Duty.  Approved by D. D. M. S. London District. March 10<sup>th</sup> 1916</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>A. J. Swan Capt</i>  Assistant-Registrar, R.A.F.  3rd London General Hospital,  WANDSWORTH, S.W.</p>

**TABLE IV.—SERVICE TABLE.**

Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation.	Station or Troopship	Date of Arrival or Embarkation	Date of Departure or Disembarkation
<i>St. John's Hill</i>	<i>Dec 15. 14</i>	<i>July 5. 15</i>			
<i>Troopship Dominion</i>	<i>Feb. 5/15</i>	<i>" 16/15</i>			
<i>Edinburgh Coaste</i>	<i>" 16/15</i>	<i>"</i>			



# 1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ALLOTMENTS

I, *John S. Sed*, Regl. No. 1111  
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of        Dollars and        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 :

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
		<i>John S. Sed</i>	<i>St. John's</i>	
Total Allotment, \$				

**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.) *John S. Sed*  
 Officer Commanding  
 Company       

(Sig.) *John S. Sed*  
 (Rank) *Pvt*

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LONDON

STATION.

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No. 192

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By \_\_\_\_\_

22nd Dec. 1915.

Via Eastern

Official Instructions. Casualty Cablegram

To Receiver's Name **W.S.M. "CHIEF GIBRALTAR"**

Address

KINDLY INFORM SYNOPTICAL LONDON NATURE OF WOUNDS AND PROGRESS

SIX SEVEN THREE PRIVATE ST. JOHN NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

OFFICER IN CHARGE,

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I request that the above Telegram may be forwarded subject to the above conditions, by which I agree to be bound.

Signature and Address of Sender (Not to be telegraphed.)

59, Victoria Street, S.W. (P.A.O.)

No. 2163/1  
(If replying, please quote  
above No.)

Army Form B. 104-80.

Record Office,  
Station.  
Dec 14, 1915.

~~Sir~~, Madam.

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the War Office to the effect that (No.) 673  
(Rank) Private (Name) J. S. John  
(Regiment) 1/1 Newfoundland is dangerously ill at Gibraltar suffering from gun shot wound.

I am at the same time to express the sympathy and regret of the Army Council.

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

I am,

~~Sir~~, Madam.

Your obedient Servant,

Mrs. S. S. John  
Salem House  
~~Blanchit. Vardre~~  
~~Blanchit. Vardre~~  
Porty Midd  
S. Wales

Officer in charge of Records.

No. 2162/1

Goed Twr Cottages

Llantwit Vardre

Pontypridd  
S. Wales



Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter concerning (Private) J. St. John's no. 673 illness, & also to thank you for expression of sympathy & regret.

I would like you to address any further communications to me instead of to Mother as the shock might easily kill her, in her present state of health, as it is we dare not tell her that he is suffering from wounds, also kindly let me know as soon as possible his present address.

Thanking you again & Praying for his speedy recovery I remain Yours faithfully, Evan St. John

Officer in charge of Records

Newfoundland Contingent  
Pay & Record Office

Dec 16/1915

58, Victoria Street, London, S.W. = Station.

Decr 23 . 5

Ivan St. John. Esq. Goed Turz Cottages.  
Klandwit Vardre.  
Porthyridd  
Wales.

Sir

A telegram has just reached  
this office from the Commander-  
in-Chief, Gibraltar, reading:  
Private St. John, Newfound-  
land Regt., professing satisfactory  
from gunshot wound in head"  
I am,

Sir.

Your obedient servant

for H A Anderson.

Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 1915

H. A. Anderson Esq.

673  
S. John

Coed Tŷr Cottages

Yon Yeg

Planters Vardre

Mr. P. J. Pridd

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for your kind & cheering message re my Brother's progress, I have now explained everything to Mother trusting that Jack will soon be alright again

I remain yours faithfully

G. S. John

Newfoundland Contingent

Pay & Record Office

58 Victoria St

London, S.W.



February 3<sup>rd</sup> 6

Keyfoundland Contingent  
Pay & Record Office  
52 Victoria St, London SW  
Coan St John Esq  
Coed, Linc Colleges  
Llantwit, Vardre Pontyfridd

A report has been received  
at this office to the effect  
that No. 673 Private J. St. John  
has arrived at Third London  
General Hospital, Wandsworth,  
S W

His wound according to  
the Hospital report is described  
as slight.

Jan 6 6

Coed Trosk Cottages  
Llantwit Yardre  
Pontypidd  
St. Wales

Erin St. John Esq

Sir -

I am pleased to inform you  
that advice has this day been  
received from the War Office to  
the effect that the Commander-  
in-Chief at Gibraltar called  
on Jan 2nd as follows:  
"1st Newfoundland Regt. No  
613 Pte. St. John J. previously  
reported ~~as~~ ~~of~~ dangerously ill  
now out of danger"

I am

Sir

Your obedient servant

J. A. Anderson

1, Penry's Avenue  
Fyrdstown

General

Plan  
Dec 17/15

The Lt Col John 40643 E Com

W. H. D Regt who is a brother of  
mine, is reported to have been  
dangerously wounded & is  
lying at Hospital in Gibraltar.  
Can name of Hospital be given  
so as to communicate with  
him, if not can any further  
information be given as to  
extent of wounds & his present  
condition. We there way



hopes of him being transferred  
to a hospital nearer home.

Thanking you

Yours faithfully,

David John



Enquiry Dept  
War Office  
London

Registered No. \_\_\_\_\_

[In any reply the above number should be quoted.]



Army Form A. 2019.

Dec 22 1915

SIR,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17<sup>th</sup> inst, forwarded by <sup>the Secty of the War Office.</sup> and to acquaint you in reply that no further news <sup>has</sup> ~~has~~ reached this office relating to <sup>673</sup> Pte. J. St. John. If you wish to write Pte. St. John his address is <sup>1/2</sup> Newfoundland Regt. Gibraltar.

A cable of enquiry is being <sup>sent</sup> to-day ~~sent~~ and so soon as a reply reaches this office it ~~be~~ will be communicated to you.

For your future guidance it may be useful to know that all letters sent to the War Office referring to men of the Newfoundland Contingent are immediately sent on to this office. I am,

SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

Hospital is not a general  
 known case in  
 Western  
 - record -

Decr. 23. 5

David John. Esq. 1 Penrhys Avenue.  
Tylorstown  
Glam. Wales.

Sir: A Telegram has just been  
received from the Commander-in-  
-Chief, Gibraltar, reading:

~~833~~ "Private St John, Newfound-  
-land Regt, professing satisfactorily  
from gun shot wound in head"

I am,

Sir  
Your obedient servant.

COPY

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THE EASTERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY LIMITED  
THE EASTERN & SOUTH AFRICAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY LTD.

From Gibralters

To Synoptical  
London

833 Private St. John Newfoundland Regiment  
progressing satisfactorily from Gun Shot  
wound in head.

CHIEF

See Ans. Rp1-546 for orig

Jan 6 6

1 Penrhys Avenue.  
Tylorstown.  
Glam. Wales.

David John Esq.

Sir:

I am pleased to advise you  
that No. 693 Pte. J. St. John, of  
this Contingent, is now reported  
to be out of danger.

for W. A. Anderson

Newfoundland Contingent  
Pay & Record Office  
58 Victoria St. S.W.

David John Egan  
Penryth Avenue  
Tylorstown Glam. Wales

A report has been received  
at this office to the effect  
that No 673 Pte. J. St. John has  
arrived at Third London General  
Hospital, Wandswoth. S.W.

His wound, according to  
the hospital report is described  
as slight.

May 23<sup>rd</sup> 1916  
Salem House  
Haukwit Terrace  
Pontypidd  
S. Wales  
Capt Timewell  
1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt

Dear Sir,

Kindly  
advance me a few Pounds  
from wages due to me,  
to the above address.

A Balance  
£ 5-7-5

Yours obediently  
Pte G. St. John  
673

4714

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGT	24/5/16
PAID BY RECORD OFFICE	
1612	
MAY 24 1916	
MAY 25 1916	

1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt

Qua St. John  
£3

1979/1.

25, May,

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No.673, Pte. J. St.John,  
Salem House, Llantwit Vardre,  
Pontypridd, S.Wales.

Referring to your letter 23/5/18, I enclose Money  
Order £3/-, together with form of receipt which kindly  
sign and return to this Office.

Capt.

Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

H.T./N.M.



**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.**

**MEMORANDUM.**

No. 2147/212.

From  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE,  
55, VICTORIA STREET,  
LONDON, S.W.  
5, June, 1916.

To  
O. C.,  
2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,  
Newton-on-Ayr,  
Scotland.

H. T. / N. H.

**SUBJECT:** NO. 673 PTE. J. ST. JOHN.

**REPLY**

Dated **June 9th/16.** 191

Reference Nos.

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

Enclosed application from this soldier for Pay, together with statement of his account made up on information so far received.

With regard to discharged men being repatriated, should any of them by any means have retained possession of their A.B's. 64, I shall be glad if you will kindly obtain and forward them to this Office, please.

**Received.**

We have made enquiries from men who are being repatriated, and none of them ~~xxx~~ have in their possession A.B. 64.

*W. J. M. ...*  
Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/o Records.

*H. T. ...*  
ADJUTANT,  
2/1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,  
NEWTON-ON-AYR,  
SCOTLAND.

For O.C.

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT  
PAY & RECORD OFFICE  
Ref. No. 1876  
DATE JUN 11 1916  
ACKD:  
ASND:  
FILED:

Form P/K.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Statement of Account of No. 673, Pte. J. St. John,

1st ~~Company~~ From 27/11/15 to 9/6/16 (both days inclusive) = 196 days.

Date	Pay Book Col. No.	Particulars	No. of days.	@ per day.	Dr.		Cr.		Dr.			Cr.				
					\$	c.	\$	c.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
		<b>Cr.</b>														
	1	Pay ... ..	196	1			196	0								
	2	Field Allowance ... ..	196	10				19	60							
	3	Other Allowances ... ..														
	4	Total Pay & Allowances ...						215	60							
	5	Converted into Sterling @ \$ 4.86½										44	6	0		
	6	Balance from previous Pay Book										2	11	6		
	7	Total Credits (in £ s. d.)										46	17	6		
		<b>Dr.</b>														
	8	Forfeited Pay ... ..														
	9	Allotments ... ..	196	30	58	80										
	10															
	11	Total Stoppages (in \$ c.)				58	80									
	12	Converted into Sterling @ \$4.86½								12	1	8				
	13	Fines ... ..														
	14	Clothing and Necessaries ... ..														
	15	Arms and Accoutrements ... ..														
	16															
	17															
	18	Total Stoppages (in £ s. d.)														
	19	Casual Payments per Acquittance Rolls					1	2	0							
Apl. 28	20	1st Payment Advance Hospital					1	0	0							
	21	2nd " B. P. Uniform					4	1	0							
Apl. 27		" P. & R. Office					20	0	0							
May 25	22	3rd " " "					5	0	0							
Mar. 29		" B. P. Freeman, Hardy & Willis - Boots						12	11							
	23	Total Cash Payments								29	15	11				
	24	Balance from previous Pay Book ... ..														
	25	Total Stoppages & Cash Payments ... ..								41	17					
	26	Final Cash Payment ... ..														
	27	Balance (debit) ... ..														
	28	" (credit) ... ..								4	19	11				
		PAY & RECORD OFFICE, 58, VICTORIA STREET, LONDON, S.W.														
										£	46	17	6	46	17	6
		6th June, 1916.														

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



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Handed  
in at

*4 1/2* p.m.

Received  
here at

*5 11/16*

TO

*Reply Capt. Timewell  
Pd 58 Victoria St. Ldn*

*Please wire reply to my*

*letter of Saturday tonight*

*At Ple St John 673 Russell*

*5 30 p.m.  
7/6/16*

Dist. No.	<i>24</i>
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Office of Origin and Service Instructions

Words

Charges to pay

1240 TAMS BRIG AYR OHMS 25

THIS FORM MUST ACCOMPANY ANY ENQUIRY RESPECTING THIS TELEGRAM.

Received here at

2/5/16

TO } = SYNOPTICAL LDN =

REFERENCE YOUR NO 1580/148 OF APRIL 27 THERE ARE NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS MAN GOING ON FURLOUGH BEFORE BEING REPATRIATED =

COMMANDING NEWFOUNDLAND AYR

Ref. No.	1450
Rec'd.	APR 29 1916
Acc'd.	
Ans'd.	<i>Jan</i>
File No.	

**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.**

**MEMORANDUM.**

No. 1580/148.

**From**  
**PAY & RECORD OFFICE,**  
 58, VICTORIA STREET,  
 LONDON, S.W.  
 27, April, 1916.

**To**  
 O. C.,  
 2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,  
 Newton-on-Ayr,  
 Scotland.

**SUBJECT: NO. 673 PTE. J. ST. JOHN.**

**REPLY**

Dated April 30th/16. 191

**Reference Nos.**

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

This man has reported here today ex hospital for discharge from service, as unfit. He wants to go to Wales for a time to see his relatives before being repatriated. He is apparently not fit to stand the railway journey to Ayr, and asks to be allowed to be sent over without reporting to you. On reference to the hospital it is stated that he should be allowed to have furlough.

On receipt of this, will you kindly telegraph instructions? Meanwhile he will remain in London.

I confirm my message of yesterday's date,-

Synoptical,  
 London.

"Reference your No. 1580/148 of April 27th, There are no objections to this man going on Furlough before being repatriated"

Commanding Newfoundland,  
 Ayr.

*H. J. St. John* ADJUTANT,  
 2nd/1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,  
 NEWTON-ON-AYR, N.B.

For O.C.

*R. J. Murray* Capt.  
 Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
PAY & RECORDS OFFICE
Ref. No. 1383
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**NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.**

**MEMORANDUM.**

No. 1976/182.

From

PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

25, May, 1916.

H.T./N.M.

To

O. C.,

2/1 Newfoundland Regiment,

Newton-on-Ayr,

Scotland.

**SUBJECT: NO. 673, PTE. J. ST. JOHN.**

**REPLY**

Dated May 30/5/16.

191

Reference Nos. 1580/148.

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

(1) Application for pay received from this soldier at Salem House, Llantwit Vardre, Pontypridd, South Wales, and £3/- has been sent him. Am I correct in assuming that his furlough has been extended pending final discharge?

Yes,  
It has been decided to repatriate this man.

(2) It is understood that a number of repatriations are shortly to be made, and since it is understood that outward steamers fill up rapidly early arrangements should be made, please.

Noted.

*A. P. Dimmock*  
Capt.

Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

For O.C.

*A. J. S. [Signature]*  
ADJUTANT,  
2/1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT  
NEWTON-ON-AYR

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
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To be used for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army only.  
 Army Form B. 178<sup>A</sup> to be used for Special Reserve recruits and  
 Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname St John Christian Name John

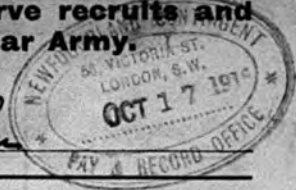


TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Examined ... { on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191  
 at \_\_\_\_\_

Declared Age ... years \_\_\_\_\_ days \_\_\_\_\_

Trade or Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Height ... feet, \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

Weight ... lbs. \_\_\_\_\_

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded. \_\_\_\_\_ inches.  
 Range of Expansion. \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

Physical Development \_\_\_\_\_

Vaccination Marks { Arm ... Right \_\_\_\_\_ Left \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number ... \_\_\_\_\_

When Vaccinated ... \_\_\_\_\_

Vision ... { R.E.—V = \_\_\_\_\_  
 L.E.—V = \_\_\_\_\_

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ... { (a) \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ... { (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Rank) \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... { at \_\_\_\_\_  
 on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>1<sup>st</sup> N.Z. L.O. 'C'</u>	<u>673</u>

Transferred to ... \_\_\_\_\_

Became non-effective by ... \_\_\_\_\_

on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Rank) \_\_\_\_\_

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the Sick List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number of days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature, or treatment of the case, likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
<i>Craigleith</i> 2nd S. G. H.	30	7	15	28	8	15	Varicose veins	27	Veins removed. Recommended for convalescent home	<i>J. W. L. Simpson</i> M.R.C.S.(E)
St Leonards Con: Hospital	25	8	15	22	9	15		28		
St Leonards Con: Hospital.	22	9	15	27	9	15		5		<i>J. J. Graham</i> Major, R.A.M.C. (T) Registrar, 2nd Scottish General Hospital



*Original*

*A1*

**Medical Report on an Invalid.**



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

Date 8<sup>th</sup> March 1916.

- 1. Unit 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Cont.
- 2. Regimental No. 673
- 3. Rank Pte.
- 4. Name St. John, J.
- 5. Age last birthday 23.
- 6. Enlisted on Dec 26. 1914  
at St John Newfoundland
- 7. Former Trade or Occupation Electrical Engineer

**8. Disability.**

G. S. W. of Head, slight Hemiplegia

**Statement of Case.**

Note.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Officer in medical charge of the case. In answering them he will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements and evidence recorded in his military and medical documents. He will also carefully distinguish cases entirely due to venereal disease.

9. Date of origin of disability. Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> 1915

10. Place of origin of disability. Gallipoli

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case. Shrapnel wound posterior parietal region of skull, near mid-line. Was operated upon on hospital ship, but has no memory of voyage.

On admission Wandsworth, bilateral slight optic neuritis, diplopia, & slight R. hemiplegia. Severe headache.

12. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the disability.

(b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it (See notes on page 3).

Shrapnel injury of brain  
Yes.  
6 25A

13. What is his present condition?

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

Headache has improved.  
Optic neuritis subsiding.  
Diplopia unchanged.  
Still slight R. hemiplegia, more of leg  
sensory & motor.

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

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

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

- If so—(a) When?
- (b) Where?
- (c) Opinion?

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

Yes, trephined

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

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

19. Do you recommend

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

Yes

Wilfred Harris Capt R.A.M.C.T.  
Officer in medical charge of case.

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

except†

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

A. Hope Gosse Capt R.A.M.C.T.  
Officer in charge of Hospital.

Date 10/3/16.

\* Loss of teeth on, or immediately after, active service, should be attributed thereto, unless there is evidence that it is due to some other cause.

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

### Opinion of the Medical Board.

NOTES.—(i) Clear and decisive answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as in the event of the man being invalided, it is essential that the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable them to decide upon the man's claim to pension.

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

(iii) The rates of pension vary directly according to whether the disability is attributed to (a) active service, (b) climate, or (c) ordinary military service. It is therefore essential when assigning the cause of the disability to differentiate between them (see Articles 1162 and 1165, Pay Warrant, 1913).

(iv) In answering question 20 the Board should be careful to discriminate between disease resulting from military conditions and disease to which the soldier would have been equally liable in civil life.

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

20. (a) State whether the disability is the result of (i.) active service, (ii.) climate, or (iii.) ordinary military service.

Active Service

(b) If due to one of these causes, to what specific conditions do the Board attribute it?

G. S.W.

21. Has the disability been aggravated by

- (a) Intemperance? No
- (b) Misconduct? No

22. Is the disability permanent?

Yes.

23. If not permanent, what is its probable minimum duration?

To be stated in months.

24. To what extent is his capacity for earning a full livelihood in the general labour market lessened at present?

Total.

In defining the extent of his inability to earn a livelihood, estimate it at  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ , or total incapacity.

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

vide 16

26. Do the Board recommend

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

Discharge as permanently unfit for War Service. Home Service or Light duty.

Signatures:—

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

Date March 10/16.

Approved.

Station Head Quarter Lond. Dist.

Date 10/3/16.

W. D. H. S. - Lond. Dist.  
President  
J. R. D. Wood. Capt. R.A.M.C.T.  
Members.

O. Todd Col. R.M.S.  
Administrative Medical Officer.

W. D. H. S. - Lond. Dist.

Slip to be attached to Army Form R. 179.

Question 24A.—"Is the man suffering from a disability which would obviously, as far as you can judge, cause him to be rejected by an Approved Society under the National Insurance Act." No

(On leaving Corps or Station where invalided.)

Transfer { Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 or Station \_\_\_\_\_ } Name { Conveyance \_\_\_\_\_  
 of Vessel \_\_\_\_\_  
 Embark- { Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 ation Port \_\_\_\_\_ } Officer in }  
 medical charge }

Brief remarks on case during transit, and state on transfer for final disposal.

Re-transferred { Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hospital or } \_\_\_\_\_ Officer in medical charge.  
 Station }

(At Station or Hospital where finally disposed of.)

Station and } \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hospital } \_\_\_\_\_  
 Arrived from \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

If admitted	If under treatment		Disease	How finally disposed of	Date of Discharge, &c.
	From	To			
Date					

Detailed statement as to condition on discharge and whether discharged as an invalid, to corps, to station, or to depôt. In cases of discharge from the service it should be stated whether the answers to questions 22, 23 and 24 are concurred in.

Date of final Medical }  
 Board, or decision }

Administrative Medical Officer.

Army Form B. 179.

1/2/16

MEDICAL REPORT ON AN

INVALID.

Station

Hydr.

Corps

1st Newfoundland.

Regimental No.

673.

Rank

Pte.

Name

Sr. John J.

Disability

4. S. N. 9 Head.

Date

10/3/16.

Hospital or Station }  
 transferred to for }  
 final disposal }

Date of final }  
 disposal }

How finally }  
 disposed of }

The original Report is invariably to accompany the

discharge documents of Invalids.

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Form  
 B. 179.  
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No. *673* Name *St. John, J.* Sqn., Batty., or Company } *E* Corps *Newfoundland* Date of enlistment }  
 Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } *25.10.15* No. and date of last drunk } Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine } Sheet No. *1* Signature O.C. Company, etc. } *J. A. D. Kingham Capt* G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay } Character

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

Army Form B. 122

25-7-9.

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

~~August 1915~~  
10/3/16.

From, O. Commanding,  
3rd. London General Hospital,

To, O. Commanding  
*12<sup>th</sup> Newfoundland Contingent.*  
Depot *Arg.*

Sir,

I herewith enclose you Invaliding Documents B.179  
~~also Medical History Sheet B. 17c.~~ of the man named in  
the margin *found by Medical Board.* ~~discharged~~ as unfit for further Military  
Service. *B 178 l: follow when Patient leaves  
The Hospital*

Kindly acknowledge receipt hereon.

*A. J. Swan, Capt*  
Assistant- Registrar, R.A.M.C.T.  
3rd London General Hospital,  
WANDSWORTH, S. W.

*673. Plé. St John. J. 1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Contingent.*

ORIGINAL

Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST.

23/11/15 to 4/6/16

1916. Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps *1st Newfoundland Regt.*  
 No. *673* Rank *Private* Name *J. St John*  
~~Discharged~~ at *St. John* on the of 191 .  
 Deserted at *Melville Bay Depot* on the of 191 .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

*W. B. [Signature]* [Commanding Squadron, Troop,  
 Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.

Date.	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month .....				Balance Cr. last month <i>Premises</i> .....	2	11	6.
	Cash issues <i>from P.R. Office 29 15 11</i> (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay 196 days at <i>£1.10</i> from <i>2/11/15</i> to <i>4/6/16</i>	44	6	0.
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	191				days at from _____ to _____			
	"				Messing allowance days at			
	"				from _____ to _____			
	"				Clothing and kit allowance .....			
	<i>Allo. 204 p.d. 196 days</i> <i>£58.80.</i>	12	1	8	Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
	Consolidated stoppage.....				Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
	<i>Final Pay.</i>	4	19	11	Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Deferred Pay or Gratuity .....			
		£46	14	6.	Balance due to the Paymaster.....	£46	14	6.

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ *46 14 6* is correctly chargeable against the Public<sup>(b)</sup>.

Dated at this

day of *3.1.1916*

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Paymaster.

- (a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B: 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
- (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

PAY LIST.

to 9th June

1916. Voucher No.

**NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.**

Regiment or corps **1st Newfoundland**

No. **675**

Rank **Private**

Name **J. St John**

Died (a) at on the of 191 .

Deserted at on the of 191 .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop,  
Battery or Company.

**STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.**

[FORM 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month.....				Balance Cr. last month.....			
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to.....			
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	191				<b>Exchange Balance 19/3/15</b>		5	8½
	"				days at from to.....			
	"				Messing allowance days at			
	"				from to .....			
	Consolidated stoppage .....				Clothing and kit allowance .....			
					Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
					Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including			
					interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	5	8½		Balance due to the Paymaster.....			
	£	5	8½		£	5	8½	

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ is correctly chargeable against the Public<sup>(a)</sup>

Dated at this day of 1916.



Paymaster.  
PAYMASTER & OFFICERS' RECORDS

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.  
(b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

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PAY LIST.

to 9<sup>th</sup> June 1916 Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps

1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland

No. 673

Rank

Private

Name

J. L. John

Died (a)

at

on the

of

191

Deserted at

on the

of

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I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company.

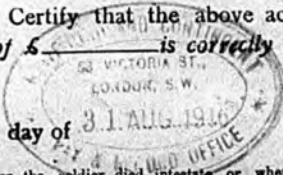
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	Balance Dr. last month.....	.	.	.	Balance Cr. last month.....	.	.	.
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at from to			
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	191				Take up balance 19/2/15			55 8 3
	"				days at from to			
	"				Messing allowance days at			
	"				from to			
	Consolidated stoppage .....				Clothing and kit allowance .....			
					Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
					Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
					Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
					Deferred Pay or Gratuity.....			
	Balance due by the Paymaster			5 8 3	Balance due to the Paymaster.....			
		£		5 8 3		£		5 8 3

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ 5 8 3 is correctly chargeable against the Public<sup>(a)</sup>

Dated at this



day of

191

Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1813. (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.



# Proceedings on Discharge.

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

No. 673 Army Rank Private  
 Name John A. John  
 (The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)  
 Corps First Newfoundland Regiment  
 Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If attached to the Regular Establishment of the Special Reserve or Permanent Staff of the Territorial Force, &c., or to General Staff of the Army, it should be so stated.)

Date of discharge \_\_\_\_\_  
 Place of discharge \_\_\_\_\_

1. Description at the time of discharge.

Age _____ years _____ months	Descriptive marks.
Height _____ feet _____ inches	
Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded _____ ins.	
{ range of expansion _____ ins.	
Complexion _____	
Eyes _____	
Hair _____	
Trade _____	
Intended place of residence { _____	Descriptive marks.
(To be given as fully as practicable) _____	

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

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

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

3. Military character:— \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. Character awarded in accordance with King's Regulations:—  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Certified that the above is an accurate copy of the character given by me on Army Form B. 2067\* and that Army Form D. 489 was awarded in this case.

Initials of Commanding Officer.

Army Form B. 2068 has been issued to\*

\* Strike out if not applicable.

[OVER.

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY THE SOLDIER ON DISCHARGE.

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

Place St John's River, Fla. 14<sup>th</sup> Jan (Signatuer of Soldier)

Date 8/2/17 C. F. Allen (Signatuer of Witness)

No. *673*

Name *S. John*

Sqn., Batty., or Company } *E.*

Corps *Newfoundland*

Date of enlistment }

G.C. Badges }

Service or Proficiency Pay }

Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet }

*25.10.18*

No. and date of last drunk }

Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine }

Sheet No. *1*

Signature O.C. Company, etc. }

*J. A. Cunningham*

Character

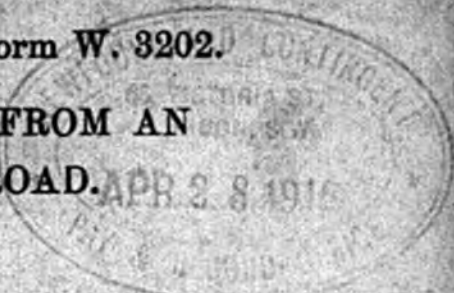
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Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks

*Collected by Sgt. H. J. ...*

Duplicate Army Form W. 3202.



NOTE FOR USE IN THE CASE OF SOLDIERS RETURNED FROM AN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, OR FROM GARRISONS ABROAD.

1st Newfoundland Regiment.

\*The Officer Commanding Newfoundland Contingent Ayr.

The Officer in Charge of Records 58 Victoria St. S.W.

The Regimental Paymaster 58 Victoria St. S.W. ✓

With reference to No. 673. Plc. St John. J. of the above Regiment, who appeared before a Medical Board and was approved by the D.D.M.S., London - Command, on the 10.3.16 for discharge from the Service as permanently unfit, please note that this man has been sent to his home on warrant with orders to await instructions as to his final discharge; he has been given £1 (one pound) advance and a suit of plain clothes.

He proceeded to 58 Victoria St. S.W.

on [date] 27 April. 16.

A. Hope Goss, Capt. R.A.M.C.T. Registrar, R.A.M.C.T. Officer Commanding 3rd London General Hospital, WANDSWORTH, S.W. Hospital.

Place Wandsworth.

Date 27/4/16.

\* In case of Territorial Force "Officer Commanding the Administrative Centre." Four copies to be made, and one copy sent to each Officer mentioned above, and one copy filed in the Office.

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B.

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Forms  
B. 121.  
39.

Regiment of 1<sup>st</sup> New South Wales

Number of Sheet 1

Signature of O. C. Company Stamper

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No. <u>693</u>	<u>St John</u>	Ago on <u>26</u> years - months	<u>St John</u>	<u>Engineer</u>	
Place and Date of Enlistment		Period of		Religion	
Joined _____ Date _____		with Colours _____ years.		<u>C. of C.</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____		with Reserve _____ years.		Place of Birth	
Joined _____ Date _____				<u>Wales</u>	

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>Acrekwose</u>	<u>1915</u> 5-6	<u>Pte</u>		<u>Absent from Tattoo James</u> <u>to 4th parade " 7th</u>	<u>Cpl Higgin</u>	<u>3 days C.C.</u>	<u>1915</u>	<u>Capt. Mc Bernard</u>	<u>JJD</u>
<u>Acrekwose</u>	12.6	"		<u>Absent from 5th Am.</u> <u>mounting guard</u>	<u>Cpl Higgin</u>	<u>5 days C.C.</u>	12.6	<u>Capt Mc Bernard</u>	<u>JJD</u>
<u>Newton</u>	25.10	"		<u>Absent from 7th parade</u>	<u>Sgt Barclay</u>	<u>5 days C.C.</u>	25.10	<u>Capt Edington</u>	

COPY

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.

## DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

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

Reg. No. 673

Name John St. John

Apparent age \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height 5 feet 5½ inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Dark, Hair: Dark Brown, Eyes: Gray

Other distinguishing marks: Scar over right eyebrow

### INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Elizabeth St. John, Salem House, Llantiviol, Vardra, Ponty Prodd, South Wales, England | Relationship Mother

#### Particulars as to Marriage.

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

#### Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

### STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension	Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. O. Pay	Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years   days	years   days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>15/12/14</u>							
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>15th December '14</u>							
Total Service forfeited as above .. .. .							
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days							
" " " Pension " _____ ( " ) _____ " _____							

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname St John OF Christian Name John

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined ... ..	on	14 day of Dec 1914	on	day of 191
	at	St Johns	at	
Declared age ... ..	25	years		days
Trade or occupation ... ..	Electrical Engineer		years	days
Height ... ..	5	feet	5	inches
Weight ... ..		150		lbs.
Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded Range of expansion		35 1/2		inches
		3 1/2		inches
Physical development ... ..				
Vaccination marks { Arm ... .. Number ... ..	Right	Left	Right	Left
When vaccinated ... ..				
Vision ... ..	R.E. - V =	21	R.E. - V =	
	L.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) (Rank)	(Sgd) <u>Cluny McPherson</u> Capt- Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted ... ..	at	St Johns	at	
	on	15 day of Dec 1914	on	day of 191
Joined on enlistment ... ..	Corps	15th Highland Lt.	Corps	
	Regtl. No.	673	Regtl. No.	
Transferred to ... ..				
Became non-effective by ... ..				
	on	day of 191	on	day of 191
(Signature) (Rank)				

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

Name of hospital	Admitted to hospital			Discharged from hospital			Disease	Number of days in hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, &c., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
3 <sup>rd</sup> London General Wandsworth	1	2	16	27	4	11	L.S.W Head slight Hemiplegia	27	Board held - See overleaf Disability - L.S.W Head slight Hemiplegia Cause - Active service Totally incapacitated from earning a livelihood.	(Sgd) A.T. Swan Capt Asst. Registrar 3 <sup>rd</sup> London Gen. Hosp Wandsworth S.W



**Table III.**—Boards; Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.; Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date	Brief details, and signature
T. U 2 Vac Ch. U 2	Lit. for Foreign Service
3 <sup>rd</sup> London General Woodsworth S. W	Board held March 10 <sup>th</sup> 1916 Found permanently unfit for war Service - Home - Service & light duty Approved by D.S.M.S London District March 10 <sup>th</sup> 1916  A. T. Swan Capt. Asst. Registrar R.A.M.C. 3 <sup>rd</sup> London General Hospital Woodsworth S. W

**Table IV.**—SERVICE TABLE.

Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation	Station or Troopship	Date of arrival or embarkation	Date of departure or disembarkation
Pt. John Africa	Dec 15/14	Feb 5/15			
Troopship Dominion	Feb 5/15	.. 16/15			
Edinburgh Castle	.. 16/15				

*Certified true copy*



**MEDICAL HISTORY**

Surname John OF Christian Name John

**Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.**

Birthplace:—Parish		County					
		SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.			
Examined	... ..	on	day of	191	on	day of	191
		at			at		
Declared age	... ..		years	days		years	days
Trade or occupation	... ..						
Height	... ..		feet	inches		feet	inches
Weight	... ..			lbs.			lbs.
Chest Measure- ment	Girth when fully expan- ded Range of expansion			inches			inches
				inches			inches
Physical development	... ..						
Vaccination marks	Arm ... Number	Right		Left	Right		Left
When vaccinated	... ..						
Vision	... ..	R.E.—V. =			R.E.—V. =		
		L.E.—V. =			L.E.—V. =		
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	}	(a)			(a)		
		(b)			(b)		
(b) Slight defects but not suffi- cient to cause rejection	}						
Approved by (Signature)	(Rank)				Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.
Enlisted	... ..	at			at		
		on	day of	191	on	day of	191
			Corps	Regtl. No.		Corps	Regtl. No.
Joined on enlistment	... ..		<i>Newfield Regt 673</i>				
Transferred to	... ..		<i>673</i>				
Became non-effective by	... ..	on	day of	191	on	day of	191
(Signature)	(Rank)						

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Craigleith 2 <sup>nd</sup> S. G. H.	30	7	15	25	8	15	Varicose Veins	27	Veins Removed Recommended for convalescent home	W. Watson Simpson L.R.C.P.S.
Leopards Cou Hospital	25	8	15	22	9	15		28		
Leopards Cou Hospital	22	9	15	27	9	15		5		D. J. Graham M.D. (Edin.) Registrar, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Scottish General Hospital

C.R. 673

October 19th. 1921

The Superintendent,  
Registration Department,  
G.P.O.

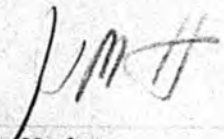
Dear Sir:-

On June 23rd. 1921, you signed a receipt for various packages from this Department, among others one addressed:-

John J. St. John,  
Bell Island.

This has not yet been received by the addressee, and I shall be obliged if you will trace it and let me know at your earliest convenience, what has become of it.

Yours truly,

  
Major  
Officer i/c Records.

File

673  
Scout Staff House  
Watona

Lt Col Peckle  
Lt Johns

Sept 29<sup>th</sup> 1921  
C.R.

673

Dear Sir

Kindly forward my  
"War Service Certificate" to the above  
address & oblige

Yours Truly  
J. S. Johns  
Ex 673

RECEIPT.

CD 673

FOR ISSUE OF RIBBEND OF VICTORY MEDAL/1914-1919.

I certify taht I have received an issue of 2 inches  
of Riband of Britis's Victory Medal-1914-1919.

NO. 673 NAME John. St John

DATE March 14. 1920

PLACE. Watona

CR 673  
Scott's Staff House  
Wabona  
Feb 25<sup>th</sup> 1920

1  
Lt Col W.F. Anderson  
Mining Dept

Dear Sir

Please forward my  
issue of "Victory Ribbon" to the above  
address & oblige

Your Obediently

Ex No 673

J. St. John

Sent  
26/2/20 HP

C.R. 673

RECEIPT.

I hereby certify that I have received the 1914-1915  
STAR. *with the name P. P. St. John, upon it.*

No 673

Name

John, St. John

Witness.

J. B. Gilchrist

Date

January 15<sup>th</sup> 1920

Place

Wabana, Conception Bay.



RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF  
RIBAND OF BRITISH WAR MEDAL-1914-1919.

CR 673

I certify that I have received a ribbon of 8 inches  
of Riband of British War Medal-1914-1919

NAME J. A. John #673

(Date) October 8<sup>th</sup> 1919

(Place) Wabana C.B.

Please sign & return to Dept of Militia.

CR 673  
Scotia Staff House  
Wabana  
Newfoundland  
Sept 30<sup>th</sup> 1919

Melina Depi  
St John's

Dear Sir  
Kindly send me my  
issue of "Service Ribbon" I oblige

Yours Truly  
Ex Pte J. St John.  
673 C. Company

sent Out 6/10/19

JP

C.R. 673

RECEIPT FOR ISSUE OF  
RIBAND OF 1914-15 STAR.

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I certify that I have received an issue  
of 3 inches of Riband of 1914-15 Star.

673

Name *John D. Johnson*

Date *April 1st 1919*

Place. **PLEASE SIGN, and return to Dept. of Militia.**

C.R. 673

Extract from Nominal Roll, 1st Draft to M.E.F.  
received from Governor July 8, 1916.

#673 Pte. John St. John.

C.R. 673

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

~~#125~~

#673 Pte. John St. John, discharged June 24th 1916,  
Medically unfit.

C.R. 673

Extract of Roll of Officers, N.C.Os. and Men Discharged from  
The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Authority: Pay Office, St. John's.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Rank.</u>	<u>Name.</u>	<u>Date.</u>	<u>Reason.</u>
673	Pte.	John St. John.	June 24th 1916.	Med. Unfit.

C.R. 673

Extract from Code Telegram from Capt. Finewell received 10th.  
June 1916.

673 St. John.

Medically Unfit.....Left Liverpool for Quebec Scandinavian, June 9th.

C.R. 673

Extract from casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, 8-6-16.

Repatriated 9-6-16.

673 Pte. J.J. St. John.



Fold Here

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**ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE**

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

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Fold Here

~~June 15th 1923 1913~~

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 268), is forwarded herewith to

John J St. John.

in respect of his service as No. 673 Rank Pvte.

Name JOHN J ST. JOHN Corps Royal Nfld Regt.

*H. J.* Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received King's Certificate for J. J. St. John

Signature John. St. John

Date June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1923

Address Bell Island. C.B.

~~C.R.~~

673

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated June 8, 1916.

#675 Pte. J.J. St. John.

Repatriated June 9, 1916. ✓

1500

C.R. 673



C A S U A L T I E S.

1ST BATTALION.

No. 675, Pte. J. St. John, is discharged from the 3rd London General Hospital and proceeds on a furlough to 8/5/16.

Address:

Salem House,  
Llantwit Vardre,  
Pontypridd,  
S. Wales,

preparatory to his discharge to Newfoundland.

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C.R. 673

Extract from Code Telegram from Major Timewell,  
to the Honcurable the Colonial Secretary dated February 3rd.  
1916.

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AT WANDSWORTH

673 ST. JOHN.

C.R. 673

Extract from Army Form W 3026.

NOMINAL ROLL of Sick and Wounded admitted to the 3rd. LONDON GENERAL  
HOSPITAL, WANDSWORTH , on February 2nd., 19 16.

673 Pte. St. John, J.      GSW. Head    Sgt.

C.R.

673

Extract from War Office List No.H.5753.

673 Pte. St. John, J.

1-Nfld. Frostbite Slt. Trans. to Eng. per H.S. #Letitia"  
ex G.H. Gibraltar. 28/Jan/16.

C.R. 673

666



MEDITERRANEAN FORCE CASUALTIES.

Nos. M. 17474. & M 17475.

No. M 17474.

Telegram from Commander-in-Chief, Gibraltar, dated 2nd January-1916,  
(No. 854 ) Received 2nd January, 1916.  
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PREVIOUSLY REPORTED DANGEROUSLY ILL. NOW OUT  
OF DANGER.

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

673 St John Pte. J.

2nd ROYAL FUSILIERS.

8878 Farmer Sjt. H.

7th GLOSTER. REGIMENT.

22207 Burrage Pte. H.E.

4th Res. Bn. WEST YORKS. REGT.

18016 Tolton Pte. G.S.  
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No. M 17475.

Telegram from Commander-in-Chief, Gibraltar, dated 2nd January, 1916.  
(No. 853 ) Received 2nd January, 1916.  
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5th DORSETSHIRE REGIMENT.

Died of Dysentery 2nd January 1916.

10672 King Pte. C.





Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.

January 3rd 1916.

673, Pte J. St. John.

Gunshot Wound. No date given.

C.R. 673

Extract from list of sick and wounded N.C.O's and men of the  
Mediterranean Expeditionary Force. Dated Dec. 31st 1915 List  
No. H. 4366.

673 Pte. St. John J.

G.S.W. Head (Wd) dangerous. Adm. G.H. Gibraltar ex H.S. Masilia.

12-Dec-15

C.R. 673

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record  
Office, London, dated December 31, 1915.

#673 Pte. J. St. John. ✓

Gunshot wound Head (wound) Dangerous.

Admitted General Hospital Gibraltar ex H.S. Masilia  
12th December 1915.

MEDITERRANEAN FORCE CASUALTIES.

No. 16828.

Telegram from Commander in Chief, Gibraltar, dated 26th December, 1915.

(No. 840 ) Received 26th December, 1915.

ALL SICK AND WOUNDED PREVIOUSLY REPORTED ARE DOING WELL WITH EXCEPTION OF THE FOLLOWING WHO ARE SERIOUSLY ILL:-

X 1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

673 St John

Pte. J.

*next of kin in G.B.*

1st ESSEX REGIMENT.

14294 Pocock

Pte. W.T.

2nd ROYAL FUSILIERS.

8878 Farmer

Sjt. H.

9th WEST YORKS REGIMENT.

8408 Ovens

Pte. J.

R.F.A. 58th BRIGADE.

16860 Havens

Gnr. F.

1st LANCASHIRE FUSILIERS.

13419 Allen

Pte. J.

8th NORTHUMBERLAND FUSILIERS.

16405 Bowes

Pte. C.H.

6th YORK & DUNCASTER REGIMENT.

11326 Douglas

Pte. W.

5th DORSETSHIRE REGIMENT.

10672 King

Pte. C.

6th R. LANCASHIRE REGIMENT.

11640 Campbell

L/C. G.

9th R. WARWICKSHIRE REGIMENT.

10630 Thompson

L/C. H.

3th YORK & LANCASTER REGIMENT.

11329 Barkworth

L/C. T.E.

4th WORCESTERSHIRE REGIMENT.

1644 Johnson

Pte. G.

7th GLOS. REGIMENT.

22207 Burrage

Pte. H.E.

10199 Leonard

Pte. H.

4th Res. Bn. WEST YORKS REGIMENT.

18016 Tolton

Pte. G.S.



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~~C.R. 533~~  
673

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THE EASTERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY LIMITED  
THE EASTERN & SOUTH AFRICAN TELEGRAPH COMPANY LTD.

From Gibralters  
Dec 23/15

To Synoptical  
London

673 <sup>673</sup>  
~~833~~ Private St. John Newfoundland Regiment  
progressing satisfactorily from Gun Shot  
wound in head. ✓

CHIEF



✓

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MEDITERRANEAN FORCE CASUALTIES

No 11.16273.

Telegram from Commander in Chief, Gibraltar, dated 19th December, 1915.  
(No.816.) Received 20th December, 1915.

All sick and wounded previously reported are doing well except the following who are seriously ill.

8th NORTHUMBERLAND FUSILIERS.

16405 Bowes Private C.H.

6th YORK AND LANCASTER REGIMENT.

11326 Douglas Private W.

5th DORSETSHIRE REGIMENT.

10672 King Private C.

1st LANCASHIRE FUSILIERS.

13419 Allen Private J.

69th BRIGADE ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

3613 Feakes Gunner H.

4th WORCESTERSHIRE REGIMENT.

1644 Johnson Private G.

X

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

673 St. John Private

✓ X prev. reported

1/7th GLOUCESTERSHIRE REGIMENT.

22207 Burrage Private H.E.  
10199 Leonard Private H.

1st ESSEX REGIMENT.

14294 Pocock Private W.T.

ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

16866 Havens Gunner F.

9th WEST YORKS. REGIMENT.

8408 Owens Private J.

2nd ROYAL FUSILIERS.

8878 Farmer Serjeant H.

1st ROYAL MUNSTER FUSILIERS.

9428 Heyes Private J.

C.R. 673

MEDITERRANEAN FORCE CASUALTIES

Nos. M.15715, H.15716 & H.15717

No. M. 15715.

Telegram from G.O.C., Malta, dated 13th December, 1915. (No.W.B.3741.)  
Received 14th December, 1915.

A.I.F. 11th Bn. 3rd INFANTRY BRIGADE.

Dangerously Ill 11th December, 1915, St. Patricks Hospital, Erysipelas.

1622 Reid Pte. V.

No. H. 15716.

Telegram from Commander-in-Chief, Gibraltar, dated 14th December, 1915.  
(No.788.) Received 14th December, 1915.

9th WEST YORKSHIRE REGIMENT.

Died of Gunshot Wound 13th December, 1915.

20109 Peachy Sjt. H.

No. H. 15717.

Telegram from Commander-in-Chief, Gibraltar, dated 14th December, 1915.  
(No.789.) Received 14th December, 1915.

4th Res.Bn.NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE REGIMENT.

Dangerously Ill, Frostbitten, Gibraltar.

8545 Lynch Pte. E.

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Dangerously Ill, Gunshot Wound, Gibraltar.

673 St. John Pte. J.

NEWFOUNDLAND	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE, LONDON	
CASUALTY REPORT No. 398	
Recd DEC. 16 1915	Entd.
Advised to Governor:	
Cable No.	N.F.P/O No.
Copies sent to:	
Governor	.....
O.C. Depot	.....
N.W.C.A.	.....
Press Notices sent	.....

Confirmation

X

C.R.

673

NEWFOUNDLAND COMMISSION	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE, LONDON.	
CASUALTY REPORT No. <u>392</u>	
Recd	<u>DEC. 14 1915</u> Fnd.
Advised to Governor:	
Cable No.	N.F. P/O's
Copies sent to:	
Governor	.....
J.C. Depot	.....
N.W.C.A.	.....

TELEPHONE REPORT

received from

G.2.-CASUALTIES, WAR OFFICE,

2.30 p.m., 14th December, 1915.

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M. 15718. Commander-in-Chief, Gibraltar. *telegraphs*

Dangerously ill, G.S.W.

673, St.John, Pte. J. 1st Newfoundland. ✓



C.R. 673

Copy of Cablegram to Governor St. John's Nfld.  
from P. & R. O. December 14th. 1915.

673, St. John. ✓

Dangerously Ill Gibraltar Gunshot Wound.

C.R. 673

Extract from Nominal Roll Embarked St. John's per A.S.  
"Dominion" "C" Company, Feb. 2nd, 1915.

673 Pte. ST. John II.

C.R. 673

John St. John. was attested for General Service  
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on .. Dec. .15th. .1914.  
Regimental No. 673 was allotted to Pte John St. John.

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th, 1919.

## Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland Regt  
 Regimental No. C.R. 673 Rank Pte. Name John J St John  
 Enlisted (a) 15/12/15 Terms of Service (a) war Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of promotion } \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment } \_\_\_\_\_ Numerical position on } \_\_\_\_\_  
 to present rank } \_\_\_\_\_ to lance rank } \_\_\_\_\_ roll of N.C.Os. } \_\_\_\_\_  
 Extended \_\_\_\_\_ Re-engaged \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked St. John's, Nfld.		3/2/15.	
		Disembarked Gallipoli		1/12/15.	
22/12/15.	26 C.C.S.	Admitted, G.S.W. Head	26th. C.C.S.	2/12/15.	C 5110.
7/1/16.	Gibraltar	do ex "Massilia"	Govt. Hosp. Gibraltar	12/12/15.	F 757.
16/2/16.	"Letitia"	Invalided to England	H.S. "Letitia"	28/1/16.	B 947.

*[Signature]*  
 Captain  
 for Major,  
 Officer i/c Records 11 & 12 Dists.  
 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q., M.E.F.

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

(P.T.O.)

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Regiment of *1st Newfoundland.*

Number of Sheets *First*

Signature of O. C. Company *J. Cunningham*

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay	
No.	<i>673 St. John J.</i>	Age on	22 years	<i>Engineer</i>		
		months		Religion		
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment		<i>CofE</i>		
Joined	Date	<i>St. Johns 15/12/14</i>		Place of Birth		
Joined	Date	Period of		<i>Wales.</i>		
Joined	Date	(with Colours) 1 1/2 years.				
Joined	Date	(with Reserve) 3 1/2 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
<i>Aserknoos</i>	<i>1915 5-6</i>	<i>Plt.</i>		<i>Absent from parade June 5<sup>th</sup> to 7am parade June 7<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Cpl. Higgins</i>	<i>3 Days Cb.</i>	<i>7-6</i>	<i>Capt. J. Bernard</i>	<i>Jr.</i>
<i>Aserknoos</i>	<i>12-6</i>			<i>Absent from 8-45 am. Mounting Guard.</i>	<i>Cpl. Higgins</i>	<i>5 Days Cb.</i>	<i>12-6</i>	<i>Capt. J. Bernard</i>	<i>Jr.</i>
<i>Newton</i>	<i>25-10-15</i>			<i>absent from 7am parade</i>	<i>Lt. Strickland</i>	<i>2 days Cb.</i>	<i>25-10-15</i>	<i>Capt. P. Cunningham</i>	
				<i>Medically Unfit</i>	<i>St. John's</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>76</i>		

To be carried over

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		months		Religion		
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St. Johns</i>	<i>CofE</i>		
Joined	Date	Period of	<i>15/12/14</i>	Place of Birth		
Joined	Date	(with Colours)	<i>1 1/2 years.</i>	<i>Wales.</i>		
Joined	Date	(with Reserve)	<i>3 1/2 years.</i>			

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
<i>Aserknoos</i>	<i>1915</i>	<i>Plt.</i>		<i>Absent from parade June 5<sup>th</sup></i>			<i>1915</i>		
	<i>5-6</i>			<i>to 7 am parade June 7<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Cpl. Higgins</i>	<i>3 Days Cb.</i>		<i>Capt. St. Bernard</i>	<i>Jr.</i>
<i>Aserknoos</i>	<i>12-6</i>			<i>Absent from 8-45 am</i>					
				<i>Mounting Guard.</i>	<i>Cpl. Higgins</i>	<i>5 Days Cb.</i>	<i>12-6</i>	<i>Capt. St. Bernard</i>	<i>Jr.</i>
<i>Newton</i>	<i>25-10-15</i>			<i>absent from 7 am parade</i>	<i>Lt. Strickland</i>	<i>2 days Cb.</i>	<i>25-10-15</i>	<i>Capt. Cunningham</i>	
				<i>Medically Unfit</i>	<i>St. John's</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>76</i>		

To be carried over

St John, John.

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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

No. 673

Name St John John

July 66 ✓ 159

Date	Particulars	Ch. No.	Dr.	Gr.	Bal.
June 9	Balance due by firm				
24	By Pay. from 10-2-16-50 <small>5184</small>			1 39	1 39
	14 days @ 1 $\frac{50}{21}$ <small>24619</small>			22 40	23 79
	Civilian clothing			25 00	48 79
	Bonus			11 20	59 99
June 23	By Pay	86	15 00		44 99
July 27	To Pay	141	5 30		39 69
1917 Jan 2	To Pay	86	96 20		3 49
	Wanderer Interty 4 mos @ 70%			280 00	283 49
1918 Dec 11	P. N. Pay Bonus	6738	87 15		196 34
March 1	To Pay	11144	12 95		183 39
April 1	" "	14038	70 00		113 39
May 1	" "	18521	70 00		43 39
			39 90		3 49
			336 50	340 99	3 49

to Balance \$ 49

Signed Alvary S.S.M.

5/1/1920



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PAY LIST.

to 9th June

1916 . Voucher No.

NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.

Regiment or corps 1st Newfoundland

No. 673 Rank Private Name J. St John

Died at on the of 1916
Embarked for St. John's on the 9th of June 1916
Deserted at on the of 1916

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

Commanding Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[FORM 1.]

Table with columns: Date, Dr., £ s. d., Cr., £ s. d. Rows include Balance Dr. last month, Cash issues, Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay, Exchange Balance 19/3/15, Messing allowance, Clothing and kit allowance, Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries, Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2, Amount of Savings Bank balance, Deferred Pay or Gratuity, Balance due by the Paymaster.

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, and that the debtor balance of £ is correctly chargeable against the Public.

Dated at this day of 1916



J. H. Marshall 2nd Lt Paymaster & OFFICER IN CHARGE RECORDS

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1315. (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

DUPLICATE  
ORIGINAL

Army Form O. 1625.

PAY LIST. *23/11/15* to *9/6/16.* 191*6.* Voucher No.

**NON-EFFECTIVE ACCOUNT.**

Regiment or corps *1<sup>st</sup> Newfoundland Regt.*  
 No. *643.* Rank *Private* Name *P. St John*  
 Died<sup>(a)</sup> at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ of 191 .  
 Deserted at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ of 191 .

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

*W. Cairns* : { *Commanding Squadron, Troop,  
Battery or Company.*

**STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.**

[FORM 1.]

Date.	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month .....				Balance Cr. last month <i>Paid</i> .....	<i>2</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>6.</i>
	Cash issues <i>from P.R. Office</i> (Date of each issue to be stated)	<i>29</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>11</i>	Pay <i>176</i> days at <i>£1.10.</i> from <i>24/1/15</i> to <i>9/6/16.</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>0</i>
	£ s. d.				Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay			
	191				days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	"				Messing allowance days at _____			
	"				from _____ to _____			
	"				Clothing and kit allowance .....			
	<i>Allot. 304 p. 2. 196 days</i> <i>£ 88.80</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>8.</i>	Amount produced by the sale of Necessaries			
	Consolidated stoppage.....				Personal Clothing and Effects from Form 2...			
	<i>Genius Pay</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>11</i>	Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Balance due by the Paymaster				Deferred Pay or Gratuity .....			
		<i>£ 46</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>6.</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster.....	<i>£ 46</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>6.</i>

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, ~~and that the debtor balance of £ \_\_\_\_\_ is correctly chargeable against the Public.~~

Dated at *London*  
 this *12<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 191*6.* Paymaster.

(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with A.F.B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.  
 (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

July 19, 1919

#673 Pte. John St. John,  
Scotia Staff House,  
Wabana,  
Bell Islands, C. B.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your application I enclose  
cheque for seventy dollars (\$70.00), being amount of first  
payment due you on account of the War Service Gratuity.

Yours truly

Captain & Paymaster.

Enc'l 1.

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 questions 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..... *Jala* ..... 2. Surname..... *St. John* .....
3. Rank..... *Private* ..... 4. Reg't. No..... *673* .....
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded,..... *Scotia Staff House, Watana Conception Bay, Newfoundland* .....
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *December 15<sup>th</sup> 1914* .....
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 dependents..... *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 Mfld. If so, give dates and particulars of such service... *Not applicable* .....
12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Mfld. or Overseas... *1 Year 192 Days* .....
- ..... 1. <sup>2</sup> .....

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.

..... *\$100.00 Post Discharge Pay received from Capt. J. M. Howley* .....

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

*Yes* .....

16. Have you, during the present war, served in the Imperial Forces? .....

*No* .....

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

..... *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* .....

..... *Id not give - (a) Date of discharge Jan. 24<sup>th</sup> 1916. (b) Reason for discharge. No longer physically fit for war service on account of wounds received in action.* .....

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

..... *Yes Gallipoli. August 1915 to December 1915.* .....

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.

Signature of Applicant:

*John St. John*

Place of Residence:

*Broken Staff House.. Woburn*

Declared before me at:

This *14<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 1919.....

Signature of Barrister of the  
Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate,  
Notary Public, Justice of the  
Peace, or Commissioner of Affidavits.

*[Handwritten Signature]*

POST DISCHARGE PAY.

Date paid	Paid Soldier.	Paid Dependant.	War Service Gratuity.	Net amount due
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Certified correct.

Registrar



Scotti Stoff House

Wabona

June 30<sup>th</sup> 1919

Capt J. M. Howley  
Military Dept.

Dear Sir

Kindly send  
me "Gratuity" papers, so that I  
can have some filled out.

I am your obediently

J. St John

Ex Pte. 673

C. Company  
Regt 1140 Regt.



Storia Stoff House

Wabana

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C. Company  
Royal Wabana Regt.

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Wabana Nfld.

Dec. 17th. 1918

Capt. J.M. Howley  
Paymaster.  
St. Johns. Nfld.

Dear Sir:-

Some time after my discharge, I wrote to you for Ration Money that was due me while on Furlough from the 27th. of April untill June 9th. being the date that I was discharged from Hospital untill my departure from Ayr.

You then wrote me saying that you were having the matter squared up, but since then I have heard nothing.

As I am entitled to this Ration Allowance, I should like to have it as soon as possible.

I am

Yours Obidently

EX Pte.

*J. St. John*  
673 C. Coy.

Ist. Batt.

*June 24/18*

July 9th 1919.

J. St. John, Esq.,  
Nova Scotia Steel Co.,  
Wabana, Bell Island, C.B.,  
Nfld.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of June 20th, I enclose Form of Claim for "War Service Gratuity, which kindly have completed and signed before a magistrate or Justice of the Peace, and return to this Department, so that your Claim may be considered.

Yours truly,

Lieut.

For Paymaster.

RS/.

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LIEUT, J, M, HOWLEY.  
PAYMASTER,  
1st N. F. L. D. REGT.  
ST, JOHNS.

BELL ISLAND  
CONCEPTION BAY.  
NEWFOUNDLAND.

DEAR SIR.

I wrote you a few weeks ago with reference to payment which is due to returned soldiers, I beg to again call your attention to the question, of which I wrote you about some weeks ago and would be glad if you could do something for me in the matter, I may say just now it would be most acceptable, so kindly advise me what you are doing regarding same.

I am  
yours obediently

*John M. John*  
*673*  
Late, 1st Newfoundland Regt.

November 29th

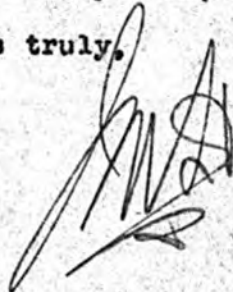
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Mr. John St. John,  
Bell Island, C.B.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your recent letter I beg to state that the Pensions and Disabilities Board is at present endeavouring to formulate a regular scale of Pensions and means of compensating Soldiers who have been disabled or incapaciated on Active Service. No doubt you will be notified in due course when some definite arrangement is attained. In the meantime your Grant from the Patriotic Fund will be continued to you as payment on account of any pension that you may receive.

Yours truly,



Asst. Secretary.

30th September

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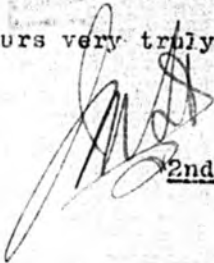
J.J. StJohn Esq,  
Bell Island, Nfld.

Dear Sir;-

Referring to your letter of September 27th. I hope to be able to get an opportunity to make arrangements to square up all matters with all the men concerned in a very short time.

Yours very truly,

J.M.H/B.M.W.

  
2nd.Lieut.& D/Paymaster.

FINEN BOND

Wabana, Bell Island, Newfoundland.

September 27th, 1916.

J. M. Howley, Esq.,  
Paymaster, Newfoundland Regt.,

Dear Sir:-

Referring to statements in the St. John's Daily papers to the effect that, " Men returning from Active Service would be paid one weeks wages and \$25.00 for a suit of clothes", being a returned Soldier I take it that I am included in this statement.

Would be greatly obliged if you would send me a cheque for this amount.

Yours Obidently,

*Pte. J. St. John*

*673*

July 29th,

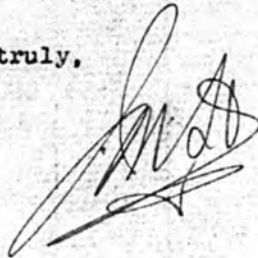
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Pte. John St. John,  
Wabana,  
Bell Island.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith Cheque for \$5.30 being the amount due you as Balance up to final date of discharge. Please sign the attached Voucher in the space provided for same, and return.

Yours truly,



Deputy Paymaster



Scotia Mine House  
Wabana

Dear Sir

I beg to apply for the  
War Service badge

I have been "Honorably discharged" through  
wound received in action while  
serving with C. Company, 1<sup>st</sup> Batt.

O.K.  
M. Howley  
circled

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Yours Obediently  
John A. Johns  
No 673







GENERAL POST OFFICE,  
ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

Nov. 21, 1921.

Major James Howley,  
Militia Department,  
City.

Dear Sir;

E/F.360.

The registered letter 4573 posted June 23rd.,  
addressed "Mr. John J. St. John, Bell Island" and referred  
to in yours of the 19th. ult., was delivered on June 24th.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. March".

Asst. Secretary.

WM/AC.



Pte. John St. John

No. 200 673

Cr.

Pay from June 10th. to June 24th. 1916 incl.	\$17.60
Allotment charged to June 9th., but not paid	2.70
	<hr/>
	20.30
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Dr.

Payment June 23rd. 1916	15.00
Balance due	5.30
	<hr/>
	20.30
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ALLIANCE 1914

7/13/16

STRATTON

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July 18th.1917.

John St. John, Esq.,  
Bell Island.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your letter, regarding your expenses during your visit to St. John's, in connection with parade of July 1st., I beg to state, that the committee ~~has informed me~~ to instruct you, that they cannot be liable for such expenses, as it was quite voluntary on your part, to come over here to take part in that great celebration.

Yours truly,

Lieut.  
Deputy Paymaster.

HMM/JH.

Lieut J M Howley 173  
S. John's

Dear Sir:-

Having seen the Case in the  
S. John's papers, requesting all  
Returned Soldiers to attend the  
Parade on July 1<sup>st</sup>, might say  
I went over and took part in the  
demonstrations, Parades, Etc.

I presume the expenses entailed  
on this trip are to be paid, and the  
undernoted, gives in detail my  
expenses both going & coming.

Thanking you in anticipation  
I am, Sir,

Yrs Obediently  
John S. John

Cab hire on St. John's	100
Steamer to Ave & Return	100
Cab hire to S. John's & back	200
Board at S. John's	150
	<hr/>
	\$ 650



DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

War Service Records

Ottawa Ont

Copy for H.O. FILE

OCT 2 - 1962 Date Oct 1/62

Attention of

Referred to

NAME ST. JOHN, John.

SERVICE NUMBER

673 ROY. Nfld C.P.C. No. 260822

REGT. WW-1 W.V.A. No.

NAVY  
ARMY X  
R.C.A.F.

The DEPARTMENT has received information from

S.P.M.E. St. John's Newfoundland. Sept. 21/62

(State authority and source of information of death)

regarding the death of the above mentioned veteran.

Particulars are as follows:

Date of Death Sept 21/62  
Cause of Death  
Place of Death St. John's Nfld.

Name and Address of next of kin (if known)

Copies to: W.S.R.  
V. I.  
~~NAV~~  
~~HO~~  
H.O.

} Destroy form if advice of death already received.

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Chief, Central Registry