



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 1981 Name Herbert H. King Corps _____

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Herbert H. King</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>50 1/2 Montserrat Rd.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your Age? | 4. <u>20</u> Years <u>10</u> Months. |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Private</u> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <u>No</u> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which? | 7. <u>No</u> |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? | 8. <u>Yes</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>Yes</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? | 10. { Name |
| | { Corps |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? | 11. <u>Yes</u> |

I, Herbert H. King 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.

Herbert H. King SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

David W. Joyce Signature of Witness.

8. 700. 13th = 1915

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Herbert H. King 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, Nfld. on this 19th day of November 1915.

David W. Joyce
Signature of the Attesting Officer.

† Certificate of Approving Officer.

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

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

Date 191 _____
Place _____ } Approving Officer.

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

* If so, the 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.

1981.

Name Herbert W. King

Apparent age 20 years 10 months. Height 5 feet 6 inches.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches.
Range of expansion 2 inches.

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs. Mary King, 96 Peabody St., Charlotte, N.C., 282
Relationship Mother

Particulars as to Marriage.

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

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

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names.	Date and Place of Birth.

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	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. C. Pay	Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years days	years days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____							
Joined at _____							
Discharged on <u>July 19</u>							
Total Service forfeited as above							
Total Service towards Engagement to _____ (date of discharge) _____ years _____ days							
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "							

**FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.****ATTESTATION OF**No. 1781 Name Herbert H. King Corps _____

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

1. What is your name? 1. Herbert H. King
2. What is your full Address? 2. 50 1/2 Southview Rd.
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your Age? 4. 20 Years 10 Months.
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. Private
6. Are you Married? 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 9. Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? 10. { Name
Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? 11. Yes

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Herbert H. King SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

8. 7. 1915 Signature of Witness.

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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, Nfld.

on this 17th day of December 1915
Signature of the Attesting Officer. Robert W. Joyce

† Certificate of Approving Officer.

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

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

Date 1915

Place _____

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| Relationship Mother

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(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.

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Christian Names.	Date and Place of Birth.

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					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>12-11-15</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>November 12/1915</u>									
Embarked <u>St John's train to St John's N.B. 18</u>									
Left <u>St John's 19-16 with Battalion 22</u>									
Released <u>St John's 20-12-15 no duty since 1915</u>									
Remained on the reserve during <u>officers' tour of duty</u>									
Left <u>St John's 16-1-19</u>									
Re-engaged for <u>demobilization 22-5-19</u>									
Discharged <u>8-7-1919</u>									
Demobilization <u>St John's 8-7-1919</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>8-7-1919</u> (date of discharge)									
" " " Pension									

Regimental Number 1981

Company E

THE
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad in the King's Forces under the following conditions:

For the duration of the present war, or until my discharge.

Subject to the Army Act, the King's Regulations, and to such ordinances as may apply or may be made to apply to the British Regular Army.

Subject to the Newfoundland Volunteer Act, 5 George V., Chapter IV.

Signed Herbert H. King

Witness H. H. Rowell (2nd Lieut)

Dated at St. John's

May 24th 1916.

King, H.

1981

Ray Dept.

Summit 16-3-58

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 2/1 Nfld Regt Regimental Number 1981
 Rank Plt Surname King Christian Name Herbert H.
 Religion Methodist Age on Enlistment 20 years 10 months.
 Enlisted (a) Nov 12/15 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) June 19/16
 Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____
 Extended (_____) Re-engaged (June 19/16) Qualification (b) _____
 or Corps Trade and Rate _____
 Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 103, Army Form A. 56, 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. 103, Army Form A. 56, or other official documents.
		Embarked ...	<u>Stamilton</u>	<u>25.6.16</u>	
		Disembarked...	<u>Halifax</u>	<u>26.6.16</u>	
		Joined Battalion	<u>12 JUL 1916</u>		
			<u>WILLIAMS</u>	<u>26.6.16</u>	
<u>15 APR 1917</u>	<u>OC. Bn</u>	<u>MISSING</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>14 APR 1917</u>	<u>B 215</u> <u>Off German Rep^t</u> <u>forwarded by</u> <u>General Kitchin</u> <u>20.7.17.</u>
		<u>War Office</u>	<u>Prisoner of War in Germany</u>		
			<u>captured at Monchy</u>		
			<u>S. S. S. S.</u>		
			<u>O. i/c No. 1 Reg. Infantry Section</u>		
			<u>G. B. O. 3rd Echelon.</u>		
					<u>Major</u>

(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, Shoemaking, &c.



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 *Herbert Halsey King*

Regiment from which discharged **Royal Newfoundland**

Regimental number *1981*

Intended address *232 Richmond St. Charlottetown P.E.I.*

Height on discharge *5* Feet *7*

Color of hair on discharge *Black*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Grey*

Descriptive Marks *Bayonet wound over Pectorals*

Figure on discharge *medium*

Christian name of Father _____

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 John's N.S. 8 Jan. 1896*

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) *Herbert H King*

Pte
(Rank)

Station *St John's* Date *4.6.19*

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

May 14th 18.

Mrs Mary King,
11 Upper Hillsboro St.
Charlottetown, P.E.L.

Dear Mrs King,

I regret delay in replying to your letter of 26th March, concerning #1981 Pte.H.H.King. Your application for Patriotic Fund assistance is noted, and the matter was put before the local Committee who state that they are unable to do anything in your case. It is noted that when you applied for Patriotic Fund on March 19/15, you were receiving on account of #643891, Hohn Henry King \$20. allotment and \$20. Separation Allowance per month and on account of Wm. Thos. Russell \$20. Separation Allowance from the Canadian Militia Department in addition to which #1981, Pte. Herbert H. King is allotting 80¢ a day, roughly \$24. a month. In view of these facts the Patriotic Fund state that they are unable to consider your claim.

Yours faithfully,

Major,
Chief Staff Officer.

WFR/JMF.

NEWFOUNDLAND PATRIOTIC FUND

C.R. 1981

PRESIDENT:
HIS EXCELLENCY SIR C. ALEXANDER HARRIS, K.C.M.G.
GOVERNOR OF NEWFOUNDLAND

CHAIRMAN, HON. SIR E. R. BOWRING Kt., M.L.C.
VICE-CHAIRMEN, HON. M. P. CASHIN, (MINISTER OF FINANCE)
W. B. GRIEVE, ESQ. O.B.E.
J. BROWNING, ESQ.

HON. TREASURER, E. A. BOWRING, ESQ.
HON. SECRETARY, HON. SIR P. T. McGRATH, K.B.E.
(PRESIDENT LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL)

St. John's, Newfoundland,

..... May, 10th. 1918 *91*

MEMORANDUM.

To: Major Rendell, C.S.O.

The following is a statement of Mrs. King's case:

(1) On March, 19th. 1915 she signed two applications to the Patriotic Fund, one on account of her son John Henry King, #643891 No. 3 Section 1st. Canadian Contingent, who enlisted at St. John New Brunswick, and on his account she was receiving at that time twenty dollars allotment and twenty dollars Separation Allowance.

(2) Another son enlisted under his mother's maiden name giving his name as William Thos Russell and according to her statement she is receiving a further Separation Allowance of twenty dollars from the Canadian Militia Department.

She was receiving in addition from the Canadian Patriotic Fund, St. John New Brunswick, the sum of \$24.00 per month, and this was paid to her here on account of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, for the months of March and April, 1915.

(3) She has a third son Herbert H. King of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment who is missing, and on his account she is receiving eighty cents per day, his allotment.

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You can judge for yourself regarding her statement re-Patriotic Fund allowance.

E. A. Bowring
Asst. Secretary.

CR. 1981

Extract from Casualties received from Bay & Record Office
dated May 7th, 1918

PRISONERS OF WAR

Additional information

#1981 Pte. H. H. King.

Gefangenenlager, Camp B.5., Gustrow i/Meckl.,
Germany.

Two of my boys are in Pine Hill Hospital since before Xmas; Arthur was wounded last Feb. was sent home in July and they have done nothing for him yet. John came home on furlough in August he has been in France since the first of the war; enlisted in the 10th N. B. Aug 6th 1914 Will enlisted the same day they sailed with the first contingent Will is in France still never got a furlough and is sick and tired trying for one; John suffered with rheumatism over a year, so after coming here he got worse; both of them went home to see their brother and sister in N. B.; and then they went to Halifax and has been there ever since; John lost the use of his left hand; he has not received any money since the 1st Dec; and the little that I get from the other boys I have to send part of it over to them John has to send his pay over to England and wait till it comes back again before he can get any money; so that is the way the Canadians have treated me and my boys after giving four of them to fight; Hoping you will be able to do something for one. I remain yours
Respectfully Mrs Mary King

Mr McGrath
11 Upper Hillsboro St
Charlottetown
P. E. I.



11 upper Hillsboro St
Charlottetown
P. E. I.
March 26th 1918

Sir I received your letter with my dear boys photo enclosed last week; but owing to illness could not write sooner; I received a letter from him last Thursday; that is the first letter I have had from him since the first week of last Nov; I have been writing to him every fortnight since I heard he was a prisoner and he has only got one of my letters; and has got none from anyone else. so you can imagine

How the poor fellow must feel, not
to hear from anyone; he says they
are working all day; then go to bed
nothing to read or look at; he has poor
hopes of the war ending very soon. He says
the Germans seem to be able to carry
on for years yet; he did not tell me
he had been sick as he knows I am fretting
enough; but he wrote to a friend in England
and told her he had been in Hospital a
good while; so she wrote and told me I
expect he got sick from the bad usage
he got as there was several lines in his
letter scratched out as if he said something
about the treatment he got; as the next was
(but things are a little better now)
I am going to have his letter printed
as soon as I can get out

and I will send you a copy as
I know there are lots of his friends
there who would like to hear of him
He worked at the Herald office at
the time he enlisted; and I know
they would be glad to publish
his letter in the paper if you will
kindly bring it to them; I am sorry
I left Newfoundland as I have not got
any Patriotic money since coming here
the crowd of robbers who has charge of it is
not doing justice to the poor women who
should get it; I suppose it is no use to
expect any help from the Patriotic Society
there. I got it two months before I came here
and thought I would get it all right here
but I made a great mistake by leaving
Newfoundland

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated March 6th, 1918.

#1981 Pte. Herbert King. ✓

Place of Capture Arras 14/4/17 Place of Detention
Geflg Gustrow from Friedrichsfeld.

Canadian Red Cross Society

PRISONERS OF WAR DEPARTMENT

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND PROVINCIAL BRANCH

21 FITZROY STREET

Charlottetown, P.E.I.

Feb 22. 1918

Major W. T. Nurdell
Chief Staff Officer
Department of Militia
Responsible.

Dear Sir. In reply to your letter of 2nd inst just received, I beg to say that the Canadian Red Cross, (which is responsible for all food sent to Canadian Prisoners of War) asks people to adopt a prisoner, at the rate of £1.0.0. per month. They receive the man's name & address, & may correspond with him. I have been able to secure the adoption of 276 prisoners, & receive from \$1200.00, to \$1400.00 per month which I remit to the Head Office - London. I am enclosing some of the information which I circulate & find it is the most popular of all our work. When \$1981. Mc H H King was taken prisoner, the Sunday School, of Grace Church, which his mother attends, offered to adopt him, & the Canadian Red Cross referred one to the Royal War Contingent

us, & I have been sending monthly payments to
them, which they now inform me they are holding
until they hear from you.

If you have not issued appeals for such assistance
for your contingent, I think you would find a
ready response if you were to try it now, &
your Government would be relieved of the expense
of providing for your prisoners. You will see by the
enclosed lists how readily all sorts of societies take
the matter up. Two years ago our Sunday School
was the first to adopt a prisoner, & then others,
taken with the idea, asked me to send money
for them also, & the plan rapidly grew.

If you require any further information, please let
me know

Yours faithfully

J. Armes Simpson

Canon of St Peter's Cathedral.

Rev. Secy Prisons Dept

C.R. 1981

Feb. 2, 18.

Hon. Secretary,
Canadian Red Cross Society.
Charlottown, P.E.I.

Dear Sir:-

A copy of your letter to the Newfoundland War Contingent Association, 58 Victoria St., London, dated 22nd November, 1917, has been forwarded to this department by the Pay & Record Office of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, London, concerning #1981 Pte. H.H. King. The procedure in connection with the adoption of prisoners of war, is not quite understood, and I am directed to request that you forward further particulars to this department, in order that this man's case may be taken up.



Major.

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R.

1981

Extract of Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated January 25, 1918.

PRISONER OF WAR.

Change of Address

#1981 Pte. H.H.King.

GUSTROW.

Authority N.W.C.A.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 551/18/0

C.R. 1981

From

PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

58, VICTORIA STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

8th January, 1918.

To

The Hon. the Minister of Militia

St. John's,

Newfoundland.

HT/NW

SUBJECT: Prisoners of War;
No. 1981, PTE. H. H. KING

REPLY

Reference Nos.

Dated January 25th 1918

Copy of letter 22/11/17 from the Charlottetown branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society to the Secretary of the Newfoundland War Contingent Association is submitted for your instructions, please.

Should you approve of Pte. King's adoption by the Society concerned, perhaps you will be good enough to communicate with them direct and inform this office of the action taken. Meanwhile, of course, the N.W.C.A. will continue to send him the regular supplies of comforts, food etc.

A. J. Munn Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

An effort was being made for a plan of adoption of Newfoundland prisoners of war on a similar scale to that in practice in Canada, and was about to materialize, but owing to subsequent events the matter has now been dropped.

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 1981

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Received

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SEND the following telegram subject to the terms }
on back hereof which are hereby agreed to.

Date Jan 4th, 1918 191

To MRS. MARY KING, 96 PRETZBOY STREET, CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I.

Req to inform you Record Office Royal Newfoundland Regiment
London reports to-day No. 1982 Private Herbert H. King
repatriated from Germany arrived in England in good health
Further information will be forwarded if received.

J.R. BENNETT

MINISTER OF MILITIA

CHIEF DEPT OF MILITIA

C.R. 1981

1981, PTE. H. KING, 1st Newfoundland Regt., Prisoner of War.

Letter 28/11/17 from Hon. Treasurer, Canadian Red Cross Society,
Charlottetown, P.E.I. to Secretary, N.W.C.A.

Pte. Herbert King, (No.1981) 1st Nfld Regt., now a prisoner at Stammlager, Limburg a/Lahn, has been adopted by Grace Church (Methodist) of which he is a member. They have seven other adoptions, but all Canadians. I am advised by Mrs. Rivers Bulkely, of Canadian Red Cross, Prisoners Depart., to write to you about this. I will send the money, \$14.50 per month, as soon as it is received. King's Mother lives here.

Am enclosing a copy of our Annual Report which may interest you.

Letter December 1917 from the Rt. Hon. Sir E.P. Morris, to
Hon. Secretary, N.W.C.A.

I have to thank you for your communication of the 17th, with enclosures, which I now beg to return to you. I would suggest your sending this to Major Timewell, with the request that he forward it to the Minister of Militia, at St. John's, for instructions.

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1981, PTE. H. KING, 1st Newfoundland Regt., Prisoner of War.

Letter 20/11/17 from Hon. Treasurer, Canadian Red Cross Society,
Charlottetown, P.E.I. to Secretary, N.W.C.A.

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PRISONER OF WAR

C.R. 2319

1981 Pte.H.H.King. ✓
Ext.of daily orders part 2 from G.H.Q.
3rd.Echelon, August 15th 1917.
Prisoner of War in German Hands, 14/4/17 Auth.
off. German Report forwarded by Geneva Red Cross.
Prev. "Struck off Strength" Missing Ref. No.
22 C. 19/5/17.

AN APPEAL FOR AID

To Congregations, Schools, Sunday Schools, Red Cross Societies, Women's Institutes, P. W. A. and Others

Have you adopted a Canadian Prisoner of War? The Canadian Red Cross is in urgent need of funds to provide our Prisoners of War with weekly boxes of provisions to supplement the miserable and wholly inadequate food supplied them by the Germans.

Returned Prisoners say:— "*We should have starved long ago had it not been for parcels received from the Canadian Red Cross.*"

Their usual rations were: A cup of (so-called) coffee, made of acorns, and a lump of brown bread for breakfast; horse beans and some vegetable mixture of sour potatoes and gravy—the latter made from a powder—for dinner, with a piece of horseflesh thrown in, once or twice a week, and in the evening they had raw herrings and tea, and what was left of the bread served them in the morning.

For days at a stretch, the wounded received no change of bandages or dressing of any kind. If they complained to the medical officer in charge they were promptly told there was no one to attend to them.

\$4.50 per month will furnish a prisoner with a weekly box of food and comforts. Send your first instalment to Canon Simpson, Charlottetown, this will be forwarded immediately to the London Branch of the Canadian Red Cross. The name and address of your adopted prisoner will be sent out by return mail. (This takes a month or five weeks.) You are asked to correspond with him and let him know there are people here interested in his welfare.

"The Prisoners of War Department" is a branch of the Red Cross, so it is allowable to use Red Cross funds for this purpose. ~~One hundred~~ prisoners have been adopted to date, in this Province. We are anxious to provide for two hundred if possible.

If your Society has not already adopted a prisoner, we make an earnest appeal to you to do so now. These men have lost their liberty in defending our homes from the ruthless invader, who would treat us as he treated Belgium and Serbia. Their lot is a very hard one. Ill-fed, ill-clothed, ill-housed, often sick and wounded, with no prospect of relief until the war is over. To render them what assistance possible is not only a duty, it ought to be a pleasure to those who remain in the safety of their homes and have plenty to eat, and think how it must cheer a man in his suffering to know that some society or individual is sufficiently grateful to him for the sacrifice he has made, to supply him with food and comforts.

Returned prisoners state that they always received Red Cross parcels intact although private parcels were sometimes tampered with and private parcels are no longer allowed.

Each parcel is numbered, so it can easily be reported if any are missing. The prisoner sends a post card to his adopter acknowledging receipt of each parcel and giving number.

Letters of appreciation from prisoners, their parents and their wives are constantly being received by us.

During the reign of Ahab, King of Israel, Obadiah hid a hundred men of the Lord's prophets by fifty in a cave, and fed them (1 Kings 18, 13.) Will you not do one hundredth part of what Obadiah did?

Two or more Societies, or schools, or several individuals may combine to adopt a prisoner; or if you cannot undertake adoption, will you not send us a donation to help this very charitable work?

Remember the words of our Lord "Come Ye blessed of My Father inherit the Kingdom prepared for you, for I was in prison and ye visited Me, for inasmuch as ye did it unto one of the least of these My brethren, ye did it unto me, (Matt. 25.)

For further information apply to,

CANON SIMPSON,

Treas. Prisoners of War Department.

July 14th

In answer to your telegram July 15th minister of Militia has discussed whole question of adoption of Prisoners of War with N.W.C.A., and will make recommendation on his return.

C.C.B.

R

July 24, 1917.

Sir,

Replying to your letter of the 1st inst. --
 No. H. Q. 649 -- K -- 3639, I beg to say that No. 1981,
 Private Herbert H. King, of the 1st Newfoundland Regiment,
 B. E. F. France, who was reported missing on April 14th,
 was on the 20th inst., reported as a Prisoner of War at
 Limburg, Germany. No further information concerning him
 has since been received.

I have the honour to be,
 Sir,
 Your obedient servant,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

The Secretary
 Military Council,
 Headquarters,
 Ottawa,
 Canada.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender *Herbert H. King* Address _____

| Line Number | Rcd | By | Sent | by | Check |
|-------------|-----|----|------|----|-------|
| | | | | | |

Dated July 20, 1917.

To Mrs. Mary King,

96 Pietzroy St.,
Charlottetown, P.E.I.

1981, Private Herbert H. King, reported prisoner
of war Limburg, Germany.

R.A. SQUIRES
Acting Colonial Secretary

K 66

ADDRESS REPLY TO
THE SECRETARY, MILITIA COUNCIL
HEADQUARTERS,
OTTAWA, CANADA

H.Q.649-K-3639.
AND QUOTE NO.....

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE

OTTAWA..... 1st July, 1917.

No.1951, Private Herbert H. King,
1st Newfoundland Regiment,
B.E.F., France.

Sir,

For the information of his mother,
will you kindly let me know whether you have
any information regarding the soldier named
in the margin beyond the fact that on April 14
last he was reported missing.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,



Surgeon-General,
Deputy Minister.

The Colonial Secretary,
St. John,
Newfoundland.

*P.W. King
July 20*

no

K. 66.

M. P.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE.

In reply please quote

Charlottetown P E Island

No. _____

June 30 1917

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Hon J R Bennett

Colonial Secretary

St John's Newfoundland.

Sir;-

I beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant in answer to my enquiry in reference to the missing Herbert H King No 1981.

I note what you say in the matter and have communicated your wishes to Mrs King in the matter and wish to thank you for the same, and if you will send word to the mother whenever you are in receipt of any news in connection with the missing son, you will be doing a deed of sympathy that will be appreciated.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

W. Daulton

Major

Officer i/c Supplies & Transport.

R

June 21, 1917.

Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 15th inst., and in reply beg to say that no report has been received respecting No. 1981, Private Herbert H. King, of the First Newfoundland Regiment, since the report that he was missing, April 14th. I may say that quite a number of men of Our Regiment, who were reported missing on that date, have since been reported as Prisoners of War in Germany, and as this number is being almost daily being added to, there is every hope that Private King may be found to be amongst them. The Newfoundland Pay and Record Office, London, is instituting constant enquiries in the effort to locate missing men, and you may inform Mrs. King that as soon as news of her son is received, the same will be transmitted to her.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

Major W. A. Bartlett, Colonial Secretary.
Officer in charge Supplies & Transport,
Militia & Defence Department,
Charlottetown,
P. E. I.

MILITIA AND DEFENCE.

In reply please quote

Charlottetown P E I

No. _____

June 15 1917 191

Hon J.R.Bennett

Colonial Secretary.

St John's Newfoundland.

Sir;-

I have just had a call from Mrs Mary King, who formerly lived at St John's and who has four sons in this war. There was one named Private Herbert H King, No 1981 of the First Newfoundland Regiment," who was reported to her as missing on the 14th of last April, since which time she has not been able to receive any information about him. Could you tell me if you have been able to get any further information in reference to him, beyond the mere fact that he was missing. Of course the poor woman is in great anxiety in the matter and the uncertainty is very nerve-wracking. If you will endeavor to ascertain what has been his fate and if he is interned or not, it will be a matter of greatest favor to Mrs King, and may I ask that I might have a letter from you in the matter in the near future.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

Major


 Officer i/c Supplies & Transport.

C.R. 1981

Extract of Cablegram received from Pay & Record
Office, London dated May 11, 1917.

1981 Pte. King.

"Missing" April 14th.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender

L. M. Shirley

Address

Line
Number

Recd

by

Sent

by

Check

Dated

May 11, 1917.

To

Mrs. Mary King,
96 Pietzroy Street,
Charlottetown, P.E.I.

Nineteen Eightyone Private Herbert H. King
reported missing April fourteenth.

J.R. BENNETT

COLONIAL SECRETARY

CR. 1981

Extract from Nominal Roll Entitled St. John's for Overseas, June, 19. 1915. "H"

1981 Pte. King Herbert H.

Anglo-American Telegraph Company

C.R. 1981

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SEND the following telegram subject to the terms }
on back hereof which are hereby agreed to. Date Jan. 7th, 1919 191

To Mrs. Mary King, 96 Pietzroy Street, Charlottetown, P.E.I.

Regret to inform you Record Office London reports today
No. 1981, Private Herbert H. King at Military Hospital
Westgate Road, Newcastle, England suffering from sore legs.
Any further information received will be forwarded

J.R. Bennett
Minister of Militia

Chge Deot of Militia.

C.R. 1981

Extract from telegram received from Synoptical London,
Jan. 6th, 1919.

Military Hospital West Gate Road Newcastle.

sore legs,

1981 King.

C.R. 1981

Extract from telegram from Synoptical London, Jan.4th, 1919.

Released prisoner of War 1981 King, arrived Well.

C.R. 1981

August 16th 1918.

Mr. Henry Reeve, C.M.G.,
Hon. Sec. Hfld. War Contingent Association,
34 Victoria Street, London.

Dear Mr. Reeve,

In reply to your letter of 20th July, having reference to copies of two letters which you forwarded me, one from a soldier who is a Prisoner of War in Germany, and the other from Seaman Wm. F. Compton, Royal Naval Reserve.

Upon inquiry I am afraid that little can be done in the former instance, our experience has been that the return of men who are Prisoners in Germany, is entirely in the hands of the German Medical Board, and if such Board find that the man is medically unfit, there is a chance of the man being repatriated, but if otherwise, the contrary is likely the result. As to Reservist Compton, I have taken the matter up with the Admiralty through the Commander of H.M.S. Briton here, and I feel sure that his case will receive due and favourable consideration.

With kind regards,

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

Minister of Militia.

C.R. 1981

Extract of Casualties from Pay & Record Office London, Jan. 20/1/19.

1981 PTE. H. King.

Repatriated Prisoner of War, was transferred from Brighton Grove Mil. Hospital, Newcastle, to King George Hospital, London, S.E.,--Casualty: Phimosis.

A.F. W.3026A from King George Hospital.

C.R. 1981

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Nfld. Regt
St. John's, July, 11th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on demobilization has been
CONFIRMED by officer i/c Records

1981 Pte. Herbert King.

8-7-19.

C.R. 1981

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

1981 Pte. H .King.

25-6-16.

C.R. 1981

Extract from Nominal Roll of RFLA, Regt. Draft No.7.
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Southampton
25-6-16.

25-6-16

1981 Pte. H.H.King.

*Refer to Hon. Secretary
of War Department
Trinidad office -*



*2 John matters
with Admiralty through
of Sudan -
done 1981*

THE NEWFOUNDLAND WAR CONTINGENT
— ASSOCIATION. — **C.R.**

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ANSWERED

34 58 Victoria Street,
Westminster.

Aug 16-18

20th July 1918

Dear Mr. Bennett,

I am sending you copies of two letters that we have received with the hope that in your official capacity you will be able to move more weight than we can in our position as a charitable Association.

The one is from a mother, Mrs. King, who has given four sons to the great Cause, all of whom are now absent from her, one forever, two in hospital, and one a Prisoner of War in Germany. Now that exchanges are to be made it should not be difficult to have her son sent back to her.

The other letter is from an old Son of the Sea whom we have been looking after for some time, and I think you will agree that he has done his duty nobly, while his age entitles him to exceptional consideration.

Last year many of the R.N.R. went home, some on leave and some for good, but being an isolated case this man has apparently been overlooked.

I have no hesitation in placing these two deserving cases before you for sympathetic action, although one is a sailor, but if his case does not come within your range perhaps you will pass it on to the Prime Minister.

Yours very truly,

Henry R. ...
Hon. Secretary

The Right Hon. John R. Bennett,
Minister of Militia,
Newfoundland

C.R. 1981

Extract from Casualties received from P & R Office London,
July 2nd, 1918.

Prisoners Health Report:

198 | Pte.King.

In the best of health.

C.R. 1981

June 26, 1918.

Mrs. Mary King,
96 Pietzroy street,
Charlottetown, P.E.I.

Dear Mrs. King:-

I am writing to inform you that I am forwarding by "Express" one Kit Bag, which belongs to your son #1961 Pte. H.H. King, of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Enclosed you will find receipt, will you kindly sign same and return at your earliest convenience.

Yours faithfully,


Lieut.

for Lieut. Col. C.S.O.

Enc'l 1.

No. of Paper

1146

PERSONAL EFFECTS.

Name

King, A. A.

No.

1981

Rank

Pte

Regiment

THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Article

Where stored

Notified by

Stop Bag.

Final disposal

Shipped from Depot.

Remarks :-

R.O.W.

Next of Kin: Mother
Mary King

Copy

ANSWERED

C.R. 1981

11 Upper Hillsboro Street,
Charlottetown,
Prince Edward Island,
June 25th 1918

Dear Miss Knox,

I received your letter to-day stating that Miss Maxwell wishes to have the coupon for Herbert's Personal Parcel for the next quarter; well I shall be quite willing to let her have it, and I am sure I appreciate her kindness; it is strange that I did not hear anything about this coupon until she wrote me last week telling me of it, so please send her one at once and if I am allowed to send one also please let me have a coupon and the list of articles to send.

I am glad to hear that the poor boy is getting his parcels now and that he is well. I had a letter from him last week, and Miss Maxwell sent me his photo which he sent to her to forward to me; there is a big change in him, he looks very thin and so sad looking. Dear Miss Knox, will you please intercede for him with whoever is highest in authority, and try to get my poor boy exchanged or released in some way, that he may be able to come home to me. You know before this that my dear Willie is dead since the 9th April. John and Arthur is still in Hospital in Halifax since Dec., and I am sick with trouble and worry, so please try to get my poor Herbert home to me as soon as possible and I shall be for ever grateful to you. I had a note from Nfld. a couple of days ago telling me his address which is on the letter I enclosed; it seems they are always moving him, whatever is the reason; this is the fifth address since he was taken prisoner. Please forward his letter at once.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

(Sgd.) MRS. MARY KING.

C.R. 1981

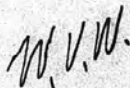
Page 18, 1918.

Dear Madam: -

Notification has been received By mail from our Record Office, London, to-day stating that the present address of your son is now:-

"#1981 Pte. Herbert H. King
"Gefangenenlager, Camp B.3.
"Gustrow, i/Meckl. Germany."

Yours faithfully,



Mrs. Mary King,
96 Fitzroy Street,
Charlottetown,
P.E.I.

Lieut.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 1981 Rank Plt Name Henry Herbert

Date of Enlistment 2-11-15 Address 73 Polymath St. Carleton Place District P.E.I.

Occupation Printer Classification for Discharge B Medical Category 1

Recommendation S. M. B. permittedly unfit Disability Rating +0% 6 months

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

| | | | | |
|-----------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|
| N. F. 136 | B 268 | B 121 | N. F. Med | D. F. 1 |
| B 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 9-6-19 O. C. Discharge Depot. H. H. H. H.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Herbert H. King

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00

(b) Clothing Supplied Amble H. H. H.

Date 10-6-19 O i/c. Re-clothing

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrants No. 1647 to his home at 232 Richmond and Release Certificate No. 2554 issued.

Date 10-6-19 ^{P.E. 9.} *J.A. Snow left*
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.....

Date 1-1-19 *J.A. Snow left*
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 24-6-19
Forwarded with following documents to O.C. Discharge Depot.

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|-----------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|
| N.F. P136 | B 268 | B 121 | N.F. Med | D.F. 1 |
| B 178 | W 3494 | B 122 | Board 1st | " 2 |
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| B 179a | D 400C | Form K | do 4th | " 5 |
| B 179b | B 103 | ME 2 | | " 6 |
| B179c | B 120 | M 93 | | |

2 Form B

Date 10-6-19 *J.A. Snow left*
O. C. Discharge Depot.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-
Officer in Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

Date JUN 24 1919 *R.H. Sait Capt.*
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date June 18/19 *Amelia Th...*
for O.C. Records

Reg. No. *1981.* Rank *2nd Lt* Name *King, Hubert*
Attested Address *Charlottesville P. E. S.*
Allotment Allottee
Date of Allotment Returned from Overseas *29.1.19.*
Returned on S.S. *Loisican* Cause *Discharge*

9.6.19
21.6.19

PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICER

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.

a cripple with Rheumatism over in Halifax Hospital since Dec; Arthur is also there the same length of time having being wounded last Feb 12 months, and is still under treatment; and Herbert & W. L. Meert is a prisoner in Germany over a year so that is how the Canadian Army looks after the families of soldiers who are fighting for them; not satisfied with stopping the money from me they have stopped all John's as well; the poor fellow has not got a cent from them since Feb 22nd after spending 2 years and 8 months in France as Gunner and now a cripple; I have to keep him in money for things he needs; and all I get now is Herbert's and 15 dols from Arthur; a little more than 35 dols a month that is why I thought you could help me with a little private money as I had to keep the boys supplied in combat under wear rubber boots, socks, sweaters; and lots of things which the Canadian Army should have given them; then pay rent for coal and food and ^{clothes}

all my boys
 helped to
 take B. L. King
 before they left town

11 Upper Hillsboro St
 Charlotte N.C.
 P.C.R. 1987
 June 17th 1918

Dear Sir some time ago I received your letter of May 14th but owing to the trouble I have met I could not write sooner; I mean the death of my dear boy W. J. Russell as he was known in Canada; as though the desertion of us by his father 14 years ago Will would not take the name of King any more; Russell was my name and he enlisted as William Russell in St John N. B. I was in Nfld at the time him and John went together; as you say I did receive 20 dols a month separation from both of them and when first I got

it; I wrote to Mr Gordon and told him
about Will enlisting as Russell; I never
got any reply so thought it was all
right that I was entitled to it; but
last May 1914 I got papers from Ottawa
to file but and send back; I did so
with the result that both Separation
were stopped from that time May 24/1914
up to now; from May 24th till Sept 15th
I never got a cent of Johns 20 assigned
pay; on Sept 15th I got a letter saying
that as I had overdrawn 630 dols that from
now on ~~they~~ would stop 10 dols a month of
Johns assigned pay 5 of Wills and all the
Separation until they got back what
I owed ^{making 35 dols a month} ~~owed~~ ^{owed} ~~owed~~
he said they had no right to stop the assigna
pay which my boys assigned to me; he wrote
to Ottawa several times but the same answer

well from Sept 15th to Feb 23rd they sent
me 10 dols of Johns and 10 of poor Wills; but
since Feb 23 I have not received a
cent; so a fortnight ago I wrote to Ottawa
asking why I was not getting the 10 dols
of Johns pay which they were sending me
the reply I got was that all Johns pay
was stopped since Feb 23 and Wills dis
April 30th the poor boy was killed the 9th of
that they had stopped 300 dols and I owed
more than 300 yet; I have a book in which
I enter the date of the month I receive their
check as soon as the mail man brings it;
I took my book and the letter at once
and brought them to Mr McElvin the
lawyer; he made up the amount they have
stopped from and it is 525 dols instead of
300 as they say; I had made it up myself before
I went to the lawyer; but I wanted to be sure
now as I told you poor Will is dead; John is

and books for my ⁵ little girl who is
going to school and it is very little
I have to spare of the poor boys money
and if John does not get better I suppose
I will have to keep him the rest
of his days; I am sick nearly all
the time; for nearly a year I am
under Drs care and the worry I am
having is making me worse; I wish
I never saw Comda or the crowd
of robbers that is in it. as Mr McKinnon
said if what they have kept from John
was made up they have overpaid
themselves; he told me to go over to Haljine
and bring my book and the letter as the
account has been sent on there and see if
I cant get it fixed up; but I am not
able to go as I am not well enough to

go even that distance; if you think there
is any chance of getting a little Patriotic
money for me I would be so thankful to you
as it is no use trying here; I am sick of
trying but women who has big farms of
their own and several sons working on the
farms and their youngest child 14 years can
get 15 dols a month patriotic money; but other
who has no means only their boys assigned pay cant
get any; so I will rather starve than ask them
any more; and very soon I will have a letter sent
to 'Geese' Canada to let everyone know how Canada
is treating returned soldiers and their dependants
I wish all my boys had to enlist in cpld they would
be better treated and I know I would be better off
if I were there; I had a letter from Hubert a few
days ago and his photo; poor boy he is changed a lot
he is a prisoner 14 months now in there as chance of getting
him exchanged; please let me know about the coupons
for sending parcels every 4 and send me some also list
of articles to be sent: Hoping you will do what you
can for me which I am sure you will I remain
yours sincerely Mrs Mary King

Capt J. M. Howley
Pay & Records Office
St Johns it 7

1981 Pte Herbert H King
232 Richmond St
Charlottetown
PEI
Canada

7645

Sir

Mailed Dec 2/19

I would be most thankful to you if you would look into my case. as I have not received any gratidie for this month as yet I would like for you to let me know why I am not receiving my money when it comes due. instead of having to write about it each month. I think that I am entitled to a little attention as well as others after having 3 years in with the colours.

I would also like for you to look up Mr Cke in the pension Dept and ask him if I am to receive any more pension or not. I have been up for a Re-examination two week ago, but have had no word since hoping to hear from you soon.

I Remain yours

1981 Pte H H King
232 Richmond St
Charlottetown

1981

Pl^{ty} Herbert H King

232 Richmond Street

Charlottetown P.E.I.

Sir

June 28th/9/9

Have arrived at my home today. I would be much obliged to you if you would forward on to me the remainder of my gratuity money if possible in a lump sum as I and my Brother is making preparation to go west as soon as possible, and I would be very thankful to you if you can get me boxed up as soon as you can

as you already know that it takes
a few dollars to open up rough land
therefor I would like to have the money
to start

I remain

Yours

Herbert H. Kiny

232 Rushmore Street

Charlottesville

P. O. 9.

P.M.

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Payment of balance
has been authorized please

7/7/19

W. F. Ruddle
Lieut. Col.

Paymaster

1981 King

Minister authorises payment
of one half W. S. G. in one sum.

10/6/19

B. J. R.

Charlottetown P E I

Canada Mar 25th 1919

To Capt-M. J Howley
Military Dept.

St. Johns N. F. 7787

Sir.

I have written you a fortnight ago and never had any answer to it up to present what have happened down there that you people cannot send a fellows money to him when it comes due this months gratidie for me is twenty five days. over we now what have happened to you people are you all dead or dieing. now I am going to tell you that if I donot get an answer from you within ten days letting me know why I have not received my cheak. I will make trouble. Remember they didnot have to come and take me out off my house. and make me enlist. I have been 8 years and 232 days in the regiment. and I think that

I should be getting my gratitudes when it comes
due, as well as those that are getting it and
have not half the service that I have now.
I am going to tell you that if you people do not
give me a little consideration I am going to
publish what I know about the Newfoundland
Regiment and its officers in the Canadian
papers. and I am going to tell you I know a thing
or two about them, you people have taken my
pension away from me, now you are going to
try and steal my gratitudes, I suppose. but I ~~swear~~
swear by god that if you try, I shall make
one or two in that pay office with good lots
supper. you people publish in the papers about
what you are doing for the returned me. but I say
that you are doing it, but trying to rob them off
the few dollars that they have coming, but if
you try any tricks with me. I shall put it in
a lawyer's hands and pretty god damn
quick remember I earned my money and I
am going to have when I left St. Johns

I got 3 months pay. July - Aug. - Sept: since then
they have sent me⁵ Oct. money, and I have
heard nothing, ^{since} and I am entitled to two more months
pay. now as I said before if I do not get an
answer from you or from someone in that pay
office about my money, I shall make trouble,
hoping to have a reply in the near future

I am yours

No 1981

Pte Herbert H King
232 Richmond St
Charlottetown P E I
Canada

96 Fitzroy St Charlottetown

P. O. 9

Dear Sir

1981
March 15th / 26

Please let me know if there is any separation money granted to the dependants of the Wld Reg; my son Herbert Haley King enlisted last Nov he is now in Scotland but up to this time I have received no separation allowance and as I have no husband I think I ought to get it; all the soldiers going from here or any part of Canada whether married or single their wives or mothers get 20 dols separation money; please let me know as soon as possible and try to arrange for me to get it; my son is only 21, single
I remain yours respectfully Mrs King

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 1981 Rank Private Name King, Herbert
 Intended place of residence 233 Richmond St. Charlottown

2. Occupation Printer
 Classification of soldier B Medical Category E

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 ST. JOHN'S JUN 10 1919
 In 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 JUN 10 1919
 Signature of soldier H. H. King
 Signature of witness J. A. Smith Capt.

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 10-6-19
ST. JOHN'S
 Signature of soldier Herbert A King
 Signature of witness W. J. Beaton Qms

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 2. 11. 15 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service JUN 24 1919 Plus 14 days Service 1345

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place
ST. JOHN'S JUN 24 1919
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.

Place St. John's Nfld
 Date July 8/1919
 Officer i/c Records
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

A. J. B 2079 / 2837

July 8th 1919

#1981 Pte. Herbert King,

#232 Richmond St.,

Charlottesville, P.E.I.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed Discharge Certificate

No. 2837

Yours truly

Captain
Paymaster & O.i/c Records

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:—

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date

Regimental No. *1981*.....

Name *King* *M.*.....

Address

Present Medical Category..... *E*.....

Recommended for:— { (a) ~~Immediate discharge~~.....
(b) Standing Medical Board.....

Members of Board {

R.H. [unclear] Capt
O.C. Discharge Depot.

Peterson
Senior Medical Officer

See Burden
~~M. O. Depot~~

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 resume former occupation

[Handwritten Signature]

Signature of Man.

Reg. No.

[Handwritten Signature]

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

ST. JOHN'S.

Date 10-6-19.

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of John Gray for 4 months and all separation stopped
 from May 27th untill Sept 15 I got none of Johns
 Gray 20 dols a month; I wrote several times but
 got no reply untill Sept 15 I got a cheque
 for 10 dols of Johns Gray and a letter stating that
 I should have got only one separation, and as
 I had overdrawn 63 dols they would stop 10 dols
 a month from Johns assigned pay 5 from Wills
 and all separation untill they had got base
 what I had overdrawn, I went to Major Phillips
 again and showed him the letter; he said he
 thought it most unjust to take the boys
 assigned pay as well as the separation; as
 it was their mistake not mine, he wrote
 a letter to that effect saying that I was satisfied
 for them to keep the separation but he thought
 it wrong for them to stop the assigned pay as well
 but it was no use for him or anyone else to write
 as they can treat people as they like, I never got
 any separation since May 27 1917 they kept all Johns Gray
 for 4 months and 10 dols a month from Sept and 59 Wills

I hope you will
 stand at Fort
 wanted a letter
 from the
 the Canadian
 are
 treated if you
 see John
 he will tell
 you all about
 it for that
 I hope you will pardon
 the liberty I am taking by writing to you,
 but I was advised by several of the military
 officers here to write you and state how
 I and my sons has been treated by the
 Canadian Govt at Ottawa. I was living in
 St Johns at the outbreak of the war in the
 little cottage down on the back of Mrs
 Duffys and Kitchens; I lived there 16 years
 and my Daughter Mrs Rodgers is still
 there; my two boys John and Will were in
 St John N. B. they had been in the militia
 for several years and both volunteered for
 overseas two days after war was declared Aug 6th 1914
 they left there with the first contingent. In Oct they

32 Richmond St
 Charlottetown
 P. E. I.
 Oct 29 1918
C.R.I.

left Valcartier and the night before they sailed they wrote me and told me how much they had assigned me and that I would get 20 dols separation also from the Govt; John had signed me 25 dols a month Will 15 I got the first cheques in Nov and I got separation allowance from both; I did not know that I was entitled to only one separation and no one told me the difference and as they had enlisted in Canada I did not know anything about military affairs; I lived there with my daughter all that winter; and as work was hard to get and one of my boys Arthur was idle all winter; when spring opened we decided to come to Charlottetown so that Arthur could get work on a farm; so in May 1915 he and I came on first; leaving Herbert who was working in the Herald printing office; Albert the youngest boy and a small girl Hilda with their sister; until I could send for them; in Nov I sent for Herbert as I had a job for him in a printing office here; he wrote me saying he had enlisted again and for me not to be angry with him as he wanted to go; he had enlisted before but I got him clear he was only 18; well the poor boy went and the poor boy was taken prisoner last April 12 months; Arthur worked here on a farm all that summer; and in the fall he enlisted in the 105th Battalion and went to France and was wounded and sent back and has been under treatment in Halifax ever since until 2 months ago he was discharged; well I got the two oldest boys pay and separation right along up to May 24th 1914; but 6 months before that they took 5 dols a month off John; they sent a note in the cheque saying no soldier was allowed to sign more than 20 dols; in May 1914 I got papers from Ottawa to sign and send back for both boys; I brought them to a minister who is also a Major and he showed me how to fill them out; I sent them back and got more

I am paying 9 dols a month rent and water rates beside and I have a girl 15 years old to clothe and educate and nothing coming in only Herbert assigned pay and 3 dols a week for my young boy; before I left Npla I got 24 dols a month Patriotic money for myself and girl, I got it only 2 months before I left; after I came here I got none, of course I did not need it when I was getting money from all the boys; but since poor Hills death I have tried for it several times and the last time I went they said I could not get it now as I had no sons in the Canadian Army now they are all discharged; so that is the way the soldiers and their dependents are looked after here; they sent Arthur who was wounded a pension of 2 dols and 50 cents month but he did not accept it; he sent it back to Ottawa as now Sir I want to know if I can get a little Patriotic or Separation allowance from Npla as Herbert is the only one in the Army now; if I could get my poor Hills back pay I would not ask for it as the poor boy must have a good bit; but the robbers in Ottawa will beg that as well as all the boys; I was told by a lawyer that John can demand his post discharge and military pay that they kept 285 but he is sick of trying for it please do what you can for me & remain yours & affectionately Mrs Mary King

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Last Sept John came home on a furlough; he suffered from rheumatism in France and after he came home he got worse; as he went to a Dr and he called a medical board and ordered him over to Halifax for treatment; he went over last Dec and was in Hospital all winter in Pine Hill; in May they discharged him; his left hand was useless; and he was only out of Hospital a few days when he got worse than ever; his legs were so bad that he could not walk across the floor; I wrote to him then to come over and get treated here as I thought the climate was better here than in Halifax; so he came and got on fine only his hand was very weak; well they kept all that poor fellows pay all winter, he could not get a cent only writing to me when he wanted anything; I got the 10 dols a month up to Feb 28 and not a cent since and they have kept all his post discharge pay as well; he was discharged

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the last of April 6 the 28th April I got the
last 10 from my dear Will the 1st May I got
the telegram telling me he was killed
the 9th April and up to now I have not
received any of his back pay or anything
belonging to him; I have written myself to
the record office in London; also got others
to write; but the reply is that he made no
will; and none of his effects has been
returned; I then applied for a pension and
the answer was that I was not entitled
to a pension as the poor fellow was not my
only support; I had to keep John in money
all winter and summer; he never earned a
cent since he came home; he applied for a
job as mail carrier or something easy
but there was no sign of anything for
him; so he went down to see his sister
the first of Sept. and John Blouston offered

him a job inside sandering cans so he
took it and is staying there; but it seems
too bad that he could not get work here
after serving his 3 years in France; and
men who went only to England is getting
all the easy jobs and more pension than
the ones who have been in the fighting line
he was a tinmith and sheet metal worker
in St John N. B. earned good wages and now
he cannot work at his trade and all the
pension he got is 12 dols and 50 cents a month
and men who only went to England and was
sent back as unfit is drawing 15 and 20
dols a month; they say I am not entitled to a
pension; and there are two women here who has a
husband has a son home and own farms and they
are getting 40 dols a month pension for the boy
who was killed; I have nothing now only my poor Wills
pay who is a prisoner in Germany; John is paying his house
so of course he can't help me; I wish he still in Halifax he is
paying for his board and is talking of going West

Mrs. Mary King, No. 232 Richmond Street, has received a number of photographs showing her son, and many others, for a year and a half a prisoner in GUSTRO, MECHLENBURG, Germany. These pictures show that the prisoners are in various regiments—officers and men. They all look to be neatly dressed and appear to be in capital health, and from the expressions on their faces are evidently not unhappy. Pte. King enlisted in a Newfoundland Battalion and went overseas on November 15th. He was quite a time at the front before being taken over. Mrs. King had four sons in the war, one of whom, William, made the supreme sacrifice. She has had four letters from her son Herbert, and the following is the last one received. It is dated July 6th, and she only got it last week. It speaks for itself:

Germany, 6th July, 1918.

Dear Mother,—Just a few lines to let you know I am keeping well and hope this finds you and all at home the same. I haven't had any news from Mrs. Bustin for a long time, or May or Jim. Can you tell me what is the matter? I am sending you two photos, one of two Australians, one Londoner and myself, the other a group. Next week I shall be sending you another one. We are taken in our working clothes, going to work on Sunday night. I am working on night and day shift this week. I am off to-night. I have been out walking all day. This is a very nice place. I didn't get the books that you sent me; I suppose I shall get them before long. It does not look like the war ending this year. Never mind, Mother dear, we shall be happy once again before very long. I think I shall close now as we have not much to tell you. Write and tell me all the news. Good-bye and God bless you till we meet again.

You loving son,

HERBERT.

1981, Pte. Herbert Healey King, 1st Newfoundland Regiment.

*Please return this letter
Mrs. King at the Home Office or to your local
Post Office*

Post Here.

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Office in Charge of Records,



Royal Nfld. Regt.,

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's, Nfld.

Post Here



June 28th., 1921 1919.

The accompanying King's Certificate, on his discharge,

(No. 720), is forwarded herewith to

Private Herbert H. King

in respect of his service as No. 1981 Rank Pvte.

Name Herbert H. King Corps Royal Nfld. Regt.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received King Certificate No 720

Signature Herbert Healey King^{Reg}

Date Charlottetown P.E.I July 15th
1921

Address 129 Hellborough Street
Charlottetown P.E.I. [P.T.O.]
Canada



Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,



Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia,

ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.

Fold Here

1921.

The accompanying **Victory Medal** and/or **British War Medal**
is/are forwarded herewith to

Herbert H. King

in respect of his service as No. **1981** Rank **Pte.**

Name **H.H. King** **Royal Nfld. Regt.**
~~Nfld. Forestry Corps~~

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received *two medals*

Signature *A.H. King*

Date *Oct. 12th 1921*

Address *129 Hillsborough Street*
Charlottetown
P.F.I.

[P.T.O.]

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 1981 Rank Plt. Name King Herbert
 Date of Enlistment 2-11-15 Address Richmond St. (Lower Church) District P. E. I.
 Occupation Printer Classification for Discharge B Medical Category F
 Recommendation S. M. B. permanently unfit Disability Rating 40% 6 months
 Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

| | | | | |
|-----------|--------|--------|-----------|---------|
| N. F. 136 | B 268 | B 121 | N. F. Med | D. F. 1 |
| B 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 9-6-19 J. H. Swift
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am / in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Herbert H. King

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$600
 (b) Clothing Supplied While in service

Date 10-6-19

O. C. Re-clothing

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrants No. 1647 to his home at 232 Richmond and Release Certificate No. 2554 issued.

Date 10-6-19 ^{P.E. 9.} *J.A. Shaw 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

Date 10-6-19 *J.A. Shaw Capt.*
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 24-6-19
Forwarded with following documents to O.C. Discharge Depot.

| | | | | | | |
|-----------|--------|--------|---|-----------|--------|----------|
| N.F. P/36 | B 268 | B 121 | 1 | N.F. Med | D.F. 1 | 1 |
| B 178 | W 3494 | B 122 | | Board 1st | " 2 | 1 |
| B 178a | D 400A | B 1915 | | do 2nd | " 3 | 2 Form B |
| 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 | |
| B179c | B 120 | M 93 | | | | |

Date 10-6-19 *J.A. Shaw Capt.*
O. C. Discharge Depot.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—

Officer in Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents:

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

Date JUN 24 1919 *R.H. Sait Capt.*
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date



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.
 (d) Be as brief as possible compatible with lucidity.
 (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. John's*.....

Date.....*June 5/19*.....

- | | | | |
|-------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Unit | <i>Royal Newfoundland</i> | 5. Age last birthday | <i>23.</i> |
| 2. Regimental No. | <i>1981.</i> | 6. Enlisted on | <i>Nov. 2/15.</i> |
| 3. Rank | <i>Pte.</i> | at | <i>St. John's.</i> |
| 4. Name | <i>King H.</i> | 7. Former trade or occupation | <i>Printer.</i> |

8. Disability

Bayonet Wd. Peanus.

9. History

Was taken prisoner 14th. April 1917. Received bayonet Wd. trying to escape. E did not get any treatment.

10. What is his present condition ?

Well nourished. Complains breathlessness walking upstairs or hill. Also pain over lower left lobe of lung. No adventitious sounds heard in hemitor
(This is the important question. Be brief—the clearer the case the less need be written. Read note f above).

Department of Military Medicine
Medical Department

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

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

Signature S. G. KEAN

Rank or Qualification Capt.

Remarks, if any by Officer in Charge 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 **May.** 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.

Pulse 96. Has pain in chest. Nothing in Heart or Lungs. Anaemic & short of breath. Prisoner of war.

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market ? **40%.**
 (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.) **40% 6 Months.**

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 :—

N. S. FRASER......
 President

Signature **J. S. TAIT.**.....

J. B. O'RIBELLY, CAPT......

Place **St. John's.**.....

Date **June 5/19.**.....

APPROVED

Station
 No.

Date
 New Zealand.



(SGD) L. PATRICKSON, MAJOR......
 Administrative Medical Officer.

TABLE II.—Only for admissions 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 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 | | | | |
| Military Hospital
Refuge | 1 | 1 | 19 | 3 | 1 | 19 | Dysentery ⁴²⁴ | 3 | Transferred to Brighton from Newcastle
from 4 - 10 days from in
dish. for further treatment | A. J. [Signature] |
| BRIGHTON GROVE MILITARY HOSPITAL
NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE | 5 | 1 | 19 | 16 | 1 | 19 | Sgt. Stone | 15 | Admitted with slight discharge from urethra
treat with catheter for 3 days. Treated with
Eust. irrigation & cleared up in a few days
Discharged from hospital | [Signature] |
| | 16 | 1 | 19 | 25 | 1 | 19 | Pharyngitis | 10 | REPATRIATED PRISONER OF WAR.
Captured April 14. 17.
B. O. C. General Commission fair.
Sent here for Oph. Commission
Remo to 2/ London General
Condition improved.
Dischd 2 mths & III. | [Signature]
Bt. Lt. Col. R. A. M. C. |



July 10, 1919

#1981 Pte. Herbert King,

#232 Richmond St.,

Charlottetown,

Prince Edward Island.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose cheque for Seventy dollars
(\$70.00), being amount of fourth payment due you
on account of the War Service Gratuity.

Yours truly

Captain
Paymaster " U. I. C. Records

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DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Declaration required of Officers and men of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who 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 *Herbert* Surname *King*

3. Rank *Pte* 4. Reg't. No. *198*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded *237 Richmond St. Charlottetown P. E. Island*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *12 Nov 1915*

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.

9. Address in full of such dependents.

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 field, if so, give dates and particulars of such service.
overseas

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in field or Overseas.
Three years and 6 1/2 months

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.

\$ 61.82 clothing, Etc

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. *no*

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?

19. Are you now serving in the Regt.? *no* If not give - (a) date of discharge *June 24/19* (b) Reason for discharge

Demobilization

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

France Belgium & Germany

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.

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: *Herbert Bealy King*
 Place of Residence: *237 Richmond St. Charlotte town. P.E.I.*
 Declared before me at: *St. John's Nfld.*

This *10th* day of *June* 19*19*....
John M. McCarthy
 Signature of Barrister of the
 Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magis-
 trates, Notary Public, Justice of the
 Peace, or Commissioner of affidavits.

| POST DISCHARGE PAY. | | | War Service
Gratuity. | Net amount
due |
|---------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Date paid | Paid
Soldier. | Paid
Dependent. | | |
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| Certified correct. | | | Paymaster | |

H. to King

C.R.

1981

P. 460

No. _____

(If replying, please quote
above No.)

_____ Record Office,

_____ Station.

90 JUL 1947

_____ 191 .

SIR OR MADAM,

I have to inform you that a report has been received
from the War Office to the effect that (No.) 1981

(Rank) Pte (Name) King A. H.

(Regiment) 1st Newfoundland

is a Prisoner of War at Gefangenenlager
Limburg a/Lahn
Germany

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

Instructions as to the method of communicating with Prisoners of
War can be obtained at any Post Office.

I am,

SIR OR MADAM,

Your obedient Servant,

Pte A. G. King
of Mrs Tremaine
14 Woburn Square
W.C.1.

Officer in charge of Records.

IMPORTANT.—Any change of your address should be immediately notified to this
Office. It should also be notified, if you receive information from the soldier above, that
his address has been changed.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS:
"DISCHARGE, BUXTON."

TELEPHONE:
BUXTON 202.

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS:
"OFFICER COMMANDING."

AND QUOTE
FILE No. _____

CANADIAN DISCHARGE DEPOT, C.E.F.,
BUXTON,
DERBYSHIRE.

June 30th, 1917.


Newfoundland Pay & Record Office
Mill Bank.

Dear Sir,

¹⁹⁸¹ Can you give me any information
concerning PTE. H.H. KING; also PTE. ²⁴¹⁷ C.H. SHARPE, reported missing
since April 14th. Both with H Co. First Newfoundlands.

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|----------------------------------------------|--------------|
| NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE | |
| Ref. No. | 3705 |
| Rec'd. | JUL - 2 1917 |
| Ack'd. | |
| Ans'd. | 2/2/17 |
| File No. | |

Sincerely yours

 W. T. Fair, Captain
~~Captain~~
See over

2419 Sharp with amt 5/15/17 Tom Hall
1981 King Steel Musing

May 14th.

14 W. St. Square
London. W.C. 1.

Dear Sir.

Can you give me any information regarding 1981 Private Herbert King 1st Newfoundland Regt. He has been reported missing since April 14th. An early answer would very much oblige

Yours truly

Emily Tremaine.



Missing
14/4/17
nothing
further.

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| 1 ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT | |
| PAY & RECORD OFFICE | |
| Ref. No. | 23 88 |
| Rec'd. | MAY 15 1917 |
| Ack'd. | do |
| Ans'd. | |
| File No. | |

No.

(If replying, please quote above No.)

Army Form B, 104-83.

Newfoundland Record Office,
58 Victoria St Station.

May 11 1917.

SIR

I regret to have to inform you that a report has been received from the War Office to the effect that (No.) 1981 (Rank) Pte

(Name) Pte. Herbert A.

(Regiment) 1st Newfoundland

was posted as "missing" on the 14/4/17.

The report that he is missing does not necessarily mean that he has been killed, as he may be a prisoner of war or temporarily separated from his regiment.

Official reports that men are prisoners of war take some time to reach this country, and if he has been captured by the enemy it is probable that unofficial news will reach you first. In that case, I am to ask you to forward any letter received at once to this Office, and it will be returned to you as soon as possible.

Should any further official information be received it will be at once communicated to you.

Pte. A. G. King
14 Waterloo Sq
London W.C.1.

I am,

SIR OR MADAM,

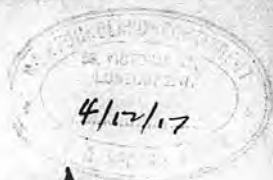
Your obedient Servant,

Officer in charge of Records.

Important.—Any change of address should be immediately notified to this Office.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

To 1981 Pte H. H. King,
Newfoundland Regt
Gefangenenlager
Lunenburg, Germany



Gepr. 34
P. 11/17/17

Notification of the fact of your being a Prisoner of War has been received, and which has been duly telegraphed to Newfoundland.

The Newfoundland War Contingent Association has also been notified by this Office, and will communicate with you direct with regard to food, arrangements of which are undertaken by them.

So far a direct notification from you has not been received, as in the case of other Prisoners of War, and which usually includes a request for clothing, with particulars of sizes, etc., especially as to boots: meanwhile with a view to avoiding what may entail considerable delay in your receiving supplies, this Office is drawing and transmitting to you through the Central Prisoners of War Committee, a first issue of clothing, based upon sizes implied by information stated in your attestation.

Any change of your address should be notified to this Office, which in turn will be transmitted to Newfoundland, and to the Newfoundland War Contingent Association.

[Handwritten signature]

CSG: 11/17/17

Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

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

26 JUL 1917

[Handwritten mark]
Address: Pte. H. H. King 1981

Kriegsgefangenenlager

Friedrichsfeld

Barr. 5 A

Authority, Postcard from Canadian Red Cross Society.

[Handwritten signature]
5-1-18

*Nothing for pay
Paid to Mrs. King*

CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

RECEIPT FOR REMITTANCE TO PRISONER OF WAR.

4, THURLOE PLACE, S.W. 7,

LONDON, 17th. June. 1918.

Reference No. 8238

Received from Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records, Newfoundland Contgt.
58 Victoria Street. S.W.I.
 the sum of _____

£1. 0. 0. (one pound) Sterling.

The equivalent of which, Mks. 23.00

is to be remitted, at Sender's Risk, to the Commandant of the Prisoners of War Camp at—

Gefangenenlager. Camp B.3. GUSTROW.

With request that same be paid to—

Rank and Name Pte. H.H. King.

Regimental No. 1981

Regiment (in full) Royal Newfoundland Regt.

*Now 271.
 Clogs. 526307*

R.H.

For CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE,
 AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, AS AGENTS

E.P. Cashier.

NOTE.—The above reference number must be quoted in any enquiry or correspondence relative to the remittance. The amount of the remittance, and address of the payee, as shown on this receipt, should be carefully checked, and any discrepancy immediately brought to the attention of the COMMITTEE.

This remittance will be delivered to the Commandant of the Camp in which the party for whom it is ultimately intended is detained, or to his authorised deputy, and while every effort will be made by the Agents of the Committee to ensure the money reaching the rightful Payee, they cannot under existing conditions give any guarantee or assume any responsibility.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS,
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
88, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1.
ENGLAND.

Secretary,
N. W. C. A.
34, Victoria St.

Pay & Record Office,
16th May 8

1981, Pte. H. King,
Royal Nfld. Regt.

With reference to your memorandum 6/5/18 (4187) enclosing Postal Order for £4.86 on account of above named Soldier, - The equivalent of this amount has been placed to the credit of his account pending your further instructions.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.



**THE NEWFOUNDLAND WAR CONTINGENT
— ASSOCIATION. —**

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BANK OF MONTREAL.

34 58. Victoria Street,
Westminster.

8th May 1918.

**Memo. to The Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.**

The enclosed postal order for \$4.85 has been sent on behalf of 1981 Pte. H.H. King, prisoner of war, in Germany. Perhaps you will kindly place this to his credit.

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| NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT | |
| PAY & RECORDS OFFICE. | |
| E. No. 10 | 4197 |
| cd'd 8 | MAY 1918 |
| cd'd | 7698/30/16/5/18. |
| cd. Nos. 101 | 27c 229. |

S. Knox

Secretary.

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| Comm. | |
| P.L. | |
| R.S.G. | |
| R.E.F. | |
| P.S. | |

[Handwritten signature]

To

*1st Highland. Coy
85 Victoria*

Rep. Report

The undermentioned has been discharged from this Hospital today to rejoin unit, as above.

| Unit. | Squadron
Battery or
Company. | Regtl.
No. | Rank. | Name. |
|---------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|------------|----------------|
| <i>1st Highland</i> | | <i>1951</i> | <i>Plt</i> | <i>King H.</i> |

The King George Hospital,
Stamford Street, S.E. 1.

[Signature]
Capt. R.A.M.C.



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34 58. Victoria Street.
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17th May 1918.

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| NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT |
| PAY & RECEIPTS OFFICE |
| 17th May 1918 |
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**Memo. to The Chief Paymaster and O.i/c. Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.**

In reply to letters of the 14th and 16th inst. with regard to remittances to 1981 Pte.H.H.King, out of the sums forwarded on his account from the Canadian Red Cross Society and we are writing to ask Pte.King if he requires any more money than the 10/- monthly which is being sent and on receipt of his reply, will let you know what he wishes.

S. Knox

Secretary



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MISS S. KNOX.

BANKERS:

BANK OF MONTREAL.

58. Victoria Street,
Westminster.

5th February 1918.

Memo. to Paymaster and Officer i/c. Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.

We have had the enclosed sent to us for 1981 Pte. H.H. King.
Will you kindly forward it to him at Gustrow?

S. Knox

Secretary.

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| BRANCH |
| <i>P.a.</i> |
| ACT UPON |
| <i>JM</i> |
| BY |
| <i>4/2/18</i> |
| DATE |

| | |
|---------------|----------------------|
| DEPARTMENT | ✓ |
| Reference No. | <i>K 1246</i> |
| Date Recd. | <i>6 FEB 1918</i> |
| " Ack'd. | <i>2 of 9 to 190</i> |
| " Ass'd. | |
| File | <i>204 4 Co.</i> |

2016/3/P&A



Secretary,
N. W. C. A.
Victoria Street,
S. W. 1.

8th February 8

1981, Pte. H. H. King.

Royal Newfoundland Regt.

With reference to your memorandum 5/2/18, (1245), enclosing cheque 8s 4d. from the Canadian Red Cross Society, on account of the above Soldier, - The amount is being forwarded to him through the Central Prisoners of War Help Committee.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records,

FM/S



BRITISH RED CROSS & ORDER OF ST. JOHN
CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

4, Thurloe Place, S.W.



F 927

7th Feb. 1918

Received from *Newfoundland Contingent*

the sum of — Pounds

Eight Shillings *four* pence

for *forwarding*

CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

E. Hecker Jones

FINANCIAL SECRETARY.

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Cheque. V^o 520117.

BRITISH RED CROSS SOCIETY.

THE ORDER OF ST. JOHN
OF JERUSALEM IN ENGLAND.

CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE.

Lieut.-Col. IMPEY, Secretary.

Cheques should be made payable to Central Prisoners of War Committee, and crossed Barclay & Co., not negotiable.

Telegrams: Prisoners, South Kensington, London.
Telephone: Kensington 7040.

Nearest Stations { BROMPTON ROAD TUBE.
SOUTH KENSINGTON.

Please reply to:
THE SECRETARY,
Central Prisoners of War Committee
and quote **FINANCE DEPT:**

4, THURLOE PLACE
(Nearly opposite the Brompton Oratory).
LONDON, S.W.7.

F. 927 McC/MF

8th February 1918

DEAR SIR, OR MADAM,

Enclosed please find our receipt for the sum of £ - : 8 : 4 ,

| | | |
|---------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| DEPARTMENT | to be forwarded to | Pte. H.H.King, 1981 (1st R.Newfoundland Regt.) |
| Reference No. | 1458 | |
| Date | 11 FEB 1918 | |
| | a Prisoner of War in | GERMANY |
| " | As per your instructions of | 6/2/18 |
| " | And to | |
| File | | |

We would point out that you will receive a further receipt, under

our name, issued by **AMERICAN EXPRESS COY:** who act as
our Forwarding Agents, and same will reach you in due course.

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| BRANCH |
| ACTED UPON |
| BY |
| DATE |

Yours faithfully,

Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records,
Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria St: S W

E. HEATH-JONES,
Financial Secretary.

CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE

RECEIPT FOR REMITTANCE TO PRISONER OF WAR.

WAR.

58, VICTORIA ST.,
LONDON, S.W.

13 FEB 1918

4, THURLOE PLACE, S.W.

LONDON, 11th. February. 1918.

Reference No. 6555Received from Paymaster & Officer i/c Records. Newfoundland Contingent.
58 Victoria Street. S.W.the sum of 8/4. (eight shillings and fourpence)

Sterling.

The equivalent of which, Mks. 9.16

is to be remitted, at Sender's Risk, to the Commandant of the Prisoners of War Camp at—

Kriegsgefangenenlager. Gustrow.

With request that same be paid to—

Rank and Name Pte. Herbert H. King.Regimental No. 1981Regiment (in full) 1st. Royal Newfoundland Regt.


MEMO. This amount is forwarded FOR CENTRAL PRISONERS OF WAR COMMITTEE,
at the request of AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, AS AGENTS,
Mrs. Chas. Bustin. S. John. N.B.

Cashier.

NOTE.—The above reference number must be quoted in any enquiry or correspondence relative to the remittance. The amount of the remittance, and address of the payee, as shown on this receipt, should be carefully checked, and any discrepancy immediately brought to the attention of the COMMITTEE.

This remittance will be delivered to the Commandant of the Camp in which the party for whom it is ultimately intended is detained, or to his authorised deputy, and while every effort will be made by the Agents of the Committee to ensure the money reaching the rightful Payee, they cannot under existing conditions give any guarantee or assume any responsibility.

I have received parcel No. *1* dated *30/11/17* 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 | VEG'FS. |
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|  | X | 1 | — | — | X | — | — | X | — | X | — | — | X | X | — | 1 |

My present address is:

31 No. *1981* *St. H. King*
1st Newfoundland Regiment
1 M Gushow

Date *9/3/18*

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 3 dated 1914/18 containing —

| ARTICLE. | BOOTS, Pairs. | BRACES, Pairs. | CAP. | CARDIGAN. | DRAWERS, Pairs | GLOVES, Pairs. | GREATCOAT. | HANDKERCH'FS. | JACKETS. | KIT-BAG. | SHIRTS. | SHOES, CANVAS.
Pairs. | SOCKS, Pairs. | TOWELS. | TROUSERS. | VESTS. |
|----------|---------------|----------------|------|-----------|----------------|----------------|------------|---------------|----------|----------|---------|--------------------------|---------------|---------|-----------|--------|
| | | | ✓ | | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | ✓ |

My present address is:

¹³⁴No. 1981 St. J. H. King.

Gustrow. I. No. Germany.

Date

10th June 1918

H. H. King

Signature.

I have received ² parcel No. 3 dated 19/12/17 containing:—

| ARTICLE. | BOOTS, Pairs. | BRACES, Pairs. | CAP. | CARDIGAN. | DRAWERS, Pairs. | GLOVES, Pairs. | GREATCOAT. | HANDKERCHTS. | JACKET. | KIT-BAG. | SHIRTS. | SHOES, CANVAS.
Pairs. | SOCKS, Pairs. | TOWELS. | TROUSERS, Pairs. | VESTS. |
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|  | | | | | | | | | X | | | X | | | X | |

My present address is:

134
No. 1981 P.O. H.A. King.
Gfangenen Lager Camp B. 5
Gustrow in Mecklenburg

Date 11/3/18 Germany

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 4 dated 12 / 2 / 18 containing:—

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

My present address is:

134

No.

1981

Mr. H. H. King.

Sejangeren Lager

Date

April 14th 18

Güstrow

Germany

H. H. King Signature

Capt Marshall.

Monthly remittance
of £1 being sent to
all prisoners of war.

R.M.L.

Forms
C. 348
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MEMORANDUM

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C. RECORDS
 From NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
 55, VICTORIA STREET,
 LONDON, S.W. 1
 ENGLAND.

To
 Secretary,
 Newfoundland War Contingent
 Association,
 34, Victoria Street, S.W.

FM/NM.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE,
 From Nos. in 5946
 Rec'd Newfoundland War
 Ack'd Contingent Association
 To Nos. 1001
 Pay and Record Office
 58 Victoria Street,
 S.W.1.

ANSWER

Pay & Record Office.

10th, June. 1918

1981. PTE. H.H. KING.
 ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Comd
 P&A. 34 Victoria Street
 R & C S.W.1
 B & E 22nd June 1918
 P.S.
 1981 Pte. H. H. King

Prisoner of War in Germany

With reference to your memo-
 randum 6/6/18, (5132), enclosing
 Canadian Money Orders value
 £4. 86s. forwarded by the Canadian
 Red Cross Society, P.E.I. Provin-
 cial Branch.

This amount has been
 placed to the credit of the above
 Soldiers' account, pending your
 further instructions.

As there is already an
 amount of £4. 6. 8d. standing to
 this Soldier's credit in this
 Officer's Trust Account, it is asked
 that you will be good enough to
 state whether £1. per month, should
 be forwarded to him as arranged
 in other cases.

A. J. Minwell Major,
 Chief Paymaster & O.I/c. Rcds.

We are still without
 definite instructions with
 regard to the sums of money
 sent on behalf of Prisoners
 of War.

In the meantime, perhaps it
 would be as well to remit in
 sums of 2l each month, unless
 he writes himself to say
 he does not require money.

S. Knapp
 Secretary

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I.C. RECORDS,
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
83, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1.
ENGLAND.

Secretary,
Newfoundland War Contingent
Association,
34, Victoria Street. S.W.

FM/NM.

Pay & Record Office.

10th, June. 8

1981. P&A. H.H. KING.
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your memorandum 6/6/18, (5132), enclosing Canadian Money Orders value £4. 86^s. forwarded by the Canadian Red Cross Society, P.E.I. Provincial Branch.

This amount has been placed to the credit of the above Soldiers' account, pending your further instructions.

As there is already an amount of £4. 6. 8d. standing to this Soldier's credit in this Office's Trust Account, it is asked that you will be good enough to state whether £1. per month, should be forwarded to him as arranged in other cases.

Major,



THE NEWFOUNDLAND WAR CONTINGENT
— ASSOCIATION. —

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LORD MAYOR OF LONDON.

SECRETARY:

MISS S. KNOX.

BANKERS

BANK OF MONTREAL.

34 58, Victoria Street,
Westminster.

6th June 1918.

Memo. to The Chief Paymaster and O.i/c. Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.

Enclosed herewith is Canadian Money Order, 4 Dols. 86 cents,
sent by the Canadian Red Cross Society, P.E.I. Provincial
Branch on behalf of 1981 Pte. H.H. King. Will you please
credit him with this sum?

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
PAY & RECORDS
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7 JUN 1918
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10/6/18

S. Knox

Secretary.

11360/38

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICE IN CHARGE OF RECORDS,
NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1,
ENGLAND.

Hon. Secretary,
N. W. C. A.,
34, Victoria St.,
S. W.

15th, July '18

1981, PTE. H. H. KING,
ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

With reference to your letter 12/7/18
(6308) enclosing cheque £1. 0. 6: This amount
has been placed to the credit of Pte. King's
account.

Chief Paymaster & O I/e Records. Major,

FM/WF

TELEPHONE VICTORIA 8957.



THE NEWFOUNDLAND WAR CONTINGENT
— ASSOCIATION. —

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34 5/8 Victoria Street,
Westminster.

12th July 1918

To
The Chief Paymaster,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
58 Victoria Street, S.W.1

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| NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT | |
| PAY & RECEIPT OFFICE | |
| Ref. Nos. | 6308 |
| Rec'd | 23 |
| Ack'd | |
| Ref. Nos. | 11360 |
| 29/7/18 | |
| BRANCH | |
| Comd. | |
| P.&A. | |
| R.&C. | |
| B.&E. | |
| P.S. | |

Enclosed is cheque £1 forwarded through the Canadian Red Cross Society by the Rev. Canon Simpson, St. Peter's Cathedral, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, for the Benefit of 1981 Pte. Herbert H. King, Prisoner of War in Germany.

Will you kindly have this amount placed to Pte. King's credit, to be used in sending remittances of £1 a month for his use.

P. Knox

Secretary

*old address
H.H.K.*

(46)

From: 1981 Pte. H.H. King, ~~Strieggefa ngenenlager~~, Gustrow i.M
Germany

To; Canadian Red Cross Society
JUL 1918 26th April 1918

If it is possible for you to send me a set of badges
for cap and tunic I would be very pleased to have them.
My parcels are arriving regularly and in good condition.
I am in the best of health and hope to be able to give
you a call in the near future.



10908/1/P.W.

Newfoundland Contingent,
58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1,
England,
8th July, 1918.

1981 Private H.H. King,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Kriegsgefangenenlager,
Camp B.3,
Gustrow 1/Mecklenburg,
Germany.

With reference to your communication of 26/4/18 to the Association: it is noted that you are in good health and receiving your parcels regularly.

A third issue of clothing, including cap, was sent you on 19/4/18. It is hoped you have received it by now. Badges will be sent with next issue.

GB/JC

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

C.R. 1891

Extract of Casualties from Pay & Record Office, London dated
Jan. 28/1/19.

#1891 PTE. H. KING.

Released Prisoner of War, was discharged from the King George
Hospl, S.E., 25/1/19, and granted furlough at the P. & R.O.
to 25/3/19.

(As above).



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34 53, Victoria Street.
Westminster.

7th August 1918.

MEMO. to The Chief Paymaster & O.i/c. Records,
Newfoundland Contingent.

The enclosed sum of £1.0.0 has been received from Canon Simpson, St. Peter's Cathedral, Charlottetown, P.E.I. Canada, on behalf of 1981 Pte. H.H. King, who is a prisoner of war at Gustrow.

This sum might be applied for the purpose of Pte. King's adoption, and paid in to the fund which the Minister of Militia sanctioned for sharing Prisoners of War expenses.

S. Knox

Secretary.

NEWFOUNDLAND
PAY & RECORDS
AUG 10 1918

12840/41

8/8/18 J.M.

Newcastle

~~Pay~~

4/1/19

Dear Sir

~~Pounds~~
~~ack~~

I have arrived home from
Germany on Monday and have been
admitted into hospital. I would like
for you to inform my people at home
that I am alright - exciting a few
pounding soars on my left leg the
cause of me being in here. I would
like for you to send me a few
pounds because I am in here
without any smokes or

to the Hon. Secy of State

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| NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT. | |
| P.O. RECORD OFFICE. | |
| Ref. No. | 145 |
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| P.S. | |
| Enc. | |
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W.P.M.

Released Prisoner (war)

Address to find me

No 1981

P/O Herbert H King
18th Newfoundland Regt
G Block 53 ward
Military Hospital
Westgate Road
Newcastle

anything I havent even got a stamp
to write to my people I have got to
borrow one to put on this letter.
I would be very thankful if you would
send me a few pounds to go on
with until I get out again I
Remain yours Truly

1981

P/O Herbert H King
18th Newfoundland Regt
G Block 53 ward

~~Westgate Road
Newcastle~~

Canadian Red Cross Society

PRISONERS OF WAR DEPARTMENT

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND PROVINCIAL BRANCH

21 FITZROY STREET

Charlottetown, P.E.I.

Nov 22: 1917

The Secretary
Royal War Convalescent Home
London

Dear Sir

Re Herbert H King (No 1981) 1st Royal Regt.
was a prisoner at Stamm Lager, Limburg a/ Lahn.
Has been adopted by Grace Church (Methodist) of which
he is a member. They have seven other adoptions, but
all Canadians. I am advised by Mrs Miss Bullock, of
Canadian Red Cross, Prisoners Dept, to write to you about
this. I will send the money \$4.50 per month as soon
as it is received. King's mother lives here.
Am enclosing a copy of our Annual Report which may
interest you.

Yours faithfully
(Comm) J. Cunningham
Hon Secy.



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 351/18/O. C.R. 1981

From
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

56, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.

9th January, 1918. *BK*

To The Hon. the Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

HT/NW

SUBJECT: Prisoners of War:
No. 1981, PTE. H. H. KING

REPLY

Dated January 25th 1919

Reference Nos.

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H.A. Dinniman Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

J.P. Bennett
Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

File No. 1981

REC'D 20 FEB 1919

REC. NOS. 101

SEARCHED _____
Comd. _____
F.A. _____
R.C.O. _____
S.E. _____
P.S. _____

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551/18/0

The Hon. the Minister of Militia
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

HT/NW

8th January, 8.

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ENCLOSURE

No. 1898.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/55.

To: 1981 Pte.H.H.King,

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

90 Neilton Road,

1st February 1919.

Paisley. Scotland.

Reference: your letter 27/1/19 (932).

Herewith 1 Ration Book No.021575.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.)

Pte H H King

(Date)

14th/2nd/19

F. J. M. ...
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Call
for
Major.



SUSPENSE

CLEARED

No. _____

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N.F.P/55.

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

To: ~~1981 Pte. H.H. King,~~

~~90 Neilton Road,~~

~~1st February 191~~ c

~~Paisley, Scotland.~~

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Please acknowledge receipt hereon.

(Sig.) _____

(Date) _____

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records. ^{Major}

NEW FOUNDLAND CONTINENT,
RECORD OFFICE.
✓ 932
29 JAN 27/1/19

Dear Sir

While at the pay office on
saturday getting my leave I forgot to
get my ration book. I would be very
pleased to you if you would kindly
forward them on to me as I am staying
with some friends. I any book would be
very usefull please forward them
to me as soon as possible thanking
you for the same I Remain

Yours

19876 Herbert H. King
C/o 90 Eskilton Road
Paisley
Scotland

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY
Posted 8161. NYC #1



551/18/c

The Hon. the Minister of Militia,
St. John's,
Newfoundland.

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HT/NW 8th January, 8.
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J. R. Bennett

Minister of Militia.



No. 1981 Rank Pte Name King H

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| Balance | | | | | Balance 20/10/18 | | | | | 41 | 15 | 11 ✓ |
| Acquittance Rolls | | | | | Pay @ Net Rate | 21/1/18 | 24/1/18 | 34 | 30 | 1020 | 2 | 11 ✓ |
| Hospital Advances | | 1 | 00 | ✓ | | | | | | 43 | 17 | 0 ✓ |
| A.B. 64. | | | | | | 25/1/19 | 24/1/19 | 59 | 30 | 1770 | 3 | 12 ✓ |
| P. & R.O. Payments | | 1 | 0 | 0 | by Bal 1/1/19 | | | | | | | |
| Cash R 1062 | | 40 | 0 | 0 | by Bal 1/1/19 | | | | | | | |
| Shop Stoppers No 643, 664 | | 1 | 17 | 0 | by Bal 1/1/19 | | | | | | | |
| Cash Receipt 1977 24 ³ / ₁₉ | | 9 | 10 | 0 | R.D. 25/1/19 to 25/1/19 | | | 60 | 2/1 | 6 | 5 | 0 ✓ |
| Cash Receipt 1977 10 ⁴ / ₁₉ | | 1 | 8 | 0 | by Bal 1/1/19 | 25/1/19 | 10 ⁴ / ₁₉ | 17 | 30 | 510 | 7 | 0 ✓ |
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 54-15-8

JULY 1918: NO. OF BRANCHES

MEMO TO MIDLAND COMINGENT

C.R. 1981

H.M.S. BRITON.
ST. JOHN'S,
NEWFOUNDLAND.

January 16th. 1918.

Dear Mr. Bennett

M^{rs} Alexander King

receives five shillings a week
allotment from her son and
five shillings a week separation
allowance in addition. She
is not entitled to anything further
from Naval funds. Her
case would appear to be one for
the Patriotic Association

Yours faithfully

Anthony Macdonald.

C.R. 1981

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot St. John's dated
June 14th. 1919.

The discharge of the undermoted on demobilization has been
APPROVED by O. C. Discharge Depot on 23-5-19.

#1981 Pte. Herbert King.

C.R. 1981

Extract from Preliminary Report of a Medical Board
held on Thursday Evening June 5th. The following
was the finding

Recommended Discharge from the Army.

1981, Pte. H. King.

C.R! 1981

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Depot, St. John's,
Date 13/6/19.

1981, Pte. Herbert King.

Reported at Headquarters 1/6/19. BX "Corsican"
which sailed Liverpool May 22/1919.

C.R. 1981

Herbert H. King was attested for General
Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT 01 Nov. 12th 1915.
Regimental No. 1981 was allotted to Ptes H.H. KING.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger;

Dept. of Militia.

March 25th 1919

C.R. 1981

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Rifles Regt.
St. John's, June 14th, 1919.

The discharge of the undersigned on demobilisation has been
APPROVED by C.O. Discharge Depot with effect from 24-6-19.

1981 Pte, Herbert King.

C.R. 1981

Extract of Casualties from Pay & Record Office London, dated
Jan. 15/1/19.

#1981 PTE. H. KING.

Who was transferred from Ripon Military Hospital to Brighton
Grove Mil. Hospital, Newcastle-on -Ayne, 3/1/19, will be transferred
to King George Hospital, 16/1/19. King is repatriated P. of W.

Memo from Brighton Grove Hospital.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C.
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Forms
B. 121.
52.

Number of Sheet 1

Regiment of 2/1st Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company J. G. ...

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|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Regimental Number and Name | | Enlistment | Trade | Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay |
| No. | 1980 <u>H King</u> | Age on <u>20</u> years <u>10</u> months | <u>Printer</u> | |
| Joined Date | | Place and Date of Enlistment: <u>St John's</u>
<u>Nov. 12. 1915.</u> | Religion
<u>Methodist</u> | |
| Joined Date | | Period of
{ with Colours <u>3</u> years
with Reserve <u>5 1/2</u> years. | Place of Birth
<u>St John's.</u> | |
| Joined Date | | | | |
| Joined Date | | | | |

| 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>Gen School.</u> | <u>9/5/16</u> | <u>Pte</u> | | <u>absent from tattoo until 11 pm</u> | <u>Cpl Mcaw</u> | <u>1 Day CP</u> | <u>10/5/16</u> | <u>Capt E B Ayre</u> | <u>189</u> |
| <u>Apr.</u> | <u>8.6.16</u> | <u>"</u> | | <u>overstaying pass from 11PM '5' to midnight</u> | <u>Supt: Pollock/Warwick</u> | <u>2 days CB</u> | <u>13.6.16</u> | <u>C. Maanen Johnson Lt. 1st</u> | |
| | | | | <u>Demobilized 8-7-19</u> | | | | | |
| | | | | To be carried over | | | | | |