



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2291 Name Heber Spurrell Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Heber Spurrell</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Ball Island</u>
<u>B. B.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>19</u> Years <u>6</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>fisherman</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>No</u> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <u>No</u> |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? | 10. <u>FOR THE</u> } Name <u>OF THE WAR</u>
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, Heber Spurrell 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.

Heber Spurrell SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

R. P. Hallaway Signature of Witness.

E. March 18

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Heber Spurrell do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 24 day of March 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer R. P. Hallaway

† CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the 1st

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

Date 1916 } Approving Officer.
Place

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‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

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

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C.R. 2291

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

2291 Pte. H. Spurrell.

No.

697

Received from

Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as on the Receipt Form bearing the above No.

Office

Stamp

A REGISTERED POSTAL PACKET

Addressed—

2291
Plaza
Pobol

JUL 22 1919

Received a Registered Postal Packet addressed as above.

[Signature]

R. 2291

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Newfoundland
Regiment, Station G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon, Dated 19-3-19.

Awarded Military Medal, Supplement Gazette,
d/18-10-17, Page 10731.

2291, Pte. H. Spurrell.

C.R.

2291

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Rifles.
Regt. St. John's, 11-3-19.

The Undermentioned returned from Overseas and reported to
Depot 7-3-19.

~~is/has~~ Repatriated on a/c of Demobilization.

2291 Pte. Heber Spurrell.

C.R. 2291

Extract from Nominal Roll of the Royal WFLD.
24-1-19.

The undermentioned who was transferred
from B.E.F. to the 2nd Bn., Winchester 19-1-19
awaiting repatriation.

2291 Pte. H. Spurrell.

C.R. 2291

Dec. 6th 18

Dear Mr. Spurrell:

In reference to your enquiry regarding the whereabouts of your son #2291 Pte. Heber Spurrell, I beg to inform you that an answer has been received from the Pay and Record Office, London, stating that he is now with the 1st Battalion in France and in good health.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.

CASUALTY OFFICER.

Mr. Simeon Spurrell,
Pools Island,
Bonavista Bay.

WW/MP.

C.R. 2291

Extract of Telegram from Synoptical, London, dated Dec.4th 1918.

With reference your telegram Dec.2nd #2291 Spurrell on duty in
France.

C.R. 2291

Extract of Telegram to Bay and Record Office, London, from
Military, St. John's dated Dec. 2nd 1918.

Advise whereabouts and condition of #2291 Spurrell.

C.R. 2291

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 14 Sent by AS Rec'd by _____ Check 31 No. _____

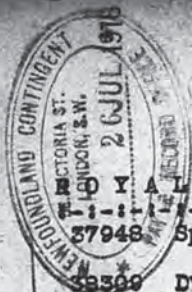
Place from Badgers Quay

To J.R. Bennett



Could you find out whereabouts of 2291
 ple Viber Spurrell anxiously
 waiting news.

Simon Spurrell



C.R. 2291

SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O's AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.

LIST No. H.A. 28560

1527

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

37948	Spr. Moore, B.	RE. Pnt. Sec. att. 428 Co. ASC.	Bronchitis.	Adm. 14 Con. Dep. Trouville	18th July '18.
494216	Dvr. Young, W.C.	RE. 37 Fld. Co.	Influenza	Adm. 14 Con. Dep. Trouville	18th July '18.
64481	Spr. Phillips, F.	RE. 430 Do.	P.U.O.	Adm. 14 Con. Dep. Trouville	18th July '18.
23956	" Watson, J.	RE. Base Depot.	Influenza	Adm. 14 Con. Dep. Trouville	18th July '18.
207980	" Godfrey, F.	RE. 5 Fld. Coy.	Int. Der. Knee L.	Adm. 14 Con. Dep. Trouville	18th July '18.
212748	" Robson, W.H.	RE. 32 Fld. Coy.	GSW. Forearm	Adm. 14 Con. Dep. Trouville	18th July '18.
17248	" Windmill, G.	RE. 4 Sge. Coy.	Neurasthenia	Adm. 14 Con. Dep. Trouville	18th July '18.
368214	Sgt. Worsley, N.	RE. 154 Fld. Coy.	ICT, Finger L.	Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre	20th July '18.
	Cpl. Hicks, H.	RE. R. Mon. 7 A.T. Coy.	Influenza	Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre	20th July '18.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (TRANSPORTATION BRANCH)

LIST No. H.A. 28560

505120	Spr. Harding, F.	RE. I.W.T.		Dis. to Duty Class "A" ex 4 Con. Dep. Havre	19th Jul '18.
T4/037424	Dvr. Jones, T.	RE. 315 Rd. Con. Coy.	P.U.O.	Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre	20th July '18.
WR/504980	Sgt. Lipman, C.	RE. I.W.T.	Gastritis	Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre	20th July '18.

DUBLIN RECORD OFFICE.

LIST No. H.A. 28560

14722	Pte. Grady, G.	15th R.I. Rfls.		Dis. to Reinf. 1 Base Class "A" ex 4 Con. Dep. Havre	20th July '18.
41314	" McMurray, S.	9th Do.		Dis. to Reinf. 1 Base Class "A" ex 4 Con. Dep. Havre	20th July '18.
20042	" Donaldson, P.	9th R. Ir. Fus.	D.A.H.	Dis. to 1 M.B. Base Dep. ex 4 Con. Dep. Havre	20 July '18.
2157	" McKeaveney, J.	12th R.I.R.	Do.	Dis. to 1 M.B. Base Dep. ex 4 Con. Dep. Havre	20 July '18.
18706	" Ross, T.	1st R. Ir. Rfls.	Influenza	Adm. 4 Con. Dep. Havre	20th July '18.

NEWFOUNDLAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

LIST No. H.A. 28560

2291	Pte. Spurrell, H.	1st Newfoundlands.	P.U.O.	Dis. to Base Dep. Rouen ex 14 Con. Dep.	18th July '18.
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SICK AND WOUNDED N.G.O's AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.

C.R. 2291

L E R Y - ROYAL HORSE & ROYAL FIELD.

LIST No. H.A. 25100

ADM. 73 GEN. HOS. TROUVILLE 16th JUNE 1918.

66760	Dvr. Bickerstaffe, W.	RFA. 32/55-	Bde.	Cont. Back. Mild.
37027	Bdr. Dowse, W.D.	do. D/286-	do.	Abras. Lt. Knee. Mild.
81707	Dvr. Wilson, G.	do. B/250-	do.	P.U.O. Mild.
53080	Gnr. Horne, W.	do. C/95-	do.	Frac. Lt. Ankle. Mild.
701551	" Williams, A.G.	do. C/95-	do.	W. Cont. Rt. Eye. do.
48392	Dvr. Cooper, B.	do. C/87-	do.	W. Gas Shell. do.
110466	" Plested, F.	do. 21-	D.A.C.	Cont. Rt. Leg. do.
961044	Gnr. Strudwick, E.C.	do. 34/189-	A. Bde.	Trench fever. do.
801824	Bdr. Atkinson, C.	do. C/295-	Bde.	Supp. Lymphatic Gland. Mild.
167061	Dvr. Marshall, F.	do. 98-	Army Bde.	ICT. Legs & Lt. Thigh. do.
60023	Cpl. Smith, A.	do. 402/14-	A. Bde.	Phimosis. Mild.
95065	S. Sm. Fletcher, F.S.	do. 464/179-	Bde.	Neurasthenia. Mild.
801251	Gnr. Baumber, A.	do. D/94-	Bde.	Influenza. Mild.
103094	Dvr. Lacey, D.	do. B/88-	do.	ICT. Buttocks. Mild.
2538	Gnr. Woan, T.	do. A/165-	do.	Myalgia. Mild.
988766	" Badham, E.	do. 86-	B.A.C.	ICT. Neck. do.
229510	" Rowlands, W.	do. 564/179-	Bde.	Trench fever. Mild.
160271	" Town, W.	do. D/250-	do.	W. Gas Shell. do.
920253	" Hemsley, A.	do. 377/169-	do.	P.U.O. Mild.
622028	Bdr. Saunders, J.	do. B/298-	do.	Inf. Sub-maxillary Gland. Mild.
82033	Sgt. Hopper, G.S.	do. 46-	D.A.C.	Influenza. Mild.
751198	Gnr. Welburn, J.A.	do. B/286-	Bde.	ICT. 3. Rt. Finger. Mild.
46566	" Downs, W.J.	do. X. 25-	T.M.B.	Influenza. Mild.
755153	" Mattison, F.	do. A/250-	Bde.	W. Gas Shell. Mild.

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NEWFOUNDLAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

LIST No. H.A. 25100

2291 Pte. Spurrell, E. 1- R. Newfoundlands. P.U.O. Mild. Adm. 73 Gen. H. Trouville 16th June '18.

C.R. 2291

SICK AND WOUNDED N.C.O.'s AND MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE.

LIST.No.H.A.24444.



MACHINE GUN CORPS.

202030	Gnr.Brimhead,CJ.	8-Bn.Tank Corps.	V.D.G.Mild.	. . .	.Adm.1 Sty.H.Rouen.4th.June'18.
81870	Pte.Courtney,T.C	58- M.G.Bn.late	V.D.G.Mild.	. . .	.Adm.1 Sty.H.Rouen.4th.June'18.
		22- London Regt.			

ADM. 12 STY.H. ST.POL. 31ST. MAY 1918.

27954	Sgt.Lawson,V.	. . .	M.G.Cps.39-Btn.	. . .	Injury L.Foot.Mild.
107468	Pte.Forrester,D.	. . .	M.G.Cps.39-Btn.	. . .	Infl.Mid Ear Mild.
17980	Sgt.Brown,F.C.	. . .	M.G.Cps.5- "	. . .	Loss of Teeth Mild.
67649	Pte.Andrews,S.J.D.	. . .	M.G.Cps.5- "	. . .	do. do. do.
312468	" Gorman,J.	. . .	9- Tank Btn.	. . .	Infl.Mid Ear Mild.
75667	" Jones,O.G.	. . .	Tank Cps.3-A.W.S.	. . .	Synovitis R.Knee Mild.
77512	Cpl.Clayden,W.C.	. . .	Tank Cps.C.W.S.	. . .	ICT.Neck Mild

78415	Pte.Bowe,T.O.	. . .	Tank Cps.C.W.S.	. . .	Injury Face.Eye.Mild.
313365	Spr.Masters,H.G.	. . .	R.E.att.Tank Corps.H.Q.	. . .	Injury R.Leg.Mild.

108310	Pte.Warrener,W.	M.G.Corps.61-Btn.	. . .	.Dis.to Duty.ex 12 Sty.H.St.Pol.31st.May'18.
85557	L/C.Mollart,R.	16- K.L'pools.now M.G.C.9-Btn.	SW.Arm.R. . . .	.Adm.32 Sty.H.Wimereux.3rd.June'18.

No.1.RECORD OFFICE - Y O R K.

LIST.No.H.A.24444.

41315	Pte.Gilberthorpe,F.	6- N'land Fus.	. . . . .	.Dis.to M.B.Dep.ex 1 Sty.H.Rouen.3rd.June'18.
204250	Sgt.Britton,W.	19- D.L.I.	. . . . .	.Dis.to Camp.Adjutant.ex 1 Sty.H.Rouen.3rd.June'18.
237074	Pte.Winter,J.F.	4-Northumb Fus.	?Measles Mild.	.Adm.25 Sty.H.Rouen.2nd.June'18.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

LIST.No.H.A.24444.

2291	Pte.Spurrell,H.	1- R.N.Foundlands.Dis.to Camp Adjutant.ex 1 Sty.H.Rouen.3rd.June'18.
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C.R. 2291



WOUNDED & SICK N.C.Os & MEN OF THE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE - FRANCE

CAVALRY - YORK

35784 Pte. Vaughan E. Warwick Yeo.
35802 Pte. Pace E.G. -do-

LIST NO.H.A.24755
Influenza Sev..Adm.11 sty.H.Rouen 10 June.18.
PUO Sev. ADL. 11 Sty H.Rouen 10 June.18.

NO. 1. RECORD OFFICE - PRESTON

123420 Pte. Adams, J. 7/Border Rgt.

LIST NO.H.A.24755
Dis.to Reinf.Camp Rouen ex 11 Sty.H.10 June.18

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NO. 1. RECORD OFFICE - YORK

202984 Pte. Bernard G.R. 4/Yorks.

LIST NO.H.A.24755
Dis.to Reinf.Camp Rouen Cl.A.ex 11 Sty H.10 June.18.

ARMY SERVICE CORPS

2/074402 Pte. Mills.H.L. ASC. 1 H.R.Shop.

LIST NO.H.A.24755
ICT Arm.L Mild.Dis.to Unit ex Dentention H.Paris 8 June.18.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

X 2291 Pte. Spurrell N. 1/R New Rgt.

LIST NO.H.A.24755
ICR KneeL Sev..Adm.11 Sty H Rouen 10 June.18.

C.R. 2291

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Expeditionary Force---
France, Lit No: H.A. 25342, dated 1 July 1918.

2291 Pte. H. Spurrell.

1 Royal Newfoundland Inf.... P.U.O.

Adm. 14 Convalescent Depot Trouville 22 June 1918.

C.R. 2291

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal
Nfld. Regt. In the field, dated 8-6-18.

#2291 Pte. H. Spurrell.

Admitted Hospital. Venereal 19-8-18 dis. 4-6-18

C.R. 2291

Extract of Memorandum from Pay and Record Office London dated May 13th. 1918

DIVISIONAL CERTIFICATE.

The following certificate has been received:

3291 Pte. H. Spurrell, M.M.

(Card.)

C.R. 2291

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Expeditionary Force
-----France. List No: H.A2 22222. Dated 26th. April. 1918.

2291 Pte. H. Sparrell

Royal Newfoundland Regiment..... V.D.S. Mild

Adm. 1 Sty. Hos. Rouen ex 56 Gen. H. 18 April 1918.

C.R. 2291

Extract of Sick and Wounded N.C.Os. and Men of the Expeditionary
Force, France, dated 25th April, 1918.

List No: H.A. 8650.

2291 Pte. H. Spurrell

1st Newfoundland Inf..... SW. Eye R. Mild.

Adm. 6 Sty. Hos. Prevent and dis.to 30 AT. 17 Apl. 1917.

C.R. 2291

Excerpt from Nominal Roll of Draft No. 37 embarked Southampton 8/2/18
from 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment, to 1st Batta, Royal Newfoundland
Regiment N.E.F.

2291 Pte. Spurrell, H.

February 7, 1918.


Sir:-

With further reference to your telegram of January 31st, and my reply of February 2nd, I am directed to inform you that information has been received from the record office, London, stating that 2291 Pte. H.S. Spurrell is with the 2nd Battalion at the Depot, Winchester.

I have the honour to be,

Sirs

Your obedient servant,



Major.

Chief Staff Officer.

Simon Spurrell Esq.,

Badgers Quay.

C.R. 2291

Feb. 2, 18.

Simon Spurrell Esq.,
Badgers Quay, B.B.

Sir:-

Your telegram of 31st inst., has been received and I am directed to inform you that a cable has been forwarded to the Record Office, London, making enquiries concerning #2291 Pte. Heber Spurrell. I shall be glad to notify you when a reply has been received.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



Major.

Chief Staff Officer.

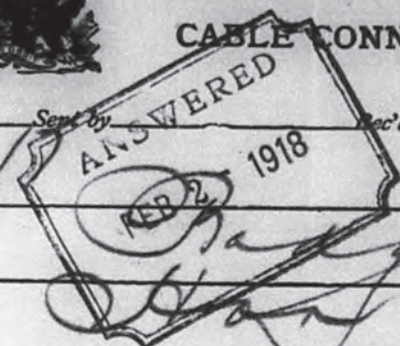
WFR-KMD.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Lane No. _____ Sent by _____ Rec'd by _____ Check _____ No. _____

Place from _____
To _____
W. L. Bennett
Min of Militia



May 3 11 31 1918

Please Make enquiries
concerning Ote Heber
Spurnell 2291 anxious
to hear!
Simon Spurnell

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

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

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

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

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

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

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated 17th October, 1917.
To Mr. Simon Spurrell,
 Pool's Island, B.B.

Referring your enquiry concerning 2291 Private Heber Spurrell, M.M., I am now in receipt of a reply from the Record Office, London, to the effect that he is convalescent at Ashford, Kent, suffering from inflammation of arm.

R. A. SQUIRES,
 Colonial Secretary.



NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 28 Sent by _____ Rec'd by _____ Check _____ No. _____

Place from Badgers Quay

To Mr H. Spurrell

97 St J
13
1871 ST 130

2291 m m
1st nplb Regt Wandsworth
Hospital
of Colsey.

Anxious to know if
improving and what
illness is.

Father

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Counter No.

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated **October 13, 1917.**

To **Synoptical,
London.**

**WSM for 2291 Spurrell - anxious to know if improving
and what illness is. FATHER .**

COLONIALS SECRETARY.

FOR TYPEWRITER

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated 6th October, 1917.
To Mr. Simson Spurrell,
 Pools Island, B.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office
 London, officially reports No. 2291 Private
 Heber Spurrell, M.M., at Wandsworth no particulars
 known.

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

JOHN R. BENNETT,
 Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

2291 Pte. Heber Spurrell, M.M.

Extract of Casualty list received October 6, 1917.

At Wandsworth (No particulars).

2291 P.O. H. Sparrell

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Sept. 19th. 1917.

Dear Sir;-

I have the honour to advise you that a telegram received from the Pay & Record Office, London, indicates that your son has been awarded the Military Medal for bravery and distinguished service in the Field.

I wish to congratulate you on the splendid part played by your son, and the honour conferred upon him by His Majesty the King in recognition of his work.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Simon Sparrell, Esq.,
Poole Island, B.B.

for Minister of Militia.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



Cable Connection with all the World

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender

John M. Spurrell

Address

Line
Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

for Dept. Sec.

Dated

May 21, 1917.

To

Mr. Simeon Spurrell,

Peel's Island, B.B.

Report received today from Record Office, London, states No. 2291, Private Heber Spurrell, fit for duty France.

J.R. BENNETT

Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

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Signature of Sender

Address

Line
Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

Dated

May 17, 1917.

To

Synoptical,

London.

WSM for Twentytwo ninetyone Spurrell -

No new from you since first report anxious, reply.

Simon Spurrell.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.



NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 66 Sent by No Rec'd by _____ Check 9/-

Place from Badgers Quay

To Pte Heber Spurnell

MAY 19 11 21 AM 1917

2291 Twenty fifth
Genl. Hospital
Etaples. Co Col Suty

no news from you
since first report
anxious reply
Simon Spurnell

Form No. 1



NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 10 Sent by Badgers Quay Rec'd by _____ Check W. J. M.

Place from Badgers Quay
To The Herbert Spurrell
2291 Twenty Fourth

MAY 2 1917

Genl Hosp
Charles
90 Col Sec

E.F.M.

Cheer up ever praying
for you in deep
Sympathy.
Father

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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

Frederick M. Spurrell

Address

Line Number

Rcd

By

Sent

by

Check

for copy to see -

Dated

May 2, 1917.

To

Synoptical,
London.

EEM for twentytwo ninetyone Spurrell -
Cheer up ever praying for you in deep sympathy.
Father.

COLONIAL SECRETARY.

C.R. 2291

Extract from Casualties received from Pay & Record Office,
London, dated April 30th, 1917.

#2291 Pte. H. Spurrell.

Wounded April 14th, 1917.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.



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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender Frederick M. Spurrell Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Check
		<u>Pro D. Spurrell Sec</u>	

Dated April 24, 1917.

To Mr. Simeon Spurrell,
Pool's Island, B.B.

Regret to inform you that Record Office, London, officially reports No. 2291, Private Heber Spurrell, was admitted Twentyfourth General Hospital, Etaples, April seventeenth, suffering from slight gunshot wound in right eye. Upon receipt of further information I shall immediately wire you and trust that next report will be of his convalescence.

J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

FOR TYPEWRITER

C.R. 2291

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

2291 Pte. Spurrell H.

H. Spurrell.

C.R.

2291

P.R.O.

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1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Heber Spurrell, Regl. No. 2291

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

Allotment begins May 1st

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
2109	Father	Simon Spurrell	Boals Island N.B.	50
		Commencing 21/7/16		
Total Allotment, \$				

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

(Sig.) R.P. Helaway
 Officer Commanding
Company
St. John's
April 20th 16
 191

(Sig.) Heber Spurrell
 (Rank) Pk.

No. 2291 Rank Plt Name Sparrell H.

Pay	F.A.	Wkg	Total
1.00	10		1.10
Less Allotment			.80
Net Rate			.30

M.R.P/33.

DEBITS	Date	£ s d	CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	s	s	s	d
				From	To						
<p><i>Defd 7 Yr.</i></p> <p>Balance</p> <p>Acquittance Rolls</p> <p>Hospital Advances</p> <p>A.B. 34</p> <p>P. & R.O. Payments</p> <p><u>7-12-10</u></p> <p><u>7-13-10</u></p> <p>4352 Cash</p> <p>Rep'd 4357</p>	<p>6/17/16</p> <p>6/17/17</p> <p>7/11/17</p>	<p>2 0</p> <p>6 8 4</p> <p>13 6</p> <p>5 0 0</p> <p>15 0</p>	<p>Balance</p> <p>Pay @ Net Rate</p> <p>Ration allowances</p> <p>10 day @ 2/-</p> <p><u>£ 6-17-2</u></p>	<p>6/17</p> <p>6/17</p>	<p>151</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>45</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>4 4 10</p> <p>9 6 2</p> <p>1 0 0</p>	<p>✓</p> <p>✓</p> <p>✓</p>	

4-11-0

CHECKER


CABLEGRAM

No. *58*



Pz

lcm 20
No. of Message

Date **MAY 1917**

The following CABLEGRAM received, at *11 30a* M. "Via Commercial Cables"

From *Stjohnson* No. of Words, *19*

To *lcm Syhoptical London*

*For twentytwo ninetyone
-spurrell cheer up ever
praying for you in deep
sympathy father*

Colonial Secty

RECORD OFFICE	
FILE NO.	<i>2163</i>
DATE	<i>MAY - 3. 1917</i>
ASST.	
ASST.	
FILE NO.	

Waterlow & Sons Limited, Printers, London Wall, London.

No Inquiry respecting this Message can be attended to without the production of this paper. Repetitions of doubtful words should be obtained through the Company's Offices, and not by direct application to the Sender.

6 Cow Dep Staples

May 4th., 7

4092/1.
HA/RC.

2291 Pte. H. Spurrell,
1/1st Newfoundland Regiment,
6, Convalescent Depot, Etaples.

Message from Newfoundland.

The following message has been received from the Colonial Secretary of Newfoundland:- For 2291 Spurrell cheer up ever praying for you in deep sympathy Father.

A reply may be transmitted through this Office at the rate of 2½d per word chargeable to your account.

Major,
Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

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

15th October,

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2291, Pte. H. Spurrell, 1st Newfoundland R.,
V.A.D. Hospital, Ashford, Kent.

Transmission of Cablegram.

The following cablegram received to-day from
the Hon. the Colonial Secretary of Newfoundland is
transmitted to you, please.

"For 2291 Spurrell anxious to know
"if improving and what illness is
"Father-"

If you wish to reply to the above by cable
you may do so through this Office. Such message
would be charged to your account at the rate of
2½d. per word.

Major,

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

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

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.



NEAVE & SPURRWOODS, Ltd., Lond.

If the Receiver of an Inland Telegram doubts its accuracy, he may have it repeated on payment of half the amount originally paid for its transmission, any fraction of 1d. less than $\frac{1}{2}$ d. being reckoned as $\frac{1}{2}$ d.; and if it be found that there was any inaccuracy, the amount paid for repetition will be refunded. Special conditions are applicable to the repetition of Foreign Telegrams.

Office of Origin and Service Instructions.

Office Stamp.



St Johns NS

Charges } s. d.
to pay }

Handed } 12.50p Received }
in at } here at } 12.50p

TO { Ws m Synoptical London
For twenty ^{two} news + ninetyone Spurrell
No report from you since
first report anxious
Spurrell

RECEIVED	
PAY & RECORD	
Rec'd.	2270 Simon
Ack'd.	MAY 18 1917
Ans'd.	
File No.	

Col. Secy.
2091 Ave. H. Spurrell
B.S.F.

2291

No. 1109.

ANGLO-AMERICAN WESTERN UNION DIRECT UNITED STATES CABLEGRAM



Prefix _____ Code _____		SENT		FOR STAMPS	
WORDS	CHARGE	At _____	To _____	By _____	
21 ✓		VIA ANGLO.			
THIS FORM WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ALL POST OFFICE TELEGRAPH STATIONS.					

6/11/17 TO PREVENT MISTAKES PLEASE WRITE DISTINCTLY.

To EFM SIMEON SPURRELL
POOLS. ISLAND
BONAVISTA BAY (Newfoundland)

ON FURLOUGH FROM HOSPITAL CABLE FORTY POUNDS THROUGH
MINISTER MILITIA STJOHNS

2291 PTE H SPURRELL

Handwritten notes:
 21
 2 1/2
 42
 10 1/2
 4-4 1/2 ✓
 Charge of 2291 Spurrell

II Command Depot

CHARGED
 PAY BOOK *Command Depot*
 Date *6/12/17* by *RJA*

CHECK
W.A.C.P.

(Authorised)

NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED.

Having read the conditions printed on the back hereof, I request that the above telegram be forwarded by the Western Union Telegraph-Cable System, subject to the said conditions to which I agree.

Signature _____ Address **58 Victoria St. S.W. 1.**

CABLE ADDRESSES REGISTERED IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD, OR WITH ANY COMPANY, ARE AVAILABLE OVER THE LINES OF THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH-CABLE SYSTEM.

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2291, Pte. H. Spurrell,
1/1st. Newfoundland Regiment,
B. E. F.

HA/WF

MESSAGE FROM NEWFOUNDLAND.

The following message has been received from
the Colonial Secretary of Newfoundland:-
"For twenty ninty one Spurrell no news from you
"since first report anxious reply Simon Spurrell".
Reply at the rate of 2¹/₂d. per word can be
transmitted through this office, if desired, and the
amount charged to your account.

Major,
Paymaster & O i/c Records.

CABLEGRAM

No. *Por*



No. of Message *5 X P 48*

Date, *13 OCT 1914*

The following CABLEGRAM received, at

11/8/14 M. "Via Commercial Cables,"

From *Johns*

No. of Words, *18*

To

W.S.M. Synoptical London

for 2291 Spurrell anxious to know of improving and what illness is father

Col. Spurrell
2291 M.C. H. Spurrell -
V.A.D. Hosp.
Ashford - Kent.

1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT	
PAY & RECORD OFFICE	
Ref No. <i>5889</i>	
Date <i>14 OCT 1914</i>	<i>45 am 14/</i>
Acc'd.	
Ans'd.	
File No.	

10664/1

No. 14313/74

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

N. F. P. 179.

From

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

To

Officer Commanding,
Northern Command Depot
Ripon

Subject: 21st December 1917

Subject: 2291, Pte. H. Spurrell

With reference to the following telegram (8203) from the Hon. Minister of Militia, received
20/12/17

Pay to 2291, Spurrell, £15:0:0

Drafts £15:0:0 is enclosed for payment to this Soldier.

Kindly obtain his receipt hereon.

F. V. Marshall
Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Jan 4th 1917

Receipt hereunder.

J. Seymour
In. Officer Comdg. 1st Batta Coy
1st Newfoundland Regiment

Received the sum of £15:0:0

Pounds on account of
cable remittance from Newfoundland.

H Spurrell

No. 2291 Rank Pt

14768/899

(3004) Wt. W6726 M2885. 10,000,000. 9/17. G. & Co.

Army Form C. 348.

Forms
C. 348

PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

MEMORANDUM.

S.C., "H" COY.,
2/1 NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

From
VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W. 1.
ENGLAND.

From

To Officer Commanding,
2/1st Newfoundland Regt.
Ayr, N. B.

To

P. & R. C.

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office,

31st December 1917

2291, Pte. H. Spurrell.

Postal Draft for £35:15:0
was forwarded to the above
soldier on 12/11/17, and no
acknowledgement has yet been
received.

Kindly obtain the Soldier's
receipt hereon.

A. D. Munn
Major,
Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records

4/1/18.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT 191

PAY & RECORDS OFFICE

345

10 JAN 1918

CI NOS. OUT

Received Payment

of £35-15-0

P.S.

2291 H. Spurrell

J. Seymour
for S.C., "H" COY.,
2/1 NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

12075/1/P&A

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

2291, Pte. H. Spurrell,
1st. Newfoundland Regt.
Central Y. M. C. A.
Sanchiehall St.
Glasgow.

Pay & Record Office,

12th, November 1917.

REMITTANCE FROM NEWFOUNDLAND.

Authority has been
received from the Hon. the
Minister of Militia, Newfoundland,
to pay you £35.15. 0. for
which Postal Drafts are enclosed.

Kindly acknowledge
hereon.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & I/c Records.

14768/2

A.M.F.C.

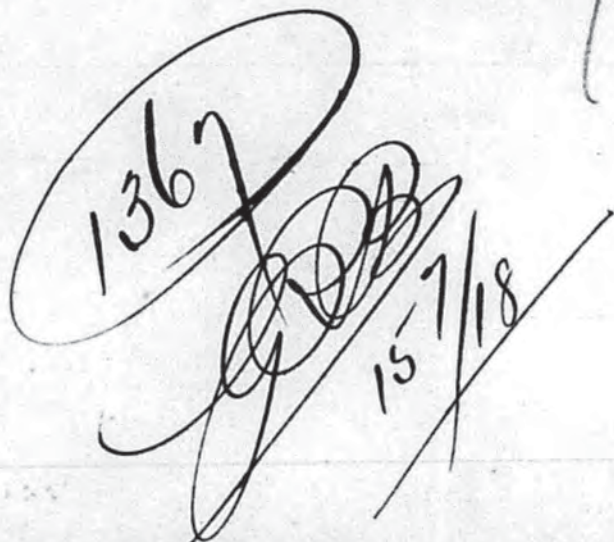
INVENTORY OF WOUNDED MEN'S EFFECTS.

M.F. 22.

HAVRE.

Sack No. _____

Inward Pro. No.	Package No.	Rank	Name	Regtl. No.	Regiment	£	s.	d.	Articles
						Fcs.	Cs.		
<u>R</u>	<u>20822</u>	<u>Pte</u>	<u>Spurrell H</u>	<u>2291</u>	<u>1st Newfoundland Regt</u>				<u>Red & Green Sacs</u>

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 15/7/18

Waybiller J. J. G.Caller-Off C. J. G.

11828/3

V. A. D. Hospital,
Ashford, Kent.

6th, November 7
2291, Pte. H. Spurrell,
1st. Newfoundland Regt.

6517

4 11 17,-

"Pay to 2291 Spurrell £4.2.0

No Receipt

Deposited to 20/11/17
[Signature]

No. 2291 Rank Pte. (cook) Name Spurrell H.

Pay	T.A.	Net Rate
750	10	1.60
Less Allowance		.80
Net Rate		.80

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate		
						From	To		£	s	d
Balance					Balance	20-12-18					2-12-7
Acquittance Rolls		7	15	6	Pay @ Net Rate	4-1-19	24-1-19	35	80	2800	
Hospital Advances					Pay as cook	5-1-19	20-1-19	16	50	800	7-7-11
A.B. 64.										3600	
P.&R.O. Payments					Gr. Bal.						£100-6
Wepor do.		5	0	0	£3-15-0						
<u>£12-15-6</u>											
Cash	23-1-19	1	0	0							

£12-15-6 Cash R 919

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BY ORDER OF THE

MEMORANDUM

4537/127/R.&.C.

CHIEF PAYMASTER & OFFICER I/C RECORDS,
NEWFOUNDLAND CO. REGIMENT,
58, VICTORIA STREET,
LONDON, S.W.1
E. G. M. D.

Officer Commanding,
1/Bn. Royal Nfld Regt,
B. E. F.

Pay & Record Office,

21st March, 8

29th DIV'L CARDS AND CERTIFICATES

Herewith Cards No. 202 for
2291 Pte. H. Spurrell, who again
proceeded to the B.E.F. 8/2/18.

Kindly deliver and obtain
receipt, which should be sent to
this Office, please.

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/JC

C.R. 2291

June 19th 1919.

FROM: Casualty Officer
TO: #2291, Pte. H. Spurrell, M.M.,
Pool's Island, BONNE BAY.

I have recently received from the Chief Paymaster, London the 29th Divisional Certificate No.202, issued by the General Officer Commanding the 29th Division, in recognition of your gallant services on the 16th Aug. 1917.

I am attaching receipt which I shall be glad if you will kindly sign and return to this Office at your earliest convenience.

Lieut.

CASUALTY OFFICER.

FAB/AW.

C.R. 2291

Extracts from Hospital Bill of the Royal Navy, Dept
of the Admiralty, U.S. GOVERNMENT, Jan. 20, 1919.

2291 Spruell

C.R. 2291

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal Wfld.

Regt. St. John's, April 11th, 1919.

Discharges on demobilization CONFIRMED by Officer
i/c Records from 8-4-19.

2291 Pte. Heber Spurrell

C.R. 2291

Extract from Daily Orders Part 11 Unit The Royal
Nfld. Regt. March 27th, 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted has been APPROVED by O.C.
Discharge Depot on noted date.

2291 Pte. Heber Spurrell

25-3-19.

4537/127/R.&C.

Form
O. 348
1917

C.R. 291

MEMORANDUM.

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

From

To

To
Officer Commanding,
1/Bn. Royal Nfld Regt,
B. E. F.

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office,

21st March, 1918

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29th DIV'L CARDS AND CERTIFICATES

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2291 Pte. H. Spurrell, who again
proceeded to the B.E.F. 8/2/18.

Kindly deliver and obtain
receipt, which should be sent to
this Office, please.

A. J. Spurrell Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

HA/JC

CR. 2291

No. 2291

N.F.P./55.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Pools Island. Bonne Bay.

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

To: 2291. Pte H Spurrell. m.m.

1st Bn. Royal Newfoundland Regt. March 16th 1918
B. E. F. France.

Herewith 29th Divisional Certificate No 202.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon:

(Sig.) Heber Spurrell

(Date) June 25th

H. R. Anderson, Lieut.
for Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO
DEPARTM'T OF MILITIA
AND QUOTE NO.2291

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND,

June 19th 1919.

RECEIVED FROM DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA:

One 29th Divisional Certificate No. 202.

SIGNED.....*Heber Spurrell*.....DATE. *June 25th*.....Kindly sign and return to this Office.

C.R. 2291

July 21st. 1919.

2291 Pte. H. Spurrell, M.M.
Pool's Island.

Dear Sir:-

I am forwarding you by Registered mail one package addressed to you which arrived by the S.S. Sachem on July 10th. 1919.

I enclose herewith receipt, will you kindly sign same and return to this Department at your earliest convenience

Yours faithfully,
[Signature]

Casualty Officer.

BC.

C.R. 2252

Extract from Medical Board held on Tuesday June 24th, 1919.

2252 Pte. B.Hogan

Recommended discharge from the Army ADMISSION TO JENSEN CAMP.

EXTRACT FROM STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT TO 30-1-19 FROM PAY AND

RECORD OFFICE, LONDON

2291 Pte. Spurrell, H. Dr. Bal. 23-7-7 plus 1 day's pay (31-1-19)

This transferred to Pay Office 2-4-19

C.R. 2291

Heber Spurrell

was attested for General

Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON March 18th 1916

Regimental No. 2291 was allotted to Ptes H. Spurrell

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia.

March 25th 1919

Spurrell, H.

2291

Ray sept



Y. Mans
15034 *EW*

March 31st. 1919

The Department of Militia.

The sum of Twenty Dollars \$20.00 is due
Mr Peter Lush, Middle-Brook, Gambo, for driving 2291 Pte.
H. Spurrell to his home.

Voucher Attached.

o.k. \$20.00
31-3-19 *C. B. Dukes*
Capt

Demobilization Officer
Discharge Depot-Newfoundland

No. 4308

TRAVELLING WARRANT

Date 25-3-19

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

General

20 de la

Please issue 1st Class Passage and Meals for

No. 2295

Rank Pte

Name H. Spurrill

From Gambto.

ST. JOHN'S

To Three Rocks

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEPOT ST. JOHN'S, N.F.

PLEASE QUOTE THIS WARRANT NUMBER
ON STATEMENT AND MEAL CHECKS

C. J. Dickson Col

SIGNATURE OF ISSUING OFFICER

Demobilisation Office
Discharge Depot - Newfoundland

Peter Furb

Middle

Brook

Gamble

April 8th.1919.

Mr. Peter Lush,
Midle Brook,
Gambo.

Dear Sir

I beg to enclose herewith cheque for \$20.0,
being the amount due you for driving No.2291, Private
H.Spurrell to his home.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

Enc.1.
J/H.

April 8th., 1919

#2291 Pte. Heber Spurrell,

Badger Quay, B.B.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate
No. 1630."

Yours truly,

Paymaster & U. I/ c Records Captain,

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2291 Rank Pte Name Spurrell Heber
 Intended place of residence Badger Quay Bonaville
2. Occupation Fisherman
 Classification of soldier E Medical Category A. I.
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 MAR 24 1919 W. H. May Capt
 Date MAR 24 1919 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
24. 3. 19

H. Spurrell
 Signature of soldier

Joseph A. Snowfield
 Signature of witness

CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY SOLDIER

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

Place and Date ST. JOHN'S
22- 3 - 19

H. Spurrell
 Signature of soldier

R. Wilson
 Signature of witness

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 21. 2 - 16 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 25 - 3 - 19 Service 1142

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 R. H. Lunt Capt
 Officer Commanding Discharge Depot
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date MAR 25 1919

CONFIRMATION OF DISCHARGE

9. The discharge of above mentioned soldier is hereby confirmed.
- Place St. John's Med R. Bowley Capt
 Date April 8th 1919 Officer i/c Records
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

A.A. 20/19/16 30

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization:

9

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date *22.3.19*

Regimental No. *2291*

Name *M. J. H. H. H. H.*

Address *Badgers Quay*

Present Medical Category *Ai*

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

Members of Board { *R. H. Lant Capt*
O.C. Discharge Depot.

Members of Board { *L. P. H. com*
Senior Medical Officer

Members of Board { *W. O. Depot*
M. O. Depot

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2291 Rank P14 Name Spurnell Fisher
 Date of Enlistment 21.2.16 Address Budget Quay District Bonaville
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge 6 Medical Category AI
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P|36.....	B 268.....	B 121.....	N.F. Med.....	D.F. 1.....	1
B 178.....	W 3494.....	B 122.....	Board 1st.....	" 2.....	
B 178a.....	D 400A.....	B 1915.....	do 2nd.....	" 3.....	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 22.3.19
 O. C. Discharge Depot. H. W. H.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am.....not.....in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date 22.3.19
P. Dickson

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

- (a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00
- (b) Clothing Supplied J. A. Snow

Date 24-3-19
 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. _____ to his home at _____ and Release Certificate No. 1648 issued.

Date 24-3-19 Ch. S. Dinkal 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 8-1-19

Date 24-3-19 W. H. M. Capt.
Depot Paymaster.

EXEMPT TO ADJUSTMENT OF OVERSEAS PAY ACCT.

Discharge approved for... 25.3.19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36.....	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 24-3-19 J. H. Snowford
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:—
Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.
with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

Date MAR 25 1919 R. H. Lait Capt.
O. C. Discharge Depot.

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

Date

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Spurrell Christian Name Hecker 87

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish		County	
		SPECIAL RESERVE.	REGULAR ARMY
Examined	.....	on <u>21st</u> day of <u>February</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on day of 191
	.....	at <u>St. John's Nfld.</u>	at
Declared Age	.....	<u>19</u> years <u>6</u> days	..... years days
Trade or Occupation	.....	.....	.....
Height	.....	<u>5</u> feet <u>8</u> inches	..... inches
Weight	.....	<u>142</u> lbs.	..... lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded...	<u>38½</u> inches	..... inches
	Range of expansion..	<u>3½</u> inches	..... inches
Physical Development	.....	.....	.....
Vaccination Marks	Arm	Right	Right
	Number	Left	Left
When Vaccinated	.....	.....	.....
Vision	.....	R.E.—V= <u>6/6</u>	R.E.—V=
	.....	L.E.—V= <u>6/6</u>	L.E.—V=
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	.....	.....	.....
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	.....	.....	.....
Approved by (Signature)	.....	<u>Samuel Paterson</u>	.....
(Rank)	.....	<u>Capt</u> Medical Officer.	..... Medical Officer.
Enlisted	.....	at <u>St. John's</u>	at
	.....	on <u>21</u> day of <u>Febry.</u> 191 <u>6</u>	on day of 191
Joined on Enlistment	.....	Corps. <u>1st Nfld Reg</u>	Corps.
	.....	Regtl. No. <u>2291</u>	Regtl. No.
Transferred to	.....	<u>1st Newfoundland</u>	.....
Became non-effective by	.....	.....	.....
(Signature)	.....	on day of 191	on day of 191
(Rank)	.....	.....	.....



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

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of further use. In cases of syphilis, admissions and 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				
2nd London General Hospital, St. Mark's College, King's Road, CHELSEA, S.W.	10	17	11	10	17		Abscess (L. arm).	9		<i>Ind'ature L. arm Anketa Rec. AM/Bwchota. R. J. Harris Lt. Col., R.A.M.C., M.O. 1/c Northern Command RIF</i>
Asphodels	"	10	17	5	"	17	"	24	recovered.	
Military Hospital, Shorncliffe	5	"	'7	5	"	'7	do.	2	to 10 days Class II	
S. G. D. Ripon	15	11	17	11	12	17	— " —	26	Lat. A III	

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:

*I would like to get work
with the Hudson Bay Co.*

H. Spruell
Signature of Man.

Reg. No. *7291*

W. Matthews
Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Place

S. John's

Date

March 22nd 1919

No.

118

11.27.19

191

To

Quartermaster

Please deliver to bearer

2291 Spurrell

1 Kit Bag

1 pair Boots

1 pair Underwear

And charge to account of

R. H. Sait Capt.

~~DEROT~~ ST. JOHN'S, N.F.

The Royal Newfoundland Reg't.

Regtl. No. 2291

Rank PTG

Name Sparrell A.

Date from 10. 2. 19

to 24. 3. 19

Proceeding to Pools Isls.

Date 10. 2. 19

Commanding _____

If a general mobilization is ordered every soldier on pass must return immediately to his unit without waiting for instructions.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

DEPOT—ST. JOHN'S, N.F.

PASS

No. 291

(Name) Spurnell A.

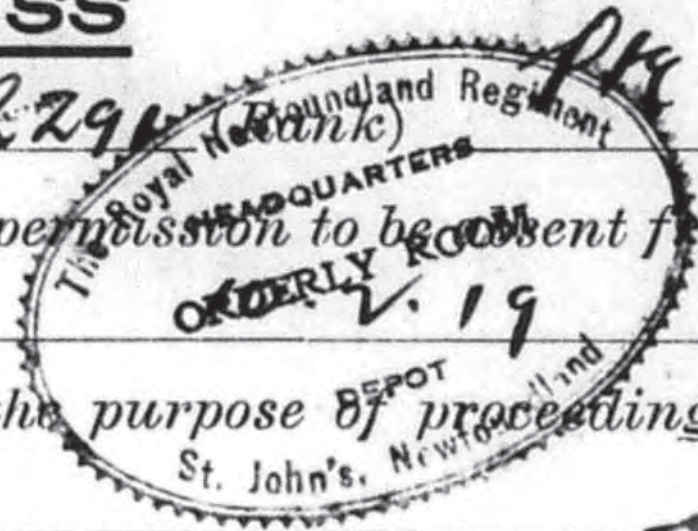
has permission to be sent from his quarters, from

for the purpose of proceeding to Roos Id.

(Date) 10.2.19

R. H. Lait Capt.

Commanding



Queen Hotel / Queen A

No. 2291 Name

Heber Spinnell

Sqn. Batty,
or Company

A5

Regt
Corps

Royal Newfoundland

Date of
Enlistment

18/3/16

G.C.
Badges

Service or
Proficiency Pay

Date of last entry in
Company Conduct Sheet

No. and date
of last drunk

Period not reckoning towards
freedom from extra fine

Sheet No. *1*

Signature O.C.
Company, etc.

Fredk G. A. Russell

Character

V. Good

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

Army Form B. 122

April 14, 1919

#2291 Pte. Heber Spurrell,

Badger's Quay, B.B.

Dear Sir:-

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

Yours truly

Paymaster & C. i/ c Records ^{Uapt.}

15603

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

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

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

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

Christian name. *Deber* 2. Surname. *Spurrell*

3. Rank. *Private* 4. Regt. No. *2291*

5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded. *Badgers Quay B.B.*

6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment. *15th March 1916*

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

Allotment to Father

8. Relationship of such dependents. *Father*

9. Address in full of such dependent. *Sumner Spurrell Badgers Quay B.B.*

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 Hfld. If so, give dates, and particulars of such service. *in France*

12. Give total length of time which you served on active service, whether in Hfld. or Overseas. *25 months in France - 8 months in England*

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

No

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.....

upon being discharged. \$112. for Clothing

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

No

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

Yes

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.?..... If not give:- (a) Date of discharge..... (b) Reason for discharge.....

No. No longer required. With Merit 19. Service

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.....

Somme, different parts of Belgium, Cambrai, Arras and other parts of France

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.....

No

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

Signature of Applicant: *Dwight H. Heber*

Place of Residence:

Declared before me at: *Badger Quay*

This *28th* day of *March* 19*44*

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

Arthur H. Stipendiary Magistrate

POST DISCHARGE PAY.				War Service	Net amount
Date paid	Paid Soldier	Paid Dependent	Gratuity	due	
.....	6 mes.	.....	420. ⁰⁰ / ₁₀₀
.....
.....
Certified Correct.				Paymaster:	<i>D</i>



3 / 2
1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ALLOTMENTS

I, Heber Spurrell, Regl. No. 2291

hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
Dollars and 50 Cents, per diem, from my Pay,
to, and for the benefit of the undermentioned Person $\frac{\text{and}}{\text{or}}$ Persons, such payment to be made on proof
of identity of, and production of the relative Identity Certificates by the Person $\frac{\text{and}}{\text{or}}$ Persons
concerned, viz :

Allotment begins May, 1st

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)	
2109	Father	Simon Spurrell	Boals Island B. B.		50
Total Allotment, \$					

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

(Sig.) R. P. Holloway
for Lieut
Officer Commanding
A Company
St John
April 25th 1916

(Sig.) Heber Spurrell
(Rank) Pfc.

2291

Badgers Quay
Sep. 18th /16

P. J. McGrath
St Johns

Dear Sir

Received Pte
Heber Spurrells Allotment
dated Sep 1st but received no
sheet, so I thought it my
duty to let you know.
Thanks very much.

I remain

Yours truly
Simon Spurrell

ST. JOHN'S, Mar 27th /19

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To He - H. Spurrell

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Feb 16th /19 to Mar 19th /19

<u>2291 - He - H. Spurrell</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>20</u>
<u>14426</u>		<u>EW</u>

Certified correct for \$ 33 20

J. A. Spurrell
Billeting Officer.

RECEIVED *Trans. (C)*
 NO. *15344*
 DATE *April 7th. 1919*
 THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
 OFFICE

The Department of Militia.

The sum of Thirty-Dollars \$30.00. is due
 Mr B. Collins, Wellington for driving 2291 Pte. H. Spurrell
 from Three--Brooks, to Badgers Quay.

Account for \$ 30.⁰⁰/₁₀₀

J. A. Snow
 Discharge Depot - Newfoundland
7/4/19

Ac
 DISTRICT OFFICER
 NEWFOUNDLAND
 Voucher Attached.
 APR 7 1919
 COMMANDING

No. G 309

TRAVELLING WARRANT

Date 25.3.49 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

General ^{rodley} 12 Miles 1 Meals

Please issue 1st Class Passage and Meals for

No. 2291 Rank Pte. Name H Spurrell

From Three Brooks - ST. JOHN'S - To Badger Quay

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment
DEPOT ST. JOHN'S, N.F.

PLEASE QUOTE THIS WARRANT NUMBER
ON STATEMENT AND MEAL CHECKS

OB Dickson

SIGNATURE OF ISSUING OFFICER
Lieut.
Demobilisation Officer
Discharge Depot-Ne.foundland

Mr. Benjamin Collins
Wellington

30 Dollars was offered
for me

April 9th.1919.

Mr.B.Collins,

Wellington, B.B.

Dear Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith cheque for \$30.00,
being the amount due you for driving No.2291,Private H.
Spurrell from Three-Brooks to Badger's Quay.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster.

Enc.1.

J/H.



This Form is to be used in connection with Pamph. M. E. (1)
N. F. 1914

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

Examination of Heber Spurrell
aged 19 conducted at Greensport
Date: February 21, 1916 Recruiting Officer: J. Miffen

NO. OF TEST FINDING

- 1 no
- 2 no
- 3 no
- 4 no
- 5 no
- 6 no
- 7 y/o.
- 8 y/o.
- 9 no - AS.
- 10 no evidence
- 11 Heber Spurrell. Age 19. Foreign.
- 12 Satisfactory
- 13 defective both - rheis all sounds.
- 14 none.
- 15 none.
- 16 none } u
- 17 none } u
- 18 none } u
- 19 Sigmoidal 6/6 Both
- 20 none.
- 21 Satisfactory
- 22 none.
- 23 none.
- 24 Satisfactory
- 25 none.
- 26 none.
- 27 none.
- 28 Hearing Good
- 29 Satisfactory
- 30 Satisfactory
- 31 none.
- 32 none.
- 33 y/o. 1911 2 scars left arm
- 34 5' 7 1/2 in. 5' 8"
- 35 158 lbs. 142 lbs
- 36 37 1/2 in. 35-38 1/2
- 37 \$2.50
- 38 Sumner Spurrell. Father. Vallerfield. B. B.
- 39 Father.

2291 /

7/1

Signature of Medical Examiner: W. B. Burden

D. Spurrison M.B.

AWARDS.

Extract of Daily Orders Part 1.

By Lieut. Col. A. L. Hadow, C.M.G., Nfld. Regt. 30/8/17.

2291 Pte. H. SPURRELL.

Has been awarded the Military Medal by the Corps
Commander, under Authority granted by His Majesty the King.

R

Receipt for Army Book 64

2

No. 2291 Name H. Spurrell

To Certify that I have received the AB 64 of the above named soldier.

Name Heber Spurrell

Date July 31st

Place Badger's Quay

N.B. For completion and return to the Department of Militia
Insert in corner of envelope "AB 64"

W

C.R. 2291

RECEIVED FROM THE DEPT. OF MILITIA.

One package addressed to 2291 Pte. H. Spurrell, M.M.

Signed.....*Heber Spurrell*

Date.....*July 26th*.....

1801 - 27

Fold Here

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

Royal Nfld. Regt.

Dept. of Militia

ST. JOHN'S.

Fold Here

1801 - 27

SEP 22

1921.

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

forwarded herewith to

Heber Spurrell

of his service as No. 2291 Rank Pte/

H. Spurrell

Royal Nfld. Regt.

receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

ved 2 Medals

Sep. 28th

H. Spurrell Badger Quay B. B.

[P.T.O.]

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps *Loyal Newfoundlnd*
 Rank *Pte.* Surname *Spurrell* Christian Name *Heber*
 Religion *Church of England* Age on Enlistment *19* years *6* months
 Enlisted *St. Johns* Terms of Service (a) *Duration* Service reckons from (a) *18.3.16*
 Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) _____
 or Corps Trade and Rate _____
 Occupation *Fisherman* *Wreck by A. Rendal* Signature of Officer *[Signature]*

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.215, Army Form A. 36, 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.215, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked ...	9 FEB 1918	
			Disembarked...	11 FEB 1918	
			Joined Battalion	20 FEB 1918	
	<i>87 FA ad Services</i>		<i>Tied</i>	<i>16/2/18</i>	<i>EO 8877</i>
	<i>89 FA</i>			<i>1/4/18</i>	<i>EO 9871</i>
	<i>41 2 RS</i>	<i>denwants 9/4/18 trans</i>	<i>3 Ausces</i>	<i>13/4/18</i>	<i>E.O. 206</i>
	<i>64 CCS</i>			<i>14/4/18</i>	<i>EO 409</i>
	<i>56 Gen Sp</i>		<i>Retaples</i>	<i>15/4/18</i>	<i>NA 21977</i>
	<i>1 Sig Hor</i>	<i>Adm. (V.O.S. Innd)</i>		<i>18-6-18</i>	<i>14A 92212</i>
	<i>10 Gen Sp</i>	<i>U.O.</i>	<i>Janville</i>	<i>16-6-18</i>	<i>NA 25100</i>
	<i>20 Gps</i>	<i>Foristat, Sp</i>	<i>Raven</i>	<i>10-6-18</i>	<i>Keer "611</i>
	<i>144 Cannon</i>	<i>As. Ruso</i>	<i>Janville</i>	<i>22-6-18</i>	<i>NA 25342</i>
	<i>"D" Gps</i>	<i>arrived</i>	<i>Raven</i>	<i>19-7-18</i>	<i>Race</i>

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

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents. 16/11/50
Date	From whom received				
15/7/18 3/8	D. J. A. D. O. C.	To join unit Rejoined unit	Field —	15/7/18 27-7-18 ✓	Roll B.213
		Transferred to U. K. for No-patriation			Part 2 3/E
					Capt for Lt Col to No Infantry Section G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon.
	Jms				

Regiment or Corps 1st Newfoundland

Rank Pte Surname Spurrel Christian Name Heber

Religion Ch. of E. Age on Enlistment 19 years 6 months.

Enlisted (a) 18/3/16 Terms of Service (a) Duration of War Service reckons from (a) _____

Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____

Extended { _____ } Re-engaged { _____ } Qualification (b) _____
or Corps Trade and Rate _____

Signature of Officer i/c Records.



Report Date	From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c. during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or other official documents
			Em embarked Southampton	3 OCT 1916	
			Disembarked ROUEN	4 OCT 1916	
		Joined Battalion			
			With BATT. 22. I. II		
15.4.17	O.C. Unit	Wounded in Action	France	1 APR 1917	B 213
16.4.17	87 F.A.	Ad. & trans. W. Injured Eye	B. B. A.	14.4.17	L 3085
28.4.17	224 3 Hoop.	Ad. do	Etaples	17.4.17	H.A. 8662
28.4.17	29 I. B. D	Joined Base Depot	Rouen	17.4.17	Nom. Roll.
9.6.17	O.C. Unit	Re-joined Battalion	In the Field?	JUN 1917	B 213
30-9-17	63. G. C. S	Std. I. C. I. L. Hand.		25-9-17	3372 A 36.
	14 Straty Rn	" D.	Humerous	28-9-17	HA 14535
	Princess Elizabeth	In to England		2/10/17	W 3083.

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Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Signature of O. C. Company W. Rendell
Major

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No. <u>2291</u>	<u>Spurrell, Selver</u>	Age on <u>19</u> years <u>6</u> months		<u>Fisherman</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____	Place and Date of Enlistment <u>St. John's</u>			Religion <u>C of E.</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____	<u>March 18/1916</u>	Period of { with Colours <u>3 3/4</u> years. with Reserve <u>3 1/2</u> years.		Place of Birth <u>Pool's Island N.B.</u>	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<u>Drunken & insubordinate</u>	<u>No. 7</u>	<u>COY. NORTHERN COMMAND</u>		<u>DEPT. RIPON.</u>	<u>9 DEC 1917</u>
				<u>Demobilized</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>79</u>			

To be carried over

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

2291

Reg. No. 2291 Rank PIV Name Spurnell Heber
 Date of Enlistment 21.2.16 Address Budge Quay District Bonaville
 Occupation Fisherman Classification for Discharge 6 Medical Category AI
 Recommendation S.M.B. Disability Rating

Passed to Demobilization Officer with following documents:—

N.F. P/36	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 22.3.19 H. Huns H.
 for O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am not in a position to resume civilian occupation.

Spurnell

Particulars passed to Vocational Officer for information and action.

Date 22.3.19 Asdicks Capt

2. Clothing.

Certified that Clothing Regulations have been complied with:—

(a) Clothing Allowance payable \$60.00

(b) Clothing Supplied J. H. Shaw

Date 24-3-19 O. i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

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

Date 24-3-19 Patrick Call
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 8-4-19

Date 24-3-19 W. H. Taylor Capt.
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 25.3.19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P136	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med	D.F. 1
F 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
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B 179c	B 120	M 93		

Date 24-3-19 J. H. Snowdon
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

Documents as above forwarded to:-
Officer i/c Records.
Board of Pension Commissioners.

with following additional documents.

Eligible for War Service Gratuity

MAR 25 1919

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

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

Date 29/3/1919 W. H. Taylor
Depot Paymaster.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

CIVILIAN RE-ESTABLISHMENT ON DEMOBILIZATION

No. 2291 Rank Pte Name Spinnell Weber
 Former Occupation Fisherman Address Badger Quay District Bona Vista
 Class E Medical Category A.I. Disability Rating —

O.C. Discharge Depot.

Above noted man states he has no employment in prospect on his discharge. His personal wish is to obtain a position with Anderson Bay Co. His case has therefore been referred this day to the Vocational Officer for action, and his discharge is therefore held in abeyance.

Date 22-3-19

[Signature]
 Demobilization Officer

To be forwarded Orderly Room in Duplicate.

Reg. No. 2281 Rank Pte Name Spurnell Heber Wm

Attested Address Pool's Island BB

Allotment..... Allottee

Date of Allotment..... Returned from Overseas 2-19

Embarked for Overseas Cause Discharge

MAR 22 1919 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICE

21.3.19

DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.



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

Spurrell, Abel

Regiment from which discharged

Royal Newfoundland

Regimental number

2291

Intended address

Badgers Quay

Height on discharge

5 Feet 9

Color of hair on discharge

Black

Complexion

Dark

Color of eyes

Light Brown

Descriptive Marks

Figure on discharge

Tall

Christian name of Father

Simon

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

Badgers Quay Aug 1st 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)

Spurrell

(Rank)

R

Station

St John

Date

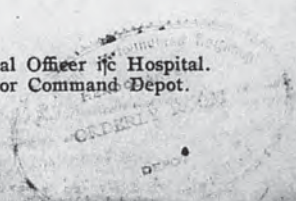
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I certify that the above named soldier signed the foregoing declaration in my presence, and that the above description and details are, to the best of my knowledge correct.

Medical Officer of Hospital.
Unit, or Command Depot.

Station

Date



MILITARY MEDAL2291 Pte R. Spurrell

Date of Award. /8/17.

Authority. Daily Orders 1st Bn. 30/8/17.

Reference. London Gazette. 18/10/17.
"For bravery in the field."

88th Brigade Lists.

"In the attack on the enemy near Langemarck on 16th August 1917. during an intense bombardment stretcher bearers were called for and this man volunteered. He made two trips to the dressing station distant 750 yards. Two of the bearers were wounded on the first trip and one killed on the second. He went into the attack as a stretcher bearer and made two complete trips under shell fire to the dressing station distant 1300 yards across deep swamps."