



FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 2544 Name Stanley Halfyard Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? 1. Stanley Halfyard
2. What is your full Address? 2. 77 King Street
3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
4. What is your age? 4. 18 Years 9 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. None
6. Are you Married? 6. No
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? 7. No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 8. Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 9. Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?.... 10. { Name
Corps
11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service } 11. Yes
to be signed by you if you are accepted?

FOR THE DURATION OF THE WAR

I, Stanley Halfyard 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.

Stanley Halfyard SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
W. D. Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Stanley Halfyard 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 on this day of 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer W. D. ... 2 Lieut

†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 compiled with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 191 } Approving Officer.
Place

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

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

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

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

Name Stanley Halford

Apparent age 18 years 9 months. Height 5 feet 4 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 33 inches
 Range of expansion 3 inches

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin John Halford
77 Kings Road | Relationship Brother
St. Albans Particulars as to Marriage

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

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

Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

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

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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
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Ap. 20/16

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R. D. ... Signature of Witness.

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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 this on this 20 day of Apr 1916

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

Name Stanley Halford

Apparent age 16 years 4 months. Height 5 feet 4 1/2 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 33 inches
Range of expansion 2 inches

Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin John Halford
17 Kings Road | Relationship father

Particulars as to Marriage

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

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Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>20-4-16</u>									
Joined at <u>M. J. Hill's</u> on <u>April 20th 16</u>									
				<u>April 25th 1919</u>					
				<u>Embarked at John St. Station for U.S. 19th Feb</u>					<u>Embarked for Oct 11th 1916</u>
				<u>Joined 13 Battalion 22-10-16</u>					
				<u>Missing 14-4-19</u>					<u>Returned on 23-6-19</u>
				<u>Returned arrived Camp 6-1-19</u>					
				<u>Reposted to 11th Coy</u>					<u>7-1-19</u>
				<u>Embarked from 9-1-19 to 9-3-19</u>					<u>Arrived 7th 19</u>
				<u>Left for demobilization 30-1-19</u>					
				<u>Demobilization at John St.</u>					<u>26-4-19</u>
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to 26-4-19 (date of discharge) 3 years 7 days

" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " " " "



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

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

Examination of *Stanley Halford*

aged *18* conducted at *CLB*

Date: *Apr 16* *April 19/16* Recruiting Officer:

NO OF TEST FINDING

1 *no*

2 *no*

3 *no*

4 *no*

5 *no*

6 *no*

7 *yes*

8 *yes*

9 *no*

10 *h*

11 *h*

12 *h*

13 *h*

14 *h*

15 *h*

16 *h*

17 *h*

18 *h*

19 *6/12 Rt, 6/18 Lt*

20 *h*

21 *h*

22 *h*

23 *h*

24 *h*

25 *h*

26 *h*

27 *h*

28 *h*

29 *h*

30 *h*

31 *h*

32 *h*

33 *yes near left, 74mm 3000.*

34 *54"*

35 *110 112 1/2 W.P. 19.4.16.*

36 *1700 mt*

37 *parents Mr Stephen Halford.*

38 *mother*

Signature of Medical Examiner: *William Roberts*

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C.R. 2544

Extract from Nominal Roll of Mfld. Regt. Draft No.12.
from 2nd Bn. Depot, to 1st Bn. B.E.F. Embarked Southampton,
11-10-16.

2544 Pte. S.Halfyard.

C.R. 2544

Extract from Medical Board held Saturday Afternoon
2nd Feb. 22nd, 1919.

2544 Pte. S. Halfyard.

Recommended Discharge from the Army REQUIRES OUT/PATIENT
TREATMENT.

C.R. 2544

Extract from Daily Orders Part II Unit The Royal Nfld.
Regt. St. John's, 11-2-19.

The undernoted returned from Overseas and reported to
Depot 7-2-19.

Prisoner of War.

2544 Pte. Halfyard Stephen.

C.R. 2544

Extract from Nominal Roll of the Royal NZld. Regt.
Embarked S.S. Corsican, Jan. 30th, 1919.

2544 Halfyard.

C.R. 2544

Extract of Casualties from Pay & Record Office London, dated Jan.
10/1/19.

The undermentioned released Prisoner of War reported at the P & R.O.
and proceeded on furlough from 9/1/19 to 9/3/19.

2544 PTE. S. Halfyard.

Officer i/c Records, Nfld Contgt.

C.R. 7544

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	Received Sent

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

Date Jan. 7th, 1919 191

To Stephen Halfyard, 44 Bloomfield Street, Halifax

 Beg to inform you Record Office, Royal Newfoundland Regiment London reports to-day No. 2544, Private Stanley Halfyard repatriated from Germany arrived in England in good health Any further information received concerning him will be communicated to you.

J.R. Bennett
Minister of Militia.

Chge Dept of Militia.

C.R. 2544

Extract of Daily Orders by LT. COL. B.J. PARTON, D.S.O.,
COMMANDING 2nd BATTALION ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT,
7/1/19.

The following having reported back from the 1st Battalion
is taken on the strength and posted to "H" Company, from
7/1/19.

#2544 Pte. J. Halfyard.

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

Released Prisoner of War 2544 Halfyard
arrived Well.

C.R. 2544

Extract of telegram from Synoptical, London to Military,
St. John's dated Dec. 21st 1918.

In answer to your telegram Dec. 18th 2544 HALFYARD Karegsgefangenenlager
Parchim.

C.R.

2544

Extract from Telegram despatched to Synoptical, Dec. 18th., 1918.

Inform whereabouts condition 2544 S~~tan~~ny Halfyard.

C.R. 2544

Dec 4th 18

Mr. Stephen Halfyard
6 Rennie's Mill Road
CITY

Dear Mr. Halfyard:-

I beg to inform you that communication has been received from the Record Office, London to-day forwarding copy of a letter which was received by them from your son, No. 2544, Private Stanley Halfyard; and I am attaching copy of same hereto, for your information. You will note that the address is Kriegsgefangenenlager, Parchim, Germany.

Private Halfyard is probably now in France, as a number of prisoners have been released through France who have not yet been officially notified to us.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.

Casualty Officer.



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

List No. P.M. 528 of 2.10.18

C.R. 2544

Official German List forwarded through Geneva Red Cross 7.9.18.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Regiment</u>	<u>Place & date of Capture</u>	<u>Place & date of Birth.</u>	<u>Home & Wd.</u>	<u>N. of K</u>	<u>Place of Detention.</u>
2544	Halfyard Stanley	Pt	1/Newfoundland	Monchy 14.4.17.	St. Johns. 5.8.99.	St. Johns, Newfoundland.		Geflg. Parchim from Gefl. Friedrichsfeld.

~~1892~~
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Extract from Prisoner of War Correspondence dated 1/9/18.

From:- 2544 Pte. Stanley Halfyard R. Nfld., Regt,

C.R. 2544

Kriegsfangenenlager, Parchim, Germany.

Dear Sir:-

Just a few lines to let you know I am in good health. I am receiving all my parcels in good condition, and have nothing to worry about. I will be very grateful to you if you will notify my parents that I am well. I had a letter from mother do-day saying she had not heard from me for seven months. I don't know the reason why. I write regularly, but I suppose my correspondence goes astray. I received some Newfoundland tobacco and cigarettes, and I am very grateful for them. I have learned that my Regiment has another name, The Royal Newfoundland Regt. I wish I had the luck to be with the boys again. Could you send me a complete issue of French and English dictionary's. Take the expenses from my pay. It takes so long to receive anything from home. by so doing you will do me a great favour and I will be obliged to you

SGD. S. HALFYARD.

C.R. 2544

**Extract from Nominal Roll of Casualties from C.C. Embarkation
Casualty Section, No.6 District Depot, Halifax, Canada.**

2544 Pte. Barsey H. Reported from Hospital 6-8-18 Overseas 27-8-18.

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C.R. 2544

June 21, 1918.

Mr. Stephen Halfyard,
6 Rennie's Mill Road,
City.

Dear Mr. Halfyard:-

I am writing to inform you that I am forwarding one KIT BAG, which belongs to your son #2544 Pte. S. Halfyard, of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment, who is now a Prisoner of War.

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 1192**PERSONAL EFFECTS.**

Name Halfyard D. No. 2041
 Rank Pte. Regiment THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGT.

Article	Where stored	Notified by
<u>Kit Bag</u>		
	Final disposal	
		Shipped from Depot.

Remarks: P.O.W.

Next of Kin: - Father: -
Stephen Halfyard
King's Road,
St John's.

C.R. 2344

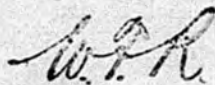
May 15th, 1918.

Stephen Halfyard Esq.,
6, Remies Mill Road.

Sir:-

Notification has been received by mail, that your
son, #2544 Pte. Halfyard is now at, Parchin, Hecklenbergh,
Germany.

Yours faithfully,



Major,
Chief Staff Officer.

COPY.

C.R. 2544
Feb. 28th 1918.

Dear Sirs:

Just a few lines in answer to your letter dated Nov. with reference to my clothing. I have received some of the first issue of underclothing but not the outside clothing. I am glad to let you know that my food parcels are coming through regular. I have changed my address again, and of course it mixes everything up in regarding my parcels. I would be glad if you would notify my parents from time to time that I am in the best of health. It takes letters a long time to get to my home and they are apt to be mislaid. As regards money matters referred to in your previous letter, money is no good to me out here. I would like very much to have my cap badge sent out in one of my parcels. In closing I remain,

Yours truly,

(Sgd) Pte. S. HALFYARD.

My address is now:

Pte. S. Halfyard,
2544, Royal Newfoundland Regt.,
Parchim, Mecklenberg,
Germany.



LIST NO. P.M. 340 dated 19.2.18.

C.R. 2544

NEWFOUNDLAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Compiled from Official German List forwarded through Geneva Red Cross 8.2.18.

<u>Name.</u>	<u>Rank & Rank</u>	<u>Regiment.</u>	<u>Capt. at & date</u>	<u>Birthplace & date</u>	<u>Next-of-kin.</u>	<u>Place of Detention.</u>
Helford Stanley	Pte. 2544	1st Newfoundland "D" Company.	Monchy 11.4.17.	St. Johns 5.8.89.	St. Johns Newfoundland	Parenim from Friedrichsfeld.

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C.R. 2544

February 2, 1918.

Sir:-

#2544 Pte. S. Halfyard.

Some time ago you applied to this department to have enquiries made concerning the non-delivery of parcels to the above mentioned soldier. A letter was directed to the Record Office, London, who in turn put the matter before the Newfoundland War Contingent Association. A copy of the N.W.C.A. letter has just been received and I am forwarding a copy for your information. The Pay & Record Office further state that both the 1st and 2nd issues of clothing have been dispatched, but up to date of their writing, 8th January, no acknowledgement had been received, which is supposed to be due to the fact that for a long period his address was given as Limburg.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



Major.

Chief Staff Officer.

S. Halfyard Esq.,
Remies Mill Road,
City.

ENCLOSURE.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 342/12/G

C.R. 2544.

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:
2544, PTE. S. HALFYARD.

Reference Nos. 13954/213, 17/12/17.

REPLY

Dated February 2, 1918 191

With reference to your letter 13/11/17 (160): copy of this office memorandum No. 192/2 exchanged with the Secretary of the N.W.C.A. is enclosed for your information, please.

Both the first and second issues of clothing have been despatched from this office to Pte. Halfyard, but so far have not been acknowledged, which is also probably due to the fact that for a long period his address was given as Limburg.

Also enclosed are drafts of forms N.F.P/65 and 73, amended in accordance with the reference made in memorandum 12345/126, 16/11/17, in order to eliminate the military element.

A.A. Duce
Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

Your reference to the despatch of issues of clothing and the attached correspondence are noted. Mr. Halfyard has been notified in full.

J.R. Bennett

Minister of Militia.

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

The Secretary,
N.W.C.A.

Pay & Record Office,
5th January, 1918.

No. 2544, PTE. S. HALFYARD

Following received from
the Minister of Militia:

"The above mentioned
soldier has been a prisoner
in Germany for the past five
months. I have had a visit
from his father today, and he
showed me three letters from
Bte. Halfyard whose dates ex-
tended over a period of three
months.

This man states that the
other men in the same camp,
have received several parcels
each, but that up to the date
of the last letter (last
month) he had received nothing
whatever. I shall be glad if
you will have this matter
investigated, and find out if
the proper authorities are
cognisant of this man being a
prisoner in Germany, and if he
has received any consideration
from them."

V. V.

58, Victoria Street,
S.W. 1
7th January, 1918.

We regret that though
parcels have been sent forward
through the Canadian Red Cross
since his capture was notified
no acknowledgements of these
have reached us. This is
doubtless owing to the fact
that till a short time ago the
only address known to us was
"Limburg" which has proved to
be so unsatisfactory. Now
that he is known to be at
Friedrichsfeld, we have reason
to hope that his parcels will
reach him regularly, as in
the case of our other
prisoners in that camp. Some
of these have received
numbers of parcels forwarded
to them after they arrived.

(Sd.) S. Knox, Secretary
Newfoundland War Contingent
Associatic

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I shall be glad to have
your comments for trans-
mission to the Minister of
Militia, please.

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O.I/c Records.

A report that several
copies have been sent forward
through the General Post Office
since his capture was notified
to the authorities of these
have reached me. This is
in addition to the fact
that all other copies were
only those known to be
"lost" which has proved to
be unsatisfactory. You
may be assured that we
will do our best to
reproduce them as soon as
possible. We have reason
to hope that his records will
be ready for perusal, as in
the case of our other
outcomes in that regard. Some
of these have received
numbers of copies forwarded
to them after they arrived.

The above mentioned
copies have been sent forward
through the General Post Office
since his capture was notified
to the authorities of these
have reached me. This is
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to them after they arrived.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

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To _____

Your _____ dated / / (), has been received, and the fact of your being a Prisoner of War duly telegraphed to Newfoundland.

The Newfoundland War Contingent Association have been so informed, and will communicate with you direct with regard to parcels of food, arrangements of which are undertaken by them.

Your request for clothing has the necessary attention, and it is hoped that the articles will reach you in due course.

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

No. _____

N.F.P/73.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

58, Victoria Street,
London, S.W. 1.

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To _____

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

The Newfoundland War Contingent Association have been so informed 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 various 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, a first issue of clothing, based upon sizes at present ascertainable are being forwarded to your latest known address.

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

COPY of ENVELOPE addressed to:

Pte. P. Conran,
1st Newfoundland Reg. No. 102755,
Barrake 29. Germany.
Limburg a/Lahn.
War Office Alexandra House,
Kingsway, W.C. 2.

Specimen

C.R. 2544

November 13, 1917.

From Minister of Militia,

To Paymaster & Officer i/o Records.

2544 Pte. S. Halfyard.

The above mentioned soldier has been a prisoner in Germany for the past five months. I have had a visit from his father to-day, and he showed me three letters from Private Halfyard whose dates extended over a period of three months.

This man states that the other men in the same camp, have received several parcels each, but that up to the date of the last letter (last month) he had received nothing whatever. I shall be glad if you will have this matter investigated, and find out if the proper authorities are cognizant of this man being a prisoner in Germany, and if he has received any consideration from them.

Minister of Militia.

Paymaster & Officer i/o. Records,

c/o Pay & Record Office,

1st Mfld. Regiment,

58 Victoria St.,

London S.W.1.

PRISONER OF WAR

2544 Pte. S. Halfyard.

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

3rd ECHELON , AUGUST 15th , 1917

"PRISONER IF WAR IN GERMAN HANDS, 14/4/17 Att. .
OFF GERMAN REPORT FORWARDED BY GENEVA RED CROSS
PREV. 'STRUCK OFF STRENGTH' MISSING REF. NO.22 C
19/5/17

FOR INFORMATION SEE FILE "PRISONERS OF WAR" "DAILY
ORDERS" #948

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July 20, 1917.

Dear Sir,

I have pleasure in informing you
Record Office, London, to-day reports No. 2544,
Private Stanley Halfyard, who was previously
report missing, is now reported prisoner of
war at Limburg, Germany.

Yours faithfully,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Stephen Halfyard,
6 Rennie's Mill Rd.

MADE IN U.S.A.

June 14, 1917.

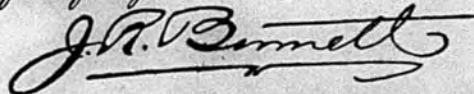
Dear Sir,

I regret to inform you that a report has been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that **No. 2544, Private Stanley Halfyard,**

has been posted as **missing April 14th.**

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

Yours faithfully,



Colonial Secretary.

Mr. Stephen Halfyard,
77 King's Road,
6 Roman Mills Rd

2544

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

2544 Pte. S. Halfyard.

C.R. 2544

Stanley Halfyard was attested for General
Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON April 20th 1916
Regimental No. 2544 was allotted to Ptes S: HALFYARD.

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger;

Dept. of Militia.

March 25th 1919

No. 2544 Name Halfyard S

Sqn., Batty., or Company } B Corps 1² Newfoundland

Date of enlistment } 20/7/1916 G.C. Badges }

Service or Proficiency Pay }

Date of last entry in Company Conduct Sheet } 24/8/16

No. and date of last drunk } None

Period not reckoning towards freedom from extra fine }

Sheet No. 217 Signature O.C. Company, etc. }

Character }

Place	Date of offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Remarks
Rarens	14/10/16			Deficient outfit was on line during	John Charnock	Deficient's days pay	12/10/16	H. Col. Chapman	D.C.



Handwritten signature and date: 14/11

Army Form B. 192

S. Haefyara

C.R.

2044

P.R.O.

This is to certify
that Stanley Half
yard was 18 years
of age the fifth
of August last
Stephen Halfyard

14480/2/P.W.

2544, Private S. Halfyard,
1st Newfoundland Regiment,
Kriegsgefangenen-Stammlager,
Friedrichsfeld,
Germany.

26th December 1917.

With reference your letter of 14/10/17 to the Newfoundland War Contingent Association. Regarding clothing: the first issue was sent to you in September last, and a second issue was sent during November and December. It is hoped you have received these.

The Newfoundland War Contingent Ass'n are attending to your food parcels.

HA/JC



20-12-17

25744

Mr O Halfyard
1st Newjaund Court, 191
Kriegsgefangenen Lager,
Friedrichsfeld
Germany

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14-10-17 to the M.O.C.
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Please advise this
Office of any change
of your address

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Bunk.
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Copy of letter from 2544 Pte. S. Halfyard,
forwarded from Ayr. (1/Newfoundland Regiment.)

Friedrichsfeld

Oct. 14th

Sir,

Just a few lines to let you know that I am a Prisoner of War in Germany and wishes to be remembered to the Regiment. I have been captured six months, and I have not received a letter or parcel as yet, and I would like to know if my parents are aware of the fact that I am a prisoner of war.

I wish I was back in good old Scotland, where I could get a good Player's Cigarette; the tobacco what we get this side is not up to much and the boys are all longing for a good old Blighty cigarette.

We are not well clothed, and now that the winter is coming on we shall need some good warm clothing, and a good parcel of food would not go astray now and then.

Some of the boys have received letters enquiring how Mr. N. Outerbridge got on the 14th of April. I think that I was about the last to see him, and I think that he is killed. He was leading D Company when I last seen him and he was wounded in the foot then. This is about all for the time

Yours truly,

(Sgd.) PTE. S. HALFYARD 1st Newfoundland Regt.
D Company

Copy to Sir Outerbridge

FORM K

No. 2586



8 AUG 1916

3 1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT 6

ALLOTMENTS

Stanley Halfyard

Regl. No. 2544

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

Allotment begins

July 21 1916

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	NAME (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
2577	mother	Mrs Maria Halfyard	St Johns	60
			77 St Johns	
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.) *Charles Aye Opt*

Officer Commanding Company

(Sig.) *S Halfyard*

(Rank) *PC*

St Johns
July 3 1916



DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA

ADDRESS REPLY TO
DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA
AND QUOTE NO.

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND.

November 13, 1917.

From Minister of Militia,

To Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

2544 Pte. S. Halfyard.

The above mentioned soldier has been a prisoner in Germany for the past five months. I have had a visit from his father to-day, and he showed me three letters from Private Halfyard whose dates extended over a period of three months.

This man states that the other men in the same camp, have received several parcels each, but that up to the date of the last letter (last month) he had received nothing whatever. I shall be glad if you will have this matter investigated, and find out if the proper authorities are cognizant of this man being a prisoner in Germany, and if he has received any consideration from them.

J. R. V. Bennett
Minister of Militia.

Paymaster & Officer i/c. Records,
c/o Pay & Record Office,
1st Mfld. Regiment,
58 Victoria St.,
London S.W.1.

192/2

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTRACT
ORD. OS.
1/60
- 4 JAN 1918
MW

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 P & C
 R & C
 B & F
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In your reply, please quote
Run 26. 113 Section

WAR OFFICE,
IMPERIAL INSTITUTE,
SOUTH KENSINGTON,
LONDON, S.W.7.

No: 6/Misc/1134 (Accounts 4.)

8th May 1919.

Memorandum for

The Chief Paymaster
Newfoundland Contingent
59 Victoria St. S.W.

The enclosed Active Service Pay Book

of No. 2544 Pte. J. Halfyard, Newfoundland
Regt has been received from Germany
and

is forwarded to you for disposal.

~~No official report of the death of the soldier has~~

~~been received in this office.~~ The Pay Book was received
with those of British soldiers and no details were
furnished. An acknowledgment is requested.

ACTED UPON
R. H. Forbes -
for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

Comd	
R & C	
B & E	
P.S.	

Entd. 2511

I have received parcel No. 1 dated 25/11/17 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.	VESTS.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
QUANTITY.	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—



My present address is:

95 No. 2544 M. D. Halfyard
1st Newfoundland Regiment
Friedrichsfeld

Date Dec 18th 1917

S. Halfyard

Signature.

I have received parcel No. *2* dated *25/11/17* containing:—

ARTICLE.	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	CAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs.	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SH.	SHOES, CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs.	VESTS.
	=	1	=	1	1	=	=	2	=	=	2	=	1	1	=	1

My present address is:

95
No. *2544* *W. & A. Dalfyard*
Friedrichsfeld
Rheinland

Date *Dec 10th 1917* *Germany*

Signature.

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

ARTICLE.

BOOTS, Pairs.

BRACES, Pairs.

CAP.

CARDIGAN.

DRAWERS, Pairs

GLOVES, Pairs.

GREATCOAT.

HANDKERCH'FS.

JACKET.

KIT-BAG.

SHIRTS.

SHOES, CANVAS.
Pairs.

SOCKS, Pairs.

TOWELS.

TROUSERS, Pairs

VESTS.

QUANTITY

My present address is:

^{95.}
No. 25114 Pl. S. Halfyard
Parchim
Mecklenburg

Date July 2nd 1918

S. Halfyard

Signature.

I have received parcel No. 3 dated 25/11/18 containing:—

ARTICLE	BOOTS, Pairs.	BRACES, Pairs.	GAP.	CARDIGAN.	DRAWERS, Pairs	GLOVES, Pairs.	GREATCOAT.	HANDKERCH'FS.	JACKET.	KIT-BAG.	SHOE CANVAS. Pairs.	SOCKS, Pairs.	TOWELS.	TROUSERS, Pairs	VESTS.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>			1					1	1			1	1	1	


My present address is:

95
No. 2544 Pt. D. Halfyard.

Parchim Im
Germany

Date 4 8. 1918 S Halfyard
Signature.

I have received, parcel No. 3 dated 14/12/17 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	VESTS.
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My present address is:

95 No. 2544 R.E. - J. Halfyard
1st Newfoundland Regiment
Parchim, Meckl

Date Feb 18th 1918

J. Halfyard

Signature

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

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

My present address is:

⁹⁵No. 2544 *P.O. Halfyard*
Perchem Germany

Date

27 4 1918 *P. Halfyard*

Signature.

Oct 9th 18

Print.

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W. J. Jones
W. J. Jones, Sir



just lines to let you know that I am in the best of health the last clothing issue I received was a little too small, could you kindly send me a size larger the next time, or if you could possibly send me out an English uniform and a pair of cord breeches and fox puttees, and deduct the money from my pay, and a large kit bag would be very welcome. I would sooner the English uniform than anything else you could send me

much to tell you this time but I think
we shall soon be back.

Yours truly

Pte S. Halfyard

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

Ref. Nos. IN

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Rec'd 27 NOV 1918

Ack'd

Ans'd

Ref. Nos. OUT

2544 D Company

Royal Newfoundland Regiment

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Comd

P & A.

R. & C.

B. & E.

P.S.



September 15th 1911

The Newfoundland Pay and
Record Office.

Dear Sir



just a
few lines to let you know
that I am in good health.
I am receiving my parcels in
good condition, and have
nothing to worry about, I will
be very grateful to you if you
will kindly notify my parents
that I am well, I had a
letter from my mother to day
saying that she has not heard
from me this last seven months
I dont know the reason
why, I write regularly, but I
suppose my correspondence
goes astray, I recieved some

Reply ✓ send
copy of this letter
to me ✓ in
P.S.

2739

Newfoundland Tobacco and
 cigarettes and I was very grateful
 for them, I have learned that
 my Regiment has a rather
 old Royal Newfoundland Reg.
 I wish I had the luck to be
 back with the boys again.
 could you send me a complete
 issue of French and English
 Dictionary take the expenses
 from my pay. it takes so
 long to receive anything from
 home. by doing so you will do
 me a great favour and I will
 be obliged to you. this is all
 for this time, yours truly

P.S. dont forget the French and
 English dictionary



NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINENT.
 PAY & RECORD OFFICE.
 Ref. Nos IN 9482
 Rec'd 2- NOV 1918
 Ack'd _____ Ans'd _____
 Ref. Nos. 001

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 DRAM H. B. S. H.
 C. H. B. S. H.
 F. & B. S. H.
 G. & B. S. H.
 H. & B. S. H.
 I. & B. S. H.
 J. & B. S. H.
 K. & B. S. H.

Pte S. Halfyard 2544
 Royal Newfoundland Reg
 D. Company

192/2/C

Form
C. 94A
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MEMORANDUM.

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records,
From Newfoundland Contingent,
5B, Victoria Street,
S.W. 1

From Secretary,
War Contingent Association

To The Secretary,
N.W.C.A.

To Chief Paymaster and O.i/c
Records

ANSWER.

Pay & Record Office,
5th January, 1918.

5B Victoria Street,
S.W. 1
7th January 1918

No. 2544, PTE. S. HALFYARD

2544 Pte. S. Halfyard

Following received from
the Minister of Militia:

"The above mentioned
soldier has been a prisoner
in Germany for the past five
months. I have had a visit
from his father today, and he
showed me three letters from
Pte. Halfyard whose dates ex-
tended over a period of three
months.

This man states that the
other men in the same camp,
have received several parcels
each, but that up to the date
of the last letter (last
month) he had received nothing
whatever. I shall be glad if
you will have this matter
investigated, and find out if
the proper authorities are
cognisant of this man being a
prisoner in Germany, and if he
has received any consideration
from them."

We regret that though parcels
have been sent forward through
the Canadian Red Cross since
his capture was notified, no
acknowledgments of these have
reached us. This is doubtless
owing to the fact that till a
short time ago the only address
known to us was "Limburg"
which has proved to be so
unsatisfactory. Now that
he is known to be at

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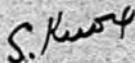
I shall be glad to have your comments for transmission to the Minister of Militia, please.



Major,

Chief Paymaster & O.i/c Records.

Friedrichsfeld, we have reason to hope that his parcels will reach him regularly, as in the case of our other prisoners in that camp. Some of these have received numbers of parcels forwarded to them after they arrived.



Secretary
Newfoundland War Contingent
Association

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT. PAY & RECORD OFFICE.	
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By	
Chk.	
P.L.	
R. & C.	
B. & E.	
P.S.	



THE NEWFOUNDLAND WAR CONTINGENT
— ASSOCIATION. —

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BANK OF MONTREAL.

58. Victoria Street.

Westminster.

23rd January 1918

Memorandum to Officer i/c Records,
Newfoundland Regiment.

Further to our reply to your enquiry dated 5th January with reference to 2544 Stanley Halfyard: we have received a postcard from this Prisoner of War, dated the 3rd December 1917 acknowledging the receipt of a food parcel.

In view of the anxiety of Halfyard's relations in Newfoundland, perhaps you might wish to transmit this information to the Minister of Militia.

S. Knox

Secretary

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT
DAY & RECORD OFFICE
33 JAN 1918
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<i>NW.</i>

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(Sgd) S. KNOX.

Secretary.

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23/1/18

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT.

MEMORANDUM.

2544.

No. 342/12/C

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:
2544, PTE. S. HALFYARD.**REPLY****Reference Nos.** 13954/213, 17/12/17.**Dated** February 2, 1918 191

With reference to your letter 13/11/17 (160): copy of this office memorandum No. 192/2 exchanged with the Secretary of the N.W.C.A. is enclosed for your information, please.

Both the first and second issues of clothing have been despatched from this office to Pte. Halfyard, but so far have not been acknowledged, which is also probably due to the fact that for a long period his address was given as Limburg.

Also enclosed are drafts of forms N.F.P/65 and 73, amended in accordance with the reference made in memorandum 12345/126, 16/11/17, in order to eliminate the military element.

H. A. D. Smith
Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

Your reference to the despatch of issues of clothing and the attached correspondence are noted. Lt. Halfyard has been notified in full.

J. P. D. Smith

Minister of Militia.

DEPARTMENT	<i>Rd.</i>
Reference No.	<i>2280</i>
Date Rec'd.	<i>7 MAR 1918</i>
" Ack'd.	
" Ans'd.	
File	

Notes. H.A.D.

342/12/C

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

8th January, 8.

HT/NW

February 2nd 8

PRISONERS OF WAR:
2544, PTE. S. HALFYARD.

13954/213, 17/12/17.

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7/3/18

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the military element.

Major,

Chief Paymaster & O. i/c Records.

DUPLICATE
MAIL COPY
Posted 14 JAN 1918



342/12/c

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

HT/NW

8th January, 8.

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Acting Minister of Militia.

Major,
Chief Paymaster & O. 1/c Records.

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT,
PAY & RECORD OFFICE.

Ref. Nos. *19890*
Rec'd 28 MAR 1918
Ack'd *ans'd*
Ref. Nos. UUI *5-7-25/1*

AC. 11 11
Comd.
P & A.
R. & C.
B. & F.
P. S.

*Account kept
of each issue
of clothing
since
Receipt of
JLB*

[Handwritten signature]

Feb 28th 1918
[Circular stamp]

Dear Sirs
just a few lines
in answer to your letter
dated Nov. with reference
to my clothing. I have received
some of the first issue of
under clothing but not the
out side clothing. I am glad
to let you know that my food
parcels are coming through
regular. I have changed my
address again and of course
it mixes everything up in
regarding my parcels. I
would be glad if you
would notify my parents
from time to time that



already
address noted
HSS

I am in the ~~best~~ best of health
it takes letters a long time
to get to my home and they
are apt to be mislaid.

as regards money matters
referred to, in your previous
letter, money is no good to
me out here. I would
like very much to have
my cap badge sent out
in one of my parcels
in closing I remain yours
truly.

Pte S. Halfyard.

my address is now

Pte S. Halfyard
2544 1st N. F. I. S. Regt
Barthim
Mecklenberg.

Capt Marshall
NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

From 2544, Pte. S. Halfyard, Parchim,
Mecklenburg, Germany.

28/2/18.
(2899).

Dear Sirs:

Just a few lines in answer to your letter dated Nov. with reference to my clothing. I have received some of the first issue of underclothing but not the outside clothing. I am glad to let you know that my food parcels are coming through regular. I have changed my address again and of course it mixes everything up in regarding my parcels. I would be glad if you would notify my parents from time to time that I am in the best of health. It takes letters a long time to get to my home and they are apt to be mislaid. *As regards money matters referred to in your previous letter, money is no good to me out here. I would like very much to have my cap badge sent out in one of my parcels.* In closing,

I remain yours truly,

(Sgd) Pte. S. Halfyard.

5725/1/P.W.

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

12th April, 1918.

2544, Private S. Halfyard,
Royal Newfoundland Regiment,
Gefangenenlager,
Parchim, (Meckl.)
Germany.

With reference to your letter of 28/2/18 (2899): it is noted that you do not require monthly remittances from your pay.

Badges are being sent with next issue of clothing, which is now being prepared for despatch.

Your parents will be notified concerning you from time to time, as information is received from you.

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

GB/JC

Paymaster
58 Victoria St.

No. 2544 Pt. Hallyards S.

~~This man is on leave, could you pay~~
him. balance due to this date please
Dr. H. Coy. Pay Book £5 0..0



HC
Ignatius Capt

Kries - Gefangenen - Stammlager

Friedrichfeld

Pte S. Halfyard

2544

Compt F. a. 9.

Postüberreichungsstelle

9/16th 1917

Major Timewell Esq.

Dear Sir

just a few lines to let you know that I am a prisoner of war and not having heard from you. I would like to know if my parents have been notified that I am captured. I am in need of food and clothing.

and ~~and~~ would like to get them.
I need a pair of boots
size 8. and a suit of clothes
of medium size and I
would be greatly obliged
if you would give my
address to the British Red
Cross. and also ~~to~~ deduct
£1 per month from my
pay and turn it over to
some Society you think
best. so that I can get
some food and clothing
and let me know

what society you turn
it over to, so that when
I get a parcel I shall
know who to reply to in
doing this you will greatly
oblige me. yours truly

Pte J. Halfyard
No 2544 Company D
15th Newfoundland

NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT RECORD OFFICE	
No.	6741
Rec'd.	NOV 12 1917
Act'd.	
Ans'd.	12/11/17 19/11/17
File No.	

Regiment BRANCH	
Rds	
ACTED UPON	
BY	
DATE	

12451/1. /B.W.

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

19th November 1917.

2544, Pte. S. Halfyard,
1st Newfoundland Regiment,
Kriegsgefangenen-Stammlager,
Friedrichsfeld,
Germany.

With reference to your letter of the 16/9/17 (6741): a parcel of clothing was sent to you on the 29/9/17 and a great coat on the 23/10/17. The sizes are noted for future guidance.

Your parents are notified concerning you from time to time as information is received by this Office.

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

It is unnecessary to allot money for the purpose of sending food, but the maximum sum of 10/- per month may be sent to you upon this Office receiving a written request from you to that effect.

Please notify this Office of any change of your address.

HA/JC



INTER ARMA CARITAS

Prière de rappeler
dans la réponse le

My reference:
Please refer to
X.A. 18494

COMITÉ INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX-ROUGE

AGENCE INTERNATIONALE DES PRISONNIERS DE GUERRE
PAY & RECORD OFFICE

Ref. Nos IN *7070*
Rec'd *7 AUG 1918*
Ack'd

Ref. Nos. 101

Genève, *29th July* 1918
Newfoundland Office
58 Victoria Street
London S.W.

Dear Sir,

In further reference to our letter of *5.4.18*

respecting

Det. Lt. Augustus Alcock

we beg to enclose a fresh statement from:

Pte J. Halfyard,

Yours faithfully

COMITÉ INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX-ROUGE
GENÈVE
AGENCE INTERNATIONALE DES PRISONNIERS DE GUERRE
BRITISH SECTION
INTERNATIONALE DES PRISONNIERS DE GUERRE
BRITISH SECTION

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INTER ARMA CARITAS

Prière de rappeler
dans la réponse le
N° ci-dessous:

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COMITÉ INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX-ROUGE

R.152165

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AGENCE INTERNATIONALE DES PRISONNIERS DE GUERRE

Genève,

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"I saw LT Alcock killed on April 14th 1917 at Monchy."

CMS No 1586

Newfoundland Record Office
Victoria St S.W.

Genius Red Cross report
passed to you for attention, please?

From G. A. Coas.
Fincham Court.
7/5/18.



Room 39 C
B.

Copy

COMITÉ INTERNATIONAL DE LA CROIX-ROUGE



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To be dispatched by first available Post.

List of Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, released P. of W., taken over at
Ripon Prisoners of War Camp.

Names to be grouped by Corps, or Regiment.

Record Office **53 Victoria Street London S. W. 1** List No. _____

Previous List No. _____ sent to above Record Office on _____

Corps or Regiment.	Date of Arrival at P. of W.R.C.	Date of Departure from P. of W.R.C.	How disposed of (to be coded).	Address to which proceeded on Furlough.	Reg. No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Medical Category.
NEWFOUNDLAND FORCES								
1st Regt	3.1.19	6.1.19	A		2544	Pte	Halfyard S.	A

6th January 1919.

R.B. Smith **33** **Group P. of W. Reception Camp.**
Supervisor for

N.B.—Only individuals belonging to Units affiliated to above Record Office to be shown on this copy.

Disposal of P. of W. CODE LETTERS. A.—Dispersal Station. B.—Sick and Wounded. C.—Desertions. D.—Deaths.
E.—Repatriation Camp at Winchester. F.—Destination in case of R.N., R.A.F. and Overseas Force to be shown.
G.—Furlough.

f. 33.

Corps.	Unit.	Rank.	Reg. No.	Surname.	Christian Names.
Newfoundland	13 th Regt.	Pvt	25844	HALFYARD	Stanley

Date of Capture.	Place Captured.	Last Place of Internment.	Born in the year	Term of Service.	Date of Enlistment.	Married or Single.
14-11-17	Monchef	Parchim	1897	N.A.	5-1-16	S

Medical Category.	Address.	Date of Arrival at the Camp.	Date of Departure from the Camp.	Industrial Group.	Trade or Occupation.
A	Union Jack Club Wapping Rd London.	3-1-19	6 JAN 1919		clerk

For Repatriation Overseas
after the War.

Yes

£50

No. 2544 Rank Pte Name Haggart S

Pay	F.A.	Wkg	Total	N.F.P/33
100	10		110	
Less Allotment			60	
Net Rate			50	

Booth
4-1-14

DEBITS	Date	£ s d			CREDITS	Period		Days	Rate	£	s	d		
						From	To							
Balance					Balance		21 ¹² / ₁₇				36	3	11	
Acquittance Rolls					Pay @ Net Rate	22 ¹² / ₁₇	9 ¹² / ₁₉	384	50	192	00	39	9	0
Hospital Advances														
A.B. 64.														
Debit Payment		5	0	0	£73-2-11									
P.&.R.O. Payments														
p.m.a.s		2	10	0										
Postal Draft 06608		10	0	0										
Cheque 11286	10 ¹² / ₁₉	50	0	0										

£ 75 12 11

Hayward S. 8.

2544

Ray Dept

ST. JOHN'S, FEB 28 1919

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To Pte. S. Halpyard

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Feb 21st /19 to Feb 28th /19

<u>2544</u>	<u>Pte. S. Halpyard</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>90</u>
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Certified correct for \$ 7.20

N. J. Joseph H. Brewster
Billeting Officer.

April 25, 1919

#2544 Pte. Stanley Halfyard,

#28 Young St.,

City.

Dear Sir:-

Please find enclosed "Discharge Certificate
No. 2103."

Yours truly

Paymast r & O.i/c Records

Capt.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

1. No. 2544 Rank Pte Name Halfyard Stanley
 Intended place of residence 28 Young St St John's
 2. Occupation Clerk
 Classification of soldier B Medical Category AII

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 APR 12 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
APR 12 1919
 Signature of soldier S. Halfyard
 Signature of witness J. A. Snow

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
12. 4. 19
 Signature of soldier S. Halfyard
 Signature of witness R. Heaton

STATEMENT OF SERVICE

7. Enlisted for service 30. 4. 16 No of days on Military
 Discharged from service 12. 3. 19 Plus 14 days Service 1092

APPROVAL OF DISCHARGE

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

Place
 Date APR 12 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 April 26/1919
 Officer in Charge
 The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

C.S. 5079/2103

May 4th

Mr Howley

please give my Mother
my check if there is one for
me. Yours truly

PLE S. Halfgard 2544

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

DEMobilIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2574 Rank Pl Name Hallyard Stanley
 Date of Enlistment 30.11.16 Address Hallyard District H.III
 Occupation Clerk Classification for Discharge TD Medical Category H.III
 Recommendation S.M.B. permanently unfit Disability Rating 20% 3 mths
 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	3
B 179	2 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 3-3-19 H. Mews II
 C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMobilIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am in a position to resume civilian occupation.

S. Hallyard

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... AM Bloustone

Date 12-4-19 O i/c. Re-clothing.

3. Transportation and Release Certificate.

The above named has been provided with Travelling Warrant No. *me* to his home at *me* and Release Certificate No. *2899* issued.

Date *12-31-19*

J.A. Brown
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 *26-4-19*

Date *12-4-19*

J. H. Mears
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for *12-4-19*

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

N.F. P/36	B 268	B 121	N.F. Med.	D.F. 1
F 178	W 3494	B 122	Board 1st	" 2
R 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 *12-4-19*

J.A. Brown
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 *APR 12 1919*

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

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

Date

Civil Re-establishment Committee



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

To resume former occupation
Clerk

S. H. Halford

Signature of Man.

J. A. Crawford

Signature of the Vocational Officer or his Representative.

Reg. No. 2844

Place **ST. JOHN'S**

Date **APR 12 1919**

191

TELEPHONE 230.

ACCOUNTS COLLECTED QUARTERLY.

P. O. BOX 122.

302 WATER STREET,

St. John's, Newfoundland,

Nov 7 1910

M. Private S. Halfyard. No 2544

In account with Charles Ellis,

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN HIGH-CLASS TAILORING.

20 July

60

Noted
C

To Paymaster
Please pay this bill, and charge
to my a/c.



S. Halfyard

Yard
Chas Ellis

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Class for Demobilization: B.

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

Discharge Depot: Headquarters The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

Date 22.7.19

Regimental No. 2544

Name Wallyard Stanley PLC

Address

Present Medical Category E

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

(b) Standing Medical Board

Members of Board {

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

Watson
Senior Medical Officer

Geo Burden
M. O. Depot



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 *S. Halfyard. Stanley*

Regiment from which discharged *Royal Newfoundland*

Regimental number *2544.*

Intended address *St. John's,*

Height on discharge Feet *4"*

Color of hair on discharge *Fair.*

Complexion *Fair*

Color of eyes *Grey.*

Descriptive Marks

Figure on discharge *medium.*

Christian name of Father *Stephen*

Christian name of Mother *Mariah*

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. Aug. 1898.*

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) *S. Halfyard*

Station *St. John's.*

Date *14-2-19.*

(Rank) *Plt.*

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



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, Nfld.*

Date *Feb. 22nd 1915.*

- | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| 1. Unit <i>Royal Newfoundland</i> | 5. Age last birthday <i>20 y^r</i> |
| 2. Regimental No. <i>2544</i> | 6. Enlisted on <i>April 1911</i> |
| 3. Rank <i>Private</i> | at <i>St. John's</i> |
| 4. Name <i>Halifax Stanley</i> | 7. Former trade or occupation <i>Clk.</i> |

8. Disability

Abscess leg.

9. History

*Taken prisoner of war Apr. 14th 1917.
Six months in Hosp. in Germany with abscess leg.*

10. What is his present condition?

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

General condition good.

Several scars outside
l. leg. recently healed.

Medical Department

Medical Report on an Inmate

11. Was sanatorium advised and refused?
operation

no

12. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit?

yes

STATEMENT OF CASE

Signature

Archibald
57

Rank or Qualification

MO. DEPT

Remarks if any by Officer i/c Hospital.

Place

Signature

Date

Rank

Opinion of the Medical Board

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

13. For pension purposes, the disability x 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.

The scars are weak & may break down.

15. (a) THE ENTIRE DISABILITY—To what extent is his capacity lessened at present for earning a full livelihood in the general labor market? 20%

(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? 20% to three months

(State in percentage.)

Remarks if any:—

16. Is the disability permanent?

17. Has the disability been aggravated by (a) Intemperance (b) Misconduct

18. The refusal of operation sanatorium is:— (a) Reasonable (b) Unreasonable

Remarks if any:—

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

20. We recommend discharge from retention in the Army

Remarks if any:— *requires outpatient treatment*

[Signature]
.....
President

ATIII

Signatures.....

[Signature]

Place *S. Atlas*

Date *Feb 21/19*

APPROVED

Station

Date



[Signature]
.....
Administrative Medical Officer

The Royal Wld. Regiment

DEMOBILIZATION

No. 2544 Rank Plt

Name Halfyard S

Warned for demobilization on

MAR 4 1919

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

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Kaefyan Christian Name Stanley

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	on	day of	on	day of
Examined	19	June	191	
	at	St John's	at	
Declared Age	18	years 9		
		mos -		
		days		
Trade or Occupation	element.			
Height	5	feet		
		4		
		inches		
Weight			120	lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded...			
	Range of expansion...			
		5		
		inches		
		3		
		inches		
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks	Right	Left	Right	Left
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V=6/12		R.E.—V=	
	L.E.—V=6/18		L.E.—V=	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)	
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection	(b)		(b)	
Approved by (Signature)	<i>Lamm Peterson</i>			
(Rank)	Major			
	Medical Officer.			
Enlisted	at	St John's	at	
	on	15 th	on	
		day of April		
		1917		191
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
		2544		
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
	on	day of	on	day of
		191		191
(Signature)				
(Rank)				

Regiment or Corps 2^d Newfoundland Regt
 Rank Pte Surname Halfyard Christian Name Stanley 1879

Religion Meth Age on Enlistment 18 years 9 months.

Enlisted (a) 20/4/16 Terms of Service (a) War Service reckons from (a) 1916

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

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

Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c. during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked Southampton	1 OCT 1916	
			Disembarked ROUEN	12 OCT 1916	
			22 OCT 1916		
		3rd Battalion	With BATT. 23. I. IV		
		Missing	France	14 APR 1917	Remarks
5.6.17	O.C. Unit War Office	Prisoners of War in Germany Captured at Monchy		14.4.17	Remarks forwarded by General Red Cross 20.7.17.
<i>Salisbury</i>					
<i>Major</i>					
			O. i/c No. 1 Reg. Infantry Section		
			B. H. O. 3rd Echelon.		

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

[P.T.O.]

WWB/OR.

Feb. 17, 1920.

9657

To:- Major Howley,
O.I.C. Pay and Records.
Capt. Murphy, Employment Officer.

Mr. McGrath) Accountants.
Mr. Pomeroy)

Stanley Halfyard, 2544

This is to certify that the man named above will complete his course on Feb. 28th. If an extension is in the meantime granted, I will notify you.

W.W. Blackall.
Vocational Officer

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..... *Stanley* 2. Surname..... *Halfyard*
3. Rank..... *Pvt.* 4. Regtl. No..... *2544*
5. Address in full to which future payments of gratuity are to be forwarded..... *28 Young St. St Johns*
6. Date of enlistment in the Regiment..... *Apr. 1/16*
7. Name of dependent, if any, to whom Separation Allowance is being issued, or was being issued, immediately prior to your discharge..... *No*
8. Relationship of such dependants..... *—*
9. Address in full of such dependants..... *—*
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..... *From Apr. 1/16 to Apr. 23/19 date of temporary discharge*

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.

Clothing allowance & back pay 69.70
Board allowance 37.50

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?

No

19. Are you now serving in the Rest? If not give - (a) date of discharge

Apr. 23/19
Temporary

No (c) 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 & Germany - From Oct 5/16 to Jan. 15/19 - Monchy, Somme, Arras,

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 Yes

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: *S. Halfyard*
 Place of Residence: *28 Young St. St. John's,*
 Declared before me at: *St. John's, Nfld.*
 This *23rd*, day of *April*, 19*19*...

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

POST DISCHARGE PAY.					
Date paid	Paid Soldier.	Paid Dependent.	War Service Gratuity.	Net amount due	
.....	<i>6 mos.</i>	<i>42000</i>	
.....	
.....	
Certified correct.				Registrar	<i>[Signature]</i>



3 1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT 6

ALLOTMENTS

Stanley Halfyard, Regl. No. 2844
 hereby agree, until further notification by me, and in similar official form to make an Allotment of
60 Dollars and 00 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 July 1st 1916

Identity Certificate No.	Whether Wife, Child, other Relative or Friend	Name (in full)	ADDRESS	AMOUNT (each person)
2577	Mother	Mrs Maria Halfyard	Springwood 77 Sigobin	60
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.) Chas M. Auye Capt.

Officer Commanding
B Company

(Sig.) S. Halfyard

(Rank) pc

Ed John's
July 3 1916

December 15th 1919

Major Howley
O. I. C. Records

Please pay to S. Halfyard, 2544
the sum of fourteen dollars and ~~XXXX~~ four cents
in payment of arrears of allowance to Dec 6th 1919
and charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee

\$14.04

Pension

NIA

C.R.

PAYMENT	
CH. NO.	24148 <i>See</i>
ISSUED	1917 15
PAY TO ORDER OF	<i>Howley</i>
AMOUNT	

Vocational Officer

S. Halfyard

BB/EB

October 25, 1919.

Major Howley,
O. I. C. Pay and Records.

J. C. S.

ACCOUNT	16516	INITIALS	<i>ES</i>
CH. NO.			
IND. LEDGER			
PAY LEDGER			
GEN. LEDGER			

S. Halfyard 2544.

Please pay to the man named in the margin,
the sum of Fifty dollars,
in payment of salary for the month of October. Charge
the same to the Civil Re-establishment Committee.

\$50.00

J. C. S.

Major

For V. O.

S. Halfyard

April 5th 1920

Major Howley
O. I. C. Records

Please pay to S. Halfyard, 2544
the sum of sixty dollars
in payment of P. & A. Bonus
and charge same to Civil Re-establishment Committee

\$60.00

Pension

Nil

A. C. A.

ACCOUNT NO.	INITIALS
33971	
PAY LEDGER	INITIALS
GEN LEDGER	INITIALS

W. W. McCall
Vocational Officer

S. Halfyard

ST. JOHN'S, APR 12 1919

Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

Billeting Account,

To H. S. Halfyard

Billeting Soldiers as undermentioned

from Mar 2th /19 to April 12th /19

2544 H. S. Halfyard 37 10

R.C.S.
B.M.
RECEIVED
NO. 16164
DATE APR 12 1919
BY [Signature]

Certified correct for \$ 37.10

R-J

Alblowston
for Billeting Officer.
H. S. Halfyard

Reg. No. 2544 Rank P 6 Name Halfyard, Stephen
Attested Address 444 Bloomfield St. Halifax N.S.
Allotment..... Allottee

Date of Allotment..... Returned from Overseas 7-2-19

returned from
Embarked for Overseas Loosian Cause Discharge

22-2-19 releasee Prisoner of war.
rec. dis - from the Army. requires
outpatient treatment

MAR 4 1919 PASSED TO DEMOBILIZATION OFFICE

13-4-19 **DISCHARGE APPROVED ON DEMOBILISATION.**

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Regiment of 1st Newfoundland

Signature of O. C. Company Albernard

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay		
No.	<u>2544</u>	Age on	<u>18</u> years <u>9</u> months	<u>Clerk</u>	<u>Carsten</u>		
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment	<u>St Johns</u> <u>April 20 1916</u>	Religion			
Joined	Date	Period of { with Colours <u>3 1/2</u> years. with Reserve <u>3 1/2</u> years.	Religion	Place of Birth			
Joined	Date		<u>Methodist</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>Rousselle</u>	<u>22.5.16</u>	<u>Pte.</u>		<u>Showing food around dining room</u>	<u>Cpl. J. J. Murphy</u>	<u>2 days C.B.</u>		<u>Capt. Purnell</u>	<u>E.B.</u>
				<u>Demobilized</u>	<u>26 79</u>				

To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.

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to the Secretary
PHONE 1944



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PENSIONS ADJUSTMENTS OFFICER
R. J. Eager

45 Martin St
Bank of Montreal Bldg.
KING ST., KITCHENER, ONT.

19 Janry 1932

Major J. M. Dowley
Archivist
Dept of Militia Records
General Post Office
St Johns
Newfoundland

Sir,

Re 2544 Stanley Halfyard
Royal Newfld Regt

This man applied to the Pension Commissioners of Newfoundland for a discharge Billon & was referred to you by the Comm^ds. He enlisted & served overseas for 4 years & was discharged on demobilization.

Will you kindly forward same to Halfyard at
40 Albert St South, Kitchener, Ont.

Regretting the trouble

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant
R. J. Eager
Adjustment Officer
Can. Legion

February 9th.1932

Mr. Stanley Halfyard,
40 Albert Street South,
Kitchener, Ont.,

Dear Sir:-

Referring to an enquiry made by the Canadian Legion in the matter of issuing to you a discharge badge, I beg to advise that the badge to which you would be entitled is the disability (silver) badge, issued by the Imperial Government.

The issue of this badge was discontinued by order of the Imperial authorities some years ago, and all the unissued badges on hand were returned to them, so that I have now none to issue.

Yours truly,

Archivist.

C.R. 2544

Extract from Daily Orders part II, Depot St. John's
dated April 15th., 1919.

The discharged of the u/n on demobilization has been
APPROVED by O. C. Discharge Depoton noted date. ~~12~~-4-19.
12-4-19

#2544 Pte. Stanley Halfyard.

C.R. 2544

Extract from Daily Orders part II,
Dopet St. John's dated April 29th. 1919.

The discharge of the undernoted on
demobilization has been CONFIRMED by
Officer i/c Records on 26-4-19.

2544 Pte. Stanley Halfyard.

The Royal Newfoundland Regiment

2544

DEMOBILIZATION OF

Reg. No. 2544 Rank Private Name Hallyard Stanley
 Date of Enlistment 30.11.16 Address Halifax District
 Occupation Clerk Classification for Discharge TB Medical Category A III
 Recommendation S.M.B. permanent Disability Rating 20% 3 months
 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 3-3-19 H. Mews Jr.
 O. C. Discharge Depot.

PARTICULARS FOR DEMOBILIZATION

1. Civil Re-Establishment.

I am in a position to resume civilian occupation.

S. Hallyard

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 Amblouston Inc!

Date 12-4-19

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 12-4-19

J.A. Snow
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 12-4-19

20-4-19
H. News
Depot Paymaster.

Discharge approved for 12-4-19

Forwarded with following documents to O.C Discharge Depot.

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Date 12-4-19

J.A. Snow
Demobilization Officer.

APPROVED.

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

Eligible for War Service Gratiuity

Date APR 12 1919

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

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

Date



THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT
HEADQUARTERS

St. John's, Newfoundland,

April 12th, 1919

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From Officer Comanding,
Discharge Depot

Office of D.M.S.
To ~~Board of Pension Commissioners,~~
Militia Bldngg

2544 Pte. S. Halfyard

Above noted man was before the Standing Medical Board
on 22-2-19 and was recommended for discharge as perman-
ently unfit and requires treatment.

His discharge on demobilization has been approved by the
Officer Commanding, effective from 12-4-19 and I am send-
ing him herewith for your attention and necessary action please.

Copy of his Medical Board will be forwarded you in due
course.

W. Bailey East

Adjutant
Discharge Depot

Copy to Bd. of Pension Commissioners