

Form A, 1914

REPORT



# First Newfoundland Regiment

## ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 202

Name in full Arthur John Skinner Age 22

Address 333 Duckworth Street

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

Color fair Hair light brown Eyes blue

Other distinguishing marks Initials tattooed on left arm

Nearest relative Father John Skinner

Address 333 Duckworth Street

Dependents \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation marble worker Present Wage \$ 10<sup>00</sup> per week

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

Decorations \_\_\_\_\_

General Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

*Engaged for  
service of war  
at home  
14*

Arthur John Skinner

Declared before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of OCT 1 1914 1914

Sept 24 1914

Augustus D. Hill

**DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.**

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

Reg. No. 202

Name Arthur John Skinner

Apparent age 22 years \_\_\_\_\_ months. Height \_\_\_\_\_ feet \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

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

Distinctive marks Color: Fair, Hair: Light Brown, Eyes: Blue.

Other distinguishing mark: Initials tattooed on left arm.

**INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.**

Name and Address of next of kin John Skirmer, 333 Duckworth St., St. John's

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) Signature of Officer verifying entry from certificate.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
1			Verified from certificate.

**Particulars as to Children.**

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	(d)
		Verified from certificate

**STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.**

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>4/9/14</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>4th September '14</u>									
<u>Embarked S.S. Hazel 3<sup>10</sup>/<sub>14</sub></u>									
<u>Disembarked Plymouth 19<sup>10</sup>/<sub>14</sub></u>									
<u>Discharged Newton on Apr. 15<sup>10</sup>/<sub>15</sub></u>									
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									

Total Service towards Engagement to 15-10-15 (date of discharge) 1 years 42 days

C.R. 202 ✓

RECEIPT

FOR ISSUE OF RIBAND OF VICTORY MEDAL 1914-1919.

I certify that I have received an issue of  
2 inches of Riband of Victory Medal-1914-1919.

NO. *202* .. NAME. *A. J. Skinner* ..

DATE. *Jan 2nd 1920* ..

PLACE. *St. John's N.F.* ..

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Extract from Nominal Roll embarked St. John's S. S. FLORIZEL

October 4th 1919.

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202 Skinner Arthur J.

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Regiment of \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature of O. C. Company G. J. Corky - Capt.

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No. <u>202</u>	<u>Skinner J</u>	Age on <u>22</u> years <u>0</u> months		<u>Stone Cutter</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____		Date of Enlistment <u>Sept 14</u> / <u>14</u>		Religion	
Joined _____ Date _____		Period of <u>with Colours 42</u> years. <u>with Reserve 365</u> years.		<u>Presbyterian</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____					

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
Fort George	<sup>1914</sup> 28.12.14	Pte		Absent from tattoo to 11am 28.12.14.	Sergt. McConnell Corp. James	4 days' C.B.	28.12.14	Lt. Col. Burton	Forfeits 4 days' pay under R.W. C.W. St.
Fort George	<sup>1915</sup> 2.1.15	Pte		Absent from tattoo to 11.30pm 4.1.15	Corp. Penney	5 days' C.B.	5.1.15	Capt. Carly	Forfeits 2 days' pay under R.W. C.W. St.
Fort George	23.1.15	Pte		Absent from tattoo to 1.30am 26.1.15	Corp. Greene	6 days' C.B.	26.1.15	Lt. Col. Burton	Forfeits 4 days' pay under R.W. C.W. St.
Fort George	6.2.15	Pte	1	Drunk at Fort George Station at 6.45 p.m.	Sgt. Smith Cpl. Hay	7 days' C.B.	8.2.15	Lt. Col. Burton	C.W. St.
Fort George	9.2.15	Pte		① Absent from tattoo until 1.15 p.m. 13-2-15. ② Breaking out of barracks whilst a defaulter ③ Avoiding arrest	Cpl. Newman Cpl. Greene Cpl. Sergt. Steele	8 days' C.B.	10.2.15	Lt. Col. Burton	C.W. St.
Edinburgh	14.3.15	Pte		Absent from concert party parade	Corp. Newman	3 days' C.B.	15.3.15	Capt. Carly	R.H.D. St.
				To be carried over <u>Discharged</u>	<u>Newton</u>	<u>on. Apr Scotland</u>	<u>T.X. 15/10/15</u>		

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Linbrough	4/5/15	Pte	Absent from all defaulters' parades (except 7 pm) half hourly from 5.30 pm to 9.30 pm.	Col. Sgt Steele	3 days' C.B.	5.3.15	Capt. Carty	R. H.O. St.
Linbrough	17.3.15	Pte	Absent from defaulters' Pack Drill parades at 2 pm to 6.45 pm, and from all half-hourly parades, and refusing to fall in when ordered by P.O. No. 1. Absent from tattoo parade call until 10.20 am 26.3.15	Col. Sgt Steele	48 hrs detention	18.3.15	Lt. Col. Burton	R. H.O. St.
Linbrough	18.3.15	Pte	Absent from tattoo parade call until 10.20 am 26.3.15	Cop. Ryall	9 days' Field Punishment No. 2	26.3.15	Lt. Col. Burton	R. H.O. St.
Chesham	3/5/15	Pte	Absent from tattoo parade call 11 pm. 3/5/15	Cpl. Manning	2 days' C.B.	4/5/15	Capt. Carty	R. H.O. St.
Shots Camp	13/5/15	Pte	Absent from 7 a.m. Parade	Cpl. Manning	3 days' C.B.	13/5/15	Capt. Carty	R. H.O. St.
Shots Camp	28/5/15	"	Absent from 8 a.m. Parade	Cpl. Ryall	5 days' C.C.	29/5/15	Lieut. Raley	R. H.O. St.
Shots Camp	29/5/15	"	Absent from all defaulters' parades, 5.30-9.30 pm.	Cpl. Ryall	24 hrs. F.P. No. 2	31/5/15	Lieut. Col. Burton	R. H.O. St.
Shots Camp	2/6/15	"	1. Absent from all defaulters' parades, 5.30-9.30 pm. 2. Late for Parade 9.15 am 3. Dirty equipment	Cpl. Ryall	24 hrs. F.P. No. 2	3/6/15	Lieut. Col. Burton	R. H.O. St.
Shots Camp	18/6/15	"	Absent from Parade 8.45 am	Cpl. Ryall	5 days' C.C.	18/6/15	Lieut. Raley	R. H.O. St.

Brought forward

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Regiment of Newfoundland

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Signature of O. C. Company G. J. Conry, Cpl.

Regimental Number and Name	Enlistment	Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay
No. <u>202</u> <u>Skinner, J.</u>	Age on <u>22</u> years <u>      </u> months	<u>Stonecutter</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____	Place and Date of Enlistment <u>St. John's, Nfld.</u> <u>Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1914</u>	Religion <u>Protestant</u>	
Joined _____ Date _____	Period of { with Colours _____ years. { with Reserve _____ years.	Place of Birth _____	
Joined _____ Date _____			

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
Shots Camp	19 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	Pte.		Absent from all duties Parades 2.30-9.30 pm.	Sergt. Gorme	48 hrs. F.P., No. 2	21 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	Lt. Col. Burton	Det. B. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Lieut.
"	20 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	"		do.					
Shots Camp	25 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	"		Absent from Tattoo until 11 pm. 26 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	Cpl. Manning	1 extra paid	28 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	Lt. Col. Burton	Forfeits 2 days pay R. R.
Shots Camp	1 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	"		Absent from 7 a.m. until 10 a.m. 3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	Sgt. Clark Cpl. Blackall	48 hrs. F.P., No. 2	3 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	Lt. Col. Burton	Forfeits 3 days pay under R.R.
Shots Camp	10 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	"		(1) Absent from 7 a.m. Parade (2) late for Parade, 9.15 a.m.	Cpl. Manning Sgt. Clark	5 days c.c.	10 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	Lieut. Raley	Det. F.
Shots Camp	11 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	"		Absent from Tattoo until 7.20 a.m. 16 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub> , while on parade	Cpl. Reedigan Sgt. Gorme	48 hrs. F.P., No. 2	16 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	Lt. Col. Burton	Forfeits 6 days pay R. R. Det. F.
Shots Camp	22 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	"		Absent from Tattoo roll-call	Cpl. Blackall	2 days c.c.	23 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	Capt. Conry	Det. F.
Mawick	23 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	"		2 Drunks in Kyst beyond 10.50 pm, while a defaulter	Cpl. Penell Pte. White	96 hrs. F.P., No. 2	24 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>15</sub>	Major Drew	Det. F.
				To be carried over					

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Date	Location	Event / Activity	Personnel / Details	Remarks / Notes	Signature
Sept 31/15	Newton	March from Ketter and Tattoo, 1 1/2	Capt. O. J. ... Sgt. Pippy	forfeits 2 days pay under Rev.	Be. J. J.
Sept 18/15	Newton	Absent from parade All Ketter	Sgt. Pippy	forfeits 2 days pay	Major M. ...
Sept 19/15	Newton	Disobeying order of officer Absent from parade and church parade Sept 19	Sgt. Pippy	forfeits 2 days pay	Major M. ...
Sept 19/15	Newton	Absent from drill parade Absent from Ketter and failing to report	Sgt. Pippy	forfeits 2 days pay	Major M. ...
Sept 19/15	Newton	Absent from parade Absent from parade	Sgt. Pippy	forfeits 2 days pay	Major M. ...

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designs for the  
monuments  
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Yours faithfully  
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21st. August

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John Skinner Esq,  
City.

Sir,-

Referring to our conversation <sup>of</sup> yesterday, I beg to state that I called at the Bank of Montreal, and saw the Identity Certificate in connection with your Son's allotment. There is no mention, on this certificate, of how the money is to be deposited, consequently the Bank deposited it in the name of A.J. Skinner, alone, and he alone, is entitled to draw it. I would advise that you write him,-

Capt. 1st. Newfoundland Regiment  
Pay & Record Office,  
58 Victoria Street,  
London. S.W.,

and ask him to apply to his Commanding Officer, to have the Bank of Montreal notified to make account read- A.J. Skinner, and John Skinner, his father, or either of them, or else to change his allotment, and make it payable directly to you.

Your letter would reach him just as quickly, if not more quickly than any letter which I could write to the Paymaster, as, owing to the pressure of work at the Paymaster's office in London, to whom my application would have to be made <sup>such</sup> ~~which~~ application <sup>might</sup> ~~would have to be~~ ~~made~~, whereas your letter would be reforwarded immediately on receipt.

I have the honour to be,

Your Obed~~ient~~ Servant.



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May 28<sup>th</sup> 191

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*please send me a copy of your catalogue of photo designs and price list with your mail order system. I am interested in the designs for the monument of my father and mother. I am sure that your designs will be of great help to me. I am sure that your designs will be of great help to me. I am sure that your designs will be of great help to me.*  
*Yours truly,*  
*John*