

Form 1313

Medical Report

REGIMENTAL

First Newfoundland Regiment

ATTESTATION PAPER

Regimental No. 1544

Name in full Lighton Bugden Age 19

Address 99 George St. St. John's

Married Single Height 5ft 5in Weight 117

Color Fair Hair Auburn Eyes Grey

Other distinguishing marks

Nearest relative Brother John Bugden

Address 99 George St

Dependents

Occupation Grocer Present Wage 7/- week

Previous service

Decorations

General Remarks

Date of Enlistment May 17th 1915

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

Lighton Bugden

Declared before me this 17 day

of May 1915

[Signature]

Apparent age 22 years 0 months 0 days Height 5 feet 10 inches
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 38 inches.
 Range of expansion 3 inches.
 Distinctive marks Colours Fair, Hair, Auburn, Eyes Gray.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin John Dugan, 99 George St. St. John's
 Relationship Brother.

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)
			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. O. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>May 17/15</u>									
Joined at <u>St. John's</u> on <u>May 17/15</u> Embarked for U.K. <u>17/6/15</u>									
Embarked for B.E.F. <u>25/6/16</u> joined <u>1st</u> in the <u>Field</u> <u>12/7/16</u> .									
Officially Reported "Missing & under way" <u>12/1/16</u> <u>Auth. of Unit</u>									
"Killed in Action" or "died of wounds" <u>or shortly after 12/1/16</u>									
<u>Auth. of Officer</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>12-10-16</u> (date of discharge) <u>1</u> years <u>357</u> days									
" " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "									

L. Bugden

C.R. 1544
was attested for General Service

with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on May. 17th. 1915

Regimental No. 1544 was allotted to Pte L. Bugden

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

C.R. 1544

Private John ...
1.1. ...

1544 Pte. Bugden L.

C.R. 1544

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

1544 Pte. L. Bugden.

25-6-16.

OR
St. Johns
St. Johns

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish *St. Johns* County *St. John's*

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <i>14th</i> day of <i>May</i> 1915		on day of 191	
	at <i>St. Johns</i>		at	
Declared Age...	<i>19</i> years		years	
Trade or Occupation...	<i>Grocer</i>			
Height	<i>5</i> feet	<i>5</i> inches	feet	inches
Weight		<i>117</i> lbs.		lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <i>33</i> inches		inches	
	Range of expansion... <i>3</i> inches		inches	
Physical Development...				
Vaccination Marks	Arm			
	Number	<i>1</i>		
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R. E.—V== <i>4/6</i>		R. E.—V==	
	L. E.—V== <i>4/9</i>		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>Geo W. Burden</i>			
(Rank)	<i>Leut.</i>			
	Medical Officer.			Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at <i>St. Johns</i>		at	
	on <i>17th</i> day of <i>May</i> 1915		on day of 191	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps. <i>1st St. John's</i>	Regtl. No. <i>1544</i>	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to...				
Became non-effective by				
(Signature)	on day of 191		on day of 191	

Regiment or corps *Northamptonshire*
 No. *1544* Rank *Private* Name *Bugden L.*
 Died (a) *Antwerp France* on the *12th* of *October* 191*6*
 Deserted at _____ on the _____ of _____ 191*6*

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

 { Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

[Form 1.]

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month <i>10 October/16</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>7</i>
	Cash issues (Date of each issue to be stated)				Pay days at _____ from _____ to _____			
		£	s.	d.	Proficiency, Service or good conduct pay days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	191				Messing allowance _____ days at _____ from _____ to _____			
	"				Kit allowance			
	"				Amount produced by the sale of Effects from Form 2			
	"				Amount of Savings Bank balance, including interest (if no balance, to be so stated)			
	Consolidated stoppage				Deferred Pay or Gratuity			
	Balance due by the Paymaster	<i>14</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>7</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		£				<i>14</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>7</i>

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

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____ 191____ Paymaster.

(a) Fill in whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed and sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form C. 1815.
 (b) Entries should be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

Regimental Number 1044

THE
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

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



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

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

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

Signed Leighton Bugden

Witness Chas. H. Aye Capt.

Dated at Newton-on-Ayre

April 5th. 1916

C.R. 1544

NEWFOUNDLAND CONTINGENT

Extract of Casualty List received from P. & R.O. Nov 20th 1917.

1544, Pte L. Bugden. ✓

MISSING

November 10th, 1916

Dear Sir,

I regret to have to inform you that a report has this day been received from the Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment, London, to the effect that ~~No. 1544~~
Private Leighton Budgen

has been posted as Missing, October 12th.

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

Yours faithfully,

Mr. John Budgen,
99 George Street.

Colonial Secretary.

C.R. 1544

Extract from Casualties received from P.&.R. Office London,
Mar. 8th, 1917.

1544 Pte. L. Budgen.

Previously reported missing Oct. 12th, now ^{now}officially reported
Killed in action on that date.

BRITISH RED CROSS

--- AND ---

ORDER OF ST. JOHN

ENQUIRY DEPARTMENT
FOR
WOUNDED AND MISSING

February 12th., 1917.

18, Carlton House Terrace, S. W.

With the compliments of Mrs. Buckler (for the Earl of Devon) and sincere sympathy for the family.

All possible enquiries are being continued.

1st NEWFOUNDLAND REGT. G Co.

Missing 12.10.16
W. & M.

L. BUGDEN, 1544 } T 639
B. R. EDNEY, 1714 } T 609.688

I saw both Bugden and Edney killed by the same shell just after we had gone over the top at Flers on date mentioned. They fell only a few yards from the parapet. This was at about 2.0 p. m.

Reference: Cpl. C. P. Martin, 192

Convalescent Camp, Rouen. 7.2.17

EMM

9 March, 1917.

Dear Sir,

It was with the greatest regret that the Government received a cablegram from the Record Office, London, intimating that your brother, Private Leighton Bugden, who had been previously reported as missing on the 12th October, has now been unofficially reported as killed in action on that date.

Permit me to express on behalf of the Government, as well as for myself, the sincerest sympathy with you at this time. While we all sorrow at the loss of loved ones, yet it will no doubt be some consolation to you to think that your brother loyally answered the Call of King and Country, fought bravely and well and fell with his face to the foe in defence of the principles of Righteousness, Truth and Liberty. He has laid down the earthly weapons of warfare and now wears the soldier's Crown of Victory. His name will be emblazoned upon the glorious Roll of Honour and be held in fragrant memory by all his fellow-countrymen. We are proud of our gallant lads. When the victory has been won and Peace again reigns it will be a comfort to you to think that, in this great achievement, your gallant brother bore no small part, and gave of himself even to the uttermost.

I trust that you may have at this time the presence and consolation of the Great Father of us all.

With the sincerest sympathy,
Believe me to be,
Your obedient servant,

Mr. John Bugden,
99 George Street.

Colonial Secretary.

SEP 1 1921.

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

Mr. John Bugden (Brother)

in respect of his service as No. 1544 Rank Pte.

Name Leighton Bugden Royal Nfld. Regt.
Mar. Forestry Corps

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received

John Bugden

Signature

O. K.

Date

Sept 19/21

29 Geo St

Dept. of Militia,

St. John's.

Aug 1-1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 1544

Name..... *Langston Buzden*
Rank *Private*
Royal Newfoundland Regt.

John R. Buzden (Sgd.)
Brother Relationship.

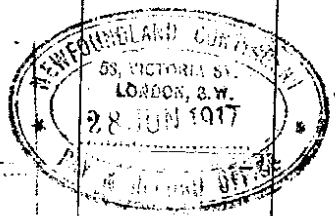
Address..... *99 Geo St*

Casualty Form—Active Service.

A
C.R. Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 Regimental No. 1544 Rank Pte Name Bugden L.
 Enlisted (a) 17.5.15 Terms of Service (a) War Service reckons from (a) _____
 Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N.C.O.s }
 Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
		<u>Rebooked Southampton</u>		<u>25.6.16</u>	
		<u>Dis. Home</u>		<u>26.6.16</u>	
		Joined Battalion		<u>12 JUL 1916</u>	
		<u>Missag</u>		<u>12 OCT 1916</u>	<u>B 213.</u>
<u>14.10.16</u>	<u>cc., Unit</u>				

COPY SENT TO
 O.C. H.Q.
 ST. JOHN'S, N.S.L.D.
279
6/17/16
4 JUL 1917



Dooley
 Lieut. Col.
 No. 1 Reg. Infantry Section
 G.H.C. 3rd

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

R

1544

City
Jan 30/20

Lieut. Col. W. J. Rendell
Dept of Militia
Dear Sir

I beg to acknowledge
I received the sympathy scroll
for No 1544 Pte Leighton Bugden
The Royal Wfld. Regt
Thanking you

Yours Truly
John R. Bugden
99 George St

December 12th, 1917.

John R. Bugden, Esq.,
99 George's Street.

Dear Sir,-

I enclose herewith cheque for \$87.26, being the balance due you as Administrator of the Estate of the late Pte. L. Bugden. I also enclose letter of Administration.

Yours faithfully,

Capt. & Paymaster

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, F.C.
 [28] W1871/004 406m 3/16-1 on 58

Army Form B. 121.

Number of Signet 1
 Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regiment of 1st Newfoundland
 Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay

No. <u>1844</u>	Regimental Number and Name <u>Bugden's Company</u>	Enlistment	Trade <u>Shoos</u>
Joined <u>1</u>	Date <u>1st April</u>	Age on <u>19</u> years <u>6</u> months	Religion <u>Church of England</u>
Joined <u>1</u>	Date <u>17th April</u>	Place and Date of Enlistment <u>17th April 1916</u>	Place of Birth <u>St. John's</u>
Joined <u>1</u>	Date <u>17th April</u>	Period of <u>3 1/2</u> years <u>3 1/2</u> years.	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Care of Discipline	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or discontinuance with fine	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<u>Sturton</u>	<u>1916</u>	<u>Pte.</u>		<u>Absent from Duties until 10.10.16</u>	<u>Capt. Jackson</u>	<u>1 Day C.P.</u>	<u>4/3/16</u>	<u>1/ Lt. Murphy</u>	<u>None</u>
<u>Sturton on Apr 20.4.16</u>				<u>Absent from Duties to 10.10.16</u>	<u>Sgt. [Signature]</u>	<u>2 Days C.P.</u>	<u>20/4/16</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>None</u>
				<u>Presumed dead 9.5.17</u>					

To be carried over