

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 1930 Name George Johnston Corps _____

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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

I George Johnston 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.

George Johnston SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
E. Oct. 22 1915 [Signature] Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I George Johnston 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 read and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at _____ on this 22 day of Oct. 1915.
[Signature]
 Signature of the Attesting Officer.

† Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the : _____
 If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date _____ 191 _____
 Place _____ Approving Officer.

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

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

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON

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

Name: George Johnston
 Apparent age 36 years 10 months. Height 5 feet 6 3/4 inches.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 inches.
 Range of expansion 2 inches.
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin James Johnston, Trinity
Trinity Bay | 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.

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

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names.	Date and Place of Birth.

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank.	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>22-10-15</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>October 22/15</u>									
<u>Overboarded</u>	<u>St John's</u>	<u>train to St John's</u>		<u>18th 15</u>					
<u>Overboarded</u>	<u>Southampton</u>		<u>12-12-16</u>						
<u>Overboarded</u>	<u>Rowen</u>		<u>13-12-16</u>						
<u>Joined</u>	<u>Battalion</u>		<u>25-12-16</u>						
<u>With</u>	<u>Battalion</u>		<u>30-1-17</u>						
<u>Missing</u>			<u>14-4-1917</u>						
Total Service forfeited as above									

Total Service towards Engagement to 14-4-17 (date of discharge) 1 years 175 days
 " " " Pension " " " " " " " " " " " "

C.R. 1930

George Johnson was attested for General
Service with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT ON October 22nd 1915
Regimental No. 1930 was allotted to Ptes. H. Johnson

AUTHORITY:

Record Ledger,

Dept. of Militia.

March 25th 1919

Extract from Nominal Roll Entrained St. John's for Over-
seas, June, 19.1915. "H"

1930 Pte. Johnston George.

To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists entering Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY

OF

Surname Johnson

Christian Name George

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish _____

County N. I.

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on <u>22</u> day of <u>Oct</u> 19 <u>15</u> at <u>St John N.I.</u>		on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u> at _____	
Declared Age	<u>20</u> years		_____ years	_____ days
Trade or Occupation	_____		_____	_____
Height	<u>5</u> feet <u>6 3/4</u> inches		_____ feet	_____ inches
Weight	<u>125</u> lbs.		_____ lbs.	_____ lbs.
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded... <u>35</u> inches		_____ inches	_____ inches
	Range of expansion... <u>2</u> inches		_____ inches	_____ inches
Physical Development	_____		_____	_____
Vaccination Marks	Arm	_____	_____	_____
	Number	_____	_____	_____
When Vaccinated	_____		_____	_____
Vision	R.E.—V=	<u>4/6</u>	R.E.—V=	_____
	L.E.—V=	<u>4/9</u>	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)	<u>Lionel Paterson</u>		_____	_____
(Rank)	<u>Capt</u>		_____	_____
Enlisted	at <u>St John</u>		at _____	
	on <u>22</u> day of <u>Oct</u> 19 <u>15</u>		on _____ day of _____ 19 <u>1</u>	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps.	Regtl. No.
	<u>1st N.I. Regt</u>	<u>1930</u>	_____	_____
Transferred to	_____		_____	_____
Became non-effective by	_____		_____	_____
(Signature)	_____		_____	_____
(Rank)	_____		_____	_____

Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing syphilis, admission of
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year			
Bladda Inf. Dis. Paisley	27	1	1916	4	4	16	Measles	69	

NON DEBITOR ACCOUNT

Regiment or corps
 No. *1930* Rank *Private* Name *Johnson J.*
 Died (a) *Intestate* at *France* on the *14* of *April* 191*7*.
 Deserted at on the of 191*7*.

I Certify to the correctness of above in every particular.

{ Commanding Squadron, Troop,
 Battery or Company.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT.

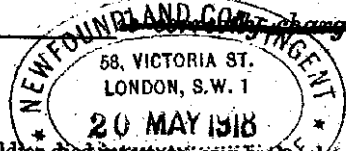
Form I.

Date	Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
	Balance Dr. last month				Balance Cr. last month <i>14/4/17</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4</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>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	Balance due to the Paymaster			
		<i>£</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>£</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>
			<i>4</i>				<i>4</i>	

HECKED:
HJC
15/5/18

I hereby Certify that the above account is correct in every particular, ~~and that the debtor balance of £~~ *is not chargeable against the Public* (b).

Dated at this day of *20 MAY 1918* 191 *Paymaster.*



(a) Here state whether the soldier died intestate, or whether he left a Will. In the latter case the Will should be annexed hereto, if not already sent to War Office with Army Form B. 2090 or Army Form O. 1815.
 (b) Words in Italics to be struck out when there is no debtor balance.

C.R. 1930

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No.15 Embarked Southampton
12/12/16 from 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment to 1/1st Newfoundland
Regiment B.E.F.

1930 Pte.Johnson G.

HP.

ALL INFO HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 11/10/00 BY 60322 UCBAW/STP/STP
MADE IN U.S.A.

May 13, 1917.

Mr. James Johnson,
Trouty, T.B.

No. 1930, Private

George Johnson, missing April fourteenth.

C.R. 1930

Extract of communication received from pay record
office, London, date October 15, 1917.

#1930 Pte. G. Johnston.

Posted as 'Missing' 12/4/17. and presumed dead for
official purposes 17/11/17/

12711/3./R.&.C.

22nd November, 7

2114, Pte. R. Johnson,
1st Newfoundland Regiment,
Convalescent Hospital, Eastbourne.

1930, Pte. G. Johnson, Deceased.

Having regard to the length of time that has elapsed since 1930, Pte. G. Johnson was reported as missing, and in the absence of any further official information, it is my painful duty to inform you that there would appear no alternative but to conclude that your brother is deceased, and therefore his death is presumed to have taken place on the 14th April 1917 or subsequently.

Major,

Chief Paymaster & Officer i/c Records.

HA/JC

C.F.

July 3, 1918

Mr. James Johnson,

Trouty, T.B.

Dear Mr. Johnson,-

I am writing to inform you that it is my regrettable duty to forward to you by "Express" one Kit Bag, which belonged to your son #1930 Pte. George Johnson of The Royal Newfoundland R Regiment,

Assuring you of my deepest sympathy in your bereavement, and in the renewed sorrow which the receipt of these effects must entail.

I am enclosing herewith receipt of these effects must entail.

Yours faithfully,

W.V.W.

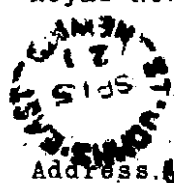
Lieut.
for Lieut. Col. G.S.O.

Dept. of Militia,
St. John's.

Sept 12 1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of
the late No. 1930 Rank Private

Name: George Palmerston
Royal Newfoundland Regt.



his James Johnson (Sgt.)
with witness W. G. G. G. G.
Father Relationship.

Address: Ironby T.B.

Lt. J. B. Mar 5/30

Dept of Militia C.R. 1930

Dear Sir,

I acknowledge receipt
of Memorial Scroll for which

Mrs. Johnson and myself thank

you very truly
James Johnson.

1921.

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

is/are forwarded herewith to :

James Johnson (Father)

in respect of his service as No. 1930 Rank Pte.

Name George Johnson Royal Nfld. Regt.
Nfld. Forestry Corps.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged hereon.

Received Victory Medal & British War Medal

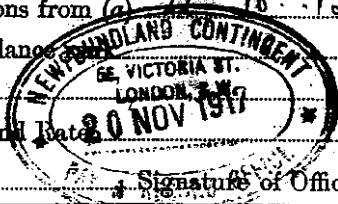
Signature James Johnson (Father)

Date Sept. 16th 1921

Address Trouty, T.B.

[P.T.O.]

Regiment or Corps: *1st Infantry Bn*
 Rank: *Pvt* Surname: *Johnston* Christian Name: *John*
 Religion: *R of E* Age on Enlistment: *20* years *10* months
 Enlisted (a) *St John* Terms of Service (a) *Duration of War* Service reckons from (a) *22* *10* *15*
 Date of promotion to present rank: _____ Date of appointment to lance _____
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b) _____ or Corps Trade and Rate _____
 Signature of Officer: _____



Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 218, 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. 218, Army Form A. 38, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
			Embarked <i>Southampton</i>	<i>12-12-16</i>	
			Disembarked... <i>Dover</i>	<i>13-12-16</i>	
	<i>29 LBD</i>	<i>Deprived of 1 Day Pay (Df of 1st)</i>	<i>Dover</i>	<i>13/12/16</i>	<i>6180 50 B</i>
	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Joined Battalion</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>25/12/16</i>	<i>B 213</i>
			<i>With BATT.</i>	<i>25. 1. 17</i>	
<i>15 APR 1917</i>	<i>OC. Bn</i>	<i>MISSING</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>14 APR 1917</i>	<i>B 213</i>
			<i>Salisbury</i>		

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

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form

Forms
 Grafts & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4, 121.
 1917/004 40m 2/18-1 98 56

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

Regiment of *2/1st Newfoundland*

Good Conduct Badges, Services Pay or Proficiency Pay

No. <i>1730</i> Issued _____ Printed _____ Joined _____ Joined _____	Regimental Number and Name <i>G. Johnston</i>	Enlistment Age on <i>20</i> years <i>10</i> months Place and Date of Enlistment <i>St John's 22 Oct. 1915</i> Period of (with Colonel <i>17 1/2</i> years. with Reserve <i>3 1/2</i> years.)	Trade <i>Student</i> Religion <i>R.C.</i> Place of Birth <i>Trinity</i>	
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Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of order of order discharging with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				<i>Missing 14th 17</i>					

To be carried over