

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 1806 Name Arthur Jones Corps 1st Newfoundland Regt

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

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| 1. What is your name? | 1. <u>Arthur Jones</u> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <u>Broad Cove</u> <u>Conception Bay</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>yes</u> |
| 4. What is your Age? | 4. <u>32</u> Years <u>3</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <u>Farming</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 Arthur Jones 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.

Arthur Jones SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Arthur Jones Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

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

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act. The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence. I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St John's Nfld on this 2 day of Sept 1913.
Kevin Reagon 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 _____ 1913
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: (Name) _____ re-enlisted in the (Regiment) _____ on the (Date) _____

C.R. 1806

Arthur Jones was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ... ~~September~~ 31st 1915
Regimental No. 1806 was allotted to Ptd. Jones

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 20th, 1913.

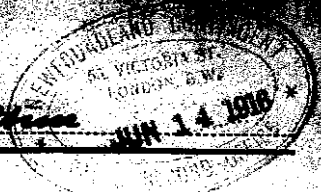
C.R. 1806

extract from Nominal Roll, entitled Lt. John's for Verreson 27/10/15

#1806 Pte. A. Janes.

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

MEDICAL HISTORY



Surname Jones

OF
Christian Name Arthur

Table 1.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish.....

County Wilt

| | SPECIAL RESERVE. | | REGULAR ARMY. | |
|---|-------------------------------|---|-----------------|------------------|
| | Right | Left | Right | Left |
| Examined | on | 1 day of <u>Sept</u> 191 <u>5</u> | on | day of 191 |
| | at | <u>St John Wilt</u> | at | |
| Declared Age..... | | <u>32</u> years | | years |
| Trade or Occupation..... | | <u>Farmer</u> | | |
| Height | | <u>5</u> feet <u>4 1/4</u> inches | | feet inches |
| Weight | | <u>154</u> lbs. | | lbs. |
| Chest Measurement { | Girth when fully expanded.... | | inches | |
| | Range of expansion..... | | <u>3</u> inches | |
| Physical Development..... | | | | |
| Vaccination Marks { | Arm | | | |
| | Number | | | |
| When Vaccinated | | <u>6/9</u> | | |
| Vision | R. E.—V= | <u>6/9</u> | R. E.—V= | |
| | L. E.—V= | <u>6/9</u> | L. E.—V= | |
| (a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease | (a) | | (a) | |
| (b) Slight defects but not sufficient to Cause Rejection | (b) | <u>Colour blind</u> | (b) | |
| Approved by (Signature) | <u>James Peterson</u> | | | |
| (Rank) | <u>Capt</u> | | | |
| | Medical Officer. | | | Medical Officer. |
| Enlisted | at | <u>St John's</u> | at | |
| | on | 1 st day of <u>Sept</u> 191 <u>5</u> | on | day of 191 |
| Joined on Enlistment | Corps. | <u>1st Wilt Regt</u> | Corps. | |
| | Regtl. No. | <u>1806</u> | Regtl. No. | |
| Transferred to.. | | | | |
| Became non-effective by..... | | | | |
| | on | day of 191- | on | day of 191 |
| (Signature) | | | | |
| (Rank) | | | | |

Regimental Number

1800

Company

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THE
1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

I hereby enlist for service at home or abroad 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

^{his}
A. X. Jones
malk.

Witness

H. J. Rowell
(2nd Lieut.)

Dated at

Cape

May 24th 1916.

C.R. 1806

Extract from Nominal Roll of the RFLA. Regt. Draft
No. 6. from 2nd Bn., Depot, to 1st Bn., B.E.F. Embarked
Southampton. 14-6-18.

1806 Pte. A. Jones.

C.R. 1806

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft which embarked for
B.E.F. on or about 20 June 1916.

#1806 Pte. A. Jones.

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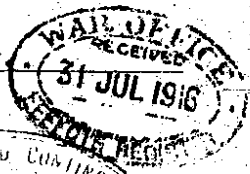
FIELD SERVICE.

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REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36 or from other official documentary sources.

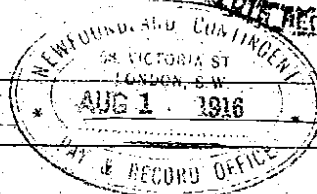
REGIMENT } 1st. Newfoundland Regt. Squadron,
or } Troop, Battery }
CORPS } or Company }

A Coy



Regtl. No. 1808 Rank Private

Name Jones, A.



Date July 1st. 1916.

Died Place France.

Cause of Death* Killed in Action.

Nature and Date of Report B 213, 11/7/16.

By whom made O.C., Unit.

* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Burial Place Grave No. 7, Knightsbridge, 1 mile N.N.W. of Hamel, 4 1/2 miles N. of Albert.

Date July 1st., 1916.

By whom reported Rev. H.S. Reid att. 87th. Brigade.

State whether he leaves a will or not

(a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Not to hand.

(b) in Small Book (if at Base) do

(c) as a separate document do

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base

A. J. Clark
Capt. for Lt. Col.,
Officer i/c Infantry Section,
3rd. Echelon, B.E.F.

Station and Date 26/7/16.

C.R. 1806

Extract of Casualty List received from P.&R.O.
July 30th. 1916.

1806, Pte A. Jones. ✓

Reported by O.C. Bn. d/11/7/16. as Killed in Action 1/7/16.

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July 26, 1916.

Dear Madam,

I regret to inform you that the
Record Office of the First Newfoundland Regiment,
London, to-day reports that your son, No. 1806,
Private Arthur Jones, has been reported killed
in action on July 1st.

Yours sympathetically,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. Susannah Jones,
St. Philips, C.B.

*Received
per Act 1806
Colonial Secy*

G.

13th November, 1916.

Dear Madam,

I have the honour to inform you that I am now in receipt from the Pay and Record Office, London, of particulars of gravesites. 1806 Private A. Jones was buried on the 1st July, by Rev. H. S. Reid, in Grave No. 7, Knightsbridge, 1 mile W.N.W. of Hamel, 4½ miles N. of Albert.

Yours faithfully,

Colonial Secretary.

Mrs. ~~Susannah~~ Jones.
St. Philips.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 3rd Newfoundland

Regimental No. 1806 Rank Pte Name Jones Arthur

Enlisted (a) 31.9.15 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 24.5.16

Date of promotion } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }
 to present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended _____ Re-engaged 24.5.16 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 | | | | |
| 30.6.16 | Unit | Joined Battalion | In the Field | 30.6.16 | B 213 |
| | | | Embarked | 14.6.16 | |
| | | | Disembarked | 15.6.16 | |
| 11.7.16 | Unit | Killed in Action | France | 1.7.16 | B 213 |

A. E. Clerk
 Capt
 for B Co Infantry Record
 47.2 3rd Echelon B E T

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

Hon. J. A. C. C. C. C. C.
Major W. H. Parsons, M.C.,
RAMC.

St. John's

Oct. 6/19.

Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
City.

Re:- #1806 Pte. A. Jones.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find cheque for \$583.80
being refund of amount paid in continuation
of the above mentioned deceased soldier's all-
otment.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of same.

Yours faithfully,


Asst. Secy.

GEC

THE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS FOR Nfld.

Mar 19 19

The Paymaster & Officer i/c Records,
St. John's Nfld.

DEAD AND MISSING MEN.

No. 1806

Rank Pte

Name A. Jones

Sir:-

I have the honour, by direction to advise you that a pension has been awarded to the Mother of the marginally noted, as follows:

Name Susannah Jones

Address St. Philips C.B.

Pension 30⁰⁰ per month

Pension commences 2-7-16

Kindly govern yourself accordingly, and advise me what deductions will have to be made.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

C. E. Oke
Asst. Secretary.

*Paid from allotments
60^c per day from 1/7/16
to 28/2/19 \$383.80*

*Discontinued
28/2/19*

B. S. G. JOHN J.

4479

The Rector,
Portugal Cove,
March 23rd, 1919

Capt. J. M. Bowler,
Dep't. of Publics,
St. John's,
Dear Sir

1806
within
allotted
month of Feb 1919

I beg to call your attention to what is evidently a mistake.

Mrs. Susannah Jones, of St. Philips, the mother of the late Pte. Arthur Jones, had been receiving since her son's death the sum of \$18.60 monthly. Recently, however, that has been cut down to \$16.80. This woman is a very poor widow with absolutely no means of support, she found the former sum far from adequate to meet the barest necessities of life.

I have no doubt that a satisfactory adjustment of this matter can be made.

I should be kind to look into it as soon as possible.

Yours truly,
A. E. Legge.

March 29th. 1919

Rev. A.E.E. Legge,
The Rectory,
Porgugal Cove.

Dear Mr. Legge:

With reference to your letter of March 27th, regarding the allotment of late Pte. Arthur Jones, I beg to inform you that the cheque for Feb. was only \$16.80, because of the fact that there are only 28 days in Feb. therefore 28 days @ 60¢ per day is \$16.80.

Yours truly,

Lieut.
For Paymaster.

In replying the date of this letter should be quoted



S/B.

June 27, 1922.

Sir:

I have the honour to authorize you to pay the balance due the estate of Arthur Jones, #1806, to Mrs. Susamah Jones, per the Rev. Mr. Tulk. Please give the bearer a cheque for the amount due, viz: \$22.78.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, likely belonging to the Deputy Minister of Justice, is written over the typed name.

Deputy Minister of Justice.

Major J. M. Howley, M.B.E.,
Pay & Record Office.

Receipt for Army Book 64

No. 1806 Name A. Jones

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

Name Susannah Jones

Date October 6

Place Portugal Cove

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

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. C. Smith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.
 (5383) W. 18371/604 40mm 3/16e-1 88 56

Regiment of *1st Newfoundland*
 Number of Sheet *111*

Signature of O. C. Company
 Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay

| | | | | | |
|----------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|---|
| No. | Enlistment | | | Trade | Names of Witnesses <i>Broad bore 6.3</i> |
| <i>1806 A. Jones</i> | Age on | <i>32</i> years | <i>3</i> months | <i>Farmed</i> | |
| Joined | Place and Date of Enlistment | <i>St. John's Nfld. N. 1915</i> | | Religion | |
| Joined | Period of | <i>2</i> years | <i>305</i> days | <i>Lat. E.</i> | |
| Joined | | (with Reserve) | | Place of Birth | |
| Joined | | | | | |

| Place | Date of Offence | Rank | Cases of Drunkenness | OFFENCE | Names of Witnesses | Punishment awarded | Date of award or order of discharge with this | By whom awarded | REMARKS |
|-------|-----------------|------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---|-----------------|---------|
| | | | | Killed in Action. 1-76 | | | | | |
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To be carried over

Army Form B. 121.

1806
July 22nd 22

Rev. A. T. Falk,
Portugal Cove.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 18th instant, advising that Mrs. Susannah Jones of St. Philips, pensioner, died on the 14th.

I have forwarded your letter to the Board of Pension Commissioners and have asked them to reply to you direct regarding any cheques that are due to Mrs. Jones to date.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut.-Col.

Chief Staff Officer