

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

ATTESTATION OF

No. 3046 Name John Ongan Corps Corps

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your name? John Ongan
2. What is your full Address? Great Jarvis, Herbyage Bay
3. Are you a British Subject? yes
4. What is your age? 19 Years 21 Months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? Sailor
6. Are you Married? no
7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? no
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 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 to be signed by you if you are accepted? yes

John Ongan 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.

John Ongan SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
Edmund Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

John Ongan 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 the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. Johns on this 24 day of Aug 1914.

Charles Aye Capt Signature of 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 1st Corps.

If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 1914 Place St. Johns } 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, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificates and Certificates of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink re-enlisted in the (Regiment).

Name Alfred [unclear]
 Apparent age 19 years 21 months Height 5 feet 4 1/2 inches
 Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 37 inches
 Range of expansion 4 inches
 Distinctive marks _____

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin _____ Relationship _____

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 <u>28. 8. 16</u>									
Joined at <u>St John's</u> on <u>August 28 16</u>									
<u>Embarked at Dover S.S. Steamer to Windsor 31. 8. 17</u>									
<u>Disembarked at Dover 12. 9. 17</u>									
<u>Joined at 27. 9. 17</u>									
<u>Wounded 23. 9. 17</u>									
<u>Died of Wounds at 87 St. Sepulchre Road</u>									
<u>23. 9. 17</u>									
<u>Place of Home: 10 West Street, Bristol, 3 1/2 miles N.W. of Glos.</u>									
<u>Report to Comdr 19. 10. 17. Plot 1. Feet 4. 1/2</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>23. 9. 17</u> [date of discharge] <u>1</u> years <u>27</u> days									
Pension									

C.R. 3046

John Organ was attested for General Service
with the NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT on ... AUGUST. 28th. 1916
Regimental No. 3046 was allotted to Pte John Organ

AUTHORITY:

Record Officer

Dept. of Militia,

March 25th. 1919.

C.R. 307

Abstract of Final Roll of Officers and men embarked St. John's

21-7-17 Sailed Halifax S. S. AUSTRIA 16-8-17.

#3046 PTE. D. ORGAN.

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.



Birthplace:—Parish

County

	SPECIAL RESERVE.		REGULAR ARMY.	
	Right	Left	Right	Left
Examined	on 28 day of August 1916 at St John's		on day of 191	
Declared Age	19 years 31 days		years	days
Trade or Occupation	Sailor			
Height	5 feet 2 1/4 inches		feet	inches
Weight	119 lbs.			lbs.
Chest Measurement {	Grith when fully expanded ...			inches
	Range of Expansion ...			inches
Physical Development				
Vaccination Marks {	Arm			
	Number			
When Vaccinated				
Vision	R.E.—V== 4/6 4/6 L.E.—V==		R.E.—V== L.E.—V==	
	(a)		(a)	
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease				
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection				
Approved by (Signature)	W. H. M. Adams			
(Rank)	Major			
	Medical Officer.		Medical Officer.	
Enlisted	at St John's on 28 day of August 1916		at day of 191	
Joined on Enlistment	Corps.	Regtl. No. 3026	Corps.	Regtl. No.
Transferred to				
Became non-effective by				
(Signature)	on	day of	191	on
(Rank)				day of

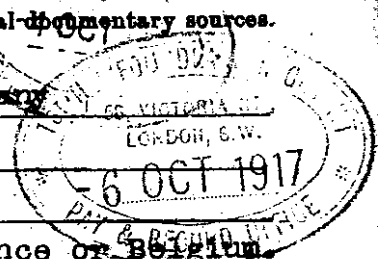
ORIGINAL

FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090a

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 OR CORPS } NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT. Squadron, Troop, } A Company
 Battery or Company }
 Regimental No. 3046 Rank Private
 Surname ORGAN Christian Names J.



Date Sept. 23rd., 1917. Place 87th. Field Ambl., France or Belgium.
 Died { Cause of Death* Died of Wounds received in Action.

Nature and Date of Report Memo, 24/9/17.
 By whom made O.C., 87th. Field Ambulance.

* 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 _____ Date 10/10/17
 By whom reported _____

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) Not to hand
 (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.

Station and Date } 29/9/17. Signature of Officer in charge of Section } [Signature]
 Adjutant-General's Office at the Base }

(1452) W9587/M:350 500,000 10/16 JFW (E222) Forms/B2090a/2

1/c No 1 Reg Infantry Section
 G.H.O. 2-1-17

R 3046

Extract from Nominal Roll of Draft No. 25; Embarked Southampton 11/6/17
from 2/1st Newfoundland Regiment Newton-on-Ayr, to 1/1st Newfoundland
Regiment, B.E.F.

3046 Pte. Organ, J.

MP.

C.R. 3046

Extract of Daily Orders part 1, by Lieut.Col. A.L. Hadow,
C.M.G., Comdg. Mfld. Regt. 23/9/17.

#e/3046 Pte. J. Organ. A.Co.,

wounded (Shell shock)

3046 Pte. John Organ. 6

C.R. 3759

Ext.of Casualty list received Oct 4, 1917.
Shrapnel Compound Fracture of Right Leg.
Died of Wounds at 87th Field Ambulance
Hospital, Sept 23.

NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPH

Cable Connection with all the World

All Messages Sent are Subject to the Following Conditions:

The Management may decline to forward the Message, though it has been received for transmission; but in case of so doing shall refund to the Sender the amount paid for its transmission.

In case the Message shall never reach its destination by reason of any neglect or default of the N. P. T. or its Servants whilst the Message remains under the control of the N. P. T., they will refund the amount paid by the Sender for such Message.

The N. P. T. shall not be liable to make compensation beyond the amount refunded as above for any loss, injury, or damage arising or resulting from the non-transmission or non-delivery of the Message, or delay or error in the transmission or delivery thereof, howsoever such transmission, non-delivery, delay, or error shall have occurred.

The control of the N. P. T. over the Message shall be deemed to have entirely ceased for the purposes of these Conditions at any point where, in the course of the transit of the Message to its destination, it may be entrusted by the N. P. T. (and the N. P. T. shall have full power so to entrust the Message) for further transmission by or through any system, service, or line of Telegraph belonging to or worked by any administration or authority not controlled by the N. P. T. exclusively, although worked as part of or in connection with the Telegraphic system or service of the N. P. T.

I request that the following Telegram may be forwarded according to the foregoing Conditions, by which I agree to abide.

(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender _____ Address _____

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check
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Dated

October 4, 1917.

To

Mrs. Maggie Long.

Great Jerveis, F.B.

Regret to inform you Record Office, London, today reports No. 3046, Private John Organ, died as a result of shrapnel wounds, compound fracture right leg, at Eighty-seventh Field Ambulance Hospital, on September twenty-third.

R.A. SQUIRES

Colonial Secretary.

NOTE FOR OPERATOR:

This message is not to be sent until receiving offices notifies that message to Rev. Mr. Hawkes St. Jacques, has been delivered and acted upon.

FOR TYPEWRITER

April 2nd. 18.

Mrs. Maggie Long,
Great Jarvis, F.B.

Madam:-

The following description of Grave Site, has
been received from the Pay & Record Office,

London a:-

"#5046 Pte. J. Organ, (Report
"Elverdinge 19.10) Place of
"Grave Eleuet Farm British
"Cemetery, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles N.W. of Ypres.
"Reported by Graves Registration
"Units."

I have the honour to be,

Madam,

Your obedient servant.

W. J. Rendell

Major Chief Staff Officer.

C.R.

July 6, 1918

Mrs. Maggie Long,
Great Jarvis, P.B.

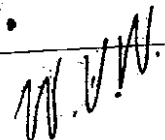
Dear Mrs. Long:-

I am writing to inform you that it is my regrettable duty to forward to you by "Express" one Kit Bag of the late #3046 Pte. John Organ of The Royal Newfoundland 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, will you kindly sign same and return at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely,



Lieut.

for Lieut. Col. C. S. O.

Enc'l 1.

PERSONAL EFFECTS

Received from Militia Department

One Kit Bag of the late #3046 Pte. John Organ

Signed

Mrs. Maggie Long

Date

July 11th / 18

Casualty Form—Active Service.

CERTIFIED TRUE

Regiment or Corps Newfoundland
 Regimental No. 3046 Rank Plc Name Organ John
 Enlisted (a) 28.8.16 Terms of Service (a) Duration Service reckons from (a) 28/8/16
 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				
		Embarked	Southampton	11.6.17	
		Disembarked	Raven	12.6.17	
		Joined Battalion		2.7.17	B 213
22.9.17	O.C. Unit	Wounded in Action		23.9.17	B 213
do	O/C B	Lead of Wave 1 (Snatched & Lgt 6.3.)		23.9.17	N/13021/2
					(S) E. Aldridge major O/C 901 Reg. Inf. Section G.A.G. 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) e.g., Signaller, Shoering Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

December 9th, 1922

Mrs Maggie Long,

Great Jervais, F.B.,

Dear Madam:-

I enclose cheque for \$50.47, being the balance due by this Department to the estate of the late Private John Organ No. 3046, Royal Nfld. Regiment, payable to you as Administratrix.

Letters of Administration are also enclosed.

Yours truly,

Major
Paymaster

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To ensure that as far as may be possible none of the next of kin of those who have fallen in the War shall fail to receive the Memorial Plaque, it is requested that in receipt of the enclosed Plaque this card be signed at the bottom and posted. No stamp is required.

Mrs Maggie Long.

(2249) Wt. 21551/AP6589 10/10 00M (20) D.St.

Resat gerrois.
H. B.

Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

Army Form B. 121.

W. P. Griffith & Sons Ltd., Printers, Old Bailey, E.C. 4.
(9-9) W-5017/124 1000m 6/10s 83 5/6

Regiment of *Newfoundland*

Signature of O. C. Company *W. J. [Signature]*
Number of Sheets *Three*

Good Conduct Badges, Service Pay or Proficiency Pay

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade
No.	<i>3046</i>	Age on	<i>19</i> years	<i>Sailor</i>
Joined	<i>18 Jan 16</i>	months	<i>1</i>	Religion
Joined	<i>18 Jan 16</i>	Place and Date of Enlistment	<i>St. Johns</i>	<i>R. C.</i>
Joined	<i>18 Jan 16</i>	Period of	<i>2 1/2</i> years	Place of Birth
Joined	<i>18 Jan 16</i>		<i>3 1/2</i> years	

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Days of arrest or suspension with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
<i>St. Johns</i>	<i>20/10/16</i>	<i>1st Lt.</i>		<i>Refusing to obey orders of a sentry. Inadequacy of Sergt. of the Guard</i>	<i>Sergt. [Signature]</i> <i>Master [Signature]</i> <i>Mr. Tamm</i> <i>Woodland</i>	<i>3 days C.E.</i>	<i>21/10/16</i>	<i>Lieut. [Signature]</i>	<i>max</i>
				<i>Died of Wounds 23.9.17</i>					

To be carried over