

ST JOHN'S WILLIS ORGAN RESTORATION 2004-5

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NEW ORGAN GETS SECOND WIND

In order to optimise the instrument's potential to perform on all fronts at the same time, it is being fitted with two new German manufactured blowers, one to supply wind at high pressure and another to supply wind at low pressure.

The picture opposite shows one of these just after its arrival, awaiting installation.



Several pipes of the 16ft rank on the outside of the case have to be removed in order to heave the blower which serves them into place. It weighs about 100 kilos

Then there's the matter of heaving the huge pipes themselves, back into place. No small feat for our valiant craftsmen.

