

Captain Guy Horsman BAILEY

Royal Horse Artillery.

WO 374/3114 service recrod

WO 372/1/177612 medal card Royal Horse Artillery 15th Brigade

Royal Horse Artillery 15th Brigade Lieutenant

Royal Horse Artillery 15th Brigade Major

BIO: <https://warincolours.wordpress.com/2015/10/24/guy-horsman-bailey-born-in-the-second-quarter-of-1891-streatham-london/>

15 G H Guy Horsman Bailey MC 9 1905 1910 Major R. H. A. 28/02/1917 26 Killed in action France Guards Cemetery Combles I D 1

War Diary: WO 95/2291

Place Hqs Left

Group centre

Artillery T.20.D.40

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About 3pm a shell fell in L Batteries position & caused following casualties:

Capt G.H. Bailey & capt D.A. Coye killed

At Mirlancourt on 1St Jan 1917

Instructions regarding War Diaries and Intelligence Summaries are contained in P. A. Reg. No. 11 and the Staff Manual, respectively. The Pages will be prepared as summarized.

WAR DIARY
or
INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY
(Erase heading not required.)

Army Form G, 2118

VOLUME 23
Sheet I

Place

Date

Hour

Summary of Events and Information

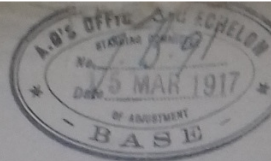
Remarks and references to Appendices

<p>HQ. LEFT 24-2-17 GROUP (ONTAF) Artillery T. 20, 24, 26</p>	<p>24-2-17</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>is postponed to 25th. Wire cutting continues. Usual day + night firing carried out. Weather milder.</p>	
	<p>25-2-17</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>Bombardment ordered for 26th takes place today with good results. Wire cutting continues. Usual Day + Night firing. Weather mild but observation bad owing to mist.</p>	
	<p>26-2-17</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>Batteries complete registration of their barrage lines + wire cutting is continued. Observation better. Usual day + night firing.</p>	
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Standing Committee of Adjustment,
General Headquarters,
3rd. Echelon,
British Expeditionary Force,
15th. March, 1917.

Herewith for disposal please Leather Pocket Case the
property of the late Captain. G.H. Bailey, M.C., "L" Battery,
R.H.A. The following is a copy of a direction as to the
disposal of this article, original enclosed:-

" If found this pocket book is to be sent to Mrs. Nainby-
Luxmoore, No. 5. Cumberland House, Kensington Palace, London,
W. (Sgd) Guy Horsman Bailey, Lieut. "L" Battery, R.H.A. June
23rd. 1916".

as directed only

Captain,
Staff Captain,
for the Standing Committee of Adjustment.

See to do

Messrs Cox's Shipping Agency Ltd.,
16. Charing Cross,
London S.W.

0.0.12946

WO 374/3114

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5, BERNERS STREET,
LONDON, W.

22nd March 1917

Sir, Accounts &c

I have the honour to acknowledge
the receipt of your communication of
the 21st inst. relating to the
disposal of the effects of my late
son Captain G. H. Bailey, M.C.
Royal Horse Artillery. I have
signed, & now return, the form of
undertaking enclosed in your letter
I am, Sir

your obedient Servant
Herbert Bailey
The Secretary War Office
Park Buildings

RECEIVED
23 MAR 1917

This Undertaking to be signed, as the circumstances of the case dictate,
by one of the following persons in the order in which they appear:—

- (1) Executor of the late Officer's Will or the Administrator of his estate.
- (2) Widow.
- (3) Father (if alive), or next surviving relative (if father is dead).

To the Army Council.

In consideration of your handing over to me, or at my request, the effects
of the late *Captain G. D. Bailey M.C.*
Royal Horse Artillery
in your custody, in anticipation of the final adjustment of his accounts, I undertake
to pay or secure the payment of any public or preferential claims that may exist
against his estate.

I desire that the late Officer's effects should be forwarded to the following
address:—

to me
Colonel E. Hornman Bailey
Foxholes
Kingham Station
EWR

Signature

E. Hornman Bailey

Capacity in which signing

Partner

Date

22nd March 1917

This Undertaking, which is rendered necessary in view of the provisions of
the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, will not be held to apply to any amounts in excess
of the assets of the late Officer's estate.

Effects delivered to the address stated on this form will not subsequently be
forwarded elsewhere at the public expense.

10980991

Found.

This pocket book is to be
sent to

Mrs Mainby Luxmoore.

45 Cumberland House.

Windsor Palace.

London. W.

Thank you for your
Lieut
L. R. A. A.

23rd 1916.

Secretary

War Office

Park Buildings

St James's Park.

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5, BERNERS STREET.
LONDON, W.

(Accounts 4.)

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I have the honour to acknowledge
your letter of the 23rd inst with regard
to the effects of my late son Captain
G. H. Bailey. M.C. Royal Horse
Artillery.

I thank you for your attention

I have the honour to be, Sir

Your obedient Servant

Arthur Stanley

The Secretary

War Office

Park Buildings

St James's Park

G. M. G. F.A.

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44283/2 (Accounts 4.)

March, 1917.

Madam,

I am directed to acquaint you that a pocket book belonging to the late Captain G.H. Bailey, M.C., Royal Horse Artillery, is being forwarded to you under separate registered cover in accordance with a written request left by the late Officer.

I am,

Madam,

Your obedient Servant,

(Sd.) L. Wilson

for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

Mrs. Mainby Luxmore,
5, Cumberland House,
Kensington Palace.

NOMINATION FORM FOR CANDIDATES FOR COMMISSIONS IN THE REGULAR ARMY.

University of Oxford.

1A

Name in full { Surname Bailey.
Christian Names Guy Horsman.
Date and place of birth May 27th 1891. Springfield, Suffolk, East Ang.
(A birth certificate to be attached, unless one has already been sent to the War Office, in which case it should be stated when, and for what purpose, it was sent)
Whether of pure European descent yes.
Whether (1) British born, or (2) a naturalized British subject British Born.
Address for letters East Park, Wickham Market.
School or schools at which previously educated Malvern College.

College Brasenose in Oxford.
Date of commencement of residence October 1910.
Date of registration as a candidate for a commission in the Regular Army.
Number of academic years in residence 4
University Examinations B.A. (Pass School)

Athletic qualifications

Service in Officers Training Corps, or other Corps.

O.T.C. Malvern 5 years.
O.V. O.T.C. Artillery Section 4 years.

Date and period of attachment to regular unit.

Date of passing examination in military subjects { A. Certificate 1909
B. Certificate Artillery 1911
Military History 1912
Autodate claimed 18 months.

Signature Guy Horsman Bailey Signature of
University of Oxford Candidate

Date 27 Feb 1915.

Date Feb 26th 1915

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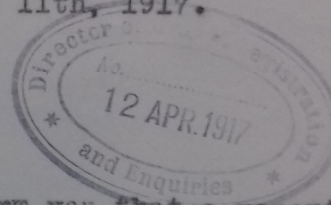
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War Office,
Winchester House,
St. James's Square,
London, S.W.

Ref., 17/1983

April 11th, 1917.

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Dear Sir,

I am directed to inform you that a report has been received which states that the late Captain G.H. Bailey, M.C., Royal Horse Artillery, is buried in Guards Cemetery, Combles.

The grave has been registered in this office, and is marked by a durable wooden cross with an inscription bearing full particulars.

Yours faithfully,

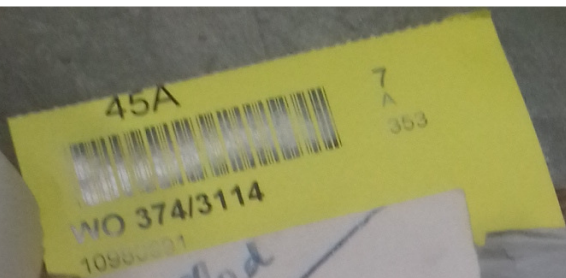
(Sd.) P.B. Akroyd.

Capt. D.A.A.G.,
for Brig-General,
Director G.R.&E..

Colonel E.H. Bailey,
5, Berners Street. W.

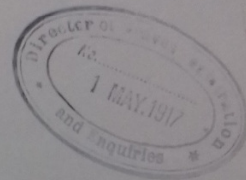
(Sd.) P.B. Akroyd.

Capt. D.A.A.G.
for Brig-General,
Director



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Sir,

I am directed to inform you that a report has been received which states that the late Second Lieutenant G.H. Bailey, 145th M.G.C., is buried in Villers Pancon Communal Cemetery Extension, North East of Peronne.

The grave has been registered in this office, and is marked by a durable wooden cross with an inscription bearing full particulars.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(Sd.) P.B. Akroyd.

Capt. D.A.A.G.
for Brig.-General,
Director G.R. & E.

Bailey Esq.,
Sherwood,
Pretoria Road,
Streatham,
S.W.

Action to be taken, if any.



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File killed

5, BERNERS STREET.
LONDON, W.

12th March 1917

Sir, I have the honour to acknowledge
the receipt of your Telegram of yesterday
date informing me of the death of my
Son Capt G. H. Bailey. R.H.A killed
in action February 28th.

I thank the Army Council for
expressing their sympathy.

I have the honour to be, Sir

Your obedient servant

G. H. Bailey

The Secretary to the War Office

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A° 11/3/17

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHS.

Prefix _____ Code _____ (Inland Official Telegrams only.) No. of Telegram 8

Office of Origin and Service Instructions. Words M.S.S. Sent

O. H. M. S. At _____ M. I certify that this Telegram is sent on the service of the

To _____ (Signature) J. W. Scott

By _____ Dated Stamp.

Attention is called to the Regulations printed at the back hereof

TO { Bailey 5 Berners Street

Deeply regret to inform you Capt G. H. Bailey R.H.A. 15 Bde Killed in Action February twenty eighth 1917. The Army Council express their sympathy.

FROM {

THE SECRETARY, WAR OFFICE

The Name and Address of the Sender, if NOT TO BE TELEGRAPHED, should be written in the space provided at the Back of the Form

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The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W.

WAR OFFICE
RECEIVED
19 JUL 1917

Reference to the report of the Standing Committee of Adjustment No. 7-B-91, on the affairs of the late Capt. G. H. BAILEY, R.F.A., sent to the War Office on the 2nd inst; herewith CREDIT voucher for £9.2.3 representing arrears due to the late officer on his promotion to the rank of Major.

I have advised the Committee of Adjustment of this subsequent credit.

J. W. Scott
Colonel.
Command Paymaster.

Base,
B.E.F.
17.7.17.

EFFECTS OF OFFICERS.

The Secretary,
War Office,
LONDON, S.W.

C. P. 1
BASE.
EFFECTS

I beg to certify that the following sums have been credited to "EFFECTS" in my account for
the month of _____ 191__.

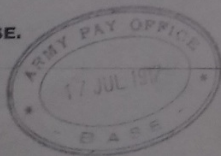
RANK.	NAME.	UNIT.	PARTICULARS.	AMOUNT.
Major	BAILEY G.H.	R. F. A.	7. Lodg. W. H. Allen appears on form to major 23 ¹¹ / ₁₆ to 20 ⁸ / ₁₄ new period on leave 5 ¹⁴ / ₁₄ to 21 ¹⁴ / ₁₄	11 - 6 1 18
			Setg Major 23 ¹¹ / ₁₆ page 6486 Hon'd. Reg. 30/5/14 d/- 29.6.14 (previously paid at Capt's rates.)	

£ 9 2 3

Killed in action 28²/₁₄ G. H. Q. list 923.

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for Command Paymaster,

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18/11/2017 10:16:47

Telephone 01800 818

Encl

BAILEY, SHAW & GILBERT

1. Somerset House
2. 10, Old Broad St.
3. 10, Old Broad St.
4. 10, Old Broad St.
5. 10, Old Broad St.

3, Brompton Road,
London, 14 May 1917
W.I.

at 10.11.2017 (10.11.2017)

To
Captain G.H. Bailey M.C.
Royal Army Medical

Referring to your letter
to me of the 26th ult^o I now
send you Grant of Letters of
Administration of the Estate of
the late Captain G.H. Bailey, D.C.
for registration in respect of the
amount due from the Army
Funds, which kindly return.

I shall be obliged if you
will, in due course, request
the Paymaster to forward to

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Telephone No. 618.

Encl.

BAILEYS, SHAW & GILLET.

E. Newman Bailey.
W. E. Gillet.
Norman C. Bailey.
H. Newman Gillet.
W. Allen Gillet.

5, Berners Street,

London, 14th May 1917

W. I.

N^o 44283/2
(Account 14)

Sir

Captain G. H. Bailey M.C.
Royal Horse Artillery

Referring to your letter to me of the 26th ult^o I now send you Grant of Letters of Administration of the Estate of the late Captain G. H. Bailey M.C. for registration in respect of the amount due from the Army Funds, which kindly return.

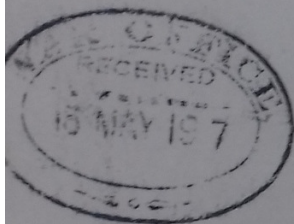
I shall be obliged if you will, in due course, request the Paymaster to forward to

4. Gross value, £ 13. 16. 1.

me at the above address a
receivable order for the amount
due to the Estate.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant

Arthur Murray Bailey



The Secretary
War Office
London SW.1

Register No. 44283/2

Extract from Letters of Administration.
~~Probate of Will.~~

Dated 5th May 1917 Granted at P.D.B.

1. Estate of Guy Arisman Bailey of Loxholes,
Whipping Norton, County of Oxford.
Lt. Temp Capt. R.F.D. (M.C.)

2. Date and Place of Death 28th February 1917
in France, on active service.
intestate a bachelor.

3. Grantees Edward Arisman Bailey the natural
and lawful Father and next of kin
of the said intestate.

4. Gross value, £ 13. 16. 1.

5. Disposal of Medals

Produced by

Extracted by Bailey, Shaw & Co., Ld.,
5, Berners St.,
W.

Produced by

to whom returned G.R.P. 16/5/17

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The Secretary,
War Office, London.

Noted
FIELD SERVICE

REPORT of Death of an Officer 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 } Royal Field Artillery Squadron, }
or } Troop, Battery } "L" Battery, R.H.A.
CORPS } or Company }

C.3. (A.L.)

44283/2
Regtl. No. _____ Rank Temporary Captain

Name G.H. BAILEY M.C.

By whom reported Officer Commanding 15th Brigade, R.H.A.

Date of Death 28th February, 1917.

Died } Place or Hospital In the Field (France.)

Cause of Death Killed in Action.

Place of Burial _____

State whether } Enquiries are being made, the result of which will
he leaves a Will } be communicated to you on receipt.
or not. }

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, 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 Officer of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

Signature of Officer in charge } *W.B. Burrows*
of Section Adjutant-General's } Colonel, R.A.
Office at the Base. } Officer i/c R.A. Section,
3rd Echelon.

Station and Date ROUEN, 9th March, 1917.

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TELEPHONE,
470 WEYBRIDGE.

FERNHURST,
ST. GEORGE'S HILL,
WEYBRIDGE,
SURREY.

5. Cumberland House
Kensington Palace.
at

March 28.

Dear Sir.

Thank you very much for
sending me the late
Capt. J. H. Bailey's (R.H.A.)
letters both which I have
received safely -

Yours faithfully.

D. Mainby. Barrymore.

4/4/22

Officers Effects Department

War Office.

From

THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT,
General Headquarters,
3rd Echelon,
British Expeditionary Force.

To

Messrs. Cox & Co's. SHIPPING AGENCY, LTD.,
16, Charing Cross,
London, S.W.

The undermentioned effects of the late

Captain. G.H. Bailey, "L" Battery, R.H.A.

are forwarded herewith, by registered post.

INVENTORY.

- 1. V.P. Kodak in case and sling.
- 1. Officer's Advance Book. No 20195
- Photos.
- 1. Small Book of Photos.
- 1. M.C. Riband.
- 1. Testament with M.C. Riband.
- Correspondence.etc.
- 1. A.B. 152.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY A CANDIDATE FOR APPOINTMENT TO A
COMMISSION IN THE TERRITORIAL FORCE.

NO. 84897
EASTERN COMMAND

N.B.—It is of great importance, especially in the case of Candidates for the Regular Forces that the names given in the Birth Certificate should be correctly stated on this form, and it is to be clearly understood that, where they differ, the names and date of Birth given in the Birth or Baptismal Certificate will be accepted for Official record. The attention of General Officers Commanding-in-Chief is invited to War Office letter of the 28th March, 1907, No. 109 Gen. No. 1345 (C. 3. A. L.)

Regiment or Corps for which recommended
If more than one Battalion Regt., for which
Battalion recommended
Rank to which to be appointed

1. Are you a British subject by birth or naturalisation? (If by naturalisation, a certificate from the Home Office should be attached.)
2. Are you of pure European descent?
3. What is your full Surname?
4. What are your full Christian names? [See "N.B." above.]
- *5. What is the exact date of your birth? [See "N.B." above.]
6. What is your height?
7. Where were you born?
8. At what school or college were you educated?
9. What is your address for correspondence?
10. What is your profession or occupation?
11. Do you now hold a Commission, or are you now serving in any of His Majesty's Regular, Reserve, Territorial, Auxiliary, Indian or Colonial Forces, the Channel Islands Militia, or the Officers Training Corps? If so, state the nature of the commission you hold, or the capacity in which you are serving.
12. Have you held a Commission in or have you served in any of His Majesty's Regular, Reserve, Territorial, Auxiliary, Indian or Colonial Forces, the Channel Islands Militia, or the Officers Training Corps? If so, state:—
a. The Regiment or Corps in which you served.
b. If commissioned, the date of the resignation of your commission.
c. Your rank on retirement.
d. If not commissioned, the date of your discharge.
e. The circumstances in which you retired, or were discharged; and
f. Whether you have served in any campaign. If you have, attach a statement certified by a Senior Officer who is personally cognizant of such service.
13. Have you been nominated for any other Regiment or Corps?

I certify the above answers to be correct.
Usual Signature of Candidate

44 East Anglian Brigade RFA TF
44 East Anglian Ammunition Column
Second Lieutenant
4ft. 4 in.
4ft. 6 in.
Bailey
Guy Norman
May 27 1891
6 ft.
Springfield Leigham Court Road. Stratford
Mabrook College Brasserie College Oxford.
Forkholes Chipping Norton Oxon.
Student
Jen Oxford University OTC
Battery Signal Corps

Mabrook College O.T.C.
Cadet Officer
July 1910

NO

Guy Norman Bailey

Date June 18th 1914.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

I certify that Guy Norman Bailey is fit in health for the discharge of the duties of an Officer of the Territorial Force.

Signature John E. H. Parsons M.R.C.S. (Eng.)
Date June 20th/14. L.R.C.P. (Lond.)

* Does not apply to a candidate who has served as a Commissioned Officer in the Regular Army, the Territorial Force, or the British Auxiliary Forces.

Certificate of Moral Character from the Head of the School, College or other Educational Establishment at which the Candidate has been educated during the past two years. If this certificate does not cover a period of two years, or if the Candidate has not been at School during that period, a certificate signed by the Minister of the Parish or other local clergyman, or a Magistrate, or if the Candidate has served in the Regular Forces, a certificate from his Commanding Officer must be furnished.

I hereby certify to the good moral character of Mr. S H Bailey
for the last four years

Signature C H Herbertson

† Description Principal of Bournemouth College
Oxford

Date 22 June 1914

to be filled in
when the first
certificate
does not cover
two years.

I hereby certify to the good moral character of

from _____ to _____

Signature _____

† Description _____

Date _____

† Here state whether Tutor, Head of School or College, Minister of Parish or other local clergyman, or Magistrate, &c.

Extract from a ^{* BIRTH}
~~Register~~ Certificate kept in the Parish or

District of Wandsworth.

in the County of London.

YEAR 1891.

Reference No. 261.

When and where born 27th May, 1891. Springfield Leigham Court Road,
Streatham.

Name, in full Gay Herman Bailey.

Sex Boy.

Name and Surname of Father Edward Herman Bailey.

Name and Maiden Surname
 of Mother Jane Bailey, formerly Rose.

Rank or Profession, and
 residence of Father Solicitor.
Springfield, Leigham Court Road, Streatham.

When registered 30th June, 1891.

Name of Registrar Augustus Tayler.

Baptismal name, if added after
 Registration of Birth -

I CERTIFY that the above is a true copy of the above-mentioned extract: also that the Certificate and Signature of the Registrar, or other authorised official, were attached thereto, thus identifying the same with the original entry in the Register of Births, or other sub-district or parochial records.

Place Horse Guards, S. W.

W. H. D. Taylor Major,
 Assistant Military Secretary.

Date 10th August, 1914.

Eastern Command.

* In the event of a statutory declaration accompanying the certificate, a certified copy should also be attached hereto.

COMMISSION
in
TERRITORIAL
FORCE

No. 84892
EASTERN COMMAND

From,

The Officer Commanding,
4th East Anglian Brigade R.F.A. (T).

To,

The Secretary,
Hertfordshire County Association.



HERTFORD 9th July, 1914.

Sir,

I have the honour to request that you will be good enough to forward and recommend this application for Battery Serjeant Major Guy Horaman Bailey, Oxford University, Officers Training Corps, to a Commission in the 4th East Anglian Ammunition Column R.F.A., Territorial Force, as a Second Lieutenant with effect from the 21st instant.

Enclosures
3.

2. He is not desirous of joining any other Corps.
3. I attach Army Form ~~8888~~ "E" 536, Copy of Birth Certificate and Summary for London Gazette.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

E. C. C.

Colonel, R.F.A. (T)
Commanding 4th East Anglian Brigade R.F.A.

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The Assistant Military Secretary
Eastern Command

Forwarded a commission

David Thompson

2nd Lt

Assistant

Received 13th July 1914

9/24/14
04/13

EAST ANGLIAN
DIVISIONAL ARTILLERY
No. 26321
Date 24/10/14

PROMOTION.

From, THE OFFICER COMMANDING,
THE EAST ANGLIAN BRIGADE R.F.A.(T).

To, THE STAFF CAPTAIN,
R.A., R.A. DIVISION.

No. 98783
EASTERN COMMAND
W/S

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JH

10/10/14
10/10/14.

SIR,

ENCLOSURES
2.

I HAVE THE HONOUR TO FORWARD AND RECOMMEND
THIS APPLICATION FOR THE PROMOTION OF SENIOR
LIEUTENANT C.R. BAILEY, 2ND BIRMINGHAM BATTAL
R.F.A.(T). TO THE RANK OF LIEUTENANT TO FILL AN
EXISTING VACANCY.

HE IS FULLY QUALIFIED FOR THE RANK TO WHICH
IT IS PROPOSED TO PROMOTE HIM, AND HE IS SPECIALLY
RECOMMENDED BY ME.

I ATTACH HERETOFORM "C" GAS AND SURVIVANT FOR
PUBLICATION IN THE "GOSPORT GAZETTE".

I HAVE THE HONOUR TO BE,

SIR,

YOUR OBEISANT SERVANT,

E. A. Bailey

Major C.R. BAILEY
Commanding 2nd Birm. Bde R.F.A.

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Head Quarters,
East Anglian Division.

Forwarded and recommended.

No. EAST ANGLIAN
DIVISIONAL ARTILLERY
No. 26324
Date 24/10/14

12, Westgate Street,
Bury St. Edmunds.
25/10/14.

Mr. General.
C.B.A. R.A.D.

Name	Corps	Rank	Regt. No.
BAILEY	R.F.A. 15 Bde	2nd Major	
M.C. x 1000			
Guy Norman			
Medal	Roll	Page	Remarks
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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & references Appendix
	26		Killed by 4.2 shell which burst behind battery position. M.A. 1244 came in for some shelling mostly during the night.	
	27		X day. Rain continued and programme of bombardment. Lieut G.H. Barker. L. Battery sent to command 371 st Battery 132 nd Bde R.F.A. where O.C. was wounded.	
	28		Y day. Still more rain. In consequence Z day was postponed. 29 th not becoming Y day. Right Section B. Battery moved from MESNIL to new position in AUCHONVILLE without difficulty but did not open fire.	
	29		Y day. Procedure for Y day same as for X day. Expectation of ammunition arrived 1400 hrs by day & 600 by night. Wire cutting and ordinary night programme carried out. Still wet. Lieut G.H. Barker posted to Y Battery from 2 nd D.A.C. near 2 nd Dragoon.	
	30		Y 2 day. Weather fine. Procedure as for Y day. About 2.30 p.m. 20 th Inf. Brigade 48 & 15 th Col. Briddle moved to Brigade 20 th Inf. Brigade. Lieut G.H. Barker posted to	

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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks reference Appendix
	26		Killed by 4.2" shell which burst behind battery position. MALLIN came in for some shelling mostly during the night.	
	27		"X" day. Rain continued and programme of bombardment. Lieut G.H. BAKER "L" Battery went to command 371 st Battery 132 nd Bde R.F.A. where O.C. was wounded.	
	28		"Y" day. Still more rain. In consequence "Z" day was postponed. 29 th is becoming "Y1" day. Right Section B. Battery moved from MESNIL to new position at AUCHONVILLERS without difficulty but did not open fire.	
	29		"Y1" day. Procedure for "Y1" same as for "Y" day. Expenditure of ammunition approx 140 rds by day to 69 by night. Wire cutting and ordinary night programme carried out. Still wet. Lieut G.H. BAKER posted to "Y" battery from 29 D.A.C. near St. Drake.	
	30		"Y2" day. Weather finer. Procedure as for "Y" day. About 8.30 pm 30 th Inf. Brigade HQ is Lt. Col. Arkdale moved to Brigade Bde HQ at FORT BUCKLEY. Lieut C.H. BORTHWICK posted to	