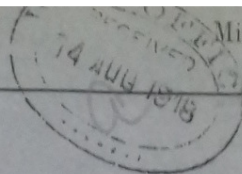


First World War Service Record of Edward Derek Courtney

The following is from the National Archives

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Minute Sheet No.



Second Lieutenant E.D. Courtney,
Army Service Corps, Mechanical Transport Company.

"DIED" 9/8/18 - Dysentery.
(In 46 S. Hoopl. Etaples)

Next of Kin :-

Mrs. Courtney, (Mother),
18, Royal York Crescent,
Clifton,
Bristol.

M.S.3. (Cas:)
12.8.18.

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Form M.T.
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PARTICULARS of an Officer of the Special Reserve of Officers, the Malta, Bermuda or Channel Islands Militia, or the Territorial Force, or an Officer holding a temporary commission in the Army, who desires to be considered for appointment to a permanent commission in the Regular Army under Army Order of 1915.

The candidate will carefully complete the following particulars and then forward this application to his Commanding Officer.

Name of candidate in full	Surname ...	Courtney ✓
	Christian Names ...	Edward Derek (DEREK) ✓
Unit to which he belongs ...	G.H.Q. Troops Supply Column.	
Date of birth ...	August 31st. 1895. ✓	
Whether married ...	No.	
Date of attendance at the competitive examination (if any) ...	—	
Name in full and position in life of father, and whether of English, Scotch, or Irish family	Col. E.A.W. Courtney C.M.G. English family. A.S.C.	
Permanent address of parent or guardian ...	Col. E.A.W. Courtney C.M.G., A.S.C. c/o Sir C.R. McGregor Bart. & Co., 39 Park Lane, S.W.	

M.S.
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No. 18/1/2

For a candidate who desires to be considered under para. 2 of the Army Order.

- 1.* I qualified (in accordance with paragraph 8 of the Regulations) at the Army Entrance Examination held in 19 .
- 2.* I claim exemption from qualifying at an Army Entrance Examination, having attained the required standard at the examination for held in 19 . (The certificate or document showing that the required standard has been attained to be enclosed.)

For a candidate who desires to be considered under para. 3 of the Army Order.

3. As evidence that I have attained a fair standard of education I enclose — I was in the Fourth Form at Malvern College. I have been on service since October 25th. 1915 as a Temp'y r/lieut. in the A.S.C.
- 4.† I enclose an equitation certificate.

I certify the above particulars to be correct, and I request that I may be appointed to a permanent commission in the Regular Army.

E.A.W. Courtney

Date May 16. 1917.

Usual Signature of Candidate.

* Strike out 1 or 2.

† This is only required in the case of a candidate for the Royal Field Artillery. The certificate to be signed by a competent judge, and worded as follows:—"I certify that I have seen Lieutenant ride, and am of opinion that he has sufficient confidence and the necessary qualifications to make an efficient horseman after due instruction."

Certified Copy of an Entry of Birth.

Pursuant to the Births and Deaths Registration Act 1836 to 1874

Registration District of Dover

1895 Birth in the Sub-District of Hougham in the County of Kent

Columns	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
No.	When and Where Born.	Name (if any).	Sex	Name and Surname of Father.	Name and Maiden Surname of Mother.	Rank or Profession of Father.	Signature, Description, and Residence of Informant.	When Registered.	Signature of Registrar.
62	Thirtysixt August 1895 11 Belgrave Gardens Hougham	Edward Derek	Boy	Edward Arthur Waldegrave Courtney	Nilda Maria Courtney formerly Chapman	Lieutenant Army Service Corps	Edward Arthur Waldegrave Courtney Father 11 Belgrave Gardens Hougham	Twenty Eighth September 1895	A. Lord Registrar

I, George John Carter Superintendent Registrar for the District of Dover in the County of Kent
Do hereby Certify that this is a True Copy of the Entry No. 62 in the Register Book of Births, No. 39 for the said Sub-District of Hougham
and that such Register Book is now legally in my custody.

Witness my hand this Thirteenth day of June 1917

George John Carter
Superintendent

The Statutory Fees payable for an ordinary certified copy of an entry in a Register of Births, Deaths or Marriages, if taken at time of registration, are 2s. 7d. (including 1d. for the Stamp); but if taken at any time afterwards an additional fee of 1s. is chargeable for a search.

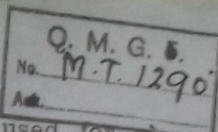
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28th Nov: 1916

**GLOUCESTER ROW,
WEYMOUTH.**

As Lieut. S. D. Courtney arrives home on the 21st
November suffering from a number of "Boils."
and he was suffering also from Itch. I have
had his clothing disinfected - and he is having
a course of Sulphur baths and I hope
in the course of about 10 days he will be
quite fit to return to his work.

Superintendent



Form M.T. 393

This Form is to be used for any candidate who is serving in the ranks of the New Armies, Special Reserve, or Territorial Force, and for any other candidate who is neither a cadet or ex-cadet of the Senior Division, Officers Training Corps, nor a member of a University.

Form M.T. 392 should be used for an Officers Training Corps (Senior Division) or University candidate, who is not serving in the ranks.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO A TEMPORARY COMMISSION IN THE
REGULAR ARMY FOR THE PERIOD OF THE WAR.

The candidate will complete the following particulars and obtain certificates below as to character and educational qualification.

1. Name in full	Surname. Christian names.	Courcney Edward Derek
2. Date of birth.		August 31st. 1895.
3. Whether married.		No.
4. Whether of pure European descent.		Yes.
5. Whether a British born or a naturalized British subject.		British born.
6. Permanent address.		18 Royal York Crescent, Clifton, Bristol 2.
7. Present address for correspondence.		18 Royal York Crescent, Clifton, Bristol 2.
8. Whether now serving, or previously served, in any other Government Department (Home, Indian, or Colonial). If so, give particulars.		No.
9. Whether able to ride.		Not a horse, but have had No. 3 1/2 yrs. experience of motor-cycling.
10. Whether now serving, or previously served, in any branch of His Majesty's Naval or Military Forces, or in the Officers Training Corps. If so, state:—		
(a) Regiment, Corps, or Contingent
(b) Date of appointment
(c) Rank
(d) Date of retirement, resignation or discharge
(e) Circumstances of retirement, resignation or discharge

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POST OFFICE (Inland Official) TELEGRAPHS. No. of Telegram 598111/1145

Office of Origin and Service Instructions. O. H. M. S. Words Sent At To By

I certify that this Telegram is sent on the service of the

(Signature) M. Berry Dated Stamp.

Attention is called to the Regulations printed at the back hereof.

TO Mrs Courtney 18 Royal York Crescent Briston

You are permitted to visit Lieut E D Courtney

ill at 40th Station Hospital Tables

dangerously

produce this telegram at War Office (Officers' Casualty Dept.) for exchange for Permit. If you wish to substitute another name for visit your written authority sanctioning substitute must be attached to telegram. If you are unable to bear expense take this telegram to nearest Police Station

FROM 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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POST OFFICE (Inland Official) TELEGRAPHS. No. of Telegram 592266

Prefix Code Office of Origin and Service Instructions. O. H. M. S. Words Sent At To By

I certify that this Telegram is sent on the service of the

(Signature) B. H. Howkins Dated Stamp.

Attention is called to the Regulations printed at the back hereof.

TO Mrs Courtney 18 Royal York Crescent Briston

Deeply regret to inform you Lieut E D Courtney Army Service Corps Died 19th August from Dysentery The Army Council express sympathy Permission to visit is now cancelled

FROM 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.

6-11-16
Code

POST OFFICE
(Inland Official)



TELEGRAPHS.
(Telegrams only.)

No. of Telegram 6 D 111

Office of Origin and Service Instructions.

O. H. M. S.

Words.

Sent

At M.

To

By

I certify that this Telegram is sent on the service of the

W. O

(Signature) Handwritten signature

Attention is called to the Regulations printed at the back hereof

Dated Stamp.

TO { Mr. Courtney
18 Royal York Crescent Clifton Bristol

Beq to inform you 2nd Lieut E D Courtney
A.S.C. admitted 7 Stationary Hospital Boulogne
has to ^{with} suffering from tuberculosis

FROM { S. W. O

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.

Colonel E. A. W. Courtney
Cmde. CBE.

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why not
add
Form 19
28.9.18

To. The Secretary
War Office.

Headquarters

Northern Command

York.

26th Sept. 1918

~~47464~~

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Sir

I have the honour to request you will
kindly furnish me with a Certificate
of the death of my son. Lieutenant

Edward Derek Courtney ASC - in
triplicate - enable me to take out
Letters of Administration of his Estate

My son died in a hospital in
France on the 9th August 1918 &
his unit at the time was

"G. H.Q. Troops. M. T. Comp^y ASC"

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your obedient servant

E. A. W. Courtney.
Colonel

Extract from { Letters of Administration ✓ (~~Will annexed~~).
 { ~~Probate of Will.~~
 { Confirmation.

dated 7th March, 1919. Granted at District Probate Registry at York.

Resealed

1. Estate of Edward Derek Courtney, of Skelton Grange, Skelton, in the North Riding of the County of York, a lieutenant in the Army Service Corps.

2. Date and Place of Death Died on the 9th day of August 1918, in France, a bachelor, intestate.

3. Will

4. Grantees Edward Arthur Waldegrave Courtney, the natural and lawful father and next of kin of the said intestate.

5. Gross Value £ 383. 16. 9.

6. Disposal of Medals

„ Decorations

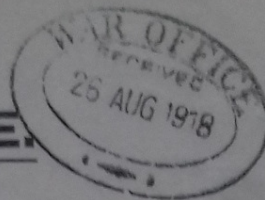
7. Extracted by } Geo Crombie & Sons, Solicitors, York.

8. Produced by } Messrs. Charles R. Mc Grigor Bart. & Co.,
 Army Agents & Bankers,
 39 Panton Street,
 Haymarket, S.W.1.

9. Returned to }

10. Date of Registration 24th March, 1919.

FIELD SERVICE.



REPORT of Death of an Officer to be forwarded to the War Office at 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) Army Service Corps (M.T.) Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company)
 G.H.Q. TROOPS M.T. COY.

Notes
C.3.(A)

Rank 2/LIBUTENANT.
Name COURTNEY, E.D.
By whom reported O.C. No. 46 S.H. 9.8.18.
Date of Death 9th August, 1918.
DIED Place or Hospital 46 S.H., FRANCE.
Cause of Death Died - Dysentery Flex.
Place of Burial -----

State whether he leaves a will or not. Not known.

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 of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base.

Major, D.A.A.G.2.

Station and Date G.H.Q. 3rd Echelon, 22.8.18.