

First World War Service Record of Guy Bayford Bell

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Register No. 9/20/1276

Minute Sheet No.

BELL

Terminated

Ident.

Guy Bayford

5th Bn. Lance. Fusers.

(B) F.C. Bell, 9 Clifford Rd., Bond St., London, W.

K. in A. 28th April 1917. C.1197. d. 15.5.17.

Accounts 4

Plaque and Scroll

6 MAY 1919

Send ¹FP to Brother.

8/5/19.

LOSTED
for disposal of
PLAQUE & SCROLL

12 MAY 1919

Any further communication on
subject should be addressed to—
The Secretary,
War Office,
Imperial Institute,
South Kensington,
London, S.W.7,
and the following number quoted.

WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W.1.

8th May, 1919.

9/20/4434. Accounts 4. (P. & S.)

Sir,

I am commanded by the Army Council to inform you of the wish of H.M. Government that the next-of-kin of all officers and men who have fallen in the defence of their country should receive a plaque and scroll, bearing the name and regiment, as a memorial of their patriotism and sacrifice.

In order to ensure that the plaque and scroll reach the next-of-kin of the late Lieut. Guy Bayford Bell, Lancashire Fusiliers. I am to enquire whether you can inform this Department of the name and address of the late Officer's nearest relative now living, in the following order of relationship:—

Widow	...	None	...
Eldest Son	...	"	...
" Daughter	...	"	...
Father	...	Dead	...
Mother	...	"	...
Eldest Brother	...	John C. Bell	...
" Sister	...	"	...
" Half-Brother	...	"	...
" " Sister	...	"	...

9 Clifford Street,
London W.1.

The Council regret that owing to the great number of these memorials it is not possible to say in any individual case when their receipt may be expected.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J.
F.C. Bell Esq.
9, Clifford
Bond St.
W.1

SHARES RETAINED—

Action to be taken, if any.

Amount

For whom

Instructions for Acquaint, overleaf.

Effects.

Form 9/20/1276
Issue Form.No. 22^a

Paper: 9/20/1276

Record No. 028737

Year of Effects: 19/20

Rank
Name

Lieut. G. B. Bell.

Regiment Machine Gun Corps.

Whether a Will
existsAdmon:
(will annex)

Domicile English.

Whether born in wedlock

Whether ever married

AMOUNTS OF PRESENT CREDITS, £ 5. 0. 0. ✓

Whether Pay Bk. received

Previous
Issue.Date of death 28th April 1914.

SHARES ISSUABLE:—

£	s.	d.	Relationship	Names in full	Addresses	Remarks
5	0	0	Admins & Mrs	Edith Margaret Underwood.	C/o Messrs Pennington Son 64 Lincoln's Inn Fields London. W.C.2.	Pay by Draft

ISSUED

FEB 1920

SHARES RETAINED:—

Action to be taken, if any.

Amount

For whom

4 18 51 W3965—HP6765 200,000 11/19 HWV(HP564) H18/207

Instructions for Acquaint, overleaf.

SHARES RETAINED:—

Action to be taken, if any.

Amount

For whom

W4254—HP1526 10,000 1/18 HWV(P1126) H18/207
7837—HP4640 10,000 12/18

Instructions for Acquaint, overleaf.

Register No. 9/20/1276
(Accts 4)

Extract from Letters of Administration (Will annexed).
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

Dated 12th March 1919 Granted at The Principal Probate Registry.
~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

1. Estate of Guy Bayford Bell of Mount Pleasant Drake in New South Wales
formerly of 6 Broadhurst Gardens Hampstead in the County of
Middlesex Lieutenant 5th Battalion Lancashire Fusiliers

2. Date and Place of Death died on the 28th day of April 1917 in France on active
service not possessed of real estate made and duly
executed his last Will and Testament and did therein
name Arthur Swayne Underwood sole Executor and
Residuary Legatee in trust who died in his lifetime
that Aelfrida Teresa Bell spinster Sister of deceased
the Contingent Residuary Legatee for life has
renounced Letters of Administration (with Will) of
estate of the said Deceased.

3. Will
Original
dated
28.4.1917

4. Grantees Edith Margaret Underwood Widow Sister of deceased
one of the Residuary Legatees named in the said Will

5. Gross Value £ 887. 18. 0.

6. Disposal of Medals *as under will*
Decorations

7. Extracted by Pennington & Son,
Solicitors,
64 Lincoln's Inn Fields,
London,
W.C.2.

8. Produced by

9. Returned to

10. Date of Registration 4.4.1919.

THIS IS THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT of me GUY BAYFORD BELL of Drake near Tenterfield in the State of New South Wales Assayer and Selector I DECLARE that this my Will shall effect only my property in the Commonwealth of Australia I APPOINT Arthur Samuel Avery Smith of Drake aforesaid Grazier Trustee and Executor of this my Will (hereinafter called "my Executor") I GIVE DEVISE AND BEQUEATH to Frances Allison Osbiston of Drake aforesaid Spinster and at present a minor my Conditionally Purchased and Conditionally Leased lands comprising in all One thousand two hundred and eighty acres or thereabouts in the Parish of Jenny Lind County of Buller Land District of Casino and improvements and properties thereon or thereto appertaining and belonging to me at the time of my death for her own use and benefit absolutely AND I DIRECT my Executor during the minority of the said Francis Allison Osbiston to manage and conduct the said lands on her behalf in such manner as he shall think fit with power to spend moneys in the improvement thereof and otherwise as he shall in his absolute discretion think fit THIS DEVISE and bequest is subject to the payment to the said Arthur Samuel Avery Smith of all moneys due to him by me under mortgage or otherwise over the said lands and without prejudice in any way to his powers rights and remedies as Mortgagee AS WITNESS my hand at Tenterfield this third day of December one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

GUY B BELL

SIGNED by the said Guy Bayford Bell as and for his last Will and testament in the presence of us both present at the same time who at his request in his sight and presence and in the sight and presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses. As witness our hands at Tenterfield this 19th day of June A.D. 1914.

J. Fras. Thomas

Solr. Tenterfield

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Owen J. Thomas

We the undersigned do hereby certify that the above writing contains a true copy of the original Will of Guy Bayford Bell the same having been examined and compared by us therewith and found to be correct. As witness our hands at Tenterfield this 19th day of June A.D. 1918

J. Fras Thomas,

Sol Tenterfield

L Dawson Thomas

Clerk to

J.F.Thomas.

CERTIFIED. copy of a copy

J. H. Willcocks
for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

lar Office, S.W.

15th September, 1918.

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PENNINGTON.
T. LEEMING
A. DANIEL-TYSSSEN.

TELEPHONE.
11666 CENTRAL.
TELEGRAMS.
ENFRANCHISE HOLB. LONDON.

64. LINCOLNS INN FIELDS.
LONDON, W C 2

2nd. February 1919.

Sir,

Lieut. G.B. Bell
5th. Battn. Lancashire Fusiliers
9/20/1276.

We have to-day heard from the deceased's sister, Mrs. Underwood, that she has just learnt that the deceased left a later Will in Australia than that of which we had knowledge here, and under this Will the deceased apparently bequeathed everything he possessed to a Miss Frances Osbiston as a security for a Mortgage debt on his property in Australia which had been advanced by Miss Osbiston's step-father.

We have no further knowledge of the state of affairs in Australia, as apparently none of our letters asking for information have ever reached the recipients or had not done so at the date the latter recently received was written

We are, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

Pennington & Son

K. in A. 28/H.
The Secretary,
War Office,
Imperial Institute
S.W. 7.

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Edith Margaret Underwood

Signature of the Applicant.

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that the above Statement made by *Edith Margaret Underwood* in my presence is complete and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witnessed at *St. Martin's Vicarage* this *30th* day of *December* 1917

Signature of Minister
Magistrate *Hubert Bence*

Qualification *Clerk in Holy Orders*
Address *St. Martin's Vicarage*

No. 9/20/1243

(Accts. 4.)

Effects.—Form 107.

I, Edith Margaret Underwood of 139 Lutherland Avenue in the County of London Widow
 declare that Guy Bayford Bell

of Mount Pleasant, Grays, New South Wales a Lieutenant in the 5th Battalion of the Lancashire Fusiliers attached to the 35th Machine Gun Corps
 who died on the 28th day of April 1917

If no Will was left insert "no" before "Will," and strike out the words in brackets. Any Will which it is not intended to prove should be forwarded or inspection.

left a Will [which it is not intended to prove] and that Letters of Administration of this Estate or Confirmation have not been, and are not intended to be, taken out.

The only near relations left by the said Guy Bayford Bell
 were as follows:—

Relationship	Names in full	Addresses in full
Widow	<u>None</u>	
Children	<u>None</u>	<u>Age</u>
Other relations		
Brother 1	<u>John Clement Bell</u>	<u>57</u> <u>9 Clifford Street W.</u>
2	<u>Geo. Joseph Bell</u>	<u>50</u> <u>The Manor House, Hampton on Thames</u>
Sisters 1	<u>Edith Margaret Underwood</u>	<u>53</u> <u>139 Lutherland Avenue W. 9</u>
2	<u>Ælfrida Anna Bell</u>	<u>52</u> <u>do do do</u>
3	<u>Cecilia Florence Camand</u>	<u>15</u> <u>Parkwood, Swanley Village, Kent</u>
Nephews 1	<u>George Stanley Howard</u>	<u>35</u> <u>26 and 27 Berners Street, W.</u>
2	<u>Eric Gordon Larkworthy</u>	<u>21</u> <u>14 Brandonburg Park N. W.</u>
Niece 1	<u>Ethel Amy Wilson</u>	<u>37</u> <u>4771 Liberty Avenue</u>
	<u>(nee Howard)</u>	<u>Wittsburgh, Pa. U.S.A.</u>

The said Guy Bayford Bell
 was born at Hamstead N. W.

Edith Underwood Signature of the Applicant.

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that the above Statement made by Edith Margaret Underwood
 and signed in my presence is complete and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated at St. Martin's Vicarage this 30th day of December 1917

Signature of Minister) Hubert Bence Qualification Clerk in Holy Orders (Vicar)
 or Magistrate) Address St. Martin's Vicarage

Regent Park Road W.

THIS IS THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

----- of me -----

GUY RAYFORD BELL at present residing
at No 6 Broadhurst Gardens Hampstead in the
County of London I appoint my brother in law
Arthur Swayne Underwood of Number 26
Wimpole Street in the said County of London
EXECUTOR and TRUSTEE of this my Will And
I bequeath to him a legacy of Twenty pounds for
his trouble in acting as such Executor and Trustee
I bequeath unto each of my brothers John Clement
and Otto Joseph Bell and to each of my Sisters
Edith Margaret Underwood, Rosalind Bessie
Larkworthy, Cecilia Florence Osmond, and Aelfrida
Teresa Bell the sum of Forty pounds I devise
and bequeath all the real and personal Estate
to which at my death I shall be beneficially
entitled or of which I shall have power to
dispose beneficially by Will for any purpose I
may think proper unto the said Arthur Swayne
Underwood (hereinafter called my said Trustee)
Upon trust to sell call in and convert into money
such part thereof as shall not consist of money
with power to postpone such sale and conversion
for such period as he may think proper And I
direct my said Trustee out of the moneys to
arise from such sale and conversion and out of
my ready money to pay my funeral and
testamentary expenses and debts and the legacies
bequeathed hereby or by any Codicil hereto and
stand possessed of the residue of the said money
Upon trust to invest the same in his name
and at his absolute discretion with power at the

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H PENNINGTON
FT LEEEMING
G A DANIEL-TYSSEN.

TELEPHONE.
11666 CENTRAL
TELEGRAMS
ENFRANCHISE HOLB LONDON.

Off New Station
64 LINCOLNS INN FIELDS
LONDON WC 2

7th December 1917.

Sir,

9/20/1276 (Accounts 4).

Mrs. E. M. Underwood has forwarded us your letter of October last informing her that the amount due to the Estate of the late Lieut. G. B. Bell, 5th Battn. Lanc. Fusiliers amounts to £82. 4. 0.

By his Will, which was made many years ago, Mr. Bell appointed his brother in law, the late Mr. A. S. Underwood, as Sole Executor, and Mr. Underwood, who died in December 1916, appointed his wife, Mrs. E. M. Underwood and his son, Mr. A.B.G. Underwood, his Executors.

Mr. A. B. G. Underwood is now in the Navy, and it is therefore proposed that if representation to the Estate of Mr. Guy Bell is necessary, ^{Mrs Underwood} ~~she~~ should obtain Letters of Administration with a copy of the Will annexed in her capacity as a sister of the deceased Officer.

We should however, be glad to avoid the trouble and expense of taking out Letters of Administration, as Mr. Bell had no estate in this country apart from a share in the rents of certain undivided property of small value and one or two debts. Would it be possible therefore in the circumstances for the sum due to Mr. Bell's Estate from Army funds to be paid to Mrs. Underwood with the consent of the other next of kin

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We have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servants,

One of the above

Captain, D.A.A.C.

For the Standing Committee of Adjustment.

without obtaining Letters of Administration.

We are, Sir,

Your obedient servants,

Pennington & Son

The Secretary,
War Office,
Imperial Institute,
S. Kensington, S.W.7.

Cox's Shipping Agency, also.

We have the honour to be,
Sir,

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE
OF 'ADJUSTMENT.

(AFFAIRS OF DECEASED OFFICERS.)

To

THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR WAR
(through the Command Paymaster, Base).

SIR,

We have the honour to submit the following report with regard to
the affairs of the late :-

Lieut. G.B. BILL, 35th Company, Machine Gun Corps.

So far as can be ascertained the preferential charges or local debts were :-

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|---|---------------|
| (1) Mess Bill..... | £1.5.8 |
| (2) Servant's wages & Expenses..... | £1.16.8. |
| (3) Due to Lieut. E.W. Pither, 35th Machine Gun Corps | Francs. 20.00 |
- The amount of cash received was :- £7.2.4.

The preferential charges or local debts paid were :- (1) (2) & (3)
(3) being paid by O.C. Unit out of money belonging to deceased

Those left unpaid were :- NIL

A balance of £4.0.0 is now in the hands of the Paymaster.

I We have no I Small articles of specially sentimental or intrinsic value belonging
record of this the deceased and received by us have been transmitted to Messrs. Cox's
officer's body having Shipping Agency, Ltd.
been recovered.

We have ascertained that articles of personal property (other than
articles of specially sentimental or intrinsic value) have been sent to Messrs.
Cox's Shipping Agency, also.

We have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servants,

Cox's Shipping Agency

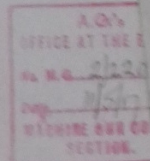
Captain, D.A.A.G.

For the Standing Committee of Adjustment.

9/20/1278

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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 or CORPS } Machine Gun Corps. } Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } 35th M.G. Company. T.F.

Rank Lieutenant.

Name G.B. BELL.

By whom reported O.C. 35th Machine Gun Company.
Date of Death 28/4/17.
DIED { Place or Hospital France or Belgium.
Cause of Death Killed in Action.
Place of Burial

State whether he leaves a will or not. Not at Base.

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.

Officer i/c Machine Gun Corps Section 3rd Echelon, G.H.Q.

Station and Date Rouen. 11/5/17.

3/5TH. BATTALION LANCASHIRE FUSILIERS.

NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS DESIROUS OF SERVING WITH MACHINE GUN CORPS.

Rank	Name	Courses.	Remarks.
Lieut.	G. B. Bell	January 1916. Machine Gun, Bisley	Result - 1st. Class also qualified in Lewis Gun.
		March 1916 Lewis Gun, Grantham	Result - Good.

Goojerat Barracks,
Colchester
26-7-16.

F. L. Brown Lieut-Col.
Commdg. 3/5th. Batt. Lanc. Fusrs.

Do you desire to be considered for 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.

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From 9/11/58

Army Form E. 526.

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

It is of great importance, 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.

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 naturalization?
(If by naturalization, 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

Date

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

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

Signature

Date

* 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.

P. Australian

Yes, by birth

Yes.

Bell.

Guy Bayford

Nov 5th 1874

5' 9 1/2"

London

Malvern College

40 Regent Park Rd Gloucester Gate

Assayer.

Private 3/28 London (Artists)

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Guy B Bell

38, HARLEY STREET,

W.

17 June. 1915

certify to the moral character
Guy Bayford Bell whom I
have known all his life -

Arthur Underwood MRCSEd
Late chairman of the Board of
Examiners in Dental Surgery
Royal College of Surgeons Eng

Honorary Dental Surgeon to
King George Hospital -

E. D.


3rd. I have never suffered from "fits
~~stated below.~~*

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the following number should be quoted:-

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RTIFIED COPY of an Entry in a REGISTER
of BIRTHS (6 & 7 Wm. IV., cap. 86).



Given at the GENERAL REGISTER OFFICE
SOMERSET HOUSE, 1

REGISTRATION DISTRICT

HAMPSTEAD

1874

BIRTHS in the Sub-District of

Hampstead

in the County of

Middlesex

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.	Birth of child.
96	Fifth November 1874 Bayford House Rosslyn Park	Guy Bayford	Boy	Alfred Bell	Jane Bell formerly Burlison	Artist in Glass	Alfred Bell Father Bayford House Rosslyn Park Hampstead	Fifteenth December 1874	Willm. Paxon Registrar	


CERTIFIED to be a true Copy of an Entry in the Certified Copy of a Register of Births in the District above mentioned.

Given at the GENERAL REGISTER OFFICE, SOMERSET HOUSE, LONDON, under the Seal of the said Office, the 18th day of June 1915.

By the Act of 6 & 7 William IV., c. 86, sec. 28, it is enacted, "That the Registrar-General shall cause to be made a Seal of the said Register Office, and the Registrar-General shall cause to be sealed or stamped therewith all Certified Copies of Entries given in the said Office; and all Certified Copies of Entries, purporting to be Sealed or Stamped with the Seal of the said Register Office, shall be received as evidence of the Birth, Death, or Marriage to which the same relates, without any further or other proof of such Entry; and no Certified Copy purporting to be given in the said Office shall be of any force or effect which is not Sealed or Stamped as aforesaid."

By sec. 37 of the same Act it is enacted that, "for every general search of the Indexes shall be paid the sum of twenty shillings, and for every particular search the sum of one shilling, and for every Certified Copy the sum of two shillings and sixpence;" exclusive of Inland Revenue Stamp (23 & 34 Vict., c. 97) of one penny.

The Act 24 & 25 Vict., c. 98, sec. 36, enacts that whosoever shall "unlawfully destroy, deface, or injure, or cause or permit to be destroyed, defaced, or injured, any Register of Births, Baptisms, Marriages, Deaths, or Inland Revenue Stamp, or any Certified Copy of any such Register, or any part thereof, or shall forge or fraudulently alter, in any such Register, any Entry relating to any Birth, Baptism, Marriage, Death, or Inland Revenue Stamp, or any Certified Copy of such Register or of any part thereof, or shall forge or counterfeited the Seal of or belonging to any Register Office, or shall offer, or shall attempt to offer, for use, any such Register, Entry, Certified Copy, Certificate, or Seal, knowing the same to be false, forged, or altered," shall be guilty of Felony, and be liable to Penal Servitude, not exceeding ten years.





Foreign

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

4 years' Service in the United Kingdom.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 3668 Name Bell Corps 3/28th Batta. London Regiment
(Artists' Rifles)

Questions to be put to the Recruit before enlistment.

1. What is your Name and Address? 1. Guy Bayford Bell
40 Regents. Pk Rd
N.W.
2. Are you willing to be attested for service in the Territorial Force for the term of 4 years (provided His Majesty should so long require your services) for the County of* to serve in the † 2. Yes
3. Have you received a notice stating the liabilities you are incurring by enlisting, and do you understand them? } 3. Yes
4. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in the Royal Navy, the Army, the Royal Marines, the Militia the Special Reserve, the Territorial Force, the Imperial Yeomanry, the Volunteers, the Army Reserve, the Militia Reserve, or any Naval Reserve Force? If so, state which unit, and, if discharged, cause of discharge 4. No

Under the provisions of Sections 13 and 99 of the Army Act, if a person knowingly makes a false answer to any question contained in the attestation paper, he renders himself liable to punishment.

I, Guy Bayford Bell 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.

Guy B Bell SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
J. L. Greenwood Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Guy Bayford Bell swear by Almighty God, 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.

I, Charles James Blomfield do hereby certify, that, in my presence, all the foregoing Questions were put to the Recruit, above named, that the Answers written opposite to them are those which he gave to me, and that he has made and signed the Declaration, and taken the oath at 40 REGENTS ROAD, EUSTON ROAD, W.C. on this 16th day of

April 1915. Charles J. Blomfield (Signature of Justice of the Peace, Officer, or other person authorized to attest Recruits.)

If any alteration is required on this page of the Attestation, a Justice of the Peace should be requested to make it and initial the alteration under Section 80 (6), Army Act.

The Recruit should, if he require it, receive a copy of the Declaration on Army Form E 501a.
* Here insert County. † Here insert Corps.

