## First World War Service Record of Richard Grain Humphreys

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2nd Lieutenant R.G. Humphreys, 13th Battalion, King's Royal Rifle Corps.

"KILLED IN ACTION" 28th September, 1917.

Next of Kin :T. Humphreys, Esq: (Father)
6, Montpelier Road,
Ealing,
Middlesex.

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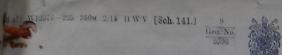
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TERRITOR	CIAL FORCE.				
4 years' Service in the United Kingdom.					
ATTESTATION OF					
No 4646 Name Humphreys, Richard Corps INNS OF COURT O.T.C.					
Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.					
1. What is your Name and Address?	1 Richard Grain Humphreys 6 Mont pelier Road				
	Ealing				
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 LONDON to serve in the † INNS OF COURT O.T.C.	· 7es				
3. Have you received a notice stating the liabilities you are incurring by enlisting, and do you understand them?	3. <u>y</u> es				
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				
5. Are you a British Subject?	5. Yes				
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, Tuchard Gram Humphreys 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.					
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RS Hamphore, SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  Helberg, Signature of Witness.					
OATH TO BE TAKEN BY	RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.				
will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Maj	swear by Almighty God, that esty King George the Fifth, His Heirs, and Successors, and efend His Majesty, His Heirs, and Successors, in Person, Crown as of my service.				
CERTIFICATE OF MAGIST	RATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.				
	by certify, that, in my presence, all the foregoing Questions were no opposite to them are those which he gave to me, and that h				
as made and signed the Declaration, and taken the oath at 10, STONE BUILDINGS, on this day of					
By 19/5. June	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 ection 80 (6), Army Act.				

Form M.T. 25-10-

his form is only to be used for a cadet or ex-cadet of the Senior Division, Officers Training Corps, or a member of a University, who is not already serving in any branch of the forces).

Form,  $\frac{M.T.}{393}$  should be used for all other candidates.

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 submit this form to the Officers Training Corps or University Authorities.

Humphreys Surname. 1. Name (in full) Richard Grain Christian Names april 30 # 1894 2. Date of birth 3. Whether married NO 4. Whether of pure European descent yes British Born 5. Whether a British born or a naturalised British subject 6 Montpelier Road Caling, Middlesex 6. Permanent address c/o Major Parsons Incents Berkhamsted 7. Present address for correspondence Malven College 8. School or Schools at which educated No 9. Whether able to ride 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 (e) Circumstances of retirement, resignation, or discharge ... ... ...

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## Extract from Letters of Administration.

Dated 22 Nov. 1917. Granted at P. P. R.

- 1. Estate of Richard Grain Mumphreys of Brooklands to Montpellie la Raling Middlesex 21ht. KRR.
- 2. Date and Place 28 Sept. 1917 in Belgium intestate a Bachelor. of Death
- 3. Grantees Francis Humphreys lample taken most flow of said between

- 4. Gross value, £ 145-1-2
- 5. Disposat of Medials -

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to whom returned by R.R. 31/2/7.

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am addressing this wigning I the way branch perhaps In will knidly forward 7? faith fully Travers Humphres

## 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.

CORPS

13th Battn KINGS ROYAL RIFLE CORPS.

Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company

2nd Lieutenant

Richard Grain

By whom reported

O.C.Battalion

Date of Death ....

28th September 1917

In the Field, France or Place or Hospital

Cause of Death

Killed in Action

Not known

State whether he leaves a will or not.

Not known

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, should I examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the W Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased Officer of wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Off soon as possible.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's for O i/c Reg. Inf. Section

Station and Date R.H.Q. 3rd Echelon 3rd October 1917.

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- 1. Rank and Name.
- (a) Regiment and Brigade (or Division)
   (b) If attached to another unit Overseas, the Battalion and name of Regiment must be stated
- 3. Address in United Kingdom
- 4. Date of leaving Unit (Abroad)

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  5. Date of Embarkation for England
- 6. Port of Embarkation for England
- 7. Port of Disembarkation (England)
- 8. Date of Arrival in England
- 9. Name of Ship
- 10. Cause of Return
- 11. Dates if on leave, from

to

Authority

Whether examined by a Medical Board since return from Continent 2 St. R.G. Humphreys 13th ICRRC., 111th Jul. Bde 37th Division

6 Montpelier Road, Ealing

Feb. 17th 1917 vc

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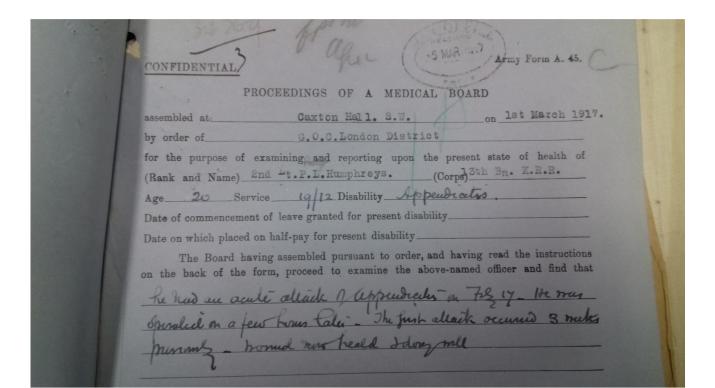
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Brooklands,
Montpelier Road,
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March 29: 1917.

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