

First World War Service Record of Vivian Wilfred Bennett

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The D.A.C.
BASE.

W 755/40/16

Report on injuries to undermentioned THE BASE

Officer's herewith
Lieut V.W. Bennett. Rb. 209 Field Co.
Capt. J.H. Aulton. 6 South Staff
Major J.H. Bremner. Same. at 179 42000 16

No. 7 STATIONARY HOSPITAL
No. 1009/16
1080/16 1018/16
Date 1. 10 16

Lieut. Col. H.A.M.C.
O.C. No. 7 Stationary Hospital.

C.R. No. 38264

suffering from.....Sprains.....Knee.....

The disability is of a.....Trivial.....

nature, and in all probability.....Not.....

interfere with his future efficiency as an officer.

He.....Claims.....that he was in the performance
of military duty at the time of the accident.

Station.....No. 7 Stationary.....W. A. Lark Cpl R. A. R. C.
Medical Officer in charge.

Date.....25. 9. 16.....

Certificate to be signed by Officer.

I.....W. W. Bennett.....hereby
declare that the injury sustained by me on the.....25. 9. 16.....
did ~~not~~ occur while I was in the performance of military duty.

.....W. W. Bennett.....Officer's
.....Signature

Station.....W. A. Lark.....Signature of
.....Medical Officer.

Date.....Sept. 25. 1916.....

A shell struck a house beside me and I was
buried under the debris. I was proceeding to billets
from the trenches at the time. W. W. Bennett

CONFIDENTIAL.

Army Form A. 45.

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD

assembled at Preston Military Hospital on 5. 2. 17
by order of G. C. L. in Chief Western Command.
for the purpose of examining and reporting upon the present state of health of
(Rank and Name) 2 Lt. V. H. Bennett (Corps) 209 Fld Co. R. S.
Age 20 Service 13/12 Disability Contusion of knee
Date of commencement of leave granted for present disability _____
Date on which placed on half-pay for present disability _____

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, and having read the instructions on the back of the form, proceed to examine the above-named officer and find that

The officer is unfit for duty and is about to
have an operation performed on his left knee with a
view to improving matter.

Officer's Address

The Vicarage

Walton-le-Dale

Preston

The opinion of the Board upon the questions herein is as follows:—

- (1.) a. Is the officer fit for "General Service"? No
b. If not so fit, how long is he likely to be unfit? 3 months
(2.) If unfit for General Service, is he fit for service at home? No

Is the Officer fit to perform any duties not coming within the above categories? No
If so specify the nature of the duties which he might perform. N.A. No

- (3.) Was the disability contracted in the service? _____
(4.) Was it contracted under circumstances over which he had no control? Yes
(5.) Was it caused by military service? Yes
(6.) If caused by military service, to what specific conditions is it attributed? Injury in action
(7.) If the disability was not caused by military service, was it aggravated by it? N.A.

Signatures

E. Bromley CAPT. R.A.M.C. President.
J. B. Tridell Members.

Confidential.

To be used in cases of wounds or injuries received in action.
(For instructions for preparing this report see back of form.)

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEDICAL BOARD assembled by order of

ADMS Sussex Dist

for the purpose of examining and reporting on the present state of a wound or injury sustained
by *2nd Lt. V. W. Bennett* *209th Field Coy R.E.*
at (Place of injury) *Armentiers* on the (Date of injury) *25th Sept 1916*

The Board find *he was buried under the bricks of a house-wall*
knocked down by a shell and sustained an injury to his left knee
On being rescued he found he was unable to walk.

The knee is at present fixed at a right angle and he is unable to
straighten it. He complains of pain on the inner side of the joint and
in the calf on moving the leg. There is only slight swelling of the joint
and the X rays do not show any injury to the bones.

(First Board since return from Expeditionary Force)

The opinion of the Board upon the questions below is as follows:—

- 1.—Has the officer lost an eye or a limb; or has he permanently lost the use of an eye or a limb; or is the injury equivalent to the loss of a limb, and permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Articles 585 to 588 of the Royal Warrant for Pay, &c.)
- 2.—If the case does not come under the category of 1:—
 - (a) Was the injury, in the first instance, very severe in character?
 - (b) Are its effects still very severe?
- 3.—If the case is classified under category 2, are the effects of the injury permanent, or likely to be permanent? (Article 590.)
- 4.—Injuries that do not come under the above categories should be classified here, making use of the following terms:—*severe or slight* and *permanent or not permanent*, as the case may be.
- 5.—For what period, calculated from the date of the wound or injury, is it probable that the officer will be incapacitated for military duty by such wound or injury?

	Replies		
	As to first wound	As to second wound (If any)	As to third wound (If any)
1.	<i>No</i>		
2. (a)	<i>No</i>		
2. (b)	<i>No</i>		
3.	<i>✓</i>		
4.	<i>Severe not permanent</i>		
5.	<i>Four months</i>		

Signatures

Haute Lill Ranc

GP C Hamlyn Capt R.E.

Station

Brighton

To be used in cases of wounds or injuries received in action. ^{Date, 9.10.16}
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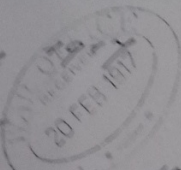
(First Board since return from Expeditionary Force)

127259

The Vicarage
Adelton-le-Dale.
Preston.
Lancashire.

17th February 1914

Bennett



Sir,

I have the honour to submit this my application for a wound gratuity.

I was wounded at Armentières on September 25, 1916 sustaining a fractured cartilage and the knocking out of position of a bone in my left knee.

I was boarded at Brighton on September 29 and again on December 8th being granted leave to December 8th and January 1st, 1917, respectively. My further Boards were held at Fulwood, Preston, Lancashire and granted me leave in extension from January 6th to February 6th and from February 6th to April 4th respectively. I am at present waiting to be operated on by

Colonel Robert Jones, R.A.M.C. for

the removal of the portion of
bone I have mentioned above.

The numbers of my leave
certificates in order are,

{ 127259/2 (A.G. 7).

{ No number given.

{ (A.G. 7) 127259/2.

{ 127250/2.

{ (A.G. 7)

My total length of leave is one
hundred and ninety one days. (191 days)

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

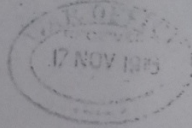
N. W. Bennett.

2nd Lt. R. E.

11 Chichester Terrace.

Brighton.

November 16. 1916.



Wound
Gratuity.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit
this my application for a wound
gratuity.

I was wounded in Armentières
on September 25. 1916 and was
examined on September 29th at
Kitchener Hospital, Brighton, by
a Medical Board and granted
70 days leave of absence.

I have the honour to be,

Yours

Sir,

Yours obedient servant,

V. W. Bennett.
2nd Lt. R.E.

Register No.

PNO

210110015

Minute Sheet No.

7259
Lieutenant V.W. Bennett,
Royal Engineers.

"KILLED IN ACTION" 21st October, 1917.

Next of Kin :-

Mrs. V.B. Bennett, (Mother)
C/o Messrs. Thomas Cook & Son,
Bombay.

M.S.S. (Cas.)
30.10.17.

H. Kilby Capt

Credit: C.O. + Co £2. 19. 3

£51 + circulate

no claims

RECORDED

No. 124259/3

(Accts. 4)

Effects.—Form 107.

I, Alexandra Philippa Anna Bennett
 declare that my son Vivian Wilfred Bennett, b.
 of 205th Field Coy Royal Engineers
 who died on the 21st day of October 1917

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

left No 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

were as follows:—

Relationship	Names in full	Addresses in full
Widow	<u>None</u>	
Children	<u>None</u>	Age
Other relations		
Father	<u>St Col Vivian Bonar Bennett, I.M.S.</u>	<u>Mesopotamia Saper</u>
Mother	<u>Alexandra Philippa Anna Bennett</u>	<u>of Mesopotamia Saper</u>
Brother	<u>Hugh Lindsay Bennett</u>	<u>of Mesopotamia Saper</u>
Sister	<u>Helene Sarah Bennett</u>	<u>of Mesopotamia Saper</u>

The said Vivian Wilfred Bennett, I.M.S.
 was born at Mhow, Central India Oct 20, 1896.

A.P.A. Bennett

Signature of the Applicant.

CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that the above Statement made by M^r Bennett
 and signed in my presence is complete and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated at Amritsar this 14th day of June 1918

Signature of Minister
or Magistrate

Qualification

Address

c/o Messrs. Thos Coote & Son
Bombay.

Sir. Jan 8th '88.
Official seal

I have filled up account-
rendering form which I
trust is correct. My hus-
band (Lt Col V. B. Bennett
I. M. S.) is on service in
Mesopotamia, he told
me if any papers came
regarding my son's effects,
that had to be filled in
& signed, I was to do so
to avoid unnecessary
delay.

I have written to Mrs
Davies telling her
to expect the effects

Mrs (Jessie) Da
The Vicar
Nat

my dear Poore & friends
The necessary instructions of the

I am Sir

Yours faithfully, the da

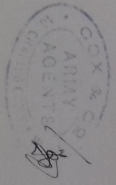
A. T. A. Bennett

(Mr. William B. Bennett)

P.S.
My Poore will have
left a small amount of
money in a running
account with Messrs
Thos Coote & Son
Madras Circle

my were his Aunt. I do
not suppose he made
any will, he was 21
the day before he was
killed -

If this address is useless, please write correct
address, if known, inside the envelope and return
to the Hon. Sec. of the O. M. Society,
The College, Malvern.



Royal Engineers

Next of Kin of the late

2nd Lt. V. W. Bennett, R.E.

4. War Office
London

Malvern College War Memorial.



MALVERN

COLLEGE

ROLL OF HONOUR

1914—1919

This list of Old Malvernians who have lost their lives in the War is published for the purpose of verification. Notice of any errors or omissions should be sent at once to Mr. H. G. C. Salmon.

E. G. Abbott	N. P. Blake
J. B. P. Adams	P. J. T. Blakeway
C. J. H. Adamson	R. Bolster
R. P. Agar	H. W. Bone
A. W. Agg	N. C. Boosey
B. K. Anderson	H. W. Bostock
C. K. Anderson	W. C. Bower
H. M. Appleton	D. E. Boyle
J. H. M. Arden	G. Bracher
A. C. P. Arnold	A. Bramley-Moore
E. D. Asbury	G. C. Briggs
N. H. Aste	C. N. Brockbank
	T. P. Brocklehurst
	H. H. Bromfield
G. H. Bailey	C. J. P. Brooke
H. P. B. Baines	P. A. Brown
J. E. Balfour-Melville	S. F. Browning
F. O. C. Bambridge	R. H. Brutton
R. C. Bambridge	R. E. B. Bull
F. Barclay	G. F. Bullock
W. S. Barham	R. S. Bullock
H. B. Barker	J. H. Burgoyne
O. Barlow	E. W. Burke
B. L. T. Barnett	R. E. Bush
J. E. J. Barstow	
F. L. Barwell	
B. M. B. Bateman	F. T. D. Cade
E. C. V. Battle	R. H. Carden
H. Beacall	A. J. E. Carey
R. D. Beall	R. W. St. G. Cattwright
C. P. Bell	H. L. Cass
G. B. Bell	A. A. Cassidy
J. C. A. Bell	J. C. A. Caunter
F. A. Benitz	L. P. Charles
V. W. Bennett	A. C. Clarke
P. H. Berry	C. St. A. Clarke
F. R. Best	M. T. Clarke
C. Bethell	R. S. Clarke
W. S. Bird	W. A. St. A. Clarke
J. N. Black	J. O. P. Clarkson
G. H. Blackader	F. C. Clegg
P. E. A. Blair	R. M. Clerk
E. S. Blake	C. L. St. C. Clery
G. P. Blake	R. H. Collins
J. R. Blake	G. B. Cook

G. T. R. Cook
C. E. Cooke
A. M. G. Cooper
W. D. Cooper
G. F. F. Corbet
R. V. C. Corbet
Sir R. J. Corbet, Bt.
J. B. Coulson
E. D. Courtney
C. J. A. Cowan
C. S. Cowley
G. S. Crawford
S. S. Crisp
Sir H. A. Croft, Bt.
T. H. Crofton
R. C. Cross
T. M. Crowe
L. O. Crowther
C. M. Cumming
E. H. Cuthbertson
H. Cuthbertson

F. E. L. Daniell
C. F. Davenport
H. W. W. Davis
R. S. Daw
E. Deacon
J. O. C. Dennis
J. R. Dennistoun
R. W. M. Dewhurst
D. C. C. Dickinson
K. C. Doddrell
R. G. Drysdale

W. S. Eames
Ll. A. Edwards
P. D. C. Eliot
E. C. Elmhirst
W. Elmhirst
C. D. Elston
J. P. Everitt

S. C. Faber
S. J. Fabian
F. J. Farnham
C. F. Fearn
C. E. Fishbourne
G. H. Fisher
J. Fisher

J. W. Fisher
E. M. Forster
C. G. Forsyth
C. C. Fox
F. N. W. Fox
T. N. Fox
L. H. V. Fraser
F. E. A. Freeman
A. H. Friedlaender
E. M. Fry
J. D. B. Fulton
W. H. Furley

T. Gair
L. F. Gale
H. J. Game
G. H. Gardner
J. C. Gardom
F. H. Gaskell
H. R. Gillett
R. J. Gilman
W. F. J. Gordon
A. Graham
M. W. Graham
H. Grant-Dalton
A. R. Grant-Suttie
R. E. Griffiths
H. T. Grindley
G. E. Grundy
C. S. Guest
A. L. Gwynne-Jones

M. W. F. Hall
A. P. Hamilton
E. S. M. Harding
W. G. Hardman
H. H. Harington
P. Y. Harkness
J. A. Harris
B. S. Harvey
F. L. Hastings-Medhurst
C. N. Hathorn
J. C. Haverfield
C. F. Hawley
G. R. Hayes-Sadler
A. G. Hayman
R. B. Heagerty
R. F. Hebbert
A. R. Hebblethwaite

W. H. Hedges
S. H. Hellyer
H. M. Henderson
M. A. Hepburn
J. A. N. Hessler
A. L. Hicks
R. A. Hildyard
A. M. Hill
B. W. Hill
H. P. Hilton
F. L. Hingston
F. N. W. Hitchings
E. M. S. Hoare
G. B. Hobbs
H. E. Hobbs
V. M. Hobday
R. C. Hodson
E. R. L. Hollins
A. C. Honey
J. G. Hopkinson
W. P. Horsley
N. E. Howell
J. F. Hoyland
C. G. Hume
R. G. Humphreys
G. W. Hunt
E. K. G. Huntly
M. E. C. Hussey
H. Hutchinson
J. B. Hutton
R. E. Hyslop

E. C. Irish
W. H. Irvine

A. S. Jagger
B. O. Jenkins
C. D. T. Jenkins
A. V. Johnston
C. E. Johnston
D. C. Johnston
H. C. Jowett

O. R. Keene
W. F. Keep
W. G. S. Kenny
L. Kerwood
C. W. Killby
W. E. H. King

D. O. Laing
G. O. Laing
N. F. S. Laue
P. E. Lane
B. Lawrence
T. E. Lawrence
L. A. Lea-Smith
A. R. M. Lees
A. G. S. Leggatt
C. F. A. Ley
M. A. Ley
F. H. Lindsay
W. Howard Lloyd
W. Hastings Lloyd
G. H. Lofthouse
W. H. B. Long
W. L. J. Longbourne
A. O. C. Longridge
J. A. Longridge
R. S. Lovett-Thomas
S. E. Lowsley
R. E. Lucy

H. T. Macan
L. W. McArthur
R. J. McCleverty
T. C. S. MacGregor
E. J. B. MacKenzie
K. B. MacKenzie
F. J. A. Mackworth
J. N. MacRae
C. J. Mann
T. E. L. Marsh
A. Marshall
J. R. T. Marsham
J. Martin
R. C. Mason
R. E. W. Maxwell
R. H. P. Maxwell
H. P. E. M. Melly
R. E. Melly
B. C. Metcalfe-Smith
N. B. Michell
R. G. Milburn
J. L. Wellesley-Miller
M. C. N. Mills
D. O. Milner-Moore
S. C. L. Moore
W. H. H. Moore

N. A. Morice
C. P. S. Morris
J. T. Morris
G. A. Morton
J. H. Moxon
G. Mucklow
B. Muir
R. W. Mullins
G. A. Murray
P. H. Murray
W. L. Murray

R. P. Nathan
U. S. Naylor
H. H. Nicholson
R. J. Nicolls
N. H. Noble
H. M. Norsworthy
C. F. Nunneley

A. W. Ogilvie
C. G. Oliver
H. du B. O'Neill
A. D. Onslow
J. B. Orde
W. S. Orpen
L. E. Oudin
J. G. Overman

G. L. Paget
G. N. Palmes
M. C. Pearson
M. M. Pearson
G. D. Pechell
R. L. Peel
K. H. Pegg
F. P. C. Pemberton
(Hudson)
A. B. Pembroke
M. C. Perks
A. R. Petrie
M. A. Phillips
T. G. Ll. Phillips
P. S. Picot
A. H. Pinder
S. F. Porter
T. Prain
A. J. D. Preston
H. R. Priestley

A. L. Prince
N. D. Pringle
J. E. D. Prothero
J. Puckle

W. Quihampton

R. B. C. Raban
G. B. Rathbone
A. P. Ravenscroft
T. Reed
W. R. Richards
R. D. Richardson
C. Ridley-Shield
G. H. Riley
S. E. Ritchie
E. W. Roberts
E. A. Robinson
E. W. Robinson
F. E. Robinson
E. G. U. Robson
J. Rodgers
W. B. Rodney
(Rosenthal)
E. A. G. Rogers
F. C. C. Rogers
R. Rogers
G. F. Romer
A. J. Ross
B. D. Rushbrooke
A. F. C. Rutherford

N. P. Sandiford
E. J. G. Sargent
E. W. Scallan
A. W. H. Scott
F. C. Searle
A. H. Selwyn
Earl of Shannon
G. A. S. Shaw
V. Shearman
H. L. Shephard
N. G. Sheppey-Greene
C. E. G. Silcock
A. L. Simms
E. H. Simpson
J. P. N. Simpson
G. Sisson

G. F. Sitzler
P. C. J. Smith
R. Smith
A. Soames
A. H. S. Southwell
A. H. T. L. Speer
H. F. B. Stevens
J. J. E. B. Stewart
J. G. Stohart
E. R. C. Stone
N. H. Stone
G. W. Stott
P. B. Strafford
E. G. M. Sturt
P. H. Sullivan
R. V. Surr
C. W. H. Swayne
W. A. Sweet-Escott

S. M. Tabourdin
S. T. Tatham
G. F. W. Taylor
R. F. Taylor
F. G. B. Thomas
J. Thompson
R. P. Thompson
C. G. Thomson
P. A. H. Thorniley
G. Thwaites
J. T. F. Tierney
C. A. Tisdall
G. Tones
H. A. C. Topham
C. T. Tuff
F. N. Tuff
W. G. D. Turner
C. N. W. Tyacke

W. C. S. Uppieby

H. A. Vallings
L. A. Vidal
M. H. Vincent
R. R. Waddell-Dudley
V. H. N. Wadham
H. Wadlow
B. W. Wahl
A. J. Waley
L. H. Walker
S. A. Wallace
T. H. W. Waller
R. Walmesley
G. B. Ward
C. Warrington
C. B. Watson
T. P. Watson
S. W. H. Welsby
J. C. Weston
A. N. Whitfeld
N. B. Whitfeld
J. B. Whitfield
R. H. Whitfield
E. S. Willett
J. G. Wilkinson
J. Willey
J. D. Willmot
R. D. Willmot
S. D. Wilmot-Sitwell
N. I. Wilson
E. C. B. Wodehouse
G. K. P. Wood
H. K. Wood
H. E. Woodhouse
W. G. Woodroffe
E. L. Wright
C. H. Wright-Ingle
E. R. L. Wynne
R. C. B. Yates

MISSING.

G. L. Anson
C. C. Brouncker
E. C. Culling
S. H. Jendwine
H. E. C. Knight

R. H. Neill
E. Robinson
G. R. Thornhill
J. H. Yardley

THE COLLEGE,

MALVERN,

August, 1919.

DEAR SIR,

A SPECIAL SERVICE, in memory of those Malvernians who fell during the War, will be held in the School Chapel, on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8th, at 2.30 p.m., when an address will be given by the REV. CANON S. R. JAMES, C.B.E. All Old Malvernians, and parents and friends of fallen Malvernians, are most cordially invited to be present on this signal occasion.

Those who are able to attend are requested to notify Lt.-Colonel E. C. Bullock, The Cedars, Malvern, not later than Thursday, September 25th.

Yours faithfully,

F. S. PRESTON.

*Tea will be provided in the College Gymnasium
at 3.45 p.m.*

Malvern College War Memorial.

Committee.

THE HON. MR. JUSTICE P. O. LAWRENCE, *Chairman.*

THE HEADMASTER.	MAJOR A. I. R. BUTLER.	C. TOPPIN, <i>hon. treas.</i>
CANON S. R. JAMES.	N. MORICE.	H. KEMPSON.
C. STEWART COX.	R. B. PORCH, <i>hon. sec.</i>	H. G. C. SALMON.

REPORT.

The first notice was sent out in the Spring of 1918, just at the time of the German offensive. In many cases therefore it did not reach its destination, and in others, no doubt, it was put aside to be dealt with at a more suitable time. Consequently the enclosed list of subscribers includes only a small proportion of those interested; and a copy of the original circular is printed over-leaf for the information of those whom it failed to reach.

The Committee, however, are able to report that gifts amounting to more than £27,000 have already been received; and they hope that with the issue of this statement the total will quickly reach £40,000, the minimum sum for which they asked.

The need for **Educational Assistance** has already been met; but the rise in prices means an increase in the cost of the **Permanent Memorial**; and the Old Malvernian Society is about to issue to its members a statement which will emphasise the need of raising a very substantial sum for **Endowment**.

1. THE PERMANENT MEMORIAL.

Details of proposals, and notice of a General Meeting at which they will be presented and discussed, are enclosed. All will agree that whatever form it takes, the Memorial should be worthy of the sacrifice made by those whose names it will commemorate. The Committee hope that the sum at present available will be largely increased by the gifts of those who did not receive the first notice, and by thankofferings from parents and others who have been spared the loss of those they loved.

The General Fund, on which the cost of the Permanent Memorial will form a first charge, stands at present at £8,100.

2. EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE FOR SONS OF O. MS.

Valuable Memorial Exhibitions at the School have been founded by parents in memory of:—

Capt. Wilfrid Saxby Barham, annual value	...	...	...	£75
Major John Neill Black	...	...	...	£75
Lieut. Thomas Gair	...	...	...	£150
Capt. Christopher Francis Aden Ley	...	...	...	£100
Lieut. Maurice Aden Ley	...	...	...	£100

Similar Exhibitions have been founded in memory of:—

Lieut. Cecil Hubert Wright-Ingle, at Pembroke College, Cambridge	...	£100
Lieut. Arthur Leslie Gwynne-Jones, at Oxford, Cambridge, or Woolwich	...	£50

The total capital value of these Exhibitions is about £13,500. It is expected that they will practically meet the claims for such assistance; and it is suggested that the provision of any necessary balance shall be made a first charge on the Endowment Fund.

3. ENDOWMENT AND IMPROVEMENT FUND.

The following valuable gifts have already been received or promised. The Committee will cordially welcome others.

For Endowment, by purchase of College Debentures:—

The Old Malvernian Society	...	...	...	£1000
Major A. I. R. Butler (Chairman of the Society and Member of College Council)...	...	...	...	£1000
Joseph Shaw, K.C., (Member of College Council)...	...	...	...	£100
G. W. Parkes, Esq. and Mrs. Parkes—a thank-offering	...	...	...	£200
J. A. Spranger	...	...	...	£200

For the provision of special equipment in connection with a new Science building:—

H. S. Stone, Esq., M.D. (in memory of Capt. Noel Herbert Stone)	...	£1000
J. Stott, Esq. (in memory of Lieut. George Whittaker Stott)	...	£1500

It cannot be too widely understood that a School without endowment cannot provide a adequate surplus for the most essential Science and Art equipment unless its fees are materially higher than those of endowed schools with which it has in a sense to compete.

Not only has Malvern no endowment: it has to provide the interest and sinking fund for £130,000 of capital borrowed for its foundation.

The Committee has no doubt that when this is generally understood further liberal gifts will be forthcoming.

Yours faithfully,

P. OGDEN LAWRENCE, *Chairman of College Council.*
 F. S. PRESTON, *Headmaster.*
 S. R. JAMES, *Headmaster 1897-1914.*
 A. I. R. BUTLER, *Chairman of O. M. Society.*

September, 1919.

War Service of O. Ms.

All O. Ms. who have served in the War are *urgently* requested to send full details of War Service (if they have not already done so) to H. G. C. Salmon, The College, Malvern.

The Secretary of the O. M. Society will be glad to receive the name and address of any relation or representative of the late:—

No. Left.	No. Left.	No. Left.
1 00 R. Bolster	3 02 N. G. Sheppey-Greene	7 02 A. M. G. Cooper
1 05 R. C. Hudson	4 03 J. D. B. Fulton	9 15 V. W. Bennett
2 03 H. W. Bostock	5 05 G. T. R. Cook	9 05 T. M. Crowe
2 14 A. C. Clarke	6 13 F. L. Hastings-Medhurst	9 04 C. G. Forsyth
2 10 V. M. Holday	7 14 J. C. A. Caunter	5 04 N. B. Michell

also of:—

Frederick George, who in 1868 was living at 9, Finchley Road, St. John's Wood.
 Mrs. M. E. Benson, who in 1881 was living at Leamington, and later at Cheltenham.
 Robert Dallas, who in 1866 was in the R.N.
 John Adamson, who in 1866 was living in Brazenose St., Manchester.
 Thomas Baxter, who in 1875 was living at Cheadle, Cheshire.

The Secretary of the O. M. Society would be glad to receive the address of the following:—

No. Left.	No. Left.	No. Left.
6 94 F. C. Adams	1 02 J. C. Hardy	1 99 H. Newton
7 03 T. Aubertin	8 87 W. R. Harmar	4 79 A. de B. Owen
5 05 G. Barratt	1 04 N. F. Heald	5 80 G. G. Paul
2 08 C. P. Barton	8 07 L. G. Heath	9 02 R. B. F. Selwyn-Payne
4 08 J. Basevi	7 10 P. A. Hibbert	5 04 C. J. Pearson
4 77 T. Baxter	1 97 G. B. Hole	8 99 R. Pelling
5 04 S. E. Beal	8 00 J. A. Holmes	8 91 F. W. Phillips
5 13 J. A. Bell	4 11 A. C. W. Holt-Wilson	2 05 S. H. Pickersgill
8 83 L. V. Bennett	4 09 M. C. Holt-Wilson	7 95 H. G. Pirouet
1 79 F. E. Bird	5 04 A. J. Hume	9 12 K. A. R. Puckle R.M.L.I.
2 78 E. W. Birkett	8 14 R. de H. Hutchinson	1 98 W. O. U. Parnell
7 16 N. G. Blake	3 09 N. D. Impey	9 11 K. L. Raworth
2 92 J. R. Boyes	8 18 K. G. Isaac	1 07 C. A. Richards
8 03 M. W. O. Brodie	5 98 J. B. C. E. Jameson	1 05 Capt. E. J. Richardson
8 88 J. B. Bromfield	7 83 H. M. Jenkins	9 99 G. E. Kidley-Shield
5 08 H. H. Brown	6 97 P. G. Jones	8 02 W. J. E. Rigby
2 95 T. B. Burns	9 13 E. L. Judd	6 11 F. J. Roberts
7 97 J. Caddy	9 13 W. B. Judd	5 83 W. F. G. Rodger
7 99 T. R. Cairns	1 06 H. de T. W. Kay	9 10 G. W. Rodney
7 07 J. Cartland	6 10 H. S. Kevill-Davies	2 06 B. Rothe
6 96 H. P. Carver	8 06 K. T. Killby	6 11 F. A. B. Sanderson
3 03 S. D. Claris	2 01 G. N. Kingsford	2 81 C. H. Saunders
4 07 G. A. Clarkson	6 08 H. E. C. Knight	4 13 E. B. Saunders
1 81 H. G. Clarkson	7 04 G. T. Levinge	7 06 W. H. Schwarz
1 04 R. M. Clarkson	8 97 E. S. Liddiard I.C.S.	8 97 F. Scott
1 05 C. E. V. Collins	1 00 G. E. Lloyd	2 12 E. Shaw
6 13 E. O. Critchley	5 07 J. Longbourne	1 05 J. D. Sherwood
6 02 A. B. Dixon	6 95 B. T. Lovett	7 97 C. A. Smallhorn M.B.
4 99 Lt. Col. A. H. R. Dodd	3 04 A. H. Mack	1 99 E. Drybrough-Smith M.D.
4 02 Capt. P. R. C. Dodd	1 05 A. G. McKibbin	8 98 J. M. C. M. Smith
9 01 G. J. Domville	1 02 G. McKibbin	1 14 J. L. Stone
7 08 B. G. Donne	3 02 P. MacQueen I.C.S.	5 97 W. Stopher
8 98 D. H. Doveton	8 13 G. L. Mallam	3 14 C. R. Stottiford
5 05 I. N. Dracopoli	6 09 K. L. Mallett	7 07 A. F. Taylor
1 11 A. G. C. Elliott	1 10 A. D. M. Malone	5 08 Teum
2 09 M. L. F. Elliott	8 10 C. G. L. Marriott	3 05 E. G. Tewson
9 06 H. S. Elsdale	4 06 H. St. G. H. Maxwell	5 03 Nai Tom
8 01 Capt. K. A. G. Evans-Gordon	1 18 C. D. Middleton	1 05 C. M. Tweedale
2 06 L. G. Evan-Thomas	5 93 H. C. Mifville	4 12 R. Tyzack
3 15 J. E. C. Firth	8 11 G. S. Miller	5 06 G. C. Usher
1 90 S. S. Galsworthy	8 92 W. F. Mitchell	4 16 C. K. Vickers
8 72 E. H. George	4 06 T. K. Mitchelson	9 03 H. W. Waghorn
2 05 A. S. Glover	4 84 C. C. F. Monckton	5 06 J. J. L. Walker
5 13 A. R. L. Goodson	4 12 G. B. Monkman	6 12 J. G. T. West
2 95 B. K. Greatrex	9 02 A. R. More	4 02 L. Whistler
8 87 H. Green	9 01 J. W. More	2 05 A. B. Whitfield
3 96 S. Grossmith	8 04 H. K. Moss	2 06 J. Wilkinson
9 12 W. S. F. Hally	6 04 K. A. Mountain	7 08 E. T. Williams
6 13 R. L. Halstead	7 07 L. Napier	6 07 H. G. Williams
6 18 R. V. Halstead	9 08 N. O. Nash	4 07 K. G. B. Williams
3 08 G. D. Harding	2 03 G. R. G. Nevinson	

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With regard to the dis-
positions of 2^d Lieut. V. W.
Bennett. R. G. who was
killed in action on Oct. 21st:

of the

to you for the necessary
authority to obtain Mr Bennett's
belongings -

My husband & I have
acted as guardians to the
Bennett since he was
eight years old - His parents
are in India: it will take
a long time to correspond
with them - I am writing
to assure you - that if
you will send me the necessary
form for signature &c

and Cox's Agents then send
me the package, it will
be safe in my keeping
until Col. Pennant's return
to England.

Will you, also, kindly
inform me, how I am to
obtain his private possessions
which I am informed by
his C.O. are at the
base in France.

Yours faithfully
Bessie Davies

To the Secretary,
War Office - Effects Branch -

Engineers

