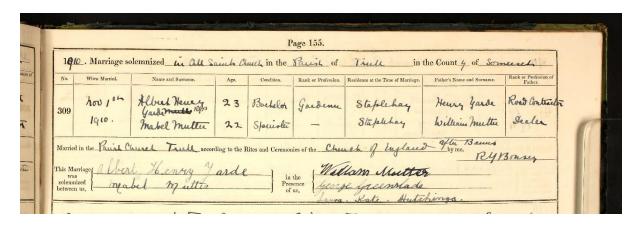
ALBERT HENRY YARDE, 25291 Bombardier, A Battery, 177 Brigade, Royal Field Artillery

Albert was born in 1887, one of the 11 children of Henry and Jessica Yarde; he was baptised in Buckland in November; his father was a roadman and general labourer. Thereafter Albert's life deviates a bit from the norm; in 1891 and 1901 he's living first with his Yarde Grandparents in Curland, and then with his uncle Charles Parsons, a groom, in Tangier Cottages, Bishops Hull. In 1911 he's still with his uncle, but now in Alma Street, and married to Mabel Mutter (on November 1 1910). He's a Carter for a Fruiterer and Florist. Maybe with 11 children the Yarde household was just too crowded.

Albert's Service Records survive, at least in part. He enlisted in the RFA on September 4th 1914 in Pontypridd; he'd been working as a timber haulier, living there with his wife and children – wife Mabel, and Charles, Phyllis and Albert. He was 5ft 9^{1/4} in, with a fresh complexion and brown hair and eyes. Three more children were born after the war – Royston, Sylvia and Beryl.



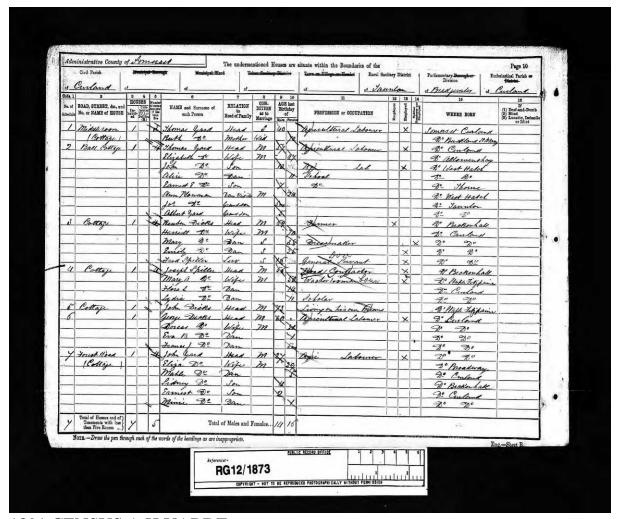
He served in Britain till July 12 1915, and then in France from July 13 1915 to January 5 1919, and then, apparently, another immediate stint from January 6 1919 to March 31 1920 – a total of 5 years and 209 days. A long time to be away, apparently without any leave after July 1915. On June 23 1920, living at Rose Cottage, Staplehay, he signs for his 1914-15 Star, and on August 20 for his Victory Medal.

Unfortunately his Service Records are incomplete, so there is no detail of his time in France. He was promoted to Bombardier; remarkable that he survived such a long stint in the trenches.

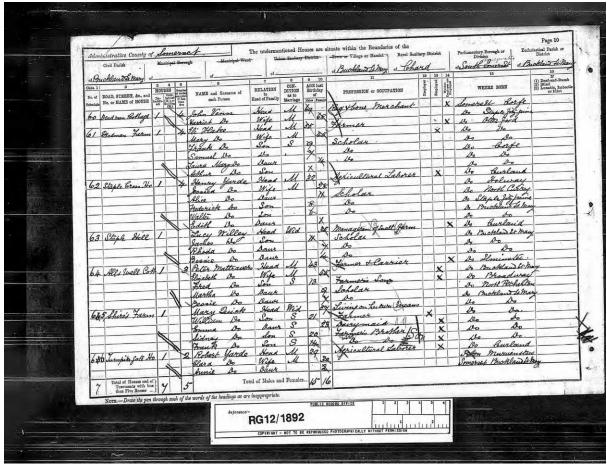
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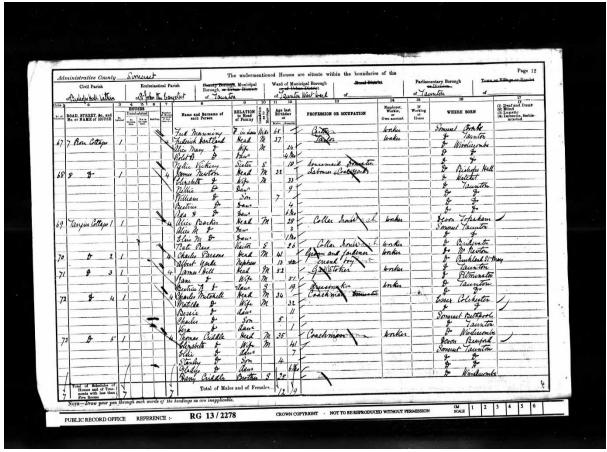
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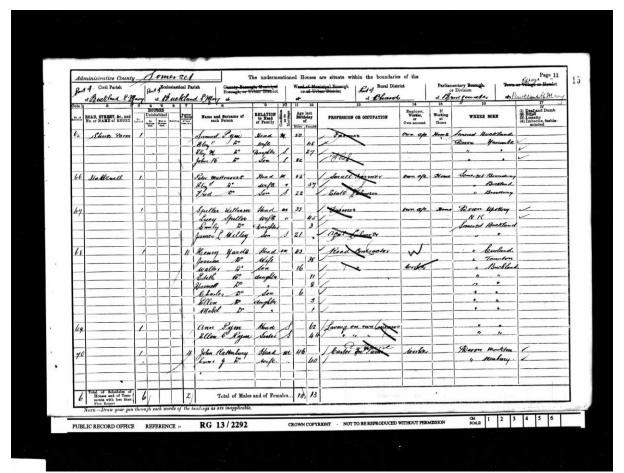
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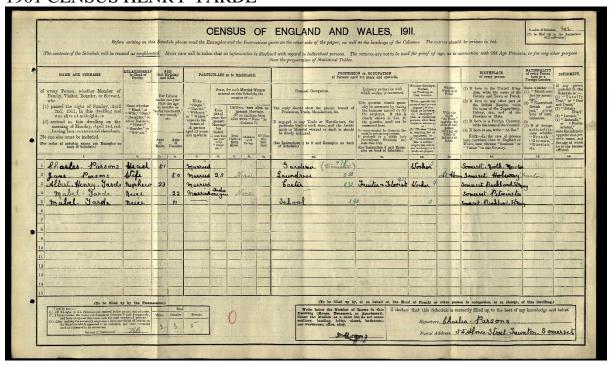
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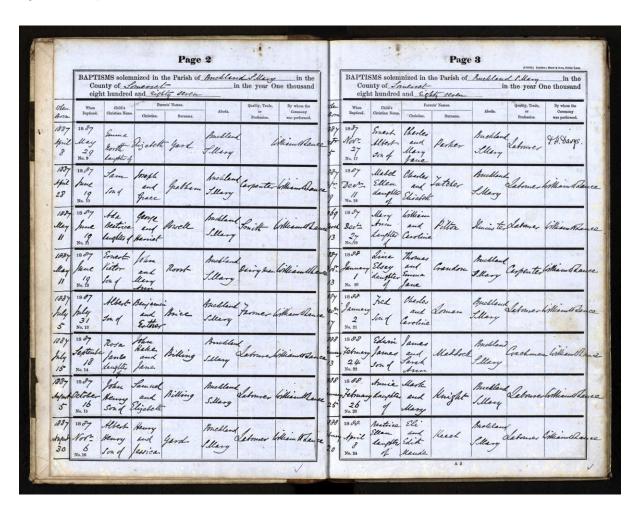
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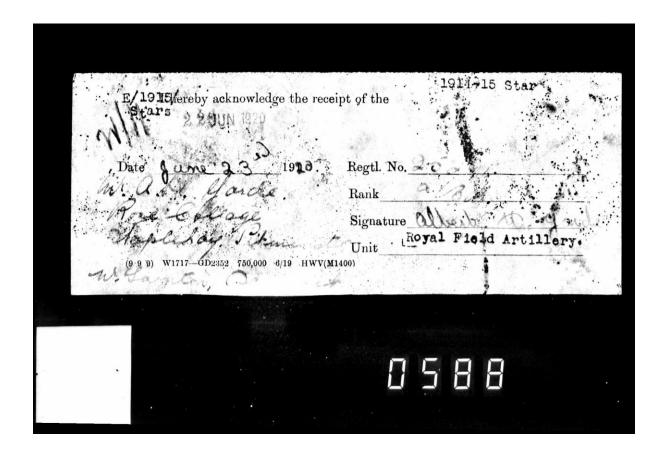
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