

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 9¹/₄ in, with a fresh complexion and brown hair and eyes. Three more children were born after the war – Royston, Sylvia and Beryl.

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1910. Marriage solemnized in All Saints Church in the Parish of Taunton in the County of Somerset

No.	When Married.	Name and Surname.	Age.	Condition.	Rank or Profession.	Residence at the Time of Marriage.	Father's Name and Surname.	Rank or Profession of Father.
309	Nov 1 st 1910.	Albert Henry Yarde	23	Bachelor	Gardener	Staplehay	Henry Yarde	Road Contractor
		Mabel Mutter	22	Spinster	—	Staplehay	William Mutter	Dealer

Married in the Parish Church Taunton according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Church of England by me, W. B. Bousley

This Marriage was solemnized between us, Albert Henry Yarde and Mabel Mutter in the Presence of us, William Mutter, George Greenlade, Laura Kate Hutchings.

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.

Albert died in 1934 in the Taunton area, aged 46.

Page 4		The undermentioned Houses are situate within the Boundaries of the							
Civil Parish (or Township) of	City or Municipal Borough of	Municipal Ward of	Parliamentary Borough of	House or Village or Hamlet of	Urban Sanitary District of	Rural Sanitary District of	Ecological Parish or District of		
Staple Fitzpaine						Sturminster			
No. of Schedule	ROAD, STREET, &c., and No. or NAME of HOUSE	HOUSES Inhabited (U.I. or R.)	NAME and Surname of each Person	RELATION to Head of Family	CON-DITION as to Marriage	AGE last Birthday of	Rank, Profession, or OCCUPATION	WHERE BORN	(1) Deaf and Dumb (2) Blind (3) Imbecile or Idiot (4) Lunatic
14		1	Thomas Garbhan Anna 1832 Harry 15 Eliza 10	Head Wife Son Daughter	Mar Mar Mar Mar	32 24 11 8	Game Keeper Game Keeper's Wife Scholar Scholar	Devon Garcombe " " " Mumbury " Sturminster	
15		1	William Bond Isabel 20 John 20 Jane 20 William 20 George Baker Henry Gard Isabel 20 Eliza 10	Head Wife Son Daughter Son Head Head Wife Daughter	Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar	30 29 29 4 1 23 28 19 1	Ag Lab Wife Scholar Scholar " " Ag Lab Ag Lab Wife " "	Donnerdale " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " Sturminster	
16		1	Samuel Hall Ann 20 George 20 Paul 20	Head Wife Son Son	Mar Mar Mar Mar	44 55 22 11	Ag Labourer Wife Ag Lab Scholar	" " " " " " " Sturminster	
17		1	Marwood Stone Elizabeth 20 Marwood 20 Elizabeth 20 John 20 Bessie 20	Head Wife Son Daughter Son Daughter	Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar Mar	52 59 38 20 17 15	Farmer 1653 acres Farmer's Wife Farmer's Son " " " Son " Daughter	Canterbury Devon Garcombe Sturminster " " " " " "	
5	Total of Houses...	52	Total of Males and Females...			116	114		

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1881 CENSUS — HENRY YARDE

Administrative County of <u>Cambridgeshire</u>					The undermentioned Houses are situate within the Boundaries of the										Page 10		
Civil Parish					Municipal Ward					Rural Sanitary District					Parliamentary Division		
of <u>Cambridgeshire</u>					of <u>Cambridgeshire</u>					of <u>Cambridgeshire</u>					of <u>Cambridgeshire</u>		
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No. of Schedule	ROAD, STREET, &c., and No. of NAME of HOUSE	HOUSES	Number of Persons in the Family	NAME and Surname of each Person	RELATION to Head of Family	CON- DITION as to Marriage	AGE last Birthday of	Sex	PROFESSION or OCCUPATION	Registered	Number of Persons in the Family	WHERE BORN	19	20	21	22	23
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	Madhuson (Cottage)	1	1	Thomas Goad	Head	5	50	M	Agricultural Labourer		X	Cambridgeshire					
2	Bart. Cottage	1	1	Thomas Goad	Head	71	71	M	Agricultural Labourer		X	Cambridgeshire					
				Elizabeth Goad	Wife	71	71	F				Cambridgeshire					
				John Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				Oliver Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				Edward Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				Benjamin Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				John Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				Robert Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
3	Cottage	1	1	Thomas Goad	Head	71	71	M			X	Cambridgeshire					
				Harriet Goad	Wife	71	71	F				Cambridgeshire					
				Mary Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				Elizabeth Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				John Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
4	Cottage	1	1	Joseph Goad	Head	71	71	M			X	Cambridgeshire					
				Mary Goad	Wife	71	71	F				Cambridgeshire					
				John Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				Elizabeth Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				John Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
5	Cottage	1	1	John Goad	Head	71	71	M			X	Cambridgeshire					
				Elizabeth Goad	Wife	71	71	F				Cambridgeshire					
				John Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				Elizabeth Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				John Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
6	Cottage	1	1	John Goad	Head	71	71	M			X	Cambridgeshire					
				Elizabeth Goad	Wife	71	71	F				Cambridgeshire					
				John Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				Elizabeth Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
				John Goad	Son	71	71	M				Cambridgeshire					
7	Wood Head (Cottage)	1	1	John Goad	Head	71	71	M			X	Cambridgeshire					
				Elizabeth Goad	Wife	71	71	F									

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Administrative County of Somerset The undermentioned Houses are situated within the Boundaries of the

Civil Parish of Buckland Mary Municipal Borough of Buckland Mary Municipal Ward of Chard Urban Sanitary District of Buckland Mary Rural Sanitary District of Chard Parliamentary Borough or Division of South Somerset Electoral Parish or District of Buckland Mary

Col. 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
No. of Schedule	ROAD, STREET, &c. and No. or NAME of HOUSE	HOUSES	Col. 3	Col. 4	NAME and Surname of each Person	RELATION to Head of Family	CON- DITION as to Marriage	AGE last Birthday	SEX	PROFESSION or OCCUPATION	Col. 12	Col. 13	Col. 14	WHERE BORN	Col. 16	Col. 17	Col. 18	Col. 19	Col. 20
60	Buckman Cottage	1	1	1	John Lucas	Head	M	67	M	Day-laborer		X		Somerset					
					Elizabeth	Wife	M	65	F					Somerset					
61	Buckman Farm	1	1	1	Wm. Clarke	Head	M	35	M	Farmer		X		Somerset					
					Mary	Wife	M	32	F					Somerset					
					Frank	Son	M	12	M	Scholar				Somerset					
					Samuel	Son	M	10	M					Somerset					
					James	Son	M	8	M					Somerset					
					John	Son	M	6	M					Somerset					
62	Staple Cross Ho.	1	1	1	Henry Yarde	Head	M	32	M	Agricultural Laborer		X		Somerset					
					Elizabeth	Wife	M	28	F					Somerset					
					Alfred	Son	M	10	M	Scholar				Somerset					
					Edith	Son	M	8	F					Somerset					
					Edith	Son	M	6	F					Somerset					
63	Staple Hill	1	1	1	Lucey Wilbey	Head	Wid	30	F	Manager of Coal Farm		X		Somerset					
					James	Son	M	10	M	Scholar				Somerset					
					Phoebe	Son	M	8	F					Somerset					
					Phoebe	Son	M	6	F					Somerset					
64	Staple Hill Cott.	1	1	1	Peter Multravers	Head	M	43	M	Farmer & Carriker		X		Somerset					
					Elizabeth	Wife	M	35	F					Somerset					
					Frederick	Son	M	13	M	Farmer's Son				Somerset					
					Martha	Son	M	10	F	Scholar				Somerset					
					Phoebe	Son	M	8	F					Somerset					
65	Staple Hill	1	1	1	Mary Quick	Head	Wid	30	F	Living on her own means		X		Somerset					
					William	Son	M	21	M	Farmer				Somerset					
					Emma	Son	M	18	F	Domestic				Somerset					
					Edmund	Son	M	16	M	Farmer's Son				Somerset					
					Robert	Son	M	14	M	Agricultural Laborer				Somerset					
66	Staple Hill	1	1	1	Robert Yarde	Head	M	29	M					Somerset					
					Elizabeth	Wife	M	26	F					Somerset					
					Frederick	Son	M	2	M					Somerset					
7	Total of Houses and of Tenements with less than Five Rooms ...	4	5		Total of Males and Females...	15	16												

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Administrative County <u>Down</u>				The undermentioned Houses are situate within the boundaries of the										Page 11						
Parish <u>Civil Parish</u>				Parish <u>Ecclésiastical Parish</u>				County Borough Municipal Borough or Urban District				Ward of Municipal Borough or of Urban District		Rural District		Parliamentary Borough or Division		Town or Village or Hamlet		
<u>Buckland & Mary</u>				<u>Buckland & Mary</u>				<u>Buckland & Mary</u>				<u>Buckland & Mary</u>		<u>Buckland & Mary</u>		<u>Buckland & Mary</u>		<u>Buckland & Mary</u>		
House No.	ROAD, STREET &c. and No. or NAME of HOUSE	HOUSES Uninhabited	HOUSES Inhabited	Name and Surname of Head of Family	RELATION to Head of Family	Age last Birthday	PROFESSION OR OCCUPATION	Employer, Worker, or Own account	If Working at Home	WHERE BORN	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
62	<u>Sheep Farm</u>	1		<u>Samuel Egan</u>	Head	50	<u>Farmer</u>	<u>own acc</u>	<u>Home</u>	<u>Landed Proprietor</u>										
				<u>Eliza</u>	Wife	48				<u>Theresa</u>										
				<u>Eliza</u>	Daughter	27														
				<u>John</u>	Son	1														
66	<u>Hallwell</u>	1		<u>Edw. Matthews</u>	Head	63	<u>General Farmer</u>	<u>own acc</u>	<u>Home</u>	<u>Landed Proprietor</u>										
				<u>Eliza</u>	Wife	57				<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>Frederick</u>	Son	22	<u>General Farmer</u>			<u>Arthur</u>										
67		1		<u>Spencer Williams</u>	Head	32	<u>Farmer</u>	<u>own acc</u>	<u>Home</u>	<u>General Farmer</u>										
				<u>Louisa</u>	Wife	45				<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>Emily</u>	Daughter	3				<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>James L. Melley</u>	Son	21	<u>General Farmer</u>			<u>Arthur</u>										
68		1		<u>Henry Harcourt</u>	Head	62	<u>Head Bookkeeper</u>	<u>W</u>		<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>Isabella</u>	Wife	38				<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>Walter</u>	Son	16				<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>Edith</u>	Daughter	11				<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>Harriet</u>	Daughter	9				<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>Charles</u>	Son	6				<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>Ellen</u>	Daughter	3				<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>Mabel</u>	Daughter	1				<u>Arthur</u>										
69		1		<u>Ann Egan</u>	Head	62	<u>Living on own house</u>			<u>Arthur</u>										
				<u>Ellen Egan</u>	Wife	44				<u>Arthur</u>										
70		1		<u>John Rathbone</u>	Head	46	<u>General Farmer</u>	<u>own acc</u>	<u>Home</u>	<u>General Farmer</u>										
				<u>James J. Egan</u>	Wife	60				<u>Arthur</u>										
6	Total of Number of Houses and of Tenants with less than Five Acres	6		Total of Males and of Females			10	13												

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CENSUS OF ENGLAND AND WALES, 1911.																			
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The contents of the Schedule will be treated as confidential. Strict care will be taken that no information is disclosed with regard to individual persons. The returns are not to be used for proof of age, or in connection with Old Age Pensions, or for any other purpose than the promulgation of Statistical Tables.																			
NAME AND SURNAME		RELATIONSHIP to Head of Family	AGE last birthday and SEX	PARTICULARS as to MARRIAGE				PROFESSION or OCCUPATION of Persons aged ten years and upwards				BIRTHPLACE of every person		NATURALITY of every Person born in a Foreign Country		INFIRMITY.			
				State, for each Married Woman entered on the Schedule, the number of—				Personal Occupation.											
				Children born alive to each Married Woman (if no children born alive, state "None")				The reply should show the precise branch of Profession, Trade, Manufacture, &c.											
				Wife "Single," "Married," "Widowed," or "Divorced," as the case of the person aged 15 years and upwards is specified.				It is required in any Trade or Manufacture, the particular kind of such work, and the kind of work or Married woman or child is should be clearly indicated.											
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CENSUS

OF

ENGLAND AND WALES,

1911.



SCHEDULE.

Prepared pursuant to the Census (Great Britain) Act, 1910.

This space to be filled up by the Enumerator.

Number of Registration District.....308

Number of Registration Sub-District.....2

Number of Enumeration District.....2

Name of Head
of Family or
Separate Occupier. }

Mr Henry Hill
Gardner

Postal Address.....

Cross
Buckland St Mary

NOTICE.

This Schedule must be filled up and signed by, or on behalf of, the Head of the Family or other person in occupation, or in charge, of the dwelling (house, tenement or apartment).

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CENSUS OF ENGLAND AND WALES, 1911.

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(To be filled up by the Enumerator after Census.)

The contents of the Schedule will be treated as confidential. Strict care will be taken that no information is disclosed with regard to individual persons. The returns are not to be used for proof of age, as in connection with Old Age Pensions, or for any other purpose than the preparation of Statistical Tables.

NAME AND SURNAME	RELATIONSHIP TO HEAD OF FAMILY	AGE last birthday	SEX	PARTICULARS AS TO MARRIAGE	PROFESSION OR OCCUPATION	INDUSTRY OR SERVICE	Whether Temporarily Absent	BIRTHPLACE	NATURALITY	INFIRMITY
Henry Yard	Head	52	M	Married	Labourer General	330	None	Portsmouth	English	
Jessie Yard	Wife	48	F	Married				Portsmouth	English	
Ellen Yard	Daughter	13	F	Single				Portsmouth	English	
John Henry Yard	Son	9	M	Single				Portsmouth	English	
David William Yard	Son	3	M	Single				Portsmouth	English	

(To be filled up by the Enumerator)

I hereby declare that the above is a true and correct statement of the persons who were present at the Census in the dwelling-house numbered 330 in the street named Portsmouth in the County of Portsmouth in the year One thousand nine hundred and eleven.

(To be filled up by, or on behalf of, the Head of Family or other person in occupation, or in charge, of this dwelling.)

I declare that this Schedule is correctly filled up to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Henry Yard
Post Office Address Portsmouth

1911 HENRY YARDE

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BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of Buckland Sillery in the County of Surrey in the year One thousand eight hundred and eighty seven

When Baptized	Child's Christian Name	Parents' Names	Abode	Quality, Trade, or Profession	By whom the Ceremony was performed
1887 April 8	Emma No. 29	Elizabeth Gard	Buckland Sillery		William Hance
1887 June 28	Sam No. 10	Joseph and Grace	Buckland Sillery	Carpenter	William Hance
1887 May 11	Ada No. 19	George and Anne	Buckland Sillery	Domestic	William Hance
1887 May 11	Ernest No. 12	John and Rose	Buckland Sillery	Domestic	William Hance
1887 July 5	Albert Benjamin No. 13	Sam and Alice	Buckland Sillery	Farmer	William Hance
1887 July 15	Rosa No. 14	John and Alice	Buckland Sillery	Labourer	William Hance
1887 October 5	John No. 15	Samuel and Elizabeth	Buckland Sillery	Labourer	William Hance
1887 April 30	Albert No. 16	Henry and Mary	Buckland Sillery	Labourer	William Hance

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BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of Buckland Sillery in the County of Surrey in the year One thousand eight hundred and eighty seven

When Baptized	Child's Christian Name	Parents' Names	Abode	Quality, Trade, or Profession	By whom the Ceremony was performed
1887 Nov 27	Ernest No. 17	Charles and Mary	Buckland Sillery	Labourer	W. H. Dargy
1887 Dec 11	Edith No. 18	Charles and Elizabeth	Buckland Sillery	Labourer	William Hance
1887 Dec 13	Mary No. 19	William and Alice	Buckland Sillery	Labourer	William Hance
1887 Jan 13	Eric No. 20	Thomas and Emma	Buckland Sillery	Carpenter	William Hance
1887 Jan 17	Frederick No. 21	Charles and Susan	Buckland Sillery	Labourer	William Hance
1887 Jan 24	Edwin No. 22	James and Sarah	Buckland Sillery	Carpenter	William Hance
1887 Feb 25	Amie No. 23	Mark and Mary	Buckland Sillery	Labourer	William Hance
1887 Apr 8	Frederick No. 24	Edith and Elizabeth	Buckland Sillery	Labourer	William Hance

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1910. Marriage solemnized in All Saints Church in the Parish of Tivoli in the County of Somerset

No.	When Married.	Name and Surname.	Age.	Condition.	Rank or Profession.	Residence at the Time of Marriage.	Father's Name and Surname.	Rank or Profession of Father.
309	Nov 1 st 1910.	Albert Henry Gardner	23	Bachelor	Gardener	Staplehay	Henry Gard	Road Contractor
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Mabel Mutter } { George Greenblade
Laura Kate Hutchings.

IF FOUND, please drop this Certificate in a Post Office letter box.

Army Form Z. 11.

NOTICE.—"This document is Government property. It is no security whatever for debt, and any Person being in possession of it, either as a pledge or security for debt, or without lawful authority or excuse, is liable under Section 156 (9) of the Army Act to a fine of twenty pounds (£20) or imprisonment for six months, or to both fine and imprisonment."

PROTECTION CERTIFICATE AND CERTIFICATE OF IDENTITY (SOLDIER NOT REMAINING WITH THE COLOURS).

Dispersal Unit Stamp and date of dispersal

Surname

(Block letters)

Christian Names

Regtl. No.

Rank

Record Office

Unit

Regt. or
Corps

Pay Office

I have received an advance of £2.

† Address for Pay

(Signature of Soldier)

The above-named soldier is granted 28 days' furlough from the date stamped hereon pending (as far as can be ascertained) which will date from the last day of furlough after which date uniform will not be worn except upon occasions authorized by Army Orders.

- * If for Final Demobilization insert 1.
- Disembodiment insert 2.
- Transfer to Reserve insert 3.

† As this is the address to which pay and discharge documents will be sent unless further notification is received, any change of address must be reported at once to the Record Office and the Pay Office as noted above, otherwise delay in settlement will occur.

Theatre of War or
Command

Born in the Year

Medical Category

Place of rejoining in
case of emergency

Specialist Military
Qualification

This Certificate must be produced when applying for an Unemployed Sailor's and Soldier's Donation Policy or, if demanded, whenever applying for Unemployment benefit.

Date

Office of Issue

Policy issued No

(3)

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Statement of the SERVICES of No. <u>4444</u> Name <u> </u>				Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of Entries
Pls which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	years	days	years	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>4-9-14</u>								
Joined at <u>Preston.</u> on <u>4-9-14</u>								
TERY R.A. Attested & Posted. <u>4-9-14</u> <u>1914</u> <u>16-10-14</u> <u>1915</u> <u>24-7-15</u> <u>To Base</u> <u>30-3-16</u>								
Transferred to Class "Z" Army Reserve on Demobilization. Date <u>30-3-16</u> Signature <u> </u> Officer i/c Records. Place <u> </u> Home Address <u> </u>								
Discharged on Demobilization <u>31/3/16</u> Date Para 392 (XXVIII) K.R. Signature <u> </u> Officer i/c F.H. & F.F.I. Records <u>Woodman</u>								
Total Service forfeited as above								
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>31/3/16</u> (date of discharge) <u>3</u> years <u>07</u> days								
" " Pension " <u> </u> (") <u>4</u> " <u>159</u> "								

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SHORT SERVICE.

(Three years with the Colours.)

ATTESTATION

No. 25181 Name Albert Henry Jarde Corps Royal Fusiliers

Questions to be put to the Recruit before enlistment.

1. What is your name?
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born?
3. Are you a British Subject?
4. What is your Age?
5. What is your Trade or Calling?
6. Have you resided out of your Father's house for three years continuously in the same place or occupied a house or land of the yearly value of £10 for one year, and paid rates for the same, and, in either case, if so, state where?
7. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? if so, where? to whom? for what period? and, when did, or will, the period of your Apprenticeship expire?
8. Are you Married?
9. Have you ever been sentenced to imprisonment by the Civil Power?
10. Do you now belong to the Royal Navy, the Army, the Royal Marines, the Militia, the Special Reserve, the Territorial Force, the Army Reserve, the Militia Reserve, or any Naval Reserve Force? if so to what unit and Corps?
- *11. 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 cause of discharge
12. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service?
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for the Military or Naval Forces of the Crown? if so, on what grounds?
14. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?
15. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service?
16. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you?
17. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services?

For a term of three years, unless War lasts longer than three years, in which case you will be retained until the War is over. If employed with Hospitals, depôts of Mounted Units, and as Clerks, etc., you may be retained after the termination of hostilities until your services can be spared, but such retention shall in no case exceed six months.

I, Albert Henry Jarde do solemnly declare that the above answers made to me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Albert Henry Jarde 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, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs, and Successors, and of the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered and replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me

at Longbridge on this 14th day of Sept 1914

Signature of the Justice

Age of the Attestation, a Justice of the Peace should be requested to make it and initial alteration under Section 8 (6), Army Act.

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Description of 100007 100007 on Enlistment.

Apparent Age 27 years 5 months.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)

Height 5 feet 9 1/2 inches.
Weight 144 lbs.

Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 35 1/2 inches.
Range of expansion 2 inches

Complexion Dark
Eyes Brown
Hair Brown

Religious denomination { Church of England Yes
Presbyterian
Wesleyan
Baptist or Congregationalist
Other Protestants
(Denomination to be stated.)
Roman Catholic
Jewish

Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease.
(Should the Medical Officer be of opinion that the recruit has served before, he will, unless the man acknowledges to any previous service, attach a slip to that effect, for the information of the approving Officer.)
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Certificate of Medical Examination.
I have examined the above-named man and find that he does not present any of the causes of rejection specified in the Regulations for the Army Medical Services.
He can see at the required distance with either eye: his heart and lungs are healthy: he has the free use of his joints and limbs, and he declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.
I consider him Fit for the Army.
Date 11-9 1914
Place Pontypool
Medical Officer. H. Davies
J. R. C. S.

Certificate of Primary Military Examination.
I hereby certify that the above-named recruit was inspected by me and I consider him Fit for service in the Royal Field Artillery and that due care has been exercised in his enlistment.
Date 11-9 1914
Place Pontypool
Recruiting Officer. Major H. Davies
for R.O. Glam. Mon.

*** Certificate of Approving Officer.**
I certify that this Attestation of the above-named recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the Royal Field Artillery.
If enlisted by special authority, Army Form B. 203 (or other authority for the enlistment) will be attached to the original attestation.
Date 11-9 1914
Place Pontypool
Approving Officer. Major H. Davies
for R.O. Glam. Mon.

* The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
† Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

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1914-15 Star
E/1915/15 Stars
22 JUN 1920
Date June 23^d 1920
Regtl. No. 200
Rank 2nd Lt.
Signature [Signature]
Unit Royal Field Artillery.
(9 9 9) W1717—GD2352 750,000 -6/19 HWV(M1400)

Subject:- Demobilization

Spices/c...

R.H. & P.F.A. Records,
Woolwich



Herewith A. Form B. 103 and B. 122 for
25291 Bdr. A.H. Yarde of A/17th Brigade R.F.A.
vide last entry on form.
Kindly acknowledge.

W. B. Shipley, Chief of Office
R.A. Section

17-1-19

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Campaign :— **1914-15**

(A) Where decoration was earned.

(B) Present situation.

Name	Corps	Rank	Reg. No.	Roll on which included (if any)
(A) YARDE	R.F.A.	a/	Bomber 25291	MEDAL VICTORY * RFA/143D 8454 BIRTH do do
(B) Albert H.	"	Bdr	"	15 STAR RFA/11A²B 2403

Action taken

THEATRE OF WAR **(1) France**

QUALIFYING DATE **13-7-15**

(6 34 46) W234—HP5590 500,000 4/19 HWV(P240) K608 [OVER.

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