



ORIGINAL

SHORT SERVICE.

(For the Duration of the War).

ATTESTATION OF

G.S. III. K.
No. *9/10920* Name *Ernest George Evans* Corps *107* ROYAL WEST KENT

Questions to be put to the Recruit before enlistment

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|---|---|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. <i>Ernest George Evans</i> |
| 2. What is your full Address? | 2. <i>Club House St. Marys Lane
Wrotham Kent</i> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <i>Yes</i> |
| 4. What is your Age? | 4. <i>19</i> Years <i>2</i> Months. |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? | 5. <i>Paper Maker</i> |
| 6. Are you Married? | 6. <i>No</i> |
| 7. Have you ever served in any branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, state particulars? | 7. <i>No</i> |
| 7A. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? | 7A. <i>Yes</i> |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? | 9. <i>Yes</i> ROYAL WEST KENT REGT |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? | 10. <i>To</i> Name <i>A. Bronck P.P.R.</i>
Co. <i>ROYAL WEST KENT REGT</i> |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services? | 11. <i>Yes</i> |
- For the duration of the War, at the end of which you will be discharged with all convenient speed. If employed with Hospitals, depots 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, *Ernest George Evans* 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.

Ernest George Evans SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
A. Bronck P.P.R. Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Ernest George Evans* 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 ob-serve 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 as replied to, and the said Recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at *TONBRIDGE*
on this *21* day of *October* 191*5*
Signature of the Justice *A. R. ... Cap*

† 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 West Kent Regt.*
If enlisted by special authority, Army Form B. 203 (or other authority for the enlistment) will be attached to the original attestation.
Date *OCT 25 1915* 191*5*
Place _____
A. ... LIEUT COLONEL
Recruiting Officer, 50th Regt. District. } Approving Officer.

† 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.

* If so, the Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz.—(Name) _____ on the (Date) _____ re-enlisted in the (Regiment) _____

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

Name Ernest George Evans
 Apparent age 19 years 2 months. Height 5 feet 4 1/2 inches.
 Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded 33 1/2 inches.
 Range of expansion 2 inches.
 Distinctive marks MC

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

Name and Address of next of kin Mrs M Evans Club House W. Mansham
Wrotham Kent. | Relationship Wife Mother

Particulars as to Marriage.

<small>(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage. (c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.</small>			
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES.

Corps in which served	Regt. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pens on		Service in Re-serve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from <u>21. 10. 15</u>									
Joined at <u>Toubridge</u> on <u>21. 10. 15</u>									
W. KENT.	<u>10th</u>	<u>POSTED.</u>	<u>PLG</u>	<u>21. 10. 15</u>					<u>Hampden Capt</u>
"	<u>10th</u>	"	"	<u>21. 10. 15</u>					<u>Hampden Capt</u>
"	<u>10th</u>	<u>Appointed</u>	<u>PLG</u>	<u>7 11 17</u>					<u>Hampden Capt</u>
"	<u>10</u>	<u>App'd Paid</u>	<u>PLG</u>	<u>31-10-18</u>					<u>Hampden Capt</u>
"	<u>10</u>	<u>via Monday</u>	<u>PLG</u>	<u>30-12-18</u>					<u>Hampden Capt</u>
"	<u>10</u>	<u>Reverted</u>	<u>PLG</u>	<u>30-12-18</u>					<u>Hampden Capt</u>
"	<u>10</u>	<u>own Request</u>	<u>PLG</u>	<u>30-12-18</u>					<u>Hampden Capt</u>
Transferred to Class "Z" Army Reserve on Demobilization.									<p align="center">DISCHARGED ON DEMOBILIZATION 31st March 1920</p>
Late <u>1. 5. 19</u>									
Signature <u>[Signature]</u>									
Place <u>Wrotham</u>									
Home Address <u>Wrotham</u>									
Rank <u>PLG</u>									
Total Service forfeited as above									
Total Service towards Engagement to <u>31/3/20</u> (date of discharge) <u>4</u> years <u>162</u> days									
" " " Pension " <u>3</u> " <u>193</u> "									

Ref. No. W/M/408219 Date 17 Aug 1923

FIRST AWARD—SOLDIER. A $\frac{19}{2}$

Name EVANS Ernest George
(Surname first)
 Regiment or Corps R. WEST KENT

Date of Disch.
 Demob. 1.5.19 Regtl. No. 10320
 Disemb.

Address Railway Cottages
Wrotham Heath Kent

Rank for Pension Class 5 Year of Birth 1897

Nature of Disability Code No.
 Disability { 1. Pulmonary Non attrib.
 2. Intermittent Non Aggrav.
 3. 40% Non-attrib.

Warrant and Article Not applicable
 Nature of Award Reject



% of Disability.	Weekly Rate.		Date of Commencement.	Date of Expiry.
	Man.	Allowance for Wife and Children		
	a. d.	a. d.		

Gratuity Amount.....
 Marital Status.....
 Year of Birth of Wife.....
 No. of Children { Males..... } Yr. of Birth, eldest.....
 { Females..... } Yr. of Birth, youngest Yes

Request for Discharge Documents.

In any reply please quote

No. *M. 408219*

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

(LONDON REGION),

BARTON COURT,
KING'S ROAD,

LONDON, S.W. 3.

ART. 9

Reg. *Bluet Kern*

Regl. No. *4-10320*

THE OFFICER IN CHARGE OF RECORDS.

Rank *Plt*

No. *Barnes* District.

Name *EVANS*

Will you be good enough to forward the

Date of Enlistment }

E Discharge Documents of the man named in the margin.

Date of Discharge }

Cause of Discharge }

See
For Regional Director.

NOTE.—This part of this Form should be retained by the Officer in Charge of Records for the purpose of reference. The lower part should be detached and fastened securely to the Documents when they are forwarded to the Ministry of Pensions.

I. V. No. 330/349
No. of Paper
Medal roll page 3964
Mr E. G. Evans

Regtl. No. 410320 Rank _____

ROYAL WEST KENT REGIMENT

Regiment _____

British War & Victory Medal

I HEREBY acknowledge to have received
the Medal granted for service in

BRITISH EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

Signature E. G. Evans

Address Chapel Street
New Green

Date 26.9.21

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Certificate in accordance with A.P. para 301

I hereby certify that I desire to revert to the Rank at my own request, and not in any sense to avoid trial by F.G.C.M.

J. J. Evans.

30/12/18

H/C N° 10320
10th Reg West Kent Regt.

Approved.

[Signature]

30/12/18

Major
Comd 10th Reg West Kent Regt.

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Approved.

[Signature]

30/12/18

Major
Comd 10th Reg West Kent Regt.

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)

Surname **EVANS.**
(Block letters)

Dispersal Unit Stamp and date of dispersal.

Christian Names **GEORGE ERNEST**

No 1 DISPERSAL UNIT
3 - APR 1919
CRYSTAL PALACE

Regtl. No. **10320** Rank **Pte**
Unit **10th Bn.** Regt. or Corps **R W Hants**

Record Office **Bombay**
Pay Office **Bombay**

I have received an advance of £2.
(Signature of Soldier) **G. J. Evans.**

Address for Pay **Chapel St, Birmingham**
St Leonards Kent

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.

Theatre of War or Command } **France.**
Born in the Year } **1896.**

Medical Category } **Thorncliffe**
Place of rejoining in case of emergency }
Specialist Military Qualification }

* 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.

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.

No. 2 INFANTRY RECORD DISTRICT

Date _____
Office of Issue **3 - APR 1919**
CRYSTAL PALACE

Policy issued No. **29039374**

R. J. Wade

COLOURS
5-11-19 *Paul D 0075*

(3)

MILITARY HISTORY SHEET.

1. Service at Home and Abroad (including former service of re-enlisted men, when allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay Pension).

COUNTRY	FROM	To	YEARS	DAYS
Home	21.10.15	2.5.16		194
Home	2.4.19	31.3.20	2	334
			4	162

N.B.—The Country only to be shown—it is not necessary to show separately the service in the different stations of the same Country. England, Scotland and Ireland to be shown under the general term "Home."

For mode of computing Service abroad, see King's Regulations.

<p>2. Whether educated at (Applies only to Boys) *Name of School to be stated.</p>	Duke of York's Royal Military School, Royal Hibernian Military School, Queen Victoria School, Industrial School under Home Office } or Local Government Board	Initials of Officer making the entry.
<p>3. Army School and other certificates of education ...</p>		
<p>4. Passed classes of Instruction† † This includes any authorised class of instruction, e.g., in swimming, chirography, &c.</p>		
<p>5. Campaigns ... (including Actions)</p>		
<p>6. Wounded ...</p>		
<p>7. Effect of wounds ...</p>		
<p>8. Special instances of gallant conduct & mentions in public despatches</p>		
<p>9. Medals, decorations and annuities ...</p>	Name of Medal: British War & Victory Medal Clasp:	
<p>10. Character assessed under para. 419, King's Regulations. ...</p>		
<p>11. Injuries in or by the service ...</p>		
<p>12. Name and Address of next of kin ...</p>		

13. Particulars as to Marriage	(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow, (b) place and date of marriage, (c) name of officiating Minister or Registrar, and (d) names of two witnesses.				Date of being placed on Married Roll	Initials of Officer
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)		
14. Particulars as to Children	Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth	Date and Place of Baptism, and Name of officiating Minister			

NOTE.—These entries are to be made from time to time as they occur, and initialled by the Officer making the entry.
 † To be ruled through (a) in the case of a soldier married without leave whilst serving with the Colours, who desires the entry to be made; (b) when a soldier is married whilst in the reserve.