

The Adams Family Military Records

Arthur John Adams

Birth Date: 28th December 1889
Birth Place: Thame, Oxfordshire
Service: Royal Navy
First Service Date: 19th April 1916
First Ship Served On: Pembroke II
Last Service Date: 22nd November 1916
Last Ship Served On: Pembroke II
Service Number: M23610

M23610 FORMERLY R.N.V.R. *5790* **M23610**
 Name: *Arthur John Adams* Date of Birth: *28 Dec 1889*
 Place of Birth: *Thame, Oxon*
 Occupation: *Blacksmith*

Date and Period of Engagements.	Age	Height	Chest	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Wounds, Scars, or Marks.
From	To	ft.	in.				
<i>22 Nov 1916</i>	<i>Walter</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6 3/4</i>	<i>56 1/2</i>	<i>Dark grey</i>	<i>Fresh</i>	<i>Scar on side of neck</i>

Ship No. served in.	Lit. No.	Rating	Period of Service (if Discharged, whether and for what cause)		Sub-ratings		Character & Ability.			Remarks.
			From	To	Rating	From	To	C.	Date	
<i>Pembroke II</i>	<i>15274</i>	<i>1st Lt</i>	<i>17 Aug 17</i>	<i>22 Nov 16</i>			<i>6</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>No 2817 Appan</i>
<i>Pembroke II</i>	<i>15274</i>	<i>1st Lt</i>	<i>17 Aug 17</i>	<i>22 Nov 16</i>						<i>As the R.N.V.R. in the rating of 1st Lt (E).</i>

Transferred 8 August 1917 as 1st Lt (E) for disabilities code F 35639.

Arthur John Adams (continued after transfer to the RAF)

Service: Royal Air Force
First Service Date: 8th August 1917
Service Number: 235639

Official No. *235639* CHRISTIAN NAME: *Arthur John* SURNAME: *Adams*
 Date of Birth: *28 December 1889*
 Place of Birth: *Thame, Oxfordshire*

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Cecil Lashley Adams

Birth Year: 1887
Birth Place: Newington, Surrey
Service Number: 9180
Rank: Private
Attestation Date: 6th November 1907
Regiment: Yorkshire Regiment

Campaign: — *1914* (A) Where decoration was earned.

(B) Present situation.

Name	Corps	Rank	Reg. No.	Roll on which included (if any)
(A) ADAMS.	<i>Yorkshire Regt</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>9180</i>	<i>0/1/07</i>
(B) <i>Adams</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>—</i>	<i>Yorkshire Regt</i>

Action taken

MEDAL	ROLL	PAGE
VICTORY	<i>0/1/10/189</i>	<i>540</i>
BRITISH	<i>do</i>	<i>do</i>
STAR	<i>0/1/2</i>	<i>1</i>

1914 B.L. 1305

SWB List 0/2019/1.

Presentation 5.10.14.

File

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SHORT SERVICE. (All Arms.)

years with the Colours, and 5 years in the Reserve, or, if the man complete his 7 years' service with the Colours while beyond the seas, then for a further period, not exceeding 1 year, with the Colours, and the remainder of the 12 years in the Reserve.)

No. 9180 Name Cecil Lashley Adams ATTESTATION OF
Regiment selected Yorkshire Regt Corps Yorkshire Regt
(To be entered in case of Cavalry)

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment

1. What is your Name? Cecil Lashley Adams

2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? London

3. Are you a British Subject? Yes

4. What is your Age? 20 years, 11 months.

5. What is your Trade or Calling? Member

6. Have you resided out of your father's house for three years or more, and occupied a house or land of your own value for one year, and paid rates for the same, in either case, if so, where? No

7. Are you warned that if after enlistment it is found that you have given a wilfully false answer to any of the above questions, you will be liable to a punishment of two years' imprisonment with hard labour? No

8. Are you married? No

9. Have you ever been sentenced to Imprisonment by the Civil or Criminal Courts? No

10. Do you belong to the Army, the Marine, the Militia, the Royal Naval Reserve, the Imperial Yeomanry, the Royal Naval Militia, the Militia, the Naval Reserve, or to any other Force? Yes Det. Ex. Comm. Whiffles Capt. Town

11. Have you ever served in the Army, the Marine, the Militia, the Naval Reserve, or to any other Force? No

12. Have you truthfully stated the whole of your previous service? Yes

13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for the Military or Naval Service of the Crown? No

14. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? Yes Yorkshire Regt

15. For what Corps are you willing to be enlisted or are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? Yes

16. Do you understand that although you will be liable to post you to the regiment which you have selected, you will be able to join your own Regiment if you so desire? Yes

17. Do you understand that notwithstanding you enlist for a particular Corps, you may be trained and employed in such other Corps as the Service may require? Yes

18. Did you receive a Notice of Enlistment, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? Yes (Name C. S. J. Haysman)
(Corps 2nd Yorkshire Regt)

19. Are you willing to serve on the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services?
(a) For the term of twelve years, for the first seven years in Army Service and for the remaining five years in the Army Reserve. If at the expiration of such period of Army Service, you are serving beyond the seas, then for a further period of one year, or such lesser period as may be determined, after which you will be sent home with all convenient speed to complete the remaining portion of such period of 12 years in the Army Reserve.
(b) If, at the expiration of the above-mentioned term of Army Service a state of War exists, then, if so directed by the Competent Military Authority, to serve in Army Service for a further period not exceeding 12 months.
(c) If, at the expiration of the above-mentioned term of Army Service, you are so required by a Proclamation from His Majesty in case of imminent national danger or great emergency then to serve in Army Service so as to complete your term of 12 years, and for a further period not exceeding 12 months.
(d) If the above-mentioned term of 12 years expires while you are on service with the Regular Forces—(i) beyond the seas, or (ii) while a state of war exists with a foreign Power, or (iii) while Soldiers in the Reserve are required by proclamation to continue in, or re-enter, Army Service, and you, in accordance with such proclamation, have re-entered Army Service, then to agree for a further period not exceeding 12 months.

I, Cecil Lashley Adams 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.

Cecil L. Adams SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
W. Haysman Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.
I, Cecil Lashley Adams do make Oath, that I will be faithfully and truly obedient to His Majesty King Edward the Seventh, His Heirs, and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and bravely defend 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 provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has understood each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said Recruit has signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at Huyberg on this 10th day of November 1907.

Edward Cyril Adams

Birth Year: 1916
Birth Place: Aylesford, Kent
Service Number: 745769
Rank: Sergeant
Military Base: Sealand, Flint
Unit & Command: 5 Service Fts / Flying Training Command
Ship: Master I
Occupation: Pilot Instructor
Death Date: 8th August 1940
Death Age: 24
Casualty: Killed whilst flying
Residence Place: Snodland, Kent
Burial Place: Aylesford, Kent



Notes: Swung when taking off from crantage and flew into HT wires when setting off on a night practice flight.

Additional Information: Son of Edward James Adams and Margaret Adams; husband of Doris Winnie Adams, of Snodland..

In Memory Of
Sergeant

EDWARD CYRIL ADAMS

Service Number: 745769

Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve who died on 08 August 1940 Age 24

Son of Edward James Adams and Margaret Adams; husband of Doris Winnie Adams, of Snodland.

NEVER IN THE FIELD OF HUMAN CONFLICT WAS SO MUCH OWED BY SO MANY TO SO FEW

Remembered with Honour

AYLESFORD CEMETERY

Sec. A Grave 147.



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