



ARMY RESERVE. (SPECIAL RESERVISTS.) ONE YEAR'S SERVICE.

ATTESTATION OF

No. 84554 Name Albert Bowden Corps Bobets

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.



1. What is your Name? 1. Albert Bowden
 2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? 2. In the Parish of Yerbit in or near the Town of Yerbit in the County of Gloucestershire
 3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes
 4. What is your Age? 4. 33 Years 8 Months
 5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. miner
 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? 6. no
- You are hereby warned that if after enlistment it is found that you have given a wilfully false answer to any of the following seven questions, you will be liable to a punishment of two years' imprisonment with hard labour.
7. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? if so, where? to whom? for what period? and, when did, or will the period expire? 7. no
 8. Are you Married? 8. single
 9. Have you ever been sentenced to Penal Servitude or Imprisonment by the Civil Power? 9. no
 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? 10. no
 - *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 11. yes 3rd Derbyshire
 12. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? 12. yes
 13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for the Military or Naval Forces of the Crown? If so, on what grounds? 13. no
 14. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 14. yes
 15. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? 15. yes
 16. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services? 16. yes

I, Albert Bowden 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.

Albert Bowden SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.
J. Roberts Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Albert Bowden 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 as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at Albert Bowden on this 10 day of March 1915
Signature of the Justice Hubert Jenkins

If any alteration is required on this page of the Attestation, a Justice of the Peace should be requested to make it and initial the alteration under Section 80 (6), Army Act.
The Recruit should, if he require it, receive a copy of the Declaration on the reverse of this form.

This form should be produced, if possible, in duplicate, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed on the (Date) on the (Date)