

Form B. 2514-4

Army Form B. 2514-4

SHORT SERVICE.

(Until 31st March 1923.)

ATTESTATION OF

Name *Smith Frederick Alma* Corps *The Rifle Brigade*

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- 1. *Frederick Alma Smith*
- 2. In the Parish of *St James*  
in or near the Town of *Bury St Edmunds*  
in the County of *Suffolk*
- 3. *26 Eastgate Street*  
*Bury St Edmunds*
- 4. *No*
- 5. *18* Years *6* Months
- 6. *None*
- 7. *No*
- 8. *The Rifle Brigade* *R.S. 1918*
- 9. *No*
- 10. *No*
- 11. *No*
- 12. *The Rifle Brigade*
- 13. *Yes*
- 14. *Yes* Name *Ch. S. ...*  
Corps *The Rifle Brigade*
- 15. *Yes*

I, *Frederick Alma Smith* do hereby 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.

SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT. *Frederick Alma Smith*  
Signature of Witness. *H. F. ...*

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Frederick Alma Smith* 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

*Colchester* on this *4* day of *February* 19*19*  
Signature of the Justice or Attesting Officer *H. F. ...*

† Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required conditions appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the *Rifle Brigade*

*4 Feb.* 19*19*  
*Colchester* *H. F. ...* 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.

§ Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Qualification. These are to be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz.-(Name) ... on the (Date) ...

STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. 59376 Name *Smith*

Corps	Battn. or Depôt	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. O. Pay		Signed and certified of
					years	days	years	days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from 3-2-19									
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		<i>Prior Service on 27-2-19</i>							
		<i>26.7.18 - 3-2-19</i>							
		<i>R. P. ad. Attolia</i>	<i>Rfm.</i>	<i>5-2-19</i>					<i>3ant</i>
	<i>R. P. ad. Dep.</i>	<i>Postid</i>	<i>Rfm.</i>	<i>23-5-19</i>					<i>11/10/19</i>
		<i>Discharge</i>	<i>Rf.</i>	<i>29-10-19</i>					
Total Service forfeited as above ... ..									
Total Service towards Engagement to (date of discharge)					years	days			
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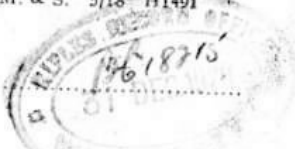
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MEMORANDUM.

From

To

ANSWER.



The accompanying War Badge and Certificate  
No. 511229 are forwarded herewith to

J. Smith  
in respect of his service

as 59367 **RIFLE BRIGADE**

The Badge will be worn on the right breast or on  
the right lapel of the jacket, but not in Naval or  
Military uniform.

Duplicates of the Badge and Certificate cannot be  
issued under any circumstances.

Receipt of the same should be acknowledged  
hereon.

Received Certificate and War Badge No 511229

Signature H. & Smith

Date 2/1/21

Address 46 Sandgate Street Bury, St. Ed's  
Suffolk  
K.P.T.C.

Fold Here.

On His Majesty's Service.

To *Rifles Record Office,*

WINCHESTER.

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**FIRST AWARD—SOLDIER.** A<sup>19</sup>

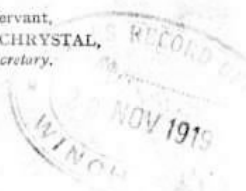
Name *Smith Frederick Owa*  
 (Surname first)  
 Regiment or Corps *Rifle Bde 4 Bn*  
 Date of Discharge *29.10.19* Regimental No. *59367*  
 Address *H.6 Eastgate St Bury St Edmunds Suffolk*  
 Rank for Pension *Pte* Age on Discharge *19*  
 Nature of Disability Code No. *12*  
 Disability 1. *Mental Regression* } Attrib.  
 2. } Aggrav. or  
 3. } Non-Attrib.  
 Degree of Disablement *20.0%*  
 Warrant and Article under which granted *Art 7 P.W. 1918*  
 Weekly Rate *Five* }  
 Allowance for wife and or children } s. d.  
 Date of Commencement .....  
 To be reviewed in ..... weeks.  
 Gratuity Amount .....  
 Number of Children—Males .....  
 " " —Females .....  
 Year of Birth of Eldest Child .....  
 Year of Birth of Youngest Child .....  
 Year of Birth of Wife .....  
 Nature of Award *Final Weekly Allowance*  
 Marital Status *S*

Reference No. *MPE 4973* MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,  
 BURTON COURT,  
 KING'S ROAD,  
 LONDON, S.W.3.  
 17 11 1919

Sir,—I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to inform you of the above mentioned decision in the case of a man whose discharge documents have been recently received with the view to having the claim to pension considered.

I am, Sir,  
 Your obedient Servant,  
 GEORGE CHRYSTAL,  
 Secretary.

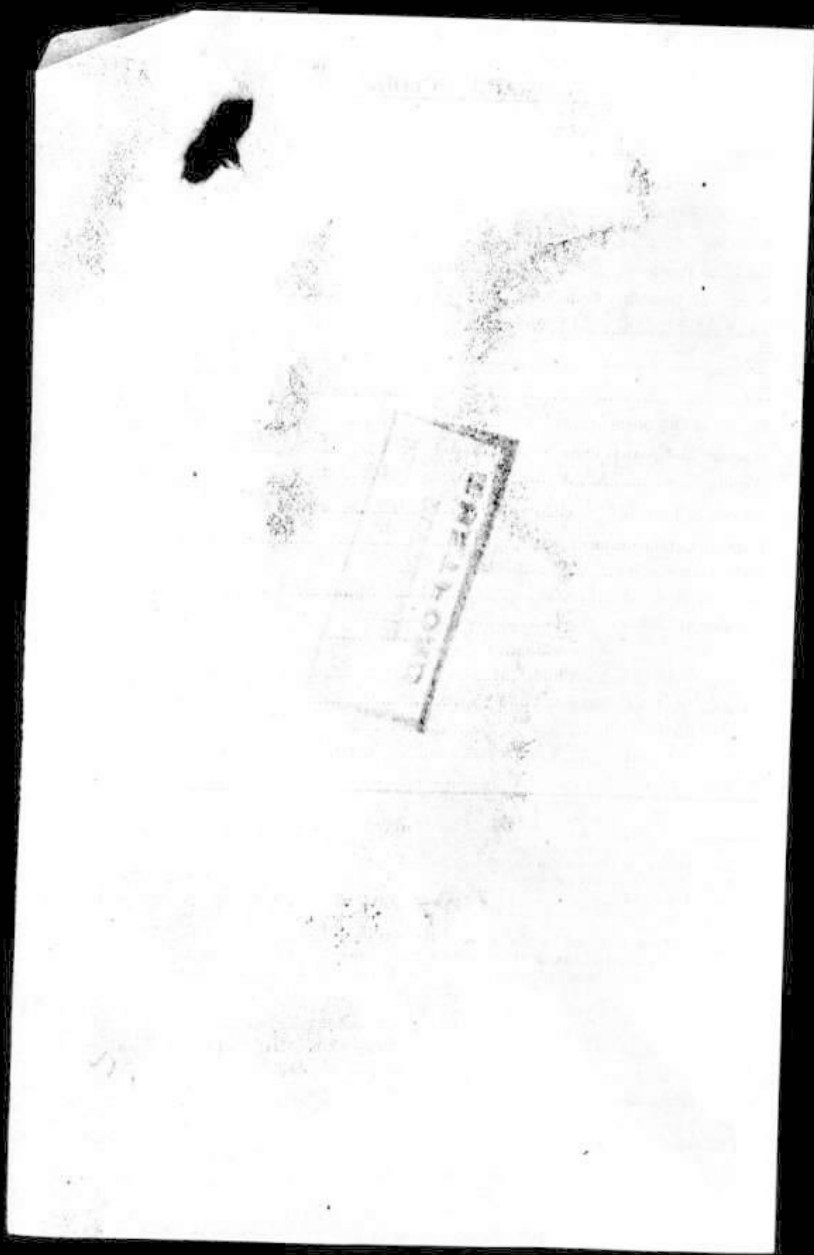
To the Officer Commanding  
*Rifle Bde 4 Bn* Regiment



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*JMB*

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### Protection Certificate and Certificate of Identity

(SOLDIER READING WITH THE COLOURS)

Surname (Block letters) **SMITH**

Christian Names } **Frederick**

Regt. No. **13/83768**

Unit **51<sup>st</sup> Bn**



No. 1 DISPERSAL UNIT  
20 FEB 1919  
**CHESTER**

Record Office **Winchester**  
Office **ditto**

I have received in advance of my discharge the sum of £46  
(Signature of Soldier) **G. A. Smith** 46 Eastgate St  
Edmunds

The above named soldier is granted leave from the 21<sup>st</sup> Feb 1919 to the 19<sup>th</sup> March 1919  
for the purpose of attending to his private affairs.  
and will report on the 19<sup>th</sup> March 1919 to the 1<sup>st</sup> Bn, Rifle Brigade, Winchester.  
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Winchester  
Learns G. A. Smith

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