

## FORWARD

This monograph has been prepared to recognize the contribution of eight brothers to the Allied effort in World War I. It is a product of the cooperation of a number of descendants of those eight brothers and dedicated to the youngest, Walter Victor Douglas Chappell, who at 20 gave his life for "King and Country".

The flags which appear on the cover of this document are those of the three nations within whose military the brothers served: the United Kingdom, Canada, and the United States. The flags are portrayed as they existed during World War I.

If the reader notes any mistakes, or would recommend additions, please convey those to the editor: Jim Conboy, 542 S. Huron, Cheboygan, Michigan 49721, United States; conboysj@sbcglobal.net.

*Conboy*  
*April 24, 2014*



# World War I

## The Chappell Brothers of Addington Village

This monograph is offered in support of the centennial commemoration of World War I in the Village of Addington, Surry, United Kingdom. The Village is now considered part of Greater London.

### *Background*

When World War I began for the United Kingdom on August 4, 1914, there lived in the Village of Addington the William and Martha Chappell\* family. William and Martha were 54 and 45. William was a farm laborer. They lived at Lion Lodge, Addington.



Martha Smith Chappell and William Chappell

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\* The family used the surname Mills during some years as evidenced by census records, family lore, and the use of Mills by Thomas when he emigrated and by Henry when he emigrated and for the remainder of his life. The reason for the use of Mills is beyond the scope of this monograph.

William and Martha were the parents of fifteen children whose years of birth and death appear below:

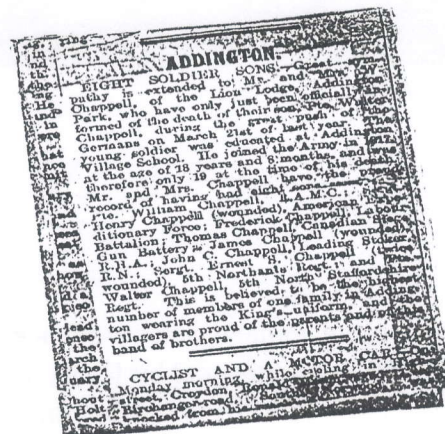
- i. William (1885-1968)
- ii. Henry (1887-1957)
- iii. Frederick (1889-1957)
- iv. George James Aka James George (1891-1949)
- v. Thomas Trayton (1892-1966)
- vi. John "Jack" Charles (1893-1974)
- vii. Ernest Sidney (1894-1958)
- viii. Walter Victor Douglas (1898-1918)
- ix. Emma Francis (1900-1997)
- x. Albert Edward (1902-1957)
- xi. Edith Rose (1904-1964)
- xii. Florence Grace (1906-1924)
- xiii. Arthur Percy (1908-1983)
- xiv. Ruth (1910-1961)
- xv. Phyllis (1913-1990)

Of the fifteen children two had emigrated by 1914, both to the United States. Henry arrived in the US on the ship Adriatic on January 11, 1911; Thomas arrived in New York on January 17, 1913 on the ship Philadelphia.

By the end of the War on November 11, 1918 eight of the ten Chappell brothers served in the armed forces of the Allied Powers. All saw action in Europe; one never left the Continent as reflected in the newspaper article of the period.

ADDINGTON

**EIGHT SOLDIER SONS** Great sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. W. Chappell, of the Lion Lodge, Addington Park, who have only just been officially informed of the death of their son, Pte. Walter Chappell, during the great push of the Germans on March 21st of last year. The young soldier was educated at Addington Village School. He joined the Army in 1917, at the age of 18 years and 8 months and was therefore only 19 at the time of his death. Mr. and Mrs. Chappell have the proud record of having had eight sons serving - Pte. William Chappell, R.A.M.C., Sergt. Henry Chappell (wounded) American Expeditionary Force; Frederick Chappell, Labour Battalion; Thomas Chappell, Canadian Siege Gun Battery; James Chappell (wounded) R.H.A.; John C. Chappell, Leading Stoker, R.N.; Sergt. Ernest S. Chappell (twice wounded), 5th Northants Regt; and Pte. Walter Chappell, 5th North Staffordshire Regt. This is believed to be the highest number of members of one family in Addington wearing the King's uniform and the villagers are proud of the parents and of this band of brothers.



Following is a short summary of the service of each of the eight.





**William Chappell**  
**1885-1968**

When war broke out in 1914 William was a married man and the father of two children, William and Eileen. He married Anne Sowerby in 1912. William served in the Royal Army Medical Corps. The British Army WWI Medal Rolls Index Cards verify this service and his rank of private. (*Appendix A*) Annie died in 1934, William in 1968. William (son) and Eileen are deceased.

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**Henry Chappell Mills**  
**1887-1957**

Henry, by 1914, lived in New York. The US entered the War April 6, 1917. Henry registered for the US draft on June 5, 1917 listing his occupation as footman, his marital status as single and his residence as Glenn Cove, Long Island, NY. Henry enlisted in the US Army on July 6, 1917. He was in Company K of the 53rd Infantry Regiment until his discharge with the rank of sergeant on April 4, 1919. He was overseas from July 6, 1918 until March 27, 1919. In 1922 Henry married Ellen Gohring. They had three children, Jack in 1923, Phyllis in 1926 and Barbara in 1931. Jack and Phyllis are deceased, Barbara lives in New Jersey. (*Appendix B*)



**Frederick Chappell**  
**1889-1957**

Frederick enlisted in the British Army in February 1917; he was at the time a farm laborer. He was married to Florence Alice Maxwell. Their daughter Eva was born in 1915; their daughter Elizabeth's year of birth is unknown. Elizabeth died in 1993, Eva emigrated to Australia later in life.

He served with the Labour Corps (161 Labour Coy). Regiment No. 45944 and 73322 and was awarded the British War Medal and Victory Medal. Prior to joining the Army in 1917 he was in the Territorial Forces, 5th Battalion S. Stafford Regiment. His medals verify he saw overseas duty. (*Appendix C*)

Florence died in 1934. In 1943 Frederick married Ellen Leach, they had no children.

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**James George Chappell**  
**1891-1949**

James George served in both the Royal Horse Artillery and the Labour Corps of the West York Regiment. He was awarded the Victory, Star and British Medals. His medals verify he saw overseas duty. He entered the French Theatre of the War on December 18, 1914. James George married Evelyn Knight in 1920, they had one child, Jeanne Cecilia Chappell. Jeanne married Harry Moore in 1949. (*Appendix D*)





**Thomas Trayton Chappell**  
**1892-1966**

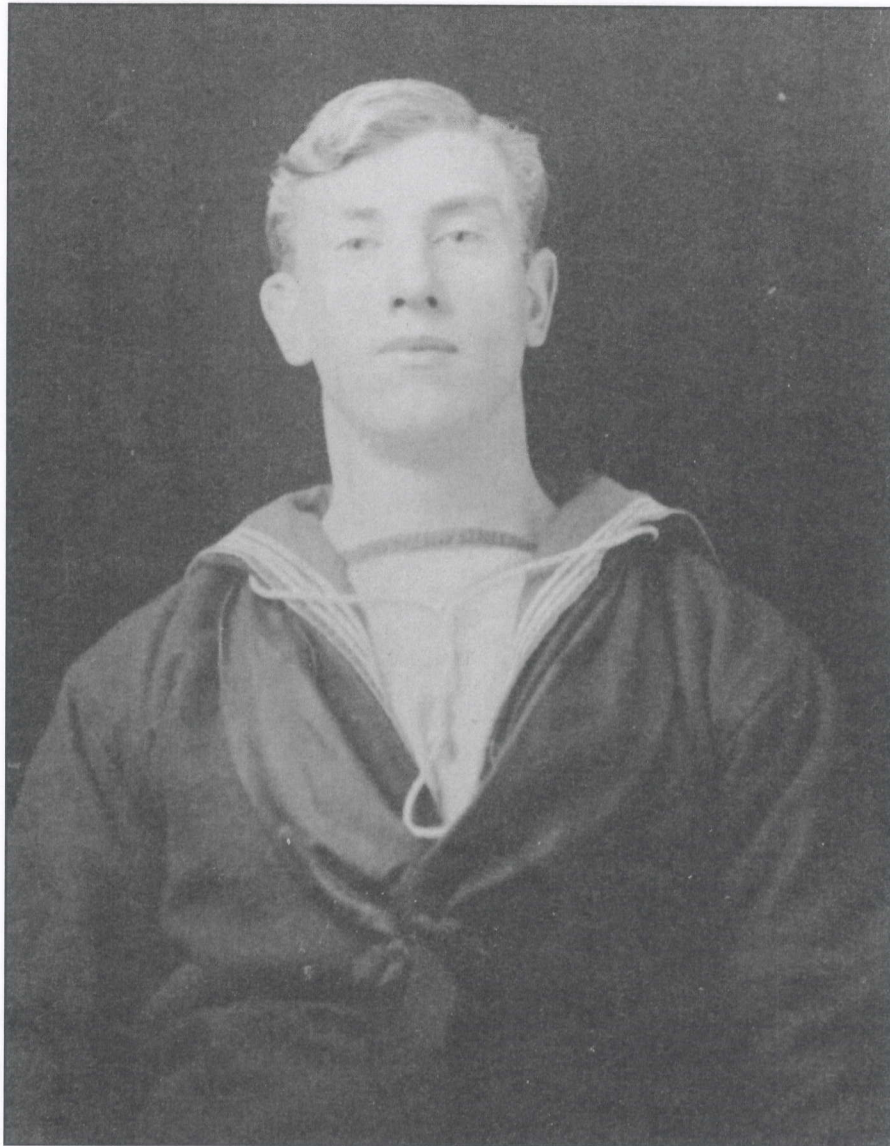
When the United Kingdom entered the War in 1914 Thomas was a resident of New York, having emigrated to the US in 1913. He was still a citizen of the United Kingdom; he did not become a US citizen until 1924. He registered for the US draft, as Thomas Mills, (Chappell also noted on form) on June 5, 1917, listing his occupation as second butler. The United States had entered the War on April 6, 1917. At some point he decided to enlist in the Canadian Army. Family history indicates he did this because, as a Canadian soldier, a portion of his pay could be directly sent to his parents which was not the case had he enlisted in the US military. It is interesting to note he took his physical for the Canadian Army in New York City; this was on April 15, 1918. Thomas served in the Toronto Artillery Brigade with the rank of gunner. He served in France and Belgium. He was discharged in Toronto, Canada on May 11, 1919 and returned to Canandaigua, NY the same month. (*Appendix E*) On January 15, 1920, he married Doris Standen who had emigrated from England with her parents in April 1914. Thomas and Doris had two children, Marjorie and Thomas (both now deceased), before her death at age 35 in 1934. Before Doris died Thomas and his family moved to Michigan. In 1937 Thomas married Agnes Knowles Reoch, a widow, with one child Edwin Reoch. Edwin resides in Michigan. (*Appendix E*)





**Ernest Sydney Chappell**  
**1894-1958**

Ernest Sydney enlisted in the British Army, Northamptonshire Regiment, at age 20 in 1914. He listed his occupation as footman on his Attestation. He entered France on May 29, 1915 and received the Star, Victory and British War medals. As with other of his brothers his medals verify his overseas service. He was discharged with the rank of Lance Corporal on April 25, 1919. In 1919 he married Mabel Barroll. They lived in Wales and had four children: Ernest Lionel, Victor Douglas, Phyllis Mary, and Alan John, all of whom are deceased. (*Appendix G*)



**John "Jack" Charles Chappell**  
**1893-1974**

Jack Chappell was in the British Navy from 1914 through 1920. Jack served as a Lead Stoker aboard the HMS Blake a destroyer depot ship. He received the Star, Victory and British War Medals. (*Appendix F*) In 1922 he married Ethel Davis. They had three daughters, Phyllis, Joan and Ruth. Phyllis and Ruth are deceased, Joan lives in Oswaldtwistle in Lancashire.



**In Memory of  
Private WALTER VICTOR DOUGLAS CHAPPELL**

**202817, 2nd/5th Bn., North Staffordshire Regiment  
formerly (12044), The Buffs (East Kent Regiment)  
who died  
on 21 March 1918**

**Remembered with honour  
ARRAS MEMORIAL**



**Commemorated in perpetuity by  
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission**

**Walter Victor Douglas Chappell  
1898-1918**

Walter enlisted in the British Army at age 18 in June 1916. In his enlistment documents he listed his address as the Chipstead Golf Club, Banstead, his occupation as "indoor servant" and his marital status as single. Walter earned the British War and Victory Medals. His first regiment was the Buffs. He later was transferred to the North Staffordshire Regiment. He is listed in Army records as killed in action as of March 21, 1918. His body was never recovered, his name is listed among the dead at the Arras Memorial in the Faubourg-d'Amiens Cemetery, in France. The Memorial commemorates almost 35,000 casualties of the British, New Zealand and South African Forces who died between spring 1916 and 7th August 1918, with the exception of casualties of the Battle of Cambrai in 1917, and who have no known grave.

Walter's name is inscribed both in the stone memorial to Addington's World War I dead and within the framed memorial in St. Mary's, the Village church. (*Appendix H*)



## Appendix A

### WILLIAM CHAPPELL

- British Army WWI Medal Rolls Index Card

Name.		Corps.	Rank.	Regt. No.
CHAPPELL.		R.A.M.C.	Pte	65743.
William				
Medal.	Roll.	Page.	Remarks.	
VICTORY	RAMC. 101 <sup>B</sup> /3	190		
BURTON	- dr -	dr		
STAR.				
Theatre of War first served in				
Date of entry service				

K. 1280

Correspondence.

Address.

E 1995. (1245) W. W 2884—R.P. 6267 1.000m. 17/12/20. K. 6222.

## Appendix B

### HENRY CHAPPELL MILLS

- US Draft Registration Card
- New York State Abstract of Service WW1

1 Name in full: Henry Mills Age: 28

2 Home address: Masson House Glen Cove 76-27

3 Date of birth: October 12 1888

4 Are you (1) a natural born citizen, (2) a citizen and citizen, (3) an alien, (4) or have you declared your intention (specify which)?  
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5 Where born: Edenbridge Kent England

6 Did you obtain citizenship? England

7 What is your present occupation, business, or profession?  
Teacher

8 If when employed:  
 Name of employer: J. J. Pratt  
 Where employed: Glen Cove 76-27

9 Have you a father, mother, or child under 18, or a sister or brother under 18, jointly dependent on you for support (specify which):  
Father & Mother & Children

10 Married or single (which): Single Race (specify which): White

11 What military service have you had? Rank: Private Branch: 510

12 Do you claim exemption from draft (specify grounds):  
Support of folks.

I affirm that I have filled above answers and that they are true.

Henry Mills

1 Tall, medium, or short (specify which): 5' 8" Build, and color of eyes (specify which): Medium

2 Color of eyes: Blue Color of hair: Fair Bald: No

3 Has person had one, leg, hand, foot, or both eyes, or to be otherwise disabled (specify):  
No

I certify that my answers are true, that the person registered has read his own answers, that I have witnessed his signature, and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

John J. Butler  
 (Signature of Registrar)

Precinct: 18  
 City or County: Masson  
 State: New York

June 5/17  
 (Date of Report)





## Appendix C

### FREDERICK CHAPPELL

- British Army WWI Service Record
- British Army WWI Medal Rolls Index Card



# TERRITORIAL FORCE.

SERVICE IN THE UNITED KINGDOM.

Attestation to be used only for Imperial Yeomanry or Volunteers, enlisted or enrolled before the 1st April, 1908, enlisting in the Force.

## ATTESTATION OF

Name *Frederick Chappell* Corps *5<sup>th</sup> Batt<sup>n</sup> S. Stafford Reg<sup>t</sup>*

### Questions to be put to the Imperial Yeoman or Volunteer before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name? ..... 1. *Frederick Chappell*
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ..... 2. In the Parish of *Dartford* in or near the Town of *Dartford* in the County of *Kent*
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... 3. *yes*
4. What is your Age? ..... 4. *19* Years *3* Months.
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... 5. *Jeweller*
6. In whose employ are you? ..... 6. *670k & Son Jewellers St*
7. Where do you now reside? ..... 7. *4 Boucher Place Leam<sup>th</sup> St*
8. Are you now an Apprentice? If so, please state particulars? ..... 8. *no*
9. Are you married? ..... 9. *no*
10. Do you now belong to the Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Imp. Yeomanry, the Territorial Force, the Royal Navy, the Volunteers, the Army Reserve (Regular or Special), or any Naval Reserve Force? If so, to what Corps? ..... 10. *yes Territorial Force*
11. Have you ever served in the Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Territorial Force, the Royal Navy, the Army Reserve (Regular or Special), any Naval Reserve Force, or in any unit of the Imperial Yeomanry or Volunteer Force other than that in which you are now serving? If so, please state Corps and cause of discharge ..... 11. *yes 1<sup>st</sup> VB S Stafford Reg<sup>t</sup>*
12. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for the Military or Naval Forces of the Crown? If so, on what grounds? ..... 12. *no*
13. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning? ..... 13. *yes*
14. Are you willing to be attested for the term of 1, 2, 3, or 4 years (provided His Majesty should so long require your services) for service in the Territorial Force of the County of *Stafford* to serve in the *5<sup>th</sup> Batt<sup>n</sup> S. Stafford Reg<sup>t</sup>* ..... 14. *yes* for *1* years.
15. (a) Do you understand that you will be liable, if required, to attend the number of drills, and fulfil the other conditions relating to training prescribed for the arm or branch of the service which you have elected to join, and be liable to be trained for not less than 8, or more than 18 days altogether, in every year, or, if belonging to a mounted branch for not less than 8, or more than 18 days altogether in every year, as may be prescribed, and may for that purpose be called out, once or oftener, in every year? ..... 15. *yes*
- (b) That if you, without leave or reasonable excuse, fail to attend the number of drills required to fulfil the conditions relating to training prescribed for your arm or branch of the service, you render yourself liable to a fine not exceeding 25? ..... 15. *yes*
- (c) That when a proclamation has been issued in case of imminent national danger or great emergency calling for the first class Army Reserve you will become liable to be embodied? ..... 15. *yes*
- (d) That if your term of service expires when a proclamation ordering the Army Reserve to be called out on permanent service is in force, you may be required to prolong your service for a further period not exceeding 12 months? ..... 15. *yes*
- (e) That you will be liable to serve in any place in the United Kingdom without further agreement, but not in any place outside the United Kingdom unless you voluntarily undertake to do so? ..... 15. *yes*

The period of annual training in any year may be extended by an Order in Council, due notice thereof having been given, and provided that neither House of Parliament has disallowed, but the whole period of annual training shall not exceed 90 days in any year.

Under the provisions of Section 99 of the Army Act, if a person knowingly makes a false answer to any question contained in the attestation paper, he renders himself liable to punishment.

I, *Frederick Chappell* 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.

*Frederick Chappell* SIGNATURE OF YEOMAN & VOLUNTEER.  
*G. B. Joyce Scott* Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY YEOMAN & VOLUNTEER ON ATTESTATION.

I, *Frederick Chappell* do make Oath, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King Edward the Seventh, 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, according to the conditions of my service.

### CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE, OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

I, *Thomas Sturges* do hereby certify, that, in my presence, all the foregoing Questions were put to the Yeoman & Volunteer above-named, that the Answers written opposite to them are those which he gave to me, and that he has made and signed the Declaration, and taken the oath at *Handsworth* on this *3rd* day of *April* 190*8* *J. Sturges Captain* Signature of Justice of the Peace, Officer, or other person authorised to attest Recruits.

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 Imperial Yeoman or Volunteer should, if he require it, receive a copy of the Declaration on Army Form E. 502a.

\* If so, the Imperial Yeoman or Volunteer is to be asked the question here of his former Service, and to provide, if possible, his Recipient Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be submitted to him contemporaneously with the Attestation Paper. This word not applying to be struck out. Here insert County.



Attestation of Frederick Chappell on Enlistment.

*These particulars need only be completed if the Volunteer transfers from a dismounted unit to a mounted arm of the Territorial Force.*

Height: \_\_\_\_\_ feet \_\_\_\_\_ inches

\*Chest measurement: When fully expanded \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

Range of expansion: \_\_\_\_\_ inches.

\* Instructions to Medical Officers as to the method of obtaining the Chest Measurement.

Chest measurement will be obtained by passing the measuring tape round the inferior angles of the shoulder blades, and its anterior lower edge the upper part of the nipples, while the arms hang loosely by the side.

\* Certificate of Medical Examination.

I have examined the above-named Young Volunteer and find that he does not suffer from any of the Regulations. He is in good health at the required distance with or without the aid of his joints and limbs; he does not suffer from hernia, and he is free from any other disease.

I consider him fit for service.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ 1908

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

This certificate will only be completed if the Volunteer transfers from a dismounted unit to a mounted arm of the Territorial Force.

† Insert here "fit" or "unfit." If considered "unfit," cause to be noted.

\* Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Young Volunteer 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 post of Sr. Pl. S. Staff. Pl. R.

If enlisted by special authority, Army Form B. 203 (or other authority for the purpose) will be attached to the original attestation.

Date: 13. 8. 1908

Place: Horseshoe.

R. Williamson  
M.D.  
BATTALION

COLONEL,  
Approving Officer.

SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE REGIMENT.

\* The signature of the Approving Officer is to be attested in the presence of the Imperial Yeoman or Volunteer.

† Here insert the "Corps" for which the Imperial Yeoman or Volunteer has been enlisted.

‡ The word not applying to be struck out.



Name.	Corps.	Rank	Regtl. No.
CHAPPELL	The Queen's R	Pk	45944
	Lab. C.		73322
<i>Frederick</i>			
Medal.	Roll.	Page.	Remarks.
VICTORY	LC/101 B44	4679	
BRITISH			
STAR			
Theatre of War first served in			
Date of entry therein			
			K. 1380.

**Correspondence.**

**Address.**

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## Appendix D

### JAMES GEORGE CHAPPELL

- British Army WWI Medal Rolls Index Card

Form 1 **348 REGISTRATION CARD** No. **10**

1 Name of full **Thomas Trayton Mills** Age at birth **25**

2 Place of birth **Soumberg Canandaigua, N.Y.**

3 Date of birth **January 25th 1892**

4 Race (1) Natural born citizen, (2) Naturalized citizen, (3) An alien, (4) or have you declared your intention to become a citizen? **Alien**

5 Where born **West Wickham Kent England**

6 If not a citizen, of what country are you a citizen or subject? **England**

7 What is your present trade, occupation, or office? **Second Butler 29**

8 By whom employed? **Mrs. Frederick F. Thompson**

9 Where you a father, mother, wife child under 12, or partner or brother under 12, notify by number on page 48  
 Support specify which? **1 Father, Mother, 3 Sister, 1 Brother**

10 Married or single? **Single** Race specify which? **Caucasian**

11 What military service have you had? **None**

12 Do you have convictions from which you are exempt? **No**

I declare that I have verified above answers and that they are true.

**Thomas Trayton Mills**  
(Signature of registrant)

**REGISTRAR'S REPORT** **31-7-5-A**

1 Height medium or short specify which? **tall** Stature medium, or poor, which? **slant**

2 Color of eyes? **blue** Color of hair? **light** Build? **no**

3 Has person had any, by hand, foot, or both eyes, or in the otherwise specified? **No**

I certify that my answers are true, that the person registered has read his own answers, that I have witnessed his signature, and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

**George A. Nicholson**  
(Signature of Registrar)

Printed Name: **Edw. J. ...**

City or County: **Canandaigua**

Date: **New York** **Dec 5/17**  
(Date of signature)

#3

# ATTESTATION PAPER.

Depot Artillery Brigade.

CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

English.

No. 242482

Folio.

## QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ATTESTATION.

(ANSWERS.)

- 1. What is your surname?..... C. H. A. P. P. E. L. L.
- 1a. What are your Christian names?..... Thomas Trayton.
- 1b. What is your present address?..... 283 Madison Ave. New York City U.S.A
- 2. In what Town, Township or Parish, and in what Country were you born?..... West Wickham, England.
- 3. What is the name of your next-of-kin?..... William Chappell.
- 4. What is the address of your next-of-kin?..... Addington, Near Croyden, Surrey England
- 4a. What is the relationship of your next-of-kin?..... Father.
- 5. What is the date of your birth?..... January 25th 1892.
- 6. What is your Trade or Calling?..... Valet.
- 7. Are you married?..... Single.
- 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?..... Yes.
- 9. Do you now belong to the Active Militia?..... No.
- 10. Have you ever served in any Military Force?..... No.  
If so, state particulars of former Service. R.T.C.
- 11. Do you understand the nature and terms of your engagement?..... Yes.
- 12. Are you willing to be attested to serve in the }  
CANADIAN OVER-SEAS EXPEDITIONARY FORCE? }..... Yes.
- 13. Have you ever been discharged from any Branch of His Majesty's Forces as medically unfit?..... No.
- 14. If so, what was the nature of the disability?.....
- 15. Have you ever offered to serve in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces and been rejected?..... No.
- 16. If so, what was the reason?.....

## DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Thomas Trayton Chappell., do solemnly declare that the above are answers made by me to the above questions and that they are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements by me now made, and I hereby engage and agree to serve in the **Canadian Over-Seas Expeditionary Force**, and to be attached to any arm of the service therein, for the term of one year, or during the war now existing between Great Britain and Germany should that war last longer than one year, and for six months after the termination of that war provided His Majesty should so long require my services, or until legally discharged.

*Thomas T. Chappell* (Signature of Recruit)

Date April 15th 1918 191

*[Signature]* (Signature of Witness)

## OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION.

I, Thomas Trayton Chappell., do make Oath, 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 all the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

*Thomas T. Chappell* (Signature of Recruit)

Date April 15th 1918 191

*[Signature]* (Signature of Witness)

## CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE.

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 Toronto, Canada this 15th day of April 1918 191

*[Signature]* (Signature of Justice)

M. F. W. 23.  
750 M.-1-17.  
H. Q. 1772-39-841.

N.B.—ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO THE FACT THAT ANY PERSON MAKING A FALSE ANSWER TO ANY OF THE ABOVE QUESTIONS IS LIABLE TO A PENALTY OF SIX MONTHS' IMPRISONMENT.





Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 33, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 33, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
3/10-18	62133A	Reinf-700 Art Pool from Eng		3/10-18	Mr. 806 Pt. 30.167
8-11-18		Left Base for 6th		8-11-18	Mr. 1458
12/1/18	62133B	Arrived at 6th		12/1/18	Mr. 1500
24/12/18	do	Report to 2nd Par. Bn		20/12/18	Mr. 00709 Pt. 11.16 (1919)
do	do	A.O.S. 2nd Par. Bn		24/12/18	do Pt. 11.17. (1919)
2/1/19	do	10 miles from		20/12/18	P. 213
1/1/19	H.M.T. Mauretania	PROCEEDED TO ENGLAND		2/1/19	MR
1/1/19	Sailing on 53	Reported to C.O. Kinnel Park for return to Canada. Part 11 Orders No. ... Ceases to be attached C.O.C. Kinnel Park on embark- ing for Canada, Part 11 Order No. ...		APR 1919	Lieut. Forl. Co. A.A.G. Canadian Section
1/1/19	Arrived in England	Commanding Wing, Kinnel Park Camp.			
1/1/19	Transferred from 4th C.S.B. to 10th C.S.B.				
1/1/19	Transferred from O.M. 2nd to C.E.F. Canada for Demobilization				
1/1/19					



com.  
 Number 342482 Rank Capt *VB*  
 Surname CHAPPELL  
 Christian Name Thomas Traylor  
 Units C.G.A. Theatre of War France  
 Date of Service 29-10-18  
 Remarks \_\_\_\_\_  
 Latest Address Sonnenberg, Canandaigua,  
New York  
 Roll No. \_\_\_\_\_ U.S.A.  
 200m. -6-21. Blag 19362

SURNAME <u>Chappell</u>		2. "2" CARD NO.
CHRISTIAN NAME <u>Thomas Traylor</u>		<u>5. a. b. 11/5/19</u>
REGL. No. <u>342482</u>	RANK <u>Capt</u>	<u>18. 0. 1. 26 16/5/19 #260</u>
UNIT <u>7th Aero Coy Toronto Artillery Brigade</u>	DATE <u>16. 10. 18</u>	
FORMER CORPS <u>nil.</u>	D.O. Part II No. <u>112</u>	
NEXT OF KIN. NAMES IN FULL <u>Chappell, William</u> RELATIONSHIP TO SOLDIER <u>Father</u> ADDRESS <u>Addington Nr. Croyden, Surrey,</u> <u>Eng.</u>		CHANGE OF ADDRESS
COUNTRY OF BIRTH <u>England, West Wickham</u>	DATE <u>Jan. 25th 1892</u>	
PLACE OF ATTESTATION <u>Toronto Ont.</u>	DATE <u>Apr. 15th 1918</u>	
<u>ops 5-6-18 1265</u> <u>3</u>	<u>R/C 9/5/19 378</u> <u>108 Gwr.</u>	
L. L. 26889 M. & D. 8191.	M. F. W. 22. 100M. -8-17. II. Q. 1772-30-339.	



# DISCHARGE CERTIFICATE

Class \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that No. 342482 (Rank) Ens  
 Name (in full) Thomas Hayton Chappell enlisted in  
 the Depo. Art. Bde  
 CANADIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE at Toronto on the 15th  
 day of May 1918  
 HE served in 10th. C. S. B. France & Belgium  
 and is now discharged from the service by reason of Demobilization.  
Medical Unfitness.

THE DESCRIPTION OF THIS SOLDIER on the DATE below is as follows:

Age 27  
 Height 5' 9"  
 Complexion Medium  
 Eyes Blue  
 Hair Fair

Marks or Scars  
Nil

Thomas J. Chappell  
 Signature of Soldier

[Signature]  
 Issuing Officer

Date of Discharge  
**No. 2 DISTRICT DEPOT**  
**MAY 11 1919**  
**TORONTO**

For  
**O.C. No. 2 District Depot**  
 Rank

Date MAY 11 1919 1919

N.B.—As no duplicate of this Certificate will be issued, any person finding same is requested to forward it in an unstamped envelope to the Secretary, Militia Council, Ottawa, Canada.

M.F.B. 39A.  
 1049-D.P.-300M-11-18.  
 H.Q. 1772-39-882.

## Appendix F

### JOHN "JACK" CHARLES CHAPPELL

- UK Navy Medal and Awards Rolls, 1793-1972

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Roll: R.N.

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Name 1	Rank or Rating 2	No. 3	Medals, &c., earned 4			How Issued or disposed of 5	Remarks 6
CHAFFELL, Jas. T.	Sto.1	K.47688		V	B. S.		
" John C.	L.Sto.	K.13767	St.	V	B. "Blake"		
" John T.	A.B.	188152	St.	V	B. S.		
" John V.	E.R.A.5	M.29478		V	B. S.		
" Joseph C.	Sto.2	K.46928		V	B. S.		
" Leonard C.	Boy 1	J.86906			B. "Victory"		
" Max A.	P.O.M.	F.1391	St.	V	B. S.		
" Richard	Sto.1	K.23388	St.	V	B. S.		
" Robt. D.S.M.	P.O.	207788	St.	V	B. Ww.	I.C. 1736/1914.	
" Robt.	Sto.1	277634	St.	V	B. S.		
" Robt. E.	Boy 1	J.91326			B. "Malaya"		
" Robt. G.	P.O.M.	F.1399				See Officers' Roll.	
" Ronald J.	P.O.	J.3708	St.	V	B. "Brisbane"		
" Samuel	A.B.	232496	St.	V	B. S.		
" Sidney J.	P.O.	204002				See Officers' Roll.	
" Sidney J.	Boy 1	J.87046			B. "Actaeon"		
" Thos.	S.R.A.	M.9727	St.	V	B. S.		
" Thos. H.	Ord.	J.69462		V	B.		
" Thos. O.	Ord.	J.77323		V	B. S.		
" Victor E.	Ck.Mte.	M.22705		V	B. S.		
" Walter	Ch.Amr.	340281	St.	V	B. S.		
" Walter F.	O.Tel.	J.50201		V	B. "Pembroke"		
" Walter H.	Boy 1	J.79442		V	B. FR.	I.C. 2095/1918	
" Wm.	P.O.	172496	St.	V	B. S.		
" Wm.	A.M.1	F.8658			B. S.		



## Appendix G

### ERNEST SYDNEY CHAPPELL

- Attestation
- Statement of Services
- British Army WWI Medal Rolls Index Card



# SHORT SERVICE (Three Years' with the Colours).

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 12414 Name Ernest S. Chappell NORTHAMPTONSHIRE REGI  
Corps

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name? ..... Ernest Sidney Chappell
  2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ..... }  
3. Are you a British Subject? ..... }  
4. Date of Birth ..... 17. June 1894
  5. What is your Trade or Calling? ..... Footman
  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? ..... 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? ..... No
  8. Are you Married? ..... No
  9. Have you ever been sentenced to Imprisonment by the Civil Power? ..... 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? ..... 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 ..... No
  12. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? ..... Yes
  13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for the Military or Naval Forces of the Crown? If so, on what grounds? ..... No
  14. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ..... Yes
  15. For what Corps are you willing to be enlisted, or are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ..... 1st Bn. Buffs
  16. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? ..... } Name H. S. ...  
Corps 2nd Bn. Buffs
  17. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services:—  
(a) For a term of three years unless the War lasts longer than three years, in which case you will be retained until the War is over. 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. If, however, the war is over in less than one year, you may be discharged at once or remain until you have completed a year's service, at your option .... } Yes  
(b) To be attached to any arm of the Service should such be required of you.

I, Ernest Sidney Chappell 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.

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Ernest Sidney Chappell do make Oath, 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 Northampton on this 26 day of July 1914.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of the Justice H. S. ...

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 5 (6), Army Act.  
The Recruit should, if he requires, receive a copy of the Declaration on Army Form B. 111A.

I Applies to men enlisted for Artillery and Clerks.





Name.	Corps.	Rank.	Regt. No.
CHAPPELL	Northin R.	L/Cpl.	12417.
	---	*. Capt	---
Ernest S.			
Medal.	*. Roll.	Page.	Remarks
VICTORY	K/1101	2/5. 659	Dis: 25/4/19.
BRITISH	do	do	
15 STAR	K/112/B3	377	
Sub. list K/1557/1			
Theatre of War first served in	1/ France		
Date of entry therein	29. 5. 15		

K 1880.

Correspondence.

Address.

(25454-14a) Wt. W 3347-H.P. 6451 2000m. 10/19 H. St. Est. 5450/1258

## Appendix H

### WALTER VICTOR DOUGLAS CHAPPELL

- Commonwealth War Graves Commission Memorial
- Attestation
- Descriptive Report on Enlistment
- Statement of the Services
- Statement of the Names and Addresses of all the Relatives of the above named deceased
- Letter to William Chappell from the Army, Officer in Charge of Records
- Statement of the Names and Addresses of all the Relatives of the above named deceased (second page)
- Another Letter to William Chappell from the Army, Officer in Charge of Records
- Handwritten Letter to William Chappell from the Army, Officer in Charge of Records
- Army Memorandum regarding personal effects of Walter
- Casualty Form Active Service
- Casualty Form Active Service (page 2)
- Medical History

**In Memory of  
Private WALTER VICTOR DOUGLAS CHAPPELL**

**202817, 2nd/5th Bn., North Staffordshire Regiment  
formerly (12044), The Buffs (East Kent Regiment)  
who died  
on 21 March 1918**

**Remembered with honour  
ARRAS MEMORIAL**



**Commemorated in perpetuity by  
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission**



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KINGSTON-ON-THAMES

Original

# SHORT SERVICE.

(For the Duration of the War, with the Colours and in the Army Reserve.)

Card No. 7426

## ATTESTATION OF

Name Walter Victor Chappell Corps 3 Bu/P

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name? ... Walter Victor Douglas Chappell
2. What is your full Address? ... Chipstead Golf Club  
Chipstead
3. Are you a British Subject? ... Yes
4. What is your Age? ... 18 Years 6 Months 12/89
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... Indoor Servant
6. Are you Married? ... No
7. Have you ever served in any branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so, which? ... No
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ... Yes
9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? ... Yes
10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? ... Yes Name Mr. Nichols Corps 10/16
11. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions, provided His Majesty should so long require your services?  
For the duration of the War, at the end of which you will be discharged with all convenient speed. You will be required to serve for one day with the Colours, and the remainder of the period in the Army Reserve, in accordance with the provisions of the Royal Warrant dated 20th October, 1915, until such time as you may be called up by order of the Army Council. If employed with Hospitals, depots of Mounted Units, or as a Clerk, &c., 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. ... Yes

I, \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

Walter Victor Douglas Chappell SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
W. Stevens Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ 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 Chipstead on this 7 day of June 1916  
Signature of the Justice W. Prady

† 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 †

If enlisted by special authority, Army Form B. 203 (or other authority for the enlistment) will be attached to the original attestation.  
Date 17 AUG 1916  
Place KINGSTON-ON-THAMES  
W. J. Pulver Approving Officer.

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT.

(To correspond with Entries on the Medical History Sheet.)  
Applicable to all ranks.

W/ 2125  
Name Walter Victor Douglas Chappell  
Apparent age 18 years 6 months. Height 5 feet 8 inches.  
Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches.  
Range of expansion 3 inches.  
Distinctive marks Mole (R) Forearm.

INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT.

c/e  
Name and Address of next-of-kin William Chappell  
Lion Lodge Addington St. Coy. 10. Relationship Father Mother

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) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

Particulars as to Children.

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

MILITARY HISTORY SHEET.

1. Passed classes of Instruction † † This includes any authorized class of instruction, e.g., in swimming, chiropody, &c.		
2. Campaigns ... (including Actions)	<u>Home 25 7-10-16 To 24-2-17</u> <u>Camp Lone France 25-2-17 To</u>	
3. Wounded ...		
4. Special instances of gallant conduct and mentions in public despatches		
5. Metals, decorations and annuities ...	Name of Medal	Class
	<u>British War Medal.</u>	
	<u>Victory Medal.</u>	
6. Injuries in or by the service ...		



STATEMENT of the SERVICES of No. *9-1204* Name *Shappell W. J. D.*

Corps	Battn. or Depot	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of Pension		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					years	days	
General Service		Attested	<i>9/6</i>	<i>7. 6. 16</i>			} <i>Shappell</i>
General Service		To Army Reserve	"	<i>8. 6. 1916</i>			
		Mobilized	"	<i>17 AUG 1916</i>			
<i>Staff</i>	<i>3rd</i>	Posted					} <i>Shappell</i>
<i>Staff</i>	<i>2/5th</i>	<i>Transferred to 2/5th</i>	<i>Pvt.</i>	<i>17 AUG 1916</i>			
<i>Staff</i>		<i>22nd of 10/16/16</i>		<i>27/10/16</i>			<i>M. J. ...</i>
"	<i>7th</i>	<i>Missing B.S.F.</i>	"	<i>11. 8. 18.</i>			<i>Chas. ...</i>
<i>Staff</i>	<i>10th</i>	<i>Reported Dead</i>					<i>Robert</i>

Country	From	To	Days
<i>Army Res.</i>	<i>7. 6. 16</i>	<i>16. 8. 16</i>	<i>41</i>
<i>Home</i>	<i>17. 8. 16</i>	<i>24. 2. 17</i>	<i>192</i>
<i>B.S.F.</i>	<i>25. 2. 17</i>	<i>21. 8. 18</i>	<i>214</i>



54 N.S. 434

Army Form W. 5080.

Regiment NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE REGT.

To be filled in by  
Officer in Charge of  
Records.

202817 Pl. H. V. J. Chappell Deceased

**STATEMENT of the Names and Addresses of all the Relatives of the above-named deceased Soldier in each of the degrees specified below that are now living.**

NOTE.—Against those degrees of relationship in which there is no relative now living the word "none" is to be inserted. If the answers are not filled in, much correspondence and delay may be occasioned by the neglect.

Degree of relationship	NAME IN FULL of every relative now living in each degree enquired for (see note above).	ADDRESS IN FULL of each surviving relative opposite his or her name.
Widow of the Soldier ...	None	None
Children of the Soldier and dates of their births...	None	None
Father of the Soldier ...	William Chappell	Lion Lodge, Addington, Surrey
Mother of the Soldier ...	Martha Chappell	Lion Lodge, Addington, Surrey
Brothers of the Soldier	Full Blood ...	William Chappell 35 Age 11, Forest Cottage, Bridge, Tunbridge Wells.
		Henry Chappell 33 7 East 61 <sup>st</sup> Street, New York City, U.S.A.
		Fredenick Chappell 31 Lion Lodge, Addington, Surrey.
	Half blood ... None	James Chappell 29 Stenway Camp, York (PA)
		Thomas Chappell 28 Townley, Canandaigua, New York, U.S.A.
		John Chappell 26 11 Nos. H.M.S. Blake, G.P.O. London.
Sisters of the Soldier	Full blood ...	Robert Chappell 14 Stone Hill, Newport, N.Y.
		Arthur Chappell 18 Lion Lodge, Addington, Surrey.
	Half blood ... None	Emma Chappell 20 Wendell House, Braintree, Kent
		Edith Chappell 16 Lion Lodge, Addington, Surrey
If no Relatives in the degrees above are now living the following particulars should be given:—		
Grandparents of the Soldier ...	Names of those now living.	Addresses in full.
Nephews and Nieces of the Soldier ...		Age
Uncles and Aunts by blood of the Soldier (not Uncles and Aunts by marriage) ...		

**DECLARATION.**

I hereby declare that the above is a true and complete Statement of all the Relatives of the late Soldier now living in the degrees enquired for.

William Chappell Signature of the Declarant.

Relationship to the Soldier Father  
Address in full Lion Lodge, Addington, Croydon, Surrey.

I hereby certify that the above Statement and Declaration made by William Chappell and signed in my presence is complete and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated at Addington this eight day of July 1920.

Signature of Minister Julian H. ... Qualification Clark & Holy Orders  
Address Addington Vicarage  
Croydon, Surrey.

507. W. 5080 2P1814 1,000,000. 218. G.O.P.M.





Regiment NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE REGT.

INFANTRY REG'T W. 5080.  
 RECORDS  
 RECD. 10 JUL 1926  
 Officer in Charge  
 LICHFIELD

202817 Cpl W. D. Chappell (deceased)

**STATEMENT of the Names and Addresses of all the Relatives of the above-named deceased Soldier in each of the degrees specified below that are now living.**

NOTE.—Against those degrees of relationship in which there is no relative now living the word "none" is to be inserted. If the answers are not filled in, such correspondence and delay may be occasioned by the neglect.

Degree of relationship	NAME IN FULL of every relative now living in each degree enquired for (see note above).	ADDRESS IN FULL of each surviving relative opposite his or her name.
Widow of the Soldier ...	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
Children of the Soldier and dates of their births...	<i>Nil</i>	<i>Nil</i>
Father of the Soldier ...	<i>William Chappell</i>	<i>Lion Lodge, Waddington, Leicestershire</i>
Mother of the Soldier ...	<i>Anna Chappell</i>	<i>Lion Lodge, Waddington, Leicestershire</i>
Brothers of the Soldier	Full Blood ...	<i>None</i>
	Half blood ...	<i>Nil</i>
Sisters of the Soldier	Full blood ...	<i>Four Sisters</i>
	Half blood ...	<i>Nil</i>

If no Relatives in the degrees above are now living the following particulars should be given:—

	Names of those now living.	Addresses in full.
Grandparents of the Soldier ...	<i>John &amp; Mary Smith John &amp; Sarah Smith</i>	<i>36, St. James Street, Leicestershire</i>
Nephews and Nieces of the Soldier ...	<i>Four Nieces</i>	
Uncles and Aunts by blood of the Soldier (not Uncles and Aunts by marriage)...	<i>Uncle &amp; Aunt Nephew &amp; Niece Sister &amp; Son</i>	<i>Sledon, Leicestershire Burgess, Leicestershire</i>

**DECLARATION.**

I hereby declare that the above is a true and complete Statement of all the Relatives of the late Soldier now living in the degrees enquired for.

Relationship to the Soldier Father Signature of the Declarant William Chappell

Address in full Lion Lodge, Waddington, Leicestershire

I hereby certify that the above Statement and Declaration made by William Chappell and signed in my presence is complete and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated at 15<sup>th</sup> this Month day of May 1920

Signature of Minister or Magistrate \_\_\_\_\_ Qualification \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

REG. W. 5080 1/2/21 1,500/2/21 2/21 2/21 2/21



From The Officer of  
Infantry Records,  
N. L. District, Lichfield



O.H.M.S.

(3)

To The Officer in Charge of Records



To Mr. H. Chappell

Leam Lodge

Addington

In order that I may be enabled to dispose of the plaque and scroll in commemoration of the soldier named overleaf in accordance with the wishes of His Majesty the King, I have to request that the requisite information regarding the soldier's relatives now living may be furnished on the form overleaf in strict accordance with the instructions printed thereon.

The declaration thereon should be signed in your own handwriting and the form should be returned to me when certified by a Minister or Magistrate.

INSTRUCTIONS.

(2)

To return, fold so that flap marked (3) is on top, and then place flap marked (1) inside it.

*W. H. Pullen*  
Officer in Charge of Records.

O.H.M.S.

(1)

Mr. H. Chappell,  
Leam Lodge  
Addington



Mr. Chappell

Ref. No N.S./B/662/57.

From: [illegible]

To: [illegible]

Date: [illegible]

July 8<sup>th</sup> 1920

The Officer  
in charge Infantry Records,  
Litchfield.

Dear Sir

I now enclose Army Form W. 5080  
(re Mr. Walter Chappell) now duly filled  
up, & must apologise for the delay.

LITCHFIELD  
10 JUL 1920  
5080

I also enclose the Form originally sent, as  
requested. It is incorrectly filled in & not  
signed by the Declarant

Hoping that all is now in order

Yours faithfully

Gilbert Scott

MEMORANDUM FOR

INFANTRY RECORDS

The Officer in charge of

*Chippendale*  
*Lichfield*  
*L. E. D.*  
WAR OFFICE,

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to:—  
The Secretary,  
War Office,  
Imperial Institute,  
South Kensington,  
London, S.W.7,  
and the following number quoted.

IMPERIAL INSTITUTE,  
SOUTH KENSINGTON,  
LONDON, S.W.7.

*16 August 1919.*

*E. 708527/1* (Accounts 4.)

Will you please note that any articles of personal property now in your possession or subsequently received by you belonging to the late

*Private Walter Victor Douglas Chappell*

should be despatched to:—

*Ben. K. H.*  
*Staffordshire Regt.*

*Mr. William Chappell*  
*Lion Lodge*

*Addington, W. Croydon Surrey*

*5080*  
*54/20*

Any medals granted to the deceased that are now in your possession or that may hereafter reach you should be disposed of to:—

*The same person*

*Chavrus*

Assistant Financial Secretary.

*47*



Army Form B. 103.

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regimental Number 2204

Regiment or Corps 3rd BATTAL "THE BUFFS" 2/5th North Staffs. 202817

Rank Plc Surname Shappell Christian Name Walter Victor Douglas

Religion C of E Age on Enlistment 18 years 6 months.

Enlisted (a) 7-6-16 Terms of Service (a) 10 yrs Service reckons from (a) 17-8-16

Date of promotion to present rank \_\_\_\_\_ Date of appointment to lance rank \_\_\_\_\_

Extended { \_\_\_\_\_ } Re-engaged { \_\_\_\_\_ } Qualification (b) \_\_\_\_\_  
or Corps Trade and Rate \_\_\_\_\_

J. Hodgkinson Capt Signature of Officer i/c Records.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c. during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...	<u>Colchester</u>		
		Disembarked ...	<u>Colchester</u>		
		Allotted Regtl No. .... under A. C. I 2417			
<u>29317</u>	<u>15 An</u>	<u>In Hospital</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>26317</u>	<u>Home</u>
<u>31317</u>	<u>540405 724 m 79 adms</u>	<u>Birmingham</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>27217</u>	<u>602411</u>
<u>12117</u>	<u>" " adms</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>27317</u>	<u>602965-650054001</u>
<u>12117</u>	<u>S.C.C.S adms</u>	<u>I.C.T. Tent</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>14417</u>	<u>602922</u>
<u>26117</u>	<u>S.C.C.S adms</u>	<u>I.C.T. Tent</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>14417</u>	<u>603418-63AT. 21/417</u>
<u>4517</u>	<u>Ad. list</u>	<u>ad. 9 Gen. H. I.C.T. Tent (Ht)</u>	<u>Home</u>	<u>24417</u>	<u>WA 8301</u>
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(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or entered into Section 12, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.  
(b) Signaller, Shoeing Smith, &c.



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KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES 178.

To be used (a) for recruits enlisting direct into the Regular Army, and (b) for men of the Territorial Force when they are admitted to Hospital. Army Form B. 178A to be used for Special Reserve recruits and Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname Chapple Christian Name Isaiah Victor Douglas

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Parish Addington County Wimbury

Examined ... on 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 1916  
at Kingston R.M.O.

Declared Age ... 18 years 10 days.

Trade or Occupation ... London servant

Height ... 5 feet 8 inches.

Weight ... 130 lbs.

Chest Measurement (Chest when fully expanded) 36 inches.  
(Range of Expansion) 3 inches.

Physical Development ... Good

Vaccination Marks (Arm ... Right ... Left ...)  
Number 3

When Vaccinated ... Infancy

Vision ... (R.E.—V=6)  
(L.E.—V=6)

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease ...

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection ...

Approved by (Signature) H. Owen  
(Rank) Capt R.A.M.B.  
Medical Officer.

Enlisted ... at KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES  
on 17 AUG 1916 day of 1916

Corp.	Regt. No.
<u>8th BATT "THE BUFFS"</u>	<u>G 12 0214</u>
<u>75th Coy</u>	<u>4281</u>

Became non-effective by frances

on 21st day of January 1916  
(Signature) M. J. ...  
(Rank) Officer in Infantry



## Notes

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Name.	Corps.	Rank	Regtl. No.
CHAPPELL.	A. H.A. Labour Corps N. Yorks. I.P.	Gnr. Pte.	80027 555094. 80228.
James G.			
Medal.	Roll.	Page.	Remarks.
VICTORY	02/104830.	3723	
15. BRITISH STAR	26/1146.	10/3.	
Theatre of War first served in	D. France		
Date of entry therein	18. 12. 14.		
			K. 1300.

Correspondence.

Address.



## Appendix E

### THOMAS TRAYTON CHAPPELL

- US Draft Registration Card
- Canadian Attestation
- Casualty Form - Active Service
- Record of Promotions, etc.
- Untitled Document
- Discharge Certificate