

# THE NATIONAL ROLL OF THE 1914 GREAT WAR 1918

## SECTION III.

### PART II.

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##### **ABBS, A. H., Gunner, Royal Field Artillery.**

He volunteered in September 1914, and in the following January was sent to France, where he was engaged in the fighting at the Battles of Neuve Chapelle, Loos, Hill 60, Arras, the Somme. He was also in action during the Retreat and Advance of 1918, and was badly wounded in November. He was invalided home, and upon his recovery was demobilised in February 1919, and holds the 1914-15 Star, General Service and Victory Medals.

49, Paradise Street, Kennington, S.E.11

Z25747.

##### **ABBOTT, B. T., Private, 22nd London Regiment (The Queen's).**

He volunteered in May 1915, and after completing his training served with his unit at several stations until discharged in 1917 owing to defective vision. He was then engaged on work of national importance in connection with the building of aerodromes, and was also employed at Woolwich in the dangerous work of shell-filling from January 1918 until the close of the war. 269, New Kent Road, S.E.1

Z27188.

##### **ABBOTT, E., Corporal, R.A.S.C. (M.T.)**

He joined in May 1916, and at the conclusion of his training served at various stations on important duties with his unit. He was chiefly engaged in the transport of ammunition, and acted as a bomb carrier. He rendered valuable services, but was not successful in obtaining his transfer overseas before the termination of hostilities. He was demobilised in July 1919. 58, Marcia Road, Bermondsey, S.E.1

Z26387.

##### **ABLETT, C. P., Private, 3rd Essex Regiment.**

He joined in February 1918, but was not successful in obtaining his transfer overseas before the cessation of hostilities. He was engaged on various important duties in Ireland, including the guarding of barracks, buildings, ammunition and patrolling country districts. He was demobilised in June 1919.

120, Upper Kennington Lane, S.E.11

Z24811/B.

##### **ABLETT, J. W., Private, R.A.M.C.**

He joined in February 1917, and in the following year proceeded to the Western Front, where he took part in various engagements, including those of Cambrai, Amiens and during the Retreat and Advance of 1918, and was wounded. He was demobilised in June 1919, and holds the General Service and Victory Medals.

120, Upper Kennington Lane, S.E.11

Z24811/A.

##### **ABLEY, W., Sergeant, Royal Engineers.**

He volunteered in November 1915, and was later drafted to France, where he was engaged with the Inland Water Transport on important duties in connection with the repairing of barges. He rendered valuable services, and during his service overseas was frequently under shell-fire. He was demobilised in March 1919, and holds the General Service and Victory Medals.

21, Page Street, Westminster, S.W.1

Z23584.

##### **ABRAMS, A., A.B. (Seaman Gunner), R.N., H.M.S. "Repulse."**

He volunteered in August 1914, and served with the Grand Fleet in the North Sea. He was on H.M.S. "Dominion" during the Battle of Heligoland, and took part in the Battle of Jutland and other engagements. His ship was also present at the surrender of the German Fleet at Scapa Flow. He was demobilised in February 1919, and holds the 1914-15 Star, General Service and Victory Medals.

16, Arnott Street, New Kent Road, S.E.1

Z25416.

##### **ACKERMAN, C., Special War Worker.**

Being anxious to serve his country, he volunteered his services and was offered a post at Messrs. Hooper's Aeroplane Factory, King's Road, Chelsea, where he was engaged in the fitters' shop in the manufacture of bolts and screws. He was later employed at the Adam Grimaldi Aircraft Works, Vauxhall Bridge. He carried out his duties in a highly commendable manner and did very good work during the war.

9, Smith Terrace, King's Road, S.W.3

X25019/A.

##### **ACKERMAN, J., R.S.-M., Royal Engineers.**

He volunteered in November 1915, and in the following month was drafted to the Western Front. He was engaged on many important duties in connection with railway transport work and served in various sectors. He rendered valuable service. After the Armistice he went with the Army of Occupation to Germany, and returning home was demobilised in September 1919. He holds the 1914-15 Star, General Service and Victory Medals.

9, Smith Terrace, King's Road, S.W.3

X25019/C.

##### **ACKERMAN, R., Sapper, Royal Engineers.**

He volunteered in October 1915, and was sent to the Eastern Front in January 1916. He served at Alexandria, Cairo, Messa Matruh, Sollum and was afterwards sent to the South Western Desert. Later he was transferred to Palestine, serving at Damascus and Jerusalem, and was engaged in the fighting at Aleppo and Marash. Holding the General Service and Victory Medals, he was demobilised in September 1919.

9, Smith Terrace, King's Road, S.W.3

X25020.

##### **ACKERMAN, R., Sapper, Royal Engineers (Signal Section).**

He volunteered in October 1915, and in January of the following year was drafted to the Eastern Front, where he was attached to the Egyptian Frontier Force (5th Cavalry Division), and took part in all important engagements through Palestine and Syria to Turkey. He also took part in the rescue with the Duke of Westminster's armoured cars of the shipwrecked crew held prisoners by the Arabs at Senussi. Returning home he was demobilised in September 1919, and holds the General Service and Victory Medals.

3, Smith Terrace, King's Road, S.W.3

X25019/B.

##### **ACKROYD, E., 1st Air Mechanic, R.A.F.**

He joined in June 1916, and was sent to the Western Front in the same year. He was engaged as wireless telephone operator in the Somme sector, at Ypres, Amiens, Vimy Ridge and Poperinghe. Whilst on leave in Paris he was taken ill with pneumonia and died on October 13th, 1918. He was buried in St. Cloud Cemetery, and was entitled to the General Service and Victory Medals.

98, Albert Road, Kilburn Park, N.W.6

X25017/A.

##### **ACKROYD, H. (Mrs.), Special War Worker.**

This lady volunteered for work of national importance in June 1917, and for fifteen months rendered valuable services as inspector of bolts at the Aircraft Manufacturing Company's Works, Hendon. Her work was carried out in a most satisfactory manner. 98, Albert Rd., Kilburn, N.W.6

X25017/B.

##### **A'COURT, G. A., Farrier and Driver, R.A.S.C.**

He was mobilised in August 1914, and in the following year was drafted to France, where he took part in the heavy fighting at Loos, Ypres, Arras, Messines, Hill 60, on the Somme, and in the Retreat and Advance of 1918. He was demobilised in May 1919, and holds the 1914-15 Star, General Service and Victory Medals.

29, Shawfield Street, King's Road, S.W.3

X24989/A.

##### **A'COURT, W. C., Rifleman, 18th London Regt. (London Irish Rifles).**

He volunteered in June 1915, and was shortly afterwards drafted to France. He took part in the fighting at Loos, after which he was discovered to be under age and was sent back to England, where he served on important duties until demobilised in February 1919. He holds the 1914-15 Star, General Service and Victory Medals.

29, Shawfield Street, King's Road, S.W.3

X24989/B.

##### **ADAM, A. J., Private, 1st Hampshire Regiment.**

He volunteered in August 1914, and in the following year was drafted to the Western Front, where he was in action in numerous engagements, including those of Hill 60, Ypres, Arras, the Somme and the Retreat and Advance of 1918. He was wounded at Beaumont-Hamel and St. Julien, and on his recovery continued his service. He returned to England and was demobilised in February 1919, holding the 1914-15 Star, General Service and Victory Medals.

29, Alfred Road, Paddington, W.2

X22036.