



The Recruitment Poster Says It All

But

The County Needed Men Too

Below are those men who requested exemption from joining Kitchener's Forces

Malmesbury

Year	Month	Surname	Given Names	Occupation	Employer	Period of Exemption &c.	Notes
1917	February	Adye	Sidney Herbert	Grocer	Joint business venture with father	Exemption reduced until 14th March	Age 33; Married; Recruiting Officer appealed decision to exempt Sidney until 1st May 1917. Passed for General Service
1916	June	Bailey	Robert C.	Mail Cart Driver	Edward Fry of Oxford Street	Until 1st September	Age 39
1916	April	Barnes	William	Carpenter, Joiner & Undertaker	Barnes & Son, High Street	Until 1st July	Age 25
1916	November	Barnes	William	Carpenter, Joiner & Undertaker	As Above	Further exemption until 1st April 1917	Age 25
1916	June	Barrett	John	Stud Groom	Captain Noel S. Wilson of Norton Grange	Adjourned; no further details found	Age 35; Married
1916	April	Bishop	Richard	Electrical Engineer at Cowbridge	Mr. B. de Bertodano of Bristol Street	Until 15th July	Age 26
1916	June	Boulton	Alfred	Carter, Beer Bottler & Deliverer of Heavy Goods	Henry Farrant, Grocer	Until 15th October	Age 35; Resident of St. Mary Street
1916	July	Bower	Percy Edward	Drapery & Outfitting Proprietor	Self-employed on the High Street	Conditional Exemption	Age 36
1916	July	Bowman	Wilfred Frank	Managing Clerk & Overseer For Several Neighbouring Parishes, Parish Clerk & Deputy Registrar of Marriages For The District	Clark & Smith, Solicitors	Until 15th October	Age 37; Resident of 72 Abbey Row; Recommended to join the Volunteer Training Corps and the Tribunal may treat in a more generous spirit.
1916	April	Box	Arthur Francis	Carpenter, Joiner, Paper Hanger & Painter	Mrs. M. Ponting, builder and decorator of Park Road	Until 15th September	Age 26; Resident of 8 St. Mary Street
1916	August	Brown	Albert Edward	Baker, Grocer & Provision Merchant	Partner with brother.	Until 14th December	Age 29; Single; Resident of West End

1916	December	Clark	Ebenezer	Leading or Foreman Roadman	Malmesbury Rural District Council	Dismissed	Age 33; Single
1916	July	Clark	William	Smallholder & Haulier of Portmeadow	Self employed	Until 15th October	Age 37; Married
1916	June	Clarke	John	Gardener	Lt. Elliot Mackirdy, of the Horse Guards at Abbey House	Until 15th July	
1916	April	Cox	James	Butler	Mr. B. de Bertadano	Adjourned for 1 month until Group 47 called up	
1916	June	Day	George Frederick	Master & Working Butcher	Self employed	Until 1st November	Age 40
1916	July	Dyer	William	Solicitors Clerk; Also Cashier, Bookkeeper & Rent Collector For Several Estates & Tithes	Forrester, Moir & Co.	Until 1st November	Age 39; Resident of Gaston's Road, Malmesbury
1916	June	Ford	George	Weaving Manager	Avon Silk Mills	Until 1st November	
1917	December	Fry	Harry	Lessee of The Bull Inn, Sherston Road; Hurdle Maker & Tenant Farmer	Self employed	Until 1st May	Married
1917	June	Gladwin	Harold Frederick John	Master Bread Baker	Self employed	Until 1st December	Age 34
1916	March	Godwin	Henry	Agricultural Labourer & Auxiliary Postman		Exempt for 4 months	Age 27; Resident of Burnivale
1916	March	Goodfield	F. M.	Gardener	Mrs. Lovell of Cole Park	Dismissed	Age 21
1916	July	Gore	Walter James	Confectioner & Baker	Mrs. Emery	Final exemption until 1st September	Age 35; Married
1916	June	Gough	Percy Thomas	Draper of Oxford Street	Self employed	Until 1st September	Age 39; Married
1916	April	Gough	William	Farmer, Coal Merchant & Assistant In Callow Hill Post Office		Until 11th July	Age 27; Married; Resident of Wood Lane Farm
1916	April	Hazell	William A. E.	Groom	Mr. B. de Bertadano	Dismissed	Resident of 129 High Street

1916	April	Hicks	Albert John	Farm Labourer	William Collingbourne of Vine's Farm, Grittenham	Until 15th October	Age 27
1916	November	Hicks	Albert John	Farm Labourer	William Collingbourne of Vine's Farm, Grittenham	Until 1st April 1917	Age 27
1916	June	Hinks	Henry Charles Edwin	Master of Malmesbury Workhouse	Poor Law Union	Until 1st December	Age 32; Married
1916	June	Hinwood	Arthur Victor	Master Bacon Curer	Partner in Adye & Hinwood Ltd.	Until 3rd October	Age 40
1916	March	Hughes	Charles	Haulage Contractor	Henry Major of Malmesbury	Dismissed	Age 27
1916	June	Hughes	Frederick Allen	Master Builder & Undertaker of Gloucester Road	Self employed	Until 1st October	
1916	November	Hunt	Frank	Licensee of The Coopers Arms, Tetbury Road, Farmer & Haulier	Self employed	Conditional Exemption	Age 37; Married
1917	March	Huxley	William	Foreman Mechanic & Engineer of Wootton Bassett	Jones & Sons Motor & General Engineers	Dismissed	Age 33; Married
1916	April	Jeffries	Edwin	Farmer, Smallholder, Pig & Poultry Breeder	Self employed	Declared medically unfit	Age 20; Resident of Portmeadow
1916	March	Johnson	R.	Jobbing Gardener	Mrs. Lovell of Cole Park	Exempt for 2 months	Age 27
1916	December	Jones	James Montagu	Manager & Part Owner of Jones & Sons Motor Works	Self employed	Until 1st March 1917	Age 23; Single; Rejected in December 1915 on medical grounds
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1917	September	Jones	Walter	Newsagent, Stationer, Hairdresser & Collector of Taxes	Self employed	Until 1st November	Age 35; Married; Resident of The High Street
1916	June	Kington	Arthur James	Road Foreman	Malmesbury Rural Council	Until 1st July with no appeal	Age 29

1916	May	Marmont	Ernest	Accountant & Manager	Stroud Brewery Co. (Malmesbury Branch)	For Six Months	Age 35
1917	March	Marmont	Ernest	Accountant & Manager	Stroud Brewery Co. (Malmesbury Branch)	Until 1st May (Final)	Age 36
1916	March	Mills	Herbert Goodfield	Carter	Mr. B. de Bertodano of Cowbridge House	For four months	Age 34; Resident of Mill Cottage, Cowbridge
1916	July	Moore	William Henry	Fishmonger & Fruiterer	Self employed	Until 1st September (Final)	Age 29; Had served for four months in France and discharged 7 April 1916; Resident of Lower High Street
1916	July	Paginton	James	Postman at Corston	Post Office	Until 1st January 1917	Age 30; Discharged from army 22 February 1916.
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1916	April	Paginton	Maurice	Labourer & Boiler Fireman	Avon Silk Mills	Unstarred	Previously given one month exemption
1916	July	Parrott	Ernest Robert Brimble	Butler at Cole Park	Mrs. Audrey Lovell	Until 15th October	Age 38; Married
1916	June	Phillips	Walter Ernest	Agricultural Engineer & Motor Expert at Westport Iron Works	Messrs. Ratcliff & Son	Until 15th September	Age 32
1916	March	Pike	Charles	Slater & Plasterer	Self employed	For 6 Months	Age 36; Single
1916	June	Pocock	William Charles	First Salesman & Shop Manager	Henry Farrant, Grocer, High Street	Until 15th October	Age 30
1916	December	Ponting	Arthur John	Ironmonger	In partnership with brothers at Ponting & Sons	Passed for general service; Adjourned for further medical examination	Age 35; Married
1916	March	Rice	Joseph		Harold Gladwin, Bakers	For 3 months	Age 19
1916	June	Saywood	Henry	Grocers Assistant	Messrs Adye & Son, Provision	Until 1st August	Age 34

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1916	August	Saywood	Henry	Grocers Assistant	Messrs Adye & Son, Provision Merchants	Until 15th October	Age 34
1916	April	Sisum	George G.	Farmer	Self-employed at Malthouse Farm	For 6 months	Age 34; Married
1916	May	Smith	Joseph M.	Coachbuilder	Self employed	Absolute exemption	Trade a certified one
1916	March	Souter	George Henry	Motor Driver	Mr. B. de Bertodano	For Six Months	Age 34; Married Had been discharged from army 28th December 1910
1917	September	Weeks	George	Solicitors Clerk	Mr. Chubb	Until 1st January 1918	Age 18; Resident of 57 High Street
1916	March	Wells	Reginald	Farmer	Self employed	For one month	Age 30
1917	June	Westmacott	Walter	Part Time Hawker & Farm Labourer in the Summer	Self employed	until 1st August (final)	Age 36; Married; Resident of Bristol Street
1916	July	White	C. H.	Cycle Agent & Repairer	Self employed	Until 1st September (Final)	Age 26; Single; Passed for Garrison Duty Only; Resident of St. Mary's Lane
1916	April	Wilkins	Reginald Richard	Journeyman Butcher	W. N. Redman, Butcher	Until 1st June	Age 19
1916	May	Woodman	Edgar	Clerk to the High Bailiff & Registrar to County Court, Clerk to Magistrates & Secretary to Court "King Athelstan" of Ancient Order of Foresters.	C. F. Moir of Messrs Forrester, Moir & Co.	For 6 Months	Age 29; Resident of Gastons Road
1916	July	Woodman	George	Baker	William Woodman, his father	Until 15th September	Age 39; Single; Resident of 84 The Triangle