



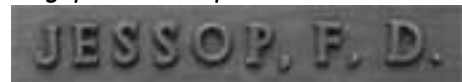
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Full Name: Frederic Devereux Jessop  
First Last

Other memorials: Penang Cricket Club; Hoylake and West Kirby War Memorial English  
Nationality

Military details 12<sup>th</sup> Btn East Surrey Reg. Awarded the Military Cross (M.C.). Captain  
Regiment etc Service No. Rank

Casualty details: 15 or 16 Sept 1916 aged 26 (CWGC 15th; TNA 16<sup>th</sup>). Bulls Road Cemetery, Flers, Somme, III. E. 5

Penang Records Bertam Plantation – four years assistant to general manager of the company. Straits Settlement (Britain) Rubber Co. Limited, 3 London Wall Buildings, London

Birth Date: 9 May 1890 Place of birth: West Kirby or Derby. Lancashire

Parents' names: Son of the late Mr. F. C. and Mrs. Alice May Jessop née Heugher, of 15, Beechwood Rd., Grassendale, Liverpool.



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*Supplement to the London Gazette*, 11 September 1915, 9055. Temporary lieutenant.

*Liverpool Echo* 28 July 1916. How Local Officer Won Military Cross.

*Liverpool Echo* 26 September 1916. Captain Jessop Wounded

ST 6 October 1916, p8 Social and Personal. Awarded the Military Cross.

FP 12 October 1916, p8. Awarded the Military Cross.

[\*Supplement to the Edinburgh Gazette, August 22, 1916, 1451.\*](#) Awarded the Military Cross.



Name	Corps	Rank	Regt. No.
JESSOP.			
	M/C 6 Surrey. Regt.	Capt x	
Frederick Deverux.			
Medal.	BoY.	Page.	Remarks.
VICTORY	x 6 Surrey 10/106	79	} IV. X/10701 -19/22 NW/6/19669 Died 16.9.16 Kin A
BRITISH			
STAR			
Theatre of War first served in		France	
Date of entry therein		1/5/16.	
20/2/22		NW/6/19669	

X. 1880

Correspondence

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15 Beechwood Rd  
Cagburn  
Liverpool

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110721 REG East Surrey Regt 31

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17. 8-15  
M.T.  
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Form is to be used for any candidate who is serving in the ranks of the New Armies, Special Reserve, or Territorial Force, and for any other candidate who is neither a cadet or ex-cadet of the Senior Division, Officers Training Corps, nor a member of a University.

Form M.T. 392 should be used for an Officers Training Corps (Senior Division) or University candidate, who is not serving in the ranks.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO A TEMPORARY COMMISSION IN THE REGULAR ARMY FOR THE PERIOD OF THE WAR.

The candidate will complete the following particulars and obtain certificates below as to character and educational qualification.

1. Name in full	Surname Christian names	Jessop Frederic Devenant
2. Date of birth.		1890, 9 <sup>th</sup> May
3. Whether married.		No
4. Whether of pure European descent.		Yes
Whether a British born or a naturalized British subject.		British born
Permanent address.		Rutans Rubber Estate, P. W. Straits Settlements
Present address for correspondence.		Beechwood Road, Linyi
Whether now serving, or previously served, in any other Government Department (Home, Indian, or Colonial). If so, give particulars.		No
Whether able to ride.		Yes
Whether now serving, or previously served, in any branch of His Majesty's Naval or Military Forces, or the Officers Training Corps. If so, state:—		
(a) Regiment, Corps, or Contingent		6 <sup>th</sup> (Rifle) Bn. The Kings, Lf
(b) Date of appointment		Feb 1908
(c) Rank		Rifleman
(d) Date of retirement, resignation or discharge		April 1911
(e) Circumstances of retirement, resignation or discharge		Left to go to Straits Settlements

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Accepted candidates will be gazetted to a general list. They may, however, state here—

- 1. The Branch of the Service (Cavalry, Artillery, Engineers, Infantry, or Army Service Corps) to which desirous of serving
- 2. The unit (if any) to which desirous of being appointed

Infantry.  
9/ East Army Regiment

but no guarantee can be given that they will be appointed to any particular unit.

I certify the above statement to be correct, and I request that I may be appointed to a temporary commission in the Regular Army for the period of the war.

Date 9<sup>th</sup> August 1915

*F. Jessop*  
Usual Signature of Candidate.

Signature of parent or guardian, if the candidate is under 21 years of age

*Certificate of moral character during the past four years. If the candidate has been at school, college, or other educational establishment during any portion of the period the certificate should be signed by the head of the establishment; otherwise it may be signed by a responsible person (not a near relative or connection), e.g., the minister of the parish or other local clergyman, a magistrate, or a senior officer of the Army or Navy who has been well acquainted with the candidate in private life during the period.*

If the above-mentioned person cannot certify for the whole period of four years, a second certificate for the period not covered by the first should be signed by a similar person.

I hereby certify to the good moral character of *Frederic Curwen Jessop* for the last *four years* he having been in the service of the *Bombardier* as *assistant to the general in charge of the transport and stores for the 1st*

Rank, office or occupation *Hereditary London Manager of Straits Settlements Rubber Co. Limited*  
Address *3 London Wall Buildings London*

Date 10<sup>th</sup> Aug 1915

I hereby certify to the good moral character of

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Evidence that the candidate has attained a good standard of education.

If the candidate has—

- (a) obtained a leaving or qualifying certificate as required of a candidate for admission to the Royal Military College under the regulations in force up to 1st April, 1912, the Certificate should be attached;
  - (b) qualified at an Army Entrance Examination, the date of examination should be stated;
  - (c) passed the matriculation examination of a University, or a test accepted in lieu thereof, the Certificate should be attached.
- Failing one of the above, the following certificate must be signed by the Headmaster of a secondary school or other competent educational authority.

I certify from personal knowledge that *F. D. Jessop* has attained a good standard of education.

*W. T. Hollowell M.A.*

State here educational position, e.g., Head of a College or School, etc. *Head Master of Cadday Grange Sch West Yorks*

Here state whether Tutor, Head of School or College, Minister of Parish or other local clergyman, or Magistrate, &c.

