

EDWARD EUSTACE ERLEBACH

'Teddie' 1897 - 1917

Edward was selected for an appointment as 2nd lieutenant on probation in Special Reserve of Officers in 1916.

He was directed to join Christ College, Oxford, for instruction in aviation. He then became a Flying Officer of the Royal Flying Corps on the 23rd August 1916.

His health caused slight problems as he had slight cardiac hypertension, but not enough to affect his efficiency.

He was posted as 'Missing' on the 7th February 1917 in France, behind German lines - he was actually killed on that day.

His effects were returned by the German Government, through the Geneva Red Cross - one leather wallet containing a visiting card and a lock of hair.

Pay due to him, after deductions, income tax etc. £62 / 5 / 7
He died intestate with an estate of gross value of £88 / 2 / 3
His father, Henry Arthur Erlebach, was granted Power of Administration.