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THE ANGLO -AMERICAN ISHAM ANCESTRY ASSOCIATION



V.A.R.I. IN c.1920

VERE ARTHUR RICHARD ISHAM born 1889 - died 1968 SERVICE RECORD

10.1914 - 8.1915 7th Suffolk Regiment

8.1915 - 6.1916 Dep. Ass. Censor, B.E.F.

6.1916 - 7.1918 7th Suffolk Regiment

7.1918 - 12.1918 Staff Captain in G.B.

12.1918 - 4.1919 DAAG Eastern Command

4.1919 - 10.1919 Staff Captain 238 Sp.Brigade North Russian Expeditionary Force

11.1919 - 2.1920 Specially at War Office

2.1920 Adjutant Northamtonshire Regiment

3.1923 Restored to Suffolk Regiment

3.1923 Retires receiving gratuity

9.1939 Ceases to be on Reserve of Officers

1939 - 1945 Joined Brig. Crockatt in MI9

being second in command

AWARDED THE MILITARY CROSS IN BATTLE OF POZIERES ON 3 AUG. 1916

WOUNDED IN BATTLE OF TRANSLOY

"On 11th October 1916 his 7th Batallion set out across open ground at 2 pm coming under very heavy automatic rifle & machine-gun fire. Captain Isham was badly wounded that pm and spent the night in a shell hole with Lt. Bowen, who was also wounded, while the dreadful

Battle of Transloy raged around them".