

<i>Name</i>	Albert Giles AMBLER
<i>Birth Place</i>	Urchfont, Wiltshire
<i>Occupation 1911</i>	Working on grandfather's farm
<i>Date of Birth</i>	6 August 1893
<i>Date Enlisted</i>	Unknown
<i>Parents</i>	Lewis James AMBLER & Harriet Emma AMBLER (néé PLANK)
<i>Married</i>	Unmarried



<i>Information from National Roll of the Great War</i>
No entry found.

<i>Additional Information</i>

Albert was the eldest of four sons of Lewis and Harriet AMBLER, farmers from Wiltshire who moved with their family to Loddington, Northamptonshire around 1900, when his father was employed as a Gamekeeper. By 1911, Albert was back in Wiltshire, working on his maternal grandfather's farm in Urchfont, the village of his birth. Meanwhile, his parents had moved to Brook Farm in Bugbrooke, where his father was now a publican (at *The Five Bells?*).

He enlisted in the Royal Flying Corps, as 1st Class Air Mechanic 11794, but in October 1917 was compulsory transferred to the Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment (The Sherwood Foresters) 10th battalion, as a Private soldier, re-numbered 72290. He transferred for a second time, again as a Private soldier, to the Machine Gun Corps, re-numbered 172186. He went with this Corps to France and qualified for the British War Medal and the Victory Medal.

He is alleged to have been gassed while on the Western Front and suffered the after-effects for the rest of his life.

He appears never to have married and died in Reading, Berkshire, in June 1980.