

## The Wiltshire Roll of Honour Captain Arthur Curgenven Magor 1914

We much regret to have to record the death, in action, of Capt. Magor, of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion of the Wiltshire Regiment, who is in the list of killed. Capt, Magor was the son of the late Mr, Magor, of St. Tudy, Cornwall, and he married on Oct. 11th, 1912, Miss Fisher, of Potterne, and they have since been living at Great Cheverell. There is one child. Capt. Magor had only left England about a fortnight. Much Sympathy is felt with the widow and relatives.

The deceased officer was very popular with his fellow officers, and also with the men under his command, and it is regrettable that a promising career should thus have been cut off. He has died in the service of his country, and takes a place on Wiltshire's roll of honour.

Captain Arthur Curgenven Magor was born on March 3rd, 1879. He joined the 1st Wiltshire Regiment from the Special Reserve. He had retired two years ago, and under the Army Council provisions for serving on in a non-Regular unit he took a Captaincy in the 3rd Wiltshire Regiment, the old county battalion at Devizes. During the South African war he took part in the operation in the Orange River Colony, including the actions at Bethlehem and Wittebergen, and the operations in the Transvaal. He had the Queens with three clasps and the King's medal with two clasps.

## Source: Wiltshire Telegraph 29 August 1914

**OPC note:** Wiltshire Regiment 3rd Bn. attd. 2nd Bn. Date of Death 17 October 1914. Commemorated at Ypres Memorial, Belgium.