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Selsey and War Heroes.

Dear Mr. Editor,—I have been asked by the Captain of the Selsey Football Club to make it known that the whole of the Selsey Football team are now serving the King, with one exception, and he is the eldest of four brothers. His three brothers are all serving, and he himself is most anxious to follow their example, but he is absolutely indispensable to his aged father.

This is a record indeed to be proud of, and I only hope that other village football clubs have this proud record.

May I take this opportunity of stating that my great friend, Captain Hare, Headquarters Recruiting Staff, A.G., will entertain next Wednesday to tea about 30 wounded heroes from the Royal West Sussex Hospital.

Until the other day I thought that Selsey was out of bounds. I now find this is not the case. I know how patriotic to the core Selsey and its inhabitants are, and how wishful they are to honour those who are now upholding their country's honour at the front, and I am sure that many will follow Captain Hare's admirable lead in entertaining these wounded heroes.

Yours truly,

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