

BEXLEY BOROUGH WW1 ROLL OF HONOUR



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We would, of course, welcome any more information or revised details about any of these names. We have also traced almost 800 photographs of these WW1 casualties from the Bexley area. Please email archives@bexley.gov.uk for more information.

Guide to the sequence of information below:

Name; Rank; Service No.; Regiment or service; How died (see key below); Where died; Date of death; Age at death; Where commemorated or buried; Address or other local links; Local Memorial(s); Family & relatives; Local papers / articles; Websites; Other information

Key to abbreviations:

BLSAC = Bexley Local Studies & Archive Centre

CWGC = Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Died = i.e. usually died of illness, or other causes

DCM = Distinguished Conduct Medal

DoW = Died of wounds

F&F = France/Flanders

Home = in the UK. Other theatres of war are listed e.g. at sea, Gallipoli, Mesopotamia etc.

KiA = Killed in action

MC = Military Cross

MM = Military Medal

NoK = Next of kin

OTC = Officer Training Corps

SDGW = UK, Soldiers Died in the Great War, 1914-1919 (<u>www.ancestry.com</u>)



ABBOTT, George Stanley; Corporal; Y/632; 3rd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; Died; Greece; 28/09/1918; 23; Mikra British Cemetery, Greece; Born & baptised Belvedere, 39 Lyndon Road / 3 Picardy Hill, Belvedere, Boy Scout in Belvedere, Erith Grammar School pupil; Belvedere War Memorial. Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of George W. & Eliza Abbott; Erith Observer 1 November 1918; A clerk with the Metropolitan Water Board. Enlisted Woolwich, September 1914. Attended Belvedere Methodist Church.

ABRAMS (Abrahams), Frank; Bombardier; 54723; G Bty. Royal Horse Artillery; Died; F&F; 07/11/1918; 31; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France; Born Bexleyheath. Family at Garden Lodge, Brampton Road, Son of Michael Frank Arnold Abrahams/Abrams (A policeman in Bexleyheath) & Sarah, Husband of Lily E.L. Abrahams of Fulham, Resident Fulham, A labourer. (Name varies in spelling - Abrams/Abrahams).

ACKLAND (or **AUKLAND**), George; Lance Corporal; 9096; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/07/1918; 22; Aval Wood Military Cemetery, France - II. AA. 1; 8 Blackhorse Road, High Street, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Thomas & Elizabeth Ackland; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Camberwell. Enlisted Lewisham. A porter for W.S. Jarrett Outfitters of Sidcup High Street.

ADAMS, Albert; Private; 40416; 6th Btn. East Yorkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 02/10/1917; 41; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 47 to 48 & 163A; 32 St John's Road, Erith; Son of William Adams of Erith, husband of Ada Caroline Adams, of 126 Britton Street, Gillingham, 1 son; A publican in Gillingham. Enlisted Chatham.

ADAMS, Charles John Norman; 2nd Lieutenant; 2nd Btn. Grenadier Guards; DoW; F&F; 14/11/1918; 29; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France; The Vicarage, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George Adolphus Samuel & Beatrice. Father was vicar of Christchurch in 1909; http://www.hambo.org/kingscanterbury/view_man.php?id=116; Born Argentina. Educated at Oxford University.

ADAMS, George Allsop; 2nd Lieutenant; 3rd, attd. 7th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/04/1917; 19; Feuchy Chapel British Cemetery, France, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: II. H. 13; Laurel Lodge, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Albert Edward & H. A. Adams of Laurel Lodge, Sidcup, brother of Horace; Student at St John's College, Hurstpierpoint.

ADAMS, Horace Sidney; Private; 29590; 2nd Btn. Wiltshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 18/10/1916; 24; Thiepval Memorial, France, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: Pier & Face 13 A; High Street, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Mr Albert Edward & Honor Alice Adams of Sidcup. Brother of George Allsop; Sidcup & District Times 27 April 1917; Enlisted Woolwich. Wounded in 1915, spent 4 months in UCL hospital recovering.

ADAMS, John Henry (J as I on Memorial); Captain; Army Pay Department; Died; Home; 25/02/1919; 36; Bexleyheath Cemetery; Father in Bexleyheath, wife in Eltham; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Francis & Ursula, married to Jessie, 1908; Died of pneumonia, High Peak Hotel, Nottingham.

ADAMS, Thomas Humphrey; Private; 15937; 2nd Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 23; Thiepval Memorial, France; Worked at Royal Arsenal Co-op in Bexleyheath; Son of Tom & Charlotte Adams of Charlton; Assistant grocer. Enlisted Woolwich.

AGER, William James; Stoker 2nd Class; K/29041Royal Navy, HMS Defence; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 23; Plymouth Naval Memorial; 19 Mill Road, Erith; Son of the late George & Amelia Ager; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident Dartford.

AKERS, William Henry; Private; 33528; 6th Btn. Border Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 31; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 85 to 86; 37 Horsa Road Belvedere; Enlisted Bexleyheath. Son of William & Lucy. Husband of Frances Ellen. Born Plumstead. A baker.



ALCHIN (ALLCHIN on CWGC & censuses), William Thomas; Private; G/9765; 4th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/01/1916; 19; Cité Bonjean Military Cemetery, France; 13 High Street /17 Baston Road, High Street, Plumstead (CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial; Son of John W. & Mary Ann; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/allchin/; Born Peckham. A mill hand. Family had also lived in India.

ALDER, Alfred William; Sapper; 126752; Royal Engineers; Died; E. Africa; 30/07/1917; 37; Dar es Salaam War Cemetery, Tanzania; Maud Cottage, Standard Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William C. & Ellen H.; Born Portsmouth. A GPO clerk.

ALDERTON, George Sergeant; G/8008; 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/04/1918; 32; Brandhoek New Military Cemetery No.3, Belgium - I. O. 25.; Born Bexleyheath. 3 Pinnacle Hill; Son of Naphtali & Margaret; http://janetandrichardsgenealogy.co.uk/Sgt%20G%20Alderton.html; Enlisted Deptford. Resident Lewisham. Engineer's assistant.

ALDOUS, George; Private; 2093; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 16/06/1916; 41; Bray Military Cemetery, France; Jubilee Road, Foots Cray; Son of Henry & Mahalia. 6 children & a stepson. Re-married, husband of Annie. Born Essex. A farm worker (Beaverswood Farm, Chislehurst); Enlisted Woolwich.

ALDRIDGE, Claude Vincent; 7777; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; born 1885; 4, Ashburnham Road, Belvedere. Details unverified; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Frederick & Mary; Born Enfield. An iron trimmer/Barman Army 1904.

ALDRIDGE, John Patrick; Private; 4782; 1st Btn. Connaught Rangers; Died; Palestine; 29/10/1918; 22; Haifa War Cemetery, Israel - B. 4.; Resident Erith; Son of Alfred & Mary of West Ham. Husband of Edith; Born Essex, enlisted Canning Town. Died of pneumonia.

ALLCHIN, Albert George; Able Seaman; J/4333; Royal Navy, HMS Laurel; KiA; At sea; 28/08/1914; 21; Gillingham (Woodlands) Cemetery; 201 Snowdrop Road, Lodge Lane (CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Henry E. R. & Helen Anna. Brother of Henry; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/allchin-3/; Joined Royal Navy in 1911.

ALLCHIN, Frederick John (A. J. on Memorial); Private; 26035; Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 20/07/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Bridgen. Resident 3 Pleasant Row, Westbourne Grove, Crayford; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Charles & Edith Alice; Family were farm workers.

ALLCHIN, Henry Richard; Private; 62512; 8th Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 09/04/1917; 27; Gourock Trench Cemetery, France; 201 Snowdrop Road, Lodge Lane (CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Henry E. R. & Helen Anna. Brother of Albert http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/allchin-2/; Born Peckham. A bookstall clerk (W.H. Smith).

ALLCHURCH, Ernest Francis; Private; 15198; 1st Btn. Coldstream Guards; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 22; Thiepval Memorial, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); NoK Herbert Allchurch (brother) c/o Mrs Lacey, Gt Missenden, Bucks. Sister Alice Lilian signed for his 1914-18 Star & Victory Medal; Resident Great Missenden. Enlisted Camberwell, February 1915.



ALLEN, Arthur George; Rifleman; 15857; 3rd Btn. New Zeal & Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 03/01/1917; 32; Estaires Communal Cemetery & Extension, France; The Lees, Hadlow Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Benjamin & Mary Persis Allen of Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times 19 January 1917 photo;

http://ndhadeliver.natlib.govt.nz/delivery/DeliveryManagerServlet?dps pid=IE11045370; Educated at Marlborough House School Sidcup & had worked in Martins bank in Sidcup before travelling away.

ALLEN, Arthur Thomas; Rifleman; C/9472; 20th King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 03/05/1917; 38; Duisans British Cemetery, France; 47 Burnell Avenue (CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Edward & Mary Ann; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/allen-2/; Born Plumstead. A labourer.

ALLEN, George; Private; L/7633; 2nd Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1915; 31; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 12 & 14; Born Sidcup, Resident Sidcup - 21 Oxford Road; Son of George & Emily Allen; A general labourer.

ALLEN, George James; Private; L/10101; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 21/09/1918; 19; Unicorn Cemetery Vendhuile, France; Bexleyheath resident. 5 Devonshire Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Ada;

http://www.janetandrichardsgenealogy.co.uk/L%20Cpl%20G%20J%20Allen.html ; Born in India (father in Army). Enlisted Maidstone.

ALLEN, Herbert Mortley; Sapper; 140856; 1st Provisional Company Royal Engineers; Died; Home; 14/02/1916; 31; Fort Pitt Military Cemetery, Chatham; 11 Ruskin Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Charles Robert Allen of 8 Church Square, Rye, Sussex. Husband of Beatrice Allen of Belvedere; Born Rye. A house painter.

ALLEN, John James; Lance Corporal; 11579; 2nd Btn. Royal Berkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/12/1917; 26; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium. Commemorated on his family Gravestone in St Michael's Church East Wickham Graveyard along with his mother; Son of John & Mary; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/allen-3/; Born Silvertown. A cutter. Enlisted Canning Town.

ALLIN, L. J. W. Leslie John Wallis; Sub-Lieutenant; Royal Navy, HMS President; Died; Home; 06/03/1919; 20; Cambridge City Cemetery, Cambridgeshire, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: C. 3553; Monaby, 36 Hatherley Road, Sidcup. Merton Court School pupil; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Mr & Mrs H. Allin of Pietersburg, Transvaal, South Africa (Grandparents in Sidcup); Sidcup Times 14 Mar 1919; Worked at Bank of England. Died of pneumonia/meningitis.

ALLPORT, Alfred Robert; Fitter; 41879; 134th Bty. 32nd Bde. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 31/03/1917; 27; Haute-Avesnes British Cemetery, France - B. 3.; 63 Crayford Road, Erith; Son of William Robert & Eliza Grace Allport of London, husband of Nellie Follis (formerly Allport,) of Erith; A furniture maker.

ALLWRIGHT, Albert Edward; Private; G/1986; 8th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 15/07/1916; 19; La Neuville British Cemetery, France; Born Bexleyheath 18 Broadway; Son of Ernest & Emily Allwright of Brighton; A tailors shop boy in Brighton.

ALLWRIGHT, James William Ladson (I.W.L. on Memorial); Electrical Artificer 2nd Class; M/997; Royal Navy, HMS Vanguard; KiA; At sea; 09/07/1917; Chatham Naval Memorial; 10 The Nursery, Northend, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of James Robert & Emma Louise Ladson; Bexleyheath & District Times 27 July 1917; Educated at Crescent Road School & apprenticed at Vickers Erith. Joined Navy in 1909.



AMBLER, John; Mechanician; 299904(CH); Royal Navy, HMS Vanguard; KiA; At sea; 09/07/1917; 34; Lyness Royal Naval Cemetery, Orkney - F. 136A29; Crumpsall Street, Abbey Wood, London; Son of Robert & Ellen S. Ambler, husband of Ellen M. Ambler of Abbey Wood; Born at Plumstead. A cartwright.

ANDERSON, Harold; Private; G/30854; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 11/05/1918; 19; Ribemont Communal Cemetery Extension, France; 2 Springfield Road; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of John & Minnie. Brother of John http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/&erson-2/; Born Woolwich.

ANDERSON, John David; Corporal; 21375; 7th Machine Gun Corps; KiA; Italy; 22/07/1918; 26; Montecchio Precalcino Communal Cemetery Extension, Italy; 67 Upper Wickham Lane/King's Highway, Plumstead (CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of John & Minnie. Brother of Harold; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/&erson/; Born Plumstead. Regular soldier.

ANDERSON, Joseph John; Lance Corporal; 23514; 1st Btn. Royal Irish Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 11/04/1917; 35; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; Born North End Erith, baptised at Christ Church Bexleyheath; Son of Joseph John & Henrietta, husband of Annie E.; Enlisted Stratford. Resident Leyton. A stoker.

ANDREWS, Alfred; Acting Bombardier; 155276; "B" Bty. 72nd Bde., Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 07/06/1917; 37; Railway Dugouts Burial Ground, Belgium, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: Sp. Mem. B. 10; Hazeldene, Corbylands Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Wife Jessica living at Hazeldene, Corbylands Road Sidcup (daughter of Mr David Carruthers of Buff Cottage Corbylands Road.); Sidcup & District Times 22nd June 1917; Born Waltham Abbey. Enlisted Hertford. A house painter.

ANDREWS, Harry Lancelot Scholefield; Gunner; 83096; 189th Heavy Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; Died; Palestine; 10/10/1918; 36; Ramleh War Cemetery, Israel; Mother at 'Ecclesbourne', Erith Road, Bexleyheath; Son of Florence Scholefield Andrews, husband of Alice (1911); Bexleyheath Observer 25/10/1918; Born Wisbech, Cambridgeshire. A shop salesman. Enlisted Whitehall.

ANSELL, Arthur Roland; Rifleman; 393591; 1st/9th Btn. London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles); KiA; F&F; 14/04/1917; 22; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 10; Resident Erith; Son of the late Stephen & Eliza Ansell; Born Canterbury. A Rectory servant.

ANSLOW, A. (Alexander); Corporal; 53035; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 27/09/1918; 37; Hermies Hill British Cemetery, France; Resident Whitehall Lane, Slade Green; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of William & Mary Ann. Brother of Minnie Rosina Petley / Pithy of Slade Green / Crayford; Born Peckham. Enlisted Camberwell. Railway engine stoker.

ANSLOW, Ernest; Sergeant; 9205; 2nd Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 23/10/1916; 24; Thiepval Memorial; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of William & Mary Ann, brother of A. Anslow? In foster care?; Regular Army? Enlisted Essex.

APPLIN, Geoffrey Walter Henry; 2nd Lieutenant; 1st Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 23; Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Face 1 C; North View, Sidcup; Son of Walter Coombs Applin & Ada Applin; Bank of England employee.

ARCHER, Anthony; Gunner; 686853; "D" Bty. 330th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 02/05/1917; 19; Cambrin Military Cemetery; Resident Bexley, Family at 110 High Street, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of George Archer; Bexleyheath Observer 25 May 1917, Bexleyheath & District Times 8 June 1917; Born Hertfordshire. Formerly employed at Vickers Erith. Enlisted Erith.



ARGENT, James Ernest; Private; 242250; 6th Btn. King's Own Scottish Borderers; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 19; Pozières Memorial, France; Resident 34 McLeod Road, Abbey Wood; Son of the late William James & Minnie Mary Ann, stepson of Charles Filmer; Born Poplar. Enlisted Finsbury.

ARLETT, Frederick George; Private 28973; 1st/5th Btn. Royal Warwickshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 22/08/1917; 24; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 23 to 28 & 163A; Resident Erith; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Henry & Eliza; Born Southampton. An apprentice butcher.

ARMSTRONG, William Thomas; Private; L/10409; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/09/1918; 20; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; 5 Stanmore Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William Albert & Edith; Bexleyheath Observer, 18 Oct 1918; Born Greenwich. A fitter's mate. Enlisted Woolwich 1914

ARNOLD, Robert; Private; 51084; 17th Btn. Manchester Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1917; Torreken Farm Cemetery No.1, Belgium; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Born Greenwich, resident Walworth. Formerly, S4/110060, R.A.S.C.

ASHBY, Alfred Horace; Private; L/6859; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 23/10/1914; 29; Loos Memorial, Belgium - Panel 2; 6 Maximfeldt Road, Erith / 150 Broadway, Bexleyheath / 7 Glendale Rd, Erith; Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial. Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Horace & Emma, married to Ethel Maud (1910). Brother of Edward James; Bexleyheath Observer 20 August 1915; Worked at Callenders.

ASHBY, Edward James; Private; G/358; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 11/07/1915; 22; Calvaire (Essex) Military Cemetery, Belgium - III. A. 3.; 7 Glendale Road, Erith; Enlisted Erith. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Horace & Emma Ashby, brother of Alfred Horace; Bexleyheath Observer 20 August 1915; Enlisted 1914. Worked at Callenders.

ASHBY, Thomas; Acting Bombardier; 31772; "K" Bty. Royal Horse Artillery; DoW; F&F; 20/10/1914; 23; Hazebrouck Communal Cemetery, France - III. A. 18.; 206 Bexley Road, Erith. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Brother of William Ashby, of Erith – NoK; Born Maidstone. Enlisted Canterbury. Formerly a policeman.

ASHDOWN, George; Rifleman; R/32075; 6th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 13/10/1917; 24; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 115 to 119 & 162A & 163A; Born Bexley. Enlisted Bexleyheath. Resident Erith. 13 Arthur Street, Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of George & Alma Ashdown of 13 Arthur Street, Erith. A sack porter.

ASHTON, Cyril James; Captain; "C" Coy. 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 12/03/1918; 23; Merville Communal Cemetery, Nord, France, Grave Reference/Panel Number: VII. A. 42. ; "Norton," Church Avenue, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Reuben & Frances Jane Ashton of Sidcup. (Father headmaster in Sidcup); Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; http://www.greatwarbritishofficers.com/index htm files/GWBexleyheath Observer. Ashton. Cyril. pdf; Dartford Grammar School pupil. A trainee clerk. Joined Queen's Westminsters, 31 August 1914. Gazetted 2nd Lt. 4 December 1914. Twice previously wounded at Hohenzollern Redoubt, 1915 & Somme, 1916.

ASHWORTH, Sydney; Private; 28456; 11th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 07/10/1916; 20; Thiepval Memorial, France, Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Joseph & Charlotte http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58421-sydney-ashworth; Resident Leigh, Lancs. Killed by sniper.



ASPIN, William Thomas; Private; 21108; 7th Btn. King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry; DoW; F&F; 16/09/1915; 29; Sailly-sur-Lys Canadian Cemetery, France; Born & baptised Crayford. 32 Lenham Terrace, Old Road, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of John & Henrietta, husband of Mary Jane (second wife); Bexleyheath Observer 8 October 1915; http://www.yettontogether.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/09/Aspin-William-Thomas Summary.pdf; Enlisted Huddersfield. Farm labourer/weaver in Yorkshire.

ATKINSON, Edwin; Fireman; Mercantile Marine, SS Tycho (Hull) Drowned; At sea; 20/05/1917; 30; Tower Hill Memorial, London; Born at Erith, baptised at Christ Church; 'North Road?'; Son of Ann Elizabeth Atkinson, & the late Edwin Atkinson; husband of Matilda Atkinson (nee Dowden), of Hull; Merchant seaman. Ship was sunk by UB40 whilst en route from Bombay to Hull with a general cargo.

ATKINSON, Stanley Jerram; Private; 536930; 13th Kensington Btn. London Regiment; Drowned; At sea; 30/12/1917; 30; Chatby Memorial, Egypt; "Woodberry," Hatherley Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet Son of Mr. Charles Howard Atkinson & the late Mrs Ann Eva Atkinson.; Bexleyheath Observer 8 February 1918; Born Islington. A bank clerk. Drowned en route to Egypt.

ATTENBOROUGH, William; Corporal; T/4/238772; Army Service Corps; Died; Home; 17/12/1916; 45; Bexleyheath Cemetery (474); West Kent Nursing Home, Bexleyheath / 45 Granville Road Welling; Son of Emma; Born Aldershot. Munitions worker at Royal Arsenal.

AUDSLEY, William Thomas; Gunner; 114653; 50th Bty. 34th Bde, Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 09/02/1917; 20; Aveluy Communal Cemetery Extension, France - L14; 72 High Street, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Edward & Ann Audsley; Bexleyheath Observer 23 February 1917, Bexley & District Times 2 Mar 1917; Formerly employed by Messrs G.P. & J. Baker Silk Printers Crayford. A bell-ringer at St Paulinus.

AUSTEN (AUSTIN), Leonard Victor; Rifleman; S/34010; 13th Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 08/05/1918; 21; Pozières Memorial, France; 135 Riverdale Road, Erith. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Albert & Agnes; Enlisted Woolwich.

AUSTIN, William Frederick; Private; G/4766; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 22/07/1916; 23; Thiepval Memorial, France; 25 Chapel Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War panels; Son of Thomas Austin; Born Dulwich. A steward.

AVERY, William Ernest; 2nd Lieutenant; 16th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 26; Thiepval Memorial, France; Boy Scout in Sidcup & North Cray. (His father was president of the Sidcup Local Association of Baden Powell Boy Scouts.); Son of Richard Ernest & Mary Ann Louisa Avery of Bromley;

http://www.newmp.org.uk/article.php?categoryid=99&articleid=1269&displayorder=29; An engineer. Under-manager of Bewicke Maine Colliery, Durham.

BADDELEY, John Frederick; 2nd Lieutenant; 7th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 21; Dantzig Alley British Cemetery, France; Family at 'Holmleigh', Picardy Hill, Belvedere in 1911. Erith Grammar School pupil; Belvedere War Memorial, Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of Dr Charles Edward & Amelia Mary Baddeley, of Wimbledon; http://www.kingscollections.org/warmemorials/kings-college/memorials/baddeley-john-frederick; Born Shropshire. Medical student at Kings College. Son of an Erith doctor.



BADDELEY, Percy Kynnersley; 2nd Lieutenant; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 29/06/1916; 22; Citadel New Military Cemetery, Fricourt, Somme, France, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: II. D. 8.; "Kynnersley", Priestlands Park Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of Frederick & Alice Rose Baddeley; Sidcup & District Times 7 July 1916; A clerk.

BAILEY (for BARLEY), Arthur; Corporal; P.W.2948; 18th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 28/06/1918; 40; Esquelbecq Military Cemetery, France; Resident Erith 111 Riverdale Road (1911), 1 Westbourne Grove, Bexleyheath (1915); Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of the late William & Elizabeth, husband of Jane (married at Crayford 1910); Born Wandsworth. Enlisted Woolwich. A general labourer/dock worker.

BAILEY, Frank Walter; Private; 3718; 2nd/6th Btn. Gloucestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 19/07/1916; 22; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 60 to 64; Born Erith. 110 High Street; Son of Frank & Rose Bailey; Enlisted Bristol. A clerk.

BAILEY, Frederick; Lance Corporal; 372484; 8th Btn. London Regiment (P O Rifles); KiA; F&F; 30/10/1917; 24 Tyne Cot Memorial; 37 Lion Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Sarah, brother of Henry Thomas. A labourer.

BAILEY, Henry Thomas; Private; 55376; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 19/08/1917; 28; Godewaersvelde British Cemetery, France; Born Bexleyheath. Baptised at Christ Church, 37 Lion Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Sarah, brother of Frederick; DoW from burns from gas shell. A porter.

BAKE, Hugh Ernest Lee ("Hughie"); Private; 1656; 2nd Pioneers, Australian Infantry AIF; KiA; F&F; 05/05/1917; 20; Villers-Bretonneux Memorial, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of Thomas Henry Lee Bake & Dorothy Emma Mary Bake; https://www.aif.adfa.edu.au/showPerson?pid=11004; Born London. A farm worker in Australia.

BAKER, Cyril Percival; Lieutenant; 7th Btn. Oxford & Bucks Light Infantry; DoW; Balkans; 08/05/1917; 29; Doiran Memorial, Greece; Ivydene, Cold Blow, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of George Percival & Mary Emily Baker, brother of Douglas Stanley Baker; News cuttings file A-B p 85 Picture & article; Worked as sales manager for oriental carpet company, & lived in Persia before WW1. Gazetted November 1914.

BAKER, Douglas Stanley; Lieutenant; 87th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; DoW; F&F; 23/07/1916; 26; Puchevillers British Cemetery, France - I. B. 58; Ivydene, Cold Blow, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of George Percival & Mary Emily Baker, brother of Cyril Percival Baker; Bexleyheath Observer 4 August 1916, News cuttings file A-B p 87 Picture & article; University of London OTC & McGill University, Canada.

BAKER, Frank; Private; 10916; XII Army Cyclist Corps; Died; Salonika; 07/10/1918; 34; Kirechkoi-Hortakoi Military Cemetery, Greece; 76 Apple Avenue / 124 Bostall Lane; East Wickham War Memorial, Memorial at St Michael & All Angel's Abbey Wood; Son of George Lewis & Anne Packham, husband of Ada; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/baker/; Born Chiddingstone. An outfitter's assistant.

BAKER, George Emanuel; Lance Corporal; G/4744; 8th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/09/1916; 37; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 5 D; Born Crayford. Resident Bexleyheath - 35 Woolwich Rd / Pinnacle Hill; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Martha; Erith Observer 6 October 1916; Enlisted Woolwich. A general labourer.



BAKER, Henry Tillet (E. T. on Memorial); Armourer; 345914; Royal Navy, HMS Good Hope; KiA; At sea; 01/11/1914; 30; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; Born Erith. 118 Hengist Road, Erith. (48 Hengist Rd). Vickers employee; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Henry Tillet & Harriett; Erith Times 4 December 1914; An engineer. RN reservist.

BAKER, Hubert David; Private; 225819; 2nd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 20; Pozières Memorial, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of the late Hubert John & Emma Baker. NoK Sister, Janet Rigg; Born Greenwich. Lewisham Workhouse c1912. Enlisted Camden.

BAKER, William; Private; 681889; 22nd Btn. London Regiment; DoW; Home; 21/06/1917; 31; Christ Church Churchyard, Dunkirk, nr Canterbury, Kent – Special Memorial; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Henry & Amerzon Baker of Dunkirk, Kent; http://www.boughton-dunkirk-hernhill-warmemorials.com/bakerw.html; Chislehurst Resident. A gardener.

BALDING, Archibald Leonard ("Archie"); Private; 28186; 1st/4th Btn. King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment); DoW; F&F; 19/04/1918; 19; Longuenesse (St Omer) Souvenir Cemetery, France - V. A. 59.; Born & baptised Belvedere. 43 Coleman Road; Son of Joseph & Harriet Balding, of South Lodge, Dorchester; Resident Berkshire, enlisted Newbury. A gardener.

BALDRY, Arthur Ernest; Bombardier; 24501; 4th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 27/12/1915; 30; Duhallow A.D.S. Cemetery, Belgium; Bellegrove. Baptised at St John's Welling; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of James & Eliza; Bexleyheath Observer 21 January 1916; c1911 25y in India? 82 Loy Royal Garrison Artillery Gunner.

BALDWIN, Walter Edwin; Lance Corporal; 9436; 1st Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 16/06/1915; 22; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 21; 4 Grove Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Ada Baldwin & the late Staff S.M. W. Baldwin (R.A.S.C.); A labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.

BALDY, W. Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels

BALL, Frederick Albert; Trooper; 1660; Household Btn. Household Cavalry; KiA; F&F; 11/04/1917; 22 Arras Memorial, France - Bay 1; Born Bexleyheath. The Limes, Heathfield Road. Baptised at Christ Church; Son of George William & Ellen, brother of George Richard; Resident Battersea. A law clerk

BALL, George Richard; Private; 34895; 16th Btn. Royal Welsh Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 02/08/1917; 24; New Irish Farm Cemetery, Belgium -XXII. C. 19.; Born Bexleyheath. The Limes, Heathfield Road. Baptised at Christ Church; Son of George William & Ellen Ball, brother of Frederick Albert; Resident Battersea. A law clerk. Enlisted Holborn

BALL, Joseph William; Lance Corporal; G/10682; 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 18/01/1917; 29; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium - X. D. 22; 27 Gayford Way, Crayford. West Street, Erith Married at St John's Erith, 1913; Son of George & Elizabeth Ball, husband of Rosetta Isabella Hellewell (formerly Ball) of Crayford; Born St Pancras. Enlisted Maidstone. A baker.

BALLARD, Frank; Sergeant; 8910; 2nd Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); KiA; F&F; 04/03/1917; 26; Thiepval Memorial, France; Pretoria Cottages, North Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial & St James North Cray Memorial; Son of Charles & Annie; Sidcup & District Times 30 Mar 1917 article & photo; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Born Dulwich. Regular soldier, stationed in Malta at outbreak of war.



BALLARD, James Goulding; Private; 74850; Labour Corps (formerly Royal Fusiliers G/73636); DoW; F&F; 14/06/1917; 37; St Sever Military Cemetery Extension, Rouen; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of George & Mary Ballard, of Fordingbridge, Hants, husband of Mabel Ellen Ballard, of Ringwood, Hants; A carpenter.

BANNISTER, Henry Walter; Rifleman; 650462; 1st/21st London Regiment (1st Surrey Rifles); DoW; F&F; 06/04/1918; 33; Varennes Military Cemetery, France; 81 Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Married 1906 Susannah Moore http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/bannister/; Born Peckham. A clerk for Camberwell Council.

BARBER, John Charles; Lance Corporal; 9722; Scots Guards; DoW; F&F; 04/08/1917 26; Etaples Military Cemetery XXII. N. 4A.; Born Sidcup. 19 Blackhorse Road; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of John & Alice Barber of Sidcup, Kent, husband of Amelia Barber of 24 Fabian Road, Fulham; Resident Abingdon. Croix de Guerre.

BARDEN, Conrad Ernest; Sergeant; L/9603; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 26; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 106 to 108; "Stanmore," Upton Road, Bexleyheath; Son of Ernest James & Elvina Mary Barden; A clerk. Enlisted Woolwich. Proceeded overseas August 1914, seriously wounded April 1915, returned to the Front May 1917.

BARHAM, Frederick William Miles; Rifleman; 0/207; 7th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 19; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 81 to 84; Born Bexley, resident Sidcup. 116 Woodside Road, Sidcup; Emmanuel Church, Sidcup; Son of John & Susan Barham; Enlisted Woolwich

BARHAM, Joseph; Private; 32936; 11th Btn. King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment); KiA; F&F; 26/11/1917; 41; Cambrai Memorial, France; 9 Lewin Road. Born & enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Joseph & Elizabeth; A farm worker.

BARKER, Bernard Whittenbury; Corporal; 4935; 2/1st Battalion Honourable Artillery Company; KiA; Italy; 25/10/1918; 21; Tezze British Cemetery, Italy; Moat House, Park View Road, Welling; Welling Memorial Hall; Son of Allison Barker http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/barker-2/; Born Brentford.

BARKER, Christopher Theodore; Able Seaman; London Z/3162; Nelson Btn. R.N. Div., Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve; KiA; F&F; 23/04/1917; 33; Arras Memorial, France, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: Bay 1; Holly Park Farm, Halfway Street, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Husband of Helen; Worked for L.C.C. Parks Department as a gardener. Resident Catford.

BARKER, Henry Joseph; Private; G/60389; 1st Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 14/04/1918; 25; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium - Panel 1 & 2; 25 Albert Road, Bexley; Son of Henry Joseph & Mary Adeline, husband of May Florence Barker (1912) of Bexley; Born Bermondsey. Enlisted Camberwell. A cellar man.

BARKER, James Edward [B on the 1930 list by mistake?]; Private; 9251; 7th Btn. Norfolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 12/08/1916; 41; Thiepval Memorial, France; 36 Bethel Road, Welling; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Samuel & Martha, husband of Elizabeth, 5 children; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/barker-3/; Born West Ham. A labourer/painter & decorator.

BARKWAY, William George; Private; 235245; 4th Btn. Leicestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 02/12/1917; 29; Cambrai Memorial, France; Resident Belvedere, enlisted Erith; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Edward & Rachel; Born Suffolk. Formerly 16929, Royal West Kent Regt. A butcher.



BARLEY (BAILEY), Arthur; Corporal; PW 2948; 18th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 28/06/1918; 40; Esquelbecq Military Cemetery, France; 111 Riverdale Road, Erith in 1911; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of William & Elizabeth, married to Jane Godfrey (1910); Also on Bexleyheath War Memorial as **BAILEY**.

BARLEY, John George; Lance Corporal; 416; 10th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 21; Ovillers Military Cemetery, France; Born Manor Road, Foots Cray; Son of Joseph Edward & Jane Elizabeth Barley; A solicitor's clerk. Resident Cleethorpes. Enlisted Grimsby.

BARLOW, Albert Edward; Private; 225; 8th Manitoba Regiment (Canadian Infantry); KiA; F&F; 14/06/1916; 24; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 61 Wickham Street (CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial; Only son of Alfred & Annie Louisa; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/barlow/; Born Birmingham. Emigrated 1900. A machinist.

BARLOW, John Thomas; Private; 5372; 8th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; DoW; F&F; 02/07/1916; 21; Daours Communal Cemetery Extension, France - II. A. 13; Born Erith. 2 Maxim Road, Erith; Son of Thomas & Annie Maud Barlow; Labourer in Boiler Shop (1911). Enlisted Woolwich.

BARNE, Miles; Major; Suffolk Yeomanry & Household Cavalry (cf. 2 entries on SDGW) - Attached 1st Btn. Scots Guards; DoW; F&F; 17/09/1917; 43; Mendinghem Military Cemetery; Family owned land locally (cf. Barnehurst); St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Lady Constance Barne. Relatives in Wangford, Suffolk (details on CWGC), husband of Violet; https://imtheboy.wordpress.com/2009/11/15/major-m-barne-dso1st-battalion-the-scots-guardskilled-17-September-1917/; Army career. Killed by "friendly fire" from a British warplane. Stood trial for a 1915 "Christmas Truce".

BARNES, Frederick Charles; Private; 72739; 18th Field Amb. Royal Army Medical Corps; DoW; Home; 31/03/1918; 40; Westcott St John, Surrey; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Frederick & Harriet Barnes, of Dover, husband of L. L. Barnes, of Westcott, Dorking; https://www.dorkingmuseum.org.uk/private-frederick-charles-barnes/; A gardener.

BARNWELL, Harold; Test Pilot (Vickers Co.); Killed; Home; 25/08/1917; 39; St Mary's Churchyard, Byfleet, Surrey; Vickers Chief Test Pilot. Worked at Erith & Crayford factories: also patient at Crayford Hospital patient after flying accident; Son of Richard Barnwell, a director of the Clyde shipbuilder, Fairfields; http://britishaviation-ptp.com/barnwell_bros.html; Born Lewisham, educated at Fettes College Edinburgh; Aircraft engineer & designer, & chief test pilot for Vickers. Died in air crash at Joyce Green airfield.

BARRETT, Frederick Henry; Private; 10082; Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 19/08/1917; 24; Vlamertinghe New Military Cemetery, Belgium; 1 Amelia Cottages, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Frederick Richard & Elizabeth Ann?; Born Sittingbourne. A labourer (discharged from Worcestershire Regiment in 1915 for munitions war work).

BARRETT, John Henry; Sapper; 11712; 9th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; DoW; F&F; 01/04/1918; 19; Duisans British Cemetery, France - VI. F. 13.; Resident Erith; Son of John Henry, sister, Mary Lydia NoK; Born Deptford.

BARRY, John (Jnr); Private; T/241937; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 23/08/1918; 20; Bécourt Military Cemetery, France; 1 Myrtle Villas, Erith Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of W. John & Elizabeth, brother of Michael; Born Cork, Ireland. Father worked on trams. In Bexleyheath in 1911 (a school & news boy) Enlisted Woolwich.



BARRY, Michael; Rifleman; R/24000; 18th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 07/06/1917; 20; Voormezeele enclosure No.3, Belgium; 1 Myrtle Villas, Erith Road; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of W. John & Elizabeth, brother of John; A clerk.

BARTLETT, John James; Private; 20354; 1st Btn. Dorsetshire Regiment; Died; Home 03/03/1919; 19; Camberwell Old Cemetery; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of James & Emily Bartlett of Denmark Hill, Camberwell; Born Hastings, school in Ramsgate.

BARTLETT, William (Willie); Gunner; 82667; 144th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 23/08/1917; 30; Bard Cottage Cemetery, Belgium; Durham Road, Sidcup; Son of Mary Bartlett, of Penzance, husband of Alice (Married 1917); Sidcup & District Times 21 September 1917; Formerly a linotype operator for the Sidcup District Times. Born Cornwall

BARTON, Edward James; Sergeant; 18447; 12th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 09/08/1915; 30; Thiepval Memorial, France; 75 High Street, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Thomas & Minnie; Erith Observer, Bexleyheath Observer 27 August 1915, Erith Times 3 September 1915 photo; Born Plumstead. Regular army. Enlisted Woolwich.

BARTON, George Sydney; Leading Seaman; J/4308; Royal Navy, HMS Natal; Killed; At sea; 30/12/1915; 22; Chatham Naval Memorial; 20 Sandford Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Annie Laura Barton of Sandford Road Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath & District Times & Dartford Chronicle 14 January 1916 photo http://www.hmsnatal.co.uk/; Born Dartford. Joined navy in 1910, previously an errand boy.

BASHFORD, Henry Fletcher; Private; 8097; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); DoW; F&F; 16/09/1915; 30; Wimereux Communal Cemetery, France; 31 Lower Road Erith; Son of William & Elizabeth Bashford; Bexleyheath Observer 24 September 1915; Born Chelsea. Regular army, enlisted 1905 & served in India & South Africa.

BASS, Charles Robert; Gunner; 965977; "D" Bty. 44th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 25/09/1918; 25; Epehy Wood Farm Cemetery, France; Worked at Royal Arsenal Co-Op in Belvedere; Son of Charles & Julia; Resident & enlisted Plumstead. A clerk.

BASSETT, Alfred William; Private; 51328; 17th Btn. London Regiment; DoW; F&F; 07/05/1917; 29; Boulogne Eastern Cemetery, France; Born Sidcup. Family lived at Hurst Farm Cottages; Son of Edward & Louisa Bassett of Sutton-at-Hone, Dartford, Kent, husband of Ellen Wall (formerly Bassett), of 6 Beechtree Row, Wellington Road, St Mary Cray, Kent; Enlisted Bromley. A carman.

BASSETT, Frank Ernest; Private; G/10038; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/05/1917; 19; Orchard Dump Cemetery, France; Myrtle Cottage, Arthur Street, Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Thomas Abraham & Annie Melina; Bexleyheath & District Times 29 June 1917; Enlisted Woolwich. A grocer's assistant.

BATEMAN, Charles Albert; Sergeant; 20039; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F 21/03/1918; 20; Pozières Memorial, France; Born Shirley Road, Foots Cray; Son of Frederick & Martha Louisa Bateman of Westerham; Resident & enlisted Westerham.

BATSFORD, Bernard; Private; G/5131; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; F&F; 20/07/1916; 40; Thiepval Memorial, France, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: Pier & Face 11 C; 4 Nash's Cottages, Cray Road; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of William & Harriet, partner of Sarah Ann Wilkinson of 4 Nash's Cottages; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC, Sidcup & District Times18 August 1916; A general labourer. Enlisted Bromley.



BAULK, Ernest Henry; Farrier Sergeant; 686831; "B" Bty. 293rd Bde. Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 13/11/1918; 29; Dartford, East Hill Cemetery - A. 715; Born Erith. Employed at Crayford print works. Enlisted Erith; Son of Samuel & Emily; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident Dartford. A horseman. Died at Fort Pitt Hospital Chatham of asthma & bronchitis.

BAULK, Harry Percy; Private; G/2779; 8th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 25/09/1915; 22; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 13 to 15 59; Crayford Road, Crayford; Belvedere War Memorial; Brother of William Baulk of Crayford; Born Yorkshire. Gas worker. Enlisted Woolwich.

BAX, William Charles; Lance Sergeant; 15506; 6th Btn. Royal Dublin Fusiliers; KiA; Gallipoli; 30/08/1915; 19; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 190 to 196; 3 Bakers Cottages, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of William John & Lily Martha; Bexley & District Times 1 Oct 1915 & photo; St Paulinus School. Calico works apprentice before army.

BAXENDALE, David; Private; 201708; 4th Btn. King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment); KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 25; Tyne Cot Cemetery, Belgium; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Born, resident & enlisted Leigh Lancs. A cotton piercer.

BAXTER, Arthur; Private; G/1055; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 23; Loos Memorial, France; Employed by Wm Cory, Erith Works; Son of Harriet; Born & resident Charlton. Regular army.

BAYLEY, James Henry; Lance Corporal; 32703; 2nd Btn. Hampshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/09/1918; 37; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: 6; Whitehill Cottages, Foots Cray / 24 Birkbeck Road. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Brother of Thomas George Bayley of Foots Cray; A plumber.

BAYLEY, Thomas George; Private; 327687; 1st Btn. Cambridgeshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 03/09/1917; 30; Reninghelst New Military Cemetery, Belgium, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: IV. G. 8; Born Sidcup, Enlisted Bexleyheath; Resident Foots Cray 10 School Cottages, Church Road; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Married to Edith Deighton, 1912, 2 children, brother of James Bayley; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC. A carman.

BAYLIS, Charles William; Rifleman; A/201063; 7th Btn. Kings Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 27/08/1917; 36; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 6 Albert Grove. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Welling Memorial; Son of John & Ann; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/bayliss/ Born Putney. A bricklayer.

BEADLE, Harry; Private; 425748; 10th (County of London) Btn. (Hackney) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 29/08/1918; 30; Honourable Artillery Company Cemetery, France - V. H. 23; Born Crayford. Resident Crayford 10 Sawmill Rd; Son of George & Mary Ann; Bexleyheath Observer 27 Sep 1918; Enlisted Dartford. Moulder's labourer

BEADLE, Jesse; Private; 1906; 2nd Australian A.I.F.; KiA; Gallipoli; 07/08/1915; 24; Lone Pine Cemetery, ANZAC, Turkey; Mother at 125 Broadway, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Jesse & Susannah, married Laura in Australia, 1 daughter; Bexleyheath Observer 10 September 1915. Erith Observer 10 September 1915; Born Wilmington. Formerly worked at Bexleyheath Post Office. Emigrated 1914.



BEADLE, T. (for Charles Thomas); Boy 1st Class; J/42327; Royal Navy, HMS Indefatigable; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 17; Chatham Naval Memorial; Born Erith. Family at Stoneham's Cottages, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Charles Henry & Mary nee Crabb (in Putney), Uncle George Beadle in Crayford in 1911. Family of Watermen.

BEAGLEY, Harry John Thomas; Stoker; K/30352; Royal Navy, HMS Indefatigable; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 21; Chatham Naval Memorial; Born baptised & resident Belvedere. 17 Gilbert Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Mrs J. M. A. Beagley & the late Mr H. Beagley; Erith Times 9 June 1916 photo. A shell hand.

BEAL, John Thomas; Private; 295222; 1st/4th Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 16/08/1917; 40; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 52; Resident Belvedere 20 Brigstock Road Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Mr & Mrs J. Beal of 3 Invicta Road, Sheerness, Kent, husband of Flora Beal of Belvedere; Worked: Erith branch of The Co-op.

BEAN, Samuel; Private; 34223; 1st Btn. Hampshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/04/1915; 40; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 35; Born Bexleyheath. Resident Bexleyheath; Son of the late Alfred & Mary Ann Bean; Enlisted Stratford.

BEARBLOCK, Charles Henry; Lieutenant; 9th Btn. Essex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 20/10/1915; 22; Vermelles British Cemetery, France - I. G. 8.; Educated at Pearce's School, Sidcup (Merton Court); Son of Engineer Captain Charles William John Bearblock, C.B., R.N. (retired), & Mrs Annie Rosetta Bearblock, of Owley Cottage, South Brent, Devon; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Educated at Pearce's School, Sidcup, & Dover College O.T.C. Joined University of London O.T.C. Aug., 1914 & commissioned 2nd Lt. September., 1914. A law student.

BEARDMORE, George E.; Guardsman; 12345; 1st Btn. Irish Guards; DoW; Home; 26/07/1919; 22; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - E 240; Born & baptised at Erith. 5 Cross Street. 40 Mill Road Belvedere; Son of Arthur Isaac & Mary Jane Beardmore; Enlisted Woolwich. Died at Bethnal Green Military Hospital.

BEARHAM, Ernest Walter; Gunner; 53467; 46th Bty. 39th Bde, Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 06/12/1917; 22; Bard Cottage Cemetery, Belgium. VC 33; Born in Slade Green. Resident 18 Willow Road Slade Green; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of James Thomas & Elizabeth Eliza Bearham of Willesden; Erith Observer 17 January 1918; In 1911 a farm worker. Also worked at Crayford sawmills. Enlisted Woolwich.

BEARHAM, Stanley; Private; 1887; 18th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; F&F; 08/08/1918; 26; Adelaide Cemetery, Villers-Bretonneux, France - I. E. 15; Born Crayford. Attended Crayford National School. Lived 40 Woolwich Rd, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Charles John & Frances Hannah Bearham; Bexleyheath Observer 6 September 1918; https://www.aif.adfa.edu.au/showPerson?pid=17523; A ship steward. Enlisted June 1915.

BEATTEST, Cyril Frederick John; "Rifleman"; 472013; 2nd/12th Btn. London Regiment (The Rangers); KiA; F&F; 22/08/1918; 24; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France - Panel 10; 31 Izane Road, Bexleyheath; Son of John Frederick Beattest of Bexleyheath; https://www.flickr.com/photos/24412520@N07/27054097803/; Born Battersea. A Civil Service clerk (Board of Agriculture).

BEAVER, Arthur Louis; Private; L/15397; 4th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 25/10/1914; 19; Le Touret Memorial, France; Born Erith Road, Bexleyheath; Son of Thomas & Mary; A copperplate printer. Resident Holborn.



BEDFORD, Edward Terrance Bertyn; Captain; 34th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 28/05/1917; 22; Achiet-le-Grand Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Born & baptised Belvedere (All Saints); Delbrook, Picardy Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Edward & Sarah Dinah Bedford; Bexleyheath Observer 8 June 1917; Father, a wealthy civil engineer. Sister, Madeline Ida Bedford, was a WW1 poet.

BEDWELL, William; Private; 232560; 2nd/2nd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 26/10/1917; 36; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 148 to 150; 20 Cross Street, Erith; Son of Matilda Bedwell, husband of Laura; Born Suffolk. A bricklayer. Enlisted Woolwich.

BEE, Sidney; Driver; 945454; 58th Div. Ammunition Col. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 11/09/1917; 19; Gwalia Cemetery, Belgium - II.A.16; Boy scout in Bexley; Bexley Woods Memorial; Son of James Carrick Gordon Bee & Edith Eliza Bee of Eltham; Born Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich.

BEER, George; Colour Sergeant / CSM; 9627 (108060); Ox & Bucks LI & Labour Corps; Died; Home; 10/11/1918; 51; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery; 39 Poplar Mount, Erith & 70 Milton Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial & Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Samuel & Mary, married to Elizabeth; DCM & MM. First enlisted in 1886. Served in South African War (awarded DCM). Born Islington, died at Dewsbury Military Hospital of influenza.

BELCHER, Franklin Nares; Private; 350920; London Regiment; Died; Home; 09/09/1918; 37; Erith Cemetery (F/273); Born Belvedere. 1911 Census The Briars, Lessness Park; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of James W. & Rose Emily Belcher; Resident Beckenham. Telegraph clerk. On Memorial as T.N. Belcher. Discharged on medical grounds July 1918.

BELL, Alan Robert; Private; 77438; 7th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 24/05/1915; 30; Vimy Memorial, France; Netherall, Sidcup; Son of Thomas Best Bell & Mary Bell; http://www.templelodge33.ca/Temple-Lodge-War-Dead.html#ARBell; Born Surbiton. Trainee solicitor at Royal Exchange Assurance Co. Emigrated to Canada. A mason. Enlisted September 1914.

BELL, John Henry; 2nd Engineer; Merchant Navy Mercantile Marine, SS Algarve; KiA; At sea; 20/10/1917; 52; Tower Hill Memorial; 61 Horsa Road Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Henry & Eliza, married to Hannah Knaggs (1896); Born Hartlepool. A marine engineer in Erith. Sunk by German U-boat U38

BELL, William John; Private; G/14402; 16th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1918; 38; Roisel Communal Cemetery, France; Born Crayford, resident Bexleyheath 38 Rowan Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John Losh & Sarah Ann of Higham House, Brampton Road Husband of Rebecca Bell (1905), 1 daughter; Enlisted Woolwich. A florist

BELLINGHAM, Percy Edmund; Rifleman; S/17523; 12th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 31/08/1916; 27; Thiepval Memorial, France; Manor Cottage, North Cray; St James North Cray Memorial; Husband of Mary Rosina, married at North Cray; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Born Maidstone. Enlisted Woolwich. A gardener. Shot in heart.

BELTON, Henry George (Harry); Rifleman; 651814; 21st Btn. London Regiment (First Surrey Rifles); KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 20; Thiepval Memorial, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Brother of Alfred Belton, of Greenwich. Enlisted Deptford.

BENFIELD, Charles; Rifleman; 375021; 8th Btn. City of London Regiment (Post Office Rifles); KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 21; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Brother of John. NoK of Emily Benfield of 25 Hanlon Street, Deptford (Aunt?); Deptford resident. Factory worker.



BENFIELD, John; Rifleman; C/4671; 17th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 04/06/1916; 23; Bethune Town Cemetery, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Brother of Charles, husband of Ethel Maud (1915), 1 daughter (also called Ethel Maud); Resident Clerkenwell. Boot repairer.

BENGE, Henry Alfred; Private; 283347; London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 26/10/1917; 33; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium, Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Alfred & Maria Benge of 155 Lower Road, Belvedere, husband of Mrs Brett (formerly Benge), of Sydenham; One of 3 Benge brothers killed. Enlisted Woolwich.

BENGE, Robert James; Private; 9545; 2nd Btn. King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 09/04/1915; 25; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 155 Lower Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Alfred & Maria Benge of 155 Lower Road, Belvedere, husband of Elizabeth (married Pontefract, 1912); One of 3 Benge brothers killed. Enlisted Woolwich.

BENGE, William Fred; Private; 50617; 2nd Btn. Suffolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/05/1917; 31; Arras Memorial, France; Lived 60 Manor Road at 1891 census. Lived 1 Industry Cottages; Lower Road 1901; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Alfred & Maria Benge, husband of Lavinia, 2 children. One of 3 Benge brothers killed; Bexleyheath Observer 22 June 1917; Enlisted Woolwich. A wheelwright, sewing proprietor.

BENNETT, Stephen John; Sapper; 92624; 81St Field Coy., Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 31/07/1917; 19; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Born Bexley, family at Albert Road; Son of Emma Gale (formerly Bennett) of Ascot, Berks., & the late Harry Bennett; Resident Ascot, Berks. In 1911 Census a paper deliverer.

BENTLEY, Roland Cunard; Private; G/20056; 7th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 36; Arras Memorial, France; 70 Oaklands Road / 7 New Road Bexleyheath. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Maria Elizabeth, husband of Margaret of Bexleyheath; A chartered secretary (City property company).

BEST, Sidney James; Private; 6402; London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/10/1916; 40; Warlencourt British Cemetery, France; 18 Upper Abbey Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of James & Alice Constance, husband of Martha Anne, 6 children; Bexleyheath Observer 3 November 1916, Erith Observer 3 November 1916; Worked at Crossness Outfall Works.

BEVAN, William Thomas; Private; 47099; 7th Btn. North Staffordshire Regiment; KiA; Iran; 26/08/1918; 40; Tehran Memorial, Iran - Panel 4. Column 1; 101 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Mr & Mrs W. Bevan, husband of Eliza Bevan of Sidcup; Born Wrotham. A builder's carman in St Mary Cray.

BEVANS, John Samuel; Gunner; 181018; 32nd Bty. 33rd Bde. Royal Field Artillery; Died; (POW) Germany; 16/10/1918; 21; Berlin South-Western Cemetery, Brandenburg, Germany, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: XVIII. A. 6.; 64 Warwick Road, Sidcup. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Sidcup War Memorial & Congregational Church, Sidcup; Son of Alfred & Dorothy Alice Edith Bevans; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Enlisted 1916. Twice wounded, taken prisoner May 1918.

BEVINGTON, Rupert Edwin; Private; 27560; 2nd Btn. King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment); Died; Home; 07/11/1919; 26; Leigh Cemetery, Leigh, Lancs.; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Edwin & Elizabeth; http://www.militaryimages.net/media/rupert-edwin-bevington.95312/; Died Brighton. A baker.



BEVIS, David Ernest; Private; 4055; 51st Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; Died; Home; 22/07/1918; 32; Brookwood Military Cemetery, Surrey; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of William John & Selina Bevis, husband of Maude Bevis, of Guildford, Western Australia; http://www.guildfordanzacs.org.au/anzac/51; Native of Melbourne. A labourer. Died of pneumonia.

BEWICK, James Brason; Private; 18804; 9th Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; Gallipoli; 10/08/1915; 24; Helles Memorial, Turkey; Callender's employee; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of James & Mary Jane; Born & enlisted Newcastle. An engineer's clerk.

BICKERSTETH, Stanley Morris; Lieutenant; 15th Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 25; Queens Cemetery, Puisieux, France; Born Belvedere Vicarage. Baptised at All Saints Belvedere; Son of The Rev. Samuel Bickersteth, D.D., Vicar of Leeds (afterwards Canon of Canterbury), Chaplain to the King, & of Ella Chlora Faithfull; http://www.yorkshireindexers.info/wiki/index.php?title=BICKERSTETH, Stanley Morris; Father was Vicar of Belvedere? Educated at Rugby & Christ Church, Oxford. Joined his regiment in September 1914, serving first in Egypt.

BIGDON (BRIGDEN on Foots Cray Memorial), Edward; Driver; T3/029104; 25th Div. Train, Army Service Corps; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 23; Bancourt British Cemetery, France, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: I. D. 19.; 4 Granville Cottages, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Frederick & Catherine; Enlisted Bromley. A farm hand.

BIGGS, Roland Murray; Private; 3491; 54th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; F&F; 01/09/1918; 35 Péronne Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Family in Bexleyheath in 1891. 14 Standard Road; Son of Frederick William (Bigg) & Augusta, husband of Louisa E. Biggs, of Newbury, Berks; http://welford-wickham.co.uk/rol&-murray-biggs.html; To Australia in 1912. A labourer for the Sulphide Corporation, NSW.

BILLINGTON, James Gartside; Corporal; 232688; 2nd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 16/06/1917; 29; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; West Heath Cottage, Woolwich Road, Abbey Wood. 1911 in 1A The Chestnuts, Albert Road, Belvedere. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Clara Billington, of Abbey Wood, & the late Edward Billington; https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/124933295/james-gartside-billington; A clerk

BINGHAM, William; Corporal; 57078; Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 02/05/1918; 27; Etaples Military Cemetery, France; 28 Springfield Road / 19 in Rate Books 1918 (like Arthur Hughes); East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of Harry & Mary Ann of Plumstead, married 1912 Edith Titcombe, 2 children; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/bingham/ Born Chatham. Worked for Port of London Authority.

BIRD, Fred; Sergeant; 77646; 20th Sqdn., Royal Flying Corps; KiA; F&F; 23/05/1917; 24; Vlamertinghe Military Cemetery, Belgium, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: VII. B. 1.; Elm Villa, Elm Road, Sidcup, Kent; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Thomas L. & Eliza Bird; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC. Sidcup & District Times 6 July 1917. Enlisted 1915 (RAMC): transferred to RFC February 1917.

BIRD, John; Rifleman; S/20598; 13th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 04/11/1918; 33; Ghissignies British Cemetery, France - B9; Born Crayford; Son of Charles & Susan; Resident New Eltham, enlisted Woolwich.

BISHOP, Frederick; Fitter; 55542; Royal Field Artillery/Royal Horse Artillery; Died; Home; 15/12/1916; 34; Erith (St John the Baptist) Churchyard; 5 Sutherland Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Frederick & Minnie Bishop, husband of Margaret, 2 children; Bexleyheath Observer 19 January 1917; http://jwappleton.net/genealogy/histories/Frederick%20Bishop/Frederick_Bishop.htm; Enlisted Woolwich, A machinist.



BISHOP, James; Private; 37302; Cameronian (Scottish Rifles); Died; Home; 22/10/1918; 27; East Clader Churchyard, Midlothian, Scotland; Died Sidcup -? Queen's Hospital? Details unverified; Son of John & Rachel Bishop, husband of Catherine White Murphy Bishop of Carluke, Lanarks.; http://scottishwargraves.phpbbweb.com/scottishwargraves-ftopic996.html; Born: Livingston, West Lothian. Enlisted: Uphall, West Lothian. Residence: Mid Calder.

BLACK, Allan Davidawitch; Captain; Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 27/05/1918; 24; Soissons Memorial, France; Summerfield, Church Avenue / Gresham Lodge, Sidcup. Married at St John's Sidcup (memorial plaque in church); Son of the late David Black of Petrograd, Russia, husband of Nurse Marjorie Hale of Sidcup, 1 daughter; https://www.greatwardundee.com/entry/black-allan/; Territorial Army Officer. Resident Dundee. Textile industry manager.

BLACKMAN, Percy Rowland; Private; 43129; 13th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/09/1916; 20; Villers Station Cemetery, France - IV. A. 1.; Resident Erith; Son of Thomas & Ellen; Born Lydd, Kent. (A servant in 1911 census).

BLACKSTONE, Henry (Harry) Thomas; Corporal; L/10497; 7th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 10/08/1917; 21; Tyne Cot Cemetery, Belgium, Grave Reference/Panel Number: LXVII. F. 15.; 58 Ashley Terrace, Longlands, Sidcup, Kent; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of William George & Harriet Blackstone; Sidcup & District Times 30 August 1917; Enlisted Guildford.

BLACKWELL, Allen; Corporal; 707220; 2nd Regiment Canadian Mounted Rifles; Died; F&F; 06/11/1918; 31; Quievrain Communal Cemetery, Belgium; NoK in Belvedere: Mrs Ethel Andrews, sister, 38 Caldy Road Belvedere; Son of James & Ann Blackwell, of Duxford, Cambs.; http://www.canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=29692; Born Cambridgeshire. A farmer in Canada

BLACKWELL, Gerald Davies; Lieutenant; 6th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers. Attd. 47th Coy. Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 07/06/1917; 23; La Laiterie Military Cemetery, Belgium; Worked for Fraser & Chalmers Ltd of Erith, 'Digs', was given as c/o Mrs Marshall, Tower Hill, Belvedere; Son of John & Eliza Emily Blackwell, of West Hartlepool; www.peterdoylemilitaryhistory.com/userimages/a-c.doc; Engineering draughtsman. Attended Woolwich Polytechnic School.

BLACKWELL, Horace; Rifleman; A/2007; 9th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 21/03/1918; 38; Pozières Memorial, France; Resident Belvedere in 1911 with brother, 2 Caldy Road, Belvedere; Son of James & Ann; http://www.duxfordvillage.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/05/Horace-Blackwell-MM.pdf; Born Cambridge. Enlisted Birmingham. Previously served in Royal Navy. An engineering labourer at cable works. MM

BLACKWELL, John Henry; Rifleman; 12808; 17th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 20/09/1917; 21; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 115 to 119 & 162A & 163A; 4 St Paul's Road, Northumberland Heath, Erith; Son of Mrs. Harriet Blackwell; An errand boy in 1911. Enlisted Woolwich.

BLADES, Edwin; Private; 32239; 1st Btn. Shropshire Light Infantry; Died; Home; 27/10/1918; 34; St John's Churchyard, Great Marsden, Lancs.; Died Sidcup -? Queen's Hospital? Details unverified; Son of Jeffrey & Ann Blades, husband of Harriet Blades, of Nelson, Lancs.; Born Bainbridge, Yorkshire. A carter.

BLAIN, Benjamin John Sidney; Private; 11186; 21st Lancers (Army reservist); Died; Home; 07/04/1917 (buried); 52; Bexleyheath Cemetery; 9 Highland Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of James & Louisa, husband of Sarah Ann (married Erith), father of Albert Edward; An army pensioner. Clerk at Vickers. Born Plumstead.



BLAKER, Matthew John; Private; 32094; 8th Btn. Border Regiment; KiA; F&F; 07/02/1917; 36; Tancrez Farm Cemetery, Belgium - II. D. 6.; 5 The Nursery, Erith; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Matthew & Martha Jane, married Laura Ellen 1910; http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=11507488; Worked: Erith branch of The Co-op. Enlisted Woolwich.

BLAND, Alfred Edward; Captain; Manchester Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 34; Dantzig Alley British Cemetery, France; Devon Lodge, Knoll Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Husband of Violet Amy Bland; Sidcup & District Times 28 July 1916; https://www.express&star.com/news/2017/11/25/i-am-half-eager-half-fearful-unseen-letters-from-an-ww1-officers-wife-on-the-eve-of-the-somme/; Graduate of Queen's College Oxford. Worked at Public Records Office, author of economic history textbooks.

BLATHWAYT, Gerald Wynter; Captain; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 14/09/1914; 35; Vendresse British Cemetery; Born Belvedere. 5 Erith Road (Baptised at All Saints Belvedere); Son of Arthur P. Blathwayt & Mary Constantia Blathwayt, husband of Margaret Aline of Eltham, 2 daughters; http://www.ourwatfordhistory.org.uk/content/service-people/blathwayt-g-w; Career Officer. Cambridge University. Woolwich Garrison Cricket Club.

BLOFELD, Robert Alban; 2nd Lieutenant; 8th Btn. Hampshire Regiment; DoW; Palestine; 20/04/1917; 30; Jerusalem Memorial, Israel - Panels 28 & 29; The Manor House, Sidcup; Son of Mary Blofeld, & the late Thomas Squire Blofeld; A clerk.

BLOOMFIELD, Alan Nelson; Lance Corporal; S/12689; 16th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 21; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 81 to 84; 72 Brook Street, Erith; St Paul's Church Northumberland Heath Memorial Tablet; Son of Charles & Ellen Bloomfield; Born Eltham. A junior clerk. Enlisted Chelsea.

BLOOMFIELD, Leonard Stanley; Private; G / 1879; 8th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/09/1915; 19; Loos Memorial, France; Wingmoor, Vicarage Road, Bexley / Drellingore, North Cray Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Mrs Elizabeth M. Bloomfield & the late Richard William Bloomfield, brother of Sidney Herbert; Bexleyheath Observer 22 September 1916, Bexley & District Times 26 November 1915 photo; Enlisted Bromley.

BLOOMFIELD, Sidney Herbert; Able Seaman; J/8083; Royal Navy, HMS Pathfinder; KiA; At sea; 05/09/1914; 20; Chatham Naval Memorial – 2; North Cray Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Mrs Elizabeth M Bloomfield of North Cray Road, Bexley, Kent, & the late Richard William Bloomfield, brother of Leonard Stanley; Bexleyheath Observer 11 September 1914; Ship torpedoed.

BLOWERS, Horace William Victor; Lance Corporal; 20658; 1st Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 09/10/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Employed at Crayford Tanyard, Dartford resident Maiden Lane; Son of Alice & Joseph; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees. Enlisted Dartford.

BLUNDELL, Frank Benjamin George; Sergeant; 206560; 2nd/4th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); Died; F&F; 30/11/1918; 24; Terlincthun British Cemetery, France, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: XII. A. 16.; 193 Woodside Road, Sidcup. (Aunt's address); Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William Henry & Eliza Hannah Blundell, of Chislehurst, Kent, nephew of Mrs Vallins of Sidcup; Sidcup Times list 28 February 1919; http://www.merrowresidents.org.uk/Warmemorialbook.htm; Croix de Guerre (Belgian). Died in an

<u>http://www.merrowresidents.org.uk/Warmemorialbook.htm</u>; Croix de Guerre (Belgian). Died in an Australian hospital at Wimereux of influenza.



BOND, Arthur Reginald; Sergeant; S/2746 10th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 03/06/1916; 23; White House Cemetery, Belgium - III.D.19; Hillgrove / The White Horse PH in 1918. Also 10 Police Quarters, Berber, Abbey Wood; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of John Rathbone & Gabrielle C., married 1916 Laura (nee Weekes) 10 Police Quarters, Berber, Abbey Wood; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/bond/; Born Essex. (Parents ran White Horse pub in Welling).

BOND Edmund; Lieutenant; Machine Gun Corps 32nd Batt; KiA; F&F; 01/10/1918; 27; Joncourt East British Cemetery, France; A teacher at Belvedere Boys' School; Belvedere War Memorial, Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of Harry & Margaret Bond of Morecambe, husband of Gertrude H. Bond of Fulham, London (1916); Erith Observer 30 May 1919; University of London OTC. Teacher.

BOOKER, Norman Allan Walter; Rifleman; S/25511; 10th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 30/11/1917; 18; Cambrai Memorial, France; Born North Cray. Resident Foots Cray. 6 Orchard Villas, Twysdens; Foots Cray Memorial; Son of William T. & Mary E. (Father a sewerage works labourer); Enlisted Woolwich.

BOOTH, Robert; Private; 21014; No.5 Supernumerary Coy. 5th Btn. National Reserve; Died; Home; 21/09/1915; 35; Greenwich Cemetery; 24 Maxim Road, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Robert & Susie, married Kate Eliza Wickham, 1902; Formerly East Surrey Regiment, joined the Reserves in Erith 1915. Died of nephritis.

BOSANQUET, Sidney Courthorpe; 2nd Lieutenant; 1st Btn. Middlesex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 17/12/1914; 20; Houplines Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Born Belvedere; Son of Charles John & Edith Bosanquet, of 16 Kidbrook Park Road, Blackheath; Junior manager of Lancashire ironworks. Gazetted August 1914.

BOSWELL, L. C. (Leonard); Lieutenant; East Ontario Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/08/1918; 27; Ligny-St Flochel British Cemetery, France; Born Bexleyheath, 68 Sherston Place, Watling Street; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels Son of Edward & Annie; http://21stbattalion.ca/tributeac/boswell_lc.html; A carpenter. Emigrated to Canada 1912. MM.

BOTTEN, John; Private; G/18541; 2nd Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 24/09/1918; 19; Berthaucourt Communal Cemetery, France - C12; Black Fen Cottages, Lamorbey / 28 Maiden Lane, Crayford; Son of George & Emma; Bexleyheath Observer 18 October 1918; Born Eltham. Enlisted Woolwich.

BOTTING, Edward Charles; Private G/915; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 21; Loos Memorial, France; 12 Wheatley Terrace, Erith. Employed by Wm Cory, Erith Works; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of John Edward J. & Kate Alice; Born Battersea. A crane driver.

BOURNE, Leonard George; Private; 11747; 1st Btn. Coldstream Guards; KiA; F&F; 22/07/1917; 29; Canada Farm Cemetery, Belgium, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: I. E. 28; 26 Bedford Road, Sidcup, Kent; Sidcup War Memorial & Emmanuel Church, Sidcup, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of John Cain Bourne & Martha Ann Bourne; Sidcup & District Times 10 August 1917; Born Sheppey. Enlisted Woolwich.

BOWDEN, Charles Herbert; Private; G/12994; 9th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/09/1918; 26; Maroc British Cemetery, France - III. A. 9.; Born Erith. 14 Battle Road; Son of Charles & Clara; Enlisted Maidstone. A marine store dealer.



BOWIE, Henry; Lance Corporal; 87377; Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 19/06/1917; Vlamertinghe New Military Cemetery, Belgium; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Husband of Florence; https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/11407529/henry-bowie; Born Greenwich. Enlisted Croydon.

BOWLES, Frank; Private; 6582; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); DoW; Home; 15/05/1916; 35; Wolverton Cemetery, Buckinghamshire - N. 49.; Born Erith. Resident 29, Bexley Lane, Crayford; Son of John & Elizabeth Bowles of Erith, husband of May Bowles of Crayford; https://familysearch.org/photos/people/2528907; A gasfitter. Enlisted Woolwich.

BOYLE, Alec; Private; 10305; 4th Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; Gallipoli; 04/06/1915; 25; Helles Memorial; Family in North Cray; Son of R. H. & Sarah Anne Boyle of Gillingham, Kent, his brothers, John Thomas & Robert Hamilton also died in service.

BOYLE, John Thomas; Private; 9499; 2nd Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/11/1914; 26; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial; Family in North Cray; Son of R. H. & Sarah Anne Boyle of Gillingham, Kent, his brothers, Alec & Robert Hamilton also died in service; Regular army. In India in 1911.

BOYLE, Reginald Arthur; Lance Corporal; 841; 5th Btn. Seaforth Highlanders; KiA; F&F; 13/11/1916; 20; Mailly Wood Cemetery, France, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: I. H. I2.; 63 Hatherley Road, Sidcup, Kent; Sidcup War Memorial. (Also Memorial Cross in St John's Church, Sidcup); Son of Arthur Thomas & Martha Amy Boyle; Sidcup & District Times 8 December 1916; A boy scout in Sidcup

BOYLE, Robert Hamilton; Sapper; 1st Signal Coy. Royal Engineers; Died; Home; 11/09/1914; 29; Aldershot Military Cemetery; Born & baptised at Sidcup St John's November 1884. Family in North Cray; Son of R. H. & Sarah Anne Boyle of Gillingham, Kent, his brothers, Alec & John Thomas, also died in service; Enlisted Maidstone. A carpenter prior to regular army. (Serving in S. Africa in 1911).

BRABANT, Henry Allen; Rifleman; S/21447; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade (PCO); KiA; F&F; 09/07/1917; 34; Level Crossing Cemetery, France - I. E. 35.; Walnut Tree Cottage / 10 North End Road, Erith. Enlisted Erith; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Richard Charles & Caroline Frances of Maidstone, married Rose Ellen Edser; A postman.

BRADFORD, Harry (H. A.?); Private; 57394; 6th Btn. Welsh Regiment; Died; Germany; 29/12/1918; 38; Cologne Southern Cemetery, Germany - IX. C. 21.; 60 & 36 Arthur Street, Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Owen & Philadelphia Bradford of Borough Green, Sevenoaks, Kent, husband of Sarah Bradford (1914); http://plattmemorialhall.org/warmemorial/world-war-one/harry-bradford-1880-1918/; Born Wrotham. A brick maker. Died of pneumonia.

BRADFORD, William Robert; Private; 7600; 1st Btn. Leicestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/10/1914; 27; La Ferte-sous-Jouarre Memorial, France; Born Crayford, baptised at St Paulinus; Son of William Henry & Harriet Susan; Regular soldier.

BRADLEY, Charles Walter Raymond (Raymond on CWGC); Sub-Lieutenant; Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, Drake Btn.; KiA; F&F; 13/11/1916; 20; Ancre British Cemetery, France; 1 Hurst Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial, St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Walter & Jessie Bradley of Hurst Road; Bexleyheath Observer 6 April 1917; https://www.iwm.org.uk/collections/item/object/205291534; Also at Gallipoli, hospitalized with enteric fever, pronounced for to return to duty Summer 1916.



BRADLEY, John Salmon; Private; G/9272; 1st Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/09/1916; 24; Thiepval Memorial, France; Apple Avenue Lodge Lane Welling. Worked at Welling Co-op; Son of John & Emily, (Emily at Welling Hutments), brother of William Ballard Bradley, husband of Annie R. of Great Yarmouth; Born & raised in Gorleston, Norfolk. A grocer's assistant.

BRADLEY, William Ballard; Private; 20957; 8th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 18/11/1918; 19; St Sever Military Cemetery Extension, Rouen; Apple Avenue Lodge Lane Welling. (Mother's address); Son of John & Emily. (Emily at Welling Hutments). Brother of John Salmon Bradley; Born Gorleston, Norfolk. Resident Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich. A grocer's assistant.

BRAME, Victor Cyril; Bandmaster; RMA; 10242; R M Art. HMS Invincible; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 31; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; Pickford Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William Benson Thomas & Emily; Born Kennington. A clerk.

BRAND, Frederick John; Rifleman; 12th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 17/08/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Israel & Dinah Papworth (Minnie); Born & resident Cambridgeshire.

BRASNETT, Lewis Robert; Mate; Mercantile Marine, SS Humber (London); KiA; At sea; 25/01/1918; 36; Tower Hill Memorial, London; Born at Erith. (High Street). Baptised at St John's; Son of the late Robert John & Annie Brasnett, husband of Ada Brasnett (nee Cone), of 4 Stour Terrace, Mistley, Essex. (Father was dentist/chemist); http://www.cooks&kennys.co.uk/cook_david_1870_humber_article_kathleen_gooding.htm; Merchant seaman, resident Harwich. Sunk by U-boat.

BRAUND, Albert Edward; Rifleman; C/4641; 2nd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 07/08/1916; 32; Flatiron Copse Cemetery, France - III. C 7.; Born Bexley. 58 Bexley High Street; Son of William & Eliza. Husband of Rose; Resident Chelsea, a waiter.

BRAWN, Mark; Lieutenant & Quartermaster; Bedfordshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/09/1918; 38; St Martin Calvaire British Cemetery, France; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of William & Anne; http://bedfordregiment.org.uk/4thbn/4thbtnofficersdied.html; A school teacher. DCM. Born Elton Hunts. Killed by enemy aircraft. A mason.

BRAYSHAW, William; Private; 7179; 1st Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment; DoW Home; 06/07/1918; 32; Wadsley Church Cemetery, Yorkshire; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of William & Mary Ann, husband of Florence; A steel forge man. Born & enlisted Sheffield. Died of wounds at Queen's Hospital Sidcup.

BRAZIER, William Jesse; Private; 8426; 1st Btn. Border Regiment; KiA; Gallipoli; 28/04/1915; 27 Helles Memorial, Turkey; 5 Belvedere Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, Bexley Strict Baptist Chapel Memorial; Son of Jesse W. & Harriet; Erith Observer 4 June 1915; Born Jesse William. Former scholar of Bexleyheath National Schools. An agricultural labourer before army (served in Burma)

BREAREY, George Charles; Private; 76491; 4th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 08/10/1918; 19; Forenville Military Cemetery, France H4; Corstorphine, 1 Grove Road, Abbey Wood; Son of George Charles & Theresa Brearey. Born Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich.



BREETHING, Harry Ebenezer; Staff Sergeant; 540443; Royal Engineers; Died; Home; 06/11/1918; 37; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - M. 829.; South Road, Erith; Son of Joseph & Lizzie, husband of Lydia C. Breething, of Hanamell, Blue Bell Hill, Rochester. (Married 1904); https://www.masonicgreatwarproject.org.uk/legend.php?id=339; Born Sevenoaks. Enlisted Gravesend. An engineering pattern maker. Died of pneumonia.

BREEZE, Reginald Francis; Private; 8244; Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 15/07/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 8 C 9 A & 16 A; Victoria Road, Sidcup; Son of George Edward & Ellen May Breeze of Sidcup, formerly of Chorlton-cum-Hardy, Manchester. Born Leeds (worked in Boots store).

BRESNAHAN (BROSNAHAN on CWGC), John Joseph; Rifleman; 5-3479; 8th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 19/05/1917; 32; Wancourt British Cemetery, France; Employed by Wm Cory, Erith Works; Son of Cornelius & Mary Brosnahan of Hales Street, Deptford, husband of Prudence Elizabeth Stoner (formerly Brosnahan) of Deptford; Resident Deptford. A farrier.

BRETT, Charles Frederick; Gunner; 28001; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 05/11/1918; 35; Crayford (St Paulinus) Churchyard - North of Chancel; 8 Westbourne Grove, Crayford; Son of Harriet. Husband of Edith (1912, Crayford); Born Bow Common. MM 1916. Bricklayer's labourer/carman. Discharged, wounded 1916. Died of influenza

BRETT, Hugh Corthorn; Captain; 7th Btn. Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 29/07/1916; 24; Mailly-Maillet Communal Cemetery Extension, France - D. 13; Oakbank, Landsdowne Road, Sidcup; Son of Julie Brett of Sidcup, & the late William Leopold Brett; Born Liverpool. Pupil of Fettes College. A merchant's assistant.

BREWER, Ernest (Ernest Clement); Rifleman; S/17532; 12th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 07/10/1916; 25; Thiepval Memorial, France; 28 Springfield Road, & 36 The Flats, Woolwich Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William Thomas & Sarah Ann, married Mary E. Titcombe 1914, 3 children, brother of William; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/brewer/; (Father served on Bexley UDC.) A florist's labourer, also worked at Royal Arsenal.

BREWER, William Thomas; Private; G/16165; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 18/07/1917; 40; Abbeville Communal Cemetery Extension; 33 Woolwich Road Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William Thomas & Sarah Ann, husband of Emily, brother of Ernest; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/brewer-2/; Regular soldier.

BRIDGE, Herbert Mortley; Corporal; S/1213; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/11/1917; 33; Fifteen Ravine British Cemetery, France; 6 Stapley Cottages, Stapley Road / 41 Ripley Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William & Charlotte, husband of Emily; Enlisted Woolwich, Barrel washer.

BRIDGE, William David; Lance Corporal; 7368; 2nd Btn. Irish Guards; KiA; F&F; 28/09/1915; 20; Bully-Grenay Communal Cemetery, France; Resident Bexley 47 High Street; Old Bexley War Memorial (David); Son of William & Charlotte; Bexleyheath Observer 31 December 1915, Bexley & District Times 29 October 1915 & photo; In 1911 a business assistant (wine & spirits store). Killed while rescuing wounded.

BRIDGEWATER, Harold Ernest; Paymaster Sub-Lieutenant; Royal Naval Canadian Volunteer Reserve; Died; Home (Canada); 22/10/1919; 29; Esquimalt (Veterans') Cemetery, British Columbia, Canada – 245; 3 Carlton Road, Sidcup; Husband of Eleanor Emily Bridgewater, of Sidcup (1917); A writer/clerk. A farmer in Canada. Enlisted in RNCVR August 1914. Died of peritonitis after operation to cure dysentery.



BRIGDEN, Edward; Driver; T3/029104; 25th Division, Army Service Corps; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 21; Bancourt British Cemetery, France; 4 Granville Cottages, North Cray; St James North Cray Memorial; Son of Frederick & Catherine; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Farm hand. Enlisted Bromley.

BRIGGS, Joseph Richard; Gunner; 101609; Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 30/09/1917; 34; Erquinghem-Lys Churchyard Ext., France 73; Foster Terrace, Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Joseph W. & Marietta A., assumed married to Minnie; Bexleyheath Observer 23 November 1917; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/briggs/; Born Sussex. A nurseryman.

BRIGHT, Joseph Charles; Lance Corporal; 23262; 11th Btn. Suffolk Regiment; DoW; F&F; 07/04/1917; 25; Aubigny Communal Cemetery, France; 21 Sussex Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Only son of single mother Florence Bright; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Sidcup & District Times 13 April 1917 photo; Born Essex, enlisted Woolwich. A printer at Sidcup District Times, later a carman.

BRILL, Charles; Private; 147124; 9th Btn. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 19/08/1918; 21; Meteren Military Cemetery, France - II. J. 256.; Born Erith; Husband of Edith; Plumstead Workhouse. Attended St Vincent's Industrial School, Dartford. Enlisted Woolwich.

BRITTAIN, William Henry; Rifleman; 472963; 12th Btn. London Regiment (The Rangers); DoW; F&F; 24/04/1918; 20; Crouy British Cemetery, France; Employed in Sidcup at Harry Morris, Outfitters; Son of John & Maria of Chislehurst; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born St Paul's Cray. Known as "Wigy".

BROAD, George Alfred; Private; L/7751; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 18/10/1914; 27; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium; 165 Daffodil Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of George Alfred & Mary Ann, husband of Ann Norah, 3 children; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/broad/; Born Wrotham. A builder.

BROAD, Richard Blunsom; Major; "U" Anti-Aircraft Bty. Royal Field Artillery; Died; F&F; 06/11/1918; 26; Ste Marie Cemetery, Le Havre; Studied with Fraser & Chalmers in Erith, to become a civil engineer (1914-); Son of Horace & Kate Broad of Sussex; https://keymerclaytonwarmemorials.wordpress.com/richard-blunsom-broad/; Born & educated at Hurstpierpoint, Sussex. Enlisted September 1914. Died of pneumonia.

BROADRICK, James George; Stoker 1st Class; 282164; Royal Navy, HMS Hogue; KiA; At sea; 22/09/1914; 38; Chatham Naval Memorial; Born Erith, Arthur Street; Son of Jane Broadrick of Streatham, husband of Fanny; Resident Ealing. A farm labourer, invalided out of Navy in 1902, reenlisted 1911. Served in the South African War.

BROOKMAN, Henry Edward; Sergeant; 1742; "C" Bty. 110th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 04/06/1917; 20; Westhof Farm Cemetery, Belgium; 20 Clive Road, Belvedere, Kent; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Henry E. & Ellen Brookman; Bexleyheath & District Times 20 July 1917; Born Fulham, enlisted Coventry. An old boy of Picardy school. Worked at Belvedere Co-op.

BROOKS, Joseph Ernest; Rifleman; R/20409; 10th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 17/04/1917; 20; Bray Military Cemetery, France II. E. 21; Suffolk Road, Foots Cray. Enlisted Bexleyheath; (J. Brooks on Sidcup War Memorial?), Bexley Strict Baptist Chapel Memorial; Son of Alfred Henry & Emily Jane Brooks; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A basket maker, aged 14.

BROWN, Arthur James; Sergeant; 979; 10th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 31; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath; Husband of Edith Emma Brown of Grimsby; Enlisted Grimsby.



BROWN, Don Owen; Private; SD/3885; 11th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/06/1916; 20; St Vaast Post Military Cemetery, France; 12 Carlton Villas; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William Owen & Jane, brother of Frank; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/brown/ Born Greenwich. Enlisted September 1914

BROWN, Edgar; Private; 7596; "A" Coy. 2nd Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 22/04/1915; 24; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 10 - 18 - 26 – 28; 45 Federation Road, Abbey Wood; Only Son of Edgar & Bella Brown; A clerk.

BROWN, Ernest Victor; Gunner; 73015; 121st Bty Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 25/06/1917; 22; La Targette British Cemetery, France; Born Bexleyheath; Son of George Washington Brown, of 72 Purrett Road, Plumstead; In 1911 Census a wire winder in Charlton. Enlisted Woolwich.

BROWN, Frank Owen; Bed Steward; Merchant Navy, SS Persia (Greenock); KiA; At sea; 30/12/1915; 28; Tower Hill Memorial; 12 Carlton Villas; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William Owen & Jane, brother of Don; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/brown-3/; Merchant navy. Ship torpedoed by U-boat.

BROWN, George Ernest; Private; G/4753; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/07/1916; 31; Ovillers Military Cemetery, France, IX. D. 8.; 8 Acre Cottages, Slade Green; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Rose (Queenie) & Charles Brown of 14 Acre Cottages, husband of Leavina Brown of 8 Acre Cottages. Married 1914; Erith Observer 25 May 1917; Oil works assistant, & Vickers works labourer. Enlisted December 1915.

BROWN, Roland; Sergeant Major; "313641"; Kite Balloon Training Sqdn. (Crystal Palace) – RAF; Died; Home; 17/01/1919; 36; Plumstead Cemetery, K. 1348; 56 Bostall Lane, Abbey Wood; Son of Walter Francis & Louisa, husband of Kathleen Hilda Brown (1914); Born Maidenhead. Previously served in RMLI. Messina Medal (Italy). Died at Royal Herbert Hospital, Woolwich.

BROWN, Stephen Edward William; Private; TF/202986; 1st Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/05/1917; 29; Arras Memorial, France; Marion Cottage, Lewin Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of James Stephen & Alice; Born Lambeth. A clerk.

BROWN, Thomas William; Private; 36634; 21st Btn. London Regiment (First Surrey Rifles); KiA; F&F; 24/08/1918; 34; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; Resident Belvedere - 9 Waverley Terrace; Husband of Elizabeth A. (1909); Born Rotherhithe. A dock labourer. Enlisted Hounslow.

BROWN, William Wigston; Private; 254693; 3rd Btn. Royal Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 10/08/1918; 18; Pernois British Cemetery, France; 12 Carlton Villas / 13 Heavitree Road, Plumstead; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Woolston & Eliza; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/brown-2/; Born Plumstead.

BROWNE, Walter Charles; Rifleman; 2548; 18th Btn. London Regiment (L I Rifles); Died; Home; 10/07/1916; 22; Bexleyheath Cemetery (1990); Brampton Villa, Brampton Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Septimus & Jemima (Irwina); Florist business assistant.

BROWNE, William Edgar; Gunner; RMA/8409; Royal Marine Artillery, HMS Lion; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 34; Portsmouth Naval Memorial, 21; Heathfield, Pinewood Road, Abbey Wood; Son of William Edmund & Delia Marion Browne; Born at Exeter. Royal Marine since c1901.

BROWNING, James; Private; 3476; 4th Btn. Royal Berkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 22/08/1917; 23; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Employed by Vickers, Crayford; Son of John & Emily Browning of Dartford; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Enlisted Deptford.



BROWNING, John ; Gunner ; 83609 2nd/104th Heavy Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery ; Died ; Mesopotamia ; 19/08/1918 ; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq - I. N. 2. ; Resident Bexley ; Born Beading, Sussex. Enlisted Eastbourne.

BROWNING, John Alfred; Private; 40060; "A" Btn. Tank Corps; KiA; F&F; 20/11/1917; 20; Cambrai Memorial, France, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: 13; 5 Church Road, Foots Cray. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Only son of William James & Violet Browning; Bexleyheath Observer 28 December 1917, Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; http://tank100.com/cambrai/wain-victoria-cross/; A sawmill worker. His tank commander won VC.

BROWNING, W. T. (William Thomas); Driver; 113252; Royal Horse Artillery; Died; Home; 12/01/1918; 24; Bexleyheath Cemetery (873); Born & baptised Bexleyheath, 7 Harcourt Row, resident 40 West Street Bexleyheath / 34 North Street Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas & Elizabeth; A tram conductor. Discharged from army 1916 on health grounds; National Sanatorium Bournemouth.

BROWNLOW, John Henry; Rifleman; 6069; 3rd Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); DoW; F&F; 02/03/1916; 21; Etaples Military Cemetery, France; 21 Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of Robert & Clara, 39 Paramount Street, Woolwich Bexleyheath Observer 24 March 1916; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/brownlow/; Born Plumstead. Worked at Royal Arsenal.

BRUCE, Gervase Ronald; Midshipman; Royal Navy, HMS Monmouth; KiA; At sea; 01/11/1914; 15; Plymouth Naval Memorial; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of Percy Robert Bruce & Aletheia Georgina Paget (died1904) of St Mary Cray; http://bbrclub.org/Monmouth%20Flag%20Repaired%20&%20Returned%20to%20Monmouth%20Museum%202016.htm; Family links with St Mary Cray & Lamorbey Church.

BRYAN, Albert; Private; 46796; 11th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; DoW; Home; 11/06/1919; 30; Grantham Cemetery, Lincs.; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Husband of Charlotte Bryan, of Grantham; http://www.granthammatters.co.uk/bryan-albert-1/; Enlisted & resident Grantham.

BRYANT, William Thomas G.; Lance Sergeant; 15203; 8th Btn. North Staffordshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 17/07/1916; 23; Heilly Station Cemetery, France - II.D.7; Merton Court pupil, Sidcup; Son of Mrs. Emma Bryant, of Tan House, Treborough, Washford, Somerset; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Born Nettlecombe, enlisted Burton on Trent. A groom.

BUCK, Arthur Lieutenant; Royal Engineers Killed; F&F; 09/09/1918; 25; Fosse N° 10 Communal Cemetery Ext. Sains-en-Gohelle, France; 48 Avenue Road Erith. Erith Grammar School pupil; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Joseph Arthur & Mary Ann; https://www.google.co.uk/webhp?sourceid=chrome-instant&ion=1&espv=2&ie=UTF-8#q=BUCK%2C+Arthur+Lieutenant+erith; Maths graduate from Woolwich Polytechnic. Died in motor cycle accident on railway line.

BUCKHAM, Norman Langley; Captain; Royal Army Ordnance Corps; Died; F&F; 30/10/1918; 29; Les Baraques Military Cemetery, France, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: VI. C. I.; Highbury, Lansdown Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Emmanuel Church, Sidcup; Son of Sir George Thomas Buckham & the late Lady Selina Elizabeth Buckham (nee Langley); https://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=22635222; G.H.Q. Whitgift School. Ordnance Engineer.

BUCKLER, Annie Elinor; Staff Nurse; Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service; Died; Home; 17/10/1918; 43; Southampton (Hollybush) Cemetery; Worked at Queen's Hospital Sidcup: Daughter of the Rev. John Findlay Buckler, M.A., late Rector of Bidston, Cheshire & Mary Anne Buckler; Born Chester. Died of influenza.



BUCKLEY, David James; Sergeant; C/9470; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 17/06/1917; 33; Arras Memorial, France; 6 Pincott Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Sarah/Annie; Bexleyheath Observer 6 July 1917; Enlisted Woolwich. Farm worker.

BUCKNER, George Leonard; Rifleman; S/15274; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 26/08/1916; 26; Boulogne Eastern Cemetery, France - VIII. B. 160.; 269 Brook Street, Erith; Enlisted Bexleyheath. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Frederick & Lucy Buckner; An iron trimmer.

BUGDEN, Adelbert Charles; Corporal; 1097; 2nd Btn. County of London Yeomanry (Westminster Dragoons); KiA; Gallipoli; 01/10/1915; 32; Green Hill Cemetery, Turkey; Park Lodge, Park Crescent, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial & Memorial tablet in church; Son of Charles & Elizabeth Budgen?; Bexleyheath Observer 22 October 1915; Family of merchants from Erith. A stockbroker/banker. Territorial Army officer.

BULL, Cervantes Harry; Private; 8168; 1st Btn. Oxfordshire & Buckinghamshire Light Infantry; KiA; Mesopotamia; 22/11/1915; 28; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 26 & 63; Resident Crayford; Son of Lizzie, partner of Augusta; Regular soldier.

BULL, Edward Raymond; Private; S4/093660; 10th Field Bakery, Army Service Corps; Died; India; 07/06/1917; 22; Kirkee 1914-1918 Memorial, India - Face F; Resident Bexley, 105 High Street, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Henry George Bull of Bexley; Bexleyheath & District Times 29 June 1917; Born Islington. A baker. Died of appendicitis at Coleba War Hospital, Bombay.

BULLEID, George Eccles; Private; 8525; 2nd Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 22/04/1915; 15; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 10 - 18 - 26 – 28; 3 Sutherland Road, Belvedere; Son of John & Lena Bulleid; http://www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/remembrance/memorials/canadian-virtual-war-memorial/detail/922519?George%20Eccles%20Bulleid; Emigrated to Canada. Blacksmith's apprentice.

BULLER, George Robert; Lance Corporal; 402265; 10th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 03/09/1918; 26; Upton Wood Cemetery, France; 5 Burley Villas, Foots Cray / 11 Bedford Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of George & Kate, 1914 Married Minnie, Berlin, Ontario. 2 children; http://www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/remembrance/memorials/canadian-virtual-war-

<u>memorial/detail/316522?George%20Robert%20Buller</u>; Born Hextable. Emigrated Canada c1910: A rubber worker.

BUNDOCK, Edward Henry; Private; G/57759; 2nd Btn. Middlesex Regiment; Died; F&F; 11/12/1918; 19; St Sever Cemetery Extension, Rouen; 1 Lessness Road, Stapley Road, Belvedere, Kent; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Edward Richard & Susan Bundock; Born at Northfleet. Enlisted Woolwich.

BUNKER, William Thomas; Rifleman; 303573; 1st/5th Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); KiA; F&F; 14/08/1917; 40; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 52 & 54; Born Erith; Son of Thomas & Esther, husband of Susana, 3 children; Resident Islington. A caretaker.

BUNN, Ernest Arthur; Private; G/1461; 4th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 26/05/1915; 30; Bailleul Communal Cemetery Extension, Nord, France; Enlisted Erith; Son of Arthur & Mary Bunn of Edmonton; Resident Edmonton. A fishmonger.



BURGESS, George Herbert; Rifleman; R/14258; 8th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 11/10/1917; 19; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 4 Coronation Cottages, Suffolk Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of William & Jessie Burgess. Brother in law of Joseph **SAUNDERS**; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Plumstead. A clerk.

BURKIN, Arthur John; Private; 3035; 23rd Coy. Australian Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 03/10/1917; 23; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 31; Born & baptised at Sidcup (St John's). 5 Alma Road / Withersdale, Sidcup. Attended Sidcup National School; Son of Arthur William & Mary Grace Burkin of Sidcup. Later of Eudlo, Queensland; <a href="http://www.adoptadigger.org/search-for-a-ww1-digger/search-for-a

BURMINGHAM (**BURNINGHAM**), Tom Albert; Private; 276440; 10th Btn. Essex Regiment; Died; Home; 10/07/1918; 38; Woolwich Cemetery, F 632; Resident Sidcup (n.b. **BURNINGHAM** on CWG), Thorneycroft, 1 Cambridge Road Sidcup; Son of Tom Albert & Sarah Ann Burningham; Born Malta (Father in Army). Enlisted Bury St Edmund's. Died at Shoreham Military Hospital.

BURNELL, Richard Clement; Rifleman; C/9844; 8th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps (18th on SDGW Ancestry); DoW; F&F; 18/09/1917; 23; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Beaconsfield House, Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Alloway & Bessie; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/burnell/; Born Somerset.

BURNETT, John; Private; 10323; 2nd Btn. Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment); KiA; F&F; 12/10/1916; 23; Guards' Cemetery, Lesboeufs, France III. U. 10.; Parents from Welling. Residence Abbey Wood. 9 Grove Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Joseph & Mary Burnett; Born Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich.

BURNS, Ernest; Rifleman; 12305; 9th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 20/03/1916; 18; Arras Memorial, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of Rosa Burns of Catford; Born Deptford, resident Catford, enlisted Camberwell. A packing case maker.

BURRELLS, Ernest; Private; 7344; 1st Btn. Northamptonshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 15/10/1914; 27; Les Gonards Cemetery, France; Resident Belvedere; Husband of Jessie Blanche; Erith Times 12 December 1914; Born & enlisted Colchester. A bricklayer. Died at Versailles General Hospital 4.

BURREN, Arthur; Private; 203340; 2/4th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA (air raid); Palestine; 08/05/1917; 25; Gaza War Cemetery, Israel - XXX. D. 11; 4 Ducketts Terrace, Crayford (1911); St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Henry George & Annie; Bexleyheath Observer 29 June 1917, Bexley & District Times 5 November 1915 & photo (Gallipoli info); Enlisted Dartford. A labourer.

BURRIDGE, Arthur Charles; Lance Corporal; 181; "C" Sqdn. East African Mounted Rifles; KiA; East Africa; 25/09/1914; 31; Nairobi British & Indian Memorial, Kenya; Elmington, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of the late Arthur Francis Burridge, F.I.A. & of the late Jeainette Emily Burridge (nee Green), of Sussex; Bexleyheath Observer 2 October 1914 & 8 January 1915; Emigrated to East Africa 1910. Coffee plantation owner.

BURROWS, William; Lance Corporal; 51136; 10th Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment. (Prince of Wales's Own); KiA; F&F; 20/09/1918; 39; Gauche Wood Cemetery, France Grave Reference/Panel Number: 36; 6 Bedford Road, Sidcup / 103 Birkbeck Road Sidcup / The Lodge, Bexley Lane. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of Charles & Annice Burrows, of East Acton, London, husband of Emily Margaret Burrows, of Sidcup; Born Buckinghamshire. A greenkeeper.



BURT, Ernest George; Private; L/8991; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 19/09/1916; 27; Basra Memorial, Iraq; 5 Ash Place, Erith Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Henrietta; Regular army. Enlisted Woolwich.

BURTON, Francis William; Corporal; 240762; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 23/10/1918; 38; Villers-Pol Communal Cemetery Extension; 38 Mayplace Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Only son of Francis & Mary Anne, predeceased by his wife; Enlisted Dartford. Well-known local footballer playing for Bexleyheath. Worked at the Observer Office.

BURTON, Sidney Rex; 2nd Lieutenant; 78th H.D. Sqdn. Royal Flying Corps; Killed; Home; 11/09/1917; 27; Derby (Uttoxeter Road) Cemetery; Died Bexleyheath in plane crash; Son of Sidney & Florence Gertrude Burton of The Stoppe, Swarkestone, Derbyshire; Bexleyheath & District Times 21 September 1917; Born Derby. A toll collector. Plane crashed near Long Lane, Bexleyheath, during training flight.

BUSST, Frederick; Private; 23136; 2nd Btn. Suffolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 10/05/1917; 27; Arras Memorial, France; Wrens Cottages, Victoria Street, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William & Florence; Bexleyheath Observer 22 June 1917; Born Birmingham, enlisted Woolwich.

BUTCHER, Henry Townsend Brevet; Colonel; 108th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 20/09/1915; 58; Dud Corner Cemetery, Loos, France; Barnes Cray House, Crayford; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of the late Maj-Gen. Arthur Butcher (Royal Marines), brother Arthur James Basil Butcher also fell in 1916, husband of Annie Susan; Bexleyheath Observer 1 October 1915; http://www.forgotten-names-recalled.org/download/d482e051-2374-11e4-be4c-09f006d01d6e/; Educated at Royal Military Academy, Woolwich. Served in Afghanistan & India. Retired 1908, rejoined 1914.

BUTLER, Aubrey Edward Walter; 2nd Lieutenant; 9th Btn. Royal Berkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/07/1916; 24; Thiepval Memorial, France; The Cottage, Callender's Cable & Co., Belvedere; Erith Grammar School pupil. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Stephen Thomas & Margaret Ann; Bexleyheath Observer 27 July 1917; Mechanical engineer.

BUTLER, Ernest Arthur; Private; 20339; 36 Coy. Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 08/07/1916; 33; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 5 C & 12 C; Crabtree Crossing, Belvedere / 16 Mayfield Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George. E. & Sarah. E. Butler, of Crabtree Crossing; Erith Observer 26 November 1915; Born Dulwich. Oil refinery worker. Wounded in 1915.

BUTLER, Harry; Private; 3545; 2nd Btn. Honourable Artillery Company; KiA; F&F; 01/12/1916; 26; Ancre British Cemetery, France - Green Dump Cemetery Mem. 11.; Orchard Road, Sidcup, Kent; Son of Mrs E. A. Butler of The Nook; Resident Beckenham. Admitted into HAC June 1915.

BUTLER, Henry; Sergeant; 45213; 208th Coy. Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 31; Arras Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath. Family at Fair View, Standard Road; Son of Marie Butler of Bexleyheath; In 1911 Serving with Royal Fusiliers in India.

BUTLER, James; Private; 492146; 13th Btn. Kensington Btn. London Regiment; DoW; F&F; 10/04/1917; 19; Warlincourt Halte British Cemetery, France - VIII. B. 11; Born Crayford. Resident 11 Wiggins Cottages, Arthur Street, Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of James & Alice. A shop boy.



BUTLER, John; Private; L/9658; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 28/10/1916; 23; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 29; Born Erith. Resident 101 Hazel Road, Slade Green, Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Emma Coleman (formerly Butler) of 101 Hazel Road, Slade Green, Erith, Kent & the late William Harwood Butler; Erith Observer 7 March 1919; Enlisted August 1911.

BUTLER, W. G.; born 1895?; Erith (St John's) Memorial.

BUTTON, Alec; Able Seaman; 228924; Royal Navy, HMS Bayano; KiA; At sea; 11/03/1915; 28; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; 48 Friday Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William Edwin & Mary, brother of Frank; Sunk by U-Boat U27.

BUTTON, Frank; Lance Sergeant; L/13367; 4th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 23/08/1914; 23; St Symphorien Military Cemetery, Belgium; Friday Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William Edwin & Mary, brother of Alec; Enlisted Hounslow.

BYHAM, Henry Charles; Driver; 207075; 50th Div. Ammunition Col. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 27/05/1918; 36; Vailly British Cemetery, France - IV. A. 28.; Resident Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Husband of Martha Esther of Erith (1906); Born Suffolk. A carriage cleaner.

CAINES, Arthur William Thomas; Private; 290995; 1st/7th Btn. Gordon Highlanders; Died; F&F; 05/09/1917; 25; Tournai Communal Cemetery Allied Extension, Belgium; 52 Lyndon Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William & Elizabeth Mary; Born Hoxton. Enlisted Cricklewood. A grocer's assistant.

CAIRD, John Hay; Sergeant; 8672; 2nd Btn. Royal Scots Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 18/10/1914; 24; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 15 Holly Hill Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of James Hay & Annie; Born Chester-le-Street, enlisted Chatham. Resident Barking.

CAMPER, Robert Stephen; Corporal; L/7806; 1st Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F24/02/1915; 32; Tuileries British Cemetery, Belgium; Resident Abbey Wood. 7 Abbey Grove (1901); Son of Robert & Annie, brother of Charles (NoK); Born Cardiff. Enlisted Woolwich. A labourer.

CANNON, Kenneth Edward; Private; 71792; Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 10/06/1916; 22; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial; Robin Villa, Chapel Road, Bexleyheath; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Maud Mary & Percy Cannon; Born Dartford.

CARD, Stormont Hays; Second Lieutenant; 1st Btn. Somerset Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 10/04/1917; 31; Arras Memorial, France; Born Sidcup. Fernleigh, Sidcup; Son of Arthur William Card; http://www.pmb.ox.ac.uk/content/card-stormont-hays; Oxford graduate, bank clerk. Public Schools Battalion. Resident St Albans.

CAREY, George H.; Lance Corporal; 46204; 8th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 15/03/1917; 32; Doullens Communal Cemetery No.1, France; 4 Nash's Cottages, Birkbeck Road Sidcup (from 'In Memoriam' lists); Sidcup War Memorial; Husband of Mary Ann Carey of Finsbury Park; Sidcup Times 28 February 1919 list; Enlisted Woolwich.

CARNAGHAN, Francis Christopher; Gunner; 626437; HAC (Artillery) / 19 Bde Royal Horse Artillery; Died; Egypt; 08/08/1918; 32; Kantara War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt; 6 Station Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Christopher & Clara, husband of Ethel; Resident Plumstead. Admitted in to the HAC on 15 November 1917. A clerk for Prudential Insurance Company, Holborn.



CARPENTER, Charles; Private; 9419; 1st Btn. Essex Regiment; DoW; Malta; 04/07/1915; 23; Pieta Military Cemetery, Malta; Born & lived East Wickham, Gibsons Cottages, Wickham Street; East Wickham War Memorial & Welling Memorial; Son of Tom & Esther; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/carpenter/; Regular army 1911.

CARPENTER, Samuel; Rifleman; S/24974; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 31/07/1917; 36; Menin Gate Memorial, Ypres; Born Bexleyheath; Son of William John & Eliza of East Ham; Enlisted East Ham.

CARTER, Arthur James; Private; 782346; 46th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 06/05/1917; 38; La Chaudiere Military Cemetery, France - V. B. 11; Family from Bexley; Son of Joseph & Fanny Carter of Old Bexley, Kent;

http://www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/remembrance/memorials/canadian-virtual-war-memorial/detail/80486?Arthur%20James%20Carter ; Born Croydon.

CARTER, James Daniel; Rifleman; S/17950; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 04/10/1917; 29; Dozinghem Military Cemetery, Belgium; 8 Maxim Road, Erith / 4 Corinthian Road Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Married to Edith Florence (1910); Bexleyheath Observer 23 November 1917; Born Greenwich, enlisted Woolwich. A labourer.

CARTER, Percy Albert; Private; 203428; 2nd Btn. Dorsetshire Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 26/08/1917; 30; Amara War Cemetery, Iraq; Western Cottage, Birkbeck Road, Sidcup / 83 Cray Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of John & Annie; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Enlisted Dorchester. A gardener. Died of heat stroke.

CARTER, William Jesse; Private; G/603; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 21/07/1916; 31; Thiepval Memorial, France, Pier & Face 11 C; 16 Woodside Crescent, Sidcup, Kent; Sidcup War Memorial & Congregational Church, Sidcup, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of William & Mary Carter; Sidcup & District Times18 August 1916; A gardener. Enlisted Woolwich.

CARTWRIGHT, Arthur William Clarence; Captain; Royal Air Force; Died; Home; 22/11/1918; 21; Hampstead Cemetery, London - Screen Wall. Q7. B. 26.; Wilton House, Park Crescent, Erith; Son of William George & Clara E. Cartwright; Whitgift School.

CASE, George Henry; Stoker 1st Class; 277037; Royal Navy, HMS Aboukir; KiA; At sea; 22/09/1914; 40; Chatham Naval Memorial & Tower Hill Memorial; 4 Albert Grove West, Bellegrove; East Wickham War Memorial & Welling Memorial; Son of George & Elizabeth, husband of Sarah; Bexleyheath Observer 16 April 1915; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/case/; Born Dartford. A farm worker & railway worker before joining Navy as a reservist. Torpedoed by the German submarine U9.

CASELDEN, Fred; Private; G/18186; 13th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/09/1916; 33; Hamel Military Cemetery, Beaumont-Hamel, Somme; 28 Whitehall Lane, Slade Green. Enlisted Bostall Heath; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of John & Eliza; Born Woolwich. A railway fireman at Slade Green depot. Trade unionist.

CASELTON, Frederick; Private; 7327; 4th Dragoon Guards, Household Cavalry & Cavalry of the Line (incl. Yeomanry & Imperial Camel Corps); KiA; F&F; 13/05/1915; 22; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 3-5; Born Bexley, resident Sidcup; Son of Charles & Sarah; Enlisted Brighton. A porter.



CASELTON, Stanley; Private; G/7706; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/07/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 5 D; Born Crayford, resident Erith – 8 The Avenue, Erith. Employed by Wm. Cory; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Horace G. & Eliza; Erith Times 8 September 1916 photo; Enlisted Woolwich.

CASTLE, George; Private; 4191; Corps of Lancers. 5th Lancers (Royal Irish) - Household Cavalry; Died; Home; 11/09/1916; 46; Southport (Duke Street) Cemetery, Lancashire - A. C.E. 2.; Born Crayford, Resident Bexleyheath 7 Pickford Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Charlotte, husband of Frances J. Castle of Bexleyheath; Served in the South African War. Died of trench fever.

CASTLETON, Frank Arthur; Private; 23677; 2nd Btn. South Wales Borderers; KiA; F&F; 03/12/1917; 18; Cambrai Memorial, France; 5 Rolstone Cottages, Graham Road / 3 Park Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Rose; Enlisted Bromley.

CATCHPOLE, Harry; Gunner; 178995; No.4 Depot, Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 02/11/1916; 35; Erith (St John the Baptist) Churchyard - North of Churchyard; Born Erith. 2 Hasketon Place, Lower Road, Belvedere; Son of Harry Nathanial Catchpole of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich. 1911 Engineer's labourer.

CATLETT, Charles; Gunner; 56484; 131st Heavy Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 25/08/1917; 23; Bard Cottage Cemetery, Belgium - IV. E. 14.; Baptised at St John's Erith. 277 Bexley Road, Erith / 29 Brook Street. Grandfather ran the Brewers Arms PH in North Heath; Son of the late Charles & Sarah Jane, brother of Dorothy I. Catlett (NoK), his brother Thomas killed at the same time, buried alongside each other; Enlisted Bromley. A milkman. Brothers, killed in action same unit, same day, buried alongside each other.

CATLETT, Thomas; Gunner; 56483; 131st Heavy Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 25/08/1917; 21; Bard Cottage Cemetery, Belgium - IV. E. 14.; Baptised at St John's Erith. 277 Bexley Road, Erith / Clare Cottages, Brook Street. Grandfather ran the Brewers Arms PH in North Heath; Son of the late Charles & Sarah Jane, brother of Dorothy I. Catlett (NoK), his brother Charles killed at the same time, buried alongside each other; Enlisted Bromley. An engineering apprentice. Brothers, killed in action same unit, same day, buried alongside each other.

CHALLIS, William Moss (Willie); Private; 10849; 7th Btn. Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry); KiA; F&F; 11/08/1915; 22; Bedford House Cemetery, Belgium; Bexley Lane, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of John George & Marianne; A leather worker. Enlisted Bridport, Dorset.

CHAMBERLAIN, William Richard; Driver; T/34269; RASC; KiA; F&F; 25/07/1917; 21; Reninghelst New Military Cemetery, Belgium; Baptised Christ Church, Erith. Resident 14 Slades Green Lane & 27 Hazel Road, Slade Green; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of John Thomas & Annie; Family worked in Crayford tanyards. Enlisted Woolwich.

CHAMBERS, John Holden (James on SDGW); Private; 49535; 53rd Btn. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); Died; Mesopotamia; 10/11/1918; 25; Alexandria (Hadra) War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt - C. 119; 84 London Road, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of William Henry & Mary Ann Chambers; Born Bow, London. A silk & calico print worker in Crayford. Enlisted Dartford. Died of pneumonia.



CHANCE, Alfred Victor; Private; 15453; 10th Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France; 28 Alfred Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial (as **CHARCE**); Son of William & Rose Chance, of 2 Orient Cottages, Belvedere Marshes; Born Chislehurst. Enlisted Woolwich. A farm worker.

CHAPMAN, Charles Lewis; Private; 703147; 1st/23rd Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 02/10/1916; 29; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 9 D 9 C 13 C & 12 C; Heathview, Park Crescent, Erith; Son of Charles Lewis Chapman & Jane Chapman; Born Lewisham. Enlisted Guildford.

CHAPMAN, Nelson; Private; 245635; London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 08/08/1918; Vis-en-Artois Memorial; Details unverified; Belvedere War Memorial.

CHATTEN, Alexander John; Private; 7704; 1st & 3rd Btn. Northamptonshire Regiment; Died; Home; 06/04/1919; 31; St Michael's Church East Wickham; 2 Woodville Villas, Bellegrove; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of George & Eliza; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/chatten/; Born Halifax. Died of heart disease.

CHESTER, Charles John; Rifleman; 44511; 16th Btn. Royal Irish Rifles, formerly (5980) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 26; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 74 to 76; 50 Bostall Lane, Abbey Wood; Son of John Tate Chester & Kate Amilia; Resident Deptford. A merchant's clerk.

CHICK, Frederick Henry; Private; 20621; AOC; Died; Home; 14/03/1919; 40; St Michael's Church East Wickham; 40 Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Richard H. & Sarah A., husband of Emily; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/chick/; Born Gillingham. A grocer. Died of cancer.

CHILD, Charles Henry; Petty Officer Stoker; 283196; Royal Navy, HMS Lion; DoW; At sea; 01/06/1916; 38; Mandel Churchyard, Christiansand, Norway; 3 St Fidelis Road, Erith / 9 Ripley Road, Belvedere. Married at St John's Erith; Husband of Mary Amelia of Belvedere. Married 1904; Born West Ham. An oil works labourer in Erith before joining Navy.

CHILES, Sidney Albert; Rifleman; R/32890; 10th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 30; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 115 to 119 & 162A & 163A; Resident Erith; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of the late John Henry Francis & Mary Ann Chiles. Father died 1903, mother 1904; Born Bermondsey. A motor cab brake fitter. Enlisted Stratford.

CHITTY, James; Driver; T/21232; No.1. Coy. Meerut Div. Train. Royal Army Service Corps; Died, accidentally shot dead by comrade; F&F; 06/02/1915; 33; Le Touret Military Cemetery, France - I. E. 22.; Born Bexleyheath. Resident Bexleyheath. Presumed living with brother, see Chitty, Crown Street, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath Observer 12 March 1915, Bexley & District Times 19 March 1915 photo; A gardener. Enlisted Woolwich.

CHURCH, Alfred (Alfred John); Private; 72133; 2nd Btn. Sherwood Foresters (N & DR); KiA; F&F; 19/09/1918; 24; Vis-en-Artois Memorial; 22 Oaklands Road, Bexleyheath. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Frances; Born Eltham. Worked: Bexleyheath Co-op/printer's clerk.

CIRCUIT [CIRCUITT], Charles Reginald; Private; SD/151; 11th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/04/1918; 28; Villers-Foucon Communal Cemetery Extension, France; 38 West Street; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Emily; Born Sussex. Enlisted Eastbourne. A barber.



CLARIDGE, Albert Frederick; "Rifleman"; C/9893; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 08/07/1916; 17; Carnoy Military Cemetery, France - G43; 14 Watling Street, Bexleyheath; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Alice E. Boniface (formerly Claridge), & the late Ernest Claridge; Bexleyheath Observer 21 July 1916; Enlisted Dartford.

CLARK, Alec Sydney; Able Seaman; London Z/816; Hawke Btn. R.N. Div., Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve; DoW; Gallipoli; 06/06/1915; 25; Skew Bridge Cemetery, Turkey - Special Memorial B. 54.; 65 Hatherley Road, Sidcup, Kent / Otley House, Stafford Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Congregational Church, Sidcup, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Sarah Nash Clark & the late Henry James Clark; Sidcup & District Times 2 July 1915 article & photo; Shipping company clerk. Played football for Sidcup & cricket for St Paul's Cray.

CLARK, Percy John; "Rifleman"; 2872; 5th Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); DoW; F&F; 07/07/1916; 21; Le Treport Military Cemetery, France - Plot 2. Row N. Grave 2C; Baptised 1895 at Christ Church, Erith. Family at Bexleyheath; Son of John Albert & Isabel Clark of Bexley Heath; Resident Luton, apprentice straw hat maker.

CLARK, Thomas (Tom); Private; 15452; 2nd Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); DoW; Home; 29/05/1915; 28; Bristol (Arnos Vale) cemetery; Born Northumberland Heath. Resident Belvedere, Bedonwell Road; Son of Rachel; Enlisted Woolwich. Died at 2nd Southern General Hospital, Bristol.

CLARKE, Albert Edward; 2nd Lieutenant; 2nd Btn. York & Lancaster Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/04/1916; 22; Essex Farm Cemetery, Belgium; Parents at Fairlawn, 3 Priestlands Park Road, Sidcup; Son of Arthur Decimus Clarke & Fanny Louisa Clarke; Native of Winchester. Educated at King's College Rochester. A bank clerk in Harpenden.

CLARKE, Albert Ernest; Company Sergeant Major; 9215; 1st Btn. South Wales Borderers; Died; Home; 04/02/1919; 31; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - C. 1363; 81 Heathway, Colyers Lane (1919); Son of Elizabeth Dadewell (formerly Clarke), husband of Elizabeth Matthews (formerly Clarke) of Ilminster, Somerset; Born Somerset. Regular soldier, in 1911 serving in South Africa. A mason.

CLARKE, Alfred; Private; 3/10227; 2nd Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born & resident Belvedere. Bedonwell Road; Son of Rachel; Enlisted Woolwich.

CLARKE, Eric Fitzgerald; Captain; 3rd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 09/04/1917; 23; Achicourt Road Cemetery, France - B. 22; Beverley, Sidcup, Kent; Son of Sir Frederick W. A. Clarke, C.B. & Lady Clark of 2 Sutherland House, Cheniston Gardens, Kensington, London & Beverley, Sidcup, Kent; https://livesofthefirstworldwar.org/lifestory/833001; Gazetted to 2nd/3rd Btn. London Regt. (R. Fus.), Aug., 1914. served in Gallipoli where he was wounded in October 1915: held rank of Major for short time in Egypt when in charge of battalion; attd. to 1st/13th Btn. London Regt. after returning from Egypt.

CLARKE, James Alfred; Rifleman; S/17947; 8th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 27; Guards' Cemetery, Lesboueufs, France - VI. R. 8.; Residence - Belvedere, Court Lodge, 17 Erith Road, Belvedere Born Abbey Wood; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of James & Mary Anne of Woolwich Road. Married, 1 son; Bexleyheath Observer 23 February 1917, Bexley & District Times 23 March 1917; A servant in 1911.

CLARKE, John Edward Langton; Lieutenant; 50th Bty. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 14/09/1914; 24; Vendresse British Cemetery; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of Lt. Col. Sir Edward Henry St Lawrence Clarke, Bart., C.M.G., D.S.O., brother of William Hamilton Clarke; MC. Born Liverpool. Studied at Royal Military Academy, Woolwich.



CLARKE, Wilfrid Randall; Lieutenant; Royal Field Artillery / Royal Flying Corps; Killed; Home; 04/02/1918; 26; Grantham Cemetery, Lincolnshire; Worked for Vickers, Erith. (Lodged as a boarder with the Jukes family at 5 Queen's Road, Erith); Son of Richard Feaver Clarke, J.P.; http://ourfallen.gravesendgrammar.eu/boy/wilfred-r&all-clarke/; Born Gravesend. An engineer. He enlisted in the Territorial Force in Erith on 13 August 1908. Killed in training flying accident.

CLARKE, William Hamilton; 2nd Lieutenant; 3rd Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 12/03/1915; 22; Kemmel Chateau Military Cemetery, Belgium; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of Lt. Col. Sir Edward Henry St Lawrence Clarke, Bart., C.M.G., D.S.O., brother of John Edward Langton Clarke; Born Worcester. Educated at Rugby & Oxford. (Last in line to baronetcy).

CLAYTON, Ernest Leith; Private; S4/158467; 10th Field Bakery, Army Service Corps; Died; At sea; 04/08/1917; 24; Basra Memorial, Iraq; Born Bexleyheath. Resident 4 High Street, Welling; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of Alfred George & Ada Philadelphia, Woolwich; Bexleyheath Observer 24 August 1917; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/clayton/; A baker. Enlisted Woolwich. Died on hospital ship of illness contracted in Mesopotamia.

CLAYTON, Frederick; Private; G/986; 7th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 37; Pozières Memorial, France; 53 Northumberland Park, Belvedere; Son of William; Born Shoreditch. General labourer. Enlisted Woolwich. Army reservist (enlisted September 1914).

CLAYTON, John Joseph; Lance Corporal; S/6769; 1st Btn. Queens - Royal West Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 23/04/1917; 20; Arras Memorial, France; 104 London Road, Crayford. Mother, living at 40 Commondale Road Welling, part of the Hutments estate; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Joseph/Theophilus & Johannah; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/clayton-2/; Enlisted Woolwich. A labourer.

CLEGG, Abram; Private; 26104; 7th Btn. King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment); Died; Home; 28/10/1918; 27; Padiham Cemetery, Lancashire; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of George & Deliha Clegg, husband of Sarah; http://www.burnleyinthegreatwar.info/burnleyrollofhonourmenc/cleggabraham26104.htm; A cotton

CLEMENTS, Arthur; Private; 340; "D" Coy. 1st Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 15/09/1914; 31; La Ferte-Sous-Jouarre Memorial, France; Magazine Cottage, Crabtree Manorway, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Henry James & Mary Clements, of Magazine Cottage, Crabtree Manorway, Belvedere; Born Isleworth. Regular Army. Delhi Durbar Medal. Served on the North-West Frontier of India (1908).

weaver. Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup of influenza.

CLEMENTS, Charles; Private; 3976; 6th Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 18/07/1915; Poelcapelle British Cemetery, Belgium; Born Belvedere; Brother Robert Phoenix Clements (NoK); Resident Greenhithe. Enlisted Gravesend.

CLEMENTS, John; Private; S/24974; 1st Bt. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/04/1917; 27; Nine Elms Military Cemetery, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Job & Margaret Clements; Born Orpington, resident St Mary Cray. A mill hand.

CLEMENTS, Norman Neville; Private; 75460; 1st/4th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 08/09/1918; 22; Glageon Communal Cemetery Extension, France; 88 Riverdale Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Charles & Ellen; A machinist at Callenders. In 1912 a Territorial with RAMC. Trade unionist.

CLEMPSON, Frank Septimus; born 1894; Family in Crusoe Road, Erith. 17 in 1911 census, a seaman lodging in Gravesend; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William & Eliza; Father died in Dartford workhouse.



CLIFTON, C.? Leonard Ernest?; Private; 41368; 2nd Btn. Northants Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/05/1918; 25; Soissons Memorial, France; Born Crayford - Details unverified; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Edwin John & Elizabeth, of Tooting; Enlisted Wandsworth. A paper hanger. Formerly Essex Regiment.

CLIFTON, Thomas; Stoker 1st Class; K/2938; Royal Navy, HMS Cressy; KiA; At sea; 22/09/1914; 24; Chatham Naval Memorial – 4, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Had a cousin in Southend, Bertha Childs; Bexleyheath Observer 25 June 1915; An orphan? Born Maidstone. Joined navy as a 12 year old in 1909 (farm boy).

CLILVERD, George; Gunner; 75154; 88th Bty. 14th Bde, Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 26/10/1914; 23; Strand Military Cemetery, Belgium; Born & baptised Bexleyheath. Gladstone Villa, Chapel Road; Son of Henry & Jane (Henry a Bexleyheath policeman). Regular army. Enlisted Willesden.

COCKERELL, William John; Corporal; L/9804; 2nd Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 22; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 5 D; Born Bexleyheath 1 Albert Cottages, Bexleyheath. West Lodge, Bexleyheath; Son of John & Rose; An errand boy.

COGGINS, Donald Alfred; Private; 23089; 4th Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; Gallipoli; 06/08/1915; 23; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 104 to 113; Resident Sidcup; Grandson of Edward & Edith; Born Warmington, Warwickshire. Enlisted Oxford.

COLE, Edward Bloxham; Gunner; 221021; C Bty. 180th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 31/07/1917; 30; Birr Cross Roads Cemetery, Belgium - II.A.22; 16 Clarence Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Henrietta Cole, married Dorothy (Scott) 1913; Born Wandsworth. House painter.

COLE, Frederick Vincent; Rifleman; 472448; 12th Btn. London Regiment (The Rangers); DoW; F&F; 30/04/1918; 29; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of William & Eliza; Born Poplar. Resident East Ham. A commercial clerk, India rubber manufacturers. Died of effects of gas.

COLEGATE, Thomas; Private; 632481; 20th Btn. County of London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/09/1917; 27; Menin Gate, Ypres; 11 South Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Edward & Eliza, married to Mary Ann Wyatt (1913) Christ Church, Erith; A carman. Enlisted Woolwich.

COLE-HAMILTON, Arthur Richard; Colonel; 6th Btn. East Lancashire Regiment; DoW; Gallipoli; 10/08/1915; 56; 7th Field Ambulance Cemetery, Turkey; Family (Peases) at North Cray Place; Son of Capt. & Caroline E. J. Cole-Hamilton, of Beltrim, Co. Tyrone. Husband of Alice Cole-Hamilton; Regular army, served in Egypt in 1880s. Retired from Reserves as Honorary Colonel.

COLEMAN, Frederick; Rifleman; R/20206; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 23/10/1917; 24; Dozinghem Military Cemetery; 12 St Fidelis Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Frederick & Sarah; Enlisted Woolwich. A yard lad.

COLETHORPE (**COLTHORPE**), John Burrough; Gunner; 184191; 359th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 17/04/1918; 38; Borre British Cemetery, France, Grave Reference/Panel Number: I. A. 19.; 10 Stanley Road, Sidcup. Enlisted Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Charles William Colthorpe of Clerkenwell, London, husband of Kate Amelia Colthorpe of Sidcup. Leaves son & daughter; Born Framlingham, Suffolk. A milkman.



COLLINS, David [JJWD on CWGC]; Rifleman; 47094 (CW gives 49094, wrongly); 12th Btn. Royal Irish Rifles; KiA; F&F; 24/10/1918; 37; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 52 Springfield Road; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of Caroline, born Jantel Joseph William David; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/collins-3/; Born Sevenoaks. A labourer.

COLLINS, Edgar; Gunner; 86028; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 17/02/1917; 40; Trois Arbres Cemetery, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of the late Albert & Julia Collins of Beechwood, Herts. NoK Ada, sister; Article in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Hemel Hempstead. Resident Chislehurst. A gamekeeper, working at Scadbury.

COLLINS, Edward Harry (Ted); Private; G/251; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/03/1916; 21; Loos Memorial, France; 16 Cray Road, Foots Cray; Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Edward & Ellen Collins, brother of Ralph Collins; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC, Sidcup & District Times 31 March 1916; Born Leeds, near Maidstone. An errand boy. Enlisted Woolwich.

COLLINS, George Anthony; Private; 43904; 11th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 04/04/1918; 36; Namps-au-Val British Cemetery, France - I. K. 29.; Resident Belvedere; Son of Richard Edward Collins of Belvedere, Kent, husband of Rosanna Collins of Chiswick; Enlisted Hounslow. General labourer.

COLLINS, Leslie Ernest; 2nd Lieutenant; 100th Sqdn. Royal Air Force; KiA; F&F; 05/04/1918; 19; Fere-Champenoise French National Cemetery, France; Beechwood, Stanhope Road, Sidcup. Sidcup Hall School pupil; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Frederick & Mary; Bexleyheath Observer 12 April 1918; Pupil at The Grocer's Company School, Hackney.

COLLINS, Michael; Lance Corporal; 7300; 1st Btn. Northamptonshire Regiment; Died; Home; 22/05/1919; 35; Greenwich Cemetery; 278 Ash Kirk Avenue; East Wickham War Memorial; Married 1911 Rosamond, 2 daughters; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/collins-2/; Born Bermondsey to Irish parents. Died of TB.

COLLINS, Ralph; Private; G/1640; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/07/1916; 20; Thiepval Memorial, France; 16 Cray Road, Foots Cray / Caleb Cottages, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Edward & Ellen Collins, brother of Edward Collins; Bexleyheath Observer 27 April 1917, Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Enlisted Bromley.

COLLINS, Vincent Henry; 2nd Lieutenant; 102nd King Edward's own Grenadiers; Died; Mesopotamia; 12/02/1917; 34; Amara War Cemetery, Iraq; The Gables, Bellegrove Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Brother of Noel Hamilton Collins of Welling; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/collins/; Born Croydon. Insurance Clerk. Lived & enlisted in Rhodesia.

COLMAN, Frank Valentine; Private; 242188; 2/5th Btn. Leicestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/09/1917; 19; Tyne Cot Cemetery; 121 Riverdale Road, Erith / Claremont Cottages, West Street; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William & Eliza; Enlisted Woolwich.

COLSON, William John; Sergeant; 6285; 1st Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 26/04/1915; 36; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 10 - 26 – 28; Resident Belvedere. White House Farm, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of John & Ellen Baldwyn Colson of Erith, Kent, husband of Emily Colson of White House Farm, Belvedere; http://www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/remembrance/memorials/canadian-virtual-war-memorial/detail/922954?William%20John%20Colson; Army reservist. To Canada, 1913, worked at Ford's motor plant, Windsor Ontario.



COLYER, John; Corporal; C/9560; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 16/04/1917; 23; Etaples Memorial Cemetery; 10 Alexandra Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of John & Philadelphia; Bexleyheath Observer 4 May 1915; Enlisted Woolwich. A carpenter's apprentice.

CONSTANT, Cecil Godfrey; Sergeant; 7812; 11th Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment); DoW; F&F; 19/02/1917; 25; Varennes Military Cemetery, France - I. I. 27.; Resident Crayford (Maxim Rd) / 5 Swan Row, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Nelson James & Eleanor, brother of William; Bexley & District Times 9 March 1917, Sidcup & District Times 9 March 1917; Attended Crayford National School.

CONSTANT, Ernest William; Private; 8863; 1st Btn. Bedfordshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 07/11/1914; 24; Le Touret Memorial, Pas-de-Calais; 5 Swan Row, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Nelson James & Eleanor, brother of Cecil; Enlisted Woolwich. Regular army.

COOK, Charles Henry; Air Mechanic 1st Class; 232542; Air Ship Station (Howden), Royal Air Force; Died; Home; 09/10/1918; 35; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery, C. 1294.; 215 Bexley Road, Erith. (151/161 in 1911); St Paul's Church Northumberland Heath Memorial Tablet; Husband of Dorothy Jane Cook of 215 Bexley Road, Erith; A butcher's assistant. Died at Hull Naval Hospital.

COOK, Philip John; Private; L/10613; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/10/1917; 19; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 165 Holly Hill Terrace, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Edward & Bridget; Born Northfleet. Enlisted Woolwich.

COOK, Robert G.; Private; L/6534; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 18/04/1916; 34; Ste Marie Cemetery, Le Havre, France; 17 Springfield Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of George & Selina; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/cook/; Born Plumstead. A labourer.

COOK, Walter; Private; 442356; 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles Battalion; KiA; F&F; 17/05/1916; 33; Menin Road South Military Cemetery, France - I. M. 4; 261 Broadway, Bexleyheath; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William George & Eliza Ann; Bexleyheath Observer 2 June 1916; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/cook-2/; Hardware store assistant (Mence Smith). Emigrated 1906, became a miner.

COOKE, John [Findlay Nowell]; Sergeant; 275082; 6th Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; Palestine; 25/11/1917; 24; Jerusalem Memorial, Israel - Panels 33 to 39; Born Sidcup; Son of Elizabeth Burbage Cooke of Leigh-on-Sea, Essex & the late Charles Edward Cooke; Enlisted Prittlewell, Essex.

COOMAR, Jack; Private; 74386; 65th Coy. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); Died; Greece; 10/10/1918; 30; Mikra British Cemetery, Greece; The Elms, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Adopted son of Mary Ann Hudson of The Elms, Bexley; Born Calcutta. Enlisted Norwich - Formerly 2570, Norfolk Yeomanry. A clerk. Died of pneumonia.

COOMBES, Walter; Private; M2/184008; 67th Aux Steam Coy. Mechanical Transport, Royal Army Service Corps; Died; F&F; 20/12/1918; 39; Charleroi Communal Cemetery, Belgium - Q. 22; 13 Riverdale Road, Erith; Husband of Ellen M. Coombes of Erith, 1904; https://sites.google.com/site/frimley&camberley/lest-we-forget-my-family-s-military-memorial/a-list-of-the-men-including-military-details; Resident Camberley, Surrey. A chauffeur.

COOPER, Henry Cochrane; Royal Defence Corps; Died; Home; 15/10/1918; 54; Funeral at Lewisham Cemetery; Norway Lodge, Station Road Sidcup; Sidcup Congregational Church; Husband of Ada Wellen Cooper; http://www.emmanuelchurchsidcup.org.uk/assets/applets/marmay17-web.pdf; Born Australia. A manufacturing textiles agent. Previously served with London Regiment, invalided 1916.



COOPER, James ; Private ; G/1462 ; 2nd Btn. Middlesex Regiment ; KiA ; F&F ; 14/03/1915 ; 22 ; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panels 31 & 32 ; Born Erith, enlisted Erith. Family at Erith High Street. Employed by Wm. Cory ; Son of Charles & Elizabeth ; A stoker.

COOPER, Percival Valentine (Percy); Private; 25566; 1st Btn. Wiltshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 24/03/1918; 25; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 7; Born & baptised Erith. 46 Manor Road; Son of Joseph George & Mary Ann; Resident Bracknell, Berks. A brickfield worker. Previously wounded three times.

COOPER, Sydney Gordon; 2nd Lieutenant; 4th Btn. attd 1st Btn. Royal Warwickshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 17/09/1915; 32; Mailly-Maillet Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Spring Place, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Robert & Annie Margaret Cooper; Bexleyheath Observer 24 September 1915, Bexley & District Times photo; An accountant.

COOPER, William; Private; Mar-94; 1st Btn. Hampshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/05/1915; 35; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 34 Stapley Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William & Norah Cooper of 62 Addis Street, Deptford, London, husband of Elizabeth Ann Cooper; Born Bermondsey, enlisted Woolwich.

COOPER, William Albert; Lance Sergeant; 25/1161; New Zealand Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 07/06/1917; 34; Spec. Memorial C. 6. Messines Ridge British Cemetery; 89 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup, Kent; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William & Sarah Cooper; Sidcup & District Times13 July 1917 article; https://www.nzwargraves.org.nz/casualties/william-albert-cooper; A nurseryman in New Zealand.

COPELEY / COPLEY / COAPLEY, Charles; Private; 9024; 1st/4th Btn. Loyal North Lancashire T/F; KiA; F&F; 09/04/1918; 30; Vielle-Chapelle New Military Cemetery, France; 97 Mayplace Road, Bexleyheath / Westbourne Grove, Crayford; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Charles & Trophemia; c1911.18y. Private in India Loyal North Lancashire Regiment.

COPESTAKE, Conrad Powell; Gunner (Signaller); 93918; 108th Heavy Bty, Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; Home; 04/09/1919; 34; Chislehurst Cemetery; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of John Henry & Fannie Gertrude Copestake of Stoke on Trent; Born & enlisted Burslem, Stoke. A pottery factory foreman.

COPLEY, James Frederick; Private; 17984; 10th Btn. Devonshire Regiment; KiA; Salonika; 18/11/1916; 18; Karasouli military Cemetery (Greece); 1 East Street; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Ellen Louisa (Copely); Erith Observer 1 December 1916; Enlisted Woolwich. A newsboy.

COPLEY, Norman; Private; 11071; 2nd Btn. King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 17/11/1914; 21; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 47; 66 Crayford Way, Crayford; Brother of Mrs E. Samuel of 66 Crayford Way (NoK); Born & enlisted Sheffield.

COPPARD, William; Private; 18424; 1st Btn Grenadier Guards; KiA; F&F; 10/09/1916; 36; Thiepval Memorial, France; 37 Thanet Road, Erith (sister); Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of the late Alfred & Maria Coppard, brother of Muriel Marant (NoK) of Thanet Road; Born & resident Surrey. A carter. Enlisted Holborn.

COPPERTHWAITE, William Arthur; Private; 18025; 1st Btn. Grenadier Guards; KiA; F&F; 10/09/1916; 17; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 8 D; 40 Alfred Road, Belvedere; Son of Alice Mandy Felt (formerly Copperthwaite) of Belvedere, Kent & the late William Copperthwaite; Born Plumstead. 1911 resident Refuge Farm School, Bisley.



COPUS, William Henry; Lance Corporal; G/2315; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 30; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 15 to 19; Resident Erith. Employed by Wm Cory, Erith Works; Son of Thomas Henry Copus of 16 Ridcourt Street, Woolwich; Born Woolwich. Railway coalman.

CORBETT, John Archibald; Bombardier; 81037; 27th Bty. 32nd Bde. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 29/09/1917; 35; Bard Cottage Cemetery, Belgium - IV. I. 9.; Family Belvedere. 30 Picardy Road; Son of the late Frederick & Theresa Louisa Corbett of Belvedere, Kent; A stock clerk.

CORKE, Frederick William; 2nd Lieutenant; 10th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 10/04/1918; 35; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: Panel 3; Cray Bank, North Cray, Sidcup, Kent; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial, St James North Cray Memorial & Foots Cray Baptist Church tablet; Son of Elizabeth & G.E. Corke of North Cray, husband of Mabel Mary Corke, 4 children; Bexleyheath Observer 14 June 1918; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Owned Crayford S& & Gravel Pits. A church deacon in Sidcup.

CORKE, James; Private; G / 1956; 7th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 24; Arras Memorial, France; Born & resident Bexley, 5 North Cray Road; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Daniel & Eliza Corke; Enlisted Woolwich. A cowman.

CORKER, Harry; Trooper; 252; 10th Australian Light Horse; KiA; Gallipoli; 22/08/1915; 27; Lone Pine Memorial, Turkey; The Bridge, Crayford. Family worked in Crayford tanyards; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of William & Hellen/Ellen. (William was tanyard manager in Crayford); https://trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/article/80915099; Born Bootle, Lancs. Worked at Crayford tannery. Emigrated 1911, worked as farm stockman.

CORNELL, Frederick Cecil; Private; CH/2033(S); 1st Btn. Royal Marine Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 10/11/1918; 20; Cement House Cemetery, Belgium; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Foster son of Mr A. Usherwood of Ivy Hatch, Sevenoaks; http://www.kentfallen.com/PDF%20REPORTS/IGHTHAM.pdf; Born Greenwich. Enlisted Chatham, December 1916.

CORRY, Alick Ivan; Private; 1383; 7th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 18/11/1916; 20; Wimereux Communal Cemetery, Pas de Calais, France - Grave Reference/ Panel Number: II.A. 10; 16 Carlton Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William & Lily Corry of 16 Carlton Road, Sidcup; http://cucuboth.tumblr.com/post/12966798414/one-of-my-great-uncles-alick-ivan-corry-b-1896; Born Australia. Studied at Epsom College. Enlisted Westminster.

CORSAN, Jacob ; Lance Corporal ; G/1049 ; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment) ; KiA ; F&F ; 03/07/1916 ; 35 ; Auveluy Communal Cemetery, France ; 1a Wheatley Terrace Road, Erith. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith ; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial. Callender's War Memorial, Erith ; Son of William & Emily ; 1911 Labourer Manufacture of Borax.

CORY, Bernard Charles; Lance Sergeant; 1184; 1/6th Btn. Manchester Regiment; KiA; Gallipoli; 06/06/1915; 27; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 158 to 170; Resident Sidcup; Son of Charles H. Cory; Youngest member of Manchester Insurance Committee & a prominent scholar of Manchester Grammar School. Mentioned in despatches.

COSHALL, John Henry; Private; L/10420; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 18/04/1915; 17; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 45 & 47; Born Crayford Resident Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of Eliza Coshall, of 34 Arthur Street, Erith, Kent, & the late James Coshall; Enlisted Woolwich.



COTTRELL, Clement Fraser; Sub-Lieutenant; Royal Navy, HM Submarine G9; Killed; At sea; 16/09/1917; 20; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; Family at 12 Carlton Road, Sidcup; St John's Sidcup War Memorial Chapel; Son of Charles D. & Lucy. (Father a retired Royal Artillery Major & prison governor); http://everything.explained.today/HMS G9/; Born Islington. Joined Royal Navy 1910. Submarine G9 accidentally sunk by British warship.

COULLING, Charles (Charlie); Rifleman; O/495; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 28/03/1918; 19; Arras Memorial, France; Employed by Callenders Cables Erith as a junior clerk; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Henry James Coulling & the late Kate Coulling of Beckenham; A choir boy at Bickley Church. Enlisted Woolwich.

COULSON, Francis Harold; Private; 142131; 18th Btn. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); DoW; F&F; 13/09/1918; 26; St Sever Cemetery Extension, Rouen, France - R. II. E. 18.; Born Erith, The Avenue. Baptised at Erith Baptist Church; Son of William & Annie of Hull; Enlisted Hull. Engineer Apprentice pattern maker.

COULTER, Edward Ralph; Sapper; 28879; 5th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 28/09/1918; 20; Flesquieres Hill British Cemetery, France - II. D. 5.; 68 Arthur Street, Erith; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of John Edward & Rosina Coulter of North End; Born Strood. Enlisted Chatham. Worked for S.E. & Chatham Railway.

COUNTER, John Henry; Private; 11754; 1st Btn. Devonshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 06/11/1917; 34; Tyne Cot Cemetery; Resident Belvedere. Married at St John's Erith 1909 to Annie Warnham. In-laws family at 3 South Road, Erith; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Edwin & Mary Elizabeth, husband of Annie Counter of Kingsway, London. 2 children; Born Exeter. A driver & millwright in 1911 (previously a seaman). Enlisted Woolwich. MM.

COURT, Albert Edward; Lance Corporal; S/19283; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 19/11/1917; 28; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 1 Armstrong Cottages, Bellegrove; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Joseph Ernest & Susannah; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/court/; Born Plumstead. A butcher.

COUSINS, William Walter; Sergeant; L/6563; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/10/1917; 33; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 106 to 108; Born & baptised Erith (& Powell Street?); Son of William James & Charlotte Sarah Ann, husband of Ada; Enlisted Woolwich. Resident Bromley. A fishmonger.

COUTTS, Donald Colin; Acting Corporal; 966; 3rd Btn. Gordon Highlanders; Died; Home; 02/06/1917; 20; Aberdeen (Trinity) Cemetery, Scotland -Screen Wall. I. 4. 89.(SP); Born & baptised Bexley. Parkhill; Son of Donald & Alice Mary; Son of a whiskey merchant, living in Bexley.

COVIL, William Alfred; Gunner; 96697; 22nd Heavy Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 30/04/1918; 36; Longuenesse (St Omer) Souvenir Cemetery, France; Born & baptised Bexley. Family links to Welling & Church (see website); Son of Alfred Herbert & Emily, husband of Nellie. 1 daughter; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/covil/; Resident Plumstead. A house painter. Enlisted Woolwich.

COWLES, Edward James; Leading Signalman; J/12334; Royal Navy, HMS Abdiel; Died; Latvia; 02/10/1919; 24; Nikolai Cemetery, Jelgava, Latvia; 49 Ripley Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Edward & Emma;

http://www.croucherconsult.co.uk/genealogy/Cowles/Edward1.htm; Born Plumstead. A labourer at a cable works.



COX, Ernest; Stoker 1st Class; 295124; Royal Navy; KiA; Gallipoli; 06/05/1915; 35; Helles Memorial, Turkey; Wife at 43 Lion Yard, Bexleyheath; Husband of Alice Emily (married 1901) 3 children; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born Cardiff. Resident Dartford.

COX, John William; Private; 10657; 1st Btn. Royal Berkshire Regiment; Died; Home; 08/04/1918; 22; St Mary's Churchyard, Stratfield Mortimer, Berkshire; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of John & Mary Cox of Reading; Enlisted Reading. Died of wounds at Queen's Hospital Sidcup.

COX, Stewart Moreton; Able Seaman; J/43675(CH); Royal Navy, HMS Pembroke; Died; Home; 01/07/1918; 27; Brighton Downs Cemetery, Sussex; Born & baptised Erith (Christ Church) 11 Bexley Road; Son of Henry Moreton Cox & Lily Cox; Resident Newhaven (but in Australia 1912). Merchant Seaman & railway worker. Enlisted in Navy in 1915. Died of influenza.

CRADDOCK, Frederick; Driver; 915317; XVI Corps Ammunition Col. Royal Field Artillery; Died; Salonika; 04/06/1917; 19; Mikra British Cemetery, Greece – 25; 1 Upton Dairy, Arthur Street, North End, Erith. Enlisted Erith. Employed by Wm. Cory; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Alice Munns (formerly Craddock) of 1 Upton Dairy, Arthur Street, North End, Erith, Kent & the late Fredrick Craddock; Family were farm workers. Stepfather worked at Erith Coal docks.

CRANE, Arthur Beames; Private; 682110 (4736); 22nd (County of London) Btn. (The Queens) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/10/1916; 39; Warlencourt British Cemetery, France - III. G. 27.; Resident & enlisted Bexleyheath. Family at 53 Belvedere Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas J. & Eliza, widowed husband of Edith Frances; A legal clerk. Resident Bromley 1911.

CRAWLEY, Herbert Francis; Lance Corporal; 552137; 16th Btn. County of London Regiment (Queen's Westminster Rifles); DoW; Balkans; 19/05/1917; 22; Salonika (Lembet Road), Greece; Bedford Lodge, West Wickham. Married in Christ Church, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles Henry & Mathilde Louise, husband of Anna Hugolina of Barnehurst; Born Essex. A shipping clerk. Died of wounds in Salonika Hospital.

CRAWSHAW, Allan Tate; Rifleman; S/19458; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 24/10/1916; 24; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 16 B & 16 C; Resident 30 Hengist Road, North Heath; Son of Jane Beattie Crawshaw; Born Yorkshire: Butcher by trade.

CREED, Albert Victor; Private; 29814; 9th Btn. Norfolk Regiment; DoW; F&F; 26/03/1917; 38; Bethune Town Cemetery, France - VI. C. 43.; Born Bexley Road, Belvedere. Baptised at All Saints Belvedere; Son of Joseph & Alice Louisa Creed; Enlisted Gravesend. A house painter.

CRICK, Charles William; Corporal; 37820; 34th Coy, Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 21; Arras Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath, resident 31 Upper Abbey Road, Belvedere; Son of the late George & Emma; Resident Eastbourne, enlisted Aylesbury.

CRIPPS, Arthur David; Gunner; 88511; 160th Heavy Brigade, Royal Garrison Artillery; Died; Italy; 17/12/1918; 31; Taranto Town Cemetery Extension; 20 Harold Road, Belvedere / 58 Hengist Road, Erith; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Miles & Ellen Cripps of Almadene, Harold Road, Belvedere, husband of M. E. Cripps of 58 Hengist Road, Erith; Assistant in laboratory. Died of pneumonia.

CRIPPS, Ernest Jeremiah; Private; G/6850; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 07/10/1916; 30; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 11 C; Resident Crayford, May Place Farm. Married at St Paulinus, 1914; Son of Jeremiah & Jane, husband of Rose; Born South Darenth. A carman/warehouseman.



CRIPPS, William Harold; Private; 57547; 7th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 07/06/1918; 18; Auchonvillers Military Cemetery, France - II. L. 12.; Born Erith. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Edward & Mary; An office boy. Enlisted Leigh, Lancs. (Callenders).

CRISP, Albert; Boy 1st Class; J/32723; Royal Navy, HMS Invincible; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 17; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 16; Native of Belvedere, Kent. 56 Coleman Road; Son of Albert Drayson Crisp & Fanny Crisp of 14 Island Wall, Whitstable, Kent; Royal Navy in 1914.

CRISP, John Herbert Edward; Private; 55041; 21st Btn. Manchester Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1918; 23; Bellicourt British Cemetery, France - VII. K. 2; Leinster Villa, 57 Church Road, Bexleyheath / 18 Bedonwell Hill Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of John William & Phoebe Louise Crisp of Leinster Villa, 57 Church Road, Bexleyheath, Kent. Born at Belvedere, Kent Lived 18 Bedonwell Hill; Erith Observer 1 November 1918; Enlisted Woolwich 1914. A clerk.

CRISPIN, Hugh Trevor; Lieutenant Colonel; Cdg. 2nd Bn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/10/1914; 46; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Nephew of the Rev. Johnson of St James North Cray (who grew up in Danson House); Memorial tablet in St James Church, North Cray; Son of the late Alfred Trevor Crispin of HM Treasury Legal Dept.; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=17; Regular Army. Served 22 years in the Northumberland Fusiliers (Egypt & South Africa) Twice mentioned in despatches.

CRISPIN, James; Private; L/10217; 8th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 19/08/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 5 D; Born Erith. Resident Erith 5 Killicks Cottages, Arthur Street; Son of Henry & Sarah; Bexleyheath Observer 20 October 1916, Erith Observer 6 October 1916; Enlisted Woolwich. A labourer.

CRISPIN, Thomas; Acting Corporal; 9105; 2nd Btn. Prince of Wales Regiment; KiA; F&F; 12/03/1915; 23; Le Touret Memorial, France; 57 Alexandra Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of William Thomas & Martha Eliza; Thomas James.

CRITCHER, Albert; Private; 18870; 2nd Btn. South Wales Borderers; KiA; Gallipoli; 21/12/1915; 17; Twelve Tree Copse Cemetery, Turkey; Born Bexleyheath. Resident Rose Cottage, Pinnacle Hill, Crayford; Son of William & Louisa (Father a policeman); Enlisted Kingston upon Thames.

CROCKFORD, Alfred Rifleman; S/31953; 16th Btn. Rifle Brigade (PCO); DoW; F&F; 22/09/1917; 30; Bailleul Communal Cemetery Extension, Nord, France; 41 Bexley Lane, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Frederick & Sarah Ann, married to Emily Maud 1910; Born Walthamstow. Enlisted Bexleyheath.

CROMBIE, Ian Osborne; Captain; 11th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/07/1916; 21; Bouzincourt Communal Cemetery Extension, France - Grave Reference/ Panel Number: II. F. 5.; Highden, Sidcup. Merton Court School pupil (1901-09); Sidcup War Memorial & Congregational Church, Sidcup; Son of James & Mary Marshall Crombie of "Highden," Sidcup, Kent, 2 brothers also killed; Sidcup & District Times11 August 1916; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2

CROMBIE, James Machattie; 2nd Lieutenant; 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 02/07/1917; 20; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium - XIII. A. 8.; Highden, Sidcup. Merton Court pupil (1901-09); Congregational Church, Sidcup; Son of James & Mary M. Crombie, of Highden, Sidcup, Kent, his brothers William Maurice Crombie & Ian Osborne Crombie also fell; Bexleyheath Observer 6 July 1917; http://www.chch.ox.ac.uk/fallen-alumni/2nd-lieutenant-james-machattie-crombie; Son of Sidcup GP. Attended Christ Church College Oxford.



CROMBIE, William Frank; Gunner; 206188; "X" Bty. Royal Horse Artillery; Died; India; 21/10/1918; 24; Meerut Cantonment Cemetery, India - Plot 6. Grave 29.; 11 Crusoe Road, Erith. Born at Belvedere. 4 Oakfield Terrace. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Alice Maude Crombie, & the late George Alexander Crombie; A nurseryman. Enlisted Woolwich.

CROMBIE, William Maurice; Captain; Indian Medical Service; Died; Home; 17/02/1919; 25; Sidcup Cemetery, E. 28. 1.; 17 Granville Road, Sidcup; Congregational Church, Sidcup; Son of James Crombie, M.D. & Mary Marshall Crombie, husband of Grace Almora Crombie, of 17 Granville Road, Sidcup. His brothers Ian Osborne & James Machattie Crombie also fell; Sidcup Times 21 February 1919; http://www.kingscollections.org/warmemorials/st-thomas-hospital/memorials/crombie-william-maurice

CRONK, Arthur; Rifleman; 608202; 18th (County of London) Btn. (London Irish Rifles) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 07/04/1918; 34; Ancre British Cemetery, France II.F.30; Resident of Foots Cray - 37 Cray Road; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of George & Emily Cronk, husband of Ethel May Cronk of 29 Peel Street, Maidstone. Bexleyheath Observer 26 April 1918, Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Maidstone. Employed by Erith Gas Works. Enlisted Woolwich.

CROSSLEY, Norcliffe; Private; 1741; 11th Australian Infantry AIF; KiA; F&F; 25/07/1916; 26; Villers-Bretonneux Memorial, Somme; Resident Welling - Woodlands, Bellegrove; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of Samuel & Edith; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/crossley/; Born Westcombe Park. Emigrated 1910. A farmer in Australia.

CROWHURST, Edward John; Stoker 1st Class; K / 15901; Royal Navy, HMS Formidable; KiA; At sea; 01/01/1915; 20; Chatham Naval Memorial; 18 North Cray Road Bexley, Kent; Old Bexley War Memorial, Bexley Strict Baptist Chapel Memorial; Son of Mr & Mrs G.E.H. Crowhurst of Albert Road; Bexleyheath Observer 15 January 1915 & Bexley & District Times photo; Attended Bexley Sunday School. Memorial service held at St Mary's.

CRUNDEN, Harold George; Private; 267250; Hertfordshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 31/07/1917; 20; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 54 & 56; 50 Brook Street, North Heath, Erith / 73 Hengist Road Belvedere; Son of Cornelius D. & Alice Crunden; Enlisted Bexleyheath. Born Harwich.

CRUSE, Albert George; Private; 53162; 15th Btn. Durham Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 20; Hooge Crater Cemetery, Belgium; Born Stapley Road Belvedere. Residence 1
Perseverance Cottage, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of John & Alice. NoK sister, Mrs Pilson, 132 Riverdale Road; A general labourer. Enlisted Woolwich. Formerly R/31399, K.R.R.

CULLEY, Arthur Herbert; Company Sergeant Major; 5596; 2nd Btn. Cameronians (Scottish Rifles); KiA; F&F; 10/03/1915; 35; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 15 & 16; Nelson Place, Sidcup. Sidcup National School pupil; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Herbert & Sarah; Article & photo Sidcup & District Times 9 April 1915, Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A regular soldier.

CUMMING, Henry; Private; 1883; Royal Defence Corps; Died; Home; 26/02/1917; 59; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - C. E. 415.; Died at Lessness Camp, Abbey Wood; Husband of Madeline (1908); Born & enlisted Birmingham.

DACEY, Thomas; Corporal; L/7237; 2nd Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 28/05/1915; 30; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 12 & 14; Shoulder of Mutton Green, Welling; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of Patrick & Catherine; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/dacey/; Born Greenwich. A general labourer.



DALE, Albert James; Private; 54358; 1/5th Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 24/11/1917; 24; Lussenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium; 42 Manor Road, Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of the late Albert & Elizabeth Dale; Late father was a chimney sweep, mother a chair-caner.

DALE, Frank Mayo; Private; 29103 6th Btn. Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry; DoW; F&F; 30/08/1917; 31; Etaples Military Cemetery, France; Heathside, Crook Log, Bexleyheath (O.O. Dale had a pawnbroker's shop 151 High Street, Erith). Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Obed O. & Eliza; Bexleyheath Observer 31 July &14 September 1917 photo; Assistant in family firm.

DALTON, C. W. (Charles Walter); Corporal; 7415; 6th Btn. Yorkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/10/1917; 31; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Husband of Gertrude; Born Dartford. Resident Marlow, Bucks. Enlisted Yorkshire. Army in 1903.

DALTON, William; Rifleman; 593638; 18th Btn. (County of London) (London Irish Rifles). London Regiment; KiA; F&F 07/04/1917; 20; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 54; Born Crayford. 19 Maxim Road. Resident Bexleyheath; Son of Thomas & Alice; Enlisted Woolwich.

DANES, Albert (Alfred) Victor; Leading Stoker; K/1509; Royal Navy, HMS Foyle; KiA; At sea; Dover Straights; 15/03/1917; 23; Chatham Naval Memorial – 23; 23 Windbourne Terrace, Orchard Hill, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Thomas & Eva, brother of Ernest Charles; Born Hoo. A carman in flour mill. HMS Foyle sunk by mine in English Channel.

DANES, Ernest Charles; Sergeant; 13521; 9th Btn. King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment; KiA; Balkans; 19/09/1918; 31; Doiran Military Cemetery, Greece - VI. B. 23.; 23 Windbourne Terrace, Orchard Hill; Crayford Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Thomas & Eva, brother of Albert Victor; Born Thurrock, Essex. A farm horseman. Enlisted Woolwich.

DANN, Frank; Private; 126; 15th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; F&F; 09/08/1916; 30; Villers-Bretonneux Memorial, France; Born at Bexley. Baptised at St John's 1886; Son of Henry & Elizabeth Ann Dann of Gravesend; http://www.hambo.org/kingscanterbury/view_man.php?id=144; A farmer/estate manager in Australia.

DANN, George; Petty Officer 2nd Class; 146362; Royal Navy, HMS Amethyst; DoW; Dardanelles; 19/05/1915; 42; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; 27 Mayfield Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Callender's War Memorial, Erith (as **DENN**); Son of Edward & Emily in Sussex, married to Rachel A. of Belvedere (1901) 1 daughter; Erith Observer 28 May 1915 & Bexleyheath Observer 28 May 1915; Electric cable maker.

DARLING, Sidney Robert; Sapper; 188492; 218th Field Coy Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 03/11/1918; 35; Ors British Cemetery, France; Resident Belvedere, enlisted Bexleyheath; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Henry Robert & Sarah Jane of Wimbledon, husband of Laura Rhoda (1909); Born Brixton. A gas fitter.

DARRINGTON, William James; Private/Bandsman 201810; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 12/04/1918; 35; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel Number: 58 & 59; Herns Road, Foots Cray / 33 Cray Road Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of John Darrington of Foots Cray (a policeman), husband of Harriet Darrington of Cray Road; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Tottenham. A window cleaner & travelling bandsman.



DARTNELL, Alfred Arthur; Gunner; 114654; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 08/10/1917; 22; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Baptised at St Paulinus. Resident 94 Crayford High Street; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Alice & the late Arthur Dartnell, 22 Camplin Street, New Cross; Bexleyheath Observer 16 November 1917; Born Rickmansworth, Herts. (Father worked at Crayford silk works). Apprentice flag printer. Enlisted Woolwich.

DASNIERES, Charles Adrien Edmond; Sergeant Major; French Infantry; Died; F&F; 19/12/1916; 30; Ploermel War Memorial, France; Pirie Cottage, Upton Road / Lynton Rowan Road Bexleyheath. Attended Mr Oxley's School; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles Albert & Nelly Dasnieres of Brittany, husband of Margaret Mary (married 1911 in Greenwich), 2 children; Sidcup & District Times 26 January 1917; Born in Neuilly-sur-Seine, France, in 1886. In 1911 a clerk/engineer residing in Bexleyheath with the Buckland family in Rowan Road.

DAVEY, Albert Victor Patrick; Lieutenant; RFC (Royal Field Artillery); KiA; F&F; 02/06/1918; 22; St Riquier British Cemetery, France; Born & baptised Bexleyheath. Wyoming, Church Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels & Memorial panel in Christ Church;

http://www.iwm.org.uk www.iwm.org.uk/memorials/item/memorial/1208 ; Son of Edwin Arthur & Victoria Mary ; Bexleyheath Observer 21 June 1918 ;

https://www.flightglobal.com/FlightPDFArchive/1918/1918%20-%200694.PDF; Father was florist.

DAVIDSON, Charles; Private; 76173; 29th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 26/09/1916; 29; Vimy Memorial, France; Stoneleigh, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Congregational Church, Sidcup; Youngest son of Mr & Mrs B. Davidson of Sidcup (later of Cornwall); Sidcup & District Times 13 October 1916; Joined Canadian forces at declaration of war (Vancouver).

DAVIES, Albert Arthur; Sapper; 480533; 5th Field Survey Coy. Royal Engineers; Died; Home; 17/12/1918; 27; Brookwood Military Cemetery, Surrey - VI. C. 5A.; 17 Shirley Road, Longlands, Sidcup, Kent; Husband of Florence Emily Davies of Sidcup.

DAVIES, William Charles; Sergeant; L/5624; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/10/1914; 32; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 30 & 31; Born Erith; Son of James & Louisa? Husband of Florence; Enlisted Woolwich. A general labourer at Woolwich Ordnance Works.

DAVIS, Alfred; Gunner; 53630; Independent Div. Ammunition Col. Royal Field Artillery; Died; Mesopotamia; 15/06/1917; 28; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 3 & 60; 106 Northumberland Way, Northumberland Heath; Son of William Henry & Jessie Elizabeth Davis, brother of Henry Thomas; Born Plumstead.

DAVIS, Frederick; Lance Corporal; L/15281; 1st Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 21/01/1915; 20; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium; 116 West Street, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William; Born Taunton. A milkman.

DAVIS, George Makins (C.M. on panel); Able Seaman; London 1/3028; Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve; Died; Holland; 02/11/1918; 22; The Hague General Cemetery Ref 1; Appleby, Elm Road, Sidcup. Merton Court School pupil; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of George William & Eleanor Davis of Sidcup;

http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; A medical student. Died from Influenza in hospital at Bethel, Oude Delft. Internee at Antwerp 9/10/14. (A pianist & artist).



DAVIS, Henry Thomas; Rifleman; 897345; 34th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/11/1918; 27; Tournai Communal Cemetery Allied Extension, Belgium - II. A. 8.; Comrie Villa, Caldy Road, Belvedere, Kent; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William Henry & Jessie Elizabeth Davis, brother of Alfred; Born Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich. A labourer.

DAY, Francis; Private; 92711; Royal Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 28/08/1918; 22; Daours Com. Cemetery Extension (Somme); Resident Belvedere; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of George William & Alice; Born Barrow-in-Furness. Enlisted Woolwich. Dockyard clerk.

DAY, Gerald Philip; Lieutenant; 2nd Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 26/09/1916; 19; Grove Town Cemetery, France; Merton Court School pupil, Sidcup; Only son of Annie M. B. & the late Richard Philip Day of Ickleford, Herts; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Son of an architect.

DAY, H. T.; Erith (St John's) Memorial.

DE MONTMORENCY, Reymond Ligonier; Gunner; 46661; "D" Bty. 94th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 03/10/1916; 24; Heilly Station Cemetery, France - V. B. 54.; Born & baptised Bexley (St Mary's). Resident Bexley. Neville Cottage, Upton Road (Family at Taverland, 1 Hurst Road Bexley); Son of Ada Ligonier De Montmorency & the late John Kiddell De Montmorency of Fulham (a wine importer); Attended Blackheath Proprietary School. Family from peerage. A motor engineer. Enlisted Fulham.

DEARDEN, Horace Leonard; Corporal; 4836; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 09/11/1914; 18; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium; Harrow Manorway, Abbey Wood in 1911. Erith Grammar School pupil; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of John & Minnie, married to Julia; Erith Observer, Bexleyheath Observer 25 June 1915; Born Plumstead.

DEFFEW, Percy Willing; Lance Corporal; 143161; 2nd Btn. Scots Guards; KiA; F&F; 25/11/1917; 24; Cambrai Memorial, France; Born Belvedere. 38 Industry Cottage Belvedere; Son of Harry (John) Gladdish Deffew & Florence "Rose" Couchman; Family emigrated to Boston USA, 1904. Enlisted Liverpool August 1915. Wounded 5 times in action. "Commissioned at The Front for heroic action".

DENNIS, Richard Henry; Lance Corporal; 6675; 1st Btn. Canadian Expeditionary Force; KiA; F&F; 15/06/1915; 44; Cabaret Rouge British Cemetery, France; Born Bexleyheath; Son of Richard H. & Mary of Plumstead, husband of Margaret, 3 sons (6 Daniel's Place, Chatham, Ontario); To Canada 1907. Railway worker.

DENNY (Denney), Fred; Wheeler; 915078; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Salonika; 02/10/1918; 32; Kirechkoi-Hortakoi Military Cemetery, Greece; Enlisted Erith. NoK Grandmother Esther Jefferies at 4 West Street, Erith. (In 1911 lodging at 7 Maxim Road); Born Essex. A house painter & decorator. Died at 60th General Hospital Salonika.

DENNYS, Richard Molesworth; Captain; 10th Btn. The Loyal North Lancashire Reg "A" Coy.; DoW; F&F; 24/07/1916; 32; St Sever Cemetery, Rouen; Halcombe's School, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Edward Augustus & Louisa Mary Dennys, 125 Coleherne Court, South Kensington; http://www.loyalregiment.com/captain-richard-molesworth-dennys/; Educated at Winchester College, & St Bartholomew's Hospital, London, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P. Published poet.

DENT, Austin Campbell; Lance Sergeant; 2046; Royal Army Medical Corps; DoW; Gallipoli; 20/07/1915; 23; Lancashire Landing Cemetery, Turkey - F96; Merton Court School pupil, Sidcup; Son of Joseph Malaby & Mrs. A. C. Dent, of 10-13 Bedford Street, Covent Garden, London; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Jesus College Cambridge Graduate. Publishing trade. Enlisted September 1914.



DENT, Frederick William; Gunner; 105769; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 30/08/1917; 23; Perth Cemetery (China Wall) Ypres; 2 Banks Lane, Bexleyheath / 11 Albert Cottage, Graham Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Ann M.; Erith Observer 27 September 1917; Shop boy in 1911. Enlisted Woolwich.

DES VOEUX, Frederick William; Lieutenant; 2nd Btn. Grenadier Guards; KiA; F&F; 14/09/1914; 24; Soupir Communal Cemetery, France - B. 3.; Formerly Foots Cray Place; Son of Sir George William Des Voeux, G.C.M.G. & Lady Des Voeux of 51 Eaton Square, Westminster, London. Formerly Foots Cray Place; Bexleyheath Observer 2 October 1914; Born at Government House Hong Kong during his father's governorship of that colony.

DEVLIN, George Fraser; Corporal; 2616; 29th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; Died; Home; 28/11/1918; 23; Brookwoood Military Cemetery, Surrey; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Joseph & Mary Anne Devlin of Marcus Hill, nr Geelong, Victoria, Australia; https://s3-ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/awm-media/collection/RCDIG1035709/document/5535791.PDF; A labourer. Died of influenza.

DEXTER, Archibald George; Lance Corporal; 233498; 2nd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 16/08/1917; 20; Menin Gate Memorial, Ypres; Born Bexleyheath; Son of Sarah & Edmund; Resident & enlisted Luton. A foundry worker, water works.

DICKINSON, Bruce Norman; 2nd Lieutenant; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Kia; F&F; 29/06/1916; 26; Gunners Farm Military Cemetery S5; Lammermoor, The Drive, Sidcup. Merton Court School pupil (1903-05); Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of James Watson & Ada Anne Dickinson; Sidcup & District Times 7 July 1916; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; A bank clerk (Father was a wealthy bank manager). Played for Sidcup Cricket Club.

DILLEY, Thomas; Private; 7285; 7th Btn. Oxford & Bucks Light Infantry; KiA; Salonika; 18/08/1916; 29; Karasouli Military Cemetery, Greece - B. 220.; 7 Charleville Road, Erith; Son of Thomas & Florence Dilley of London, husband of Emily Kathleen Dilley of Erith, 1 daughter; Born Islington. A carriage contractor & porter.

DIMOND, Edward; Lance Sergeant; 28466; 2nd Btn. Royal Dublin Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 19/11/1918; 29; St Sever Cemetery Extension, Rouen; 4 Langham Place, Standard Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles & Louisa, brother of Leonard & Reginald; Bexley & District Times 27 October 1916 photo; Enlisted Bromley.

DIMOND, Henry (Henry Thomas); Rifleman; R/39178; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 14/10/1917; 32; Duhallow A.D.S. Cemetery (Belgium); 6 Trinity Place. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church, Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Reuben & Fanny, husband of Margaret; Bexley & District Times photo 27 October 1916; A general carman.

DIMOND, Leonard; Sergeant; 300559; 2/5th Btn. City of London (LRB); DoW; F&F; 21/09/1917; 29; Dozinghem Military Cemetery, Belgium; 86 Standard Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles & Louisa, brother of Reginald & Edward; Bexley & District Times 12 & 27 October 1917 & 10 December 1915 photos; A school teacher.

DIMOND, Reginald; Private; 452559; 58th Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 08/10/1916; 25; Adanac Military Cemetery, France; 4 Langham Place, Standard Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles & Louisa, brother of Leonard & Edward; Bexley & District Times 27 October 1916, Erith Observer 3 November 1916 photo; Member of Bexleyheath Boys' Brigade & football team. Emigrated to Canada June 1913. An electrical engineer. Tried to enlist twice before acceptance.



DINAN, James; Able Seaman; 2612/181; Royal Navy, HMS Tregantle; Died; At sea; 17/10/1918; 18; 44 Old Road, Crayford; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of John & Mary; Served from 31st January to 31 March 1918. Died on HMS Garth Castle (hospital ship).

DINES, Leonard York; Sergeant; M2/021791; 604th Mechanical Transport, Royal Army Service Corps, attached to XV Corps Heavy Artillery; KiA; F&F; 29/10/1917; 23; Adinkerke Military Cemetery, Belgium - D27; Lived at 41 Northcote Rd, Sidcup. Worked for Messrs Clifford & Co (Motors) Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Robert & Bessie Dines of Streatham, London; Sidcup & District Times 9 November 1917; KiA by hostile aircraft. Born at Cambridge. Motor engineer. His brother Hubert Ernest also fell.

DINMORE, Sidney Alfred; Able Seaman; J/3412; Royal Navy, HMS Thisbe; Died; Home; 31/05/1920; 28; Greenwich Cemetery; 100 Apple Avenue / 5 Springfield Road in 1916; East Wickham War Memorial; Welling Memorial; Son of Alfred H. & Mary Jane, married Maud in 1917, brother of Thomas; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/dinmore/; Born Charlton. Royal Navy. Died of TB.

DINMORE, Thomas Richard; Private; S/14129; 8th Btn. Rifle Brigade; Died; Home; 06/12/1916; 18; St Michael's, East Wickham; 5 Springfield Road; Welling Memorial; Son of Alfred H. & Mary Jane, brother of Sidney; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/dinmore-2/; Born Charlton. An engineer's labourer. Died of TB.

DIXON, C.; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School.

DIXON, Frederick; Private; 8852; 53rd Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; F&F; 19/07/1916; 20; V.C. Corner Australian Cemetery & Memorial, Fromelles, France - 8.; Native of Erith, 58 North Place (?) Northumberland Heath; Son of Edward George & Amelia Jane Dixon of Campbell Road, Albany, Western Australia; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; https://www.aif.adfa.edu.au/showPerson?pid=79734; A farm labourer. Enlisted June 1915.

DIXON, Frederick Charles; Sergeant; S/123; 12th Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 09/09/1915; 34; Boulogne Eastern Cemetery, France - VIII. B. 77.; 25 Wingfield Place, Halfway Street, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of Peter & Elizabeth Dixon of 112 Wellfield Road, Streatham, husband of Florence Catherine Dixon of Sidcup, 2 children; Bexley & District Times 24 September 1915 photo; Gardener at Avery Hill.

DIXON, George; Private; 254701; 3rd Btn. (City of London) (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 24/08/1918; 18; Summit Trench Cemetery, France - I. A. 13; Born Crayford; Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of George & Beatrice Dixon of 18 Trevithick Road, Dartford (in Crayford in 1911); Enlisted Dartford.

DOD, Edward (born Ebenezer William?); Private; 63275; Central Ontario Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/10/1916; 32; Vimy Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath. Family at 7 Lewin Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry & Sarah; A fireman.

DODD, Francis Coupe; 2nd Lieutenant; Royal Air Force; KiA; F&F; 10/06/1918; 22; Farm Military Cemetery, France; Grandmother (Emma) at Victoria Villas, 4 Victoria Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of the late Ernest James & Mary Ellen - The Homestead Fitzjohn Avenue, Barnet; Born Barnet. Salesman for family firm in Bromley / solicitor's clerk.



DODGSON, William; Lance Corporal; 653885; 21st Btn. London Regiment (First Surrey Rifles); KiA; F&F; 02/09/1918; 29; Wulverghem-Lindenhoek Road Military Cemetery, Belgium; Resident Belvedere (SDGW). Brother (Walter) at 84 Battle Road Belvedere; Son of Henry Dodgson of Colne, Lancs., & the late Adelaide Dodgson; Born Colne, Lancashire. A cotton weaver. Enlisted Woolwich.

DONOGHUE, John; Private; TF/2088; 1/5th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Asiatic; 22/06/1915; c50; Jhansi Cantonment Cemetery, India - Plot H. Grave 104.; Resident Crayford?; Son of Margaret; Enlisted Bromley.

DONOVAN, Walter; Lance Corporal; 9725; 8th Btn. East Yorkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/04/1916; 23; Ridge Wood Military Cemetery, Belgium; Born Crayford, Orchard Hill. (Dartford Workhouse in 1911); Son of James & Mary, husband of Jessie; http://dinsdalelist.co.uk/directory/listing/donovan-2; Parents were Irish. Farm workers in Crayford. A general labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.

DORRINGTON, Albert; Sergeant; 203313; 2nd/4th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; Palestine; 09/05/1917; 26; Deir el Belah War Cemetery, Israel - Grave Reference/ Panel Number: A. 182.; 151 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup, Kent; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Thomas Edward & Angelina Martha Dorrington of Sidcup; A motor assistant.

DOUCH, Harry Francis; Private; 78995; 1/4th Btn. (Territorials), Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 27/05/1918; 19; Soissons Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath, baptised Christ Church; Son of Frank & Jane; Enlisted Eastbourne. Formerly Sussex Yeomanry.

DOUGLAS, George Archibald Percy; Captain (Adjutant); 1st/6th Btn. Essex Regiment; DoW; Egypt; 30/11/1915; 21; Alexandria (Chatby) Military & War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt - Q. 55; Otterburn, Church Avenue, Sidcup. Merton Court School pupil, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Only son of George Percy & Annie Louise Douglas; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Insurance clerk. Wounded at Gallipoli.

DOVE, Harold Francis Arthur; "Rifleman"; S/27123; 13th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 23/04/1917; 27; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; Culver, May Place Road, Bexleyheath; Only son of Arthur Henry & the late Rose Dove, husband of Alice Marian Dove of 6 Grotes Place, Blackheath; B.A.(London). Member of University College, Reading O.T.C. 1908-1911. Resident Bridgenorth, Shropshire. A schoolmaster.

DOWLE, Henry David; Private; 204750; 15th Btn. Hampshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 23/10/1918; 22; Heestert Military Cemetery, Belgium; 24 Whitehall Lane; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Edward John & Lena Sarah; Born Merstham, Surrey. Resident Hastings. A warehouse boy. Enlisted Winchester.

DOWNES, Gilbert George; Captain; Lincolnshire Regiment; DoW; Greece; 11/08/1915; 25; East Mudros Military Cemetery, Greece - II. D. 61.; Sidcup resident. Hampden House, Station Road. Baptised & worshipped at Holy Trinity, Lamorbey; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of Daniel George & Ellen Downes (nee Gilbert) of Upottery, Devon, husband of Valentine Joan Downes (nee Sasse) of South Kensington, 1 daughter (Mary Valentine) Gilbert) born November 1915; Royal Masonic School, University of Reading.

DOWNTON, Edwin (E. R. on memorials); Sergeant; PO/11225; Portsmouth Division, Royal Marine Light Infantry; Died; Home; 20/07/1917; 34; Foots Cray (All Saints) Churchyard, Kent; Born St Mary Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Brother Charles in Foots Cray (Edwin stayed here when not at sea); Sidcup & District Times 27 July 1917 photo; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Survived Jutland.



DOWNTON, Percy; Private; 201370; 4th Btn. Black Watch (Royal Highlanders); KiA; F&F; 25/10/1916; 31; Mill Road Cemetery, Thiepval Memorial, France - XV. A. 1.; Born Crayford (Baptised at St Paulinus); Son of Harry (Henry) & Georgina Downton of Crayford, husband of Annie Downton of 46 Nelson Street, Tayport, Fife; Enlisted Dundee.

DOWSON, John ; Gunner ; 144637 ; Royal Field Artillery ; Died ; Asiatic ; 26/05/1919 ; 31 ; Delhi Memorial (India Gate) ; 60 Rowan Road ; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels ; Son of John & Caroline Ann ; Horticultural nurseryman.

DRAPER, Alfred Herbert; Lance Corporal; G/1235; 10th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 31/07/1917; 20; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 11 - 13 & 14; Eardemont Lodge, Crayford; Son of James & Naomi; Resident Beckenham.

DRISCOLL, Henry Charles; Private; 252597; 2nd/3rd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 16/06/1917; 38; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; 3 Norman Road, Belvedere, Kent; Son of John & Mary Elizabeth Driscoll; Resident Eltham.

DRISCOLL, James Edward; Corporal; 64332; 105th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 33; Thiepval Memorial, France; Resident Belvedere; Son of William James & Elizabeth Ann, brother of William Charles, NoK sister, Elizabeth Hopkins; Born Dover. Enlisted Liverpool. MM.

DRISCOLL, William Charles; Gunner; 115221; 225th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 03/06/1918; 37; Ribemont Communal Cemetery Extension, Somme, France - I. N. 1.; Resident Erith. 16 Horsa Road, Northumberland Heath; Son of William James & Elizabeth Ann, brother of James Edward; Born Dover. Enlisted Woolwich. A labourer.

DRIVER, Charles; Rifleman; R/7185; 12th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 18/09/1916; 39; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 13 A & 13 B; Born Erith. 3 Westbourne Grove / 5 Orchard Terrace, Crayford; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Charles & Mary, husband of Elizabeth Jane, 5 children; Bexleyheath Observer 27 October & 3 November 1916 photo; A bricklayer.

DRUMMOND, David; Private; S/13420; Seaforth Highlanders; Died; Home; 05/11/1918; 24; Chislehurst Cemetery; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of James Drummond of Glasgow; Born Clydebank. Enlisted Glasgow.

DRUMMOND, David Robert; Lieutenant; 2nd Btn. Scots Guards; KiA; F&F; 03/11/1914; 30; Ypres (Menin Gate); Blendon Cottage, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of George James Drummond, husband of Hilda Margaret Drummond, (1915), 3 daughters; Bexleyheath Observer 13 November 1914; http://www.penshurstlivingarchive.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2016/04/2.Drummond-&-the-First-battle-of-Ypres-dr-2.pdf; Educated Harrow. Regular army.

DUDLEY, Leonard; Gunner; 29696; 247th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; Home; 13/09/1918; 32; Brookwood Military Cemetery, Surrey; Born Slade Green. Baptised St Paulinus Crayford. Resident on discharge 126 West Street Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of John Raven & Eliza, husband of Rosalie. Married (In Jersey) Dec 1911; Regular army (1911 Far East). Discharged Feb 1918, GSW to back. Paraplegic. Died of wounds September 1918.

DUDNEY, Herbert James; 2nd Class Air Mechanic; 50287; RFC; Died; Greece; 09/12/1917; 40; Mikra British Cemetery, Greece; 14 South Road, Erith. Married in Bexleyheath; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of James & Emily E., married to Nellie Castell (1901); Erith Observer 28 June 1915; A nurseryman. Died of dysentery.



DUFF, Frederick John; Gunner; 76115; 247th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 28/08/1917; 36; Adinkerke Military Cemetery, Belgium; Enlisted Bexleyheath. 27 Abbey Road, Bexley on enlistment; Brother of Charles Duff of Bromley; Born Margate, Resident Bromley. Gas works labourer.

DUNHAM, Sidney William; Private; 2034; 1st Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; Gallipoli; 25/04/1915; 25; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 58 to 72 or 218 to 219; 2 Albert Road, Slade Green; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of Daniel & Emma, brother Daniel in Crayford in 1911; Bexleyheath Observer 30 July 1915; Attended St Paulinus School. Brick worker. Enlisted Woolwich.

DURRANT, Harry; Rifleman; B/200318; 11th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 29; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 145 to 147; Resident Erith, Smithland Cottage, Bedonwell Road; Son of William & Mary. Married to Amy Rosina, 1915; A general labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.

DYMOTT, George Henry; Private; 41367; 4th Btn. Suffolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/09/1917; 24; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium Panel 40 to 41 & 162 to 162A; 12 Abbey Grove, Abbey Wood; Son of William & Mary Ann Dymott of Abbey Wood, London, husband of Florence Taylor (formerly Dymott) of 13 Stanley Street, New Beckton; Born Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich.

EACOTT, Harry Varney; Lance Corporal; G/7703; 8th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 04/08/1917; 19; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium Panel 12 & 14; 35 Whitehall, Slade Green; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of William Arthur & Sarah Jane; Born Camberwell. Enlisted Woolwich. A riveter. (Father worked on railway at Slade Green).

EAGLETON, George Albert (A. G. on panel); Rifleman; R/37416; 11th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 15/05/1918; 19; Valenciennes (St Roch) Communal Cemetery, France - IV. G. 5; Born Sidcup 3 Hurst Road Cottages. Resident 127 Birkbeck Road. Attended Sidcup National School; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of James Henry & Louise; Sidcup Times 21 February 1919; Enlisted Woolwich 1917. Died in military hospital of gunshot wounds.

EAMES, H. J.; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial.

EAMES, William; Lance Corporal; 12546; 3rd Btn. Coldstream Guards; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 26; Serre Road Cemetery No.2, France; Named on St Paulinus Church tower - bell ringer - Employed at Oakwood House, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Husband of Mary Elizabeth Giles (formerly Eames) of Willesden, married November 1915; https://shenleyww1.wordpress.com/roll-of-honour-2/; Born Islington. Enlisted Chatham. A gardener - "Prior to enlistment William was working at a house called Oakwood near Crayford".

EARWAKER, William James; Private; 235048; 8th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 31/07/1917; 20; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium Panel Number: Panel 21; 7 Day's Lane, Sidcup. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of William & Ellen Earwaker of Sidcup; Born Eltham.

EAST, Alfred Charles; Able Seaman; 199377; Royal Navy, HMS Cressy (RFR/CH/B/9621); KiA; At sea; 22/09/1914; 33; Chatham Naval Memorial – 2; 21 Ducketts Road, Crayford; Son of Alfred Edward & Emma East of Southwark, husband of Elizabeth Harriett Rook (formerly East) of Crayford; Born Surrey.



EAST, John; Captain; 15th Btn. Durham Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 28; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 14 A & 15 C; 33 Hatherley Road, Sidcup; Son of John East of Auckland, New Zealand, husband of Marguerite East (nee Jacquet) of Sidcup, married 1913, Westminster; Resident Delancey Street, Regents Park, London.

EASTOP, David; Lieutenant; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 14/02/1920; 23; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery [M189]; 7 Pembroke Road, Erith. Erith Grammar School pupil; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Thomas George & Mary Ellen; Born Wakefield, Yorkshire. A clerk. Discharged from army 1917. Died of effects of gas.

EASTWOOD, Mark (G. on memorial?); Rifleman; R/24254; 8th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 03/05/1917; 25; Arras Memorial, France; Habitation Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial (as G?); Son of Mark & Emma; Born Gravesend. Enlisted Woolwich. A hawker (& traveller).

ECKERSLEY, Herbert; Private; 292588; 15th Btn. Cheshire Regiment; Died; F&F; 25/04/1918; 25; Hautmont Communal Cemetery, France; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of James & Mary Eckersley of Leigh, Lancs., husband of Rachel Alice Eckersley; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58604-herbert-eckersley; Enlisted Leigh, Lancs. A cotton mule piecer.

EDBROOKE, Lionel Healey; Private; 72289; posted to 1st Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 24/08/1918; 19; Summit Trench Cemetery, France - I. A. 10.; Oak Tree Lodge, Hatherley Crescent, Sidcup; Son of Walter H. & Florence L. Edbrooke of Sidcup; Born Hornsey. Enlisted Wood Green.

EDEN, William Henry; Sergeant; 45132; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 29/06/1915; 28; Exeter Higher Cemetery; 10 Oak Road, Slade Green; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Joseph & Alice Louisa of Slade Green, married to Rose (Wife's address in India); Born Southwark. Feltham Industrial School (juvenile offender). Regular army. Died at Exeter VAD Hospital.

EDMONDS, Arthur John; Private; 8002; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); DoW; F&F; 22/10/1914; 28; Laventie Military Cemetery, France; Belvedere family. 36 Victoria Street; Belvedere War Memorial (as **EDMUNDS**); Son of William & Elizabeth, brother of Charles Alfred; Born Plumstead. (As **Edmonds** in SDGW). Carriage maker.

EDMONDS, Charles Alfred; Private; 26234; 11th Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; DOW; Salonika; 25/04/1917; 22; Karasouli Military Cemetery, Greece E. 1159; Born Abbey Wood. Resident Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial (as **EDMUNDS**); Son of William & Elizabeth Edmonds of Belvedere, brother of Arthur John; Formerly served in the 4th Btn. & took part in the Somme advance in 1916.

EDWARDS, Frederick; Private; 1191; 4th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; Gallipoli; 10/06/1915; 24; Shrapnel Valley Cemetery, Turkey; "Formerly of Foots Cray" - 4 New Town, Foots Cray / 44 Sussex Road Sidcup; Son of Charles Stephen & Jane Elizabeth Edwards of Brockley; Sidcup Times 28 February 1919 list; Born Hastings. A grocer.

EDWARDS, Harold; 36 Granville Road; East Wickham War Memorial; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/edwards/

EDWARDS, Reginald; Private; 29189; 9th Btn. Suffolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 16/09/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 1 C & 2 A; 9 Clive Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Edwin Charles & Edith Carling Edwards of Belvedere; Bexleyheath Observer 27 October 1916, Erith Observer 6 October 1916; Assistant Chemist, Chemical Laboratory Works. Enlisted Woolwich.



EDWARDS, Thomas Amos; Private; 16300; 2nd Btn. Surrey Yeomanry (Queen Mary's Regiment); Died; Home (Galway); 12/10/1918; 18; Galway (Bohermore) New Cemetery, Galway, Ireland; Born & baptised Belvedere. 19 Upper Grove Road, Bedonwell. Resident Welling; Son of William Percy & Elizabeth; Enlisted Woolwich.

EGERTON, Philip John; Lieutenant; 1st Btn. Border Regiment; DoW; F&F; 17/10/1914; 32; Ypres Town Cemetery, Belgium; Family owned Vale Mascal House, Bexley; Son of Hubert & Annie Egerton of Chislehurst; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Oxfordshire. Regular army.

EKE, Harrison; Private; 4473; Royal Fusiliers; Died; Home; 30/04/1917; 35; Bexleyheath Cemetery (501); 39 Woolwich Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Harrison & Mary Ann; Bexley & District Times 11 May 1917; http://www.dailyecho.co.uk/sport/11593051.Saints_greatest_sacrifice/; From St Mary Cray. A milk hand. Discharged 7 June 1916. Died of consumption from chills caught in trenches. Played football for Southampton.

ELDER, William Gardner; Lieutenant; 2nd/20th Btn. London Regiment; Died; Home; 10/02/1918; 28; Eltham (St John the Baptist) Churchyard, London – 1920; Born at Belvedere, Glendale Road; Son of Thomas & S. D. Elder of 36 Greenholm Road, Eltham, London; http://www.kingscollections.org/warmemorials/kings-college/memorials/elder-william-gardner; Attended Kings College, University of London. Contracted a lung disease in Palestine, 1917. Died at London Hospital.

ELDRIDGE, Arthur; Acting Sergeant; G/579; 17th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/01/1918; 23; Ribecourt Road Cemetery, France; 27 South Road, Erith. Family at 25 Alexandra Road, Erith. Worked for Maypole Dairy Company High Street Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of George Henry & Eliza, brother of Luther; Erith Times 8 February 1918; Enlisted Tottenham. A grocer's assistant, then dairy worker.

ELDRIDGE, Luther Thomas; Private; G/99046; 5th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; Died; Home; 12/02/1919; 20; St John the Baptist Churchyard, Erith; 25 Alexandra Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of George Henry & Eliza, brother of Arthur; A munitions worker in 1916.

ELLIOTT, Edward John (J. E. on Memorial); Private; G/77847; 17th Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London); KiA; F&F; 29/09/1918; 19; Flesquieres Hill British Cemetery (France); 3 Prices Cottages, Crabtree, Manorway, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William Edward & Annie; Enlisted Woolwich.

ELLIOTT, Percy Septimus; Lance Corporal; 25772; 56th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 02/03/1916; 26; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 9; 239 Brook Street, Erith; Son of Septimus & Annie Elliott of Erith; General labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.

ELLIS, Ernest; Gunner; 106466; 48th Bgd. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 06/04/1917; 35; Warlincourt Halte British Cemetery, France; Mount Pleasant, Main Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Husband of Alice 1905; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC, Sidcup & District Times 27 April 1917; Born Pembury, enlisted Bromley. Worked at Crescent Farm then Scadbury.

ELLIS, Frederick K.; Private; 42591; No.13 Section (Regent's Park), Army Ordnance Corps; Died; Home; 04/11/1918; 44; Bexley (St Mary) Church Cemetery; Resident Lamorbey. Brickfields Cottages / 26 Wingfield Place; Son of Frederick & Catherine; Born Dulwich. A building labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.



ELLIS, Walter Henry; Leading Seaman; J/5802; Royal Navy, HMS Vanguard; KiA; At sea; 09/07/1917; 23; Chatham Naval Memorial; 24 Paroma Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William & Jane Ellis of Belvedere; Bexleyheath & District Times 20 July 1917; Old boy of St Augustine's & Picardy Road Schools.

ELLISTON, Evelyn Kate; VAD Nurse; Chatham Royal Naval Hospital; Died; Gillingham; 12/03/1919; 20; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery [C1429]; Baptised at St John's Erith, 1901. Family at 13 Friday Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Daughter of Edward Henry & Kate Martha; http://www.iwm.org.uk/collections/item/object/205380289; Died March 1919 of pneumonia. Buried 12 March 1919.

ELMS, Frederick Gilbert; Rifleman; 1370; London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Face 9 C; 15 Shieldhall Street, Abbey Wood, London; Son of James & Alice Elms; Born Plumstead. A clerk. Mobilized August 1914.

ELMS, William Leonard; Lance Corporal; L/8539; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 27; Thiepval Memorial, France – Pier & Face 5D; Born & baptised Lamorbey. 83 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William & Phillis Elms of Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times 13 October 1916; Enlisted Canterbury.

ENDERSON, Frederick Robert; Sapper; 538703; Lines of Communication Signal Coy. Royal Engineers; Died; Home; 20/04/1919; 22; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - J. 295.; 9 Hoddesdon Road, Belvedere. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Belvedere War Memorial, Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Albert & Eliza Enderson of Belvedere; A cable maker. Enlisted September 1914. Died at the Royal Herbert Hospital Woolwich from Malaria acquired during foreign service in Egypt.

ENGLAND, Albert Edward; Private; G/5655; 2nd Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 28/09/1915; 25; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 15 to 19; 50 Longlands Road, Sidcup; Son of Charles England & the late Katherine England; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A gardener. Choir boy in Chislehurst. Known as "Bert". Enlisted Woolwich.

ENGLAND, George Horace; Private; 203521; 2/4th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; Egyptian theatre; 03/04/1918; 22; Jerusalem War Cemetery, Israel - N. 95.; 4 Maxim Road, Crayford; Old Bexley War Memorial, St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Arthur & Mary Jane; Bexleyheath Observer 3 May 1918; Born Horace George, Gloucestershire. Enlisted Bromley. A leatherworker.

ENTWISTLE, Frederick Arthur; Private; 26004; 8th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 12/10/1917; 36; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 79 to 80 & 163A; 35 Lincoln Road, Sidcup; Son of Robert & Mary Entwistle, husband of Margaret Entwistle of Sidcup; https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/11945814/frederick-arthur-entwistle; Born Hornsey. A journalist.

ESSEX, John; Bombardier; 59468; 29th Bty. 42nd Bde Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 08/04/1917; 24; Etaples Military Cemetery, France - XXII. E. 7.; Resident Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Youngest son of William & Anorah Essex of Crayford; Born Swanley. Enlisted Woolwich. Farm worker before army, 1909.



EVANS, Cecil William; Private; 32509; 5th Btn. Devonshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 19/10/1918; 19; Etaples Military Cemetery, France; Born & baptised Crayford. Maxim Road; Son of Thomas Bertram & Fanny Leah Evans of Warwick; Resident Warwickshire. Enlisted Stratford upon Avon.

EVANS, Philip Walter Thomas; Air Mechanic 2nd Class; 342011; Royal Air Force; Died; Home; 09/09/1920; 18; Sidcup (St John) Churchyard - 24.3.; Family at 50 Birkbeck Road; Son of Richard Percy Thomas & Ethel Jane Evans; Died at Ramsgate Hospital.

EVENDEN, Sidney James; Lance Corporal; 282640; 4th Btn. (City of London) Royal Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 14/06/1917; 25; Achiet-le-Grand Communal Cemetery Extension, France; 30 South Road, Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of William & Mary Ann; A carter before army, 1908.

EVEREST, Arthur; Private; L/8833; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; Mesopotamia; 24/07/1915; 27; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq; 21 Bexley Lane, Crayford / 6 Orchard Terrace, Star Hill; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of George & Elizabeth; A caddie at Barnehurst Golf Club.

EVERETT, Percy (Percival Stephen); Gunner; 46668 (incorr. 46608 in SDGW); Royal Horse Artillery Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 25/09/1916; 26; Thiepval Memorial, France; 302 Yarrow Street; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Stephen & Martha, husband of Mary Winifred (married 1916); https://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/everett/; Born Dover. Regular soldier.

EVERSHED, Ronald; Private; 2379; Berkshire Yeomanry, Household Cavalry & Cavalry of the Line; KiA; Gallipoli; 21/08/1915; 20; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 18 & 19; Resident Sidcup; Son of Harriot Evershed, of St Aubyn's, Honor Oak Road, Forest Hill, London, & the late Joseph Evershed; Apprentice manager, drapers.

EVES, Charles Thomas; Private; 5th Btn. Canadian Infantry; DoW; F&F; 24/04/1916; 30; Divisional Collecting Post Cemetery, Belgium; Born Bexleyheath. Family at 2 Church Road (1891); Son of Charles & Susannah, husband of M. Eves, married in Canada; A gardener.

EYRE. Hugh Clement; 2nd Lieutenant; 110th Sqdn. Royal Air Force; DoW (plane crash); Germany; 06/10/1918; 19; Cologne Southern Cemetery, Germany - XI. G. 20; Edina, Church Avenue, Sidcup; Son of George Henry & Emma Joanna Eyre of Sidcup; http://www.southafricawarGraves.org/search/details.php?id=6854; Born at Salisbury, Rhodesia.

FAIRMAN, Fred; Private; L/9143; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 24/04/1916; 34; Amara War Cemetery (Iraq); 61 Mayplace Road / 18 Watling Street; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of James & Sarah A.; Erith Observer 26 May 1916 photo; Travelling salesman, brewery company. Had previously served in army in India. Fought in Persian Gulf Campaign & at Siege of Kut. Enlisted Maidstone.

FAIRMAN, John Henry; Private; 5780; "D" Coy. 10th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; Died; Home; 02/02/1915; 39; Dover (St James's) Cemetery, Kent - P. K. 35; 80 London Road, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of John Henry & Ellen Fairman of Crayford, husband of Alice Mabel Fairman of Thornton Heath; Dover Express 12 February 1915; http://sussexhistoryforum.co.uk/index.php?topic=3972.0;wap2; A block printer. Enlisted Wimbledon.

FAIRWEATHER, John Charles (J. on CWGC); Private; 1168; 20th Btn. London Regiment (Blackheath & Woolwich); KiA; F&F; 27/05/1915; 19; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 45; Born East Wickham. Resident 33 Springfield Road, Welling; East Wickham War Memorial & Welling Memorial; Son of John & Sarah; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/fairweather/; A florist.



FALCON, Christopher James; Stoker 2nd Class; K/30353; Royal Navy, HMS Indefatigable; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 19; Chatham Naval Memorial; 1 Sutherland Road, Belvedere / 18 Crayford Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Mary Ann Devane (formerly Falcon) of Belvedere & of the late Sapper John Baptist Falcon, brother of John; Erith Times 23 June 1916; A barber's boy in 1911. Later munitions work. First naval service January 1916.

FALCON, John Baptist William; Private; 18757; Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 17/11/1917; 22; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 1 Sutherland Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Mary Ann Devane (formerly Falcon) of Belvedere, brother of Christopher; Erith Observer 10 January 1918; Enlisted Hounslow. Formerly 10921 Liverpool Regiment. A general labourer. Mother & sisters worked in munitions.

FARRELL, Archie Brian; Corporal; 51158; Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry (Eastern Ontario Regiment); DoW; F&F; 31/10/1917; 24; Nine Elms British Cemetery, Belgium - XIV. F. 7.; Residence - Abbey Wood; Son of James & Mary Ann, brother of Percy; http://canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=7155; Born Sligo, Ireland. Emigrated to Canada, May 1910. A teacher.

FARRELL, Percy; Rifleman; C/9902; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DOW; F&F; 26/04/1917; 27; Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery, Arras V. C. 11.; Residence - Abbey Wood; Son of James & Mary Ann, brother of Archie; Born Plumstead, enlisted Woolwich. A general labourer.

FARRELLEY (**FARRELLY** on Memorial), William Patrick (W. J. on Memorial); Private; 10898; 100 Coy. Machine Gun Corps; DoW; F&F; 21/03/1918; 36; Savy British Cemetery, France; 21 Poplar Mount, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William & Margaret, married to Ellen (1906); Enlisted Woolwich. Engineer fitter, trade unionist.

FAULKNER, Charles; Private; 107727; 49th Coy. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 25/04/1918; 24; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 154 to 159 & 163A; Born Erith, Stapley Road. Resident 15 Manor Road, Erith; Son of Charles & Eliza; A carman at Coal Wharf. Enlisted Bromley.

FAULKNER, George Ernest (born Ernest George); Private; 7693; 1st Btn. Loyal North Lancashire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 29/05/1916; 28; Maroc British Cemetery, Grenay, France - IE10; Born Bexley. Resident Bexley - Bourne Road / 6 Lime's Terrace Banks Lane Bexley; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Alice - Pinnacle Hill. Wife lived at 8 Prospect Place, Bourne Road; Bexleyheath Observer 9 June 1916 photo (Listed as Corporal); Enlisted Woolwich. A drummer. Suffered various wounds & breakdown while on duty.

FAULKNER, William; Sergeant; L/7838; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment, Depot; Died; Home; 12/09/1919; 31; Greenwich Cemetery; 48 Upper Abbey Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William & Harriett, married to Rose Mary Hearn (1913); Bexley & District Times 15 December 1916; MM. A carpenter. In army in India in 1911.

FAULKS, Edgar; Lieutenant (Doctor); Royal Army Medical Corps attd. 95th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 26/09/1915; 36; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 136; Worked at County Hospital, Bexley; Son of Arthur & Emma; Bexleyheath Observer 22 October 1915, Bexley & District Times 22 October 1915, From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees, http://www.kingscollections.org/warmemorials/guys-hospital/memorials/faulks-edgar?searchterms=bexle; Born Lougborough. Trained at Kings College, London.

FAUTLEY, James John; Private; 736581; 16th Btn. Canadian Infantry; DoW; F&F; 08/08/1918; 26; Villers-Bretonneux Military Cemetery, France - IX. BB. 5.; Born at Belvedere; Son of Mr & Mrs J. J. Fautley of Manor Park, London, husband of Clara Fautley of Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada; http://digitallibrary.uleth.ca/cdm/ref/collection/cenotaph/id/165; A plasterer.



FEATHER(S), Pharaoh; Private; 4403; The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, Depot Btn.; Died; Home; 19/03/1916; 50; Dartford (East Hill) Cemetery; Vickers worker, living at Colville House, Cold Blow, Bexley; Son of Eli, husband of Annie; Accrington Observer 25 March 1916; Born Bradford, resident Accrington. Army reservist, munitions worker. Died of pneumonia at Dartford Hospital.

FELLOWES, William Victor; Private; 661050; 22nd Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 07/10/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of W. C. & E. M. Fellowes of St Johns, Deptford; Resident Brockley. Enlisted Bermondsey. Greenwich Workhouse (Institution) Woolwich Road, 1906-1908.

FELTHAM, Walter John; Private; 9761; 3rd Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 24/05/1915; 28; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 6 & 8; 24 Roberts Road, Brook Street, Belvedere; Husband of Emma Beverley (formerly Feltham); Born Chalfont St Peter's, Bucks. A farm worker.

FENNING; Percy (William Percy); Private; 38169; 9th Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 06/09/1918; 26; Fins New British Cemetery, France VIII. C 7; Resident Sidcup. 2 Lincoln Road; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William & Emily Fenning of Sidcup, Kent, husband of Ella Fenning of Evelyn Cottage, Downs Road, Gravesend; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Suffolk. Worked for Day's Grocers of Sidcup, then at Woolwich Arsenal.

FENSOM, Henry; Sapper; 52941; Royal Engineers; Died; Home; 11/04/1916; 50; Aldershot Military Cemetery AF. 1982; 39 Chancelot Road, Abbey Wood; Husband of Charlotte Fensom of Abbey Wood; Born St Pancras. A dockyard foreman. Enlisted Woolwich September 1914.

FERGUSON, R. (added later?); Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels.

FETHERSTON, Frederick; Drummer; 4908; 1st Btn. Scots Guards; KiA; F&F; 11/11/1914; 27; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial - Panel 11; 257 Broadway, Bexleyheath (Brother); Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Brother of William Thomas Fetherston (b.1874), Scots Guards war pensioner, living with in-laws in Bexleyheath 1911 (Mary Harriet Mills, sister); Born Brighton.

FEWELL, George James; Private; S/9068; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 04/10/1917; 22; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium; 109 High Street, Crayford (sister's address); St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Arthur & Mary; Bexleyheath Observer 26 October 1917; http://www.lijssenthoek.be/en/adres/9209/george-james-fewell.html; Enlisted Woolwich. Farm worker.

FIELD, Marjorie Ruby; Tram conductress; Died (accident); Home; 29/03/1916; 24; Killed in tram accident in Bexleyheath; Daughter of Charles & Alice Field of Chislehurst; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Died at Charing Cross Hospital.

FILBY, William; Leading Signalman; 214658; Royal Navy, HMS Begonia; KiA; At sea; 06/10/1917; 31; Portsmouth Naval Memorial - 25.; 22 Colyers Close, Colyers Lane, Northumberland Heath, Erith; Brother of Robert Filby of Northumberland Heath; Native of Kentish Town, London. Royal Navy since 1901.

FILMER, Charlie (Charles); Private; S/10096; 1st Black Watch; DoW; F&F; 06/12/1916; 18; St Sever Cemetery Extension, Rouen; 52 Rowan Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John Belgave & Helen Selina; Bexley & District Times 22 December 1916 photo, Sidcup & District Times 29 December 1916; Born Sydenham. Enlisted Woolwich.



FILMER, George Thomas; Private; G/7531; 8th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 31; Pozières Memorial, France; Worked at County Hospital, Bexley. A gardener / Temporary Attendant; Son of George Thomas & Caroline Filmer of Wilmington, husband of Ellen May Filmer, 1914; Born Wilmington. Enlisted December 1914.

FINCH, Stanley; Rifleman; R/32061; King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 14/04/1917; 21; Warlincourt Halte British Cemetery, France VIII. D. 3; Born East Wickham; Son of William & Elizabeth E. Finch of Abbey Wood; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/finch/; Farm worker.

FINER, Eustace Staffert Flaxman; Private; 267091; 5th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 10/11/1917; 35; Menin Gate (Ypres) Memorial, Belgium; Born Bexleyheath. Erith Road, Bexleyheath; Son of Joseph, husband of Viva Matilda May Finer of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, (1909); http://www.canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=55549; A farmer in Canada.

FINN, John Wallace; Lance Corporal; G/3002; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent) Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/07/1916; 20; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath; Son of Herbert Arthur & Flora Adelaide; 1911 A clerk in Croydon.

FISH, Alfred William; Private; 275234; London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 26/10/1917; 33; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium Panel 148 to 150; 25 McLeod Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Mr & Mrs Fish of 31 Waldeck Road, Dartford, Kent, husband of Agnes Fish of Abbey Wood; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Worked at Woolwich Arsenal. Name William was an alias.

FISHER, William Hales; Sergeant; 242195; 2nd Btn. Gloucestershire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 08/04/1918; 32; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France; Born Bexley; Son of Richard & Mary Fisher of Northfleet, Kent, husband of Kate Fisher of Southsea, Hants; Enlisted Gravesend. A commercial clerk in cement factory.

FITZGERALD, John Thomas; Private; 3447; 1st/5th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); Died; Mesopotamia; 01/08/1916; 27; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq - V. P. 13.; Resident Erith; Son of Michael Augustus; Born Battersea. School in Dartford. Enlisted Woolwich. A musician.

FITZGERALD, William; Private; 7607; 2nd Btn. Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry; Died; Italy; 21/01/1919; 36; Taranto Town Cemetery Extension, Italy; Resident Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of John & A. Fitzgerald; Regular army. In South Africa in 1911. Born Gosport, Hants. Enlisted Woolwich.

FITZMAURICE, Cecil Hamilton Kirkwall; Private; MS/4147; 69th Mechanical Transport Coy. Royal Army Service Corps; Died; F&F; 03/05/1915; 19; Wimereux Communal Cemetery, France - XII. 2.; Born Sidcup (Baptised at St John's 1896); Son of D. C. M. Fitzmaurice (Major, Lancashire Fusiliers) & Esther (his wife) later of 67 George Street, Portman Square, London; Served in France from September 1914

FITZMAURICE, Desmond; Pioneer; 58516; 81st Field Coy. Corps of Royal Engineers; Died; Home; 09/01/1915; 21; Tidworth Military Cemetery, Wiltshire - C 123; Resident at 'Mona', Hatherley Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Robert Bruce & Edith; Born Southfields, Surrey. Enlisted Woolwich. A shipping office clerk. Died of meningitis at Bulford Camp.

FLETCHER, Albert William; Boy 2nd Class; J/89722; Royal Navy, HMS Impregnable; Died; Home; 30/06/1918; 17; Plymouth (Ford Park) Cemetery; Born Crayford, 15 Lenham Terrace; Son of Albert & Alice; First service in navy, May 1918. Died of pneumonia.

FLETCHER, Leo Albert; Corporal; 38045; 22nd Bty. 3rd Bde. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 09/08/1915; 28; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium - I. C. 2.; 24 Hurst Road, Erith; Son of John & Margaret Fletcher; husband of D. Fletcher; Born Guildford. Enlisted Charlton.



FLICKER, Walter Edwin; Private; 36553; Northamptonshire Regiment / Labour Corps; DoW; F&F; 01/10/1918; 37; Sunken Road Cemetery, France; 55 Coleman Road, Belvedere / 5 Coleman Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Thomas & Sarah Flicker of Belvedere, husband of Alma Knapp (formerly Flicker) of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich. A gun worker.

FLYNN, William Henry; Corporal; L/15339; 1st Btn. London Regiment Royal Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 20/12/1916; 21; Philosoph British Cemetery, France; Born Bexleyheath; Resident Walworth. "Killed - accident".

FOGARTY, William Francis Joseph, Private; 3523; 5th Btn. Australian Pioneers; Died; Home; 14/10/1917; 20; Brookwood Military Cemetery, Surrey; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of John & Johanna Fogarty; Native of Wagga Wagga, New South Wales; http://wyndhamhistory.net.au/items/show/1544; A painter.

FOLEY, William Henry; Private; 17186; Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); Died; F&F; 21/07/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France Resident Bexleyheath; Son of Martin Routledge & Eliza Foley of Lewisham; Born Canning Town, enlisted Woolwich. "Accidentally drowned near Corbie".

FOLKARD, Harry; Sapper; 59025; 89th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 10/08/1915; 38; Menin Road South Military Cemetery, Belgium; Resident Belvedere; Son of George & Lucy of Hull; Born Hull, enlisted Woolwich. A cooper.

FOOT, Fred Arthur; Stoker 1st Class; K/16317; Royal Navy, HMS Test; Died; North Sea; 24/03/1915; 19; Bexley (St Mary) Church Cemetery; Hartford Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of William Foot of Bexley; Bexleyheath Observer 9 April 1915 & Bexley & District Times 2 April & 9 April 1915 photo; Died of Pneumonia.

FORBES (MIDDLEMISS), George Thomas; Private; 8209; 20th Hussars, Household Cavalry & Cavalry of the Line; Died; Home; 14/07/1917; 24; Sidcup Cemetery A. 22. 312.; Resident Sidcup; Son of Alexander George & Kate Middlemiss of Sidcup; n.b. alias – **FORBES**; Army reservist. Enlisted Pontypridd, Wales.

FORD, George Edward; Rifleman; R/33827; 17th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 18/04/1918; 30; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 1 Standard Road, Belvedere. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of the late Henry & Mary Ann Ford of Dover, husband of Alice Elizabeth Ford of Belvedere, Kent; Born at Hounslow. Educated at Cambridge School, Twickenham.

FORD, Herbert Leon; Private; 41136; 1st Btn. Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 25/04/1917; 34; Avesnes-le-Comte Communal Cemetery Extension, France - IV. C. 13.; Born Sidcup. Baptised at St John's; Son of George & Esther Ford of Sidcup, Kent, husband of Alice Ethel Ford of Wandsworth; A house painter.

FORD, Ronald James; Driver; 945482; "D" Bty. 291st Bde, Royal Field Artillery; Died; F&F; 09/11/1918; 32; Tourgeville Military Cemetery, France Grave VII. A. 13; 57 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of George & Mary Ford of Sidcup, husband of Frances Louisa Ford, of Sidcup, brother of Thomas; Enlisted Woolwich. A postman.

FORD, Thomas; Private; 823090; 1st Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 07/11/1917; 31; Passchendaele New British Cemetery, Belgium; 57 Birkbeck Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of George & Mary Ford of Sidcup, brother of Ronald James; Sidcup & District Times 8 March 1918; A farm hand in Canada.

FORRESTER, Lewis (Louis); Gunner; 719; 27th Div. Ammunition Col. Royal Field Artillery; Died; F&F; 12/02/1915; 20; St Sever Cemetery, France - A. 4. 2.; Enlisted Erith; Bexleyheath Observer 20 August 1915; Resident of Victoria, London. Died of enteric fever.



FORSTER, Frank Herbert; Private; 17934; 1st Btn. Grenadier Guards; KiA; F&F; 17/10/1915; 24; Loos Memorial, France - 5 to 7; Born & baptised Lamorbey (Holy Trinity). Halfway Street; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel: Son of William & Annie, Myrtle Cottage, Foots Cray, brother of Jack; Enlisted Deptford.

FORSTER, John Stanley ("Jack"); Guardsman; 16437; 1st Btn. Grenadier Guards; KiA; F&F; 29/10/1914; 21; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 9 & 11; Born Lamorbey. Resident Sidcup 37 Bedford Road; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of William & Annie, brother of Frank Herbert. (1911 37 Bedford Rd, Sidcup); Sidcup & District Times 20 November 1914 & photo; Known as "Jack" A shop lad in 1911.

FOSTER, Frederick Dickenson [Dickerson]; Private; SP/3698; 24th Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment); KiA; F&F; 31/07/1916; 33; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 8 C 9 A & 16 A; Born Sidcup. (3 Norfolk Terrace, Foots Cray); Son of George & Mary Foster of Wandsworth, London; Hosiery shop assistant.

FOSTER (FORSTER), Herbert Claude; Trumpeter; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 19/10/1916; 15; Sidcup Cemetery; 2 Victoria Terrace, Lamorbey. Died of brain haemorrhage & was afforded a funeral with full Military honours at Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Ernest John & Ellen Rose Foster of Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times 27 October 1916 & photo; Died at Royal Herbert Hospital, Woolwich.

FOX, Frederick Stuart; Private; 2229; 2nd Btn. Scots Guards; KiA; F&F; 16/05/1915; 34; Le Touret Memorial, France; 81 Broadway, Bexleyheath / 3 Camden Place Bexley; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Frederick Charles & Lucy; Bexleyheath Observer 4 June 1915; Regular soldier.

FOX, Thomas; Corporal; 2887; 6th Btn. South Lancashire Regiment; DoW; Gallipoli; 23/11/1915; 45; Hill 10 Cemetery, Turkey; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Patrick & Ann Fox of St Helens, husband of Ellen of Leigh; http://www.sthelensrollsofhonour.co.uk/casualty-2906-Thomas Fox.html; Born St Helens, Lancs. Resident Leigh, Lancs. A boiler stoker.

FRANCIS, Philip Edwin; Sergeant; 242469; 1/7th Btn. West Riding Regiment (Duke of Wellington's); KiA; F&F; 13/04/1918; 23; Trois Arbres Cemetery, France; 34 Gilbert Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Walter William & Frances; Bexleyheath Observer 31 May 1918 / Erith Observer 20 June 1918; Enlisted Woolwich. In 1911 census a hotel worker in Westminster.

FRANKLIN, Oscar Thomas; Private; G/12545; 17th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/08/1916; 25; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 12 D & 13 B; Fairseat, Parkhurst Road, Bexley. Born Bexley, enlisted Woolwich; Old Bexley War Memorial, Bexley Strict Baptist Chapel Memorial; Son of A. J. Franklin, J.P. (Mayor of Bexley) & A. H. Franklin; Shop assistant, & nurseryman. Enlisted Woolwich February 1916

FRANKLIN, Sydney Caspar (Sidney C on Memorial); Corporal; 9092; 1st Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 16/06/1915; 22; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 21; Fairseat, Parkhurst Road, Bexley. Born Bexley, enlisted Woolwich; Old Bexley War Memorial, Bexley Strict Baptist Chapel Memorial; Son of A. J. Franklin, J.P. (Mayor of Bexley) & A. H. Franklin; Bexleyheath Observer 18 June 1915; Enlisted Woolwich.

FRANKLIN, Vivian Erasmus; Private; G/24441; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 17/07/1917; 19; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 45 & 47; Fairseat, Parkhurst Road, Bexley. Born Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial, Bexley Strict Baptist Chapel Memorial; Son of A. J. Franklin, J.P. (Mayor of Bexley) & A. H. Franklin; War records & CWGC give name as **FRANKLAND**. Enlisted Bromley.



FREEMAN, Eric Payne; Captain; 14th Hampshire Regiment; Died; F&F; 23/03/1918; 28; Péronne Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Dunsmore, Lion Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of James P. & Emily; honour; Insurance clerk.

FREEMAN, James William; Private; 23768; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; At sea; 21/04/1919; 33; Hollybrook Memorial, Southampton; 54 Broadway; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Husband of Jessie Eleanor, 2 children; Bexley & District Times 9 May 1919 Erith Observer 16 May 1919; Born Sussex. A bootmaker. Died on board "City of Sparta" of plague after 2.5 years in Mesopotamia.

FREEMAN, William Henry; Gunner; 33649; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 06/08/1916; 26; Corbie Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Resident Bexleyheath. 231 Broadway, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church, Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Isabella [& William - CWGC]; Erith Observer 25 August 1916; Born Woolwich. Enlisted New Cross.

FRENCH, Noel; Sapper; 143718; 20th Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 08/08/1917; 24; Bleuet Farm Cemetery, Belgium; Family in Bickley, attended Holy Trinity Lamorbey; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of Noel & Florence F. French of Folkestone; Born Southwark. A carpenter.

FRENCH, Walter Frederick; Private; 796022; 14th Canadian Infantry (Quebec Regiment); DoW; F&F; 21/09/1917; 25; Bruay Communal Cemetery Extension, France; 11 Victoria Cottages, Lower Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of John & Rose; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/french/; Emigrated c 1911. Farm worker.

FRIDAY, Arthur Edward; Private; 14527 (014527 in SDGW); Royal Army Ordnance Corps; Died; India; 31/10/1918; 27; Meerut Cantonment Cemetery, India; 13 Queens Road, Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Henry & Jane; Enlisted Woolwich. A plumber. Died of influenza.

FRIDAY, Edward; Corporal; 2043; 9th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/06/1916; 40; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath, baptised at Christ Church. 3 Lion Road, Bexleyheath; Son of Henry & Mary Faith (Father later in Dartford Workhouse), husband of Ada, 5 children; http://www.epsom&ewellhistoryexplorer.org.uk/WarMemorialsSurnamesF.html; Resident Epsom, enlisted Kingston on Thames. A carpenter.

FRISTON, Stanley Larter; Private; 290659; 1st Btn. Bedfordshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 37; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 48 to 50 & 162A; Born Sidcup. Family at Sidcup Hill; Son of Onesimus & Ellen, husband of Florence; Resident Hanwell, enlisted Ealing. A commission merchant clerk.

FRITH, William Wesson; Captain; 169 Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 03/11/1917; 35; Steenkerke Belgian Military Cemetery; The Cottage, Beaverwood Road Chislehurst. (Formerly of Hurst Road Bexley); Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of late William Longhurst & Mabel Anna Frith, husband of Daisy Alice Frith; Bexleyheath Observer 16 November 1917; https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/14037667/william-wesson-frith; Croix de Guerre & Order of Leopold.

FROMM, Harold Leslie; Leading Seaman; J/13133; Royal Navy, HMS Fortune; KiA; At sea; 01/06/1916; 21; Borsmose Churchyard, Aal, Denmark; 109 Crocus Road, Lodge Road (CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William & Emily (CWGC); http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/fromm/; Born Paddington. Gas engineer.



FROST, Albert Ernest; Leading Seaman; Royal Navy, HMS Acteon; Died; Home; 22/11/1917; 37; Epsom Cemetery; 19 Abbey Wood Road, Abbey Wood; Son of the late Mr. & Mrs. William Frost of G, Plum Lane, Plumstead, London, husband of Miriam Rubella Frost, of Abbey Wood; Born Plumstead. An London County Council Boatman.

FRY, Allen James; Rifleman; S/15182; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 16/06/1916; 23; Aveluy Communal Cemetery Extension, France - D. 39.; Resident Erith 12 Manor Road; Son of Richard James Fry of West Malling; http://www.Kentfallen.com/PDF%20REPORTS/WEST%20MALLING.pdf; Born West Malling, Kent. Enlisted Woolwich. A grocer's assistant.

FRY, George; Private; 2079; Queen's Own (Royal West Kent) Regiment; Died; Home; 18/11/1916 (burial); 20; Born, baptised & buried Crayford. Crayford (St Paulinus) Churchyard; 5 Vale Place, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Elvey & Angelina; A baker. Enlisted Maidstone 1914. Discharged from army - unfit for service - August 1916.

FRY, Horace Charles 2nd Lieutenant; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment, Royal Flying Corps; Killed; Home; 23/02/1917; 22; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery; Aldine House, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Kate Ellen Fry of Belvedere; Killed in air accident, Rendcomb Airfield, Gloucestershire. A trainee chemist.

FRY, J.; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels

FRY, Thomas Alfred; Private; 9511; 1st Btn. The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 31/10/1914; 24; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 41 & 43; 85 Crayford Road, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Henry & Emily; Bexleyheath Observer 12 May 1916, Bexley & District Times 5 May; Regular army.

FRYER, George William; Rifleman; 38233; 11th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 29/03/1918; 28; Namps-au-Val British Cemetery, France; Born & enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Alfred & Sarah, husband of Daisy Matilda, 4 children; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident Dartford. A general labourer.

FRYER, Percy; Private; 8969; 2nd Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); KiA; F&F; 10/03/1915; 28; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 9 & 10 40; Picardy Street, Belvedere / 14 Gilbert Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Charles William & Elizabeth Fryer; Erith Times 16 July 1915 photo; Born Lambeth, enlisted Woolwich. A carman, before army.

FUCHE, Edwin Augustus; 3rd Engineer; Merchant Navy; Mercantile Marine, SS Delphic; Died; At sea; 16/08/1918; 28; Tower Hill Merchant Navy Memorial; 199 Bexley Road, Belvedere; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Leon & Sophie E.; Born Darwen, Lancs. Killed, as the result of an attack by an enemy submarine.

FULFORD, Percy John; Private; 1061; 11th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; F&F; 28/09/1916; 29; Railway Dugouts Burial Ground (Transport Farm), Belgium - VI. M. 23.; Born Bexley (Baptised St Mary's); Son of John Fulford & the late Eliza Fulford; http://www.rbwm.gov.uk/search/fkac/person.asp?i=273&c=p&s=w; Engineer. Emigrated 1910.

FULLER, Frank Ernest; Sapper; 21456; 12th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 27; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 1; Resident Erith. Employed at Prices of Belvedere; Son of Lewis Fuller, husband of Rhoda May Fuller of 187 Creek Road, Deptford, London; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born Maidstone.

FULLER, Walter John; Corporal; 35044; 2nd/4th Btn. The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 16/05/1918; 24; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France - P. XI. K. 5B.; 14 South Road, Erith; Son of Alice Fuller, of Erith; Born Cheshunt. A nursery hand.



FULLJAMES, Robert; Gunner; 85986; 155th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 22/09/1917; 35; Lindenhoek Chalet Military Cemetery, Belgium; 4 Park Cottages, Bridgen, Bexley. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of J. Derrick Fulljames; Bexleyheath Observer 19 October 1917; A labourer.

FUNNELL, Robert James; Rifleman; S/19559(0 in CWG); 3rd Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 09/07/1917; 36; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial Panel 46 - 48 & 50; Born & Residence Abbey Wood. Attended Harrow College, Belvedere: father was watchman; Son of the late John & Rosina Funnell of Woolwich; Enlisted Woolwich. General labourer.

FURLONG, William Richard; Private; 43841 (205536); 2nd Btn. Essex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 04/07/1918; 37; Gonnehem British Cemetery, France; 13 Trinity Place. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Martha; Bexley & District Times 23 August 1918 p.7; Born Stratford. Railway worker.

GAMBLE, William James; Private; 6248; 2nd Btn. Scots Guards; KiA; F&F; 10/09/1916; 30; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 7 D; Resident Erith; Born Dromore, Co Down. Enlisted Glasgow. A labourer, before becoming regular soldier (1911).

GANE, William Harold; Private; 78102; 29th Btn. City of London (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 15/08/1917; 26; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 8 Percy Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Maria; Born Lambeth, enlisted Woolwich.

GARDENER, Albert Edward; Gunner; 109435; 119th Heavy Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 02/08/1917; 20; Dozinghem Military Cemetery, Belgium -II. I. 25.; Elm Lodge, Brampton Road, Bexleyheath; Son of Albert Edward & Florence Maude Gardener; Born Plumstead.

GARIN / **GAVIN**, Austin; Private; 23307; 2nd Btn. The King's (Liverpool Regiment); Died; Home; 16/01/1916; 48; Greenwich Cemetery; Worked at Callenders Cables Co. Died at Oakhurst Red Cross Hospital, Erith; Husband of Sarah; Resident Liverpool. Dock & warehouse worker. Died of bronchial pneumonia.

GARLAND, Alfred George; Rifleman; R/19137; 7th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 26; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 13 A & 13 B; Born Erith. 59 Northend Road, Erith; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of William Henry & Alice; Enlisted Woolwich. A carman.

GARLAND, Edward Joseph; Lance Corporal; 15136; 3rd Btn. Coldstream Guards; KiA; F&F; 24/06/1916; 36; Essex Farm Cemetery, Belgium Grave Reference/Panel Number: II. S. I.; Birbeck Road Sidcup / 2 Bedford Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Joseph & Emily M. Garland of Sidcup, husband of Emily Ellen Garland of 44 Durban Road, West Norwood, 4 children; Sidcup & District Times 7 July 1916; Born Chislehurst. Enlisted Camberwell.

GARRETT, Douglas John; Private; 87646; 13th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 24/10/1918; 28; Ghissignies British Cemetery, France; Picardy House, Belvedere. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of James & Agnes; Bexleyheath Observer 15 November 1918; Born Plumstead. A builder.

GARROD, Sidney Edward; Rifleman; 9937; 1st/5th Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1915; 22; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial; Family at Redroofs, Arbuthnot Lane. Enlisted Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Edward & Elizabeth; Born Sunbury on Thames. A Post Office clerk.



GATES, William Charles; Acting Chief Petty Officer; 187972. (Ch); Royal Navy, HMS Bramble; Died; At sea/Mesopotamian theatre; 27/10/1918; 38; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq; Born & baptised Crayford. Windbourne Terrace, Old Road Crayford; Son of George & Maria Gates, husband of Annie Louisa, 17 Invicta Road, Stone, Nr Dartford, 1 daughter, Winifred; Son of an engine driver. Royal Navy. A United Services Freemason (Sheerness). Died of disease on ship.

GAYWOOD, Charles; Bombardier; 78840; "Z" 14th Trench Mortar Bty. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 26/07/1916; 20; Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery, Arras, France - I. E. 63.; Born Belvedere. Resident 215 Bedonwell Hill; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Charles & Alice of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich. Trade (& father's) munitions gun machinist.

GEDDES, George; Private; S/18254; 4th Btn. Gordons Highlanders; KiA; F&F; 14/10/1918; 21; Naves Com. Cemetery Extension, France; 44 Boundary Street, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George & Annie of Erith, married to Jeannie (in Aberdeen); Born in Glasgow, enlisted Edinburgh.

GEORGE, John Alfred; Acting Bombardier; 111669; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; Home; 25/01/1918; 28; Plumstead Cemetery; Employed at Bexley Mental Hospital; Son of John E. & S. A. George of Plumstead; Previously employed at Royal Arsenal. From Bexley Asylum Minute Books: 1912 "Permission to marry refused but name on list of Attendants awaiting this privilege". 1914 "Completed 5 years good & efficient service awarded 1 stripe & £2/10/0d additional pay annually". Died at Eastbourne Central Military Hospital.

GIBBS, Ernest Alfred; Private; L/7617; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/07/1916; 34; Ovillers Military Cemetery, France - IX. R. 7.; Born Welling. Albert Place; Son of Robert & Maria Gibbs of Catford, husband of the late Maria Gibbs; Resident Catford, Enlisted Woolwich.

GIBBS, Rudolph Francis; Private; SS/588; RASC; Died; Home; 14/01/1917; 28; East London Cemetery, Plaistow; Graham Road Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Flora of Graham Road, husband of Minnie; Bexley & District Times 9 & 16 March 1917 photo; A motor trade clerk. Died of illness in Charing Cross hospital, contracted while on active service in Salonica.

GIBSON, John Edward; Private; 22nd Btn. County of London Regiment; Died; Palestine; 05/11/1918; 23; Gaza War Cemetery, Israel - XIX. G. 5.; 2 Gasworks Cottages, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of William & Susannah of Burnley, Lancashire; A cotton worker. SDGW gives residence as Crayford. Enlisted Bromley.

GIBSON, (Thomas) Harold (Harold on SDGW); Private; 31647; 8th Btn. Devonshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/10/1918; 23; Tezze British Cemetery, Italy - Plot 6. Row D. Grave 3.; Born & baptised Erith. 57 Northend Cottages, Erith / 2 South Road, Crayford; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of Thomas (a policeman) & Frances; Erith Observer 29 November 1918; A butcher's assistant. Army since August 1914. Served 2 years in France & was then transferred to the Italian front.

GILBEY, John Caleb (or Caleb John?); Sergeant; L/7540; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 11/09/1914; 29; La Ferte-sous-Jouarre Memorial, France; 4 School Cottages, Foots Cray, Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Samuel & Eliza Gilbey of 4 School Cottages, Foots Cray, Sidcup, Kent, husband of Grace Elizabeth Gilbey of 22 Gladstone Road, Maidstone; Sidcup & District Times 16 October 1914 photo, article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Essex. Regular soldier (instructor in gymnastics & signalling).



GILES, Percy; Private; STK/1426 (SDGW) 1428(CWGC); 10th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 15/07/1916; 19; Pozières Cemetery, France; Danson Park; Welling Memorial; Son of Henry & Martha; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/giles/; Born High Wycombe. Apprentice picture framer.

GILL, Walter Frederick; Private; L/12811; 2nd Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment); KiA; Gallipoli; 25/04/1915; 25; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 37 to 41 or 328; Born Erith; Son of Walter Robert & Mary Anne Gill of 13 Congress Road, Abbey Wood, London; Christened Leopold Walter Frederick **GILL**. Soldier in India in 1911.

GIRLING, Leonard Sawyer; Died; Home; 09/10/1918; 30; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of George & Ellen; https://saanich.accesstomemory.org/stanley-&-leonard-sawyer-girling-in-military-uniform; Resident Plumstead, A motor engineer. Had been in Canada & enlisted in Canadian army. Died after a blood transfusion to save brother – a wounded soldier at QH.

GLADDEN, Frederick; Private; 37391; East Surrey Regiment posted to 1st/21st Btn. London Regiment (First Surrey Rifles); KiA; F&F; 24/08/1918; 19; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France Panel 6; 40 Congress Road, Abbey Wood / Harrow Manor Way / 21 Police Quarters, Abbey Wood; Son of Fred & Susanna Gladden of Abbey Wood; Born Plumstead. Shop assistant.

GLADMAN, Frederick; Private; G/5288; 8th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/09/1915; 20; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 95 to 97; Resident Erith, 7 Brighton Terrace, South Road; Son of George, married Emily Clara at Christ Church Erith 1915; A hairdresser.

GLASS, Benjamin Hassey; Rifleman; 43837; 1st Btn. Royal Irish Rifles; Died; F&F; 20/02/1917; 34; Boulogne Eastern Cemetery, France Grave Reference VIII. B. 180; Resident Burnt Oak Lane, Lamorbey. (Enlisted Bexleyheath); Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Thomas & Mary Ann Glass of Chudleigh, Devon; Sidcup & District Times 2 March 1917; A gardener at Lamorbey Park. Musician in town band.

GLENTWORTH, Edmond William Claude Gerard (Viscount); Captain; 32nd Sqdn. Royal Air Force; KiA; F&F; 18/05/1918; 24; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; Limerick family, Hall Place; Old Bexley War Memorial; De Vere Pery (Viscount) family; http://www.32.airwar1.org.uk/32sqn2.htm; Eton School.

GLISTER, Bert; Rifleman; R/36466; 13th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 18/03/1918; 35; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium; 2 Trinity Place, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry & Eliza, married, 3 children; Bexley & District Times 26 April 1918 photo; Old soldier who'd done 12 years service in The Buffs.

GLOVER, Henry E.; Private; 863078; 4th Btn. Canadian Infantry (Ontario Regiment); KiA; F&F; 06/02/1918; 34; Aix-Noulette Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Born Foots Cray; Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Samuel & Elizabeth, husband of Sara Beatrice Lay; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Emigrated to Canada 1907. Railway worker.

GLYN, Charles Reginald; 2nd Lieutenant; 105th Mahratta Light Infantry; KiA; Mesopotamia; 09/01/1917; 21; Basra Memorial; Broomhills, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Lewis Edmund (KC) & Mary Eliza Glyn, brother of Richard Spencer Glyn, died 20/10/1914; http://www.hertsatwar.co.uk/fluidcms/files/files/Haileybury%20College%20G/GLYN%20Charles%20Reginald%202nd%20Lieut.pdf; Haileybury College.



GLYN, Richard Spencer; Lieutenant; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 20/10/1914; 22; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium - Panel 2; Broomhills, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Lewis Edmund (KC) & Mary Eliza Glyn, brother of Charles Reginald Glyn, died 9/01/1917; Bexleyheath Observer 30 October 1914; http://www.hambo.org/kingscanterbury/view_man.php?id=164; A law student at the Middle Temple in London. To France in September 1914.

GOBLE, Louis Reginald (Lewis); Gunner; 41462; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 10/02/1917; 36; Menin Road South Military Cemetery, Belgium; 1 Royal Oak Road / 20 May Place Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry & Ellen Jane; Bexley & District Times 16 March 17; A bricklayer. Trade unionist. Enlisted Deptford.

GODDING, Ernest William; Private; 252689; 2nd/3rd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 16/05/1917; 34; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; Resident Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of John & Maria; Born Upper Halling, Kent. A quarry worker.

GODFREY, Charles William; Driver; T/294503; RASC; Died; F&F; 19/02/1919; 28; Terlincthun British Cemetery, France; 21 Edison Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Philip & Emily, brother of Frederick & Edward Godfrey; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/godfrey-2/; Born Plumstead. A carman. Died of influenza.

GODFREY, Edward H.; Rifleman; R/8293; 9th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 24/08/1916; 26; Delville Wood Cemetery, France; 21 Edison Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Phillip & Emily, brother of Frederick & Charles Godfrey; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/godfrey/; Born Plumstead. Farm worker.

GODFREY, Frederick; Gunner; 204876; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; Home; 28/10/1918; 27; Plumstead Cemetery; 21 Edison Road / 285 Ashkirk Avenue, Welling; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Philip & Emily, husband of Maria Eliza, 2 daughters, brother of Edward & Charles Godfrey; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/godfrey-3/; Worked at Royal Arsenal Co-Op in Woolwich.

GODWIN, Richard Frank; Driver; 915751; 48th Divisional Ammunition Col. Royal Field Artillery; Died; Italy; 12/11/1918; 21; Montecchio Precalcino Communal Cemetery Extension, Italy - Plot 8. Row B. Grave 12.; Resident Belvedere. 3 Victoria Cottages. Enlisted Erith; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Horace William & Ada Godwin, of Belvedere; Erith Observer 29 November 1918; Served three years in France & Italy, died from pneumonia day after the armistice.

GOLDSMITH, Charles; Private; 416; Royal Army Medical Corps (TF); KiA; F&F; 02/10/1915; 20; Vermelles British Cemetery, France; 74 Rowan Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry Oliver & Fanny Isabella; Bexley & District Times 15 October 1915, Bexley & District Times 29 October 1915 photo; Born Pimlico. A labourer.

GOLDSMITH, Lewis Wilberforce; Captain; 7th Btn. Yorkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/11/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 3 A & 3 D; Merton Court School pupil, (1903-09) Resident St Leonards Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Eldest son of F. T. W. & Mary H. Goldsmith of 1 Verulam Buildings, Gray's Inn, London; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Father (an architect) designed the Foots Cray War Memorial. Entered for St Johns College, Oxford.



GOODMAN, Gilbert Anthony; Lieutenant; 66th Sqdn. Royal Air Force & 1st Btn. The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment; KiA; Italy; 28/10/1918; 23; Tezze British Cemetery, Italy - Plot 6. Row A. Grave 16; Lessness House, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Alfred William & Penelope Mary Goodman of 1 Cloisters, Temple, London & Lessness House, Belvedere, Kent; http://lewishamwarmemorials.wikidot.com/person:goodman-gilbert-anthony; Educated at Westminster School & Inns of Court O.T.C. Gazetted December 1914.

GOODWIN, Albert Arthur; Private; PLY/16896; Deal Btn. R.N. Div. Royal Marine Light Infantry; KiA; Gallipoli; 25/05/1915; 18; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 2 to 7; 80 Standard Road, Bexleyheath; Son of Kate Goodwin of Belvedere; Born Ipswich. An office boy.

GOODWIN, Charles Gordon; Corporal; 85282; 8th Btn. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 27/05/1918; 32; Soissons Memorial, France; 65 Picardy Road, Belvedere; Son of J. & A. E. Goodwin of 100 Marmion Road, Southsea, Hants, husband of E. Burt (formerly Goodwin) of Belvedere; Born Bradford. Enlisted Chatham.

GOODWIN, Harry; Private; 32963; 6th Btn. York & Lancaster Regiment; DoW; Home; 10/06/1918; 21; Huddersfield (Edgerton) Cemetery, Yorkshire; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Peter T. & Zillah Goodwin of Huddersfield; Born Huddersfield. Enlisted Halifax. A telephone attendant.

GOODWIN, Sydney Herbert; Private; 59377; 21st Btn. Canadian Infantry; DoW; F&F; 14/04/1917; 39; Barlin Communal Cemetery Extension, France I.A.3.; 17 Wingfield Place, Lamorbey / 34 Woodside Road; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Sarah & the late Jesse Goodwin of Sidcup; http://21stbattalion.ca/tributedg/goodwin_sh.html; Emigrated Canada 1902. A miner.

GOODWIN, W. R.; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial.

GOODWRIGHT, Arthur; Driver; 78901; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 24/04/1915; 23; Ypres Town Cemetery Extension, Belgium; 12 Woolwich Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Frederick & Mary Sophia; Erith Observer 11 June 1915; Enlisted Woolwich. A van guard.

GOODWRIGHT, Frederick Thomas - P T (F misread); Private; 28541; 2nd Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/11/1916; 17; Thiepval Memorial, France; 10 Greenman Cottages, Shoulder of Mutton Green; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of John Nathan & Sarah Ann; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/goodwright/; Born Woolwich. Parents worked at Woolwich Arsenal.

GOODYEAR, Duncan Matheson; Lieutenant; 57 Sqdn., Royal Flying Corps; KiA; F&F; 29/06/1917; 24; Brandhoek Military Cemetery, Belgium; Bank House, Pier Road, Erith; Son of Arthur James Goodyear of Erith; Bexleyheath Observer 20 July 1917; https://www.rbsremembers.com/remembers/our-fallen/g/duncan-goodyear.html; Shot down by Anti-Aircraft fire. A bank clerk.

GORDINE, Sydney; Rifleman; A/200422; 10th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 28/02/1917; 20; A.I.F. Burial Ground, France; Callender's employee; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Ada; Born Bethnal Green. Enlisted Woolwich. In 1911 a tailor's errand boy in Canterbury.

GORDON, Thomas Edwin; Private; G/8610; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/07/1918; 20; Aval Wood Military Cemetery, France; 126 West Street, Erith. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Alfred & Mary Jane; Enlisted Woolwich.



GOULD, Percival John; Corporal; 128502; 6th Btn. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); Died; F&F; 04/11/1918; 24; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France - S. II. P. 27.; Born Foots Cray. Resident Crayford. White House, Old Road, Crayford; Son of Helen Caroline Ingram (formerly Gould) of Crayford, Kent & the late John Gould; Member of "F" Div. Metropolitan Police Force. A grocer.

GOULD, Percy; Sergeant; 2493; 6th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/09/1915; 24; Loos Memorial, France; Educated at Foots Cray School; Son of John Henry & Phoebe Ann; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born Somerset. Resident Dartford. Enlisted Sutton. An asylum attendant.

GOWER, Arthur Albert; Stoker 2nd Class; K/27753; Royal Navy, HMS Russell; KiA; At sea; 27/04/1916; 19; Chatham Naval Memorial 17; 37 Overton Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Samuel & Ellen Gower of Abbey Wood, brother of George; Born Dartford. Ship sunk by mines, near Malta.

GOWER, George; Corporal; 8627; 5th Btn. King's Shropshire Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 16/09/1916; 27; Guards' Cemetery, Lesboeufs, France - II. G. 9.; Born Erith. Resident 67 Overton Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Samuel & Ellen Gower of Abbey Wood, brother of Arthur Albert; Enlisted Stratford. A builder's labourer. Previously RWK Regiment (1907).

GOWERS, Robert Isaac; Lance Corporal; L/8108; 1st Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; Died; India; 05/12/1916; 30; Delhi Memorial (India Gate) - Face 1-23; Buried Peshawar (Right) B.C. XXIX. 22; 16 Manor Way, Barnehurst; Son of Elizabeth Jane Gowers of Barnehurst, Kent & the late Charles Fysh Gowers; Enlisted Chichester. Regular army (serving in India 1911).

GRACE, George Charles; Ordinary Seaman; 318289; Royal Navy, HMS Ulleswater; Killed; At sea; 15/08/1918; 26; Chatham Naval Memorial; 36 St Augustine's Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Robert John & Sarah Ann Grace of Plaistow, London, husband of Ethel Higgins (formerly Grace) of 36 Benares Road, Plumstead, London, brother of William Robert; Erith Observer 12 September 1918; Born West Ham. A market gardener. Joined Navy in 1916. Ship hit by mine.

GRACE, William Robert (Willie); Lance Corporal; 2108; 4th Btn. Seaforth Highlanders; KiA; F&F; 26/05/1915; 21; Cabaret-Rouge British Cemetery, France; 36 St Augustine's Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Robert John & Sarah Grace, brother of George Charles; Erith Observer 12 September 1918; http://www.ross&cromartyheritage.org/World-War-1/Surname-G.aspx; Born Canning Town. A commercial clerk.

GRAFHAM, James Arthur; Rifleman; 392841; 9th Btn. London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles); DoW; F&F; 22/03/1917; 27; Achicourt Road Cemetery, France; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas Henry & Mary Grafham of Englefield Green, Surrey, husband of Amy Elsie (1916); Resident Egham, enlisted Ashford.

GRAHAM, Ivie Campbell; Private; G/7612; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 10/02/1917; 21; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 95 to 97; Resident Belvedere. (Ivie may have enlisted as Eric); Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Alexander & Margaret; Born Chiddingstone. A farm hand. Enlisted Maidstone.

GRAY, Ernest Edward; Private; 29775; 2nd Btn. Hampshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 03/02/1917; 23; Guillemont Road Cemetery, France - I. I. 6.; 7 Sussex Road Sidcup; Son of the late Robert James Gray & Mrs. Gray; husband of Ada Ethel Gray of Sidcup; Native of Newport, Isle of Wight.

GRAYLAND, Frederick James; Private; 139205; 31st Btn. Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 13/04/1918; 23; Nine Elms British Cemetery, Belgium - XIV. F. 7.; Born & baptised Sidcup (St John's); 21 Wingfield Place, Halfway Street, Sidcup; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of James George & Kate Grayland of Sidcup; Enlisted Hull.



GREEN, Arthur Dowson; Major; Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/09/1914; 40; Soupir Communal Cemetery, France; Born Belvedere; Son of the late Henry Green of Charlton, husband of Isabella Margaret of West Grinstead, Sussex. (1911), 1 son; http://www.hertsatwar.co.uk/fluidcms/files/files/Haileybury%20College%20G/GREEN%20Arthur%2 ODowson%20Major.pdf; DSO. Haileybury College. Regular army, Served in S & W Africa.

GREEN, Frank; Private; 9762; 6th Btn. Wiltshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 29/04/1918; 20; Arneke British Cemetery, France I.E.10; 2 Church Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Thomas William & Lucy Martha Green of 2 Church Road, Sidcup; "Three sons of Mrs Green of 2 Church Road Sidcup, have given their lives for their country"; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Swanley. An office boy/printer.

GREEN, Fredrick James; Bombardier; 122925; "D" Bty. 190th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 03/10/1918; 24; Hooge Crater Cemetery,, Belgium - XVI. C. 15.; Resident Northumberland Heath; Son of George Lewis Green & Sarah Rebecca Green of Northumberland Heath; Born & enlisted Battersea. Regular army.

GREEN, George Herbert; Private; S/6702; 1st Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 15/07/1916; 24; Thiepval Memorial, Somme, France Pier & Face 5 D & 6D; Born Foots Cray. Resident 2 Church Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Thomas William & Lucy Martha Green of 2 Church Road, Sidcup; "Three sons of Mrs Green of 2 Church Road Sidcup, have given their lives for their country"; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A plumber's mate.

GREEN, Herbert William; Private; L/9551; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/10/1914; 19; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 30 & 31; 15 Chapel Hill. Crayford. Attended Crayford Boys School; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of James & Eliza Jane of Crayford; Sidcup & District Times 4 December 1914 photo; Greengrocer's assistant. Enlisted Maidstone.

GREEN, James; Able Seaman; R/4193; Hawke Btn. R.N. Div., Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve; KiA; F&F; 15/12/1917; 21; Fifteen Ravine British Cemetery, France; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of James & Betty Green of Leigh, Lancs.; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58656-james-green; Resident Leigh, Lancs. A cable tester.

GREEN, Thomas; Private; G/1765; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/07/1916; 31; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 11 C; Born Bexleyheath. Resident 2 Church Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Thomas William & Lucy Martha Green of 2 Church Road, Sidcup; "Three sons of Mrs Green of 2 Church Road Sidcup, have given their lives for their country"; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A dustman. Reported 'missing' for 20 months before death confirmed.

GREEN, William; Sergeant; L/5937; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 22/07/1916; 33; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 11 C; 2 Pelham Cottages, Vicarage Road, Bexley; Son of Henry & Eliza Green, husband of Florence Martha Green; Born Borough. Enlisted Gravesend.

GREENBROOK, Philip Evans; Private; 35367; 13th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 16/06/1917; 24; Arras Memorial, France Bay 3 & 3; 42 Northcote Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of William & Hannah, brother of George Greenbrook of Sidcup; Enlisted Darlington. A grocer's assistant.



GREENHILL, Henry James; Rifleman; 372485; 8th Btn. London Regiment (P O Rifles); KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 21; Poelcapelle British Cemetery, Belgium; 176 Broadway. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Maria; Bexley & District Times 19 October 1917; Postal worker.

GREENWOOD, James; Corporal; L/10063; 8th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/09/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath, stepson of Francis Hornibrook; A baker in Sussex. Enlisted Chichester.

GREGORY, William Joseph; Private; 203339; 4th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; Palestine; 26/12/1917; 24; Ramleh War Cemetery, Israel; 11 Ducketts Terrace, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of James, sister Rose (NoK) in Dartford; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; A silk print factory worker/general labourer. "Well-known local footballer".

GREY, Arnold Robert Evan; Able Seaman; London Z/5224; Hood Btn. Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve; KiA; F&F; 26/10/1917; 35; Mont Huon Military Cemetery, France; Born Erith. 54 West Street; Son of Thomas & Elizabeth, husband of Florence (1912); Resident Peckham. A stonemason.

GRIFFIN, Frank; Rifleman; S/28965; 7th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); Died; Home; 05/05/1917; 38; Plumstead Cemetery K. 668.; Residence Abbey Wood. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Husband of Lottie Isabella Griffin of 27 Owenite Street, Abbey Wood; Born Plumstead.

GRIFFITHS, Walter; Private; 631221 & 3287; 20th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 14/09/1918; 22; Flesquieres Hill British Cemetery, France; 26 Shirley Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Walter & Mary Griffiths of Sidcup; Born New Eltham, enlisted Blackheath.

GRIGGS, William Daniel; Corporal; 2081; 1st Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 26; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 3 C & 3 D; Born Erith, 12 Chalkwell PI (?); Son of George & Jane; Regular army 1911.

GRIGSBY, Walter Thomas; Gunner; 686869; Royal Horse Artillery & Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 15/10/1917; 23; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Enlisted Erith; Son of William & Elizabeth (Allchin); Born Maidstone. A farm labourer.

GROOMBRIDGE, Alfred William; Driver; T3/029105; 1st Coy. 32nd Div. Train, Army Service Corps; KiA; F&F; 10/08/1918; 22; Fouquescourt British Cemetery, France Grave Reference: I. J. I.; 1 Albany Cottages, High Street, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Mrs E. A. Groombridge of Foots Cray; A nurseryman. Enlisted Bromley.

GROOMBRIDGE, John Thomas; Sergeant; 8850; 7th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 33; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 65 to 67; Born Bexley, resident Foots Cray - 1 Windsor Road. Parents lived at Mill Cottages, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial; Married to Eleanor Levey 1913; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC, Sidcup & District Times 5 November 1915; An army reservist, recalled to the colours August 1914.

GROVE, Harold George; Private; 32898; 1st Btn. King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment; Died; F&F; 09/03/1917; 35; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France; Buena Vista, Warren Road / 12 Ethronvi Road. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Alfred & Clara, husband of Jessie R. M. Grove of Bexleyheath; Bexley & District Times 13 April 1917; A commercial clerk.



GROVER, William Charles; Gunner; 51778; 23rd Heavy Bty Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 02/07/1917; 21; Dickebusch New Military Cemetery Extension, Belgium II. B. 33.; 17 Congress Road, Abbey Wood; Foster son of Henry Thomas & Florence Rebecca Grover of Abbey Wood; Born Poplar, enlisted Woolwich. A machinist.

GROVER, Walter; Staff Sergeant; 6199; Royal Horse Artillery; Died; Home; 10/10/1914; 38; East Wickham (St Michael's) Churchyard; 151 Upper Wickham Lane, Welling; Son of the late Henry Grover, of London, husband of Olive Grover, of Wanganui, New Zealand, 9 children; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/grover/; Born Camberwell. Regular army. Died of rheumatic fever.

GROVES, Thomas; Private; 4061; 2nd Btn. Border Regiment; KiA; F&F; 11/03/1915; 27; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 19 & 20; 113 Upper Abbey Road, Belvedere; Son of Benjamin Groves; Born Sunderland.

HACKETT, J. R.; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; unable to verify details.

HACKETT, William Edward; Lance Corporal; G/5667; 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 31/07/1917; 28; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 45 & 47; 27 Woolwich Road / 8 Albert Cottages Graham Road Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Samuel & Jane, husband of Lilian Violet (July 1917, Bexleyheath); Bexley & District Times 14 September 1917 photo; Born Plumstead. Painter, decorator & slater.

HADDON, Albert Ernest; Leading Seaman; 213601; Royal Navy HMS Tipperary; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 32; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; Married in Sidcup (1907). Husband of Mary Ann (nee Brown), 2 daughters; Born Walworth 1884. A van boy. Joined Navy 1901.

HAILES, Joseph; Captain; D.A.D.O.S. 54th (East Anglian) Div., Royal Army Ordnance Corps; KiA; Gallipoli; 01/09/1915; 43; Embarkation Pier Cemetery, Turkey - B. 66; Sherford, Longlands Park Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Husband of May Hailes of Sidcup, 4 children, third Son of Timothy & Margaret Hailes late of Limerick, Ireland; Sidcup & District Times 24 September 1915 photo (as **HALES**); **'HALES**' on some records. Born Ireland. A clerk, later army officer clerk, stationed in the Far East.

HAISMAN, George; Private; 28341; 8th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 28; Arras Memorial, France – Bay 6; Born Foots Cray. Resident 2 Sidcup Hill Cottages; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of George & Mary; Sidcup & District Times 13 July 1917; A printer & compositor. Had worked for 15 years in the machine room of the District Times prior to enlistment.

HAKE, Alfred James; Private; SD/2289; 12th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 12/07/1916; 27; Cambrin Churchyard Extension, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of Alfred George Hake & Camilla Mary Hawkins; Resident Greenwich. A grocer's assistant. Enlisted Hastings.

HALES, Henry; Sapper; 22340; 2nd Army H.Q. Signal Coy. Royal Engineers; Drowned; At sea; 17/11/1915; 22; Hollybrook Memorial, Southampton; Born Erith; Son of Henry & Clara; Resident Camberwell. A fitter's mate. Drowned on HMS Anglia a hospital ship mined off Kent coast.

HALEY, Richard Alfred; Private; L/6736; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 20/10/1914; 30; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium - Panel 2; Born Crayford. Resident Crayford (90 London Road) Also 2 Star Hill, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of John & Sarah, married Annie 1909; Bexleyheath Observer 14 January 1916; Enlisted Woolwich. Labourer at Oil Works Erith.

HALL, A.; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford.



HALL, Edwin Lincoln; 2nd Lieutenant; 3rd Btn. Leicestershire Regiment; KiA; Mesopotamia; 22/04/1917; 21; Basra Memorial, Iraq; Laurel Villa, Gravel Hill; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels & Bexley Woods Memorial; Son of Edwin M. & Elizabeth; Bexley & District Times 11 May 1917 photo; http://www.the-saleroom.com/en-gb/auction-catalogues/spink/catalogue-id-srspi10012/lot-3540903f-61e4-498c-b390-a3f800fd5d43; Boy scout in Bexley.

HALL, Edwin Thomas; Leading Boatman; 148462 (CL); Royal Navy, HMS President / HM Coastguard; Died; Home; 27/05/1916; 42; Stockton-on-Tees (Oxbridge Lane) Cemetery, K. C. 34; 9 Cambridge Road, Sidcup; Son of Joseph Hall, husband of Eliza Hall of Sidcup; Born Lewisham. Died of disease.

HALL, F.; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels.

HALL, Frederick William; Rifleman; C/12776; 1st Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 23/03/1918; 22; Lebucquiere Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Resident Belvedere; Grandson of Eleanor Burns;

http://www.thenorthernecho.co.uk/history/10068460.The book of heroes/?ref=rss; Born Bishop Auckland, Durham. Enlisted Newcastle. A railway clerk.

HALL, John; Stoker 1st Class; SS/116130; Royal Navy, HMS Pembroke (stone frigate in Chatham); Died; Home; 17/11/1918; 24; East Wickham (St Michael) Churchyard; 24 Elsa Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of John & Mary Ann (CWGC); http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/hall/; Born Deptford. A carman. Died at Greenwich Naval Hospital of wounds received during air-raid on Chatham in 1917.

HALL, Ozwin Frederick; Driver; T/29574; Royal Army Service Corps; Died; Home; 07/06/1920; 27; Hammersmith Old Cemetery - Screen Wall. 31. W. 1.; 56 Corbylands Road, Sidcup; Son of Ozwin Hall, husband of Annie Hall of Sidcup; Born at Shepherd's Bush, London.

HALLETT, Donald; Lance Corporal; 3800; 13th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; Died; F&F; 05/11/1917; 30; Etaples Military Cemetery, France - XXX. K. 2.; Born Bexley, Glen Osmand; Son of Charles B. & Clara; https://www.aif.adfa.edu.au/showPerson?pid=123685; A ticket writer in Australia. Enlisted Holsworthy, New South Wales.

HALLETT, Sidney James; Private; 146813; Infantry - Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 24/10/1916; 17; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 154 to 159 & 163A.; Resident Crayford. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Only son of Samuel James & Mary Ann; Born Southwark.

HALLS, Harry; Lance Corporal; C/9556; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 05/05/1917; 21; Windmill British Cemetery, France; Born & resident Belvedere - 7 Station Road North Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Harry & Vera Halls, brother of Samuel; Enlisted Woolwich. A plate moulder.

HALLS, Samuel John; Private; G/6247; 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/06/1916; 18; Gunners Farm Military Cemetery, Belgium; 7 Station Road, North Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Harry & Vera Halls, brother of Harry; Enlisted Woolwich.

HALTER, George Henry; Wireless Operator; Mercantile Marine, SS Eupion (London); Died; At sea (body returned home); 03/10/1918; 18; Plumstead Cemetery; 21 Lewes Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of George & Charlotte Bonner; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/Halter/; Ship torpedoed, George died on life-raft.



HAMBLETON, Henry James ; Captain ; 1st Btn. Northamptonshire Regiment ; Killed ; Ireland ; 04/11/1920 ; 27 ; Exeter (St Martin's Churchyard) ; Educated at Sidcup Hall School ; Son of Susannah E. Hambleton of Sidcup ; http://www.cairogang.com/soldiers-killed/hambledon.html ; Born India, military family. Assumed to be a British Intelligence officer, shot in Ireland.

HAMMOND, Arthur Louis (Lewis); Private; 235126; 8th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 10/10/1917; 22; Outtersteene Communal Cemetery Extension, France; 52 Pinnacle Hill, Bexleyheath. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Edward & Eliza; Shop assistant.

HAMPSON, Arthur Foster; Private; 49045; 17th Btn. The King's (Liverpool Regiment); DoW; Germany; 11/10/1918; 27; Cologne Southern Cemetery, Germany; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Mrs. S. A. Hampson of Manchester & the late John Hampson; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/59208-arthur-hampson; Born Tyldesley, Lancs. Enlisted Leigh, Lancs.

HAMPTON, Albert Horace; Private; 47627; 77th Field Ambulance, Royal Army Medical Corps; DoW; F&F; 13/04/1918; 27; Mendinghem Military Cemetery, Belgium; Employed at Bexley Mental Hospital; Son of Charles & Selina; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born Worcestershire. A printer. Resident Dartford/Bexley. Enlisted Bromley.

HANBURY, Langton Fuller; Lance Corporal; SPTS/1085; 23rd Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment); KiA; F&F; 27/07/1916; 39; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Sidcup The Oaks, 1 Longlands Road; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Dr Richard Savill & Mary W. Hanbury; http://bip.rcpsych.org/content/63/261/296; A doctor. Previously Superintendent of the West Ham Borough Asylum.

HANCOCK, Arthur Charles; Stoker 1st Class; K/14570; Royal Navy, HMS Gaillardia; Killed; At sea; 22/03/1918; 24; Chatham Naval Memorial – 29; 23 Woodside Road, Longlands, Sidcup; Son of George Thomas & Flora Hancock of Sidcup; Born Stratford. A blacksmith/shop assistant. Resident Chislehurst. Enlisted 1912. Ship hit by mine.

HANCOCK (HANDCOCK), Reginald Henry Birbeck; Lieutenant; Army Ordnance Department; Drowned; F&F; 17/02/1917; 37; St Pierre Cemetery, Amiens, France; Territet, Park View Terrace, Park View Road, Welling; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry & Mary Handcock of Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs, husband of Violet Handcock; Born Staffordshire. A telephone engineer. In 1911 working for the Western Electric Company at Woolwich. Commissioned November 1915. Drowned in river Somme in van accident in fog.

HANCOCK, Walter; Corporal; 1603; 14th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I. F.; Died; Egypt; 08/01/1916; 28; Alexandria (Chatby) Military & War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt; 27 Wingfield Place, Halfway Street, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Walter George & Fanny Hancock; Sidcup & District Times 28 January 1916; https://www.aif.adfa.edu.au/showPerson?pid=125188; Emigrated 1912. Enlisted October 1914. A wood machinist. Military policeman in Egypt. Died of fever.

HANKINS, John William; Private; L/10754; 11th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 21; Tyne Cot Cemetery, Belgium – LIX. A. 8.; Born Sidcup. 3 Nash's Cottages, Birkbeck Road; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of George & Eleanor Mary; Greengrocer's Assistant. Enlisted Woolwich.



HAPGOOD, Ernest George; Gunner; 142604; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 07/08/1917; 37; Mendinghem Military Cemetery, Belgium; Oaklands Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Willoughby & Ellen, husband of Lillian; Born Deptford, enlisted Woolwich. A salesman.

HARDIE, Andrew Gordon; Lance Corporal; R/33529; 1st Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 29/09/1918; 26; Noyelles-sur-L'Escaut Communal Cemetery Extension, France II. A. 18.; Residence Abbey Wood. 15 McLeod Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Mr. & Mrs. James John Hardie of Abbey Wood. Native of Plumstead; Born Plumstead, enlisted Woolwich. A greengrocer.

HARDIE, John; 2nd Lieutenant; RFC / RAF; Killed; Home; 05/02/1918; 19; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery (122); Hycroft, Erith / 45 Bexley Road, Erith. Worked for Fraser & Chalmers, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Dr John & Christina Hardie; Bexleyheath Observer 22 February 1918 KiA; Joined Inns of Court OTC. Died in flying accident in Midlands 5 or 7 February 1918 (SDGW). Father was a surgeon in Erith.

HARDIE, Robert Samuel; Gunner; 915376; Royal Field Artillery; Died (suicide); Home; 06/05/1921; 44; Orpington (All Saints) Churchyard Extension; 24 High Street Welling / Buggs Cottages, Bexleyheath; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Robert & Caroline, married 1898 Margaret Ann, 2 children; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/hardie/; Born Liverpool. Worked in fur trade. Caught malaria in army. Suicide at Military Hospital, Orpington.

HARDING, Arthur John; Staff Sergeant; 23177; 7th Coy. Army Ordnance Corps; Died; F&F; 12/11/1918; 31; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France - S. III. T. 25.; 115 Horsa Road, Erith; Son of John & Mary Harding of Dartford, husband of Elsie Harding of Erith; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; An assurance clerk. Died of influenza.

HARDING, Francis Victor; Private; 28376; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/07/1918; 19; Aval Wood Military Cemetery, France, IIAA4; Merville, New Road, Queenswood Estate, Sidcup; Son of William & Alice Harding of Sidcup; Born Enfield, enlisted Mill Hill.

HARDING, Joseph; Sergeant; 1750; 2nd Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; F&F; 09/04/1917; 24; Lebucquiere Communal Cemetery Extension, France - I. C. 1.; Born East Wickham. Family at 115 High Street, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of James Harding; Bexleyheath Observer 11 May 1917, Dartford & District Times 10 September 1915 Gallipoli article & photo; http://www.ewt.org.uk/memorial/harding/; Emigrated 1911. Farm worker. MM.

HARDY, Arthur Charles; Private; 5497; 1st Btn. Border Regiment; KiA; Gallipoli; 21/08/1915; 35; Helles Memorial, Turkey; Nash's Cottages, Foots Cray; Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Stephen & Elizabeth; Sidcup & District Times15 October 1915 photo; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Enlisted Pontypridd, Wales (had worked as miner).

HARGRAVES, Arthur John; Rifleman; S/31145; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 31/03/1918; 19; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 81-84; Born Sidcup - Burley Villas, 1 Foots Cray; Son of Albert & Sarah Jane Hargraves of Darwood Cottage, St Ives, Cambs.; Resident New Eltham, enlisted Woolwich.

HARGREAVES (HARGRAVES on SDGW), James Henry; Private; 682098; 22nd (County of London) Btn. (The Queens), London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/05/1917; 31; Bedford House Cemetery, Belgium - Enclosure No.4 I. H. 32; Born Crayford, employed by Bakers Silk Printers of Crayford; Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Annie D. E. Hargreaves of 72 Great Queen Street, Dartford; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; A silk printer.



HARLAND, Charles Edward; Lance Corporal; L/8868; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 22/09/1916; 27; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 29; 151 Riverdale Road, Erith; Son of John Harland of Erith; Born Otford. Enlisted Sevenoaks. Regular army.

HARLEY, Horace Victor; Private; 10735; 2nd Btn. Border Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/09/1915; 21; Loos Memorial, France; Born Bellegrove, Welling (1 William's Place, Bellegrove) Baptised Bexleyheath (St John the Evangelist); Son of William & Eliza, brother of Mr W. J. Harley of Plumstead; Resident Highbury. In 1911 a pawnbroker's assistant in Camberwell.

HARPER, George William; Able Seaman; J.29532. (Ch); Royal Navy, HMS Bombala; DoW; At sea; 03/05/1918; 21; Hollybrook Memorial, Southampton; 35 Lyndon Road, Belvedere / 4 Gordon Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George & Gertrude (mother resident in Belvedere); http://uboat.net/forums/read.php?23,76331,76342; Born Chiswick. Joined Navy in February 1914. Ship torpedoed off coast of Africa. Records state "Grave not located. Buried on beach on coast of Mauretania, N. W. Africa".

HARRINGTON, Edgar; Gunner; 852; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 08/03/1916; 19; Sidcup Cemetery, Grave Reference A. 12. 138.; 13 High Street, Bexley; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of George & Maria Jane Harrington. 1 of 3 brothers killed; Sidcup & District Times 17 March 1916; A farm worker. The youngest of 3 Harrington brothers killed. Died from complications after being crushed by his horse while training.

HARRINGTON, Edward Reuben; Private; 84215; Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 09/07/1917; 19; Perth Cemetery (China Wall), Belgium; Born Bexleyheath, 7 Waddington Terrace. Baptised at Christchurch; Son of Reuben & Agnes Harrington of Braintree, Essex; Formerly 31814, Essex Regt.

HARRINGTON, Herbert Frank Archibald; Private; G/1063; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 33; Loos Memorial, France; 10 Corinthian Road, Erith. Employed by Wm. Cory; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Herbert & Kate of Rochester, married to Ethel Ada (1901); Born Chatham. An engine greaser.

HARRINGTON, Leonard Mark; Lance Corporal; 9187; 1st Btn. Royal Irish Regiment; Died; Home; 11/04/1915; 29; Greenwich Cemetery, London - Grave Reference 3 "C" A. 147; 17 Halfway Street, Sidcup. Died at Sidcup Red Cross Hospital; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of George & Maria Harrington of 17 Halfway Street, Sidcup. 1 of 3 brothers killed; Sidcup & District Times16 April 1915 photo; Born at Dartford.

HARRINGTON, Theodore Jack; Lance Corporal; 8798; 1st Btn. Royal Irish Regiment; KiA; F&F; 02/06/1915; 26; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium Panel 4; 17 Halfway Street, Sidcup / 4 Church Cottages, Lamorbey; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of George & Maria Harrington. 1 of 3 brothers killed; Bexley & District Times 2 July 1915 & photo; Born at Erith. Regular army, served in India (Guard of Honour to the King at the Delhi Durbar in 1911).

HARRIS, Charles Stephen; Sergeant; B/418; 8th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 30/07/1915; 35; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 46 - 48 & 50; 9 Bexley Lane, Crayford; Son of Annie Hayes (formerly Harris); Born Wrexham. Enlisted Woolwich.

HARRIS, Edwin Albert Victor; Private; 36558; 12th Btn. East York Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/06/1917; 20; Orchard Dump Cemetery, France; 1 Osborne Villas, Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William Thomas & Sarah Ann; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/harris/; Born Plumstead.

HARRIS, George Henry; Private; L/8160; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 18/10/1914; 25; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium; 29 South Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George & Mary; Born Fulham.



HARRIS, Herbert William; Private; 631983; 20th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; Egypt; 30/04/1918; 20; Jerusalem War Cemetery, Israel; 32 Northcote Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Emily; An office boy. Enlisted Blackheath.

HARRIS, Percy William; Gunner; 96316; 118th Siege Bty Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 08/10/1917; 32; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium XX. I. 5.; 57 Hazel Road, Slade Green. Enlisted Bexleyheath; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of William & Georgina, husband of Theresa Harris of 57 Hazel Road, Slade Green, Erith 1910; Born Torrington, Devon.

HARRIS, William; Private; G/186; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 23; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 15-19; Watercress Cottages, North Cray; St James North Cray Memorial; Son of Henry Harris, a watercress grower; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1

HARRISON, Frederick Charles; Private; 2675; 4th Btn. Hampshire Regiment; KiA; Mesopotamia; 24/07/1915; 21; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq; 11 Hengist Road, Belvedere, Kent; St Paul's Church Northumberland Heath Memorial Tablet; Son of Walter William & Louisa; Born Chevening, Kent. Enlisted Winchester. A clerk.

HARRISON, George Norwood; Private; 11662; 8th Btn. Devonshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 02/04/1917; 21; H.A.C. Cemetery Ecoust-St-Mein, France; 40 Albert Road, Bexley, Kent; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Norwood & the late Maria Harrison; Bexleyheath & District Times 27 April 1917; Enlisted Woolwich.

HARRISON, Henry; Rifleman; S/31524; 8th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 04/04/1918; 29; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 81 to 84; Mayplace Farm, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Henry & Ellen Harrison, of Mayplace Farm, Crayford; Born Bermondsey. Enlisted Woolwich.

HARRISON, Richard; Surgeon; Mercantile Marine, SS Umgeni (London); Drowned; At sea; 09/11/1917; 58; Tower Hill Memorial, London; Acacia, Clifton Road, Sidcup; Husband of Katherina Harrison (nee Dantermann) of Sidcup; http://www.cpgw.org.uk/soldier-records/richard-harrison/; Born at Skipton, Yorks. A doctor. Ship lost at sea.

HART, George Frederick; Private; L/8895; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 22/10/1916; 30; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq - VI. R. 13.; 132 Iron Mill Lane, Crayford; Son of John & Mary Hart of 132 Iron Mill Lane, Crayford, Kent; Bexleyheath & District Times & Dartford Chronicle 17 November 1916; Native of Peckham. Enlisted New Cross. Died of disease.

HARVERSON, Herbert; Private; 275107; 3rd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 11/08/1918; 37; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France Panel 10; Enlisted Bexleyheath. Resident Sidcup, 5 Northcote Road; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Edward & Fanny, husband of Ellen Harverson, 1905, 2 children; Born Dalston. A shop assistant.

HARVEY, Ernest George; Private; 203509; 2nd / 4th Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Reg); KiA; Egypt; 08/05/1917; 24; Gaza War Cemetery; Born Bexley. Family at Albert Road; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Mr & Mrs Harvey of 14 Albert Road Bexley; Bexleyheath & District Times 22 June 1917; Enlisted Bromley. Shop assistant.



HARVEY, John Ralph; Bombardier; 85819; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 06/12/1917; 24; Buried at St John's Erith (11/12/1917); 24 Friday Road; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Martin & Ann Elizabeth; Born Great Yarmouth. An office clerk. (Father worked for Callenders). Enlisted Woolwich August 1914. Discharged November 1915 with TB (Tooting Military Hospital).

HARWOOD, Gerald; Lieutenant; Royal Air Force; Killed; Home; 01/05/1919; 24; Chislehurst (St Nicholas) Churchyard; Marlborough House School, Sidcup pupil; Son of Horace Gildon & Hilda Harwood of Chislehurst; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Killed in flying accident. A trainee solicitor, due to marry in 1919.

HASTINGS, Sidney Edward; Lance Corporal; G/69354; 6th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 23/08/1918; 19; Meaulte Military Cemetery, France; 20 Ashburnham Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Albert Henry & Caroline S., brother of William (Father served in mercantile marine): Erith Observer 25 October 1918; Enlisted Woolwich.

HASTINGS, William Horace; Private; 68970; 11th Btn. Royal Welsh Fusiliers; KiA; Balkans; 18/09/1918; 24; Doiran Memorial, Greece; Resident Belvedere, 20 Ashburnham Road, Belvedere. Enlisted Woolwich; Belvedere War Memorial, Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Albert Henry & Caroline S., brother of Sidney. (Father served in mercantile marine); Erith Observer 25 October 1918; Born Stratford. In 1911 a machine driller. Enlisted Woolwich.

HATE, James; Rifleman; R/31771; 9th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 04/05/1917; 30; London Cemetery, Neuville-Vitasse, France - I. B. 18.; 2 University Place, Northumberland Heath, Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Edward Hate, of Northumberland Heath, Erith; Farm worker.

HATT, Nathan Victor; Private; 632319; 20th Btn. County of London Regiment; Drowned; Egypt; 18/06/1918; 23; Kantara War Memorial Cemetery (Egypt); Harcourt Road / 280 Broadway; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Nathan & Jane; Bexley & District Times 12 July 1918 photo; Enlisted Woolwich. Worked in father's cycle business.

HAWES, Walter; Corporal; G/2341; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/07/1916; 28; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 11C; 4 Birkbeck Road; Sidcup War Memorial & Emmanuel Church, Sidcup; Youngest son of Mrs Hawes of 4 Birkbeck Road. His wife lived at Granville Road Sidcup. (n.b. Enlisted under the name of **HOWES**, not Hawes - see Service Records); Sidcup & District Times 28 July 1916 Bexley & District Times 11 August 1916; A clerk at Crayford sand & gravel pits.

HAWKINS, Arthur; Corporal; 6/188; Rifle Brigade; Died; Home; 02/10/1914; 38; Sheerness Cemetery, Isle of Sheppey; Sandford Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry & Mary, husband of Elizabeth A. Hawkins of Clapham; Erith Observer 26 May 1916 photo; Resident Wandsworth. An insurance agent

HAWKINS, Charles; Private; 124424; 41st Btn. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 23/03/1918; 38; Arras Memorial, France Bay 10; 5 Wingfield Place, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of the late James & Sarah Hawkins, husband of Ada Emma Hawkins of Sidcup (Married 1901), 5 children; Enlisted Canning Town. A building foreman.



HAWKINS, William Joseph Samuel; Private; L/9574; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 03/09/1916; 21; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq - XXI. S. 27.; Born Welling. Resident Erith (Crown Street?). Father formerly of Graham Road Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Joseph & Mary, husband of Elsie May; Erith Observer 5 May 1916; Regular soldier. Enlisted Woolwich. Died as prisoner of war.

HAXELL, Arthur Frederick; Stoker 1st Class; K/34514; Royal Navy, HMS Pembroke (stone frigate in Chatham); Killed; Home; 04/09/1917; 19; Gillingham (Woodlands) Cemetery, Kent-Naval. 28. 1488.; 18 Orchard Road; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of Frederick & Ellen of 54 Cross Street, Erith; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/haxell/; Mill hand. Killed in air raid at Chatham.

HAXELL, William; Private; G/411; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 22; Loos Memorial, France; 40 Maximfeldt Road, Erith. Enlisted Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William Charles & Harriett; A bar keeper in 1911.

HAYWARD, Albert Edward; Private; 4584; 6th Btn. Essex Regiment; Died (self-inflicted); Home; 14/03/1916; 16; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - C. 1309.; 62 The Park, Northumberland Heath, Erith; Son of Margaret Hayward of Erith; Resident & enlisted Canning Town. Death "Self-inflicted GSW" at Thetford Camp.

HAYWARD, Alfred Ernest; Sergeant; 54136; 58th Btn. Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 24/04/1918; 34; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 90 to 93; Resident Sidcup, 21 Lincoln Road, Sidcup Hill. Enlisted Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of George & Ellen, married, with 2 children; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; http://www.sudburysuffolk.co.uk/greatwar/profile.asp?id=433; Born Sudbury, Suffolk. A grocer at Pearce's of Sidcup High Street.

HAYWARD, James William; Private; G/50672; 20th Btn. Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment); KiA; F&F; 04/03/1917; 32; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 12 D & 13 B; Born Bexley, North Cray; Son of James H. Hayward of Sussex, husband of Harriett Emily; Enlisted Chichester. A gamekeeper.

HAYWARD, Walter George; Private; 3624; 9th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; Gallipoli; 21/08/1915; 25; Helles Memorial, Turkey; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Husband of Florence; Born Knutsford, Cheshire. Enlisted Atherton, Lancs.

HEALY, Seymour Ariss; Private; 9838; 7th Field Ambulance: Australian Army Medical Corps; DoW; F&F; 03/05/1917; 27; Vaulx Australian Field Ambulance Cemetery, France - B.17; Born Lamorbey. 1911 Census Lansdowne Terrace, Days Lane, Sidcup; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Mrs. R. G. F. Lelliott of Forest Hill Road, East Dulwich; In 1911 registered as a "Begonia grower": Later that year emigrated to Western Australia. (In 1908, a passenger travelling back from Japan).

HEARN, Frederick Charles; Private; G/68541; 7th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA (presumed); F&F; 26/04/1918; 18; London Cemetery and Extension, France - 2.H.27; Dunromin, 8 Lower Station Road, Crayford (In 1911 at 38 Mayfield Road Belvedere); Son of Arthur (an engine fitter) & Emily Eliza Hearn of Crayford; Born Wembley, resident Ealing.

HEDGECOCK, James Clifford; Gunner; 810936; "A" Bty. 186th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 04/04/1918; 34; Adelaide Cemetery, France II. Q. 1.; 27 Owenite Street, Abbey Wood; Husband of Lillie May Bradley (formerly Hedgecock) of Abbey Wood; A poultry worker. Born Warbleton, Sussex. Enlisted Eastbourne.



HELLYER, Albert Hall; Private; 201427; Signal Pool, Canadian Engineers; Died; F&F; 06/03/1919; 26; Etaples Military Cemetery, France - LXXII. E. 4.; 5 Horsa Road, Erith, Kent. Native of Belvedere; Son of Mr & Mrs John Hall Hellyer, of Erith; http://canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=31548; A mechanic.

HENDERSON, Claude William; "Rifleman"; 554072; 16th Btn. London Regiment (Queen's Westminster Rifles); Died; Home; 21/02/1917; 18; Ladywell Cemetery, Kent - E60; Bexleyheath family; Son of William Charles & Mary Henderson of Bexleyheath; Born Farningham, son of a police sergeant. Enlisted Lewisham. Worked at Corporation of Trinity House HQ.

HENNESSEY, George Horn; Lance Corporal; 8992; 2nd Btn. POW Volunteers (South Lancs. Regiment); KiA; F&F; 20/09/1914; 21; La Ferté-sous-Jouarre Memorial, France; 22 Harcourt Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Mary A.; Son of a plasterer. Regular army.

HENSHALL, William Charles Edward; Private; G/1759; 3rd/4th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/12/1917; 21; Orival Wood Cemetery, France; 4 Albert Grove West, Bellegrove; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of the late Charles Amos & Mary Jane; Bexleyheath Observer 1 February 1918; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/henshall/; A nurseryman.

HERBAGE, Sydney Harold Wilfred; Rifleman; 9648; 5th Btn. (City of London) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/01/1915; 18; London Rifle Brigade Cemetery, Belgium - III. A. 4.; Born & baptised Sidcup (St John's). Laurel Lodge, Hatherley Road; Son of Sidney Frank & Clara Mary Herbage of Kingston upon Thames; https://www.flickr.com/photos/sherborneschoolarchives/9342546568; Junior clerk at Stock Exchange. Son of a stockbroker. Attended Sherborne School.

HERBERT, Arthur Edward; Sergeant; 5682; 1st Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 17/11/1914; 34; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 151 Lower Road, Belvedere. A clerk at Vickers / also owned hairdressing business in Lower Road; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George & Ann, married to Mary Ann Morphew (1903), 3 children; Erith Times 11 December 1914; Boer War veteran. Army reservist. Owned hairdressing business in Belvedere.

HERRICK, Norman George; Rifleman; 57088; 3rd Btn. New Zealand Rifle Brigade; Died; Home; 04/03/1919; 24; Brookwood Military Cemetery, Surrey; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Eldest son of the late George Edward & Kate Herrick of Woodville, New Zealand; http://www.nzwargraves.org.nz/casualties/norman-george-herrick; A farmer.

HESELDEN, Arthur; Sergeant; 34756; Royal Horse Artillery & Royal Field Artillery; Died; Mesopotamia; 20/05/1918; 32; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq XII. L. 16.; Born Sidcup. Resident 3 Stanley Road, Sidcup; Son of Mark & Frances, husband of Alice, 6 children; A plasterer. Goalkeeper for Cray Wanderers FC. Enlisted Woolwich.

HESELDEN, Bertie; Private; 30923; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/08/1918; 19; Beacon Cemetery, France Grave Reference IV. E. 13. 4 Church Road, Foots Cray, Kent; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Albert & Kate E. Heselden of Foots Cray; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A gardener at Foots Cray Place. Enlisted Woolwich.

HEWITT, John Edward; Private; CH/10487; Royal Marine Light Infantry; Died; Home; 15/04/1915; 37; Queensferry Cemetery, West Lothian, Scotland; Born & baptised Erith (Christ Church). 21 Appold Road; Son of Samuel John & Charlotte Ann, husband of Ellen Emily Hewitt of Strood; In 1911 serving in RMLI based at Chatham Barracks. Awarded Long Service & Good Conduct Medal. Died of disease.



HEWSON, John Gilbert; Boy; 282692; Royal Horse Artillery; Died; Home; 14/08/1919; 15; East Wickham (St Michael) Churchyard; 20 Springbeld (sic for Springfield) Road (CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Joseph W.; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/hewson/; Born Hackney. A groom with RHA. Death registered Brighton Kitchener Hospital (influenza).

HIBBEN, Leonard Beauchamp; Lance Bombardier; 37659; 229th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; Died; Italy; 13/11/1918; 20; Montecchio Precalcino Communal Cemetery Extension, Italy - Plot 8. Row A. Grave 7.; Bexleyheath family; Son of Isabella Jane & the late C. S. M. William Robert Hibben (Royal Garrison Artillery) of Bexleyheath; http://www.chichester.co.uk/news/nostalgia/down-memory-lane-battered-autograph-book-reveals-wartime-horrors-1-2693843; Born Glasgow. Lived in Ireland.

HICKMOTT, Edwin; Private; 307524; 8th Btn. Sherwood Foresters (Notts & Derby Regiment); DoW; F&F; 10/05/1917; 32; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France; Resident Belvedere. Married at St Fidelis Church (Feb 1917); Son of Charles & Fanny Hickmott, husband of Catherine (McAvoy); http://www.graemecheeseman.com/hickmottww1deaths.pdf; Born Tunbridge Wells. Enlisted Woolwich. A carpenter.

HICKS, John George; Private; 5437; 2nd Dragoon Guards; DoW (POW); F&F; 09/12/1914; 29; Ghent City Cemetery, Belgium; Employed at Bexley Mental Hospital; Son of Richard & Sarah Hicks of Co. Dublin; Born Dublin. Nurse at Bexley Hospital early 1914. Army reservist, taken prisoner near Messines, died at Ghent.

HIGHGATE, Joseph; Private; L/10412; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); DoW; F&F; 06/06/1916; 20; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium Grave Reference: VII. B. 23A; 103 Brookdale Road, Catford; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Alice Highgate, brother of Robert & Thomas; Sidcup & District Times 23 June 1916; Born Shoreham, resident Catford. A council labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.

HIGHGATE, Robert; Lance Corporal; 10395; 2nd Btn. East Lancashire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/01/1915; 24; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 18; Son of Alice Highgate of Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Alice Highgate, brother of Thomas & Joseph; Sidcup & District Times 23 June 1916; Resident Catford. Enlisted Woolwich.

HIGHGATE, Thomas James; Private; L/10061; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Executed; F&F; 08/09/1914; 19; La Ferte-sous-Jouarre Memorial, France; Son of Alice Highgate of Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Alice Highgate of Sidcup, brother of Joseph & Robert; Sidcup & District Times 23 June 1916.

HILAND, Hector Turpin; Driver; 268334; Honourable Artillery Company, Reserve Bty.; Died; Home; 07/11/1918; 18; Leeds (Harehills) Cemetery, Yorks.; Erith Grammar School pupil; Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of Major & Mrs J. H. Hiland of Old Charlton; http://hac1418.info/hil&-hector-turpin/; Born at Armagh, Ireland. Enlisted February 1918, died of pneumonia.

HILL, George Victor Sidney; Private; 27073; 2nd Btn. Durham Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 25/09/1916; 22; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Belvedere; Son of George William & Emma of New Kent Road, London; Apprentice carpenter. Enlisted Woolwich.

HILL, Gerald Stanley; 2nd Lieutenant; 3343; 1st Btn. London Regiment (City of London), Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 22; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 9 D & 16 B; Fairmount, Priestlands Park Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of the late Henry & Kate Hill of Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times 29 September 1916; Late father owned brewery company. A student. Gazetted June 1915.



HILL, Horace Joseph; Gunner; 383 (or 338?); "B" Bty. 338th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; Died (accident); Home; 27/06/1916; 22; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - F. 194.; Born Belvedere. Resident 2 Izane Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Reginald Horace Hill & Ellen Kate Hill of 58 Watling Street, Bexley Heath; Bexley & District Times 14 July 1916; Enlisted Erith. Killed in an accident at Sevenoaks while on service with his regiment.

HILL, Thomas Alfred; Private; 534097; 140th Field Ambulance, Royal Army Medical Corps; DoW; F&F; 04/08/1918; 22; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium; Born & baptised Belvedere (All Saints). 40 Lyndon Road Belvedere 1896 / 17 Paroma Road. Enlisted Belvedere; Son of Edward & Rebecca (father worked in cable factory).

HILLARD, George; Sergeant; 7559; 1st Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 17/04/1915; 29; Cuinchy Communal Cemetery, France - II. E. 2.; Heath Cottage, Crook Log; Husband of A. Hillard of Finsbury Park; Bexleyheath Observer 7 May 1915; Resident Dalston. Enlisted Kingston upon Thames.

HILLS, Arthur; Gunner; 192743; "K" Anti-Aircraft Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 17/10/1918; 31; Houchin British Cemetery, France - III. A. 15.; 19 London Road, Crayford / Waterside Nursery, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of William & Elizabeth; General labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.

HILLS, William Jesse; Private; CH/17045; Royal Marines Light Infantry, HMS Hawke; KiA; At sea; 15/10/1914; 20; Chatham Naval Memorial; 78 Alexandra Road, Erith / Whitehall Cottages, Slade Green. Native of Crayford; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of William Jesse & Adeline Alice; Bexleyheath Observer 21 January 1916; HMS Hawke torpedoed by German submarine, North Sea.

HILSDON (HILLSDON), Claude Stedman George; Drummer; 7544; Scots Guards; KiA; F&F; 25/01/1915; 20; Douai Communal Cemetery, France; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Claudius Owen & Ada Alice E. of Tower Road, Dartford; Born Highgate. Regular soldier. Enlisted 1909. Census 1911 Private Hillsdon in Cairo at 16 years.

HILTON, Fred; Lance Corporal; 29243; 2nd Btn. Royal Welsh Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 25/04/1918; 21; Varennes Military Cemetery, France; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Alice; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58716-fred-hilton; Resident Leigh, Lancs.

HINCHCLIFFE, William Edward; Sergeant; T/200029; 4th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment) - attd. Nigeria Regiment, W.A.F.F.; Died; At sea; 28/11/1917; 30; Hollybrook Memorial, Southampton; Born Crayford; Son of Edward & Elizabeth; Resident Dover. Enlisted Walmer, Kent. A box maker.

HITCHCOCK, Edward William; Petty Officer Stoker; 308869; Royal Navy, HMS Pathfinder; KiA; At sea; 05/09/1914; 30; Chatham Naval Memorial – 4; The Lodge, Bridgen Place, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Edward & Harriet; Bexleyheath Observer 11 September 1914; Born Deptford. Regular Royal Navy from 1905. Ship torpedoed.

HITCHCOCK, Frank H.; Private; 95494; 1st Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 23/10/1918; 23; Romeries Communal Cemetery Extension, France - Special Memorial A. 7.; Born Erith, resident 54 Cross Street, Erith; St Paul's Church Northumberland Heath Memorial Tablet; Son of Walter & Kate, husband of Amelia Gertrude (1915); A labourer/machine hand. Enlisted Whitehall.



HITCHCOCK, Samuel Robert Victor; Private; 302334; 2nd Btn. Royal Scots; DoW; F&F; 23/05/1918; 19; Mont Huon Military Cemetery, France - V. K. 2A.; 1 East Road, Belvedere; Son of William & Bertha Hitchcock of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich.

HITCHINS, Arthur Reginald; Rifleman; S/28359; 11th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 36; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 145 to 147; Resident Erith. 25 Belmont House, Parsonage Manorway. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Charles & Alice of Belvedere; Farm worker & dairy deliveryman on brother's farm - Bedonwell Farm.

HOARE, Charles Edward; Engine Room Artificer 5th Class; 34549; Royal Navy, HMS Vernon; Died; South Africa; 16/04/1921; 20; Durban (Stellawood) Cemetery F. 134.; 7 Crossness, Abbey Wood; Son of Arthur Isaac & Elizabeth Adelaide Hoare of Abbey Wood, brother of Reginald; Born at Morecambe, Lancs.

HOARE, Reginald Arthur; Corporal; G/1958; 7th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 23; Arras Memorial, France, Bay 2; 7 Crossness, Abbey Wood; Son of Arthur Isaac & Elizabeth Adelaide Hoare of Abbey Wood, brother of Charles; Born Wakefield. A rivet maker.

HOATH, Harry G.; Rifleman; Z/2807; 13th Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; Home; 16/07/1916; 27; Bexley (St Mary) Church Cemetery; 2 Laurel Villas, Torrino Terrace, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Mrs Hoath of Bexley; Bexley & District Times 21 July 1916; DoW in Manchester hospital. Shop Assistant.

HOBGEN, Gravatt Bundell; Bombardier; 943; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 20/09/1916; 30; Guillemont Road Cemetery, France - XI. F. 9.; 21 Abbey Grove, Abbey Wood. Employed at Vickers, Erith (Fireman); Son of Albert Richard & Mary Jane Hobgen of Abbey Wood; Awarded the MM for 'bravery in the field' & was mentioned in despatches & in the London Gazette on 13/6/1916.

HODGIN, Charles Weston; Sapper; 121431; 70th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; DoW; F&F; 10/06/1916; 19; Bethune Town Cemetery, France; Apprenticed to Messrs Smart & Brown of Erith; Son of James Henry & Eleanor Matilda Hodgin; Born Plumstead, enlisted Woolwich. Woolwich Polytechnic Secondary School. Engineering apprentice.

HODGSON, Arthur Richard; Private; 17539; 8th Btn. Devonshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 23/03/1916; 20; Dartmoor Cemetery, France; 43 Gipsy Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William H. & Maud Maria E., brother William Harold; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/hodgson/; Born Charlton. Enlisted Barnstable.

HODGSON, William Albert; Private; 318; 2nd Btn. Wiltshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/07/1916; 17; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 13 A; Resident Erith - 3 The Fernside Villas, Picardy Hill; Stepson of William Moss of Belvedere; Born Cardiff.

HODSON, William; Lance Sergeant; 2284; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 16/10/1917; 27; Dozinghem Military Cemetery, Belgium; Employed at Crayford Silk Works; Son of William & Agnes, husband of Daisy Ellen; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident Dartford. A block silk printer. Enlisted Gravesend.

HOGGETT, Frank Reginald; 2nd Lieutenant; 10th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); Died; Home; 18/07/1916; 29; Manchester Southern Cemetery; Technical Assistant at Callender's Belvedere works; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Isaac Thompson & Elizabeth, husband of Ada, of Sale, Cheshire; Born Sunderland. Electrical engineer.

HOLDING, Percy; Rifleman; S/7960; 8th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of Clara; Born Millwall. Resident Bermondsey.



HOLDING, William Henry; Private/Bandsman; 10843; 3rd Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 07/11/1914; 21; Ypres (Menin Gate Memorial), Belgium – Panel 34; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of Clara Wotton (formerly Holding) of 136 Tanner Street, Tooley Street, Bermondsey & the late William Holding; Reported in Sidcup Homes School Magazine; Resident Bermondsey.

HOLLAND, Ralph Bertram; Captain; "B" Coy. 7th Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Reg); KiA; F&F; 02/10/1916; 25; Mill Road Cemetery, Thiepval, France; The Gables, Hurst Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of late William T. & Elizabeth Holland, husband of Marcia Holland nee Saunders; Bexleyheath Observer 13 October 1916; Solicitors articled clerk.

HOLLANDS, James Henry; Private; CH/10016; RMR/B/1385. Royal Marines Light Infantry, HMS Clan McNaughton; Drowned; At sea; 03/02/1915; 35; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 13; Resident Foots Cray; Son of William John & Harriet Hollands of Foots Cray, Kent, husband of Sarah Ann ("Annie") Hollands of 4 Chatterton Road, Bromley Common.

HOLMAN, Frank Reginald; Rifleman; 574950; 17th Bt. London Regiment; KiA; Egypt; 02/11/1917; 27; Gaza War Cemetery; 12 Nelson Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Thomas & Agnes Holman of Maidstone, husband of Edith C. M. Harvey (formerly Holman) of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich. A butcher's assistant.

HOLMES, Edward Alfred; Lance Corporal; 10028; 2nd Btn. Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 20; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 6 A & 6 B; Family in Belvedere; Son of Edward Steven & Annie Holmes of Royal Alfred Home for Aged Merchant Seamen, Belvedere, Kent; Born Bermondsey.

HOLMES, George Edward; Private; G/52976; 4th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/03/1918; 20; Hooge Crater Cemetery, Belgium - Sp. Mem. C. 8.; Born & baptised Erith (St John's). Family Erith High Street; Son of George William & Elizabeth Ada Holmes of Erith; Resident Fulham.

HOLMES, John Joshua; Private; 6182; 7th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/08/1916; 39; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Crayford. Wife from Erith. Married at Belvedere (All Saints). Chestnut Terrace, Alfred Road Belvedere; Husband of Ellen Catherine of Erith; Resident Surbiton. Enlisted Kingston. A house painter.

HOLT, Geoffrey Vesey; 2nd Lieutenant; "B" Bty. 91st Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 02/09/1917; 19; Bard Cottage Cemetery, Belgium -IV. G. 1.; Mount Mascal, Bexley; St James North Cray Memorial; Son of Sir Vesey Holt; Bexleyheath Observer 21 September 1917, Sidcup & District Times 26 February 1915 (DSO); http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; North Cray scout hut named in his honour.

HOLTON, Albert Edward; Rifleman; B/431; 3rd Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 14/09/1915; 29; Etaples Military Cemetery, France; Enlisted Erith; Son of William & Eliza Holton of Dartford; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; DCM. A labourer. Army reservist. Resident Dartford.

HOMEWOOD, Albert; Rifleman; 451943; 11th Btn. London Regiment (Finsbury Rifles); DoW; F&F; 27/04/1917; 23; Achicourt Le Grand Cemetery Extension, France; Resident Belvedere in 1916, 37 Picardy Street; Son of Alfred & Alice Homewood of East Peckham, husband of Mildred Homewood of Paddock Wood, Kent; A labourer. Son, Albert, was baptised at St Augustine's July 1916 the same week as Albert snr died.



HONEY, Geoffrey Henry Le Sueur ; 2nd Lieutenant ; 5th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps ; KiA ; F&F ; 22/10/1916 ; 26 ; Thiepval Memorial, France ; Born & baptised Sidcup. Rosedale, Sidcup ; Son of Ernest & Helen of Lamorbey Park, husband of Ada Gwendoline ; Resident Blackheath. Partner in Engineering firm. Enlisted August 1914.

HOOD, Douglas Edward; 2nd Lieutenant; 1st Btn. Bedfordshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 14/04/1917; 21; Zouave Valley Cemetery, France; Hilldene, Main Road, Sidcup. Merton Court School pupil 1907-1910. Apprenticed at Vickers, Erith; Son of Thomas M. & Ellen Hood of Pernambuco, Brazil; Born Brazil, family ran export businesses. MC.

HOOD, Frederick George Miles; Rifleman; R/38725; 13th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 08/03/1918; 26; Menin Road South Military Cemetery, Belgium - III. H. 32; 3 Broadway, Bexleyheath. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George Hilder & Isabel Wharton Hood of Bexleyheath; Bexley & District Times 29 March 1918 photo; Born at Jamaica, B.W.I.

HOOD, Thomas; Gunner; 96600; 172nd Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 03/07/1917; 36; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France - P. II. G. 6B.; 25 Pembroke Road, Erith; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas Timothy & Harriett Hood, husband of L. M. Hood, of 25 Pembroke Road, Erith, Kent; Native of Lee, London. Worked: Bexleyheath Co-op.

HOOK, Henry Preston; Rifleman; 3352; 9th Btn. London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles); KiA; F&F; 10/07/1916; 20; Gommecourt British Cemetery No.2, France; 1 Pincott Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry J. & Kate; Bexleyheath & District Times 11 May 1917 photo; Official notification of his death sent to his mother Mrs Hook. An old boy of the National Schools.

HOOK, Thomas Edward; Private; 636964; 2nd Btn. East Ontario Regiment. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 30/07/1917; 23; Maroc British Cemetery, France; Born Sidcup. Resident 3 Westbrook Cottages, Halfway Street / 6 Woodside Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Charles & Martha Hook, married to Louise Hook, Picton, Ontario; https://www.ww1cemeteries.com/maroc-british-cemetery.html; Emigrated to Canada May 1911.

HOOKER, Albert Edward; Private; 405053; 35th Btn. Canadian Infantry; Died; Home; 25/12/1915; 32; Bordon Military Cemetery, Hampshire - Wes. C. 14.; Born & baptised Crayford (St Paulinus). Parents from Crayford Upper Sawmills / Maiden Lane; Son of George & Sarah Hooker of Crayford; Son of a brick maker. A labourer.

HOOKER, George Paul ; Private ; 25848 ; 16th Btn. Sherwood Foresters ; KiA ; F&F ; 13/11/1916 ; 38 ; Thiepval Memorial, France ; Resident Sidcup ; Son of Mary ; Born Lincolnshire, enlisted Buxton, Derbyshire. A police constable.

HOPE (RANWELL), Arthur Glyndon Revel; Private; G/5640; 7th Btn. Queen's (Royal West Surrey) Regiment; Died; F&F; 19/11/1915; 49; Corbie Communal Cemetery, France; Resident Welling; (Served as **HOPE**); Son of George Leader Baxter Ranwell & Amelia Sowery Ranwell of Plumstead; Born Dartford. Enlisted Oxford. CWGC says "alias - see **RANWELL** true family name".

HORE, Sidney John; Corporal; 562; 22nd Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 17/02/1917; 35; Thiepval Memorial, France; Resident Belvedere; Husband of Emily Hore of Marlborough, Wiltshire; Born Devon. Enlisted Shepherd's Bush, London.

HOROBIN, David George; Rifleman; 6444; 1st/6th Btn. London Regiment (Rifles); KiA; F&F; 22/10/1916; 19; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Born East Wickham. Orchard Cottage, Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Frederick & Jane; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/horobin/; A nurseryman.



HORROCKS, Frank; Private; 104067; Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 21; Arras Memorial, France; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of James & Mary Horrocks of Leigh, husband of Jessie Bent (formerly Horrocks) of Leigh, Lancs.; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58745-frank-horrocks; Resident Leigh, Lancs.

HORSEY, Augustus Bertie (Auguste B.); Rifleman; C 9341; 9th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 09/04/1917; 22; Tilloy British Cemetery, France; Lynton, Parkhurst Road, Bexley. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Albert & Lavinia Horsey; Bexleyheath & District Times 11 May 1917; Born Bournemouth. Formerly on the junior staff at Messrs. Vickers Crayford. Wounded at the Somme, 1916.

HOSKINS, Charles; Lance Corporal; G/945; 8th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 23/12/1916; 21; Philosophe British Cemetery, France; Resident Erith 2 Claremont Cottage, West Street; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Charles & Caroline; Shop assistant.

HOW, Frank Bebington; Private; CH/9953; Royal Marine Light Infantry, HMS Agincourt; Died; Home; 21/01/1919; 39; Caister-on-Sea (Great Yarmouth) Cemetery, A123; 117 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup; Son of Benjamin & Frances How, husband of Edith Esther How of Sidcup (1915); RMLI. Messina Medal 1908, Long Service and Good Conduct Medal. Died at RN Hospital, Yarmouth.

HOWARD, Albert Edward; Bombardier; 965214; "D" Bty. 265th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 12/04/1918; 20; Outtersteene Communal Cemetery Extension, France - II. A. 72.; Born & baptised Erith (St John's). 114 West Street; Son of Charles Skilton & Minnie Elizabeth; A plumber (family business). Resident Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich.

HOWARD, David; Private; 206228; East Surrey Regiment; Died; Home; 26/12/1920; 39; All Saints with Saint John Churchyard, Hertford; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Johanna; http://www.thelancet.com/pdfs/journals/lancet/PIIS0140-6736(13)60570-X.pdf; A chimney sweep.

HOWARD, Henry James; Ordinary Seaman; J/31330; Royal Navy, HMS Vanguard; KiA; At sea; 09/07/1917; 18; Chatham Naval Memorial, Panel 22; 48 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Thomas Arthur & Helen Howard; Sidcup & District Times 20 July 1917; Enlisted December 1916. A printer's boy.

HOWARD, William; Sergeant; 2582; 10th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 02/08/1916; 28; Hébuterne Communal Cemetery, France; Born Belvedere; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Charlotte; A dairyman.

HOWELL, Arthur Joseph; Private; 234140; 2nd Btn. (City of London) Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 43; Arras Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath; Husband of the late Ada Howell of Gospel Oak, London, 3 daughters; A house painter & decorator in 1911. Resident Islington.

HOWELL, Edward; Private; 6249; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Home; 24/01/1920; 37; Bexleyheath Cemetery (242); 2 Swiss Cottages Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles & Ellen?; Bexley & District Times 25 February 1916;

http://www.Janet&richardsgenealogy.co.uk/Pte%20E%20Howell.html; Discharged 12 September 1918. Died of effects of gas.

HUBERT, George Alfred; Rifleman; C/9723; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 13/05/1917; 23; Tilloy British Cemetery, France; 99 Riverdale Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Joseph Isaac & Florence; Enlisted Woolwich. Apprentice bootmaker.



HUCKBODY, James Hanson; Sergeant; 207950; 7th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 22/03/1918; 21; Chauny Communal Cemetery, France; Born & baptised at Bexley. Bourne Road; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Charles Henry & Alice Maude; Enlisted Dartford.

HUCKSTEP, George William (CWR on some lists); Lance Corporal; S/6308; 1st Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 15/07/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France-Pier & Face 5 D & 6 D; 3 Arthur Street, Northend, Erith; St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of Mr & Mrs Huckstep; Erith Times 17 October 1916 photo; Born Dartford. Engineer's Assistant. Service record states that any articles should be returned to Mrs Rose Huckstep - (newspaper reports initially "missing").

HUDSON, Frederick; Private; 17659; 10th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 23/04/1917; 22; Chili Trench Cemetery, France; Rose Cottage, 6 Oaklands Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John Masters & Catherine; Bexleyheath Observer 25 May 1917; Trainee draughtsman. Enlisted Southend.

HUDSON, John Player; Private; 8167; Royal Irish Regiment; DoW; F&F; 01/07/1916; 27; Dantzig Alley British Cemetery, France; Chapel House, Belvedere, Kent / 2 Bedonwell Hill; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of James & Frances Hudson of Belvedere; Bexleyheath Observer 6 October 1916, Erith Observer 6 October 1916; A general labourer. Enlisted Exeter. Memorial service held at Lessness Heath Baptist Chapel.

HUGGETT, Herbert Henry; 2nd Class Air Mechanic; 115613; RAF; Died; Home; 08/01/1920; 20; Plumstead Cemetery; 3 Orchard Terrace, Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Richard Henry & Mary Ann; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/huggett/; Boy Scout in Welling. Radio operator. Died of pneumonia.

HUGGINS, George; Private; 11369; 4th Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 23/04/1915; 18; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Family Erith. 10 High Street; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of James & Laura, brother of James; http://doingourbit.ca/profile/george-huggins; A labourer.

HUGGINS, James; Private; 10990; 4th Canadian Infantry; Died; Home; 20/03/1915; 28; Erith (St John the Baptist) Churchyard; 10 High Street, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of James & Laura, married to Eliza Mabel Croucher (1908), brother of George; http://www.doingourbit.ca/profile/james-huggins; A packer. Enlisted September 1914. Died of appendicitis at Richmond Hospital.

HUGHES; Arthur; Captain & Quartermaster; 275269; Lancashire Fusiliers 18th Bn. attached to Second Army School of Cookery; Died; Germany; 11/02/1919; 45; Cologne Southern Cemetery, Germany; 19 Springfield Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Husband of Emma Elizabeth, 6 children (1 child with Marcella Hughes); https://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/hughes/; Regular army. Army School of Cookery in 1918. Died of pneumonia.

HUGHES, Edward Samuel; Rifleman; S/21084; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade (PCO); KiA; F&F; 11/05/1917; 32; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; 32 Heath Road, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of John & Charlotte, married Frances Eliza 1906; Born Rochester, enlisted Woolwich. A warehouseman.

HULFORD, George Ervin; Gunner; G/5490; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 09/12/1917; 25; Cite Bonjean Military Cemetery, France; Enlisted Erith; Son of George Fredrick & Lilian Celestine Hulford of Croydon; (Named as **HOLFORD** in some records). Born Croydon, resident Southfleet, Dartford.



HULL, Stanley Alexander; Private; 302359 (302559 CWGC); 13th Btn. Durham Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 21/09/1917; 21; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 32 High Street, Welling / 14 Bethel Road (CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of William & Alice; Bexleyheath Observer 19 October 1917; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/hull/; Worked at Woolwich Arsenal.

HUMPHREY, Lionel George Ernest; Private; 291079; Devonshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/11/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Cemetery, Belgium; 23 Harold Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Lionel Harry & Kate Ada Humphrey of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich

HUMPHREY, Thomas Albert; 2nd Lieutenant; 205th Sqdn, Royal Air Force & 8th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1918; 24; Hangard Communal Cemetery Extension, France - Ext. Mem. 3.; 2 Waterloo Place, North Cray, Sidcup. A North Cray Boy Scout; St James North Cray Memorial; Son of Edward Albert & Eliza Mortimer Humphrey, of North Cray; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Joined army in 1914 (Royal Sussex Regiment). Royal Flying Corps in 1917. Killed in flying raid.

HUMPHREY; Walter Frederick; Corporal; G/11299; 11th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 23/03/1918; 24; Arras Memorial, France; Born & baptised Erith (St John's). 5 Woodside / 8 Friday Road; Son of Walter & Emily M. C. Humphrey of East Dulwich; In 1911 a butcher's errand boy in East Dulwich. Enlisted Camberwell. DCM.

HUMPHREY, William John Thomas; Lance Corporal; 9992; 1st Btn. Essex Regiment; DoW; At sea (Gallipoli campaign); 09/08/1915; 21; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 144 to 150 or 229 to 233; Born Sidcup, baptised at St John's. 5 Shirley Cottages, Longlands; Son of William & Selina. (William worked as a labourer for Bexleyheath Council); Resident & enlisted Ilford. A grocer's boy.

HUMPHRIES (**HUMPHREYS** on CWG), William George; 2nd Lieutenant; 2nd Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/09/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France; Blendon Hall, Bexley; Only son of William. E. & Georgina Humphries (Humphreys); Sidcup & District Times 29 September 1916; Attended Dartford Grammar School. Boy Scout in Sidcup. Father was gardener at Blendon Hall.

HUNT, Arthur Victor; Petty Officer; Mersey 3/214; Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, Nelson Btn. R.N. Div.; Died; Mesopotamia; 12/06/1916; 27; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq XXI. V 16; Resident Sidcup. 51 Hatherley Road. Attended Sidcup College, played football for Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Emmanuel Church, Sidcup; Son of Edward Joseph & the late Elizabeth Hunt of Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times 22 December 1916; Died of disease. A surveyor of taxes.

HUNT, Edward; Lance Sergeant; L/7442; 1st Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 05/07/1917; 30; Villers Station Cemetery, France; Resident Foots Cray. 14 Epsom Cottages; Son of Edward & Clara Hunt of St Mary Cray, his brother Ernest also fell; Born Dartford. Enlisted Maidstone. A bricklayer.

HUNT, Edward Wallis Alleyne; 2nd Lieutenant; 18th Sqdn, Royal Flying Corps; KiA; F&F; 01/05/1917; 24; Neuville-St Remy Churchyard, France; Resident Sidcup / 'Birchwood', Landsdown Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Edward & Sarah Jane Hunt of 24 Harold Road, Upper Norwood, London. Native of Sidcup. MC (Military Cross). Son of a headmaster

HUNT, Ernest; Private; G/9054; 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/05/1917; 20; Dickebusch New Military Cemetery Extension, Belgium; Worked in Foots Cray (Employed by H.J. Clarke); Son of Edward & Clara Hunt of St Mary Cray, his brother Edward also fell; Born St Mary Cray. Enlisted Bromley. A blacksmith/wheelwright.



HUNT, William (Willie) Edward; Able Seaman; J/17832; Royal Navy, HMS Natal; Killed; At sea; 30/12/1915; 20; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 9; The Beeches. Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Brother of Mrs. N. Greenrod of Weymouth; Reported in Sidcup Homes School Magazine; Born Greenwich.

HUNTER, Charles Frederick; Battery Sergeant Major; 37124; Royal Horse Artillery Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 24/04/1917; 41; Aubigny Communal Cemetery Extension; 73 Foster Terrace, Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Charles Finch & Jane, married 1903 Charlotte Caroline; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/hunter/; DCM. Military family at Woolwich. Served in Boer War.

HUNTLEY, Daniel Herbert (Dan); Rifleman; S/34047; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; Died; F&F; 27/04/1918; 34; Grand-Seraucourt British Cemetery, France VI.A.8; Born at Sidcup. Family at 12 Stanley Road; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William & Lucy Emma Huntley, married, 3 children in Dartford; Sidcup Times 28 February 1919; A racing cyclist in Sidcup. Worked for Wallace & Co. Resident Eltham. Enlisted Woolwich 1917. Died in German military hospital (POW).

HUNTLEY, Frederick George Baden Powell; Stoker 2nd Class; K/52892; HMPMS Plumpton; Killed; At sea; 19/10/1918; 18; Chatham Naval Memorial; 5 School Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Andrew & Charlotte; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/huntley/; A motor driver. Ship was struck by mine.

HURDEN, Charles Raymond; Private; 37050; 1st Btn. East Yorkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 16/04/1918; 31; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 47 to 48 & 163A; 33 Friday Road, Erith; Son of Henry James & Mary Hurden of Erith; Born Somerset. Enlisted Woolwich.

HURLEY, William Michael; Private; 109408; 4th Btn. Canadian Mounted Rifles; KiA; F&F; 11/05/1916; 20; Maple Copse Cemetery, Belgium - Sp. Mem. C. 2.; Born Sidcup. Family from Brook Street, Northumberland Heath; Son of Timothy & Margaret Hurley of Northumberland Heath. (NoK - Katie Leddow, Sidcup);

http://canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=29438; A farmer in Canada.

HUTCHINSON, Harry James; Lance Corporal; L/7546; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 10/08/1915; 29; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 124 West Street, Erith / Fidelis Road; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Henry & Clara, married to Eliza Lavinia (1912),1 child, brother of Percy Leonard; Erith Times10 September 1915 photo; Mortally wounded by a chance shot from a German sniper.

HUTCHINSON, Percy Leonard; Rifleman; 56564; 13th Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 06/11/1918; 31; Caudry British Cemetery, France; Born & baptised Erith (St John's). 34 Manor Road; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Henry & Clara (Henry Hugh & Mary on CWGC), wife Beatrice in Brixton Hill, London, brother of Harry James; Regular soldier. Resident Brixton, enlisted Woolwich.

HUTT, R. (Reginald?); Erith (Christ Church) Memorial

HUXLEY, John Scott; 2nd Lieutenant; Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 15/07/1916; 30; Thiepval Memorial, France; "Formerly of Sidcup" (Park House, Sidcup); Son of George Thomas Scott & Emily Charlotta Huxley of Farnham, Surrey, husband of Eva Kathleen Gordon Huxley of Weymouth; Sidcup Times 28 February 1919 list;

http://tonbridgeatwar.daisy.websds.net/Authenticated/ViewDets.aspx?RecID=191&TableName=ta factfile; Tonbridge School. An architect, working in Australia. Gazetted March 1915.



HUXTABLE, Alfred Henry Edgar; Rifleman; R/11830; 7th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 06/08/1915; 15; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 21 Manor Road (1911) mother at 17 Alexandra Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Arthur Ernest & Eliza Jane; Erith Times 2 June & 20 August 1915 photo; Belonged to Erith Church Lads Brigade. Worked for local newspaper.

HYDE, Frederick Hull; Corporal; 47728; 52nd Bty. Royal Field Artillery; Died; F&F; 26/08/1914; 26; La Ferte-Sous-Jouarre Memorial, France; 20 Green Walk, Crayford; Son of Henry Hull & Margaret Hyde; Born Plumstead. His family for three unbroken generations served, with distinction, in the Royal Regiment of Artillery. Enlisted Woolwich.

HYLAND, Arthur; Private; L/15016; 1st Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/09/1915; 20; Cabaret-Rouge British Cemetery, France; 29 Bedford Road, Sidcup (with sister); Son of Alfred (widower), Perry Street Chislehurst; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Gravesend. Gardener at Sidcup Hall School. Enlisted Maidstone.

INGRAM, Francis Wilton; Rifleman; 301715; 1st/ 5th Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 32; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 9 D; Family in Belvedere (Picardy Street?); Belvedere War Memorial; Son of the late James & Emily Ingram, husband of Rosa Maude Ingram; Born Middlesex. Insurance clerk.

INGRAM, Frederick; Private; 10189; 1st Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 19/11/1915; 28; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial; Born & resident Belvedere, family at 56 Picardy Street; Son of William & Elizabeth; http://1914-1918.invisionzone.com/forums/index.php?/topic/168462-all-saints-church-belvedere-kent-war-memorial/; A baker's boy. In 1911 an out of work Reservist.

INNS, Frederick John; Leading Signalman; J/21720; Royal Navy, HMS Victory; Died; Home; 22/05/1918; 22; Wandsworth (Earlsfield) Cemetery, London - Screen Wall. B. 20. 289.; 24 Green Walk, Crayford; Son of Charlotte Comte (formerly Inns) of Crayford; Died from disease. Resident Battersea. Joined Navy December 1912.

IVES, Frank; Private; 8829; 2nd Btn. Dorsetshire Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 18/04/1915; 24; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq; Born Bexleyheath; Adopted son of George & Charlotte Earl of Bexleyheath (3 Garden Avenue last address); Resident Thornton Heath, Surrey. Before enlisting (aged 19) a fishmonger. Regular army, serving in India in 1911.

JACK, Douglas Peacock; 2nd Lieutenant; 4th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 18/09/1918; 20; Ste Emilie Valley Cemetery, France, IV.F.5.; Born & baptised Sidcup. Springmead, Sidcup / 8 Victoria Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Robert Alexander & Frances Elizabeth Jack of Sidcup; Son of an architect.

JACK, James; Private; 51819; 11th Btn. Royal Scots; DoW; Home; 16/05/1918; 28; Markinch St Drostan's Cemetery, Fife, Scotland; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Alex & Janet Jack of Markinch, husband of Alexina; Born & enlisted Markinch, Fife.

JACKSON, Albert; Private; 30201; 10th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/03/1917; 28; Faubourg d'Amiens Cemetery, France - II. M. 8.; Resident Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial. Bexley Strict Baptist Chapel Memorial; Son of Ellen; Born Suffolk. Enlisted Woolwich. A gardener, army reservist.

JACKSON, George; Private; 5;2989; 21st Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 18/09/1916; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 13 A & 13 B; Resident Erith - 3 The Fernside Villas, Picardy Hill; Born Stratford. Enlisted Huntingdon.



JACKSON, George; Lance Corporal; 630111; 20th (County of London) Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/09/1918; 21; Flesquieres Hill British Cemetery, France - II. E. 1.; Born Sidcup Clifton Road; Son of Mrs Alice Annie Jackson of Hither Green Lane, Lewisham; Enlisted Blackheath.

JACKSON, Rowland Henry; Private; G/69205; 6th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 30/06/1918; 19; Bouzincourt Ridge Cemetery, France - II. H. 16.; Born & baptised Bexleyheath (Christ Church); Son of James & Emily of Bexleyheath; Resident Willesden.

JACKSON, Walter John; Private; 9361; 2nd Btn. Royal Scots Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 27/10/1914; 26; Grangegorman (Cork) Memorial Headstones; 39 Abbey Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William T. Jackson, of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich. Alternative Commemoration - buried in Cork Military Cemetery.

JACKSON, Wilfred Flower; Lieutenant; Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attd. Queen Victoria's Own Corps of Guides Cavalry (F. F.) (Lumsden's); Died; Mesopotamia; 28/10/1918; 33; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 43 & 65; Allington, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Third son of the late Walter Comyn Jackson & Eliza Catherine May Jackson of Bexley; http://tonbridgeatwar.daisy.websds.net/Authenticated/ViewDets.aspx?RecID=196&TableName=ta-factfile; Tonbridge School. A tea planter in India. Commissioned April 1917.

JACKSON, William Henry; Corporal; 1346; 55th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; Died; Home; 05/01/1921; 53; Sidcup Cemetery - C. 15. 556.; 66 Hatherley Road; Husband of Ada; https://www.awm.gov.au/collection/R1632320; Born Wandsworth. Formerly in Navy. Enlisted NSW September 1914. Occupation "soldier" from cemetery records.

JACQUES; Alexander Crayford; Quartermaster Sergeant; 11723; "H" Coy. Royal Engineers; Died; India; 25/10/1918; 34; Karachi 1914-1918 War Memorial, Pakistan; Born Crayford. Family at 28 Station Road; Son of Alexander & Julia; In 1911 a machinist electrician for Royal Engineers, based at Plymouth. Died at Lahore Cantonment.

JALLINGS (**JOLLINGS** on Sidcup memorial), William; Private; 5018; Honourable Artillery Company; KiA; F&F; 13/10/1916; 32; Berks Cemetery Extension, Belgium; Greeba, 2 Stafford Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Ellen Maria Jallings of Sidcup & the late William Jallings; Sidcup & District Times 27 October 1916; Stockbroker, Lloyds of London. Enlisted Armoury House (HAC HQ).

JAMES, William; Private; G/17609; 12th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/06/1916; 23; London Rifle Brigade Cemetery, Belgium - I. D. 1.; 26 Morton Road, Belvedere; Son of Alfred James & Ocean Draper Doe James; Born Marlow, Bucks. (Son of a licensed pedlar) Enlisted Kingston.

JANES (under JAMES error), William Alfred Charles; Private; 7139; 1st/7th Btn.

Northumberland Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 06/11/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born

Bexleyheath. Family at Talfourd Road (Springfield Road), Welling. Enlisted Bexleyheath; East

Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of William Alfred & Kate Emily; Bexleyheath

Observer 8 December 1916, http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/Janes-james/

JARRETT, Joseph David; Rifleman; A/201394; 8th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 24/08/1917; 27; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 115 to 119 & 162A & 163A; Born Sidcup, Resident Sidcup - 30 Northcote Road Sidcup, Foots Cray / 2 Sidcup Hill Cottages; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Alfred & Annie; Enlisted Woolwich. General labourer.



JARVIS, Edward William; Private; T/20169; 4th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); Died; Home; 02/04/1916; 42; Faversham Borough Cemetery, Kent - Faversham Explosion Plot; Resident Crayford (86 London Rd) / 2 Swan Row, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Husband of Maud Minnie Jarvis, 3 children; Erith Observer 5 May 1916; http://www.faversham.org/history/explosives/great explosion 1916.aspx; Born Dartford. House painter, & Vickers worker. Killed in Faversham munitions explosion April 1916.

JARVIS, William George; Rifleman; 17534; 16th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 05/11/1916; 22; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 16 B & 16 C; Born Erith. 4 Hawthorn Cottages, Erith Road / 7 Victoria Cottages, Princess Street, Bexleyheath. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Mary; Erith Observer 8 December 1916, Bexley & District Times 15 December 1916 photo; A farm worker.

JEFFERIES (JEFFERYS), Albert William Henry; Rifleman; C/9624; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 28/04/1918; 21; Chocques Military Cemetery, France; 2 Dashwood Place, Watling Street; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Alfred William & Emma E.; Son of a house painter. Enlisted London.

JEFFERY, Edward Victor; Rifleman; R/33755; 13th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 115 to 119 & 162A & 163A; Born Sidcup, Resident Sidcup - 1 Belvoir Cottages Alma Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Edward & Ellen; A newspaper boy in 1911. Enlisted St Paul's.

JEFFS, George; Private; 241293; 5th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; Mesopotamia; 10/03/1917; 19; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 6; Resident Belvedere. 20 University Place; Son of George & Ann; Born Bermondsey. Enlisted Woolwich.

JENKINS, Joseph Henry; Private; 9990; 2nd Btn. South Lancashire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/02/1915; 20; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 37; 44 Picardy Street, Belvedere, Kent; Son of Mr & Mrs W. Jenkins; Born Rotherhithe.

JENNER, Douglas Pratt; Lance Sergeant; G/1074; 7th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 18/09/1918; 23; Templeux-le-Guerard British Cemetery, France; 41 Alexandra Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of Herbert John & Mary Ann; Erith Times 24 November 1916 article re medal & photo; Enlisted Woolwich. MM "for continually going out on the lines in shell fire".

JENNER, Edmund Thomas; Private; 66690; Machine Gun Corps; DoW; Home; 18/11/1918; 37; Bexleyheath Cemetery (826); Woodlands Farm House, Church Road Bexleyheath / 273 Broadway; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Edmund & Ann, one of 3 brothers killed; Bexleyheath Observer 22 November 1918 / Erith Observer 27 December 1918; Carman to Greengrocer. Enlisted Woolwich. Died of wounds Southwark Hospital.

JENNER, Frederick Herbert; Private; 32398; 11th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 20/09/1917; 32; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Born Erith. Woodlands Farm, Church Road / 53 West Street; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Edmund & Ann, one of 3 brothers killed; Bexleyheath Observer 27 November 1914, Erith Observer 27 December 1918; https://billiongraves.com/grave/Frederick-Herbert-Jenner/11778866; A florist's labourer.

JENNER, Frederick John; Gunner; 38379; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 13/05/1918; 23; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France; Mother at Lyndon Road, Belvedere. (Died & buried at St Paulinus, Crayford); St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford. St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Frederick & Frances Mary (late of Belvedere); Born & enlisted Orpington. A van boy.



JENNER, Leonard Charles; Lance Corporal; 9253; 2nd Btn. Loyal North Lancashire Regiment; KiA; East Africa; 04/11/1914; 23; Tanga Memorial Cemetery, Tanzania; Born Bexley, Resident Bexleyheath, Woodlands Farm, Church Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Edmund & Ann, one of 3 brothers killed; Erith Observer 27 December 1918; Census 1911 21 years old in India LNLR.

JEWELL, Dudley Mark Hayward; 2nd Lieutenant; 18th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 20/01/1916; 21; Guards Cemetery, Windy Corner, Cuinchy, France; Born Bexley, baptised at St Mary's. Family at Hall Place. Stoneyhurst, Watling Street in 1901; Son of Maurice & Ada Jewell of Hall Place; Resident Worcestershire. A farmer. Gassed in trenches while trying to save colleagues.

JOBLING, Ralph John; Private; 31244; 268th Coy., Royal Defence Corps; Died; Home; 20/07/1917; 51; Melcombe Regis Cemetery Dorset; Resident Belvedere, worked at Crossness Outfall Works. Enlisted Belvedere; Son of Ralph & Emily, husband of Blanche E. Jobling of Gloucester; Born Woolwich, married in Woolwich 1901. Employed by LCC at Belvedere. Formerly 20620, 20th Btn. London Regt.

JOHNCOCK, Alfred William; Private; 241580; 6th/7th Btn. Gordon Highlanders; KiA; F&F; 12/10/1918; 31; Avesnes-le-Sec Communal Cemetery Extension, France - B22; 3 Congress Road, Abbey Wood. Family in Belvedere - 6 Lower Park Road; Son of Alfred John & Mary Ann Johncock of Belvedere, Kent, husband of Louisa Johncock of Abbey Wood. (Married 1914 at Belvedere); Born Dorset. An insurance clerk. Enlisted Woolwich.

JOHNS, Horace; Private; 38025; 4th Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; Palestine; 19/09/1918; 20; Ramleh War Cemetery, Israel E. 65.; Born Sidcup; Son of William & Elizabeth; Resident & enlisted Peterborough.

JOHNSON, Arthur John; Gunner; 60946; "A" Bty. 112th Bde Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 17/05/1916; 23; Ecoivres Military Cemetery, France; Born Belvedere 21 Abbey Road / Resident 27 Upper Abbey Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of George & Amelia Johnson of Belvedere, Kent; Oil works employee. Enlisted Woolwich.

JOHNSON, Benjamin James; Rifleman; S/13322; 9th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 17/01/1916; 29; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 46 - 48 & 50; 143 West Street, Erith; Husband of Harriet Beatrice Johnson of Erith (Married 1906); Born Norfolk. In 1911 a boarding house waiter in Pimlico.

JOHNSON, Frederick; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford.

JOHNSON, Henry James (Jimmie); Private; 9202; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died (POW); Mesopotamia; 09/10/1916; 26; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq; Epsom Cottages, Cray Road; St James North Cray Memorial; Son of George & Julie; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Regular army. In India in 1911. Enlisted New Cross.

JOHNSON, John Edwin; Rifleman; R/24309; 2nd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; Died; Home; 03/12/1916; 33; Lewisham (Ladywell) Cemetery; Cramond Avenue / 97 Frederic Terrace, Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Thomas & Jane Maria; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/johnson/; Born Blackheath. An electrician. Died of myelitis at All Saints Hospital, Vauxhall.

JOHNSTONE, James Douglas; Gunner; 915715; Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 31/07/1917; 24; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium; Myrtle Villa, Pickford Road Bexleyheath. Enlisted Erith; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Daniel Muirhead & Julia; Born Shooters Hill. A shop assistant.



JONES, Alexander (Albert Edward); Private; 1298; 5th Btn. Manchester Regiment; DoW; Gallipoli; 30/05/1915; 20; Lancashire Landing Cemetery, Turkey; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Albert Edward & Elizabeth Flora Jones of Leigh, Lancs.; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58782-alexander-jones; Resident Leigh, Lancs.

JONES, Bernard; Lance Corporal; G/6197; 1st Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 14/04/1918; 26; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium - Panel 1 & 2; Resident Welling; Son of Stephen & Fanny; MM. Born West Farley, Kent. Enlisted Woolwich. Farm worker.

JONES, Edward (Edwin) William; Gunner; 51874; "Z" Bty. Royal Horse Artillery; KiA; F&F; 05/03/1915; 23; Pont-du-Hem Military Cemetery, France - X. D. 15.; Clifton House, Kentish Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Mr & Mrs Jones of Clifton House; Born Lambeth.

JONES, Ernest Adolphus; Private; 295611; 4th Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); DoW; F&F; 06/05/1918; 20; Aubigny Com. Cemetery Extension; c/o Mrs Evans, 296 Lodge Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Adopted son of Mrs Evans; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/jones/; Born Hammersmith.

JONES, Laurence Henry; Captain; 2nd Btn. attd. 1st Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 25; Hooge Crater Cemetery, Belgium - XI. H. 10.; The Rectory, Crayford, Kent; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Gustavus John & Ethel Annie Jones, The Rectory, Crayford; Bexleyheath Observer 19 October 1917; http://www.hambo.org/kingscanterbury/view_man.php?id=258; A clerk at Baltic Exchange, London. Enlisted August 1914.

JONES, Percy; Corporal; 10597; 1st Btn. Liverpool Regiment; KiA; F&F; 19/05/1915; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panels 6 – 8; Resident Sidcup. 6 Wingfield Place, Lamorbey; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Bexley & District Times 9 July 1915 photo; Born & enlisted Gravesend.

JUDD, Sydney Herbert; Gunner; 50915; 12th Bty. 35th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 21/10/1917; 19; The Huts Cemetery, Belgium; 88 Bexley High Street / 12 Salisbury Road, Bexley, Kent; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Henry Alfred & Alice Judd; Bexleyheath Observer 2 November 1917; Enlisted Woolwich.

JUDD, William; Private; L/8159; 2nd Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 24/04/1915; 28; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 12 & 14; Howbury, Slade Green; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Brother of Annie Watson of Toronto, Ontario, Canada.(NoK); Bexleyheath Observer 14 May 1915; Born Strood. A labourer. Regular Army.

JUPE, Albert Edward; Private; 42661; 2nd Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 17/04/1918; 19; Loos Memorial, France Panel 85 to 87; Residence Abbey Wood. 20 Chancelot Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Annie Florence Jupe of Abbey Wood; Born New Cross. Enlisted Woolwich.

JUPP, Alfred; Gunner; 115642; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 08/12/1917; 29; Vlamertinghe New Military Cemetery, Belgium; Born Crayford. 37 London Road, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Albert James & Emma; Family worked at Crayford silk print works. Enlisted Woolwich.

KEEBLE, Henry David; Trooper; 3860; 1st Btn. Life Guards; DoW; F&F; 20/05/1918; 22; Etaples Military Cemetery, France; Lower Manor Farm, Bexley, Kent / The Farm, Vicarage Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Frederick James & Isabella Mary Keeble; Bexleyheath Observer 31 May 1918; Parents worked as market gardeners. In 1911 an errand boy. Enlisted Woolwich.



KEECH, Arthur Joseph; Acting Bombardier; L/41641; 186th Bde Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 11/06/1917; 18; Mendinghem Military Cemetery, Belgium I. E. 16.; 49 Greening Street, Abbey Wood; Son of Elizabeth Keech (nee Jackman) of Abbey Wood & the late Samuel George Keech; Apprentice at the Royal Arsenal Woolwich. Enlisted Deptford.

KEEFE, Daniel; Corporal; 217260; Air Construction Service (Pulham), Royal Air Force; Died; Home; 08/11/1918; 43; Greenwich Cemetery, London - Screen Wall. 1 "C" B. 1076.; Born at Belvedere; Son of Cornelius & Mary Keefe, husband of the late Annie Keefe, 1 daughter, May Florence; A general labourer. Enlisted North Woolwich.

KEELAN, William; Trooper; 773; 5th Australian Light Horse; Killed; Home; 27/11/1915; 32; Woolwich Old Cemetery, Plot F 42; Died at Bostall Heath Camp; Son of Robert Keelan, husband of Elizabeth Couplin Keelan of Dalbeattie, Kirkcudbrightshire; http://www.ww1cemeteries.com/ohelizabeth-my-sweet.html; Born Scotland, emigrated to Australia - a farm worker. Enlisted December 1914. Run over & killed in motor accident at Bostall Heath Camp.

KEIR, John James; Private; 12311; 1st Btn. Scots Guards; KiA; F&F; 27/09/1915; 38; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 8 & 9; Born Belvedere; Son of John Keir of 28 Shieldhall Street, Abbey Wood; A gas fitter. A workhouse boy. Had also served in Royal Navy. Enlisted Caterham.

KEKEWICH, George; Captain; City of London Yeomanry; DoW; Palestine; 28/10/1917; 28; Beersheba War Cemetery, Israel; Family at Lamorbey Park House; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Lewis Pendarves Kekewich & Lilian Emily Kekewich. Father Sidcup JP. Brother of John & Hanbury Lewis; Eton College. A metal broker.

KEKEWICH, Hanbury Lewis; Captain; Sussex Yeomanry; KiA; Palestine; 06/11/1917; 32; Beersheba War Cemetery, Israel; Family at Lamorbey Park House; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Lewis Pendarves Kekewich & Lilian Emily Kekewich. Father Sidcup JP. Brother of John & George, husband of Dorothy Page-Turner; Eton College. A metal broker.

KEKEWICH, John; Captain; 8th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 26/09/1915; 24; Loos Memorial, France; Family at Lamorbey Park House; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Lewis Pendarves Kekewich & Lilian Emily Kekewich. Father Sidcup JP. Brother of George & Hanbury Lewis; Eton College

KELLY, John; Private; 532556; 15th Btn. London Regiment (C S Rifles); KiA; F&F; 19/07/1917; 24; Oak Dump Cemetery, Belgium; Erith family; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Mr & Mrs J. Kelly of Erith, married to Ethel M.R. of 13 Tomlins Grove, Bow; Born Govan, Scotland. Enlisted Stratford.

KEMBER, Ernest Harry; Corporal; L/9190; 2nd Btn. Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); Died; Home; 11/05/1916; 24; Erith (St John the Baptist) Churchyard; 131 West Street, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William & Emily; Bexley & District Times 23 June 1916; Born Maidstone. Enlisted Chatham.

KEMBLE, George Henry; Sapper; 41312; 5th Depot Coy. Royal Engineers; Died; Home; 26/11/1915; 33; Newark-Upon-Trent Cemetery, Nottinghamshire - R. "C". 216.; Wife Lena Kemble at 11 Holly Hill Terrace, Erith; Born Edinburgh. Enlisted Woolwich.

KEMP, Clifford; Stoker 1st Class; SS/111192; Royal Navy, HMS Surprise; Killed; At sea; 23/12/1917; 22; Chatham Naval Memorial; 4 Glendale Road / Sister (Elizabeth Ashworth) at 29 Corinthian Road, West Street, Erith (NoK); Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Robert & Elizabeth. (Robert worked at Vickers); Born Battersea. General labourer at oil works. Ship was struck by mine.



KEMP, George Albert; Acting Sergeant; 17804; Royal Engineers; DoW; F&F; 18/07/1916; 28; Cambrin Churchyard Extension, France; 1 Colyers Lane, Northend, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of James W. & Elizabeth/Emma; Bexleyheath Observer 4 August 1916, Erith Times 4 August 1916 photo; Regular army. Killed after saving a superior officer.

KEMP, Harold James; Private; 164; British South African Police; KiA; Zambia (Northern Rhodesia); 28/05/1916; 31; Ndola (Kansenshi) Cemetery, Zambia; 54 Clarence Crescent, Sidcup. Worked for Foots Cray Urban District Council: Son of James Nelson & Alice Kemp of Tottenham; http://www.southafricawargraves.org/search/details.php?id=12003; Sang in St John's Choir, Sidcup. A rate collector. Joined Rhodesian Mounted Police, 1911.

KEMP, Percy (born Percival Gordon); Private; 24105; Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 24/03/1918; 20; No grave known of; 16 High Street (local Newspaper); East Wickham War Memorial; Son of George Alfred & Isabella; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/kemp/; POW? Survived war? Details unconfirmed.

KEMP, Reginald Charles; Acting Bombardier; 77308; 26th Bty. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; Gallipoli; 22/12/1915; 21; Redoubt Cemetery, Turkey - Sp. Mem. A. 89.; Born Erith; Only son of Henry Kemp of Erith; Family worked on railways in Erith. A ticket collector.

KENNETT, Frank; Private; M2/200005; Army Service Corps; KiA; F&F; 04/09/1917; 25; Locre Hospice Cemetery, Belgium; Born Bexley 2 Lime Villas, Avenue Road, Bexley; Son of Ernest & Elizabeth Kennett, husband of Lily Kennett of St Leonards, Sussex; An ironmonger in Hastings. Enlisted Hastings.

KENT, Alfred Percy; Rifleman; 42245; 2nd Btn. Royal Irish Rifles; KiA; F&F; 19/08/1918; 21; Bertenacre Military Cemetery, France; Callender's employee; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of William & Sarah Elizabeth Kent; Born & enlisted Hackney.

KENTISH, William George; Rifleman; C/33187; 13th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 25/08/1918; 24; Gomiecourt South Cemetery, France; 26 West Street / 13 Crown Street Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas H. & Minnie; Born Camden. Enlisted Woolwich. A dairyman's assistant.

KENTON, Eric John; Private; 44683; 1st Btn. South Wales Borderers; DoW; F&F; 16/09/1918; 21; Heath Cemetery, France; Worked at Erith branch of London County & Westminster Bank; Son of John & Sophia Kenton of Eastbourne; https://www.rbsremembers.com/remembers/our-fallen/k/eric-kenton.html; Born Eastbourne. A bank clerk.

KERFOOT, James William; Private; 37148; 10th Btn. Royal Welsh Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 23/05/1917; 31; Duisans British Cemetery, France; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Husband of Deborah of Leigh, Lancs.; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58797-james-kerfoot; Born & resident Leigh, Lancs. An iron moulder & grinder.

KETTLE, Percy William (P.T. on Memorial); Private; 9025; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; Mesopotamia; 24/07/1915; 26; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq; 4 St Fidelis Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William & Susan; Born Ipswich. Enlisted Woolwich.

KIDD, Percy; Seaman; Died?; ?/10/1914; 29; St Mary's Reigate, Surrey; Sidcup Hill / 4 Shirley Cottages Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Laura A. & the late Charles Kidd of Sidcup; Sidcup Times 28 February 1919 list; A gentleman's servant. Served in Royal Navy between 1904-1908 362336. "Died of typhoid, contracted while serving on a troop ship".



KILEY, John James (or James John); Private; 10339; 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 18/09/1916; 22; Heilly Station Cemetery, France II. H. 18 97; Castle Terrace, Hazel Road, Slade Green / 3 Pines Terrace, Old Road, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Patrick & Mary Ann Kiley of Slade Green; Born Reading. Enlisted Woolwich. A carman.

KILIAN, Leonard John; Private; PO/1210(S); Royal Marine Light Infantry 1st R.M. Btn. R.N. Div.; KiA; F&F; 25/08/1918; 36; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; Born & resident Belvedere. Lived 7 Bexley Road 1891 No 8 in 1901; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Lydia. Father (John) a German tailor; Leonard a hairdresser had twin brother (Horace?). Enlisted 1915.

KINCH, William; Private; G/2345; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 33; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 15 to 19; 3 Robert's Road, Belvedere. Employed by Wm. Cory; Son of the late William & Mary Ann Kinch, husband of Lillian Attwood (formerly Kinch); Born Fareham, Hants.

KINDER, Richard Clement; Captain; General List / 26th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 31; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; "Formerly of Foots Cray"; Son of Edward & Mary Ogle Kinder of Bromley, grandson of Vicar of St Mary Cray; Sidcup Times 28 February 1919 list; Formerly (Capt.) Malay States Volunteer Rifles. A planter in Malaysia (1907).

KING, Bert; Rifleman; 12834; 7th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 18/08/1916; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 13 A & 13 B; Born & resident Erith; Son of Robert & Rose King, brother of William; Enlisted Woolwich.

KING, Cecil Robert; Corporal; 3233; 1st/2nd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France, Pier & Face 9 D & 16 B; 24 Longlands Park Crescent, Sidcup. Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Charles & Ellen King of Sidcup; Reported in Sidcup Homes School Magazine, Sidcup & District Times 11 May 1917; Enlisted November 1914, trained in Egypt. Posted missing in action on his 21st birthday 1 July 1916 - death reported in papers May 1917.

KING, J.; Private; 46732 transf. to (71067); 119th Coy Labour Corps, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); Died; Home; 10/04/1919; Crayford (St Paulinus) Churchyard - North-West part of near ground.

KING, James William; Stoker 1st Class; SS/107758; Royal Navy, HMS Euryalus (RFR/CH/IC/1009); Died; At sea (Gallipoli campaign); 27/08/1915; 30; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 11; 22 Paroma Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Husband of Ellen Eves King of Crayford; Woolwich Arsenal labourer before Navy. Died of illness.

KING, Walter James; Rifleman; 203385; 21st Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 05/08/1917; 25; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 51 Standard Road / 25 Rowan Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Walter James & Elizabeth; Bexley & District Times 21 September 1917; Born Lee, enlisted Woolwich. A butcher's assistant.

KING, Wilfred Frank; 2nd Lieutenant; Royal Flying Corps; Killed; Home; 04/11/1917; 20; Bromley (London Road) Cemetery; Attended Sidcup College. In 1911 at 77 Hatherley Road, Sidcup; Son of John & Alice King of Bromley; http://www.bromleywarmemorial.org.uk/serviceman.php?q=454; Bank clerk. Killed in flying accident near Hounslow.

KING, William; Rifleman; O/544; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 31/03/1918; 21; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 81 to 84.; Born & resident Erith; Son of Robert & Rose, brother of Bert, cousin of Melica Butler of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich.



KINGSLAND, Sydney John (Jack); Private; 1371; 18th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; Gallipoli; 27/08/1915; 21; Hill 60 Cemetery, Turkey - I.C.1; Born North Cray. Resident 4 Suffolk Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of George & Edith Kingsland; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC, Sidcup & District Times 29 October 1915; In 1911 census a porter. Emigrated to Australia 1912, worked in merchant navy.

KIRBY, Frank Anning; Private; G/6452; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/07/1916; 23; Serre Road Cemetery No 2, France; 2 High Street; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of Thomas & Elizabeth, brother of Herbert; Bexleyheath Observer 3 November 1916; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/kirby-2/; Worked: Bexleyheath Coop.

KIRBY, Herbert Henry; Rifleman; S/19518; 12th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 07/11/1916; 29; Thiepval Memorial, France; 2 High Street; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of Thomas & Elizabeth, brother of Frank; Bexleyheath Observer 10 November 1916; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/kirby/; A baker.

KIRK, Randal; Private; 8716; 1st Btn. Coldstream Guards; DoW (POW); F&F; 27/09/1914; 29; Vendresse British Cemetery, France; Employed at Bexley Mental Hospital; Only son of Bruce & Cecilia Kirk; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born Hull. Resident Dartford.

KIRK, Walter Alfred; Corporal; 21418; 10th Btn. Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry; Died; F&F; 09/06/1918; 19; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of Mary Ann; MM. Born Greenwich. Enlisted Summercourt, Cornwall.

KIRKALDIE, Henry Thomas ; Guardsman ; 9023 ; 3rd Btn. Scots Guards ; Died ; Home ; 10/02/1919 ; 30 ; Deal Cemetery, Kent ; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup ; Son of David Fredrick & Caroline Kirkaldie of Deal ; Born Deal. A domestic servant (Knightsbridge) in 1911. Enlisted London.

KITHER, James Frederick W. (F. on Memorial); 2nd Lieutenant; No.62 Aerodrome (Dover) & General List, Royal Flying Corps; Killed; Home; 12/12/1917; 20; St James Cemetery; 18 Thanet Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial & Bexley Woods Memorial; Son of John Harry & Ellen Kither; Bexleyheath Observer 21 December 1917; http://Sussexhistoryforum.co.uk/index.php?topic=3866.0; Frederick. Boy Scout in Bexley.

KNAPP, Alfred; Private; 2045; 1st Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; DoW (at sea); Gallipoli; 04/07/1915; 21; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 58 to 72 or 218 to 219; 43 Jubilee Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Moses & Mary Knapp; Article in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Walworth. Regular soldier.

KNELL, Arthur Victor; Corporal; C/9550; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 15/11/1916; 22; Courcelles-au-Bois Communal Cemetery Extension, France; 10 Gladeswood Road, Belvedere. Worked at Price's Oil Works, Belvedere; Son of Florence Cheeseman of 50 Bayly Road, Dartford. Left a fiancée Miss Warren; Bexley Heath & District Times 1 December 1916; Born Tunbridge, enlisted Woolwich November 1915.

KNIGHT, Alfred Howard; Captain; 1st/ 5th (Cinque Ports) Btn. (Territorial), Royal Sussex Regiment; Died (self-inflicted); Home; 10/12/1915; 59; East Wickham (St Michael) Churchyard - Spec. Memorial Lessness Heath Camp; Husband of the late Luna Lizzie Knight; http://www.ewt.org.uk/memorial/knight/; Family owned the Knight's Castile soap company. A gentleman farmer.



KNIGHT, Harry Reuben; Lance Corporal; G/13441; "B" Coy. 13th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 20/05/1918; 25; Pernes British Cemetery, France - I. F. 6.; Born & Resident Belvedere. Paroma Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Richard & Alice Knight of Belvedere, Kent, husband of Florrie Knight of Moll View, Netherton, nr Huddersfield; https://huddersfield.exposed/archive/items/show/2213; Regular army. Previously a butcher's assistant.

KNIGHT, Herbert Oliver; Private; G/18505; 11th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/09/1917; 25; Hooge Crater Cemetery, Belgium - Sp. Mem B. 2.; Born Sidcup; Son of William Curtis & Ida C. Knight of 67 Loose Road, Maidstone; Enlisted Maidstone. A clerk.

KNIGHTS (born KNIGHT), Eustace; Gunner; 169904 (for 169994); Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 13/07/1917; 38; Brandhoek Military Cemetery, Belgium; 163 West Street, Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Sarah; Born Harpenden. A coffin maker.

KNOPP, Albert William; Private; L/11122; 4th Btn. City of London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 11/11/1914; 26; Ypres Menin Gate Memorial; 24 South Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of William & Eliza; Born Plumstead, enlisted Woolwich. (Formerly 34906, R.H.A.).

KNOTT, Ernest; Rifleman; C/9499; 8th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 21/03/1918; 22; Pozières Memorial, France; 4 Freta Terrace, Freta Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Janet; Bexley & District Times 17 May 1918 photo; In 1908 to USA as a Barnardo's Boy. School in Liverpool in 1911.

KURN, Joseph Ebenezer; Private; DM2/112140; 694th M.T. Coy. Army Service Corps; Died; India; 07/06/1916; 42; Delhi Memorial (India Gate), India - Face 23; Born Erith Willis Road; Son of Henry & Elizabeth. Married to Hannah, father of Joseph Gordon Kurn; Tram driver in Croydon.

LACY, William Charles; Sergeant; 203358; 4th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; Egypt; 04/11/1917; 32; Jerusalem Memorial; Resident Sidcup. Wife in Birkbeck Road Sidcup Methodist Church; Husband of Annie Lucy Lacy of Sidcup; A nurseryman. Enlisted Bromley.

LADBROOKE, Horace Stanley; Corporal; 207627; Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 27/09/1918; 22; Queant Road Cemetery, France; Born Belvedere. Family at 13 Pier Road, Erith. Attended Erith County School & Erith Grammar School pupil; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of James William & Florence; Erith Observer 11 October 1918; A works photographer (shipping agency, family business). Known to his comrades as 'Laddie'.

LAFBERY, Sydney Thomas; Private; 25186; 1st Btn. Cheshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 26/08/1918; 19; Vis-en-Artois British Cemetery, France - Rumaucourt German Cemetery, France Mem. 2.; Born Crayford. 20 Maxim Road, Crayford. Baptised at Christ Church, Bexleyheath; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Thomas Edward P. & Martha Catherine (parents moved to Leeds); http://www.stockport1914-1918.co.uk/l.php; Family employed in Crayford leather works. Resident Leeds. Enlisted Stockport.

LAIDLER, Ernest Andrew; Private; 28408; East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/09/1918; 27; Voormezeele Enclosure No.3, Belgium; 19 Bedford Road, Sidcup. Enlisted Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Congregational Church, Sidcup, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Andrew & Elizabeth Laidler of Sidcup, husband of Constance Laidler of Margate (Mar 1918); A plumber & decorator.



LAKE, William Oliver; Private; L/9016; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 29/06/1916; 26; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq; 42 Broadway; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Charlotte; Erith Observer 12 May 1916 photo; Born Stratford. Enlisted Woolwich. Regular army. In India in 1911. Previously a shop porter. Died as prisoner of war.

LANCASTER, Albert; Private; 282155; 5th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 26/08/1918; 20; Houchin British Cemetery, France; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Thomas William & Jane Lancaster of Leigh, Lancs.; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/archive/first-world-war-records/leigh-newspaper-extracts-1914-1918/188328-l19182p84jpg?; Resident Leigh, Lancs. Formerly 4017, Manchester Regt.

LANE, Alfred William; Lance Corporal; 12913; 3rd Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 03/05/1915; 30; Perth Cemetery (China Wall), Belgium - XIV. C. 34; 71 Abbey Grove, Abbey Wood; Son of Harry & Mary Ann Lane, brother of Harry Robert Lane; Born Stoke Newington. Regular Army.

LANE, Harry Robert; Private; 22791; Essex Regiment; Died; Home; 16/12/1919; 39; Plumstead Cemetery N228; 71 Abbey Grove, Abbey Wood; Son of Harry & Mary Ann Lane of 71 Abbey Grove, Abbey Wood, London, brother of Alfred William Lane; Born at Peckham. Served in the South African Campaign with the Royal West Kent Rgt.

LANE, Walter Frederick; Private; 240357; "A" Coy 1st/5th Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Home; 07/08/1919; 26; Newton St Loe (Holy Trinity) Churchyard, Somerset; Sidcup family. Halfway Street; Son of Frederick & Caroline Lane of Sidcup; Died at Bath War Hospital.

LANE, William Charles, Private; 18375; 16th Btn. Gloucestershire Regiment; Died; Home; 25/03/1917; 32; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - E. 264.; 12 Bedonwell Hill, Belvedere; Husband of Katherine Lane of Gloucester; Born & enlisted Gloucester. A fitter. Medically discharged September 1914.

LANGLER, John Bickford; Lieutenant; Royal Field Artillery; Died Home; 31/10/1918; 42; Greenwich Cemetery 3 "C." Z. 28; Sister at 44 Woolwich Road, Emma Melrose Pitcher; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of George & Elizabeth, husband of Sarah Langler of 1 Langdale Road, Greenwich, brother of Richard George Langler; Born Turkey. Regular army. MC. Served in the South African Campaign. Long Service & Good Conduct Medal.

LANGLER, Richard George; Driver; 47730; 132nd Bde. Royal Horse Artillery & Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 12/11/1914; 25; Menin Gate Memorial; Sister at 44 Woolwich Road, Emma Melrose Pitcher; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of George & Elizabeth, brother of John Bickford Langler; Born Barking, Essex. Regular army.

LANHAM, Ernest Albert; Private; 51369; Manchester Regiment; KiA; F&F; 07/09/1917; 35; Coxyde Military Cemetery, Belgium - III. G. 3; 3 Woods Cottages, Nelson Place, Sidcup; Husband of Annie Webb (formerly Lanham) of Sidcup; Born Suffolk. A farm worker.

LANSDELL, William; Rifleman; S/1448; 12th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 25/09/1915; 34; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium - Panel 10; Resident Erith. 15 Sutherland Road; Son of Charles & Elizabeth, brother of Charles, lodged with him in Erith; Born Tottenham. Enlisted Stockton-on-Tees. General labourer.

LAPSLIE, Joseph Henry C.; Private; 33290; 18th Btn. Lancs. Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 30/07/1916; 18; Thiepval Memorial, France; 2 Charleville Road, Northumberland Heath; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Anthony Hart & Grace A.; Born West Ham. Enlisted Woolwich.



LAPWOOD, George Stanley; Private; 43849; 14th Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 15/05/1918; 21; Englebelmer Communal Cemetery, France - IF1; Born & resident Bexleyheath. 24 Woolwich Road / 41 Crown Street; Son of Walter & Emma; Formerly 2208, Royal Fusiliers. A jobbing gardener.

LARKMAN, James; Corporal (L/SGT); Y/1472; 1st Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 20/04/1916; 34; Lievin Communal Cemetery Extension, France – IV.F.11; 24 Suffolk Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Husband of Catherine. 4 children; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC. Sidcup & District Times 5 May 1916, Bexley & District Times12 May 1916; Born Maidstone. Military Medal (posthumous): Killed by "friendly fire" in accident.

LARNER, George Harry; Private; G/63097; 7th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/08/1918; 19; Suzanne Military Cemetery No.3, France; Merton Court School pupil, Sidcup; Son of Donald Edgar Larner & Nellie Larner; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Son of an architect. Born Leek, Staffs. Enlisted London.

LATHAM, Harold Thomas; Private; 255203; 46th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 02/09/1918; 35; Dury Crucifix Cemetery, France - III. C. 1.; 63 Pembroke Road, Erith. (Married at Christ Church Erith, May 1917); Husband of Jessie A. Latham, of Erith (1917); http://www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/remembrance/memorials/canadian-virtual-war-memorial/detail/254168?Harold%20Thomas%20Latham; Born Brockley. To Canada 1912. Lived with sister.

LATIMER (-SEWELL), Ernest; Rifleman; R/15559; 11th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 27/08/1916; 23; Corbie Communal Cemetery Extension, France Plot 2. Row B. Grave 54; Born & baptised Sidcup (St John's). Family at Hatherley Crescent; Son of Edith & the late Albert Latimer-Sewell, of Streatham – n.b. full surname Latimer-Sewell; Enlisted Southwark. Resident Wandsworth. Stationery stores assistant.

LAVER, George William; Sergeant; 2446 - 1st/4th Btn. Somerset Light Infantry; KiA; Mesopotamia; 08/03/1916; 30; Basra Memorial, Iraq; Long Lane, Bexleyheath. Bexleyheath National School pupil; Son of Sarah Laver of Bexleyheath Isolation Hospital, Long Lane; Bexleyheath & District Times & Dartford Chronicle 7 April 1916; A farm worker in Wiltshire (family).

LAWRANCE, Thomas James; Gunner; 915263; "D" Bty. 317th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 08/11/1917; 19; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 4 to 6 & 162; 12 Battle Road, Erith / 8 Alfred Road, Chestnut Terrace. Enlisted Erith. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Belvedere War Memorial. Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Thomas George & Fanny Lawrance of Erith.

LAWRENCE, George Dennis; Trooper; 717; 3rd Australian Light Horse; Died; Australia; 06/08/1916; 26; Springvale Botanical Cemetery, Melbourne, Australia; Parents formerly of Finsbury Lodge, Hatherley Road; Son of Mr & Mrs G. Thomas Lawrence of Bournemouth; https://www.aif.adfa.edu.au/showPerson?pid=171924; Born Leicester. A clerk (tea trade) Died of pneumonia.

LAWRENCE, William; Leading Stoker; 297574; Royal Navy, HMS Hogue; KiA; At sea; 22/09/1914; 31; Chatham Naval Memorial; 14 Ivy Villas, Maypole Estate, Bexley. Worked at Bexley Mental Hospital; Son of John Lawrence, husband of Elizabeth Lawrence of Bexley; Rejoined the Naval Reserve 3 August 1914 - reported missing from HMS Hogue. Widow asked Admiralty for information for pension.



LAWRIE, John Charles; Major; 3rd Btn. Essex Regiment; Died; Home; 07/05/1915; 56; Dovercourt (All Saints) Churchyard, Essex; Vale Mascal, North Cray. Baptised at St James North Cray; Son of the late Major John Lawrie & Mary Adelaide Katherine Lawrie of Mount Mascal North Cray, husband of Beatrice Emma & subsequently of Mary Adelaide Catherine; http://tonbridgeatwar.daisy.websds.net/Authenticated/ViewDets.aspx?RecID=221&TableName=ta-factfile; Tonbridge School. A tea planter in Ceylon. Served in South African War. Died of influenza at the Harwich Garrison, while serving as Acting Major.

LAWSON, Robert Stevenson; Private; 6399; 2nd Btn. Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders; KiA; F&F; 12/07/1916; 24; Cambrin Military Cemetery; Elm Cottage, Bedonwell Hill, Belvedere. Married at All Saints Belvedere 1915; Belvedere War Memorial; Husband of Rosina King (formerly Lawson) of Belvedere, 1 daughter; Born Glasgow. A stone mason.

LE DIEU, Henry Frederick; Private; 225700; 1st Btn. London. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 26/10/1917; 39; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Resident West Street & married at Christ Church Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry William & Phillis Adelphia, husband of Lydia (1915); Born Chelsea. Enlisted St Paul's Churchyard. A packer. (See surname **LE DIEN** for Bexley records).

LEDGER, Percy Edward; Sergeant; 276521; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 18/09/1917; 39; Menin Road South Military Cemetery; Resident Welling; Son of William & Elizabeth, husband of Barbara; Born St Georges, Bermuda. Professional soldier. Enlisted Woolwich.

LEDWITH, William David; Private; 5066; 7th Btn. London Regiment; DoW; F&F; 02/10/1916; 20; St Sever Cemetery, France - B. 22. 1.; 87 Brook Street, North Heath, Erith; Son of George Albinus & Eliza Ledwith of Erith; Resident Hoxton. Enlisted Shoreditch.

LEE, Benjamin; Rifleman; S/27202; 16th Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 31/07/1917; 24; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial Panel 46 - 48 & 50; 69 Harrow Manorway, Abbey Wood; Son of Solomon & Mariah Lee of Abbey Wood, husband of Gentelar Lee of Abbey Wood; Enlisted Woolwich. A labourer.

LEE, G. Leonard; Private; 7755; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 30; Loos Memorial, France; Played football for Dartford, & Crayford United FC. Employed at Waterside, Crayford; (Also known as Shamus Humphreys); Son of Emma Lee; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Had previously served in South African wars.

LEE, Walter; Private; 49961; 10th Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 10/04/1918; 19; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 75 to 77; East Road, Belvedere; Son of Ellen Lee of Belvedere; Born Chatham. Enlisted Woolwich.

LEECH (**LEACH** in newspapers), Henry Frederick; Corporal; MT/08040; Royal Army Service Corps; Died; F&F; 25/01/1915; 32; Bethune Town Cemetery, France; Born Erith. 57 Abbey Villas, Belvedere; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Frederick W. & Emily; Erith Times 2 July 1915 photo; Born Frederick Harry, Erith 1883.

LEGG, Albert Edward; Private; 75507; 4th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 22/08/1918; 24; Bucquoy Road Cemetery, France - VI. L. 30; Resident Erith. Married at St John's Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of the late Henry Harry, married Gertrude May of Belvedere 1917; Born Kensal Green.

LEGG, William Henry; Corporal; 4922; 2nd Btn. Essex Regiment; Died; Home; 29/01/1916; 35; Kensal Green (All Souls') Cemetery, London - 213. 9. 11. (Screen Wall.); Born Erith (Baptised at Christ Church Erith); Son of Richard Thomas & Lucy Legg; Enlisted Woolwich.



LEMAR (LE MAR), Walter Henry; Private; T/242804; 5th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; Mesopotamia; 24/02/1917; 23; Amara War Cemetery, Iraq - XXIX. B. 105/116; Resident Crayford. Stoneham Cottages, Sawmills, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford Son of Walter Henry & Elizabeth Anne; Bexleyheath Observer 16 March 1917, Sidcup & District Times 23 March 1917; Born Faversham. Enlisted Dartford. Previously worked at Norris' brickfield Erith.

LEMOINE, Dieudonne ; Pioneer ; 484032 ; 23rd Div. Signal Coy. Royal Engineers ; KiA ; F&F ; 10/10/1917 ; 23 ; Birr Cross Roads Cemetery, Belgium ; Born Belvedere. From a Belgian family in Belvedere 1901 - Lower Grove Road, Belvedere ; Son of Etienne & May Lemoine ; Enlisted Leeds. An engineer's fitter apprentice.

LENNARD, Christopher Norman; Sergeant; 1030384; 236th Btn. Canadian Infantry; Died; Canada; 11/11/1917; 35; Halifax (Fort Massey) Cemetery, Canada - S. E. G. 23.; Family in Erith, Arthur Road; Son of the Rev. E. Deaton & Ethel M. Lennard of Erith. (Methodist Minister); http://www.canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ld=67334; Born Redcar, Yorkshire, emigrated 1911. A preacher & newspaperman.

LENNOX, Gordon Jack; Private; 1656; 1st Field Amb. Royal Army Medical Corps; KiA; F&F; 12/12/1916; 22; Bazentin-Le-Petit Military Cemetery, France; Glenbrook, Essenden Road, Belvedere / 36 Gertrude Road, Belvedere ; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Walter Joseph & Lily Kate; Bexleyheath Observer 23 February 1917; An office boy. Born Plumstead, enlisted Woolwich.

LEWIN, Harry Frank; Private; G/19130; 7th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 30; Arras Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath; Son of Moses & Clarrisar Lewin of 1 Loughton, Essex, husband of Ethel May Lewin of Leyton; Enlisted Leyton. A printer.

LEWIS, David Edward; Private; G/4673; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 06/05/1915; 30; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 45 & 47; Brickfield Cottages, Iron Mill Lane, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Harry & Esther E., married Alice 1908; Born Chilham, Kent.

LEWIS, Ernest Thomas; Rifleman; 318295; 1st Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); KiA; F&F; 28/03/1918; Arras Memorial, France; Resident Belvedere. Enlisted Bexleyheath; NoK: Mary A.; Formerly 4797, 21st London Regt.

LEWIS, Fred George; Lieutenant; Royal Naval Reserve, HMS Clan McNaughton; Drowned; At sea; 03/02/1915; 26; Chatham Naval Memorial; 3 Lower Park Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of George & Mary Ann Lewis; Bexleyheath Observer 12 February 1915; Held Master's Certificate in Mercantile Marine. Specially commended for safe navigation of Prize Vessels.

LEWIS, George ; Company Sergeant Major ; 27101 ; 17th Btn. Sherwood Foresters (Notts & Derby Regiment) ; KiA ; F&F ; 03/09/1916 ; 21 ; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 10 C 10 D & 11 A ; Born Erith 45 Manor Road, baptised at Christ Church ; Son of Alfred Frederick & Mary Beatrice Lewis ; Employed at Dartford Workhouse (1911).

LEWIS, Lee; Private; 71080; 24th Coy. Machine Gun Corps; DoW; F&F; 12/08/1917; 21; Brandhoek New Military Cemetery, Belgium - V. E. 17.; Resident Erith; Son of Lee & Matilda Born Sawbridgeworth, Herts. DCM.

LIBBY, Thomas; Electrical Artificer 1st Class; 344887(CH); Royal Navy, HMS Cyclops; Died; Home; 03/11/1915; 36; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - J. A. 131.; Vailima, Park Crescent, Erith; Son of Thomas Mark & Ellen Libby, husband of Florence Annie Libby; "Died of intestinal obstruction".



LIDINGTON, Norman Herbert; 2nd Lieutenant; 1st Btn. Northants Regiment attached 11th Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 20; Thiepval Memorial, France; Homeleigh, Parkhurst Road, Bexley / Hansol Road Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, Bexley Woods Memorial; Son of Herbert Ernest & Una Isabel Lidington; Erith Observer 29 September 1916 photo; Boy Scout in Bexley.

LILBURN, Henry; Bombardier; 915637; Royal Horse Artillery & Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 08/11/1917; 32; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Enlisted Erith; Son of Joseph & Catherine, husband of Ada (Father of Henry & Ada); Born & resident Deptford. A hawker.

LINDLEY, James Ferrah; Lance Corporal; 1070; 6th Btn. Leinster Regiment; KiA; Gallipoli; 14/08/1915; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 184 & 185; Alers Lodge, Alers Road, Bexleyheath; Son of George Dilnot Lindley & Margaret Scott Lindley; Born Plumstead (Bannockburn School). In 1911 a draper's assistant in Paddington before joining army.

LING, Alfred Elija; Sergeant; 11237; 2nd Btn. South Wales Borderers; KiA; F&F; 13/10/1918; 21; Dadizeele New British Cemetery, Belgium - VI. F. 2.; 28 Alma Road, Sidcup; Son of George Ling of Sidcup & the late Sarah Plumb; Born & enlisted Willesden.

LINTHORN (LINTHORNE), Bertram Charles; Private; 5774; 3rd Btn. Somerset Light Infantry; Drowned; At sea; 04/05/1917; 35; Savona Memorial, Italy; 22 Barnehurst Avenue, North Heath; Son of Jon Alfred & Alice; Bexleyheath Observer 8 June 1917; Born Somerset. Farm worker. Drowned in torpedoed hospital / troop ship SS Transylvania.

LITCHFIELD, Albert Edward; Corporal; 5768; 2nd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 12/01/1915; 28; Canadian Cemetery No.2, Neuville-St Vaast, France - 12. A. 12.; Resident Belvedere. 26 Hengist Road Northumberland Heath. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Emmanuel Church, Sidcup. Callender's War Memorial, Erith, St Paul's Church Northumberland Heath Memorial Tablet; Son of Charles Henry & Emma Litchfield, brother of Annie E. Inkpen of Northumberland Heath; Bexleyheath Observer 25 June 1915, Sidcup & District Times 5 March 1915 photo; Born Tempsford, Beds. Enlisted Watford.

LITSON, Charles; Private; CH/17688; Royal Marines Light Infantry, HMS Cressy; KiA; At sea; 22/09/1914; 18; Chatham Naval Memorial – Panel 7; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Reported in Sidcup Homes School Magazine; Born Greenwich. Woolwich Workhouse in 190. In 1911 Greenwich & Deptford Children's Homes Workhouse, Halfway Street, Lamorbey, Sidcup.

LLOYD, George; Rifleman; 3254; 1st/7th Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own) Leeds Rifles; KiA; F&F; 10/05/1915; Aubers Ridge British Cemetery, France - V. C. 20; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Reported in Sidcup Homes School Magazine; Resident Deptford. Enlisted Leeds.

LLOYD, Henry; Private; 42009; 7th Btn. Norfolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/09/1918; 20; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France - Panel 4; Born Erith; Son of Henry; Enlisted Camberwell.

LLOYD, Valentice (sic) / Valentine; Lieutenant; 3rd Btn. Leicestershire Regiment (attached to 11th); KiA; F&F; 23/10/1918; 23; Vendegies-au-Bois British Cemetery, France; 24 Parkview Road, Welling. Family owned Lloyd & Sons of Erith; East Wickham War Memorial & Bexley Woods Memorial, Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William George & Melinda; Bexley & District Times 8 & 15 November 1918 photo; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/lloyd/; MC. Boy Scout in Bexley.



LOCK, Thomas; Private; 683712; 22nd Btn. London Regiment; DoW; Egypt; 07/11/1917; 28; Beersheba War Cemetery, Israel; Born & resident Belvedere - 9 William Street. Baptised at All Saints; Son of Alexander & Jemima; Enlisted Canning Town.

LONDY, Frederick W.; Sapper; 103623; Royal Engineers; Died; Home; 18/06/1919; 25; Basingstoke (Worting Road) Cemetery; 21 Bethel Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Joseph & Eliza; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/londy/; Born Bloomsbury. A telephone engineer. Served in East Africa, contracted malaria. Died in Basingstoke Cottage Hospital.

LORING, William; Captain; 2nd Scottish Horse; DoW; Gallipoli; 24/10/1915; 50; Helles Memorial, Turkey; Loring Hall is named in his honour; Husband of Mary Theodosia, 1 son, John Henry Loring; Warden of Goldsmith's College. Resident Blackheath. DCM.

LOVELOCK, George Wilfred Hatton; Rifleman; S/27052; 11th Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; Home; 03/06/1919; 36; Chislehurst Cemetery; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of George & Esther Lovelock of Stratford, husband of Emma Elizabeth Lovelock of Leyton; http://ww1remembrance.blogspot.co.uk/2010/06/s27052-rfm-george-w-h-lovelock-11th-bn.html; A carman. Born West Ham. Enlisted Leyton.

LOWE, Edward Frank; Private; 54085; Machine Gun Corps; DoW; F&F; 03/08/1917; 36; Monchy British Cemetery, France; 85 Standard Road. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Clement & Sarah, husband of Elizabeth; Bexley & District Times 6 July & 31 August 1917; A house painter & decorator.

LOWTHER, Harry; Acting Bombardier; 915256; Royal Horse Artillery & Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 08/11/1917; 19; Duhallow A.D.S. Cemetery, Belgium; Resident 7 Orchard Road, Belvedere. Enlisted Erith; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Arthur & Sophia; Born Plumstead. An errand boy.

LUCK, Edward; Private; G/160; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); DoW; F&F; 14/09/1917; 20; Faubourg d'Amiens Cemetery, France; 64 Alexandra Road, Erith. Enlisted Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of George Thomas & Alice Louise; http://www.ww1cemeteries.com/faubourg--damiens-cemetery.html; A labourer.

LUDLOW, Herbert Leonard Ernest; Private; 24202; 2nd Btn. Grenadier Guards; KiA; F&F; 25/09/1916; 19; Guards' Cemetery, Lesboeufs, France; Erith Grammar School pupil; Son of Arthur & Florence Mary of Greenhithe; Born Sutton at Hone, Kent. Resident Dartford.

LUDLOW, Stanley; Private; 26434; 12th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/03/1918; 19; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 6; Born Bexleyheath; Son of Arthur & Elizabeth; Resident Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich.

LUKER, Alfred; Private; 963; 1st Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 09/09/1914; 33; La Ferte-Sous-Jouarre Memorial, France; Employed at Bexley Mental Hospital; Son of Ebenezer Luker of Wymondham, Norfolk; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born Chiswick. A Norfolk farm worker. Resident Dartford while working at Bexley Hospital. Army service in India (1908).

LUMLEY, Henry Ralph; 2nd Lieutenant; Royal Flying Corps; Died; Home; 11/03/1918; 25; Hampstead Cemetery, London; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup. (Staff attended his funeral at Hampstead); Son of Ralph Robert & Florence Wood Lumley of Earl's Court, London; http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=24643194; Seriously injured in air accident. Transferred to Queen's Hospital September 1917. One of the first patients to be treated by skin grafts. Died of heart failure.



LUTTMAN, Charles; Bombardier; 191736; "Y" Anti-Aircraft Bty., Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 29/10/1918; 32; Ramillies British Cemetery, France Grave Reference/ Panel D. 26.; 3 Holly Park Cottages Corbylands Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of George & Maria, husband of Elizabeth Annie (1914); Born Warwickshire. Resident of Eltham. Enlisted Woolwich. A porter at Well Hall Station.

LYFORD, William Edward; Gunner; 210787; "A" Bty. 95th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 06/04/1918; 20; Hedauville Communal Cemetery Extension, France - G. 13.; Born Belvedere, 4 High View; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William & Caroline; Enlisted Woolwich.

LYFORD, William Herbert; Rifleman; S/25394; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 145 to 147; Resident Erith; Son of Frederick & Elizabeth; Born Langley, Berks. Enlisted Woolwich.

LYLE, Alan John; Pioneer; 227347; 62nd Signal Coy., Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 29/11/1917; 18; Cambrai Memorial, France; 1911: Family at Springdale, 2 New Church Road, Bexleyheath. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Josiah & Ruth Lyle; Born Norfolk. Resident Camberwell. Father was Sergeant Major in Royal Artillery at Woolwich.

MACKENZIE, Ernest George; Gunner; 59947; Royal Garrison Artillery; Died; Home; 08/12/1918; 38; Bexleyheath Cemetery; 2 Mount Cottages, Paddock Road, Bexleyheath / 24 Erith Road; Husband of Mabel Louisa (1901); A fitter's mate at Erith Oil Works. Discharged from Army May 1917 "being no longer physically fit for war service".

MACKRILL, Frederick Luke; Private; L/7189; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 26/10/1915; 19; Hooge Crater Cemetery, Belgium - III. G. 9.; Born & resident Erith - 22 Colebrook Street, Erith / 6 Wheatley Terrace Road Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Edward J & Mary. (Father was a waterman); Bexleyheath Observer 10 December 1915; In 1911 a shop assistant of 6 Wheatley Terrace Erith. Enlisted Woolwich.

MAHY, Henry; Rifleman; 302954; 1st/5th Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 34; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; Sidcup family. Bakers Shop, Sidcup Hill; Son of the late Henry P. Mahy of Sidcup, husband of Elsie M. Mahy (nee Blicq), of Brock Road, Guernsey; Enlisted Richmond, Surrey. A clerk.

MALCHER, William Dennis; Leading Stoker; 311779; Royal Navy, HMS Formidable; KiA; At sea; 01/01/1915; 26; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 11; 13 Gladeswood Road, Belvedere; Husband of Grace Dorothy Bishop (formerly Malcher); Awarded Messina Medal.

MALCOLM, George (J.G. on CWGC); Company Quartermaster Sergeant; 11818; 1st Btn. Grenadier Guards; KiA; F&F; 20/12/1914; 31; Le Trou Aid Post Cemetery, France; 2 St Francis Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George & Euphemia, husband of Edith; Bexleyheath Observer 10 May 1918; Enlisted Cardiff. A labourer before enlisting.

MALCOLM, Henry Joseph; Rifleman; S/29698; 12th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); DoW; F&F; 10/09/1917; 19; Bard Cottage Cemetery, Belgium -IV. G. 20; Born Bexley - 3 Smith's Cottages; Son of Eleanor Malcolm; Resident Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich.

MALLETT, The Rev. Cecil Alfred; Captain; 70779; New Zealand Chaplains' Department; Died; F&F; 30/09/1918; 37; Etaples Military Cemetery, France - XLVIII. A. 2.; 60 Bexley Lane, Crayford; Son of Alfred Sidney & Emma Ann Mallett, husband of May Mallett of Crayford; http://www.forustheyfell.org.nz/soldier/mallett-the-rev-cecil-alfred/; A padre. Died in fire at hospital.



MALLETT, Thomas; Driver; T2/14960; 8th Div. Army Service Corps; Died; F&F; 16/02/1915; 41; Le Touret Memorial, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Husband of Julia Mallet (1903); Resident & enlisted Deptford. In 1911 a bottle dealer. "Accidentally drowned - River Lys".

MANN, William; Rifleman; S/31279; 9th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 24/03/1918; 19; Pozières Memorial, France; 22 Lion Road. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Joseph Thomas & Fannie Helen; Son of a blacksmith/farrier.

MANNING, Cyril Harold; Rifleman; Z/2773; 13th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 10/07/1916; 17; Thiepval Memorial, France; Blaxland Villas, Belle Grove; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Walter & Mary E.; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/manning/; Born Holborn. A waiter. Enlisted aged 15.

MANSON, Edward J.; Private; 147 52nd (Lowland) Div. Cyclist Coy attd. 1st/6th Btn. Highland Light Infantry. Army Cyclist Corps; KiA; Gallipoli; 21/12/1915; 27; Lancashire Landing Cemetery, Turkey - J 8; Born at Crayford; Son of Edward John & Henrietta Manson of Glasgow. (Father, a nautical instrument maker worked at Woolwich); Scottish family, living in Crayford. Enlisted Glasgow.

MANTELL, Alfred; Lance Sergeant; 13145; Middlesex Regiment; Died; Home; 11/12/1919; 27; Hove Old Cemetery E. 172.; 5 West View, Railway Road, Abbey Wood; Son of William & Fanny Mantell of Abbey Wood; Regular soldier.

MARRIOTT, Alfred; Sergeant; 9729; 2nd Btn. Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders; KiA; F&F; 24/04/1917; 30; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; Resident 21 Ripley Road, Belvedere, Kent; Husband of F. Perry (formerly Marriott) of Belvedere; Born Rothesay, Scotland. Regular army.

MARRIOTT, Harold; Gunner; 801281; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 28/10/1918; 21; Grimsby (Scartho Road) Cemetery, Lincs.; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of David & Rosina Marriott of Grimsby; Born & enlisted Grimsby. In 1911 an errand boy.

MARSDEN, Albert Marmaduke; Private; G/11909; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 25; Arras Memorial, France; Resident Welling - 1 Colston Orchard, Welling; Husband of Alice, father of Wilfred Marmaduke & Cyril Albert Marmaduke. (Married in Tonbridge, 1916); http://www.tonbridgehistory.org.uk/people/ww1-obits-3.htm; Born Bexhill, Sussex. In 1911 census a gentleman's servant in Tonbridge. Enlisted Tonbridge.

MARSH, Arthur Edmund; Engine Room Artificer 4th Class; M/3940; Royal Navy, HMS Pathfinder; KiA; At sea; 05/09/1914; 22; Chatham Naval Memorial; 17 Crescent Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Samuel & Mary Ann, married to Jane E. Lucas (1912); Arthur Edward. Ship torpedoed.

MARSH, Arthur Ernest; Private; STK/1613; 10th Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment); KiA; F&F; 10/04/1917; 27; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 3; Born Bexleyheath; Son of Frederick; Resident Romford. Enlisted St Paul's London.

MARSH, Edmund Charles Harry ("Ted"); Private; 52447; 2nd Btn. Auckland Regiment, N.Z.E.F.; DoW; F&F; 02/09/1918; 30; Bagneux British Cemetery, France - V. E. 30; 52 Bourne Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Walter & Elizabeth Marsh, husband of Gertrude K. Marsh of Auckland, New Zealand; http://www.auckl&museum.com/war-memorial/online-cenotaph/record/C10369; Born Hackney. To New Zealand 1909. A labourer/merchant seaman.

MARSH, Sydney Charles; Private; 23090; 3rd Btn. Grenadier Guards; DoW; F&F; 17/01/1917; 20; Grove Town Cemetery, France - II. L. 29.; 4 Crayford Way, Crayford; Son of William & Mabel Marsh of Crayford; Born Waltham Cross, Herts.



MARSHALL, Henry Ernest; Driver; 9528; "C" Bty. 71st Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 04/11/1915; 36; Lillers Communal Cemetery, France - IV. D. 35; 8 Watling Street, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial; Married to Bertha E. Drayton 1914; Born Christchurch, New Zealand.

MARSHALL, Henry John; Private; L/6851; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 14/05/1916; 31; Essex Farm Cemetery, Belgium; 63 Cray Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Osborne & Frances, married Annie Box (1913); Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC, Bexley & District Times 16 June 1916; Born Barming, near Maidstone. Army reservist.

MARSHALL, Walter Ernest; Private; 252461; 3rd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 16/06/1917; 22; Arras Memorial, France; 305 Broadway. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Alfred & Emma Elizabeth, brother of William James; Bexley & District Times 3 May 1918; Both brothers, sons of publican, both barmen (Plume & feathers).

MARSHALL, William Henry; Rifleman; 11453; 2nd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 09/05/1915; 19; Le Touret Memorial, France; 3A Colebrook Street, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of the late William Henry, engaged to Hetty St Clair; Erith Times article & photo 4 June 1915; Born Canning Town. Enlisted Woolwich.

MARSHALL, William James; Rifleman; A/203380; 13th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 23/08/1918; 25; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; Born & enlisted Bexleyheath. 8 Smiths Cottages (305 Broadway); Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Alfred & Emma Elizabeth, brother of Walter Ernest; Both brothers, sons of publican, both barmen (Plume & feathers).

MARSHAM-TOWNSHEND, Ferdinand; 2nd Lieutenant; attd. 2nd Btn. Scots Guards; KiA; F&F; 16/05/1915; 35; Guards Cemetery, Windy Corner, Cuinchy, France - IV. K. 20; Family owners of Frognal House, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; 2nd Son of the late The Hon. Robert & Clara C. Marsham-Townshend of 5 Chesterfield Street, Mayfair, London; Bexley & District Times 28 May 1915. Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; "Ferdy". Educated at Eton & Oxford. A motoring enthusiast, he owned Western Motor Works in Perry Street. Frognal House later became Queen's Hospital.

MARTIN, Alfred Arthur; Sergeant; 5918; 10th Btn. Highland Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 12/11/1915; 31; Ypres Reservoir Cemetery?; Resident Sidcup? Family at 4 Back Road Foots Cray in 1901; Son of James & Eliza Martin of Orpington, husband of Caroline Esther Martin of Whitechapel; Sidcup Times 28 February 1919 list; http://www.btphg.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2011/11/BTPHG-Amended-Roll-of-Honour-Mar-2015-RS-R-ET.pdf; Son of a chimney sweep. Born Orpington. Railway engineer / railway police.

MARTIN, Algernon; 2nd Lieutenant; 70th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 30/07/1918; 32; Buzancy Military Cemetery, France Grave Reference/ Panel Number: III. F. 8.; 136 Main Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Mrs. L. Martin of Sidcup, husband of Sybilla Atha Martin (married in S Africa); Bexleyheath Observer 23 August 1918; https://chichesterinthegreatwar.files.wordpress.com/2016/09/lieutenant-algernon-martin-by-nicholas-shaw.pdf

MARTIN, Cecil Mark; Private; 201341; 1st/5th Btn. Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders; KiA; Egypt; 10/11/1917; 21; Gaza War Cemetery, Israel; 18 Gipsy Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Mark Le Grys & Mary Hannah, brother of Leslie; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/martin-2/; Born Peckham. Boy scout in Welling. A clerk.



MARTIN, Eric StanleyCorporal; 2258; 12th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; Died; Home; 19/10/1917; 25; Brookwood Military Cemetery, Surrey; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Leslie Dublesse Martin & Amy Gertrude Martin of Hagley, Tasmania; http://tasmanianwarcasualties.com/War%20Casualties/WW1/Notes/Surnames%20M/Martin,%20Eric%20Stanley.htm; A clerk.

MARTIN, Harold William; Rifleman; 394587; 9th Btn. London Regiment(Queen Victoria's Rifles); KiA; F&F; 04/09/1918; 19; Wulverghem-Lindenhoek Road Military Cemetery, Belgium; 4 Brunswick Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial; Son of Charles David & Elizabeth Ann; http://www.ww1cemeteries.com/wulverghem-lindenhoek-road-military-cemetery.html; Enlisted Woolwich.

MARTIN, Henry Christopher (Chris); Private; TF/2591; 2/4th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; Gallipoli; 17/09/1915; 29; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 155; Chislehurst resident, family in Sidcup, 43 High Street & Bexleyheath; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Arthur & Jessie Selina Martin of 27 Whitfield Street, Fitzroy Square, London; Sidcup & District Times 24 September 1915 photo; Family originally ran furniture business in Chislehurst & Sidcup. Enlisted Bromley.

MARTIN, Herbert; Acting Bombardier; 42354; 2nd Bde. Canadian Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 18/08/1918; 28; Bouchoir New British Cemetery, France; Employed in Crayford Tanyard; Son of Mr & Mrs Martin of Overy Street, Dartford; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident Dartford, Emigrated to Canada 1912. A general labourer.

MARTIN, John (Jack); Private; L/7875; 1st Btn. Queens Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/10/1914; 27; Le Touret Memorial, France Panel 30 & 31; 19 Abbey Grove, Abbey Wood / 3 Elm Place, Sidcup; Son of John & Alice Martin of Abbey Wood / Sidcup; Sidcup Times 28 February 1919 list; Enlisted New Cross.

MARTIN, John; Private; G/12530; 7th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 10/04/1917; 34; Duisans British Cemetery, France - I. L. 10; Gidds Pond, Bexley; Son of the late Richard & Caroline Martin, husband of Annie Martin; Born Yalding. Enlisted Maidstone.

MARTIN, L. M. (in fact Leslie, no middle name); Private; 29579; 46th Training Reserve Battalion; Died; Home; 25/12/1917; 18; East Wickham (St Michael) Graveyard; 18 Gipsy Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Mark Le Grys & Mary Hannah, brother of Cecil; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/martin-3/; Born Peckham. Died, tuberculosis, at home.

MARTIN, Percival James; Private; 26722; 7th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 28/04/1917; 36; Aubigny Communal Cemetery Extension, France - II. G. 39.; 38 Victoria Street, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of James Martin of Belvedere; Born Dartford. Resident Kilburn, worked for London County Council Parks Department.

MARTIN, Richard W.; Sergeant; 462; 7th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 22; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 65 to 67; Born Bexleyheath, resident Sidcup - 24 Lincoln Road. Scoutmaster in Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Foots Cray Memorial (as W. MARTIN); Son of Richard & Bertha Martin; Bexley & District Times 12 November 1915 photo, article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A scoutmaster in Sidcup. Shop manager.

MARTIN, Tom; Leading Stoker; K/7009; Royal Navy, HMS Cornwallis; KiA; At sea; 09/01/1917; 28; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 23; 33 North End Road, Erith; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Thomas & Eliza Elizabeth; Born Sittingbourne (RN source). A general labourer. Joined Navy June 1910. Ship torpedoed by U-Boat off Malta.



MARTIN, Thomas Arthur; Rifleman; R/39591; 1st Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; Died; F&F; 23/03/1918; 30; Fins New British Cemetery, France; 26 Woolwich Road / 16 Victoria Cottages, Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial, Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Moses B. & Phoebe, married Ada Elizabeth 1909, 1 daughter; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/martin/; Worked at Woolwich Arsenal, also as a carman.

MARTIN, Walter; Rifleman; 3829, later 556869; 16th Btn. London Regiment (Queen's Westminster Rifles); DoW; F&F; 23/06/1918; 29; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France - Q. II. J. 7.; Resident Welling; Son of Edward & Emma Henrietta; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/martin-4/; Born Brighton. A bookkeeper for florist & fruiterer.

MARTIN, William Amos; Rifleman; S/23962; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 31/07/1918; 43; Villers Station Cemetery, France; 18 Jubilee Road, Foots Cray Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Husband of Lilian Kate Martin of Portsmouth, stepfather of George Wenham; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Native of Hastings. Enlisted Woolwich. A florist.

MASON, James Charles; Gunner; 147010; "B" Bty. 98th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; Salonika; 01/02/1918; 23; Karasouli Military Cemetery; 9 Paroma Road Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Brother of Fred T. Mason of Belvedere (Shop 1911 census); Erith Observer 7 March 1918; Born Charlton. In 1911 a book staff assistant at W.H. Smiths, Belvedere.

MATHIAS, Ernest; Private; 41360; 9th Btn. Norfolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/04/1918; 27; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium Panel 34 to 35 & 162A; 41 Overton Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Alfred & Hanna Mathias, husband of Edith Mathias of Abbey Wood; Born Nottinghamshire, enlisted Mansfield. Mine worker.

MATTHEWS, Alfred; Private; 84092; Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 25/09/1917; 19; Bedford House Cemetery, Belgium; Born Belvedere. Lower Road, Belvedere. Father a brickfield worker; Son of Sophia & the late Edwin Matthews; http://www.inmemories.com/Cemeteries/bedfordhouse.htm Resident Fulham; A boot repairer.

MATTHEWS, Frank Thomas; Private; CH/12178; Royal Marines Light Infantry, HMS Hawke; KiA; At sea; 15/10/1914; 32; Chatham Naval Memorial, Panel 7; Resident Bexleyheath; Son of Joseph George & Martha Matthews of Bexleyheath, husband of Mary Matthews of Chatham; Bexleyheath Observer 16 April 1915; HMS Hawke torpedoed by German submarine, North Sea.

MATTHEWS, Harry; Private; 22662; 8th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 14/07/1917; 26; Railway Dugouts Burial Ground (Transport Farm), Belgium Sp. Mem. E. 17.; 6 Knee Hill, Abbey Wood; Son of Thomas & Ellen Matthews; Born Southwark, enlisted Camberwell.

MAXIM, William Francis; Private; G/17311; Depot, The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); Died; Home; 05/09/1917; 35; Gravesend Cemetery, Kent - Screen Wall. 5281.; 16 Battle Road, Erith; Son of James & Susan Maxim of Hornchurch, Essex, husband of Ethel Lizzie Maxim of Erith; Resident Gravesend. A labourer, died at General Military Hospital Edmonton.

MAY, Arthur; Gunner; 46805; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 20/05/1917; 28; Fosse No.10, Communal Cemetery Extension, France; 13 Hazel Road, Slade Green; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of Ellen (remarried J. Parker 1900); Enlisted Deptford.

MAY, Ernest; Private; 3894; 15th (The Kings) Hussars, Household Cavalry; Died; Home; 03/06/1915; 35; Dartford East Hill Cemetery – 3643; Born Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of James & Elizabeth May of 47 Cedar Road, Dartford; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Regular army. Invalided home due to kidney disease, died at Woolwich Hospital.



MAY, Frederick Charles; Lance Corporal; 8900; 1st Btn. Bedfordshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/12/1914; 27; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium Panel 31 & 33; 2 Pretoria Cottages, Foots Cray, Sidcup; St James North Cray Memorial; Husband of Edith C. May; Sidcup & District Times 19 March 1915 photo; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Born Dartford. Enlisted Woolwich.

MAY, John 'Jack' Thomas; Sergeant; 159690; 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles Battalion; KiA; F&F; 19/12/1916; 23; Louez Military Cemetery, France; May Terrace, May Place Road Bexleyheath. Worked at Fraser & Chalmers of Erith & later Pincott Laundry Bexleyheath.; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of George & Annora; Erith Observer Friday 9 February 1917; Born Canning Town. A machinist. Family emigrated to Canada 1912. Father worked at Bexley Council. An international boxing champion.

MAY, Timothy William; Private; 2914; 20th Btn. County of London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/10/1915; 21; Loos Memorial, France; 25 Riverdale Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Alfred & Harriett; In 1911 census "A garden & house boy". Resident & enlisted Blackheath.

MAYNARD, John Sidney; Rifleman; R/5193; 2nd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 10/07/1917; 18; Nieuport Memorial, Belgium; We Anchor in Hope Public House, Welling; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Frank & Clara Matilda; Born Sutton, enlisted Lambeth.

MAYNARD, Sidney Albert; Lance Corporal; 8244; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/08/1917; 24; Roclincourt Military Cemetery, France Grave Reference/Panel Number: III. D. 5.; Native of Sidcup. 60 Clarence Crescent Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of George & Emmeline Ellen Maynard of 4 Hill View Terrace Sidmouth, Devon; Enlisted Newton Abbott, Devon. An ironmongery apprentice.

McCARTHY, Eugene; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Eugene McCARTY

McCarthy, Harry J.; Private; 14889; 2nd Btn. Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry; DoW; Home; 06/04/1915; 21; Sevenoaks (Greatness Park) Cemetery; Worked at Erith Railway Station; Son of John Richard McCarthy & Sarah Ellen; https://sevenoaksww1.org/tag/living-memory/; Born & resident Sevenoaks. (Son of railway worker). Enlisted Woolwich.

McCarthy, John; Lance Corporal; 5th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 26/04/1918; 27; Loos Memorial, France, Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Edward & Margaret McCarthy of Leigh, Lancs.; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58845-john-mccarthy; Resident Leigh, Lancs.

McDONALD, Edward Sattin Alexander; Bombardier; 915296; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 10/11/1918; 24; Exeter Higher Cemetery, Exeter, Devon; Enlisted Erith; Son of Alexander & Beatrice M.F. McDonald of Brighton; Resident Chelsea.

McDONALD, Sydney Leonard; Fireman; 835225; Mercantile Marine Reserve, HMS Vindex; Died; Home; 13/12/1917; 25; Morden Cemetery - Screen Wall. N. 310.; 35 Crumpsall Street, Abbey Wood. Born at Bexleyheath; Son of Charles McDonald of Abbey Wood; Served on HMS Vindex, a seaplane carrier in the North Sea.

McDOUGALL, Edward Cecil; Rifleman; 551189; 2nd/16th Bn. London Regiment (Queen's Westminster Rifles); Died; Salonika; 03/01/1917; 25; Lembet Road Military Cemetery, Greece; Born Welling. Family in Welling. 63 Belle Grove; Son of John & Harriett of Inverness, brother of Malcolm; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/mcdougall-3/; Civil engineer: studied at Goldsmiths College.



McDOUGALL, Malcolm; Pioneer; 159353; "P" Special Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 04/07/1917; 28; Farm Cemetery, Ypres, Belgium - I.N.5; Born Welling. Family in Welling. 63 Belle Grove; Son of John & Harriett of Inverness, brother of Edward Cecil; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/mcdougall-2/; Chemistry student at the Bromley School of Art.

McELLIGOTT, Patrick; Stoker First Class; 288851; Royal Navy, HMS Formidable; KiA; At sea; 01/01/1915; 46; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 11; Family in Crayford; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Married Johanna (nee Callaghan) of Crayford, 2 children); Recorded as G. **ELLIOTT** on naval record & CWGC site; Born Camberwell.

McGONIGLE (**McCONICLE** on Memorial), Alfred; Private; 2096; 1st Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; Gallipoli; 02/05/1915; 24; Helles Memorial, Turkey; 4 Shelford Terrace, South Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of William James & Mary Ann; Born Egypt. Regular soldier.

McKEE, George Leonard; Lance Corporal; 8116; 2nd Btn. Coldstream Guards; KiA; F&F; 08/10/1915; 26; Loos Memorial, France; Cottage at Cory's Office, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George Henry & Rachel; Erith Observer 15 & 22 October 1915 (accident in trench while lecturing in bombs), Bexley & District Times 5 November 1915 photo; Born Yorkshire.

McLEAN, Robert; Private; 12562; 1st Btn. Gordon Highlanders; KiA; F&F; 18/08/1916; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 15 B & 15 C; Born Erith; Son of Donald & Jane McLean of Southampton; Enlisted Southampton.

McPHERSON, Albert; Able Seaman; Royal Navy; Died; Home; 08/11/1917; 30; Residence Abbey Wood. Died at Bexley Mental Hospital; Son of Albert McPherson & Eliza Watson, brother of Thomas; Born Plumstead. A labourer, first joined Navy in 1906. Invalided out in June 1916. Died of "paralysis of insane" at Bexley Mental Hospital.

McPHERSON, Thomas; Private; L/9255; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 06/10/1916; 25; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq - XXI. O. 35.; Residence Abbey Wood; Son of Albert McPherson & Eliza Watson, brother of Albert; Born Plumstead, enlisted Woolwich.

MEAD, Thomas Champion Denham; Gunner; 176964; Royal Horse Artillery; KiA; F&F; 29/07/1917; 24; Maroc British Cemetery, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Robert Uttermare Mead & Florence Martha Rose Mead of Somerset; http://forthefainthearted.com/2007/08/05/a-lonely-farm/; Born Somerset. A farm worker.

MEALING, Robert James; Ship's Steward Assistant; M/10746; Royal Navy, HMS Stonecrop; KiA; At sea; 18/09/1917; 26; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; Born Bexleyheath, Standard Road; Son of Robert James & Elizabeth Anne Mealing of Tunbridge Wells; A hotel clerk.

MEALINGS, James William; Rifleman; 4595; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 13/03/1915; 21; Merville Communal Cemetery, France - II. B. 1.; Born North Heath. 42 Bexley Road; Son of William & Rose; Resident Deptford. Enlisted New Cross.

MEARS, Albert Arthur; Private; 466; 12th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; Died; Home; 07/03/1919; 27; Brookwood Military Cemetery, Surrey; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Alfred Thomas & Mary Ann Mears. Native of Granton, Tasmania; http://www.centenaryofanzac.tas.gov.au/history/shared_stories/private_arthur_albert_mears; A miner.

MEDHURST, John Alfred; Private; S/10572 on CWGC, G/10572 in SDGW; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 19/06/1915; 19; Potijze Chateau Wood Cemetery, Belgium B. 10.; The Lord Raglan, Slade Green; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of James & Rachel; https://livesofthefirstworldwar.org/lifestory/2997897; Family ran Lord Raglan PH in Slade Green.



MEDHURST, John Thomas; Private; 252832; 3rd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); DoW; F&F; 21/06/1917; 25; Achiet-le-Grand Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Husband of Phyllis 1916; Born Bermondsey. Resident Norwood.

MEE, Reginald; Private; 35528; Royal Welsh Fusiliers; KiA; Balkans; 21/02/1917; 18; Doiran Memorial, Greece; Resident Erith; Son of Thomas & Florence; Born Derby. Enlisted Birmingham. A shoemaker.

MELLORS, George (C. for G. on Memorial?); Gunner; 876418; Royal Field Artillery; Died; F&F; 10/08/1918; 35; Caix British Cemetery, France; 5 Upper Holly Hill Road, Belvedere (1916); Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George & Emma Mellors. Living in Plumstead in 1911. Husband of Ethel (1916 living in Belvedere); Born Nottingham. Enlisted Woolwich. Boot labourer/salesman.

MELLOWSHIP, Ted; Private; G/37854; 29th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; Died; Home; 03/12/1916; 25; Hither Green Cemetery - D. 947; 26 Shirley Road, Sidcup; Husband of Minnie Mellowship (nee Shute) of Sidcup; Born at Lee. Enlisted Lewisham. Died of appendicitis.

MELOY, John James; Private; 630278; 20th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/08/1918; 22; Honourable Artillery Company Cemetery, France - Sp. Mem. A. 3.; 16 Fair View Cottages, Abbey Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of the late Samuel & Mary Ann; Born Deptford. Enlisted Blackheath. Engineer.

MEPHAM, George William; Private; 281566; South Nottinghamshire Hussars - transf. to (144806) Labour Corps; Died; Home; 11/11/1918; 39; Greenwich Cemetery, Screen Wall. 1 "C." B. 1065.; Resident Crayford, family at 99 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of the late George & Mary Mepham of Crayford, husband of Elizabeth S. Mepham of Sidcup, 3 children; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A nurseryman. Died of influenza at Herbert Hospital, Woolwich, on Armistice Day.

MERCER, Henry Francis; Private; 5939; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment - attd. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); DoW; F&F; 26/08/1916; 20; Heilly Station Cemetery, France - III. G. 16.; 19 Friday Road, Erith; Adopted son of John Thomas & Rebecca Mercer of Erith; Born & enlisted Gravesend.

MERCER, Rowland John; Lance Sergeant; 1411; 1st Btn. Manchester Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/04/1915; 23; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 16 Clive Road, Lessness Park, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Mildred Mercer; Born Chatham. Enlisted Stratford.

MERTON, Herbert; Sergeant; 300218; 1st/5th Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); KiA; F&F; 16/08/1917; 21; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial Panel 52 & 54; 49 High Street, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Only son of Elizabeth Merton of Sidcup; Enlisted August 1914.

MIDDLEMISS, George Thomas; Private; 8209; 20th Hussars; Died; Home; 14/07/1917; 24; Chislehurst & Sidcup (Sidcup) Cemetery, Grave Reference/ Panel Number: A. 22. 312.; 36 Shirley Rd Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Served as G.T. FORBES. (May have re-joined army under an alias?); Son of Mr A. G. & Mrs K. Middlemiss of 36 Shirley Rd Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times16 July 1915; Previously employed at Messrs. Evans & Sons nurseries in Longlands Sidcup.

MIDSON, George ; Gunner ; 915436 ; "D" Bty. 317th Bde, Royal Field Artillery ; KiA ; F&F ; 09/11/1917 ; 20 ; Duhallow A.D.S. Cemetery, Belgium III.B.2 ; 3 Nelson Road, Sidcup ; Sidcup War Memorial ; Son of Thomas & Sarah Midson of Sidcup ; Sidcup & District Times 16 November 1917 photo ; Notting Hill resident.



MILES, Frederick John; Lance Corporal; G/4773; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/06/1915; 32; Voormezeele Enclosure, Belgium - No.1 & 2; 77 Pier Road, Erith / Born Hope Cottages, 48 Arthur Street, Crayford / 4 Westbourne Grove, Bexleyheath; Erith (St John's) Memorial, St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William Thomas Miles & Alice Emily, married to Annie (1906), 4 children; Enlisted Bromley. A general labourer.

MILES, John; Private; 5841; 7th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/07/1916; 40; Aveluy Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Born Erith. Family at 52 Arthur Street; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Husband of Esther, 4 daughters; A general labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.

MILLAR (**MILLER** on Memorial), Arthur Leonard; Lance Corporal; 9462; 1st Btn. Cameron Highlanders; KiA; F&F; 14/09/1914; 19; La Ferté-sous-Jouarre, France; 125 Riverdale Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Only child of Arthur & Elizabeth; Bexley & District Times 7 & 14 January 1916; Erith Church Lads Brigade. A clerk at Vickers.

MILLER, Sydney Thomas; Private; 31417; 1st Btn. Essex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 16/03/1917; 22; Dernancourt Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Employed at Vickers; Son of James; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident & enlisted Dartford.

MILLIGAN, Frederick Isaac; Deckhand; 3811/SD; RNR HM Motor Launch 248 (Egmont II); Died; Egypt; 30/07/1918; 22; Ismailia War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt; 3 Romford Place, Wheatley Terrace, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial. Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of Frederick Isaac & Alice Harriett of Erith, husband of Mary Ellen (1915, Liverpool); Merchant Seaman / boilermaker before war. Born Deptford. Died of enteric fever.

MILLS, Charles Thomas; Private; G/5856; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 14/10/1915; 18; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 95 to 97; 28 Oxford Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Frank H. & Ellen Mills; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC, Sidcup & District Times 22 October 1915; A boy scout in Sidcup.

MILLS, F. H.; Erith (St John's) Memorial.

MILLS, George William; Rifleman; R/18392 (18302 in SD, mistake); 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 28/04/1918; 19; Chocques Military Cemetery, France; Blaxland Villas, Belle Grove / 48 Springfield Road (Rate book 1914...1916); East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of George Robert & Alice Caroline of Woolwich; Bexleyheath Observer 24 May 1918; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/mills/; Worked at Royal Arsenal. Enlisted Woolwich (under age?).

MILLS, Stephen; Corporal; 22550; 6th Btn. Border Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 35; Poelcapelle British Cemetery, Belgium; 20 Woolwich Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Stephen & Fanny; Bexley & District Times 23 November 1917 photo; Labourer at Thames Munitions Works. Former army reservist. Enlisted Woolwich.

MILLS, William; Able Seaman; 186948; Royal Navy, HMS Cressy; KiA; At sea; 22/09/1914; 36; Chatham Naval Memorial; 6 Danson Lane; East Wickham War Memorial, Welling Memorial; Son of George & Susan, married to Alice in 1900; Bexleyheath Observer 16 April 1915; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/mills-3/; A fireman at St Pancras. Also resident Greenwich

MILLS, William; Fireman & Trimmer; Mercantile Marine, SS Feltria (London); KiA; At sea; 05/05/1917; 31; Tower Hill Memorial; Born at Crayford. Lady Grey Lane, Crayford; Son of Caroline Baker (formerly Mills) of 20 Brockdene Road, Plumstead; Served as **DELANEY**. Ship was torpedoed.



MILLS, William George; Rifleman; R/33581; 17th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 05/08/1917; 38; New Irish Farm Cemetery, Belgium - XIV. E. 7.; 9 Church Road, Sidcup. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of George & Annie, married Florence Ethel in Sidcup 1912; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Farningham. A musician in Foots Cray band & volunteer fireman in Sidcup. A gardener at Shrublands, Sidcup.

MILLWARD, Rowland Hazlehurst; Private; 36064; 69th Coy. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 29/09/1917; 25; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 154 to 159 & 163A; 20 Crook Log, Bexleyheath; Son of William M. & Isabelle Millward; Born York. A tea sales trader.

MINCHIN, Ernest; Sapper; 170036; 95th Field Coy., Royal Engineers; DoW; F&F; 08/10/1917; 34; Hooge Crater Cemetery; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Edmund & Emma; A bricklayer. Resident Shepperton.

MINTY, William Leonard; Corporal; 312; 22nd Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 27/04/1917; 38; Arras Memorial, France; 237 Broadway; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Frank & Sarah Jane; Born Eltham. A draper.

MISSIONS (or MISSONS in many sources), Arthur Sidney; Lance Sergeant (Lance Corporal on CWGC); 354133; 7th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/09/1918; 25; Rancourt Military Cemetery, France - D 17; Born Bexleyheath. Family at 13 Bedonwell Road, Northumberland Heath, Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of William John & Augusta Caroline of Northumberland Heath; Erith Observer 18 April 1919; A farm worker. Enlisted Woolwich, MM.

MIST, William; Private; 13285; 9th Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/04/1917; 28; Feuchy Chapel British Cemetery, Wancourt, France - III. I. 1; Born Sidcup; Son of Charles & Emily; Resident Chertsey. In 1911 a billiard marker in Hastings

MITCHELL, William George; Seaman; Mercantile Marine, SS Polymma (London); KiA; At sea; 15/05/1917; 18; Tower Hill Memorial, London; Born at Erith? 37 Northumberland End Park?; Son of the late Arthur Henry & Sarah Mitchell; Merchant ship sunk by submarine.

MOFFATT, Hugh Grant; Private; 295042; 4th Btn. City of London. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1917; 22; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 11 Sandcliff Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of James & Marion; Enlisted Woolwich. Ordinance apprentice.

MONK, Leslie Silas; Private; PO/19748; Portsmouth Division, Royal Marine Light Infantry; Died; Home; 28/10/1918; 19; Haslar Royal Naval Cemetery, Portsmouth - E36.10 Hansel Road, Bexleyheath / Sunnyside, 6 Albion Road, Bexleyheath; Bexley Woods Memorial; Father: Silas Resternal, Hansel Road, Bexleyheath / Sunnyside, 6 Albion Road, Bexleyheath; Born Sittingbourne. Boy scout in Bexley.

MONTAGUE, Percy Harold; Driver; 915177; "D" Bty. 317th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 30/03/1918; 20; Etaples Military Cemetery, France - XXXIII. B. 25A; Born Crayford. Family at 25 North End Villas, Erith. Enlisted Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of William Jackson & Eliza of Erith; Bexleyheath Observer 10 May 1918.

MOODY, Albert Edward; Corporal; 8037; 1st Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment); Died; F&F; 08/12/1917; 31; St Pol Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Sidcup postman; Son of the late Edward & Elizabeth Moody of Swanley, husband of Nellie of Bourne Road, 1916; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Resident Swanley. Army reservist. Died of nephritis.



MOORE, Albert; Private; 6758; 8th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 16/08/1916; 29; Dive Copse British Cemetery, France; 5 Hawthorn Cottages, Erith Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Nicholas & Charlotte; Bexleyheath Observer 29 September 1916; Enlisted Woolwich. A milkman in Bexleyheath.

MOORE, James (Jimmy); Private; G/10285; 2nd Btn. Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/09/1916; 19; Caterpillar Valley Cemetery, France; 7 The Green; Welling Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Charles & Elizabeth of Woolwich; Bexleyheath Observer 13 October 1916 photo; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/moore/; Foster's School pupil. Enlisted Woolwich.

MOORE, Kenneth Hartley; Second Lieutenant; 6th Btn. Dorsetshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 07/07/1916; 20; Serre Road Cemetery No.2, France; Merton Court School pupil, Sidcup. Resident The Burrow, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Harold & Margaret Moore of Copthorne, Sussex; http://tonbridgeatwar.daisy.websds.net/Authenticated/ViewDets.aspx?RecID=259&TableName=ta-factfile; Due to study at Cambridge, but enlisted April 1915: gazetted December 1915.

MOORE, Sidney; Lance Corporal; 17607; 8th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 24/11/1917; 24; Cambrai Memorial, France; 2 Lewin Road / 1 Hawthorn Cottages, Erith Road Bexleyheath. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Nicholas & Charlotte; A grocer's lad.

MORGAN, Arthur John; Private; 1000960; 16th Btn. Canadian Infantry; Died; Home; 27/09/1918; 18; Leeds (Harehills) Cemetery, Yorkshire - H. 28.; Born at Belvedere. Baptised at St John's Erith. Picardy Manor Road / 3 Claytonville Terrace; Son of Horace John & Agnes Morgan of Mafeking, Manitoba, Canada; http://www.canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=20801; Family of lightermen. Farm worker in Canada.

MORGAN, George Henry; Private; 1760; 13th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/10/1916; Guard's Cemetery, Lesboeufs, France; Resident Bexleyheath; Enlisted Kensington.

MORGAN, George Howe; Gunner; 944585; "D" Bty. 282nd Army Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 21/08/1918; 27; Bellacourt Military Cemetery, France - III. E. 4.; 22 Ashburnham Road, Belvedere; Son of Agnes Mary Swann (formerly Morgan) of Belvedere, & the late David Morgan; Born Deptford. Enlisted Lewisham. A grocer's assistant.

MORISON, Wilfred Ernest; Boy 1st Class; J/69266; Royal Navy, HMS Canterbury; KiA; At sea; 30/09/1918; 16; Chatham Naval Memorial; Resident 7 Devonshire Road, Bexleyheath / Lynton, Rowan Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Phoebe Miriam of Bexleyheath / Queen Street, Deal, Kent; Born Egypt. An undertaker's assistant. Enlisted June 1917. "Washed overboard".

MORRIS, George Ferdinand; Lance Corporal; 2133; 1st/7th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/09/1915; 22; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 130 to 135; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Reported in Sidcup Homes School Magazine; Born Fulham. Resident Hackney. Enlisted Sun Street. In 1911 a packer in a Deptford cable factory.

MORRISH, William Edward; Company Quartermaster Sergeant; 7999; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; Mesopotamia; 24/07/1915; 30; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq; Morrish family (relatives?) at 32 Oaklands Road Bexleyheath; Son of Edward William; Bexleyheath Observer 15 October 1915; Born Woolwich. Enlisted Woolwich. Regular soldier.



MORTIMER, Charles Jack (Thos?) Jauncey; Private; 204579; 12th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/08/1917; 19; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 56 Rowan Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles & Louisa; Bexley & District Times 14 September 1917 photo; Son of Bexleyheath town postman. Enlisted Woolwich.

MORUM, James Pearce; Second Lieutenant; 6th Btn. attd. 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 20; Sucrerie Military Cemetery, France; Ellerslie, Highview Road, Sidcup. Merton Court pupil (1905-10); Sidcup Methodist Church; Son of William E. & Florence S. Morum of Queenstown, Cape Colony, South Africa; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC;

<u>http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2</u>; Born Cape Colony, South Africa. Cambridge undergraduate.

MOSLEY, Harold Drewell; 2nd Lieutenant; 7th Btn. Royal Berkshire Regiment; KiA; Salonika; 16/08/1916; 27; Karasouli Military Cemetery, Greece - A33; Denham, Longlands Road, Sidcup; Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of the late Henry & Mary Mosley (later Mrs Nicholls); Sidcup & District Times 25 August 1916; Born Marylebone. Mechanical engineer.

MOULDING, Sydney Dormer; Lieutenant; 8th Btn. Northamptonshire Regiment attd. 1st Btn. Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers; KiA; Gallipoli; 22/08/1915; 32; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 154 & 155; 92 Bexley Road, Erith; St Paul's Church Northumberland Heath Memorial Tablet; Son of Alfred & Lucy Annie Moulding, brother of Walter William Moulding; Parents were shopkeepers in Bexley. A school teacher in Surrey.

MOULDING, Walter William; Sergeant; 40236; "E" Coy. Heavy Sect. Machine Gun Corps (Motors); DoW; Egypt; 27/04/1917; 34; Alexandria (Hadra) War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt - D. 108.; 92 Bexley Road, Erith; St Paul's Church Northumberland Heath Memorial Tablet; Son of Alfred Moulding of Erith, brother of Sydney Dormer Moulding; https://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=pv&GRid=56151315; Born Woking. A railway clerk.

MOUNT, Sidney Thomas; Gunner; 209718; 298th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 14/11/1918; 19; Longuenesse (St Omer) Souvenir Cemetery, France; Employed by Vickers; Son of John & Mary of Dartford; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident Dartford. A general labourer.

MULLINS, Thomas; Corporal; 71941st Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 14/05/1915; 31; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 46 - 48 & 50; 24 Sheridan Road, Belvedere; Son of the late John & Mary Mullins, husband of Jane Berry (formerly Mullins); Born Bethnal Green. Enlisted Dalston.

MULROY, Walter; Rifleman; R/24100; 4th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 03/10/1918; 19; Prospect Hill Cemetery, France - I. D. 8.; 2 Fair View Villas, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Nephew of Mary Ann Dicker of Crayford; Born Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich.

MUNDAY, Cyril Rupert; Private; 265787; 2nd/1st Bucks Btn. Oxford & Bucks Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 19/07/1916; 19; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 83 – 85; Sister at Hawthorn Cottage, Girls Homes, Sidcup, brother of Edith May Munday of Sidcup; Born Aylesbury. Farm labourer.

MUNN, Thomas William; Private; L/6833; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 11/04/1918; 33; The Huts Cemetery, Belgium; 23 Manor Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Thomas William & Jane Elizabeth; Erith Observer 1 August 1918; Army reservist. General labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.



MUNNS, Frank Arthur; Private; 27285; 9th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 06/06/1918; 19; Aix-Noulette Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Callender's employee; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Only son of Frederick & Grace Munns of Clapham Common; Born Battersea, Enlisted Camberwell.

MUNNS, Leslie Cecil; Private; 18th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; Died; Home; 21/01/1915; 28; Sidcup (St John) Churchyard - behind church, opposite foundation stone; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Charlotte Anne (same grave); As **MUNN** on War Memorial. Privately educated at Haileybury College, joined the 18th Battalion of the Royal Fusiliers (the so-called "Public Schools Battalion").

MURCHISON, Roderick John; 2nd Lieutenant; Royal Air Force; Died; Egypt; 25/02/1920; 48; Cairo War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt; 4 Devonshire Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Kenneth & Isabella, husband of Sarah of Sidcup; https://lochcarronrollofhonour.wordpress.com/2015/07/13/lieutenant-roderick-john-murchison/; Inspector of aeroplanes at the works of Messrs. Vickers Maxim in Kent. Enlisted in Royal Flying Corps April 1918. Died in plane crash.

MURGATROYD, Hugh Lester; Captain; Leicestershire Reg.; DoW; F&F; 27/09/1918; 23; Lebucquiere Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Westerland, Watling Street, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Mary Alice. Born New Zealand; Bexley & District Times 11 October 1918 photo; http://www.ewt.org.uk/memorial/murgatroyd/Son of a wool & leather merchant. Enlisted September 1914.

MURRAY, Gilbert James; Private; 14966; 6th Btn. Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 12/08/1915; 23; Ypres Reservoir Cemetery, Belgium; Kismet, Longlands Park Crescent, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Gilbert & Elizabeth Murray of Southwark; Sidcup & District Times 27 August 1915 photo; An accountant. A member of Sidcup Athletics Club.

MURRAY, James; Private; 2924; 1st Btn. Irish Guards; KiA; F&F; 29/10/1914; 25; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial; Resident Welling; Son of Marianne?, sister Margaret / Mary Colvin?; Born Kilkenny, enlisted Waterford

MURRAY, John; Sergeant; 7985; 3rd Btn. Connaught Rangers; Died; Ireland?; 20/12/1915; 35; Grangegorman (Cork) Memorial Headstones, Ireland - Spec. Memorial. Alternative Commemoration - buried in Cork Military Cemetery; Resident Erith; NoK Delia Roberts; http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/rollofhonour/People/Details/20481; Born Athlone. Regular Army, in India in 1911.

NAGLE, Charles Stanley; Signaller; 59350; Royal Horse Artillery; Died; Home; 15/05/1918; 20; Hastings Cemetery, Sussex; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panel; Son of Mary Margaret (a nurse); Born Dartford. Farm worker. Discharged on medical grounds, June 1917.

NASH, Edward; Private; 628983; 29th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 06/11/1917; 31; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial; Born Erith. Brother of Mrs Evenden of 6 Willow Road Slade Green; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Frederick & Ellen Nash, sister in Slade Green; Erith Observer 20 December 1917; Long lost brother of Mrs Evenden of Slade Green (not seen for 12 years). Formerly in the navy & after purchasing his discharge, he went to Canada where he enlisted.

NASH, Gordon; 2nd Lieutenant; 63rd Sqdn. & General List, Royal Air Force; Killed; Home; 07/05/1918; 21; Foots Cray Baptist Chapelyard - between main gate & chapel; Crayfield, St Pauls Cray, Kent; Son of William Gardener & Alice Nash of St Paul's Cray; A flying instructor at Dartford airfield. Killed in accident, along with 3 others.



NASH, Percy; Private; 9852; 6th Btn. Leicestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 21; Bedford House Cemetery, Belgium; 14 Trinity Place; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Albert & Emma; Bexley & District Times 16 & 23 November 1917 photo; A labourer. Worked for Reffell's Brewery, Bexley. Enlisted Leicester.

NASH, Robert; Private; 15717; 8th Btn. Bedfordshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 19; Guillemont Road Cemetery, France - VI. J. 9. 38 Longlands Park Road, Sidcup; Son of William & Mary Nash of Sidcup; Born Norfolk. Enlisted Hertford.

NASH, Robert John; Private; G/4771; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 27/09/1917; 24; Brandhoek New Military Cemetery No.3, Belgium; 11 Royal Oak Road / Woolwich Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Robert J. & Eliza; Bexleyheath Observer 19 October 1917; Enlisted Bromley. Electrical engineer.

NEAL, Frederick Sydney; Private; G/8773; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/10/1917; 19; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 106 to 108; 7 Hurst Road, Sidcup; Son of George & Lily M. Neal of Sidcup; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Swanley. Farm worker. Enlisted Lewisham.

NEAVES, William Leslie; Private; 34749; 1st Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/10/1917; 23; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 79 to 80 & 163A; Resident Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Mr & Mrs H. Neaves of Borough Green, Sevenoaks; http://plattwarmemorial.org/world-warone/william-leslie-neaves-1894-1917/; Born Charing, Kent. A brickfield labourer, later worked for Vickers.

NEILL, William; Chief Cook; 147941; Royal Navy, HMS Hogue; KiA; At sea; 22/09/1914; 40; Chatham Naval Memorial; 94 Horsa Road, Erith / 3 Crabtree Manorway. Worked for Fraser & Chalmers; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William & Fanny Emma, married to Alice Florence Helena; Erith Times 18 September 1914; RN reservist.

NEWELL, John (Jack) Gordon; Rifleman; 282; 5th Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); KiA; F&F; 28/04/1915; 21; Ypres (Menin Gate Memorial); Born & baptised in Crayford (St Paulinus). Mill Cottage, Mayplace Road; Son of Charles & Sophia Elizabeth Newell of St John's, London. S.E.4.

NEWEY, Harry Oliver Blay; Gunner; 915833; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 27/08/1918; 22; Bray Military Cemetery, France; Enlisted Erith; Son of Harry & Ellen Newey of Dudley, Worcs.; Father was brass & iron foundry manager in Dudley.

NEWMAN, Alfred Ernest; Rifleman; R/38532; 12th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 20/11/1917; 24; Cambrai Memorial, France; 4 Gibsons Cottages, Wickham Street; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Alfred & Elizabeth; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/Newman/; Enlisted Woolwich. A grocer's assistant.

NEWMAN, William John; Rifleman; 385116; 2nd/8th Btn. City of London (Post Office Rifles); KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 21; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 69 Elm Street, Plumstead (CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Frederick Brice & Edith, husband of Ellen; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/Newman-2/; Born Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich. A messenger boy.

NICHOLLS, George William; Private; 20752; Seaforth Highlanders; Died; Home; 06/01/1919; 39; Lived in Welling Hutments; Husband of Rosa; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/nicholls/; Born Suffolk. A cooper. Died in Maidstone asylum.



NICHOLS, Roland Frederick; Rifleman; 552836; "B" Coy. 1st/16th Btn. London Regiment (Queen's Westminster Rifles; KiA; F&F; 14/04/1917; 20; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 10; Bon Accord, New Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Frederick Albert & Sarah Grace Nichols of Abbey Wood; A civil servant (Born India).

NICHOLSON, George Charles; Staff Sergeant; 5623; Royal Garrison Artillery; Died; Home; 02/06/1916; 41; Woolwich Cemetery; 1 Elsa Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of George & Hannah, married Ethel Amelia 1899; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/nicholson/; A blacksmith. Long Service & Good Conduct Medals. Died of heart disease.

NISBETT, Norman Maskell; Corporal; 2371; 7th Btn. London Regiment (City of London); KiA; F&F; 19/10/1915; 23; Bois-Carre Military Cemetery, France - A. 12.; Resident Sidcup. 47 Stafford Road; Congregational Church, Sidcup; Son of William Charles & Martha; Born Essex. A bank clerk.

NOAKE (**NOAK** in SDGW), Stanley George; Driver; 210398; Royal Horse Artillery Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 11/09/1917; 19; Brandhoek New Military Cemetery No.3, Belgium; 19 Larner Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of George & Lilly May; Bexleyheath Observer 21 September 1917 as **NAKES**; Enlisted Woolwich.

NOAKES, Albert; Private; 123870; 268th Btn. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 26/03/1918; 24; Douchy-les-Ayette British Cemetery, France - IV. G. 1.; Resident Erith; Son of George Henry & Mary Ann; Born Hastings. Enlisted Woolwich. A grocer's assistant.

NOAKES, Frederick Charles; Private; 635982; 20th Btn. London Regiment (Blackheath & Woolwich); Died; Home; 27/09/1918; 19; West Ham Cemetery, London; Born Bexleyheath; Son of William; Died at Bristol Hospital. Resident West Ham. Enlisted Stratford.

NORMAN, Charles Edward; Private; G/65247; 4th Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London); KiA; F&F; 31/08/1918; 24; Honourable Artillery Company Cemetery, France; Born & baptised Erith (St John's). 5 Church Terrace; Son of the late Charles & Florence Norman of Catford; Resident Catford, enlisted Bromley. Formerly 10611, 11th Btn. R.W. Kent Regt.

NORMAN, George Ernest; Private; 722138; 24th Btn. London Regiment; DoW; F&F; 23/09/1918; 37; St Sever Cemetery Extension, Rouen, France - R. III. J. 19.; 3 Dallin Road, Bexleyheath; Son of Herbert & Harriet Norman of Leatherhead, husband of Emily Adelaide Norman of Bexleyheath; Born Leatherhead. Enlisted Kennington. A shop assistant/cheesemonger.

NORMAN, Walter Eric; Corporal; 105941; 1st Btn. Canadian Machine Gun Corps; Died; F&F; 04/10/1918; 24; Bucquoy Road Cemetery, France IV.D.38; Native of Sidcup. Crescent Lodge, Priestlands Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Walter William & Helen Mary Norman of Purley, Surrey; Formerly a clerk in Dulwich (1911) & Royal NW Mounted Police, Canada. Awarded MM.

NORRIDGE, Walter Henry; Private; 5646; 1st/23rd Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 16/09/1916; 23; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 9 D 9 C 13 C & 12 C; Resident Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Eldest son of Walter & Maria Norridge of 75 William Street, Sittingbourne, Kent; Born Milton, Kent. Paper mill worker.

NORRIS, Arthur Edward; Private; 270391; 10th Btn. (R. East Kent & West Kent Yeomanry) Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); DoW; Palestine; 31/10/1917; 22; Beersheba War Cemetery, Israel Grave Reference/ Panel Number: M. 12.; Native of Sidcup. Family at Longlands Parade Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Annie & William of Sidcup, later Whitstable; William was a butcher. Enlisted Canterbury.



NORTH, Albert; Acting Corporal; 240747; 1st/5th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; India; 25/10/1918; 24; Delhi Memorial (India Gate); 5 Lewin Road / 1 Albion Villas, Church Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Obed & Hannah; Bexley & District Times 13 December 1918 photo; Born Brixton. A labourer. Died of influenza.

NORTH, Arthur John Jewell; Captain; 4th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 27/09/1918; 34; Fins New British Cemetery, France; Vale Mascal, Bexley; St James North Cray Memorial; Son of the late Colonel & Mrs North of Eltham, Kent, husband of Adelaide L. North of Vale Mascal; Bexleyheath Observer 18 October 1918;

<u>http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1</u>; Awarded posthumous MC. From a military family. Attended Harrow School.

NORTH, Sidney Arthur Harry; Third Engineer; Mercantile Marine, SS Antonio (London); Killed; At sea; 07/03/1917; 26; Tower Hill Memorial, London; Born & baptised at Erith. 4 Boundary Street, Erith; Son of Joseph & Selina North, husband of Elizabeth Mary North of Southampton; An engine fitter. Ship hit by U-boat mine in English Channel.

NUNN, Algar George; Private; 2958; "A" Coy. 10th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 08/10/1918; 21; Bois-des-Angles British Cemetery, France I. C. 38.; 3 Whitehall Lane, Slade Green; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Frederick John & Mary Annie Nunn of Slade Green; Enlisted September 1914. Born & enlisted Burnham-on-Crouch, Essex.

OAKES, William Arthur; Private; 8801; 2nd Btn. Seaforth Highlanders; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 30; Serre Road Cemetery No.2, France - I. B. 24.; 15 Romford Place, Erith; Son of George & Harriett Oakes, husband of Eliza Stow (formerly Oakes) of Erith (Married 1909); Born Paddington. A postal porter.

O'CONNOR, Fergus Patrick Ford; Lance Corporal; 9769; 2nd. Btn. Irish Guards; DoW; F&F; 26/11/1916; 32; Grove Town Cemetery, France - II. K. 4.; Resident Sidcup (Native of Ireland); Son of Charles G. & Nellie O'Connor; Born Islington?

OLIVER, Percy John; Private; SD/956; 11th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 21/05/1916; 22; Bethune Town Cemetery, France - V. D. 9.; Born Erith. Family at Crayford (1 The Nursery); Son of Henry & Emily; Enlisted Hastings. A baker.

O'NEILL, Charles John; Private; 2089; 1st East Anglian Field Ambulance, Royal Army Medical Corps; Died; Home; 10/10/1914; 34; Ipswich Old Cemetery, Suffolk - D. 26. 6.; 20 Cross Street, Erith; Husband of Emily Annie O'Neill of Erith; http://www.ipswichwarmemorial.co.uk/charles-johnoneill/; Born Suffolk, enlisted Ipswich.

ORAM, Arthur John; Boy 1st Class; J54467; Royal Navy HMS Egmont; Died; Malta; 25/07/1918; 18; Malta (Capuccini) Naval Cemetery; Employed at Vickers; Son of Mary Oram of Dartford; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident Dartford. Died of pneumonia.

ORCHARD, Sidney George; Lance Corporal; G/7626; 7th Btn. Royal West Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/04/1918; 28; Pozières Memorial, France - 14 & 15; 4 Clare Terrace, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William J. & Rosa M. Orchard; Born Wiltshire. Enlisted Folkestone. A fruiterer & grocer. MM.

ORPWOOD, Bertie (Bertram); Gunner; 867; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 10/09/1917; 21; Bexleyheath Cemetery (742); 5 Trinity Place; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Mary; Bexley & District Times 21 September 1917 photo; A farm hand. Discharged from service due to illness. Died of consumption.



ORSLER, Harry James Elijah; Lance Corporal; G/2292; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 23; Loos Memorial, France; 17 Appold Street, Erith. Employed by Wm Cory, Erith Works; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Susan Martin (formerly Orsler) of 17 Appold Street, Erith & the late Harry Orsler; A coal wharf crane stoker.

ORSLER, Herbert George (H.C. on Memorial); Private; 374058; RAMC; DoW; F&F; 08/11/1918; 24; Aulnoye Communal Cemetery, France; 25 Cross Street, Erith / 103 Erith High Street; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Elijah & Jemima; https://www.findagrave.com/cgibin/fg.cgi?page=pv&GRid=24020397; Enlisted Hounslow. A coffee house waiter / general labourer.

ORVIS, Frederick John; Corporal; 8745; 8th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/08/1917; 33; Hooge Crater Cemetery, Belgium; Born Crayford, baptised at St Paulinus; Son of Frederick William & Jane Orvis (Father was a butcher in Crayford), husband of Harriet, 1 daughter; Resident Camberwell. Trade: a cutter.

OSBORNE, Albert Edward; Gunner; 195668; Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 01/06/1918; 45; Hedauville Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Born Crayford, Arthur Street. Christened at Christ Church, Erith; Son of Thomas & Mary Ann; A brickfield worker. Enlisted Deptford.

OSBORNE, Walter; Lance Corporal; 10081; 2nd Btn. South Lancashire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 11/05/1915; 19; Larch Wood (Railway Cutting) Cemetery, Belgium - II. H. 8.; Born at Crayford; Son of Walter & Elizabeth Osborne of 74 Moore's Cottages, Crockenhill, Swanley, Kent.

OTTAWAY, Walter Frank; Rifleman; R/16559; 12th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 25/06/1916; 18; Vlamertinghe Military Cemetery, Belgium - III. C. 10.; Resident Erith. 29 Whitehall Lane, Slade Green; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of Henry & Catherine Ottaway of Plumstead, Kent; Bexleyheath Observer 28 July 1916; Born Plumstead.

OVENDEN, Claude Ernest; Rifleman; S/18622; 16th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 21/10/1916; 28; Martinsart British Cemetery, France; 21 East Street, Bexleyheath; Son of Ernest & Annie; Bexleyheath Observer 17 November 1916, Erith Observer 3 November 1916; Born Tunbridge Wells. Enlisted Woolwich A printer employed in machine dept. of Erith Observer.

OVERTON, Charles (G. T. on Memorial); Lance Corporal; C/9825; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 15/07/1916; 24; Quarry Cemetery, France; 17 Horsa Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of William Charles & Clara; Born Bermondsey. Enlisted Woolwich. Shorthand typist.

OVERTON, George Arthur; Corporal; 1217; 1st Btn. Norfolk Yeomanry; KiA; F&F; 05/12/1915; 22; Ari Burnu Cemetery, ANZAC, Turkey - J. 14.; Resident Erith. Parents at Hillcrest, 317 Broadway, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles & Florence Edith Overton; Born Norfolk. Ironmonger's apprentice in Bexleyheath.

OVERY, Alfred; Rifleman; 473117; 12th Btn. County of London Regiment (The Rangers); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 38; Tank Cemetery, France; 66 Lower Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Belvedere War Memorial; Family lived 61 Lower Road shop 1911 census; Son of John Henry & Mary Overy of Dartford, husband of Clara Overy, married 1902, 5 children; Bexleyheath Observer 8 June 17 Bexleyheath & District Times 15 June 1917; Born Camberwell. A fishmonger.



OVERY, Herbert Leonard; Private; 102535; 2nd/5th Btn. Sherwood Foresters (Notts & Derby Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/04/1918; 19; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium - Panel 7; 73 Elm Road, Slade Green / 31 Whitehall lane; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of the late William James Overy & Annie Overy of Slade Green; Erith Observer 6 June 1918; Born Camberwell. Enlisted Hounslow. Family worked on railways at Slade Green. In 1911 occupation 'grinder'. "Known amongst his workmates as 'Giant Overy'".

OVERY, Percy James (R. J. on panel); Private; L/15716; 1st Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 18/11/1914; 19; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium Panel 3; 85 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William Overy, brother of Reginald; Sidcup & District Times 18 December 1914; Born Folkestone.

OVERY, Reginald William; Private; G/233; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/03/1916; 23; Loos Memorial, Pas de Calais, France Panel Number: 95 to 97; 85 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William Overy, of Sidcup, brother of Percy; Sidcup & District Times 31 March 1916; Born Hastings. Enlisted Woolwich.

OWEN, G.; On old Crayford Memorial

OWENS, Joseph Joshua John; Private; CH/16582; Royal Marines Light Infantry, HMS Formidable; KiA; At sea; 01/01/1915; 21; Chatham Naval Memorial; 24 Maximfeldt Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Joseph George & Annie; Erith Times 15 January 1915 photo; Royal Marine in 1911.

OXFORD, William George / George William; Gunner; 166351; Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 11/12/1917; 22; Oxford Road Cemetery, Belgium; 4 Butlers Cottages, Long Lane. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Samuel & Elizabeth, husband of Emily; Bexley & District Times 1 & 8 February 1918; Born Suffolk. Farm worker.

OXLEY, Fergus Richard; Lieutenant; Royal Sussex Regiment General List, & 10th Bn. attd. 1st Bn. (& Trench Mortar Bty.) Royal Dublin Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 20/09/1916; 28; Vlamertinghe Military Cemetery, Belgium; Born & baptised Bexleyheath (Christ Church). 49 Broadway; Son of George E. & Alice D. Oxley of Hove, brother of Herman Grant & Victor Neville; Son of Bexleyheath schoolmaster. A bank clerk.

OXLEY, Herman Grant; Lieutenant; 4th Btn. attd. 2nd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 04/11/1918; 25; Highland Cemetery, Le Cateau, France - VI. E. 6.; Native of Bexleyheath. 49 Broadway; Son of George & Alice Oxley of Hove, brother of Fergus Richard & Victor; http://www.brightoncollegeremembers.com/roll-of-honour/1902; Son of Bexleyheath schoolmaster. Employed by Coutts & Co. Bank. Enlisted August 1915.

OXLEY, Victor Neville; Private; 180112; 16th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 04/07/1916; 29; Serre Road Cemetery No.1, France; Born Bexleyheath; Son of George & Alice Oxley of Hove, brother of Herman Grant & Fergus Richard, husband of Agnes (1916, Canada); Son of Bexleyheath schoolmaster. To Canada (Victoria BC) 1910. A rancher.

PACKMAN, George Farrell; Rifleman; 7717; 9th Btn. London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles); DoW; F&F; 25/09/1916; 36; Corbie Communal Cemetery Extension, France Grave Reference/Plot 2. Row E. Grave 38; 14 Clarence Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Harriett & the late Charles Packman of Sidcup, brother of William Packman; Sidcup & District Times 6 October 1916; Father Charles Packman coachman to late Rector of Foots Cray Rev. Charles Birch. Former footballer for Sidcup Star Rovers.



PACKMAN, Henry; Private; 34779; "C" Coy. 16th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 12/07/1917; 25; Nieuport Memorial, Belgium; 22 Mayfield Cottages, Jubilee Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of William & Bessie Packman of Foots Cray; Article in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born St Mary Cray. Enlisted Chislehurst. A waggoner.

PACKMAN, William; Corporal; R/4977; 13th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 27/11/1916; 27; Wimereux Communal Cemetery, France Grave Reference / Panel Number: II. A. 17A.; Resident Sidcup. 14 Clarence Road; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Harriett & the late Charles Packman of Sidcup, brother of George Farrell Packman; Sidcup & District Times 1 December 1916; William left Vickers munitions in Crayford to join the Army in September 1914.

PAGE, Albert; Private; G/5546; 13th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 18/08/1916; 36; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born & baptised Belvedere (All Saints). Resident 18 Picardy Street, Belvedere; Son of James & Sara, Mr & Mrs Petty, his sister & brother in law live at 18 Picardy Street, Belvedere, brother of Herbert; Erith Observer 29 September 1916; Enlisted in autumn 1914 (Mill Hill). One of 3 brothers in army.

PAGE, George (Gordon?) John; Driver; 81084; 62nd Bty. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 03/05/1915; 20; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 5 & 9; 1 Harrogate House, Bedonwell Hill, Belvedere / Wrens Cottages, Victoria Street, Belvedere. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Belvedere War Memorial, Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Henry & Bridget Page; Erith Times 2 July 1915 photo; Maybe 'E.' on war Memorial. Enlisted Woolwich. A carman.

PAGE, Herbert; Gunner; 92155; "C" Bty. 33rd Bde. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 12/11/1917; 33; Menin Road South Military Cemetery, Belgium - III. M. 19.; 1 Rose Cottage, Albert Road / 113 Upper Abbey Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of James & Sarah, husband of Elizabeth Page of Belvedere, brother of Albert; Enlisted Woolwich. A carman. Worked at Crossness Outfall Works.

PAGE, James William; Private; 21443; 18th Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); KiA; F&F; 16/06/1917; 22; Duisans British Cemetery, France - IV. J. 52.; 6 Beckton Place, Northumberland Heath, Erith; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of George & Julia Page of Northumberland Heath & previously residing with his younger brother Harry Page at 18 Picardy Street Belvedere; Bexleyheath & District Times 6 July 1917; Enlisted Woolwich.

PAGE, Sidney; Private; 354754; 7th Btn. London Regiment; DoW; F&F; 10/05/1918; 23; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France; 100 Grosvenor Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial, Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Jane Page of Belvedere & the late William Page; Bexleyheath Observer 31 May 1918; Enlisted Woolwich.

PAINE, Percival Clarence; Rifleman; R/36463; 16th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 17/04/1918; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; The Hutments, Welling; Son of Thomas & Charlotte; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/paine/; Born Forest Hill. Enlisted Woolwich. A barber.

PALMER, Arthur Frederick; Sergeant; T2/14153; Army Service Corps; Died; Malta; 08/09/1916; 35; Pieta Military Cemetery, Malta; Resident Belvedere (SDGW); Son of the late Dr & Mrs W. Grimes Palmer; Born Loughborough, enlisted Leicester. "Living on own means" in 1911 in Loughborough. Served in Gallipoli & Salonika. Declined a commission to be an officer. Died of malaria.

PALMER, Harry Hibbitt; Assistant Paymaster; RNR Royal Navy, HMS Black Prince; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 25; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; Born & baptised Erith. Newhaven House, Park Crescent, Erith / 47 Pier Road; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Harry & Mary Ann; A bank clerk.



PALMER, John Robert William; Private; 15855; 14th Btn. Hampshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/09/1917; 26; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Born Crayford. Erith Road, Crayford; Son of Clara; Enlisted Stratford. A drapery assistant.

PAMPLIN, Arthur James; Corporal; CH/17060; Royal Marine Light Infantry, HMS Chester; Died; Home; 04/01/1920; 31; Plumstead Cemetery B. 233A.; 75 McLeod Road, Abbey Wood / 19 Maximfeldt Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of James Walter & Celia Jane, brother of Sydney; Born Leytonstone. A metal turner. Died at RN Hospital, Chatham.

PAMPLIN, Sydney Herbert; Sergeant; R/35275; 2nd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 04/11/1918; 24; Le Rejet-de-Beaulieu Communal Cemetery, France - C. 16; Native of Erith. 19 Maximfeldt Road, Erith. Family at 215 McLeod Road, Abbey Wood; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of James Walter & Celia Jane of Abbey Wood, brother of Arthur Pamplin; Enlisted Woolwich. Junior clerk to accountant.

PARKER, Christopher George; Lance Corporal; 199133; 17th Coy. Labour Corps; DoW; F&F; 27/04/1918; 20; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium; Employed at Vickers; Son of the late Frederick & Clara; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident & enlisted Dartford.

PARKER, Frederick Neville; 2nd Lieutenant; 1633 1st Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; Died: self-inflicted wounds to head; F&F; 28/04/1915; 22; Bethune Town Cemetery, France - 2B16; Castingford, The Park, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Maj. Gen. Neville Fraser Parker & Emily Parker of 4 Bloomfield Place, Bath. Previously of Craymead, Highview Road, Sidcup & formerly of Castingford, The Park, Sidcup; https://www.iwm.org.uk/collections/item/object/205386770

PARKER, George Henry; Rifleman; S/4288; 13th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 05/08/1916; 23; Flatiron Copse Cemetery, France - B.C. Mem. 3; Resident Sidcup. 24 Clarence Crescent; Sidcup War Memorial & Emmanuel Church, Sidcup; Son of Francis John Parker, later of 4 Bimport Street, Shaftesbury, Dorset; Sidcup & District Times18 August 1916; Born Greenwich. Enlisted Lewisham. Father a police sergeant.

PARKER, Jesse; Private; 102281; 6th Btn. Sherwood Foresters (Notts & Derby Regiment); DoW; Home; 09/05/1918; 27; Walkern (St Mary) Churchyard, Herts; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of George & Emma Parker; http://www.stevenageatwar.com/The%20Villages.html#JPARKER; A baker. Resident Stevenage. Enlisted Hertford.

PARKER, Stanley John Ernest; Pioneer; 42179; 70th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 09/10/1915; 20; Sailly-la-Bourse Communal Cemetery, France; 82 Arthur Street, Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of George & Emily Parker; Bexley & District Times 15 October 1915, Bexley & District Times 5 November 1915 photo; Born Aldershot. Enlisted Woolwich.

PARKER, T. (Thomas Edward); Rifleman; S/21032; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 19/10/1916; 32; Thiepval Memorial, France; 92 North Cray Road / 33 Baldwyns Road, Bexley. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Husband of Edith Maud, brother of Mrs A. Adams of Windsor Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup & District Times16 March 1917 photo; Born Suffolk. "Well-known in Bexleyemployed by Mr Robert J Parker JP for 16 years". A gardener in 1911.

PARKIN, H. (Harold?); Erith (Christ Church) Memorial.



PARKINSON, Richard Frank; Captain; 7th Field Troop, Royal Engineers; Died; Mesopotamia; 07/11/1918; 27; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 5 & 61; 60 Bexley Lane, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Herbert Stephen & Kathleen of St John's Vicarage, Walham Green, London, late of Bexley Lane Crayford; Bexleyheath Observer 22 November 1918, Bexley & District Times 3 September 1915 photo, Bexley & District Times 8 October 1915; A civil engineer. MC. Twice mentioned in despatches. Died pneumonia.

PARKS, John Wynand; Captain; 1st Btn. East Lancashire Regiment; Died; Home; 12/08/1919; 24; Chislehurst Cemetery; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of John Parks of Newcastle, Natal, South Africa;

https://issuu.com/maidstonegrammarschool/docs/booklet_fww_2014_ff6e7cb94ba504; Attended Maidstone Grammar School. MC. Mentioned in despatches.

PARMENTER, Thomas William; Private; 365164; 7th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/08/1918; 26; Hem Farm Military Cemetery, France; 58 Arthur Street, Erith. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Alfred & Mary, married to Amy (Erith, 1914); A carman. Enlisted Woolwich.

PARRY, John William; Rifleman; 2nd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 12/01/1915; 20; Le Touret Memorial, France; Born Northumberland Heath. 50 Oak Road Belvedere; St Paul's Church Northumberland Heath Memorial Tablet; Son of John Henry & Alice Parry of Weybridge; Enlisted Woolwich. An errand boy, before army reservist.

PARSONS, Charles Douglas; Private; 122037; 59th Coy Machine Gun Corps; Killed; F&F; 30/03/1918; 31; Arras Memorial, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of George & Louise, husband of Dorothy (1915); "Killed accidentally". Born Kingston upon Thames. 1911 "out of work warehouseman".

PARSONS, George Henry; Driver; T4/44991; Army Service Corps; Died; Salonika; 06/11/1916; 22; Salonika (Lembet Road) Military Cemetery, Greece; Family in Foots Cray; Son of Fanny Gertrude Parsons of Foots Cray; Resident Bromley. A van guard.

PATTEN, Stanley Leonard; Private; 1741; 2nd King Edward Horse; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 18; Euston Road Cemetery, France; Fern Villa, Church Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Ellen; Bexley & District Times 28 July 1916 photo, Sidcup & District Times 11 August 1916; Enlisted early 1915, volunteered for machine gun section team.

PATTENDEN, George William; Private; 9608; 2nd Btn. King's Own (Royal Lancashire Regiment); KiA; F&F; 20/02/1915; 27; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Rosecroft, 8 Broadway, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles & Sarah; Erith Observer 12 May 1916, Bexley & District Times 26 May 1916; Enlisted Woolwich.

PATTERSON, Charles William Ernest; Lieutenant; 503rd Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; Died; F&F; 12/02/1919; 31; Doullens Communal Cemetery Extension No.2, France II. E. 13.; 1A Abbey Wood Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Samuel & Clara Patterson of Abbey Wood; Military family. Born Gibraltar. Regular Army.

PAULING, Walter Stephen; Acting Corporal; TISR/741; 873rd Coy. Royal Army Service Corps; Died; Home; 10/12/1917; 44; Abney Park Cemetery, London; Born Bexley / High Street, Erith; Son of Walter Pauling, husband of Harriet Emma Pauling (1905); Father a policeman in Erith. A carman. Enlisted Shoreditch.



PAY, John Fentiman (Fentyman SDGW); Private; 437; 8th Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment); KiA; F&F; 30/11/1917; 20; Cambrai Memorial, France; 16 Queens Road (No 6 in CWGC); East Wickham War Memorial; Son of John Henry & Annie; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/pay/; Born Shooters Hill.

PAY, Thomas; Private; L/8476; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 06/05/1916; 26; Basra Memorial; Born Bexleyheath. 3 Standard Road; Son of James & Frances; 1911 census a regular soldier.

PAYNE, Charles William Thomas; Private; 203539; 2nd/4th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; Palestine; 09/05/1917; 24; Deir el Belah War Cemetery, Israel - A 175; 18 Shirley Road, Longlands, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Charles Herbert & Mary Louisa Payne of Sidcup; Enlisted Bromley.

PAYNE, Walter Frederick; Rifleman; C/4285; 17th Btn. Kings Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 03/09/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France; 19 Warwick Road; Welling Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Richard Arthur & Rebecca of Woolwich; Bexleyheath Observer 13 October 1916; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/payne/; Born Walworth. A Post Office messenger boy.

PEAKE, John Thelwal; 2nd Lieutenant; 2nd Btn. Northamptonshire Regiment; DoW; Home; 11/05/1915; 19; Tonbridge Cemetery, Kent; Callender's employee; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Robert Thelwal & Ada E. Peake; http://www.tonbridgehistory.org.uk/people/ww1-obits-3.htm; Tonbridge School. Father worked for East India Company. Commissioned from the Artists Rifles.

PEARCE, Harold Ernest Mumford; Rifleman; 49121; 3rd Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); DoW; F&F; 24/08/1918; 18; Ligny-St Flochel British Cemetery, France - II. C. 11.; Resident Sidcup. Main Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Charles & Flora Pearce of Shepreth, Cambs.; A butcher's son. Born Royston, Herts. Enlisted Camberwell.

PEARCE, William Herbert; Private; 46960; 8th Btn. Northants Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/04/1918; 28; Pozières Memorial, France; 18 Ashburnham Road, Belvedere. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Frederick Henry & Rachel Annie; A plater's labourer.

PEARSON, Albert Thomas; Able Seaman; J/43001; Royal Navy, HMS Earnest; Drowned; At sea; 17/08/1916; 20; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 16; 18 Ripley Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Mrs. L. Pearson of Belvedere; Occupation before war: milk man. Naval records - "Killed or died by means other than disease, accident or enemy action".

PEARSON, Arthur; Private; 7348; 3rd Dragoon Guards (Prince of Wales' Own); KiA; F&F; 13/05/1915; 31; Ypres (Menin Gate Memorial), Belgium; Born Belvedere. Resident 310 Lower Abbey Road, Belvedere with sister. Employed at Erith Oil Works; Son of the late Thomas & Emma Pearson of Skinner's Farm Cottages, Edenbridge, Kent; Erith Times 4 June 1915 photo; Enlisted Woolwich.

PEATFIELD, Albert Ernest; Private; 260065; 8th Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/08/1917; 25; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of the Rev. Thomas & Annie Peatfield, husband of Gladys Rachel Peatfield of Bristol; Born Woolwich. In 1911 a hairdresser in Wandsworth. Father was a Methodist minister.

PECOVER, Harold William; Private; 19622; 5th Btn. Royal Berkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/08/1916; 20; Serre Road Cemetery No 2, France - XXI. E. 16.; 65 Federation Road, Abbey Wood; Son of William & Annie Pecover of Abbey Wood; Resident Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich. An oil & colour trade dealer.



PEDLEY, Joseph; Private; 19468; 13th Btn. Gloucestershire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 24/10/1916; 27; Etaples Military Cemetery, France - VIII. C. 12A.; 6 Horsa Road, Erith; Husband of Jessie E. Pedley of Erith; http://www.wartimememoriesproject.com/greatwar/view.php?uid=215350; Born Jarrow. A marine engine fitter.

PEELING, Alfred John; Rifleman; R/40608; 7th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 21/03/1918; 30; Pozières Memorial, France; Belmont Cottage, Bellegrove; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Alfred George & Evelina, married Elizabeth 1915, 1 son; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/peeling/; Born Kennington. Insurance office superintendent.

PELLING, Leonard; Lance Corporal; 78325; 5th Btn. Tank Corps; KiA; F&F; 16/04/1918; 32; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium - Panel 11; Born Erith; Son of Edward & Sarah; Enlisted Croydon. A piano tuner.

PENFOLD, William John; Rifleman; 576508; 17th Btn. County of London Regiment; Died; Germany?; 13/07/1918; 34; Cologne Southern Cemetery, Germany; 2 Princes Street / 4 May Cottage, Lion Street. Enlisted Bexleyheath. Married at Christ Church Bexleyheath 1909; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John & Amelia, husband of Jessie Florence; Erith Observer 9 May 1918; Born Crawley. A railway plate layer. Also garden nurseryman. Listed as "missing, Mar 1918".

PENNEY, Thomas Henry; Private; 123840; Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); Died; Home; 03/11/1918; 36; West Norwood Cemetery - 89. 34966; 61 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup; Son of Albert & Jemima Sarah, husband of Jessie Penney of Sidcup; Born Walworth, enlisted Kennington. A warehouseman.

PERFECT, John; Rifleman; A/203251; 16th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 08/11/1916; 36; Grove Town Cemetery, France; Born & baptised Bexleyheath. 4 Trinity Place. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry & Mary Ann; A bricklayer/agricultural worker.

PERFECT, Reginald Stanley; Private; 613931; 2nd/19th Btn. London Regiment; DoW; Salonika; 05/04/1917; 26; Karasouli Military Cemetery, Greece - C. 504.; Native of Belvedere, Bexley Road, Erith; Son of Frederick Henry & Elizabeth Caroline Perfect of Westcliff-on-Sea; Enlisted Southend. DoW after air attack.

PERFITT, Frank Herbert; Private; L/10190; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 01/09/1914; 19; Crépy-en-Valois Communal Cemetery, France - south-west corner; 118 Lovel Avenue, Welling; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels & East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Alfred & Rose; Bexleyheath Observer 12 February 1915; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/perfitt-2/; A nurseryman. DoW received at Mons.

PERFITT, Walter ("Wally"); Private; L/6868; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 14/05/1916; 30; Essex Farm Cemetery, Belgium; 2 James Cottages, Bellegrove Road / 2 Penpool Lane Welling; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of James & Ellen, husband of Eliza, 1 daughter; Bexleyheath Observer 30 June 1916; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/perfitt/; Railway worker. Mistakenly listed as William **PERFECT** on war memorial.

PERKINS, Albert Edward; Armourer's Crew; M/8149; Royal Navy, HMS Clan McNaughton; Drowned; At sea; 03/02/1915; 19; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 12; 16 Abbey Grove, Abbey Wood. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Robert & Ada Perkins.

PERKINS, Arthur; Gunner; 201934 Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 09/10/1917; 31; Nine Elms British Cemetery, Belgium; 3 Grove Cottages, Banks Lane, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Eliza; A farm labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.



PERKINS, John; Private; 53520; 2nd Btn. Canterbury Regiment, N.Z.E.F.; Died; Home; 27/10/1918; 29; Breinton (St Michael) Churchyard, Herefordshire; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; NoK W.W. Perkins (brother), Springfield, Canterbury, New Zealand; https://museum.timaru.govt.nz/explore/scroll/profile?id=2065; Born Herefordshire. A grocer.

PERRETT, William ("Willie"); Rifleman; O/578; 3rd Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 11/10/1918; 18; St Aubert British Cemetery, France; 72 Bourne Road, Bexley / 3 Prospect Place, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of David & Mary Perrett; Bexleyheath Observer 8 November 1918; Enlisted Woolwich.

PERRIMAN, Hugh; Private; G/5139; 8th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 08/07/1916; 24; Pond Farm Cemetery, Belgium; Ryecroft Laundry, Suffolk Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Albert & Mary, married. (Wife ran laundry business)

Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Sidcup & District Times 21 July 1916; Born Tovil, near Maidstone. Worked in laundry business Ryecroft in Sidcup.

PESTELL, Percy; Corporal; 8971; 1st Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); KiA; F&F; 27/09/1914; 22; Braine Communal Cemetery, France; Railway Place, Belvedere. Brother of Harry of Manor Road, Erith; Erith Times 27 November 1914; Born Luton. Enlisted Woolwich. Regular Army.

PETERS, William (Will); Sapper; WR/149063; Railway Troops, Royal Engineers; Died; Mesopotamia; 18/10/1918; 29; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq - I. Q. 18.; Born Crayford. Hope Cottage, Arthur Street. Sister at 22 Bexley Rd, Belvedere; Son of Thomas & Emily; Erith Observer 15 November 1918; Enlisted Woolwich. A blacksmith. Died of broncho-pneumonia.

PETO, Charles James; Private; G/916; 6th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/12/1915; 19; Vielle-Chapelle New Military Cemetery, France; Born Crayford; Son of James George & Elizabeth; Enlisted Guildford. A telegraph messenger.

PETT, Frederick Charles; Sergeant; 4143; "B" Coy. 2nd Btn. transf. to (C.Q.M.S. 603896) 19th Prisoner of War Coy. Labour Corps, Suffolk Regiment; Died; Home; 08/11/1918; 42; Bexley (St Mary) Church Cemetery; Buried St Mary's Church Cemetery, Bexley; Son of Stephen & Charlotte, husband of Annie Pett of Aldershot; https://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=32830542; Born & enlisted Cambridgeshire. Resident Rochester. A labourer. In 1911 in army.

PHILLIPS, Francis Herbert ("Fred"); Sapper; 20094; 3rd Field Coy. Australian Engineers; KiA; F&F; 12/09/1918; 19; Tincourt New British Cemetery, France - V. E. 25.; Born & baptised at Sidcup (St John's), Edith Cottages, Shirley Road Sidcup; Only Son of Francis William Henry & Fanny Phillips of Pingelly, Western Australia; http://lib.militaryarchive.co.uk/library/Biographical/library/Australias-Fighting-Sons-of-The-Empire/files/assets/basic-html/page263.html.

PHILLIPS, (Sydney) Vernon; 2nd Lieutenant; 7th Btn. Leicestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 14/08/1916; 28; Faubourg-d'Amiens Cemetery, France; "32 or 34 Gipsy Road"; Welling Memorial; Only son of Mary Phillips of South Merstham, Surrey & the late Rev. Sydney Phillips. Relative of Charles Phillips of Gipsy Road Welling?; Details unverified. Born Herne Bay. Known as Vernon. ("Vernon" on minutes of Memorial Committee). Assistant Valuer/Valuation Dept. of the Inland Revenue Board. A lay preacher.

PHIPPEN, Francis John; Rifleman; 1648; 12th Btn. London Regiment (The Rangers); DoW; F&F; 21/07/1916; 19; Warlencourt Halte British Cemetery, France - I. H. 4.; Born Erith. 14 Elm Road; Son of Eliza Phippen; https://wartimememoriesproject.com/greatwar/thosewhoserved/p-gw.php?pagenum=18; Resident East Ham (1911 a junior clerk).



PICKWORTH, Rowland John; Private; 210737; 58th Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 08/10/1916; 25; Vimy Memorial, France; Resident Crayford, 3 Pond Cottages; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of George & Mary of Crayford, grandparents in Crayford (Henry Goring). Married to Gladys Maud & living in Merritton, Ontario. 1 child;

http://www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/remembrance/memorials/canadian-virtual-war-memorial/detail/1573062?Rowl&%20John%20Pickworth; A mechanic.

PILBEAM, Arthur, Private; 16562; 10th Btn. Hampshire Regiment; KiA; Balkans; 07/12/1915; 32; Doiran Memorial, Greece; 21 Ethronvi Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Harriet; Bexley & District Times 18 August 1916; A general labourer. Enlisted Bromley.

PILCHER, Percy James; Lance Corporal; 682604; 22nd Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/10/1916; 26; Warlencourt British Cemetery, France - I. E. 1.; Resident Erith; Son of Richard & Emily; Born Faversham. 1911 census soldier, serving in India.

PILLMAN, Robert Laurence; Captain; "D" Coy. 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 09/07/1916; 23; Calvaire (Essex) Military Cemetery, Ploegsteert, Belgium - Grave Reference/: IV. D. 10.; The Cottage, Foots Cray Lane, Sidcup. Merton Court School pupil, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial & Congregational Church, Sidcup; Son of Joseph Charles & Mary Anna Pillman of Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times 21 July 1916; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; A trainee solicitor. Rugby international.

PISTELL, Albert (Herbert?); Private; L/13263; 1st Btn. Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment); KiA; F&F; 30/08/1916; 25; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 12 D & 13 B; Born Sidcup. Birkbeck Road / later St Mary Cray; Son of Thomas Pistell; Sidcup & District Times 6 October 1916; A brick maker. In 1911 already serving in army.

PITCHER, Edward Albert; Gunner; 156760; Royal Horse Artillery; KiA; F&F; 01/06/1917; 23; Bailleul Road East Cemetery, France; Born & baptised Erith. 3 Wheatley Terrace Road, Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Thomas & Emma; A coal porter.

PITTS, William; Lance Sergeant; 17565; 23rd Coy. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 22/06/1917; 37; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 56; 8 Battle Road, Erith; Son of Edward Elston & Mary Ann Pitts of Middlewood, Starcross, Devon, husband of Ethel Boules (formerly Pitts) of Erith; Born Dawlish, enlisted Exeter.

PLACE, George; Rifleman; R/18777; 16th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 02/12/1917; 25; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Born & resident Crayford 37 Old Road. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Edward & Emily; General labourer.

PLANT, Percy William; 2nd Lieutenant; 8th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/09/1915; 23; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 95 to 97; Born Foots Cray. The Terrace / High Street Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William & Ellen; Bexley & District Times 8 October 1915 photo; http://www.kingscollections.org/warmemorials/kings-college/memorials/plant-percy-william; University of London OTC. Teacher at Dartford Grammar School.

PLATER, George Eveleigh; Private 635649; 2nd/20th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 14/09/1918; 34; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France - Panel 10; Born Erith. Riversfield, Lesney Park, Erith; Son of George E.; Resident & enlisted Paddington. Stockbroker clerk.

PLATTS, Horace; Gunner; 686880; Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 02/04/1918; 25; Etaples Military Cemetery, France; Enlisted Erith; Son of Henry & Drusilla Platts of Guildford; Resident Guildford. An ironmonger's assistant.



PLAYLE, Wallace Edward George; Corporal; 651466; 21st Btn. London Regiment (First Surrey Rifles); KiA; F&F; 08/10/1916; 34; Thiepval Memorial, France; Resident Belvedere - Croft Cottage, Kentish Road Belvedere / Albany Villa, Kentish Road, Belvedere. (Lodging, as a teacher); Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of William & Sarah; Born Suffolk. Enlisted Camberwell. An elementary school teacher in Belvedere.

PLUCKROSE, George Henry; Gunner; 33469; 34th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 25/12/1915; 21; Vielle-Chapelle New Military Cemetery, France - I. C. 10.; Born Erith; Son of Mrs S. A. Pluckrose of Borough, London; Resident Southwark. Regular army in 1911.

PLUMB, S. E.? Thomas Cuthbert; Lance Corporal; 13746; Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment); KiA; F&F; 25/09/1915; 22; Loos Memorial, France; Lived Belvedere. 7 Trafalgar Terrace; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William Henry & Ellen Sophia Plumb; Born Portsmouth. Enlisted Woolwich. A fitter's apprentice.

POFFLEY, Alfred George; Private; 103241; 12th Coy. Royal Army Medical Corps; Died; Home (unknown location); 17/01/1918; 45; UK Book of Remembrance; Buried in Wilmington (St Michael) Churchyard, Wilmington, Kent; Employed at Bexley Mental Hospital - Head Attendant. Address Orchard Cottage, nr The Heath, Wilmington; Son of Thomas & Phoebe, husband of Kate Eleanor Poffley, 2 children; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-

<u>bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GSln=Poffley&GSbyrel=in&GSdyrel=in&GSob=n&GRid=127091039&</u>; Born Reading. Resident Dartford. Died of a duodenal ulcer, at Bexley Hospital?

POLLARD, Charles; Rifleman; S/21033; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); DoW; F&F; 27/10/1916; 34; Grove Town Cemetery, France - II B 9; 58 High Street, Bexley. Resident Bexleyheath. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexley Strict Baptist Chapel Memorial; Son of Cornelius & the late Louisa Pollard, husband of Elizabeth Jubilee Pollard (1905); Bexleyheath Observer 10 November 1916, Erith Observer 3 November 1916; A hairdresser.

POLLARD, George Thomas; Private; G/5736; 12th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/09/1916; 31; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 12 D & 13 B; Born Erith. Baptised St John's 1885; Son of Alfred & Mary Pollard; A widower. A gardener. Enlisted Hammersmith.

POLLARD, Lewis Allan; Gunner; 625742; Honourable Artillery Company; Died; F&F; 23/02/1919; 38; Caudry British Cemetery, France; Family in Foots Cray & Sidcup; Son of the late John & Eliza Pollard of North Cray, husband of Florence Emma, 1 child; Sidcup Times 14 March 1919; Resident Chislehurst. A buyer costumer. Died of pneumonia days before discharge from army. Had joined the Honourable Artillery Company in 1916.

POLLOCK, Edward Archibald; Gunner; 930923; "A" Bty. 93rd Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 29/10/1917; 24; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Born Foots Cray. Cockle Villa, Birkbeck Road; Son of George & Ellen, brother of George Alexander; Resident Deptford. A furrier's Assistant. Enlisted Woolwich.

POLLOCK, George Alexander; Gunner; 930940; 76th Army Bde. Ammunition Col. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 21/10/1917; 26; Canada Farm Cemetery, Belgium; Born Foots Cray. Cockle Villa, Birkbeck Road; Son of George & Ellen Brother of Edward Archibald; Resident Deptford. A commercial traveller. Enlisted Woolwich.

POOK, George Frederick; Private; 25979; 1st Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/09/1917; 23; Villers Hill British Cemetery, France; Employed at Callenders of Erith c 1914; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Brother of Elizabeth Hills; Born Bermondsey. Resident Chatham. Enlisted Woolwich. General labourer. In 1911 at Dartford Union Workhouse (Date died/ 25 April 1917(SD) or 25 September 1917(CWGC)).



POOLEY, William John; Gunner; 63913; Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 13/07/1916; 27; Carnoy Military Cemetery, France; 14 Orchard Road, Welling; Welling Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William & Harriet of Woolwich; Bexleyheath Observer 28 July 1916; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/pooley/; Born Deptford. Worked at Royal Arsenal.

PORTER, Ernest Edward; Sergeant; 9229; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 16/07/1916; 18; Thiepval Memorial, France; Employed by Prices Oil Works, Belvedere; Son of Edward George Porter & Susan Ricketts of Dartford; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born Paddington. Resident Dartford.

POTTER, Edward; Captain; 10th Btn. Royal Warwickshire Regiment; Died; F&F; 10/11/1918; 32; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France - S. V. K. 12.; Born & baptised Sidcup. (Christ Church). Family in Sidcup (Sherwood Hill); Son of Henry Potter of Sidcup & the late Mary Potter, husband of Lucy Potter of Grimsby; An estate agent/land surveyor. Resident Tooting.

POTTER, Frank William; Private; 9478; 3rd Btn. Canadian Expeditionary Force; KiA; F&F; 16/06/1915; 28; Vimy Memorial, France; Born Sidcup. Sherwood Hill, Foots Cray; Son of Henry & Mary Ann; http://www.canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=52093; Emigrated 1903. A farmer.

POTTER, Mary Ann; Killed (air raid); Home; 22/09/1916; 68; 30 Alexandra Road, Erith; Husband of John Potter, mother of Sylvia Adams & Queenie Grace "Cissie" Reynolds & grandmother of Sylvia Grace (all 3 also killed); http://diamondgeezer.blogspot.co.uk/2016/09/zeppelin-over-bow.html; Killed while visiting daughters in Zeppelin raid - Black Swan pub, Bow, East London.

POULTER, Percy; Private; G/95466; 1st Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 24/10/1918; 24; Cross Roads Cemetery, Fontaine-Au-Bois, France; 5 Garden Cottages, May Place Road / 198 Broadway, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Joseph & Kate, married, 1 child; Bexley & District Times 22 November 1918 photo; Enlisted Mill Hill. Worked at Vickers for four years. (In 1911 "a vine grower" in Bexleyheath).

POVEY, H. Harry?; Born Northfleet?; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial - Details unverified.

POWELL, Frederick Albert Thomas; Rifleman; 50517; 1/8th Btn. London Regiment, Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 08/08/1918; 19; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France Panel 10; 117 Abbey Grove, Abbey Wood; Son of Sarah Martha Powell of Abbey Wood; Enlisted Woolwich.

POWLES, Charles Frederick; Private; 21117; 8th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/08/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Employed at Vickers; Son of Frederick George & Mary Ann; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born Battersea. Resident & enlisted Dartford.

POWLESLAND, George Victor; Private; 235071; 8th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium Panel Number: 35 to 37 & 162 to 162A; 26 Cambridge Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of George Henry & Marion Powlesland of Sidcup; Born Hampshire. Enlisted Hertford.

POYNTER (POYNTON), George Henry; Lance Corporal; 70438; Notts & Derby (Sherwood Foresters) Regiment; DoW; Home; 19/04/1918; 23; Woodville Methodist Churchyard, Woodville, Derbyshire; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Joseph & Jane; Born & resident Derbyshire. A brewery worker. (Military records as **POYNTON**).



PRENDERGAST (PRENDEGAST), Thomas; Private; 54821; 5th Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); KiA; F&F; 25/04/1918; 20; Somers Farm Cemetery, Belgium; Callender's employee; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Thomas & Elizabeth Prendergast of Hemsworth, Yorks.; Enlisted Leeds. A miner.

PRESCOTT, Frank Ernest Archibald; Corporal; 6167; Lincolnshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 16/06/1915; 32; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 12 Stapley Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Eliza Ann Page (formerly Prescott), stepson of Henry Page; Enlisted Woolwich.

PRESCOTT, William Henry; Private; 29882; South Lancashire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 22/07/1917; 27; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 36 Stapley Road, Belvedere. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of John Edward & Sarah Ann Prescott of Belvedere, husband of the late Elizabeth Alice Prescott of Eccleston Street, Preston, Lancs.; A general labourer/tool setter. Resident Preston.

PRESTON, Albert Edward; Bombardier; 20761; 49th Bty. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 19/10/1918; 35; Carnieres Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Resident 24 Norman Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of George & Ellen Preston of Saltley, Birmingham, husband of Emma Christina Preston of 85 Kinveachy Gardens, Old Charlton, London; Erith Observer 29 November 1918; Born & enlisted Birmingham. MM. Formerly employed at Price's Oil Works. He was a reservist & went to war with the Expeditionary Force.

PRESTWICK (**PRESTWICH**), Charles Edmund; Private; 9545; 1st Btn. Dorsetshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/10/1914; 18; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 22 & 23; Born Erith, 43 West Street; Son of Frederick & Annie; Resident Winton, Hants. Enlisted Dorchester.

PRETT, Frank Harold; Private; G/8954; 8th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 23/07/1917; 26; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 12 & 14; 3 Whitehill Road, Crayford; Son of William & Emma S. Prett of Crayford; http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=12048155; Born Chislet, nr Canterbury. Enlisted Herne Bay. A gardener.

PRICE, Ernest; Private; 252837; 3rd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 16/06/1917; 27; Arras Memorial, France; Born & baptised Bexleyheath. Resident Unity Cottages, Belvedere Road. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of James & Eliza; Born Blackheath. A nurseryman.

PRICE, Harry Charles; Private; 354942; 7th Btn. City of London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 32; Pozières Memorial, France; 35 Springfield Road, Welling; Welling Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of John W. & Alice, married 1914 Emily, Woolwich; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/price-2/; Born Plumstead. Employed at Woolwich Arsenal.

PRICE, Leonard; Private; G/1962; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 05/04/1918; 22; Ribemont Communal Cemetery Extension, Somme, France - IV. E. 9.; Born Sidcup, Resident Sidcup. 5 Nash Cottages, Birkbeck Road; Sidcup War Memorial & Emmanuel Church, Sidcup; Brother of William; Enlisted Woolwich. "Old boy of Sidcup National School & known as a good footballer".

PRICE, Walter; Private; DM2/230096; RASC; Died; Home; 18/12/1916; 39; Woolwich Cemetery; 4 Norman Villas, Bellegrove Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Isaac & Elizabeth, husband of Mary; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/price/; Born Nottingham. Resident Plumstead. An insurance agent. Died of meningitis at Woolwich Hospital.



PRICE, William Thomas; Private; S/358; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 01/05/1915; 34; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium - Panel 2; Resident Sidcup / Nash's cottages, Birkbeck Road; Sidcup War Memorial & Emmanuel Church, Sidcup; Brother of Leonard; Bexley & District Times 13 August 1915 photo, Sidcup & District Times 14 May 1915; Born & enlisted Woolwich.

PRICKETT, Frederick James; Lance Corporal; 11133; 1st Btn. Royal Dublin Fusiliers; KiA; Gallipoli; 30/04/1915; 25; Beach Cemetery, Turkey; 41 Douglas Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Mrs Booth; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/prickett/; Born Elham, Kent. A regular soldier.

PRINGLE, Charles John; Private; G/3872; 9th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/03/1916; 27; Menin Road South Military Cemetery, Belgium - I. J. 3.; 12 Gilbert Road, Belvedere; Son of Thomas & Mary, husband of Beatrice Alice Parris (formerly Pringle), of Belvedere; Born St Leonards, Sussex. A general labourer.

PRINTER, Thomas; Private; 7384; 1st Btn. Essex Regiment; DoW; Gallipoli; 06/05/1915; 30; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 144 to 150 or 229 to 233; Resident Erith; Son of George & Rachel; Born Camberwell. General labourer.

PRYER, Andrew; Rifleman; 393753; 9th Btn. London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles); KiA; F&F; 15/08/1917; 23; Birr Cross Roads Cemetery, Belgium; 1 Station Road Belvedere (1901), 18 Abbey Wood Road (1911); Son of William & Mary; Born Scotland. A labourer at Woolwich Arsenal.

PUDDIFOOT, George Herbert; Private; 202936; 1st Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 23/09/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 51 Standard Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of George William & Grace; Bexley & District Times 16 November 1917; Born York.

PULLEN, Alfred William; Lance Corporal; 24109; 1st Btn. Grenadier Guards; DoW; F&F; 09/06/1918; 20; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France - Q. III. D. 6.; 10 Elm Road, Slade Green. Attended Slade Green National School; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Philip & Alice E. Pullen of Slade Green; Erith Observer 27 June 1918; Born Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich. Family worked on railways at Slade Green. Apprenticed as a moulder at Messrs Fraser & Chalmers Erith. Played in the Christ Church Erith Football team.

PULLMAN, Peter; Private; 8469; 14th Btn. Hampshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 03/09/1916; 25; Ancre British Cemetery, France - I. F. 31.; Elms Lodge, Erith; Brother of Mrs. L. Miller of Elms Lodge, Erith (NoK); Born Newport, IoW. A workhouse boy in Southwark. Resident West Norwood.

PUPLETT, John E.; Rifleman; 2920; 9th Btn. London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles); KiA; F&F; 09/06/1915; 27; Voormezeele Enclosure, Belgium - No.3 VB2; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of Thomas & Mary Puplett of London; Resident West Hampstead.

PURDY, Samuel; Chief Stoker; 142447; Royal Navy, HMS Queen Mary; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 48; Chatham Naval Memorial; 1 Blaxland Villas, Bellegrove; Welling Memorial; Son of William & Caroline, married 1892 Clara Sophia; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/purdy/; Born in Norfolk. Royal Navy reservist.

RAFTER, John; 3185; 1st Btn. Irish Guards; KiA; F&F; 09/11/1914; 30; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Employed by Bexley Mental Hospital; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born Kilmore, County Mayo, Ireland. Enlisted Ballina, Co. Mayo. Resident Dartford. 2nd Class Attendant at Bexley Asylum. Serving in Army in 1911.



RALPH, Charles Bernard; Lance Corporal; 8531; 1st Btn. Dorsetshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 21/10/1914; 21; Le Touret Memorial, France Panel 22 & 23; 38 Police Quarters, Royal Arsenal, Abbey Wood; Son of Michael & Theresa E. Ralph of Abbey Wood, brother of Sydney John; Born Belfast, enlisted Gosport.

RALPH, Sydney John; Lance Corporal; 8294; Dorsetshire Regiment; DoW; Mesopotamia; 25/09/1915; 25; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 22 & 63; 38 Police Quarters, Royal Arsenal, Abbey Wood; Son of Michael & Theresa E. Ralph, brother of Charles Bernard; Born Plymouth, enlisted Gosport.

RAMSDEN, John William; Rifleman; R/19459; 22nd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; Died; Home; 30/04/1918; 24; Sidmouth Cemetery, Devon; 5 South Road, Erith / 37 Mill Road Belvedere / 1 Corinthian Road; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of David Barling & Emma Louisa; Baker's assistant / machine hand. Discharged from Army July 1916.

RANCE, James; Private; 21677; 5th Btn. The King's (Liverpool Regiment); Died (drowned); Home; 27/02/1916; 51; Greenwich Cemetery; Died Belvedere - military records state drowned in brook by Callenders Cable Works; NoK – Sister Elizabeth Cregh of County Mayo; Born Ireland(?). Resident Liverpool.

RANDALL, Caroline Alice; Died (drowned); At sea; 19/08/1915; 73; 23 London Road, Crayford; Wife of William, grandmother of Eva May; Sidcup Times 27 August 1915; https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SS Arabic (1902); Passenger on board SS Arabic — sunk by submarine U-24. The Randalls were on their way to America to visit relatives.

RANDALL, Eva May; Died (drowned); At sea; 19/08/1915; 23; 23 London Road, Crayford; Granddaughter of William & Caroline, fiancé of Dennis McCull of Slade Green; Sidcup Times 27 August 1915; https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SS Arabic (1902); Born Midlothian, Scotland. An assistant silk printer. Passenger on board SS Arabic – sunk by submarine U-24.

RANDALL, George Edward; Private; 2093; 14th Btn. London Regiment (London Scottish); KiA; F&F; 01/11/1914; 22; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Sidcup College pupil; Son of Charles William & Emma Randall; http://woodfordmemorialhallheritageproject.co.uk/r&all-george-edward/; Born Norfolk, resident Loughton, Essex. Employed in his father's business as M.D of the Hamburg Branch, & Director of C.W. Randall & Co. Ltd.

RANDALL, George Frederick; Gunner; 38322; 50th Coy. Royal Garrison Artillery; Died; Home; 30/12/1916; 22; Grangegorman (Cork) Memorial Headstones, Ireland - Special Memorial - Alternative Commemoration - buried in Cork Military Cemetery; 8 Lenham Terrace, Old Road, Crayford / 1 Yew Tree Cottage Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Fred & Lucy Ann; Sidcup & District Times 26 January 1917; A textile block printer apprentice. Enlisted Gravesend. Died of yellow fever, buried in Cork Military Cemetery.

RANDALL, William Joseph; Died (drowned); At sea; 19/08/1915; 74; 23 London Road, Crayford; Husband of Caroline, grandfather of Eva May; Sidcup Times 27 August 1915; https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SS Arabic (1902); Retired silk printer. Passenger on board SS Arabic – sunk by submarine U-24.

RATCLIFFE, Sydney Eustace; Private; 48126; 10th Btn. South Wales Borderers; KiA; F&F; 04/11/1918; 19; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58912-sydney-ratcliffe; Born & enlisted Leigh, Lancs.



RAYNER, Fred; Regimental Sergeant Major; 4713; 1st Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); DoW; Home; 01/05/1918; 40; Grove Road Cemetery Harrogate, Yorks.; Died Sidcup (assumed at Queen's Hospital?); Son of William & Martha, husband of Mary; https://livesofthefirstworldwar.org/lifestory/4144663; MM. Born Leeds. Regular army.

RAYNER, William Thomas; Private; G/10124; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1918; 19; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 58 & 59; 23 Bexley Lane, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Elizabeth Harriett Cliff of Crayford; Born Woolwich. Enlisted Bromley. A warehouseman.

RAZZELL, Arthur George; Private; 353246; 7th Btn. London Regiment (City of London); KiA; F&F; 22/08/1918; 39; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; Resident Belvedere, enlisted Erith. 3 Albert Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William & Mary, husband of Agnes; Born Leatherhead. A fishmonger & poulterer.

REA, Frederick William; Private; 8772; 1st Btn. Bedfordshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/04/1915; 31; Bedford House Cemetery, Belgium - Enclosure No.2 V. A. 36.; Born Erith. 2 James Watt Place, Erith / 6 Maxim Road, Crayford; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of James & Alice; May be recorded as **RAE**. 1901 a Bricklayer. 1911 Army.

READ, Charles William; Gunner; 74351; 130th Heavy Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 13/04/1917; 27; La Clytte Military Cemetery, Belgium; 41 Shirley Road, Sidcup. Worked at Erith Oil Works; Son of Charles Henry Read of 28 West View Road, Dartford, husband of Annie Read of Sidcup; Bexleyheath & District Times 4 May 1917, From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born Ipswich. Resident & enlisted Dartford.

READING, Herbert Victor; Lance Corporal; 230472; 2nd Btn. (City of London) Royal Fusiliers) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 16/08/1917; 26; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Panel 52; Resident Sidcup (Family at The Mays, Sidcup Hill); Sidcup War Memorial; Son of the late James & Annie Reading. Lived with sister & brother in law (Mr Folkard) in Sidcup; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Chiswick. Resident Lewisham. An office clerk.

REDDY, Wilfred George; Lieutenant; Cameron Highlanders; Died; F&F; 04/04/1919; 34; Bleue-Maison Military Cemetery, France; Leigh Villa, 92 Grosvenor Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William Albert & Ellen Reddy of Belvedere; http://twgpp.org/information.php?id=2556624; Served in the 2nd Btn. Black Watch for 15 years. "Accidentally killed near St Omer 4th April 1919".

REED, George William; Gunner; 85993; Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 16/02/1917; 19; Erquinghem-Lys Churchyard Extension Cemetery, France; Fair View, Mount Road (Ethronvi). Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George Robert & Harriet; Bexley & District Times 30 March 1917; Born Battersea.

REED, James Joseph; Rifleman; 6/741; 12th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 16/08/1917; 26; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 115 to 119 & 162A & 163A; Louisa Cottage, Crayford Road, Erith; Husband of Alice Elizabeth McLean (formerly Reed) of Erith, son of Arthur Reed of 68 Suffolk Street, Poplar; Born Poplar, enlisted Stratford. Engineering labourer.

REED, Maurice John Benjamin; Private; 4911; 20th Btn. London (Blackheath & Woolwich); Died; Home; 05/04/1916; 25; Brompton Cemetery, London (L173585); Christ Church, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Rev. William & Helen; Resident & enlisted Hammersmith. Father, William Reed, became Vicar of Christ Church in January 1917.



REID, Andrew; Private; 15879; 11th Btn. Royal Scots; DoW; Home; 29/04/1918; 41; Manchester Southern Cemetery; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of James & Margaret Reid of Dumfries, husband of Mary I. Reid of Ancoats, Manchester; Born Dumfries, resident Manchester. Enlisted Stockport. A joiner.

REID, John Frederick; Sergeant; 9820; 2nd Btn. Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 26; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 6; 8 School Cottages, Foots Cray, Sidcup; Son of Mrs J. Reid of Shipley Valley, Shipley, Bradford, husband of Frances Helena Reid of Sidcup; Resident Bradford, enlisted Halifax.

RENDALL, Harry Newman; Rifleman; R/24003; 18th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 21/09/1917; 35; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 115 to 119 & 162A & 163A; 21 Church Road. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Jared & Jane Ann, brother of May Allen, of 30A Nelson Road, Belvedere, Kent; Bexley & District Times 12 October 1917; Born Maze Hill. A bricklayer.

REYNOLDS, George William; Trimmer; 4369/TS; Royal Naval Reserve, HMT Cudwosin; Died; Malta; 17/05/1917; 18; Malta (Capuccini) Naval Cemetery; 2 Westwood Cottages, Blackfen; Son of Thomas & Harriett Reynolds; Family were farm workers. HMT Cudwosin was an admiralty trawler serving in the Mediterranean.

REYNOLDS, William Frederick; Corporal; 28073; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 01/10/1917; 34; Bleuet Farm Cemetery, Belgium; Paddock Road, Bexley / Bisley Cottages, Sandford Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry Edward & Katherine Reynolds, husband of Priscilla of Portsmouth. Enlisted Woolwich. A plasterer before joining army. In 1911 serving with Royal Artillery in China.

RIBBANS, Alfred; Private; 6285; AOC; Died; Home; 20/03/1917; 27; Paignton Cemetery (Devon); Parents in Belvedere, 9 Stanmore Road; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Arthur & Sarah, married to Armonia (1916), brother of George; A fitter & trimmer. Regular army. Discharged 1915.

RIBBANS (RIBBINS on CWGC), George; Guardsman; 17429; 2nd Btn. Grenadier Guards; Died; F&F; 05/03/1915; 20; Bethune Town Cemetery, France; 9 Stanmore Road, Belvedere. Enlisted Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Arthur & Sarah, brother of Alfred; Bexley & District Times 2 April 1915; A butcher's assistant. Died of pneumonia.

RICH, Harold; Private; 3053; 12th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 26/09/1915; 21; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 25 to 27; 88 Woodside Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Emmanuel Church, Sidcup, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Arthur & Rose Rich. (Father a police sergeant); Sidcup & District Times 15 October 1915 photo; In 1911 census a servant in Leicestershire. Enlisted Woolwich 1915.

RICHARDS, George Henry; Driver; 915276; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 29/04/1918; 23; Bexleyheath Cemetery (464); 39 Broadway, Bexleyheath / 2 Shirley Villas, Erith Road. Enlisted Erith; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry & Amelia; Erith Observer 9 May 1918; Born Islington. In 1911 a house porter in a Bexleyheath bank. Enlisted Aug 1914, served in France & Salonika. Died at VAD. Hospital High Wycombe.

RICHARDS, Sidney Francis; Private 2nd Class; 245437; RAF; Died; Home; 07/08/1918; 18; Ford Park Cemetery (formerly Plymouth Old Cemetery); 3 Brighton Terrace, Erith / 30 Gordon Road, Belvedere. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of William & Elizabeth; A clerk. Died of cerebral fever at Stonehouse RN hospital, Plymouth. Previously served in RNAS 1918

RICHARDSON, F. L.; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels



RICHARDSON, Harry Sydney; Corporal; 1281; 53rd Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; DoW; F&F; 09/03/1917; 28; Dernancourt Communal Cemetery Extension, France - VI. C. 33.; Native of Belvedere. Resident Maida Villa, Belvedere. Family at 12 Hengist Road; Son of Edward & Frances Ann Richardson of Crane Lodge, Cranmore, Yarmouth, Isle of Wight; https://www.aif.adfa.edu.au/showPerson?pid=254419; A cable works clerk. Attended Woolwich Polytechnic - see https://w3.gre.ac.uk/directory/memorial/Part4.html

RICHARDSON, John Asshell; Private; 2183; 10th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 21/09/1918; 30; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; Employed at Vickers; Son of John & Charlotte; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Born St Mary's Cray, Resident & enlisted Dartford.

RICHARDSON, William Lambert; Private; L/9913; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 19/06/1915; 19; Potijze Chateau Wood Cemetery, Belgium; 2 Walkers Cottages, Long Lane / 24 Watling Street, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of James & Annie/Anne; Bexleyheath Observer 2 July 1915, Erith Observer 16 July 1915; A trained compositor in the office of the Erith Observer.

RICKETTS, George William; Corporal; 1189; Royal Army Medical Corps; Died; Home; 1917 June quart.; 24; East Wickham (St Michael) Churchyard; 31 Springfield Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Richard H. & Elizabeth, nephew of George Case; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/ricketts/; Born Plumstead. Messenger boy at Woolwich Arsenal. Died of kidney disease at Rotherhithe Sanatorium.

RICKETTS, J.; Welling Memorial; A Joseph Ricketts listed in newspaper 1914.

RILEY, Thomas George; Private; 493725; 13th Btn. (County of London) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 24/04/1918; 29; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 88; Resident Crayford. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of the late Charles & Susan Riley; Born Leicester.

RING, John; Private; 13618; Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 28/09/1916; 23; Ration Farm Military Cemetery, France; 62 Standard Road / Magdala Cottage, Erith Road, Bexleyheath / 9 North Cray Road Bexley; Bexleyheath War Memorial; Son of John & Anne; Bexleyheath Observer 8 December 1916, Erith Observer 1 December 1916; A general labourer. Resident Fulham, Known as 'Bob' at the front.

RING, William; Greaser; Mercantile Marine, SS Feltria (London); Killed; At sea; 05/05/1917; 39; Tower Hill Memorial, London; Born at Erith. 9 Coronation Row, Bexley; Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Alice Ring & the late John Ring, husband of Elizabeth Martha Ring (nee Rowland) of 105 Pattison Road, Plumstead; Boat sunk by U-boat.

RIPPINGALE, George Ernest; Private; 60662; 23rd Btn. Middlesex Regiment; DoW; Germany?; 31/05/1918; 19; Cologne Southern Cemetery, Germany; 22 St Augustine's Road, Belvedere / Leather Bottle, Public House, Heron Hill, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Mrs R. Manning (formerly Rippingale) of Belvedere & G. Manning, stepfather; Born Ilford. Enlisted Woolwich. Stepfather ran The Leather Bottle pub, Belvedere.

RITSON, Eustace Blackburne; 2nd Lieutenant; Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 08/10/1917; 34; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Callender's employee; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of the late Rev. William & Lucy Margaret Ritson; Born Rivington, Lancs. Electrical engineer (worked in Mexico from 1905-07).

RIVETT, Francis William; Sergeant; M2/051003; 47th Ammunition Sub Pk. Army Service Corps; DoW; F&F; 16/10/1917; 43; Dozinghem Military Cemetery, Belgium; 1 Victoria Pavement, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Husband of Mary Louise Rivett of St John's, Deptford, 4 children; Bexleyheath Observer 26 October 1917; Born Surbiton. Resident Deptford. A chauffeur



ROBBINS, Charles Henry; Company Quartermaster Sergeant; 6630; 3rd Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 07/11/1914; 29; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 34; 33 Clarence Road, Sidcup; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of George Robbins of Bretforton, Honeybourne, Worcs., husband of Daisy Robbins of Sidcup; http://www.rememberthefallen.co.uk/casualty/robbins-charles/; Born Worcestershire. A clerk. Regular army stationed in Dover 1911.

ROBERTS, A. (William Alfred); Private; 63309; 15th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 18/08/1918; 22; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; 3 Banks Lane; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William J. & Elizabeth, husband of Bridie Goodwright (formerly Roberts) of 5 Rowlstone Cottages, Graham Road, Bexleyheath; http://www.everymanremembered.org/profiles/soldier/1748202/; Born Brixton. Enlisted Woolwich.

ROBERTS, Ernest; Stoker 1st Class; K/21868; Royal Navy, HMS Vanguard; KiA; At sea; 09/07/1917; 24; Chatham Naval Memorial; 38 Walnut Tree Avenue, Erith; Son of Charles & Elizabeth Ann; Bexleyheath Observer 20 July 1917; Born Dartford. Factory labourer, joined Navy January 1914.

ROBERTSON, Donald Lennox; Rifleman; S/32555; 8th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 02/12/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Robert L. & Evelyn Winnifred Robertson; Born Bengal, India. Father a government engineer.

ROBERTSON, Ernest Guy; Captain; Royal Army Medical Corps; Died; Home; 28/10/1918; 33; Wymering Churchyard, Portsmouth, Hants.; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup. Also worked there from August 1917; Son of Dr Frederick Freer Leslie Robertson & Louisa Baker of Portsmouth, husband of Katherine Dorothy Robertson; http://www.kingscollections.org/warmemorials/guys-hospital/memorials/robertson-ernest-guy; Born Portsmouth. Trained at Guy's Hospital. A dentist. Died of influenza.

ROBINSON, Alexander Jesse; Private; 254692; 3rd Btn. City of London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/08/1918; 18; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; Residence Erith at 43 Crayford Road); Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of the late Benjamin & Susan Robinson; Born Wood Green. Enlisted Woolwich.

ROBINSON, Charles Poulton; Private; 1135; 3rd Btn. Sharpshooter Hussars; KiA; Gallipoli; 21/08/1915; 26; Green Hill Cemetery, Turkey; Fair View, Warren Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Robert & Edith Ann; Born Amsterdam (family of merchants).

ROBINSON, Henry John; 2nd Lieutenant; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 21/09/1917; 34; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium Panel 106 to 108; 31 Federation Road, Abbey Wood; Husband of Isabella Ann Robinson of Abbey Wood; http://Janet&richardsgenealogy.co.uk/2nd%20Lieut%20H%20J%20Robinson.html; Enlisted February 1915, served in Egypt with Royal Army Vet. Corps.

ROBINSON, Leslie Robert Joseph; Private; PO/1485(S); Royal Marine Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 03/09/1918; 21; Bac-du-Sud British Cemetery, France; Resident 63 Lower Road, Oxford Terrace, Belvedere; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of Joseph Robinson of 31 Queen's Road Erith; http://www.callingtons.co.uk/leslie-robert-joseph-robinson; Born Pimlico. Enlisted Mar 1916.

ROBINSON, Lewis James; Rifleman; 47062; 14th Btn. Royal Irish Rifles; DoW; F&F; 17/08/1917; 18; Ypres Reservoir Cemetery, Belgium; 57 Grosvenor Road, Belvedere. Erith Grammar School pupil. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Belvedere War Memorial, Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of James & Florence; In 1901 census lived 1 Walter James Cottages, Grosvenor Road; Enlisted Woolwich.



ROBINSON, Oliver Farnden William; Gunner; 156389; Royal Garrison Artillery; Died; Italy; 19/03/1918; 23; Giavera British Cemetery, Italy; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Lettie (Widowed shoemaker in Gravesend); Resident Gravesend. Died "Accident".

ROBINSON, William Alfred Layton; Second Lieutenant; 11th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 26/06/1917; 20; Dickebusch New Military Cemetery Extension, Belgium; Southwood, The Drive, Sidcup. Merton Court School pupil; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Edward L. & Mary S. Robinson of The Drive, Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times 13 July 1917; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Severely wounded in the battle of the Somme he recovered & re-joined his regiment in France.

ROBSON, Joseph Henry; Gunner; 725961; Royal Horse Artillery; Died; Home; 07/11/1918; 36; Bexleyheath Cemetery (2679); 2 Albion Road, Bexleyheath; No known next of kin; An electrician.

RODGERS, John Henry; Corporal; 78780; Royal Engineers; Died; Home; 09/11/1918; 23; Nunhead (All Saints) Cemetery; Sunnydale, Hatherley Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Henry Carl & Mary Rodgers of Bromley; Sidcup Times 14 Mar 1919; Born Bermondsey. Enlisted Bromley. Died of pneumonia at Mansfield Military Hospital.

RODNEY, The Hon. William Francis; Second Lieutenant; 3rd Sqdn. Royal Flying Corps; KiA; F&F; 09/05/1915; 18; Chocques Military Cemetery, France; The Rodney Hut in Crayford was named in his honour; Son of the late 7th Baron Rodney & Lady Corisande Evelyn V. Rodney of Piccadilly, London https://www1.crayfordhistory.co.uk/index/crayfords-first-world-war/the-rodney-hut/.

ROGERS, John (Jack); Private; G/12972; 7th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/11/1917; 37; Cambrai Memorial, France; Worked for Mr F. Knight of Sidcup. Played for Cray Wanderers FC; Husband of Lucy Ellen Rogers of St Mary Cray; Born Chatham. Enlisted Bromley.

ROGERS, Percy Alexander Mackarness; Lieutenant; 7th Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/10/1917; 19; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Springmead, Bexley; Son of Percy John & Louise Victoria; Bexleyheath Observer 26 October 1917; Born Ireland. Father a hospital official. Trainee lawyer.

ROOK, Ernest William; Private; 8771; 2nd Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment (Prince of Wales's Own); DoW; F&F; 11/07/1916; 26; St Sever Cemetery, France - A. 28. 10.; Born Erith. Mother Resident at 62 Picardy Street, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Richard Stephen & Emma Rook of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich. 1911 serving in India.

ROOPE, Arthur; Private; S4/043693; 10th Field Bakery, Army Service Corps; Died; Mesopotamia; 29/06/1916; 22; Amara War Cemetery, Iraq Grave Reference/Panel Number: XI. G. 7.; 34 Clarence Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Emmanuel Church, Sidcup; Son of Absalom W. & Elizabeth E. Roope of Sidcup, brother of Horace Charles; Sidcup & District Times 14 July 1916; A butcher

ROOPE, Horace Charles; Rifleman; R/37344; 11th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; Died; F&F; 29/03/1918; 19; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 61 to 64; Born Sidcup, Resident Sidcup. Southville, 34 Clarence Road; Emmanuel Church, Sidcup; Son of Absalom. W. Roope & Elizabeth E. Roope, of Sidcup, brother of Arthur; Enlisted Woolwich.

RUDD, Thomas Herbert; Lieutenant; Royal Air Force; Died; Switzerland?; 19/02/1921; 27; Vevey (St Martin's) Cemetery, Switzerland - Grave ref. 77; Born in Belvedere. 169 Abbey Road, Belvedere; Son of Harriett Rudd of High Wycombe, Bucks.; In 1911 a clerk. A wounded POW - "Died of phthisis following wounds (gas) contracted in 1915".



RUDKIN, William; Gunner; 296004; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; Home; 20/04/1918; 21; Leicester (Welford Road) Cemetery; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Alfred & Martha Rudkin of Leicester; Born & resident Leicester. A mechanic.

RUDLAND, W. See WELLS, W. R.; Sidcup War Memorial

RUMSBY, Joseph Henry; Private; M2/188196; 729th M.T. Coy. Army Service Corps; Died; Mesopotamia; 08/06/1918; 19; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq - XII. L. 4.; 79 McLeod Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Charles & Lucy Rumsby of Abbey Wood; Son of a factory foreman. Born Wakefield. Enlisted Woolwich.

RUSS, William George; born 1881; Census 1911 father living 24 Watling Street; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of William Daniel & Harriet; Bexley & District Times 17 May 1918

RUSSEL, Michael Leigh; Private; 5904; 25th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 35; Villers-Bretonneux Memorial, France; Born in Bexleyheath; Only son of the late Thomas & Matilda Mary Russel of Bexleyheath; Emigrated 1908. Enlisted June 1916.

RUSSELL, Charles; Rifleman; S/16253; 16th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 21/10/1916; 29; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 16 B & 16 C; Resident Erith; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Robert & Eliza; http://www.kentfallen.com/PDF%20REPORTS/BRASTED.pdf; Born Brasted, Kent. A farm worker.

RUSSELL, Charles William; Private; R4/108634; 51st Remount Sqdn. Army Service Corps; Died; Home; 17/04/1916; 45; Horley (St Bartholomew) Churchyard; Born Abbey Wood; Son of George William & Louisa Russell, husband of Alice; Family worked at Southern Outfall Sewerage Crossness. Resident Horley.

RUSSELL, Edward; Private; 354441; 7th Btn. London Regiment (City of London); KiA; F&F; 07/06/1917; 22; Voormezeele Enclosure No.3, Belgium; 3 Danson Cottages, Danson Lane; Welling Memorial; Only child of Edward & Sarah, husband of Violet, 2 children; Bexleyheath Observer 10 August 1917; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/russell/; Assistant gardener.

RUSSELL, Herbert; Lance Corporal; C/9639; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 24/08/1918; 28; Bucquoy Road Cemetery, France - VI. K. 13.; Born Sidcup, Resident Sidcup. Stanley Road / 59 Birkbeck Road; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Alfred & Sarah; Enlisted Woolwich. A carman.

RUSSELL, Percy Arthur; Lance Corporal; 88041; The King's (Liverpool Regiment); KiA; F&F; 30/11/1917; 24; Cambrai Memorial, France Panel 4; 6 Government Quarters, Abbey Wood; Son of Albert Thomas & Sophy Russell of Abbey Wood; Born Chelsea. Enlisted Woolwich.

RUTLAND, William Edward; Stoker 1st Class; K/13222; Royal Navy, HMS Queen Mary; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 24; Portsmouth Naval Memorial Panel 19; 8 Cray Place, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Henry & Mary Rutland of 8 Cray Place, Foots Cray; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born at St Mary Cray. A gardener at Twysdens, Foots Cray.

RUTT, Arthur George; Private; 57337; 57th Btn. Machine Gun Corps (Inf); KiA; F&F; 28/09/1917; 33; Voormezeele Enclosures Leper, Belgium Grave Reference/ Panel Number: I. K. 11 3.; Woodland Cottages, Corbylands Road, Sidcup. (Albert Road, Erith in 1891); Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of George & Charlotte, husband of Olive; Sidcup & District Times 26 October 1917 (As **BUTT**); Born Andover. Enlisted Woolwich. General labourer.



RYE, William John; Private; 282600; 4th Btn. City of London Regiment; DoW; F&F; 15/05/1917; 35; Grevillers British Cemetery, France; 97 High Street, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Richard Henry & Rebecca Louisa; Enlisted Woolwich. General engineer/grinder.

SADDINGTON, Harold James; Private; 495595; 13th Btn. (Kensington) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/08/1918; 19; Queant Road Cemetery, France Grave Reference / Panel Number: IV. A. 39.; Born & baptised Sidcup. Resident 1 Clarence Road, Sidcup / 5 Clarence Crescent; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Joseph & Annie Saddington of Sidcup; Son of a painter & decorator. Enlisted Woolwich.

SADLER, John Ernest; Private; "30894"; 9th Btn. Worcestershire Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 19/07/1917; 36; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq - XX. E. 14.; Born at Abbey Wood; Husband of Ada Sarah; SDGW says born Newmarket, Cambs. Resident Cheshunt.

SALMON, Wilfred Graham; Lieutenant; Royal Flying Corps (Special Reserve); KiA; Home; 07/07/1917; 29; Dartford (Watling Street) Cemetery - A. 1655.; Died after plane crashed in Slade Green; Son of the late Dr H.R. & Alice Jane Salmon of Ballarat, Victoria, Australia; Books by Peter Daniel at BLSAC:

http://ww1austburialsuk.weebly.com/uploads/4/9/7/8/4978039/salmon wilfred graham.pdf; Born & raised in Australia. Enlisted 1915. Stationed at Joyce Green Airfield, killed in dogfight with German bombers.

SALMON, William Harold; Lance Corporal; 688; 11th Btn. Training Reserve formerly (Private 01566) Royal Army Ordnance Corps; Died; Home; 02/04/1917; 20; Aldershot Military Cemetery - AF. 2057.; 29 Freta Road, Bexleyheath; Son of Maj. G. K. Salmon (R.A.O.C.) & Mrs Salmon of Bexleyheath; Born in the R.A.O.C. at Ceylon. Enlisted Aug., 1914.

SALTER, John Richard; Private; 5321; 9th (Queen's Royal) Lancers; DoW; F&F; 24/05/1915; 21; Ypres (Menin Gate Memorial), Belgium – Panel 5; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of John & Florence Salter of London; Reported in Sidcup Homes School Magazine; Born Deptford.

SAMMER, William Henry; Rifleman; S/28405; 10th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 07/06/1917; 29; Arras Memorial, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of the late Albert & Rosa Annie Sammer of Meopham; Born Minster, Kent. Resident Gravesend. A nurseryman.

SAMSON, William; Lance Corporal; 11340; 1st Btn. Sherwood Foresters (Notts & Derby Regiment); DoW; F&F; 15/07/1916; 23; Morlancourt British Cemetery No.1, France - B. 33; 35 Mill Road, Northumberland Heath, Erith; Son of Albert & Ellen Samson of Northumberland Heath; Erith Times 11 & 18 August 1916 photo; Mentioned in despatches. Regular soldier.

SAMUEL, Gerard Steuart; Lieutenant; 8th Btn. East Yorkshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 14/07/1916; 27; Corbie Communal Cemetery Extension, France Grave Reference: Plot I. Row D. Grave 3.; Fairhaven, Sidcup Hill, Kent. Merton Court School pupil, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Eldest son of Horace Steuart & Alice Samuel of Sidcup; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC;

<u>http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2</u>; A Classics scholar. Bank official.

SAMUELS, William; Private 2nd Class; 284833; Royal Air Force; Died; Home; 08/11/1918; 44; Hither Green Cemetery, London - C. 31.; The Homestead, Lower Park Road, Belvedere. Married at Belvedere, 1903; Son of William Samuels of London, husband of Ellen Jane Samuels, of Belvedere; Resident Hither Green. A bank messenger. Died at Norwich Military Hospital.

SANDERS, Harold William; Corporal; 40730; 62nd Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 19/07/1915; 23; Bedford House Cemetery, Belgium - Enclosure No.2 II. A. 27.; 4 Corbylands Road, Sidcup; Son of Frederick A. & Ellen Sanders; Born Staines.



SANKEY, John; Private; 20871; 32nd Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 22/09/1917; 21; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Thomas & Sarah Sankey of Leigh, Lancs.; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58948-john-sankey; Resident Leigh, Lancs.

SANTLER, Wilfred Francis X.; Rifleman; 1749; 9th Btn. London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles); KiA; F&F; 01/01/1915; 18; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial; Born Bexleyheath. 1 Hawthorn Road, Bexleyheath; Son of Henry & Ellen; http://www.ourwatfordhistory.org.uk/content/service-people/santler-w-f-x; Resident Watford. A junior clerk.

SARGEANT, Herbert Sutton; Private; G/6666; 12th Btn. Middlesex Regiment attd. 183rd Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 16/02/1917; 34; Guards' Cemetery, Combles, France - I. B. 17.; 2 Hoddesdon Road, Belvedere; Husband of Elizabeth Sargeant, of Belvedere; Born Notting Hill.

SAUNDERS, James Henry; Lance Sergeant; 11614; "A" Coy. 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 11/02/1917; 36; Dickebusch New Military Cemetery, Belgium – M 30; 6 Manor Cottages, North Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial, St James North Cray Memorial; Son of James & Margaret Saunders, husband of Alice Sarah Saunders of North Cray, 6 children; Sidcup & District Times 9 March 1917; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Born Yorkshire. Enlisted Bromley. Awarded MM. A labourer.

SAUNDERS, Joseph; Private; 277379; 6th Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; Egypt; 27/03/1917; 34; Jerusalem Memorial; 36 Sussex Road, Sidcup / 9 School Cottages, Foots Cray; Son of Sophie, husband of Jessie of Foots Cray, 3 daughters, brother in law of George **BURGESS**; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Whitechapel. A brick-maker. Enlisted Woolwich.

SAWYER, Stanley Wilfred; Leading Seaman; J/18519; Royal Navy, HMS Africa; Died; At sea; 12/09/1918; 22; Freetown (Tom King) Cemetery, Sierra Leone – I.E.15; 2 Black Horse Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of James & Alice Maud Sawyer of Sidcup; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Boy scout in Sidcup. An errand boy. Died of pneumonia.

SAXTON, Alfred; Private; 1000153; 43rd Btn. Canadian Infantry; DoW; F&F; 28/06/1917; 24; Barlin Communal Cemetery Extension, France II. C. 5.; Born Bexleyheath. Family from Abbey Wood; Son of John & Jane Saxton of Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, late of Abbey Wood, Kent; http://canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=28997; A farm hand.

SAYER, Reginald John; Private; 37249; 9th Btn. King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry); KiA; F&F; 22/03/1918; 20; Pozières Memorial, France; Born & baptised Crayford. Crayford High Street; Son of Charles & Elizabeth of Gateshead; Father, a skinner, worked in Crayford tanyards. Enlisted Gateshead.

SCHOFIELD, Henry William Melles; Lieutenant; 123rd Outram's Rifles; India; 1920; 22; Merton Court School pupil, Sidcup. Details unverified; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Born Chelsea. Departed for India October 1916.

SCHOFIELD, John Richard; Private; 204408; 2nd/1st Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 15/06/1917; 35; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; Rose Cottage, Railway Road, Abbey Wood; Husband of Agnes Annie Schofield of Abbey Wood; Enlisted Woolwich.



SCRIVENER, Arthur William (MC); Captain; 1st/10th Btn. London Regiment; Died; Palestine; 02/11/1917; 23; Gaza War Cemetery, Israel Grave Reference / Panel Number: XIV. B. 6.; Stanstead, Sandhurst Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Edith Mary Scrivener of Sidcup & the late Herbert John Scrivener; https://www.thegazette.co.uk/London/issue/30234/supplement/8382; Dartford Grammar School pupil.

SCRUBY, John James; Rifleman; R/37417; 8th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 21/03/1918; 19; St Souplet British Cemetery, France; 17 Glendale Road, Erith / 96 Riverdale Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Joseph William & Emily; Enlisted Woolwich. Family of Lightermen in Erith.

SCUDDER, William Reuben; Private; S/1113; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1915; 47; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Resident 35 Bethel Road, Welling; East Wickham War Memorial & Welling Memorial; Son of Frederick & the late Louisa Scudder, married 1903 Mary Ellen Graham; Bexleyheath Observer 9 April 1915 photo; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/scuddr/; Born Woolwich. Worked at Woolwich Arsenal & a regular soldier.

SEAGER, Edgar Malcolm; Sergeant; 300066; 5th Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); KiA; F&F; 10/08/1918; 27; Beacon Cemetery, France; Hiawatha, Park View Road, Welling; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Frederick William & Alice Maud, married Dorothy 1915 (a VAD nurse); Bexley & District Times 13 September 1918; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/seager/; Born Kingston. Enlisted Blackheath. A clerk.

SEAGUST, Walter Sefton; Private; 20316; 20th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; Died; Home; 22/10/1918; 38; Sidcup Cemetery, A. 12. 21.; 129 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup. / 10 Wingfield Place, Sidcup; Son of Richard Harry & Emma Seagust, husband of Celia Seagust of Sidcup; A fishmonger.

SEARE, Edmund; Private; 14835; 7th Btn. King's Shropshire Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 14/07/1916; 27; Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Face 12 A & 12 D; 19 Woodside Crescent, Sidcup / 6 Oxford Terrace, Corbylands Road; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Aron Amos Seare of Sidcup, husband of Mary Maddona Seare of Abercynon, Glam.; Sidcup & District Times 8 September 1916; http://www.wartimememoriesproject.com/greatwar/view.php?uid=224106; In 1911 a collier in Wales. Enlisted Abercynon.

SEARLE, Edwin E.; Private; L/8932; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 19/06/1916; 26; Faubourg d'Amiens Cemetery, France; Resident Bexleyheath; Son of Edwin & Mary, husband of Selina; Bexleyheath Observer 14 July 1916; Born Lostwithiel, Cornwall. Enlisted Woolwich - in Army in 1911.

SEARLES, Percy Henry; Rifleman; A/204184; 13th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; Germany?; 02/09/1918; 19; Hamburg Cemetery, Germany; Born Erith. 4 Chapel Road, Bexleyheath; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of Peter & Alice; Bexley District Times 31 May & 25 October 1918 photo; Enlisted Woolwich. Died in hospital in Hanover, Germany.

SEARS, Charles; Rifleman; S/16097; A Coy. 12th Btn. Rifle Brigade (PCO); KiA; F&F; 17/08/1917; 31; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 145 to 147; 45a Arthur Street, Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of George & Jane; A crane engine stoker. Enlisted Woolwich. (Probably on St Augustine's War Memorial as **SEARLS, G**.).



SEARSTON, John Henry; Private; G/89072; 17th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 10/12/1917; 19; Grevillers British Cemetery, France - IX. E. 14.; 209 Brook Street, Erith; St Paul's Church Northumberland Heath Memorial Tablet; Only son of John Henry & Frances Searston of Erith; Erith Observer 24 January 1918; Born Poplar. Enlisted Woolwich. Crane driver at Cory's.

SEBAR, Charlie; Rifleman; 7477; 2nd Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 14/09/1914; 26; La Ferte-sous-Jouarre Memorial, France; 3 Queen's Street, Erith; Son of John & Emma Sebar of Wisbech, husband of Elizabeth Sebar of Erith; Born Wisbech.

SEDDON, Walter; Private; 12055; 6th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; Died; Home; 02/02/1916; 21; Leigh Cemetery, Lancs.; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of William & Sarah Seddon of Leigh, Lancs.; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58956-walter-seddon; Died of TB.

SEED, Archibald Finley; Private; 38166; 12th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 14/10/1918; 22; Dadizeele New British Cemetery, Belgium; 1A Wheatley Terrace, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Josiah & Elizabeth Seed; Son of an engine driver. A moulder. Born Chattenden, Rochester. Enlisted Whitehall.

SELL, Frederick Richard; Able Seaman; J/15717; Royal Navy, HMS Queen Mary; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 22; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; Born Bexleyheath. Family at 12 High Street, Welling; Welling Memorial; Son of Richard & Minnie; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/sell/; A post boy.

SHARP (SHARPE?), Arthur; Gunner; 38960; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 07/03/1920; 28; East Hill Cemetery, Dartford; Died at Crayford YMCA. In 1911 resident at 38 Brook Street, Belvedere; Son of Rose Sharp of Dartford, stepson of Peter Vickery of Belvedere; https://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=158816449&ref=acom; A fishmonger.

SHARP, Humphrey; Lieutenant; 11th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 05/10/1915; 21; Point 110 Old Military Cemetery, Fricourt, France; Mayfield, Church Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels & Bexley Woods Memorial; Son of Henry & Lucy Jane; Bexley & District Times 15 October 1915 & photo; Boy Scout in Bexley. University of London OTC.

SHEPHERD, Alexander George; Sergeant; T/1573; 5th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); DoW; Mesopotamia; 16/01/1916; 21; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 6; Cleveland, Victoria Road, Sidcup; Son of Alfred James & Louisa Constance Shepherd of Sidcup; Born East Finchley. Enlisted Wye.

SHEPHERD, George Henry; Gunner; 59536; "V" Bty. Royal Horse Artillery; Died; Home; 19/04/1919; 27; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - B. 98; Resident Erith - Sister at 41 Crayford Road, Erith; Sister Adia? Roberts NoK of Erith; Born Treherbert, Glamorgan. Died of malaria/bronchitis, East Ham.

SHERRIN, Thomas; Private; 6826; 2nd Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 23/05/1915; 34; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 34; 20 Bexley Road, Erith / 4 Southend Villas, Picardy Hill, Belvedere; Son of the late Henry Sherrin, husband of Alice M. Sherrin; Born Walworth. Enlisted Southwark. A general dealer.

SHERRIS, Guy; Private; 1279; 2nd King Edward's Horse; KiA; F&F; 23/05/1915; 30; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 1; Lavenham, Main Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Mr & Mrs John F. Sherris of Sidcup, husband of Gertrude; Sidcup & District Times 11 June 1915 photo; Born Catford. Army service, including in Argentina.



SHEWBRIDGE, Trayton; Private; 757772; 3rd Btn. Canadian Labour Corps; DoW; F&F; 05/08/1917; 43; Dozinghem Military Cemetery, Belgium - II. C. 8.; Family from Belvedere; Son of James Shewbridge of Belvedere, husband of Alice Shewbridge of Toronto, Ontario; To Canada in 1913, to be a farmer.

SHORE, Bertram J.; Private; 7795; 13th Btn. (County of London) London Regiment; DoW; F&F; 25/09/1916; 22; Delville Wood Cemetery, France - XXIV. I. 6.; 61 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup; Fourth son of Mr W. Shore; Sidcup & District Times 13 October 1916; Previously employed at the Sidcup meat store.

SHORTER, Edward; Rifleman; 7630; 12th Btn. London Regiment (The Rangers); KiA; F&F; 09/09/1916; 28; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Crayford. Woodman Cottage, Adelaide Place, Crayford. Resident 1 Purley Cottages Hurst Road Bexley. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Grandson of Barnard & Margaret Shorter; A gardener.

SHOVE, Victor Albert; Able Seaman; 227275; Royal Navy, HMS Good Hope; KiA; At sea off Chile; 01/11/1914; 27; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; 9 Belvedere Road / The Forge, Church Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William Edward I. & Annorra (Anorah) Minnie, married May, 2 children; Sidcup & District Times 4 December 1914 photo; A blacksmith.

SIDLEY, John Witherington; 2nd Lieutenant; 16th Bty. 41st Bde. Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 02/08/1916; 19; Corbie Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Waverley, Belvedere / Edendene Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Robert Anderson & Madeline Hester Sidley of Belvedere; Bexleyheath Observer 18 August 1916, Erith Times 18th August 1916 photo, Bexley & District Times 1 September 1916; Father was engineering manager. Born Florida, USA. Studied at Hurstpierpoint College Sussex. "Fought at Loos, Festubert, La Bassee, Vimy Ridge & fell defending Delville Wood, 30th July, 1916".

SILCOX, Wallis; Bombardier; 931065; Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 08/10/1917; 25; Mendinghem British Cemetery, Belgium; Born Bexley; Son of Nelson George & Martha Silcox of Bromley, husband of Edith Amy (1915); https://www.mymethodisthistory.org.uk/page_id_16.aspx; Trainee solicitor. Enlisted Woolwich, June 1915.

SIMEONS, Edward Emil; Captain; 8th Btn. Bedfordshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 17/02/1916; 22; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium; Resident Bexleyheath. 62 Crook Log; Son of Carl & Edith Simeons; Bexleyheath Observer 3 March 1916; http://www.bedfordregiment.org.uk/8thbn/8thbtnofficersdied.html; Educated at the nautical training College, HMS Worcester. Apprentice to the British Gelatine Works. Territorial Reservist, commissioned August 1914.

SIMMONS, Frederick; Rifleman; R/6522; 12th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 04/09/1916; 32; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 13 A & 13 B; Born Crayford. Resident Crayford 2 Barnes Cray; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of the late James Tapley Simmons & Mary Simmons; Bexley & District Times 22 September 1916; A steward. Enlisted St Paul's.

SIMMONS, Frederick James; Private; 12307; 2nd Btn. Northants Regiment; DoW; F&F; 24/01/1916; 31; Le Touquet-Paris-Plage Communal Cemetery, France; Born & baptised Bexleyheath. May Place Road / 11 Leon Villas, Chapel Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of James & Emma; Bexley & District Times 25 February 1916; Regular army. Enlisted Stratford.

SIMMONS, William Charles; Private; 42746; 8th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/04/1918; 19; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 3 & 4; 11 Iron Mill Place, Crayford; Son of William James & Maud Simmons of Crayford; Born & enlisted Ramsgate.



SIMON, Marcel Andre; 2nd Lieutenant; 1st Btn. Royal Berkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 29/04/1917; 19; Arras Memorial, France Grave Reference / Panel Number: Bay 6 & 7 / Orchard Dump Cemetery, France; The Park, Sidcup. Merton Court School pupil (1907-11); Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Dr Alfred Leon & Kathleen Lucy Simon (nee Fysh) of Earl's Court. Father & mother were living in The Park, Sidcup when he enlisted; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC;

http://www.newsshopper.co.uk/news/1255333.international friendship blooms in honour of falle n soldier/; From a French/German/Australian family. Failed to join Royal Navy due to poor eyesight. Body found & re-buried with full military honours in 2000.

SIMPSON, Frederick; Captain; Royal Army Medical Corps; DoW; Home; 31/03/1918; 33; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery; The Moorings, Erith / 103 Bexley Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Sidney & Amelia; Bexleyheath Observer 5 April 1918; A doctor. Died at Templeton House Hospital, Roehampton.

SIMPSON, Harry Edmund; Private; L/9266; 1st Btn. Middlesex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 11/11/1914; 29; Bailleul Communal Cemetery, France - C 25; 44 Station Road, Crayford; Brother of John Edward Simpson; Born Bermondsey.

SIMPSON, Henry Richard Deighton-Simpson; Lieutenant / Pilot; Royal Flying Corps & 6th Dragoons (Inniskilling); Killed (air crash); Home; 20/12/1916; 20; Crayford (St Paulinus) Churchyard - north of chancel. Buried in Crayford; Son of Henry W. & Constance Deighton (Jones) Simpson of New York, USA; "The story of Lieutenant Henry Richard Deighton Simpson" by Peter Daniel available at BLSAC Centre; http://reconciliationpoetry.com/running-to-war-an-historical-perspective-1914/; Born New York. Studied at Eton & Harvard. Killed at Joyce Green airbase.

SIMS, John William; Lance Corporal; 33921; 10th Btn. Essex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 30/03/1917; 28; Doullens Communal Cemetery Extension No.1, France; Born & baptised Belvedere. 5 Orient Cottages, Belvedere Marshes; Son of James & Elizabeth, husband of Elizabeth; Resident & enlisted Barking. A blacksmith's striker.

SINGLEHURST, Reginald; Captain; 24th Btn. attd. 9th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 36; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 61 to 64; Lynton, Christchurch Road, Sidcup; Son of Harriette Anne Singlehurst of Sidcup & the late Paul Robert Singlehurst, brother of Robert Bruce Singlehurst; http://www.merseysiderollofhonour.co.uk/obits/158/1588410.php; Born Liverpool. Resident North Park, Eltham. Insurance clerk.

SINGLEHURST, Robert Bruce; Captain; 12th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 30/04/1916; 36; Serre Road Cemetery No.2, France; Lynton, Christchurch Road, Sidcup; Son of Harriette Anne of Sidcup & the late Paul Robert Singlehurst, husband of Margaret Singlehurst of Putney, London, brother of Reginald Singlehurst; http://www.merseysiderollofhonour.co.uk/get2.php?cwgc=609877; Born Brazil. A chartered accountant's clerk. MC.

SKERTON, Fred George; Private; 6557; 14th Btn. London Regiment (London Scottish); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 23; Thiepval Memorial, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath. Resident Belvedere 77 Battle Road; Son of Walter & Kate Skerton of Stroud, Glos.; A carpenter.

SKINNER (**BIGLAND** on CWGC), Edward J.; Private; 6445; 2nd Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 19/09/1915; 31; Terlincthun British Cemetery, France; "late of Springfield Road" / 9 Welling Place; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Edward & Alice, Elizabeth Smith common law wife?; Bexleyheath Observer 31 December 1915; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/skinner-2/; Born Bethnal Green. Enlisted under the name George **BIGLAND**. A cab driver.



SKINNER, Stanley; Private; 8923; 1st Btn. The Loyal North Lancashire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 31/10/1914; 25; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Family in Welling; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Henry & Minnie of 20 Swingate Lane, Plumstead Common; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/skinner/; Born Plumstead.

SKUCE, Christopher; Private; 64239; 8th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); DoW; F&F; 23/03/1918; 20; Roye New British Cemetery, France; Resident & enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Alban & Louisa; http://www.theygavetheirtoday.com/balscott.html; Son of a farm labourer. Born Oxfordshire (surname registered as **COOK**). Formerly London Regiment.

SLADE, George Frank; Lance Corporal; 166972; 126th Field Coy. Corps of Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 24/03/1918; 30; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 10 to 13; Born Bexley. Hartford Road, Bexley; Son of George & Eliza; http://www.surreyinthegreatwar.org.uk/story/george-frank-slade/; Resident Caterham. Enlisted Chelsea. A wheelwright.

SLOAN, Robert; Staff Sergeant Major; 7/121; Canterbury Mounted Rifles, N.Z.E.F.; KiA; Gallipoli; 21/08/1915; 32; Hill 60 (New Zealand) Memorial, Turkey; Wife & 2 children at 22 High Street, Sidcup; Son of Mr & Mrs R. Sloan, of Dungannon, Ireland, husband of Ellenor Sloan of Sidcup; http://www.dungannonwardead.com/persondepth.asp?cas_id=732; Served in the South African Campaign. Founder member of new unit. Wife worked in Sidcup restaurant.

SLOPER, William; Chief Petty Officer; 160618; Royal Navy, HMS Cressy; KiA; At sea; 22/09/1914; 39; Chatham Naval Memorial; 3 Ash Place, Erith Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas & Mary, husband of Annie; https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/HMS Cressy (1899); Born Lewisham. Navy in 1911.

SMALL, Ernest Henry; Lance Corporal; 198087; 258th Tunnelling Coy - Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 27/03/1918; 32; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 10-13; 26 Woodside Road, Longlands, Sidcup / Lawn Cottage Halfway Street Lamorbey. Worked at The Hollies; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Mrs. H. Small of Sidcup, husband of Emily Elizabeth Small of New Cross (1907); A school caretaker at Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies). Enlisted Bromley.

SMALL, Henry; Private; 63935; 4th Btn. King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry; DoW; F&F; 13/09/1918; 41; Bac-Du-Sud British Cemetery, France; 38 Bedonwell Road / White House Farm; Husband of Martha, father of Henry Edward (KiA November 1918); From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident & enlisted Dartford. A flower hawker. Son also died in 1918.

SMALL, Henry Edward; Private; 245780; 2nd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 06/11/1918; 20; Angreau Communal Cemetery, Belgium; Born Belvedere - White House Farm, Bedonwell Road / 38 Bedonwell Road; Son of Henry (died of wounds September 1918) & Martha, husband of Nellie Bradley, Dartford, July 1918 (Born deaf); From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident Dartford. Enlisted Whitehall.

SMART, Herbert (Bertie); Private; 8578; "B" Coy. 2nd/4th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; Home; 11/01/1917; 30; Bath (Locksbrook) Cemetery, C. B. 61.; Born & baptised at Sidcup; Son of John & Lucy Smart, husband of the late Lucy Matilda Smart (Married 1907); In 1911 a fruit shop assistant in Hammersmith. Enlisted Hexham. Died at Bath War Hospital.

SMART, John George (Jack); Motorman I; MB/68; RNVR HM Motor Boat California; Drowned; At sea; 21/02/1916; 23; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; 54 Alexandra Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Joseph Garibaldi & Sarah Ann; As Jack in Bexleyheath Observer 3 March 1916, Erith Times 3March 1916 photo; Born Newcastle. Known as Jack. Father ran Messrs Smart & Brown, Motor Engineers, Erith.



SMART, William; Sergeant; C/12215; 21st Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 15/09/1916; 30; Thiepval Memorial, France; Brothers lived in Main Road, Sidcup, attended Christ Church; Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Married to Amy, 1 daughter. Lodged with brothers in Sidcup; Born Yorkshire. University of Leeds. Enlisted Bridlington. Schoolmaster.

SMETHURST, James; Private; 41310; 2nd Btn. South Wales Borderers; KiA; F&F; 03/12/1917; 25; Cambrai Memorial, France; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of William & Margaret; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/58980-james-smethurst; Resident Leigh, Lancs.

SMITH, A.; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School

SMITH, A. H.; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial, St Augustine's Slade Green.

SMITH, Alexander Thomas; Private; 3911/3941 (CWGC); Honourable Artillery Company (Infantry); KiA; F&F; 09/10/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Born Belvedere; Son of William & Eliza; Resident Peckham. In 1911 a bar worker in the Gowlett Tavern. Territorial army.

SMITH, Alfred George Richard; Gunner; 206117; "A" Bty. 16th Bde. (Chestnut Troop), Royal Horse Artillery; KiA; F&F; 02/04/1918; 24; Bouchoir New British Cemetery, France - VI. D. 15.; 15 Northend Villas, Erith / 4 Arthur Street, Crayford; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Maria L. Chapman (formerly Smith) of Erith & the late Henry Richard Smith, married Clara Bearham 1915; Erith Observer 9 May 1918 "Formerly worked at Callender's". Enlisted Woolwich.

SMITH, Arthur; Private; 4520; 24th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 18/09/1916; 19; Adanac Military Cemetery, France - VII. F. 22; 16 Chapel Road, Bexleyheath; Brother of Kate Jerome of Bexleyheath (NoK); Born Camberwell. Enlisted Kennington.

SMITH, Edward George; Private; 302455; 12th Btn. Durham Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 15/10/1917; 41; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 128 to 131 & 162 & 162A; 42 Mill Road, Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Husband of Daisy Annie Smith of Erith; General labourer.

SMITH, Ernest Edward; Sergeant; L/7142; 3rd Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); Died; Home; 13/09/1915; 30; Dover (St James's) Cemetery - M. I. 41.; Born Sidcup. Resident Birkbeck Road; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of William W. Smith of 82 Hall Road, East Ham, London; Sidcup & District Times 1 October 1915 photo; Regular army. In India in 1911. Enlisted New Cross.

SMITH, Frank; Private; 232784; 2nd Btn. City of London (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 16/08/1917; 27; Tyne Cot Cemetery, Belgium; 65 High Street; Welling Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William & Mary; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/smith-2/; Farm worker.

SMITH, Frederick George; Private; 153996; Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); Died; Home; 21/03/1921; 21; Sidcup Cemetery, A. 34. 618.; Family from Sidcup; Son of John & Ada Elizabeth Smith of Sidcup.

SMITH, Frederick Stephen; Private; 41217; 11th Btn. Leicestershire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 22/03/1918; 32; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 5; Born & baptised Erith (St John's); Woodlands, Pembroke Road, Erith; Son of William Thomas & Emily Smith of Erith; Resident Plumstead. A painter & decorator. Enlisted Woolwich.



SMITH, Henry; Private; 730613; Canadian Infantry; Died; F&F; 05/07/1918; 32; Aubigny Communal Cemetery Extension, France - IV. J. 30.; 41 Lion Road, Bexleyheath; Husband of Alice Smith of Lion Road Bexleyheath;

http://canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=43864; Died of pneumonia.

SMITH, Henry Richard (Harry); Private; 702805; "A" Coy. 23rd Btn. London Regiment; KiA; Syria; 28/03/1918; 32; Damascus Commonwealth War Cemetery, Syria - F. 36.; 21 Grosvenor Road Belvedere; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Henry & Susan Smith of Belvedere, husband of Hannah Jessie Smith of Belvedere, 4 children; Erith Observer 23 May 1918; Enlisted Woolwich. A sanitary labourer. "Formerly a Carman in the employ of Mr Jecock".

SMITH, Herbert; Private; 2450; 3rd Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 27/09/1915; 17; Loos Memorial, France; 15 Chapel Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Alfred & Martha; Enlisted Hounslow.

SMITH, Hubert; Able Seaman; J/42991; Royal Navy, HMS Laforey; Killed; At sea; 23/03/1917; 23; Chatham Naval Memorial; 74 Riverdale Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial, St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Thomas James & Elizabeth Jane; Born Islington. Ship hit by U-Boat mine, English Channel.

SMITH, John; Private; 82798; 25th Btn. King's (Liverpool Regiment.); DoW; F&F; 05/10/1918; St Venant Communal Cemetery, France; Thomas' Lodge; Welling Memorial; Born Southwark. Family in Woolwich. Enlisted Woolwich. Resident Welling.

SMITH, Joseph Ephraim; Private; M/371188; 66th Aux. Patrol Coy. Royal Army Service Corps; Died; F&F; 30/11/1918; 34; Cambrai East Military Cemetery, France - III. A. 75.; 16A High Street, Sidcup; Son of the late John & Mary Smith, husband of Louisa Smith of Sidcup; Born Hatfield, Herts. Resident Brockley. A dairy manager.

SMITH, Joseph William Henry; Sergeant; 915407; Royal Horse Artillery / Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 27/10/1917; 29; Belgian Battery Corner Cemetery, Belgium; Born & resident in Erith 8 Winifred Road. Enlisted Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Joseph & Matilda of Broadstairs, Kent, husband of Matilda; A law clerk.

SMITH, Percy Edwin; Able Seaman; J/18802; Royal Navy, HMS Renown; Died; Home; 24/01/1919; 22; Ware New Cemetery, Hertfordshire - 110. 1. 4.; Born at Erith; Son of Albert & Annie Smith of 4 Croft Road, Ware; Resident Ware, Herts. Joined Navy January 1915. "Died from disease".

SMITH, Prince Albert; Driver; 106654; "D" Bty. 79th Bde., Royal Field Artillery; Died; F&F; 10/11/1916; 18; Contay British Cemetery, France; Born Northumberland Heath. 3 Charles Cottages, Manor Road, Erith; Son of Mary Ann; Erith Observer 1 December 1916; A boy scout in Erith. Employed by the Maypole Dairy Co Ltd High St Erith. Died of appendicitis.

SMITH, Thomas; Corporal; 203689; 1st Btn. Royal Fusiliers; DoW; Home; 15/04/1918; 22; Erith (St John the Baptist) Churchyard; The Orchard, 1 East Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Fred & Jessie; Erith Observer 19 September 1918; Medaille Militaire (France).

SMITH, W.; Erith (St John's) Memorial



SMITH, Walter Leslie; Rifleman; 4373; 1st/9th Btn. London Regiment (Queen Victoria's Rifles); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 20; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 9 C; 59 High Street, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Walter Henry & Mary Ann Lorking Smith; Bexleyheath & District Times & Dartford Chronicle 29 September 1916 "reported missing"; Father was a builder & plumber in Bexley. Enlisted London.

SMITH, William; Engineer; Mercantile Marine. Steam Drifter Seymolicus (Yarmouth); Killed; At sea; 18/11/1914; 72; Tower Hill Memorial; Born Bexley; Son of the late Henry & Emma Smith, husband of the late Hester Smith; Bexley Times 24 April 2014; Ship hit by mine.

SMYTH, Leslie James; Private; STK/832; 10th Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment); KiA; F&F; 15/07/1916; 20; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 8 C 9 A & 16 A; Born Sidcup; Son of Samuel & Minnie; Resident Barnet. A clerk.

SOLEY, Thomas Montague Newey; Corporal; 10; Australian Flying Corps; Died (POW); Mesopotamia; June or July 1916; 26; Basra Memorial, Iraq; 35 Crook Log; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Elizabeth of Bexleyheath; http://www.rafmuseumstoryvault.org.uk/ID/?7000290558; A motor mechanic. Embarked from Melbourne April 1915. Captured at Kut. Died of starvation as POW.

SOLLITT, Frederick; Sergeant; 98360; Royal Horse Artillery/Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 23; Canada Farm Cemetery, Belgium; 77 Battle Road, Belvedere / 7 Albert Terrace Lower Road Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George Hickson & Emma Alice; Bexleyheath Observer 12 October 1917; Born Rochester. Enlisted Woolwich. A pattern maker.

SOMERSCALES, Clarence Herbert James; 29/12/1917; 17; St John's Churchyard, Erith; Erith Grammar School pupil. Buried St John's Erith. 10 Picardy Hill, Belvedere; Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of Thomas James & Clara Elizabeth.

SOREL-CAMERON, Herbert Augustus; Lieutenant; Royal Naval Reserve, HMS Stephen Furness; KiA; At sea; 13/12/1917; 39; Portsmouth Naval Memorial Panel No.27; 17 Carlton Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Henry & Flora, husband of Margaret Georgina Aufrere Sorel-Cameron of Sidcup, 3 children; Born Herefordshire. Mercantile Mariner for P&O Line, 1911. Sunk by U-boat.

SORRELL, George Herbert; Gunner; 20995; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 02/08/1916; 26; Thiepval Memorial, France; 16 Woolwich Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles Alfred & Mary Jane; Born Redcar, Yorkshire. A brickyard worker.

SORRELL, John; Private; L/10545; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 22/07/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath. 8 Graham Road; Son of Elizabeth, brother at West Street, Bexleyheath; A labourer. Resident Woolwich.

SORRELL, Leonard; Private; L/8612; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; Mesopotamia; 24/07/1915; 25; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 29; Born Bexleyheath, Woolwich Road; Son of John & Elizabeth; Bexleyheath Observer 20 August 1915; Enlisted Gravesend. Regular soldier. India in 1911.

SOUPER, John James; Ordinary Seaman; J/43867; Royal Navy, HMS Natal; Killed; At sea; 30/12/1915; 20; Chatham Naval Memorial; Born Belvedere. 51 Upper Abbey Road / Orient Cottages, 8 Picardy Manor Way; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of James & Eliza; A labourer.

SOUTHEM, J.; Buried Bexleyheath?; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels



SOUTHERN, Charles Henry; Gunner; 91275; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Mesopotamia; 31/10/1916; 32; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq; 2 Hammerfield Place, Erith Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Richard & Mercy; Born Tunbridge Wells. In 1911 serving in Far East.

SPARKES, William; Private; 79511; 2nd Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 11/02/1915; 20; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 10 Main Road Hextable, Kent; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Mrs T. Sparkes; Bexley & District Times 19 March 1915 photo; Enlisted Maidstone (under **SPARKS**).

SPARKES (born SPARKS), William; Private; 9218; 1st Btn. West Yorkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 24/09/1918; 26; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; 24 Church Road / 31 High Street, Bexley; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Agnes; Bexley & District Times 16 April 1915 &1 November 1918 photo, Bexley & District Times 16 April 1915 photo; Regular army, India in 1911. "Wounded at Neuve Chappelle" - a relative of the William Sparkes of Wilmington who appears on the old Bexley Memorial.

SPELLS, Charles Edward; Stoker 1st Class; K/20704; HMS S/M E.49; KiA; At sea; 12/03/1917; 22; Chatham Naval Memorial; 38 Boundary Street, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Charles Edward & Emily, married to Jane Ann (1916); A fishmonger's assistant. Joined Navy in September 1913 as submariner. Vessel sunk by mine off Shetland.

SPENCER, Walter George; Private; 202950; 1st Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 22/05/1917; 27; Arras Memorial, France; 40 Springfield Road. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Welling Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Thomas & Rachel of Bexleyheath; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/spencer/; Apprentice blacksmith.

SPILLET, Sydney Thomas; Private; G/4863; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 11/07/1915; 20; Voormezeele Enclosures No.1 & No.2, Belgium - Panel Number: I. A. 1.; 5 Days Lane, Sidcup (Twysden); Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of the late Edward & the late Sarah Spillet, brother of Cecil, at same address; Bexley & District Times13 August 1915 photo; Born Canterbury. A trainee Newspaper reporter. Interned in Germany before war, returned home &enlisted at Bromley in December 1914.

SPONG, Robert William; Lieutenant; Royal Air Force; Died; Home; 30/10/1918; 19; Shorncliffe Military Cemetery, Kent; A dentist – worked at Queen's Hospital, Sidcup; Son of Henry George Spong & Emily Kate; http://www.stpaulsfinchley.org.uk/robert-william-spong.html; Studied dentistry at Guys Hospital. Died of pneumonia & heart failure following influenza.

SPOONER, James; Private; 295555; 1st/4th Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 28/03/1918; 27; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; Resident Erith. 5 Northumberland Park, Belvedere. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of James & Mary Ann; Erith Observer 1 August 1918; Born Caister, Norfolk. A general labourer.

SPRINGATE, Arthur Cecil; Private; 5250; Honourable Artillery Company; Died; Home; 03/04/1917; 23; Netley Military Cemetery, Hampshire - N. 386.; 1 Fairview Villas / 38 Ducketts Road, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of George & Laura Lavinia Springate of Crayford; Bexleyheath Observer 13 April 1917; Born Bermondsey. A clerk.

SPRINGBETT, George Thomas (G. E. on some memorials); Sergeant; G/10838; 11th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 17/09/1916; 34; Etaples Military Cemetery, France; Assistant Master at the Crayford Boys' school; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of George Hayter & Anne Ellen, married Lizzie Grace 1910. (Brockley); Bexley & District Times 29 September 1916; Born Rushall, Wiltshire.



SPRINGETT, Walter Stephen; Private; 7794; 13th Btn. (County of London) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/10/1916; 23; Guards' Cemetery, Lesboeufs, France - II. Y. 7.; Resident Crayford; Son of Stephen Henry & Sarah; Born Bromley. Regular soldier in 1911.

SQUIBB, Harry (born Henry Thomas); Regimental Sergeant Major; 56838; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Mesopotamia; 22/11/1917; 51; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq; 3 Williams Cottages, Danson Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Charles & Fanny, married Margaret 1902, 1 daughter; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/squibb/; Born Dorset. Regular soldier. MSM, Long Service & Good Conduct medals.

STACE, Fred; Rifleman; S/21289; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 28/05/1918; 35; Soissons Memorial, France; 43 Pinnacle Hill / 42 Izane Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Brother of Henry (NoK) of Izane Road; Born Ealing. Enlisted Woolwich. A labourer/domestic gardener.

STACEY, Percy Ernest; Lance Corporal; 235309; 8th Btn. North Staffordshire Regiment; Died; Home; 06/03/1920; 27; East Wickham (St Michael) Churchyard; 70 Bruce Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of James & Rose Ellen; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/stacey/; Born Silvertown. A porter & labourer. Wounded in 1918, died of injuries.

STANDING, James William; Private; 202041; 8th Btn. Tank Corps; Died; Home; 23/01/1919; 32; Brookwood Military Cemetery, Surrey; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William Standing, husband of Annie Standing of Peckham; http://philevans.org/page4.html; Resident Chertsey, enlisted Haywards Heath. Died at Lewisham Military Hospital. A domestic groom.

STANGER, Philip James; Captain; 1st/20th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/11/1915; 19; Dud Corner Cemetery, France; Merton School pupil, Sidcup; Son of Frank & Emily Stanger of Riverdale, St Paul's Cray, St Mary Cray, Kent. His brother Nevill Bentlif Stanger also fell; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Merchant Taylor's School OTC. Training to be an engineer.

STANIFORTH, Alfred; Private; 37539; "A" Coy. 10th Btn. York & Lancaster Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/09/1917; 19; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 125 to 128; 16 West Street, Erith; Son of Alfred Francis Staniforth of Erith; Born Sheffield.

STANNARD, Harry Bridges; Able Seaman; J/12822; Royal Navy, HMS Vanguard; KiA; At sea; 09/07/1917; 24; Chatham Naval Memorial; 30 Ripley Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Hannah; Bexleyheath Observer 20 July 1917; A labourer.

STAPLES, James Baron F.; Rifleman; 17/2215; 14th Btn. Royal Irish Rifles; KiA; F&F; 16/10/1916; 31; Pond Farm Cemetery, Belgium; Dalmeny, Ethronvi Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of George & Priscilla Grimald, husband of Florence Sarah (1911); Bexleyheath Observer 27 October 1916; Born Enfield. Enlisted Ealing. Domestic gardener.

STARES, William Wesley; Lance Corporal; 78985; 1/4th Btn. (Territorials) -Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 27/05/1918; 19; Soissons Memorial, France; Born Bexley; Son of James. W. & Kate Stares of Victoria, Australia; Son of a butcher. Resident Littlehampton. Enlisted Chichester.

STARKEY, Cecil Stanley Brown; Private; 20543; 10th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 22/04/1915; 24; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Born Sidcup; Son of Mr & Mrs Brown of Deptford, husband of Lilias Muriel Hood (formerly Starkey) of Euston Road, London. NoK in Canada, sister Olive; A milkman. To Canada 1911. Occupation 'Section Man'.



STEEL, James; Gunner; 82748; Royal Field Artillery; DoW; Salonika; 28/04/1917; 23; Karasouli Military Cemetery, Greece; 34 Springfield Road, Welling; Welling Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of James & Maria, brother of Stephen Joseph; Bexleyheath & District Times 8 June 1917; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/steel-2/; Born Shorne, Kent. A nurseryman.

STEEL, Stephen Joseph; Private; L/8766; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/08/1918; 30; Beacon Cemetery, France; 34 Springfield Road; Welling Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of James & Maria, husband of Lucy, 2 children, brother of James; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/steel/; Regular soldier.

STEER, Maurice William; Rifleman; R/21563; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; Died; Home; 18/11/1918; 21; Neath (Llantwit) Cemetery in Port Talbot, South Glamorgan; Memorial Hall tablet; Son of William & Agnes; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/steer/; Born Edenbridge. Enlisted Woolwich.

STEERS, Frederick Jennings; Sapper; 167218; 468th Field Coy. Corps of Royal Engineers; DoW; F&F; 02/09/1918; 29; Pernes British Cemetery, France - VI. A. 7.; Born Sidcup & baptised Sidcup. Black Horse Road; Son of Henry & Amy, husband of Maude Alice; Resident Lewisham. Enlisted Woolwich. A house painter.

STENNING, Frederick Charles; Private; 5757; 2nd Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/04/1915; 18; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 34; 166 Main Road, Sidcup / 23 Lincoln Road, Sidcup; Son of Herbert Philip & Mary Anne Stenning; Article in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Chislehurst. An apprentice car body builder. Enlisted Woolwich.

STENT, John Alfred; Gunner; 257110; 4th Div. Ammunition Col. Royal Field Artillery; Died; India; 27/09/1920; 21; Delhi Memorial (India Gate), India - Face 1. Buried Quetta Govt. Cemetery 2196.; 12 Warwick Road, Sidcup. Baptised at Christ Church Sidcup, 1900; Son of William & Alice Stent of Sidcup; Mother ran laundry in Sidcup.

STEPHENS, John Edwards; Private; 232370; 2nd/2nd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); KiA; F&F; 16/06/1917; 24; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9; 19 Wingfield Place, Halfway Street, Sidcup. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Henry & Elizabeth A. Stephens of Sidcup; Born Eastleigh, Hants. Farm worker.

STEPHENSON, George; Gunner; 93574; 126th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 24/08/1918; 27; Beacon Cemetery, France - VI. J. 8.; Born Sidcup; Son of George Henry Lonsdale & Anne Jane Stephenson, brother of Lonsdale Wilfred; Enlisted Marylebone.

STEPHENSON, Lonsdale Wilfred; Gunner; 14932; Clearing Office, Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; Home; 17/02/1919; 38; Birmingham (Lodge Hill) Cemetery, Screen Wall. B10. 9. 662F.; Born Sidcup; Son of George Henry Lonsdale & Anne Jane Stephenson, brother of George; Resident Finchley. Regular army (India in 1911).

STEVENS, Albert John; Private; 116765; 7th Btn. Canadian Infantry; Died; F&F; 08/04/1917; 32; Arras Road Cemetery, France; Born Sidcup; Son of John T. Stevens & the late Mary Fanny Quail Stevens http://www.canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=14419

STEVENS, Alfred Henry (Albert?); Rifleman; R/12184; 12th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 04/09/1916; 23; Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Face 13 A & 13 B; Born North Cray. Family at 44 Suffolk Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of George. R. & Annie Stevens of Foots Cray; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A paper mill machinist. Enlisted Woolwich.



STEVENS, William Henry; Private; 315701; 18th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; Died; Home; 03/02/1918; 41; Sidcup (St John) Churchyard Grave Reference 21. 7.; 6 Stanley Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Benjamin & Sarah Stevens of St Pancras, London, husband of Elizabeth Maud Stevens of Sidcup, 3 children; A carpenter.

STEVENS, William Mathewson; Rifleman; S/3719; "Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own)"; KiA; F&F; 14/11/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 16 B & 16 C; Born Bexley. Oxford Place, Bexley; Son of William & Lizzie Sarah; Family ran confectionary business.

STEVENSON, Alec George; Gunner; 147689; 45th Bty. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 10/10/1917; 18; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 3 Longlands Park Crescent, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of William & Rose Stevenson of Sidcup; Born Croydon. Enlisted Woolwich.

STEVENSON, William Alfred; Private; 242020; 2nd/6th Btn. Sherwood Foresters (Notts & Derby Regiment); KiA; F&F; 17/12/1917; 33; Ribecourt Road Cemetery, France I. C. 23.; Parents from Slade Green; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of William & Mary, husband of Daisy Elizabeth married 1910, lived in Eltham, parents in Slade Green; Born Camberwell. Stockbroker's assistant.

STEWARD, Alfred Bertie (A.); Private; 8882; 1st Btn. Royal Lancaster Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 28; Thiepval Memorial, France; Armstrong Cottages, 3 Armstrong Road Bellegrove; Welling Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William Alfred & Eliza, brother of William Ernest; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/steward/; Born Charlton.

STEWARD, William Ernest (E.)(F. on Memorial); Petty Officer; 214883; Royal Navy, HMS Indefatigable; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 30; Plymouth Naval Memorial; Armstrong Cottages, 3 Armstrong Road Bellegrove; Welling Memorial, East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William Alfred & Eliza, brother of Alfred Bertie; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/steward-2/; Born Charlton. Royal Navy career.

STEWART, Norman Charles; Private; 278; 2nd Regiment, South African Infantry; KiA; F&F; 24/03/1918; 35; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 95-98; Cromdale, 16 Northcote Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Charles Smith Stewart of Sidcup & the late Elizabeth Stewart; Resident Bulawayo, Rhodesia. Army reservist. Emigrated 1912. A prison officer.

STILL, Christopher; Private; G/28592; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/03/1918; 19; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 58 & 59; 19 Avenue Road, Northumberland Heath, Erith; Son of George & Mary Still of Northumberland Heath; https://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=124509439&ref=acom; Born Langton, Kent. Enlisted Maidstone.

STOKES, Alfred William; Rifleman; 576509; 17th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/03/1918; 20; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 9 or 10; 2 Glyndon Terrace, Kentish Road, Belvedere / Ivy Villas, 1 Caldy Road, Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Abjohn & Mary Ann Agnes Stokes of Stapley Road Belvedere; Erith Observer 11 July 1918; Father worked in Erith Borax factory. A trade unionist. "Missing since Mar 28th (confirmed dead on that date)".

STONE, Phineas; Civilian; Killed; Home; 07/07/1917; 74; St John's Erith; 18 Maximfeldt Road, Erith; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Husband of Harriet Agnes Stone. A son had previously died at Crayford Vickers in accident; Erith Observer 12 & 19 July 1917; Born West Bromwich, but lived in Erith most of his life. An iron factory labourer, later night-watchman at Callender's. "Died of shock" during an air raid.



STONE, Rowland Edward; Private; 54914; 11th Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment); KiA; F&F; 21/10/1918; 25; Le Cateau Military Cemetery, France; 10 May Place Road; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Alice, married Alice in 1916 of 15 Gladwell Road, Bromley, 1 daughter, born Crayford; Born Tottenham (SDGW). Enlisted Wandsworth.

STONEHAM, Henry Aaron; Sergeant; G/3751; 1st Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); DoW; F&F; 04/11/1916; 27; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 5 D & 6 D; 9 High Street, Crayford; Son of Aaron Stoneham of Crayford; Born Gravesend. Farm labourer.

STORER, Raymond Tritton; Rifleman; 237; 1st/5th Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); KiA; F&F; 26/04/1915; 21; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; Bellegrove Nursery; East Wickham War Memorial & Welling Memorial & Bexley Woods Memorial; Son of the late Henry Norris & Ellen; Bexleyheath Observer 21 May 1915; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/storer/; Scout leader. Storer Drive in Welling is named after him.

STOREY, Arthur; Sapper; 167856; 237th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 25/03/1918; 38; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 1; Resident Erith. 6 Paxton Place; Son of George & Mary; Born Bridgewater, Somerset. Enlisted Woolwich. A carpenter.

STOREY, Bertram James; Private; 31125; 11th Btn. East Lancs. Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/03/1918; 19; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 6; Born Bexley; Son of John Sturges & Mary Anne; Son of a bricklayer. Resident Borough. Enlisted Whitehall.

STOW, Charles Thomas; Private; 23524; 2nd Btn. King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry; DoW; F&F; 12/02/1916; 30; St Pierre Cemetery, Amiens, France - II. B. 7.; Lower Station Road, Crayford; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Thomas & Elizabeth Stow of Crayford; Bexleyheath Observer 17 March 1916; Born Suffolk.

STOW, Montague Bruce; Lieutenant Colonel; 1st Btn. East Yorkshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 02/07/1916; 32; Daours Communal Cemetery Extension, France - II. A. 7.; Napier House, Sidcup; Son of the late Montague H. & Mrs. Stow, husband of Gladys M.C. Doughty (formerly Stow) of Sidcup. (Married in India), 1 son; http://www.ww1cemeteries.com/daours-communal-cemetery-extension.html; Born Hampstead. Sandhurst. Gazetted 1903, served in India until June 1915.

STRATHERN, George Thomas; Acting Corporal; 98446?; Machine Gun Corps; Died; Home; 29/01/1920; 23; St John's Erith; Born & baptised at Crayford. Family at 85 Pier Road in 1920. Died at Erith Cottage Hospital. Buried at St John's, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of George & Maria; Erith Times 6 February 1920; MM. An office boy. Died of effects of gas poisoning.

STRATTON, Charles David; Private; G/33337; Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment); KiA; F&F; 25/03/1918; 37; Arras Memorial, France; 6 Coleman Road, Belvedere. 1881 census gives address as Erith Marshes; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William J. & Alice, husband of Rosa Martha; 1901 census family lived 6 Coleman Road. Name misinterpreted as **SHOTTON** on 1891 census. Also spelt **STRATTEN** in SDGW. A carpenter & joiner. Enlisted Woolwich.

STREETEN, The Reverend Basil Robert; Chaplain 4th Class; Army Chaplains' Department - attd. 2nd/5th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 01/11/1918; 28; Don Communal Cemetery, France – I.A.27.; Swinford, Priestlands Park Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Mrs Streeten of Swinford, Sidcup; Born Staffordshire. Educated at Hereford Cathedral School & University of Cambridge. Died of pneumonia.

STRINGER, Stanley Frederick; Private; 13457; No.1 Coy. 1st Btn. Coldstream Guards; KiA; F&F; 28/09/1915; 18; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 7 & 8; 65 Alexandra Road, Erith; Son of Frederick & Mary E.A. Stringer; Resident Lewisham. Milkman's assistant. Enlisted Woolwich.



STRUTT, Ernest; Gunner; 153817; "G" Bty. Royal Horse Artillery; Died; Home; 07/12/1918; 31; Croydon (Queen's Road) Cemetery - JJ. 2. 31033.; Baptised & raised at Belvedere, Bedonwell Hill. Husband of Hannorah Strutt of Denmark Cottage, Red House Lane. (1911). Son of Jonathan & Naomi; Resident Croydon. Assistant grocer.

STUBBS, Edward Charles; Private; 9559; 3rd Btn. Scots Guards; Died; Home; 17/12/1915; 21; Died Bexley (Bexley Mental Hospital?) - details unverified; Son of Edward & Maude of Plumstead; Born Woolwich. A shopkeeper. Register of Soldier's Effects appears to say "insane".

STUNELL, Ernest; Corporal; G/3639; 9th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 18/08/1916; 18; Serre Road Cemetery No.2, France - XXXV. E. 2.; 2 The Rise, Crayford; Son of Samuel & Hannah, husband of Daisy Patching (formerly Stunell) of Crayford; Born & enlisted Brighton. A messenger boy.

SULLIVAN, Edward; Private; 55810; 9th Btn. Welsh Regiment; KiA; F&F; 11/04/1918; 19; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 93 to 94; 7 Bedonwell Road, Northumberland Heath, Erith / 178 Bostall Lane; Son of John & Laura Sullivan of Northumberland Heath; Army reservist. A gardener. Enlisted Woolwich.

SULLIVAN, Michael; Lance Corporal; 6864; 6th Btn. Royal Munster Fusiliers; DoW; Home; 03/05/1919; 25; Kilmocomoge Cemetery, County Cork, Ireland; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Mary Sullivan, of Kealkill, Bantry, Ireland; Born Bantry, enlisted Athenry, Ireland.

SURREY, Albert; Private; 20950; 15th (Service) Btn. Hampshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 09/10/1916; 27; Dartmoor Cemetery, France - II. D. 41.; Born Sidcup. Halfway Street; Son of Mary Ann Surrey of Portsmouth & the late Alfred Surrey; A dock worker in Portsmouth.

SUTHERDEN (born **SOUTHERDEN**), William Edward; Private; 267041; 1st/6th (Territorial) Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 02/04/1918; 20; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 16 to 18; Born Crayford. Resident 37 The Nursery, North End, Erith. Enlisted Bexleyheath; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of George & Emily. Probably on St Augustine's War Memorial as **SUTHERLAND**, N. E.

SUTTON, Vivian Charles Wolfe; 2nd Lieutenant; Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment attd. 2nd/20th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 14/09/1918; 22; Ruyaulcourt Military Cemetery, France - J23; Clare House, Sidcup. Merton Court School pupil, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Charles Robert Arnold Sutton & Charlotte Amelia Sutton of Sidcup; Bexleyheath Observer 27 September 1918; http://www.kingscollections.org/warmemorials/kings-college/memorials/sutton-vivian-charles-wolfe; An articled chartered accountant, volunteered for active service soon after the outbreak of war & joined the Honourable Artillery Company in September 1914.

SWAIN, Herbert R.; Corporal; S/6560; 2nd Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 18; Thiepval Memorial, France; Born Belvedere, attended St Augustine's School. Resident 57 Coleman Road; Son of Annie Swain of Burrage Road, Plumstead & the late Charles Norman Swain; Enlisted Woolwich.

SWAN, Herbert Albert; Sergeant; G/10049; 10th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/11/1916; 39; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 11 - 13 & 14; 20 Park View, Maypole Estate, Bexley; Son of George Swan of Bexley, husband of Alice Swan (1903); Born Essex. Enlisted Battersea. A builder.

SWATTON, Harold Edgar; Private; 292938; 10th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/10/1917; 29; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Husband of Rose Swatton of Bromley; Born Bromley, resident Chislehurst. A greengrocer.



SWEENY, John; Private; 8230; 2nd Btn. Royal Munster Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 18/06/1916; Noeux-les-Mines Communal Cemetery, France; Belvedere War Memorial; Born Bandon, Co. Cork, Ireland (details unverified).

SYMONDS, Harry Gordon; Private; L/11842; 11th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/03/1916; 30; Loos Memorial, France; Suffolk Road. Half-brother of J. D'Arcy Symonds of Sidcup; Son of the late Gen. Jermyn Charles Symonds (Royal Marines) & Susan Campbell Kennedy Symonds; Sidcup Times 28 February 1919 list; Born Jersey, Channel Islands. A sign writer in Finchley 1911.

TAMLYN, Joseph; Corporal; 26323; Royal Field Artillery; Died; F&F; 08/11/1915; 31; Sainte-Marie Cemetery, Le Havre, France; 44 Arthur Street, Erith. Married at Christ Church Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Alfred & Annie, married to Mary Ann 1910; Bexleyheath Observer 10 December 1915; Born & enlisted Southampton. A motor bus driver in Woolwich.

TANNER, Percy Edgar; Lance Corporal; 18999; Machine Gun Corps (Infantry) 37th Coy; KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 24; Arras Memorial, France; Born & baptised Belvedere. Lived Glenhead, Woolwich Road / 28 Grosvenor Road. Enlisted Belvedere. Employed by Wm. Cory; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of John Henry & Mary Ann Tanner of Tunbridge Wells (Father a policeman); MM. A clerk.

TAPSELL, William Algernon; 2nd Lieutenant; 1st Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 18/09/1918; 27; St Sever Cemetery, Rouen, Officers, C. 6. 2.; 3 Grove Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Algernon & Mary Jane Tapsell of Abbey Wood; <a href="https://books.google.co.uk/books?id=oawZAgAAQBAJ&pg=PA104&lpg=PA104&dq=TAPSELL,+William+Algernon&source=bl&ots=yEUe9d-ymF&sig=Netu-Ei8nspc6JyvwupFGDAzDKA&hl=en&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwiPieL2 4jMAhVCQBoKHUctCaoQ6AElOTAG#v=onepage&q=TAPSELL%2C%20William%20Algernon&f=false; DCM & Bar, MM. Regular army officer.

TARBUTT, Henry William Melles; Lieutenant; Northern Rhodesia Police; KiA; East Africa; 09/08/1917; 26; Iringa Cemetery, Tanzania; "Formerly of Station Road Sidcup"; Son of Henry Fison & Martha Ann Tarbutt of Woking (formerly of Gilston, Church Avenue, Sidcup); Sidcup Times 28 February 1919 list; http://gweaa.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/Vic-Falls-War-Memorial.pdf; Born Wanstead. In 1911 a bank clerk in Sidcup.

TAYLOR, Albert; Driver; 54863; 54th Bty. 39th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 26/09/1914; 22; Vendresse British Cemetery, France - II. D. 17.; Born Erith, family in Erith. 37 High Street. (Baptised at St John's); Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Henry & Martha, brother of Sidney James; Enlisted Maidstone, 1909. A labourer.

TAYLOR, Alfred John; Private; 9160; 1st Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/12/1914; 24; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 34; Born Sidcup. Family at Watercress Cottages, North Cray; Foots Cray Memorial, St James North Cray Memorial; Son of William Henry & Ellen Taylor of North Cray. (William was a gardener at Loring Hall); Sidcup & District Times 18 December 1914 photo;

 $\frac{http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html\#p=1}{policeman. Called up August 1914.} ; Army reservist \& Metropolitan policeman. Called up August 1914.}$

TAYLOR, Charles Hubert; Private; 65259; Labour Corps; Died; Home; 14/01/1919; 40; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery C/306; Died at Oakhurst VAD Hospital Erith; Son of Amelia; A night watchman. Resident Wandsworth. Buried 20 January 1919.

TAYLOR, Charles William; Private; L/9597; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; Mesopotamia; 24/07/1915; 22; Basra War Cemetery, Iraq; Born Erith, Bexley Road; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Alfred John & Emma; Enlisted Maidstone. A boiler maker.



TAYLOR, Finney; Private; G/6759; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; Mesopotamia; 17/04/1916; 25; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 29; Hurst Common, Sidcup; Son of William & Katherine Taylor of Sidcup; Bexleyheath Observer 2 June 1916, Sidcup & District Times 26 May 1916; Born Suffolk. Enlisted Woolwich. Previously employed on Hurst Farm.

TAYLOR, George Geoffrey; Gunner; 915017; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 25/11/1918; 25; Erith (St John the Baptist) Churchyard; 84 Lower Road, Belvedere; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Stephen John & Sarah Ann; An iron moulder. Died at Catterick Camp, Yorks.

TAYLOR, James Robert; Private; 2105; 1/5th Btn. Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment); KiA; F&F; 09/05/1915; 22; Rue-David Military Cemetery, France - I. H. 25.; Born Crayford 16 Maxim Road; Son of James & Mary Ann, sister of Nellie Risdon (sole surviving family); Resident Blackheath. Enlisted Mirfield, Yorks.

TAYLOR, John Stephen; Rifleman; 2980; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; Died; At sea; 21/10/1914; 25; Hollybrook Memorial, Southampton; Born & baptised Bexleyheath. Smith's Cottages, Albert Road; Son of John & Mary Ann; Resident Croydon. Regular army (India in 1911), prior to that a printer's labourer. Died of heart failure on troop ship Somali "within sight of England".

TAYLOR, Leonard George; Corporal; L/29651; "D" Bty. 242nd Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 14/03/1918; 29; La Clytte Military Cemetery, Belgium - IV. B. 11.; Family from Sidcup. (Born & baptised Sidcup) Pound Place; Son of Mary Ann Taylor of Sidcup; Enlisted East Ham. A greengrocer.

TAYLOR, Percival Clarence (Percy); Private; 43396; 9th Btn. Royal Irish Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 16/08/1917; 21; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 168 Daffodil Road, Upper Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Harry & Elizabeth; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/taylor/; Enlisted Woolwich.

TAYLOR, Sidney James; Corporal; 50530; Royal Horse Artillery; DoW; Gallipoli; 29/05/1915; 27; Lancashire Landing Cemetery, Turkey; 37 High Street, Erith in 1901 Tranquil Rise; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Henry & Martha, brother of Albert; Erith Times 2 July 1915 photo; Enlisted Woolwich. Served in India.

TAYLOR, Sidney Victor; Private; 395691; Labour Corps; Died; Home; 28/10/1918; 23; Southborough Cemetery, Tunbridge Wells; Enlisted Bexleyheath; No known NoK. Son of the late Sidney & Florence, husband of Alice Luxford (1916); http://sussexhistoryforum.co.uk/index.php?topic=4905.0;wap2; Born Plaxtol, Kent. Resident Stratford. Formerly 267040, Kent Cyclist Btn. Died of pneumonia at VAD Hospital Tunbridge Wells.

TAYLOR, William Daniel; Private; 612033; 19th (County of London) Btn. London Regiment; DoW; F&F; 05/12/1917; 26; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France P. VI. C. 2A.; Residence Abbey Wood (Burcharbro Road); Born Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich. A bricklayer.

TAYLOR, William Henry; Lance Corporal; 10565; Honourable Artillery Company (Infantry); Died; Italy; 31/10/1918; 40; Giavera British Cemetery, Italy; 8 Gypsy Road; Son of Francis & Isabella, husband of Edith Kate, 3 children; http://www.ewt.org.uk/memorial/taylor-2/; Born Aberdeen. A clerk. Died of pneumonia.

TESTER, Ernest; Private; 20762; 9th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 23/12/1916; 26; Thiepval Memorial, France; Resident Belvedere; Son of Albert & Mary of Sussex, husband of Rosetta married 1910; Born Uckfield, Sussex. Lorry driver. Enlisted Woolwich. Formerly 24721, K.R.R.C.



THOMAS, Bertie Harold; Private; 75469; 1st/4th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 27/05/1918; 23; Soissons Memorial, France; 4 Maxim Road, Erith / 11 Louisa Terrace, Gertrude Road; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George & Lucy; Erith Observer 22 August 1919; Enlisted Woolwich.

THOMAS, Frederick Clifford; Rifleman; 45207; 15th Btn. Royal Irish Rifles; KiA; F&F; 22/11/1917; 23; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 15 A & 15 B; Resident Erith; Son of Frederick; Born Swansea.

THOMPSON, Sylvan; Private; 292681; 20th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers (Tyneside Scottish); KiA; F&F; 09/09/1917; 20; Thiepval Memorial, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Mary Ann; Born Burwash, Sussex. Formerly G/10284, Royal Sussex Regt.

THOMPSON, William; Private; G/75105; 4th Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London); DoW; F&F; 21/08/1918; 19; Railway Cutting Cemetery, France - A 36; 104 Iron Mill Lane, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Abraham James & Ann of Crayford; Bexleyheath Observer 4 October 1918; Born Leigh, Lancs.

THOMSIT, Frank Golding; Sapper; 43465; Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 20/09/1917; 20; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; 8 Lower Road, Erith / 4 Coast Guard Cottages, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Frederick & Eliza; A gunshop machinist. Enlisted Woolwich.

THORNE, Cornelius; Captain; 8th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/09/1916; 25; Thiepval Memorial, France; Maison Rouge, Sidcup; Son of Cornelius Thorne of Maison Rouge, Sidcup & Elizabeth Frances Thorne of Camberley, brother of Marlborough; http://www.telegraph.co.uk/history/world-war-one/10405879/The-brothers-in-arms-claimed-by-the-Western-Front.html; Born Shanghai. Educated at Haileybury College & University of Cambridge (Rugby blue). Planning a career with the Sudanese civil service.

THORNE, Marlborough; 2nd Lieutenant; "D" Coy. 8th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/09/1915; 20; Norfolk Cemetery, France - I. B. 13.; Maison Rouge, Sidcup; Son of Cornelius Thorne of Maison Rouge, Sidcup & Elizabeth Frances Thorne of Camberley, brother of Cornelius; http://www.telegraph.co.uk/history/world-war-one/10405879/The-brothers-in-arms-claimed-by-the-Western-Front.html; Born Shanghai. Educated at Haileybury College. Enlisted in 90th Winnipeg Rifles, First Canadian Contingent.

THORNTON, Leslie James; Trimmer; 966835; MM Reserve, HMS Alsatian; Died; At sea; 04/10/1918; 18; Plymouth Naval Memorial; 25 Lower Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of James & Ada; http://ww1sacrifice.com/2015/12/07/hms-alsatian/; Born Poplar. Joined navy 1918. Died of influenza.

THOROGOOD, John; Corporal; 1195; 5th (Kent) Bty. Royal Horse Artillery; Died; F&F; 10/05/1916; 38; Millencourt Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Enlisted Erith; Husband of Lydia S. Thorogood of Sittingbourne; Sittingbourne resident. Previously served in the East Kent Regiment. A gas stoker.

THORPE, Harry George; Rifleman; S/31659; 8th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 04/04/1918; 19; Pozières Memorial, France Panel 81-84; Born Foots Cray. Resident Bexleyheath. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Harry & Susan; Article in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Worked at Woolwich Arsenal. Originally reported as being a POW.

THRIFT, Edward Payne; Private; 265048; 7th Btn. Somerset Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 30/11/1917; 35; Cambrai Memorial, France Grave Reference / Panel Number: Panel 4 & 5; 9 Windsor Road, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of Elizabeth, husband of Winnifred Jenns, 1 daughter Flossie); Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A labourer at Woolwich Arsenal. Enlisted Woolwich.



THURSTON, Frederick William; Private; G/1207; 8th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 18/07/1916; 17; Wulverghem-Lindenhoek Road Military Cemetery, Belgium; 31 Northend Villas, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green; Son of Richard & Elizabeth; Bexleyheath Observer 1 September 1916; Born Marylebone. Belonged to Erith Church Lads Brigade. Died while acting stretcher bearer.

THWAITES, Harry; Private; 493726; 13th (County of London) Btn. (Princess Louise's Kensington Battalion) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 19/01/1917; 27; Loos Memorial, France Panel 130-135; Born Foots Cray. Resident Seven Stars Public House; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of William & Rosetta, brother of Richard; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Enlisted Woolwich 1914. Farm worker.

THWAITES, Richard; Driver; 124028; Royal Horse Artillery & Royal Field Artillery; DoW; Mesopotamia; 03/05/1917; 23; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq – XV.L.13.; Born Foots Cray. Resident Seven Stars Public House; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of William & Rosetta, brother of Harry; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Market gardener. Enlisted Woolwich December 1915.

TIDY, Stanley Edward; Private; DM2/112663; RASC; KiA; F&F; 10/06/1917; 24; Railway Dugouts Burial Ground (Transport Farm), Belgium - Sp. Mem. F. 1.; Born Bexleyheath. Main Road Bexleyheath. Baptised at Christ Church; Son of Walter & Clara; Resident Edmonton. A grocer's assistant.

TILLIER, Sidney Victor; Private; G/24274; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); DoW; F&F; 03/09/1918; 19; St Sever Cemetery Extension, France; Callender's employee; Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Bertha; Born Holloway, resident & enlisted Tottenham. MM.

TILLOTSON, John Ralph; Sergeant; 965283; Royal Horse Artillery; DoW; F&F; 06/04/1918; 34; Doullens Communal Cemetery Extension No 1, France; 2 Gypsy Road, Welling; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John William & Alice, husband of Daisy Grace; Resident Greenwich. Born Halifax. A gas company inspector for South Metropolitan Gas Company (1914).

TINDELL, Harold Edward Richard; Ship's Steward Assistant; M/24382; Royal Navy, HMS Pembroke; Died; Home; 30/12/1916; 19; Gillingham (Woodlands) Cemetery, Kent; Born Sidcup, Meadow View Villa, Clarence Crescent; Son of Lawrence & Alice Tindell of Chislehurst; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Died while in Royal Navy training at Chatham Military Hospital.

TINHAM, Albert Edward; Private; G/39068; 7th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); Died; F&F; 01/06/1917; 23; St Martin Calvaire British Cemetery, France; Born Belvedere. Family in Grosvenor Road, Erith; Son of Alice Tinham of Erith, husband of Emily Tinham of New Cross (Married 1916 in Rotherhithe); Resident Stratford. Enlisted Stratford. A tailor's cutter learner.

TODD, Edgar Thomas; Private; 1989; Royal Guernsey Light Infantry; KiA; F&F; 11/04/1918; 19; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium; Aberdour, Lion Road. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of John Martin & Amy; Born Wandsworth. A clerk.



TODMAN, Nelson Victor; 2nd Mate; Mercantile Marine, SS Oriole (London); KiA; At sea; 30/01/1915; 27; Tower Hill Memorial, London; Oakwood Lodge, Old Road, Crayford; Husband of Annie Gertrude Todman (nee Mitchell) 1915;

https://greatwarlondon.wordpress.com/2015/01/30/ss-oriole-&-the-blockade-of-the-uk/; Born Farnham, Surrey. Merchant seaman. Ship sunk by U-Boat.

TOLHURST, St John Alexander Molesworth; Captain; 3/746; New Zealand Medical Corps / New Zealand Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 08/05/1918; 35; Doullens Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Savenake, The Park, Sidcup (wife & in-laws); Husband of Margaret Bartlett of Sidcup, son of George E. & Josephine Tolhurst of Wellington, New Zealand; http://www.auckl&museum.com/war-memorial/online-cenotaph/record/C15860; Born New Zealand (family owned sheep farm). A surgeon, resident Chislehurst. Trained at Guy's Hospital, London.

TOMKINS, William; Acting 2nd Corporal; 40588; 67th Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; Gallipoli; 09/07/1915; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Addenda Panel; Residence Abbey Wood; Born & enlisted Woolwich.

TONGUE / TONGE, John Gervase Claude ; Acting Corporal ; 7416 ; 2nd Btn. Hampshire Regiment ; KiA ; Gallipoli ; 06/08/1915 ; 30 ; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 125-134 or 223-226 228-229 & 328 ; Resident Sidcup ; Son of Gervase Daniel & Laura Jane ; Born Leytonstone. A merchant's clerk. Enlisted Portsmouth. Regular soldier.

TOPHAM, Charles Henry; 2nd Lieutenant; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 21/10/1916; 33; Abbeville Communal Cemetery Extension, France I. G. 10.; 63 Cray Road, Foots Cray; Son of John & Matilda Topham of Yarm, Yorks., husband of Florence Winifred Topham of Foots Cray, 4 children; Regular soldier - joined RGA in 1904.

TOPLEY, William Samuel; Private; 203316; 2nd/4th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; Egyptian theatre; 17/03/1918; 23; Port Said War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt - B. 25.; 3 Alford Road, Erith; Son of William Topley of Erith; Resident Catford. Enlisted Bromley.

TOPPING, James ; Corporal ; 9955 ; 1st Btn. The King's (Liverpool Regiment) ; KiA ; F&F ; 25/09/1915 ; 28 ; Cambrin Military Cemetery, France ; 8 North Cray Road, Bexley ; Old Bexley War Memorial ; Husband of Mary Lily (Married in Bexley in July 1915) ; Bexleyheath Observer 22 October 1915, Bexley & District Times 22 October 1915 photo ; Enlisted Woolwich.

TOSSELL, Frank Richard; Private; 3029; 1st/20th Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 22; Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Face 9 D 9 C 13 C & 12 C; High Street, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of William George & Mary Ann Tossell of Foots Cray; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC, Sidcup & District Times 29 September 1916;

http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Family ran bakers & Post Office in Foots Cray. Worked in Lewisham department store. Enlisted Blackheath.

TOWNSEND, George; Private; G/6610; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 01/05/1916; 41; Amara War Cemetery, Iraq - XX. C. 9.; 69 Coleman Road, Belvedere / 2 Palm Villas, Lower Abbey Road, Abbey Wood, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of John Richard & Emma Sophia Townsend, husband of Eliza Harriet Townsend of Belvedere, 5 children; Born Plumstead, enlisted Woolwich. General labourer.

TOWNSEND, Harry Joseph; Private; G/9562; 8th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 25/09/1918; 28; Aix-Noulette Communal Cemetery Extension, France II. H. 14.; 11 Grove Road, Abbey Wood; Son of George & Sarah Jane Townsend of Abbey Wood, brother of John; Enlisted Woolwich. General labourer.



TOWNSEND, John Edward; Chief Stoker; 296026; Royal Navy, HMS Pembroke; Died; Home; 13/03/1919; 39; Gillingham (Woodlands) Cemetery, Kent Naval. 9. 458.; 11 Grove Road, Abbey Wood; Son of George & Jane Townsend of Abbey Wood, brother of Harry; Born Plumstead. General labourer.

TOWNSEND, Vernon George; Private; 23329; 2nd Btn. Leicestershire Regiment; DoW; Mesopotamia; 11/03/1917; 23; Amara War Cemetery, Iraq; Born Spring Place, Bexley. Baptised at St James North Cray. Resident Vale Mascal Cottages; Son of George Arthur & Evelyn Mary Johnson Townsend; A "garden improver" in 1911. Father was gardener at Vale Mascal.

TOWNSEND, Walter; Private; G/9563; 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 27; Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Face 11 C; 12 Abbey Grove, Abbey Wood; Son of Mrs. E. Townsend of Abbey Wood; Enlisted Woolwich. A general labourer.

TOWNSON, Harry; Gunner; 915719; Royal Horse Artillery & Royal Field Artillery; DoW; F&F; 05/11/1917; 22; Etaples Military Cemetery, France; Enlisted Erith; Son of John Brown & Betty Townson of Lancashire; From Brierfield, nr Burnley, Lancs. A cotton weaver.

TRAILL, William James Cato; Company Sergeant Major; L/8535; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/10/1917; 28; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; In 1919 Traill family are living at 20 Lower Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial (as G.S. **MAJOR-TRAILL**); Son of William Cato & Elizabeth Traill; Born Plumstead, enlisted Gravesend. DCM. A carman. Regular Army in 1911.

TRAVELLER, Edward Henry; Private; G/8895; 8th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; F&F; 29/09/1918; 21; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; 61 Lion Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Henry Cornelius & Margaret; Bexley & District Times 25 April 1919 photo, Erith Observer 25 April 1919; Born Somerstown, enlisted Woolwich. A van guard in 1911.

TREASE, Reginald Ernest; Lieutenant; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 05/12/1918; 29; Nottingham Church Cemetery; Died at Queen's Hospital Sidcup; Son of Annie Trease & the late George Trease of Nottingham;

http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/rollofhonour/People/Details/20751; DSO. MC. An accounts clerk & was a member of Nottingham Rowing Club. Underwent 19 operations at Sidcup: died of influenza.

TREBLE, Harold Abraham; Acting Bombardier; 82821; Royal Garrison Artillery; KiA; F&F; 05/12/1916; 24; Combles Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Henry & Bessie Treble, of Deptford, husband of Amelia Caroline Richards (formerly Treble) of Deptford; Resident Deptford. A railway clerk.

TREE, George Henry; Rifleman; S/21007; 7th Btn. Rifle Brigade; Died; F&F; 31/12/1917; 32; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium Grave Reference / Panel Number: XXVII. C.C. 18.; 26 Cray Road, Foots Cray / 4 Orchard Villas Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of George & Emma Tree of Foots Cray, husband of Constance M. Tree of Ontario, Canada; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A basket maker. Died of nephritis.

TRENFIELD, Frank Harvey; Private; 27120; 13th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; DoW; F&F; 17/04/1918; 18; Ebblinghem Military Cemetery, France - IC15; Born Bexley, baptised at Christ Church Bexleyheath. Enlisted Bexleyheath. 30 Ethronvi Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas Squires & Elizabeth Catherine Trenfield; Son of a market gardener & grower.



TRENFIELD, William James; Corporal; 43507; 9th Btn. Norfolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/04/1918; 22; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 34 to 35 & 162A; 36 Barnehurst Close, Northumberland Heath; Son of James & Clara Elizabeth Trenfield of Northumberland Heath; Born Beccles, Suffolk. Enlisted Norfolk. A grocer's apprentice.

TRICE, Edward; Rifleman; S/16386; 16th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 10/10/1916; 25; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 16 B & 16 C; Born Bexley. Resident Bexley. In 1911 lodging at 5 Vincent Place, Albert Road, Bexley; Son of Henry & Elizabeth of Bexley High Street; General labourer. Enlisted Woolwich.

TROTT, Frederick Robert; Rifleman; S/32317; 8th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 19; Pozières Memorial, France; 23 Pier Road. Enlisted Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Robert & Emma E. of Weston-Super-Mare; Born Lee. Son of a policeman.

TRULL, Arthur William Henry; Private; G/410; "C" Coy. 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 22; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 15 to 19; 262 Brook Street Belvedere / 26 Northumberland Park, North Heath, Erith. Enlisted Erith; Son of Henry James & Harriett Trull; A boot shop assistant.

TRUSSLER, Alfred; Private; 9841; 10th Btn. Hampshire Regiment; KiA; Gallipoli; 21/08/1915; 34; Helles Memorial, Turkey - Panel 125-134 or 223-226 228-229 & 328; 11 Barnfield Road, Belvedere; Son of Thomas Starr Trussler & the late Mary Jane Trussler; Born Sussex. Enlisted Portsmouth. Jobbing gardener & stable boy.

TULETT, Alfred Charles; Private; 252713; 11th Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1918; 19; Trefcon British Cemetery, France; 20 Alford Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Albert & Ellen Tulett; Son of a police sergeant. Enlisted Westminster.

TULLEY, John Rudrum; Flight Sub-Lieutenant; Royal Naval Air Service; Killed; F&F; 29/06/1917; 19; Dunkirk Town Cemetery, France; Born Sidcup. Woodcote, Elm Road, Sidcup; Son of Frederick & Ellen; Whitgift School. Resident Coulsden. Flying Sopwith F1 Camel tractor biplane scout, wrecked in France.

TURNER, Frederick; Gunner; 69386; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Salonika; 07/06/1917; 23; Struma Military Cemetery, Greece; 5 Standard Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Frederick & Ellen; Erith Observer 25 August 1916, Bexleyheath Observer 13 July 1917; Enlisted Woolwich. A nurseryman.

TURNER, Moses James; Private; G/8249; 6th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 11/03/1916; 32; Loos Memorial, France; 21 Wheatley Terrace, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of George & Henrietta; A coal porter. James on all censuses.

TURNER, William; 9818; 2nd Bt. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; India; 14/04/1914; Born Crayford.

TURNER, William Frank; Private; 275124; 1st Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); DoW; F&F; 30/03/1918; 36; Aubigny Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Resident Belvedere; Husband of Tryphena Turner of Tunbridge Wells; Enlisted Lewisham.

TURRELL, Alfred; Rifleman; S/17670; 10th Btn. Rifle Brigade (PCO); KiA; F&F; 22/06/1917; 18; Noreuil Australian Cemetery, France - A. 17.; Resident Crayford; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Possibly son of James & Martha Ann; http://www.bexleytimes.co.uk/news/we-will-remember-our-hero-1-610659; Born Wilmington, Kent.



TUTHILL, Harry Thurlow; Boy 1st Class; J/29326; Royal Navy, HMS Clan McNaughton; Drowned; At sea; 03/02/1915; 16; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 10; 8 Pretoria Cottages, Foots Cray; Foots Cray Memorial. St James North Cray Memorial. (Bexley Strict Baptist Chapel Memorial?); Son of Harry Thurlow & Esther Tuthill; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Joined navy aged 14. Trained on HMS Ganges.

TWYCROSS, Percy; Private; 1752; 4th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 13/10/1915; 21; Loos Memorial, France; Born Crayford. Twycross family at Maxim Road. (Leather factory workers); Son of Frederick & Ellen of Grantham; http://www.lincstothepast.com/TWYCROSS--Percy/1567783.record?pt=S; Enlisted Grantham. An oil & gas fitter.

TYLER, George Edward; Private; 799350; 15th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 15/08/1917; 25; Vimy Memorial, France; 18 Picardy Hill, Belvedere; Son of Clara Tyler of Belvedere & the late Henry Tyler; http://www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/remembrance/memorials/canadian-virtual-war-memorial/detail/1576809; An elevator operator.

TYLER, Henry George; Shoeing Smith; 88656; Ammunition Park, Royal Horse Artillery & Royal Field Artillery; Died; Mesopotamia; 07/05/1916; 34; Basra Memorial, Iraq - Panel 3 & 60; Born Sidcup. Resident Manchester Row, Crayford. (Wife from Sidcup); St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of William & Emma, married Annie 1906, 1 daughter; Enlisted Portsmouth (In 1911 resident Portsmouth - profession - excavator).

TYLER, Lionel Henry; Lance Corporal; 240071; 1st/5th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; Died; Mesopotamia; 11/02/1917; 21; Basra Memorial, Iraq Panel No 29; 7 Durham Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Henry & Sophia; Article in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A book stall clerk. Enlisted Dartford.

TYTE, William George; Rifleman; A/2960; 8th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; F&F; 29/09/1916; 21; St Sever Cemetery, Rouen, France - B. 15. 33.; Born at Belvedere. Heatherdene, Heron Hill. Baptised at All Saints, Belvedere; Son of George J. & Emily Tyte of Selly Park, Birmingham.1911 a junior law clerk in Somerset. Enlisted Birmingham.

UNWIN, Reginald William; 2nd Lieutenant; 11th Btn. attd. 1st/5th Btn. London Regiment (Finsbury Rifles); KiA; F&F; 08/10/1916; 23; Thiepval Memorial, France, Pier & Face 9 C; Ferndene, Hatherley Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of William E. & Elizabeth Unwin of Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times 1 October 1915 & photo; An insurance clerk.

UPTON, Edward Daniel; Lance Corporal; 13848; 2nd Btn. Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment); KiA; F&F; 10/10/1917; 22; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Son of Emma Ann; Born Greenwich. In 1911 a coal miner in Dewsbury, Yorks. Enlisted Huddersfield.

UPTON, John; Private; 242935; 1st/6th Btn. Royal Warwickshire Regiment; DoW; F&F; 07/10/1917; 21; Dozinghem Military Cemetery, Belgium; 10 Commondale Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of the late John & Caroline; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/upton/; Born Birmingham.

URSELL, John Linter (Liston on CWGC); Private; 702634; 23rd Btn. London Regiment; Died; Home; 28/07/1918; 20; New Alresford (St John the Baptist) Churchyard, Hants.; Born Abbey Wood, baptised Belvedere. 13 Pembroke Road, Erith (mistake in CWGC, "Penhole"); Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Francis Henry & Ellen; http://www.alresfordhist&lit.co.uk/NOT%20JUST%20A%20NAME%2017%20Website.pdf; A clerk. Wounded at Arras. Returned to England August 1917.



VANCE, James; Lieutenant; 2nd Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 21/10/1914; 28; Strand Military Cemetery, Belgium, Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium; Bexleyheath family; Son of the late William John Vance, Surgeon of Bexleyheath; Educated at Sandhurst, commissioned 1906.

VANSITTART, Arnold Bexley; 2nd Lieutenant; 11th (Prince Albert's Own) Hussars; DoW; F&F; 12/05/1915; 25; Brandhoek Military Cemetery, Belgium – I B 18; North Cray Place, Bexley; St James North Cray Memorial; Son of Capt. Robert Arnold Vansittart, J.P., D.L., & Susan Alice Vansittart; Bexley & District Times 21 May 1915 photo; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Descendent of Lord Bexley. Trainee accountant & Inns of Court OTC. Commissioned August 1914.

VAUGHAN, Edgar; Private; 437004; 49th Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 30/10/1917; 27; Menin Gate (Ypres) Memorial, Belgium; Born Sidcup; Son of the late Edward & Frances Clarke Vaughan; http://www.canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=59987; A farmer in Canada.

VENNILLS, Reginald Godfrey; Sick Berth Attendant; M/8992; Royal Navy, HMS Formidable; KiA; At sea; 01/01/1915; 21; Chatham Naval Memorial; 94 May Place Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles Samuel & Sarah Ann; Bexleyheath Observer 30 July 1915; Enlisted 1913. A pipe fitter. Name often given as **VENNILS**.

VICKERS, Alfred Thomas; Sergeant; G/8406; 11th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 34; Bulls Road Cemetery, France; 27 East Street, Bexleyheath; Son of Mr & Mrs Vickers of 27 East Street Bexleyheath, married to Emma Mary-Ann, 5 children; Bexleyheath Observer 13 October 1916; Resident Lewisham before war. A fishmonger.

VICKERY, Charles William; Sergeant; 9102; 1st Btn. East Yorkshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/10/1914; 24; Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium - Panel 4; 2 Charlevell Road, Northumberland Heath / 200 Brook Street, Erith; Son of Joseph Thomas Vickery; Born & enlisted Woolwich.

VINCENT, Henry James; Private; 28739; 9th Btn. Suffolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/04/1917; 26; Loos Memorial, France; Born Bexleyheath, baptised at Christ Church. Step-family at 33 Mill Road, Belvedere; Son of the late Henry Vincent & Fanny Vago, stepson of Ambrose Louis Vago of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich. A general labourer.

VINCENT, Otto George Charles; Private; 22638; 1st Btn. Border Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 24; Hawthorn Ridge Cemetery No.2, France - A. 16.; Born & resident in Belvedere. 38 Picardy Street / 67 Ripley Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William & Elizabeth Fanny; Enlisted Woolwich. General labourer.

VINSON, Albert Higgs; Captain; Royal Flying Corps, 13th training squadron; Killed; Home; 22/03/1918; 21; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - J. 178/179; Parsonage Farm, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Albert & Ada Mary Vinson of Sheepcote Farm, St Mary Cray; Bexleyheath Observer 29 March 1918; Son of farmers. Mentioned in despatches. Killed in flying accident (training) at Yatesbury, Wilts.

VINSON, Ernest Henry; Rifleman; 7096; 18th Btn. London Regiment (London Irish Rifles); KiA; F&F; 28/09/1916; 29; Ecoivres Military Cemetery, France; Born Crayford; Son of George & Frances E. Vinson of Forest Gate. His brother Frederick Thomas Vinson also fell; Resident Forest Gate. An insurance clerk.



VIRGINT, Alfred Ireson; Rifleman; S/25670; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade; Died; F&F; 31/12/1916; 22; Valenciennes (St Roch) Communal Cemetery, France Grave Reference/ Panel Number: IV. C. 21.; Born Bexley. Unity Cottage, Birkbeck Road. Resident Sidcup. Married in Sidcup. 24 Woodside Road; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of William & Emma, brother of Frederick Thomas, married to Emma (Taylor), 2 daughters; Sidcup & District Times 27 April 1917; Taken prisoner: letters home asking why no news or parcels?

VIRGINT, Frederick Thomas; Private; 29932; 9th Btn. Norfolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 08/10/1918; 27; High Tree Cemetery, France Grave Reference/ Panel Number: A. 35; Born & baptised Sidcup. Resident 45 Jubilee Road Foots Cray. Enlisted Bexleyheath. Family in Sidcup, Woodside Road; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of William & Emma, brother of Alfred Ireson, married Maude Knapp at Lamorbey Church 1915; Enlisted 1916 in Sidcup. Farm worker.

VON POELLNITZ, Herman Walter; Major; 2nd Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment & RAF; Died; Mesopotamia; 11/05/1918; 27; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq Grave Reference/Panel Number: X. F. 8.; 66 Station Road Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Only child of Baron Arthur & Baroness von Poellnitz; Sidcup & District Times 24 May 1918; http://www.wynnesdiary.com/section_pages/editor/viewer_9.html; Died in driving accident. "The first Sidcup man to fly over Sidcup".

VOUSDEN, Robert Francis (R. J. on Memorial); Private; C/645; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 15/09/1916; 19; Thiepval Memorial, France; 33 Thanet Road, Erith. Employed by Wm Cory, Erith Works; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of James George & Margaret; Belonged to Erith Church Lads Brigade.

WAGHORN, James Frederick; Sergeant; C/9348; C Coy. 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 01/11/1916; 22; Courcelles-Au-Bois Communal Cemetery Extension, France - A17; 4 Hurst Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Foster Son of Rebecca Covill of Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times 17 November 1916; Born Greenwich. Enlisted Lewisham.

WAGHORN, Percy James; Sergeant; 202161; RAF North Sea Airship No 11; Killed; At sea; 15/07/1919; 26; Hollybrook Memorial, Southampton; The Star, Star Hill, Crayford; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of William & Rebecca Waghorn of The Star, Crayford; http://www.ns11.org/ns11-crew-images/percy-james-waghorn/; Killed in accident off Norfolk coast while minesweeping (see Erith Observer 25 July 1919).

WAILES, Hubert Charles; Private; 691; 19th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; DoW; F&F; 03/08/1916; 33; Puche Villers British Cemetery, France - II. C. 60.; 81 Lion Road, Bexleyheath; Son of John William & Esther Gertrude Mary Wailes; https://www.aif.adfa.edu.au/showPerson?pid=310020; Railway night officer.

WAITE, Arthur Edwin; Rifleman; 5844; 2nd Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 09/02/1916; 16; Rue-Du-Bois Military Cemetery, France; 4 Woolwich Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Joseph Richard & Sarah (mother remarried 1913); Bexleyheath Observer 10 March 1916 photo; Son of Mrs Dismore who had allowed him to join up after 'begging her to go too' when her husband joined up.

WAITE, Stanley; Private; 534126; 4th London Field Amb. Royal Army Medical Corps; Died; Home; 28/10/1918; 19; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - L. 236; 215 Brook Street, Erith. Enlisted Erith; Son of William Waite (late of The Queen's) & Mary Emily Waite of Erith; Born Aldershot Barracks.



WAKEHAM, Walter George; Died (drowned); At sea; 28/05/1915; 26; Danson Park Lodge / 2 High Street, Bexley (1911); Son of James & Mary Ann of Danson Park Lodge; http://www.rmslusitania.info/related-ships/falaba/; Born Dulwich. A coal merchant's clerk in 1911. Father was gardener to Mr. Bean of Danson. Passenger on SS Falaba.

WALDOCK, Albert Victor; Private; 233378; 2nd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); Died; Home; 05/09/1917; 32; Chislehurst (Annunciation) Churchyard; Resident in Bexleyheath at time of enlistment; Son of Alfred & Annie, husband of Violet Knight of Chislehurst; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A nurseryman assistant.

WALKER, James T. E.; Private; 8045; 2nd Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 15/09/1914; St Nazaire (Toutes-Aides) Cemetery, France; Employed at Bexley Mental Hospital; Son of Alice; From Dartford & the Great War – by Gethyn J. Rees; Resident Dartford. Born Sussex, enlisted Chichester.

WALKER, William; Private; 9410; 2nd Btn. Border Regiment; DoW; F&F; 13/03/1915; 26; Le Touret Memorial, France; Born & resident Erith & Belvedere. 47A High Street Erith; Son of Joshua & Minnie; Regular army. Enlisted New Cross.

WALLIS, Harry; Naval Instructor; Royal Navy, HMS Indefatigable; KiA; At sea; 31/05/1916; 29; Plymouth Naval Memorial – 10; The Park, Sidcup / Kynnersly, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Engineer Captain Henry Wallis, R.N. & Ellen Beatrice Wallis, of The Park, husband of Alice Maud Wallis of Kynnersly, Priestlands Park (married 1915); Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC, Sidcup & District Times 9 June 1916; M.A. (Oxon). An actuary.

WALSH, Walter; Private; L/5934; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/10/1914; 40; Le Touret Memorial, France (n.b. Military records as **WASH**); 48 & 60 Birbeck Road Sidcup & Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Joseph, husband of Ethel (1908); Sidcup & District Times 9 April 1915 photo; Walter previously worked for Foots Cray Urban District Council as a roadman.

WALTER, Arthur John; Sergeant; 4309; Royal Army Medical Corps; Died; F&F; 27/10/1918; 28; Bois Guillaume Communal Cemetery Extension, France - G. 5B.; 92 Broadway, Bexleyheath. Married at St Paul's Church, Northumberland Heath; Son of William & Mary Ann Walter of Bexleyheath, husband of Grace (1911); Born Rochester. Regular army.

WALTON, John James; Sergeant; 40442; 62nd Field Coy. Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 22/06/1915; 31; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 9; Enlisted Erith; Husband of Eliza Anne; Bexleyheath Observer 30 July 1915; Born Dublin. Resident Gillingham.

WALTON, Leon Maitland; 2nd Lieutenant; 1st/4th Btn. (Territorials) Loyal North Lancashire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 16/11/1916; 36; Vlamertinghe Military Cemetery, Belgium; Ingleside, 5 Manor Way, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of John & Julia. Resident Bexley with brother; Textile warehouseman.

WANDEN, Arthur Ernest; Rifleman; R/39708; 11th Btn. the County of London Regiment King's Royal Rifle Corps; DoW; Palestine; 23/12/1917; 22; Ramleh War Cemetery, Israel L. 2.; Resident Sidcup; Son of George & Ada; Article in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Eynsford. Enlisted Woolwich. A farm worker.

WANKLYN, Herbert Graham "Alec"; Flight Lieutenant; Royal Naval Air Service (Dunkirk Station); KiA; F&F; 31/05/1915; 19; Calais Southern Cemetery, France - Plot A. Row Officers. Grave 1; Merton Court School pupil, Sidcup; Son of Herbert A. & Blanche Wanklyn of London; http://www.mertoncourtprep.co.uk/index.php?thissection=20&thissubpage=2; Father an imports merchant. Royal Aero Club Aviator's Certificate - June 1914: killed in action off Belgian coast.



WARD, C. H. (could it be G. H.?); Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; George H.

WARD, George; Private; 23651; 3rd Btn. Grenadier Guards; DoW; F&F; 16/09/1916; La Neuville British Cemetery, France II. E. 30.; 72 Police Quarters, Abbey Wood; Brother of William Ward of Abbey Wood (NoK); Born Caerphilly. Enlisted Lambeth.

WARD, George Alfred; Private; L/7934; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/10/1914; 26; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 30 & 31; 1 East Terrace, Crayford Road, Erith. Employed by Wm. Cory; Son of Edward Ward of Erith; Born Greenwich, enlisted New Cross.

WARD, Harry; Private; L/9172; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment); Died; Mesopotamia; 22/10/1916; Baghdad (North Gate) War Cemetery, Iraq; Resident Belvedere; Son of Henry; Born Millwall. Enlisted Maidstone. Died as POW

WARD, John Urmston; Sergeant; R/16666; 1st Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 29/10/1918; 29; Poix-du-Nord Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Harry & Sarah Ward of Leigh, Lancs.; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/59059-john-ward; Resident Leigh, Lancs.

WARD, William Henry; Corporal; 600; Royal Flying Corps; Died; Home; 04/09/1915; 24; Erith (St John the Baptist) Churchyard; 39 Cross Street, Erith. Buried in Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William & Frances Ann;

https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/110709999/william-henry-ward; Born Strood. "Died of illness while on active service" - from gravestone, family buried together in Erith. A boilermaker.

WARNER, Alfred George; Rifleman; 592611; 18th Btn. County of London Regiment (London Irish Rifles); KiA; Egyptian theatre; 23/12/1917; 30; Jerusalem War Cemetery, Israel - T. 38.; Resident Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Charles & Mary Ann, husband of Rose; Born Devon Road, Sutton-at-Hone. Enlisted Chelsea. Previously a gardener & Royal Navy stoker.

WARNER, William Henry; Stoker 1st Class; SS/103360; Royal Navy, HMS Good Hope; KiA; At sea off Chile; 01/11/1914; 27; Portsmouth Naval Memorial; 3 Maxim Road, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Husband of Florence of Lower Street Erith; Erith Times 8 January 1915; Born Portsmouth.

WARREN, Mark Willie; Lance Corporal; S/153; 2nd Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 08/02/1915; 32; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 12 & 14; Born Abbey Wood, Resident Belvedere, 10 Gladeswood Road. Enlisted Erith / 36 Battle Road; Son of Mary Ann Warren of 10 Gladeswood Road; Army reservist. A stoker.

WARWICK, Sydney Edgar; Private; 1801; 1st Btn. Manchester Regiment; DoW; F&F; 16/12/1914; 22; Bethune Town Cemetery, France III. A. 64.; 3 Manor Cottages, Cross Ness, Abbey Wood; Son of William Henry & Julia Warwick; Born Knightsbridge. Enlisted Lancashire.

WASHER, Ernest Frank; Private; 11638; 2nd Btn. Coldstream Guards; KiA; F&F; 09/10/1915; 28; Vermelles British Cemetery, France - I.E.8.; Resident Sidcup. 5 Priestlands Crescent; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of William & Ada Washer of Woodside Crescent; Sidcup & District Times 5 November 1915; Born Somerset. Enlisted Woolwich. A house painter.

WATERHOUSE, William Walter; Private; T/270967; 10th Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); KiA; F&F; 10/09/1918; 27; Ste Emilie Valley Cemetery, France; 9 Sandford Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Kate; A carpenter & joiner. Enlisted Maidstone. Formerly 2103, Royal West Kent Yeomanry.



WATERMAN, Leonard Gordon; Ordinary Seaman; J/16648; Royal Navy HMS Pathfinder; KiA; At sea; 05/09/1914; 19; Chatham Naval Memorial; Edith Cottage, Oak Road, Erith; Son of John & Alice; A baker's boy. Resident Gravesend. Joined Navy Mar 1912. Trained on HMS Ganges.

WATERS, Alfred; Gunner; 930448; Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 20/08/1917; 25; Perth Cemetery (China Wall), Belgium - II. D. 25.; 48 Rowan Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas & Kate?; Bexley & District Times 14 & 21 September 1917 photo; Born Wood Green. Enlisted Eltham.

WATERS, Edgar; Private; 3515; 53rd Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; F&F; 19/07/1916; 26; VC Corner Australian Cemetery Memorial, France; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas & Minnie, husband of Matilda May (Australia 1913), 1 son; Born Gravesend. Able seaman.

WATERS, Henry Arthur; Private; L/10003; 2nd Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 12/11/1917; 23; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 86 to 88; Born Erith. 2 Sandcliff Road. Baptised at St John's; Son of Henry & Clara; Enlisted Chichester.

WATKIN, Rex; Private; G/20870; 23rd Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 17/02/1917; 21; Regina Trench Cemetery, France; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Thomas & Agnes; http://archives.wigan.gov.uk/entity/59067-rex-watkin; Resident Leigh, Lancs.

WATKINS, Edward; Private; T/2/017475; Army Service Corps; Died; Home; 13/02/1916; 34; Foots Cray (All Saints) Churchyard; Born & buried at Foots Cray. Sister at 12 Oxford Road; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Frederick & Johanna Watkins; Sidcup & District Times 25 February 1916; A printer & compositor (including a spell at the Sidcup & District Times). Enlisted August 1914. Died of pneumonia, Derby hospital.

WATLING, Victor George; Able Seaman; J/49170; Royal Navy. HMS Royal Sovereign; Died; At sea; 09/12/1918; 18; Crayford (St Paulinus) Churchyard - south-west part of far ground; Born Bexleyheath. 15 Broadway, Bexleyheath. Baptised at Christ Church. Resident 56 Arthur Road, Northumberland Heath; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of George Thurlow & Rose Christabel; A Barnardo's boy? Drowned "Accidentally killed" (aeroplane incident?).

WATSON, David; Gunner; 563; 27th Div. Ammunition Col. Royal Field Artillery; Drowned?; F&F; 07/06/1915; 20; Erquinghem-Lys Churchyard Extension, France; 69 Riverdale Road, Erith / 48 Arthur Street, Crayford; Bexleyheath War Memorial & Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of David & Edith Ada; Erith Observer, Bexleyheath Observer 18 & 25 June 1915; Driver in newspaper.

WATSON, Fred; Private; 38098; 20th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 21/10/1917; 24; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Mr & Mrs James Watson, of Leigh, Lancs.; Resident Leigh, Lancs.

WATSON, Frederick James; Private; 9311; 1st Btn. Royal Scots Fusiliers; DoW; Home; 04/11/1914; 26; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery; Buried Erith. Employed at Callender's Cable Works, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial. Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of Arthur & Harriett of Blackheath; Bexleyheath Observer 13 & 20 November 1914 photo; Shot in stomach during Battle of Lille. Military funeral held at Erith.

WAYLING, Ernest Thomas; Private; G/9136; 10th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 09/06/1917; 29; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium XV. J. 6A; Born Abbey Wood, Residence Sidcup 104 Corbylands Road, Sidcup; Son of the late James & Maria Wayling of Sidcup, brother of Henry; Farm carter. Enlisted Woolwich.



WAYLING, Henry Robert; Driver; 177394; Royal Horse Artillery & Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 17/11/1917; 20; Duhallow A.D.S. Cemetery, Belgium - II.C.9.; Born Abbey Wood. Resident 104 Corbylands Road, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial. Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of the late James & Maria Wayling of Sidcup, brother of Ernest Thomas (not on Sidcup war Memorial); Enlisted Woolwich. Family of farm workers.

WEARING, Douglas George; Captain; General List / Royal Army Medical Corps (Dentist); Died; Ireland; 11/11/1918; 33; Limerick (King's Island) Military Cemetery, Ireland – Grave 649; 2 Walton Road, Sidcup / Fairhaven, 81 High Street; Sidcup War Memorial; Husband of Gladys Isabelle Louisa, married at St John's 1912; http://rbl-limerick.webs.com/apps/blog/show/4188427-lost-war-Grave-at-king-s-island; Born Oxfordshire. Trained at Kings College London. A dentist in Sidcup. Died of pneumonia.

WEARN, Ronald Ramsey; Rifleman; 550763; 16th (County of London) Btn. (Queens Westminster Rifles) - London Regiment; DoW; F&F; 10/04/1917; 28; Mont Huon Military Cemetery, France - III. F. 7A.; Resident – Sidcup (worked for London & Provincial Bank, Sidcup); Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Christopher J. & Sarah A. Wearn of Builth Wells, Wales; Born Builth, Wales. Son of a schoolmaster. Enlisted Westminster.

WEATHERALL, Claude George; Private; 41845; 4th Btn. Bedfordshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/05/1918; 21; Aveluy Wood Cemetery, France; Born & baptised Crayford - Elm Cottage Crayford / High Street Crayford; Son of Edward & Mercy; http://branches.britishlegion.org.uk/media/4851144/hAughley-war-memorial.pdf; Resident Suffolk. Enlisted Bury St Edmunds.

WEATHERHEAD, Frank; Private; S4/140346; Army Service Corps; Died; Egypt; 20/03/1917; 48; Alexandria (Hadra) War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt; Born & baptised Crayford (St Paulinus); Son of George & Eliza Weatherhead of Clerkenwell, husband of Lilian G. Weatherhead of Wimbledon; A travelling salesman. Resident Wimbledon, enlisted Bristol.

WEATHERLEY, Frederick James (P. J. on memorial); Sapper; 184293; Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 21/03/1918; 40; Chauny Communal Cemetery British Extension, France; 6 Williams Place, Bellegrove; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels, Welling Memorial; Son of Thomas & Emma, husband of Louisa, 4 daughters; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/weatherley/; Born Dartford. A carpenter.

WEBB, Charles Parker; 2nd Lieutenant; 3rd Btn. attd 11th Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Reg); KiA; F&F; 23/07/1917; 36; Bus House Cemetery, Belgium; Arden, Parkhurst Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of late George Parker Webb & Elizabeth of South Croydon; Bexleyheath Observer 3 August 1917, Sidcup & District Times 23 August 1917; http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=11154628; A bank clerk. MC.

WEBB, Leonard; Private; L/9150; 2nd Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment); KiA; Mesopotamia; 24/07/1915; 25; Basra Memorial, Iraq; Resident Erith; Son of James & Mary; Born Southfleet, Kent. Regular Army. India in 1911.

WEBB, Richard; Company Sergeant Major; 27221; 8th Btn. Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment); KiA; F&F; 27/08/1918; 34; Bernafay Wood British Cemetery, France - G. 11.; Resident Sidcup. Policeman in Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Sarah Webb, husband of Marie Webb, married 1913; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; Born Berkshire. Army reservist & sportsman before joining police. MGC, DCM.

WEBLEY, Charles Edward; Private; 18229; 7th Btn. Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment); DoW; F&F; 13/04/1918; 30; Namps-au-Val British Cemetery, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath. Newspaper reports living in Erith; Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of Edward & Julia Ann Webley, husband of Eva Maud of Leytonstone; Born Bristol, family in Essex. A school master (in Erith?).



WEBSTER, Benjamin; Rifleman; C/9399; 20th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 01/10/1918; 22; Flesquiéres Hill British Cemetery, France; 30 Sandford Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Hugh Walter & Mary, brother of George; Bexley & District Times 25 October 1918 photo; Previously worked at Messrs Murgatroyd works at Crayford.

WEBSTER, George (George James); Rifleman; S/25365; 13th Btn. Rifle Brigade; KiA; F&F; 04/11/1918; 20; Ghissignies British Cemetery, France; 30 Sandford Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Hugh Walter & Mary, brother of Benjamin; Bexley & District Times 13 December 1918 photo; Enlisted Woolwich.

WEEKES, John; Leading Stoker; 296881; Royal Navy, HMS Hawke (RFR/CH/B/9469); KiA; At sea; 15/10/1914; 42; Chatham Naval Memorial, Panel 4; 23 Hazel Road, Slade Green. Vickers employee; Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Husband of Naomi Harding, married 1913 (formerly Weekes) of Slade Green; Erith Times 4 December 1914; Native of Wrotham, Kent. 12 years RN reservist. HMS Hawke torpedoed by German submarine, North Sea.

WEEKS or **WEEKES**, Mark Albert; Gunner; 105539; Royal Garrison Artillery; DoW; F&F; 15/08/1917; 23; Mendinghem British Cemetery, Belgium; Born & baptised Bexleyheath. 31 Mayplace Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Mark & Mary; Bexley & District Times 7 July 1917, Bexleyheath Observer 7 September 1917; A florist's labourer in 1911. Later munitions work.

WEIR, Frederick Stanley; Engineer Lieutenant Commander; Royal Navy, HMS Britannia; KiA; At sea; 09/11/1918; 29; Gibraltar (North Front) Cemetery, B. 4202.; 15 Longlands Road, Sidcup; Husband of Alice Winnifred Weir of Sidcup, married 1916; https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/HMS Britannia (1904); Born Portsmouth. Royal Navy officer. Ship sunk by torpedo.

WELLER, Harry (Alfred H.); Acting Corporal; 661; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 29; Sucrerie Military Cemetery, France – I.D.18; Born Bexleyheath, resident Sidcup (3 Wingfield Place); Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Charles & Jane Weller of 3 Wingfield Place Lamorbey, brother of Ernest. Married, 2 children; Sidcup & District Times14 July 1916; A Reservist, had served 6 years in India. Later worked at Dover colliery.

WELLER, Edward; Private; 27608; 1st Btn. Wiltshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 31/08/1918; 20; Vis-en-Artois Memorial, France; Born & resident Bexleyheath. 9 Limes Cottages, Banks Lane. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas & Louisa.

WELLER, Ernest Claude; Rifleman; 5888; 8th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); KiA; F&F; 04/04/1918; 25; Pozières Memorial, France Panel 81 – 84; Born & resident Sidcup. 3 Wingfield Place; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Charles & Jane Weller of 3 Wingfield Place, brother of Harry; Sidcup & District Times15 September 1916; MM. Enlisted Woolwich. In 1911 a groom in Army Service Corps, Woolwich.

WELLER, Harry William; Private; 635988; 20th Btn. London Regiment (Blackheath & Woolwich); DoW; F&F; 09/09/1918; 19; Daours Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Born & baptised Bexleyheath. 17 East Street; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Harry William & Elizabeth; Enlisted Woolwich.

WELLER, Sidney George James; 3rd Engineer; Mercantile Marine, SS Sea Gull (London); KiA; At sea; 16/03/1918; 23; Tower Hill Memorial; Ivy Villa, Sydney Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Arthur & Charlotte Margaret Weller of Abbey Wood; Apprentice to machine shop mechanic. Ship sunk by U-boat.



WELLS, Arthur James William; Private; 23597; 6th Btn. King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry; DoW; F&F; 17/12/1915; 19; Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium; 23 Thanet Road, Erith. Erith Grammar School pupil. Employed by Wm. Cory; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial. Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of James Joseph & Annie Eliza; https://swithunwells.com/2015/11/; An engineer. Enlisted Woolwich.

WELLS, Henry; Private; G/39750; 25th Btn. Middlesex Regiment; Died; Russia; 08/02/1919; 43; Churkin Russian Naval Cemetery, Vladivostok; Pretoria Cottages, North Cray; St James North Cray Memorial; Husband of Mary, 3 children; Sidcup & District Times 20 April 1917, http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; A gardener. Also worked for the Marsham-Townshends at Frognal. Died in Vladivostok of "acute alcoholic poisoning".

WELLS, James Henry; Sergeant; G/385; 6th Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 03/07/1916; 26; Blighty Valley Cemetery, France – Special Memorial 25; Native of Sidcup. Lochinvar Halfway Street Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of William & Louisa, husband of Emily Elizabeth Whyman (formerly Wells) of Newquay, Cornwall. (Married at Lamorbey 1916); Sidcup & District Times 21 July 1916; In 1911 a gardener in Guildford. Enlisted Redhill.

WELLS, Leonard Robert; Private; G/12248; 1st Btn. Middlesex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/07/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of William Henry Wells of Colchester; Resident Colchester. An electrician.

WELLS, William Rudland; Gunner; 331888; 61st Bty. 15th Bde. Canadian Field Artillery; Died; Home; 14/12/1916; 38; Witley (Milford) Cemetery, Surrey - D. 5.; 4 Nash's Cottages, Birkbeck Road, Sidcup; On Sidcup War Memorial as **RUDLAND**; Husband of Bridget Rudland (formerly Wells) of Sidcup; Sidcup & District Times 22 December 1916; Greengrocer. Emigrated c1911 & returned with the Canadian contingent.

WELSH, George Frederick; Lance Corporal; 691; 8th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; DoW; F&F; 04/08/1916; 22; Varennes Military Cemetery, France - I. A. 4.; Born Erith, South Road; Son of James Welsh & Emma Killick; Resident Lewisham. A warehouseman.

WENHAM (**WENNAN** on Foots Cray Memorial), George Samuel; Corporal; 203218; 2/4th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; Palestine; 08/05/1917; 20; Gaza War Cemetery, Israel XXX D 9; 18 Jubilee Road, Foots Cray / 14 Days Lane, Lamorbey. Enlisted Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of the late George Thomas Wenham & Lilian Kate Martin, stepson of William Martin; Bexleyheath Observer 25 May 1917. Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC; A sea apprentice & member of Sidcup Territorials.

WEST, Arthur Henry; Rifleman; 3904; 16th (County of London) Btn. London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/06/1916; 26; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 13 C; Mayfield, Foots Cray; Sidcup War Memorial & Foots Cray Memorial; Son of James & Mary Ann; Article & photo in "For King & Country": Chislehurst War Memorial, copy in BLSAC, Sidcup & District Times 28 July 1916; Born Tunbridge Wells. An inland revenue officer.

WEST, Arthur Sidney "Jock"; 1014; Australian Munition Workers Scheme; Died; Home; 08/11/1917; 28; Dartford (Watling Street) Cemetery; Worked at Vickers, Crayford. 37 West Hill, Dartford / The Elms, Crayford; Son of William Luke West & Mary West of Sydney, Australia; http://ww1austburialsuk.weebly.com/uploads/4/9/7/8/4978039/west_arthur_sidney.pdf; Came to England November 1916. Engine Fitter/toolmaker at Crayford works. Died in industrial accident at Vickers.



WESTBROOK, Edwin James; Rifleman; S/21613; 9th Btn. Rifle Brigade (PCO); KiA; F&F; 03/05/1917; 36; Arras Memorial, France Bay 9; 3 The Nursery, North End, Erith; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Son of Charles & Louisa Eliza, married Bethia Rose 1909; Bexleyheath Observer 13 July 1917; Born Greenhithe. Postman for 22 years.

WESTGATE, James William George; Private; G/23680; 7th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 18/09/1918; 19; Péronne Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Born & baptised Belvedere; The Nest, Kentish Road, Belvedere / 21 Upper Abbey Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of George & Charlotte Westgate of Belvedere; Enlisted Woolwich.

WESTON, Cyril Harry; Private; 8820; 1st Btn. Border Regiment; KiA; Gallipoli 02/06/1915; 27; Helles Memorial, Turkey; 47 Coleman Road, Belvedere / 31 Nuxley Road; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Emily Fanny Fowler (formerly Weston) & the late John Harry Weston; Born Kilburn. Raised by grandparents. A cycle-makers assistant. In will effects were to go to a Rosina M. Allen of Rugby.

WHATLING, Arthur William (A. W. T. on Memorial); Private; 1437; 2nd Australian Infantry; DoW; F&F; 09/05/1918; 28; Ebblinghem Military Cemetery, France; Born & baptised in Erith, St John's. 81 High Street; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Robert & Mary in Harleston, Norfolk; https://oldsite.awm.gov.au/images/collection/pdf/RCDIG1058636--1-.pdf; Son of a coffee house keeper. Enlisted in Liverpool, New South Wales. A farmer.

WHATMOUGH, Frank Joseph; "Rifleman"; 301821, (2768); 5th Btn. London Regiment (London Rifle Brigade); KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 29; Gommecourt British Cemetery No.2, France - III. G. 12.; 2 Sherston Place, Bexleyheath; Son of Joseph Whatmough & Sarah Ankritt Williams, husband of Annie Whatmough of Bexleyheath; Born Plumstead. A draper's assistant in Woolwich in 1911.

WHEATLEY, Stanley; Leading Stoker; K/14553; Royal Navy, HMS Natal; Killed; At sea; 30/12/1915; 21; Chatham Naval Memorial; 17 Victoria Cottages, Lower Wickham Lane; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Richard Henry & Frances; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/wheatley/; A butcher, before joining Navy.

WHEELER, Alfred John; Private; 35037; 8th Btn. East Surrey Regiment; KiA; F&F; 23/03/1918; 19; Pozières Memorial, France - Panel 44 & 45; Born Bexley; Son of Alfred John & Rosaline; http://www.kentfallen.com/PDF%20reports/BIGGIN%20HILL.pdf; Son of a paperhanger. Resident Biggin Hill. Enlisted Bromley.

WHEELER, Harold; Private; 251707; 2nd Btn. Essex Regiment; DoW; F&F; 26/09/1918; 23; Mont Huon Military Cemetery, France; Born Belvedere 1 Vinson Cottages, Stapley Road; Son of Ellen Wheeler, of Hornsey; Resident & enlisted Palmer's Green. A butcher's boy in Wood Green 1911.

WHEELER, John Piggott; Major; "D" Bty. 82nd Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 30/10/1917; 25; Vlamertinghe New Military Cemetery, Belgium; Worked for Vickers, Erith (1910). A Thames rower at Erith. Resident 2 Pier Road; Son of Samuel & Elizabeth Wheeler of Reading; Erith Times 18 January 1918; Born Reading. Marlborough College. Trainee engineer at Vickers. Territorial officer in Erith. MC.

WHIFFEN, Thomas; Private; 10059; 2nd Btn. South Lancashire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 27/10/1914; 19; Le Touret Memorial, France - Panel 23; 7 Pretoria Cottages, Foots Cray, Sidcup; Foots Cray Memorial, St James North Cray Memorial; Son of Thomas & Emma Frances Whiffen of Foots Cray; Sidcup & District Times 11 December 1914 photo; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Boy scout & drummer in Foots Cray band. A dairyman.



WHIFFEN, William Alfred; Private; G/11119; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/08/1916; 22; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 11 C; 1 Maxim Road, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of James Edward & Charlotte Whiffen of Crayford; General labourer.

WHITBURN, Frederick John; Private; 21290; 9th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; Gallipoli; 21/08/1915; 32; Helles Memorial, Turkey; Resident Bexley; Grandson of George & Elizabeth Cull; Born Lambeth, enlisted Birmingham. A musician.

WHITE, Albert Edward ("Mickey"); Sapper; 5228; 2nd Field Company, Canadian Engineers; KiA; F&F; 11/04/1917; 23; Barlin Communal Cemetery Extension, France; 12 Williams Terrace, Welling. Foster's School; Son of Edward James & Susan White of White's Far, Foster, Quebec; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/white-2/; Born Plumstead. Family emigrated to Canada, c1907.

WHITE, Alfred; Private; 819; 12th Btn. York & Lancaster Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 23; Queens Cemetery, Puisieux, France - E. 40.; Born Erith (Clare Road?); Son of Georgiana White; Metal worker, Enlisted Sheffield.

WHITE, Edward George; Sergeant; G/6046; 1st Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); Died; F&F; 02/10/1916; 48; Etaples Military Cemetery, France - XI. E. 10.; Born at Erith; Son of Mr & Mrs Edward John White, husband of M. White of Rangoon, Burma; A clerk.

WHITE, Frederick Thomas; Driver; 971338; "C" Bty. 270th Bde, Royal Field Artillery; Died; Egyptian theatre; 06/11/1918; 21; Alexandria (Hadra) War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt E136; 18 Shirley Road / 20 Stafford Road; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of Charles Robert & Eliza Jane; Sidcup Times 6 December 1918; Enlisted Plumstead 1915 & served in France, Salonika & Palestine.

WHITE, George; Drummer; 1892; 1st Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; Thiepval Memorial, France; Sidcup Homes School pupil (The Hollies); Born & resident Blackheath.

WHITE, George (C. on Memorial); Private; 162538 (9611 SDGW, 69611 CWGC); Labour Corps (formerly King's Royal Rifle Corps); KiA; F&F; 30/11/1917; 33; Neuville-Bourjonval British Cemetery, France; 3 Williams Place, Bellegrove; Welling Memorial; Son of George & Anny, married Gertrude Florence, 1913; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/white/; Born Down, Kent. Enlisted Woolwich. Farm worker.

WHITE, John Robert; 2nd Lieutenant; 7th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 23/04/1917; 19; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 3 & 4; Manwood, Watling Street, Bexleyheath; Only child of Florence J. Wilton (formerly White) & the late John White of Bexleyheath; http://www.ww1photos.org/photo/a969-2nd-lieutenant-john-robert-white-7th-battalion-lincolnshire-regiment-died-23-April-1917-courtesy-pauline-watson/; Born Walworth.

WHITE, Reginald James; Private; 125015; 18th Btn. Machine Gun Corps (Infantry); DoW; F&F; 01/09/1918; 37; Heilly Station Cemetery, France - VII. B. 53; Born Bexleyheath. Baptised Crayford. Resident at 34 Clarence Crescent, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial, Christ Church Sidcup War Memorial tablet; Son of James & Emily White of Sidcup, husband of Amy Elizabeth White of Scarborough; Enlisted Wimbledon. Sorter, G.P.O., Mount Pleasant, London.

WHITE, Victor Francis; Private; 235345; 8th Btn. York & Lancaster Regiment; KiA; F&F; 17/09/1917; 40; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 125 to 128; Oakwood, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Stephen & Rebecca Marie of Oakwood, Crayford;

https://www.lloyds.com/~/media/files/lloyds/about%20lloyds/history/ww1/ww1booklet20141111.pdf; Born Westbourne Grove. Enlisted Woolwich. An insurance broker.



WHITE, William James; Private; L/9522; 2nd Btn. The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); DoW; Home; 11/07/1916; 23; Crayford (St Paulinus) Churchyard - south-west part of far ground; 17 Star Hill, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of John & Phoebe White of Crayford; See "Chalky" the Crayford swallow: the story of Private William White / by Peter Daniel copy at BLSAC, Bexley & District Times 9 April 1915; Regular army, previously in India. Died of wounds at Dartford Military Hospital. Military funeral held at Crayford.

WHITEHEAD, Charles Rufus; Private; 12737; 6th Btn. Northamptonshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 15/09/1915; 21; Point 110 Old Military Cemetery, France; 3 Bournewood Villas, Wickham Lane, Welling; Mother Florence Whitehead of Welling; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/whitehead/; Born Stepney. A clerk.

WHITEHEAD, Harry; Rifleman; S/24812; 12th Btn. Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own); DoW; F&F; 16/08/1917; 38; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 145 to 147; Born Bexleyheath; Son of Alfred Whitehead; Resident Dartford, enlisted Woolwich.

WHITEHEAD, Thomas Richard; Private; 7838; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 09/02/1915; 26; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium; 2 Bath Place, Bexley / 1 Hawthorne Cottages / 2 Vicarage Road; Old Bexley War Memorial. Bexley Strict Baptist Chapel Memorial; Son of Thomas Richard & Ellen; Bexley & District Times 26 February 1915; Born Gravesend. Enlisted New Cross.

WHITEHOUSE, Percy John; 2nd Lieutenant; 3rd Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment attd. 1st Btn. Northamptonshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 02/11/1914; 20; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Addenda Panel 57; 1 St Augustine's Road, Belvedere. Erith Grammar School pupil; Belvedere War Memorial. Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of John & Florence Whitehouse; Bexleyheath Observer 20 November 1914; Student at East London College. Regular soldier. Died on same day as arriving at The Front.

WHITELOCK, James John; Acting Lance Corporal; 10573; 8th Btn. Lincolnshire Regiment; KiA; Gallipoli; 09/08/1915; 31; Helles Memorial, Turkey; 25 Friday Road, Erith / Pier Road; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of James John & Amelia; Employed in ironworks.

WHITING, Baden Horace; Flight Officer; RNAS; Killed; F&F; 09/03/1918; 17; Vendome Town Cemetery, Loir-et-Cher, France; Born & baptised Erith, St John's. 30 Church Road, Erith. Erith Grammar School pupil; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of William & Clara; http://www.findagrave.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=59203022; Caudron G111 pusher biplane trainer crashed into trees, Vendome Road, France.

WHITING, Thomas Alfred; Private; 624081; Labour Corps; Died; Home; 12/11/1918; 18; East Wickham (St Michael) Churchyard; 13 Edison Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Charles & Annie Matilda, brother of William; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/whiting-2/; Born Eltham. A gardener. Died of influenza.

WHITING, William Harry - William M. (misread); Private; 31450; 2/5th Btn. Lancashire Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 25/08/1918; 24; Loos Memorial, France - Panel 45 & 46; 13 Edison Road, East Wickham. Enlisted Bexleyheath; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Charles & Annie Matilda, brother of Thomas Alfred; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/whiting/; Born Shooters Hill. Farm worker.

WHITTINGSTALL, (Alfred) William; Private; 1100; 3rd Btn. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 21/10/1918; 27; Hanson Churchyard, France; Born Belvedere. 3 Burgess Cottages, Manor Way; Son of Alfred William & Emily, married Alice Mabel, 1911; Emigrated c1904. A Teamster (mechanic). Enlisted 1915, served in Salonika prior to Western Front.



WHITTINGTON, Reginald Henry; Leading Carpenter's Crew; M/3503; Royal Navy, HMS Natal; Killed; At sea; 30/12/1915; 25; Chatham Naval Memorial - Panel 12; 9 Church Road, Erith; Only son of Emily J. Whittington & the late Rev. H. Whittington; Born at Alice, Cape Province, South Africa. A carpenter.

WICKENDEN, James; Private; 63747; The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment); KiA; F&F; 24/10/1918; 26; Cross Roads Cemetery, France; 4 Rose Cottages, North Cray; St James North Cray Memorial; Son of Mrs Wickenden; Bexleyheath Observer 29 November 1918; http://northcrayresidents.org.uk/sidebyside/mobile/index.html#p=1; Previously employed at Evans' silk factory Crayford. Enlisted Bromley.

WIGGINS, Frank Branson; Private; 206358; 6th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 30/11/1917; 21; Cambrai Memorial, France; Resident Bexleyheath 105 Broadway; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Lucy Jane; Born Deptford. Enlisted Brighton. Attended Dartford Grammar School 1909-11. Enlisted in The Sussex Cyclists in October 1915. Transferred to 6th Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment. Served in France from October 1917.

WIGGINS, George William; Driver; T4/233814; RASC; KiA; F&F; 04/08/1917; 33; La Clytte Military Cemetery, Belgium; Born & resident Erith 5 Winifred Road, West Street. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of Thomas & Charlotte, married to Ellen Louisa (1911); A butcher.

WILKINS, Charles Henry; Stoker 2nd Class; K/43524; Royal Navy, HMS Botha; Killed; At sea; 21/03/1918; 18; Dunkirk Town Cemetery, France - IV. B. 18.; 4 Orient Cottages, Belvedere Marshes; Erith (St John's) Memorial, Belvedere War Memorial; Son of Elizabeth Angela Wilkins of 4 Orient Cottages, Belvedere Marshes; HMS Botha was involved in a collision with a French ship in the Channel.

WILKINSON, William Rodney; Private; 16175; Coldstream Guards; KiA; F&F; 14/07/1917; 21; Canada Farm Cemetery, Belgium; 8 Pickford Road; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William & Elizabeth; Bexley & District Times 17 & 24 August 1917 photo; Born Whitstable. Enlisted Woolwich.

WILLCOCKS / **WILCOX**, Charles James; Bombardier; 9543; Royal Field Artillery Royal Horse Artillery; DoW; F&F; 29/07/1917; 25; Mont Huon Military Cemetery, France; 9 Gasworks Cottages, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Charles & Eliza **WILCOX**; Born Farnborough 1893.

WILLEY, Stanley Robert; Gunner; 174350; "D" Bty. 168th Bde. Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 11/08/1918; 25; Bouchoir New British Cemetery; 5 Picardy Hill Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William & Annie; Erith Observer 5 September 1918; Enlisted Woolwich. Resident Plumstead. "Killed by his gun bursting".

WILLIAMS, Frederick Charles; Private; 46142; 112th Btn. Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 16/06/1917; 19; Arras Memorial, France Bay 2 & 3; 16 Overton Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Frederick & Emma Edith Williams of Abbey Wood; Enlisted Woolwich.

WILLIAMS, Harold Edward; Private; 532674; 15th Btn. London Regiment (PWO Civil Service Rifles); KiA; F&F; 23/03/1918; 21; Assevillers New British Cemetery, France; 236 Cramond Avenue; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of Harry Alexander & Ada; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/williams/; Born Highbury. Enlisted Greenwich.



WILLIAMS, Leigh Roslin; Lieutenant; 251st Bde, Royal Field Artillery; KiA; F&F; 27/05/1918; 26; Soissons Memorial, France; The Inglenook, Lansdown Road, Sidcup; Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of Charles Roslin Williams & Ada Harriett Williams; http://www.yorkshireindexers.info/wiki/index.php?title=WILLIAMS, LEIGH R; A clerk. Rugby player for East Yorkshire.

WILLIAMS, Reginald James; Private; 4309; 2nd/1st Bucks Btn. Oxford & Bucks Light Infantry; DoW; F&F; 19/07/1916; 22; Merville Communal Cemetery, France - XI. B. 39.; 11 Beechwalk, Crayford; Son of Charles & Susannah Harriet Williams, of Crayford; Resident Croydon.

WILLIAMS, Robert; Private; 300480; 7th Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; Palestine; 02/11/1917; 27; Gaza War Cemetery, Palestine; Born Bexleyheath - 61 Station Road; Son of Robert & Adelaide Williams of Norwood; Resident Walthamstow.

WILLIAMSON, Ernest; Private; 228482; 31st Btn. Canadian Infantry; Died; F&F; 11/10/1918; 38; Haynecourt British Cemetery, France; Family in Erith & Belvedere. 2 Woolwich Road Belvedere / Graysholt, Bexley Road, Erith. Married at Christ Church Erith, February 1917; Son of Thomas & Elizabeth, husband of Helen Williamson of Hull; http://www.canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=33001; Born Gateshead. A pattern maker / engineering contractor.

WILLIMOT(T), Albert; Private; 515498; 14th (County of London) Btn. (London Scottish) London Regiment; KiA; F&F; 28/03/1918; 27; Albuera Cemetery, France Sp Mem B 3; 28 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup / 1 Clarence Crescent; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of the late Frederick & Elizabeth Ellen, brother of Walter; Enlisted Woolwich. A baker.

WILLIMOT(T), Walter; Corporal; 240820; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; DoW; F&F; 31/08/1918; 24; Daours Communal Cemetery Extension, France – VIII.B.12; 76 Hatherley Road Sidcup Kent / 1 Clarence Crescent; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of the late Frederick & Elizabeth Ellen, brother of Albert; Enlisted Bromley. A bootmaker.

WILLIS, Arthur Ernest; 2nd Lieutenant; "C" Sqdn Central Flying School, RAF; Killed; Home; 27/08/1918; 19; Upavon Cemetery, Wilts.; Dachurst, Cold Blow, Bexley / Heath Villa, Knoll Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Thomas & Violet Willis (Violet Frances Amelia Von Kornatzki); Bexleyheath Observer 13 September 1918; A trainee legal clerk. Originally enlisted in London Scottish Regt. Killed in flying accident while training.

WILLIS, Frederick Augustus; Rifleman; S/25503; 1st Btn. Rifle Brigade; DoW; F&F; 15/08/1917; 18; Duisans British Cemetery, France; 7 Larner Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Edward & Ada; Born Frederick Nelson **WILLIS**, 1899. Enlisted Woolwich.

WILLIS, Henry Robert; Private; 302618; 1st/7th Btn. Essex Regiment; Died; Egyptian theatre; 05/12/1918; 23; Kantara War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt – E265; 62 Clarence Crescent, Sidcup; Sidcup War Memorial; Son of Henry & Ada Willis of Sidcup; Enlisted Bromley.

WILLMORE, William Albert; 2nd Lieutenant; 13th Btn. attd. 10th Btn. Cheshire Regiment; KiA; F&F; 26/04/1918; 21; Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium - Panel 61 to 63; 23 Paroma Road, Belvedere; Belvedere War Memorial; Son of William & Jessie Willmore of Belvedere. (Father worked for Vickers, Erith); Enlisted in Grenadier Guards, 1914, Gazetted 1917. (Employed at Erith Library, as deputy under W. Barton Young).

WILSON, Geoffrey Alfred; Lance Corporal; STK/285; 10th Btn. Royal Fusiliers (City of London); KiA; F&F; 18/11/1916; 38; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 8 C 9 A & 16 A; Born Bexley, Parkhurst Road; Son of Alfred Wilson & Louisa Frances Wilson; Resident Sussex. A fruit grower.



WILTON, William; Sergeant; 1585;5th Btn. Royal Welsh Fusiliers; KiA; Gallipoli; 10/08/1915; 20; Green Hill Cemetery, Turkey - VIII. G. 3.; Born Erith. 22 Bedonwell Road; Son of Frank & Mary; http://www.flintshirewarmemorials.com/memorials/rhyl-memorial/rhyl-soldiers-ww1/wilton-william/; Iron Founder Apprentice. Enlisted Rhyl, Flintshire.

WIMMS, John Basil Thomas; Private; 3828; 1st/1st Bucks Btn. Oxford & Bucks Light Infantry; DoW; F&F; 03/08/1916; 21; Etaples Military Cemetery, France-IX. C. 4A; 82 Erith Road, Bexley Heath / 50 Slade Green Road, Erith. Erith Grammar School pupil; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford, St Augustine's Slade Green Memorial; Adopted son of Samuel & Sarah Ablett; Bexleyheath Observer 18 August 1916; Born at Guernsey. A junior clerk.

WINGFIELD, Henry Edwards; Private; 12/1602; 14th Btn. York & Lancaster Regiment; KiA; F&F; 22/07/1916; 19; Rue-du-Bacquerot No.1 Military Cemetery, France - I.K.1.; Lullington Cottage, Hartford Road, Bexley; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Louisa R. Wingfield of Bexley; Bexleyheath Observer 11 August 1916; Born & enlisted Sheffield. Engineering apprentice.

WISEMAN, Albert; Private; 9590; 1st Btn. York & Lancaster Regiment; KiA; F&F; 29/09/1915; 28; Bailleul Road East Cemetery, France - III. J. 1.; 72 Picardy Street, Belvedere; Adopted son of Emma E. Lawrence; Born Bermondsey.

WISEMAN, W. C. (Walter Charles); Private; 27498; 2nd Btn. Essex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 25/05/1918; 17; Le Vertannoy British Cemetery, France; Todmans Cottage, Church Road, Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Charles James; Born Somerset. Resident Charlton, enlisted Woolwich.

WOOD, Clarence Ernest Charles; Rifleman; 385115; 8th Btn. City of London (Post Office Rifles); KiA; F&F; 30/10/1917; 24; Cement House Cemetery, Belgium; 6 Church Road; East Wickham War Memorial; Son of William & Alice; http://www.ewt.org.uk/Memorial/wood/; Born Tunbridge Wells. Farm worker.

WOOD, Peter Percy; Private; 887640; 46th Btn. Canadian infantry; KiA; F&F; 05/05/1917; 20; Vimy Memorial, France; Born Belvedere. 4 Queen's Road; Son of Frederick Louis & Charlotte Susan Wood; http://www.canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=54857; A farmer in Canada.

WOOD, Thomas Frederick; Rifleman; R/12845; 12th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 17/09/1916; 43; Thiepval Memorial, France - Pier & Face 13 A & 13 B; Resident Erith; Husband of Ada Lily Stringer (Married 1910); Born Pitsea, Essex. Dock worker.

WOOD, William Stephen; Private; 44305; 2nd Btn. Manchester Regiment; KiA; F&F; 05/11/1918; 22; Ors Communal Cemetery, France Grave Reference/Panel Number: A. 18.; 95 Birkbeck Road, Sidcup, Kent; Sidcup War Memorial, Holy Trinity Church Lamorbey Memorial panels; Son of James & Elizabeth Wood of Sidcup; A page boy at golf club. Enlisted Bromley

WOODAGE, George Frank; Private; 87633; 13th Btn. Royal Fusiliers; KiA; F&F; 22/10/1918; 36; Ghissignies British Cemetery, France; Resident Bexleyheath; Husband of Mary; Born Farringdon, Hampshire. Enlisted Mill Hill.

WOODARD, Albert Arthur; Gunner; 95004; Royal Field Artillery; Died; Home; 21/12/1916; 24; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - J. 68.; Resident 49 Sydney Road, Abbey Wood; Son of Joseph Woodard & Catherine Selina Cawston; Born Silvertown. Enlisted Woolwich. A firewood & coal merchant (family trade).



WOODFIELD, Richard Gilbert; Private; S/43170; Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders; DoW; F&F; 30/06/1918; 35; Les Baraques Military Cemetery, France; Resident Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of Thomas & Alice Susannah, husband of Ellen; Bexley & District Times 23 August 1918 p.7; http://www.teddsoc-wiki.org.uk/wiki/index.php?title=Woodfield, Richard G; Born Battersea, enlisted Teddington. A market gardener.

WOODGATE, Harry; Private; 23537; 2nd Btn. Suffolk Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/07/1916; 20; London Cemetery & Extension, France - 3.G.14.; 18 Lydia Road, Erith; Son of Harry & Ann Maria Woodgate, brother of Daisy Annie Woodgate of Erith; Born Suffolk. Farm worker

WOODHAM, Albert Edward; Private; 232524; 2nd Btn. London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers); DoW; F&F; 16/04/1918; 24; Chauny Communal Cemetery British Extension, France; Enlisted Erith; Son of H. C. & Louisa M. Woodham of Brockley; Resident Brockley, born Deptford. A messenger boy in 1911.

WOODWARD, Charles Henry; Private; 85457; Machine Gun Corps; DoW; F&F; 21/05/1917; 22; Mont Huon Military Cemetery, France; St Paulinus Church Memorial & Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford; Son of Charles Henry & Sarah; Resident 7 Rowton Road, Plumstead. Enlisted Woolwich. An office clerk.

WOOLDRIDGE, Alexander James; Leading Seaman; 236037; Royal Navy, HMS Formidable; KiA; At sea; 01/01/1915; 24; Chatham Naval Memorial; Born Sidcup; Son of Frederick George & Harriet Wooldridge of Herne Hill; A van guard. Enlisted navy 1906.

WOOTEN, Arthur Edward; Stoker 2nd Class; K/25833; Royal Navy, HMS Comet; Died; At sea; 08/11/1916; 23; Chatham Naval Memorial; 4 Queens Street, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of late Henry & Emma Wooten; Born Greenwich. A carman. Died of enteric fever.

WOOTLEY, George Albert; Private; 40418; Machine Gun Corps; KiA; F&F; 15/08/1917; 30; Heninel Communal Cemetery Extension, France; Born Welling; Son of the late Henry & Emily Wootley of Tottenham; Enlisted Tottenham. A printer.

WORSLEY, Reginald Eric Milne; 2nd Lieutenant; Regimental Depot, (Alberta). & (Pilot) Gen. List, attd. 12th Sqdn. Royal Flying Corps. Canadian Infantry; KiA; F&F; 08/03/1918; 20; Bucquoy Road Cemetery, France - II. B. 20.; Born Bexleyheath. Ashleigh, Bexleyheath. Married at Christ Church, Bexleyheath; Son of Edward Milne Worsley, husband of Mabel Worsley (1918); http://canadiangreatwarproject.com/searches/soldierDetail.asp?ID=9024; Enlisted Quebec. A brakeman.

WOTTON, Walter John; Private; 7480; 3rd Btn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment) transf. to (60029) 101st Coy Labour Corps; Died; Home; 22/05/1918; 26; Erith (Brook Street) Cemetery - M. 183.; Resident Erith 2A Dorothy Terrace, Clare Road. Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of Thomas John & Elizabeth Wotton of Ramsgate; Born at Frindsbury, Rochester. A labourer.

WRAY, Francis Alan; 2nd Lieutenant; 8th Btn. The King's (Liverpool Regiment); KiA; F&F; 31/07/1917; 27; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 4 & 6; The Grange, Belvedere; Son of Tom & Elizabeth Wray of Seafield, Blundellsands, Liverpool, husband of Ethel Mary Blower (formerly Wray), of Belvedere, his brother Thomas Ernest Wray also fell; http://www.merseysiderollofhonour.co.uk/get2.php?cwgc=912072; Born Bradford, Yorks, resident Merseyside. A clerk.

WRIGHT, Christopher; Private; 3227; 46th Btn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F.; KiA; F&F; 05/04/1918; 34; Villers-Bretonneux Memorial, France; Resident Abbey Wood, 82 McLeod Road; Son of Robert & Sarah Wright, husband of Eunice S. Wright, of 64 Samuel Street, Woolwich; https://www.aif.adfa.edu.au/showPerson?pid=332823; Born Plumstead. Emigrated January 1914. An orchardist in Australia.



WRIGHT, Frank Montague; Pioneer; 182465; 3rd Field Survey Coy Corps of Royal Engineers; KiA; F&F; 10/03/1917; 21; Warlincourt Halte British Cemetery, France - VI. C. 11.; Resident Sidcup - Parents at The Chalet, Church Avenue, Sidcup; Son of Frank E. & Alice M. Wright of Sidcup; Enlisted Croydon. Cement merchant's clerk.

WRIGHT, Horace; Private; 631798; 20th Btn. London Regiment; DoW; Greece; 25/04/1917; 20; Karasouli Military Cemetery, Greece - A 30; Native of Sidcup. Clifton Down, The Crescent; Sidcup War Memorial; 4th son of Ernest Christopher & Rachel Wright of Belle Vue, Western Esplanade, Herne Bay; Sidcup & District Times 4 May 1917; Enlisted Blackheath.

WRIGHT, James; Gunner; 63337; 113th Heavy Bty. Royal Garrison Artillery; Died; F&F; 27/02/1919; 33; Fourmies Communal Cemetery, France - E. 6.; 1 Bramley Place, Crayford; Husband of Emma Wright of Crayford; Died at Ambulance 1/44 temporary hospital.

WRIGHT, James John; Private; 242035; 2nd/5th Btn. Lincolnshire; KiA; F&F; 13/03/1917; 36; St Sever Cemetery Extension, Rouen; Resident Bexleyheath 79 Standard Road / 32 Izane Road, enlisted Bexleyheath; Bexleyheath War Memorial, Christ Church Bexleyheath War Memorial panels; Son of William Charles & Rebecca, husband of Emily (1901); Born Stratford. A coach painter.

WRIGHT, Percy Charles; Rifleman; R/31643; 17th Btn. King's Royal Rifle Corps; KiA; F&F; 31/07/1917; 32; Poelcapelle British Cemetery, Belgium - XVI. C. 17.; 4 Corinthian Road, Erith; Son of Mr. & Elizabeth Wright, husband of M. A. Brunning (formerly Wright), of Erith; http://www.sudburysuffolk.co.uk/greatwar/profile.asp?id=553; Born Norfolk. Enlisted Woolwich.

WRIGHT, Sidney George; Private; G/1764; 7th Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 01/07/1916; 21; Thiepval Memorial, France; 66 High Street, Sidcup. Northfield High Street Sidcup. Family in Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial; Son of Sidney Henry & Fanny; Sidcup & District Times 5 January 1917; Born in Chislehurst. A mercantile clerk.

WRIGHT, Thomas; Private; T/20061; The Buffs (East Kent Regiment); Died; Home; 30/12/1914; 59; Maidstone Cemetery; Married at Erith Baptist Church, 1890; Son of William & Ellen, husband of Fanny; Died of pneumonia in training camp.

WRIGHT, William; Private; 19235; 7th Btn. Suffolk Regiment; DoW; F&F; 18/04/1916; 20; Bethune Town Cemetery; Anchor Cable Works, Leigh, Lancs. (Callender's); Callender's War Memorial, Erith; Son of James & Esther Wright; http://wiganarchives.past-view.com/entity/59116-william-wright; Resident Leigh, Lancs.

WRIGHT, William Lake; 2nd Lieutenant; 17th Btn. Royal Sussex Regiment; KiA; F&F; 20/10/1918; 34; Lille Southern Cemetery, France - VI. D. 5.; 25 Bourne Road, Bexley / 6 Hurstbourne Terrace, Bourne Road; Old Bexley War Memorial; Son of Edward & Eliza Wright of Bexley, Kent, husband of Emily Constance Wright; Bexleyheath Observer 8 November 1918; A grocer in 1911.

WYATT, (Edwin) Wellington, 2nd Lieutenant; 4th Mountain Bty, Royal Garrison Artillery; Died; India; 21/06/1919; 28; Delhi Memorial (India Gate), India. Buried Ali Masjid Cemetery I. 9.; 5 Clarence Road, Sidcup; Son of Elizabeth Russell Wyatt & the late Edwin Wyatt, husband of Elizabeth Russell Wyatt; Born Southwark. A broker's clerk.

WYATT, Henry; Driver; 169137; "B" Bty. 121st Bde. Royal Field Artillery; Died; F&F; 05/11/1918; 23; Mont Huon Military Cemetery, France - VII. M. 10A.; 6 Lower Row, Sawmills, Crayford; St Paulinus Church Memorial, Memorial in the Manor House, Crayford & Roll of Honour of St Paulinus CoE School; Son of Henry & Hannah Wyatt of Crayford, scholar of Crayford School; Bexleyheath Observer 13 December 1918; Born Great Wakering, Essex. Worked at Vickers. Died of pneumonia.



YATES, John (Jack); Private; 7753; 1st Btn. Royal Scots Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 24/08/1914; 18; La Ferte-Sous-Jouarre Memorial, France; Born Crayford. The Bank, High Street, Crayford / 3 London Road Crayford; Son of Alfred & Ellen 1901 census, adopted son of George & Jane Morris 1911 census; A labourer. Resident Stratford. Enlisted Woolwich.

YOUNG, Albert Edward; Private; 13208; 6th Btn. Dorset Regiment; KiA; F&F; 04/09/1916; 32; Thiepval Memorial, France; Erith resident. 7 Claremont Cottages, West Street, Erith; Erith (St John's) Memorial; Son of George & Margaret, husband of Minnie, 3 children; A metal polisher.

YOUNG, Arthur John; Private; G/4804; 1st Btn. Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment; KiA; F&F; 18/04/1915; 37; Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Belgium - Panel 45 & 47; Widow in Bexley; Son of Georgiana, husband of Hilda Young, of Bexley (1906); Born Downham Market, Norfolk, enlisted Bromley. Resident Dartford. A cowman.

YOUNG, Cecil George; Gunner; 915689; Royal Field Artillery; DoW; Home; 11/07/1917; 25; Nunhead (All Saints) Cemetery, London; Enlisted Erith; Son of George & Bertha, husband of Mabel Abigail (1915); Born Aylesbury. A draper's salesman in Camberwell, 1911.

YOUNG, William John (William Barton); Private; 514172; 14th Btn. London Regiment. London Scottish; DoW; F&F; 10/04/1917; 38; Warlincourt Halte British Cemetery, France; Library House, Walnut Tree Road, Erith; Erith (Christ Church) Memorial, Erith & District Hospital Memorial; Son of David J. & Henrietta E., married to Florence Bell (1906); Bexleyheath, Bexley & District Times 27 April 1917, photo; Erith Librarian. William Barton.

YULE, James; Private; 46368; 23rd Btn. (Tyneside Scottish) Northumberland Fusiliers; Died; F&F; 09/04/1917; 22; Arras Memorial, France - Bay 2 & 3; Enlisted Bexleyheath; Son of W. G. & Louisa Ellen Yule of 39 Portland Road, Northfleet; http://www.bbc.co.uk/remembrance/wall/record/8533; Formerly D/13067, RWK Regiment. A railway worker.

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