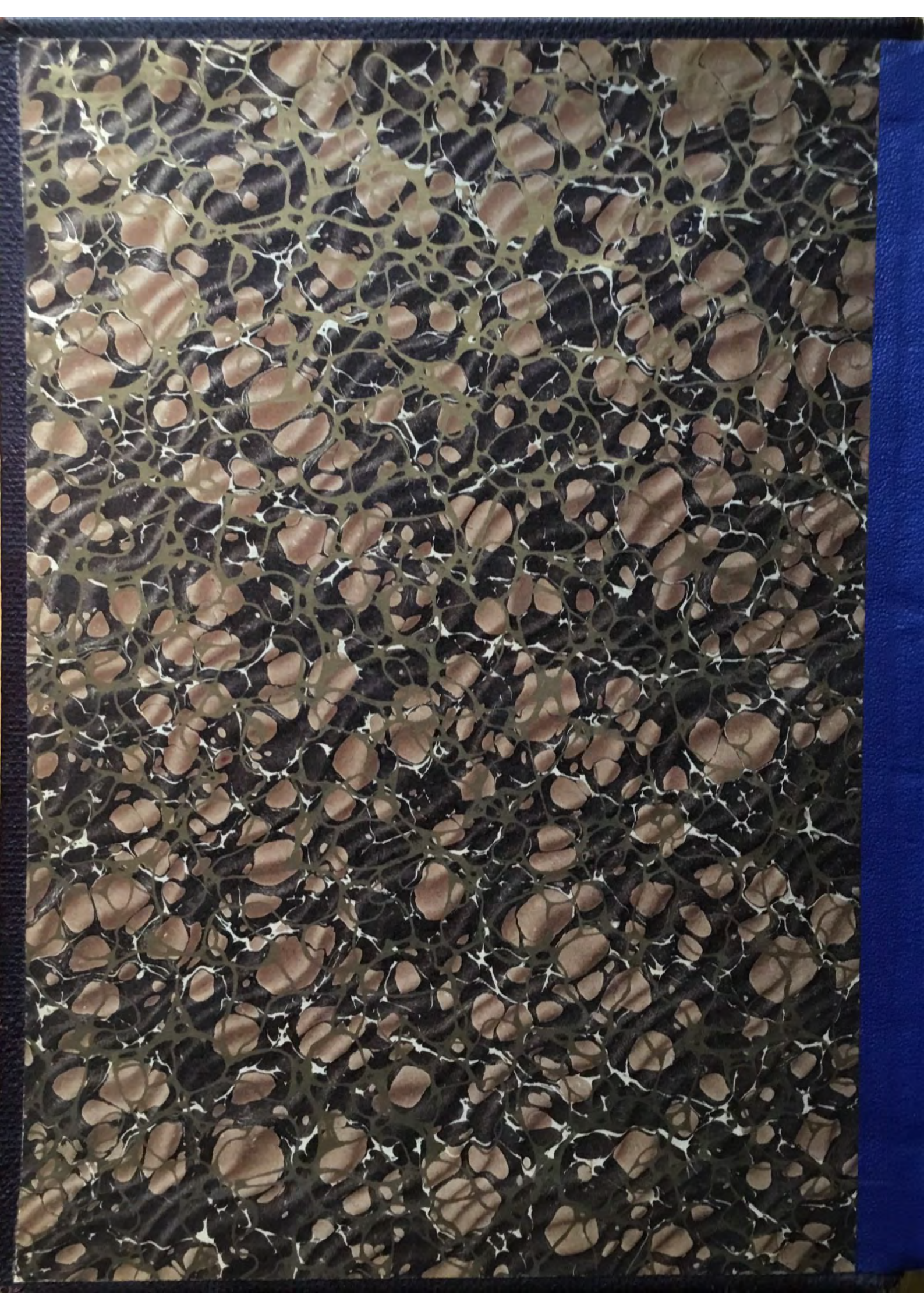


Newick Boys' School,

ROLL OF HONOUR
WITH PORTRAITS

1914 — 1919



NEWICK BOYS' SCHOOL

Roll of Honour

RECORDS of the SERVICE of PAST
SCHOLARS in the ARMY, NAVY, AIR
FORCE, and MERCANTILE MARINE,
in the GREAT WAR, 1914-1919,
ILLUSTRATED, in MOST INSTANCES,
BY PORTRAITS.

Compiled by John Oldaker
Headmaster, 1881-1923.

and presented to the School Managers jointly by him and Past
and Present Scholars in conjunction with the brass memorial
tablet on the wall of the School.



Henry T. G. Blaauw.

[Not a pupil of the School, but some time
^{private} a pupil of the Head Master. The portrait,
 therefore, which is inserted by request,
 is not placed in the body of the book.]

Enlisted Sept. 17th, 1914.

Sportsmen's Batt. Royal Fusiliers.

Went to France with 20th R. F. Public Schools Batt.

Gazetted Lieutenant.

Wounded: Right leg amputated.

His ancestors were for many years benefactors
 of the School when it depended largely upon
 voluntary support, and one of them, Mrs W. H. Blaauw,
 gave the site for it.

Notes.

Owing in great measure to the wide differences in the services rendered, no uniform system was possible in the compilation of these records, while, in very many cases, the records themselves, for obvious reasons, are incomplete. The length of the record, therefore, is not in itself in every instance a guide to the extent and value of those services. This remark applies in a special degree to the Navy, — "the silent service".

Except in ~~one~~ ^{two} instances (p. ^{14 and} 38) the ordinary decorations awarded are not stated, but honours gained, M. M. and D. C. M., are mentioned, so far as they could be ascertained.

As regards the authenticity of the individual records, it should be ~~noted~~ that the particulars in every case were furnished by the men themselves or their nearest relatives.

While this book ^{so far as is known} contains the names &c. of all old scholars who served in the War, those who gave their lives are further commemorated on the brass tablet in the school.

The years given in brackets after each name are school years.

1.
Frederick J. Ashford *

(1904-11).

Enlisted, Nov. 1914 A. S. C.

Went to France, June, 1915

Accidentally injured, May 1917

Victor G. Ashford *

(1906-13)

Enlisted, 24 May 1918

East Kent Regiment (Buff's)

Went to France, 17 June 1918

Transferred to East and West Kent
Yeomanry, and afterwards back
to Buff's

In action at Merville.

In Guard of Honour to the King
of Belgium, 7 Nov. 1918.

Qualified Lewis Gun Instructor.

* brothers

Arthur G. Barber

(1899-06)

Enlisted R. F. A. Dec. 1914

Went to France, July 1915.

Sergeant, Aug. 1916; and, later,
Company Quarter-Master Sergeant.

Alfred Bates

(1873-84)

Volunteered for service at the
beginning of the War.

Served as ship's carpenter on
the armed cruiser "Marmora"
for 7½ months.

The "Marmora" captured
two prizes, and sank an
enemy motor-boat.





Edward Charles Brooks

(1892-99)

Enlisted, November, 1915

Royal Sussex Regiment, 5th Bn.

Went to France, 16th April 1916.

Invalided to England.

Aubrey Brooks

(1896-02)

Enlisted 1st Sept. 1914

Royal Sussex Regiment, 2nd Bn.

Went to France, 4th Jan. 1915

Lance-Corporal.

Killed at Richebourg l'Avoué

9th May 1915.

Jack Brooks

(1896-02)

Enlisted 31st Aug. 1914

Royal Sussex Regiment, 2nd Bn.

Went to France, 11th Jan. 1915

Lance-Corporal

Killed at Richebourg l'Avoué

9th May, 1915

Arthur Fred Brooks.

(1901-08)

Enlisted 6th Sep. 1914

Royal Sussex Regiment, 9th Bn.

Went to France, 4th Oct. 1915

Wounded 19th Aug. 1916

Returned to France 11th Jan. 1917

Returned to England, sick, 9th May 1917

" " France

Taken prisoner, March 1918

With Guy R. Brooks on next page
5 brothers

Guy H. Brooks

(1905-12)

Enlisted, Nov. 1915

Royal Sussex Regiment, 5th Bn.

Went to France, 21st April 1916.

Wounded 23rd Aug. 1916.

Mentioned in Battalion Orders
for Act of Gallantry.

William E. Brooks.

(1898-05)

Enlisted, 8th April 1916

Royal Engineers, 1st Reserve Bn.

Went to France 6th Nov. 1916

Died of bronchial pneumonia

28th Nov. 1916

Ernest L. Brooks*

(1887-92)

In Territorials before the war.

Essex Regiment, 8th Bn.

George W. V. Brooks*

(1904-5), (1907-11).

Enlisted 16th Nov. 1916

Durham Light Infantry, 27th Bn.

Went to France, July 1918.

* brothers





4.
Harry Bannister
(1893-98)

Enlisted, Sept. 1916.

Royal Engineers

Percy R. Brett
(1901-03)

Enlisted, first week in Sept. 1914

Royal Sussex Regiment, 8th Bn.

Went to France, July 1915

Wounded on the Somme

Reginald E. Brooks
(1906-12)

Enlisted, 23rd Aug. 1916.

Royal Marine Artillery.

Gilbert Beard
(1901-07)

Enlisted, Oct. 1915.

Royal Garrison Artillery
121st Anti-Aircraft Section

To Egypt, 13th Sep. 1917.

To Palestine and Lyria.

Charles Brown

(1897-02)

(Son of James Brown, Font Hill)

Enlisted, 13th Nov. 1914

Royal Sussex Regiment, 10th Bn.

Went to France, May 1915.

Missing as from 25th Sep. 1915

Death presumed.

A Jack Buckwell
(1905)

Enlisted 6th Nov. 1915

Royal Marine Artillery

Charles Brown

(1887-95)

(Son of Stephen Brown, Font Hill).

Enlisted, 19th May 1917.

Went to France 20th Nov. 1917

Bertram Boys

(1905-07)

Enlisted, Aug. 1914.

Royal Engineers, Signal Coy.

Went to France, Dec. 1914

Afterwards to Salonika

2nd Corporal





William Blowes*

(1891-95).

Enlisted, ²⁵ 25th Aug 1914

Royal Field Artillery

To France 1st June 1915.

In First Battle of Loos

The Somme &c.

Alfred Blowes*

(1896-1901).

Enlisted 1907

Royal Navy.

Leading Stoker

H.M.S.

* brothers

Samuel Beeching

1901-04.

Enlisted, 8th Dec. 1915.

South Lancashire Regt 12th Bn.

Transferred to R. F. C.

Robert Booker

1875-83.

Enlisted 26th July 1918

Royal Air Force

William Jared Brooks*

(1905-11)

Enlisted 11th Nov. 1914

12th Batt. Royal Sussex Regt.

Went to France, 4th March 1916

Wounded 22nd July 1918

Sydney Arthur Brooks*

(1905-11)

Enlisted 11th Nov. 1914

12th Batt. Royal Sussex Regt.

Went to France, 4th March 1916

Missing as from 30th June 1916

Death presumed.

* brothers

Thomas William Bates*

(1899-1905)

Enlisted Oct. 1915.

Royal Garrison Artillery

Went to France, July 1916.

Awarded Military Medal, 2 Feb. 1917

Promoted Sergeant, May 1917

Wounded 26th April 1918

Discharged (unfit) 28th Nov. 1919.

Bernard O. Bates*

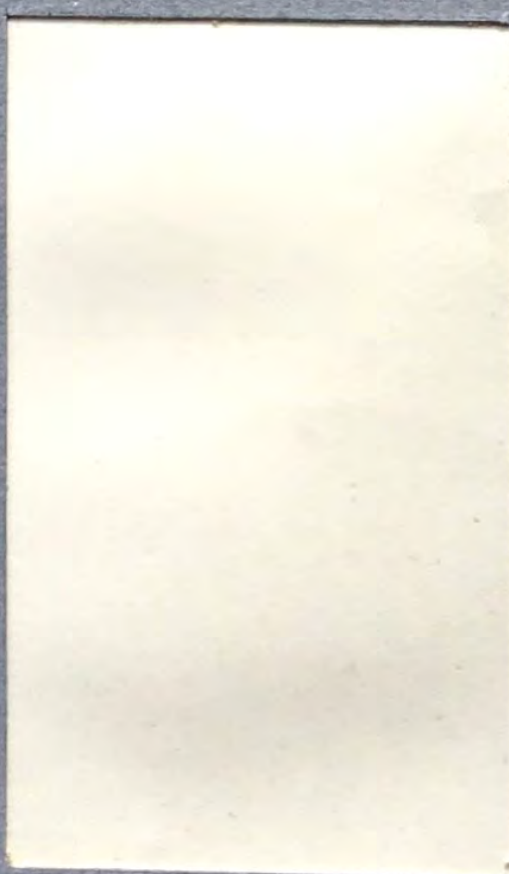
(1905-08)

Enlisted

A. S. C.

* brothers





Arthur William Brown*

(1882-90)

Mercantile Marine.

Captain of an Australian steamer at the time of the outbreak of War. Shelled by the "Emden", the famous German raider, off New Guinea. Many of the crew killed and wounded.

A. W. B. landed in Australia where he was laid up in hospital for two years. Returned to Liverpool, but unfit for further service for another two years.

Charles Thomas Brown*

(1895-1901)

* brothers

George Herbert Bagge*

(1903-04)

Alfred James Bagge*

(1903-04)

* brothers

John Coppard *

(1896-99)

Enlisted, 9th Nov. 1915

Went to France 25th May 1916

Royal Sussex Regt., 5th Batt.

George Coppard *

(1901-08)

R. F. A.

Enlisted 28th July 1915

Went to France 6th Sep. 1916

Wounded 20th June 1917. Recovered.

Went to Italy Nov. 1917.

Returned from France, Feb. 1918.

* brothers

William Christmas

(1884-93)

Enlisted, 21st March 1917

Army Ordnance Corps.

Went to Salonika, June 1917

To Egypt, 7th Nov. 1917

William E. Croucher

(1904-10)

In Territorials before the War.

Sussex Yeomanry.

Transferred to 1st Life Guards.

Went to France, March, 1917





Richard L. Clarkson
(1908-13)

Enlisted, 5th March 1917
3rd Training Reserve Batt.
Transferred to 2nd Devonshire Regt.
Went to France,
Taken prisoner, 27th May 1918,
at Pontavert, at the Battle of
the Aisne.
Employed for two months
behind the German lines.
Afterwards at Cassel,
Limburg and Honningen.

Frank Chatfield
(1901-03)

Enlisted Jan. 1916
Middlesex Regiment, 27th Batt.
Went to France, June 1916
Invalided to England, Aug. 1916

George Collings
(1882-88)

William Coleman
(1874-83)

William George Day
(1904)

Enlisted, 13th April 1914.

In the 2nd Battⁿ: Royal Sussex
Regt. before the War.

Joined the 9th Battⁿ in France
in Nov: 1915. Lance-corporal.

Killed in action, 14th May 1916

Albert E. G. Diplock
(1886, 1889-94)

Enlisted June 1916.

East Surrey Regt., 3rd Battⁿ

Machine Gun Corps

Went to France Oct^r, 1916,

To Salonika, 1st Dec. 1916.

Harry Budgen

(1880-81) and (1881-87)

Served in the Army before the
War. Re-enlisted for the War.

Arthur William Dunsday
(1884-91)





Stanley C. Elphick *

(1895-1900)

Enlisted before the War

Royal Garrison Artillery

Went to France, 17th Oct. 1915

Promoted Corporal Jan. 1916

" Sergeant

Placed on Home Service, Sep. 1916

Herbert E. Elphick *

(1898-1903)

Enlisted, 7th April 1916

1/7th Batt: Sherwood Foresters

"The Robin Hoods"

Went to France, 16th July 1916

Killed in action, 22nd April, 1917

Percy Gordon Elphick *

(1899-1906)

In the Territorials before the War.

Royal Sussex Regt., 5th Batt., Nov. 1910.

Went to France, 18th Feb 1915

Mentioned by Commanding Officer for

Acts of Gallantry 9/10th Aug. 1916, and

14th Nov. 1916.

Lance Corporal 10th Aug. 1916

Lance Sergeant 14th Jan. 1917

Sergeant 25th Feb. "

Severely wounded 22nd Aug. "

and returned to England.

Awarded D. C. M.

Frederick Richd Elphick *

(1904-10)

Enlisted Oct., 1915.

R. A. M. C.

Went to France, March 1916

KILLED ??

* 4 brothers

William G. Ellis
(1882 -

Enlisted 10th Sept. 1894, Roy. West Kent Regt,
still in the Army at the outbreak
of the War, having served in
many parts of the world. King's and Queen's S.A.
came to England from India ^{Medals and Croix.}

Oct. 1914 as Colour Sergeant.
Promoted Coy. Serg. Major, Oct. 1914,
Regt. Dr. Mtr. Serg. May 1915.

Gazetted Lieut. 28th Aug. 1917
Quartermaster R. F. C. at Yatesbury, Wilts.
Transferred to 53rd R. Sussex Regt.
To Germany 28th Feb. 1919.
Demobd. 28th June 1919.

Richard Edwards
(1886-91)

3rd Batt. East Surrey Regt.

Killed in action at
Neuve Chapelle, 12th March
1915.

William Elphick*

(1886-92)

Enlisted, Aug. 1916
Royal Scots

To France

Wounded, 26th Sep. 1917,
and returned to England

Charles Elphick*

(1894-99)

Enlisted before the War.
Army Service Corps.
Went to France with the First
Expeditionary Force. One of
the "Old Contemptibles".
Promoted Sergeant.

* brothers





John Ellis

(1889-95)

Enlisted 2nd June 1916

Royal Fusiliers, 11th Batt.

Attached R. E.

Went to France Oct. 1916

Missing 10th Augst 1917

Death presumed.

Henry Douglas Bennett.

Enlisted 26th Dec. 1914

Army Ordnance Corps.

Went to France August 1915.

Invalided home March 1917.

Transferred to 5th Wilts. June 1917.

Sailed for India July 1917.

Transf. to 19th Motor Machine Gun Corps

at Luette August 1918.

Sailed home Oct. 1919, Demob. Nov. 1919.

Decorations: Mons Star, General Service Medal, Victory Medal.

John C. Shurman

Enlisted, 1914

Royal Sussex Reg^t.
for Home defence.

afterwards transferred
to 5th East Surrey Reg^t.

Arnold L. Fieldwick

(1891-2)

Enlisted, 6th June 1916

Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders

2/8th Batt.

Invalided out of the Army

Percy Fuller

(1888-95)

Enlisted 24th Dec. 1915
Called up 20th July 1916

Army Service Corps.

Transferred to R.E.

Went to France, 16th Sep. 1916

Designed the War Memorial,
Newick Boys' School.

Harry Frank Fuller.

(1906-14)

Enlisted

Royal Navy, Wireless Telegraphy.

William Richard Fuller *

(1895-1901)

Enlisted Jan. 1918

Royal Naval Air Service,

afterwards R.A.F.

Go France, Feb. 1918

Alfred Fuller *

(1905-11)

Enlisted Jan. 1916

Middlesex Regt. 23rd Batt.

Went to France 4th May 1916

Wounded, June 1917, Messines Ridge.

Recovered, and returned to France July 1917

Lance-Corp! Sep. 1917.

Went with the first British troops to

Italy, Nov. 1917, Back to France 1st Mar. 1918.

In the Somme retirement 21st Mar. 1918.

* brothers





William J. Gaston*
 (1889-94)
 Enlisted, 11th Aug. 1917
 Went to France 15th Nov. 1917
 Died of Wounds, 5th Apr. 1918
 Royal Garrison Artillery.

George H. Gaston*
 (1898-1904)
 Enlisted, Aug. 1914
 Royal Sussex Regiment, 2nd Batt.
 Went to France, 11th Jan. 1915
 Killed in action, 9th May 1915.

* brothers

Frederick John Grover*
 (1884-90)
 Enlisted
 A. S. C.
 Went to France 23rd May 1917.
 Served also in Italy, at Salonika,
 other parts of
 in Macedonia, Albania,
 Serbia and Austria.
 Attached to Crown Prince of
 Serbia's Second Army.
 Present at the surrender of a
 Bulgarian Colonel and his staff
 at , near Belgrade.

Robert J. Grover*
 (1908-14)
 Dec: 1916
 Enlisted, 1st May 1917
 Called up
 Royal Marine Light Infantry
 Embarked on H.M.S. "Conquest" Jan. 1918
 Transferred to H.M.S. "Dragon" July 1918
 Mined on the "Conquest", June 13th 1918
 in the North Sea.
 To Russia, Dec. 1918 till Jan. 1920.
 To the Black Sea, 1920.
 Returned 1921

* father and son

Albert H. Gaston *

(1877-99)

Enlisted, Sep. 1914

Royal Sussex Regt., 7th Batt.

Went to France, June 1915.

Wounded Sep. 1915

and incapacitated for
further service

James W. Gaston *

(1906-08)

Enlisted June 1916

H. M. S. "Canada"

* brothers

Thomas A. Grover *

(1875-85)

Enlisted, 15th June 1916

134th Batt. Canadians

168th Highlanders of Toronto

Pioneer Sergeant

Frank Grover *

(1884-90)

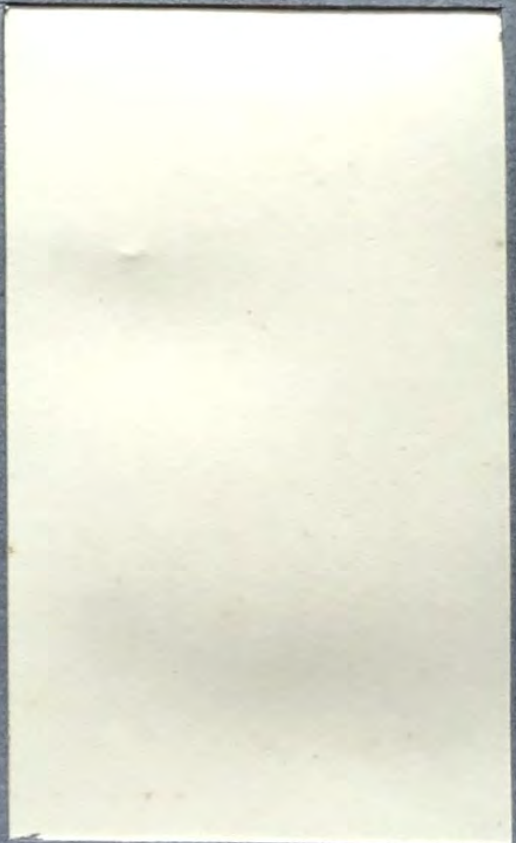
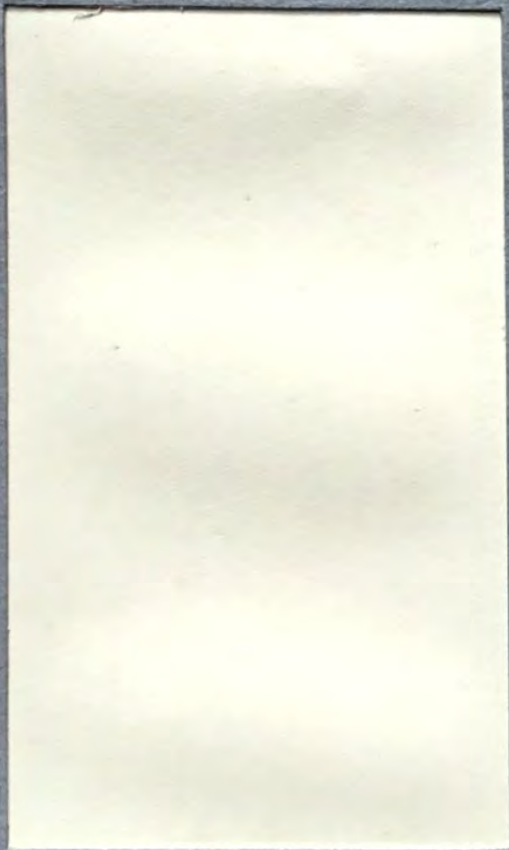
In the Sussex Yeomanry, Territorials,
before the War, Dec. 1905

Discharged April 1916

Medal for efficiency and good conduct.
Sergeant.

* brothers





John R. Grainger*

(1884-91)

Enlisted

Royal West Kent Reg. 3rd Batt.

Arthur G. Grainger*

(1887-94)

Enlisted July 1918

Royal Marines

* brothers

Frederick William Gaston

(1889-93)

Enlisted

Army Service Corps

Owen Hobden *

(1889-94)

Enlisted, May 1917

Royal Engineers

Went to France, July 1918.

Died of sickness 13th Nov. 1918

George Hobden *

(1894-99)

Enlisted 7th Sept. 1914

R. F. A.

Went to France, 17th Jan. 1917

Gassed at Arras, 16th July 1918.

Transferred to Royal Fusiliers

Sep. 1918

Discharged 4th Jan. 1919.

Richard Hobden *

(1897-1903)

Enlisted, 9th Feb. 1916

East Surrey Regt. 13th Batt.

Went to France, 12th Oct. 1916

Killed in action, 25th Nov. 1917.

Alfred Hobden *

(1899-1906)

Enlisted 9th Sept. 1914

Royal Sussex Regt., 11th Batt.

Went to France, 12th March 1916

Wounded 7th May 1916. Recovered.

Wounded 30th June 1916.

Discharged 1917.

* 4 brothers





George H. Hodges*

(1889-95)

Enlisted, 25th Dec. 1914

National Reserve

Afterwards joined Home
County Rifle Brigade, 24th Batt.
Went to India, 12th Jan. 1916

Alfred J. Hodges*

(1902-08)

Enlisted, August 1914

8th Batt. Royal Sussex Regt.

Went to France July 1915

Killed in action, 23rd Oct. 1918.

Charles Hodges*

(1904-09)

Enlisted Nov. 1914

12th Batt. Royal Sussex Regt.

Went to France March 1916

Missing as from June 30th 1916

Death presumed.

Harry Homewood

(1897-1904)

Enlisted, 28th Nov. 1916

Rifle Brigade

Went to France 2nd March 1917

Wounded 19th June 1917

Recovered.

Transferred to M. G. C.

Killed in action, 14th May 1918

* 3 brothers

Alfred Hodges (Allington R^{ts}) *

(1893-98)

Enlisted in the Royal Sussex Reg^t.

1st Batt., Nov. 1906

Served in India during
the War.

William Hodges *

(1900-03)

Enlisted

John Hodges *

(1896-1906)

Enlisted 29th Apr. 1916

Army Ordnance Corps.

Went to France, Aug^r 1916

Alfred Hampton (1900).

Enlisted 12th Jan. 1917

Royal Garrison Artillery

Went to France, 3rd April 1917.

* 3 brothers





Albert Hemslay*

(1889-97)

Enlisted, 29th Feb. 1916
Royal Sussex Regt. 2/4th Batt.
Went to France Aug. 1916
with a draft for 13th Batt.

Wounded 19th Oct. 1916

Recovered and drafted to 3rd Batt.

Alfred Percy Hemslay*

(1891-99)

Enlisted June 1916

Gordon Highlanders 2/4 Batt.
then 250th Co. Royal Defence Corps.

* brothers

Percy C. Hill*

(1905-08)

Enlisted 12th Oct. 1916
Grenadier Guards 1st Batt.

Wounded 12th Oct. 1916
(lost an eye)

Afterwards served at
Caterham Barracks

Albert Harold Hill*

(1905-08)

Enlisted, 5th Sep. 1914
R. F. A.

Went to France July 1915
Discharged from the Army Aug 6th 1917
being disabled in the leg.
corporal.

* brothers

Percy Horscraft*

(1894-99)

Enlisted, 21st June 1916

Royal Navy

H.M.S. "Tarant".

Arthur Horscraft.*

(1896-1901)

Enlisted 2nd June 1917

R. G. A.

* brothers

Henry Humphrey*

(1887-93)

Enlisted, Feb. 1915

Royal Sussex Regt. 9th Batt.

Went to France, Oct. 1915

Wounded 15th Nov. 1915. Recovered.

Returned to France 15 May 1916

Invalided to England.

Returned to France 5th Jan. 1917

Again invalided to England.

Frederick M. Humphrey*

(1901-06)

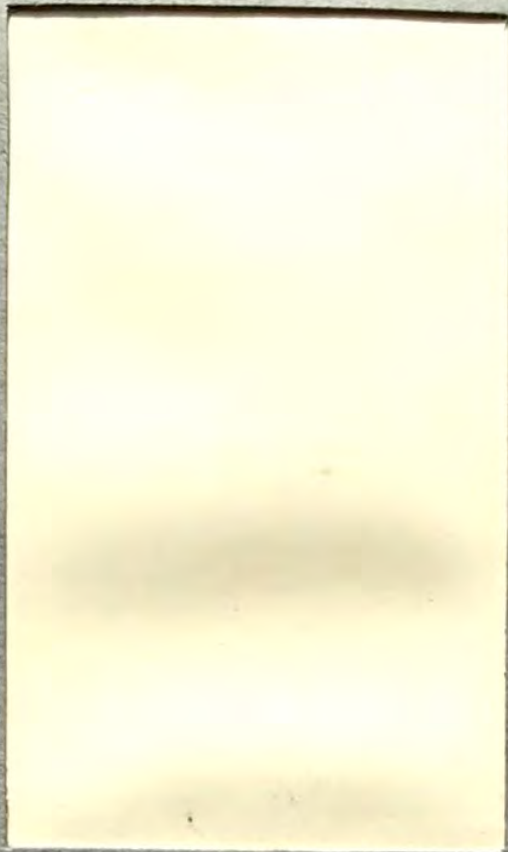
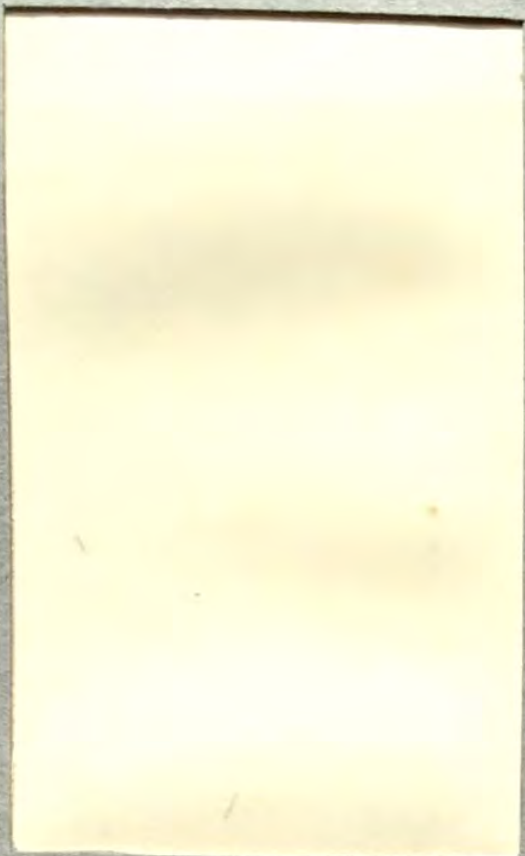
Enlisted 18th May 1917

A. S. C. Motor Transport.

Went to German East Africa

* brothers, also Herbert W. (overleaf)





Herbert W. Humphrey *

(1892-1900)

Enlisted November 1915.

5th Batt. Royal Sussex Reg^t

Admitted to hospital, sick, Aug. 1916

Invalided out of Army, May 1917

* brother of Henry and Frederick
on preceding page.

James Holmes

(1907-13)

Enlisted September 1917

Northamptonshire Reg^t

Went to France, 1st Apr. 1918.

Slightly wounded at Ypres.

Slightly wounded again and taken
prisoner 28th May 1918.

Varied experiences in a German
hospital, compound, aero-
drome &c.

Percy J. Isard *

(1904-07)

Enlisted, Nov. 1914

Royal Sussex Reg^t, 13th Batt.

Went to France, Mar. 1916

Missing 30th June 1916

Death presumed

Joseph H. Isard *

(1904-09)

Enlisted, Sep. 1914

Royal Sussex Reg^t, 9th Batt.

Went to France, 31st Aug. 1915

Taken prisoner 26th Sept. 1915
at Loos.

* brothers

William H. Jones

(1901-07)

Enlisted 1st Nov. 1915

Royal Engineers

Went to France, March, 1916

Obert Knight

(1891-96)

Enlisted 14th Aug. 1916

R. F. A.

Went to France 1918.

Henrick L. Kent *

(1906-12)

Enlisted 22nd Aug. 1915

Royal Sussex Regt., 5th Batt.

Went to France; 2nd Apr. 1916

Robert James Kent *

(1906-13)

Enlisted, 4th Jan. 1918

Went to France 14th June 1918
with the 23rd Middlesex Regt.

Transferred in France to the
5th Royal Fusiliers.

Gassed at Bucquoy, Somme,
July 1918, and sent to Hospital
in England.

To Carrickfergus, end of 1918,
and to Bangor, Co. Down.

* brothers





William Montague Kingsland*
(1880-1890)

Enlisted 3rd Nov. 1914
National Reserve, afterwards
transferred to 15th Batt.
Royal Sussex Regt.

George W. M. Kingsland*
(1893-99)

Enlisted 4th Nov. 1914
National Reserve
Discharged, ^{sick} after 1 year 278 days
of Home Service

* brothers, and Richard on next page.

George Thomas Kingsland
(1903-07)
Enlisted

Went to France

Walter Kingsland*
(1903-09)

Enlisted Dec. 1914
R.F.A.

Went to India a few days after
enlisting. Served there 2 years,
and in Mesopotamia 2 yrs. 3 mon.

* brother of Alfred on next
page.

Alfred Kingsland*

(1885-1891)

Enlisted before the War
Army Service Corps
Went to France

Richard Kingsland*

(1879-88)

Enlisted 18th Nov. 1914
National Reserve
Afterwards in 5th Batt. Royal
Sussex Regiment, then in
Royal Defence Corps

* brother of Walter H. on
preceding page.

* brother of William M. and
George W.M. on preceding page

Frederick H. Langridge

(1899-1905).

Enlisted, 9th Nov. 1915

Royal Sussex Regt. 5th Batt.

Went to France 14th Apr. 1916

Wounded, 11th Aug. 1916

Recovered, Returned to France

12th Jan. 1917

Killed, by the bursting of
a shell near bivouac,

7th July, 1917.

John George Midmore

Enlisted 1889 in R. F. A.

Served in the Boer War

West Kent Infantry.

Volunteered for service in the
Great War. Went to France 1915.

Two years in France, then to

Egypt. With expedition to

Jerusalem under General Allenby.

Returned to India with native
troops. Discharged in England.

Obtained a Commission in India.





Charles Martin*

(1897-1902)

Enlisted in Territorials,

R. G. A., Jan. 1911.

Went to France, March 1916.

Henry O. Martin*

(1899-1905)

Enlisted in Territorials, 5th Batt.

Royal Sussex Regt., Nov. 1910.

Joined Regular Army, 1st Batt.

Royal Sussex Regt. Feb. 1911

Served in India during the War.

Benjamin Martin*

(1904-09)

Enlisted, March 1916

M.G.C.

Went to France, Dec. 1916.

Invalided to England

July 1918

Died of sickness, 2nd Oct. 1918

Charles F. Minwood

(1883-91)

Enlisted

R. A. M. C.

Went to France, March 1917.

* brothers (3)

John Sidney Martin*

(1903-09)

Enlisted before the War

10th Royal Grenadier Signalling
Corps, 3rd Battⁿ

1st Canadian Contingent.

Went to France Feb. 1915

Taken Prisoner near Ypres

Apr. 1915.

Confined in Germany until
the end of the War

Horace R. Martin*

(1905-12)

Enlisted 4th Jan. 1916

Canadian Contingent, 124th Battⁿ

Transferred to Prince's Patricia's

Canadian Light Inf. Battⁿ

Went to France, 4th Dec. 1916

* brothers

Harry Lee Mainwood*

(1889-96)

Enlisted 3rd June 1916

Middlesex Regt. 24th Batt.

Went to France, Nov. 1916

Invalided to England 29th Dec. 1916

Frank Mainwood*

(1892-97)

Enlisted,

R. G. A.

* brothers



AB. ALLEN & SONS,
NEATH STUDIO.

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Dennis H. B. Martin*

(1895-990)

Enlisted 1st April 1916

Royal West Surrey Regt.

Queen's, 9th Batt.

Went to France, Jan. 1917

William Albert Martin*

(1902-08)

Enlisted 25th May 1916

Royal Fusiliers, 27th Batt.

Transferred to 6th Batt., Sep. 1916

Went to France

Wounded

Incapacitated for further service

* brothers

John Edward Mitchell*

(1904-10)

Enlisted, Nov. 1914.

Royal Sussex Regt., 12th Batt.

Went to France, March, 1916.

Wounded 3rd Sep. 1916. Recovered.

Returned to France, Feb. 1917.

Awarded M.M. for gallantry &c.

July 31st, Aug. 1st and 2nd,

and bar to Medal for devotion

to duty on Sep. 25th, 26th and 27th

1917.

James Raymond Mitchell*,

(1907-13)

Enlisted 6th March 1918

Middlesex Regiment

* brothers

Herbert E. Mullinger
(1882-88.)

William Thomas Martin

(1894-1901)

Enlisted Aug. 30th 1916

East Kent Reg^t, Buffs

3rd Batt. afterwards

to 5th Batt.

Went to India, March 1917,

To Mesopotamia

George Martin *

son of George Martin, Goldbridge

(1892-96)

Enlisted 7th May 1915

Canadian Infantry, 18th Batt.

To France, May, 1916

Wounded, Jan. 1917. Returned

to England. Recovered.

To France again, June, 1917.

Arthur B. Martin *

son of George Martin, Goldbridge

1894-97.

Enlisted before the War, (1906?)

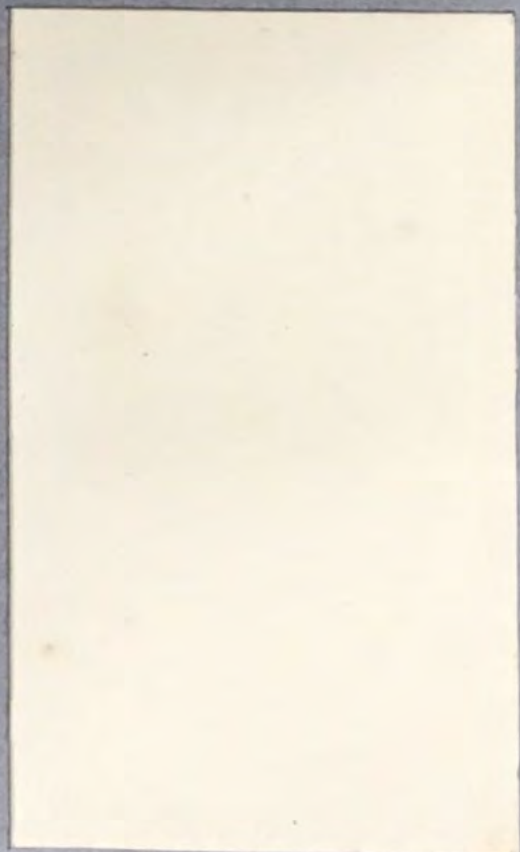
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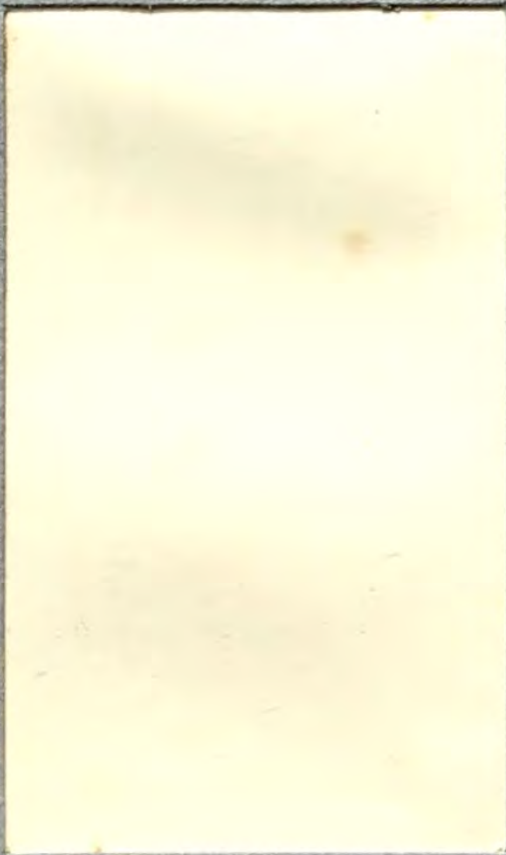
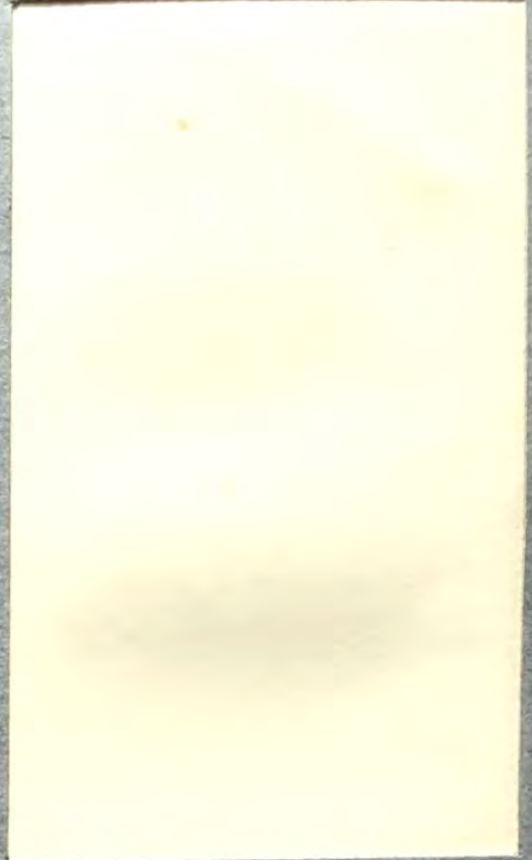
* brothers, and Charles on next page ③



Audinswood,
NEATH STUDIO.

PARK NEATH,
WHITENURCH, SALOP.





Frank Marchant

(1892-94)

Enlisted 2nd Feb. 1900

Royal Sussex Regt. 2nd Batt.

Reservist at outbreak of War.

Went to France, Oct., 1914

Wounded at Givenchy, Jan. 1915

" " Contalmaison, July 1916

" " Vermander, Sep. 1918

" " " Oct. 1918.

Sergeant.

An "Old Contemptible".

John Martin

(1887-91)

formerly at Brett's Farm

Enlisted before the War

1st Batt. Middlesex Regt.

Killed in action, April 1916

Charles Martin

1897

son of George Martin, Goldbridge.

brother of George and Arthur B. on
preceding page.

William Martin

son of Will^m Martin, Goldbridge

(1886-92)

Enlisted 21st June 1901

Reservist at outbreak of War.

Royal Horse Artillery.

Went to France, 7th Oct. 1914.

An "Old Contemptible".

Martin, W Frank.

(1905-6).

Enlisted, April 1914

R. G. A.

To Jamaica, March, 1915

Left " April 1918

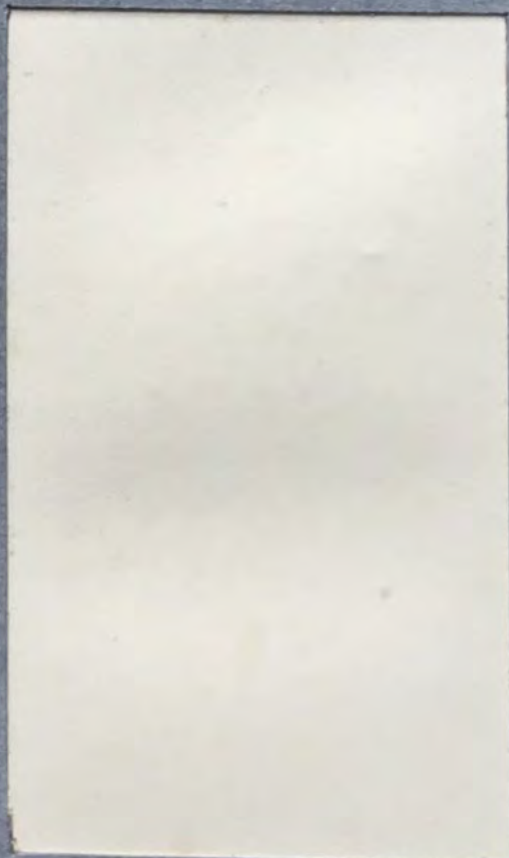
To France, Aug. 1918

Left " Jan. 1919

To Russia, June 1919

Left " Sep. 1919

To Mesopotamia, March 1920





John Neve
(1886 -)

Enlisted 25th Sep. 1916

25th Battⁿ, Middlesex Reg^t.

Embarked for Overseas in
transport "Tyndareus", 5th Jan. 1917

Transport struck by a mine off

Cape Aquilhas, Feb. 8th 1917,

and ~~forwarded~~ troops transferred
to two steamers sent to the rescue.

John Edward Potter
(1890 - 94)

Enlisted

Harry Streeter
(1890 - 97)

Enlisted before the War

1st Life Guards.

Went to France with the
First Expeditionary Force,
— an "Old Contemptible"

Missing since 2nd Oct. 1914

Death presumed.

Walter Streeter.

(1879 - 87)

In the Navy before the War.

Serving as Coast Guardsman

in the early part of the War

at Cape Wrath, Lairg, N. B.

Bernard George Oldaker*

(1899-1905).

Enlisted at Brandon (Man.) 9th Aug. 1914
90th Winnipeg Rifles, afterwards 8th Battⁿ
Canadian Infantry. Reached England
in 1st Canadian Contingent, 14th Oct. 1914.

Went to France 10th Feb. 1915

Wounded 22nd June 1915. Recovered.

Sergeant, 23rd July 1916. Gazetted

Lieutenant, 28th Apr. 1917.

Took a course of military studies at
Bedford.

Invalided to Canada 25th Aug. 1917

Discharged 12th Aug. 1918.

Died at Vancouver B.C. 10th June 1920.

Harry Howard Oldaker*

(1901-07)

Enlisted at Vancouver B.C. 4th Aug. 1914
in the Seaforth Highlanders, after-
wards the 16th Battⁿ Canadian
Scottish. Landed in England 14th Oct. 1914
Went to France, 10th Feb. 1915.

Corporal.

Gazetted Lieutenant 2nd Sep. 1917

Returned from France for

O.T.C. 15th May 1917. Back to France Nov. 1917.

Wounded 2nd Sep. 1918. Recovered.

Returned to France Oct. 1918

Reginald Frank Oldaker*

(1904-10)

Enlisted 16th March 1915

2nd Batt. City of London Reg^t, Royal
Fusiliers.

Went to France 21st Jan. 1917.

Wounded 15th June. Recovered.

Returned to France 1st Sep. 1917 to

3rd Batt. City of London Reg^t

Transferred to 58th Batt. M.G.C.

17th March 1918.

Norman Richard Oldaker*

(1904-12)

Enlisted 17th Sept. 1917

Royal Naval Air Service,
afterwards merged in the
Royal Air Force.

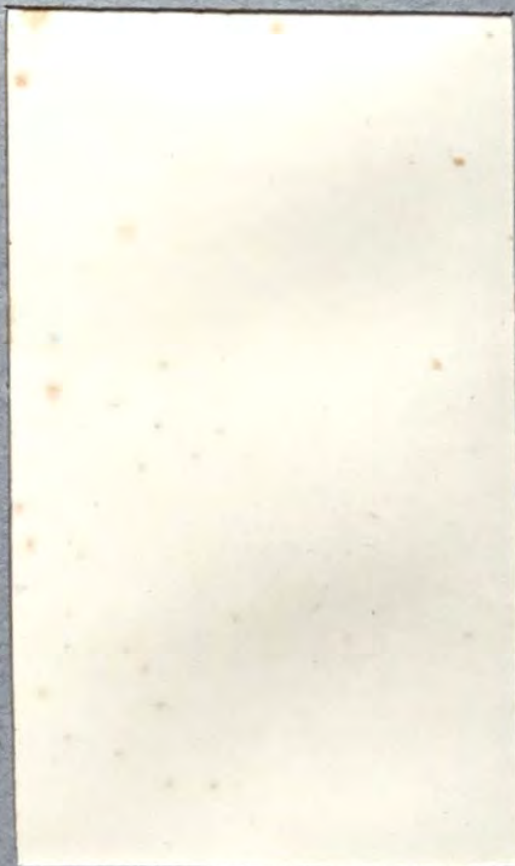
Embarked for Malta 1st Dec. 1917.

Returned to England Jan. 1919

Invalided, April, 1919.

Recovered.





Ernest Osborn*

(1899-1906)

Enlisted, 7th June 1916

R. G. A.

Went to France, 19th Jan. 1917.

Harold Wilfrid Osborn*

(1906-11)

Enlisted 23rd May, 1918

Royal Navy.

Present as one of the crew of
an escorting ship, "Vindictive"
(air-carrier), at the surrender of the
German Fleet at Rosyth.

Assisted in the evacuation of
North Russia.

Herbert E. Osborn*

(1907-14)

Mercantile Marine

Richard Henry Page*

(1885 -

Enlisted 12th June 1915

Royal Sussex Regt., 3rd Batt.

Went to France

Killed in action, 26th Sept. 1916.

Percy Page*

(1892-97)

Enlisted 10th May 1916

Royal Flying Corps

* brothers

Andrew Charles Piper*

(1906-11)

Enlisted 30th Oct. 1916

East Surrey Regiment

Went to France, Sep. 1917

Killed 11th Sep. 1918

Nelson James Piper*

(1907-12).

Enlisted 24th April 1917

Went to France

Severely wounded, Aug. 1918,
and incapacitated for
further service.

* brothers.





Alfred Plummer*

(1904-05)

Enlisted 21st Aug. 1914

Royal Field Artillery. To Egypt. Apr. 1915

Went to Gallipoli ~~10th June~~ ^{1st May} 1915

Accidentally injured ~~2nd Aug.~~ ^{2nd Aug.} 1915

To hospital in Malta

Embarked for Egypt for defence of Suez, Feb. 1916

Went to France, 8th July 1916

1st. Inf. in France, taking part in the battles of the Somme, Arras, Messines, Ypres.

Gassed Apr. 3rd 1918 at Loos. Sent to

England for treatment Apr. 1918.

Embarked for India Aug. 1918 Stationed at

Jubbulpore, C.P., and Meerut, U.P. until Dec. 1919

Demobilised in England Dec. 23rd, 1919.

Medals 1914-15 star, Victory.

* brothers

British War Medal.

William Thos. Plummer*

(1906-11)

Enlisted April 1915

Went to Egypt 16th Oct. 1916

On transport torpedoed in the Mediterranean 1st Jan. 1917. On a raft for days.

John George Parsons

(1880-88)

Enlisted, April, 1916.

Suffolk Regiment 10th Batt.

"D" Coy.

Horace Sydney Page.

(1908-10)

Enlisted 29th Nov. 1914

Royal Engineers

George Robert Page
(1899 - 1906)

Enlisted, 1910.

Royal Sussex Reg.^t 1st Batt.

In India during the War.

Transferred to R.E.

Died in India, 1919.

George Reeves*
(1900-06)

Enlisted before the War.

H.M.S. "Superb"

Served throughout the War in
the Royal Navy.

John Reeves*
(1900-07)

Enlisted 8th Dec. 1915.

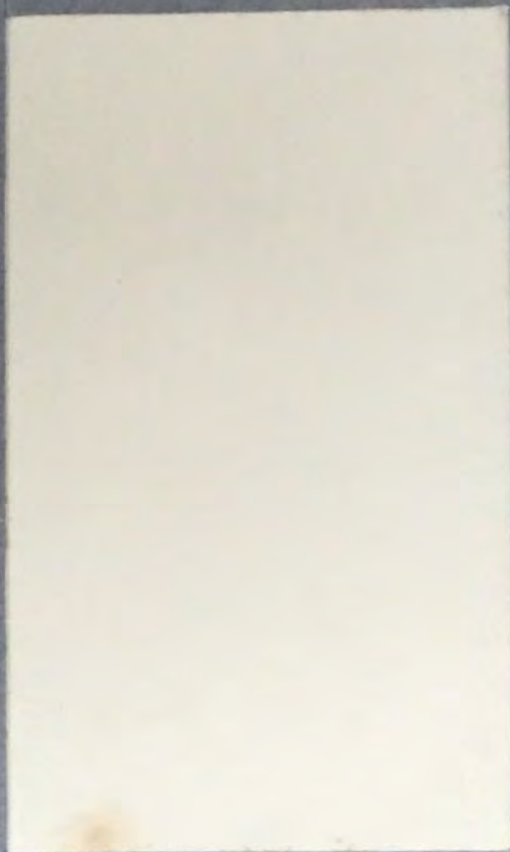
R.E.

2nd Corporal

14 months home service

2 yrs. 6 mon. overseas (France)

* brothers





Richard T. Rowe

(1885-

Enlisted in the R.N. before the War. Invalided out in 1897, and afterwards joined the Merchant Service.

Corporal, 7th Railway Operating Co., South Africans

James H. Reynolds

(1904-10)

Enlisted 1st Nov. 1915.

Royal Engineers.

Went to France, March 1916

Frederick Smith (of Norris's)*

(1903-10)

Enlisted Sep. 1914.

Royal Sussex Regt., 2nd Batt.

Went to France, Feb. 1915

Wounded at Richebourg l'Avoué

9th May 1915.

Recovered.

Again wounded. Died of wounds, 28th Sept. 1915.

Lance-Corporal.

George T. Smith*

(1906-13)

Enlisted 2nd April 1917

Training Reserve Batt.

Transferred to 3rd Batt.

Gloucester Regt.

Discharged, unfit, Aug. 1918

Frederick J. Smith*

(1892-96)

Enlisted, September 1914

Suffolk Regt. 4th Batt.

Went to France, May 1916

Killed in action 17th April

1917

Corporal.

Spencer Maryon Smith*

(1895-1900)

Enlisted 23rd March 1916

Royal Sussex Regt. 3rd Batt.

Went to France Nov. 1916

Transferred to 13th Batt. Dec. 1916

Killed in action 26th April 1918

Edward George Smith*

(1898-1904)

Enlisted 9th Nov. 1915

Royal Sussex Regt. 5th Batt.

Went to France, Apr. 1916

Wounded 24th July 1916

Died of wounds in France

26th July 1916

Sydney S. Smith*

(1903-10)

Enlisted 7th Sept. 1914, in
Australia.

Australian Force, Infantry.

Went to Egypt, Dec. 1914

Served in Egypt and Gallipoli.

Wounded 19th May 1915. Recovered.

Killed in action in Gallipoli

19th Aug. 1915.

With Leonard and Cyril Smith on next page
6 brothers





Leonard D. Smith*

(1901-06)

Enlisted Oct. 1916

in West Australia.

Australian Imperial Force

Came to England, Mar. 1917.

Declared medically unfit.

Returned to Australia

Cyril F. Smith*

(1906-12)

Enlisted in May, 1916

East Surrey Regt., 6th Batt.

Invalided out, Aug. 1916.

* see preceding page

John A. Salvage

(1889-93)

Enlisted 3rd Nov. 1914

National Reserve.

Transferred to Royal Sussex Regt.

7th Batt.

Went to France 2nd Aug. 1916.

Died of wounds 9th Apr. 1917

William H. Styles

(1908-13)

Enlisted 27th June 1918.

Arthur J. Smith *

(1879-88)

Enlisted 26th Nov. 1915

Royal Sussex Reg. 5th Batt.

Went to France 14th June 1916

Returned to England, sick,

Jan. 1917.

To France again 31st May 1917

To Italy

Walter R. Smith *

(1886-93)

Enlisted 30th July 1915

Royal Marine Artillery

Went to France, Apr. 1916

Invalided to England Jan. 1917

Invalided out of Service

23rd May 1917

* brothers

William Lewis Smith

(1906-14)

Enlisted 16th July 1918

Royal Fusiliers, 5th Batt.

Ernest E. Strivens

(1899-1902)

Enlisted





Henry Stevens*

(1884-89)

Enlisted before the War
Royal Marine Artillery
Drowned at sea while serving
on the "Blair Macpherson"
4th March 1918

Joe Stevens*

(1884-90)

Enlisted 8th Dec. 1915
Canadian Contingent 45th Batt.
afterwards the 16th Batt. Canadian
Tartan.
Went to France, 10th Aug. 1916
Slightly wounded

George Stevens*

(1886-92)

Enlisted 28th Aug. 1914.
Royal Garrison Artillery
Went to France, Oct. 1915

Alfred Stevens*

(1889-93)

Enlisted Aug. 1916
Durham Light Infantry 2/6 Batt.

With Frank, Charles, and Ernest Stevens
on next page, 7 brothers.

Frank Stevens*

(1890-94)

Enlisted Dec. 1915

Canadian Contingent

45th Batt., afterwards
in the Canadian Engineers
Went to France, 1916

Charles Stevens*

(1892-97)

Enlisted Nov. 1916

Army Service Corps
Driver

Ernest Stevens (rected)*

(1894)

Enlisted

Royal Garrison Artillery

Anti-Aircraft Section

Served in France

Percy Stevens

(1907-13)

Enlisted 30th Feb. 1917

Royal Marine Artillery

"2" Coy.

Son of James Stevens, another
brother of Henry and the others.

* see preceding page





William Henry Singley, sen.*
 (1882-84)
 Enlisted 14th June 1918
 Army Service Corps

John Basil Singley*.
 (1901-06)
 Enlisted Apr. 1916
 Royal Sussex Reg^t 10th Batt.

* brothers

William Henry Singley jun.
 (1907-13)
 Enlisted 12th June 1918
 East Kent Reg^t, Buffs.
 Son of William Henry (above)

William G. Smith
 (1874-81)
 Reservist at outbreak of war.
 8th Batt. Royal Sussex Reg^t

William G. Turner *

(1907-11)

Enlisted 15th March 1915

Royal Flying Corps

Went to France July 1915

Corporal Nov. 1917

Ernest A. Turner *

(1907-12)

Enlisted 31st Oct. 1917

Royal Flying Corps

* brothers

William John Tidy

(1894-99)

Enlisted 25th May 1916

Royal Fusiliers 3rd Batt.

Went to Salonika

Returned to England

for O. T. C. (Salisbury)

August 1918.

Philip Dudley Turner

(1894-1900)

Enlisted 1st June 1915

Canadian Contingent 50th Batt.

Came to England, Oct. 1915

Went to France Feb. 1916

Corporal 12th Apr. 1917





Walter H. Turner

(1897-1903)

Enlisted 16th Nov. 1916

Royal Garrison Artillery

Sailed for Hong Kong 20th Jan. 1917

Arrived there 31st March

Sydney J. Type

(1905-07)

Enlisted 20th Apr. 1915

Motor Transport, A. S. C.

Went to France 23rd Apr. 1915

Transferred to Artists' Rifles

29th Apr. 1917

Arthur A. Turner

(1905-11)

Enlisted 9th Sep. 1915

Royal Sussex Regt. 12th Batt.

Went to France 4th March 1916

Wounded

Dennis Trill

(1893)

James Willey

(1895-97)

Killed in action.

Wilkins, Frederick George, *

(1902-06)

Enlisted Jan. 1915

Royal Engineers

Went to France 19th July 1915

Taken prisoner 1918

Lieut. Colonel

David William Wilkins *

(1902-08)

Enlisted, Sep. 1914

Royal Sussex Regt. 9th Batt.

Went to France 31st Aug. 1915

Taken prisoner at Loos, 26th Sep. 1915

John Stephen Wilkins *

(1906-12)

Enlisted 26th Apr. 1917

Bedfordshire Regt. 52nd Batt.

Went to France,

Philip Wood

(1909-10)

Royal Sussex Regt. 2nd Batt.

Went to France 11th Jan. 1915

Wounded 27th Jan. 1915

Recovered

Returned to France

Again wounded

* 3 brothers





Vince Wood*

(1899-1906)

Enlisted Sep. 1914

Went to France Aug. 1915
Returned from France injured

Made Sergeant Instructor
Discharged from the Army
Royal Sussex Reg. 9th Batt.

Mark Alfred Wood*

(1902-09)

Enlisted Sep. 1914

Royal Sussex Reg. 9th Batt.

Went to France Aug. 1915

Wounded and taken
prisoner at Loos, Sep. 1915
Confined in Germany till the
Armistice

* brothers

Charles F. Wilde*

(1904-07)

Enlisted Dec. 1915

23rd London Reg.

Served 6 months in England,
6 months in France,
5 months in Salonika,
then in Egypt until sent
home for demobilisation.

Demobilised 7 Apr. 1919

Percy J. Wilde*

(1904-08)

Enlisted 29th May 1915

Went to France 20th Aug. 1915

Wounded 16th Sep. 1916

Went to Salonika 16th Jan. 1917

Served there 6 months, then to
Egypt and on to Palestine.

With the first troops to enter
Jerusalem.

Again wounded.

Served again in France.

Total service, Home 6 months

Aboard 3 yrs 4 months

* brothers

William Wood *

(1899-1905)

Enlisted before the War (Apr. 1910)

Royal Navy.

H. M. S. "Ghurka", Torpedo
Boat Destroyer.

First-Class Stoker.

Drowned in the Channel, 8th Feb. 1917

The "Ghurka" is reported to have
been sunk by a mine.

Alfred Wood *

(1902-08)

Enlisted Aug. 1916

Royal Navy.

* brothers

Albert Watson

(1905-07)

Enlisted in the Territorials

9th Dec. 1912

Royal Sussex Regt 5th Batt.

Went to France 18th Feb. 1915

Transferred to R. E.

10th Nov. 1917

Henry P. Watton

(1880-88)

Enlisted in the Territorials
before the War.

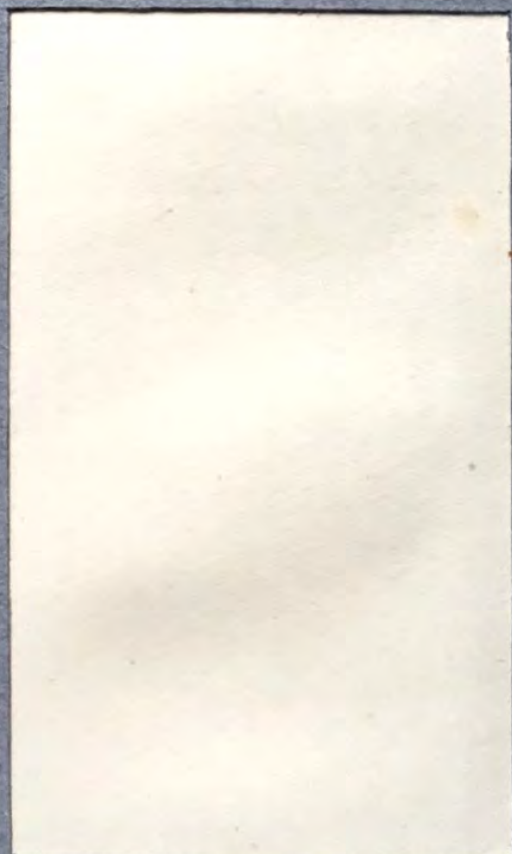
Served in the South African War.

2^d Batt. Royal Sussex Regt.

Went to France

Died of Wounds 27 Jan. 1915.





Thomas H. Wiltshire *

(1897-1900)

Enlisted 13th Jan. 1915

King's Shropshire Light Infantry
3rd Batt.

Afterwards transferred to

A. I. C., 4th Cavalry Div.

Ammunition Park, 1st Indians

Went to France March 1915

George Wright

(1912-14)

Enlisted

Royal Fusiliers

David Wilkinson

(1912-17)

Enlisted 22 Jan. 1918

Training ship "Eamouth."

Ernest St. M. Wiltshire *

(1897-1901).

* brothers

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The Tyndareos

The Tyndareos left Limnouston with a batt. of the Middlesex Reg. on board. Struck a mine off C. agulhas & in the strong easterly gale that was blowing, quickly began to settle by the head, with her propellers well out of the water.

The "assembly" was sounded, & the men put on life belts & paraded in perfect order. Two steamers were at once despatched to the rescue & arrived $\frac{1}{2}$ hr. later. Troops kept courage & discipline. Vessel saved. Troops transferred to the two steamers & taken off back to Limnouston, where the Tyndareos subsequently refloated under her own steam, though with two holds flooded & another leaking.

upheld tradition of the "Birkenhead"

B.O.P. Aug. 1917

Our Arab allies have performed
in the Mesopotamia campaign.
Arabs have been found down by the
Turks for over 100 years past.
One of them, Chief Mohammed Bin
Salim, who is senior naval officer
on the Tigris motor "Espele", has
been awarded the D.S.O. for gallantry
in fighting.

The British have seen some sur-
prising sights of late - motor-
cyclists riding 400 miles in a week
across the sheer desert, followed
by motor-torries mounted with big
guns captured by us from the
Germans last year, & persistent
penetration of the rivers. All these
sights have helped to win Arab
loyalty to us.

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