

A LIST OF THE WAR GRAVES IN BLANDFORD CEMETERY

COMMONWEALTH WAR DEAD (1914-1918)

ALMOND, Private 2nd Class, CHARLES, 295395. Recruits Wing (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 12 October 1918. Grave Reference: A1163.

ANDREWS, Private 2nd Class, THOMAS, 307600. Recruits Wing (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 26 October 1918. Grave Reference: A1335.

BANKS, Private 2nd Class, ALFRED, 267317. Royal Air Force. 20 July 1918. Age 42. Son of Alfred and Emma Banks, of Barnsley. Grave Reference: A1331.

BRADY, Private 2nd Class, J, 303133. Reception Depot, Royal Air Force. 10 November 1918. Grave Reference: C72.

BURCHALL, Private, R, 523605. Labour Corps. 6 March 1919. Grave Reference: C80.

CAMPBELL, Private 2nd Class, GEORGE, 296339. Recruits Training Wing, Royal Air Force. 3 October 1918. Grave Reference: A1246.

CARTER, Lance Corporal, THOMAS, 8723. Royal Defence Corps. 2 December 1918. Age 58. Husband of Edith Carter, of 3, Patrick St., Petone, Wellington, New Zealand. Grave Reference: C105.

CARTWRIGHT, Ordinary Seaman, WILLIAM RICHARD, R/613. 3rd Reserve Bn. R.N. Div., Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve. 23 February 1917. Age 39. Son of Mrs. Cartwright; husband of Emma Cartwright, of 6, Warwick St., Stourport, Worcs. Born at Upper Arley. Grave Reference: A1241.

CHANNING, Private 2nd Class, JOSEPH ARTHUR, 296135. Royal Air Force. 13 October 1918. Age 18. Son of Joseph and May Hine Channing, of 17, Radipole Rd., Fulham, London. Grave Reference: A1086.

CHURCHILL, Private, ERNEST HENRY, Deal/2465(S). R.M. Div. Train, R.N. Div., Royal Marines. 30 July 1916. Grave Reference: A1245.

CLEMENTS, Private 2nd Class, DANIEL, 308954. Royal Air Force. 9 November 1918. Grave Reference: C73.

COBB, Driver, ARTHUR LOVELESS, T2/12453. H.T., Army Service Corps. 23 July 1918. Grave Reference: C101.

COLLETT, Private, ERNEST JOSEPH, 328156. Recruits Depot, Royal Air Force. 1 July 1919. Grave Reference: C62.

CORNISH, Air Mechanic 3rd Class, GEORGE H., 298712. Reinforcement Wing (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 18 November 1918. Age 19. Son of George and Agnes Cornish, of 48, Bellis St., Edgbaston, Birmingham. Born at Worcester. Grave Reference: C77.

COX, Serjeant, WILLIAM HENRY, 46039. Royal Air Force. Accidentally killed, 5 November 1918. Age 32. Son of Joseph and Emma Cox, of Blandford. Gen. Grave Reference: A1352.

CRAYMER, Private, HARRY PERCY, Deal/1946(S). R.M. Div. Train, R.N. Div., Royal Marines. 13 May 1917. Grave Reference: A1241A.

GRAY, Private, WALTER, CH/1832(S). 1st Reserve Bn., Royal Marine Light Infantry. Died of pneumonia, 27 January 1917. Age 21. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Gray, of Gittisham, Honiton. Grave Reference: A1327.

GREEN, Private 2nd Class, JAMES, 309493. Royal Air Force. 30 October 1918. Grave Reference: A1337.

GRUNDY, Clerk 3rd Class, PERCY BERTRAM, 306558. Recruits Training Depot (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 27 October 1918. Son of the late T. N. and Mary Grundy, of Manchester; husband of Margaret Grundy, of 26, Livesey Branch Rd., Ewood, Blackburn. Grave Reference: A1336.

HEALY, Air Mechanic 2nd Class, HARRY, 21364. Recruits Wing, Royal Air Force. 26 February 1919. Grave Reference: C79.

HIGGINS, Private 2nd Class, MICHAEL, 309065. Arrival Sect. (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 30 October 1918. Grave Reference: A1338.

HILL, Air Mechanic 3rd Class, WILLIAM, 309952. Royal Air Force. 6 November 1918. Age 19. Son of William and Catherine Hill, of Flemby, Ballymacelligatt, Tralee, Co. Kerry. Grave Reference: C67.

KIRKER, Private 2nd Class, JAMES, 308279. Blandford Depot, Royal Air Force. 19 October 1918. Grave Reference: A1332.

KRIKORIAN, Lieutenant, CHARLES FIELDING. 2nd Drake Bn. R.N. Div., Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve. Died of sickness, 22 May 1916. Age 34. Son of Krikor Garabad Krikorian and his wife Jessie Ellen Carrie Bulkeley; husband of Emily Elizabeth Krikorian (nee Sawyer), of 11, Helena Court, Highlands Gardens, St. Leonards-on-Sea. Born in London. Grave Reference: A652.

LENNON, Private 2nd Class, WILLIAM COOK, 308568. Royal Air Force. 2 November 1918. Age 17. Son of Kate Lenon, of Hardwick, Worksop, Notts, and the late Charles Lennon. Grave Reference: C70.

MANLEY, Private 2nd Class, JOHN, 306352. "K" Sect. (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 21 October 1918. Grave Reference: A1334.

MARTIN, Air Mechanic 3rd Class, S G, 299418. "F" Sect. Recruits Training Wing, Royal Air Force. 25 October 1918. Grave Reference: A1250.

MITCHINSON, Air Mechanic 3rd Class, ROBERT, 308997. Reinforcements Wing (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 5 November 1918. Grave Reference: C68.

MOODY, Private 2nd Class, WILLIAM PATRICK, 309651. Recruits Training Wing (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 3 November 1918. Age 18. Son of Charlotte Moody, of Summer Hill, Wicklow, and the late William Moody. Grave Reference: C71.

MORRIS, Private 2nd Class, WALTER FREDERICK, 279325. Royal Air Force. 1 October 1918. Grave Reference: A1162.

POWIS, Private, HARRY, 6388. 1st Bn., King's Shropshire Light Infantry. 20 December 1918. Grave Reference: C66.

RANDALL, Boy, REGINALD ALBERT, 327465. "E" Sect. (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 8 March 1919. Grave Reference: C81.

ROBERTS, Private 2nd Class, LEONARD LANGFIELD, 304676. Instructional School (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 22 October 1918. Age 31. Son of Fred and Margaret Roberts, of 13, Colwyn View, Dewsbury Rd., Leeds. Grave Reference: A1249.

ROBINSON, Private 2nd Class, ROBERT, 195485. Blandford, Royal Air Force. 28 October 1918. Age 23. Son of Richard and Marie Robinson, of 64, Nightingale Rd., Harlesden, London. Grave Reference: A1253.

ROGERS, Private, JOHN HENRY, 69640. 265th Protection Coy., Royal Defence Corps. 27 October 1918. Grave Reference: A1251.

SCRIVEN, Able Seaman, CHARLES, London Z/1535. 2nd Anson Bn. R.N. Div., Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve. 26 June 1916. Grave Reference: A1329.

SKENE, Boy, ALLAN, 261746. Recruits Depot, Royal Air Force. 11 July 1918. Grave Reference: A1244.

SQUIBB, Serjeant, FREDERICK JOHN, 10254. 3rd Bn., Dorsetshire Regiment. Died of pneumonia, 1 November 1918. Age 22. Son of Henry and Eleanor Squibb, of 2, Charles St., Blandford. Grave Reference: C103.

STUDDEN, Air Mechanic 3rd Class, EDWARD JOHN, 294435. Recruits Wing (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 23 October 1918. Age 40. Husband of Alice Wallace Studden, of Largo Godre, 290, Para, Brazil. Grave Reference: A1247.

TANSWELL, Private, REGINALD CHARLES, PO/16949. H.M.S. "Bulwark.", Royal Marine Light Infantry. 26 November 1914. Grave Reference: B592.

TAYLOR, Serjeant Major, FREDERICK, 302107. I.S.W. (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 17 November 1918. Grave Reference: C76.

TOOGOOD, Lance Corporal, FREDERICK, 21130. 5th Bn., Wiltshire Regiment. 25 January 1919. Grave Reference: C78.

TOWNSEND, Regimental Serjeant Major, JAMES, R/38178. Army Service Corps, formerly , 21st (Empress of India's) Lancers. 16 May 1917. Age 50. Dorset Yeomanry. Long Service and Good Conduct Medal. Son of James Townsend, of Sawston, Cambridge; husband of Mary Ann Townsend, of 16, Jessica Rd., Wandsworth Common, London. Grave Reference: A1493.

TRIM, Private, A H, 200839. 4th Bn., Dorsetshire Regiment. 6 April 1919. Grave Reference: C107.

TRIVETT, Petty Officer 2nd Class, (Coast Guard), GEORGE, 130514 (PO). 1st Reserve Bn. R.N. Div., Royal Navy. 26 December 1915. Grave Reference: A95.

TUMPTON, Private 2nd Class, JOHN, 308920. Reinforcements Wing (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 5 November 1918. Age 18. Son of Mrs. Sarah Kavanagh, of Fairfield, Enniscorthy, Co. Wexford. Grave Reference: C69.

UNKNOWN SAILOR. Grave Reference: A1242.

WIDDICOMBE, Private, ALBERT EDWARD, 305280. "K" Sect. Reserve Depot (Blandford), Royal Air Force. 18 October 1918. Age 17. Son of Mr. F. C. Widdicombe, of "Saieda," Berghers Hill, Wooburn Green, Bucks. Grave Reference: A1248.

WRENN, Private, F, 29018. 13th Bn., Worcestershire Regiment. 22 June 1916. Grave Reference: A1330.

WYATT, Ordinary Seaman, FRANK LITHGOW, Bristol Z/1827. R.N. Depot (Crystal Palace), Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve. Died of pneumonia, 31 December 1916. Age 18. Son of Arthur L. and Elizabeth Wyatt, of Blandford. Grave Reference: B311.

COMMONWEALTH WAR DEAD (1939-1945)

BARRIE-SMITH, Sapper, IAN MACKINTOSH, 2073306. 38 Div. Field Stores Sec., Royal Engineers. 4 March 1943. Age 25. Son of William and Mary Adelaide Smith; husband of Barbara Irene Barrie-Smith, of Roath Park, Cardiff. Grave Reference: C31.

BRIGG, Captain, GEORGE THOMAS WATKIN, 112559. Royal Army Service Corps. 22 September 1940. Grave Reference: C57.

BRIGGS, Lieutenant, ALBERT GEORGE, 211762. Royal Engineers. 3 November 1942. Age 36. Son of Eugene Ward Briggs and Annie Briggs, of Darlington, Co. Durham. Grave Reference: C63.

BRYDON, Flying Officer, (Pilot), JAMES STENHOUSE, J/10154. 90 (R.A.F.) Sqdn, Royal Canadian Air Force. 16 February 1943. Age 29. Son of Arthur Mackenzie Brydon and Helen Mary Brydon, of Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Grave Reference: C33.

BUNCE, Lance Bombardier, FREDERICK LESLIE, 1453578. 310 Bty., 72 H.A.A. Regt., Royal Artillery. 12 March 1941. Son of Louis Leslie and Ethel Mary Bunce, of Blandford. Grave Reference: B125.

BYSOUTH, Serjeant, ROYSTON JAMES, T/66354. 3rd Div. Supply Column, Royal Army Service Corps. 11 September 1940. Grave Reference: C56.

DAY, Serjeant, EDWARD JOHN WILLIAM, 2046958. Royal Artillery. 6 June 1941 to 7 June 1941. Age 38. Son of Edward and Esther Sarah Day; husband of Alice Muriel Day, of Carshalton Beeches, Surrey. Grave Reference: C36.

ELLIS, Gunner, ALFRED JOHN, 905957. 141 Field Regt., Royal Artillery. 7 August 1944. Age 27. Son of William and Louisa Ellis, of Blandford. Grave Reference: C18.

HARTNEY, Flying Officer, (Air Bomber), NORMAN JOHN PATRICK, J/10412. 90 (R.A.F.) Sqdn, Royal Canadian Air Force. 16 February 1943. Age 22. Son of John H. Hartney and Elsie M. Hartney, of Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Grave Reference: C32.

HODGES, Chief Petty Officer, FRANCIS DOUGLAS TOM, P/J 579. B E M. H.M.S. Spartiate, Royal Navy. 6 November 1943. Grave Reference: A1721B.

McSHANE, Serjeant, CHARLES HENRY HUBERT, 5724665. 4th Bn., Dorsetshire Regiment. 15 January 1944. Age 35. Son of Charles Henry and Dora McShane; husband of Winifred Florence Louise McShane. Grave Reference: A831.

MEDDEM MEN, Gunner, WILLIAM JAMES, 1692471. 238 Bty., 76 H.A.A. Regt., Royal Artillery. 12 September 1941. Age 29. Husband of Elsie Eva Meddemmen of Petts Wood, Kent. Grave Reference: C35.

MOORS, Private, VICTOR HENRY, 5726576. 4th Bn., Dorsetshire Regiment. 14 May 1943. Age 24. Son of Arthur Henry and Anne Eliza Moors, of Blandford; husband of Betty Grace Moors, of Blandford. Grave Reference: A911B.

MORTON, Flight Sergeant, (Wireless Op./Air Gunner), WILLIAM CUTHBERT, R/75596. 90 (R.A.F.) Sqdn, Royal Canadian Air Force. 16 February 1943. Age 28. Son of Ben. F. Morton and Catherine Morton, of Dundas, Ontario, Canada. Grave Reference: C34A.

ROSENBERRY, Warrant Officer Class II, (Air Observer), WILLARD KENNEDY, R/91883. 90 (R.A.F.) Sqdn., Royal Canadian Air Force. 16 February 1943. Age 21. Son of David Dudley and Rose Kennedy Rosenberry, of Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. Grave Reference: C34.

TRIPP, Gunner, JOSEPH CHARLES, 1601532. Royal Artillery. 12 October 1940. Age 20. Son of Joseph Harry and Catherine Margaret Tripp, of Highbury, London. Grave Reference: C58.

WATERMAN, Serjeant, LESLIE FREDERICK VICTOR, 6079802. Royal Artillery. 28 May 1941. Age 36. Son of Frederick and Rose Waterman, of Thornton Heath, Surrey; husband of Winifred Lily Waterman, of Thornton Heath. Grave Reference: C61.

WELLS, Gunner, ARTHUR WALTER, 1650862. 475 Bty., 2 Searchlight Regt., Royal Artillery. 15 April 1941. Age 31. Son of William and Emily Wells, of Blandford; husband of Margaret Wells, of Blandford. Grave Reference: C166.

WESCOTT, Serjeant, SIDNEY E., 7007070. 2nd Bn., Royal Ulster Rifles. 1 January 1941. Grave Reference: C60.

YOUNG, Gunner, GEORGE HARRY, 1676998. Royal Artillery. 12 December 1940. Son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Young, of Deal, Kent. Grave Reference: C59.

FOREIGN NATIONAL (1914-1918)

HEINITZ, Soldier, MAX. German Army. 4 November 1918. Grave Reference: C75.

JAGER, Soldier, KARL. German Army. 21 May 1918. Grave Reference: C74.

FOREIGN NATIONAL (1939-45)

EMIG, Airman, GEORG, 62693-46. German Air Force. 1 June 1941. Grave Reference: C44.

HARING, Airman, HELLMUT, 62693-136. German Air Force. 1 June 1941. Grave Reference: C43.

KLEINFELDT, Airman, JOACHIM, 62691-2. German Air Force. 1 June 1941. Grave Reference: C37.

LINDEMANN, Airman, WILLY, 62693-6. German Air Force. 1 June 1941. Grave Reference: C40.

MERGNER, Airman, WALTER, 62673-56. German Air Force. 1 June 1941. Grave Reference: C41.

WEBER, Airman, FRIEDRICH, 62672-107. German Air Force. 1 June 1941. Grave Reference: C42.

ZECH, Soldier, LUDWIG, 21836/M.1. German Army. 2 July 1945. Grave Reference: C38.

NON WORLD WAR DEAD

CROWDER, Staff Sergeant, NORMAN JOHN, 22967513. Royal Corps of Signals. 24 July 1977. Grave Reference: C52.

ELLEN, Major, DAVID GEORGE. Royal Corps of Signals. 23 February 1980. Grave Reference: C20.

FIELD, Lance Corporal, ROYSTON NORMAN, 23753487. Royal Corps of Signals. 26 August 1961. Grave Reference: C55.

GRIFFIN, Warrant Officer, PETER, 24354388. Royal Corps of Signals. 26 August 1991. Grave Reference: C21.


HANDSCOMB, Sergeant, WILLIAM ALFRED, S/4976080. Royal Army Service Corps. 3 December 1963. Grave Reference: C53.

MANNING, Lieutenant Colonel, GRAHAM FRANCIS. Royal Corps of Signals. 1 May 2007. Grave Reference: A800.

SIMPSON, Warrant Officer, STEPHEN PAUL, 24222284. Royal Corps of Signals. 15 February 2001. Grave Reference: C22.

THORPE, Corporal, JOHN GEORGE, 13089148. Royal Corps of Signals. 6 January 1962. Grave Reference : C54.

WHITE, Driver, ROYSTON STANLEY, 22341546. Royal Army Service Corps. 4 June 1950. Grave Reference : C19.



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