**South Harpenden in World War I**

**Names and addresses and details of servicemen in St John's parish**

*There are three main sources for names of those who lived in the South Harpenden area and joined up or were conscripted.*

 *1) Harpenden War Memorial on Church Green, with notes by Mary Skinner, in an article on the Harpenden-History website:*

 *Harpenden-History.org.uk/page/harpenden\_war\_memorial\_1914-18*

 *These entries are copied from the website in small print.*

 *2) National Roll of Honour, 1914-18, with brief accounts of the military careers of a selection of servicemen, including those who survived, but probably less than ten percent of those who actually served. These entries have details of their activity in the war.*

 *3) A Roll of Honour published in 1915, of a number of local men who enlisted. No details are given apart from their names and addresses and where they enlisted.*

*There is little overlap between these three lists.*

*Note that Wheathampstead Rd refers to Southdown Rd. including many cottages on they W side up to the Skew Bridge. East Common includes what is now St John's Road and the end of Queen's Road. House numbers approximately from Kelly's Directory 1913-14*

ABBOTT, Arthur Charles c 40 Coleswood Rd RN Volunteers

ALAN, A Hatching Green 4th Beds

ALLEN, Harry Lower Cravells Rd Killed 31.7.17

ALLEN Harry, Gunner Royal Garrison Artillery
He was born in Stratfield Saye, Wilts. He worked as a groom for Mr Joel of Childwickbury and lived in Lower Cravells Road Harpenden. He was killed in action on the Western Front on 31 July 1917 aged 33. He left a widow and a little child.

ALLEN, L Wheathampstead Rd L/Corp, Royal Engineers

 *1914 Ypres, Somme, Arras, Aisne*

ARCHER, A Grove Rd Pte, 3rd Bedfordshire Regt.

 *1914 Hill 60, Ypres, Arras, Givenchy, Somme*

ASHMAN, W.A. 15 Grove Rd Sgt, Royal Veterinary Corps and Royal Field Artillery

 *1915 Arras, Ypres, Passchendaele, Cambrai. Mentioned in Despatches, for bravery at Armentieres*

BANDY, A.F.W. Myrtle Cottage, Queens Rd Driver, Royal Field Artillery Wounded

 *1915 Wounded at Messines*

BARTON, F 142 Cravells Rd Gunner, Royal Garrison Artillery Killed

 *1917 Killed at Ypres pn 26th September*

BARTON Fred, Gunner Royal Horse Artillery
He was born in Harpenden and lived with his widowed mother in Cravells Road at the house of his grandmother. He was a bootmaker. He enlisted in July 1916. He was killed in action in France while fighting near Ypres on 26 September 1917, aged 25,

BAYES, J.W. Wheathampstead Rd L/Corp, Herts and Leics Regts POW

 *1915 Volunteered aged 16. In 1917 to Western Front, Ypres, Cambrai, Somme, St Quentin*

 *Prisoner of War*

BORDERS, Dennis R The Nest, East Common 6th Beds

BORDERS, Maurice D The Nest, East Common Army Service Corps

BOWDEN, A.H. 3 Coleswood Rd Pte, Herts Regt Severely wounded

 *1914 Severely wounded at Arras.*

BOWDEN, H.E. 3 Coleswood Rd Pte, Royal Army Service Corps Gassed

 *1917 Ypres, Arras, gassed on the Somme in 1918*

BRADBURY, Thomas Pimlico Cotts, West Common 4th Beds

BRAZIER, W Heath Rd

BRETT, B. Grove Rd Gunner, Royal Field Artillery

 *1916 Somme, Arras, Ypres, Cambrai*

BRETT, E.J. c 25 Coleswood Rd 7th Beds

BRETT, Henry J c 25 Coleswood Rd Army Sevice Corps

BROOKER, J.G. 22 Heath Road Saddler, Royal Army Service Corps Wounded, gassed

 *Pre 1914 La Bassee, Hill 60, Ypres. Was wounded and gassed. After Armistice to Army of Occupation in Constantinople.*

BROUGHGAL, W Heath Rd

CHALKLEY, William Grove Rd

CHALKLEY William Private  Essex Regiment
He was born in 1898 in Harpenden and lived with his widowed grandmother and elder brother in Grove Road, Harpenden. He had worked as an errand boy for a school. He died on active service on 1 June 1918. He was buried in St Nicholas churchyard: his grave is marked as a war grave.

CHAPMAN, Fredrick Charles Kingcroft Rd

CHAPMAN Frederick Charles, Private 3rd Battalion Duke of Cornwall’s Light Infantry, formerly in Herts Regiment
He was born at Kingcroft Road, Harpenden on 5 April 1895, the son of Frederick John Chapman, a railway ganger, and Rose his wife. He was a plumber’s apprentice. He was killed in action on 16 September 1916, aged 21 years.

COOPER, Herbert William c 40 West Common

COX, A.W.T. 140 Cravells Rd Staff Sgt, Royal Army Service Corps (Motor Transpt)

 *1914 Ypres, Armentieres, transferred to Serbia and Macedonia, transport of guns and supplies.*

CRAWLEY, Charles c 50 Cravells Rd 3rd Beds

CURL, A.J. c 26 West Common 1st Herts

CURL, W.E. Pimlico Cotts, c 26 West Common Beds

DAY, A. 58 Cravells Rd Pte, Beds Regt.

 *1916 3 years on Western Front, Arras, Cambrai.*

DAY, A Wheathampsted Rd (near Queens Rd) Royal Garrison Artillery

DAY, Herbert Stanley c 31 Cravells Rd

DAY Herbert Stanley, Lance Corporal   2nd Battalion Northamptonshire Regiment
He was born in Harpenden in 1897, the son of Charles Day, a coal porter, and Maria his wife. He was not brother to the other Days on the memorial. He lived in Cravells Road, and had been employed as a butcher’s boy. He enlisted in St Albans. He was killed in action in France on 7 November 1916, his first day in the trenches.

DAY, Percy W Cravells Rd 4th Beds

DAY, Wiiliam Lower Cravells Rd Army Service Corps

DAY, W.F. West Common 1st Beds

DEAMER, E. 2 Grove Cotts, Grove Rd. Trooper, Herts Dragoons

 *1915 Mesopotamia, Kut, Baghdad, Mosul.*

DEAN - c 3 Cravells Rd Herts R.F.A.

DODD, E.J. East Common 28th Co of London (Artists) Killed 17.7.17

DODD Ernest John, Lieutenant Royal Field Artillery

He was born 1889, the only child of Mrs Dodd of East Common, Harpenden. He was a Chartered Surveyor on the staff of the Inland Revenue in St Albans. He was a great sportsman, playing football for the England Amateur Team in 1912 and 1913, and also playing cricket for Hertfordshire. He was killed in action in Belgium on 17 July 1917 when a bomb was thrown into his dugout. He was buried at Brandoer, aged 28 years.

DOWLING, Avery Coleswood Rd 1st Herts R.F.A.

EDWARDS, Arthur Grove Cotts

EDWARDS Arthur, Lance Corporal 12th Battalion Suffolk Regiment.
He was the youngest son of Mr & Mrs Edwards of Grove Cottages, Rothamsted. He worked for Simons, the grocer, of Harpenden High Street. On returning from leave in 1917 he had some difficulty finding his unit. He was a very careful and trustworthy man, and had responsibility for the water supply to his company; it was while testing water that he was hit by a shell; he died the next day 22 November 1917.

EDWARDS, S Grove Cotts 3rd Beds Killed 7.12.15

EDWARDS Sydney,  Private 10th Battalion Hampshire Regiment
He was born in Harpenden, the next youngest brother of Arthur, recorded above. He enlisted in St Albans. He lived at Rothamsted. He was killed in action in the Balkans on 7 December 1915.

ENGLISH, Joseph Hatching Green

ENGLISH Joseph,   Private  Royal Garrison Artillery
He was born in Harpenden on 13 December 1887, second son of Joseph and Margaret English of Hatching Green. He was a worker in the rubber works, probably the Almagam in Lower Luton Road. He died in England on 16 December 1916, and is buried in St Nicholas churchyard.

EZRA, G. 3 Grove Cotts, Grove Rd. Gunner, Royal Field Artillery.

 *1914 To India. Garrison duties at Rawlpindi, Poona, then to Mesopotamia, Kut, Baghdad, Mosul.*

FIELD, Frederick - 7 Heath Rd

FIELD Frederick, Private  8th Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in Harpenden in 1877, the fourth son of Mr M. Field of Heath Road, Bowling Alley, Harpenden. He was packer of straw hats at Messrs. Smith & Hall, Luton. He enlisted in March 1916. He was a Sunday School teacher and lay preacher at the Methodist Church, where he is recorded on their Roll of Honour. He was killed in action on the Western Front on 15 September 1916. He was a single man, aged 37.

FIELD - Heath Rd

FISHER, E Coleswood Rd 1st Herts R.F.A.

FLEET, J.L Wheathampstead Rd Special Reserve

FOWLER, Henry C c 3 Kingcroft Rd 3rd Beds

FOWLER, N.J. Grove Rd Sapper, Royal Engineers Killed

 *1914 In France was wounded and later killed in action April 21st 1915, No info where.*

FREEMAN, F.J. Arden Grove, but remembered in St John's Church

FREEMAN Frederick John, Second Lieutenant 4th Battalion attached to the 2nd Battalion Duke of Wellington’s (West Riding) Regiment
He was born on East Finchley in 1893, the elder son of Frederick William Freeman, an analytical pharmaceutical chemist. They lived in Arden Grove Harpenden. He was studying to be a Chartered Accountant. He died of wounds in France on 3 July 1916. He lived in the same small road as Maurice Allen, see above, who was the same age and also studying to be an accountant. Maurice was killed two months later.

GAME, W.G. 4 Queens Rd Pte, 4th Beds Regt

 *1916 Somme, Ypres, Albert, Arras, Cambrai, Aisne.*

GAME, Frederick John Queens Rd Died 13.11.18

GAME Frederick John,   Private  4th Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in Weston, Hertfordshire, and enrolled at South Mimms. He lived in Harpenden. He was wounded two hours before the Armistice was signed, and died two days later on 13 November 1918.

GIBBS, Henry J Wheathampstead Rd (near Heath Rd) 3rd Beds Killed 30.9.15

GIBBS Henry John, Private 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in Harpenden. He was killed in action on the Western Front on 30 September 1915.

GRANT, Frank Cravells Rd Royal Field Artillery

GRANT, Jesse Cravells Rd 3rd Beds

GRANT, John Cravells Rd 3rd Beds

GRAVES, Harry c 40 Cravells Rd

GRAVES Harry, Private 12th Battalion South Wales Borderers
He was born in Harpenden; his mother, Keziah, was a widow. He worked as a carman. He was a single man living with his mother and sister in Cravells Road, Harpenden. He died at home, that is not overseas, on 4 July 1916.

GRAVESTOCK, Cyril Edward 6 Heath Rd Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry

HAINES, Ernest c 24 Cravells Rd 3rd Beds Killed 29.8.15

HAINES Ernest W.  Corporal   2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in Harpenden, the youngest son of George Haines of Cravells Road. He enlisted in Bedford, and lived in Harpenden. He was killed in action on the Western Front on 25 August 1915; there were many Hertfordshire casualties on that day.

HAINES, R. 126 Cravells *Rd* Pte, Beds Regt.

 *1916 Not overseas.*

HAWKES, William Stanley Maple Cotts, West Common Killed 12.4.17

HAWKES William Stanley, Private 6th Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in 1892 in St Albans, the son of William J. Hawkes of Maple Cottages, Harpenden. He was employed by Mr J.B. Joel of Childwickbury. He enlisted in St Albans. He was killed in action on the Western Front on 12 April 1917.

HAWKINS, F. Wheathampstead Rd. Rifleman, Rifle Brigade.

 *1918 Army of Occupation, Cologne.*

HAWKINS, F.J. Wheathampstead Rd. Pte, 4th Essex Regt

 *1914 Egypt, Gaza.*

HAWKINS, Leonard Upper Cravells Rd RN Division, Ebgineering Unit

HAWKINS, Jesse East Common 7th Beds

HAWKINS, Sidhey East Common 7th Beds

HEALING, Percy West Common Royal Navy

HEWITT, W.F. Grove Rd Cpl, Royal Army Veterinary Corps

 *1917 Egypt, Palestine, Gaza, Jaffa.*

HILL, Leonard James Bamville Farm, East Common Killed 17.9.16

HILL Leonard James Sergeant 7th Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in 1890 near Wheathampstead. He lived in Harpenden, but was not a brother of Arthur and George Hill. His father, Mark Holland, was coachman to Mr Child of Bamville, East Common, Harpenden. He worked in the straw hat industry. He enlisted in St Albans. He was killed in action on 27 September 1916.

HODGE, Frederick George Wheathampstead Rd Died 23.11.16

HODGE Frederick George, Private 4th Battalion Duke of Wellington’s Own (West Riding) Regiment
He was born in Harpenden, the son of Frederick Hodge, a bricklayer, and his wife Annie. He enlisted in St Albans and he died on active service on the Western Front on 23 November 1916.

HODGE, G. 128 Cravells Rd Pte, 2nd Beds Regt. Wounded

 *1914 Hill 60, Givenchy, Arras, Somme where wounded, then transferred to Labour Corps.*

HOLLAND, A Upper Cravells Rd 1st Herts R.F.A. Killed 21.11.17

HOLLAND Arthur, Private 8th Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in Harpenden in 1890, the son of Mrs Holland of Ivy Cottage, East Common. He was married and lived in North Mymms, where he worked as a general dealer. He enlisted in Colney Heath. He was a close friend of Corporal Fitzjohn, who died only a week before him. Arthur Holland was wounded three times before he was killed in action on 21 November 1917, aged 27 years.

HOLLAND, Edward Herbert c 31 Coleswood Rd

HOLLAND Edward Herbert (Bertie), Private 1st Battalion King’s Own (Liverpool) Regiment, formerly of the Bedfordshire Regiment.
He was born in Harpenden, and was probably the fifth son of John Holland, a farm labourer who lived in Coleswood Road. He was killed in action on the Western Front on 4 September 1918

HOLLAND, John Coleswood Road

HOLLAND John, Private Hertfordshire Regiment
He was born in Harpenden, the third of the five sons of James Holland of Coleswood Road, Harpenden. He was educated at St Nicholas Church School; he worked for Watson, the bootmaker. He enlisted in Hertford. He was awarded the Military Medal. He was wounded in May 1918 and brought to hospital in Reading where he died on 1 June 1918, aged 23. He is buried in St Nicholas Churchyard, his grave is marked as a War Grave.

HOPWOOD, F.E. Wheathampstead Rd (c 46 Southdown Rd) Royal Engineers Killed 28.10.18

HOPWOOD Frederick Ernest,  Lieutenant Royal Engineers

He was the son of Ernest James Hopwood of Courtfields, Wheathampstead Road, Harpenden. He died in France on 26 October 1918.

HOWELL, George c 15 Heath Rd

HOWELL George,  Gunner Royal Field Artillery
He was born in Harpenden in 1892. His father was a carter, living in Heath Road, Harpenden. He was employed as a hairdresser. Though he was resident in Harpenden he enlisted in Glasgow. He was a married man. He died of wounds on the Western Front on 7 October 1918.

HOWELL, W.A. c 15 Heath Rd Pte, Royal Army Service Corps and Essex Regt.

 *1915 Neuve Chapelle, Arras, 1918 sent to Palestine, Haifa, Jaffa.*

HUCKLESBY, A.L. East Common (near Heath Rd) Trooper, Herts Dragoons.

 *1915 Ypres*

HUCKLESBY, Henry Pimlico, West Common

HUCKLESBY Henry, Private West Riding Regiment
His name is recorded on the Roll of Honour in Harpenden Methodist Church. Possibly this could be Henry Hucklesby who was born in 1865 and lived in Pimlico on Harpenden Common.

HUCKLESBY, S. East Common (near Heath Rd) Pte, 23rd Middx Regt.

 *1918 Army of Occupation*

HUTCHINGS, George Cravells Rd King's Royal Rifles

IVES, T 7 Queens Road Driver, Royal Engineers

 *1915 Somme, Arras, Ypres.*

JEFFCOCK, Wiiliam Parkyn c 60 West Common Territorial Force Reserve

KINGHAM, F.C. Cravells Rd Beds

KINGHAM, E.F. Cravells Rd Killed 3.5.17

KINGHAM Ernest Frank Private 7th Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment

He was born in Harpenden, the third son of Arthur Kingham of the Carpenters’ Arms in the Bowling Alley. He worked in Fields Hat Factory. He was a member of St John’s Church. He enlisted in St Albans. He was awarded the Military Medal. He was killed in action on the Western Front on 3 May 1917.

KNIGHT, Ernest Cravells Rd or Kingcroft Rd? Killed 29.8.18

KNIGHT Ernest  Private London Scottish Regiment
He was born in Winchester. He lived in Harpenden. He was killed in action on the Western Front on 29 August 1918.

LEWIN, Archibald Grove Rd Pte, 6th Beds Regt. Killed

 *1914 Ypres, Arras, killed in 2nd Battle of the Somme, April 1918*

LEWIN Archibald  Private 3rd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He volunteered in November 1914, enlisting in Bedford. He was a single man who lived with his unmarried sister Gertrude at The Haven, Station Road, Harpenden. He was a labourer working at Peters Green. He fought at Ypres and at Arras. He died on 2 April 1917 of wounds received at the second battle of the Somme.

LUXON, Thomas Olney West Common

LUXON Thomas Olney,                      Private                       Norfolk Regiment
He was born in 1894 in St Albans, the only child of Mrs Luxon who kept a little grocery shop on West Common, Harpenden. He was a bell-ringer in St Nicholas Parish Church. He was wounded in the abdomen on 28 April 1917, and died the next day, in France.

MESSENGER, A. 1 Pleasant Side Sapper, Royal Engineers Ill and wounded

 *1916 Posted overseas, fell ill, returned home. To Front 1918: Somme, Marne, Amiens districts, wounded again.*

NEWELL, F.E. Wheathampstead Rd Army Service Corps

OWEN, Cyril Henry East Common |(St Johns Rd)

OWEN Cyril Henry, Private 7th Battalion Highland Light Infantry
He was born in Harpenden in 1899, the elder son of Thomas Henry Owen, a carter who lived on East Common, Harpenden. He enlisted in Hertford. He was killed in action on the Western Front on 27 August 1918.

PEARCE, Frederick Cravells Rd 3rd Beds

PEARCE, George Wheathampstead Rd (now 106 Southdown Rd) Herts Yeomanry

 later Machine Gun Corps Cavalry in Egypt in 1918

*(Information from family*): Born 1896, second son of Henry and Ann (Elizabeth) Pearce. He assisted his father;s butcher's shop also on Wheathampstead Rd where cycle shop is now. Younger brother of Henry (Harry) Pearce, kileed in Salonika in 1915 (*see next entry*). He spent his entire working life in the butchery business after the War.

PEARCE, Henry Wheathampstead Rd 3rd Beds Killed 7.12.15

PEARCE Harry (Henry) Private 10th Battalion Hampshire, formerly in the Bedfordshire Regiment.
He was born in 1895 in Harpenden, the eldest of four sons of Henry Pearce, a butcher, and his wife Elizabeth. He assisted his father in the butcher’s shop in Wheathampstead Road. He was killed in action in Salonika on 7 December 1915, having been reported missing.

PEARCE, Reginald c 35 Cravells Rd

PEARCE Reginald Frederick, Private 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in Harpenden on 9 January 1894, the elder son of George Pearce, a groom, and Sarah his wife. They lived in Lincoln Cottage, Lower Cravells Road, Harpenden. He worked as a gardener. He was killed in action on the Western Front on 12 October 1916.

PINNEY, Cyril James` c 31 Coleswood Rd Army Service Corps

PLUM, George Hatching Green Beds

POWELL, E.R. Wheathampstead Rd Gunner, Royal Field Artillery Wounded

 *1914 Arras, Ypres, Passchendaele. Wounded, rejoined unit. Somme, Marne*

POWELL, J.T. 2 Queens Rd Pioneer, Royal Engineers

 *1917 Armentieres, Passchendaele, Viny Ridge, Messines*

PURSALL, A West Common 12th Lancers

REEKS, W.J. 2 Grove Rd Driver, Royal Field Artillery Partially blinded

 *1915 Albert, Ypres, partially blinded, discharged unfit 1917*

RICHARDSON, J Coleswood Rd King's Royal Rifles

ROBERTS, F 11 Queens Road Kings Royal Rifles

ROBERTS, Harry 11 Queens Road

ROBERTS Harry, Private 8th Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in Harpenden in 1894, the eldest son of John Roberts, a butler, of Queens Road, Harpenden. He had worked as an auxiliary postman. He died of wounds on the Western Front on 22 May 1917.

ROGERS, J 2 Coleswood Rd

ROGERS, W 2 Coleswood Rd

ROLT, Herbert 13 Heath Rd 2nd Herts

SEABROOK, Alex Lower Cravells Rd 7th Beds

SEABROOK, Arthur 128 Cravells Rd Cpl, 7th Beds Regt Killed

 *1914 Ypres, Arras, wounded at Hill 60 and also at Givenchy. Rejoined unit, killed in action on the Somme March 23 1918*

SEABROOK Arthur, Corporal 7th Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in Harpenden on 23 June 1896, the second son of Charles Seabrook, a bricklayer, and Clara, his wife of Cravells Road, Harpenden. He worked as a carpenter. He volunteered in September 1914. He fought at Ypres and Arras and was wounded at hill 60, and also at Givenchy. Rejoining his unit he was killed in action at St Quentin on 23 March 1918.

SEABROOK, F.J. 128 Cravells Rd Pte, 7th Beds Regt Wounded

 *1917 Ypres, Hill 60, Vimy Ridge, Givenchy. Wounded in Allied advance, Sept 1918*

SEABROOK, W. Grove Rd Pte, 2nd Beds Regt Wounded

 *1914 Ypres, Somme, Cambrai. Wounded three times*

SIBLEY, A Heath Rd 3rd Beds

SIBLEY, Robert The Grove

SIBLEY Robert Dymond Gladmond, Major Royal Air Force
He was the third son of Charles Sibley of The Grove, Harpenden. On a reconnaissance flight he flew over enemy lines, with permission from his commanding officer, where he was shot down by enemy planes on 1 October 1918. He has no known grave; his name is recorded on the Wheathampstead War Memorial.

SIBLEY, Sidney Wheathampstead Rd

SIBLEY Sidney C Private   Gloucestershire Regiment
He was the youngest son of Charles Sibley of Wheathampstead Road. He was educated at the British School, Leyton Road, Harpenden. He was assistant to S.W.Skillman, tailor, of Station Road. He was married and lived in New Cottages, Station Road. He enlisted in May 1915 for canteen work, later being transferred to the regular army, serving in Italy. He was sent to France, where he was killed in action on 24 April 1918.

SLOUGH, William c 17 Heath Rd Royal Engineers

SMART, Frederick Heath Rd 3rd Beds

SMART, Leonard Heath Rd 2nd Beds

SMITH, F.R. Wheathampstead Rd 4th Hants t.f.

STARKINS, F. 1 Heath Rd Pte, Beds Regt.

 *1914 Hill 60, Givenchy, Vimy Ridge, then Salonika, Vardur*

STARKINS, J. 1 Heath Rd Driver, Royal Army Service Corps

 *1915 Egypt in 1917. Transport of ammunition and supplies to Palestine: El Ariah, Jaffa, Gaza, Ramleh.*

SYGROVE, J.H. 2 Heath Rd Gunner, Royal Field Artillery

 *1915 To France until 1916, then Mesopotamia: Kut, Baghdad. 1917 back to France.*

SYGROVE, William West Common

SYGROVE Willie, Sergeant 5th Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment
He was born in 1894 in Harpenden, the son of William and Sarah Sygrove who lived at Hatching Green on Harpenden Common. He worked as a fishmonger.

TUFFIN, H. 3 Queens Rd Sapper, Royal Engineers

 *1917 Arras, Somme. Ypres, Amiens, Retreat and Advance 1918*

TYLER, C Heath Rd

WARD, Harry Upper Cravells Rd King's Royal Rifles

WESTON, John c 23 Heath Rd

WESTWOOD, Guy 3 Cravells Rd

WESTWOOD Guy, Lance Corporal 6th Battalion Northamptonshire Regiment
He was the younger son of Frederick Westwood, corn merchant of 3 Cravells Road. He married Edith Jennings six months before his death. He was a keen footballer. He was killed in action on 1 July 1916.

WILSON, B. 2 Kingcroft Rd Rifleman, KRRC. Severely wounded

 *Pre 1914 Severely wounded at Mons. Repatriated and discharged to work in munitions, Woolwich.*

WILSON, Denis Rivers Lodge, West Common 28th Co of London (Artists)

 *(Further information in Theodora's Journals)*

WOODWARD, R. Heath Rd Pte, Royal Marine Light Infantry

 *At sea, Heligoland, Bight, Jutland*