



*Great Wishford*  
*World War I Casualty Biographies*

**Private William Herbert Head**

Service No. 37495    Died 27th May 1918    Age 19    1st Battalion Wiltshire Regiment

Soissons Memorial, Aisne, France

Son of Alfred and Eliza Head of Wishford, Salisbury



Soissons Memorial in Soissons, Aisne, France, where William Herbert Head is commemorated.

William Hubert Head was the son of Alfred and Eliza Head, born in Wishford about 1899. His birth was registered in the December Quarter of 1898 in the Wilton Registration District.

In the 1901 census William, 2, was the youngest child, living with his family at Great Wishford, father Alfred, 36, a shepherd, Mother, Eliza, 37, sister Gertrude, 10, brother James, 9, sisters Violet, 6, and Beatrice, 4.

In 1911 census William Hubert, 12, is living at Great Wishford with his parents, Alfred William, 46, and Eliza Elizabeth, 47. His brother Alfred James, 19, is living in the same household, and his two sisters, Beatrice Rose, 14, and Frances Louisa, 9.