



Casualties of WWI

BEAMS, CHARLES PERCY - Private 40708 - 6th Battalion East Yorkshire Regiment - Died 24th October 1914 of wounds - Age 33 - Born in Peckham, Middlesex; Enlisted at Chatham, Kent; Resident of Peckham, Middlesex; Son of Henry and Sarah Beams of Swindon; Husband of Emily Elsie Beams of 37, Hamilton Road, Southville, Bristol; Formerly served with the Royal Engineers - Buried at Longuenesse (St. Omer) Souvenir Cemetery, Pas de Calais, France Grave/Memorial Reference:- IV. E. 69. - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

CURTIS, SYDNEY HERBERT - Private 201591 - 1st/4th Battalion Wiltshire Regiment - Died 11th December 1918 - Born in Whitwell, Nottinghamshire; Enlisted at Swindon; Resident of Swindon; Son of Mrs. M. E. Geeney (formerly Curtis) of 4 St. Paul's Street, Swindon and the late Mr. H.S. Curtis - Buried at Ramleh War Cemetery, Israel - Grave/Memorial Reference:- A. 52. - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

GEE, GEORGE WILFRED - Lance Corporal 13960 - 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment - Died 15th June 1915 - Born in Gorse Hill on 15th April 1894; Enlisted at Swindon; Resident of Gorsehill; Son of Octavius Mason Banks and Eliza Gee of 202 Cricklade Road, Gorse Hill; Employed as a baker's errand boy in 1911 - Commemorated on the Le Touret Memorial, Pas de Calais, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- Panel 33 and 34 - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon - Commemorated in the Calne & District Memorial Lists

GOSLING, HAROLD AUSTIN - Private 36046 - 12th Battalion, East Surrey Regiment - Died 3rd October 1918 of wounds - Age 20 - Born in Swindon; Enlisted at Farnborough, Hampshire; Son of the late Jacob and Alice Gosling of Swindon; Brother of William Jacob Gosling of The Croft Baydon (listed as next of kin) - Buried in Haringhe (Bandaghem Military Cemetery), West-Vlaanderen, Belgium - Grave/Memorial Reference:- III. B. 65 - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

HAYWARD, WILLIAM ALFRED - Private 46452 - 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment - Died 4th November 1918 - Age 19 - Born in Stratton St. Margaret; Enlisted at Swindon; Resident of Swindon; Son of Mr. A. and Mrs. L. S. Hayward of 69 Chapel Street, Swindon - Buried at Crossroads Cemetery, Fontaine-au-Bois, Nord, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- II. B. 19 - Headstone Inscription reads:- Fondly Remembered - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

HIBBERD, ERNEST GEORGE - Private 18314 - 5th Battalion Royal Berkshire Regiment - Died 10th May 1917 of wounds - Age 25 - Born in Swindon; Enlisted at Devizes; Resident of Swindon; Son of William Joseph and Sarah Hibberd of 12 Florence Street, Swindon - Buried at Etaples Military Cemetery, Pas de Calais - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon
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Calais, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- XVIII. L. 12. - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

LOVERIDGE, EDWARD - Lance Corporal 10273 - 5th Battalion Wiltshire Regiment - Died 18th April 1916 - Age 24 - Born in Highworth; Enlisted at Swindon; Resident of Swindon; Son of the late John and Louisa Loveridge; also served in France - Commemorated on the Basra Memorial, Iraq - Grave/Memorial Reference:- Panel 30 and 64 - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

MARSTON, EDGAR - Private 235012 - 1st Battalion Somerset Light Infantry - Died 3rd May 1917 - Age 22 - Born in Swindon; Enlisted at Swindon; Son of Stephen James and Alice Marston of 106 County Road, Swindon; Formerly served with the Wiltshire Regiment - Commemorated on the Arras Memorial, Pas de Calais, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- Bay 4 - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

MORSE, ALBERT JAMES - Private G/51523 - 2nd/10th Battalion Middlesex Regiment - Died 29th October 1918 - Born in Swindon; Resident of Swindon; Son of George and Jessie Morse of Bright Street, Gorse Hill; Brother of George, John and Thomas Morse who also gave their lives for their country; Formerly served with the Royal Army Service Corps - Buried in Gaza War Cemetery, Palestine - Grave/Memorial Reference:- XXVII. F. 7. - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

MORSE, GEORGE S. - Private 25404 - 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment - Died 9th April 1917 - Born in Netley, Hampshire; Enlisted at Marlborough; Resident of Boston, Lincolnshire; Son of George and Jessie Morse of Bright Street, Gorse Hill; Brother of Albert James, John and Thomas Morse who also gave their lives for their country - Buried at Wancourt British Cemetery, Pas de Calais, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- VI. E. 16. - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

MORSE, JOHN - Private 3/9632 - 2nd Battalion, Wiltshire Regiment - Died 12th March 1915 - Born in Swindon; Resident of Swindon; Son of George and Jessie Morse of Bright Street, Gorse Hill; Brother of Albert James, George S. and Thomas Morse who also gave their lives for their country - Commemorated on the Le Touret Memorial, Pas de Calais, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- Panel 33 and 34 - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

MORSE, THOMAS - Lance Corporal 8398 - 1st Battalion Wiltshire Regiment - Died 29th July 1916 - Born in Swindon; Enlisted at Swindon; Resident of Barton, Lincolnshire; Son of George and Jessie Morse of Bright Street, Gorse Hill; Brother of Albert James, George S. and John Morse who also gave their lives for their country - Buried at Hamel Military Cemetery, Beaumont-Hamel, Somme, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- II. E. 21. - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

NORTH, ARTHUR SYDNEY - Corporal 453 - 21st Battalion Australian Infantry, Australian Imperial Forces - Died 3rd May 1917 - Age 27 - Enlisted 13th January 1915; Son of William and Mary Ann North of 139 Cricklade Road, Swindon - Commemorated on the Villers-Bretonneux Memorial, Somme, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- None Recorded - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

PALMER, RICHARD THOMAS - Lance Corporal 10622 - 1st Battalion Wiltshire Regiment - Died 12th March 1915 - Age 20 - Born in Wanborough, Surrey; Enlisted at Swindon; Resident of Swindon; Son of ©Wiltshire OPC Project/2016/ Maureen Withey

Richard James and Elizabeth Palmer of 41 Whiteman Street, Gorse Hill - Buried at La Laiterie Military Cemetery, West-Vlaanderen, Belgium - Grave/Memorial Reference:- I. B. 8. - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

SELWOOD, JOHN ROBERT - Private 28914 - 15th (Hampshire Yeomanry) Battalion Hampshire Regiment - Died 4th September 1918 - Age 19 - Born in Stratton St. Margaret; Enlisted at Swindon; Son of Robert and Sarah Jane Selwood of 189 Cricklade Road, Swindon; Formerly served with the Wiltshire Regiment - Commemorated on the Tyne Cot Memorial, West Vlaanderen, Belgium. - Grave/Memorial Reference:- Panel 88 to 90 and 162. - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

STRANGE, AUGUSTUS J. - Sapper 520252 - 211th Field Company, Royal Engineers - Died 29th October 1918 of pneumonia - Age 21 - Enlisted at Swindon; Son of Henry and Martha Strange of 119 Cricklade Road, Gorse Hill - Buried at Pont-de-Dieppe Communal Cemetery, Nord, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- II. H. 20. - Headstone Inscription Reads:- Until the Day Break and the Shadows Flee Away - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

STROUD, ALBERT JAMES - 2nd Corporal WR/194919 - 96th Light Railway Operating Company, Royal Engineers - Died 14th February 1919 - Age 27 - Born in Upper Stratton; Son of Enos and Elizabeth Adelaide Stroud of 101 Summer Lane, Barnsley, Yorkshire - Buried at Les Baraques Military Cemetery, Sangatte, Pas-de-Calais, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- VIII. C. 11A. - Headstone Inscription reads:- Peace Perfect Peace. - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon

THATCHER, WALTER JOHN - Private 203368 - 6th (Wiltshire Yeomanry) Battalion, Wiltshire Regiment - Died 23rd March 1918 - Born in Swindon c1897; Enlisted at Swindon; Resident of Swindon; Son of Thomas and Elizabeth Thatcher of 154 Beatrice Street, Swindon - Commemorated on the Arras Memorial, Pas de Calais, France - Grave/Memorial Reference:- Bay 7. - Commemorated on the Trinity Wesleyan Sabbath School Memorial, Radnor Street Cemetery Chapel, Swindon