

World War I Casualty

Private Bertred Canning

Private B. Canning, Service No: 18346, Date of death: 26th July 1915, aged 24. 2nd Bn., Wiltshire Regiment. Son of Mrs. E. H. Canning, of 38, West Amesbury, Salisbury.

Buried in St. Vaast Plot Military Cemetery, Richbourg-L'Avoue, Pas de Calais, France. Grave Ref: I.H.3.



Western Gazette, 5 November 1915

Bertred Canning was born in the Pewsey Registration District in the December Quarter of 1890.

In the 1901 census at Figheldean the family are recorded as:- Henry Cannings, 36,a shepherd on a farm, Emma, 36, Bertred, 10, baker boy, Daisy, 7, Ivo, son, 6, Dulcie, 4, Hedley, 3, son, Frederick, 1. Bertred's birthplace was Netheravon, and the other children were born in Figheldean.

Bertred is recorded in the 1911 census as living in Normanton, Wilsford

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He is commemorated in the Memorial Book in Salisbury Cathedral for Wilsford Parish.



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