

WE WILL REMEMBER THEM
ORCHARDHILL FALLEN (WWI)



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WAR MEMORIAL DEDICATED.— A
bronze tablet to commemorate the men
from Giffnock United Free Church who
served in the war has been placed in
the vestibule. The tablet, which con-
tains the names of the 23 men who fell,
was dedicated at the forenoon service on
Sunday by the Rev. Adam W. Burnet.
GARDEN FETE AT EASTWOOD HOLLOW.
—With the object of raising funds to
endow a cot in commemoration of the
centenary of the Victoria Infirmary
Dorcas Society a garden fete was held on
Saturday at Eastwood Hollow, Giffnock,
the residence of Mr and Mrs Stewart.
There was a large attendance. The
entertainment included five fairy plays by
the little pupils of Mrs Whyte. The sum-
mised at was £600, and it was anticipated
that this amount will be realised. The
music was played by Pollokshaws Silver
Band.

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“... Our Congregational Memorial to the men of our Congregation who gave their lives in the Great War was unveiled in the Spring of last year. We renew our sympathy with those to whom that bronze tablet brings back great grief and precious memories.

It would be a real crown to all that self-sacrifice if, for the sake of that self-sacrifice, our people made up their minds to give unflagging support to every cause that seeks the peace of the world, and the uplifting of humanity. ...”

The WW1 plaque is inscribed as follows:

TO THE GLORY OF GOD AND IN HONOUR OF THE MEN OF THIS CONGRGATION WHO SERVED IN THE GREAT WAR
1914 – 1919 OF WHOM THOSE NAMED BELOW HAVE PASSED FROM THE SIGHT OF OUR EYES BUT WILL NEVER
LOSE THE LOVE OF OUR HEARTS.

Robertson T. Anderson
David Willis Binnie
John S. Brown
John C.L. Caird
Robert Gibson
George Grainger
Jack Gray
John Leslie Gray
Douglas W. Haldane
Robert L Haldane
John D. Kennedy
David Leed
William J. Lindsay
James McGregor
Ronald G. Murray
William H. Murray
Wallace C. Paterson
Robert Scott
R. Shirley Scott
Thomas Toshack
David Steel Walker
Thomas White
David Young

NAUGHT BROKEN SAVE THIS BODY LOST BUT BREATH

CWGC WORLD WAR ONE ENTRIES:

These are the CWGC Entries for the WWI names listed on the memorial. Unfortunately as the memorial only gives the name of the casualty with no additional details there is some ambiguity. Some I have listed as probable or possible as they seem very likely to be correct. Hopefully with more research these points will be confirmed.

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1. Robertson Topping Anderson (1896 – 1918)

In Memory of

Lieutenant

Robertson Topping Anderson

M C

9th (Glasgow Hds.) Bn., Highland Light Infantry who died on 24 October 1918 Age 22

Son of A. R. and Margaret Connell Anderson, of 9, Queen's Terrace, Prestwick, Ayrshire. Native of Shawlands, Glasgow.

Remembered with Honour

Montay-Neuvilly Road Cemetery, Montay



Commemorated in perpetuity by
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: ANDERSON, ROBERTSON TOPPING

Rank: Lieutenant **Age:** 22

Date of Death: 24/10/1918

Regiment: Highland Light Infantry

Unit : 9th (Glasgow Hds.) Bn.

Awards: M C

Additional information: Son of A. R. and Margaret Connell Anderson, of 9, Queen's Terrace, Prestwick, Ayrshire. Native of Shawlands, Glasgow.

Cemetery: MONTAY-NEUVILLY ROAD CEMETERY, MONTAY

Grave Reference: I. B. 1.

Anderson, Robertson Topping, M.C., Lieut., 9th (Glasgow Highland) Battalion (Territorial) The Highland Light Infantry, 3rd son of Alexander Robertson Anderson, of Bendourain, Giffnock, near Glasgow, Iron Merchant (retired), by his wife, Margaret, daughter of the late James Connell; born Shawlands, Glasgow, county Lanark, 17th March 1896; educated High School there; was a Clerk in the employ of the Donaldson Line, Ltd; joined The Glasgow Highlanders in Feb 1915; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from the autumn of 1915; received a commission, and was gazetted 2nd Lieutenant in the same Battalion 25th Jan 1917; promoted Lieutenant in July 1918 and was killed in action at Poix-du-Nord 24th October following; during the attack on Englefontaine. He is buried in the British Military Cemetery, near Montay and Le Cateau. He was awarded the Military Cross [London Gazette, 19th July 1917]: "For gallantry and excellent leadership while carrying out an attack on an enemy post. Having reconnoitred the position, he led his men in the rear of the post, unnoticed. When challenged, he rushed the post, and forcibly removed the leader, a sergeant-major, thus securing an important identification, which was greatly needed"

[Ref. The Scotsman 19/10/1918, p3.](#)

'Awarded the Military Cross

Sec. Lt. R.T. ANDERSON; H.L.I.

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[The War Diary of the 9th Battalion H.L.I. includes the following entry for the 24th October 1918:](#)

"On reaching F 11 b the message was received that WORCESTERS had found the high ground clear so we changed direction and made for our next objective - ENGLEFONTAINE, GD FAY [Grand Gay farm].

1300: During this advance Lt RT ANDERSON MC, OC "B" Coy was killed."

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Decorations.

The Military Cross has been awarded to: - 2nd Lieut. R. T. Anderson.

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By Profession of Faith

2nd-Lieut. Robertson T. Anderson, Bendourain, Greenhill Avenue.

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Giffnock Roll of Honour : The Fallen

Anderson – Killed in action, on 24th Oct., Lieut. R. T. Anderson, Bendourain, Greenhill Avenue.

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Obituary.

Oct 26th - Lieut. R. T. Anderson, son of Alex. P. Anderson, Bendourain, Greenhill Avenue. Killed in action.

2. David Willis Binnie (1896–1917)

In Memory of
Second Lieutenant

David Willis Binnie

9th (Glasgow Hdrs.) Bn., Highland Light Infantry who died on 27 May 1917 Age 21

Son of David Dreghorn Binnie, M.A., LL.B., and Barbara Manson Eadie Binnie, of Elwine, Giffnock, Glasgow. Educated at Warriston School, Moffat, and Glasgow Academy.

Remembered with Honour
Croisilles British Cemetery



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the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: David Willis Binnie **Rank:** Lieutenant **Regiment :** Highland Light Infantry
Birth Date: 31 May 1895 **Birth Place:** Glasgow **Enlistment Date:** 2 Sep 1914
Death Date: 27 May 1917 **Death Place:** Bullecourt
Father: David Dreghorn Binnie **Mother:** Barbara Manson Eadie



David Willis Binnie.

[UK, De Ruvigny's Roll of Honour, 1914-1919](#)

Binnie, David Willis, Lieut, 5th(City of Glasgow), attd 9th (Glasgow Highlanders). Bttn., The Highland Light Infantry (T.F.) yr. s of David Dreghorn Binnie, of Elwine, 11 Otterburn Drive, Giffnock, near Glasgow. LL.B, Solicitor of Glasgow, by his wife, Barbara Manson, dau. of James Eadie, of Glasgow; *b* Glasgow , 31May 1895; *educ.* Warriston School Moffat, and Glasgow Academy; had received some business experience of his uncles who were woollen merchants in Glasgow, and when war broke out was about to commence the study of Law; enlisted in the 17th (Chamber of Commerce) Battn. Highland Light Infantry 2nd September 1914; obtained a commission as 2nd Lieutenant , 15th July 1915, being promoted Lieut., a year later; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from 23rd Sept. 1916, and was killed in action near Bullecourt 27May 1917, by a shell while holding front-line trenches. Buried in Croiselles Military Cemetery. Col. Menzies wrote : "He was a good young officer of great promise, one of the type who are a great loss to any battalion. He was a good leader, and, like myself, the men had great confidence in him." And Major A.E. Moss : "He was loved by his men. And it was with tears in his eyes that his servant came to me and informed me that of his death". He was an accomplished golfer and angler and played forward for the Glasgow Academicals.

[Ref. The Scotsman, 04/06/1917. p.3:](#)

'Sec. Lt. Willis Binnie, H.L.I. (killed), was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. D.D. Binnie, Elwine, 11 Otterburn Drive, Giffnock, near Glasgow. He was educated at Warriston School, Moffat, and Glasgow Academy, and before enlisting in September 1914, he was employed by Messrs. Eadie, Allan, & Co., wool merchants, Buchanan Street, Glasgow. He obtained his commission in June 1915.'

[The War Diary of the 9th Battalion H.L.I. includes the following entry for the 27th May 1917:](#)

[27 May 1917: front line northeast of Croisilles]

Orders for attack are issued from French headquarters. The task [given] to the Battalion was as follows:
I. As soon as objective TUNNEL TRENCH (new name for HINDENBURG SUPPORT LINE) was reached and "mapped up", C Coy of the Glasgow Highlanders was to co-operate in a bombing attack along NELLY LANE communication trench with 2nd RW Fusiliers who were to advance along tunnel trench with their bombing attack. This didn't materialise.

II. From zero onwards all Coys Glasgow Highlanders and 1 Coy 20th RF were to support the advancing troops with Lewis Gun and rifle fire; this was successful in so far as the targets that presented themselves were quickly dealt with by our men.

III. To push our patrols as soon as the advance started in order to jump into TUNNEL trench the moment it was evacuated so as to deny it to the enemy once he left it. This did not take place. Our patrols crawled out and got all the information needed, that is, the attack had not succeeded. The attacking battalions had got mixed up with our barrage and had to come back to our lines.

During the operation our casualties were 2/Lt Binnie killed and 6 other ranks, and 15 other ranks wounded. The battle commenced at 1.55pm and was over by 3.50pm. During the bombardment of enemy's front line we withdrew our right Coy from vicinity of the HUMP.

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Giffnock Roll of Honour

May 27th. - Lieut. Willis Binnie, Elwine, killed by a shell which burst among him and his men. A spirited and popular boy.

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Obituary.

May 27th. – Willis Binnie, Elwine, Lieut., killed in action.

By Profession of Faith

Lieut. Willis Binnie, Elwine.

I was delighted to see this reference to David Willis Binnie who was a cousin of my Mother. Thank you. I have a copy of Ballads and Poems - by members of the Glasgow Ballad Club, published by William Blackwood and Sons in 1924 which was given to my Mother by David's Father, D D Binnie and which contains D D Binnie's beautiful poem 'To Any Father.'

Say not the boy is dead, but rather say
He's but a little farther on the way
Impatient sooner to behold the view-
At the next turning you may see it too.
Say he's a child again, early to bed,
On night's soft pillow fain to lay his head.
Say he is off to track the mountain stream
And lingers by the side in boyish dream.
Say by immortal waters now at rest
He clasps a thousand memories to his breast.
Say to his wondering quests wise angels smiling
Tell the true story of the world's beguiling.
Say on heroic task his soul is thrilling
Where noble dream hath noble deed's fulfilling.
Say to high festival he moves in state
Enfranchised, aureoled, immaculate.
Say that he feasts with comrades tried and true,
But in his heart the banquet waits for you.
Say, in the Presence, at a gentle word
He shows the wound-marks to his wounded Lord.
Say never he is dead, but rather say
He's but a little farther on the way.

D. D. Binnie.

Thanks also to this website I have been able to read the extract from the War Diary of the Highland Light Infantry to see how David actually died.

Bernard

3. John Stevenson Brown (1883 – 1917)

In Memory of

Corporal

John Stevenson Brown

14614, 16th Bn., Highland Light Infantry who died on 03 April 1917 Age 34

Son of William Stevenson Brown and Mary Gillies (his wife) of Viewfield, Giffnock, Glasgow.

Remembered with Honour

Savy British Cemetery



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the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name : BROWN, JOHN STEVENSON **Rank:** Corporal **Age:** 34 **Date of Death:** 03/04/1917

Regiment: Highland Light Infantry **Unit :** 16th Bn. **Service No:** 14614

Additional information: Son of William Stevenson Brown & Mary Gillies (his wife) of Viewfield, 101 Kilmarnock Road (now Fenwick Road), Giffnock, Glasgow.

Cemetery: SAVY BRITISH CEMETERY, Departement de l'Aisne, Picardie, France **Grave Reference:** I. Y. 27.

Giffnock Roll of Honour

April 5th. – Corporal John S. Brown, Viewfield, killed while carrying a military message at the Front. Gallantly volunteered to take message under shell-fire.

[1891 Scotland Census](#)

Name: John Brown **Age:** 8 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1883
Relationship: Son **Mother:** Mary S Brown
Where born: Shawlands, Renfrewshire **Registration district:** Eastwood
Civil Parish: Eastwood **County:**Renfrewshire **Address:** Viewfield
Occupation: Scholar

Household Members: Name Age

Mary S Brown 39
Jessie S Brown 26 Donald Brown 21 Mary Brown 16 Agnes Brown 14
Bella Brown 12 John Brown 8 James Brown 6

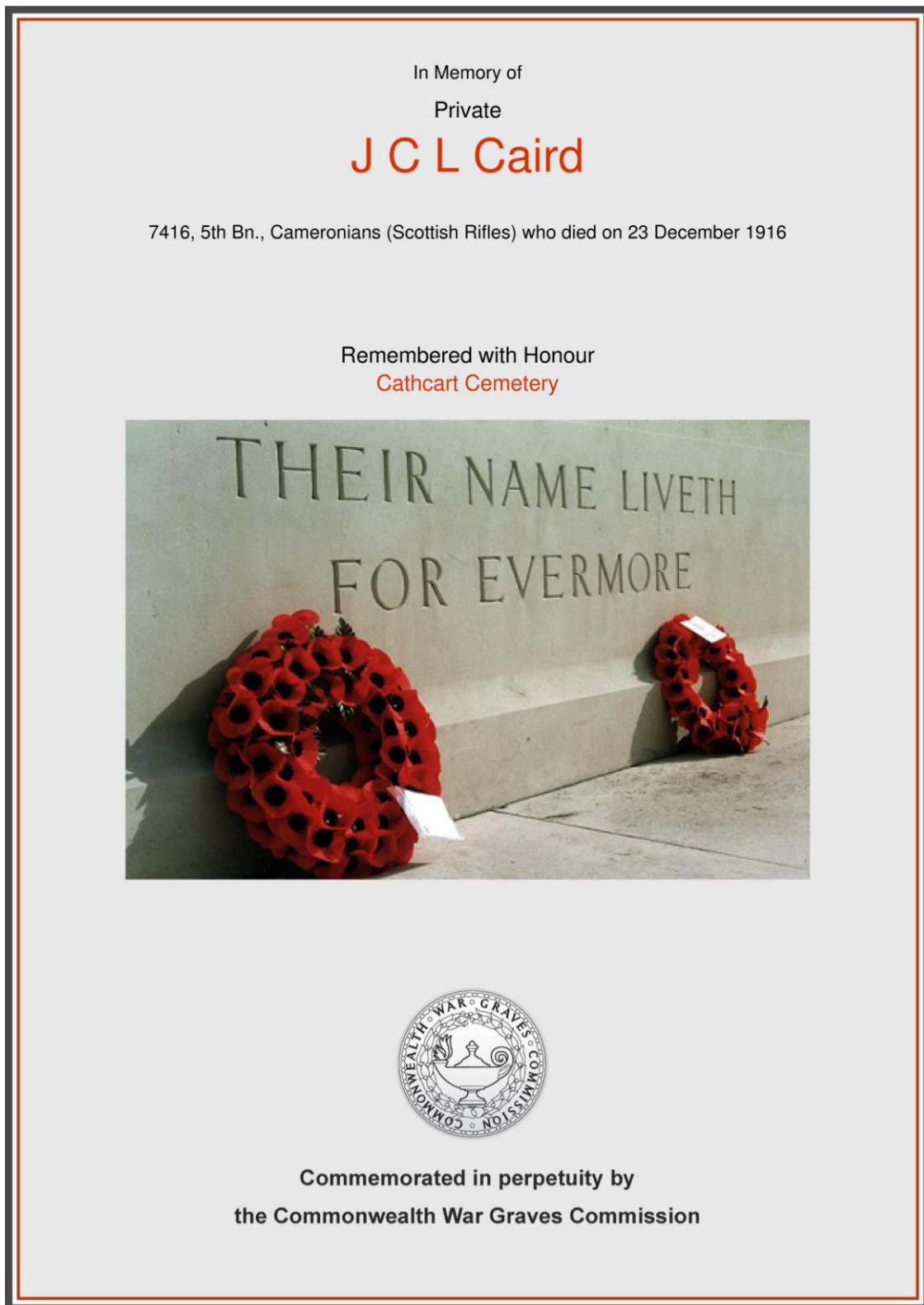
[1901 Scotland Census](#)

Name: John Brown **Age:** 18 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1883
Relationship: Son **Father:** William S Brown **Mother:** Mary Brown
Where born: Eastwood, co Renfrew **Registration district:** Eastwood Landward
Civil Parish: Eastwood **County:**Renfrewshire **Address:** Viewfield
Occupation: Apprentice at Law

Household Members: Name Age

William S Brown 35 Mary Brown 48
Jessie Brown 35 Mary Brown 26 Agnes Brown 24 Isabella Brown 22
John Brown 18 James Brown 16
Robert M Howie 32 Mary McLaer 17

4. John C L Caird (1893 - 1916)



Name : CAIRD J C L

Rank: Private

Date of Death: 23/12/1916

Regiment: Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)

Unit: 5th Bn.

Service No: 7416

Additional information: Son of Douglas and Eliza W Caird, 3 Maverton Buildings (Fenwick Road), Giffnock, Glasgow.

Cemetery: CATHCART CEMETERY

Grave Reference: F. 475

Fallen on the Field of Honour.

November was a black month for Giffnock, as it saw the death in action of two of its most popular boys, Second-Lieut. Fred. Munro and Private Arthur Finlinson, both of the H.L.I. Then on the 23 December Sergeant John L. Caird died in Aberdeen Hospital of wounds received in action, and was accorded a military funeral. He died in the Christian faith, as they all did, and they leave behind a memory of cheerful unselfishness and generous vision. As of all the Giffnock boys who have fallen, we can say that we do not pity but honour them.

“I with uncovered head
 Salute the sacred dead,
 Who went, and return not, Say not so !

In every nobler mood
 We feel the orient of their spirit glow,
 Part of our life’s unalterable good,
 Of all our saintlier aspiration:

 They come transfigured back,
 Secure from change in their high-hearted ways,
 Beautiful evermore, and with the rays
 Of morn on their white Shields of Expectation.”

Obituary.

December 23rd. – Sergeant John L. Caird, Scottish Rifles , 265 Kenmure Street, Pollockshields – died of wounds.

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 1727-RP5691 20,000 9/20

GRAVES REGISTRATION REPORT FORM.

SCOTTISH Command.

Name of Cemetery CATHCART. Report Number 298.
 Parish CATHCART Certified Correct and Complete. Schedule Number 2
 County Renfrew. Signature H. W. Cant. Lt. R. F. A. Category of Graves (d)

Unit	Regtl. No.	Name	Rank and Initials	Date of Death	Number or Letter of			Type of Memorial	Type of Grave	Remarks
					Plot	Row	Grave			
5/Scottish R.	7416	CAIRD ✓	Pte. JCL.	23.12.16.	F.	-	475	N.M.	Fr.	Double lair 475-476. One other burial (c) in Memoriam on F.F.N.I. to:- 2/Lt. D.A. BOWMAN, 10/8. Rifle "Born 14.6.1895. K. in A. Loos 25.9.15.
3/9.HLI(G.H.)	4394	HARPER ✓	Pte. A.T.	27.12.16.	F.	-	614	P.P.	Fr.	Age 19. The only burial.
R.S.Fus.	53749	MacDOUGALL ✓	Pte. J.	22.9.18.	2.Gr.	-	54	M.W.	Fr.	Age 18. (1 other burial)

5. Robert Gibson (1898 - 1918) (probable)

In Memory of
Lance Corporal

R Gibson

251741, 1st/6th. Bn., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders who died on 27 October 1918

Brother of John Gibson, of 85, Maxwell St., Pollokshaws, Newlands, Glasgow.

Remembered with Honour
Queant Road Cemetery, Buissy



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the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: GIBSON **Initials:** R **Rank:** Lance Corporal **Date of Death:** 27/10/1918
Regiment: Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders **Unit :** 1st/6th. Bn. **Service No:** 251741
Additional information: Brother of John Gibson, of 85, Maxwell St., Pollokshaws, Newlands, Glasgow.
Cemetery: QUEANT ROAD CEMETERY, BUISSY **Grave Reference:** I. B. 4.

Missing

Since March, Sergeant Robert Gibson.

Missing

Gibson - Missing since March, Sergeant Robert Gibson, 3 Mansionhouse Road, Langside.

[Scotland's People – Statutory Deaths \(Army Form 3231\)](#)

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ARMY FORM W. 3231.

RETURN of WARRANT OFFICERS, NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS and MEN
of the *1/6th Batt^e & Royal and Lutherland Highlanders* **KILLED** in Action
(NAME OF UNIT)
or who have **DIED** whilst on Service Abroad in the WAR of 1914 to

REGTL. No.	RANK.	NAME IN FULL (SURNAME FIRST).	AGE.*	COUNTRY OF BIRTH.	DATE OF DEATH.	PLACE OF DEATH.†	CAUSE OF DEATH.
✓ 251875	Pte	Stewart John	32	Scotland	16-10-18	France or Belgium	Died of Wounds
✓ 253942	Pte	McKinnon Peter	36	Scotland	30-10-18	France or Belgium	Killed in Action
✓ 254022	Pte	McPrail James Alexander	22	Scotland	17-10-18	France or Belgium	Died of Wounds
✓ 251887	Pte	Young William	35	Scotland	17-10-18	France or Belgium	Killed in Action
✓ 250884	Pte	Whitnouse John	25	Scotland	16-10-18	France or Belgium	Killed in Action
✓ 253480	Pte	Price John	41	Scotland	15-10-18	France or Belgium	Killed in Action
✓ 252366	Pte	✓ Ramsay Andrew	22	Scotland	20-10-18	France or Belgium	Killed in Action
✓ 252114	✓ Spc.	Spairs Ludwig	25	Scotland	16-10-18	France or Belgium	Killed in Action
✓ 251741	L/Cpl.	Gibson Robert	22	Scotland	27-10-18	France or Belgium	Died of Wounds

6. George Grainger (1896 – 1917)

In Memory of

Private

George Grainger

43129, 7th Bn., Cameron Highlanders who died on 19 June 1917 Age 21

Son of George Grainger, of Giffnock, nr. Glasgow.

Remembered with Honour
Abbeville Communal Cemetery Extension



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the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: GRAINGER, GEORGE **Rank:** Private **Age:** 21 **Date of Death:** 19/06/1917
Regiment: Cameron Highlanders **Unit :** 7th Bn. **Service No:** 43129
Additional information: Son of George Grainger, of Station House, Giffnock, Glasgow.
Cemetery: ABBEVILLE COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION **Grave Reference:** III. B. 1.

[1901 Scotland Census](#)

Name	George Grainger	Age	5	Estimated Birth Year	abt 1896
Relationship	Son	Father	George Grainger	Mother	Elizabeth Grainger
Where born	Lesmahagow, co Lanark		Registration district	Eastwood Landward	
Civil parish	Eastwood	County	Renfrewshire	Address	Station House
Household Members	Name	Age			
George Grainger	41	Elizabeth Grainger	40		
Jessie Grainger	16	Robert Grainger	15	Martha Grainger	14
John Grainger	13	George Grainger	5	Lizzie Grainger	1 Mo

[1911 Scotland Census](#)

Name	George Grainger	Age	15	Estimated Birth Year	abt 1896
Relationship	Son	Father	George Grainger	Mother	Elizabeth Grainger
Where born	Lesmahagow, co Lanark		Registration district	Eastwood Landward	
Civil parish	Eastwood	County	Renfrewshire	Address	Station Road
Occupation :	Message Boy - Western Manufacturers ?				
Household Members	Name	Age			
George Grainger	51	Elizabeth Grainger	50		
George Grainger	15	Lizzie Grainger	10		

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By Profession of Faith

Private Geo. Grainger, Station House.

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Giffnock Roll of Honour

June 19th. – Private Geo. Grainger, Station House, died of wounds. Suffered cheerfully.

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Obituary.

June 19th. - Geo. Grainger, Station House, Private, died of wounds.

7. Jack Gray (1892- 1916) (possible)

In Memory of

Private

John Gray

436769, 7th Bn., Canadian Infantry who died on 22 September 1916 Age 24

Son of William and Jessie McIntosh Gray, of 5, Melford Avenue, Giffnock, Glasgow, Scotland.

Remembered with Honour

Vimy Memorial



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the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: GRAY, JOHN **Nationality:** Canadian **Rank:** Private **Age:** 24 **Date of Death:** 22/09/1916
Regiment: Canadian Infantry (British Columbia Regiment) **Unit :** 7th Bn. **Service No:** 436769
Additional information: Son of William and Jessie McIntosh Gray, of 5, Melford Avenue, Giffnock, Glasgow, Scotland.
Memorial: VIMY MEMORIAL

Fallen on the Field of Honour.

Sept. 22nd. – Sergeant Jack Gray, Canadians, killed in action. When war broke out he was engaged in railway construction work in Western Canada, but the war called him into the ranks for the mother-country and the home folks. He did his duty when he might have shunned it, and his memory is another instance of devotion and self-sacrifice

Both these boys have fallen before they had tasted life in its fullness, but

“We live in deeds, not years.

In thoughts, not breaths.”

Jesus died young, and has He not said: - “I am the resurrection and the Life “?

Obituary.

Sept. 22nd. – Sergeant Jack Gray, Canadians, of 19 Westwood Avenue. – Killed in action.

8. John Leslie Gray (1894 – 1917)

In Memory of

Private

John Leslie Gray

201688, 5th/6th Bn., Cameronians (Scottish Rifles) who died on 20 May 1917 Age 23

Son of John and Annie Gray, of "St. Adelaide" 55, Kilmarnock Rd., Giffnock, Glasgow.

Remembered with Honour

Arras Memorial



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the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: GRAY, JOHN LESLIE

Rank: Private **Age:** 23

Date of Death: 20/05/1917

Regiment: Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)

Unit: 5th/6th Bn.

Service No: 201688

Additional information: Son of John and Annie Gray, of "St. Adelaide" 55, Kilmarnock Rd. (now Fenwick Road), Giffnock, Glasgow.

Memorial: ARRAS MEMORIAL

Memorial Reference: Bay 6.



[UK, De Ruvigny's Roll of Honour, 1914-1919](#)

Gray, John Leslie, Private, No. 201688, 5/6th (Territorial) Battn., The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), s. of John Gray, of St. Adelaide, 55 Kilmarnock Road (now Fenwick Road) , Giffnock, Wholesale Druggist, by his wife, Annie, *dau.* of Capt. William Lawson; *b.* Glasgow co Lanark, 12 Feb 1894; *educ.* Ardrossan Academy; where he became a member of the O.T.C.; was associated with his father in the firm of Brown, Gray & Co., Wholesale Druggists, of Glasgow; volunteered for active service, but was rejected seven times as medically unfit; was eventually accepted, and joined the Scottish Rifles 10 Jan. 1916; served with The Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from 10 Jan. 1917, and was killed in action near Arras 20 May following. Buried where he fell; *unm.*

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Missing

May 20th. - Private Leslie Gray, St. Adelaide, reported missing and believed killed. Was ever dutiful.

[Orchardhill Record January 1915 Page 10](#)

By Profession of Faith

Private Leslie Gray, St. Adelaide, Kilmarnock Road.

9. Douglas William Haldane (1896 – 1917)

In Memory of
Second Lieutenant

Douglas William Haldane

9th (Glasgow Hdrs.) Bn., Highland Light Infantry who died on 09 April 1917 Age 21

Son of Andrew and Mary Haldane, of Glasgow.

Remembered with Honour
Faubourg D'amiens Cemetery, Arras



Commemorated in perpetuity by
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: HALDANE, DOUGLAS WILLIAM **Rank:** Second Lieutenant **Age:** 21 **Date of Death:** 09/04/1917

Regiment: Highland Light Infantry **Unit :** 9th (Glasgow Hdrs.) Bn.

Additional information: Son of Andrew and Mary Haldane, of 8 Elliot Drive, Giffnock, Glasgow. Brother of Robert L Haldane.

Cemetery: FAUBOURG D'AMIENS CEMETERY, ARRAS

Grave Reference: VII. G. 10.



SECOND LIEUTENANT
D. W. HALDANE
HIGHLAND LIGHT INFANTRY
9TH APRIL 1917 AGE 21



HE THAT BELIEVETH IN ME
THOUGH DEAD, SHALL LIVE

[1901 Scotland Census](#)

Name Douglas W Haldane **Age** 4 **Estimated Birth Year** abt 1897

Relationship Son **Father** Andrew Haldane **Mother** Mary Haldane

Where born Glasgow, Lanarkshire **Registration district** Kelvin

Civil parish Glasgow Park **County** Lanarkshire **Address** 128 Woodlands Rd

Household Members **Name** **Age**

Andrew Haldane 51 Mary Haldane 41

Mary Haldane 25 Andrew Haldane 24 Jas H Haldane 16

Joseph G Haldane 13 Robert L Haldane 10 Margaret J Haldane 7

Douglas W Haldane 4

[1911 Scotland Census](#)

Name Douglas W Haldane **Age** 14 **Estimated Birth Year** abt 1897

Relationship Son **Father** Andrew Haldane **Mother** Mary Haldane

Where born Glasgow, Lanarkshire **Registration district** Woodside

Civil parish Glasgow, St. George **County** Lanarkshire **Address** 5 Granville Street

Occupation: Scholar

Household Members **Name** **Age**

Andrew Haldane 61 Mary Haldane 51

Joseph G Haldane 23 Robert L Haldane 20 Margaret J Haldane 17

Douglas W Haldane 14

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Giffnock Roll of Honour

April 9th. – 2nd-Lieut. Douglas W. Haldane, 8 Elliot Drive, died of wounds. He was a beloved officer and an earnest young spirit.

10. Robert L Haldane (1890 – 1918)

In Memory of

Corporal

R L Haldane

203200, 12th Bn., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders who died on 19 September 1918 Age 29

Son of Andrew and Mary Haldane, of 828, West 10th St., Los Angeles, California, U.S.A. Native of Glasgow, Scotland.

Remembered with Honour

Doiran Military Cemetery



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Name: HALDANE, ROBERT L **Rank:** Corporal **Age:** 29 **Date of Death:** 19/09/1918

Regiment: Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders **Unit:** 12th Bn. **Service No:** 203200

Additional information: Son of Andrew and Mary Haldane, of 828, West 10th St., Los Angeles, California, U.S.A. Native of Glasgow, Scotland. Parents lived at 8 Elliot Drive, Giffnock, Glasgow.

Brother of Douglas William Haldane

Cemetery: DOIRAN MILITARY CEMETERY

Grave Reference: V. D. 33.

[1901 Scotland Census](#)

Name: Robt L Haldane **Age:** 10 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1891

Relationship: Son **Father:** Andw Haldane **Mother:** Mary Haldane

Where born: Glasgow, Lanarkshire **Registration district:** Kelvin

Civil Parish: Glasgow Park **County:** Lanarkshire

Address: 128 Woodlands Rd **Occupation:** Scholar

Household Members:		Name	Age		
Andrew Haldane	51	Mary Haldane	41		
Mary Haldane	25	Andrew Haldane	24	Jas H Haldane	16
Joseph G Haldane	13	Robt L Haldane	10	Margt J Haldane	7
Douglas William Haldane		4			
Agnes Black	38				

[1911 Scotland Census](#)

Name Robt L Haldane **Age** 20 **Estimated Birth Year** abt 1897

Relationship Son **Father** Andrew Haldane **Mother** Mary Haldane

Where born Glasgow, Lanarkshire **Registration district** Woodside

Civil parish Glasgow, St. George **County** Lanarkshire **Address** 5 Granville Street

Occupation: Dead Meat Salesman

Household Members		Name	Age		
Andrew Haldane	61	Mary Haldane	51		
Joseph G Haldane	23	Robert L Haldane	20	Margaret J Haldane	17
Douglas W Haldane	14				
Margaret Corrigan(?)		17			

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Giffnock Roll of Honour : The Fallen

Haldane – Killed in action, on 19th Sept., Lance-Corporal Robert Haldane, Elmhurst, Elliot Drive

11. John David N Kennedy (1897 – 1917)

In Memory of

Private

John David Kennedy

40251, 12th Bn., Highland Light Infantry who died on 21 April 1917 Age 20

Son of Annie Kennedy, of Glenfillan, Giffnock, Renfrewshire, and the late John Neilson Kennedy.

Remembered with Honour

Etaples Military Cemetery



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the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: KENNEDY, JOHN DAVID **Rank:** Private **Age:** 20 **Date of Death:** 21/04/1917

Regiment: Highland Light Infantry **Unit :** 12th Bn. **Service No:** 40251

Additional information: Son of Annie Kennedy, of Glenfillan, 87 Kilmarnock Road, Giffnock, Renfrewshire, and the late John Neilson Kennedy.

Cemetery: ETAPLES MILITARY CEMETERY **Grave Reference:** XIX. F. 1.

[1901 Scotland Census](#)

Name: John David N Kennedy **Age:** 4 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1897
Relationship: Son **Father:** John Kennedy **Mother:** Annie Kennedy
Where born: Glasgow, co Lanark **Registration district:** Eastwood Landward
Civil Parish: Eastwood **County:** Renfrewshire **Address:** Glenfillan
Household Members:

Name	Age	Name	Age
John Kennedy	67	Annie Kennedy	47
John David N Kennedy	4	Gordon D Kennedy	2
Margaret Gilfillan	76		

[1911 Scotland Census](#)

Name: John David N Kennedy **Age:** 14 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1897
Relationship: Son **Father:** John Kennedy **Mother:** Annie Kennedy
Where born: Glasgow, co Lanark **Registration district:** Eastwood Landward
Civil Parish: Eastwood **County:** Renfrewshire **Address:** Glenfillan, 87 Kilmarnock Road
Occupation: Scholar
Household Members:

Name	Age	Name	Age	Name	Age
Annie Kennedy	57				
John David N Kennedy	14	Gordon D Kennedy	12	Annie Kennedy	9
Archibald Wood	59	Robina Wood	55	Alexander Mitchell	50

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Giffnock Roll of Honour

April 21st. – Private John Kennedy, Glenfillian, died of wounds. Enlisted at the beginning of the War from a sense of duty. Died slowly without complaining.

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Obituary

April 21st. – John Kennedy, Private, Glenfillian, died of wounds.

By Profession of Faith

Private John Kennedy, Glenfillian.

12. David Leed (1898 – 1918)

In Memory of

Second Lieutenant

David Leed

209th Sqdn., Royal Air Force who died on 12 August 1918 Age 20

formerly 10th Bn. Seaforth Highlanders. Son of Robert Leed, of 12, Tremaine Rd., Giffnock, Glasgow.

Remembered with Honour

Arras Flying Services Memorial



Commemorated in perpetuity by
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: LEED, DAVID **Rank:** Second Lieutenant **Age:** 20 **Date of Death:** 12/08/1918
Regiment: Royal Air Force **Unit:** 209th Sqdn.
Secondary Regiment: Hampshire Regiment **Secondary Unit:** 1st/2nd Bn.
Additional information: formerly 10th Bn. Seaforth Highlanders. Son of Robert Leed, of 12 Tremaine Rd., Giffnock, Glasgow.
Memorial: ARRAS FLYING SERVICES MEMORIAL

LEED D.

[1901 Scotland Census](#)

Name: David Leed **Age:** 3 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1898
Relationship: Son **Father:** Robert Leed **Mother:** Helen Leed
Where born: Greenock, co Lanark **Registration district:** Eastwood Landward
Civil Parish: Eastwood **County:** Renfrewshire **Address:** Brenda
Household Members: **Name** **Age**
Robert Leed 46 Helen Leed 38
David Leed 3 Catherine Leed 1

[1911 Scotland Census](#)

Name: David Leed **Age:** 12 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1898
Relationship: Son **Father:** Robert Leed **Mother:** Helen Leed
Where born: Greenock, co Lanark **Registration district:** Eastwood Landward
Civil Parish: Eastwood **County:** Renfrewshire **Address:** 4 Westwood Ave.
Occupation: Scholar
Household Members: **Name** **Age**
Robert Leed 56
David Leed 12 Catherine Leed 11

[Ref. The Scotsman, 30/08/1918, p.3](#)

'Lieut. David Leed, R.A.F. (missing since 12th August, and now reported killed), was a son of Mr. Robert Leed, 59 Kilmarnock Road, Giffnock, near Glasgow. He was employed by Messrs. William Graham & Co., Cathedral Street, Glasgow, and was studying with a view to entering the medical profession. He was 20 years of age.'

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By Profession of Faith

Private David Leed, 13 Regent Park Terrace, Strathbungo.

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The Fallen

Leed – Killed in action, August 12th., Flight-Lieut. David Leed, 59 Kilmarnock Road.

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Obituary.

August 12th – David Leed, 59 Kilmarnock Road – killed in action.

13. William James Lindsay (1876 - 1917)

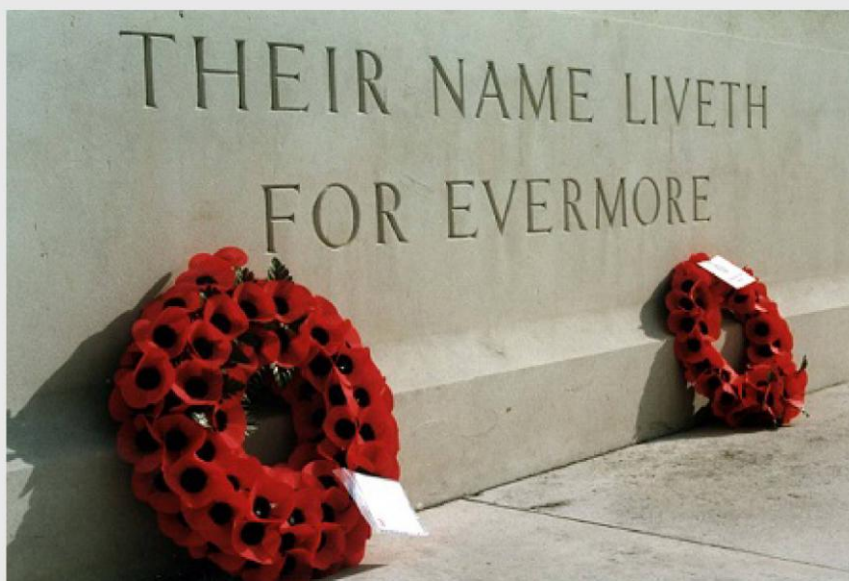
In Memory of
Lieutenant

William James Lindsay

H.M. Trawler "Alberia.", Royal Naval Reserve who died on 21 August 1917 Age 41

Son of James and Helen Lindsay.

Remembered with Honour
Falmouth Cemetery, Cornwall



Commemorated in perpetuity by
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: Lindsay, William James **Rank:** Lieutenant **Age:** 41 **Date of Death:** 21/08/1917

Regiment: Royal Naval Reserve **Unit:** H.M. Trawler "Alberia."

Cemetery: FALMOUTH CEMETERY, CORNWALL **Grave Reference:** K. A. 19.

Additional Information: Son of James and Helen Lindsay

[1881 Scotland Census](#)

Name: Wm J Lindsay **Age:** 5 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1876
Relationship: Son **Father's name:** James Lindsay **Mother's name:** Helen T Lindsay
Where born: Motherwell, Lanarkshire
Civil Parish: Lanark **County:** Lanarkshire **Address:** Friarsfield Gate House
Household Members:

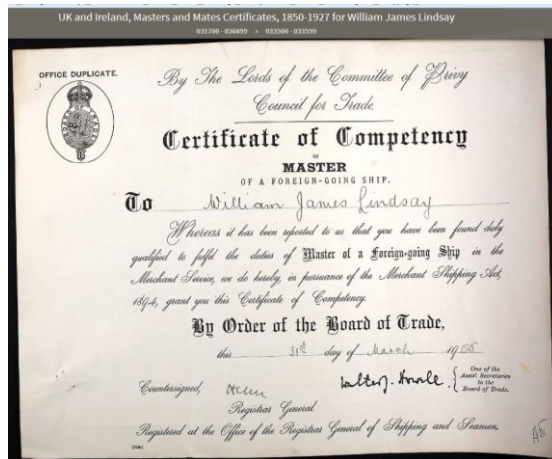
Name	Age
James Lindsay	29
Helen T Lindsay	32
James Thomson	12
Helen Thomson	10
Wm J Lindsay	5
Robert Lindsay	2
Mary E Lindsay	10

[1891 Scotland Census](#)

Name: William J Lindsay **Age:** 16 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1875
Relationship: Son **Father's name:** James Lindsay **Mother's name:** Helen Lindsay
Where born: Motherwell, Lanarkshire
Registration district: Tradeston **Civil Parish:** Glasgow Govan
County: Lanarkshire **Address:** 124 Gloucester St
Occupation: Grocers Assistant
Household Members:

Name	Age
James Lindsay	39
Helen Lindsay	42
William J Lindsay	16
Robert Lindsay	13
Margaret L Lindsay	9
Elizabeth Lindsay	4
Christina Lindsay	2
John Lindsay	6

[UK and Ireland, Masters and Mates Certificates, 1850-1927](#)



Name: William James Lindsay **Estimated Age:** 29 **Birth Date:** 1876
Birth Place: Motherwell, Lanarkshire **Issue Date:** 3 Apr 1905 **Issue Port:** Glasgow

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Giffnock Roll of Honour

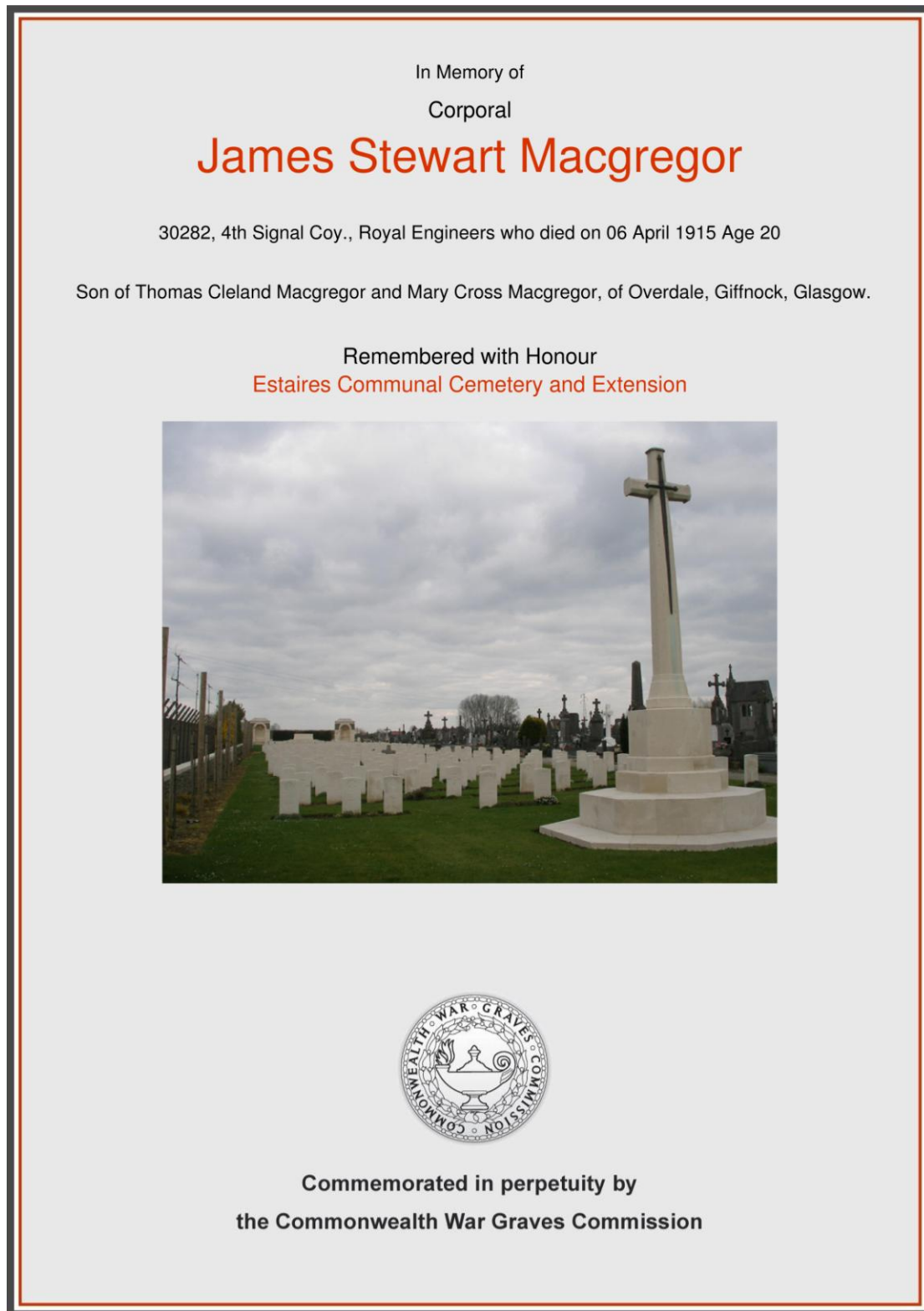
August 21st. – Lieut. Wm. Lindsay, R.N.R., Rhugara, died at Falmouth. Was much esteemed, and buried with Naval honours.

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Obituary

August 21st. – Wm. Lindsay, Rhugara, Lieut., R.N.R.

14. James Stewart MacGregor (1895 – 1915)



Name: MACGREGOR, JAMES STEWART **Rank:** Corporal **Age:** 20 **Date of Death:** 06/04/1915
Regiment: Royal Engineers **Unit:** 4th Signal Coy. **Service No:** 30282
Additional information: Son of Thomas Cleland Macgregor and Mary Cross Macgregor, of Overdale,
4 Claremount Avenue, Giffnock, Glasgow.
Cemetery: ESTAIRES COMMUNAL CEMETERY AND EXTENSION **Grave:** III. D. 2.

[Ref. The Scotsman, 13/04/1915](#)

'Corporal James Stewart Macgregor, who was accidentally drowned while carrying a dispatch, was a son of Mr. T.C. Macgregor, Justice of the Peace, Procurator-Fiscal, County Buildings, Glasgow. He was twenty years of age. At the outbreak of hostilities he was a student in the Technical College, Glasgow, and enlisted in the Royal Engineers as a dispatch rider.'

[Orchardhill Record May 1915 Page 6](#)

In Memoriam : Corporal Jas. S. Macgregor.

The Association regrets to record the loss of the first of its soldier boys through death, on active service in France, of James Stewart Macgregor. He actually attended the monthly meetings at the beginning of the session just closed. A bright career was predicted for him, for we looked upon him as one of the most promising of our younger members, and one whose influence was wholly for good among his fellows. While we mourn his loss, with his parents and family, and extend to them our heartfelt sympathy in their hour of trial and sadness, it is with a sense of pride that we think there was one found among us who has fulfilled all the noblest precept and followed the great example of laying down his life, sacrificing his utmost for the highest. Duty has not only been well done, but Love has been poured out on the fair fields of France, and Love which has cost blood can never die, for "from the ground there blossoms red life that shall endless be". The noble example of our fellow-member will ever inspire us and his name is recorded in shining letters of gold. His service here has fitted him for the larger sphere and the greater activity,

"Where loyal hearts and true
Stand ever in the light,
All rapture through and through
In God's most holy sight,"

[1911 Scotland Census](#)

Name	James Stewart Mcgregor	Age	16	Estimated Birth Year	abt 1895	
Relationship	Son	Father	Thomas Cleland Mcgregor	Mother	Mary Mcgregor (nee Cross)	
Where born	Glasgow, Lanark	Registration district	Kelvin			
Civil parish	Glasgow Sandyford	County	Lanarkshire			
Address	Overdale, 4 Claremount Avenue, Giffnock, Glasgow.				Occupation	Scholar
Household Members Name		Age				
Robert Lambert Gilchrist Mcgregor		48	Ellen J Mcgregor		39	
James Stewart Mcgregor		16	Madge Elizabeth Mcgregor		14	
Maragret Cross (?)		83	Thomas Cross(?) McGregor		2	

15. Ronald Gordon Murray (1897 – 1916)

In Memory of

Private

Ronald Murray

4921, 9th (Glasgow Highlanders) Bn., Highland Light Infantry who died on 16 July 1916 Age 19

Son of William Hutchison Murray and of Margaret Jenkins Murray, of 21, Penrith Avenue, Giffnock, Renfrewshire.

Remembered with Honour

Dartmoor Cemetery, Becordel-Becourt



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the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: MURRAY, RONALD **Rank:** Private **Age:** 19 **Date of Death:** 16/07/1916
Regiment : Highland Light Infantry **Unit:** 9th (Glasgow Highlanders) Bn. **Service No:** 4921
Additional information: Son of William Hutchison Murray (Music Master) and of Margaret Hesketh Jenkins Murray, of 21, Penrith Avenue, Giffnock, Renfrewshire. Brother of William Hutchison Murray
Cemetery: DARTMOOR CEMETERY, BECORDEL-BECOURT **Grave Reference:** I. C. 46.



Private R. G. Murray,
9th (Glasgow Highland) Batt. The Highland
Light Infantry.

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Fallen on the Field of Honour.

July 15th. – Reported missing and then officially reported as having died of wounds on the above date, Private Ronald Murray, Glasgow Highlanders. His employer in civil life, an architect in town, said he was the best apprentice he ever had. In the month of June he wrote to his minister, joining the Church from the Front, and making his declaration of faith in these words, “I accept Christ as Saviour and master, trusting in the power of His spirit to keep me true to Him.” Ronald Murray was a lovable boy, and in his death he was lovely.

Obituary.

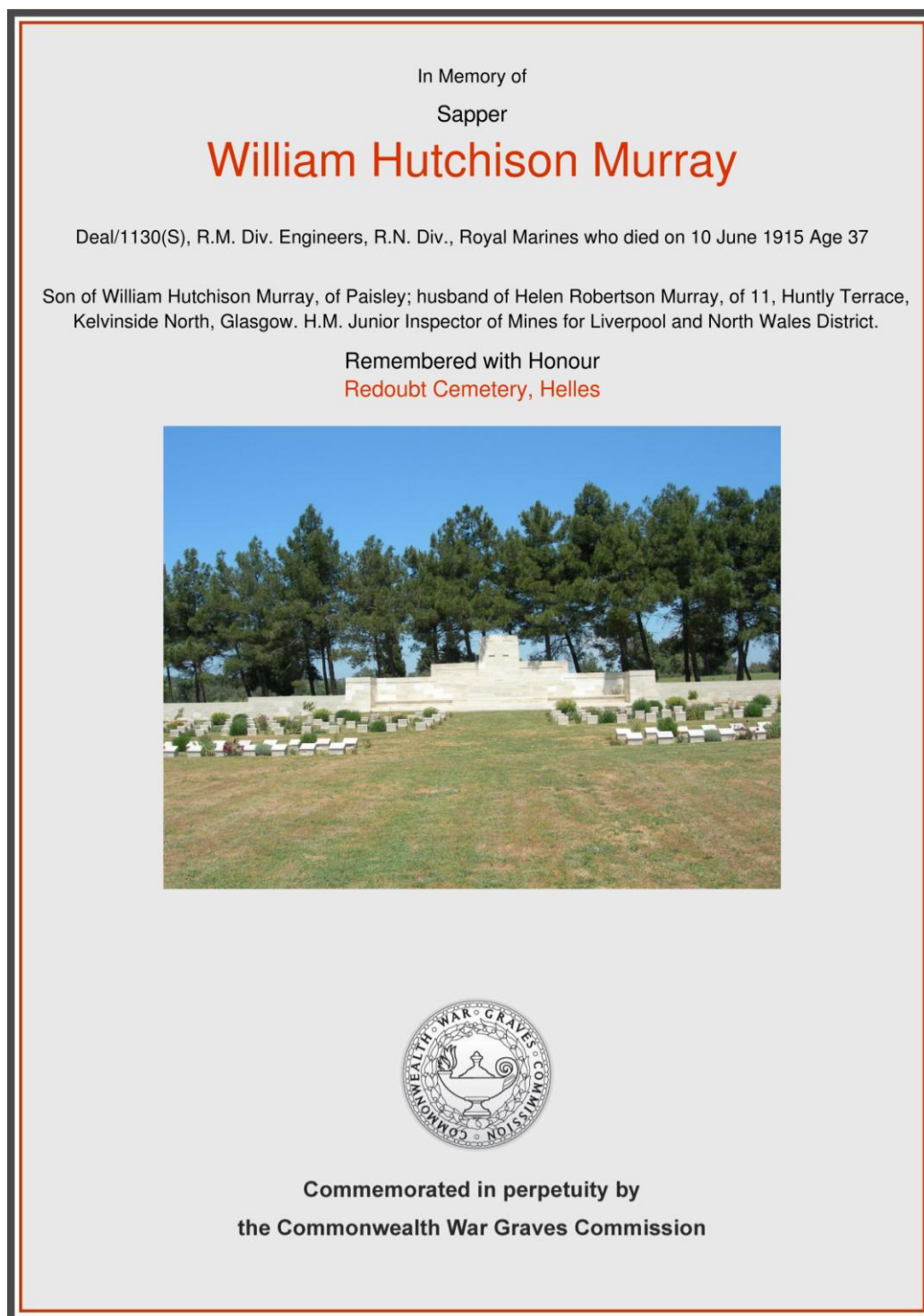
July 15th. – Private Ronald G. Murray, Glasgow Highlanders, of 21 Penrith Avenue. – Killed in action.

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By Profession of Faith.

Private Ronald G. Murray, 21 Penrith Avenue.

16. William Hutchison Murray (1878 – 1915)



Name: MURRAY, WILLIAM HUTCHISON **Rank:** Sapper **Age:** 37 **Date of Death:** 10/06/1915
Regiment : Royal Marines **Unit:** Divisional Engineers Royal Naval Divn. **Service No:** Deal/1130(S)
Additional information: Son of William Hutchison Murray and of Margaret Hesketh Jenkins Murray, of Paisley. Husband of Helen Robertson Murray of Cairn , Queens Drive, Mossley Hill, Liverpool, later, of 11 Huntly Terrace, Kelvinside North. Glasgow. H.M Junior Inspector of Mines for Liverpool and North Wales District. Brother of Ronald G Murray.
Cemetery: Redoubt Cemetery,Cape Helles, Gallipoli **Grave Reference:** Not Known

[1881 Scotland Census](#)

Name: William Hutchison Murray **Age:** 2 **Estimated Birth Year:** abt 1879

Relationship: Son **Father :**William Hutchison Murray **Mother :** Margaret Hesketh Murray

Where born: Paisley, Renfrewshire

Civil Parish: Paisley Abbey **County:**Renfrewshire **Address:** Bushes Cottage

Household Members:

Name	Age		
William Hutchison Murray	31	Margaret Hesketh Murray	28
Margaret Hesketh Murray	4	William Hutchison Murray	2
		Thomas Jenkins Murray	10 Mo
Mary Hutchison Murray	54		
Robert Hutchison Murray	24		

[1891 Scotland Census](#)

Name: William H Murray **Age:** 12 **Estimated Birth Year:** abt 1879

Relationship: Son **Father :** William H Murray **Mother :** Margaret H J Murray

Where born: Paisley, Renfrewshire

Registration district: Maryhill **Civil Parish:** Barony **County:** Lanarkshire

Address: 2 Albany Street **Occupation:** Scholar

Household Members:

Name	Age		
William H Murray	41	Margaret H J Murray	39
Margaret H Murray	14	William H Murray	12
		Thomas J Murray	10
Robert H Murray	4		

[1901 Scotland Census](#)

Name: William H Murray **Age:** 22 **Estimated Birth Year:** abt 1879

Relationship: Son **Father :** William H Murray **Mother :** Margaret J Murray

Where born: Paisley, Renfrewshire

Civil Parish: Maryhill **Town:** Glasgow **County:** Lanarkshire

Address: 6 Spring Gardens **Occupation:** Civil Mining Engineer

Household Members:

Name	Age		
William H Murray	51	Margaret J Murray	48
Margaret H Murray	24	William H Murray	22
		Robert H Murray	14
Ronald G Murray	4		

17. Wallace Campbell Paterson (1894 - 1916)

In Memory of

Second Lieutenant

Wallace Campbell Paterson

173rd Tunnelling Coy., Royal Engineers who died on 17 February 1916 Age 22

Son of May Paterson, of Glenkiln, Giffnock, Glasgow, and the late James S. Paterson.

Remembered with Honour

Noeux-Les-Mines Communal Cemetery



Commemorated in perpetuity by
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: PATERSON, WALLACE CAMPBELL **Rank:** Second Lieutenant **Age:** 22
Regiment: Royal Engineers **Unit:** 173rd Tunnelling Coy. **Date of Death:** 17/02/1916
Additional information: Son of May Paterson, of Glenkiln, Belmont Drive, Giffnock, Glasgow, and the late James S. Paterson.
Cemetery: NOEUX-LES-MINES COMMUNAL CEMETERY Departement du Pas-de-Calais, Nord-Pas-de-Calais, France
Grave Reference: I. K. 27.

'GLASGOW OFFICER KILLED

Official intimation has been received that Sec. Lt. Wallace Campbell Paterson, Royal Engineers, was killed in action on Thursday. Sec. Lt. Paterson, who was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Paterson, Glenkiln, Giffnock, was a native of Mount Florida, Glasgow, and served his apprenticeship as a civil and mining engineer with Messrs. Simpson & Cameron, Hope Street. When the war broke out he was employed as a surveyor with the Fife Coal Company near Dunfermline. He enlisted in September 1914 as a private, and received his commission in December last. He was 22 years of age.'

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2nd -Lieut. Wallace C. Paterson

Our Y.M.C.A. Association Roll of Heroes has now been increased to two by the loss on active service of 2nd-Lieut. Wallace C. Paterson.

“Walley” as he was familiarly styled by the Giffnock boys, was well known. Open, frank and fearless, he was judged a clean sportsman, and in the sterner fight of Life he has played and won a great game. The dangerous work he was engaged upon when death came to him was of his own choosing. The officer in command of the work had been killed, and 2nd-Lieut. Paterson, although off duty, at once volunteered to go forward and take command. Hardly had he reached the position when the enemy blew up the mine.

To the sorrowing family we send our deepest sympathy, with our prayer that they may be comforted and sustained by the Divine Sweetness. Duty has been well done, and sacrifice of life nobly given. Resurrection followed Calvary, and so blood poured out blossoms red from the ground as life that shall endless be.

Whatever this War may mean by the way of loss, may we all, in the end, be gathered an unbroken family circle into the blessed Presence from which there is no more any going cut.

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Giffnock Roll of Honour

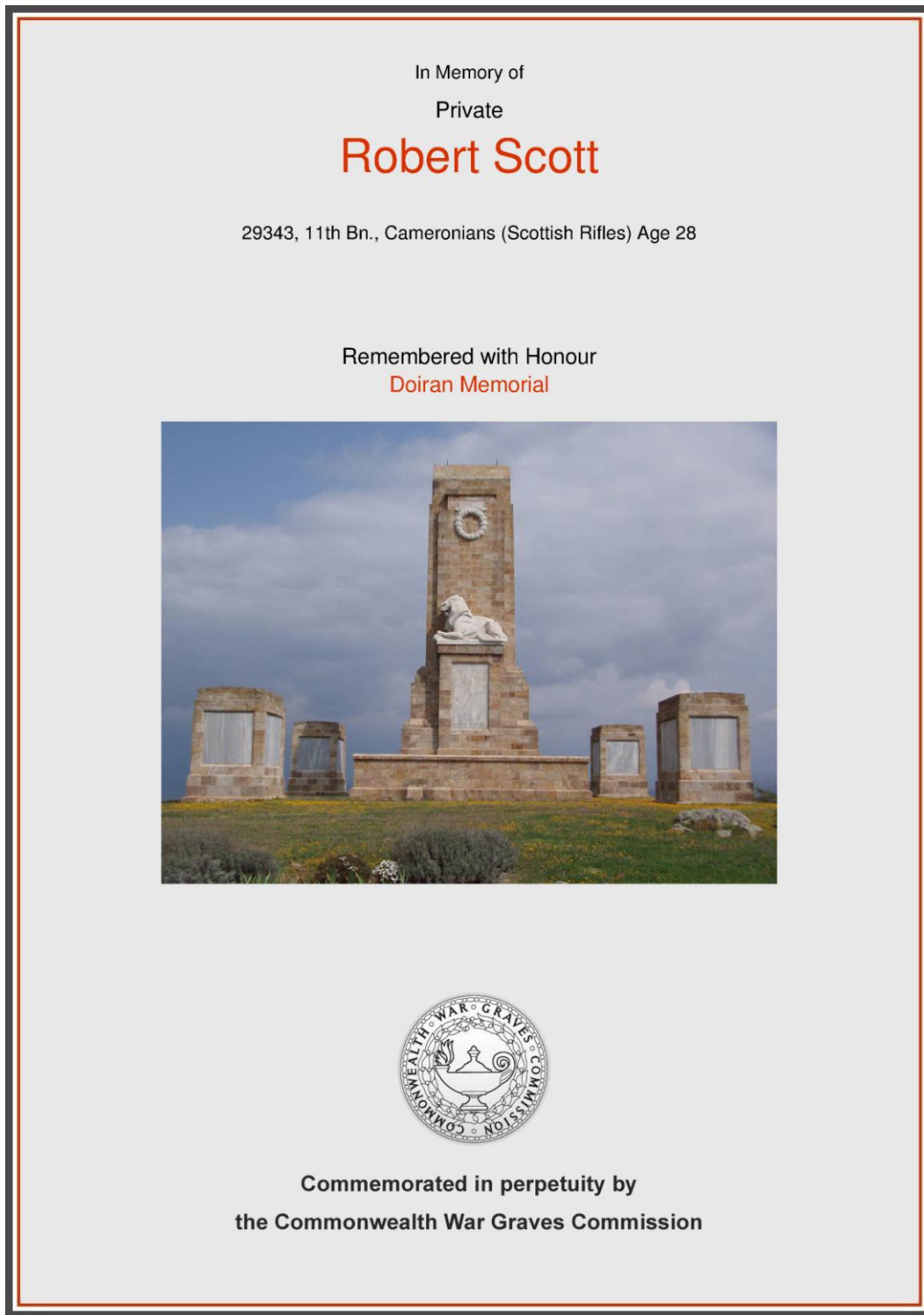
The following have been gazetted 2nd Lieutenant. :- Fred. Munro, Wm. Campbell and Wallace Paterson.

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Obituary.

Feb. 17th. – Wallace C. Paterson, Glenkiln, Belmont Drive, Giffnock, 2nd Lieut., Royal Engineers – Killed in action.

18. Robert Scott (1892 – 1918)



Name: Scott, Robert

Rank: Private

Age: 28

Date of Death: 19/09/1918

Regiment : Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)

Unit: 11th Btn..

Service No: 29343

Additional information: Son of Thomas Scott and Elizabeth Scott, Ardaros, 11 St. Ann's Drive, Giffnock.

Cemetery: Doiran Memorial , Greece

Panel Reference: Addenda Panel

By Profession of Faith.

Mr. Robert Scott, Ardaros, St. Ann's Drive.

Ayrshire Imperial Yeomanry.

Trooper Robert Scott.

Marriage.

Scott-Fisher. – At 5 South Hamilton Place, Kilmarnock, on 5th April, by Rev. Wm. J. Smith, M.A., Robert, son of Thomas Scott, Ardaros, Giffnock, to Isabel Wilson, second daughter of Thomas Fisher, Kilmarnock.

Missing

Since 19th September, Lance-Cpl. Robert Haldane and Pte. Robert Scott.

Missing

Scott – Missing since 19th Sept., Signaller Robert Scott, Ardaros, St. Ann's Drive.

1911 Scotland Census

Name: Robert Scott **Age:** 20 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1891
Relationship: Son **Father's name:** Thomas Scott **Mother's name:** Elizabeth Scott
Where born: Cathcart, Renfrewshire
Civil Parish: Eastwood, Giffnock **County:** East Renfrewshire **Address:** 11 St. Ann's Drive
Occupation: Warehouse Assistant (Lace Curtain Factory)
Household Members: **Name** **Age**
Thomas Scott 51 Elizabeth Scott 42
Robert Scott 20 Elizabeth Scott 19

No	Surname	Forename	Date	Description	Type	Court	Reference
1	SCOTT	ROBERT	04/06/1920	RESIDED AT 11 ST. ANN'S DRIVE, GIFFNOCK, PTE (24182), R.S.F, AFTERWARDS PTE (29343), 11TH BATTALION SCOTTISH RIFLES, D. 19/09/1918 ON MILITARY SERVICE, TESTATE.		PAISLEY SHERIFF COURT	SC58/42/92

19. Robert Shirley Scott (1898 – 1918)

In Memory of

Private

Robert Shirley Scott

S/25884, 4th Bn., Seaforth Highlanders who died on 21 March 1918 Age 19

Son of A. Maclean Scott, of 6, Park Rd., Giffnock, Glasgow.

Remembered with Honour

Arras Memorial



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Name: SCOTT, ROBERT SHIRLEY

Rank: Private

Age: 19 Date of Death: 21/03/1918

Regiment: Seaforth Highlanders

Unit : 4th Bn.

Service No: S/25884

Additional information: Son of A. Maclean Scott, of Sorrento, 6, Park Rd., Giffnock, Glasgow.

Memorial: ARRAS MEMORIAL

Memorial Reference: Bay 8.

SCOTT R.S.

[1901 Scotland Census](#)

Name Robert S Scott **Age** 2 **Estimated Birth Year** abt 1899
Relationship Son **Father** Alexander Mcl Scott **Mother** Margaret P Scott
Where born Glasgow, Renfrewshire **Registration district** Cathcart Burgh
Civil parish Cathcart **County** Lanarkshire **Address** 127 Minard Road

Household Members **Name** **Age**

Alexander Mcl Scott 30 Margaret P Scott 28

Robert S Scott 2

[1911 Scotland Census](#)

Name Robert S Scott **Age** 12 **Estimated Birth Year** abt 1899
Relationship Son **Father** Alexander Mcl Scott **Mother** Margaret P Scott
Where born Glasgow, Renfrewshire **Registration district** Eastwood
Civil parish Giffnock **County** East Renfrewshire **Address** Sorrento, 6 Park Road

Occupation: Scholar

Household Members **Name** **Age**

Alexander Mcl Scott 40 Margaret P Scott 38

Robert S Scott 12 Margaret Scott 7

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By Profession of Faith

Private Robert Shirley Scott, Sorrento, Park Road.

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The Fallen

Scott – Killed in action, between 21st and 26th March, Pte. Shirley Scott, Sorrento, Park Road.

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Obituary.

March 21st – Shirley Scott, Scott, Sorrento, Park Road – killed in action.

20. Thomas Toshack (1890 – 1917)

In Memory of

Second Lieutenant

Thomas Toshack

8th Coy. "C" Bn., Machine Gun Corps (Heavy Branch) who died on 11 April 1917 Age 27

Son of Robert and Alice Toshack, of "Knoweside," 66, Kilmarnock Rd., Giffnock, Renfrewshire.

Remembered with Honour

Arras Memorial



Commemorated in perpetuity by
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: TOSHACK, THOMAS **Rank:** Second Lieutenant **Age:** 27 **Date of Death:** 11/04/1917
Regiment: Machine Gun Corps (Heavy Branch) **Unit:** 8th Coy. "C" Bn.
Secondary Regiment: East Yorkshire Regiment **Secondary Unit:** formerly 9th Bn.
Additional information: Son of Robert and Alice Toshack, of "Knoweside," 66, Kilmarnock Rd.,
Giffnock, Renfrewshire. (1922 Valuation Roll address is 70 Kilmarnock Road – now Fenwick Road)
Memorial: ARRAS MEMORIAL **Grave Reference:** Bay 10



[1891 Scotland Census](#)

Name	Thomas Toshack	Age	1	Estimated Birth Year	abt 1890
Relationship	Son	Father	Robert Toshack	Mother	Alice J Toshack
Where born	Glasgow, Lanarke	Registration district	Tradeston		
Civil parish	Glasgow Govan	County	Lanarkshire	Address	71 Cadder St
Household Members	Name	Age			
	Robert Toshack	41	Alice J Toshack	42	
	Annie Toshack	19	Annie K Toshack	14	William Toshack 12
	Jemima Toshack	10	Alice J Toshack	7	Ellen Toshack 5 Thomas Toshack 1

[1911 Scotland Census](#)

Name	Thomas Toshack	Age	21	Estimated Birth Year	abt 1890
Relationship	Son	Father	Robert Toshack	Mother	Alice Jane Toshack
Where born	Glasgow, Lanark	Registration district	Titwood		
Civil parish	Pollockshields	County	East Renfrewshire	Address	33 Fothoringay (?) Road
Occupation:	Wine Merchant's Clerk				
Household Members	Name	Age			
	Robert Toshack	61	Alice J Toshack	62	
	Agnes K Toshack	34	Jemima Toshack	30	Alice J Toshack 27
	Ellen Toshack	25	Thomas Toshack	21	James Toshack 18

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Missing.

April 11th. – 2nd-Lieut. Thos. Toshack, St Ann's Drive, reported missing, believed killed. Was in a "Tank", and had previously seen much fighting. A promising life.

21. David Steel Walker (1894- 1917)

In Memory of

Private

David Steel Walker

2758, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F. who died on 14 May 1917 Age 33

Son of George Brown Walker and Jessie Steel Walker, of 12, St. Ann's Drive, Giffnock, Glasgow, Scotland.
Born at Shawlands, Renfrewshire.

Remembered with Honour

Grevillers British Cemetery



Commemorated in perpetuity by
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: WALKER, DAVID STEEL **Nationality:** Australian **Rank:** Private **Age:** 33 **Date of Death:** 14/05/1917

Regiment: Australian Infantry, A.I.F. **Unit:** 53rd Bn. **Service No:** 2758

Additional information: Son of George Brown Walker and Jessie Steel Walker, of 12, St. Ann's Drive, Giffnock, Glasgow, Scotland. Born at Shawlands, Renfrewshire.

Cemetery: GREVILLERS BRITISH CEMETERY

Grave Reference: V. A. 6.

[1911 Scotland Census](#)

Name George Brown Walker **Age** 57 **Estimated Birth Year** abt 1854

Relationship Head **Wife** Jessie Steel Walker

Where born Dumbarton, Kilpatrick **Registration district** Eastwood

Civil parish Giffnock **County** East Renfrewshire **Address** 12, St. Ann's Drive

Household Members

Name	Age
George Brown Walker	57
Jessie Steel Walker	58
Susan Corbett Walker	29
Elizabeth Walker	24

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May 14th. – Private David S. Walker, 12 St. Ann’s Drive, died of wounds. Came from Australia to fight for the Mother Country, and sealed his devotion with his life.

[Australia, WWI Service Records, 1914-1920](#)

D 23532 **LIAN** **MILITARY FORCES**

IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 2272 **Name** WALKER David Steel
 Unit Giffnock, Dumbarton
 Joined on MAY 11 1916

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? David Steel Walker
2. In the Parish of Glasgow in or near the Town of Glasgow in the Country of Scotland
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Natural Born? Natural Born
4. What is your age? 30 years 11 months
5. What is your trade or calling? Gardener
6. Are you, or have you been, an apprentice? If so, when, to whom, and for what period? No
7. Are you married? No
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) Father, George Brown Walker, 12 St. Ann's Drive, Giffnock, Scotland
9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? No
10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces, with Ignominy, or for Lack of Courage and Workman, or on account of Conviction of Felony, or of a Sentence of Penal Servitude, or have you been dismissed with Disgrace from the Navy? No
11. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, The Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Territorial Force, Royal Navy, or Colonial Forces? If so, state when, and if not now serving, state cause of discharge. Served in Rifle Volunteers Scotland 1904
12. Have you served the whole, if any, of your previous service? Yes
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? No
14. Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued in respect of your service beyond an amount which, together with Pay, would reach eight shillings per day? Yes
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against small-pox and Asiatic fever? Yes

I, David Steel Walker, do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me in the above questions are true, and I am willing and ready voluntarily to serve in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.

And I further agree to allot not less than one-fourth of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife.

Date MAY 11 1916 **1168** of 102510 **Steel Walker**

Name: David Steel Walker **Birth Place:** Glasgow, Scotland

Enlistment Place: Condobolin, New South Wales **Service number:** 2758

Next of Kin: George Brown Walker **Relationship to Soldier:** Father

22. Thomas White (1863 – 1916)

In Memory of
Chief Steward

Thomas White

H.M.S. Columbella, Mercantile Marine Reserve who died on 05 April 1916 Age 54

Husband of Agnes Cochran White, of "Glenara," Giffnock, Glasgow.

Remembered with Honour
Gillingham (Woodlands) Cemetery, Kent



Commemorated in perpetuity by
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: WHITE, THOMAS

Rank: Chief Steward

Age: 54

Date of Death: 05/04/1916

Service: Mercantile Marine Reserve

Unit : H.M.S. Columbella

Additional information: Husband of Agnes Cochran White, of "Glenara," Giffnock, Glasgow.

Cemetery: GILLINGHAM (WOODLANDS) CEMETERY

Grave Reference: Naval. 22. 1143.

[1901 Scotland Census](#)

Name: Thomas White **Age:** 38 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1863
Relationship: Head **Spouse :** Agnes White **Where born:** Glasgow, Lanarkshire
Registration district: Eastwood Burgh **Civil Parish:** Eastwood **County:** Renfrewshire
Address: 135 Kilmarnock Rd **Occupation:** Ship Steward

Household Members: **Name Age**

Thomas White 38 Agnes White 35

Emily White 11 Florence White 7 Arthur White 4 Norman White 1

[Ref. The Scotsman, 10/04/1916, p.7](#)

'Mrs. Thomas White, Glenara, St. Anne's Drive, Giffnock, has been officially notified that her husband who was a warrant officer, died in a naval hospital on Wednesday last. Before being transferred to the Navy Warrant Officer White was in the service of the Anchor Line.'

23. David Logan Young (1893 – 1918)

In Memory of

Private

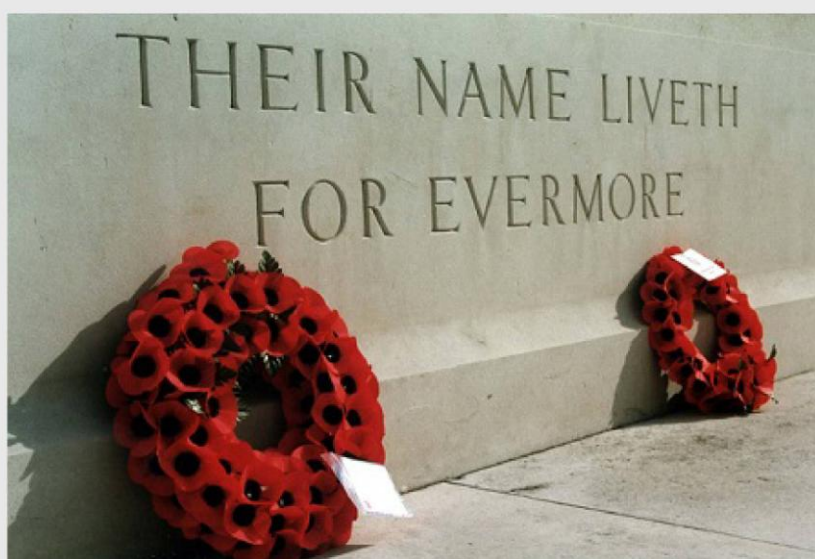
David Logan Young

51585, 2nd Bn., Auckland Regiment, N.Z.E.F.

Son of the late Hugh Young, of Opotiki, Thames.

Remembered with Honour

Grevillers (New Zealand) Memorial



Commemorated in perpetuity by
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Name: YOUNG, DAVID LOGAN **Rank:** Private **Age:** 25 **Date of Death:** 27/03/1918
Regiment: Auckland Regiment, N.Z.E.F. **Unit:** 2nd Bn. **Service No:** 51585
Additional information: Son of the late Hugh and Agnes Young, Opotiki, Thames, New Zealand
(formerly of 'Symington', Orchard Drive, Giffnock).
Memorial: Grevillers (New Zealand) Memorial **Memorial Reference:** Unknown.

[1911 Scotland Census](#)

Name: David Young **Age:** 17 **Estimated birth year:** abt 1894
Relationship: Son **Father :** David Young **Mother :** Agnes Young
Where born: Glasgow, Lanarkshire **Civil Parish:** Eastwood, Giffnock
County: East Renfrewshire **Address:** 'Symington', Orchard Drive
Occupation: Clerk in Provision Service
Household Members:

Name	Age
Hugh Young	55
Jeanie Young	24
Agnes Young	57
William Young	22
David Young	17

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Obituary

Dec.13th. – Mrs. Hugh Young, Symington, Orchard Drive, Giffnock

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David Young, Symington, is mentioned as Secretary of the YMCA.

[MILITARY SERVICE. Bay of Plenty Times, Volume XLV, Issue 6829, 14 February 1917](#)

Men Selected by Lot. The following men have been selected by lot from the First Division of the Expeditionary Force Reserve:- No 17 (Bay of Plenty) Recruiting District.

Young, David Logan, Storekeeper, King St., Opotiki

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Marriages

Young-Gray. – At St. John’s Presbyterian Church, Opotiki, Bay of Plenty, New Zealand, on 15th March, by Rev. Robert Francis, Wm. Young, County Clerk, Opotiki, eldest son of Mr. Hugh Young, late of Giffnock, to Adelaide, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gray, St. Adelaide, Giffnock.

[New Zealand Archives](#)

Army Form B. 103. Regimental Number 515825

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps *5th Auckland Coy*

Rank *Pte* Surname *Young* Christian Name *David Logan*

Religion *Anglican* Age on Enlistment *17* years *11* months

Enlisted (a) *17* 3 *17* Terms of Service (Duration of War Service reckons from (a) *17* 3 *17*)

Date of promotion to present rank *17* 3 *17* Date of appointment to lance rank *17* 3 *17*

Extended *None* Re-engaged *None* Qualification (b) *None*

Occupation *Storekeeper* Signature of Officer *[Signature]*

Date	From whom received	Report	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks
		Embarked	Wellington	17-5-17	
		Disembarked	Devonport	16-8-17	
17-8-17	<i>o/c</i>	Marched in 1 st A & B	Sling	16-8-17	Pt Orders 227
17-8-17	<i>do</i>	Reverts to 1 st B pl	<i>do</i>	16-8-17	Pt Orders 226
26-10-17	<i>16th</i>	Left for France	<i>do</i>	26-10-17	Atom Bull
28-10-17	<i>16th</i>	Marched into Camp	Staples	28-10-17	Atom Bull 227
17-11-17	<i>16th</i>	Joined 2 nd Batt Auckland B	Field	11-11-17	B2/3 (30/516) Certificate issued
24-11-17	<i>do</i>	Relinquished A pte of 1 st B pl (at own Request)	<i>do</i>	18-11-17	B2/3 (30/516) Certificate issued
30-3-18	<i>do</i>	Killed in Action	<i>do</i>	27-3-18	B2/3 (20777) <i>[Signature]</i>

New Zealand Section
(c) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section 10 (Army Reserve) particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered on this form. (d) Signature, Shipping Office, etc.