

World War 1
Armistice Centenary 2018

Blakeney Remembers

Through Words, Photographs & Maps



10 -11 November
St Nicholas' Church, Blakeney

Exhibition by Pam and John Peake

They gave their lives

Edward A. ADCOCK	J. Herbert LONG
Percy H. ALLEN	John (Jack) LONG MM
Basil C. ASH	James H. LONG
Robert BALDING	Clement B. MITCHELL
William C. BILHAM *	James L. MOORE
Willie D. B. BOND *	John E. (Jack) MOORE
Charles H. BULLEN *	John NEWLAND
Vincent K. BULLEN	Charles NICHOLLS
F. Charles CLAXTON	Thomas H. PALMER
Christopher A. G. COOKE	Frederick W. PYKE
Reginald M. COOPER	William S. PYKE
G. Harry DANIEL	Cyril C. G. ROE
Reginald M. DANIEL *	William E. SEALES
Henry DIGMAN *	Job SIMPSON *
Clarence E. HAINES	James W. SMITH
George H. HAINES *	Ernest H. STARLING
George P. HUDSON	Joseph (Joe) STEVENS *
George A. KING	Allred E. TURNER
William E. KING	H. WRIGHT
Thomas R. D. V. LANE	

Above are the names of the 39 known casualties who have close associations with Blakeney, even though 8 are omitted from both memorials. 24 were born in Blakeney, of the rest 2 were born in Cley, 6 further afield in Norfolk and others from elsewhere. However, one has stubbornly eluded identification. Ages ranged from 5 teenagers to 20 in their 20s, 11 in their 30s and 2 in their 40s. At least 11 of the men were married. 9 served in either the Royal or Merchant Navy, the rest, 29, in the Army. On the page opposite are all the photographs that have been found.



Percy ALLEN



Basil ASH



William BILHAM



Charles BULLEN



Vincent BULLEN



Christopher COOKE



Harry DANIEL



George HUDSON



George KING



William KING



Thomas LANE



Jack LONG



James LONG



Frederick PYKE



James SMITH



Joe STEVENS

Men who came home

A. R. **ADCOCK**
A. E. **ADCOCK**
A. E. **ADCOCK**
R.D. **ADCOCK**
J.C. **ALLEN**
W.R. **ALLEN**
W. J. C. N. **ANDREWS**
G.E. **ANSTEE**
G. B. **ASH**
P. C. M. **ASH**
J. B. **ASTON**
E. **BAINES**
W. E. **BAINES**
W. E. A. **BAINES**
S. E. **BAKER**
E.C. **BALDING**
E.J. **BAMBRIDGE**
G. W. **BAMBRIDGE**
T. J. **BAMBRIDGE**
A. H. **BECK**
B. J. **BECK**
J. E. **BECK**
J.W. **BECK**
W.H. **BECK**
A. S. **BEDWELL**
A. **BISHOP**
C. A. **BISHOP**
J. **BISHOP**
S. **BREESE**
J. H. T. **BROOKER**
A. **BROWN**
H.C. **BULLEN**
F. C. **COBON**
H.C. **COBON**
H.R. **COBON**
J. S. **COBON**
T. W. **COBON**
T. W. **COOK**
W. J. **COOPER**
C. **DAINES**
J. R. **DALE**
C. H. **DANIEL**
S.J. **DANIEL**
C. **DAPLYN**
J. **DAWSON**
A. G. **DICKINSON MM**
E. **DIGBY**
J. **DRISCOLL**
R.C. **EGGLETON**
H. P. H. **ELSTON**
J. R. **FORSDICK**
C.J. **GRIMES**
E.C. **GRIMES**
R. G. **HAYWARD**
T. **HOLLIDAY**
E. **HORNE**
H. **HUDSON**
J.W. **HUDSON**
S. S. **HUDSON**
S. **HUDSON**
B. **JACKSON**
E. **JARVIS**
J. R. **JOHNSON**
G. **KEEP**
H. V. **KING**
F. W. **KING**
C. H. **LANE**
G. S. **LANE**
R. **LANE**
H. **LEE**

E.A. LONG	A. A. SCOTT
F. LONG	J.W. SCOTT
F. LONG	J. SEXTON
G. D. LONG	G. F. SHORTING
H. M. LONG	J. E. SHORTING
J.W. LONG	H.E. SMITH
S. D. LONG	I. STANFORD
W. H. LONG	F. STARLING
W. H. LONG	H. S. STARLING
S. A. MACK	L.W. STARLING
H. MANN	T. R. STARLING
J.B. MITCHELL	W. STARLING
F. NEWLAND	E. A. STEARMAN
J. NEWLAND	H.S. STEARMAN
R. H. NEWLAND	G. STRATTON
R. NEWLAND	F. W. THOMPSON
W. J. NEWLAND	R. J. THOMPSON
G. T. NICHOLLS	A. K. D. TILLARD
W. NICHOLLS	E. D. TILLARD
R. OVERMAN	S. D. TILLARD
J. PAGE	W.B. TURNER
C. A. PALMER	A. I. TWIDDY
S. PARSONS	E. WARMAN
H. POND	S. WILLIS
H. E. POND	A. R. WITHERS
D. J. P. ROE	I. V. WITHERS
R G. ROE	J. C. WITHERS
C. R. RUSSELL	J. H. WOODGETT
W.E. RUTLAND	E. J. WORDINGHAM
J. E. SEALES	

Many sources have been used in preparation of this list, but undoubtedly it will be incomplete and possibly contain errors. If you have any additional information or corrections that you would be prepared to share we would like to hear from you. Pam and John Peake, Crows Nest. Back Lane, Blakeney NR25 7NP or 01263 740388. Thank You.

Exhibition

The exhibition is arranged around two major themes:

- in the **North Aisle**, the men who made the ultimate sacrifice and those who came home.
- in the **South Aisle** and the **West End** of the Church, the story of Blakeney before, during and after the War.

North Aisle

- 1 We will remember them
- 2 1914-1915
 - A Canadian Casualty
 - Gallipoli
- 3 1916
 - The Somme
 - Jutland
 - Royal Navy Divers
- 4 1917
 - Misadventure at Sea
 - Battles at Gaza and Arras
 - Paul Nash & Passchendaele
 - Ypres and Gaza
- 5 1918
 - German Spring Offensive
 - U-boat warfare
 - Late 1918
 - In flu ENZA
- 6 Beyond the Armistice
- 7 Memorials
- 8 They gave their lives
- 9 The men who came home

South Aisle

- 1 The Village**
The Upheaval
High Street: Heart of the Village
Quay & Carnser: Economic Hub
Blakeney School
Maps 1910-14
- 2 The Calthorpe Sale**
- 3 Blakeney Point: a Honeypot**
- 4 Employment: Servants**
- 5 Blakeney: War, A Ghost Town**
- 6 Peace & the Future**
- 7 An Early Aerial Survey**
- 8 Blakeney Lifeboat History**
- 9 Blakeney Parish Council**
- 10 Fun & Games 1 – 3**

West End

1910 - 14 Maps

Map - location of casualties

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Hope breaks out



Blakeney Peace Carnival 19 July 1919

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Frontispiece: Blakeney War Memorial WW1