The Middlesbrough Roll of Honour of the Great War

Names "W"

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In the years 1914-1918 thousands of Middlesbrough men and women served their country in a time of hardship, stress and suffering both for the troops on the battlefronts and those left at home.
After the Armistice in November of 1918 handsome memorial tablets and plaques recalling the fallen were erected in the works, shops and churches of the Middlesbrough area.
At this time a committee was formed to consider the question of a war memorial for the town as a whole to remember the citizens who had laid down their lives.
In the words of the committee,

"We recognise the splendid sacrifice made by our men and we desire that our children and our children's' children should hear the story and share in the inspiration which such sacrifice will always give".

The response of the townspeople resulted in the fine cenotaph of Aberdeen granite and the wall of Portland stone containing the bronze panels with the names of the fallen that we see today at the entrance to Albert Park.
The memorial works were completed at a cost of approximately £17,000 and the people of the town attended in their thousands for the dedication and unveiling ceremony which took place on November 11th 1922.

This roll of honour contains close to 3500 names of the fallen who are remembered on the memorial and also those whose names were put forward by their families after the unveiling ceremony.

I felt it fitting that as the centenary of the onset of the Great War approaches I should try and add a little information on those remembered and the actions in which they laid down their lives.

I would just add that much as I regret it, details on some of theses brave people is not available due to the passage of time but their names will still appear in the text as they do on the memorial panels.

Finally just a few points to consider,

It will be noticed that on some of the entries no Middlesbrough connection may be obvious, indeed the person appears to have come from well outside the area or even the country.
It must be remembered that it was the townspeople who put the names forward for inclusion and as an example a relation who stayed with the family in the town occasionally, could well appear after his family took the trouble to forward the name.

Middlesbrough was a thriving centre of industry at the time and a person may well have been employed in the town before hostilities and had their name included by workmates.

Serving under an alias is also quite common and although sometimes used to cover criminal activity, was normally just a person keen to serve but underage and using another identity.
Also a mother who had taken another man's name might have offspring who preferred to serve using their natural father's name.

Double entries for the same name also appear quite a few times, for example, Samuel Alder and S Alder.
I believe they are one and the same person named twice as a result of a large family with different branches putting the name forward twice.

The person will appear in the listing as named on the memorial with any variations in spelling and second names being included in the text.

It will be noticed that some entries begin "I believe this to be".
These are people who to the best of my judgement are those named but can not be 100% certain. They are included with the best intentions and if a mistake is made I make my apologies in advance.

Robert Henry Coulson died on 8 November 2008. His papers were donated to the Green Howards Museum in Richmond, and the work below comes from these papers.

Wade, Arthur.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, Arthur Wade was a member of the 7th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wade was killed in fighting at the village of Sailly-Saillisel on February 8th 1917 at the age of 22.
The son of the late William Wade he has no known grave and is remembered on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme.

Wade, Herbert.

Herbert Wade was born in the Manningham district of Bradford and enlisted in Middlesbrough to serve with the 9th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Corporal Wade was killed in an attack on a German trench system known as Canada Street in the Ypres Salient on May 21st 1917.
His grave can be visited today in Railway Dugouts Burial Ground one mile south east of Ypres town centre.

Wade, R.

North Ormesby born Robert Wade enlisted in Middlesbrough with the 135th Heavy Battery of the Royal Garrison Artillery.
Sergeant Wade was killed in action during the Pursuit to the Selle on October 23rd 1918 and today lies in Selridge British Cemetery in the village of Montay just north of Le Cateau.

Wadsworth, Charles.

Charles Wadsworth lived in Middlesbrough where he enlisted for war service with "B" Battery, 331st Brigade of the Royal Field Artillery.
Driver Wadsworth was killed in action on October 21st 1917 during the Passchendaele offensive his grave today lying in White House Cemetery situated to the north east of Ypres town centre.

Wadsworth, Arthur.

Pioneer Arthur Wadsworth served with the Inland Waterways and Docks section of the Royal Engineers.
He died at home aged 40 after the end of the war on December 5th 1918 and is buried in Linthorpe Cemetery.
Arthur Wadsworth was the son of the late Samuel and Annie Wadsworth and husband of Margaret Wadsworth of 39 Mills Street, Newport in Middlesbrough.

Wadrop, Sampson.

Samson Wadrop was born in Middlesbrough and enlisted in the town with the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wadrop was killed in action on May 17th 1915 during the Battle of Festubert and having no known grave is remembered on the Le Touret Memorial on the south side of the main Bethune to Armentieres road.

Wainfor, N.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Nelson Wainfor was a member of the 9th battalion of the West Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wainfor was killed in an attack on the German positions at Turk Street and the Wonderwork during the Battle of the Somme on September 14th 1916 at the age of 28.
His grave can be visited today in Lonsdale Cemetery at Authuille three miles north of Albert on the Somme.
Nelson Wainfor was the son of Charles and the late Mary Ann Wainfor of Middlesbrough and the husband of Florence Wainfor of 18 Anchor Street, Hunslet near Leeds.

Wains, T H.

Tom Herbert Waines was born at Staxtonwold in Yorkshire and enlisted in Middlesbrough for service with the 13th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Lance Corporal Waines was killed in actions close to Ervillers on January 25th 1918 at the age of 34.
His grave can be seen today in Mory Abbey Military Cemetery between Arras and Bapaume, one mile east of Ervillers.
Tom Waines was the husband of Mrs Florence Waines of 9 The Green, Dormanstown near Redcar.

Walker, Bertram.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, Bertram Walker served with the 19th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Walker was killed in action on August 25th 1917 and today lies in Villers-Faucon Communal Cemetery situated seven miles north east of Peronne in the village of Villers-Faucon.
Bertram Walker was the husband of Mrs A S Walker of 26 Wyton Street in Middlesbrough.

Walker, Cecil.

Cecil Walker was born in Darlington and lived in Middlesbrough where he joined the Yorkshire Regiment before transferring to the 4th battalion of the Royal Fusiliers.
Private Walker was wounded in action during the Battle of the Selle and died of his injuries on October 29th 1918.
His grave can be visited today in Romeries Communal Cemetery Extension nine miles south of Valenciennes in the village of Romeries.

Walker, Charles Edward.

Middlesbrough born Charles Edward Walker enlisted with the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment in the town.
Taken as a prisoner of war Private Walker died in enemy hands on June 3rd 1915 at the age of 19.
The son of the late John and Annie Walker of Middlesbrough his grave lies in Harlebeke New British Cemetery seventeen miles east of Ypres on the road to Menen.

Walker, Charles Harold.

Walker, Daniel.

Born in Middlesbrough, Daniel Walker enlisted in Bradford into the 8th battalion of the Duke of Wellington's West Riding Regiment.
Private Walker was killed in fighting at Scimitar Hill during the Gallipoli campaign on August 21st 1915 at the age of 28.
With no known final resting place he is remembered on the Helles Memorial at the southern tip of the Gallipoli peninsula.
Daniel Walker was the husband of Edith Hill Ord House, formerly Walker of 5 Moody Street in Bradford.

Walker, Frank.

Listed as serving on the SS Southgare, the ship was lost after a collision off Flamborough Head in April of 1918 but his name does not appear on the Commonwealth War Graves Commission listings.

Walker, Fred Crosby.

Correct name Fred Crossley Walker he enlisted in Middlesbrough as a member of the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Colour Sergeant Walker was killed in actions at the village of Roupy on March 21st 1918 aged 30 and with no known grave is remembered on the Pozieres Memorial along the road between Albert and Bapaume.
Fred Walker was the son of John and Mary Walker of "Abbotsbury" Cornfield Road in Middlesbrough and the husband of Mrs Jessie Walker of 61 Crescent Road in Middlesbrough.

Walker, George William.

George William Walker was born in Hutton Rudby and enlisted in Middlesbrough for service with the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
The holder of the Military Medal, Sergeant Walker was killed in fighting close to Voormezeele on May 8th 1918 aged 32 and having no known final resting place is remembered on the Tyne Cot Memorial to the north east of Ypres in Belgium.
George Walker was the son of Jane and the late John Walker of 22 Ash Street in Middlesbrough and the husband of the late Ellen Walker, nee Matthews of 59 York Street in Thornaby.

Walker, George Matthew.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, George Matthew Walker joined the Royal Garrison Artillery for his war service.
Gunner Walker died at home on November 1st 1917 his grave today lying in the town's Linthorpe Cemetery.

Walker, Harry.

Harry Walker was born in the St Pauls area of Middlesbrough and enlisted in Berwick into the 2nd battalion of the King's Own Scottish Borderers.
Private Walker was wounded in actions during the Battle of La Bassee and died of his wounds aged 21 on October 14th 1914.
The son of Mr and Mrs W Walker of 89 Garden Street in Middlesbrough his grave can be seen in Bethune Town Cemetery sixteen miles to the north of Arras.

Walker, Herbert Newton.

Born in Redcar on June 28th 1890, Herbert Newton Walker emigrated to Canada where he worked as a draughtsman before the war.
He enlisted as a private soldier with the Canadian Expeditionary Force at Valcartier in Quebec on September 16th 1914 later receiving his commission and joining the Machine Gun Corps attached to the South Staffordshire Regiment.
Lieutenant Walker was killed in action at Messines on June 6th 1917 aged 27 and today lies in Pond Farm Cemetery south west of Ypres in Belgium.
Herbert Walker was the son of Newton and Alice Louisa Walker of Marine View, Ganges, British Columbia in Canada.

Walker, Horner Moor.

Horner Moor Walker was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in Richmond to serve with the 23rd battalion of the Middlesex Regiment.
Private Walker was killed in action during the 1st Battle of Bapaume on March 25th 1918 at the age of 32.
Having no known grave he is remembered today on the Arras Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery in Arras.

Walker, J E.

I believe this to be a double entry for Joseph Lawrence Ellerker Walker listed below.

Walker, Joseph.

Joseph Walker was born in Leeds and enlisted in the city with the 6th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Walker was killed in an attack on Turkish positions at Ismail Oglu Tepe during the Gallipoli campaign on August 22nd 1915.
He has no known final resting place and his name appears on the Helles Memorial on the Gallipoli peninsula.

Walker, Joseph Lawrence.

Scarborough born Joseph Lawrence Ellerker Walker lived in Middlesbrough and enlisted in London for service with the 15th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Walker was killed in actions at the Battle of Flers-Courcelette during the Somme offensive on September 16th 1916 at the age of 22.
The son of Joseph Ellerker Walker and Harriet Walker of 25 Lees Street in Middlesbrough he is remembered on the Thiepval Memorial overlooking the Somme battlefields.

Walker, Robert.

Robert Walker was London born and enlisted in Middlesbrough to join with the 12th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Walker was killed in action on January 3rd 1916 and today lies in Brewery Orchard Cemetery in the village of Bois-Grenier two miles south of Armentieres.

Walker, Thomas Arthur.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Thomas Walker was a member of the 6th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Walker was killed in an attack on the Turkish line at Lala Baba hill during the Gallipoli campaign on August 7th 1915 at the age of 22.
The son of Elizabeth and the late John W Walker of 56 Wood Street in Blackpool his name is remembered on the Helles Memorial on Gallipoli.

Walker, Tom.

Tom Walker was born in Darlington and served in the Merchant Navy as a Fireman aboard the Middlesbrough tug the SS Ida Duncan.
He perished aged 47 on January 31st 1917 when the Ida Duncan struck a mine half a mile east of the South Gare lighthouse in the Tees bay.
Tom Walker was the husband of Helena Walker of 48 Feversham Street in Middlesbrough and is remembered today on the Tower Hill Memorial in London.

Waller, Alfred James.

Born at Welbury in Yorkshire, Alfred James Waller enlisted in Sunderland with the East Yorkshire Regiment and then transferred to the 12th battalion of the Manchester Regiment.
Private Waller died aged 20 on October 20th 1918 during the Battle of the Selle and today lies in Rocquigny-Equancourt Road British Cemetery seven miles south east of Bapaume.
Alfred Waller was the son of Francis R and Mary Jane Waller of Wilton Grange, Wilton near Redcar.

Waller, John William.

John William Waller was born in Middlesbrough and enlisted in Reading with the Royal Berkshire Regiment before transferring to the 9th battalion of the Gloucester Regiment.
Private Waller died at sea on October 7th 1916 aged 34 with the battalion serving in the campaign in the Balkans.
His name is remembered today on the Doiran Memorial in northern Greece near the shores of Lake Doiran.
John Waller was the son of Thomas and Mary Waller of 42 Maple Street in Middlesbrough.

Walsh, W.

Born in Dublin in Ireland, William Walsh enlisted in Middlesbrough for service with the 7th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Walsh was wounded in action in an attack on the village of Sailly-Saillisel and died of his injuries on February 19th 1917.
His grave can be visited today in St Sever Cemetery Extension two miles to the south of Rouen city centre.

Walsh, J.

James Walsh was Middlesbrough born working as a puddler in the iron works before the war.
A member of the 6th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment, Private Walsh was killed in fighting close to Mazingarbe on March 17th 1918 at the age of 37.
His grave today lies in Philosophe British Cemetery, Mazingarbe, situated between Lens and Bethune.
James Walsh was the husband of Elizabeth Walsh of 10 Queen Mary Street in Middlesbrough.

Walton, Ernest.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, Ernest Walton served with the 13th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Walton was killed in actions at Bailiff Wood during the Battle of the Somme on July 9th 1916 at the age of 28.
He has no known grave and his name appears on the Thiepval Memorial set high above the old Somme battlegrounds.

Walton, James Edward.

James Edward Walton was born in Thornaby and enlisted in Middlesbrough into the Durham Light Infantry before transferring to the 1/7th battalion of the West Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Walton was killed in fighting during the Passchendaele offensive on November 19th 1917 aged 36 and today lies in Oxford Road Cemetery situated north east of Ypres and close to the village of Sint Jan.
James Walton was the son of William Walton of Middlesbrough and the husband of Sarah Ann Walton of 236 Cannon Street in Middlesbrough.

Walton, J.

Enlisting in Stockton, John Walton first served with the Durham Light Infantry and then transferred to the 19th battalion of the Lancashire Fusiliers.
Private Walton was killed in action aged 20 on April 18th 1918 during the 1st Battle of Kemmel and having no known grave is remembered today on the Tyne Cot Memorial to the north east of Ypres in Belgium.
John Walton was the son of John and Isabella Smith of School House, Oxbridge Lane in Stockton.

Walton, William.

William Walton enlisted in Spennymoor for war service with the 1/6th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Wounded in action at Verlorenhoek in an attack on Hill 37, Private Walton was evacuated to a hospital centre where he died of his wounds on April 28th 1915.
His grave can be visited today in Boulogne Eastern Cemetery on the French channel coast.

Walton, W.

Double entry, see William Walton listed above.

Walton, William Rendell.

Middlesbrough born William Rendell Walton was a member of the 9th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Walton died in a hospital centre on November 20th 1918 aged 22 and today lies in Les Baraques Military Cemetery at Sangatte just west of Calais.
He was the son of Susannah and the late Charles Walton of Middlesbrough.

Wandless, Frederick James.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, Frederick James Wandless was a member of the 2nd battalion of the West Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wandless was killed in action on June 20th 1917 aged 25 during the build up to the Passchendaele offensive.
The son of Middlesbrough couple Frederick and Sarah Wandless his grave can be seen in Vlamertinghe Military Cemetery situated three miles west of Ypres town centre.

Wanless, Harold.

Harold Wanless was born in Middlesbrough where he enlisted to serve with the 5th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wanless was killed in actions during the 2nd Battle of the Scarpe on April 23rd 1917 at the age of 19.
He has no known final resting place and is remembered on the Arras Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery in Arras.

Wanless, Robert.

Born in Middlesbrough, Robert Wanless was a Merchant Navy apprentice aboard the Middlesbrough registered SS Mordenwood.
He died aged just 16 on May 18th 1917 when the Mordenwood was torpedoed ninety miles south east of Cape Matapan off the southern coast of Greece.
Robert Wanless is remembered on the Tower Hill Memorial in Trinity Square in London and was the son of Robert and Edith Wanless of 2 Lennox Street in Middlesbrough.

Warburton, George A.

George Ashton Warburton was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in the town into the 12th battalion of the Northumberland Fusiliers.
Private Warburton was killed in action aged 20 at the Battle of Loos and with no known grave is remembered on the Loos Memorial at Dud Corner Cemetery on the Lens to Bethune road.
George Warburton was the son of Mrs Sarah A Warburton of 89 Milbank Street in Middlesbrough.

Ward, Alexander.

West Hartlepool born Alexander Ward enlisted in Accrington in Lancashire to serve with the 1/5th battalion of the East Lancashire Regiment.
Killed in action aged 21 on July 6th 1917, Sergeant Ward today lies in Ruyaulcourt Military Cemetery six miles to the east of Bapaume.
Alexander Ward was the son of John and Alice Ward of 147 Haywood Road, Accrington in Lancashire.

Ward, Harry.

Ward, Joseph.

Enlisting in Middlesbrough, Joseph Ward was with the Yorkshire Regiment before transferring to the 9th battalion of the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry.
Private Ward was killed in actions at the 1st Battle of Kemmel on April 20th 1918 and today lies in Klein-Vierstraat British Cemetery situated four miles south west of Ypres in Belgium.

Ward, Wilfred.

Wilfred Ward was born at Scorton near Richmond and enlisted in Middlesbrough for service with the 74th Field Company of the Royal Engineers.
Driver Ward was killed in action at the age of 22 on August 8th 1915, his grave today lying in Labourse Communal Cemetery three miles south of Bethune.
Wilfred Ward was the son of Stephen and Annie Ward of Kildare Street in Middlesbrough.

Ward, Joseph.

Born in the Linthorpe area of Middlesbrough, Joseph William Ward was a regular soldier before the war having served in Egypt and India.
With the 6th Dragoons, Carabiniers, Trooper Ward was wounded in action and died of his injuries aged 29 on August 18th 1915.
The son of Middlesbrough couple Robert and Mary Ward his grave can be seen today in Corbie Communal Cemetery situated east of Amiens in the small town of Corbie.

Ward, Thomas.

Thomas Ward was born at Clonberne in County Galway and lived in Middlesbrough where he enlisted with the 2nd battalion of the Royal Munster Fusiliers.
Private Ward was killed in actions during the Advance to Victory on October 4th 1918 at the age of 26.
The son of Martin Ward of Clonberne his grave can be visited today in Templeux-Le-Guerard British Cemetery fifteen miles east of Peronne in the village of Templeux-Le-Guerard.

Ward, William Ernest.

Born in Norton, William Ernest Ward enlisted in Middlesbrough for service with the 10th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Ward was wounded in action during the 1st Battle of the Scarpe, Arras offensive and died of his injuries on April 9th 1917.
His grave today lies in Beaurains Road Cemetery in the village of Beaurains on the southern outskirts of Arras.
William Ward was the son of Mr D Ward of 40 Laycock Street in Middlesbrough.

Ward, James.

James Ward was born in North Ormesby and enlisted in Richmond with the Yorkshire Regiment before transferring to the 255th Tunnelling Company of the Royal Engineers.
Sapper Ward was killed in action as the Passchendaele offensive opened on July 31st 1917 at the age of 33.
His grave can be seen today in Track "X" Cemetery situated north east of Ypres town centre in Belgium.

Wadrops, Sam.

Double entry see Sampson Wadrop listed earlier.

Warne, Cecil John.

Cecil John Warne was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in the town for service with the 6th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Warne was killed in an attack on the Turkish trenches at Ismail Oglu Tepe during the Gallipoli campaign on August 21st 1915 at the age of 20.
He has no known final resting place, his name remembered on the Helles Memorial on the Gallipoli peninsula.

Warner, Herbert Arthur.

Middlesbrough born Herbert Arthur Warner enlisted in York with the 17th battalion of the Northumberland Fusiliers.
Private Warner was killed in action aged 24 on August 7th 1916 and today lies in Bethune Town Cemetery situated sixteen miles north of Arras.
Herbert Warner was the son of William and the late Susan Warner of 47 Manor Street in Middlesbrough.

Warwick, Albert Edward.

Albert Edward Warwick enlisted in his hometown of Middlesbrough into the 10th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Warwick was wounded in fighting close to Armentieres and died of his wounds at the age of 27 on December 10th 1915.
His grave can be visited today in Bailleul Communal Cemetery Extension on the road from St Omer to Lille.
Albert Warwick was the husband of Sarah Elizabeth Warwick of 15 Short Street in Middlesbrough.

Warwick, Arthur.

Born at Malton in North Yorkshire, Arthur Warwick enlisted with the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment in Middlesbrough.
Private Warwick died at home on October 17th 1916 aged 26, his grave today lying in Linthorpe Cemetery.

Warwick, J.

James William Warwick was born in Stockton and enlisted in Manchester for war service with the 2nd battalion of the Lancashire Fusiliers.
Private Warwick was killed in actions at the Battle of Bellewaarde during the 2nd Battles of Ypres on May 24th 1915 at the age of 25.
He has no known grave and is remembered today on the Menin Gate Memorial at Ypres in Belgium.

Warwick, John Robert.

Born in Middlesbrough, John Robert Warwick enlisted in the town to serve with the 10th battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Wounded in action, Rifleman Warwick died of his injuries aged 20 on August 29th 1915 and today lies in Estaires Communal Cemetery six miles west of Armentieres in the town of Estaires.
John Warwick was the son of John Robert and Mary Anne Warwick of 26 Lower Feversham Street in Middlesbrough.

Warwick, Harry.

Harry Warwick was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in the town joining with the 10th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Warwick was killed in actions north of the village of Longueval during the Somme offensive on August 12th 1916 aged just 18.
He has no known grave is remembered on the Thiepval Memorial overlooking the old Somme battlegrounds.

Warwick, Lewis.

Darlington born Lewis Warwick enlisted in Middlesbrough and served with the 37th Brigade of the Royal Field Artillery.
Driver Warwick was killed in action aged 33 on September 15th 1914 during the Battle of the Aisne and having no known grave is remembered on the La Ferte-Sous-Jouares Memorial thirty five miles east of Paris.

Warwick, R.

I believe this to be Richard Arthur Warwick who was born in Wellingborough in Northamptonshire where he enlisted with the Northamptonshire Regiment before transferring to the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Warwick was killed during the 2nd Battle of the Scarpe in actions on the high ground west of Cherisy on April 21st 1917 at the age of 20.
His grave can be seen today in Hibers Trench Cemetery in the village of Wancourt, five miles south east of Arras.

Wastell, Thomas William.

Born in Thornaby, Thomas William Wastell served with the 1st battalion of the Grenadier Guards.
Guardsman Wastell was killed in actions close to Loos on November 18th 1915 aged 27 and is remembered today on the Loos Memorial at Dud Corner Cemetery.
Thomas Wastell was the son of Thomas William and Mary Wastell of 65 Westland Street in Middlesbrough.

Waters, Leonard Russell.

Born William Jefferson at Ruswarp near Whitby this man used the name of Leonard Russell Waters when he did war service with the 9th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Waters/Jefferson died aged 43 on October 30th 1916 and today lies in Etaples Military Cemetery situated fifteen miles south of Boulogne on the French coast.
He was the husband of Mrs Ann Waters, nee Hodgson of 27 Milbank Street in Middlesbrough and had also seen service during the Boer War.

Waters, Robert.

Born at Hayton in Cumbria, Robert Sarginson Waters worked as a drapers assistant before enlisting into the 11th battalion of the Border Regiment in Middlesbrough.
Private Waters was killed in action on February 10th 1917 aged 37 and has no known final resting place his name being remembered on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme.
Robert Waters was the son of Robert and Elizabeth Waters late of Low Moor, Edmondcastle near Carlisle.

Waterworth, Edmond.

Edmond Waterworth was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in Redcar for service with the Yorkshire Regiment before transferring to the 23rd battalion of the Northumberland Fusiliers, the Tyneside Scottish.
Taken as a prisoner of war, Private Waterworth died in enemy hands at the age of 21 on August 15th 1918 and is buried in Lille Southern Cemetery in the city of Lille in northern France.
Edmond Waterworth was the son of Henry John and Jessie Waterworth of 23 Pearson Terrace, Brudenell Road, Hyde Park in Leeds.

Watkin, Walter.

Port Clarence born Walter Watkin enlisted in Middlesbrough and served with the 6th Siege Battery of the Royal Garrison Artillery.
Gunner Watkin was killed in action during the Battle of the Somme on August 1st 1916 at the age of 29.
His grave can be visited today in Dantzig Alley British Cemetery in the village of Mametz on the Somme.

Watson, Alban Thomas.

Alban Thomas Watson was born in the St Pauls area of Middlesbrough where he enlisted into the 1st battalion of the Royal Warwickshire Regiment.
Corporal Watson was killed in actions close to Fresnoy during the 3rd Battle of the Scarpe on May 3rd 1917 at the age of 23.
The son of the late Alfred and Mary Watson and husband of Emily Lucy Buxton, formerly Watson of 7 Clive Road in Middlesbrough his name appears on the Arras Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery in Arras.

Watson, Albert.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Albert Watson was a member of the 11th battalion of the King's Royal Rifle Corps.
Sergeant Watson was wounded in actions close to Morval during the Somme offensive and died of his wounds on September 17th 1916.
His grave today lies in Caterpillar Valley Cemetery in the village of Longueval seven miles east of Albert on the Somme.

Watson, Alfred Edmund.

Alfred Edmund Watson was Middlesbrough born and before the war was a local schoolteacher and talented artist.
He enlisted in Middlesbrough and did his war service with the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Watson was wounded in action dying of his injuries aged 32 on August 1st 1918 and today lies in Sissone British Cemetery situated between Reims and Laon in the village of Sissone.
Alfred Watson was the son of Mr John S Watson and Mrs Elizabeth Watson of 52A Waterloo Road in Middlesbrough.

Watson, Arthur.

Middlesbrough born Arthur Watson enlisted in West Hartlepool and served with the 72nd Battery of the Royal Field Artillery.
The holder of the Distinguished Conduct Medal and Order of St George 2nd Class, Russia, Sergeant Watson died of wounds aged 23 on January 15th 1917.
He was the son of Ann E Hewison of 134 Victoria Road in Middlesbrough and is buried in Cambrin Churchyard Extension five miles east of Bethune in the village of Cambrin.

Watson, Charles.

Charles Watson was born at Sporle near Swaffham in Norfolk and enlisted in Middlesbrough into the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Watson was killed in fighting close to the Trou Bayard to Le Point Mortier road during the Battle of the Lys on April 12th 1918.
His grave can be seen today in Croix-Du-Bac British Cemetery three miles south west of Armentieres in the village of Steenwerck.

Watson, George Meers.

Enlisting in Middlesbrough, George Meers Watson joined the Yorkshire Regiment before transferring to the 56th battalion of the Machine Gun Corps.
Private Watson was killed in action aged 19 on March 28th 1918 and having no known grave is remembered on the Arras Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery in Arras.
George Watson was the son of Zephaniah and M S Watson of 16 Park Street in Middlesbrough.

Watson, George.

I believe this is possibly a double entry for George Meers Watson listed above.

Watson, James.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, James Watson did his war service with the 13th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Sergeant Watson was wounded in action at the Battle of Le Transloy during the Somme offensive and died of his wounds on October 2nd 1916.
His grave today lies in Dernancourt Communal Cemetery Extension two miles south of Albert in the village of Dernancourt.

Watson, James.

James William Watson was born at Galphay near Masham and enlisted in Stockton into the 9th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Watson was wounded in actions close to Ypres and died of his injuries at the age of 20 on February 24th 1917.
The son of Godfrey and Elizabeth Ann Watson of 6 Carlton Terrace in Yarm he lies in Boulogne Eastern Cemetery on the French channel coast.

Watson, J E.

I believe this to be John Edward Watson who was born and enlisted in Sunderland serving with the 19th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Watson was killed in action on August 25th 1917 and is buried in Villers-Faucon Communal Cemetery in the village of Villers-Faucon seven miles north east of Peronne.

Watson, John Henry.

John Henry Watson was a member of the 43rd Garrison battalion of the Royal Fusiliers.
Private Watson died at home after the end of the war on February 20th 1919 at the age of 29 and is buried in Linthorpe Cemetery.

Watson, William.

Enlisting in Middlesbrough, William Watson did his war service with the 5th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Watson was killed in actions close to Mametz during the Battle of the Somme on September 24th 1916.
He has no known final resting place his name remembered on the Thiepval Memorial set high above the Somme battlefields.

Watters, Stanley Mears.

Stanley Mears Watters was West Hartlepool born and enlisted in Middlesbrough for war service with the 12th battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Sergeant Watters was killed in action at the Battle of Guillemont during the Somme offensive on September 5th 1916 at the age of 27.
The son of John William and Julia Watters of 68 Ayresome Park Road in Middlesbrough he is remembered on the Somme on the Thiepval Memorial.

Watts, H.

Stockton born Horace Ben Watts lived in Thornaby where he enlisted with the Royal Field Artillery before transferring to the 9th battalion of the Royal Fusiliers.
Private Watts was killed in action aged 28 on June 20th 1917 and having no known grave is remembered on the Arras Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery in Arras.

Weale, Douglas Thomas.

Douglas Thomas Weale was born in Hereford and enlisted in Middlesbrough to serve with the 52nd Brigade of the Royal Field Artillery.
Corporal Weale died on June 5th 1915 aged 23 and is buried in Trois Arbres Cemetery four miles south east of Bailleul in the village of Steenwerck.
Douglas Weale was the son of Thomas and Hannah Weale of 3 Chapel Court, St Marys Square in Gloucester.

Weall, Albert.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Albert Weall was a member of the 8/10th battalion of the Gordon Highlanders.
Lance Corporal Weall was killed in actions during the 2nd Battle of the Scarpe on April 23rd 1917 aged 23 and having no known grave is remembered today on the Arras Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery in Arras.
He was the son of Sarah and the late Thomas Weall of 11 Salisbury Street in Middlesbrough.

Wearmouth, Thomas.

Thomas Wearmouth was born at Wolsingham in Co Durham and enlisted in Middlesbrough into the 75th Field Company of the Royal Engineers.
Wounded in action, Sapper Wearmouth died of his injuries aged just 18 on October 11th 1915 and today lies in Longuenesse St Omer Souvenir Cemetery situated in the southern outskirts of the town of St Omer in northern France.
Thomas Wearmouth was the son of Joseph and Elizabeth Wearmouth of 33 Meath Street in Middlesbrough.

Weatherall, James.

A machine hand before the war, James Weatherall was Middlesbrough born enlisting in the town to serve with the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Weatherall was killed in an attack on the village of Montauban on July 1st 1916 aged 38 as the Battle of the Somme opened.
The brother of Miss M Weatherall of 10 Poplar Street in Middlesbrough his name appears on the Thiepval Memorial to the missing of the Somme.

Weaver, Frederick.

Frederick Steene Weaver was born in Middlesbrough but was living in Australia at the onset of war.
He enlisted at Balmain East in New South Wales into the 19th battalion of the Australian Imperial Force and sailed from Sydney on March 11th 1916 aboard HMAT Orsova.
The holder of the Distinguished Conduct Medal, Private Weaver was killed in action aged 19 on November 12th 1916 and is remembered on the Australian National Memorial at Villers-Bretonneux nine miles east of Amiens.
Frederick Weaver was the son of Frederick and Annie Weaver of 44 Canvas Street, Premier Diamond Mine, Vulleman Transvaal in South Africa.

Webley, Harry.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Harry Webley served with the 5th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Webley was killed in fighting at Nepal Trench during the 2nd Battle of the Scarpe on April 23rd 1917 at the age of 21.
He has no known final resting place and is remembered on the Arras Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery in Arras.

Webster, James Robert.

James Robert Webster was born in Middlesbrough, lived in North Ormesby and enlisted in Thornaby for war service with the 6th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Webster was killed on August 12th 1915 aged 30 in fighting between the Salt Lake at Suvla Bay and Lala Baba hill during the Gallipoli campaign.
He has no known grave being remembered today on the Helles Memorial situated at the southern tip of the Gallipoli peninsula.

Webster, George.

Middlesbrough born George Webster enlisted in Stockton into the 2nd battalion of the Northumberland Fusiliers.
Private Webster was killed in actions close to St Julien on May 25th 1915 aged 25 and having no known grave appears on the Menin Gate Memorial at Ypres in Belgium.
George Webster was the son of the late John and Mary Ann Webster.

Wellburn, Robert.

Robert Wilfred Welburn was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in the town to serve with the Royal Field Artillery before transferring to the Royal Engineers.
Corporal Welburn was killed in action aged 30 on April 4th 1918 and with no known final resting place is remembered on the Pozieres Memorial situated along the road from Albert to Bapaume.

Wells, Charles Richard.

Enlisting in his hometown of Middlesbrough, Charles Richard Wells was a member of the 8th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Lance Corporal Wells was wounded during the Somme offensive and passed through the casualty chain to hospital in England died of his wounds on August 3rd 1916.
His grave can be seen today in Orpington All Saints Churchyard Extension in Kent.

Wells, Charles Richard.

RAF man Charles Richard Wells died after the end of the war on December 10th 1919 at the age of 45.
The husband of the late Annie Blanche Wells his grave lies in Otley, Newall-With-Clifton and Lindley Cemetery situated ten miles to the north of Leeds.

Wells, Frederick.

Born in the St Pauls area of Middlesbrough, Frederick Wells enlisted in the town joining the 8th battalion of the Seaforth Highlanders.
Private Wells was wounded in fighting in the Bethune sector and died of his injuries aged 20 on July 1st 1916.
His grave can be visited today in Bethune Town Cemetery situated fifteen miles north of Arras.
Frederick Wells was the brother of Mrs A B Thompson of 39 Lamport Street in Middlesbrough.

Wells, Samuel Leo.

Samuel Leo Wells was born in Middlesbrough where he enlisted with the 6th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wells was killed in an attack on the Turkish positions at Lala Baba hill during the Gallipoli campaign on August 7th 1915 aged just 19.
Remembered on the Helles Memorial on the Gallipoli peninsula he was the son of Lydia and the late Samuel Wells of 124 Essex Street in Middlesbrough.

Wells, John James.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough to serve with the 11th battalion of the King's Royal Rifle Corps, John James Wells was the brother of Samuel listed above.
Lance Corporal Wells was killed in actions at the Battle of the Menin Road during the Passchendaele offensive on September 19th 1917 at the age of 24.
The elder son of Lydia and the late Samuel Wells his name appears on the Tyne Cot Memorial on the Passchendaele Ridge.

Wells, Frederick John.

Frederick John Wells was born at West Wittering in Sussex and enlisted in Middlesbrough to serve with the 1/4th battalion of the York and Lancaster Regiment.
Killed in action aged 31 on July 24th 1918, Lance Corporal Wells today lies in Hagle Dump Cemetery four miles west of Ypres in Belgium.
He was the son of George Wells of Birham, Chichester in Sussex and the husband of Mrs Frances May Wells of 24 Beech Street in Middlesbrough.

Wells, George.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, George Wells was a member of the 6th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wells was killed in an attack on the German positions at Turk Street and the Wonderwork during the Somme offensive on September 14th 1916 aged 22.
The son of Mary Anne Wells and the late George Wells of 32 Hymer Street in North Ormesby his name is remembered on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme.

Welsh, David.

David Welsh was born in South Bank where he joined the 10th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment for his war service.
Private Welsh was killed holding the line in front of Polygon Wood during the Passchendaele offensive on October 6th 1917 at the age of 19.
Buried close to where he fell his grave today can be seen in Buttes New British Cemetery at Polygon Wood five miles east of Ypres in Belgium.

Welsh, A R.

Anthony Reginald Welsh was born at Altrincham in Cheshire on December 23rd 1883.
He was educated at Rugby School and in 1902 entered Trinity College at Cambridge.
A fine athlete, he ran for both school and college where his prowess won him many competitions.
After university he worked for the Manchester firm of Mather & Platt spending time in both India and Canada and in 1911 he moved to the north east on being appointed company secretary for the Middlesbrough ironmasters Bell Brothers.
He immediately volunteered his services at the onset of war and was commissioned on September 5th 1914.
2nd Lt Welsh sailed with the 4th battalion arriving in Boulogne on April 18th 1915, the battalion being sent straight into the Ypres Salient and fighting at St Julien before the end of the month.
Anthony Welsh was wounded in action near Ypres on May 3rd and hospitalised for a time, arriving back with his battalion on May 25th where he learnt of his promotion to lieutenant.
The battalion then moved to Sanctuary Wood close to Ypres in late June where Lt Welsh was again wounded but this time stayed with the battalion as he recovered.
In rest billets close to Armentieres in late October, Lt Welsh was among a party chosen from the battalion for a review by the King at Bailleul.
The new year of 1916 found the battalion once again in the Ypres Salient and on February 12th for the first time they moved into trenches close to Hill 60.
On February 14th Lt Welsh was badly wounded when the Germans blew a mine under the Yorkshires trenches at Hill 60 causing him to be hospitalised again.
Lt Anthony Reginald Welsh died of his wounds at No 7 Stationary Hospital at Boulogne on February 19th 1916 at the age of 32.
His Colonel wrote,
“He was loved by us all both officers and men for his courage, kindliness and reliability”.
Anthony Welsh was the son of William and Florence Elvira Welsh of Owslebury House in Winchester, his grave today lying in Boulogne Eastern Cemetery.

Welsh, Thomas.

Thomas Welsh was Middlesbrough born and served with the Royal Navy as a stoker aboard HMS Black Prince during the war.
He died at home due to illness or accident on December 8th 1915 aged 24 and today lies in St Josephs Roman Catholic Cemetery in North Ormesby.
Thomas Welsh was the son of Mr Michael Francis Welsh and Mrs Ann Welsh.

West, A.

Darlington born Arthur West lived in Thornaby and enlisted in Stockton with the 277th Field Company of the Royal Engineers.
Sapper West was killed in action on March 30th 1918 during the German spring offensive and having no known final resting place appears on the Pozieres Memorial between Albert and Bapaume on the Somme.

Weston, Henry.

Westwood, James B.

Correct name James Vincent Westwood, he was born in Middlesbrough where he enlisted to serve with the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Westwood was killed in actions at the 2nd Battle of the Scarpe, Arras offensive on April 23rd 1917 at the age of 24.
He has no known grave and is remembered on the Arras Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery in Arras.

Westwood, George.

Westwood, James William.

Correct name John William Westwood, he was born and lived in Thornaby where he joined the 8th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Westwood was killed in fighting close to the Le Sars road during the Battle of the Somme on October 2nd 1916.
His grave can be visited today in Adanac Military Cemetery north east of Albert in the village of Miraumont.

Westwood, Walter.

Walter Westwood was born in Middlesbrough and served with the 2nd Garrison Battalion of the Northumberland Fusiliers in Egypt.
Sergeant Westwood died after the end of the war on December 24th 1919 aged 23.
His grave can be seen today in Port Said War Memorial Cemetery on the western outskirts of Port Said in Egypt.
Walter Westwood was the son of Mr W A and Mrs M A Westwood of Balmoral House, The Esplanade in Redcar.

Wetherall, Henry.

Middlesbrough born Henry Weatherall enlisted in the town for service with the 15th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Weatherall was killed in actions during the German spring offensive on March 31st 1918 and having no known grave is remembered on the Pozieres Memorial between Albert and Bapaume on the Somme.

Wheelan, Timothy Francis.

Timothy Francis Whelan was Middlesbrough born enlisting in his hometown for war service with the 2nd battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Whelan was killed in fighting close to Cambrai at the age of 29 on January 17th 1917 and today lies in Cambrin Churchyard Extension situated five miles east of Bethune in the village of Cambrin.

Whelan, J.

Born and living in North Ormesby, James Whelan enlisted in Middlesbrough as a member of the 9th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Wounded in action close to Contalmaison during the Battle of the Somme, Private Whelan died of his wounds on July 12th 1916 at the age of 28.
His grave can be visited today in Abbeville Communal Cemetery in the town of Abbeville on the main road between Paris and Boulogne.

Whenray, Harry.

Born Henry Whenray in Middlesbrough he used the surname Whinnery when enlisting in Birmingham with the 15th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Whinnery/Whenray was killed in action aged 30 on July 3rd 1917 and is buried in Philosophe British Cemetery at Mazingarbe between Bethune and Lens.
He was the son of Catherine Whenray of Middlesbrough.

Whisker, Newton.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Raymond Newton Whisker served with the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Whisker was killed in fighting during the 2nd Battle of the Scarpe on April 23rd 1917 at the age of 20 and today lies in Wancourt British Cemetery five miles south east of Arras.
He was the son Elizabeth and the late Newton Whisker of 18 Vaughan Street in Middlesbrough.

Whisker, William.

William Whisker brother of Raymond listed above enlisted in his hometown of Middlesbrough joining the 2nd battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Rifleman Whisker was killed in action aged 22 on February 20th 1915 and his grave can be visited in Fauquissart Military Cemetery situated half way between Fleurbaix and Neuve Chapelle.
He was the son of Elizabeth and the late Newton Whisker of 18 Vaughan Street in the town.

Whitaker, Mark.

Enlisting in Middlesbrough, Mark Whitaker did his war service with the 2nd battalion of the Lincolnshire Regiment.
Sergeant Whitaker lost his life in actions during the Battle of the Aisne on May 27th 1918 at the age of 32.
The son of Richard and Esther Whitaker of 32 Calthorpe Street in Middlesbrough his name is remembered on the Soissons Memorial sixty miles north east of Paris in the town of Soissons.

White, Alexander.

White, Arthur.

Middlesbrough born Arthur White served with the Merchant Navy as ships carpenter aboard the Grangemouth registered SS Barnton.
He lost his life on April 24th 1917 aged 37 when the Barnton was torpedoed and sank forty miles south west from the Chassiron Light off the French coast.
Arthur White was the son of the late William and Mary Ann White and is remembered on the Tower Hill Memorial in London.

White, Frederick.

Frederick White was born and lived in Middlesbrough and enlisted in Stockton with the 2nd battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Lance Corporal White was killed in action on December 28th 1915 aged 24 and today lies in Potijze Burial Ground Cemetery one mile from Ypres and close to the road to Zonnebeke.

White, Jesse.

I believe this to be Jesse Whitehead who was born at Raistone in Northamptonshire but lived in Middlesbrough and served with the 130th Heavy Battery of the Royal Garrison Artillery.
Gunner Whitehead was killed in action at the age of 22 on August 18th 1918 and is buried in Heath Cemetery at Harbonnieres on the Amiens to Peronne road.
He was the son of Frederick and Mary Ann Whitehead.

White, Joseph.

Joseph White was born and lived in Middlesbrough enlisting in the town for service with the 11th battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Lance Corporal White was killed in an attack towards the village of Lesboeufs during the Battle of the Somme on September 18th 1916.
He has no known grave his name appearing on the Thiepval Memorial to the missing of the Somme battles.

White, George.

White, Robert Bransby.

Robert Bransby White was born at Fareham in Hampshire, lived in Middlesbrough and enlisted in Stockton into the 13th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Military Medal holder Sergeant White was killed in actions at the Battle of the Menin Road during the Passchendaele offensive on September 20th 1917 at the age of 32.
He has no known final resting place his name being remembered on the Tyne Cot Memorial on the Passchendaele Ridge.
Robert White was the son of Mary Ellen White and the late Isaac White of 3 Union Street in Middlesbrough.

White, Richard.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Richard White first joined the King's Royal Rifle Corps and then transferred to the 68th Company of the Machine Gun Corps.
Lance Corporal White was killed in action aged 24 on September 20th 1917 during the Battle of the Menin Road and having no known grave his name appears on the Tyne Cot Memorial to the north east of Ypres in Belgium.

White, Thomas.

Thomas White was born at Monkwearmouth in Co Durham and enlisted in Middlesbrough for war service with the 5th battalion of the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry.
Private White was killed in fighting at the Battle of Tardenois aged just 19 on July 20th 1918 and is remembered on the Soissons Memorial sixty miles north east of Paris.
Thomas White was the son of John and Alice White of 73 Worcester Street in Middlesbrough.

White, W.

Born in Derby, William White enlisted in Middlesbrough and was a member of the 5th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private White was killed in actions on the Craonne Plateau, part of the Chemin des Dames Ridge on May 27th 1918 at the age of 31.
The husband of Florence White of 10 Maple Street in Cargo Fleet he has no known grave his name appearing on the Soissons Memorial north east of Paris in the town of Soissons.

Whitehead, Hunter.

Hunter Whitehead was born in the Stockton area in 1890 and is listed as serving with HMS King Alfred the naval training centre on Whale Island at Portsmouth but his name does not appear on the Commonwealth War Graves Commission lists.

Whitehead, John Thomas.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, John Thomas Whitehead served with the 9th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Whitehead was wounded in action in the La Vesse sector dying of his injuries aged 38 on October 16th 1915.
His grave can be visited today in Erquinghem-Lys Churchyard Extension two miles west of Armentieres town centre.
John Whitehead was the husband of Mrs Margaret Whitehead of 7 Nicholas Street in Middlesbrough.

Whitehead, Albert.

Whitehead, Wilfred Harold Gill.

Born in Middlesbrough, Wilfred Harold Gill Whitehead did his war service with the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Killed in actions close to Brandhoek during the 2nd Battle of Ypres, Sergeant Whitehead has no known final resting place and is remembered on the Menin Gate Memorial at Ypres in Belgium.
Wilfred Whitehead was the son of Thomas and Martha Whitehead of 119 Waterloo Road in Middlesbrough.

Whitehouse, Henry.

Henry Whitehouse was born in Middlesbrough and enlisted in the town to serve with the 13th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Whitehouse was killed in fighting close to Rancourt on February 23rd 1917 at the age of 19 his name being remembered on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme.
He was the son of Henry and Florence Whitehouse of 1 Stone Street in Middlesbrough.

Whitehouse, Harry.

Double entry, see Henry Whitehouse listed above.

Whitelock, Joseph Wrigley.

Joseph Whitelock was Middlesbrough born and enlisted for service with the 9th battalion of the South Staffordshire Regiment in the town.
Private Whitelock was killed in actions in the Ypres Salient at the age of 19 on July 14th 1917 and is remembered in Ypres on the Menin Gate Memorial.
He was the son of Mr Whitelock who lived in Spencer Street in Middlesbrough.

Whitewood, Harry.

Born and living in Middlesbrough, Harry Whitewood enlisted in Bangor in Wales with the 8th battalion of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers.
Private Whitewood was killed in fighting at "The Apex" close to Chunuk Bair during the Gallipoli campaign on August 15th 1915 at the age of 23.
Having no known grave his name appears on the Helles Memorial on the Galliopli peninsula.

Whitfield, Charles.

Charles Whitfield was born in Scarborough, lived in Guisborough and enlisted in Middlesbrough as a member of the 9th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Wounded in actions in the Bois Grenier sector south of Armentieres, Private Whitfield died of his wounds on January 11th 1916.
His grave can be seen today in Bailleul Communal Cemetery Extension situated on the eastern outskirts of the town of Bailleul in northern France.

Whitfield, Edgar.

Middlesbrough born Edgar Whitfield first served with the Royal Engineers and then transferred to the Royal Air Force.
Flying a DH 4 of 57th Squadron, 2nd Lieutenant Whitfield was killed in combat with an enemy aircraft over Achiet-le-Petit on April 1st 1918 at the age of 22.
His burial place unknown he is remembered on the Arras Flying Services Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery two miles west of Arras town centre.
Edgar Whitfield was the son of Mr W H and Mrs E M Whitfield of 7 Clairville Road in Middlesbrough.

Whitfield, John William.

John Whitfield was Sunderland born, lived in South Bank and enlisted in Middlesbrough to serve with the 6th battalion of the East Yorkshire Regiment.
With the battalion involved in the Operations on the Ancre, Private Whitfield died on January 23rd 1917 and today lies in Varennes Military Cemetery situated south west of Acheux on the Somme.

Whitfield, Tom.

Born in Bishop Auckland, Tom Whitfield enlisted in Middlesbrough and was a member of the 11th battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Sergeant Whitfield died aged 25 on July 11th 1916 when the battalion was operating close to Locre and today lies in Vlamertinghe Military Cemetery situated along the road between Ypres and Poperinghe in Belgium.
Tom Whitfield was the son of George and Hannah Whitfield of Wolsingham in Co Durham.

Whitfield, William Thomas.

William Thomas Whitfield was born in Port Clarence and enlisted for service with the Royal Engineers in Middlesbrough.
A member of the 77th Field Company Sapper Whitfield was killed in action on December 19th 1915 and with no known final resting place appears on the Menin Gate Memorial at Ypres in Belgium.

Whitworth, B.

Stockton born Bertie Whitworth lived in Middlesbrough and enlisted in Richmond into the Leicestershire Regiment before moving to the 20th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Whitworth was killed in fighting at the Battle of the Menin Road during the Passchendaele offensive on September 21st 1917.
He has no known grave his name being remembered on the Tyne Cot Memorial on the Passchendaele Ridge.

Whyman, Charles William.

Charles William Whyman was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in Darlington with the Royal Army Service Corps.
Attached to the South Midland Field Ambulance of the Royal Army Medical Corps, Driver Whyman died on August 8th 1915 at the age of 27.
His grave can be visited today in Corbie Communal Cemetery nine miles to the east of Amiens.
Charles Whyman was the son of Mr and Mrs Ben Whyman of 4 Heath Crescent, Linthorpe in Middlesbrough.

Whyte, Mick.

Widdowfield, John Usher.

John Usher Widdowfield was born in Middlesbrough enlisting in the town to serve with the 10th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Widdowfield was wounded in action in the Armentieres sector and died of his wounds aged 19 on March 22nd 1916.
His grave today lies in Bailleul Communal Cemetery Extension situated in the eastern suburbs of the town of Bailleul.

Widdowfield, Thomas.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Thomas Widdowfield first served with the Yorkshire Regiment and then transferred to the 38th battalion of the Machine Gun Corps.
Private Widdowfield died of wounds aged 19 on October 9th 1918 and is buried in Rocquigny-Equancourt Road British Cemetery to the south east of Bapaume.

Widdowson, William.

William Widdowson was born in York and enlisted in Middlesbrough joining the 15/17th battalion of the West Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Widdowson was wounded at the Action of La Becque during the Battle of Scherpenberg and died of his injuries on June 28th 1918.
With no known final resting place his name appears on the Ploegsteert Memorial south of Ypres on the road to Armentieres.

Wightman, William.

Middlesbrough born William Wightman served in the Merchant Navy as a Fireman aboard the SS Taplow.
He perished on June 5th 1917 aged 19 when the Taplow was sailing from Huelva in southern Spain to Port Talbot in Wales, it is believed she struck a mine.
Remembered on the Tower Hill Memorial in Trinity Square in London, William Wightman was the son of Jane Ann Wightman of 10 Smeaton Street in North Ormesby.

Wigley, Walter.

Walter Wigley was born in Attercliffe in Yorkshire and enlisted in Middlesbrough into the Yorkshire Regiment before transferring to the Machine Gun Corps.
Wounded in action during the campaign in Palestine, Private Wigley died of his wounds on September 22nd 1918 at the age of 37.
His grave today can be seen in Ramleh War Cemetery situated south of the city of Tel Aviv in Israel.

Wignall, Henry.

Wilde, John Alfred.

John Alfred Wilde was born in Middlesbrough where he enlisted for service with the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wilde died on February 13th 1915 and is buried in Cabaret-Rouge British Cemetery situated seven miles north of Arras on the road to Bethune.

Wilde, Frank.

Double entry, see Frank Trubshaw Wilde listed below.

Wilde, Frank Trubshaw.

Frank Trubshaw Wilde was Middlesbrough born where he enlisted as a member of the 12th battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Corporal Wilde was killed in fighting at Carnoy during the Battle of the Somme on September 5th 1916 at the age of 22.
Remembered on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme, Frank Wilde was the son of Mrs Annie Wilde of 56 Lambton Road, Grove Hill in Middlesbrough.

Wildon, Mark.

Enlisting in his hometown of Middlesbrough, Mark Wildon did his war service with the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wildon was taken as a prisoner of war and died in captivity at the age of 20 on October 22nd 1918.
He is buried in Niederzwehren Cemetery situated six miles south of Kassel in Germany.

Wiles, Edward.

I believe this to be Edwin Wise who was born in Bilsdale and enlisted in Stokesley into the 2nd battalion of the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry.
Private Wise was killed in action at the Battle of Beaurevoir on October 3rd 1918 at the age of 19 and today lies in Sequehart British Cemetery No 1 situated five miles north east of St Quentin.
He was the son of John W and Elizabeth A Wise of Home Farm Cottage, Nunthorpe, Middlesbrough.

Wiles, James.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, James Wiles served with the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Lance Corporal Wiles was killed in action aged 23 on March 12th 1915 during the Battle of Neuve Chapelle.
He has no known grave and his name appears on the Le Touret Memorial situated four and a half miles north east of Bethune.
James Wiles was the son of John and Elizabeth Wiles of 41 Pitchforth Buildings, West Vale, Greetland near Halifax.

Wiles, Richard.

Richard Wiles was born in Middlesbrough and did his war service with the 5th battalion of the London Regiment.
Rifleman Wiles died aged 19 on August 28th 1918 during the Battle of Albert and today lies in Queant Road Cemetery at Buissy to the south east of Arras.
Richard Wiles was the son of Mrs Martha A Wiles of 14 Nile Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilkes, Will.

William Wilks enlisted in Middlesbrough and served with the 20th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Wilks was killed in action at the age of 34 on April 19th 1918 and having no known grave is remembered on the Tyne Cot Memorial to the north east of Ypres in Belgium.
He was the son of John Thomas and Jane Ellen Wilks of Melbourne Terrace in Great Ayton.

Wilkinson, G W.

I believe this to be Lancashire born George Herman Wilkinson who enlisted in Middlesbrough with the 9th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Sergeant Wilkinson was killed in actions at Prue Trench during the Somme offensive on September 20th 1916 and is remembered today on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme.

Willett, David.

David Willett was Middlesbrough born enlisting in the town to serve with the 11th battalion of the East Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Willett was killed in action at the age of 19 on August 11th 1918, his grave today lying in Aval Wood Military Cemetery in the village of Vieux-Berquin five miles south west of Bailleul.

Wilkinson, Ethel Mary E.

This lady Ethel Mary E Wilkinson was born in the Stockton area in the September quarter of 1892.
The Middlesbrough memorial roll shows her as serving with the Royal Army Service Corps but I believe she served with the Royal Army Medical Corps and died of pneumonia in Ripon on February 11th 1919 aged 26 and is buried in the Bradford area.
Ethel Wilkinson was the daughter of William and Mary Wilkinson who were a farming family living at Old Longlands Farm at Grove Hill in Middlesbrough.
She does not appear on the Commonwealth War Graves Commission listings.

Willett, James Ernest.

James Ernest Willett was born and lived in Middlesbrough and enlisted in Thornaby into the 12th battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Rifleman Willett was wounded in fighting at the Action of Pietre and died of his injuries on September 26th 1915 at the age of 18.
The son of Mrs E Willett of 40 Ernest Street in Middlesbrough his grave lies in Merville Communal Cemetery situated twelve miles south west of Armentieres.

Williams, Arthur.

Born and enlisting in London, Arthur Williams lived in Middlesbrough and appears to have served with the Kings Liverpool Regiment, Middlesex Regiment and the Ox and Bucks Light Infantry.
Private Williams died in Mesopotamia on January 24th 1916 and is buried in Kut War Cemetery in Iraq.

Williams, Arthur.

Arthur Williams was born in Stockton but lived in Middlesbrough where he enlisted with the 10th battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Rifleman Williams was killed in action on February 19th 1917 and having no known final resting place is remembered on the Thiepval Memorial on the old Somme battlefield.

Williams, Daniel.

Enlisting in Middlesbrough, Daniel Williams was a member of the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Williams was killed in actions at Prue Trench during the Battle of the Somme on September 15th 1916 aged just 18.
His grave today lies in Adanac Military Cemetery to the north east of Albert in the village of Miraumont.
Daniel Williams was the son of Rees and Jane Williams of 64 Waterloo Road in Middlesbrough.

Williams, Charles Edward.

I believe this to be Charles Thomas Williams who was born in York and enlisted in Thornaby with the Yorkshire Regiment before transferring to the 25th battalion of the Kings Royal Rifle Corps.
Rifleman Williams died on October 31st 1918 and is buried in Don Communal Cemetery situated seven miles south west of the city of Lille.
Charles Williams was the husband of Mrs A Williams of 7 Prospect Place in Thornaby.

Williams, Evan Edward.

Grangetown born Evan Edward Williams was the brother of Daniel listed above and enlisted in Middlesbrough to serve with the 12th battalion of the East Surrey Regiment.
The holder of the Military Medal, Lance Corporal Williams was wounded in fighting in the Arras sector and died of his wounds aged 24 on April 3rd 1918.
His grave can be visited today in Etaples Military Cemetery fifteen miles south of Boulogne on the French channel coast.
Evan Williams was the son of Rees and Jane Williams of 64 Waterloo road in Middlesbrough.

Williams, Frederick.

Frederick Loftus Williams was born in Middlesbrough where he enlisted into the 9th battalion of the Black Watch, the Royal Highlanders.
Private Williams was killed in actions during the 1st Battle of Bapaume on March 23rd 1918 at the age of 21.
He is buried in Tilloy British Cemetery in the village of Tilloy-les-Mofflaines, two miles south east of Arras on the road to Cambrai.
Frederick Williams was the son of Richard Loftus Williams and Annie Elizabeth Williams of 25 Richmond Street in Middlesbrough.

Williams, George Olive.

Born in Barrow in Furness, George Olive Williams enlisted in Middlesbrough and served with the 2/5th battalion of the Notts & Derbys Regiment, the Sherwood Foresters.
Private Williams was killed in action aged 19 at the 1st Battle of Kemmel on April 17th 1918 and having no known grave is remembered on the Ploegsteert Memorial to the south of Ypres on the road to Armentieres.

Williams, J.

John William Williams was Stockton born and enlisted in Middlesbrough to join with the 14th Reserve battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Williams died at home on April 28th 1916 and is buried in Gateshead East Cemetery on South Tyneside.

Williams, Harry.

Born and living in South Bank, Harry Williams enlisted with the 6th battalion of the Kings Own Scottish Borderers in Middlesbrough.
Private Williams was killed in fighting at the village of Longueval during the Somme offensive on July 17th 1916.
He has no known final resting place his name remembered on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme.

Williams, Henry.

Double entry, see Harry Williams listed above.

Williams, John Charles.

Born and living in Middlesbrough, John Charles Williams enlisted in the town to serve with the 7th battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Rifleman Williams was wounded in actions close to St Julien during the Passchendaele offensive and died of his injuries aged 27 on September 1st 1917.
His grave today lies in Etaples Military Cemetery situated to the south of Boulogne on the French channel coast.
John Williams was the husband of Mary Beatrice Williams of 46 Stanley Street in Middlesbrough.

Williams, John Thomas.

John Thomas Williams was a private soldier with the Northumberland Fusiliers and died at home after the end of the war on November 22nd 1918 at the age of 23.
The son of John Thomas and Margaret Williams of 53 Florence Street in Middlesbrough he is buried in St Josephs Roman Catholic Cemetery in North Ormesby.

Williams, John William.

Middlesbrough born John William Williams served with the Royal Navy as an Able Seaman aboard the battle cruiser HMS Queen Mary.
He perished at the Battle of Jutland on May 31st 1916 at the age of 31 when the Queen Mary was sunk under shellfire from the SMS Seydlitz.
John Williams is remembered on the Portsmouth Naval Memorial on Southsea Common and was the husband of Ethel Mary Stewart, formerly Williams of 9 Bransbury Road in Portsmouth.

Williams, Joseph Llewelyn.

Joseph Llewelyn Williams was born in Middlesbrough where he enlisted for war service with the 10th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Williams was killed in the trenches in front of the village of Gueudecourt during the Battle of the Somme on September 16th 1916 at the age of 19.
Remembered on the Thiepval Memorial he was the son of Mary I Williams and the late Richard Morgan Williams of 4 Stowe Street in Middlesbrough.

Williams, Robert Oswald.

Williams, T.

This is a possible double entry for Thomas Williams listed below.

Williams, Thomas.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, Thomas Williams was a member of the 8th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Sergeant Williams held the Military Medal and was killed in action at Sanctuary Wood during the Passchendaele offensive on September 29th 1917 at the age of 26.
His grave can be visited today in New Irish Farm Cemetery situated to the north east of Ypres in Belgium.
Thomas Williams was the husband of Christina Williams of 2 Auckland Place, Lower East Street in Middlesbrough.

Williams, W.

William Williams was born in Scarborough and enlisted in Middlesbrough joining the 1st battalion of the East Yorkshire Regiment having previously served during the Boer War.
Sergeant Williams was killed during the Passchendaele offensive at the Battle of Broodseinde on October 4th 1917 at the age of 35.
With no known grave his name appears on the panels of the Tyne Cot Memorial set on the slopes of the Passchendaele Ridge.
William Williams was the husband of Alice Ann Williams of 35 Maynard Street in Carlin How.

Williams, William Nicholson.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, William Nicholson Williams served with the 10th battalion of the West Yorkshire Regiment.
Lance Corporal Williams was killed aged 24 as the battalion attacked the village of Fricourt on the first day of the Somme offensive, July 1st 1916.
His grave can be visited in Fricourt New Military Cemetery three miles east of Albert on the Somme.

Williams, Walter Louis.

Walter Louis Williams was North Ormesby born and enlisted in Middlesbrough into the 15th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Williams was killed in actions just east of Gueudecourt during the Battle of the Somme on September 25th 1916 and with no known grave is remembered on the Thiepval Memorial five miles north east of Albert on the Somme.

Willis, Arthur.

Born in South Bank, Arthur Willis lived in Middlesbrough where he enlisted to serve in the 14th battalion of the Royal Irish Rifles.
Rifleman Willis was killed in actions during the Battle of Messines on June 7th 1917 and today lies in Spanbroekmolen British Cemetery five miles south of Ypres and close to the village of Wytschaete.
Arthur Willis was the husband of Mrs L M Pike, formerly Willis of 77 Church Street in Middlesbrough.

Willmore, Henry.

Henry Wilmore was born in Thornaby and worked as a general labourer before the war when he enlisted in Middlesbrough with the Lincolnshire Regiment before transferring to the 17th Company of the Labour Corps.
Private Wilmore died of wounds aged 49 on October 3rd 1917 and is buried in Wimereux Communal Cemetery situated three miles north of Boulogne.
He was the son of the late Joseph and Mary Wilmore of Stockton and the husband of Emma Jane Wilmore of 7 Dudley Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilmshurst, W.

Middlesbrough born Walter Wilmshurst served with the Merchant Navy as 3rd Engineer aboard the SS Hildawell.
He died at the age of 20 on December 20th 1916 when the Hildawell struck a mine and sank in the North Sea while bound for Middlesbrough from Bilbao with a cargo of iron ore.
His name is remembered today on the Tower Hill Memorial in Trinity Square in London.
Walter Wilmshurst was the son of Captain and Mrs Wilmshurst and the husband of Gladys Annie Wilmshurst, nee Gaunt of 78 Vaughan Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilson, A.

Amos Wilson was Middlesbrough born enlisting in the town for war service with the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wilson died in a hospital centre on February 6th 1918 aged 30 and today lies in St Sever Cemetery Extension two miles south of Rouen city centre.
He was the son of Sarah Jane Wilson of 8 Florence Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilson, Bernard Henry.

Born in Middlesbrough, Bernard Henry Wilson enlisted in Rotherham as a member of the 1/5th battalion of the York and Lancaster Regiment.
Private Wilson was killed in action on July 10th 1915 aged 37 and having no known final resting place is remembered on the Menin Gate Memorial at Ypres in Belgium.
He was the son of John and Margaret Wilson of 8 Rutland Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilson, Charles.

Charles Wilson was born at Brompton near Scarborough and enlisted into the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment in Scarborough.
Private Wison was killed in actions at the Nieuwe Kruiseecke crossroads east of Ypres between October 22nd 1914 and November 6th 1914, the exact date being undetermined due to the conditions at the time.
He was the son of the late Thomas and Hannah Wilson and his name appears on the panels of the Menin Gate Memorial.

Wilson, D.

I believe this to be Stockton born David Wilson who enlisted in Falkirk to serve with the 2nd battalion of the Scots Guards.
Guardsman Wilson was killed in actions during the Battle of Festubert on May 16th 1915 at the age of 36.
He has no known grave being remembered on the Le Touret Memorial on the south side of the Bethune to Armentieres road.
David Wilson was the son of Janet Smart Wison and the late James Irvine Wilson of 28 Russell Street in Falkirk and the husband of the late Grace Nimmo Wilson.

Wilson, Herbert.

Herbert Wilson lived in Darlington but was born in Middlesbrough where he enlisted with the 5th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Wounded in actions holding the line near Mametz Wood on the Somme, Private Wilson died of his injuries on January 23rd 1917 and today lies in St Sever Cemetery Extension to the south of the city centre of Rouen.

Wilson, Isaac Graham.

Stockton born Isaac Graham Wilson enlisted in Middlesbrough and was a member of the 11th battalion of the Northumberland Fusiliers.
Private Wilson was killed during the Somme offensive in an attack on Bailiff Wood on July 7th 1916.
Having no known grave he is remembered on the Somme on the Thiepval Memorial to the north east of the town of Albert.

Wilson, I J.

This is a possible double entry for Ira Israel Wilson listed below.

Wilson, Iva.

Born in Spennymoor, Ira Israel Wilson served with the 8th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment having enlisted in Middlesbrough.
Private Wilson was killed in the Hill 60 area during the Battle of Messines on June 7th 1917 and having no known final resting place is remembered on the Menin Gate Memorial in Ypres.

Wilson, Jack.

Jack Wilson was born in Brompton and enlisted in Middlesbrough for his war service with the 2nd battalion of the West Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wilson was killed in actions during the Battle of the Aisne on May 23rd 1918 his name appearing on the Soissons Memorial situated to the north east of Paris in the town of Soissons.

Wilson, James Alexandra.

Enlisting in Middlesbrough, Alexander James Wilson joined the 5th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
The battalion were in action between High Wood and Martinpuich during the Battle of the Somme when Private Wilson died aged 19 on September 17th 1916.
He was the son of William and Margaret Wilson of 84 Marton Road in Middlesbrough and is remembered on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme.

Wilson, James Christopher.

James Christopher Wilson was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in the town with the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wilson died in hospital at home on January 11th 1916 aged 19 and is buried in Gainsborough General Cemetery.

Wilson, James Oliver.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, James Oliver Wilson served with the South Staffordshire Regiment and then transferred to the 6th battalion of the Leicestershire Regiment.
Private Wilson was killed in action aged 18 during the Battle of the Aisne on May 27th 1918 his name remembered today on the Soissons Memorial.
He was the son of William James Wilson of 18 Gloucester Street in Middlesbrough and the husband of the late Mary Wilson of 42 Clarence Street in Haverton Hill.

Wilson, J A.

I believe this to be John Alfred Wilson who enlisted in Skelton joining the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Remembered on the Thiepval Memorial, Private Wilson died aged 26 on September 27th 1916 during actions at Eaucourt L'Abbaye during the Battle of the Somme.

Wilson, Jas.

Enlisting in Middlesbrough, James Wilson served with the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wilson was wounded in fighting at Kemmel Shelters dying of his injuries aged 20 on June 10th 1916.
His grave can be seen today in Longuenesse St Omer Souvenir Cemetery on the southern outskirts of the town of St Omer.
James Wilson was the son of Frank and Mary Bosomworth of 16 Eve Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilson, John Arthur.

John Arthur Wilson was Middlesbrough born and served in the Royal Navy as a Stoker 1st Class aboard the battlecruiser HMS Queen Mary.
He died at the Battle of Jutland on May 31st 1916 aged 25 when the Queen Mary was sunk under shellfire from the German ship the SMS Seydlitz.
Remembered on the Portsmouth Naval Memorial on Southsea Common, John Wilson was the son of John Thomas and Margaret Wilson of 46A Egerton Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilson, John James.

Wilson, John.

A member of the 10th battalion of the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, John Wilson enlisted for service in Middlesbrough.
Private Wilson was killed in actions close to the Le Transloy to Gueudecourt road during the Somme offensive on September 25th 1916.
He has no known final resting place, his name remembered today on the Thiepval Memorial north east of Albert on the Somme.

Wilson, John.

Born and enlisting in Stockton, John Wilson joined the 2nd battalion of the Northumberland Fusiliers.
Wounded in action and passed through the casualty chain, Private Wilson died at home on May 27th 1915 aged 21 and today lies in Stockton's Oxbridge Lane Cemetery.
He was the son of Charles Henry and Annie Wilson of 27 Alexandra Street, Oxbridge Lane in Stockton.

Wilson, Joseph David.

Joseph David Wilson was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in the town to serve with the 13th battalion of the King's Royal Rifle Corps.
Lance Corporal Wilson was killed in actions close to Monchy Le Preux during the Arras offensive on April 10th 1917 at the age of 28.
The husband of Mary Ann McDermott, formerly Wilson of 38 Gauntlet Street in Middlesbrough he is remembered on the Arras Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery in Arras.

Wilson, Reginald.

Enlisting in his hometown of Middlesbrough, Reginald Wilson joined the Teesside Pioneers, the 12th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wilson was wounded in fighting close to Hebuterne and died of his injuries aged 20 on November 23rd 1916.
His grave today lies on the French channel coast in the seaport of Boulogne's Eastern Cemetery.
Reginald Wilson was the son of James and Kate Wilson of 48 Orwell Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilson, Matthew William.

Matthew William Wilson was born and enlisted in Middlesbrough, serving with the 1/4th battalion of the East Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wilson was killed in action at the Battle of Hazebrouck aged 19 on April 13th 1918 and with no known grave is remembered on the Ploegsteert Memorial situated between Ypres and Armentieres.
He was the son of Matthew William and Selina Ann Wilson of 53 Walpole Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilson, Percy.

Middlesbrough born Percy John Howard Wilson was a bricklayers labourer before the war and served with the Merchant Navy as a Fireman aboard the SS Port Dalhousie.
He perished aged 36 on March 19th 1916 when the Port Dalhousie was hit by a torpedo two and a half miles from the Kentish Knock light vessel.
His body recovered he is buried in Ramsgate and St Lawrence Cemetery in Kent.
Percy Wilson was the son of Louisa and the late Edwin Wilson of 26 High Spencer Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilson, Robert.

Robert Wilson was born in Hutton Rudby near Stokesley and enlisted in Newcastle joining the 1/6th battalion of the Northumberland Fusiliers.
Private Wilson died on March 23rd 1918 during the Battle of St Quentin and having no known grave is remembered on the Pozieres Memorial on the Albert to Bapaume road on the Somme.

Wilson, Thomas.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Thomas Wilson did his war service with the 7th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Wounded in action close to St Nicholas in the Arras sector, Private Wilson died of his wounds aged 25 on September 2nd 1917.
His grave can be visited today in Duisans British Cemetery at Etrun, five miles west of Arras.
Thomas Wilson was the son of Thomas A and Mary Diane Wilson of 11 Westward Street in Middlesbrough.

Wilson, Thomas William.

Thomas William Wilson was born at Welbury in Yorkshire and lived in Middlesbrough where he enlisted into the Army Service Corps before transferring to the 23rd battalion of the Royal Fusiliers.
Corporal Wilson was killed in actions during the Battle of St Quentin on March 23rd 1918 aged 27 and is remembered today on the Arras Memorial at the Faubourg D'Amiens Cemetery in Arras.
He was the son of the late Robert and Sarah Wilson of Middlesbrough and the husband of Effie Thornton Wilson of 100 Oxford Road in Middlesbrough.

Wilson, William Henry Guy.

Born and enlisting in Stockton, William Henry Guy Wilson joined the Durham Light Infantry and then moved to the Labour Corps.
He died in the UK on June 3rd 1918 aged 40 and is buried in Forest Town, St Alban Churchyard in Nottinghamshire.
William Wilson was the son of John Wilson and the late Elizabeth Wilson of Blenavon Cottage in Yarm.

Windross, Albert William.

Albert William Windross was Middlesbrough born and enlisted with the Teesside Pioneers, the 12th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment in the town.
Lance Corporal Windross was killed in actions close to Bac St Maur during the Battles of the Lys on April 11th 1918 at the age of 24.
He has no known final resting place his name appearing on the Ploegsteert Memorial to the south of Ypres on the road to Armentieres.

Windross, F.

Winship, Richard.

Richard Winship was born in Middlesbrough on July 19th 1918 and before the war worked on the blast furnaces.
He enlisted with the Durham Light Infantry on September 2nd 1914 and one week later transferred to the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.
With the Hood Battalion of the Royal Naval Division, Able Seaman Winship received a shrapnel wound to the chest during the campaign on Gallipoli and was evacuated to hospital on the island of Malta.
He rejoined the battalion on June 27th 1915 and was killed in actions between Gully Ravine and Krithia Nullah on August 26th 1915 at the age of 26.
Able Seaman Winship was buried in “B” Communication Trench Cemetery but his grave was subsequently lost and he is remembered today on the Helles Memorial on the Gallipoli peninsula.
He was the son of the late Robert Winship of 44 Lord Street in Middlesbrough and the husband of Ellen Ann Smirk, formerly Winship of 6 Oakland Gardens, Harrowgate Hill in Darlington.

Winspear, H A.

Born in Norton, Harold A Winspear enlisted in London and served with the Railway Operating Division of the Royal Engineers.
Sapper Winspear died at home on March 18th 1917 at the age of 28 and is buried in St Marys Churchyard in Norton.

Winter, Lawrence.

Lawrence Winter was born in Guisborough and enlisted in Middlesbrough for war service with the 2nd battalion of the King's Royal Rifle Corps.
Rifleman Winter was killed in an attack on the Flers Line during the Battle of the Somme on September 27th 1916 at the age of 19.
He has no known grave and his name appears on the Thiepval Memorial set high above the old Somme battlefields.

Winterbottom, William.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, William Winterbottom was a member of the 13th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Wounded in action close to Maroc in the Loos sector, Private Winterbottom died of his injuries aged 19 on August 21st 1916.
His grave can be seen today in Maroc British Cemetery in the village of Grenay eight miles south east of Bethune.
William Winterbottom was the son of Robert T and Sarah Winterbottom of 43 Wicklow Street in Middlesbrough.

Wintersgill, Gerald Walker.

Gerald Walker Wintersgill was born in Middlesbrough and did his war service as an officer with the Royal Engineers.
Lieutenant Wintersgill saw service in East Africa but was involved in the Salonika campaign when he died after the end of hostilities on November 26th 1918 aged 30.
His grave can be seen today in Mikra British Cemetery at Kalamaria, five miles south of Thessaloniki in Greece.
Gerald Wintersgill was the son of Benjamin and Esther Wintersgill, nee Walker of "Renfrew" Devonshire Road in Middlesbrough.

Wintle, William.

Born at Skirton in Lancashire, William Wintle enlisted in Stockton with the Durham Light Infantry and then transferred to the 2nd battalion of the York and Lancaster Regiment.
Private Wintle was killed in an attack on Zenith Trench close to the village of Gueudecourt during the Somme offensive on October 12th 1916.
The son of Mrs M Wintle of 1 Sydney Street in Stockton he is buried in Bancourt British Cemetery situated three miles east of Bapaume in the village of Bancourt.

Witham, Harold.

Harold Witham was born at Moston in Lancashire and enlisted in Middlesbrough joining the 18th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Wounded in action and passed through the casualty chain, Private Witham died of his wounds at home on July 14th 1916 at the age of 27.
His grave can be visited today in St Marys Churchyard at Moston to the north of Manchester.

Witham, Henry.

I believe this is a possible double entry for Harold Witham listed above.

Wood, Albert.

Albert Wood was Middlesbrough born enlisting in the town as a member of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wood died at home on August 16th 1918 but is not recorded on the Commonwealth War Graves Commission rolls so his burial place remains unknown.

Wood, David.

Born and living in Middlesbrough, David Wood enlisted in the town and did war service with the 12th battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Rifleman Wood was killed in action on September 25th 1915 at the age of 23 and with no known grave is remembered on the Ploegsteert Memorial to the south of Ypres on the road to Armentieres.
David Wood was the son of Mr J T and Mrs E Wood of 27 Cromer Street, Grove Hill in Middlesbrough.

Wood, Edward.

Edward Wood was born in Warrenby and enlisted in Redcar joining the Hussars and then transferring to the 2nd battalion of the East Yorkshire Regiment.
Killed in actions in the Ypres Salient on September 15th 1915 aged 24, Private Wood today lies in Kemmel Chateau Military Cemetery six miles to the south west of Ypres.
Edward Wood was the son of William and Mary Wood of Warrenby and the husband of Matilda Ellis Nunn, formerly Wood of 15 Railway Terrace in Brotton.

Wood, Ernest.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, Ernest Wood joined the 4th battalion of the South Staffordshire Regiment.
Private Wood was killed in actions at the 2nd Battle of Kemmel on April 26th 1918 aged 19 and having no known grave is remembered on the Tyne Cot Memorial on the Passchendaele Ridge.
He was the son of Mr and Mrs Thomas Wood of 2 Montrose Street in Middlesbrough.

Wood, J J.

John James Wood enlisted in his hometown of Middlesbrough with the 10th battalion of the Kings Royal Rifle Corps.
Corporal Wood was killed in action aged 24 on February 28th 1917 and today lies in the A.I.F. Burial Ground situated one mile north east of the village of Flers on the Somme.

Wood, Samuel.

Born and living in Middlesbrough, Samuel Wood first served with the 7th battalion of the Kings Royal Rifle Corps and then transferred to the Royal Fusiliers.
Posted to the 2/4th battalion, Private Wood was killed in actions during the Battles of the Hindenburg Line on September 10th 1918 at the age of 25.
His grave can be seen today in Epehy Wood Farm Cemetery one mile west of Epehy on the road to Saulcourt.
Samuel Wood was the son of Joseph and Agnes Wood of 7 Black Street in Middlesbrough.

Wood, Stephen J E.

Stephen Wood was born in South Bank and enlisted in Middlesbrough joining the 5th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wood died on August 19th 1918 while the battalion were out of the line at Stella Plage Camp close to Le Touquet.
His grave can be visited today in Glageon Communal Cemetery Extension just south west of Glageon on the road to Fourmies.

Wood, Thomas.

Enlisting in Middlesbrough with the Royal Engineers, Thomas Wood then moved to the 10th battalion of the Tank Corps.
Corporal Wood was killed in action aged 24 on August 9th 1918 and has no known grave his name appearing on the Vis-en-Artois Memorial at Haucourt seven miles south east of Arras.
Thomas Wood was the son of Joseph and Mary Hannah Wood of 124 Ayresome Park Road in Middlesbrough.

Wood, Thomas Henry.

Gunner Thomas Henry Wood served with the 55th Anti-Aircraft Section of the Royal Garrison Artillery.
He died on December 17th 1918 and is buried in Ramleh War Cemetery situated between Tel Aviv and Jerusalem in Israel.

Wood, Thomas Singleton.

Middlesbrough born and living in the town, Thomas Singleton Wood enlisted in Stockton and served with the 227th Field Company of the Royal Engineers.
Sapper Wood was killed during the German spring offensive on March 28th 1918 aged 25 and with no known final resting place is remembered on the Pozieres Memorial by the side of the Bapaume to Albert road on the Somme.
Thomas Wood was the son of Sidney and Martha Wood of 23 Johnson Street in Middlesbrough.

Wood, William Henry.

William Henry Wood was born in Middlesbrough where he enlisted to serve with the 12th battalion of the Northumberland Fusiliers.
Private Wood was killed in action aged 21 on September 27th 1915 at the Battle of Loos and is remembered today on the Loos Memorial at Dud Corner Cemetery.
William Wood was the brother of Martha Wood of 17 Robinson Street in Middlesbrough.

Wood, William Alfred.

Born in Middlesbrough, William Alfred Wood enlisted in the town joining the 129th Battery of the Royal Field Artillery.
Bombardier Wood was wounded in action and died of his injuries on November 6th 1918 his grave today lying in Frasnoy Communal Cemetery situated eight miles south east of Valenciennes.

Woods, Joseph.

Joseph Woods enlisted in his hometown of Middlesbrough and was a member of the 6th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Wounded in actions at Turk Street and the Wonder Work during the Battle of the Somme, Private Woods died of his wounds on September 17th 1916 aged 34.
The son of John and Annie Woods of 61 Cunningham Street in Middlesbrough he is buried in Boulogne Eastern Cemetery on the French channel coast.

Woods, William Henry.

A shipyard worker before the war, William Henry Woods was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in Stockton for war service with the 1st battalion of the Seaforth Highlanders.
Private Woods was killed in actions close to Neuve Chapelle on November 7th 1914 aged 27 and having no known grave is remembered on the Le Touret Memorial on the south side of the Bethune to Armentieres road.

Woodhouse, James S.

James Samuel Woodhouse was born in Middlesbrough where he enlisted into the 10th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Private Woodhouse was killed in action aged 18 on November 18th 1915 and today lies in Ypres Reservoir Cemetery situated to the north west of the town centre of Ypres in Belgium.

Woodward, Thomas.

Guisborough born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Thomas Woodward first served with the Yorkshire Regiment and then transferred to the 8th battalion of the Northumberland Fusiliers.
Wounded in action during the Battle of the Canal du Nord, Private Woodward died of his injuries on September 29th 1918 at the age of 37.
His grave can be visited today in Duisans British Cemetery at Etrun five miles to the west of Arras.
Thomas Woodward was the son of Elizabeth Jane and the late Thomas Woodward of 49 Kings Road in North Ormesby.

Woolnough, Nelson.

Nelson Woolnough was born in Great Ayton and enlisted in Redcar to serve with the 7th battalion of the East Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Woolnough was killed in action aged 21 on December 2nd 1917 two days before the battalion was relieved from the line close to Passchendaele.
He was the nephew of E Cripps of 2 Bellevue Terrace in Marske and his name appears on the Tyne Cot Memorial on the Passcendaele Ridge.

Wormald, Samuel.

Born and living in Whitby, Samuel Wormald worked on the railways before the war when he joined the Royal Army Service Corps.
Private Wormald was with the 884th Mechanical Transport Company attached to the 19th Corps Heavy Artillery when he died on September 2nd 1918 aged 38.
His grave can be seen today in Esquelbecq Military Cemetery thirteen miles north of Hazebrouck and close to the Belgian border.
The son of Whitby couple Joseph and Mary Ellen Wormald he was the husband of Ada Wormald of "Ganton" Well Close Terrace in Whitby.

Worth, Frederick.

Londoner Frederick William Worth did his war service with the 11th battalion of the Kings Royal Rifle Corps.
Rifleman Worth was killed in action aged 20 on March 3rd 1916 and today lies in Essex Farm Cemetery at Boesinghe just north of Ypres in Belgium.

Worthy, George Henry.

Born at Ampleforth near Helmsley, George Henry Worthy lived in Middlesbrough and was a member of the 10th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Wounded in action at the Battle of Loos or shortly after close to Armentieres, Private Worthy passed through the casualty chain to England and died of his wounds on November 19th 1915.
His grave can be seen today in St Hildas Churchyard in his home village of Ampleforth.

Worthy, James Ernest.

James Ernest Worthy was born in Middlesbrough and worked as a foundry labourer before enlisting with the 5th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Worthy was wounded in actions close to Moreuil during the 1918 German spring offensive and died of his injuries aged 34 on April 7th 1918.
His grave can be visited today in St Sever Cemetery Extension situated two miles to the south of Rouen city centre.

Worton, John Henry.

Enlisting in Middlesbrough, John Henry Worton did his war service with the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Worton was killed in fighting close to the Steenbeek east of Ypres on April 29th 1918 and today lies in Perth Cemetery, China Wall, at Zillebeke two miles from Ypres town centre.
John Worton was the son of John and Christiana Worton of 5 Stephenson Street in North Ormesby.

Worton, William Henry.

William Henry Worton was North Ormesby born and enlisted in Middlesbrough joining the 2nd battalion of the Kings Royal Rifle Corps.
Wounded in actions close to Polygon Wood east of Ypres, Rifleman Worton died of his wounds aged 31 on October 31st 1914 and is remembered today on the Menin Gate Memorial in Ypres.
He was the son of the late Samuel and Rebecca Worton and the husband of Margaret Ann Worton of 5 Herbert Street in North Ormesby.

Wratten, George Edmund.

Living in Brotton, George Edmund Wratten enlisted in Skelton to serve with the 4th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wratten was killed in fighting at Hill 60 in the Ypres Salient on February 14th 1916 at the age of 36.
His grave can be visited today in Railway Dugouts Burial Ground at Zillebeke to the south east of Ypres in Belgium.

Wray, Alfred Mattison.

Alfred Mattison Wray was born in Middlesbrough enlisting in the town for war service with the 20th battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.
Wounded in actions during the 1918 Somme fighting, Sergeant Wray died of his injuries in a Base Hospital on April 6th 1918 at the age of 19.
His grave can be seen today in Les Baraques Military Cemetery at Sangatte situated three miles from Calais.

Wray, George.

Grangetown born George Wray enlisted in Middlesbrough joining the 2nd battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wray was killed in action aged 27 at the Battle of Loos on September 25th 1915 and having no known grave is remembered on the Loos Memorial at Dud Corner Cemetery on the Lens to Bethune road.
George Wray was the son of Mrs Mary Ann Easby of 12 Pierson Street in North Ormesby.

Wray, Harry.

Harry Wray was Middlesbrough born and served in the Merchant Navy as a Fireman aboard the SS Britannia.
He perished aged 19 on October 19th 1917 when the Britannia was torpedoed and sunk in the English Channel.
Harry Wray was the son of Emily Wray nee Tilley and the late Henry Wray of 75 Ayresome Street in Middlesbrough his name being remembered today on the Tower Hill Memorial in Trinity Square in London.

Wright, Albert Edward.

Born and enlisting in Middlesbrough, Albert Edward Wright first served with the Yorkshire Regiment before transferring to the 9th battalion of the Duke of Wellingtons West Riding Regiment.
Private Wright was killed in fighting north of Englefontaine and close to the Forest of Mormal on November 4th 1918 at the age of 33.
His grave can be visited today in Romeries Communal Cemetery Extension in the village of Romeries nine miles south of Valenciennes.

Wright, Louis.

Double entry, see Lewis Herbert Wright listed below.

Wright, E.

Born in Middlesbrough, Ernest William Wright served in the Merchant Navy as a Mess Room Steward aboard the SS Sowwell.
He died aged just 17 on April 19th 1917 when the SS Sowwell was torpedoed one hundred and seventy miles west of Gibraltar.
Ernest Wright was the son of Nicholas William and Mary Wright of Heath Cottage in North Ormesby and is remembered on the Tower Hill Memorial in Trinity Square in London.

Wright, Herbert Huitson.

Herbert Huitson Wright was born in Middlesbrough where he enlisted with the Yorkshire Regiment before transferring to the 10th battalion of the Kings Own Yorkshire Light Infantry.
Private Wright was killed in action aged 19 on September 16th 1916 as the battalion attacked the German held Gird Trench during the Battle of the Somme.
With no known final resting place his name appears on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme.

Wright, Richard.

Gateshead born Richard Wright enlisted in Middlesbrough into the Yorkshire Regiment and then transferred to the 19th battalion of the Lancashire Fusiliers.
Private Wright was killed in actions at the 1st Battle of Kemmel on April 18th 1918 and today lies in Wulverghem-Lindenhoek Road Military Cemetery situated seven miles south of Ypres and close to the village of Kemmel.

Wright, John Charles.

John Charles Wright was Middlesbrough born and enlisted in Northallerton to serve with the 10th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wright was killed in fighting at Glencorse Wood east of Ypres during the Passchendaele offensive on October 4th 1917 at the age of 20.
The son of Arthur and Margaret Wright of 19 Aire Street in Middlesbrough he is remembered today on the Tyne Cot Memorial on the Passchendaele Ridge.

Wright, Thomas Percival.

Born in Middlesbrough, Thomas Percival Wright served in the Merchant Navy as the 3rd Engineer on the Newcastle registered SS Welsh Prince.
He perished at the age of 28 on October 13th 1916 when the Welsh Prince was torpedoed thirty three miles south west of Cape Matapan off the southern coast of Greece.
Thomas Wright was the son of Mr Joseph Wright of 3 Lawrence Street in Redcar, his name remembered today on the Tower Hill Memorial in London.

Wright, Lewis Herbert.

Lewis Herbert Wright was born in Thirsk and enlisted in Middlesbrough joining the 9th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wright was killed in actions close to Cameron Covert during the Passchendaele offensive on October 2nd 1917 aged 27 and having no known grave is remembered today on the Tyne Cot Memorial five miles to the north east of Ypres in Belgium.
Lewis Wright was the son of Mr George Wright of 7 Apsley Street in Middlesbrough.

Wright, William Robert.

Middlesbrough born and enlisting in the town, William Robert Wright was a member of the 7th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Sergeant Wright was killed in fighting at the village of Sailly-Saillisel on February 8th 1917 at the age of 26.
The son of George William and Catherine Barbara Wright of 16 Bottomley Street in Middlesbrough he is remembered on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme.

Wycherley, George.

George Wycherley was Middlesbrough born and served with the 55th Anti-Aircraft Company of the Royal Engineers attached to the Royal Air Force.
Sapper Wycherley was killed while flying in a DH 6 aircraft of the 125th squadron on July 13th 1918 at the age of 21.
Buried in Linthorpe Cemetery he was the son of Mr G D Wycherley of 109 Oxford Road in Middlesbrough.

Wynn, John.

Born and living in Thornaby, John Harold Wynne enlisted in Stockton joining the 8th battalion of the Yorkshire Regiment.
Private Wynne was killed in an afternoon attack on the village of Contalmaison during the Battle of the Somme on July 10th 1916 aged 21.
He has no known grave and is remembered on the Thiepval Memorial on the Somme and was the son of John and Mary Wynne of 25 Mansfield Avenue in Thornaby.

Wyznais, Vincent.

His correct name was Vincent Wajnis and born at Alvintz in Russia he enlisted in Middlesbrough with the Yorkshire Regiment later transferring to the 9th battalion of the York and Lancaster Regiment.
Private Wajnis was killed in fighting at the Battle of Polygon Wood during the Passchendaele offensive on September 30th 1917.
He has no known final resting place and is remembered on the Tyne Cot Memorial on the slopes of the Passchendaele Ridge.