

WW1 CASUALTIES - CHUTE & CHUTE FOREST

*They shall grow not old as we who are left grow old
Age shall not weary them nor the years condemn
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them*



An account of the men who left these rural parts to defend our freedom

Arthur William Chamberlain	Frederick James Cook
Norman Henry Cook	Walter Edwin M Eyles
Michael Randolph Fowle	Sidney Herbert Goodall
Albert Hawkins	Frederick James Hayes
John Francis J Joicey-Cecil	Leonard Jack Long
Walter Charles North	Charles Herbert G Randall
Henry Lancelot Ridley	Charles Scarlett
Geoffrey Lawrence Scott	Gerald Robert Scutt
Albert Richard Skeates	

17 lives were lost from these two tiny communities amongst them the sons of two parish Rectors
13 lie in foreign lands - Turkey, France, Iraq, Belgium and Greece

*Oh, for a glimpse of the grave where you're laid
only to lay a flower at your head
Mother*

ARTHUR WILLIAM CHAMBERLAIN

Birth registration not found prob. 1892/3 Chute Wilts
Son of Mr Joseph Chamberlain (native to Yattendon Berks) and Mrs Mary Georgina Chamberlain (native to Tangley Hants) of 15 Colchester Road Wivenhoe Essex
Brother of Evelyn, Victor, Elizabeth, Herbert, Florence, Ethel, Frederick, Frank and Ernest
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

2nd Battalion Hampshire Regiment
Service No: 9086
Rank: Private



Died of wounds age 22 on 6 May 1915 Gallipoli
Remembered with honour
HELLES MEMORIAL TURKEY
Panel 125-134 or 223-226 228-229 & 328
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FREDERICK JAMES COOK

Born December Q 1869 Clanville Hants
Son of Mr Charles Cook (native to Chute) and Mrs Emma Cook (native to Clanville Hants)
Brother of William and Henry
Husband of Mrs Mary Annie Cook (nee Cook) of Upper Chute

1st Battalion Canadian Infantry
Regimental No: 136323
Rank: Private



Died age 47 on 13 June 1916
Remembered with honour
NEW IRISH FARM CEMETERY BELGIUM
Grave Ref: XXX1V.A.9
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NORMAN HENRY COOK

Born June Q 1896 Clanville Hants
Son of Mr Henry George (native to Clanville Hants) and Mrs Louisa Cook (native to Tangley Hants) of 4 Orchard Cottages Chute Forest Lodge. Brother of Jessie, Lillian, Alice & Phyllis
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

1st Battalion Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment)
Service No: 22844
Rank: Private



Died of wounds age 20 on 28 August 1916
Remembered with honour
FORCEVILLE COMMUNAL CEMETERY FRANCE
Ref: Plot 3 Row B Grave 11
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WALTER EDWIN M EYLES

Born June Q 1896 Oxenwood Berks
Son of Mr Thomas Eyles (native to Chute) and Mrs Louisa J Eyles (native to Netherton Hants) of Upper Chute. Brother of Frederick, Mary, Frank, Irene and Charles
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

14th Kings Hussars Household Cavalry & Cavalry of the Line (incl Yeomanry & Imperial Camel Corps)
Service No: 11576
Rank: Shoeing Smith



Killed in action age 22 on 28 September 1918 Mesopotamia
Remembered with honour
BASRA MEMORIAL IRAQ
Panel 2
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MICHAEL RANDOLPH FOWLE

Born Sept Q 1893 Chute Forest Wilts
Son of Mr William Hugh Fowle JP (native to Durrington Wilts) and Mrs Isabel Lucy Fowle (native to London) of Chute Forest House.
Brother of William, Charles, Frank, Barbara, Phylis, Andrew & Henry
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

2nd Battalion Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment)
Rank: Lieutenant



Killed in action age 21 on 24 November 1914
Remembered with honour
YPRES (MENIN GATE) MEMORIAL BELGIUM
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SYDNEY HERBERT GOODALL

Born September Q 1893 Winterbourne Wilts
Son of Mr Henry Goodall (native to Chute) and Mrs Elizabeth Ann Goodall (nee Sexton, native to Chute) of St. Mary Bourne Hants
Brother of Eliza, William, Arthur, George, Edwin, Ernest, Frank, Elsie

221st Siege Battery Royal Garrison Artillery
Regimental No: 152650
Rank: Gunner



Killed in action age 24 on 18 September 1917
Theatre of War: France & Flanders
Remembered with honour
KLEIN-VIERSTRAAT BRITISH CEMETERY BELGIUM
Grave Ref: 111.C.11
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ALBERT HAWKINS

Born Sept Q 1876 Upper Chute Wilts
Son of Mr Charles Hawkins (native to Wherwell Hants) & Mrs Caroline Hawkins (native to Chute)
Husband of Martha (native to Ellisfied Hants) of New Barn Cottages Upper Chute
Father of Frederick, Amy, Henry and Elizabeth
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

B Coy 7th Battalion Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment)
Service No: 18630
Rank: Private



Killed in action age 40 on 24 April 1917 Salonika
Remembered with honour
DOIRAN MEMORIAL GREECE
No panel ref given
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FREDERICK JAMES HAYES

Born June Q 1877 Tangley Hants
Son of Mr George Hayes (native to Penton Hants) & Mrs Amelia J Hayes (native to Chute)
of Chute. Brother of Mary, Frederick and Evelyn
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

6th Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry
Service No: 3/5898
Rank: Private



Killed in action age 38 on 8 December 1915
Remembered with honour
WHITE HOUSE CEMETERY ST JEAN LES YPRES BELGIUM
Cottage Garden Cemetery Memorial 25
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JOHN FRANCIS JAMES JOICEY-CECIL

Born Sept Q 1897 St George Hanover Square London
Son of Mr John S Joicey-Cecil (native to Stamford Barron Northants) and Mrs Isabella
Maud Joicey-Cecil (native to Co Durham) of Chute Forest Lodge. Brother of Isabella and Lettice
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

4th Battalion Grenadier Guards
Rank: Lieutenant



Killed in action age 19 on 25 September 1916
Remembered with honour
GUARDS' CEMETERY LESBOEUFS FRANCE
Grave Ref V111.N.9
Commemorated in perpetuity by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

LEONARD JACK LONG

Born June Q 1899 Bradford on Avon Wilts
Son of Police Constable John Long (native to Burbage Wilts) and Mrs Martha Long
(native to Bromham Wilts). Brother of Beatrice and Lillian
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

3rd Battalion (Reserve) Hampshire Regiment
Service No: 357320
Rank: Private



Died at home age 18 on 20 February 1918
Remembered with honour
PORTSDOWN (CHRISTCHURCH) MILITARY CEMETERY HANTS
Grave Ref: B.10A
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WALTER CHARLES NORTH

Born Dec Q 1898 Chute Forest Wilts
Son of Mr William North (native to Barton Nottinghamshire) and Mrs Emma North
(native to Clanville) , of Clanville Farm Andover Hants. Brother of Cyril, Stanley and Olive
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

7th Battalion Prince Albert's (Somerset Light Infantry)
Service No: 28959
Rank: Private



Killed in action age 21 on 2 April 1918
Remembered with honour
POZIERES MEMORIAL FRANCE
Panel Ref 25 & 26
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CHARLES HERBERT G RANDALL

Born Jun Q 1885 Fosbury Berks
Son of Mr Charles Randall (native to Vernham Dean Hants) and Mrs Martha Randall
(native to Kintbury Berks) of Tidcombe Burbage Wilts. Brother of Ellen, Maud and Kate
Husband of Mrs Hannah Maria (nee Harding) Randall of Mid Conholt Andover Hants
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

1st Battalion Princess Charlotte of Wales' (Royal Berkshire Regiment)
Service No: 7510
Rank: Private



Died age 29 on 3 November 1914
Remembered with honour
YPRES (MENIN GATE) MEMORIAL BELGIUM
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HENRY LANCELOT RIDLEY

Born June Q 1888 Chute Wilts
Son of Rev. Lancelot Ridley, Vicar of Chute (native to Ipswich Suffolk) and Mrs Alice Margaret Ridley (native to Warminster Wilts). Brother of Mary Grace and Ethel Muriel
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

12th (Service) (Bristol) Battalion Gloucestershire Regiment
Service No: 14768
Rank: Private



Killed in action France & Flanders age 18 on 29 July 1916
Remembered with honour
LONDON CEMETERY & EXTENSION LONGUEVAL FRANCE
Panel Ref: 4.C.20
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CHARLES SCARLETT

Born March Q 1888 Chute Wilts
Son of Mr Charles Scarlett (native to Collingbourne Kingston Wilts) and Mrs Margaret Scarlett (native to Wexford Ireland)
Brother of Thomas, John, Walter, Bessie, Alice and James

3rd Battalion Worcestershire Regiment
Regimental No: 10046
Rank: Sergeant
Formerly 1st Worcestershire Regiment



Died of wounds age 28 on 17 July 1916
Theatre of War: France & Flanders
Remembered with honour
HEILLY STATION CEMETERY MERICOURT-L'ABBE SOMME FRANCE
Grave Ref: 11.D.6
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GEOFFREY LAWRENCE SCOTT

Born Sept Q 1892 Penkhull Stoke on Trent Staffs
Son of Rev. Inglis C R Scott, Vicar of Chute (native to Durham) and Mrs Harriet Scott (native to Guernsey C.I) of The Vicarage Chute. Brother of Dorothy, Bernard & Joan
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

4th Regiment South African Infantry (served in Transvaal Scottish Regt, German S.W. Africa)
Service No: 14768
Rank: Private



Died age 24 on 15 July 1916
Remembered with honour
DELIVILLE WOOD CEMETERY LONGUEVAL FRANCE
Ref: 111.G.6
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GERALD ROBERT SCUTT

Born Dec Q 1899 Chute Forest Wilts
Son of Mr John Edward Scutt (native to Chute Forest) and Mrs Annie Scutt
(native to Devizes) of Chute Forest Lodge. Brother of Andrew George
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

Training Battalion Machine Gun Corps (Infantry)
Service No: 191240
Rank: Private



Died age 18 on 18 November 1918
Remembered with honour
TIDWORTH MILITARY CEMETERY HAMPSHIRE
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Buried St Mary's Chuchyard Chute Forest
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ALBERT RICHARD SKEATES

Born December Q 1896 Aldermaston Berks
Grandson of Mr Alfred Skeates (native to Appleshaw Hants) and the late Mrs Jane Skeates
(native to Tanglely Hants) of Chute Cadley Wilts
Brother of William
Memorial plaque St Nicholas' church and War Memorial in Upper Chute
Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance

6 Battalion Kings Own Yorkshire Light Infantry
Service No: 23467
Rank: Private
Formerly 19167 13th Reserve Cavalry Regiment



Killed in action age 18 on 31 Aug 1915
Remembered with honour
YPRES RESERVOIR CEMETERY BELGIUM
Grave Ref: X.D.26
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