# LOWICK WAR GRAVES INFORMATION BOTH WORLD WARS

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# LOWICK PARISH WAR MEMORIAL.

#### NORTH FACE.

SACRED
TO THE MEMORY
OF
THOSE MEN WHO GAVE
THEIR LIVES FOR
GOD, KING AND COUNTRY
IN THE GREAT WAR
1914-1919

AND ALSO
TO THE MEMORY
OF
THOSE WHO FELL IN
THE WORLD WAR
1939-1945

"LEST WE FORGET.
THEY DIED THAT WE MIGHT LIVE."

## EAST FACE. (World War I)

Sgt G Pringle	S. L. Inf. (Somerset Light Infantry)	KIA July 3 16
L.Cpl. G Stothart.	K.O.Y.L.I. (Kings Own Yorkshire Light Infantry)	Sept. 6 16
Rfn. R Forester	C of L Regt. (Post Office Rifles.)	Sept.15 16
L/Cpl T Young	S. High. (Seaforth Highlanders)	Oct. 12 16
Pte J Fairbairn	R.S.F. (Royal Scots Fusiliers)	Oct. 15 16
L/Cpl W C Milburn	K.O.Y.L.I. (Kings Own Yorkshire Light Infantry)	Oct. 29 16
AB. A C Mark	R.N. (Royal Navy).	Jan. 19 17.
Dvr. D Fairbairn.	R.A.S.C. (Royal Army Service Corps).	Feb. 7 17.
Pte. G Alexander.	K.O.Y.L.I. (Kings Own Yorkshire Light Infantry).	KIA Feb. 10 17
Pte. F Andrews.	N.F.s (Northumberland Fusiliers).	June 5 17.
Pte. J W Renton.	R.I.Rfls. (Royal Irish Rifles).	Aug. 3 17.
L/Cpl J Corcoran.	M.G.C. (Machine Gun Corps.)	Sept. 8 17.
Pte. A Wade.	N.F.s. Northumberland Fusiliers)	Sept. 22 17

#### WEST FACE. (World War I)

Sgt. B Hills.	N.F.s. (Northumberland Fusiliers).	DoW	Feb 20 18
Sgt. J Scott.	N.F.s (Northumberland Fusiliers).	<b>KIA</b>	Mar 21 18.
Pte. W Smith	Northants Regt (Northamptonshire Regiment)		April 20 18.
L/Cpl. G Proudlock.	R.E. (Royal Engineers)		May 28 18.
Gnr. J H McCraith.	R.F.A. (Royal Field Artillery).	DoW	Sept 6 18.
Pte. S Piercy.	Y. & L. Regt. (Yorks & Lancs.)		Sept 21 18.
Pte. R Wilson.	E. Yk. Regt. (East Yorkshire)	KIA	Sept 28 18.
Pte. R Hills.	A. & S. High. (Argyle & Sutherland Highlanders	s)	Oct 14 18.
L/Cpl J Wilson.	R.A.S.C. (Royal Army Service Corps)		Oct 28 18.
Pte. W Hall.	D.L.I. (Durham Light Infantry)	DoW	Oct 29 18.
L/Cpl. I Proudlock.	K.O.Y.L.I.(Kings Own Yorkshire Light Infantry)	<b>KIA</b>	Sept 29 17.
Pte D Fairbairn.	L.Fs. (Lancashire Fusiliers).		Oct. 9 17.
Pte. E W Sanderson.	A.I.F. (Australian Imperial Force).		Oct 9 17.

### SOUTH FACE. (World War I)

Pte. R Clazie.	M.G.C. (Machine Gun Corps)	Dec 7 18
Pte. T H Bruce.	N.F.s (Northumberland Fusiliers)	Nov 12 18.

#### **SOUTH FACE (World War II)**

Cpl. L Abercrombie.	R.A. (Royal Artillery)	7 May 41.
Guardsman A Aitchison.	C.G. (Coldstream Guards).	2 Jan 40.
Rfn. E Brown.	Cameronians. (Scottish Rifles)	25 April 45.
Cpl. J B Clark.	R.A.F. (Royal Air Force)	15 Jul 45.
Sapper R Watt.	R.E. (Royal Engineers)	4 May 46.

#### COMMONWEALTH WAR GRAVES INFORMATION.

**15872 Serjeant. G Pringle**, 8<sup>th</sup> Battalion, Somerset Light Infantry, died 3.7.1916, aged 33 years. Son of Ralph and Jessie Pringle of Lowick, Northumberland, husband of Janet W Pringle.

DAOURS COMMUNITY CEMETERY EXTENSION (Somme).

**24269** L/Cpl George Stothart, 'Z' Coy. 11<sup>th</sup> Bn. Northumberland Fusiliers, died 6.9.1916 aged 21 years. Son of Thomas and Cecily Stothart, Hetton Limeworks, Lowick, Northumberland.

ETAPLES MILITARY CEMETERY.

**3588 Rifleman. Robert Forester**, 1<sup>st</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Bn. London Regiment (Post Office Rifles), died 15.9.1916, aged 20 years. Son of Robert and Agnes Forester, Lowick, Northumberland. THIEPVAL MEMORIAL (Somme).

**8634 Lance Corporal. Thomas Young**, 7<sup>th</sup> Bn. Seaforth Highlanders, died 12.10.1916. Aged 23. Only son of Thomas Young, Lowick High Steads. THIEPVAL MEMORIAL (Somme).

**24055 Private. J Fairbairn**. 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn. Royal Scots Fusiliers, died 15.10.1916. HEILLY STATION CEMETERY, MERICOURT-L'ABBE (Somme)

**7128 Lance Corporal C Milburn**, 1<sup>st</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Bn. Kings Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, died 29.10.1916 aged 21 years. Son of Charles and Jemima. HEBUTERNE MILITARY CEMETERY.

J/63905 Ordinary Seaman Andrew Cowans Mark, Royal Navy (HMS Victory), died 19.1.1917 aged 25 years. Son of Thomas and Mary Mark, Barmoor West Lodge, Lowick Northumberland.

Buried--- LOWICK ST JOHN the BAPTIST CHURCHYARD.

**T/293580 Driver. D Fairbairn**, No. 3 Depot Company (Bradford), died 7.2.1917 aged 20 years. Son of David and Catherine Fairbairn, Old School House, Main Street, Lowick, Northumberland.

Buried--- LOWICK ST JOHN the BAPTIST CHURCHYARD.

**24817 Private. George Alexander**, 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn. Kings Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, died 10.2.1917.

THIEPVAL MEMORIAL (Somme)

**35530 Private. Frank Andrews**, 21<sup>st</sup> (Tyneside Scottish) Bn. Northumberland Fusiliers, died 5.6.1917 aged 30 years. Son of the late Frank and Johan Andrews. CABARET ROUGE BRITISH CEMETERY, SOUCHEZ (Pas de Calais).

**42893 Rifleman. John W Renton**, 8<sup>th</sup> Bn. Royal Irish Rifles, died 3.8.1917 aged 23 years. Son of Ralph and Margaret Renton, Chillingham, Alnwick, Northumberland. YPRES (MENIN GATE) MEMORIAL.

**71049 Private J Corcoran**, 102 Coy. (Machine Gun Corps), died 8.9.1917. JEANCOURT COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION (Aisne

**16/1143 Private. Alexander Wade**, 1<sup>st</sup> Bn. Northumberland Fusiliers, died 22.9.1917. Son of Margaret Wade and the late T Wade, Bowsden Hall, Berwick on Tweed. TYNE COT MEMORIAL.

**202881 Sergeant. B Hills**, 12<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> Bn. Northumberland Fusiliers, died 20.2.1918. TINCOURT NEW BRITISH CEMETERY (Somme).

**401794 Sergeant. Joseph Charlton Scott**, 852<sup>nd</sup> Area Employment Company, Labour Corps, (late 2765 Cpl. 7<sup>th</sup> Bn. Northumberland Fusiliers) died 21.3.1918 aged 25 years. Brother of Mrs Grace Hills of Bowsden, Berwick on Tweed.

ACHIET-LE-GRAND COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION (Pas de Calais)

**40711 Private. W Smith,** 1<sup>st</sup> Bn. Northamptonshire Regiment, died 20.4.1918. POST OFFICE RIFLES CEMETERY, FESTUBERT.

**59474 Lance Corporal. George Proudlock**, 98<sup>th</sup> Field Company, Royal Engineers, died 28.5.1918, aged 31 years. Son of Lewis and Jane Proudlock, of Bowsden, Berwick-on-Tweed. SOISSONS MEMORIAL.

**129992 Gunner J. McCraith**, "D" Battery, 78<sup>th</sup> Bde. Royal Field Artillery, died 6.9.1918. LEBUCQUIERE COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION.

**33357 Private J Piercy**, 13<sup>th</sup> Bn. York and Lancaster Regiment, died 21.9.1918, aged 31 years. Husband of the late Sarah Carr Piercy of Lowick, Northumberland. LA KREULE MILITARY CEMETERY, HAZEBROUCK.

**36797 Private R Wilson**, 10<sup>th</sup> Bn. East Yorkshire Regiment, died 28.9.1918. UNDERHILL FARM CEMETERY.

S/18217 Private Ralph Hills, 1<sup>st</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> Bn. Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, died 14.10.1918. TYNE COT MEMORIAL.

**DM2/209887 Private John Wilson**, 1011<sup>th</sup> M.T. Coy. Army Service Corps, died 28 10 1918 aged 38 years. Son of Thomas Wilson of Lowick; husband of Mrs J. A. Wilson of Lowick, Berwick-on-Tweed.

BEIRUT WAR CEMETERY.

1005413 Private William Hall, 2<sup>nd</sup> Bn. Durham Light Infantry, died 29.10.1918, aged 21 years. Son of John and Margaret Hall of Lowick. Buried-LOWICK (St. John the Baptist) CHURCHYARD.

**24828 Lance Corporal Isaac Proudlock**, 8<sup>th</sup> Bn. Kings Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, died 29.9.1917 aged 29 years. Son of Lewis and Jane Proudlock of Bowsden, Berwick-on-Tweed; husband of Mary Jane Proudlock, of 32, Chevington Crescent, Morpeth, Northumberland. HOOGE CRATER CEMETERY.

**39002 Private David Fairbairn**, 2<sup>nd</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Bn. Lancashire Fusiliers, died 9.10.1917 TYNE COT MEMORIAL.

**6385A Private Edward Wilson Sanderson**, 28<sup>th</sup> Bn. Australian Infantry, A.I.F. died 9.10.1917 aged 35 years. Son of Charles and Elizabeth Sanderson, of Barmoor Cottages, Beal, Northumberland, England. Native of Lowick, Northumberland. YPRES (MENIN GATE) MEMORIAL.

71037 Private R. Clazie, 206<sup>th</sup> Coy. Machine Gun Corps (Inf.), died <u>7.12.1918</u>. NEUF-BRISACH COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION.

**83667 Private Thomas Hall Bruce**, 12<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> Bn. Northumberland Fusiliers, died 12.11.1918, aged 29 years. Youngest son of Andrew Geggie Bruce, of Beal Farm, Beal, Northumberland; husband of Robina Bruce.

ROCQUIGNY-EQUANCOURT ROAD BRITISH CEMETERY, MANANCOURT.

#### World War II

1530037 Gunner Leslie Abercrombie, 322 Bty. 103 H.A.A. Regt. Royal Artillery, died7.5.1941 aged 21 years. Son of Johnstone and Elizabeth Abercrombie of Lowick. Buried- LOWICK (St. John the Baptist) CHURCHYARD.

2659603 Guardsman Alexander Aitchison, Coldstream Guards, died 2.1.1940 aged 29 years. Son of Alexander and Elizabeth Alice Aitchison of Bowsden. Buried-LOWICK (St. John the Baptist) CHURCHYARD.

14665882 Rifleman Eric Brown, 9<sup>th</sup> Bn. Cameronians (Scottish Rifles). Died of wounds 25.4.1945, aged 28 years. Son of Joseph and Elizabeth Adaline Mary Brown of Lowick, Northumberland.

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1070036 Corporal John Braithwaite Clark, Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, died 15.7.1945.

KHAYAT BEACH WAR CEMETERY.

14384618 Lance Corporal Robert Watt, 10 Rly. Constr. Coy. Royal Engineers, died 4.5.1946, aged 31 years. Son of Thomas and Dorothy Jane Watt of Lowick, Northumberland. UDINE WAR CEMETERY.