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Watton churchyard

A few commemorations are apparent in the churchyard and are included at the end of the list of burials.

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World War One

And

World War Two

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ALEXANDER, JOHN EWART

Rank	Second Lieutenant
Number	-
Date	14/04/1916
Age	20
Service	Norfolk Regiment, 10th Bn.

Son of John and Fanny Alexander, of Wayland House, The Avenue, Recreation Rd., Norwich. Born at Watton.

DREW, GEORGE

Rank	Gunner
Number	286891
Date	19/06/1918
Age	52
Service	Royal Garrison Artillery

Born at Watton. Son of George and Henrietta Drew; husband of Jessie Wilkins (formerly Drew), of 65, Cowper St., Bootle.

FRANCIS, GEORGE WILLIAM

Rank	Private
Number	M/338724
Date	01/05/1919
Age	41
Service	Royal Army Service Corps, M.T.

GOODRICK, GEORGE HORATIO

Rank	Private
Number	37885
Date	15/11/1918
Age	33
Service	Somerset Light Infantry 1st Bn.

Son of Nehemiah and Lydia Goodrick

WHALEBELLY, PERCY JAMES

Rank	Private
Number	63806
Date	05/03/1919
Age	36
Service	Suffolk Regiment, Depot Bn.

Son of William and Isabella Fanny Whalebelly of Watton; husband of Sarah Ethel Whalebelly, of White House, Watton.

Second World War,
most had residency other than Watton

ALLEN, ARTHUR HENRY

Rank	Squadron Leader (pilot)
Number	05233
Date	18/03/1941
Age	30
Service	Royal Air Force 21 Sqdn.

Son of Arthur and Adeline Frances Emily Allen, of Westminster, London.

BALL, JOHN BRAYFIELD

Rank	Leading Aircraftman (U/T Wireless Op./Air Gunner)
Number	524840
Date	06/04/1940
Age	21
Service	Royal Air Force, 21 Sqdn.

A Londoner, born in St. Pancras.

BOTTRILL, KENNETH HULBERT

Rank	Pilot Officer (Pilot)
Number	106665
Date	16/02/1942
Age	20
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 82 Sqdn.

Son of Percy Charles and Florence Charlotte Bottrill, of Ilford, Essex.

BURROWS, WILLIAM JOHN

Rank	Corporal
Number	932164
Date	24/03/1943
Age	41
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of William and Sarah Burrows, of Hoxton, London.

CARTER, EDWARD RONALD

Rank	Flight Lieutenant (Pilot)
Number	51728
Date	09/07/1946
Age	27
Service	Royal Air Force

Son of Rosa Carter, and stepson of Archibald Flower; husband of Irene Gwendoline Carter, of Kenton, Middlesex.

CHEADLE, ALFRED RONALD

Rank	Sergeant (Pilot)
Number	1016810
Date	26/01/1942
Age	20
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 82 Sqdn.

Son of Frank and Florence Cheadle, of Bolton, Lancashire.

CLARK, NORMAN GEORGE

Rank	Flight Sergeant (Pilot)
Number	411370
Date	25/02/1943
Age	22
Service	Royal New Zealand Air Force

Son of George and Louisa Ann Clark.

CLARKE, DANIEL JOSEPH

Rank	Flight Sergeant
Number	414467
Date	02/06/1943
Age	20
Service	Royal Australian Air Force

Son of Patrick John and Katherine Clarke, of Wilston, Queensland, Australia.

CONNELLY, HARRY IAN FORSYTH

Rank	Sergeant (Air Gunner)
Number	412887
Date	10/10/1942
Age	23
Service	Royal New Zealand Air Force, 149 (R.A.F.) Sqdn.

Son of Harry Forsyth Connelly and Doris Connelly, of Parnell, Auckland, New Zealand.

COOPER, NICHOLAS AITKEN

Rank	Pilot Officer (Observer)
Number	64325
Date	04/07/1941
Age	21
Service	Royal Air Force 82 Sqdn.

From the Chertsey area in Surrey

ECKERSLEY, JOSEPH ALBAN

Rank	Sergeant (Observer)
Number	998677
Date	26/01/1942
Age	21
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 82 Sqdn.

Son of James and Maria Eckersley, of Orrell Post, Lancashire.

ELLIOT, ARTHUR HENRY

Rank	Sergeant (Pilot)
Number	605462
Date	29/08/1942
Age	22
Service	Royal Air Force

Son of Arthur H. Elliot and Kathleen M. Elliot, of Westminster, London.

Of United States of America

GODDARD, HORACE RAYMOND

Rank	Flying Officer (Air Bomber)
Number	152303
Date	23/04/1944
Age	29
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 78 Sqdn.

Son of James and Rose Henrietta Goddard, of Watton.

Crashed at Sutton-on-Derwent on a training flight.

GOVETT, RICHARD BENSON

Rank	Sergeant (Pilot)
Number	1389622
Date	03/01/1943
Age	20
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of Edward and Ethel Govett, of Winton, Bournemouth, Hampshire.

GRANT, FREDERIC NORMAN

Rank	Pilot Officer
Number	404461
Date	13/09/1941
Age	25
Service	Royal Australian Air Force

Son of Norman Frederic and Maud Florence Grant, of Auchenflower, Queensland, Australia.

HALL, OWEN

Rank	Sergeant (Wireless Op./Air Gunner)
Number	751473
Date	04/07/1941
Age	33
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 82 Sqdn.

HAMMOND, ALBERT STANLEY

Rank	Aircraftman 2nd Class
Number	1200763
Date	29/01/1941
Age	33
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of Percy and Jenny Hammond; nephew of Mrs. E. L. Hall, of Fetcham, Surrey.

HERON, FRANK BROWN

Rank	Flight Sergeant (Pilot)
Number	R/93513
Date	07/07/1942
Age	20
Service	Royal Canadian Air Force 21 (R.A.F.) Sqdn.

Son of Frank Brown Graham Heron and Elizabeth Malcolm Heron, of Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.

HOLMES, ANDRE

Rank	Sergeant (Pilot)
Number	41172
Date	16/03/1942
Age	21
Service	Royal New Zealand Air Force

Son of Mrs. G. Ardagh Holmes, of Monte Carlo, Monaco.

HOWELL, RICHARD HERBERT

Rank	Sergeant (Air Gunner)
Number	1389535
Date	10/04/1943
Age	35
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 103 Sqdn.

Son of Reginald Richard and Jenny Howell, of New Malden, Surrey; husband of Alice Maud Howell, of New Malden.

KIRKLAND, DOUGLAS JAMES

Rank	Flight Sergeant (Observer)
Number	411219
Date	15/10/1942
Age	22
Service	Royal New Zealand Air Force, 21 (R.A.F.) Sqdn.

Son of Douglas Henry and Alice Isabel Kirkland, of Mount Eden, Auckland, New Zealand.

MALUISH, GEORGE DOUGLAS

Rank	Flight Sergeant (Observer)
Number	R/687000
Date	07/07/1942
Age	23
Service	Royal Canadian Air Force, 21 (R.A.F.) Sqdn.

Son of George and Violet Maluish, of Kenora, Ontario, Canada.

MCKENZIE, KENNETH GEORGE

Rank	Sergeant (Observer / Bomb Aimer
Number	404571
Date	10/10/1942
Age	34
Service	Royal New Zealand Air Force, 149 (R.A.F.) Sqdn.

Son of Thomas and Ester McKenzie; husband of Mary Ella McKenzie, of Invercargill, Southland, New Zealand.

NORMAN, ARTHUR JOHN

Rank	Sergeant (Observer)
Number	904424
Date	22/01/1941
Age	20
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 82 Sqdn.

RITTER, PETER ERNEST

Rank	Sergeant (Observer)
Number	1375091
Date	13/09/1941
Age	20
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 21 Sqdn.

Son of Ernest George and Beatrice L. Ritter, of Northolt Park, Middlesex

STAPLEDON, IAN

Rank	Pilot Officer (Pilot)
Number	40438
Date	06/04/1940
Age	20
Service	Royal Air Force, 21 Sqdn.

Son of Charles Cyril and Eileen Dorothy Stapledon, of Ferndown, Dorsetshire.

STEELE, MORGAN GEORGE "MARK"

Rank	Flight Sergeant (Pilot)
Number	512566
Date	02/11/1940
Age	31
Service	Royal Air Force

Son of Samuel Morgan Steele and Kate Steele; husband of Phyllis Joan Steele.

STEP, GEORGE EDWARD

Rank	Sergeant (Air Gunner)
Number	1067562
Date	07/07/1942
Age	20
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 21 Sqdn.

Son of Percival G. Step and Fanny Step, of Whitehaven. Cumberland.

TAYLOR, FREDERICK HERBERT HARRY

Rank	Sergeant (Wireless Op./Air Gunner)
Number	755630
Date	22/01/1941
Age	27
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 82 Sqdn.

TENNANT, VICTOR PERCY

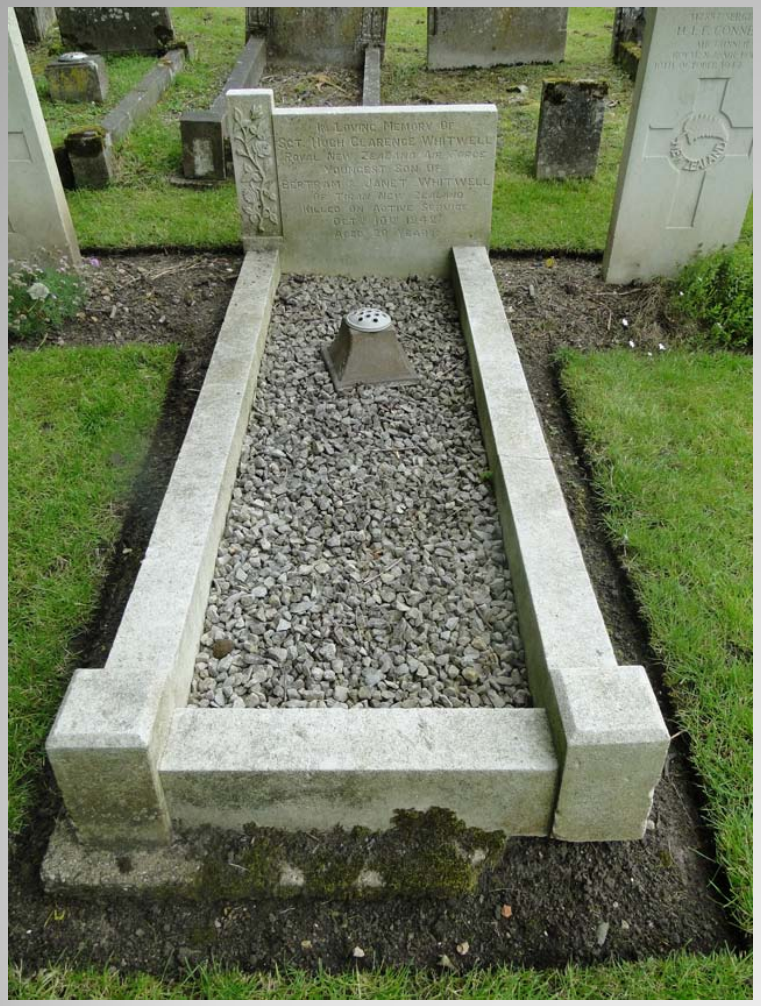
Rank	Guardsman
Number	2656865
Date	06/06/1940
Age	23
Service	Coldstream Guards, 1st Bn.

Son of Percy and Ruth Amelia Tennant, of Watton.

WARREN, LEWIS JOHN

Rank	Sergeant (Observer)
Number	41632
Date	10/10/1942
Age	24
Service	Royal New Zealand Air Force, 149 (R.A.F.) Sqdn.

Son of Charles Henry Warren and of Mary Alice Warren (nee Taylor), of Waipukurau, Hawkes Bay, New Zealand.



WHITWELL, HUGH CLARENCE

Rank	Sergeant (Wireless Op./Air Gunner)
Number	412372
Date	10/10/1942
Age	26
Service	Royal New Zealand Air Force, 149 (R.A.F.) Sqdn.

Son of Bertram Francis and Janet Whitwell, of Tapapa, Auckland, New Zealand.

WILDER, BOTTRELL STANLEY

Rank	Sergeant (Pilot)
Number	413528
Date	14/03/1942
Age	26
Service	Royal New Zealand Air Force

Son of Albert Henry and Dora Wilder, of Christchurch, Canterbury, New Zealand.

Commemorations

ADCOCK, Thomas Edward

Rank	Sergeant
Number	320028
Date	11/10/1918
Age	24
Service	Norfolk Regiment, 12th (Norfolk Yeomanry) Bn.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Adcock, of 3, West End Terrace, Watton, Norfolk; husband of Naomi E. Adcock, of "Conway," Clarence Rd., Gorleston-on-Sea. Enlisted 3rd Aug., 1914.

Commemoration only - Buried at UNDERHILL FARM CEMETERY

The SUMMERS Brothers

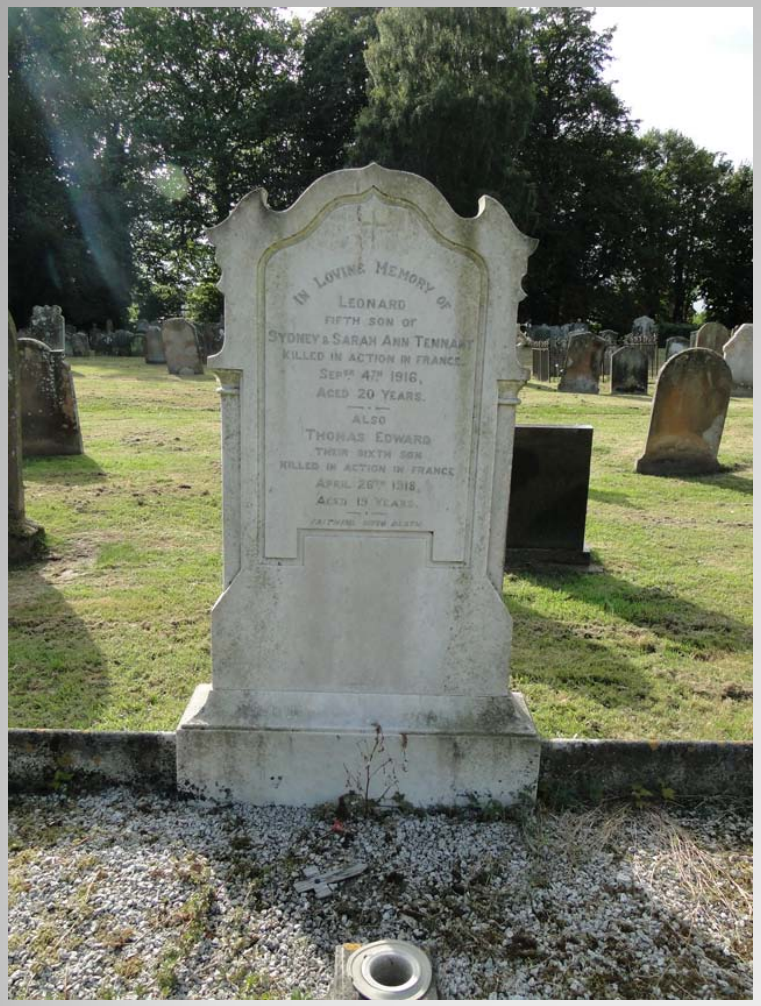
2144, Private, Arthur Charles SUMMERS
Died 16/07/1916,
Aged 30
Middlesex Regiment. 1st Bn.
Buried at DARTMOOR CEMETERY, BECORDEL-BECOURT

15071, Private, William John SUMMERS
Died 03/07/1916,
Aged 23
Worcestershire Regiment,10th Bn.
Commemorated at THIEPVAL MEMORIAL.
No known grave

552633, Rifleman, Frank George SUMMERS
Died 16/12/1917
Aged 30
London Regiment (Queen's Westminster Rifles) 1st/16th Bn.
Commemorated at YPRES (MENIN GATE) MEMORIAL. No known grave

Sons of the late Edmund George and Sarah Jane Summers of Griston Road, Watton

Commemoration only - all buried elsewhere

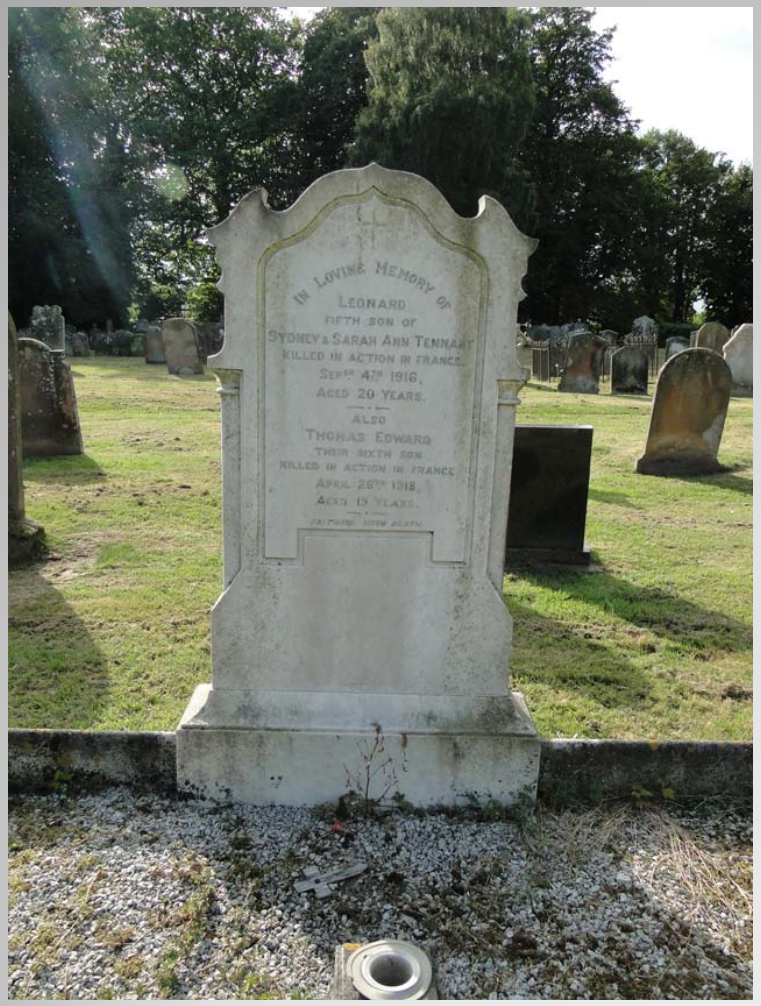


TENNANT, Leonard

Rank	Lance Corporal
Number	43294
Date	04/09/1916
Age	20
Service	Norfolk Regiment, 1st Bn.

Sixth son of Sydney and Sarah Ann Tennant, of Norwich Rd., Watton

Commemoration only -
Commemorated at THIEPVAL MEMORIAL No known grave



TENNANT, Thomas Edward

Rank	Private
Number	201207
Date	27/04/1918
Age	19
Service	Norfolk Regiment 8th Bn. .posted to 8th Bn. London Regiment (Post Office Rifles)

Fifth son of Sydney and Sarah Ann Tennant, of Norwich Rd., Watton

Commemoration only -
also Commemorated at POZIERES MEMORIAL No known grave