

Haggett A.

Serving 2nd Glos. Rgt. 1914-15

(Stroud and The Great War, published by Stroud News 1920)

Haines Albert Edward

Bath Rd. Machine gun Squadron Cavalry, late of the 2nd Dragoon Guards. Home on leave ... looking well... long and trying experience in the trenches. Left ... for duty in France in August 1914, where he has been from the retirement from Mons to the battle of the Somme.

(Stroud Journal 09/02/1917)

Haines Arthur

... Stoker of Butterrow. he has only been in the Navy six weeks but has already gone half-way around the world. (Stroud Journal 22/11/1918)

Haines Fred

Dudbridge

Enlisted – ASC Mechanical transport

(Stroud Journal 16/04/1915)

Haines Thomas

Military record – Attested 18/10/1915. Of The Butts, aged 47, labourer, ex-serviceman.

B.E.F 28/02/1916 to 17/09/1917

Discharged unfit for further war service Nov 1917 (Myalgia to active service overseas).

Haines William Herbert

Sergeant. Son of the late bandsman W.T. Harris, 27th Inniskillings and Mrs Haines Bath Rd, Stroud, married Emily Kate Crosby of Horns Rd, Stroud on Dec 27th 1915 at Holy Trinity Church.
(Stroud News 31/12/1915)

Hall Charles

Stroud Journal 17/1/1919:

Another successful one who has well-earned his discharge, is Charles Hall of Dudbridge, who in previous times worked at the ironworks there. He has done 3 years of trench service of the real bitter sort with the South Wales Borderers, then contracting a bad dose of flu, subsided into hospital from whence he received his ticket.

Hall H.J.

Listed as serving Stroud News 1915

Halliday George

Rodborough. Son of George. RAMC. Of Hound Brand and Empire orchestra fame.

(Stroud Journal 17/08/1917)

Halliday Ray

Rodborough. Son of George. Sussex Regt. *After two years of the thick of the front, Ray & Ted reckon that Arras was the battle of all.*

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Halliday Ted

Rodborough. Son of George. RHA. *After two years of the thick of the front, Ray & Ted reckon that Arras was the battle of all. Ted is now on ten days leave after twenty months. ... Ted is a shining example of what an open air army life can do, as doctors before he joined up practically gave him up as sure to go aloft, but today he looks and is as strong as a cart horse.*

(Stroud Journal 17/08/1917)

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Halling Albert Edward

1918 absent voter (Spillmans Rd)

Halling Raymond

1918 absent voter (Spillmans Pitch)

Hancock Alfred William

1918 absent voter (Bath Rd)

Harding Mark Willliam

1918 absent voter (Butterrow)

Harris Albert Edward

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(A.E Harris listed as served in RAMC on Holloways Bros War Memorial)

1918 absent voter (Spillmans Rd)

Harris A.H.

Territorial Force

Harris Archibald Percy

Military record – Enlisted 09/01/1915, of Fromehall View, Bath Rd, aged 29, married, gardener.

Labour Corps. Served in France. Demobilised 30/08/1919.
1918 absent voter (Bath Rd)

Harris H.J.

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Harris Harold

Brother of Arthur Harris who died at Passendaele in 1917 and is listed on Rodborough's war memorial. He was 21 in 1919. He doesn't appear to have married and died at the family home in 1951 aged 53.

Stroud Journal 10/01/1919

Another prisoner of war home is Harold Harris of Bath Rd, known affectionately by his confreres as "Dony." He was one of the finest soccer players that ever turned out for the Rodborough Old Boys... one of the Craft School boys ... one of the smartest, cleverest players...Now unfortunately, he has lost a leg, which was poisoned by German shrapnel and taken off by them. In spite of this his heart is with the rolling leather sphere and we confidently expect to see him following the national game one way or other.

Hathaway Harry

Military record – Called up in June 1918, aged 20, of Court Bank, Butterrow, labourer.

Royal Defence Corps / Labour Corps. Several records of conduct offences: late on parade, improperly dressed on parade, leaving his tent in an untidy condition.

4ft 11ins, 83lbs (just under 6 stone!), chest measurement 31 inches.

Hathaway Norman Tom

Butterrow. Enlisted - Stroud Journal 30/04/1915

Military record – Attested 28/04/1915, of Court bank, Butterrow, age 20 labourer, 5ft 2 1/2ins.

Discharged 28/06/1915 (no longer physically fit for war service)

Distal phalynx of right thumb missing from an accident before enlistment. Painful stump: unable to use a rifle properly. Not the result of military service.

(Norman Tom was a sawmill hand in 1911)

Hatton Frederick Herbert

Special Reserves
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Hawkins E

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Hawkins Frederick Arthur

Military record – Attested 05/03/1915. Of 5 Field Rd,
Rodborough, baker.

Gave his age as 19. He was in fact 14!

Discharged 02/09/1915 (misstatement as to age on enlistment).

Hawkins John Philip

1918 absent voter (Field Rd)

Haynes Walter Watkins

Listed as serving Stroud News 1915

1918 absent voter (The Butts)

Hawkes Henry Alfred

1918 absent voter (Dudbridge Rd)

Heaven Tom

Born 1896, joined the Royal Navy in 1916 and served at training and shore establishments (HMS Vivid and HMS Sandhurst) until demobilised in 1919.



Tom Heaven taken in 1917.

Later Tom lived at Rock View Cottage, The Butts and he was there until the mid 1980s.

Stroud Journal 24/01/1917:

Engine Room Artificer Heaven, son of Mr Heaven tailor of Bath Rd, who was on a few days leave. Fine build chappie of close on 6 ft, yet quite a youngster. Looks quite knobby in naval outfit too. Is anxious to get back to somewhere around Owen's Ferry to get his ticket. He joined while an apprentice with Messrs. Whitfield's Engineers of Cainscross.

Heaven Ward (known as Peter)

Born 1899. Served in the 1st Battalion Devon Regiment and on demobilisation in November 1919 was placed on the Z Reserve list. Brother of Tom and of Percy Heaven who is listed on Rodborough's war memorial.



Peter Ward Heaven c1917

Hebbourn Frank

Lightpill Enlisted RE at Gloucester. (Stroud Journal 19/1/1915)

Hemming Frank

Dudbridge. Gunner RGA Portsmouth

(Stroud Journal 22/06/1917)

Hemming Ronald

Dudbridge. Enlisted 13th Glos (Stroud Journal 22/10/1915)

Hebbourn Frank

Lightpill Enlisted RE at Gloucester. (Stroud Journal 19/01/1915)

Herbert Harry Vincent

Military record – Attested 03/02/1915, of Meadow End,
Dudbridge, age 33, married, haulier.

Heskins Frank

Mrs Heskins, Moor View, Kingscourt was pleased to receive a card last week from her son, Pte. Frank C. Heskins of 1/5th Yorks, tating that he is a prisoner in Germany, wounded and in hospital, not having heard from him for nine weeks.

(Stroud Journal 02/04/1918)

Hick R.

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Hill E.W.

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His wife, Rose Ada Hill, died on 09/01/1917 aged 30, at Vine Tree Cottage, Kingscourt. Pioneer Hill with Royal Engineers in France. He was granted leave to come home and see his wife arriving on 7th January.

(Stroud Journal 19/01/1917)

Hill Fred

Stroud News 04/08/1916:

Sergeant ... of Dudbridge (brother of Wally), the right hand man of Mr Butt at the Wallbridge Coal wharf... Known on the football field ... returned wounded.

Hill George William

1918 absent voter (Rooksgrove)

Hill Wally

Stroud News 04/08/1916:

Brother of Fred ... Known on the football field.

Hillier Sidney Arthur

Military record – Attested 28/08/1916, of Butterow, age 38, married, Insurance Agent. Served in France 1917, R.F.A 1918 absent voter (Butterow)

Hitchens A

Listed as serving Stroud News 1915

Hodges E

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Hodges M.C.H.

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Hogan William

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Hogan W

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Hogg Frank

1918 absent voter (Court Bank)

Holbrow Lewis Daniel

1918 absent voter (Dunkeld, Butterrow)

Holder Charles William

Military record – Attested 29/11/1915, of Selsley View, Golden Cross, Stroud, age 28, married, clerk. Transferred to labour Corps 1918 and appointed Acting Corporal, at garrison headquarters.

1918 absent voter (Golden Cross)

Holder Henry James

Military record – Attested 29/11/1915, of Lower Spillmans, age 27, married, tailor's cutter. Served in France

1918 absent voter (Lower Spillmans)

Holland E.C.

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Hopkins Albert Maitland

Military record – Attested 04/07/1916. Of Kingscourt, age 33, married, machine hand. Moved to Uplands.

Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection: 'Under standard chest measurement'

Hopkins Frederick

1918 absent voter (Gastrells)

Horton Charles Edward

Rodborough Enlisted (Stroud Journal 06/08/1915)

I would be very proud if you included granddad's picture on your website. Edward was his middle name. He was also a special constable in Stroud. He worked at Stroud Brewery at Salmon Springs I think, as he lived up the hill from there at Callowell where he brought up seven children with his wife Sarah.



Pictured is Charles Edward Horton of Spillmans Rd. In 1911 he was a carter for the Co-op

1918 absent voter (Spillmans Rd)

Houldey Edward Sam

Enlisted (Stroud Journal 11/06/1915)

Hunt William W.

Bath Rd. Enlisted. Gloucester Royal Field Artillery.
(Stroud Journal 11/06/1915)

Hunt

Stroud Journal 25/02/1917:

Lieut. Hunt of Rodborough Avenue, and late of Messrs. Dudbridge & Sons was home, not yet demobilised, as his technical services are too valuable at the present time to allow him to be released early on.

Hurrell Jim

Rodborough Enlisted 11th Glos
(Stroud Journal 22/10/1915)

Huxford Joseph Henry

1918 absent voter (North Lightpill)

Military record – of Lightpill, serving territorial soldier from 1908