

In Memory of

Private

John Storey

13584, 15th Bn., Durham Light Infantry who died on 25 September 1915

Remembered with Honour

Loos Memorial



Commemorated in perpetuity by
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Great War Ancestor – Record of research

Surname	STOREY
Forenames	John
Home address	9 Church Road, Hetton-le-Hole
Regiment	15 Bn Durham Light Infantry
Notes	Son of Robert William + Elizabeth STOREY

Commonwealth War Graves Commission Website

Rank	Private
Age at death	
Date of death	25 September 1915
Service Number	13584
Cemetery/Memorial	Loos Memorial
Grave/Memorial no	
Additional Information	

Soldiers Died in the Great War 1914-19

Place of birth	Hetton-le-Hole or Eppleton
Place of enlistment	Houghton-le-Spring
Death	France + Flanders KIA
Other regiments, etc.	

Medal Index Cards (TNA WO 372/2)

14 Star	
14-15 Star	✓
British War Medal & Victory	✓
Other	

Soldiers Documents, First World War, 'Burnt documents' (TNA WO 363/xxxx)

Type of Document	Service Documents
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War Diary (TNA WO 95/xxxx)

Notes	
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Local Newspaper

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Biographical Information

Birth	1875.
Baptism	
1901 Census (RG 13/xxxx)	16 Hutton Street, Hutton-le-Hole.
1911 Census (RG14/xxx)	16 Hutton Street, Hutton-le-Hole
Electoral register, 1 January 1915	

Notes

UK, Soldiers Died in the Great War, 1914-1919

Name:	John Storey
Birth Place:	Hetton-le-hole
Residence:	Hetton
Death Date:	25 Sep 1915
Death Place:	France and Flanders
Enlistment Place:	Houghton-le-spring
Rank:	Private
Regiment:	Durham Light Infantry
Battalion:	15th Battalion
Regimental Number:	13584
Type of Casualty:	Killed in action
Theatre of War:	Western European Theatre
Other Records:	Search for 'John Storey' in other WWI collections

Source Information:

Military-Genealogy.com, comp. *UK, Soldiers Died in the Great War, 1914-1919* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2008.

Original data: *British and Irish Military Databases*. The Naval and Military Press Ltd.

Description:

This database contains information extracted from 81 volumes of soldiers that died in World War I. It includes over 703,000 individuals. Information listed may include: name of soldier, birthplace, enlistment place, residence, number, decoration, rank, regiment, battalion, type of casualty, death date, death place, and theater of war served in.

The undermentioned Houses are situate within the boundaries of the

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Administrative County <u>Durham</u>		Civil Parish <u>Milton le Moles Ward of</u>										Ecclesiastical Parish <u>Epiphany All Saints</u>		County Borough <u>Durham</u>		Ward of Municipal Borough <u>Milton le Moles</u>		Parliamentary Borough or Division <u>Haughton le Spring</u>		Towns or Village or Hamlet <u>Milton Leazes</u>	
Dole No.	ROAD, STREET, &c. and No. of NAME of HOUSE	HOUSES			Name and Surname of each Person	RELATION to Head of Family	Age last Birthday	PROFESSION OR OCCUPATION	Employer, Worker, or Own account	If Working at Home	WHERE BORN	(1) Deaf and Dumb (2) Blind (3) Lame (4) Imbecile, feeble-minded									
		Uninhabited	Partly inhabited	Wholly inhabited																	
					Thomas Storey	Son	12				Durham Milton Leazes										
					James do	Son	4				do do										
					John do	Son	6				do do										
					Robert do	Son	3				do do										
					Stephen do	Son	11				do do										
138	17		1		Thomas Thompson	Head	43	Engineer	Worker		Durham East Row										
					Isabella	Wife	40				do Middle										
					William	Son	14	Coal Miner	Worker		do Colliery Row										
					Isabel	Daughter	11				do West Row										
138	12		1		Joseph Sinton	Head	41	Police Constable	Worker		Durham Deanfield Basin										
					Isabella do	Wife	42				do West Row										
					Robert do	Son	13				do Ketterick Hill										
					Joseph do	Son	9				do West Row										
					Joseph do	Son	1				do Ketterick Hill										
138	19		1		Mathew Headle	Head	69	Coal Miner	Worker		Durham Haughton Leasing										
					Mary do	Wife	66				do Ketterick Hill										
138	20		1		George Thompson	Head	30	Coal Miner	Worker		Durham Milton Leasing										
					Isabel do	Wife	29				do Ketterick Hill										
					Thomas do	Son	4				do do										
					Isabel do	Daughter	3				do do										
138	1		1		William Lindsey	Head	46	Coal Miner	Worker		do Haughton										
					Robert Hawton	Head	54	Coal Miner	Worker		Conwell North Hill										
					Mary do	Wife	48				Durham Haughton Leasing										
					Samuel do	Son	10	Coal Miner	Worker		do Ketterick Hill										
					Robert do	Son	12				do do										
138	2		1		Samuel Henry	Head	52	Coal Miner	Worker		Conwell North Hill										
					Elizabeth do	Wife	46				do Redra Hill										
					James do	Son	22	Coal Miner	Worker		Durham Haughton										
					Mary do	Daughter	13				do Ketterick Hill										
67	Total of Subdivisions of Houses and of Tenements with less than Five Rooms											67	Total of Males and of Females...		19	11					

NOTE—Draw your pen through such words of the headings as are inapplicable.

Eng.—Sheet D.

CENSUS OF ENGLAND AND WALES, 1911.

Before writing on this Schedule please read the Examples and the Instructions given on the other side of the paper, as well as the headings of the Columns. The entries should be written in Ink.

Number of Schedule... 127
(To be filled up by the Enumerator after selection.)

The contents of the Schedule will be treated as confidential. Strict care will be taken that no information is disclosed with regard to individual persons. The returns are not to be used for proof of age, in connection with Old Age Pensions, or for any other purpose than the preparation of Statistical Tables.

NAME AND SURNAME	RELATIONSHIP to Head of Family.	AGE last Birthday and SEX.		PARTICULARS as to MARRIAGE.				PROFESSION or OCCUPATION of Persons aged ten years and upwards.				BIRTHPLACE of every person.	NATIONALITY of every Person born in a Foreign Country.	INFIRMITY.	
		Male.	Female.	State, for each Married Woman entered on this schedule, the number of:—	Children born alive to present Marriage. (If no children born alive write "None" in Column 7.)	Personal Occupation.	Industry or Service with which worker is connected.	Whether Employer, Worker, or Working on Own Account.	Whether Working as Home.						
<p><i>of every Person, whether Member of Family, Visitor, Boarder, or Servant, who</i></p> <p>(1) passed the night of Sunday, April 2nd, 1911, in this dwelling and was alive at midnight, or</p> <p>(2) arrived in this dwelling on the morning of Monday, April 3rd, not having been enumerated elsewhere.</p> <p>No one else must be included.</p> <p><i>(For order of selecting names see Examples on back of Schedule.)</i></p>															
1	Robert Storey	Head	58	Single				Engineer		40	170	Worker	Hutton	County of Durham	
2	Elizabeth Storey	Wife	54	Married	32	10	6						Hutton	County of Durham	
3	Louise Storey	Daughter	24	Married									do	do	
4	Edith Storey	Daughter	25	Married									do	do	
5	Thomas Storey	Son	22	Single				Coal Miner "Heaver"		50		Worker	do	do	
6	James Storey	Son	18	Single				Coal Miner "Putter"		160		Worker	do	do	
7	John Storey	Son	16	Single				Coal Miner "Run Rider"		1		Worker	do	do	
8	Robert Storey	Son	13	Single									do	do	
9															
10															
11															
12															
13															
14															
15															

(To be filled up by the Enumerator.)

I certify that—

(1) All the ages on this Schedule are entered in the proper column.

(2) I have counted the males and females in Column 3 and 4 separately, and have compared their sum with the total number of persons.

(3) After making the necessary corrections I have completed all entries on the Schedule which appeared to be defective, and have corrected such as appeared to be erroneous.

Initials of Enumerator: JW

(To be filled up by, or on behalf of, the Head of Family or other person in occupation, or in charge, of this dwelling.)

Write below the Number of Rooms in this Dwelling (Kitchens, Parlours, or Apartments). Count the kitchen as a room but do not count cellars, landing, lobby, closet, bathroom, nor warehouse, office, shop.

4 Rooms

I declare that this Schedule is correctly filled up to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature: Robert W. Storey

Postal Address: 16 Hutton Street County of Durham

100,000 8/14 H.W.V.
100,000 8/14

Army Form B. 2065.

SHORT SERVICE.
(Three years with the Colours.)

ATTESTATION OF
No. 13594 Name John Storey Corps GURKHAM LIGHT INFANTRY

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name? 1. John Storey

2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? 2. In the Parish of St. John's in or near the Town of Hollen & Hole in the County of West Sussex

3. Are you a British Subject? 3. Yes

4. What is your Age? 4. 18 Years 11 Months

5. What is your Trade or Calling? 5. None

6. Have you resided out of your Father's house for three years, continuously in the same place, or occupied a house or part of the yearly value of £10 for one year, and paid rates for the same, and, in either case, if any, state where? 6. None

You are hereby warned that if after enlistment it is found that you have given a wilfully false answer to any of the following seven questions, you will be liable to a punishment of two years' imprisonment with hard labour.

7. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? if so, where? for what period? when did, or will, the period of your apprenticeship expire? 7. None

8. Are you Married? 8. None

9. Have you ever been sentenced to imprisonment? 9. None

10. Do you now belong to the Royal Navy, the Army, the Royal Marines, the Special Reserve, the Territorial Force, the Army Reserve, the Militia Reserve, or any Naval Reserve? 10. None

11. Have you ever served in the Royal Navy, the Army, the Royal Marines, the Special Reserve, the Territorial Force, the Army Reserve, the Militia Reserve, or any Naval Reserve? If so, state which unit and name of discharge. 11. None

12. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? 12. Yes

13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for the Military or Naval Forces of the Crown? If so, on what grounds? 13. None

14. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? 14. Yes

15. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? 15. Yes

16. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? 16. Yes Name Chief Petty Officer Corps Sea King

17. Are you willing to serve upon the following conditions provided His Majesty should so long require your services?
For a term of three years, unless War lasts longer than three years, in which case you will be retained until the War is over. If employed with Hospitals, depots of Mounted Units, and as Clerks, etc., you may be retained after the termination of hostilities until your services can be spared, but such retention shall in no case exceed six months. If however, the War is over in less than three years, you will be discharged with all convenient speed. 17. Yes

I, John Storey do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

John Storey SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.

John Storey Signature of Witness.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, John Storey swear by Almighty God, that I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs, and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs, and Successors, in Person, Crown, and Dignity against all enemies, and will observe and obey all orders of His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, and of the Generals and Officers set over me. So help me God.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at Northwood Spring on this 5 day of April 1914.

Signature of the Justice W.H.L.

If any alteration is required on this page of the Attestation, a Justice of the Peace should be requested to make it and initial the alteration under Section 8 (6), Army Act.

The Recruit should, if he require it, receive a copy of the Declaration on Army Form B. 2065a.

* If on the Recruit's application the Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him immediately endorsed on the (Date) ...

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MILITARY HISTORY SHEET.

Service at Home and Abroad.

COUNTRY	FROM	TO	YEARS	DAYS	N.B.—The Country only to be shown—It is not necessary to show separately the service in the different stations of the same country. England, Scotland and Ireland to be shown under the general term "Home." For mode of computing Service Abroad, see King's Regulations.
Home	8.9.14	10.9.1915	1	3	
France	11.9.15	25.9.15		15	
			1	18	

Army School and other certificates of education ...

3. Phased classes of Instruction ...

1. Campaigns (including Medals and decorations)

2. Wounded ...

6. Effects of wounds

7. Special instances of ...

8. Amputations ...

9. Injuries in or by the Service ...

10. Name and Address of next of kin ...

Edward Stone 1915

SERVICE MEDAL

VICTORY MEDAL

(The Most Honourable Robert William George 16. Keston St. Leonards, Hove, Sussex)

Edward Stone

11. Particulars as to Marriage	(a), Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow, (b) place and date of marriage, (c) name of officiating Minister or Registrar, and (d) name of two witnesses				Date of Ceremonial in Awarded Hall	Index of Officer
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)		
12. Particulars as to Children	Christian Name	Date and Place of Birth	Date and Place of Baptism, and Name of officiating Minister			

NOTE.—These entries are to be made from time to time as they occur and furnished by the Officer making the entry.
 * To be ruled through (a) in the case of a soldier married without leave whilst serving with the Colours who desires the entry to be made, (b) when a Soldier is married whilst in the Forces.

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Description of John Storey on Enlistment.

Apparent Age <u>19</u> years <u>7</u> months. <small>(To be determined according to the instructions given in the Regulations for Army Medical Services.)</small> Height <u>5</u> feet <u>11 1/2</u> inches. Weight <u>136 1/2</u> lbs. Chest measurement { Girth when fully expanded <u>36</u> inches. Range of expansion <u>22</u> inches. Complexion <u>Fair</u> Eyes <u>Blue</u> Hair <u>Light Brown</u> Religious denomination { Church of England <u>Yes</u> Presbyterian Wesleyan Baptist or Congregationalist Other Protestants <small>(Non-communicants to be omitted.)</small> Roman Catholic Jewish	Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarity or previous disease. <small>(Should the Medical Officer be of opinion that the recruit has served before, he will ask the man to acknowledge to any previous service, attach a slip to that effect for the information of the approving Officer.)</small>
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Certificate of Medical Examination.

I have examined the above-named man and find that he does not present any of the causes of rejection specified in the Regulations for the Army Medical Services.

He can see at the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs, and he declares that he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him fit for the Army.

Date 1914

Place London

* Insert here "fit" or "unfit". Medical Officer.

Note.—Should the Medical Officer consider the recruit unfit, he will fill in the foregoing Certificate only in the case of those who have been accepted, and will briefly state below the cause of rejection:—

Certificate of Primary Military Examination.

I hereby certify that the above-named recruit was inspected by me, and I consider him fit for service in the 1st Battalion and that due care has been exercised in his enlistment.

Date 1914

Place London Recruiting Officer.

* Insert here "fit" or "unfit". † Insert the "Regiment" or "Company."

Certificate of Approving Officer.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve and appoint him to the 1st Battalion.

If enlisted by special authority, Army Form B 203 (or other authority for the enlistment) will be attached to the original attestation.

Date 1914 Approving Officer.

Place London

* The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.
 † Here insert the "Regiment" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

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Embarked 11.9.15

Army 1005

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps _____

Regimental No. 13584 Rank Private Name Storgy, John

Enlisted (a) 8/9/14 Terms of Service (a) three years or duration of war Service reckons from (a) 8/9/14

Date of promotion to present rank | Date of appointment to lance rank | Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. |

Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B, 213, Army Form A, 26, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B, 213, Army Form A, 26, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				

*13th Batt Missing
13.12.14 killed in action.*

*In the Field Regt & Casualty Report -
do do Burial Report. M*

*Major
Official Burial Report dated 22.12*

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
(b) i.e., Signaler, Signaling Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

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Regiment 15th LANCERS GN 714 LIGHT INFTRY 13584 Pte John Storey deceased } deceased } To be filled in by Officer in Charge of Records.

Army Form W. 5030.

STATEMENT of the Names and Addresses of all the Relatives of the above-named deceased Soldier in each of the degrees specified below that are now living.

Note.—Against those degrees of relationship in which there is no relative now living the word "none" is to be inserted. If the answers are not filled in, such correspondence and delay may be caused by the answer.

Degree of relationship	RANK IN FULL of every relative now living in such degree required for (see note above).	ADDRESS IN FULL of each surviving relative opposite his or her name.
Widow of the Soldier ...		
Children of the Soldier and dates of their births...		
Father of the Soldier ...		
Mother of the Soldier ...		<u>Advt. M. Storey (Church Road)</u>
Brothers of the Soldier	Full blood ...	<u>Elizabeth Storey Hallor</u> <u>and Thomas Storey of 61 Gannet Road</u> <u>age 22</u>
	Half blood ...	
Sisters of the Soldier	Full blood ...	<u>age 36</u> <u>Dorothy Bennett matron</u>
	Half blood ...	<u>age 34</u> <u>Elizabeth the sister maiden</u>
If no Relatives in the degrees above are now living the following particulars should be given:—		
	Name of those now living.	Address in full.
Grandparents of the Soldier ...		
Nephews and Nieces of the Soldier ...		
Uncles and Aunts by blood of the Soldier (not Uncles and Aunts by marriage) ...		

DECLARATION.

I hereby declare that the above is a true and complete Statement of all the Relatives of the late Soldier now living in the degrees required for. Robert W Storey Signature of the Declarant.

Relationship to the Soldier: Partner
Address in full: Church Road Sliden St. Stoke

I hereby certify that the above Statement and Declaration made by Robert W Storey and signed in my presence is complete and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated at Stoke Newington this 12 day of August 1918

Signature of Minister: Thomas Collins Qualification: Justice of the Peace
Address: Stoke Newington

OFFICIAL HEADQUARTERS, BRITISH ARMY, 1914-1920.

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