Charles Allsopp

Knutsford Road, Cranage

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His Story

We have been unable to establish the early details of Charles' life, but the 1919 Absent Voters list shows him as resident at Knutsford Road, Cranage.

The only other evidence of his family at Cranage is the burials at Holmes Chapel cemetery of Frederick Allsopp, aged 1 month, on 4th September 1919 and of Mrs Annie Allsopp, aged 32, on 6th September 1920.

The Civil Marriage of a Charles Ernest Allsopp and Annie Williams is recorded at Birkenhead in 1914.

It is possible that Charles Ernest is related to Clifford Allsopp but this not yet proven.

His War Record

The only military record for Charles Ernest Allsopp is a Medal Card which shows him as a Gunner in the Royal Garrison Artillery, number 99886, awarded the Victory and British medals.

According to the Parish Magazine Charles joined up in April 1915 into the Army Service Corps and was reported to be serving abroad by August 1915. In the same month he was in hospital but doing well but in September this was retracted and he was fit and well.

There is no further news about Charles.

The Absent Voter records of 1919 refer to Charles as a gunner Nr 077013 serving with the Royal Garrison Artillery. However the military records show that this number belonged to Clifford Allsopp! There appears to have been some confusion between the two Allsopps