## **George S. Shellcross**

**Holmes Chapel** 

## Returned



## **His Story**

George S Shellcross was born in May 1875 in Bolton and he was living there in 1881 with his parents and four siblings. His father was a chemist.

There is no further record of him in the census returns in 1891, 1901 and 1911 nor has any connection with Holmes Chapel been established. He is however, recorded on the church Roll of Honour and referred to in the Parish Magazine.

He married, in October 1924, Ethel Durrant at Lichfield. George was living at the King's Head Hotel (licensed victualer) at the time. His previous wife had died in 1923.

George died in November 1927 at Lichfield District at the age of 52.

## **His War Record**

According to the Parish Magazine, George joined Army Service Corps in June 1915.

In November 1918 he had been in hospital for several months but was now discharged from the forces