

Names on the Cenotaph at Pertolia

Andison	Willaim Gordon	2355695	West Ont Regt 18 th Bn	Aug 30/18
Upton Wood Cemetery	France			
Bell	John Johnson Stewart	201318	West Ont Regt 18 th Bn	Aug 5 /17
Brown	John Sidney	124740	West Ont Regt 18 th Bn	Sept 15/16
Vimy Memorial	France			
Burnard	Arthur James	487488	PPCLI	May 9/17
Villers Stn Cemetery	France			
Craig	James A	112204		79 th Bn
Oct30/17	Memin Gate	Belgium		
Colter	Ernest	623030	27 th Bn	Sept 15/16
Vimy Memorial	France			
Colter	George	124598	West Ont Regt 18 th Bn	Apr 12 /17
Lievin Communal Cemetery	France			
Dowling	Joseph	678109	Central Ont Regt 15 th Bn	Sept 09/17
Aix-NoulteCommual Cemetary	Fr			
Douglas	James Henry	402725		21 st Bn Sept
15/16 Vimy Memorial	France			
Duncan	Roy Mc Dougal		RCASC	Mar 10/16
Berks Commual Cemetery	France			
Ferns	William Henry	844427	Cn Railway Tps	Apr 26/18
Canada Farm Cemetery	Belgium			
Fisher	Bert (Francis Eugene)	152668	RFC	Feb18/18
Petrolia Cem	Canada			
Fraser	William			
Gallivan	Daniel	3131592	4 Res Bn	Mar 18/18
Aldershot Mem Cem	U.K,			
Gillispe	James	123830	5 th Cdn Mt Rifle	Sept
14/16 Vimy Memorial	France			
Gleeson	Thomas	844475	West Ont Reg 18th Bn	Aug 27/18
Vimy Memorial	France			
Gleeson	Leo	844475	West Ont Reg 18th Bn	Aug 27/18
Vimy Memorial	France			
Hastings	Newell	844575	West Ont Regt 18 th Bn	Oct 31/18
Etaples Mil Cem	France			

Harris	George Edward	5309	West Ont Regt	18 th Bn	Mar 26/16
Ridgewood Cemetery	Belgium				
Henderson	George Newell	123674	5 th Mtd Rifles		Sept 04/16
Vimy Memorial	France				
Honson	George	124579	5 th Mtd Rfles		Feb26/17
Boulogne Eastern Cem	France				
Houston	Albert Edward	16320		7 th Bn	May 24/15
Vimy Memorial	France				
Jackson	Edgar	123832			
Karr	Henry	3132637	Mg Corps		Mar 22/19
Warrington Cem	U.K				
Keen	Thomas				
Keen	Wilfred	844711		47 Bn	Mar 09/18
Vimy Memorial	France				
Knight	Howard Geoge	3132844	Mg Corps		Oct 02/18
Halifax Sailors Mem	Canada				
Mann	John Robert	602849		3 rd BN	18 Nov/18
Petrolia Cem	Canada				
Maitland	Clarence Roy	844962		47 th Bn	Sept 3/18
Dury Crucifix Cem	France				
Malton	Clinton	72208		27 BN	Sept 15/16
Courcelette Brit Cem	France				
Mandeville	Vern Arthur	123836		58 th Bn	Sept 18/16
Vimy Memorial	France				
Metcalf	Reginald Stanley	602405	BC Regt	7 th Bn	Feb
17/18 Barlin Commual Cem	France				
Miller	John				
Mc Donald	Henry	124748			
Mc Lean	Charles Warner	3132051	West Ont Regt	18 th Bn	Oct
15/18 Petrolia Cem	Canada				
Mc Pherson	Stuart				
Mc Queen	Hugh Murray	124756		59 th BN	Sep
30/18 Anneux Brit cem	France				
Morrison	Hecror Merino	123577	West Ont Regt	18 th Bn	Oct
3/16 ADNAC Cem Somme	France				

Morton	Joseph Robert	1039261	13 Rail Tps	Mar
28/18	Barlin Comm Cem France			
Montgomery	Robert Clinton	2008038	Eng Training Est	July
23/18	Seaford Cemetery U.K.Mc			
Portsmouth	Eldon Elliot	602718	14 th Bn	April
9/17	Nine Elms Comm Cem Fr			
Racher	Neil	2705898	Cdn Rail troops	Feb
04/19	Liverpool Cem U.K.			
Rawson	Arthur	602605	14 th Bn	Sept
26/16	Vimy Memorial France			
Reid	George Alexander	403181	34 th Bn	Oct
15/15	Petralia Cem Can			
Russell	William Clarence MM	123962	58 th Bn	Aug
27/18	Vis- en-Artois Cem France			
Scott	Thomas	845261	47 th Bn	Sept
02/18	Faubourg D'Amins Cem Fr			
Seymour	George Peter	123910	58 th Bn	
Apr 19/17	Wimerux Cem France			
Stauffer	Thomas Dewey	802815	4 th Bn	Apr
22/17	Abigny Mem Cem France			
Stone	George Fredrick	123373	West Ont Regt	18 th Bn Sept
15/16	Vimy Memorial France			
Terry	George Edward	6965	1 st Bn	Apr
30/15	Warloy -Billion Cem France			
Vansickle	John	123492	West Ont Regt	18 th Bn Oct
03/16	Holway Brit Cem France			
Volway	Joseph James	845412	Mg Corps	Aug
08/18	Hanguard Wood Brit France			
Wade	James H	123894	19 th Bn	Feb
15/17	Lincoln Newport Cem U.K.			
Ward	Howard			

Notes

Craig , James A not indentified in the Canadian Virtual War Memorial data base

Duncan, Roy Mc Dougal is (a) either not a native son of Watford or (b) his regimental number is incorrct. The number on his tomb stone --21357-- is actually assigned to a soldier born in England. Needs futher investigation

Gleeson, Thomas and Gleeson, Leo are the same man named **Gleeson, Thomas Leo Harris. E.G.** is not found in the Soldiers of the First World War data base. However, a **George Harris** is listed as being from Petrolia, and belonging to the 18th Battalion, having the regimental number 5309. A check on the Soldiers of the First World War data base reveals that the number 5309 is assigned to another **George Harris** who was born in England. I chose to assume the **George Harris** listed as being from Petrolia was the man listed on the memorial in spite of the incorrect regimental number shown on the Virtual War Memorials data base. Further research is required on this issue.

Keen Thomas is not listed on the Canadian Virtual War memorial Site

Jackson, Edgar 123832 is not listed on the Canadian Virtual War memorial site

Miller , John could not be identified in the data base (number unknown)

McPherson, Stuart not found in the Canadian Virtual War Memorial site and could not be identified

McDonald, Henry is not listed on the Canadian Virtual war memorial site. (Number unknown)

Ward, Howard not identified in the Canadian Virtual War Memorial data base (Number unknown)

Knight, Howard 3132844, was lost at sea and his name appears on the Sailors Memorial Monument in Halifax

Russell, William Clarence, 123862, was awarded the **Military Medal** (more research needed)

Many of the highlighted names taken from the memorial reveals that there are a number of unknown details concerning the men indicated. These issues bring to mind questions that need further investigation to clear up the reasons for not being able to identify those listed. Those men, not found on the Virtual War Memorial site have not been listed for some reason, are not casualties, or have some of their personal data incorrect so that they cannot be identified. The man **Fisher, Bert**, may fall into this area since **Bert** could be a nick name or a short form of Bertrand, Egbert or any other variation of a given name, or it could be the name he was known as locally but official records do not reflect the name **Bert** thus making it nearly impossible to find his records without knowing his official name or his regimental number. Fisher, Bert (Francis Eugne)

is buried in Hillsdale Cemetery Petrolia