Herbert Bishop

Park House, Cranage, Holmes Chapel

Returned

Park House, home of the Bishop family.



His Story

Herbert was born in 1894 at Cheetham Hill, Manchester to Elizabeth and Archibald Bishop. Archibald was a commercial traveller originating from London

In 1901 the family were living at Park House Cranage when Herbert was aged 7. By 1908 they had moved to Park View, Cranage, and Herbert was admitted to Sandbach Grammar School.

In 1911 Herbert was aged 17 and living at Cranage in the house of Arthur Baskerville, market garden worker. Herbert was working as a 'general helper in the garden'.

Herbert spent some time in Canada as on 20th December 1924 he is recorded on the Incoming Passenger List of the ship "Montlaurier" out of St John's, New Brunswick to Liverpool. The record details a Mr Herbert Bishop aged 30, a farmer from Canada travelling to Holmes Chapel.

His War Record

The Parish Magazine records that he joined the Denbighshire Yeomanry in October 1914.

There is no news then until in October 1916 he was in hospital but doing well. The final report is in June 1918 when he was abroad.

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