

# Francis Sydney Gardner Brown

The Vicarage, Holmes Chapel

## Returned



### His Story

Francis was born in Nottingham in 1881 and was the son of John Gardner Brown who became Vicar of Church Hulme from 1919 to 1922..

In 1891 he was at Holdenhurst Hampshire aged 10. He was educated at Haileybury School and later at Pembroke college Cambridge.

In Nov 1908 he married Ellinor Muriel Hopwood in Honiton, Devon and by 1911 he was at Patchetts Green Farm, Aldenham, Bushey, Herts, aged 30 and a Clergyman of the Established Church.

From 1919 to 1922 he was vicar of Holmes Chapel He died in September 1966 in Taunton aged 85.

### His War Record

We know almost nothing of his war time record except that he joined the Expeditionary force in December 1916 as a chaplain.