## **Charles Latham**

Oak Leigh, Middlewich Road, Holmes Chapel

## Returned

Home of the Latham Family in 1911



## **His Story**

Charles was baptised at Church Hulme on the 4<sup>th</sup> October 1885, the son of George Frederick and Alice Vere Latham. His siblings were born at Tattenhall, Philip Gordon Hulme in 1883 and Frederick Stanley Hulme in 1884.

In the 1891 Census the family were living in Middlewich Road, Holmes Chapel with Charles aged 5. On the 13<sup>th</sup> May 1898, with the family living at Bank Cottage, he was admitted to Sandbach Grammar School.

In the 1901 Census the family were at Bank Field, Holmes Chapel, Charles, aged 15 was listed as a joiner.

The 1911 Census shows him at Oak Leigh, Holmes Chapel, aged 25 single and living with his parents. His occupation is recorded as Army Lance Corporal.

## **His War Record**

Charles joined the Army Service Corps in October 1914 but there were no further reports in the Parish Magazine.

His military record shows he was promoted to Lance Corporal with the Army Ordnance Corps.