

George Measham

Cranage Club, Cranage

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Cranage Club, the Measham home



His Story

George was born in 1883 at Marple, Cheshire. His father George was a coachman (domestic) and his mother was named Ellen.

At the time of the 1891 Census the family were at Priory Lodge, Applethwaite, Windermere but George, aged 8, was staying with his mother's sister and attending school.

In the 1901 Census he was at Hollins Farm, Hollins Lane, Marple, aged 18 working as a coachman. The Measham family were working for the Carver family who lived at Cranage Hall but owned Hollins Mill in Marple.

By 1911 George was living at 32 Trafalgar Road, Birkdale, aged 28, working as a coachman. He was still single and living with his parents and brother Eric. All the men were working as coachmen.

His War Record

There is no information about George from Parish Magazines but he is listed on the Roll of Honour.

From the Absent Voters List of 1919 we know his registered address was Knutsford Road, Cranage, and he was a Private Nr. 133328, working with Mechanical Transport, Army Service Corps.