## **Sydney Preston**

Highfield, Middlewich Road, Holmes Chapel

## Returned

The home of the Preston Family



## **His Story**

Sydney was born in 1887 at Stockport, son of John and Sarah Preston.

At the 1891 Census the family were living at Davenport Park, Bramhall, with Sydney aged 4. John, his father, was a cashier on the London and NW Railway.

By the 1901 Census the family had move to Highfield House, Holmes Chapel and Sarah was Head of the family. It is assumed that John was away on the day of the census..

By the time of the 1911 Census, Sydney was aged 24 and working as a commercial clerk at J. Horn Ltd (location not known). The family including his father, John, are still living at Highfield, Holmes Chapel.

## **His War Record**

Sydney joined Army Ordnance Corps in April 1915.

In March 1916 he was reported in hospital wounded but doing well and by April he was improving and in June 1916 he was out of hospital.

There were no further reports.