Tisbury Roll of Honour THE GREAT WAR 1914-1918

There are over 2134 First World War casualties commemorated in Vermelles British Cemetery. Of those, 198 are unidentified and special memorials are erected to six soldiers from the United Kingdom, known to buried among them



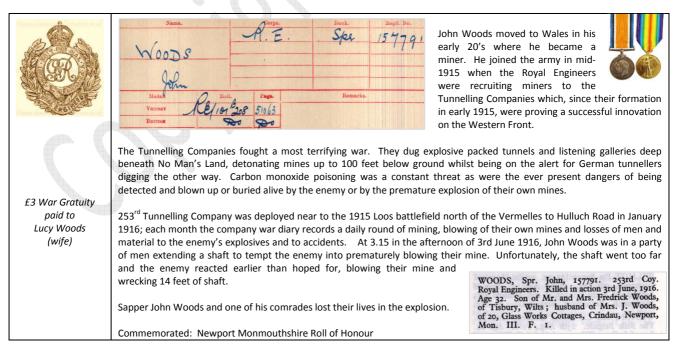
JOHN WOODS

of Tisbury, Wiltshire

Vermelles British Cemetery, Pas de Calais, France

Date/Place of birth	1886 Tisbury	2
Birth registered	March Q 1886 Tisbury Reg District 5a 220 (John Jestis Woods)	5
Baptised		
Father	Frederick George Woods of Tisbury. Married June Q 1877 Tisbury Reg District 5a 379	5
Mother	Cecily (nee Blandford) of Tisbury	5
Siblings	Louisa, Ellen, Frederick, Flora, Frank, Lily E	2
1891 Census	Hindon Lane, West Tisbury. Age 5, at school. Father's occupation Agricultural Labourer	2
1901 Census	40 Malt House, West Tisbury. Age 18, occupation Agricultural Labourer	2
1911 Census	50 Hanbury Street, Pengam, Glamorgan. Age 26, single, occupation Collier. Boarding with John Merefield & family	2
Wife	Lucy (nee Waddington). Married Sept Q 1912 Merthy Tydfil Reg District 11a 1490	5
Children	Alfred, Lucy	5

Rank	Sapper	3
Regiment	Royal Engineers, 253 rd Tunnel Company	3
Enlisted	Hengoed, Glamorgan	6
Service Number	157791	3
Medals	British War / Victory	4
Date of Death/Age	3 rd June 1916 age 32	3
Cause	Killed in Action	3
Burial/Memorial	Vermelles British Cemetery, Pas de Calais, France. Ref 111.F.1	3



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1 = Church Register 4 = Medal Index Card 2 = 1891/1901/1911 Census 5 = GRO Register 3 = Commonwealth War Graves Commission

6 = UK Soldiers Died in the Great War 1914-1918