

WILLIAM THOMAS HIRONS

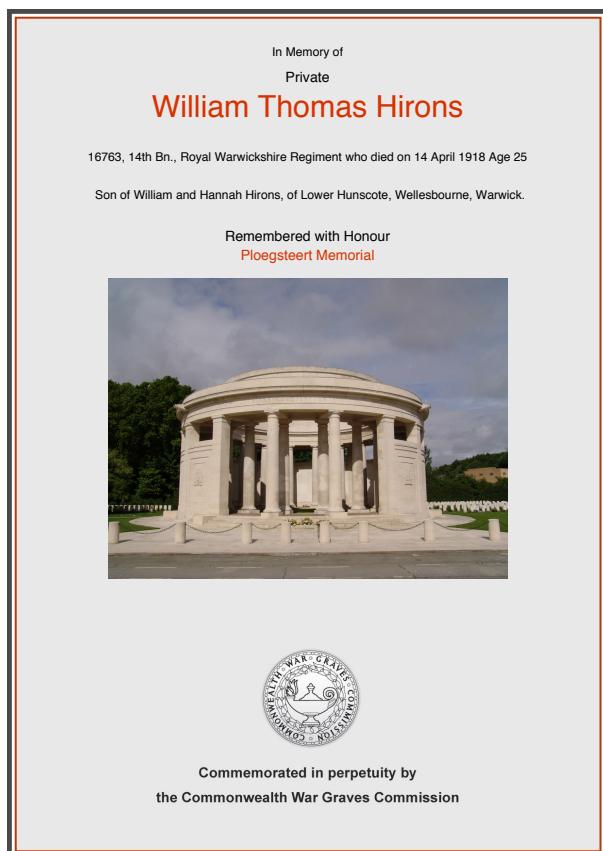
1893 – 1918



William Thomas Hirons was born in 1893 in Chipping Warden, Northamptonshire where he grew up. He was the the 2nd son of William & Hannah Hirons, William was a shepherd on a farm and William Thomas became a milkman on a farm. On the census of 1901 & 1911 and also on the Charlecote Memorial Plaque he is known as Thomas. By 1915 the family had moved to Lower Hunscore, between Wellesbourne & Charlecote.

He joined the Royal Warwickshire Regiment as a private No. 16763 and served in France. He was killed in action on the 14th April 1918 and was awarded the British and Victory medals.

He is Remembered with Honour at the Ploegsteert Memorial, Hainaut, Belgium and also on the Charlecote War Memorial.



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