



Thornhill Church of England School

'Faithful unto Death'



DEWSBURY SACRIFICES



Thornhill Church of England Boys' School.

ROLL OF HONOUR

"Boys" who served King and Country in the Great War (1914-1918)

"Faithful unto Death"



Requiescant in Pace

THORNHILL OFFICER KILLED.

NEWS RECEIVED ON ARMISTICE DAY.

On the day of the signing of the armistice, official notification was received by Mr. and Mrs. Hinchliffe, of Whitley Road, Thornhill, of the death in action, on November 4th, of their son, Second-Lieut. F. B. Hinchliffe (26), Duke of Wellington's West Riding Regiment. Second-Lieut. Hinchliffe enlisted as a private in September, 1915, and in July of this year obtained a commission for which he had trained at New College, Oxford. He was over on leave as late as October. As a boy he attended Whitley C.E. School, later the Wheelwright Grammar School, and finally the South Wales Training College, Carmarthen. He took up teaching as a profession and on enlistment was an assistant teacher at the Boothroyd Lane School. He attended Whitley Church.



Lieut. F. B. Hinchliffe
(killed).

THORNHILL CHURCH SCHOOL'S MEMORIAL.

UNVEILED BY BRIGADIER-GENERAL BROOKE.

RECTOR'S STRIKING SERMON.

The handsome tablet placed in the main hall of Thornhill Church School in memory of 42 old boys who fell in the war was unveiled on Saturday last. Inscribed on the tablet is: "1914. Pro Deo et Rege et Patria. 1918. In thankful remembrance of the old boys of the Thornhill Church School who did their duty even unto death. Requiescant in Pace." The names of the fallen are engraved in bronze on the two side panels of the tablet as follow: Ernest Asquith, Walter Booth, Edgar R. Bowyer, Gordon Brown, Alexander Bruce, Norman Cleveland, Willie Croft, Percy Crowther, Harold Davies, Alfred H. Dixon, Arthur Garfitt, Frank B. Hinchliffe, Edward Kaye, George Kershaw, Gordon Land, William Lawton, Christopher Laycock, John Alfred Lee, Thomas Henry Lee, Wilson Marshall, Clement Micklethwaite, Wright Ouldrige, Hubert Peace, William Henry Peach, Arthur Pearson, James Selwyn Radforth, Archie Robinson, James Scargill, Nelson Secker, Leonard Shackleton, Ernest Sheard, Harold Smith, Vyner Sykes, Frank Taylor, William Thompson, Thomas Thornton, Joe Tinker, Frank Tomlinson, Norman Tomlinson, Fred Vickers, James A. Windle, Edgar Winterlood.

THORNHILL SOLDIER DIES OF WOUNDS.

Widespread sympathy will be felt with Mr. and Mrs. W. Micklethwaite, of 71, Sunset View, Thornhill, in the loss of their fourth son, Pte. Clement Micklethwaite (21), K.O.Y.L.I., who died of wounds on October 22nd. The official intimation (received on Thursday) states that he was suffering from a gunshot wound in the right thigh and other serious injuries, which ended fatally. The fallen soldier enlisted in August, 1915, going out to Egypt at the end of that year. He was transferred to France in



March, 1916, and was wounded on July 1st. He formerly worked at Ingham's Colliery, Thornhill, as a by-worker. Pte. Micklethwaite received his early education at the Thornhill Church of England School, and also attended the Thornhill Baptist Church and Sunday School. He is the brother of Corpl. J. Micklethwaite, who will be remembered as having won the Military Medal in July, 1916, and who is now stationed at Rugeley.