

First World War resources

First World War related material held at Islington Local History Centre and resources for further research

PHOTOGRAPHS AND NEWSPAPER CUTTINGS

We hold ephemera, a number of photos (mainly relating to First World War memorials) and cuttings, as well as contemporary Islington newspapers.

AIR RAID INCIDENT AND CASUALTIES LIST

- John Hook, *The air raids on London during the 1914-1918 War – Booklet No 10: the raids on Islington*. (Extract from *They come! They come! The air raids on London during the 1914-1918 War*. Privately published, 1987). (Provides detailed information about damage and casualties).

BOOKS AND ARTICLES

- Mark Aston. 'Terror from the sky: First World War Air Raids in Islington'. In: *Journal of the Islington Archaeological and History Society*; Vol. 5 ; no. 3 (Autumn 2015) pp.10-11
- Ian Castle. *Zeppelin Onslaught: the forgotten blitz 1915-1915*. Frontline Books, 2018
- Thomas Fegan, *The 'baby killers': German air raids on Britain in the First World War*. Leo Cooper, 2002.
- Hugh Garnsworthy Ruth Garnsworthy Chris Garnsworthy. 'Searching for Hugh Victor Hember'. *Hornsey Historical Society Journal* 2016 pp. 22-31
- Graham Mark, *Prisoners of War in British hands during WW1: a study of the history, the camps and their mails*. The Postal History Society, 2007. (Includes information about a Home Office camp for aliens in Islington).
- Joseph Morris, *The German air raids on Great Britain 1914-1918*. H Pordes, 1969.
- Neil R Storey Molly Housego. *Women in the First World War*. Shire Publications 2013
- Ken Weller, *'Don't be a soldier!' The radical anti-war movement in north London 1914-1918*. Journeyman Press/London History Workshop Centre, 1985.
- Jerry White. *Zeppelin nights: London in the First World War*. Bodley Head 2014

ONLINE

Islington during the First World War and Online Book of Remembrance

The Islington Online Book of Remembrance commemorates over 13,000 men, women and children of Islington who died as a result of war here and abroad. Our records run from 1899, the beginning of the Boer War, to the 1950s, including over 9,400 names from the First World War. Islington Council's WW1 Centenary page also contains useful links and articles related to the borough during the First World War.

- Visit the [Online Book of Remembrance](http://www.islington.gov.uk/bookofremembrance) (www.islington.gov.uk/bookofremembrance)
- Visit [Islington during the First World War](http://www.islington.gov.uk/ww1centenary) (www.islington.gov.uk/ww1centenary)

EXTERNAL RESOURCES

Names of servicemen and women

- Ancestry: www.ancestry.co.uk
- Commonwealth War Graves Commission: www.cwgc.org.uk
- Forces War Records: www.forces-war-records.co.uk
- The Great War: Records for the War of Dead WW1: www.greatwar.co.uk
- The National Archives: www.nationalarchives.gov.uk

Information about the history of the First World War

- Imperial War Museum: www.iwm.org.uk
- National Army Museum: www.nam.ac.uk
- National Maritime Museum:
- RAF Museum Archive:
- Regimental museums (various):

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