Clan Chisholm Society



Great War Centenary Project "every clansman remembered"

Roll of Honour

Volume 5

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Foreword

Clan Chisholm Society. Introduction to WW1 Memorial volumes.

My great aunt Miss Mairi Chisholm of Chisholm was of course legendary in the family as I was growing up. A copy of 'The Cellar House at Pervyse' was to be found in our sitting room and often referred to. We were proud of her war-time reputation and of the many medals she had been awarded due to her work in WW1. She was of course also a loving aunt to my father, Chief Alastair.

Less well known was her beloved brother Uilean Hamish McUistean, my grandfather, who served during World War I in Palestine and Egypt. Uilean had resigned his position in the Trinidad Constabulary in 1915 and enlisted as a 2nd Lieutenant with the British West India Regiment. Photograph albums and other memorabilia from his time in Palestine reminded us of his war service.

World War One therefore, although distant in time, was a current topic of conversation within the family during my childhood and beyond. The scale of the 1914 - 1918 war and the huge loss of life was well known and the topic was and is covered in the educational curriculum in Britain. Both Mairi and Uilean returned to their families, so many did not.

Travelling through Belgium for the unveiling of a statue in Ypres to honour Elsie Knocker and Mairi's work and attending the nightly ceremony at the Menin Gate brought home to me even more so the sacrifice made by so many. The Chisholm clan is not a large one but there are many Chisholm names from around the world listed on the memorial showing all those still missing whose remains have not been found.

The Clan Chisholm Society which was founded in 1951 by Miss Mairi and my late father Alastair, has supported the creation of these memorial volumes to those Chisholms who fell in battle or died of their injuries later. I thank all those clansfolk who have contributed to the

piece of work and especial thanks go to Robert Chisholm of New Zealand without whose dedication the memorial would not have been possible.



Andrew Francis Hamish Chisholm of Chisholm

About this book

This memorial booklet is a product of the Clan Chisholm Genealogical Forum, a discussion group open to all who share an interest in anything and everything related to Chisholm, with a heavy bias on Clan history, family histories, and Genealogies. 2014 saw the commencement of the centenary of the Great War, and we reflected initially on the remarkable courage of one of our Clan Chisholm Society Founders, Miss Mairi Chisholm of Chisholm. Her story is well told in many places, so it won't be repeated here, but in her memory we dedicate this commemorative series, and specifically the first booklet of the series, which catalogued the Chisholm lives lost in the West Flanders section of the Western Front. In remembering Mairi, the Forum decided also to remember all those Chisholms who served and never returned. Those covered in the booklet are those whose names have been retrieved from Commonwealth and War Graves Commission Records. Regretfully we cannot cover many Clansmen who are sons of Chisholm mothers, as there is no easy way to retrieve that data. On some occasions, such a person who has "Chisholm" as part of the name, gets captured by the search engine, and these people have been included.

We have not been able to cover the great many Chisholms who served and did return, in many cases shattered in body and /or mind, but to them we acknowledge our respect. Likewise there would have been a courageous group of conscientious objectors; we can only sadly reflect that their views did not find favour with the politicians who led the nations of Europe into a disaster of such magnitude that we are still suffering from the effects of the Great War. The defeat of the Russian Empire saw the rise of communism and the Soviet Union; the defeat of the German Empire gave rise to Nazism and a second world war; and the defeat of the Turkish Empire gave us the hodge-podge which we now have today in the Middle East.

This booklet is the fifth and final in a series of five proposed to commemorate the lives of our Chisholm clansmen lost their lives during the conflict. Previous volumes have covered Flanders, the Middle East, France (2 volumes). This volume remembers those lost at sea, or who died in a home country . The memorial booklets would not have been possible without the information being available from the Commonwealth War Graves Commission, and its US counterpart. Of great value have been the personal archives made freely available by the Australian and Canadian governments. Some photos have been taken from internet sources, and an apology is offered in advance if any copyright has been infringed. Ownership has been credited where found, and due diligence has been done with respect to orphan images. This is a not for profit publication, free of charge, made for educational and research purposes.

The format is chronological, listed in order of the date of death. Varying amounts of information concerning the fallen clansmen has been found. Great effort has been made to identify the family, and to note the parents and siblings. This is so that readers might identify one of their own family members. If that is the case, and the reader can provide further information, or a photograph, please get in touch.

If the family has been found in the Clan Chisholm Genealogical Database, this has been noted on the commemorative page. Several families on the database have been extended, based on the information found during the research phase of the project. In many cases where a family is not found in the database, the Forum and the research files contain a sizeable cache

of genealogical information, awaiting only an interested family member to get in touch and use the information to create a family tree for inclusion on the Database.

In the same manner, if the soldier has a known link to a family which is part of the Clan Chisholm DNA Project, that information is shared.

Where there is a link to a family known to descend from a Clan Chief, this information is shown by the use of the Chisholm heraldic device. With one exception, these families are limited to what are known as the Lietre and Knockfin branches of the Clan. While we know from the DNA project that many more families descend from a Clan Chief or a Border Baron, we do not have accurate genealogical information to positively identify the link.

The project is an ongoing electronic project. This means that further information or graphs can be added if readers recognise their own family member, and submit the Readers are encouraged to assist the project in this manner.

The World War 1 centenary memorial project would not be possible without the assistance of many people, too many to mention all by name but among them are:

Bob Chisholm of Sussex, Forum Founder and Database Administrator, who has provided both genealogical and military information and whose vigilance ensures that enthusiasm, does not override accuracy.

Alastair Chisholm of Hampshire, Forum master, who shares his wide knowledge of Strathglass genealogy, and who ensures the Forum is kept operational.

Anna Chisholm Dickinson, the sleuth of Spokane, who has helped track down many of the families concerned.

Ian Chisholm and Juliette Chisholm-Broomfield also provide valuable assistance, and several other individuals have provided valuable information on specific families, including Val Chisholm-Perry who provided a personal copy of the book "Catholics of Antigonish in the Great War".

Contact details for various Clan Chisholm projects associated with the World War One Centenary Remembrance Project are listed below.

Robert Chisholm (Auckland NZ) convenor of the WW1 Centenary Memorial Project Group.

Clan Chisholm International Genealogical Forum: Open to all. Registration required.

http://www.chisholmgenealogy.com/cgi-bin/yabb2/YaBB.pl

Clan Chisholm Genealogical Database. Open to all members of Clan Chisholm Society, ask your branch secretary for the password. http://www.clansman.info/index.php

Clan Chisholm DNA Project. Open to all (testing fees apply) Help locate your family history by following the trail of the Y chromosome back in time. Clan Chisholm contains traces of all those who have invaded Britain, or attempted to, from days of Druids and Stonehenge, the Roman Empire, The Gaelic Invasion, The Angles and Saxons, the Norman Conquest, and the Spanish Armada, and then several New World additions as well. The project has been able to confirm the historically accepted account that the Chisholm Founder was of Norman origin.

https://www.familytreedna.com/group-join.aspx?Group=Chisholm

To offer support or further information regarding any serviceman, go to the Clan Chisholm Forum, or email rpchisholm@gmail.com

Lt Col. Dr Percy Chisholm MBE

1885-1943

Percy Chisholm was the great grandson of Roderick Chisholm, Baker of Inverness, whose son Duncan, also a baker moved first to London, thence to New Zealand, and the family continued and prospered in this business. Young Percy was outstanding both on the cricket pitch and in the classroom, and because of his potential he was sent back to "the Old Country" to finish his studies, where he graduated in Edinburgh and became a Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians, and a Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons. He worked in Scotland at various institutions, including mental health establishments. By wartime he was well experienced and ready to play a role in military hospitals, especially those dealing with the newly designated "Shell Shock" phenomenon. Percy joined the NZ Medical Corps with the rank of Captain, in 1916, working in the hospitals located in the south of England. He was selected after the war, for further training at the Maudsley Neurological Hospital in London, and returned to NZ in 1919 to lead the special military hospital created at Hanmer Springs for the treatment of shell shock, neurasthenia, and other functional disorders. He was promoted to Lt. Colonel, and in recognition of valuable wartime services, was awarded the MBE. Percy remained at Hanmer for the rest of his life, transitioning the Queen Mary Hospital from its rehabilitation of traumatised soldiers, into a therapeutic hospital for the general population.

(Biographical Info by Audrey Barney "Chisholm Roles in World War 1")

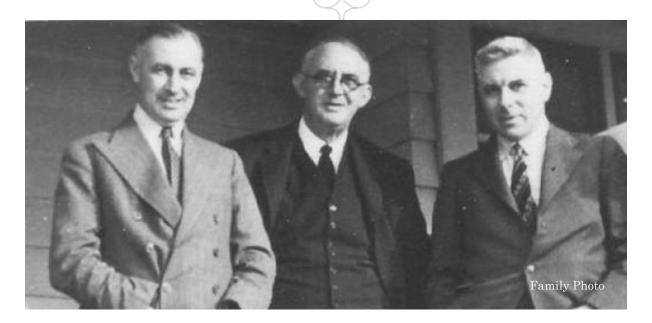


Photo of Dr Percy Chisholm (centre) in 1939, with his brothers Sedman Arthur (left), and Burlinson Duncan (right)

Clan Chisholm DNA Project

IIA (Norman Founder Group) I-M253

Chisholm Genealogical Database

ID I2380 NZ_Inverness

Dear Ancestor

Your tombstone stands among the rest neglected and alone. The name and date are chiseled out on polished, marble stone.

It reaches out to all who care, its to late to mourn.

You did not know that I exist, you died and I was born.

Yet each of us are cells of you in flesh, in blood, in bone.

Our blood contracts and beats a pulse entirely not our own.

Dear ancestor, the place you filled one hundred years ago.

Spreads out among the ones you left who would have loved you so.

I wonder if you lived and loved, I wonder if you knew.

That someday I would find this spot and come to visit you.

Roll of Honour

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RN188294 Able Seaman Alexander Chisholm



HMS Hawke

15 OCTOBER 1914



Alexander Chisholm, born in South Leith on 23rd June 1878.

Husband of Margaret Meacher

Son of Jane Chisholm and the Late Alexander

Brother of Janet, Margaret, Isabella. William, Elizabeth, and Jane

Father of Alexander and Robert

Killed in Action on 15th October 1914, aged 36

Alexander was a painter by trade, but he signed up as a regular sailor at an early age of 18, in 1896. He lost his life at sea when *HMS Hawke* was sunk by U Boat torpedo on 15 October 1914. The torpedo hit midships, there may have been a magazine explosion as well, the ship went down in 5 minutes, hence with a great loss of life.(524 men)

Alexander was married to Margaret Meacher, who at the time of the war lived at 46 Brunswick Road Edinburgh.

Alexander's ancestral Chisholm family has deep Border roots. His father Alexander was born in Leith, but grandfather Archibald and great grandfather Alexander are from the area around Stow. *HMS Hawke* was part of the 10th cruiser squadron which was operating a blockade between Shetlands and Norway, However the squadron was moved south in October to protect a troop convoy from Canada, and it was off Aberdeen where *Hawke* was lost.

There was also a large Ulster component to the ships crew, and that includes Stoker First Class John Chisim of Belfast. (see overpage)



Memorial: Chatham Naval Memorial

Great Lines Heritage Park, Chatham, Kent

SS105949 RN Stoker 1st Cl. John Chisim



HMS Hawke

15 OCTOBER 1914



John Chisim, 20 Haldane Street, Belfast

born in Belfast on 4 October 1889

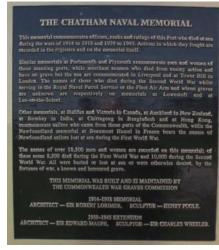
Son of the Late John, and Mary Eleanor Chisim of Belfast, Co Antrim

Killed in Action on 15th October 1914, aged 25.

One of the 49 Ulstermen lost when HMS Hawke went down.







Memorial: Chatham Naval Memorial

M2/047337 Pte Hugh Chisholm Army Service Corps

Motor Transport Depot, Grove Park



15 FEBRUARY 1915



Born at Ayr in 1895

Son of Alexander and Sarah Chisholm

53 Alloway Street, .Ayr, Scotland

Brother of Elizabeth, Alexander, William, Robert, Annie, and Sarah Died of fever on 15 February 1915, at Royal Herbert Hospital Woolwich, aged 20

Note: There is only a memorial at Greenwich, Hugh's body may have been returned to the family in Ayr for burial.

Memorial: Greenwich Cemetery Screen Wall. 3 "C." A. 107.

Royal Borough of Greenwich, London, England

Private Oswald Harold Chisholm

"D" Coy. 4/17th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force



23 MARCH 1915



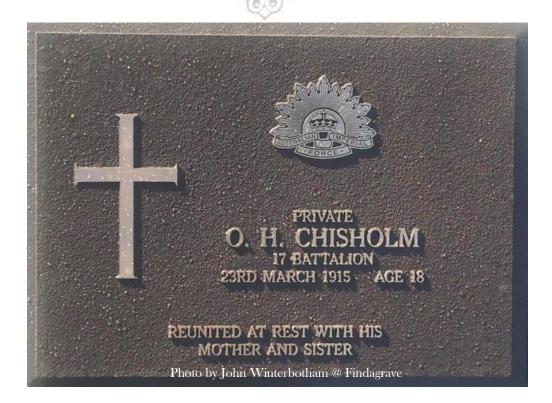
Born in Windsor NSW, on 28 July 1917

Son of James Stewart and Martha Elizabeth Chisholm

Brother of Reginald Charles and Winifred Isabel

Enlisted at Liverpool NSW on 5 March 1915, aged 18 years 6 months

Died of Pneumonia, at the Garrison Hospital, Victoria Barracks, on 23rd of March 1915.



Burial: Rookwood Necropolis, Sydney Plot C.E.EE 521

Remembered on the AWM at Canberra

223151 Private Daniel Chisholm

85th Battalion Canadian Expeditionary Force (Nova Scotia Highlanders)



20 November 1915



Born in Westville on 9th April 1884

Son of Allan Chisholm and Margaret Donovan of Westville, Nova Scotia

Brother of Loretta, William, James, Joseph, Mary, Annie

Enlisted 6th October 1915 at Halifax

Admitted to hospital on 18 November 1915

Died on 20th November 1915 aged 31.



Burial: Holy Name Cemetery, Westville, Nova Scotia

Commemorated on page 9, Canadian Book of Remembrance

Steward Alexander Chisholm SS Astrologer, Merchant Navy



26 JUNE 1916



Born at Nairn

Husband of Margaret Chisholm (nee Storm) of 57 Balfour Street, Leith

Father of Alexander, John, David, Robert, William, Richard, James.

SS Astrologer was carrying coal from Leith to Dunkirk, when at 0530 hrs she hit a mine 5 miles SSE of Lowestoft, and sank immediately following the violent explosion under the fore hold. Only 8 of the crew survived.

Son of Alexander and Isabella Chisholm of Leith

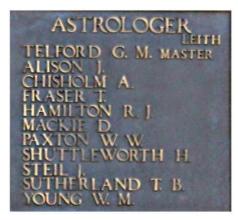
Alexander's son John was a Corporal in the Scots Guards, who was killed in action in the battle of the Somme just 5 days later.



Alexander's widow, Margaret Storm Chisholm. ca.1935

Chisholm Genealogical Database ID I27271 NZ Nairn





Above: Plaque at Tower Hill Memorial

Left: Family Stone at Seafield Cemetery, Edinburgh

Memorial: Tower Hill Memorial, London.

Lieutenant Commander Robert Fellowes Chisholm HM Submarine E37



3 DECEMBER 1916



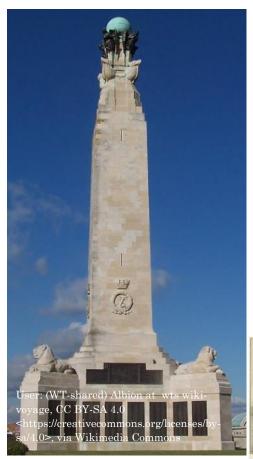
Born 4th May 1884 at Willesden, Middlesex, London

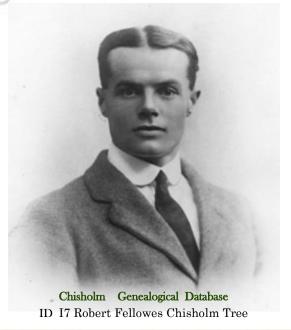
Husband of "Queenie" Cecilia Victoria Leyton, father of Donald, b 1912 Portsmouth

Son of renowned Anglo Indian architect Robert Fellowes Chisholm

Grandson of accomplished Victorian era artist Alexander Chisholm

Lt Commander Chisholm died on 3 December 1916, aged 32, in command of the submarine E37, when it went down in the North Sea, with no survivors. The cause of the sinking is unknown, although its most likely that E37 hit a mine.







Memorial: Panel 11 Portsmouth Naval Memorial

2nd Mate Alexander Chisholm



SS Grenadier Mercantile Marine 23 FEBRUARY 1917



Born on 6th April 1873 in Glasgow

Husband of Mary Falconer, of Marchlands, Bo'ness

Father of Hugh, Margaret and William

Son of Duncan Chisholm and the late Margaret Cameron, Galltair, Glenelg.

Brother of Sgt.Duncan (Lovat Scouts), Capt. Roderick (Camerons), Signaller Donald (Seaforths) Alisdair(4th Seaforths_ died Oct 1918), John, Archibald and sisters Margaret, Isabella

Died on 23 February 1917, as a result of enemy submarine attack

"Grenadier was a 1.004grt British Merchant ship. On the 23rd February 1917 when 6 miles ENE from Shipwash Light Vessel she was torpedoed without warning and sunk by a submarine. 8 lives lost including the Master."





The Glenelg War Memorial cc-by-sa/2.0 - © Nigel Brown - geograph.org.uk/p/3537135

Memorial: Tower Hill Memorial, London.

Also remembered on the Glenelg memorial

4459 Pte. James Chisholm58th Battalion Australian Imperial Force



18 May 1917



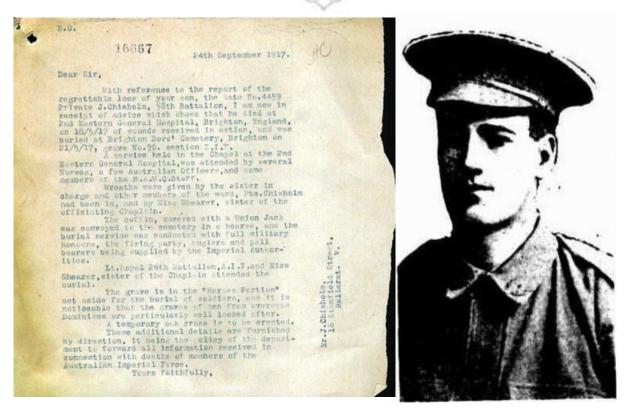
Born April 1894, in Ballarat.

Son of James, and the late Emily Alice Chisholm, of Ballarat East, Vic., Australia.

Brother of Reginald, Charles, George, Gracey, Helen

James enlisted in June 1915, and sailed for Egypt in January 1916. From May 1916 he had been on active service in France. from February 1917 he was serving with the Lewis MG section. He was wounded in action in France on 12 May 1917, with gunshot wounds to neck and leg. On 17th May He was evacuated to England but he died of his wounds the next day, aged 23, at the 2nd Eastern General Hospital in Brighton.

His Grandfather James Chisholm emigrated from Fife to Australia. Great grandfather Alexander Chisholm of Fife, married Helen Main at Dunfermline in 1804.



Burial: Brighton City (Bear Road) Cemetery. Plot ZIF 96

DA 9797 Frederick Bouverie Chisholm RNR HMS Thetis



11 SEPTEMBER 1917



Born on 1st February 1895 at Gourdon, Kincardineshire

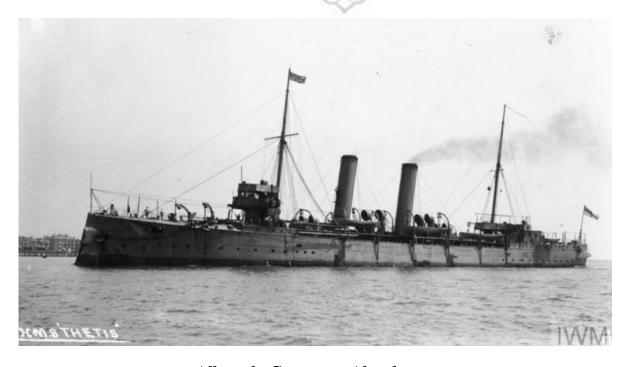
Son of Frederick Chisholm and Isabella Moir of 77 Rosemount Viaduct.

Brother of James, Charles, Isabella, and John

Died on 11th September 1917, aged 22

12 Ships of the Royal Navy have borne the name HMS Thetis, named after the sea-nymph in Greek mythology:

Number 11. HMS Thetis was an Apollo-class second class protected cruiser launched in 1890. She was used as a minelayer from 1907 and was sunk in 1918 as a blockship at Zeebrugge.



Burial: Allenvale Cemetery, Aberdeen. Plot T.17



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830057 Pte. David Chisholm 15th Battalion Canadian Expeditionary Force



13 OCTOBER 1917



Born in Inverness on 8th April 1888

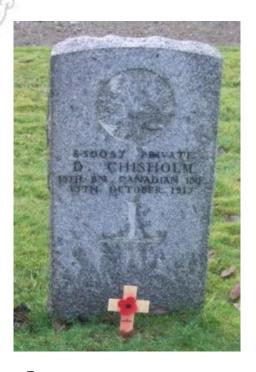
Son of John and Ann Chisholm of South Clunes, Invernesshire

Brother of Lizzie Ann, James Simon, John, Mary

David was wounded by shrapnel at Vimy Ridge in April 1917, and had a long record of hospitalisation and treatment before dying of wounds at Moore Barracks, Canadian Hospital, Shorncliffe, on 13 October 1917, aged 29.

David served nearly 5 years with the Field Artillery of the Seaforth Highlanders before emigrating to Canada.





Burial: Tomnahurich Cemetery, Inverness. Plot H8.4.260

Remembered on the Inverness Memorial at Edith Cavell Gardens

42224 Pte. John Chisholm 18th Battalion Manchester Regiment



6 NOVEMBER 1917



Son of Alexander Chisholm, of Leachkin Road, Inverness.

Died 6 Nov 1917 aged 20.





Burial: Tomnahurich Cemetery, Inverness. Plot H9.4.261

2062D RNR Leading Seaman Mathew Chisam HMS President III



24 SEPTEMBER 1918



Born ca. 1874 in Workington, Cumberland.

Husband of Agnes Chisam, 19 Tarbet Street, Toxteth Park, Liverpool

Son of late John Chisam (b Workington 1839) & Margaret Ellwood

Father of James, Isabella, and Agnes

Brother of Joseph Chisam

Mathew had a long service with Mercantile Marine and Naval Reserve. He was the recipient of the 1915 Star along with the Victory medal and the BWM.

Mathew died of illness at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast, on 24 Sept 1918, aged 44

HMS President is a shore establishment based on the Thames near Tower Bridge.

Picture below shows the pier of *HMS President* at St. Katharine's Way.



Burial : **Belfast City Cemetery** . Plot D 105

Pte. Henry Lester Chisholm HQ Coy., 308th US Infantry, 77th Division



8 NOVEMBER 1918



Born in Benton, Yates Co. NY on Feb 23 1894

Son of Charles and Veolia Chissom

Brother of Phelia(Schmoker) and Jane (Lehman)

Lester was a runner for the Trench Mortar Battery in the St Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne Campaigns.

This family can be traced back at least to Moses Chissom in Columbia Co NY b 1764

Died of Lobar Pneumonia at Base Hospital 56 on 8 Nov 1918, aged 24



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Burial: Lake view Cemetery, Penn Yann, Yates Co. NY

Remembered on the Presbyterian Memorial Tablet, First Presb. Church of Penn Yan

85652 Pte. William Kinnaird Chisholm 46th Reinforcements NZEF



11TH NOVEMBER 1918



Born in 7th January 1887 in Kinloss, Morayshire

Son of William Chisholm and Jane Kinnaird

Brother of Isabella

Died on Armistice Day, aged 31, a victim of the Spanish Flu Epdidemic.

William was a merchant seaman who had sailed the world, and in early 1917 he came ashore in Wellington NZ. He volunteered for the 33rd Reinforcements, which would have seen him posted overseas by the end of the year, but the military bureaucracy moved slowly. Although he passed the medical exam in June 1917 with an A1 grade, he was not called up until August 1918, whereupon he duly entered a training unit for the 46th Reinforcements. He was still under training when he, along with so many others, contracted pneumonia in the Spanish Influenza epidemic. He died two days later, on 11 November 1918, and was buried in the grounds of the Featherston Military Camp, a half a world away from home and family.



Burial: <u>Featherston Military Camp</u> Cemetery Western Lake Road, Featherston

S/29620 Pte. Alistair Chisholm

4th Battalion Seaforth Highlanders



7 DECEMBER 1918



Son of Duncan Chisholm and the late Margaret Cameron, Galltair, Glenelg.

Brother of Sgt. Duncan (Lovat Scouts), Capt. Roderick (Camerons), Signaller Donald (Seaforths) Alexander (2nd Mate SS Grenadier, KIA 23 Feb 1917), John, Archibald, and sisters Margaret, Isabella

Alistair signed up with the Seaforths in October 1917, and was under training at Glencourse, Midlothian when he contracted an illness, and died on 7th December 1918, aged 18¹/₂.



Burial: Glenelg Parish Churchyard

"Gus am bris an la agus an teach na sgailean "

Also remembered with his brother on the Glenelg memorial.

3188815 Pte. George Frederick Chisholm Depot Battalion Nova Scotia Regiment



14 DECEMBER 1918

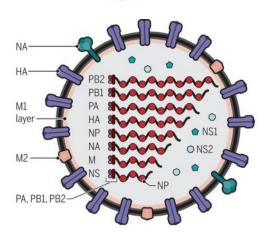


Born 17th January 1895

Son of Avon Burnham Chisholm and Clementina Layton, of Great Village, Colchester NS Brother of James, Margaret, Justin , Willema, Rebecca, and Lou

Enlisted 12th June 1918 at Aldershot

Died of Influenza at his home while on harvest leave, on 14th December 1918 aged 23.



Burial: <u>Great Village (Mahon) Cemetery, Colchester Co. Nova Scotia</u> Family Plot Commemorated on page 384, Canadian Book of Remembrance

200555 Pte. Charles Chisholm

5th Battalion, Highland Light Infantry



10 FEBRUARY 1919



Born in Bridgeport, Dorset, in 1867

Husband of Jane Anne Downie

Father of Charles, William (6th Seaforths, KIA March 1918 at Cambrai), Jane and Mary.

Son of Donald Chisholm and Annie Ball.

Originally a Highland family of Chisholms from Kirkhill.

Died of Pneumonia at Oakbank War Hospital, Glasgow, on 11th Feb 1919, aged 51.



Burial: Glasgow Western Necropolis Plot R 28

46296 Pte. Percival Chisholm

2nd Battalion Oxfordshire & Buckinghamshire Light Infantry



11 FEBRUARY 1919



Born at Devonport, July 1888.

Husband of Lillian Eliza Lambe , 11 Alexandra Road, Ford, Devonport. UK

Father of Charles William Percival Chisholm.

Son of John Chisholm (1854-1928 Gunner RN b Jersey) and Mary Anne Hocking Winnicot Brother of Florence, John, Henry, Bertram, Edith, Alfred, Christina.

Died of illness at the Red Cross Auxiliary Hospital, Port Sunlight, Wirral, on 11 February 1919, aged 30



Lord Leverhulme's Cottage Hospital at Port Sunlight, Merseyside, became an Auxiliary Hospital during the War

Burial: Plymouth Cemetery (Weston Mill) Plot: Con.B.2612

Eng. Commander James Chisholm RNR HMS Armadale Castle



27 APRIL 1919



Born in Glasgow in 1862

Husband of Marion Jane Ross, 419 Great Western Road, Glasgow

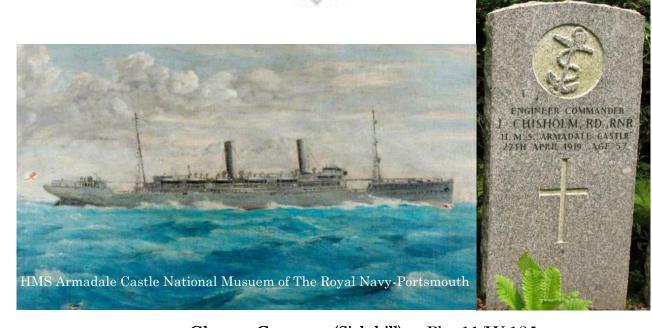
Son of James Hutton Chisholm and Elizabeth Chisholm

Served in the South African Campaign

Died at South Queensferry on 27 April 1919, aged 57.

Awarded Naval Reserve Decoration

HMS Armadale Castle was formerly SS Armadale Castle which was commandeered and converted to an armed Merchant Cruiser, fulfilling convoy escort protection duties, and offensive campaigns around the African coast, later in the North Sea.



Burial: Glasgow Cemetery (Sighthill) Plot 11/W.135

239087 Sapper Alexander Chisholm Royal Engineers



1 MAY 1919



Born in Inverness in 1881

Husband of Dolina Fraser (died in Inverness in 1916)

Father of Alistair

Son of Donald Chisholm and Margaret McKay

Brother of Mary, Catherine, Thomas, Neil, Donald, and Maggie

Alexander lived at 49 Huntly Street in Inverness. He was a cattle drover, his father was a cattle dealer. He died of Tuberculosis, an infectious disease rife amidst the barracks and poor living conditions, on 1st of May 1919, aged 38.



Burial: Inverness Cemetery (Tomnahurich) Plot J.3.26

Leading Deck Hand Joseph Chisholm DA/10910 HMS Victory RNR



6 MAY 1919



Born in Inverness on 9th April, 1871

Son of Valentine Chisholm and Margaret McPhail

Brother of Maryam, Catherine, Margaret, Archibald, Valentine, Annie, Bella, Jane, and Barbara.

Grandson of Colin and Catherine Chisholm

Died of Stomach Cancer at home, 22 Huntly Street, on 16th May 1919, aged 48.



Burial: St Mary's Chapel Inverness Plot 1436

4373 Pte. John Chisholm

3/4th Battalion, Cameron Highlanders



11 JUNE 1919



Born in Kilmorack in August 1897

Son of James Chisholm and Catherine Chisholm

James was the son of William Chisholm of Yellow Brook in Breakachy

Brother of Margaret, Valentine, and Annie.

Died on 11th June 1919, aged 22.

Buried at Eskadale Churchyard, adjacent to his parents.





They miss his most who loved him best.

RIP

Burial: St. Mary's, Eskadale.

118938 Pte. Alister Kenneth Chisholm

Machine Gun Corps

Formerly 5th Battalion Cameron Highlanders



9TH MAY 1920



Born in Duirinish in 1897.

Son of Kenneth and Mary Ann Chisholm, Kildonan, Portree, Isle of Skye.

Brother of Neil (KIA Paschendaele 2 Sept 1917) and Mary.

Alister enlisted in the Camerons at Edenbane on 7 Sept 1914 when he was just 17 years old.

Died in hospital on 9th May 1920, aged 23.

The Old Churchyard where Alister was buried is a listed heritage site, and is the ancient burial ground of the McLeod Chiefs.



Burial: Kilmuir Old Churchyard, Duirinish, Skye

S/6620 Pte. David Alfred Chisholm

9th Battalion Black Watch (Royal Highlanders)



20 OCTOBER 1920



Born in Edinburgh in 1894

Son of George HunterChisholm and Mary D Chisholm

Brother of Elizabeth, Thomas, and George.

This Edinburgh family of Chisholms spent several generations in Angus, but ultimately are a Borders family from Berwickshire.



Burial: Morningside Cemetery (Edinburgh) Plot I 1597.

5053 Private Robert Andrew Chisholm 3rd Battalion, AIF



26 APRIL 1921



Born in Waterloo, Sydney, in 1891.

Son of Alfred Dixon Chisholm and Elizabeth Rachel Chisholm of Hurstville Enlisted on 10 Nov 1915, aged 22 years 11 months.

Served in France from 1916

Admitted to Hospital on 25 March 1918, shell gas poisoning.

Returned to the front and wounded in action on 18 Sept 1918

Discharged from AIF as medically unfit, with a permanent disability due to military service

Died from the effect of war wounds and gas poisoning on 26th April 1921.



Burial: Woronora General Cemetery, Sutherland NSW Plot C.E.2.745

Remembered on the AWM at Canberra

272803 Sapper Joseph Chisholme

"G" Depot Coy. Royal Engineers



14TH JULY 1921



Born in Lancaster about 1872

Husband of Marion Chisholme,

Father of Sarah, Nellie, Earnest, Nova

Son of the late William Chisholme and Martha Alice Dobson

Brother of Martha, John, William and Christopher

(Christopher KIA in Flanders on 5 June 1916)

Joseph served previously in India and South Africa with the KOSB.

Died of Tuberculosis on 14th July 1921



Burial: <u>Lancaster Cemetery</u> Plot D.CS. 332.



E whom this scroll commemorates was numbered among those who, at the call of King and Country, left all that was dear to them, endured hardness, faced danger, and finally passed out of the sight of men by the path of duty and self-sacrifice, giving up their own lives that others might live in freedom.

Let those who come after see to it that his name be not forgotten.

The names of the members of Clan Chisholm listed on the preceding pages