

World War 1 The Great War 1914 - 1918



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Recruitment



Life in the trenches



The Trenches



Barbed Wire



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i2CgUlrBHoo>



Machine gun



John Malcolm goes 'over the top',

This morning he was clearly fixed in time and space, with a deep sense of identity and purpose. He stood with the absolute firmness of spirit that comes with certitude of resolve, his heart singing with confidence...

...The whistles for his battalion blew, and laden with his full pack, John Malcolm clambered along the trench line and out through the path marked in their own wire. He struggled to his feet, gripped his rifle firmly with both hands, and walked steadily into the rising sun.



The Wounded



Nursing the wounded



There were so many of them, and they kept coming. Men from all different regiments. “Do you think these are the worst?” she whispered as they struggled to cut soiled bandages from one man. The soldier opened his eyes. “No darlin’, he said in a broad Yorkshire accent. ‘The worst lie where they fall. Some have been lying where they fell in 1914.’”

War grave



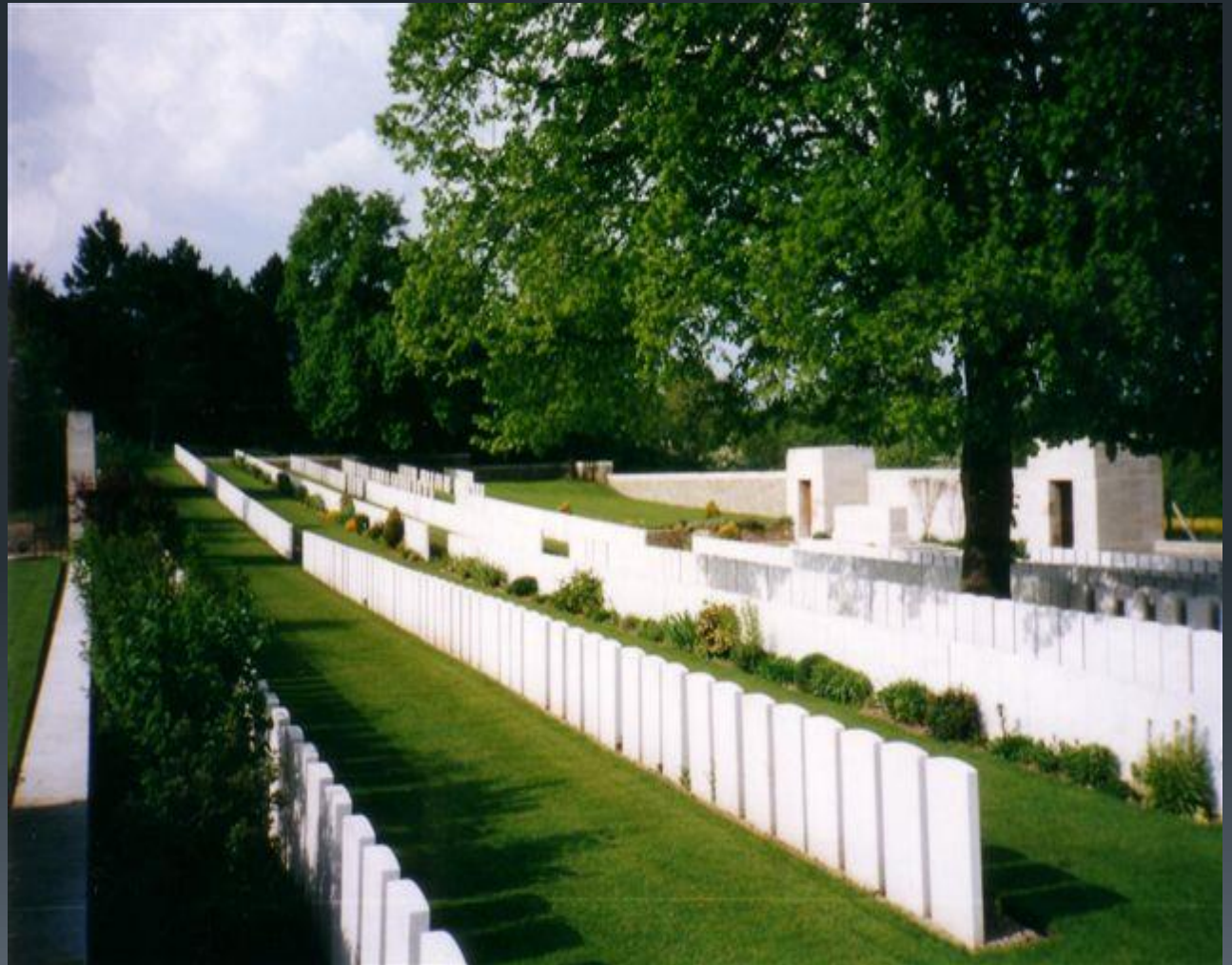
Tynecot Cemetery

11,908 graves; 70% of them are unknown.

The names of 34,927 soldiers, who have no known grave, are inscribed on the back wall



Corbie



France



Germany





**97th anniversary of the
Armistice
11/11/1918**

**They shall not grow old, as we that are left
grow old**

**Age shall not weary them, nor the years
condemn.**

**At the going down of the sun and in the
morning**

We will remember them