

<i>Name</i>	James Charles Nye
<i>Birth Place</i>	Croydon, Surrey
<i>Occupation 1911</i>	Farm Labourer
<i>Date of Birth</i>	1894
<i>Date of Enlisted</i>	

Photograph

<i>Parents</i>	James and Elizabeth
<i>Married</i>	In 1923 to a Miss Amy Marjorie Shirley

*Information from National Roll of the Great War*

In 1911 James C Nye was 18, and one of 4 children fostered with Alfred and Helen Ashby of Bugbrooke. They had no children of their own. He was working as an Agricultural Labourer and the census shows he was born in Croydon Surrey.

In the 1901 census he was living with his parents in Croydon. The family was James Nye –aged 76, Elizabeth Nye aged 50, James aged 7 and Grace aged 4. Improbable as it seems his parents age could explain the fostering in the 1911 census. His birth is registered as James Charles Nye in Croydon in the first quarter 1894

His marriage is registered in Northampton to a Miss Shirley in the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 1923.

His death is registered in Daventry in 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 1982, giving his birth date as 20<sup>th</sup> January 1894.

He is recorded in the medals index as having earned the Victory medal and the British Service Medal, being private 5508 in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Leinster Regiment. He was transferred to class z reserve on the 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1919.