Bilsington

Second World War 1939 – 1945

LUXMOORE, CHARLES FAIRFAX CORYDON. Second Lieutenant, P/107706.

General List.

Died 30 November 1939.

Born and resided Kent.

Son of The Right Honourable Lord Justice Sir Arthur Luxmoore P.C., K.C., J.P., B.A. and Lady Luxmoore (neé Royle) of Bilsington.

Buried in the family plot in Bilsington (St, Peter and St, Paul) Churchyard, Ashford, Kent.

Brother of the following casualty who fell in 1940 and is commemorated on Charles grave.

LUXMOORE, CORYDON. Second Lieutenant, 117909.

4th Battalion, The Buffs (Royal East Kent Regiment).

Died of wounds 11 June 1940.

Born and resided Kent.

Son of The Right Honourable Lord Justice Sir Arthur Luxmoore P.C., K.C., J.P., B.A. and Lady Luxmoore (neé Royle) of Bilsington.

Commemorated on the grave of his brother Second Lieutenant Charles Fairfax Coryndon Luxmoore (see above).

Buried Le Grand-Luce War Cemetery, Sarthe, France. Grave Ref: Row B. Grave 5.

Coryndon was mortally wounded by enemy shelling at St Remy, France on 7 July 1940, the shelling killed Captain Henry J.C. Walker, and wounded about thirty members of the battalion including two brother officers.

Also commemorated locally on his parents graves in the Bilsington parish Churchyard.

LOST CASUALTY

COURT, ELEANOR BARBARA. Firewatcher.

Died 24 March 1943. Aged 30. Resided at 'Woodlands', Bilsington, Ashford, Kent.

Commemorated on Ashford, Kent civic war memorial

Daughter of Barbara Elizabeth West of Church Lane, Brenzett, Romney Marsh, Kent.

Died at the Southern Railway Works, Ashford, Kent.

