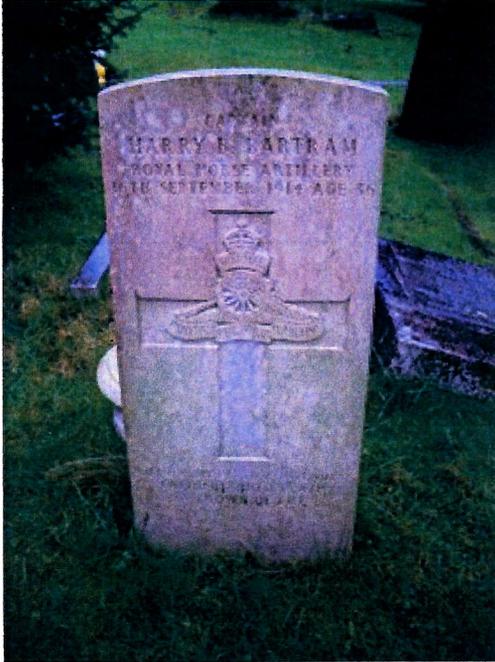


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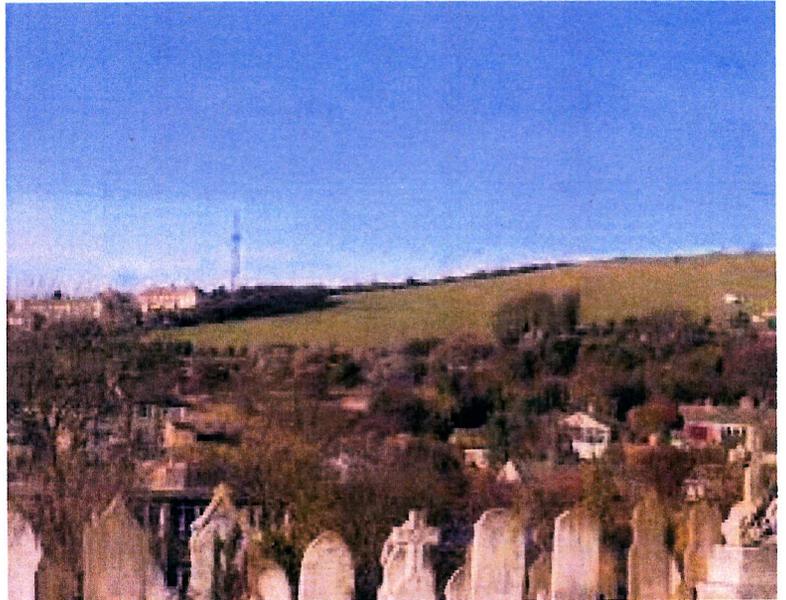
As Bramcote pays tribute to the one hundred year anniversary of the First World War, Bramcote Today take into account of one fellow soldier from Bramcote himself.

It was with the deepest sympathy for Canon Bartram and his family that news was received of the death in a Military Hospital of Captain Harry Brocklesby Bartram, the only son of Canon and Mrs. Bartram. Being just thirty six when he died, Bartram was a loyal, hard-working, dedicated and content family man that adored his family with all his heart.

Courageously, he fought in the battles of Mons, Cambrai and also in Arras, spent thirty six hours without any food or luxuries and continuously fought the enemy to defend his men. He had no time to sleep or rest as he was focused on fighting for his country. He was such a brilliant and thoughtful soldier and would held a hand out to anyone who needed it.

Bartram was born on 19th September 1878, the only son of Reverend Canon Bartram and his wife, who sadly passed away in 1909. During his life, he joined the Royal Horse Artillery in March 1900 and was appointed a lieutenant in April 1901 and captain in February 1909. He married Alice E. Bartram and had several children he adored.

Bartram, despite his determined spirit, was hospitalised as he was suffering from gastritis, which was inflammation of the lining of the stomach. He passed away in Alexandra Hospital, Cosham, and died on 16th September 1914, just three days before his 37th birthday. On that day, it was decided that the funeral should take place at Dover, in the same burying place as his mother. His grave reference is E. H. 12.



Cemetery Dover (ST. MARY'S) New Cemetery.
Where Bartram was buried