

**Name of memorial:** War Memorial

**Inventory No. 200**

**Place:** Downpatrick

**Address and map reference:** Strangford Rd., (jnctn, with Old Belfast Rd.). Map reference J 486 455.

**Position:** At a fork in the road.

**Description and dimensions:** Life-size statue of a soldier on a square plinth.

**Recorded by:** Michael Pegum, 16 June, 2005.

**Text:**  
(South side)

**IN HONOUR OF THE MEN OF DOWNPATRICK  
WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES FOR OTHERS  
IN THE GREAT WAR 1914 – 1918**

**JAMES BLACK  
BERNARD BLAYNEY  
WILLIAM R. C. BREEN  
JAMES R. BUCHANAN<sup>2(iv)</sup>  
JAMES CARR  
ERNEST A. CLAYTON  
JAMES CLELAND  
JOSEPH CLYDESDALE  
JOHN A. W. CLYDESDALE  
GUY DUFF  
ROBERT J. ELPHICK  
WILLIAM FAGAN  
ROBERT FERGUSON  
THOMAS FITZPATRICK  
WILLIAM R. GILL  
JAMES HANLON  
JAMES HENRY  
MICHAEL HINDS  
HUGH JOHNSTON  
ALEXANDER JOHNSTON  
JAMES KILLEN  
WILLIAM M. LANYON  
JAMES LAVERY  
SAMUEL A. LOVE<sup>3</sup>  
JOHN LOVE<sup>3</sup>  
GEORGE LOVE<sup>3</sup>  
WILLIAM LOVE  
WILLIAM J. LITTLE  
JOHN MALONE<sup>3</sup>  
ROBERT J. MELVILLE  
JAMES MCALISTER  
JOSEPH MCBRIDE  
SAMUEL MCCOUBREY  
WILLIAM J. SKILLEN**

**FRANCIS MCCOUBREY  
THOMAS MCCORMICK  
ROBERT McDONALD  
ROBERT G. MCELNEY<sup>2(v)</sup>  
WILLIAM J. MCILROY  
WILLIAM MCKEE  
HUGH MCKEE  
FRANCIS MCQUOID  
JOHN MCQUOID  
CHARLES MCWILLIAM  
THOMAS J. MOODY  
THOMAS MORGAN  
FRANCIS MORGAN  
WILLIAM MORTIMER  
CRAIG NELSON<sup>1</sup>  
ROBERT NIXON  
THOMAS J. NIXON  
WILLIAM J. PEAKE<sup>3</sup>  
GEORGE PELL  
SYDNEY V. REA  
WILLIAM H. ROBERTS  
ALBERT E. ROBERTS  
JOHN ROBERTS  
SAMUEL R. SMITH  
JOHN SMITH  
PATRICK SMITH  
JAMES THOMPSON  
WILLIAM TWEEDY  
JAMES WATTERSON  
HENRY K. WEIR  
JAMES WHITELAW  
GAMBLE WILSON  
THOMAS WILSON**

(West side)

**IN REMEMBRANCE OF  
THOSE WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES  
1939 IN THE WORLD WAR 1945**

**CHARLES TELFORD  
ALBERT E. BERRY  
ETTORE BORZA  
AMELIA CORRY  
SAMUEL D. CORRY  
WILLIAM S. CRAIG  
EDWARD CUNNINGHAM  
WILLIAM M. DONALDSON  
LEONARD F. DOYLE  
JAMES FITZSIMONS  
JAMES E. GLENDINNING  
ALAN O. JAYE  
WILLIAM JOHNSTON  
HENRY KELLY  
DAVID LOVE  
JOHN P. MCILWAINE  
ARTHUR J. MATHEWS  
JOSEPH HANNA**

**WILLIAM E. MAXWELL  
THOMAS M. MCBRIDE  
JOHN J. MCGRATH  
JAMES M. MCC AUSLAND  
W. HARPER MCELNEY  
MARGARET MCILROY  
TERENCE J. MCQUEEN  
EDWIN MOORE  
EDWARD J. O'HARE  
ARTHUR V. PAXTON  
CHARLES POOTS  
HENRY W. PORTER  
WILLIAM J. PORTER  
GEORGE SKILLINGS  
PATRICK B. SMYTH  
GEORGE WILLIAMSON  
HUGH D. MCNABB**

(East side)

**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.**

## **Books:**

### **1 = Our Heroes**

“Photographs with biographical notes of Officers of Irish Regiments and of Irish Officers of British Regiments who have fallen in action or who have been mentioned for good conduct, from August, 1914 to July, 1916.”

Dublin, Irish Life, 1916. (reprint available from [www.naval-military-press.com](http://www.naval-military-press.com)).

Also includes photos and biographical details of some other ranks (not officers) who died or were decorated.

### **2 = De Ruvigny’s Roll of Honour, vols. I to V**

A biographical record of members of his Majesty’s naval and military forces who fell in the Great War 1914 – 1918. Its 1,400+ pages contain the biographies of well over 25,000 men of the army, navy and air force who gave their lives, nearly 7,000 of the entries being accompanied by a photograph.

Reprint available from [www.naval-military-press.com](http://www.naval-military-press.com)

### **3 = County Down at War.**

King, Mike (ed.) Downpatrick, Down County Museum, 2004.

ISBN 0 9532530 7 4

Some biographical material on those named on memorials.