

Name of memorial: Collen Memorial

Inventory No. 76

Place: Christ Church of Ireland

Address and map reference: Taney Road, dundrum, Dublin 14. Map reference O 174 282.

Position: South wall of south transept.

Description and dimensions: Bronze plaque. Height 62cms, width 84cms.

Recorded by: Michael Pegum, 15 February 2004.

Text:

TO THE GLORY OF GOD
AND IN LOVING MEMORY OF
WILIAM STEWART COLLEN^{1,2}
2ND LIEUT. 6TH BATTN. ROYAL INNISKILLING
FUSILIERS KILLED IN ACTION AT SUVLA
BAY 7TH AUGUST 1915 AGED 25 YEARS.

“IF I SHOULD DIE THINK ONLY THIS OF ME
THAT THERE’S SOME CORNER OF A FOREIGN
FIELD THAT IS FOR EVER ENGLAND”

Books:

1 = Wesley College, Dublin 1845 – 1962

Cole, R. Lee. Dublin, A.P.C.K., 1963

Includes a list of 85 past pupils who died in World War I. One (John Crawford) does not appear on the memorial. Two names on the memorial (G. Arthurs and R. E. Lee) are not mentioned in the book.

2 = 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).

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