

Dedication of Bletsoe War Memorial, Sunday 13th June 1920.

Beginning at the lamp post: man with white moustache is the postmaster Mr Green, William Curtis, unknown, unknown, Miss Louise Campion, Bert Campion, Eleanor Campion, the priest Rev. Carlton, next to the memorial possibly William Hipwell, an unknown boy, Edwin Curtis, and Reg Green. Note the bugler, and the uniformed Girl Guides. The lamp post was designed to hold an oil lantern, and is the only evidence of any public lighting prior to installation of electric streetlamps in the 1950's.

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Modern view of War Memorial & Memorial Lane, 2000 EB 231 (David Baker)