

Bendigo Cemetery



Notes for a large monumental grave for Harry HOLMES and Amy BAYNE.
grave number #23517 in section H3.

Harry and Amy were married in 1896 but Harry died in 1917.

Amy later married Douglas Williamson BAYNE in 1923.

The parents for Amy BAYNE were Celia Margaret (nee: Giles) and Joseph BELL.

Celia & Joseph are buried in the White Hills Cemetery.

Amy's mother Celia died in the year of her birth in 1875 aged 33.

Her father Joseph was a well known reef miner and who amassed a large fortune
but he died in April 1885 aged 56.

Joseph left a young Amy, an only child, a large fortune at the age of 10.

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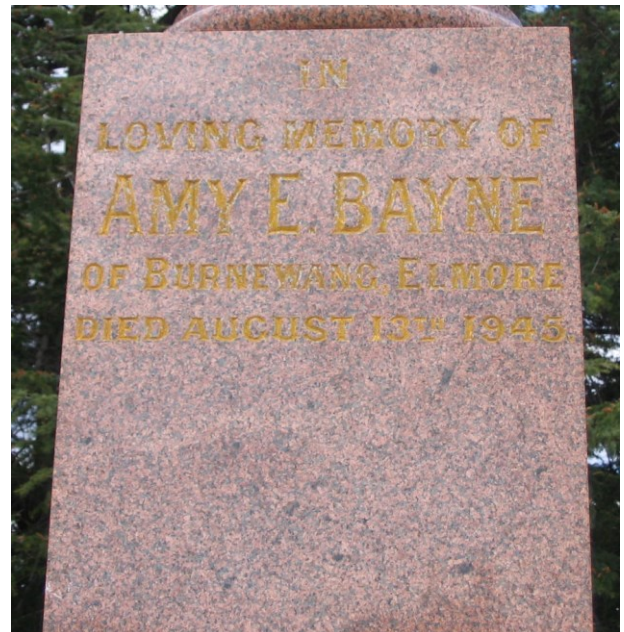
In memory of
HARRY HOLMES
of Burnewang Elmore
died May 13th 1917
Age 51
My Loved One.



In loving memory of
DOUGLASS W. BAYNE
of Burnewang Elmore
died March 17th 1930
Age 60



In loving memory of
AMY E. BAYNE
of Burnewang Elmore
died August 13th 1945



The following people were buried in this grave #23517 Sect H2 as per cemetery records.

HOLMES Henry (Harry) 13/05/1917 15/05/1917 51 yrs Mon H3 23517
BAYNE Douglas Williamson 17/03/1930 19/03/1930 60 yrs Mon H3 28395
BAYNE Amy Elizabeth 13/08/1945 14/08/1945 72 yrs Mon H3 33815

Amy Elizabeth Bayne (nee: Bell)

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OBITUARY

Mrs A E Bayne

Mrs Amy Elizabeth Bayne, of Burnewang Park, Elmore, and Forest Street, Bendigo, died in Bendigo yesterday. She was well known for her gifts to many institutions and organisations. She was the daughter of the late Mr Joseph Bell, one of Bendigo's foremost mining men of the eighties. Mr Bell amassed considerable wealth out of the Garden Gully

and Carlisle mines. In 1873 he bought Burnewang estate, on the Campaspe River, and later acquired other nearby properties. In later years most of the Burnewang estate was disposed of or subdivided for closer settlement, but Mrs Bayne retained an extensive area round the fine old homestead.

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DEATH OF MR H HOLMES.

WELL-KNOWN PASTORALIST.

The death occurred yesterday, after a lingering illness, of Mr Henry Holmes, of Burnewang Station, Elmore. The late Mr Holmes, who was 51 years of age, had been in indifferent health for some time past, and despite the fact that he had the best medical advice, his condition became worse.

He was the third son of the late Mr John Holmes, who was for many years a councillor and Mayor of the City of Bendigo. The late Mr Harry Holmes was well known and highly esteemed in the city. For many years he was a popular officer in the Bendigo Sub-Treasury, and took an active part in the Bendigo Lawn Tennis Club, of which he was a prominent player and secretary, and later on president. After taking up his residence at Burnewang he continued to be a staunch supporter of the club, and was a regular visitor to the courts on the occasion of important fixtures. He married the only daughter of the late Mr Joseph Bell, the well-known mining investor, of Bendigo. Mrs Holmes survives him. Before his health commenced to fail the late Mr. Holmes took an active interest in the Elmore Racing Club, the Elmore Agricultural Society, and the Elmore Coursing Club.

One of his brothers, Mr George Holmes, is manager at Burnewang, and another brother, Mr John Holmes, is engaged in pastoral pursuits. Mrs G. Darnton Watson, of Bendigo; Mrs H Wells, of Maldon; and Mrs Palmer, are sisters of the deceased gentleman. The funeral will take place tomorrow to the Bendigo Cemetery on the arrival of the 11.13 am train from Elmore.

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OBITUARY.

LATE MR H HOLMES.

Our Elmore correspondent writes:

The deepest regret is being expressed throughout the district at the death of Mr H Holmes. The genial squire of "Burnewang" was a favorite with everybody. His circle of friends was limited only by the number he met. His generosity was proverbial. Every local institution shared in it. His attention had but to be drawn to a worthy case, and he would espouse it most cheerfully. Especially so was this habit during the war. All war funds and soldiers' presentations received his generous support. And moreover the late gentleman took a personal interest in every one of the many volunteers from hereabouts.

The late Mr Holmes occupied the position of president of the Elmore Agricultural and

Pastoral Society for the past 16 years, and under his able direction and generous support the society has achieved a most popular and sound position. During their long association a very sincere affection has grown between the late president and the members, and his loss will be a heavy blow to the society. To the local coursing club the deceased gentleman was also a tower of strength. Burnewang Estate was reserved during the season for the use of the club, and consequently afforded some splendid sport. At the many delightful meets over the past years the cordial hospitality of Mr Holmes and his genial courtesy will be remembered by many sportsmen. Considerable sympathy is felt for Mrs Holmes in her bereavement.

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OBITUARY.

LATE MR H HOLMES.

The remains of the late Mr Harry Holmes, of Burnewang station, Elmore, which were conveyed to Bendigo by rail, were interred in the Bendigo Cemetery yesterday in the presence of a large and representative gathering of citizens. In addition of relatives, a number of friends of the deceased gentleman journeyed from Elmore and intermediate stations to Bendigo in order to pay their last tribute of respect to his memory. The lengthy cortege left the Bendigo railway station shortly after the arrival of the morning train from Elmore, and amongst those present were:

The Lord Bishop of Bendigo, the Mayor of Bendigo (Cr W Beebe), Crs Buckland, and Matthews (of the Huntly Shire Council), Messrs S H McGowan (president), H S Marks, A Maher and W A Reynell, of the Bendigo Agricultural Society; Messrs R G Colee, T M Trewick, W Harney, R A Green and A Scott, of the Elmore Agricultural Society; Mr A J Rogers, of the Elmore Rifle Club; Mr S Butcher, Elmore Coursing Club; Captain J Bremner, Elmore Fire Brigade; Dr De Ravin, and Messrs George Mackay, A Mackay, C F James, J H Giles, F Binks, R A Rankin, J Stanistreet, W B H Neill, C Cohen, E O'Keefe (Adelaide Vale Estate), - Stanistreet (Auchmore Estate), N Howell, E J Gill, J H Craig, J R Clark, H S V Busst, and - Laird (representing Messrs Younghusband, Row and Co).

Various local sporting clubs were also represented. The chief mourners were Messrs John Holmes, George Holmes, Robert Hunter, H G Mackay, H G Wells and Cecil Watson, who were seated in the first mourning coach; and Messrs K Holmes, J Holmes junr, A R Goldie, J Telford and S H Palmer, who occupied the second coach. A special coach was provided for the employees of deceased, and immediately following was deceased's motor car, which was utilised to convey numerous magnificent floral and artificial wreaths received from sorrowing friends. The oaken casket containing deceased's remains was conveyed to the Catholic section of the cemetery, and the burial service was conducted by the Very Rev T J Rooney, administrator of the Sandhurst diocese, assisted by the Rev J T Ryan, of Elmore. The pallbearers were Messrs J Telford, Robert Hunter, W A Reynell, S H Palmer, H G Mackay, A J Rogers and H G Wells. The funeral arrangements were carried out under the personal supervision of Mr Thomas Sayer, of Bridge Street, Bendigo.



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