Dear Dr Holliman

Our Parish Clerk picked up your message from the Chipperfield website and passed it to my wife, who, with our son, has tried to find out what she can about the Holliman family in Chipperfield. (She points out  that Holliman is quite a common name in Hertfordshire, so there might not be a close connection with your family).

The generations of our local Hollimans derived from census records are as follows:

William Holliman, dead by 1851

George Holliman, born 1826

Henry Holliman, born 1850

Herbert Holliman, born 1878, killed in action in France 1918. Listed on the war memorial In the Parish Church of St Paul, Chipperfield

                                            together with his eldest son Stanley, killed in 1916. (His 6th son Ernest died as a Prisoner of War in the

                                            2nd World War in 1943)

Harry Holliman, born 1902

Stanley Holliman, born in 1935, still lives in Chipperfield.  He had no idea of his family history until you inspired this research.

There are family connections with the neighbouring villages of King's Langley, Sarratt and Croxley Green.

We will try and help further if you are able to send more details of your forbears, e.g. full name,date of birth, place of birth,dates of emigration etc. We cannot promise results, but our son will do his best for you.

Yours sincerely

David Nobbs, Chipperfield Parish Council.