

The WOMEN of Trentham in 1918



Susan Annie (known as Nancy) Corn née Hammersley was born on 11th March 1869 in Tunstall where her father was an earthenware potter. She was sent to school, with her sister Margaret, in Prestbury.

She married Edmund Corn on 1st March 1892 and they travelled extensively both at home and abroad during their marriage. Edmund was a director of Richards Tiles and Nancy also became a director of the company.

Nancy had no children but was much involved with community activities, playing bridge, the Women's Institute (set up in 1915), fund raising for the local Nursing Meeting, the Red Cross and the local Infirmary.

The Corn family house was Selwyn on Longton Road and in 1936 they gifted the house to Stoke on Trent Blind Welfare.

Nancy Corn was on the 1918 Register of Electors.

