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Newham biographies

Arrange the sentences to tell the story of Jack Cornwell.



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He died of his wounds on 2 June 1916.

When the war started in 1914 he tried to join up but was too young.

**Jack Cornwell, a hero of the World War One.**

The person in the famous photo is not Jack, it's his brother!

He was born in Leyton.

He tried again in 1915 and was accepted into the Navy.

Jack's ship was in the Battle of Jutland and he was seriously injured.

He was born on 8 January 1900.

He was one of the youngest people to be awarded a Victoria Cross.

His father worked as a milkman and tram driver.

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Arrange the sentences to tell the story of Hannah Dadds.



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She died in 2011.

She was born in Forest Gate.

In 2019 a plaque was unveiled in her honour at Upton Park station.

She left school at 15 and worked as a shop assistant.

**Hannah Dadds, the first female train driver on the Underground.**

It took her seven weeks to qualify as a train driver.

She retired in 1993 and moved to Spain.

She was born on 16 October 1941.