



Blue Plaque For Walter Ayles

Sunday April 17th, at 3.30pm

A blue plaque will be unveiled at 12 Station Road, Ashley Down, BS7 9LB. Walter Ayles, Bristol's most prominent World War 1 conscientious objector, lived there with his wife Bertha. Both were vigorous opponents of conscription and of World War 1. The day of the unveiling is exactly a 100 years after Walter's arrest for leafleting against conscription.

Walter Ayles was a member of the Independent Labour Party and city councillor for Easton from 1912. He was imprisoned from April 1916 until February 1919. In 1923 he was elected as Labour MP for Bristol North.

Please join us to honour all those people in Bristol who bravely opposed the war.

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