

War project visits Leeds

THANKS to a National Lottery Heritage Fund award, the work of 'British Jews in the First World War' has been expanded to allow the organisation to continue its work in Leeds, Humberside and the north-east.

The We Were There Too project held two meetings at the Queenshill Housing complex this week.

Alan Fell, senior project consultant, led a presentation, followed by individual 'interviews'.

WWT project manager Rodney Ross said: "One of the fundamental aims of the organisation is to collect stories from the First World War period about the Jewish contribution.

"If we don't collect them now they may well be lost forever.

Once researched and collected they are up loaded to our Digital website."

Project historian Paula Kitching delivered three sessions at LJFS.



MEMORIES: Project researcher Charlotte Clare talks to Leslie Gould about the We Were There Too project. Below, Alan Fell, senior project consultant, with Sally Brown

