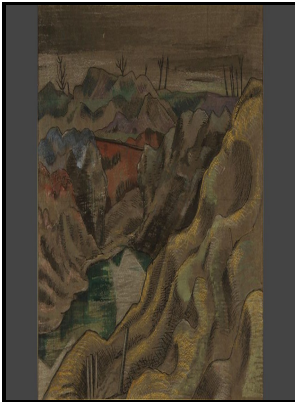


# Paul Nash - landscapes of war and peace

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### The Archival Trail: Paul Nash the war artist

Later, he became fascinated by menhirs and stone circles, ancient tracks and the buried signs of ancient Britain: iron age hill forts, Silbury Hill, Avebury and the Dorset coast. This combination of familiar and unexpected has much in common with the nature of dreams.

### The Archival Trail: Paul Nash the war artist

On Valentine's Day 1910, aged forty-nine, Caroline Nash died in a mental institution. As result, in 1933, Nash formed a group called Unit One that included Nicholson and his wife, Hepworth.

### Paul Nash Artworks & Famous Paintings

IWM ART 2242 We are Making a New World Paul Nash, 1918 © The Imperial War Museum: Art. In the summer of 1916, while Nevins was working on the pictures for his exhibition, a politician who knew nothing about art was organizing a government scheme that would have a profound effect on English painting. Oil on canvas - Imperial War Museums 1945 Eclipse of the Sunflower From 1942 onwards, Nash had been visiting his friend and fellow artist Hilda Harrison's house in Oxfordshire, nearby his childhood home.

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The coast at Dymchurch, on the other hand, is more of an abstraction, and more surreal, than any of Nash's borrowings and strained inventions from the further reaches of European art. He's a bit modern, yes, but safely English romantic visionary, who loves the land and fills it with character. Here, we can only hallucinate our presence, our sense of place, history, belonging and purpose.

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This new world is unwanted, unlovable but inescapable. There is a trace of Vorticist influence in these early war paintings by Nash.

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All right, it's not the right word. These pictures seem intentionally clumsy and representational compared with his earlier futurist paintings, but he considered them both important and new—not in technique, which seemed not to matter to him, but in what they said. During World War II, although sick with the asthmatic condition that would kill him, he produced two series of anthropomorphic depictions of aircraft, before producing a number of landscapes rich in symbolism with an intense mystical quality.

### **War and peace**

As his photographs of lone stones, abandoned structures and smashed trees show — there's a good selection here — his inclination isn't to animate the inanimate. It was the middle year of the war, and in the middle of that year the crucial battle began that changed Allied fortunes. More than that, there are no natural forms—no trees that retain the shape of trees, no natural bodies of water , not even natural shapes in the earth itself.

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