

C.S.M. Thomas RIGBY

10/5066 10th Battalion Lancashire Fusiliers Died of Wounds 8 July 1916 aged 43

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 6A-040

Personal History

Thomas RIGBY was born at Preston, Lancashire in 1873 the son of John and Mary RIGBY.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 28, West View, Westham, Lancashire,. He was aged 36 with the occupation of Bricklayers Labourer.

He was a married man. His wife's name was Janie RIGBY (nee COOKSON) They married at Old Fylde Register Office, Blackpool on 17 March 1905. They had children: Constance Helen b. 1905, Thomas Henry b. 1908

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Superintendent of the Lines Dept. at St. Annes as a Summer Porter

Service History

He was living at Wesham, Lancashire when he enlisted in the Lancashire Fusiliers at Bury, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 15 July 1915. His last known address was Blackpool, Marton, Kupham Avenue, 37 (CWGC).

He is recorded as Died of Wounds on 8 July 1916 aged 43

He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal & 1914-15 Star

Remarks

Grave Inscription "IN TREASURED REMEMBERANCE OF THE DEAR ONE UNTIL THE DAY BREAKS"

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