



Q.M. Sergeant Wilfred Arthur SANKEY

265245 1st/4th Battalion King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment

Died 5 October 1918 aged 24

Commemorated Hollybrook Memorial Southampton, England

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 6B-016

Personal History

Wilfred Arthur SANKEY was born at Blackpool, Lancashire in 1894 the son of Tyhomas and Alice SANKEY nee HAWORTH who were married 1882 at St. Mary, Preston, Lancashire. His father died in 1949. His mother died in 1949.

In the 1911 census the family were living at North Dene, Off Bolton Road, Pendlebury, Lancashire,. He was aged 17 with the occupation of Railway Clerk.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 93, Adelaide Street, Blackpool, Lancashire,. He was aged 7 He was a married man. His wife's name was Ellen SANKEY (nee NICHOLLS) They married at Christ Church, Pendlebury, Lancashire on 31 March 1905

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Goods Managers Dept. at Whalley as a Clerk

Service History

He enlisted in the King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment at Morecambe, Lancashire.

He is recorded as Died on 5 October 1918 in On Board Ship Cunard aged 24

He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal

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