

Private Sydney SEWELL

200231 1st/5th Battalion King's Liverpool Regiment
Killed in action 8 August 1916 aged 21
Commemorated Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Panels 1C, 8B & 8C

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 6B-039

Personal History

Sydney SEWELL was born at Maghull, Liverpool in 1895 the son of Peter Singleton and Sarah SEWELL nee MARTLAND who were married 08/01/1887 at St. Peter, Everton, Liverpool, Lancashire. His father died in 1907. His mother died in 1907.

In the 1911 census the family were living at Durantes Cott. He was aged s with the occupation of Meling Road, Liverpool, Lancashire, Age 16, No Occupation.

In the 1901 census the family were living at Durantes Cott. He was aged s with the occupation of Meling Road, Liverpool, Lancashire, Age 6.

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Civil Enginees Dept. as a Chargeman's Labourer

Service History

He enlisted in the King's Liverpool Regiment at Liverpool, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 21 February 1915. His last known address was Liverpool, Lancashire, Melling Road, Durantes Cottages (1911 Census).

He is recorded as Killed in action on 8 August 1916 aged 21

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



