



***Sergeant John Thomas TARRANT***

*8091 6th Battalion Loyal North Lancashire Regiment*

*Killed in action 16 January 1917 aged 30*

*Commemorated Basra Memorial, Iraq Panel 27*

*Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 6C-066*

***Personal History***

*John Thomas TARRANT was born at Southwark, Surrey in 1887 the son of John Thomas and Eliza Sarah TARRANT nee KIMBERLEY who were married 17/04/1881 at Holy Trinity, Newington, England. His father died in 1913. His mother died in 1913.*

*In the 1901 census the family were living at 26, Canada Street, All Saints, Newcastle on Tyne,. He was aged 13*

*In the 1891 census the family were living at 8, Adams Place, Southwark, London,. He was aged 4 with the occupation of A Scholar.*

*He was a married man. His wife's name was Emily TARRANT (nee OASTLER) They married at Preston Register Office or Registrar Attended on 25 March 1905*

*Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Goods Managers Dept. at Preston as an Extra Porter*

***Service History***

*He enlisted in the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment at London. and embarked for (Theatre of war not known) on 12 August 1914. His last known address was Preston, Lancashire, Westmorland Street, 1 (CWGC).*

*He is recorded as Killed in action on 16 January 1917 aged 30*

*He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal*

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