

Private Leslie WAINWRIGHT

23228 8th Battalion Royal Fusiliers
Killed in action 3 May 1917 aged 27
Commemorated Arras Memorial, France Bay 3

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 7A-068

Personal History

Leslie WAINWRIGHT was born at Oldham, Lancashire in 1890 the son of George and Mary Parsons WAINWRIGHT nee EXELL who were married 1881 at Salford Register Office or Registrar Attended. His father died on .

In the 1911 census the family were living at 429, Bury New Road, Higher Broughton, Manchester,. He was aged 20 with the occupation of Railway Clerk.

In the 1901 census the family were living at Endsleigh, Alderly Edge,. He was aged 10

In the 1891 census the family were living at Norwodd House, Royton, Oldham, Lancashire,. He was aged 6 Months

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company as a Clerk

Service History

He was living at Manchester, Lancashire when he enlisted in the Royal Fusiliers at the same place.

He is recorded as Killed in action on 3 May 1917 aged 27

He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal



