



Private James WHITTAM

7541 B' Company 1st Battalion Scots Guards

Killed in action 15 September 1916 aged 25

Commemorated Thiepval Memorial, France Pier and Face 7D

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 7B-059

Personal History

James WHITTAM was born at Preston, Lancashire in 1892 the son of Henry and Catherine (Kate) WHITTAM nee BRADLEY who were married 20/07/1889 at Preston, Lancashire.

In the 1911 census the family were living at Military, 2nd Battalion Scots Regiment Foot of Mouth, Private,. He was aged 20

In the 1901 census the family were living at 108, Porter Street, Preston, Lancashire,. He was aged 9

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Superintendent of the Line at Preston (East Lancashire) as a Porter

Service History

He enlisted in the Scots Guards at Preston, Lancashire. and embarked for (Theatre of war not known) on 21 August 1914. His last known address was Preston, Lancashire, Gladstone Street, 19 (CWGC).

He is recorded as Killed in action on 15 September 1916 aged 25

He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal & 14 Star

Remarks

Brother Joseph Also died

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