

## Private John Partington BOOTH

R/13052 8th Battalion, 1st Company King's Royal Rifle Corps Died of Wounds 6 November 1915 aged 20 Buried Hop Store Cemetery, Belgium Grave 1. C. 31.

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 1C-013

## Personal History

John Partington BOOTH was born at Heywood, Lancashire in 1895 the son of Matthew and Margaret BOOTH nee CLEGG who were married 1884 at Bury Register Office or Registrar Attended. In the 1911 census the family were living at 14, Corry Street, Heywood,. He was aged d 16 with the occupation of Tressle Maker.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 24, Chadwick Lane, Heywood, Lancashire,. He was aged 6 Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Stores Dept. at Castleton as a Key Maker

## Service History

He was living at Heywood, Lancashire when he enlisted in the King's Royal Rifle Corps at Rochdale, Lancashire. on 21 May 1915 and embarked for France on 17 August 1915. His last known address was Heywood, Rochdale Road East, 36 (CWGC).

He is recorded as Died of Wounds on 6 November 1915 in No. 18 Field Ambulance Station aged 20 He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal & 1914-15 Star

## Remarks

Grave Inscription "FOR HOME AND COUNTRY HE GAVE HIS ALL". Formerly a member of the Hornby Street Football Club.

Do you have any further information about this serviceman? If so, we would be pleased to hear from you. Contact us using the link www.mlfhs.uk/contact

