



***Private Abraham BRIERLEY***

*127453 19th Company Machine Gun Corps*

*Killed in action 18 April 1918 aged 21*

*Commemorated Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium Panels 154-159*

*Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 1C-036*

***Personal History***

*Abraham BRIERLEY was born at Bolton, Lancashire on 25 September 1896 the son of Alfred and Martha BRIERLEY nee KEETON who were married 1895 at Oldham Register Office or Registrar Attended.*

*In the 1911 census the family were living at 4, St. Thomas Street North, Oldham, Lancashire,. He was aged 14 with the occupation of Office Boy in Cotton Mill.*

*In the 1901 census the family were living at 610, Tonge Moor Road, Bolton, Lancashire,. He was aged 4. Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company as a Booking Clerk*

***Service History***

*He was living at New Brighton, Cheshire when he enlisted in the Machine Gun Corps at Royton, Lancashire.*

*He is recorded as Killed in action on 18 April 1918 in France or Belgium aged 21*

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

**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](http://www.mlfhs.uk/contact)**

