



Private James BYRNE

19469 (6th) 3rd Battalion South Lancashire Regiment

Died of Wounds 13 July 1916 aged 19

Buried Millencourt Communal Cemetery Ext., France Grave A. 27

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 2A-021

Personal History

James BYRNE was born at Manchester, Lancashire in 1896 the son of William and Ann Jane BYRNE nee ELLIOTT who were married 1889 at St. Barnabas, Oldham Road, Manchester.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 8, Riding Street, Miles Platting, Manchester, Lancashire,. He was aged 15 with the occupation of Railway Engine Cleaner.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 13, Hayden Street, Manchester,. He was aged with the occupation of 4.

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Goods Manager Dept. at Oldham as a Junior Porter

Service History

He enlisted in the South Lancashire Regiment at Manchester, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 1 January 1916. His last known address was Newton Heath, Redford Street, 5

He is recorded as Died of Wounds on 13 July 1916 in 7th Field Ambulance - France aged 19

He was awarded the Victory Medal & British War Medal

Remarks

Grave Inscription "TOO FAR AWAY THE GRAVE TO SEE BUT NOT TOO FAR TO THINK OF THEE"

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