

Sergt (Bomb) (Corp) Harold COBHAM

19464 B' Company 86th Brigade Royal Field Artillery
Killed in action 7 October 1917 aged 22
Commemorated Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium Panels 4 to 6

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 2B-010

Personal History

Harold COBHAM was born at Mawdesley, Lancashire in 1895 the son of William and Caroline COBHAM nee JONES who were married 1893 at St, Peter & St. Paul, Ormskirk. His father died in 1939. His mother died in 1939.

In the 1911 census the family were living at Rose Cott. He was aged with the occupation of Mawdsley, Ormskirk, Lancashire, Age 16, Railway Booking Clerk.

In the 1901 census the family were living at Smithy Lane, Mawdesley, Ormskirk,. He was aged 6
Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Superintendent of the
Line Dept. at Rufford as a Joint Clerk

Service History

He enlisted in the Royal Field Artillery at Chorley, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 16 July 1915. His last known address was Ormskirk, Mawdesley, Rose Villa (CWGC).

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He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal & 1914-15 Star



