



Lieutenant John Henry Bradshaw DARWIN

8th Battalion (Ardwick) Manchester Regiment

Died of Wounds 5 December 1917 aged 36

Buried Honnechy British Cemetery, France Grave I. A. 36

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 2C-014

Personal History

John Henry Bradshaw DARWIN was born at Manchester, Lancashire in 1881 the son of George H. and Amelia E. DARWIN nee BRADSHAW who were married 24/04/1879 at St. Paul, Withington, Manchester. His father died in 1944. His mother died in 1944.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 253, Portland Street, Southport,. He was aged 29 with the occupation of Gents Outfitters Commercial Traveller.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 24. Lapwing Lane, Disbury, Manchester,. He was aged 19 with the occupation of Apprentice in Warehouse.

In the 1891 census the family were living at Lapwing Lane, Didsbury, Manchester,. He was aged 9 with the occupation of Scholar.

He was a married man. His wife's name was Florence Livesey DARWIN (nee CHADWICK) They married at Christ Church, West Didsbury, Manchester on 14 September 1905

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company as a Parcel Clerk

Service History

He enlisted in the Manchester Regiment.

He is recorded as Died of Wounds on 5 December 1917 aged 36

He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal

Remarks

Grave Inscription "HE GAVE HIS LIFE FOR HIS COUNTRY"

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