



***Private William Alfred EDGE***

*9708 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment*

*Died 18 July 1915 aged 21*

*Buried Wimereux Communal Cemetery, France Grave I. J. 9A*

*Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 2C-068*

***Personal History***

*William Alfred EDGE was born at St. Michaels, Manchester on 1894? the son of John Thomas and Mary EDGE nee FARRELL who were married 1882 at Manchester Register Office or Registrar Attended. His father died in 1894. His mother died in 1894.*

*In the 1901 census the family were living at 53, Eliza Ann Street, Harpurhey, Manchester,. He was aged 7 Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Carriage and Wagon Dept. at Newton Heath Shops as a Labourer*

***Service History***

*He was living at Manchester, Lancashire when he enlisted in the Cheshire Regiment at Chester, Cheshire. and embarked for (Theatre of war not known) on 31 August 1914. His last known address was Collyhurst, Manchester (CWGC).*

*He is recorded as Died on 18 July 1915 in Winokelf Stat. Hosp. - Enteric Fever aged 21*

*He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal & 14 Star*

**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)**

