

Private Orlando FARRINGTON

17733 1st Battalion King's Own Royal Lancaster Regt
Killed in action 1 July 1916 aged 26
Commemorated Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Face 5a & 12B

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 3A-030

Personal History

Orlando FARRINGTON was born at Bolton. Lancashire in 1889 the son of William Smith and Elizabeth FARRINGTON.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 24, Cooper Street, Bolton, Lancashire,. He was aged 22 with the occupation of Iron Moulder.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 24, Cooper Road, Bolton, Lancashire. He was aged 10 He was a married man. His wife's name was Alice Ann FARRINGTON (nee HODGKINSON) They married at St. James the Apostle, Bolton on 1 January 1912. They had children: Elizabeth A. b. 1912 Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Locomotive Dept. at Horwich as a Labourer

Service History

He enlisted in the King's Own Royal Lancaster Regt at Farnworth, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 22 June 1915. His last known address was Bolton, Folds Road, Burton Street, 9 (CWGC).

He is recorded as Killed in action on 1 July 1916 aged 26

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

Remarks

Also 1st Battalion King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment

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