

## Corporal Wlr. Edmund FLETCHER

705198 (210th)15th Battery Royal Horse& Royal Field Artillery
Died of Wounds 2 November 1918 aged 27
Buried Etaples Military Cemetery, France Grave XLIX. A. 20

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 3A-054

## Personal History

Edmund FLETCHER was born at Manchester, Lancashire in 1893 the son of Edmund and Sarah Elizabeth FLETCHER nee PETERS who were married 1887 at Chester Civil Marriage or Registrar Attended. His father died on .

In the 1911 census the family were living at 17, Thorp Road, Newton Heath, Manchester,. He was aged 17 with the occupation of Railway Wagon Builder.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 7, Dunn Street, Salford,. He was aged 7

He was a married man. His wife's name was Catherine FLETCHER (nee FARRELL) They married at St. Aiden, Bradford, Manchester on 12 March 1913. They had children: Sarah Elizabeth b. 1913, Kathleen b. 1915

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Carriage and Wagon Dept. Newton Heath Shops as a Wagon maker

## Service History

He enlisted in the Royal Horse& Royal Field Artillery at Manchester, Lancashire. and embarked for Egypt on 24 September 1915. His last known address was Moston, Manchester, Spredbury Street, 16 (CWGC).

He is recorded as Died of Wounds on 2 November 1918 in 22nd General Hospital - France aged 27

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



