

Private Richard BAGGIN

8252 1st Battalion South Wales Borderers
Killed in action 26 September 1914 aged 30
Commemorated La Ferte-Sous Jouarre Memorial, France

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 1A-053

Personal History

Richard BAGGIN was born at Rotherham, Yorkshire in 1883 the son of George M. and Elizabeth BAGGIN nee MORLEY who were married 1880 at St. Peter, Leeds.

In the 1911 census the family were living at Seving in South Wales Borderers, South Africa,. He was aged 27 In the 1901 census the family were living at 14, Malt Mill Yard, Leeds,. He was aged 17 with the occupation of Boiler Maker.

He was a married man. His wife's name was Beatrice Annie BAGGIN (nee LINFOOT) They married at Leeds Registered Building on 22 March 1905. They had children: Beatrice M. b. 1911, Mabel b. 1914 Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Goods Managers Dept. at Leeds as a Porter

Service History

He enlisted in the South Wales Borderers at Leeds, Yorkshire. and embarked for (Theatre of war not known) on 13 August 1914. His last known address was Leeds, Malt Mill Yard, 14 (1901 Census).

He is recorded as Killed in action on 26 September 1914 in Ventresse, France aged 30

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

