



Corpl (Private) Henry MORTON

8650 2nd Battalion Kings Own Scottish Borderers

Died of Wounds 8 September 1917 aged 31

Buried Leeds (Beckett Street) Cemetery, England Grave 'U' 21247

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 5B-025

Personal History

Henry MORTON was born at Leeds, Yorkshire in 1887 the son of George and Mary Ann MORTON nee KING. His father died in 1924. His mother died in 1924.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 1, Huddersfield Road, Ravensthorpe, Yorkshire,. He was aged 24 with the occupation of Railway Passenger Porter.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 77, West Street, Leeds, Yorkshire,. He was aged 14 with the occupation of Errand Boy Post.

In the 1891 census the family were living at 7, Mercy Street, Leeds, Yorkshire,. He was aged 4

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Superintendent of the Lines Dept. at Dewsbury as a Porter

Service History

He was living at Leeds, Yorkshire when he enlisted in the Kings Own Scottish Borderers at the same place. and embarked for on 15 August 1914. His last known address was Ravensthorpe, Yorkshire, Huddersfield Road, 1 (1911 Census).

He is recorded as Died of Wounds on 8 September 1917 in 1st West Gen. Hospital, Liverpool aged 31

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

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