



Private Richard BASHALL

17240 1st/4th Service Battalion King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment

Died of wounds as prisoner of war 29 April 1918 aged 25

Buried Cabaret Rouge British Cemetery, France Grave XV. M. 3.

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 1B-026

Personal History

Richard BASHALL was born at Preston, Lancashire in 1893 the son of Francis and Mary Ellen BASHALL nee DUNN who were married 1891 at Preston Register Office or Registrar Attended. His father died in 1946. His mother died in 1946.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 14, Brook Street, Preston, Lancashire,. He was aged 18 with the occupation of Brewer.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 20, Elliott Steet, Preston, Lancashire,. He was aged 8

He was a married man. His wife's name was Ellen BASHALL (nee POTTER) They married at Bolton Register Office or Registrar Attended on 26 March 1905. They had children: Richard b. 1912, Ellen b.1913, Herbert b. 1915, Mary b. 1919?

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Superintenant of the Line Dept. at Westhoughton as a Porter

Service History

He enlisted in the King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment at Atherton, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 29 July 1915. His last known address was Preston, Brook Street, 14 (1911 Census).

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

Remarks

Prisoner of War

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