

## Private (L/Corp) George NEWMAN

7134 2nd Battalion East Lancashire Regiment
Killed in action 28 April 1917 aged 38
Commemorated Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Face 6C

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 5B-056

## Personal History

George NEWMAN was born at Pendleton, Salford, Lancashire in 1877 the son of John and Mary NEWMAN nee DUNNE.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 13, Wellington Street, Newton Heath, Manchester, Lancashire,. He was aged 32 with the occupation of Railway Brakesman.

In the 1891 census the family were living at St. Joseph Boy's Industrial Scholl. Richmond Grove, Longsight, Manc.,. He was aged 15 with the occupation of Scholar.

He was a married man. His wife's name was Mary Alice NEWMAN (nee BATE) They married at St. Wilfred, Newton Heath Manchester. on 2 May 1915

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

## Service History

He enlisted in the East Lancashire Regiment at Manchester, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 18 May 1915. His last known address was Newton Heath, Manchester, Bennett Street, 17 (CWGC).

He is recorded as Killed in action on 28 April 1917 aged 38

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



