

Surname	Burke
Forename	George
Initials	G
Age	
Honours/Awards	
Date died	08/07/1917
Rank	Private
Regiment	Army Service Corps
Unit/Squadron	attd. 227th Bty Royal Garrison Artillery
Service Number	DM2/164128
Cemetery/Memorial	Bailleul Communal Cemetery Extension, Nord
Grave Reference	III.D.246
Further Information	Second son of Mr. And Mrs. Peter Burke, Birkenhead. Resided at 34 Demense Street, Seacombe, Wallasey. Employed by the Wallasey Taxi Co. Joined the colours in April, 1916.



#### News Report

##### Seacombe Motor-Driver Dies From Wounds

The following official telegrams have been received of the death of Pte. George Burke, of the Army Service Corps:-

“Regret, 2<sup>nd</sup> Canadian Clearing Station, France, reports Pte. G. Burke is lying dangerously ill from gun-shot received July 7 – buttock, face, arm, and knee.”

A second message says :-

“It is our painful duty to inform you that your husband, Pre. G. Burke, died from gunshot wound – multiple – on the 8<sup>th</sup> July at the Casualty Clearing Station, France.”

The brave soldier joined the colours April, 1916, and had been twelve months in France. He was formerly employed by the Wallasey Taxi Co., and was the second

son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Burke, Birkenhead, and his wife resides at 34, Demesne Street, Seacombe.

References and Acknowledgments

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