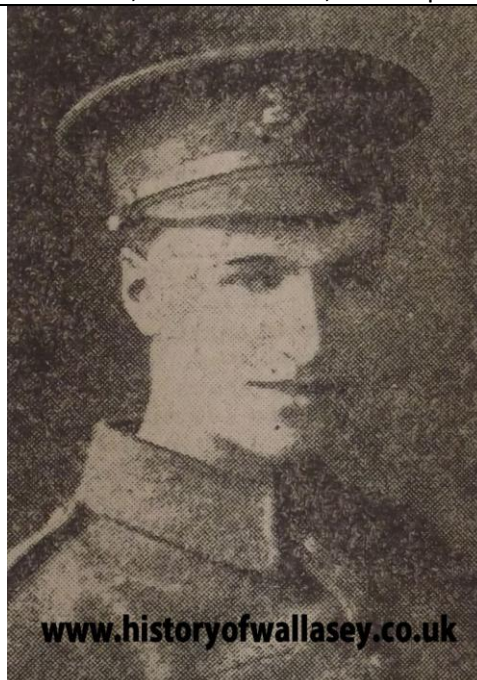


Surname	Davies
Forename(s)	George Latham
Initials	G L
Age	20
Honours/Awards	
Date died	30/07/1916
Rank	Private
Regiment	The King's (Liverpool Regiment)
Unit/Squadron	19 <sup>th</sup> Bn.
Service Number	17319
Cemetery/Memorial	Thiepval Memorial
Grave Reference	Pier and Face 1 D 8 B and 8 C.
Further Information	Son of the Late William and Annie Davies. Brother of Mrs. Mary Duncan, 22 Chepstow Avenue, Liscard. Mr. T. Davies, 5 Parkfield Drive and Mr. Steve Davies, 58 Brompton Avenue. Killed in action whilst trying to take a machine gun into action. Attended Egremont Presbyterian church and was employed with W.H. Midwood and Co., Cotton Brokers, of Liverpool.



#### News Report

##### One Of The First To Respond

Private George Latham Davies, of the Liverpool Regiment, aged 20, has been killed in action. The young soldier, who was of fine physique standing 6ft 1in, attended the Egremont Presbyterian Church, and was employed with Messrs. W.H. Midwood and Co., cotton brokers, of Liverpool. His employers, in a letter to his sister, say:- "We deplore the fact that he is amongst the fallen. He was one of the first members of the firm's staff to respond to his country's call. We tender you our heartfelt sympathy."

The deceased was a brother of Mrs. Mary Duncan, 22, Chepstow, Liscard, Mr.

T. Davies, 5, Parkfield Drive, and Mr. Steven Davies, 58, Brompton Avenue. The commanding officer writes stating that young Davies was killed on July 20<sup>th</sup>, while taking a machine gun into action.

#### References and Acknowledgments

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