

Surname	Golding
Forename	John
Initials	J A
Age	34
Honours/Awards	
Date died	03/10/1918
Rank	Sergeant
Regiment	Military Police Corps
Unit/Squadron	Military Mounted Police Attd. 215th Siege Bty. Royal Garrison
Service Number	P/10739
Cemetery/Memorial	Anneux British Cemetery
Grave Reference	II. E. 34.
Further Information	Son of Mr and Mrs W.F Golding of 84 Urmson Road, Liscard



News Report

Killed By A Shell

Mr and Mrs W.F. Golding, of 84 Urmson Road, Liscard, have received the sad news that their only son, Sergt. John. A. Golding. Was killed in action on Oct. 3rd, by a shell which hit the sergeants mess at breakfast time. He was 34 years of age, and previous to the outbreak of the war had been three years in the Territorials. He mobilised with the Duke of Lancaster's Yeomanry, and was drafted to Egypt in September, 1914. He went to Gallipoli in March 1915, where he remained until it was evacuated. He was sent back to Egypt, and afterwards to France in May, 1917. He was educated at Wallasey Grammar School, and was formerly in the Corporation accountants department, Church Street. Sergt. Golding was hon. treasurer of New Brighton Football Club, and played in the county team for two years. He was also a member of New Brighton Cricket Club, and West Cheshire Sailing Club.

References and Acknowledgments

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