

Surname	Grant
Forename(s)	George Campbell
Initials	G S
Age	27
Honours/Awards	
Date died	14/10/1915
Rank	Lieutenant
Regiment	Royal Engineers
Unit/Squadron	96th Field Coy.
Service Number	
Cemetery/Memorial	Merville Communal Cemetery
Grave Reference	V. A. 20.
Further Information	Son of Elizabeth Martin Grant, of 152, Seaview Rd., Wallasey, and the late George Grant.



News Report

Death Of Lieut. George C. Grant

The death from wounds is announced of Lieutenant George Campbell Grant, of the 96th Field Company Royal Engineers, who resided at 152 Seaview Road, Liscard. He was wounded on Coctober 13th and died at a caulaty clearing station in France on the following day. Only 27 years of age, the deceased officer was an active member of the New Brighton Rugby Club and the Liverpool Victoria Rowing Club. The deceased officer was educated at the Merchant Taylor's School, Crosby. In February, 1914, he gained first place in the Bayliss Prize at the Associate Membership examination of the Institute of Civil Engineers, and was later elected an associate member. He had served his apprenticeship with Messrs. J. H. Wilson and Co., Ltd., engineers, Seacombe, and spent a further three years in the drawing office of that firm. After this examination success, he accepted the post of an assistant in the mechanical department of the City Engineer of Liverpool.

The deceased had served four years with the Liverpool Scottish. In letters to Lieutenant Grant's mother, his commanding officer wrote :-
"Your son was a very fine officer and all the officers and men of the company have been terribly grieved to learn of him being severely wounded."

When Lieutenant Grant died, the commanding officer informed Mrs. Grant, saying – "He always did his duty nobly and was killed at work."

References and Acknowledgments

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