

Surname	Hamilton
Forename	Norman Butler
Initials	N B
Age	
Honours/Awards	
Date died	24/07/1918
Rank	Lieutenant
Regiment	King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment)
Unit/Squadron	5 th Bn.
Service Number	
Cemetery/Memorial	Post Office Rifles Cemetery, Festubert
Grave Reference	III.F.23.
Further Information	Son of Mr and Mrs Thomas Hamilton, 106 Chatham Street, Liverpool.
<p>Chronicle News</p> <p><u>Local Footballer Killed</u></p> <p>On the night of the 23rd July, Lieutenant Norman Butler Hamilton, of the King's Own (Royal Lancaster) Regiment, serving in France, went out on patrol. He was reported wounded and missing. Now the War Office report him killed. His colonel writes that his body has been recovered and buried at Festubert. He was educated at the Wallasey Grammar School, and was well known later as a sterling forward of the New Brighton Rugby Football Club, and played for Cheshire for several seasons until he went to Canada, where he was when the war broke out. He returned to join the Army, and enlisted in the 2nd Dragon Guards, afterwards obtaining a commission in the King's Own. He was the only son of Mr Thomas Hamilton, 166, Chatham Street, Liverpool.</p>	

References and Acknowledgments

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