

Surname	Harries
Forename	Alfred Gower
Initials	A G
Age	19
Honours/Awards	
Date died	06/06/1918
Rank	Flight Cadet
Regiment	Royal Air Force
Unit/Squadron	No.10 School of Aerial Gunnery
Service Number	100322
Cemetery/Memorial	<a href="#">Wallasey (Rake Lane) Cemetery</a>
Grave Reference	14. N.C. 13.
Further Information	Son of Owen and Alice A. Harries, of The Green House, Compton, Winchester. Born at Wallasey.
<p>Chronicle News</p> <p><u><a href="#">The Late Cadet A.G. Harries</a></u></p> <p>Air Force honours were accorded to the funeral of Cadet Alfred Gower Harries, R.A.F., of 8, Eaton Street, Liverpool, which took place on Wednesday at Wallasey Cemetery, Rake Lane.</p> <p>The deceased, who was killed while flying in Kent, was only 18 years of age, and was due to receive his commission and pilot's certification in about a week or two. He enlisted, on attaining the military age, in the R.F.C., which was afterwards amalgamated with the R.N.A.S., forming the R.A.F. The letter has been received from a Congregational minister of London, who was the foreman of the jury at the inquest, and in it he states that Cadet Harries' death was due to a collision in the air with another machine. Prior to enlisting deceased was a highly respected member of the Egremont Presbyterian Church, Manor Road, and was hon. Secretary of the Bible Class. He was educated at the Wallasey Grammar School, and afterwards entered the employ of the Cunard D.D. Company. Deceased's elder brother [<a href="#">Eric Harries</a>], it may be remember, was lost in the pilot boat disaster last December The service was conducted by the Rev. John Waddell, of the Egremont Presbyterian Church.</p>	

#### References and Acknowledgments

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