

Surname	Hodgson
Forename	Mark
Initials	M
Age	19
Honours/Awards	
Date died	25/09/1916
Rank	Private
Regiment	The King's (Liverpool Regiment)
Unit/Squadron	1 <sup>st</sup> /6 <sup>th</sup> Bn.
Service Number	4491
Cemetery/Memorial	Thiepval Memorial
Grave Reference	Pier and Face 1 D 8 B and 8 C.
Further Information	Son of John and Eleanor Hodgson, of 79, Urmson Rd., Liscard, Wallasey, Cheshire.



#### Chronicle News

#### Killed In An Attack

#### Liscard Rifleman's Death

Mr and Mrs J. Hodgson, of Mossthwaite, Urmson Road, Liscard, have been informed of the death of their youngest son, Rifleman Mark Hodgson (aged 19 years), of the King's Liverpool Rifles. He joined the colours on November 1st last year, and was drafted out to France early in June. He was educated at the Liverpool Institute, and was on the staff of the Hull Underwriters' Association, Ltd., Liverpool.

#### Officer's Tribute

An officer of his company, in a letter to the family expressing sympathy, said:-  
"It is with the deepest regret that I have to write and tell you that your son,

Rifleman M. Hodgson, was killed on the 25th September. He was shot while bravely taking part in an attack, and was buried near where he fell, a small cross being put over his grave."

"Rifleman Hodgson had proved himself a fine soldier in every way, and his loss will be much regretted by all who knew him.

"I wish to convey my sincerest sympathy to you and others of his family in the great loss you have suffered in our country's side."

### References and Acknowledgments

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