

Surname	Milner
Forename(s)	John Lewis
Initials	J L
Age	22
Honours/Awards	
Date died	09/05/1915
Rank	Second Lieutenant
Regiment	Royal Field Artillery
Unit/Squadron	62 nd Bty. 8 th Bde.
Service Number	
Cemetery/Memorial	Sanctuary Wood Cemetery
Grave Reference	II.D.12.
Further Information	Son of John William and Annie Milner, of 'Armadale', 31 Penkett Rd., Wallasey, Cheshire.



News Report

A Brilliant Student

News has been received in Wallasey of the death of Lieutenant John Lewis Milner, M.A., of the Royal Field Artillery, who was killed in action during the fighting near Ypres on Monday. Much sympathy will be felt both in Wallasey and Liverpool for his parents. Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Milner, of Penkett Road, Liscard, who are well known in the district.

The late Lieutenant Milner, who was 23 years of age, was educated at Liscard High School and at St. Bede's College. He graduated at Liverpool University, taking his B.A. degree two years later. He has since spent most of his time on the Continent, and had become an accomplished linguist, having intended taking up Civil Service work. He was a brilliant scholar and was held in high esteem by his fellow students and comrades.

This afternoon a memorial service will be held at St. Mary's Church, Liscard, where Lieutenant Milner's father is a warden.

References and Acknowledgments

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