

Surname	Murdock
Forename	Hugh
Initials	H
Age	28
Honours/Awards	
Date died	01/07/1916
Rank	Rifleman
Regiment	The King's (Liverpool Regiment)
Unit/Squadron	"B" Coy. 6 th Bn.
Service Number	2344
Cemetery/Memorial	Beaumont-Les-Loges Communal Cemetery
Grave Reference	B.8
Further Information	Son of Hugh and Isabella Moody Murdock, of 19, Rudgrave Square, Egremont, Wallasey. Born at Waterford.



Chronicle News

Old Wallaseyan Falls

Another old Wallaseyan to lose his life is Rifleman Hugh Murdock, of the King's Liverpool Regiment, whose parents reside at 19, Rudgrave Square, Egremont, although he himself had been living in Liverpool latterly. Mr. Murdock has received a letter from his son's friend, Walter S. Baker, who says that Rifleman Murdock was killed at 8 am on July 1st during an attack on the German lines, and buried at 7 pm, the same day in a little cemetery in the village where they are billeted, just three miles behind the firing line.

The brave soldier was twenty-eight years of age and the son of Mr. Hugh Murdock, of H.M. Customs and Excise, Liverpool. He had only been married just over two years, and leaves a widow and one young child. He joined the Army in September, 1914, and was sent out to the front in the following September, and had five days leave only this last Christmas. He was engaged in Messrs.

Singlehurst's shipping office, Liverpool, prior to enlistment.

References and Acknowledgments

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