


Surname	Roberts
Forename(s)	Thomas Wilson
Initials	T W
Age	25
Honours/Awards	
Date died	01/09/1916
Rank	Second Lieutenant
Regiment	Cheshire Regiment
Unit/Squadron	1st Bn. formerly 6th Bn. The King's (Liverpool Regiment)
Service Number	
Cemetery/Memorial	Bronfay Farm Military Cemetery, Bray-Sur-Somme
Grave Reference	I.C.28
Further Information	Resided with parents in New Brighton. Teacher at Ennerdale Presbyterian Church , New Brighton, Wallasey.
	 A black and white portrait of a young man, Thomas Wilson Roberts, wearing a military uniform. The image is a head-and-shoulders shot, facing slightly to the right. The background is a plain, light color. At the bottom of the image, the text 'www.historyofwallasey.co.uk' is visible.

News Report

New Brighton Officer Killed

We regret to record the death from wounds of Second-Lieutenant Thomas Wilson Roberts, of the Cheshire Regiment, Lieutenant Roberts resided with his parents at New Brighton, and was well-known locally, being one of the joint secretaries of the Eclectic Society, a teacher in the Ennerdale Presbyterian Church, New Brighton, where he was particularly active in all work among the young, and member of the Wallasey League of Young Liberals. His parents are at present staying at The Willows, Neston, for a few months. He is the grandson of the late Mr. Thomas Rogers, of Beech Bank, Liscard. He was educated at Mr. Wrigley's School, and was in the employ of the Bank of Liverpool. He enlisted in the Liverpool Rifles on the outbreak of war, going to the front in February, 1915. He gained a commission a year later. His brother, William Wilson Roberts, who also served in the Liverpool Rifles, now holds a commission in a Welsh Regiment.

An "in memoriam" service will be held at the Presbyterian Church, Ennerdale Road, tomorrow morning, when the preacher will be the Rev. H. Martin, M.A.

References and Acknowledgments

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