

Surname	Rowlands
Forename(s)	Arthur Vaughan
Initials	A V
Age	18
Honours/Awards	
Date died	09/08/1916
Rank	Private
Regiment	The King's (Liverpool Regiment)
Unit/Squadron	"X" Coy. 1st/10th Bn.
Service Number	356534
Cemetery/Memorial	Thiepval Memorial
Grave Reference	Pier and Face 1 D 8 B and 8 C.
Further Information	Son of Llewelyn Sorton Rowlands and Elizabeth Carlaw Rowlands, of Stanley Cottage, Rake Lane, Wallasey.



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News Report

Liscard Soldier Killed

The sad news has been received of the death of Private Arthur Vaughan Rowlands. He was previously reported in the "News" as "missing". He is now [April 1917] officially reported killed in action. He was the youngest son of Mr and Mrs Llewelyn S. Rowlands, of "Stanley Cottage," Rake Lane, and received his early education from Miss Woollard, of Greenheys Road, Entering the Wallasey Grammar School in 1909 a Foundation scholarship which carried him through to the end of his school career. He passed both the usual Oxford local examinations, and in 1914 matriculated at the Liverpool University. Leaving school in July, 1915, he at once joined, as private, the Liverpool Scottish Battalion, and was soon in training near Blackpool. Eager to get to the battle line, he reached it in Flanders within three months, and before he had completed his 18th year. Passing through several engagements his Battalion took part in the great advance last summer, and on 9th August he was reported missing. The last news of him came from a comrade, who wrote:- "Arthur volunteered and

insisted upon taking the place of a married man. I saw him charging ahead about ten yards in front of me, and to the right. Then I saw him fall; I passed him and noticed he was quite motionless. After that I heard nothing more of him.”

References and Acknowledgments

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