

Surname	Taker
Forename	James
Initials	J
Age	33
Honours/Awards	
Date died	24/11/1915
Rank	Private
Regiment	The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)
Unit/Squadron	2 <sup>nd</sup> Bn.
Service Number	G/4856
Cemetery/Memorial	Pont-Du-Hem Military Cemetery, La Gorgue
Grave Reference	V.A.4.
Further Information	Resided with his wife at 42 Pleasant Street, Upper Brighton, Wallasey



#### News Report

##### Local Footballer Killed

News of the death of another Wallasey Corporation employee and a well-known footballer, in the person of Private J.G. Taker, of the Queen's Royal Surrey Regiment, has been received by his wife at 42, Pleasant Street, New Brighton.

The deceased, who was 33 years of age, had been in the employ of the tramway department for some fourteen years. He enlisted in February and was drafted to the front six months ago. Apparently he was wounded by a bullet a little time back for the official communication states that he died from wounds.

The deceased was a well-known local footballer, and at one time used to play for the Wallasey Rovers Club.

Much sympathy will be felt for his wife and three children in the great loss they have sustained.

References and Acknowledgments

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