

Surname	Watts
Forename	Henry Pooley
Initials	H P
Age	
Honours/Awards	
Date died	31/08/1018
Rank	Lance Corporal
Regiment	Manchester Regiment
Unit/Squadron	1 st /5 th Bn.
Service Number	202249
Cemetery/Memorial	Vis-En-Artois Memorial
Grave Reference	Panel 9
Further Information	Former schoolteacher at St. Pauls School, Seacombe.
Chronicle News	
<u>Former Seacombe Teacher</u>	
<p>It is officially announced that Lance-Corpl. Henry Pooley Watts, Manchester Regiment, youngest son of Mr and Mrs Watts, of 29 York Road, Seacombe, was killed in action on the 31st August. In a letter from a sergeant it is stated that Lance-Corpl. Watts was killed instantaneously. He joined the Army about four years ago, the latter two years being spent in France. Before enlisting he was a schoolmaster in Manchester, previously being a pupil teacher at St. Paul's Schools, Seacombe. He was an ardent footballer, and had won several medals in connection with competitions in the Manchester district.</p>	

References and Acknowledgments

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