


Surname	Wilson
Forename(s)	James Henry
Initials	J H
Age	30
Honours/Awards	
Date died	02/11/1917
Rank	Private
Regiment	London Regiment (Artists' Rifles)
Unit/Squadron	28 th Bn.
Service Number	763650
Cemetery/Memorial	Mendinghem Military Cemetery
Grave Reference	VI. F. 42.
Further Information	Son of Mary and the late J. W. Wilson, of 8 Devonshire Road, Liscard, Wallasey; husband of Ada Wilson, of 12, Leominster Rd., Wallasey. Joined the army 12 months earlier and had been in France since March 1917. Died from wounds to the head from an exploding shell.
	

News Report

C.E.M.S. Secretary Dies Of Wounds

The sad news has been received that Private James Henry Wilson, Artists Rifles, London Regt., was wounded by shell in the head on November 1, and died the following day at the Casualty Clearing Station France. The brave soldier, who was 30 years of age, was apprenticed with Messrs. S.M. Bulley and Son, cotton brokers, Liverpool, and successfully worked his way up to a responsible position with the firm. He was called to the colours about twelve months ago, and had been in France since last March. He was an enthusiastic footballer, having won several gold and silver medals for playing outsideleft for the Liscard Albion and Liscard Central A.F.C. he also won a beautiful clock for swimming. Private Wilson was also for a considerable length of time hon. secretary of St. Thomas's Church of England Men's Society. He was the only son of Mrs. Wilson, monumental

sculptor, 8, Devonshire Road, Liscard, and much sympathy has been felt for his widow and child, who reside at 12 Leominster Road, Liscard.

References and Acknowledgments

Commonwealth War Grave Commission
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