

Surname	Holden
Forename	George
Initials	G
Age	49
Honours/Awards	
Date died	02/11/1917
Rank	Third Mate
Regiment	Mercantile Merchant
Unit/Squadron	H.M.H.T. "Cape Finisterre" (Glasgow)
Service Number	
Cemetery/Memorial	Tower Hill Memorial
Grave Reference	
Further Information	Son of the late William and Mary Holden; husband of Elizabeth Ann Holden (nee Hall), of 2, Pickering Rd., New Brighton, Cheshire. Born at Liverpool.



News Report

Father Drowned, Son Wounded

We regret to announce that Mr. George Holden (late Liverpool pilot) was drowned on November 1 by the torpedoing of the ----- . Mr. James Shearer, director of the Lyle Shipping Company, Ltd., Glasgow, waiting to Mrs. Holden, giving details of the sad occurrence, says:- "We deplore having to convey such sad tidings to you, and our directors take the opportunity of expressing their deepest sympathy in your bereavement."

Corpl. Sidney Holden, R.F.A., aged 21 years, has been wounded three times. He enlisted at the outbreak of the war, and has been awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal for great bravery on the battlefield, and has also been mentioned in dispatches. He is the second son of Mr. E. Holden, and of the late Mr. George Holden, 2, Pickering Road, New Brighton. Two other sons are with the colours, one a lieutenant with the Flying Colours, and one in the Navy.

Much sympathy has been extended to the widow and a family of six in the irreparable loss they have sustained.

References and Acknowledgments

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