
Able Seaman Henry H Walker

Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve `Nelson` Battalion

Service No: Clyde Z / 6439

Born / Resided

Coatbridge / 1 Alexander St, Coatbridge

Died

Killed in Action 24/04/1917

Enlisted

14/09/1915

Employed

Baker with William Brown and Company, Coatbridge

Age

24 / DOB - 29/04/1892

Buried / Remembered

Arras Memorial, Pas de Calais, France

Family Information

Son of Robert Walker of 1 Alexander St, Coatbridge. Henrys brother Able Seaman George Walker was wounded on the 28/04/1917. Another brother Private James Walker of the 6th Battalion Dragoon Guards contracted an illness in France and died in April 1916 whilst a 4th brother Oswald was serving with the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers at the time of his death. Henrys next of kin was his sister Annie

Additional Information

Also remembered on the Gartsherrie Church Roll of Honour (see photos). Service Record states - Enlisted 14/09/1915, Draft for BEF 10/07/1916, joined Nelson Battalion 28/08/1916 till wounded on the 15/09/1916.



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**COATBRIDGE FAMILY'S
TERRIBLE SACRIFICES.**

Mr. Walker, 1 Alexander Street, Coatbridge, has received official information that his son, Henry H. Walker, R.N.D., was killed in France on 24th April. Deceased enlisted over a year ago, and at that time was employed with William Brown & Co., bakers, Sunnyside Road. He was 24 years of age. Another son A.B. Geo. Walker, R.N.D., aged 19, was wounded on 28th April. He enlisted over a year ago, and before joining up was employed in the Rivet and Bolt Works, Airdrie. Another son, James, Dragoon Guards, it will be remembered contracted an illness in France and died in April of last year, while another son, Oswald, is still serving with the Inniskilling Fusiliers in Salonica. The utmost sympathy will be felt for the relatives in their hour of terrible trials.

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TWO SONS LOST; ONE WOUNDED.

A.B. Henry H. Walker, Royal Naval Division, who was killed in France on 24th April, is the second son Mr Robert Walker, 1 Alexander Street, has lost in the course of the war—his son James, who was in the Dragoon Guards, having contracted an illness in France and died in April of last year. Henry was 74 years of age, and before he enlisted was employed with Messrs William Brown & Co., bakers, Sunnyside Road. Another son, A.B. George Walker, Royal Naval Division, was wounded on 25th April, while a fourth boy, Oswald, is serving abroad with the Inniskilling Fusiliers.

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Grave



Gartsherrie Church Roll of Honour

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