



In memory of



Private
William Dillon

9th (Service) Battalion Seaforth Highlanders (Pioneers)
Service No: 10658

Died of Wounds on the 04/05/1917 received at L'Abbayette Valley (phase of the Battle of Arras), age 27 / DOB - 07/05/1889. Son of William and Margaret Craig Dillon of 49b Coatbank St, Coatbridge. William's younger brother Private David Dillon of the 17th (Service) Battalion (3rd Glasgow) Highland Light Infantry was Killed in Action 6 months earlier and his cousin Private William Dillon of the 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers Died of Wounds in October 1914. From the 1891 Census - Address - 55 Lock St, Coatbridge - William Dillon aged 30, Margaret Dillon aged 26, Elizabeth Dillon aged 5, Patrick Dillon aged 3, William Dillon aged 2, Margaret Dillon aged 3 months. From the 1901 Census - Address - 2h East Stewart St, Coatbridge - William Dillon aged 40, Margaret Dillon aged 34, Elizabeth Dillon aged 15, Patrick Dillon aged 13, William Dillon aged 11, Margaret Collie Dillon aged 10 (27/01/1891 - 04/04/1983), Lillias Dillon aged 8, David Collie Dillon aged 7, James Dillon aged 4, Agnes Dillon aged 3 and Janet Craig Dillon aged 1. Brother Alex and sister Sarah also both listed on William's Army Register of Soldiers Effects. William and his brother David's Pensions were awarded to their mother Margaret. David's also were awarded to his wife Elizabeth. Employment was Clyde Tube Works / Reservist.



Buried/remembered at Faubourg d'Amiens Cemetery (V. C. 34), Arras, France.

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