

In memory of



Private William James A Docherty

16th (Service) Battalion (2nd Glasgow) Highland Light Infantry Service No: 37898

Died of Wounds on the 21/06/1918 received west of Blaireville / Ransart, age 22. Son of Robert (13/06/1861 -1936) and Elizabeth Docherty (25/02/1865 - 1901) of 5 Coats St, Coatbridge. William's older brother Able Seaman George Docherty of the Collingwood Battalion, Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve was Killed in Action on the 04/06/1915 at the Dardanelles. William had 2 other brothers still serving when he died. From the 1901 Census -Address - 7 Coats St, Coatbridge - Robert Docherty aged 39, Elizabeth Docherty aged 36, Janet Archibald Docherty aged 14 (1887 - 1917), Robert Docherty aged 12 (1889 - 1929), George A Docherty aged 9, William J A Docherty aged 5, Edward Docherty aged 1. William's and his brother George's Pension was awarded to their father Robert. Employment was Insurance Agent with Mr McCreadie in Coatbridge.



Buried/remembered at Bac-du-Sud British Cemetery (II. E. 11), Bailleuval, France.



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