



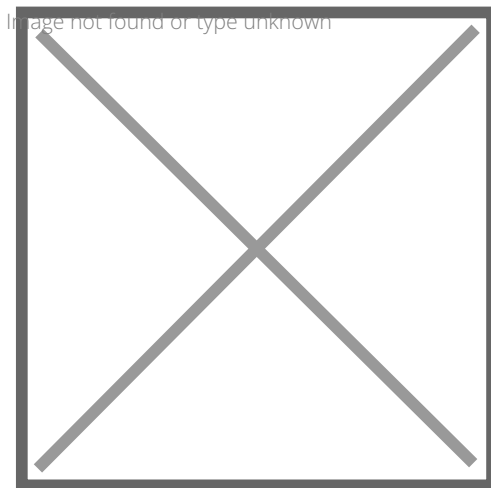
In memory of



**Corporal
John Laurie Gavin**

**Royal Engineers 2/1st (Lowland) Field Company
Service No: 412127 / 2374**

Killed in Action on the 01/01/1917 during an enemy air raid in Egypt, age 19. Son of Thomas and Mary Harvie Laurie Gavin of Calder Avenue, Coatbridge. In his Will dated 26/06/1915 John left all his property and effects to his mother with the exception of a gold buckle ring in the possession of his mother which he gave to Miss Florence Elizabeth Oliver of 12 Percy St, Ibrox, Glasgow. John had a Canadian uncle Albert who visited the Gates family in 1911. He was an accountant. From the 1901 Census - Address - Calder Cottage, Calder Avenue, Coatbridge - Thomas Gavin aged 39, Mary Gavin aged 33, Maggie W Gavin aged 10, James Gavin aged 8, John L Gavin aged 3. John's Pension was awarded to his mother Mary of Birnam Lodge, Woodburn Ave, Airdrie on the 22/08/1919. Employment was No data



Buried/remembered at Kantara War Memorial Cemetery (A. 151), Egypt.

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