



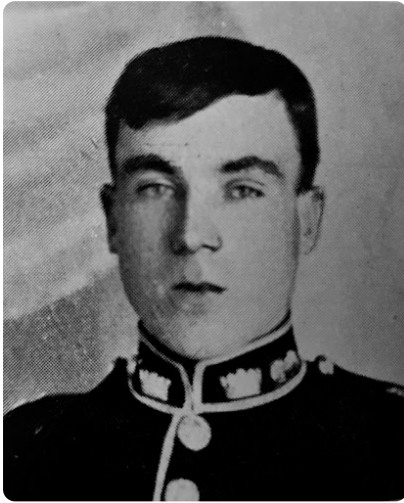
# *In memory of*



**Private**  
**James Munro**

**1st Battalion Royal Irish Fusiliers**  
**Service No: 10935**

Killed in Action on the 26/08/1914 at the Battle of Le Cateau, age 26. Son of Thomas (1850 - 09/05/1917) and Catherine Munro (1853 - 02/06/1926) of 77 Coatbank St, Coatbridge. They were married under the surname of Roe in St. Patrick's Church on the 01/02/1879. James' brother Private John Munro born 29/12/1879 of the 12th (Service) Battalion Highland Light Infantry was Killed in Action on the 19/01/1916. Three other brothers also served, Patrick in the Royal Irish Fusiliers (reported missing since the retreat at Mons. See brother John's Newspaper clipping 2), Daniel in the Highland Light Infantry and Thomas (surname Roe) in the Kings Own Scottish Borderers. All 3 survived. From the 1901 Census (James not listed) - Address - 2 Spencer St, Coatbridge - Thomas Munro aged 50, Catherine Munro aged 48, Mary Ann Munro aged 19 born 19/09/1881, Bridget Munro aged 17 (1883-10/10/1949), Thomas Munro aged 16, Daniel Munro aged 14, Patrick Munro aged 19, Alice Munro aged 10, Catherine Munro aged 5. Another daughter was Margaret Alice Munro born 02/04/1891. James' Pension was awarded to his mother Catherine on the 02/01/1917. James' mother is listed as Catherine on the Census but in the St. Patrick's Roll of Honour (book) his mother is listed as Margaret. Employment was Regular Soldier



Buried/remembered at La Ferte-Sous-Jouarre Memorial. Seine-et-Marne, France

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