



# *In memory of*



**2nd Lieutenant**  
**Herbert James McVie**

**16th (Service) Battalion Royal Scots (2nd Edinburgh)**  
**Service No: N/A**

Died on the 11/05/1923 at home, age 27 / DOB - 15/02/1896. Son of James McVie (18/07/1864-02/11/1900) and Catherine McVie (15/03/1866-11/07/1957). Catherine married Edward Lapsley (1860-13/06/1944) after her first husband James died. They lived at 272 Dundyan Rd, Coatbridge. Herbert's mother's stepson Private Charles Lapsley of the 1st/4th West Riding Regiment was Killed in Action on the 20/11/1915. Herbert had 2 brothers, William Arnold McVie (22/09/1891-1946) and Alfred Edward McVie (14/06/1900- /12/1973). He also had 1 half sister Jane (Jean) Veronica Lapsley (01/04/1904-18/01/1980) and 1 half brother Thomas Harold Lapsley (22/01/1906-29/01/1976). From the 1901 England Census - Address - 191 Fordingley Rd, Paddington, London - Catherine McVie aged 35, William McVie aged 9, James Herbert McVie aged 5, Alfred McVie aged 9 months. From the 1911 Census - Address - 22 Albert St, Calton, Edinburgh - Grandmother Jane Devite aged 74, Uncle Alfred Devite aged 41, Uncle Martin Devite aged 41, William McVie aged 19, Herbert J McVie aged 15. Herbert's Pension was awarded to his mother Catherine. Employment was Student at Edinburgh University



Buried/remembered at Piershill Cemetery, Edinburgh

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