



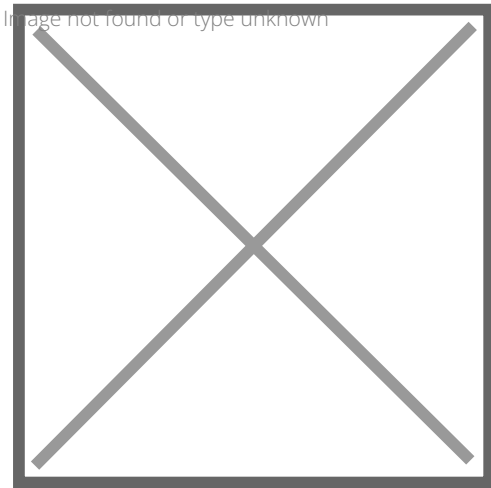
# *In memory of*



**Private**  
**Luke O'Neill**

**1st Battalion Royal Irish Fusiliers**  
**Service No: 22128**

Killed in Action on the 12/10/1916 near Eaucourt during the Battle of Le Transloy (part of the Battles of the Somme), age 22 / DOB - 25/03/1894. Son of Roderick Roger O'Neill and Mary Ann O'Neill of Portglenone, Co. Antrim. They married on the 30/10/1889 in the district of Ballymoney. Although Luke was born in Portglenone he lived most of his life in Rasharkin. From the 1901 Census - Address - Lisrodden, Lisnagarran, Antrim, Ireland - Roderick O'Neill aged 42, Mary A O'Neill aged 31, John O'Neill aged 10 born 01/01/1891, Alexander O'Neill aged 8 born 21/04/1892, Luke O'Neill aged 7 born 25/03/1894, Hugh O'Neill aged 1 born 07/10/1899. Luke had another brother called Patrick born 23/03/1896 and died 12/03/1898. In his Will dated 14/07/1916 Luke left all his property and effects to his father. His Pension was awarded to his father on the 07/05/1917. Employment was Labourer in Tennents Foundry



Buried/remembered at Thiepval Memorial (Pier and Face 15 A), Somme, France

**1914**  **1918**

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