In memory of

Private

James Paton

1/5th (City of Glasgow) Battalion Highland Light Infantry
Service No: A/7962

Died of Wounds on the 22/05/1918 at the 7th Casualty Clearing Station, Ligny-St-Flochel. Wounds sustained near Vimy Ridge, age 26 / DOB - 05/05/1892. Son of Peter and Mary Mullen Paton of 2 Cameron St, Coatbridge. Husband of Lena Paton (15/06/1893 -) of 18 Cameron St, Coatbridge. James' older brother Private Peter Paton of the 2nd Battalion Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders was Killed in Action on the 21/10/1914. From the 1891 Census - Address - 17 Burnbank Crescent, Coatbridge - Peter Paton aged 30, Mary Paton aged 30, Daniel Paton aged 13, Peter Paton aged 10, Alexander Paton aged 7 (20/07/1884-), Maggie Paton aged 1. (James was born 05/05/1892). From the 1901 Census - Address - 5 Burnbank Crescent, Coatbridge - Stepfather Edward McCluskey aged 25, Mother Mary McCluskey aged 38, Daniel Paton aged 21, Alex Paton aged 11, James Paton aged 8, Rebecca Paton aged 5 and Stepfather's brother John McCluskey aged 40. James' Pension was awarded to wife Lena c/o Mrs Morgan, 16 Canal St, Coatbridge on the 21/11/1918. Employment was Waverley Iron Works / Reservist





Buried/remembered at Ligny-St Flochel British Cemetery (I. C. 4), Pas de Calais, France

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