



Name (GEORGE) WILLIAM CHALLINOR
DOB 28 November 1886
Place of birth Trentham
Lived at *Park Cottage, Hanchurch [*Challinor family home, shared with parents, brother, sisters, wife and son]
Occupation Steam Roller Driver/Flagman on traction engine
Family Son of Herbert and Mary Challinor
 Herbert was butcher to the Duke of Sutherland
Marital Status Married 4.11.1914 @ Hanford Parish Church
Wife Florence May nee Turner
Children Ernest b. 13.2.1915



Age enlisted 29 years 7 months
Date enlisted 27.6.1916 Left for France 24.9.16
Place enlisted Lichfield
Service York and Lancaster Regt - (2/4th Hallamshire) (T.F.) battalion
 Previous service: North Staffordshire Regiment, Reg number 6918.
 Compulsorily transferred and posted to 12 Bn Yorks and Lancs 13/10/16
Reg number 31583 [other regimental numbers 5684, 202552]
Rank Private – Promoted Lance Corporal 6/8/18

Date of death 2nd September 1918
Age at death 31
Place of death France and Flanders
Cause of death Killed in action
Grave or Memorial Vaulx hill cemetery, Vaulx-Vracourt
 Dept du Pas-de-Calais, Nord Pas-de-Calais, France, Memorial 56439410
 Grave inscription, as requested by his wife:



"Greater Love Hath no Man than this to lay down his life for us all"

Medals Victory medal, British medal
Descendants Beryl Darlington, descended from one of William's siblings
Other information

- Admitted to Liverpool Merchants Hospital, Etaples 3.1.17 with bronchitis and "myalgia", causing pain in legs. Discharged to Woodcote Park Convalescent Hospital, Epsom 9.2.17
- Sent to Northern Command Depot, Ripon 18.5.1917
- Sent back to France, Folkestone to Boulogne, 28.7.17
- Effects returned to wife at Park Cottage July 1919
- Various documents indicating confusion over identity, loss of records etc which meant wife was lacking information.



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