

Albert William VOLLER

Lance Corporal 16th Bn. King's Royal Rifle Corps

At KES:

Albert was an orphan and came to KES in 1910. He was described as very good in the Band. When he left in 1913 he went to work as an engineer.

Date of Death: 28th September 1917

Place: Belgium

Buried: Tyne Cot Memorial Zonnebeke

Albert joined up as soon as he was able and was just 19 when he died, having gone to war on his 19th Birthday. He has no known grave. It is probable that he was killed in action during the Battle of Polygon Wood.

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Albert W Voller was reported missing from September 1917, but has now been officially reported killed in action or died of wounds whilst on service in France with the King's Royal Rifles. At 18 Voller joined the Churchman's Battalion and after receiving training at Wimbledon Camp crossed the Channel on his 19th birthday. Voller was a quiet reserved lad and fond of reading and music. We deeply sympathise with his foster parents and friends.