

In Memory of

Private

# Edward William Smiles

203487, 1st/4th Bn., King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry who died on 09 October 1917 Age 31

Son of Mrs. E. Smiles, of 26, Shaws Row, Hetton-le-Hole, and the late James Smiles; husband of Mary Jane Smiles, of 42, South Market St., Hetton-le-Hole, Co. Durham.

Remembered with Honour

**Tyne Cot Memorial**



Commemorated in perpetuity by  
the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

### Great War Ancestor – Record of research

Surname	SMILES
Forenames	Edward William
Home address	
Regiment	1st/4Bn Kings Own Yorkshire Light Infantry
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### Commonwealth War Graves Commission Website

Rank	Private
Age at death	31
Date of death	9 October 1917
Service Number	203487
Cemetery/Memorial	Tyne Cot Memorial
Grave/Memorial no	
Additional Information	Son of Mrs E. Smiles of 26 Shaws Row, Hetton-le-Hole, and the late James Smiles, husband of Mary Jane Smiles of 42 South Market Street, Hetton-le-Hole

### Soldiers Died in the Great War 1914-19

Place of birth	Hetton-le-Hole
Place of enlistment	Newcastle-on-Tyne
Death	France + Flanders K/A
Other regiments, etc.	Formerly 21/1517 Northumberland Fusiliers.

**Medal Index Cards (TNA WO 372/2)**

14 Star	
14-15 Star	
British War Medal & Victory	
Other	

**Soldiers Documents, First World War, 'Burnt documents' (TNA WO 363/xxxx)**

Type of Document	
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**War Diary (TNA WO 95/xxxx)**

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**Local Newspaper**

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**Biographical Information**

Birth	
Baptism	
1901 Census (RG 13/xxxx)	50 Lyon Street, <del>Wotton</del> <i>Wotton</i>
1911 Census (RG14/xxx)	11 South Market Street, <del>Wotton</del> <i>Wotton</i>
Electoral register, 1 January 1915	

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## UK, Soldiers Died in the Great War, 1914-1919

Name: Edward William Smiles  
Death Date: 9 Oct 1917  
Death Place: France and Flanders  
Enlistment Place: Newcastle-on-tyne  
Rank: Private  
Regiment: King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry  
Battalion: 1st 4th Battalion  
Regimental Number: 203487  
Type of Casualty: Killed in action  
Theatre of War: Western European Theatre  
Comments: Formerly 21/1517, Northumberland Fus

### Source Information:

Military-Genealogy.com, comp. *UK, Soldiers Died in the Great War, 1914-1919* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2008.

Original Data: *British and Irish Military Databases*. The Naval and Military Press Ltd.

### Description:

This database contains information extracted from 81 volumes of soldiers that died in World War I. It includes over 703,000 individuals. Information listed may include: name of soldier, birthplace, enlistment place, residence, number, decoration, rank, regiment, battalion, type of casualty, death date, death place, and theater of war served in.

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Name.	Corps.	Rank.	Regt. No.
SMILES	R.I. V. L.S.	Pte.	403. 202487
Edward. W.			

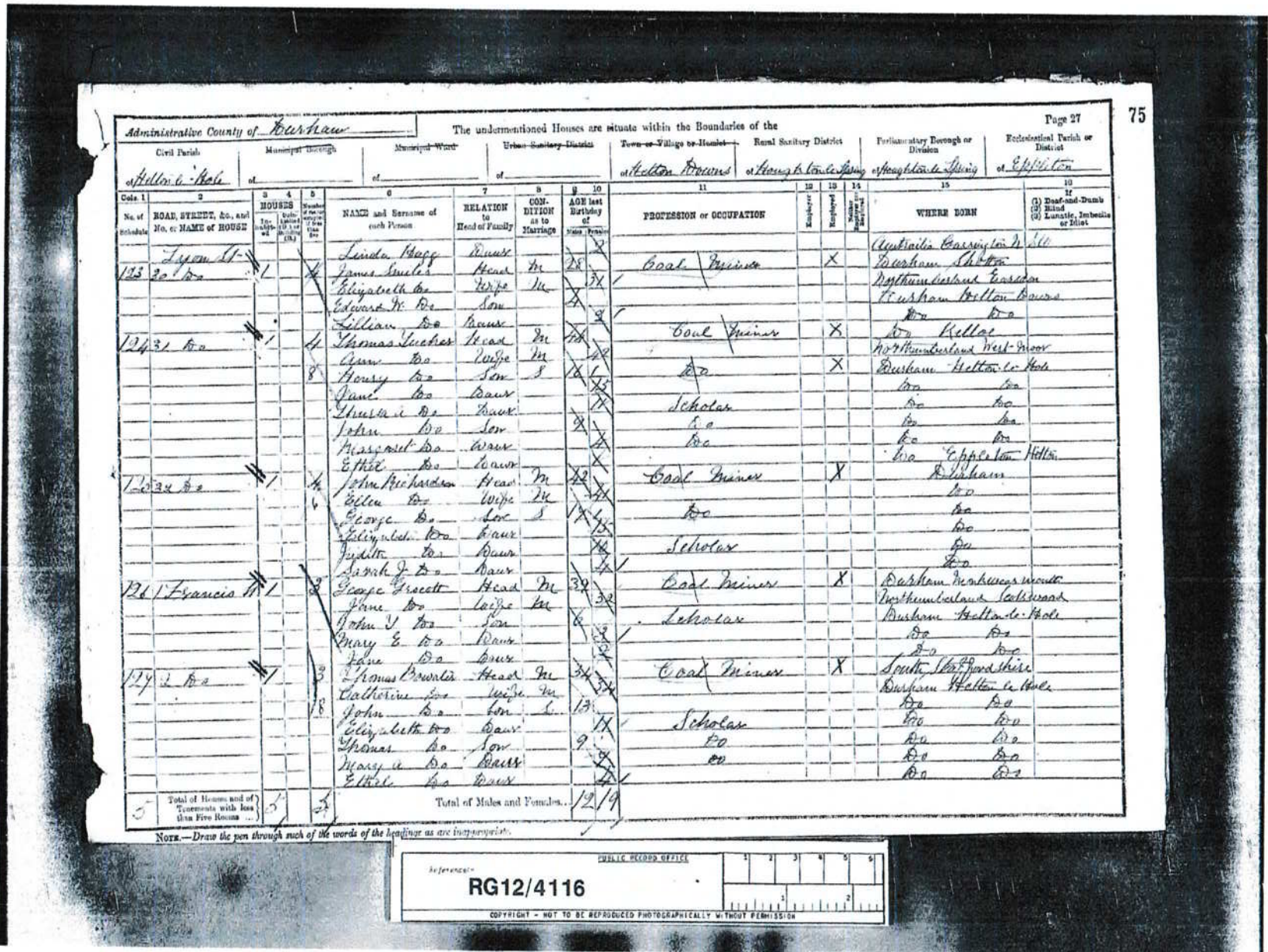
Medal.	Roll.	Page.	Remarks.
VICTORIAN	0/2/193625. 2077		
ITALIAN	co	20	
STAR			
Theatre of War first served in			
Date of entry service			

K. 1350

Correspondence.

Address.

K 1265. (1246) Ws. W 2884 - H.P. 6207 1,000 s. 17,12.20. E. 6989.



Administrative County of <u>Rushham</u>		The undermentioned Houses are situate within the Boundaries of the										Page 27					
Civil Parish of <u>Hutton-le-Hole</u>		Municipal Borough		Municipal Ward		Urban Sanitary District		Town or Village or Hamlet		Rural Sanitary District		Parliamentary Borough or Division		Ecclesiastical Parish or District			
of <u>Hutton-le-Hole</u>		of		of		of <u>Hutton-le-Hole</u>		of <u>Hutton-le-Hole</u>		of <u>Hutton-le-Hole</u>		of <u>Hutton-le-Hole</u>		of <u>Hutton-le-Hole</u>			
Code 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16		
No. of ROAD, STREET, &c. and No. of NAME OF HOUSE	HOUSES	No. of Inhabitants	Number of Persons in Family	NAME and Surname of each Person	RELATION to Head of Family	CON-DITION as to Marriage	AGE last Birthday	Sex	PROFESSION or OCCUPATION	WHERE BORN	(1) Deaf and Dumb	(2) Blind	(3) Lunatic, Imbecile or Idiot				
133	201	1	4	Linda Bagg	Wife	M	28	F	Coal Miner	Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				James Smiles	Head	M	32	M		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Elizabeth Bagg	Wife	M	24	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Edward W. Bagg	Son	M	10	M		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				William Bagg	Son	M	8	M		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
134	202	1	4	Thomas Tucker	Head	M	38	M	Coal Miner	Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Ann Tucker	Wife	M	32	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Henry Tucker	Son	M	10	M		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				John Tucker	Son	M	8	M		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Marion Tucker	Daughter	F	6	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Christina Tucker	Daughter	F	4	F	Scholar	Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				John Tucker	Son	M	2	M		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Marion Tucker	Daughter	F	1	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
135	203	1	4	John Richardson	Head	M	32	M	Coal Miner	Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Ellen Richardson	Wife	M	28	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				George Richardson	Son	M	10	M		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Elizabeth Richardson	Daughter	F	8	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				John Richardson	Son	M	6	M	Scholar	Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Elizabeth Richardson	Daughter	F	4	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
136	Francis	1	3	George Prescott	Head	M	30	M	Coal Miner	Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				James Prescott	Wife	M	28	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				John Prescott	Son	M	6	M	Scholar	Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Mary Prescott	Daughter	F	4	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				John Prescott	Son	M	2	M		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
137	204	1	3	Thomas Brown	Head	M	34	M	Coal Miner	Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Elizabeth Brown	Wife	M	30	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				John Brown	Son	M	10	M	Scholar	Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Elizabeth Brown	Daughter	F	8	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Thomas Brown	Son	M	6	M		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Mary Brown	Daughter	F	4	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
				Elizabeth Brown	Daughter	F	2	F		Rushham Hutton-le-Hole							
5		5	27	Total of Males and Females.										12	14		

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Reference: **RG12/4116**

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18			
House No.	ROAD, STREET, &c. and No. or NAME of HOUSE	Uninhabited	Number of Houses	Number of Tenants	Number of Cottages	Number of Flats	Number of Rooms	NAME and SURNAME of each Person	RELATION to Head of Family	Condition as to Marriage	Age last Birthday	PROFESSION OR OCCUPATION	Employer, Worker, or Own account	If Working at Home	WHERE BORN	(1) Deaf and Dumb (2) Blind (3) Lunatic (4) Imbecile, feeble-minded				
118	30/1 <u>Wyn Street</u>		1					<del>William Tharnton</del> <u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>M</u>	51	<del>Head</del> <u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Edward Smiles</del> <u>Wife</u>	<u>Wife</u>	<u>M</u>	41	<del>Wife</del> <u>Wife</u>	<u>Wife</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Elizabeth</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>	<u>M</u>	14	<del>Daughter</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>		<u>Northumberland</u>					
								<del>Thomas</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	12	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>William</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	5	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
119	31/0		1					<del>James A</del> <u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>M</u>	35	<del>Head</del> <u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>James</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	25	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>John</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	21	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Thomas</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	19	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Maggie</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>	<u>S</u>	14	<del>Daughter</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Elizabeth</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>	<u>S</u>	10	<del>Daughter</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
120	32/0		1					<del>John Richardson</del> <u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>M</u>	52	<del>Head</del> <u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Ellen</del> <u>Wife</u>	<u>Wife</u>	<u>M</u>	50	<del>Wife</del> <u>Wife</u>	<u>Wife</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>George</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	24	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Judith</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>	<u>S</u>	20	<del>Daughter</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Sarah J</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>	<u>S</u>	14	<del>Daughter</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Thomas</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	5	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Joseph</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	4	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
121	1/0 <u>Francis Street</u>		1					<del>John Cunningham</del> <u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>M</u>	34	<del>Head</del> <u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Sarah J</del> <u>Wife</u>	<u>Wife</u>	<u>M</u>	35	<del>Wife</del> <u>Wife</u>	<u>Wife</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Beatrice</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>	<u>S</u>	4	<del>Daughter</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
122	2/0		1					<del>Thomas</del> <u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>M</u>	44	<del>Head</del> <u>Head</u>	<u>Head</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Catherine A</del> <u>Wife</u>	<u>Wife</u>	<u>M</u>	44	<del>Wife</del> <u>Wife</u>	<u>Wife</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>John</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	25	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Thomas</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	19	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Mary A</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>	<u>S</u>	14	<del>Daughter</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Elizabeth</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>	<u>S</u>	14	<del>Daughter</del> <u>Daughter</u>	<u>Daughter</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>John</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	11	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
								<del>Richard</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>	<u>S</u>	7	<del>Son</del> <u>Son</u>	<u>Son</u>		<u>Durham</u>					
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