

EDMUND WALTER JOLIT POTTER

Birth: He was born in 1888, the son of Edmund Campion and May Vivian of 81 Granville Park, London.

Edmund went to the Blackheath Proprietary School.

He became a Chartered Accountant employed by Bird and Potter of Victoria Street. S.W. London.

He was married to Hilda May. The wedding had been on the 25th March 1915 at Christ Church, Lee and they then lived at 3 Birch Grove, Lee.

He had a sister Elsie May who was an art student in the 1911 census. His father Edmund was a Sidesman of St Margaret's Church for many years.

Mrs Potter became the secretary of the Missionary Society in May 1913. In Feb. 1915. She was beginning to find the Mission work more onerous and appealed for somebody to help by becoming the Assistant Secretary. In march Mrs Dewes (mother of Bryan) offered to help.

The Parish Magazine for December 1916:-

"Mrs Potter has resigned from being the Secretary of St Margaret's Missionary Association. She has wanted to do this for some years – but under the strain of sorrow and bereavement we are losing the services of our devoted and painstaking Secretary to whom, with husband and daughter our hearts go out in deepest sympathy."

**Sergeant, POTTER, EDMUND WALTER JOLIET, 2nd Bn.
Honourable Artillery Company.(Service Number 2667.) Died
24/10/1916 Aged 29.**

He is buried in BERKS CEMETERY EXTENSION near Messines. [I. J. 22] (Belgium).

War Service

He was killed when a shell hit his dugout in Ploegsteert Wood near Ypres.

Memorials

He is commemorated in the memorials of St Stephen's Church , Christ Church and St Margaret's, Lee. WWI Memorial.