F G Weymouth

CWGC – PRIVATE FRANCIS GEORGE WEYMOUTH

Service Number: 86248

Machine Gun Corps 31st Bn.

Died 10 April 1918 Age 20 years old

Buried or commemorated at

ETAPLES MILITARY CEMETERY XXXIII. F. 7A. France

Additional Info Son of Mr. II. G. and Mrs. M. A. Weymouth, of Thorncliffe Cottage, Saltford, nr. Bristol

Notes - Pte. Francis (Frank) George Weymouth. He served in the 31st Battalion Machine Gun Corps and died 10 April 1918 of wounds received on 23 March 1918 aged 20. He was the son of Mr. H G and Mrs A Weymouth of Thorncliffe Cottage, Saltford in the Batch. The cottage has since been demolished for two modern houses to be built there. He was baptised 3 April 1898, and is buried in Etaples Military Cemetery, France. During the First World War, the area around Etaples was the scene of immense concentrations of Commonwealth reinforcement camps and hospitals. Private Francis Weymouth joined as infantryman before transferring to the newly formed Machine Gun Corps. He died of his wounds 19 days later on 10th April 1918 aged 20 and is buried at the Etaples war cemetery.