

## **J A W Ollis**

### **CWGC - LANCE CORPORAL J A W OLLIS**

**Service Number:** 2343

Somerset Light Infantry  
1st/4th Bn.

Died 28 July 1916

Buried or commemorated at

**BASRA WAR CEMETERY VI. E. 9.**

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Notes - "The death is announced of Lance Corporal J A W Ollis of the Somerset Light Infantry who died of fever in Mesopotamia on July 28. He was the eldest son of the late Mr A P H Ollis and Mrs Ollis, Temple Street, Keynsham. He was in the locomotive Department of the Great Western Railway. On the outbreak of war he joined the regiment named, and was sent to India on August 29 1914 where he did his training, and was then drafted to Mesopotamia in August 1915. The sad news of his death is keenly felt by his mother, sisters, and relatives, also the residents of the village who knew him from his boyhood. He was loved and respected by all".

Railway job - Fireman, Locomotive and Carriage Department, Bristol