PRICE, JOHN EDMUND, Private, 4th (Extra Reserve) Battn. The King's (Liverpool Regt.), only s. of Samuel Price, of 16, Percy Street, Bootle, Liverpool, by his wife, Esther, dau. of the late Mary Cowell, of Lezayre, Isle of Man; b. Kirkdale, Liverpool, co. Lancaster, 8 Aug. 1879; educ. St. Paul's School there; volunteered for active service, and joined the Liverpool Regt. 20 March, 1916; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders, and was killed in action in the Battle of Lille 29 Sept. 1918. Buried where he fell; unm.

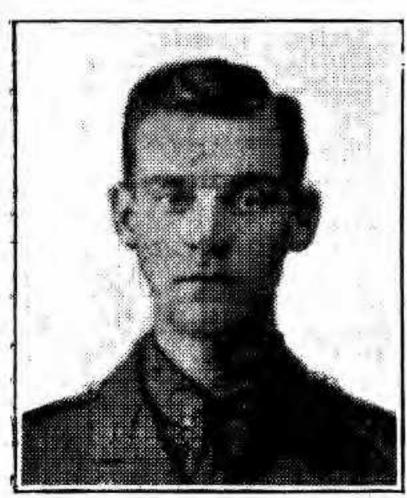
PRICE, VICTOR WILLIAM, Lieut., 14th (Service) Battn. The Worcestershire Regt., s. of William Thomas Price, of Red Lion Bank, Worcester Road, Malvern, Builder, by his wife, Beatrice, dau. of Edwin Clews Jacombs: b. Malvern, co. Worcester, 10 Oct. 1894; educ. Lyttleton Grammar School, Malvern; gazetted 2nd Lieut. The Worcestershire Regt. 4 Nov. 1915; served with the Salonika Army, and took part in several engagements on the Bulgarian Front; was invalided home in Feb. 1917; transferred to the Royal Flying Corps, being promoted Lieut. in April of the same year, and was killed while flying near Rugby 8 Nov. 1917. Buried in Malvern Cemetery; unm.

PRIDDY, CHARLES, Private, No. 225739, (-) Battn. The Northamptonshire Regt., s. of Charles Priddy, of Edmonton, N.; b. Tottenham; educ, there; enlisted in 1916; served with the Egyptian Expeditionary Force in Egypt, and was killed in action 2 Nov. 1917. He m. at Edmonton, N., Annie Jane (8, Waverley Road, South Tottenham, N.), dau. of George Layton, and had three children: Charles, Alfred and Catherine.

PRIDMORE, ALBERT, Private, No. 201859, 2.4th (Territorial) Battn. The York and Lancaster Regt., s. of William Thomas Pridmore, of 34, Hunt Street, Sheffield, by his wife, Sarah Jane, dau. of the late Richard Culpin; and brother to Sergt. A. E. Pridmore, 2nd Lieut. G. H. Pridmore and Private J. T. Pridmore (q.v.); b. Wittering, co. Northampton, 1 May, 1879; educ. All Saints' School, Sheffield; was employed as a Labourer; enlisted in June, 1915; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from Jan. 1916, and died in Bradford Hospital 22 June, 1917, from wounds received in action 2 May previously. Buried in Burngreave Cemetery, Sheffield;

PRIDMORE, ARTHUR EDWARD, Sergt., No. 7171, 2nd Battn. (105th Foot) The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), s. of William Thomas Pridmore, of 34, Hunt Street, Sheffield, by his wife, Sarah Jane, dau. of the late Richard Culpin; and brother to Private A. Pridmore, 2nd Lieut. G. H. Pridmore and Private J. T. Pridmore (q.v.); b. Sheffield, 1 April, 1883: educ. Sheffield Board School; enlisted about May, 1900: served in the South African War, 1900-2 (Medal), also with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from Aug. 1914, and was killed in action there 18 Oct. following. Buried near where he fell; unm.

PRIDMORE, GEORGE HARRY, 2nd Lieut., 21st (Service) Battn. The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regt.), s. of William Thomas Pridmore, of 34, Hunt Street, Sheffield, by his wife, Sarah Jane, dau. of the



George Harry Pridmore.

late Richard Culpin; and brother to Private A. Pridmore, Sergt. A. E. Pridmore and Private J. T. Pridmore (a.r.); b. Sheffield, 23 June, 1896; educ. St. George's School there; was a Steel Worker; enlisted in the 3rd King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry) 11 Jan. 1914; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders with the 8th Battn. The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry) from April, 1916; returned to England in April, 1917, and after a period of training at Gailes, Scotland, was gazetted 2nd Lieut. 21st (Service) Battn. The West Yorkshire Regt. 30 Oct. 1917; went back to France the following Jan., and was killed in action on the Cambrai Road, Arras, 31 Aug. 1918. Buried in the Feuchy Chapel Cemetery, Monchy-le-Preux, south-east of Arras. His Major wrote: "He was a gallant and conscientious officer, who knew his work well, and was liked by his men," and another officer: "The officers' mess will feel

the loss of his good companionship, for he was popular with all his brother officers." He m. at St. Mary's Church, Walkley, Sheffield, 2 Sept. 1917, May (10, Exley Avenue, Walkley, Sheffield), dau. of William Foster, of Walkley aforesaid; s.p.

PRIDMORE, JOHN THOMAS, Private, No. 6640, 2nd Battn. (105th Foot) The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), s. of William Thomas Pridmore, of 34, Hunt Street, Sheffield, by his wife, Sarah Jane, dau. of the late Richard Culpin; and brother to Private A. Pridmore, Sergt. A. E. Pridmore and 2nd Lieut. G. H. Pridmore (q.v.); b. Sheffield, 23 Feb. 1881; educ. All Saints' School there; enlisted in 1899; served in the South African War, 1899-1902 (Medal), also with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from Aug. 1914, and was killed in action at Ypres 14 Oct. following. Buried where he fell: unm.



Aaron Priest.

PRIEST, AARON, Private, No. 11591, 7th (Service) Battn. The York and Lancaster Regt., s. of Samuel Priest, of Rotherham, by his wife, Elizabeth (-); b. Rotherham, co. York, 6 Feb. 1893; educ. there: was a Miner; enlisted in Aug. 1914; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from July, 1915, and was killed in action at Arras 1 April, 1917. Buried at Arras. A comrade wrote: "He was a firm friend of ours, coming as we did from the same district; we were in the same section. His death came as a severe shock, for he had only left us for a few hours. I hope it will be a consolation to you to know that he died bravely and suffered no pain, and that he met his death like a brave soldier. You have the deepest sympathy from all in the platoon."

PRINCE, GEORGE, L.-Corpl., No. (-), 1/4th (Territorial) Battn. The Cheshire Regt., yst. s. of Charles Prince, of 88, Dacre Street, Birkenhead, late Gas Fitter, by his wife, Elizabeth; b. Birkenhead, co. Chester, 9 Sept.

1892; educ. Holy Trinity Schools there; was a Clerk on the London and South Western Railway; joined the Cheshire Territorials; was called up on the outbreak of war in Aug. 1914; served with the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force at Gallipoli from July, 1915; was reported missing after the night attack at Suvla Bay 12 Aug. following, and is now assumed to have been killed in action on that date : unm.

PROCTOR, JULIEN RUSSELL, Corpl., No. 20640, Royal Air Force, s. of George Proctor, of High Street, Kirkcaldy, Fruiterer; b. Kirkcaldy, co. Fife, 15 Jan. 1887; educ. there; was a Manual Instructor under the County of Lanark Committee of Secondary Education; enlisted in the Royal Flying Corps in Jan. 1916; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from the following Oct., and was killed in an aeroplane accident at Acheux 26 Sept. 1918, while on active service. Buried in Varennes Military Cemetery, near Acheux. A comrade wrote: "He was always cheerful, never groused, and always willing to give a helping hand to anyone who needed it." He m. at Kirkcaldy, 25 Dec. 1914, Susan (Invernahyle, Cardowan Road, Stepps), dau. of John Thomson, and had a son, Julien Thomson, b. 27 June, 1916.

PYLE, ERNEST ALBERT, Private, No. 81351, (-) Battn. The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regt.), 3rd s. of Richard Pyle, of 1, Henry Road, South Tottenham, N., by his wife, Sarah Jane; and brother to Private H. G. Pyle (q.v.); b. Tottenham, N.; educ. Bramar Road there; enlisted in 1915; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders, and was killed in action 19 March, 1918.

RAE, ALLAN CRUICKSHANK, Private, No. S/25173, 6th (Territorial) Battn. Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's), 4th s. of the late James Rae, Cattleman, by his wife, Eliza (Nether Bankhead, Tilliefourie), dau. of William Allan; b. Bankhead, Tillyfourie, co. Aberdeen, 10 June, 1900; educ. Carrennic School; was employed in Farm Work; enlisted in the Seaforth Highlanders 24 Sept. 1917; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from 26 March, 1918, and was killed in action near Rheims 20 July following. Buried where he fell; unm.

RAND, CHARLES HERBERT SIDNEY, 2nd Lieut., 3rd (Reserve) Battn. The Northumberland Fusiliers, attd. 2nd Battn. (10th Foot) The Lincolnshire Regt., eldest s. of Charles Joseph Rand, of 71, Ballater Road, Brixton, by his wife, Matilda Ann, dau. of W. H. Mayhew; b. Westminster, S.W., 18 Jan. 1889; educ. Westminster City School, S.W.,; was trained for the Teaching Profession; joined the Queen's Royal West Surrey Regt. in Feb. 1916; received a commission, and was gazetted 2nd Lieut. The Northumberland Fusiliers in May, 1917; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from the 26th of that month until 10 Sept. following, when he was severely wounded and invalided home; returned to France 10 June, 1918, being attached to the 2nd Lincolnshire Regt., and was killed in action while leading his platoon at Heudicourt 18 Sept. following. Buried north-east of Péronne. His Commanding Officer wrote: "I have no hesitation in saying that I never met an officer who carried out his duties in a more conscientious manner, or who took more pains and care in all his work. These sterling qualities were fully appreciated by me, and I was . . . very pleased to have such a reliable and trustworthy officer with me." Unm.

RANSOME, JOHN HENRY, Sapper, No. 24325, Royal Engineers, 2nd s. of John Ransome, of Ballyfarson, Monasterevan, by his wife, Rebecca, dau. of William Smyth; b. Monasterevan, co. Kildare; educ. there; enlisted in the Royal Engineers 7 April, 1913; served with the Expeditionary Force in France, and subsequently with the Salonika Army from Jan. 1916, and died at No. 60 General Hospital, Salonika, 3 Oct. 1918, of pneumonia, contracted while on active service; unm.

RAWLING, WILFRID DOWSE, Private, No. 36929, 7th (Service) Battn. The East Yorkshire Regt., yst. s. of the late George Blackett Rawling, by his wife, Harriet (10, Ashville Avenue, Scarborough), dau. of the late William Dowse; b. Scarborough, co. York, 27 Aug. 1897; educ. there; enlisted in the East Yorkshire Regt. 6 June, 1917; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders from 14 Oct., and died at No. 47 Casualty Clearing Station 17 Nov. following, of wounds received in action at Langemarcke the previous day. Buried in Dozinghem Cemetery, near Poperinghe; unm.

RAWLINGS, LEONARD JUSTLY, 2nd Lieut., 2nd Battn. (58th Foot) The



Leonard Justly Rawlings.

Northamptonshire Regt., only s. of Justly Rawlings, of 9, Golden Lane, E.C., by his wife, Julia, dau. of Arthur Marshall; b. Dulwich, London, S.E., 1 July, 1897; educ. Dulwich College, S.E., and Pensionnat St. Louis, Roubaix, France; joined the Inns of Court O.T.C. in Oct. 1914; was gazetted 2nd Lieut. The Northamptonshire Regt. in Feb. 1915; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders, and was killed in action at Les Bœufs 7 Nov. 1916. Buried there. The Chaplain wrote: "He was one of the most popular officers in the battalion; the Commanding Officer, Secondin-Command, Capt. and others, have spoken to me of his devotion and absolute fearlessness in the most awful danger, and of his general capacities as a soldier. The whole battalion deeply regret his loss." Unm.

READER, FREDERICK, Sapper, Royal Engineers, 2nd s. of John Reader, of 27, Frodsham Street, Tranmere, Naval Pensioner,

by his wife, Annie; and brother to Private James Reader (q.v.); b. Castledown, co. Cork, 15 Feb. 1889; educ. Rock Ferry, co. Chester; was a Ship's Carpenter; enlisted 10 May, 1916; served with the Egyptian Expeditionary Force in Egypt and Palestine from Aug. following, and was killed in action 11 July, 1917. Buried in the Lees Hill Military Cemetery, south of Gaza, Palestine. He m. at Rock Ferry, 16 Feb. 1914, Daisy (45, Stanley Street, Tranmere), dau. of Alexander McClelland, and had a dau., Margaret, b. 16 Dec. 1915.

READER, JAMES, Private, No. (--), 12th (Service) Battn. The Cheshire Regt., s. of John Reader, of 27, Frodsham Street, Tranmere, Naval Pensioner, by his wife, Annie; and brother to Sapper Frederick Reader, R.E. (q.v.); b. co. Kerry, 8 May, 1892; educ. St. Anne's, Rock Ferry, co. Chester; was a Ship's Carpenter; enlisted in March, 1915; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders; proceeded to Salonika, and was killed in action 28 June, 1917; unm.

REARDON, STEPHEN, Private, No. 888, (-) Battn. The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regt.), s. of Stephen Reardon, of 38, Soulton Street, Camberwell, S.E., by his wife, Rose; b. Camberwell, London, S.E., 1 Jan. 1883; educ. there; enlisted in the 3rd Battn. Royal West Surrey Regt., and took part in the South African War, 1900-2; afterwards joined the Reserve, and was called up on mobilization in Aug. 1914; served with the Expeditionary Force in France and Flanders, and was killed in action near Ypres 16 May, 1915. Buried there. He m. at St. John the Divine's Church, Kennington, S.E., 1 Aug. 1910, Rosetta (13, Hollington Street, Camberwell, S.E.), dau. of William Lindsey, and had three children.

REDFORD, GEORGE, Private, No. 19959, Machine Gun Corps, 2nd s. of John Thomas Redford, of 27, Winifred Street, Warrington, by his wife, Harriet Ann, dau. of Lancelot Scott, late of the 7th Royal Fusiliers; b. Heywood, co. Lan-caster, 3 Nov. 1893; educ. Nechell's School, Birmingham; was in the employ of the Castle Rubber Company; volunteered for active service soon after the