



SERGEANT SYDNEY WALTER BAKER

SERVICE NO. 9093

2ND BATTALION, THE HAMPSHIRE REGIMENT

DATE OF DEATH 7 January 1916, (aged 26)

BATTLE The Eski Line, Gallipoli Campaign

REGIMENT 2nd Battalion, The Hampshire Regiment

DEATH Killed in action

FAMILY DETAILS Sydney Baker, the youngest son of Richard, a farm labourer, and Mary Ann Baker, was born in North Warnborough in 1890¹⁰. The family lived in Up Street, North Warnborough and Richard and Mary were reported as being in Butler's Cottage in 1915 and 1916¹¹. In 1911 Sydney was a shepherd¹², but his obituary reports that he had also 'served about six years in the Army'. No trace of this service has been found to date.

MEMORIAL Helles Memorial

MEDALS 1914-15 Star
British War Medal
Victory Medal

¹⁰ Obituary in the Hants & Berks Gazette, 10 July 1915 and 12 February 1916

¹¹ The Hants & Berks Gazette, 12 February 1916

¹² 1911 Census, Odiham, Hampshire ref: RG14PN6245 RG78PN296 RD109 SD1 ED12 SN129