

1/5th Battalion Manchester Regt – 288 Casualties in Gallipoli Campaign (1915)

7 May (1)

2/Lt Edgar Neill Holden. Machine Gun Officer  
Foot injured by Machine gun cart

9 May (1)

1429 Pte William Stabler (C. Coy)  
173 Ellesmere St, Patricroft  
Warehouseman  
Age 26  
Slightly wounded by shrapnel left ankle

11 May (3)

Capt Herbert Hugh Cunningham, Medical Officer  
Slightly wounded

Lt Cyril Ainscough  
Fairhurst Hall, Parbold, Nr. Wigan  
Age 22  
Slight wound in foot  
Wounded for second time  
Promoted to Captain  
Killed in action 7 August 1915 during the Battle of Krithia Vineyard  
Commemorated on Helles Memorial

48 WO2, Company Sgt Major John Thomas Hughes  
Standish Lower Ground, Wigan  
Coal miner  
Age 31  
Shot by a sniper

12 May (2)

2405 Pte William Norris (C. Coy)  
42 John St, Pendleton  
Tram conductor Salford Corporation  
Age 31  
Gunshot wounds both ankles

2096 Pte Martin Kelly (D. Coy)  
6 John St, Leigh  
Battalion butcher  
Albion Foundry  
Age 21  
Scalp wound

14 May (2)

371 Bugler Henry Duddle (D. Coy)  
Wall St, Leigh  
Astley & Tyldesley Colliery  
Wounded in head

1696 Pte Edward Schofield  
9 Ingham St, Wigan  
Collier  
Age 21  
Gunshot wounds chin and left wrist

15 May (1)

2395 Pte John Edward Lee  
263 Bag Lane, Atherton  
Calico printer  
Age 18  
Shot in the back  
Hospital Ship Sicilia to Alexandria, Egypt

16 May (1)

346 Sgt Isaiah Ormesher (A. Coy)  
165 Leigh Rd, Howe Bridge  
Colliery fireman  
Age 30  
Shot in back of the shoulder by a sniper  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt

22 May (5)

247 Pte Martin Kelly (C. Coy)  
45 Paradise St, Eccles  
Joiner  
Age 31  
Gunshot wound thumb  
Awarded Territorial Force Efficiency Medal

1429 Pte William Stabler (C. Coy)  
193 Ellesmere St, Patricroft  
Warehouseman  
Age 26  
Shot in the thigh  
Second time wounded

2375 Pte William Elliott  
49 Lilford St, Howe Bridge, Atherton  
Coal miner  
Age  
Shrapnel in shoulder

2125 Cpl Benjamin William Catlow  
6 Bowling Green Row, Howe Bridge  
Age 27  
Shrapnel in thigh

1020 Sgt Charles Ernest Rhoden (B. Coy)  
 247 Whelley, Wigan  
 Clerk Wigan Coal & Iron Co  
 Age 22  
 Gunshot wound left arm

23 May (1)

1613 Harry Priestley (A. Coy)  
 1 Atherton's Yard, Wigan  
 Cousin of George Formby music hall star  
 Wounds unknown

26 May (2)

Acting Lt/QM Samuel Taylor  
 Formerly 5131 CSM (C. Coy) Promoted on landing  
 7 Cromwell Rd, Patricroft  
 Shrapnel wound

129 Cpl Frank Allen (D. Coy)  
 14 Westwood Terrace, Wigan.  
 Clerk Wigan Gas Office  
 Age 24  
 Shrapnel wound  
 Killed 7th August 1915

27 May (2)

Lt William Godfrey Earlham Johnson  
 Bickershaw Hall, Bickershaw Nr. Wigan  
 Wounds unknown  
 Hospital Valetta, Malta  
 Wounded at Canada Camp, Flanders 10 Oct 1917  
 Died of wounds 13 Oct 1917 at 36th Casualty Clearing Station.  
 Buried Zuydcoote Military Cemetery, near Dunkirk, France. Grave No. I.F.19  
 His brother Alfred was seriously wounded in Gallipoli and two other brothers, one a pilot in the RFC were killed in action

2/Lt Arnold Parker  
 Wounds unknown

28 May (13)

1639 Pte John Holmes (D. Coy)  
 379 St Helens Rd, Lowton  
 Parsonage Pit, Leigh  
 Age 20  
 Shot in back getting into the trench  
 Died of wounds the following day

2314 Pte Robert Price  
23 Lilford St, Atherton  
Miner  
Age 23  
Gunshot wound shoulder while trying to help Pte Holmes into the trench

1298 Pte Alexander Edward Jones (D. Coy)  
91 Selwyn St, Leigh  
Cable works, Leigh  
Age 21  
Died of wounds 30th May 1915

2395 L/Cpl Edgar Clough (C. Coy)  
Parkfield, Temple Drive, Swinton  
Assistant Borough Engineer, Wigan  
Age 25  
Gunshot wound right shoulder  
Hospital Cairo, Egypt

2388 Pte Frank Gill  
29 Hunt St, Atherton  
Gunshot wound

1765 Pte Sydney Daniels (B. Coy)  
15 Alexander St, Newtown, Wigan  
Butcher  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown

1495 Pte Harry Day  
Gunshot wound head

556 Pte Maurice Neale (D. Coy)  
102 Oxford St. Leigh  
Leigh Corporation Highways  
Battalion cook  
Age 41  
Shrapnel in neck while bringing in body of CSM Walter Spencer  
Died of dysentery 1 Oct 1915

2394 Pte Thomas Morley Douglas  
19 Ashland Ave, Wigan  
Age 24  
Designer & Painter for Gaskell & Sons  
Explosive bullet in jaw  
Imtarfa Hospital, Malta

2098 Pte Wallace Burgess (D. C. Coy)  
2 Canal St, Leigh  
Diggles Colliery, Leigh  
Age 20  
Shot in back  
St Andrews Hospital, Malta

2292 Pte Arthur Banks  
1 Lilford St, Atherton  
Labourer  
Shot in back  
St Andrews Hospital Malta

2039 Pte Percy Foster  
5 Chapel St, Wigan  
Painter Brown & Nephews Mill  
Age 29  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt

2025 Pte John Owens  
3 Chapel St, Wigan  
Miner Pearson & Knowles  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt

**29 May (2)**

1409 Pte Joseph McGee (C. Coy)  
15 Douglas St, Wigan  
Scowcroft Colliery, Hindley Green, Wigan  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown

1470 Pte James Henry Lee  
15 Birchall St, Bedford, Leigh  
Bedford Colliery, Leigh  
Age 21  
Shot by a sniper

**30 May (1)**

2140 Pte Alfred Marsh  
71 School St, Wigan  
Miner Pearson & Knowles  
Age 23  
Gunshot wound leg

31 May (1)

1215 Pte George Phillips  
Brackley St, Goose Green, Wigan  
Garswood Hall Colliery  
Age 26  
Heel blown off

Date Unknown in June (1)

2370 Pte Arthur Roscoe  
7 Spring Grove, Wigan  
Great Central Railway, Wigan Depot.  
Shot in the head by a sniper

4 June (147)

Lt Basil Lindley Fletcher (D. Coy -posted to B. Coy 7 May 1915)  
Briarcroft, Howe Bridge, Atherton  
Wounds unknown  
Rejoined the Battalion from England 8 Dec 1915  
Later promoted to Major  
Awarded Military Cross

910 Sgt George Turner (B. Coy)  
187 Warrington Rd, Ince, Wigan  
Pagefield Iron Works, Wigan  
Wounded both thighs

39 Pte Joseph Milligan  
3 River St, Wigan  
Maypole Colliery, Abram, Wigan  
Age 21  
Shrapnel left arm  
Hospital Malta

1058 Pte Joseph Lomas (D. Coy)  
8 Cross St, Leigh  
Astley & Tyldesley Pit  
Age 19  
Wounded in ankle

2106 Pte Thomas Hunt (D. Coy)  
Atherton  
Wounds unknown

2216 Pte William Davidson (C. Coy)  
Richmond St, Wigan  
J. Bolton, Ironmongers  
Machine gun bullets shoulder and jaw

2343 Pte John Tobin (D. Coy)

147 Oxford St, Leigh

Age 17

Bullet right leg

1889 Sgt Thomas Longson (D. Coy)

21 Peter St, Leigh

Pilkington Colliery

Wounds unknown

Later won Military Medal

Cousin Joseph Longson killed same day

1506 Pte George Mansfield (D. Coy)

68 Selwyn St, Leigh

Bayonet wound head

2012 Pte William Lythgoe (C. Coy)

Bridge St, Wigan

Miner

Age 23

Wounds unknown

1516 Pte Alonzo (Lonny) Dootson (D. Coy)

10 Youd St, Leigh

Duke pit

Age 23

Wounds unknown

Imtarfa Hospital, Malta

1578 Pte Daniel Hilton (D. Coy)

221 Firs Lane, Leigh

Wounded in hand

Imtarfa Hospital, Malta

1337 L/Cpl Martin Lucas (D. Coy)

13 Arthur St, Leigh

Miner

Age 26

Wounds unknown

1946 Cpl Charles Crowther

School Lane, Wigan

Wounds unknown (10)

1907 Pte William Duckworth. (C. Coy)

62 Platt Lane, Scholes, Wigan

Miner

Wounds unknown

2273 Pte Thomas Taberner (C. Coy)  
1 Barley Brook St, Wigan  
Clerk at Wigan Courthouse  
Age 20  
Shrapnel in back

2425 Pte Frank Bamford  
24 Barnsley St, Wigan  
Assistant to Mr T L Lace JP of Wigan  
Age 31  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Malta

1308 Pte William Smith (A. Coy)  
45 Bottling Wood, Whelley, Wigan  
Age 23  
Finger shot off

2385 Pte Robert John Dickinson  
Belle Green Hotel, Wigan  
Solvay Coke works  
Age 32  
Wounded in arm  
Hospital Port Said, Egypt

1733 Pte Joseph Stephen Urmston  
16A School St, Wigan  
Lancashire & Yorkshire Railway sheds  
Age 19  
Shrapnel in foot

2363 Pte Thomas Baines Marsden (C. Coy)  
17 Dicconson Terrace, Wigan  
Fitter  
Age 20  
Shrapnel chest, right arm fractured  
Imtarfa Hospital, Malta

1996 Pte James Corless  
18 Platt Lane, Scholes, Wigan  
Douglas Bank Pit  
Shrapnel in throat  
Hospital Malta

1899 Cpl John Shepherd  
Wigan Lane, Wigan  
Wounds unknown



1567 Pte Philip Amos Stamper (C. Coy)  
54 Barnsley St, Wigan  
Lancashire & Yorkshire Railway sheds  
Age 22  
Shell splinters shoulder, arm and hand  
Hospital Malta

1316 Pte Arthur Herbert Pearson (C. Coy)  
16 Granville St, Monton  
Postman  
Age 23  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt

272 CSM James Moss (A. Coy)  
7 Schofield St, Leigh  
Joiner  
Age 33  
Shrapnel in back

2322 Pte Albert Hilton (D. Coy)  
166 Leigh Rd, Howe Bridge  
Victoria pit  
Age 21  
Wounded while carrying messages under fire to battalion HQ, ran for reinforcements 4 times  
Awarded Distinguished Conduct Medal  
Later killed in action 20 Oct 1918

2383 Pte Thomas Wilkinson  
25 Short St, Hindesford, Leigh  
Collier  
Age 36  
Wounds unknown  
Wounded again on 7th August

1514 Pte Thomas Southern Wilson  
86 Factory St, Atherton  
Age 22  
Shrapnel in chin  
St Andrews Hospital, Malta, arrived on hospital ship Hibernia

2121 Pte Arthur Gregory  
8 Ash St, Tyldesley.  
Gin Pit, Tyldesley  
Age 23  
Shot in chest

1509 Cpl John (Jack) Brett (D. Coy)  
6 Hanchett St, Leigh  
Pretoria Pit, Westhoughton  
Bayonet wound shoulder (8)

1604 Pte William Unsworth  
13 Sandy Lane, Lowton  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital, Malta

1258 Pte Robert Bevan (D. Coy)  
69 Leigh Rd, Leigh  
Astley & Tyldesley Colliery  
Age 24  
Wounded in back

1508 Pte Charles Clements (D. Coy)  
7 Elm St, Leigh  
Miner, Fletcher & Burrows  
Wounded in foot  
Bayoneted a Turkish officer who stayed with his MG when the crew fled  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt on hospital ship Ascania  
Killed by a shell when he returned to Gallipoli

811 Pte Albert Bell (C. Coy)  
255 Tyldesley Rd, Atherton  
Atherton Spinning Company  
Wounded in chin, neck and chest by bullets

2377 Pte Maurice Conlan  
25 Bank St, Tyldesley  
Astley & Tyldesley Colliery  
Age 18  
Wounds unknown  
Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, Southampton

2109 L/Cpl Thomas Hook (D. Coy)  
6 Spring Gardens, Leigh  
Age 21  
Wounded head and ankle

1297 Pte James Dowd (D. Coy)  
Leigh  
Bedford Pit  
Age 22  
Wounds unknown

1808 Pte George Henry Armfield (D. Coy)  
26 Derby St, Leigh  
Diggles Colliery  
Age 18  
Wounded in back and leg

67 Pte James McEvoy  
Wood St, Wigan  
Wounds unknown (9)

1694 Pte William Cain (D. Coy)  
32 Bold St, Leigh  
Fitter at Albion works, Leigh  
Age 22  
Wounded in ear  
Hospital Malta

362 Pte Thomas Jones (D. Coy)  
10 Cross St, Leigh  
Astley & Tyldesley Colliery  
Wounded in thigh  
Mustapha Convalescent Camp

2325 Pte John William Roylance  
10 Birch Rd, Atherton  
Miner  
Age 25  
Blinded right eye by a bullet (lost his eye)  
Valetta Hospital, Malta

2330 Pte James Clews (C. Coy)  
87 Tyldesley Rd, Atherton  
Miner  
Age 25  
Wounded in head

1690 Pte Benjamin Williams (D. Coy)  
4 St. Anns Square, Leigh  
Speakmans Colliery  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown

2098 Pte Wallace Burgess (D. Coy)  
2 Canal St, Leigh  
Diggles Colliery  
Age 21  
Wounded in back  
St. Andrews Hospital, Malta

2353 Pte James Sale  
4 Hampson St, Atherton  
Age 23  
Shot in left thigh

2413 L/Cpl Walter Henry Woods (B. Coy)  
3 Sandycroft Ave, Wigan  
Window dresser, Pendlebury's  
Age 24  
Shot in left foot  
Victoria College Hospital, Alexandria, Egypt (8)

1278 Pte Edward Walters  
53 Frog Lane, Wigan  
Wigan Corporation Tramways  
Age 18  
Wounded in ankle & thigh

2088 Pte Frank Barnish (D. Coy)  
40 Lilford St, Atherton  
Miner Fletcher & Burrows, Atherton  
Age 20  
Wounded in arm  
Hospital Malta

1895 Cpl Edmund Harold Alston (C. Coy)  
Wardley villas, Moorside Rd, Swinton  
Clerk Manchester+county bank  
Age 18  
Wounded in shoulder

941 Pte John Chatterley  
10 Dukes Row, Aspull, Wigan  
Moss Hall Colliery  
Age 26  
Bullet wound heel  
Government School Hospital, Port Said, Egypt

1138 Sgt George Henry Beazant (D. Coy)  
10 Aspull St, Leigh  
Miner  
Age 24  
Wounds unknown  
Commissioned 8 October 1918  
Awarded Territorial Efficiency Medal  
Died 1922

1212 Cpl Thomas Carruthers Bullock (C. Coy)  
773 Liverpool Rd, Peel Green  
Mechanical engineer at L. Gardner & Sons  
Age 22  
Shot in back  
Hospital Malta

2240 Pte James Robinson  
38 Vaughan St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 20  
Accidentally shot his left toe off in the firing line

2319 Pte Harry Shaw  
166 Bag Lane, Atherton  
Age 17  
Wounded in loin (8)

1736 Pte Henry Critchley  
45 Soho St, Newtown, Wigan  
Blundells Colliery, Winstanley, Wigan  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown

2295 Pte John (Jack) Edward Lee  
263 Bag Lane, Atherton  
Calico printer  
Age 17  
Wounded thigh

1909 Pte William Halliwell (C. Coy)  
62 Platt Lane, Scholes  
Miner  
Age 25  
Shot by a sniper  
Hospital Malta

1910 Pte James Halliwell (C. Coy)  
37 Lime St, Wigan.  
Miner Low Green Colliery  
Shot by a sniper

2132 Pte Robert Bragg  
2 Foster St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 31  
Wounds unknown

2253 Pte John Thomas Marsden  
187 Mawsons Row, Wigan  
Lindsay Pit, Whelley, Wigan  
Age 38  
Wounds unknown

1932 Cpl James Coote  
28 Orchard St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 23  
Wounds unknown

2260 Pte Emmanuel William Hodgkiss  
28 Marsh Green, Wigan  
Age 24  
Wounded in legs & arms

1963 Pte Joseph Holland  
Lees Court, Prescott St, Wigan  
Kirkless works  
Wounds unknown (9)

1272 Pte Henry Cullen  
1 Fowden St, Wigan  
Garswood Colliery  
Age 23  
Wounds unknown

1933 Pte Thomas Dean  
68 School St, Wigan  
Lindsay colliery  
Age 18  
Wounds unknown  
Killed 7th August

1307 Pte Patrick Dowd  
68 Bottling Wood, Whelley, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 23  
Wounds unknown  
Awarded Territorial Force Efficiency Medal

1386 Sgt Samuel Gibson  
93 Warrington Rd, Ince, Wigan  
Miner Pearson & Knowles  
Wounded in foot  
Awarded Territorial Force Efficiency Medal

2245 Pte Edward Halliwell  
Manley St, Lower Ince, Wigan  
Wounds unknown

1439 Pte Charles Hampson  
5 Wilshaw St, Wigan  
Garswood Hall Colliery  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown

2277 L/Cpl William Stuart Hartley  
'Glenthorpe', Orrell, Wigan  
Age 25  
Wounds unknown  
Commissioned 1 Dec 1915  
Died of wounds 8 Oct 1918  
Attached to Loyal North Lancs Regt

1959 Pte John Mc Coombes  
1 Pipe Shop Yard, Wigan  
Miner, Pemberton Colliery, Wigan  
Age 29  
Wounded head & neck  
Hospital Malta  
Brother 1967 Pte James Mc Coombes killed (8)

2151 Pte John Makin  
Scot Lane, Newtown, Wigan  
Park Lane Colliery, Bryn  
Age 22  
Wounds unknown

1220 Pte Frederick Marsh  
88 Lime St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 26  
Wounds unknown

1610 Bugler Joseph Mee  
Harper St, Wigan  
Wounded in hand  
Hospital Malta  
Played at funeral of Pte 1958 James France

895 Pte James Naylor (A. Coy)  
15 Sargenson St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 28  
Wounds unknown

2235 Pte Edward Meredith  
216 Whelley, Wigan  
Wagon builder  
Age 35  
Wounded left shoulder  
Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, Southampton

1445 Pte Austin Pugh (C. Coy)  
3 Spring Rd, Orrell, Wigan  
Norley Coal Company  
Age 20  
Bullet right shoulder

1370 Pte James Riley  
20 Bottling Wood, Whelley, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 25  
Wounds unknown

1404 Pte Alfred Seddon  
17 Albert St, Newtown, Wigan  
Machine gunner  
Age 22  
Wounded finger, back and head while carrying back his MG during the retirement

1380 Pte Albert Edward Jackson (D. Coy)  
19 Sanderson Croft, Leigh  
Wounds unknown (9)  
1456 Pte William Starkey  
7 New Lodge, Wigan Lane, Wigan  
Alexander Pit, Wigan  
Age 25  
Wounded thigh  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt

1713 Pte James Thompson  
40 Bottling Wood, Whelley, Wigan  
Alexander Pit, Wigan  
Age 18  
Wounds unknown

2143 Pte Joseph Trainer (C. Coy)  
7 Water St, Wigan  
Hindley Field Pit  
Age 24  
Wounded left arm and left eye  
Hospital Malta then Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, Southampton



1616 Pte Joseph Wilson  
23 Moorfield St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 26  
Wounds unknown

2037 L/Cpl Frank Catterall (D. Coy)  
21 Peter St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 30  
Wounds unknown  
Mentioned in Dispatches for actions on 4th June 1915

1660 Cpl William Holmes (D. Coy)  
379 St. Helens Rd, Leigh  
Wounds unknown  
Brother 1659 John Homes died 29th May 1915

1325 Pte William Ince  
19 Douglas St, Newtown  
Garswood Colliery  
Age 21  
Wounded in back of the shoulder  
Hospital Malta

2176 Pte Horace Richardson  
25 Margaret St, Wigan  
Pagefield Iron Works  
Age 19  
Bullet wounds right arm & thumb  
Hospital Malta then Hale Park Hospital

954 Pte Jonathan Storey  
1 Chivers Yard, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 28  
Wounds unknown

1489 Charles Edward Harris  
67 Prescott St, Wigan  
Lambs Oil Works  
Age 28  
Wounds unknown  
Later drowned in Alexandria Harbour on 30 Dec 1917 when his ship was torpedoed

2171 Pte Thomas Heyes  
5 Lime St, Wigan  
Age 21  
Wounded in foot

2327 Pte William Humphreys  
265 Wigan Rd, Atherton  
Chanters pit  
Age 21  
Wounded twice at Gallipoli

2045 Pte Joseph Winnard  
26 Shelmerdine St, Wigan  
Messrs Rylands  
Age 24  
Wounds unknown  
Killed 30 Oct 1915

2255 Pte Albert Parker  
33 Prescott St, Wigan  
Wounded while escorting 30 Turkish prisoners

1811 Pte John William Rhodes  
3 Derby St, Atherton  
Age 19  
Wounded in the head  
Killed 7th August 1915

1775 Pte Benjamin Tilly (D. Coy)  
10 Seed St, Wigan  
Lambs Oil Works  
Age 29  
Shot through the head, now deaf  
Evacuated home on 4 Dec 1915 on hospital ship Mauritania

1890 Pte John Robinson  
35 Vaughan St, Wigan  
Wounds unknown

2259 Pte John Fillingham  
24 Kays Houses, Lower Ince, Wigan  
Moss Hall Colliery, Hindley  
Age 26  
Wounded right thigh  
Hospital Birmingham

2348 Pte Miles St Clair Jackson (D. Coy)  
'Wingfield' Hamilton St, Leigh  
Laundry clerk  
Age 23  
Wounded finger & leg  
Hospital ship Canada

1068 Pte Joseph Gregory (D. Coy)  
21 Cross St, Bedford, Leigh  
Astley & Tyldesley Colliery  
Age 19  
Bullet in ankle  
Hospital Malta

1291 Cpl Charles Acton (C. Coy)  
516 Warrington Rd, Wigan  
Maypole Colliery, Abram, Wigan  
Age 24  
Wounds unknown  
Killed 6th August 1915

1309 Pte William Duddle (C. Coy)  
95 Warrington Rd, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 20  
Brother 1315 Henry Duddle carried him in  
Died of wounds at sea 8th June 1915

1844 Pte Samuel Lawton (C. Coy)  
12 Birch Square, Eccles  
Warehouseman  
Age 22  
Died of wounds on Mudros, Greece 8th June 1915

1430 Pte Hugh Fisher  
'Hilldale', Parbold  
Quarryman  
Age 19  
Wounded in the legs by shrapnel while bringing up water with Pte 1715 Arthur Carter  
Hospital Lemnos, Greece

1348 Pte William Farrimond  
Wrights Yard, Wigan  
Wounds unknown

14 Cpl Samuel Cox  
16 Green St, Wigan  
Miner  
Shot in foot  
Hospital Egypt then 2nd Western General Hospital, Manchester  
South African veteran

1948 Pte Thomas Crowe  
19 Addison St, Wallgate, Wigan  
Age 24  
Wounded shoulder  
Hospital Birmingham

2287 Pte Thurston Stewart Cocker  
40 Park Rd, Wigan  
Insurance clerk  
Age 23  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Malta

106 Pte Richard Humphreys  
66 Platt Lane, Scholes, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 24  
Wounded both thighs  
killed later in the war (Pte 200016)

1711 Pte Ellis Norris  
52 Whelley, Wigan  
Brass moulder  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown

1178 Pte Bert Simm (B. Coy)  
13 High St, Standish  
miner  
Wounded in shoulder by bullet  
St. Andrews Hospital, Malta

272 CSM James Moss (A. Coy)  
7 Schofield St, Leigh  
Joiner  
Age 33  
Wounded in back by shellfire

1712 Pte Frank Shepherd  
91 Northumberland St, Whelley, Wigan  
Miner Pearson & Knowles  
Age 19  
Bullet through the neck  
Imtarfa Hospital, Malta

2002 Pte Henry Latham (A. Coy)  
21 Moor Rd, Orrell  
William Gaskell & Sons  
Age 35  
Wounds unknown

1540 L/Cpl Joseph Rawson  
2 Highams Square, Tyldesley  
Peelwood Colliery, Tyldesley  
Age 20  
Wounded in head and knocked out by a shell

1592 Pte Joseph Herbert Ryding  
20 Heaton St, Standish  
Victoria pit, Standish  
Age 18  
Wounds unknown  
Killed 10 Oct 1917

2248 Pte George Rimmington  
Kays Houses, Lower Ince, Wigan  
Langtree Colliery  
Age 32  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Devonport, Plymouth

2242 Pte Samuel Harris  
5 Miry Lane, Wigan  
Porter Boots Chemist  
Age 23  
Wounds unknown

1332 Pte Hugh McDonald  
31 Chancery St, Wigan  
Bryn Colliery  
Age 23  
Wounds unknown

1925 Pte Matthew Grime  
4 Thurston St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 29  
Wounds unknown

2119 Pte Frank Higson  
133 Bolton Old Rd, Atherton  
Engineer Astley & Tyldesley Pit  
Age 27  
Bullet wounds left hand & leg  
Citadel Hospital, Cairo, Egypt

1408 Pte Caleb Stubbs  
57 Soho St, Newtown, Wigan  
Pony driver  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown

914 Pte Richard Price (B. Coy)  
43 Byrom St, Poolstock  
Miner  
Age 31  
Wounded in knee, eye and head

914 Pte Richard Price (B. Coy)  
43 Byrom St, Poolstock  
Miner  
Age 31  
Wounded in knee, eye and head

1274 Pte William Hollis  
87 Caroline St, Wigan  
Pit bank labourer Wigan Coal & Iron Company  
Age 22  
Wounds unknown

1847 Pte Edmund Culshaw  
202 Elliott St, Tyldesley  
Butcher  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown

2266 Pte Alfred Jackson  
137 Poolstock, Wigan  
Clerk at cotton mill  
Age 21  
Wounded in neck

2254 Pte Martin Guthrie  
21 Brown St, Wallgate, Wigan  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown

2179 Pte Robert Smith  
30 King St, Westhoughton  
Hollands soap works  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown

22 Sgt Arthur Foster  
7 Harveys Court, Wigan  
Fish merchant  
Age 33  
Wounds unknown

1953 Pte James Henry Sharrock  
60 Boyswell Lane, Wigan  
Miner Pearson & Knowles  
Wounds unknown

2005 Pte John Garvin  
3 Sutton Mill, Wigan  
Age 22  
Wounds unknown

1987 James Heaton  
80 Linney St, Scholes, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 22  
Wounds unknown

1490 L/Cpl John Alker  
154 Orrell Rd, Wigan  
Brickyard labourer  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown

2370 Pte Arthur Roscoe  
7 Spring Grove, Wigan  
Wigan Loco sheds Great Central Railway  
Age 26  
Bullet right side  
Chichester Hospital

1288 Pte George Holland  
404 Martland Mill Bridge, Wigan  
Taylor Pit  
Age 24  
Bullet in shoulder  
Hospital Malta

2149 Pte Henry Oakley  
29 Ingram St, Wigan  
Park Lane Colliery  
Age 18  
Wounded in leg

1882 Pte Robert Cooke  
Parr St, Tyldesley  
Tyldesley Coal & Iron Company  
Shrapnel shoulder+face  
1st Western General Hospital, Liverpool

1915 Pte John Kehoe  
68 Caroline St, Ince  
Crompton & Shawcross  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown

1283 Pte John Fowler  
Lowe St, Wigan  
Maypole Colliery, Abram, Wigan  
Age 22  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Epsom

2186 Pte George Frederick Pacey  
24 Ainsworth St, Westhoughton  
Iron moulder  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown

1686 Pte Joseph Briscoe (D. Coy)  
9 Sefton St, Leigh  
Iron fitter  
Age 24  
Wounded in face

2398 Pte Trevor Hyde  
6 Russell Ave, Whalley Range, Manchester  
Clerk  
Age 18  
Wounds unknown

1941 Pte Edward Ormshaw  
12 Marlebonne St, Wigan  
Douglas Bank Colliery  
Age 21  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt

1999 Pte Joseph Hull  
1 Parrs Court, Wigan  
Kirklees Works  
Age 30  
Bullet in thigh  
Hospital Alexandria

1958 Pte James France (A. Coy)  
14 Hen St, Wigan  
Age 28  
Bayonet wound chest  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt and Roby St Hospital, Manchester  
Died of wounds 17 Nov 1915

5th June (3)

2089 Pte Frank Newman Castles  
19 Roberts St, Atherton  
Abram Colliery  
Age 22  
Wounds unknown  
Later killed 26 July 1917



2192 Pte Alfred Edwin Jones (C. Coy)  
97 Moss Lane, Wigan  
Bamfurlong Colliery  
Age 38  
Wounds unknown

1680 Pte James Harlow  
479 Warrington Rd, Ince  
Moulder Platt Bridge foundry  
Age 22  
Wounds unknown

6th June (4)

1912 Pte Lewis Humphrey Leyland (C. Coy)  
2 Mint Terrace, Scholes, Wigan  
Lindsay Pit, Whelley, Wigan  
Age 28  
Wounds unknown

1250 Cpl William Stanley Martlew (D. Coy)  
671 Leigh Rd, Leigh  
Leigh Gas Works  
Age 21  
Wounds unknown

2226 Pte Hubert Hope Dawes  
71 Noel St, Nottingham  
Electricians clerk  
Age 23  
Bullet wounds head & right eye  
Hospital Giza, Egypt

1665 Pte George Barton  
57 Shaw St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 20  
Wounded neck & shoulder

7th June (3)

1871 Pte William Bagnall (C. Coy)  
10 Spring View, Lower Ince, Wigan  
Low Green Colliery, Platt Bridge, Wigan  
Age 20  
Sniped in the head on trench duty  
Hospital Malta

1796 Pte John Ryle (C. Coy)  
'Earlswood' Ellesmere Park, Eccles  
Fitter  
Age 18  
Wounded shoulder

2162 Pte Thomas McGuire (D. Coy)  
15 Canal St, Wigan  
Pemberton Colliery, Wigan  
Age 21  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Cairo  
Later killed 8 Oct 1918 whilst serving with Wiltshire Regt

8th June (1)

362 Pte Thomas Jones  
4 Leyland St, Wigan  
Asher & Whitley  
Age 38  
Injured by barbed wire in left foot

12th June (1)

1715 Pte Arthur Carter  
'Hillock', Parbold  
Employed by Mr Sheldon of Parbold  
Age 21  
Shell shock  
Buried by a shell with 5 other men while making tea, shell left a crater 8ft deep and 15ft across

26th June (1)

2794 Pte James Morgan  
54 Great George St, Wallgate, Wigan  
Miner Crow Orchard Pit, Skelmersdale  
Age 23  
Shot in the head

27th June (1)

1483 Pte James Dunn (D. Coy)  
72 Landsdowne Rd, Eccles  
Shoe maker  
Age 30  
Bullet wound right hand

11th July (2)

1837 Pte John William Wilson  
13 Bolton St, Wigan  
Wounds unknown

410 Pte Thomas Gore  
21 Bolton St, Wigan  
Age 33  
Invalided with dysentery

12th July (2)

337 WO2, CSM John Thomas Fairhurst (D. Coy)  
Rescue station, Stockport Rd, Denton

Age 44  
Wounded in both knees by shell

2198 Pte William Hayton  
12 France St, Newtown, Wigan

Age 36  
Shot by a sniper  
Fazakerley Hospital, Liverpool

14th July (1)

1886 Pte Joseph Brown (D. Coy)  
11 Clegg St, Leigh  
Shot in back by a sniper

24th July (1)

2640 Pte Harry Jepson  
285 Billinge Rd, Pemberton, Wigan  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown  
Later died 27 July 1915

25th July (1)

3233 Pte William Patmore  
5 Preston St, Wigan  
Wounds unknown

26th July (1)

1434 Pte Stephen Price  
7 Woodcock View, Newburgh  
Shrapnel left leg

27th July (2)

1331 Pte Tom Carr  
6 Princess St, Pemberton, Wigan  
Age 22  
Knocked out by a shell, wounds to left eye & face

2000 Pte John Henry Dickinson (A. Coy)  
14 Lower Morris St, Scholes, Wigan  
Age 28  
Bullet in back

Date unknown in August

Capt Alfred Earlham Johnson  
Bickershaw Hall, Bickershaw Lane, Nr. Wigan  
Age 21  
Wounded in chest during battle of Krithia Vineyard  
Hospital Malta  
Medically discharged due to injuries  
Became a Recruiting Officer in the Second World War, first in Wigan, and later in Carlisle, serving with the Border Regiment.

1st August (3)

1490 Pte John Alker  
154 Orrell Rd, Wigan  
Brickyard labourer  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown

1224 Pte Sydney Abbott  
10 Worsley Terrace, Wigan  
Mechanic Coop & Company  
Age 21  
Dysentery  
11th Casualty Clearing Station  
2188 Pte John Thomas Heaton  
74 Soho St, Newtown, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 21  
Dysentery

6th August (24)

1969 Pte Thomas Smith  
101 Tram St, Platt Bridge, Wigan  
Age 22  
Wounded leg  
2nd Northern General Hospital, Leeds

2289 Pte Richard Eden  
Kays Houses, Lower Ince, Wigan  
Moss hall colliery  
Age 30  
Wounded right finger (amputated)

1782 Drummer John Francis Heeley  
30 Gidlow Lane, Wigan  
Engineer Woods & Sons  
Age 17  
Wounded leg  
Hospital Birmingham

914 Bandsman Richard Price  
43 Byrom St, Poolstock, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 31  
Wounds unknown

2146 Pte Roger Morgan  
17 Lyon St, Wigan  
Pemberton Colliery  
Age 23  
Wounds unknown

3372 Pte Richard Fraser  
66 Scot Lane, Aspull  
Woods Colliery  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Coventry

3113 Pte Thomas Litherland (B. Coy)  
9 Russell St, Higher Ince  
Scowcroft Colliery, Kearsley  
Age 21  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt

2191 Pte George Harley (C. Coy)  
11 Whistley St, Platt Bridge, Wigan  
Fireman Bamfurlong Pit  
Age 36  
Bomb wound thigh

2458 Pte Herbert Bird.  
7 Gilroy St, Scholes, Wigan  
Pit haulage hand  
Age 19  
Wounded in head

1191 Sgt Andrew Slonker (D. Coy)  
39 Gidlow Lane, Wigan  
Coupler Lancs & Yorkshire Railway  
Age 22  
Wounded right shoulder

1754 Pte Herbert Swift (D. Coy)  
304 West Leigh Lane, Leigh  
Miner Wigan Coal & Iron Co  
Age 18  
Wounded knee

2043 Pte Ralph Whittle  
10 Cherry Croft, Wigan  
Bradford Dyers Association  
Age 33  
Wounded right arm

1252 Pte Robert Bevan  
69 Leigh Rd, Atherton.  
Astley & Tyldesley Coal Co  
Age 24  
Wounded left arm & back  
17th General Hospital Alexandria, Egypt

1789 Pte William Brearley (C. Coy)  
17 Higher Croft, Barton  
Taylor Bros, Salford  
Age 18  
Shot in head

962 Pte John Hibbert Holden (C. Coy)  
'Lyndhurst' Irlam Rd, Patricroft  
Clerk  
Age 24  
Bullet left leg

2356 Pte Robert Jones (C. Coy)  
Patricroft  
Wounded back and twice in the side

1849 Pte John Ivill (D. Coy)  
20 Bolton Old Rd, Leigh  
Miner  
Age 18  
Wounded hand (lost a finger)

Lt Percy Charles Clayton  
Laurel House, Howe Bridge, Atherton  
Age 25  
Wounded both hands  
Hospital Alexandria  
Mentioned in Dispatches

2065 Pte William McDonald  
38 Bolton St, Wigan  
Age 22  
Died of tetanus 16 Aug 1915

439 Sgt Frank Taylor  
367 Warrington Rd, Lower Ince, Wigan  
General labourer, Ince Urban District Council  
Age 28  
Shot in spine  
Hospital Egypt and Mustapha Convalescent Camp, Alexandria, Egypt  
Promoted to Colour Sgt. (CQMS) in the field  
Awarded the Meritorious Service Medal

2313 Pte John Downs  
42 New Bank St, Tyldesley  
Miner  
Age 18  
Bomb splinters eye, hands & leg

1518 Pte William Dandy  
25 Hilton St, Atherton  
Carr & Nichols Bolt Works  
Age 23  
Wounded right shoulder

2350 Cpl Harry Gore  
125 Market St, Atherton  
Age 32  
Bullet right elbow, shrapnel right ankle

1814 Pte James Birchall (D. Coy)  
290 North Rd, Leigh  
Age 20  
Shot in breast  
His next door neighbour and best friend 1815 Pte Jack Heaton  
288 North Rd, Leigh was wounded the following day

7th August (46)

1510 Pte William Gorse  
2 Hanchett St, Wigan  
Age 22  
Bomb wounds left arm, leg & foot  
17th General Hospital, Alexandria, Egypt

1517 L/Cpl William Gallimore  
27 Harrison St, Atherton  
Age 24  
Wounded left arm  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt

1973 Pte Herbert Holland  
77 Schofield Lane, Wigan  
Railway engine cleaner  
Age 21  
Wounded stomach & chest  
2nd Western General Hospital, Seedley, Salford

3008 Pte John Meehan  
27 Victoria St, Wigan  
Park Lane Colliery  
Age 22  
Wounds unknown

1439 Pte Charles Hampson  
5 Wilshaw St, Wigan  
Garswood Hall Colliery  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown

2320 Pte Frederick Lee (D. Coy)  
128 Leigh Rd, Leigh  
Miner Fletcher & Burrows  
Age 18  
Citadel Hospital, Cairo, Egypt  
Wounded by a British shell, thigh & stomach injuries  
Awarded Military Medal  
Brother 2321 Pte Joe Lee killed same day

2318 Pte James Henry Butler  
161 Leigh Rd, Atherton  
Finger blown off

1848 Pte William Dobson  
22 King William St, Tyldesley  
Gin Pit  
Age 20  
Wounded right ankle by shell  
17th General Hospital, Alexandria, Egypt (8)

1351 Pte Ellis Jones (D. Coy)  
42 High St, Leigh  
Shot in scalp

2101 Pte William Sutton (D. Coy)  
32 Alfred St, Leigh  
Wounded in arm by British shell

2038 Pte Joseph Richard Houghton  
Counce St, Wigan  
Knocked out by shell which killed eight of his mates



1877 Gordon Swift Martlew (D. Coy)  
671 Leigh Rd, Leigh  
South Lancs Tram Company  
Age 19  
Gunshot wounds head (slight)  
11th Casualty Clearing Station

2087 Pte Samuel Barnish (D. Coy)  
6 Grundy St, Bedford, Leigh  
Miner Fletcher & Burrows  
Age 18  
Wounds unknown

1566 Pte Edward Rudd  
17 Sovereign St, Wigan  
Age 22  
Wounded in finger

2383 Thomas Wilkinson (D. Coy)  
25 Short St, Hindesford  
Collier  
Age 35  
Shrapnel right eye  
Died of stomach cancer 26 April 1925

1953 Joseph Henry Sharrock  
60 Boyswell Lane, Wigan  
Miner Pearson & Knowles  
Wounds unknown

1202 Pte John Charles Bailey  
82 Factory St, Atherton  
Astley & Tyldesley Coal Company  
Age 25  
Bullet in left hand  
17th General Hospital, Alexandria, Egypt

2039 Pte Percy Foster  
5 Chapel St, Wigan  
Age 29  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Egypt

2095 Pte Thomas Shaw  
197 Bar Lane, Atherton  
Miner  
Age 31  
Wounds unknown

1567 Cpl Philip Amos Stamper (C. Coy)  
54 Barnsley St, Wigan  
Lancs & Yorkshire Railway  
Age 22  
Wounded by shellfire

1657 Pte Patrick Dempsey  
22 Shuttle Hillock, Bickershaw  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown  
Later killed 25 March 1918

1928 Bugler Arthur Williams (D. Coy)  
11 Oxford St, Leigh  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Ship Soudan to Alexandria, Egypt

1628 Pte Thomas Anglesea  
12 Cross St, Wigan  
Pagefield Iron Works  
Age 21  
Wounds unknown

1228 Pte Robert Stuart Kelly (C. Coy)  
82 Wigan Lane  
Miner Pearson & Knowles  
Age 23  
Wounded right hand

1488 Pte Ernest Thomas Urmston  
18 Upper Morris St, Wigan  
Wood & Gee Ltd  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown

2910 Pte John Gregson  
12 Yates St, Wigan  
Walthew House Colliery, Pemberton, Wigan  
Age 18  
Wounds unknown

2237 Pte James Bispham (A. Coy)  
45 Kimberley St, Coppull  
Shrapnel hand & knee  
3rd Australian Hospital, Mudros, Egypt

1579 Pte Luke Murphy  
Douglas Bank Colliery, North Pit  
Age 19  
Died of wounds 15th August at Alexandria, Egypt

1824 Pte Luke Edwin Wilding  
4 Leyland St,  
Walker Bros  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown

3145 Pte John Tunstall  
26 Brook St, Higher Ince, Wigan  
Hewletts No2 Pit  
Wounded in arm  
Hospital Malta

3215 Pte Michael Connolly  
6 Ingham St, Wigan  
Worsley Mesnes Colliery, Wigan  
Wounded head, face & hands  
Hospital Malta

2355 Pte Harold Derbyshire  
Lock House, Chapel Lane, Wigan  
Engineer  
Age 23  
Wounded head  
Naval Hospital, Cairo, Egypt

1938 Sgt James McMullen  
227 Manchester Rd, Higher Ince, Wigan  
Moss Hall Colliery  
Wounds unknown

1815 Pte Jack Heaton (D. Coy)  
288 North Rd, Leigh  
Nut & bolt maker  
Age 19  
Finger blown off  
Hospital Egypt

2183 Pte James Fairclough  
41 Lower Morris St, Wigan  
Age 16  
Wounds unknown

1825 Pte James Duddy  
20 Leigh Rd, Wigan  
Platelayer Lancs & Yorkshire Railway  
Age 18  
Died of wounds on 4 Oct 1915 in Manchester

3181 Pte John Ashcroft  
5 Johnson St, Lamberhead Green, Wigan  
Age 21  
Died of wounds Hospital Ship Formosa 13th August 1915

3060 Pte Henry Swann (C. Coy)  
70 Argyle St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 20  
Wounds unknown  
Hospital Ship Caledonia then 2nd Western General Hospital, Manchester

2393 Pte Harold Greensmith (D. Coy)  
8 Gamble St, Leigh  
Maypole Dairy  
Age 21  
Dangerously wounded

992 Bandsman Thomas Stanton  
19 Weston St, Wigan  
Age 30  
Wounded while helping wounded comrades, shrapnel throat & back  
Hospital Alexandria, Egypt

2646 Pte Noel Bullock  
773 Liverpool Rd, Peel Green, Eccles  
Apprentice engineer  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown  
Highfield Hospital, Liverpool

1857 Pte Joseph Oswald Berry  
26 Birkett Bank, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 18  
Bullet left forearm

2441 Pte Clifford Davies (D. Coy)  
78 vicars Hall Lane, Boothstown  
Miner  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown  
Citadel Hospital, Cairo, Egypt

179 Pte Thomas Hogg  
3 Russell St, Wigan  
Wounds unknown

2914 Pte George Southern (B. Coy)  
2 Gees Court, Harrogate St, Wigan  
Dukes pit  
Age 19  
Bullet left leg  
Hospital Ship Ascenia

1609 L/Cpl James McCarthy  
1 Higher Oak, Tyldesley  
Astley & Tyldesley Pit  
Age 22  
Slightly wounded

15th August (1)

1696 Pte Edward Schofield  
9 Ingham St, Wigan  
Miner  
Age 21  
Australian General Hospital with enteric  
Territorial Force Efficiency Medal

September (1)

1912 Pte Lewis Humphrey Leyland (C. Coy)  
2 Mint Terrace, Scholes, Wigan  
Lindsay Pit  
Age 28  
Wounds unknown  
Day became casualty unknown

October (No info known)

November (No info known)

4<sup>th</sup> December (1)

3525 Pte Richard Carlisle (A. Coy)  
11 Jockey Terrace, Wigan  
Age 28  
Frostbite

21st December (1)

2441 Pte Clifford Davies (D. Coy)  
78 Vicars Hall Lane, Boothstown, Warrington  
Age 19  
Wounds unknown

25 December (1)

2374 Pte Thomas Jamieson (D. Coy)  
62 Back Bedford Square, Leigh  
Machine gunner  
Shrapnel left eye

Dates unknown (2)

2370 Pte Arthur Roscoe  
7 Spring Grove, Wigan  
Great Central Railway, Wigan Depot.  
Shot in the head by a sniper

1181 Pte George Arthur Taylor  
10 Crompton St, Spring View, Wigan  
Wagon builder, Central Wagon Works, Ince. Wigan  
Age 23  
Wounded in face, lost his teeth  
Hospital, Alexandria, Egypt  
On return to Gallipoli barbed wire injury to leg whilst carrying ammo up to the front line  
Manchester Hospital then Woodlands No.1 VAD Hospital, Wigan Lane, Wigan  
After recovery transferred to Royal Flying Corps  
Brother Francis Morgan (Frank) Taylor also served in Bn and wounded on 6 Aug 1915

Lt Alfred Earlam Johnson  
Bickershaw Hall, Bickershaw, Nr. Wigan  
Age 20  
Wounded in chest  
Hospital Valetta, Malta then Hospital England  
Invalided out of service  
Lost three brothers killed in action. One of them Lt Godfrey Johnson, also 1/5 Bn wounded at Gallipoli, later to die in France.