

William Henry Stedman – also known as Steadman.

DOB – 4th May 1896 – born at St Saviour, Southwark, London.

His biological family were –

Father – Stedman

Mother – Jones

His next of kin is recorded on his military records as being – Mrs J. C. Stedman (Mother) who lived at – 26 Lothian Road, Camberwell New Road, London.

William travelled to Gibbs House, Sherbrooke, Quebec when he was 14 years old on the Virginian from Liverpool on 27th May 1910 and arrived in Quebec on 4th June 1910.

He joined the Military in Canada as a Private with the 13th Battalion – Service Number – 23319. His attestation was on 25th September 1914 at Valcartier Camp, Quebec.

William died on 13th June 1916, aged 20 at Ypres, West Flanders, Belgium – killed in action. He is buried at Ypres Menin Gate Memorial, West Flanders, Belgium – plot number – 12030214.

This information was researched from St Marks Church Newsletters, written by Carol Medicott (Archivist) in 2014.

Information also obtained from the British Home Children Registry.