## Lance Corporal B Locke

## 15210 11th Battalion Hampshire Regiment



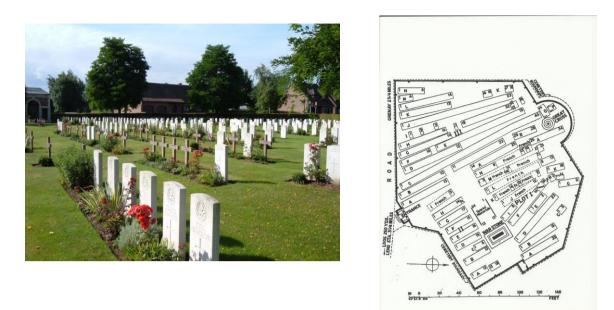
Albert (Berty) Locke was the son of Harry and Harriet Locke who lived in Century Street (now called Battens Avenue) in 1901 where he was recorded in the census as aged seven, so he was born around 1894.

It is not known when he enlisted. In June 1916 he was at Loos. On 17<sup>th</sup> June the weather was fine with a breeze from the E.N.E. and there was a gas alert. An aerial torpedo fell near the front line causing casualties in D Company. Lance Corporal Locke and another man were killed and seven men were wounded. He was about 22 years old.

| Instructions regarding War Diaries and Intelligence<br>Summaries are contained in F. S. Regs, Part II.<br>and the Staff Manual respectively. The Pages<br>will be perfared in manuactifie.<br>(Eraw heading not required.) (b) (b) (b) (b) (b) (b) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c |         | JUN 1910   |   |
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| 15/1/16<br>2005.  |         | Strong N. W. Wind. DRY. CO bear to Noux to see DIV. Nork at seast ST. DUKA returned<br>from Transford Course & 217 Payaren reformed from lease.  |   |
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## Albert Locke

He was buried at St Patrick's Military Cemetery, Loos, Plot 3, Row C, 42.



He was awarded the Victory, British and 1915 Star Medals.

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