

PTE. JAMES WALKER. 11, School Street, Elter.

James Walker
9th Batt. Lancashire Fusiliers
Killed in action 7/8/15 aged 21 Years
Private served in Dardanelles

Information was received from the War Office on Saturday morning that Pte. James Walker 9th Batt Lancs. Fus., younger son of Mr Benjamin Walker, 11 School Street, Higher Woodhill, Calrows, Elton had met his death in action at the Dardanelles, on August 7th. On the previous day a letter had been received from one of his comrades, Pte. Richard Bennett, an Elton lad, of the same regiment, mentioning that Pte Walker had been shot by a Turkish sniper. Before enlisting, about a year ago, Pte Walker was employed at Messrs. Ashworth & Smith's Bleachworks, Burrs. His name is on the roll of honour at All Saints School Elton.