



Percy John Thomas PEACOCK

Private. Northants Regiment

At KES:

Percy was an orphan and came to KES in 1894. He was very fair in the Band. When he left in 1898 he became a clerk. Apparently, he was rejected by the army because of poor eyesight. His love of music stayed with him and in 1901 he volunteered as a bandsman in the 21st Middlesex Regiment.

Percy married in 1905 and had 3 children.

Date of Death: 3rd January 1918

Place: England

Buried: Islington

Percy died from Tuberculosis. He enlisted again in 1914 but was discharged as unfit in 1917.

Obituary

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...died at his home on January 3rd 1918. A volunteer from 1901. Peacock mobilised for Active Service in 1914 and served for 3 years with a clear medical record, but in June 1917 he collapsed and was finally discharged on July 10th of that year.

When at School Peacock was in the Band. He left to enter the Accountants' Department of Marshall & Snelgrove in Vere Street, where he remained for several years. He leaves a widow and family to whom we extend our deepest sympathy in their loss.