Private, 16/421, Platoon 7, "B" Company, 16th Battalion, Northumberland Fusiliers

Died 1st July 1916, aged 25

Born in Stanhope, Co. Durham.

Son of George and Isabella Collingwood (nee Longstaff). George was a railway engine driver. They had at least six children:

- Edwin Collingwood (b. 1874)
- Joseph Collingwood (b. 1875)
- George Ernest Collingwood (b. 1887)
- Nancy Collingwood (b. 1888)
- Albert Collingwood (b. 1891)
- Fred Vincent Collingwood (b. 1897)

Also lived at 16 Railway Terrace, Wear Valley Junction, Howden-le-Wear, Co. Durham.

Employed as a clerk with a firm of cabinet-makers.

Enlisted at Newcastle-upon-Tyne.



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