

In Memory Of

JOSHUA BATEMAN

**Private 27018
1st Bn., King's Shropshire Light Infantry
who died on Sunday, 8th July 1917. Age 29**

Born Hyde, Cheshire **Enlisted** Hyde, Cheshire **Residence**
Died How Died of wounds **Theatre of War** France & Flanders

Additional Inf. FORMERLY 31071, CHESHIRE REGt. Son of Walter
Frederick and Mary Bateman, 15, John Shepley Street, Hyde;
Husband of May Bateman

Commemorative Information

Cemetery: NOEUX-LES-MINES COMMUNAL CEMETERY, Pas de Calais, France
**Grave Reference/
Panel Number:** II. E. 6.
Location: Noeux-les-Mines is a town 6 kilometres south of Bethune on the main road to Arras.
The Communal Cemetery is on the northern side of the town, on the south-east side
of the road to Labourse.

Historical Information: The Communal Cemetery was used by the British Forces (in succession to the
French) from June, 1915, to August, 1917. The earlier burials were carried out by units
and Field Ambulances, but in April, 1917, the 7th Casualty Clearing Station began to
use the cemetery. There are now nearly 1,000, 1914-18 war casualties
commemorated in this site. The British Plots cover an area of 2,188 square metres.