

In Memory Of

**JOHN FOX**

Private 42042  
10<sup>th</sup> Coy., Machine Gun Corps (Infantry)  
who died on Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> July 1917.



**Born** Hyde, Cheshire      **Enlisted** Hyde, Cheshire      **Residence** Hyde

**Died How** Killed in action      **Theatre of War** France & Flanders

**Additional Inf.** FORMERLY 3888, CHESHIRE REGIMENT  
24, Croft Street, Hyde.

**Commemorative Information**

**Cemetery:** L'HOMME MORT BRITISH CEMETERY, ECOUST-ST. MEIN, Pas de Calais, France  
**Grave Reference/  
Panel Number:** II. A. 15.  
**Location:** Ecoust-St Mein is a village 10 kilometres north-east of Bapaume and L'Homme Mort is a hamlet nearly 3 kilometres to the south-west. The Cemetery is near the east side of the Braucourt-St Leger road, the D36E.

**Historical Information:** The hamlet of L'Homme Mort saw fighting in March and August, 1918. In the Cemetery, Plot I, Row A, was made in August, 1918; the rest of this Plot and the whole of Plot II were formed after the Armistice by the concentration of graves from the neighbouring battlefields. There are now over 150, 1914-18 war casualties commemorated in this site. Of these, over 100 are unidentified and a special memorial is erected to one United Kingdom soldier buried among them. The cemetery covers an area of 921 square metres and is enclosed by a low stone rubble wall.