

In Memory Of

FRANK HUNT

Private 22693

"B" Coy., 1st Bn., Worcestershire Regiment
who died on Monday, 3rd September 1917. Age 24

Born Hyde, Cheshire **Enlisted** Hyde, Cheshire **Residence**
Died How Killed in action **Theatre of War** France & Flanders

Additional Inf. Son of Thomas and Annie Hunt, of Hyde, Cheshire.

Commemorative Information

Cemetery: BERKS CEMETERY EXTENSION, PLOEGSTEERT, Comines-Warneton, Hainaut, Belgium
**Grave Reference/
Panel Number:** III. B. 29.
Location:

Berks Cemetery Extension is located 12.5 kilometres south of Ieper town centre on the N365 leading from Ieper to Mesen, Ploegsteert and on to Armentieres. From Ieper town centre the Rijselsestraat runs from the market square, through the Lille Gate (Rijselpoort) and directly over the crossroads with the Ieper ring road. The road name then changes to the Rijselseweg (N336). 3.5 kilometres along the N336 lies a fork junction with the N365. The N365 which forms the right hand fork leads to the town of Mesen. The cemetery lies 3 kilometres beyond Mesen on the right hand side of the N365 and opposite Hyde Park Corner Royal Berks Cemetery.

Historical Information: The cemetery is overshadowed on the North-West by Hill 63. It is also close to the "Catacombs," which were deep shelters, capable of holding two battalions, and used from November 1916, onwards. Berks Cemetery Extension was begun in June, 1916, and used continuously until September, 1917. There are now nearly 900, 1914-18 war casualties commemorated in this site. The cemetery covers an area of 3,125 square metres.