Charles Ernest Baker





Rank: - Private

Number: - 13027123

Regiment: - Pioneer Corps

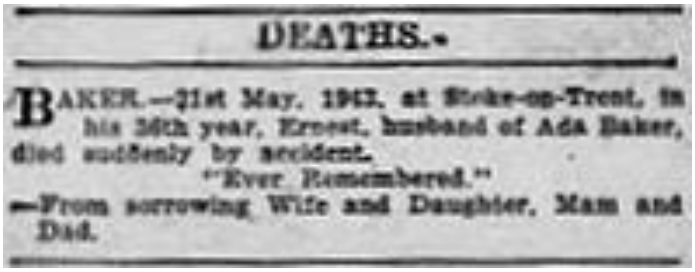
Died: - Died suddenly by accident at Stoke on Trent 20 May 1943 age 36

Cemetery: - Stoke-on-Trent (Hartshill) Cemetery, Staffordshire Grave 18273.

Batley News, 29 May 1943 (deaths)

Charles Ernest was born in the Wakefield District on 22 November 1906 the son of John William and Mary Eliza Baker nee North who had married in 1906. John

Herbert was born in 1897, Doris 1899, Winifred Eliza 1903. In 1911 the family was living at 3, Carlton Terrace, Savile Town, Dewsbury.



DEATHS.-

BAKER.—21st May, 1942, at Stoke-on-Trent, in his 36th year, Ernest, husband of Ada Baker, died suddenly by accident.
"Ever Remembered."
—From sorrowing Wife and Daughter, Mam and Dad.

In 1928 Charles married Ada Lockwood and they had a daughter in 1929, the family lived at 44, Purlwell Avenue, Batley. In 1939 Charles was employed as a mill-yard labourer. We have not managed to find when Charles joined the Forces or how he died but according to the Batley News he died suddenly, by accident, at Stoke-on-Trent. His obituary was just a small notice in the Batley News,

He was awarded the 1939-45 Star; 1939-1945 War Medal

Charles is remembered with Honour at Batley War Memorial, Addenda



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