John Alfred Williams ? - 1916

Student of the Society of the Sacred Mission

John Alfred Williams probably originally served as an Officer Cadet and was promoted to second lieutenant (temporary) on 10 May 1915.

He served with the 11th and 2nd Battalions of the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry

He was killed in action on 18 November 1916 (incorrectly noted in the Book of Remembrance in Kelham Church and the Nottinghamshire Roll of Honour as 18 October 1916). This was probably during the Battle of Ancre (13-18 November 1916) which was the final large British attack of the Battle of the Somme.

He is buried at Munich Trench British Cemetery, Beaumont-Hamel, Somme, France. Row C, Grave 4

FindMyPast https://www.findmypast.co.uk/

Nottinghamshire Great War Roll of Honour: http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/rollofhonour/

Commonwealth War Graves Commission: https://www.cwgc.org/find-war-dead/casualty/524223/williams,-/

The London Gazette: https://www.thegazette.co.uk/London/issue/29224/page/6710