



Ludgershall Roll of Honour  
THE GREAT WAR 1914-1918

 <p>Pte Edward J Scanlan</p>	 <p><b>EDWARD JOSEPH SCANLAN</b> of Canning Town, Essex</p>
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Date of birth	1884	Baptised	3
Birth registered			
Birthplace	Canning Town, Essex		3

Father		
Mother		
Siblings		

Residence 1901	Shorncliffe Camp, Folkestone, Kent. Occupation - Soldier	3
Residence 1911	2 Lansdowne Villas, Ludgershall. Occupation - Butcher for Government meat contractor	3

Wife	Florence Emily (nee Lansley) Dec Q 1908 Andover Reg District Vol 2c Page 555	2
Children	Ralph Scanlan Lansley b.1906 (before marriage), Lilian Maud b.1910 both born Ludgershall	3

Rank	Private	1
Regiment	2 <sup>nd</sup> Bn London Regiment (Royal Fusiliers )	4
Enlisted	Preston Lancashire	1
Service Number	L/17634	1
Medals	Victory / British / 1914 Star	4
Date of Death	8 August 1918 age 34	1
Cause	Killed in Action	1
Burial / Memorial	Villers-Bretonneux Military Cemetery, France . Grave Ref XV111.D.7	1

<p>NOTES</p> 	<p>Formerly A/Cpl Army Service Corps, Service No S/19486</p> <p>Entered France 21 September 1914</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 10px 0;"> <p>SCANLAN, Pte. E., L/17634. Royal Fusiliers, posted to 2nd Bn. London Regt. (R. Fus.). 8th Aug., 1918. XVIII. D. 7.</p> </div> <p style="text-align: right;">Extract from CWGC Grave/Memorial Register</p> <p>Previously reported wounded and missing, now certified killed in action August 8<sup>th</sup> Pte Edward Joseph Scanlan, A.S.C. attached London Regt, the dearly loved husband of Florence Scanlan, Butt Street, Ludgershall. Do not ask us if we miss him, there is still a vacant place; And we cannot forget his footsteps, or his loving smiling face; Too far, dear boy, thy grave to see, but not too far to think of thee. From his sorrowing wife and child. Andover Advertiser 27 September 1918</p> <p>Florence Emily Scanlan died September 1936 in Hastings, age 44</p> <p>Commemorated: Ludgershall War Memorial, St James' Church Memorial Plaque, Salisbury Cathedral Book of Remembrance</p>
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Researched by Patricia Brice 2014