



Private Ernest WEBB
9th August 1915



Private Webb (13531), serving with the 6th Lincolnshire Regiment, was killed in action on 9th August 1915 at Gallipoli. He is buried at St Helles, Gallipoli, Turkey.

Ernest was born in 1890 at Bishopbridge, West Rasen, the youngest of the eight children of George and Sarah Webb. George was an agricultural labourer. Ernest became a general labourer.

Ernest was killed in action 9th August. He was in the same regiment as Bert Ingilby but he had been reported as missing. In May 1916 his parents asked if anyone had news of him. The War Office informed them of his death in June 1916, nearly a year after Ernest had died.

In May 1916 *The Market Rasen Mail* informed its readers that the Webbs had six sons serving in the Forces.. The eldest (an old soldier) was engaged in munitions work, four sons were in the Lincolnshire Regiment and one in Anti-Aircraft section of RGA.