Notes Edward Limbert Bramhall 1907 – 1943

Edward Limbert Bramhall was born in 1907 registered Rochdale June quarter vol 8e Page 23

He died in 1943 during WW11, The CWGC Certificate has his name as Edward Lambert Bramhall, Parents Randle and Edith Bramhall, with research it is confirmed that he is Edward Limbert Bramhall

Message sent to CWGC to have this rectified, awaiting a reply

1911 census

424 Bury Rd Rochdale

Randle Bramhall head of Family aged 37 Yrs Married Occupation Salesman for Cotton Spinner Manufacturer He was born in Moston Lancashire Edith Bramhall Wife aged 31 Yrs, Married 7 Yrs 3 Children born and 3 children still living. She was born in Frodsham. Cheshire Edward Limbert Bramhall, son, aged 3 Yrs born Rochdale Lancashire George Bentley Bramhall, son, aged under 8 Mths Born Rochdale Lancashire Note It is stated they had 3 children but only 2 on this census 1911 census district Castleton No 2 Rochdale Marland Randle Bramhall Patient aged 7 Yrs Born Urmston Lancashire This will be their other child so he was a patient at Marland Hospital when 1911 census was taken His birth was registered Randle James Bramhall district Barton I Vol 8c page 736 And according to GRO(General Register Office) his mothers Maiden Name was Limbert

Edwards Parents were Randle Bramhall and Edith Limbert they had married in 1903 at Runcorn Register Office or Registrar attended

1901 Census

292 Moston Lane

James Bramhall Head W aged 66 Yrs living on own Means born Mellor Derbyshire Randle Bramhall Son aged 27yrs cotton Manufacturers Clerk born Moston Lancashire(Edwards father)

Frederick J Bramhall son aged 21 Yrs Provision Merchants Clerk born Moston Lancs Sarah A Bramhall sister aged 64 Yrs Ho (probably Housework) Born Mellor Derbyshire

1891 Census Victoria Terrace, Moston Lane

James Bramhall Head W aged 56 Yrs Book Keeper Produce Broker born Mellor Derbyshire

Edith B Bramhall dau, Single Aged 18 Yrs born Moston Lancs

Randle Bramhall son Single aged 17 Yrs Clerk Cotton Manufacturer born Moston Lancs

Ernest Bramhall son Single aged 15 Yrs Clerk Paper Merchant born Moston Lancs Frederick J Son single aged 11 Yrs Born Moston Lancs

1881 Census

Oak Villas Moston Lane

James Bramhall Head W aged 46 Yrs Commercial Clerk Provisions Trade born Mellor Derbyshire

Ellen Bramhall Wife aged 41 Yrs Born Manchester Lancs

Edith Bentley Bramhall dau, Aged 8 Yrs scholar born Moston Lancs

Randle Bramhall son aged 7 Yrs Scholar born Moston Lancs

Ernest Bramhall son aged 5 Yrs Scholar born Moston Lancs

Frederick Jas Son aged 1 Yrs Born Moston Lancs

Emma Ellen Clark Servant unmarried aged 14 Yrs General Servant Domestic born Manchester Lancs

Edward Limbert Bramhall born 1907 Rochdale to Randle Bramhall and Edith Limbert(Married 1903 Runcorn)

Randle Bramhall (Edwards Father) was born@1874 Moston to James Bramhall and Ellen Bentley(Married1872 at Christ Church Harpurhey Manchester) James Bramhall born @ 1835 to Robert Bramhall and Hannah

Edward L Bramhall had 2 brothers James R Bramhall b 1904and George Bentley Bramhall b1911

1939 Register

274 Manchester Rd Rochdale Randle Bramhall b 22 nd Jan 1874 Marr Cotton Mill Manager Edith Bramhall b 25th Dec 1879 Marr Unpaid Domestic Duties James R Bramhall b 3rd Feb 1904 Single Chief Gas Works ? George B Bramhall b 12th Jan 1911 single Draughtsman ? Note Edward L Bramhall is not on this 1939 register and cannot be found on 1939 Register Possibility that he was already in Merchant Navy Edward's Aunt Edith Bentley Bramhall was Married to Henry Ap Ellis Williams in 1896 at Parish Church of Harpurhey(this would have Christ Church)

Edward's Uncle Ernest Married Ellen E Bardsley in 1900 at Preston Register Office

Edward's Uncle Frederick James Bramhall was Married to Fanny Margaret McClymont in 1904 at Albert Memorial Church Manchester

Document from National Archives States Edward **Limbert** Bramhall Official No –NAP/R 105733- Diesel Greaser-H M S Dasher – DOB 3/5/1907-POB Rochdale Lancs- DOD 26/3/1943 COD No 2 POD At Sea

Edward Lambert (Limbert) Bramhall served as Navy Auxillary Personnel with the Merchant navy on H M S Dasher as Diesel Greaser

He died on 27th March 1943 when his ship went down in Firth of Clyde due to an explosion

There were 528 crew of which only 149 survived

Details were published in Shetland time(article in his folder in St Aidan's Church for viewing on Heritage open days and Remembrance Sundays and by Appt These notes will be on St Aidan's Web site

There seems to be s difference in document as to DOD some state 26/3/1943 some state 27/3/1943

Edward Limbert Bramhall is commemorated at Liverpool Naval Memorial Panel 10 Column 2 And on War Memorial at St Aidan's Church Sudden Rochdale

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