

Corporal Percy John Hockaday

31st August 1917

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We regret to hear of the death of Mr Percy J Hockaday (son of Mr and Mrs J Hockaday, formerly of Hope Cottage, Dawlish), which took place at Suakim, Khartoum, on Aug. 31st. Deceased was aged 33. He joined the Royal Engineers at the age of 20, and, specialising in telegraph work, was five years ago appointed an Inspector of Telegraphs under the Egyptian Government. He

was a pupil at the old Brooklyn House School, Dawlish, (Mr F Wyatt, B.A., headmaster), and was formerly a member of the Dawlish Association Football team.

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