

## JEAN CHARLES MONTREUIL CROIX DE GUERRE (1908-09)

He was born on 26 February 1891 at Hornfleur in Calvados (14), France. Despite his French background he appears to have won the Gooch Medal for Elocution in 1909, at the College! It remains a mystery why he was educated at the College.

He was recruited at Lisieux and during WW1 served in the French Heavy Artillery and was awarded the Croix de Guerre with Palm. Shown is his war record.

He was killed in action at Nieuport in Belgium on 17th April 1915, aged 24. His rank was 2nd class. We think his regiment was either 192nd or 152nd Artillery Regiment, 10th corps. We believe RAP is 'regiment d'artillerie a pied'?

We don't know where he is buried but his name is apparently on the 'Monument aux Morts' in Hornfleur (Place Albert Sorel) – see below.



PARTIE À REMPLIR PAR LE CORPS.

Nom MONTREUIL 182<sup>e</sup> REGIMENT D'ART

Prénoms Jean Charles

Grade 2<sup>e</sup> classe

Corps 10<sup>e</sup> R.A.P.

N<sup>o</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ au Corps. — Cl. 1911

Matricule: { 22/11 au Recrutement Lisieux

Mort pour la France le 17 avril 1915

à Nieuport. ville (Belgique)

Genre de mort. Suites de blessures de guerre

Né le 26 Février 1891

à Hornfleur Département Calvados

Arr<sup>o</sup> municipal. p<sup>r</sup> Paris et Lyon, |  
à défaut rose et N<sup>o</sup>.

Jugement rendu le \_\_\_\_\_

par le Tribunal de \_\_\_\_\_

acte ou jugement transcrit le 17 Juin 1915

à Hornfleur (Calvados)

N<sup>o</sup> du registre d'état civil 27/1.

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Cette partie n'est pas à remplir par le Corps.

The following photo is of the commemorative plaque in the Church Eglise Ste Catherine in Hornfleur. We think he is listed in the second column from the right, 6 up from the bottom.

