

## **John Sutherland Paton (1893-1915)**

**9<sup>th</sup> June 1893** -Born in Waipu

**25<sup>th</sup> August 1914** - At time of enlisting his occupation was as a farmer for C. Paton (*Charles, his father*) at Walton (Auckland) {NB: *Variety of spelling – sometimes referred to as Woolton*}. - Father's address was later listed as Russell Rd., Manurewa, Auckland

**16<sup>th</sup> October 1914** - Sent overseas for Suez, Egypt from Auckland onboard HMNZT 8 (*Star of India*) as a trooper with the 3<sup>rd</sup> Auckland Mounted Rifles.

**1<sup>st</sup> -2<sup>nd</sup> November 1914** – Whilst at sea was admitted to ships hospital for observation following reading a high temperture (suspected Influenza) until it went down.

**3<sup>rd</sup> December 1914** - Arrived in Egypt

**12<sup>th</sup> April 1915** – Arrived in Gallipoli

**8<sup>th</sup> August 1915** – Killed in action at Gallipoli (Dardanelles) aged 22. Listed on Chunick Bair Memorial