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## OAKLEY



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Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

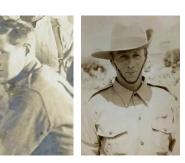
Pte Eversholt England Mrs Kate Oakley, Eversholt, Woven, Bedford, Woburn, England 7<sup>th</sup> Jun 1915 Blackhall, Queensland 25 Single, C.of E. Wardsman (Hospital) Blackhall Hospital, Queensland DOD (cerebral haemorrhage) at Fovant on 4th Nov 1917 Original, HQ, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915 Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to 14<sup>th</sup> Fld Amb at Ferry Post on 7<sup>th</sup> Mar 1916 Embarked at Alexandria, Egypt to join B.E.F HMAT 'Royal George' on 19<sup>th</sup> Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles, France on 25th Jun 1916 Admitted 14<sup>th</sup> Fld Amb (influenza) on 18<sup>th</sup> Sep 1916 Discharged to duty on 20<sup>th</sup> Sep 1917

**DOD** (cerebral haemorrhage) at Fovant on 4<sup>th</sup> Nov 1917 Buried Eversholt Churchyard, Woburn, Bedford, England (private family grave)

## **O'BRIEN**

Ernest Willoughby









2069 Service No Pte 3rd Oct 1897, Gore Hill, Willoughby, Cumberland, Sydney, NSW Mr Francis O'Brien, High St, Willoughby, Sydney, NSW Enlistment 1st Dec 1915 Willoughby, Sydney, NSW 18 Status & Religion Single, Meth. Occupation Tanner Address High St, Willoughby, Sydney, NSW 8th May 1919 Outcome RTA 3rd Rfts, 31st Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A70 "Ballarat", on 18th Feb 1916 Disembarked at Suez on 23rd Mar 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 1st Apr 1916 Embarked to join BEF, on HMT 'Hororata' at Alexandria, on 16th Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 (Battle of Fromelles, 19th/20th Jul 1916) To UK on leave on 12th Aug 1917 Returned from Leave in UK, on 22nd Aug 1917 (Battle of Polygon Wood, 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> Sep 1917) WIA (GSW R thigh) on 11th Oct 1917 Admitted 3rd Fld Amb (SW R side) and transferred to 2nd Can CCS, on 11th Oct 1917 Admitted 2nd Can CCS and transferred to Amb Train, on 11th Oct 1917 Admitted 24th General Hospital, Etaples, (GSW R thigh) on 12th Oct 1917 Transferred to England on 15th Oct 1916 Embarked on HS 'Jan Brydel' for England, on 16th Oct 1917 Admitted County of Middlesex War Hospital, Napsbury, (GSW R thigh, sev) on 16th Oct 1917 Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 26th Oct 1917 Discharged to Depot, Weymouth, on 1st Nov 1917 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 1st Nov 1917 Marched out to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from No 2 CD, Weymouth, on 13th Nov 1917 Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, from No 4 CD, Hurdcott, on 1st Dec 1917 Proceeding overseas to France, from OTB, Longbridge Deverill, via Southampton, on 19th Dec 1917 Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, on 20th Dec 1917 Marched out to unit on 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 1917 Rejoined unit from wounded, on 25th Dec 1917 To 4th Army Rest Camp, on 17th Jul 1918 Rejoined unit from Rest Camp, on 26th Jul 1918

> 'Is congratulated for gallant services rendered during operations 8th to 31st August 1918' Aust Corps Routine Order 45, of 7th Sep 1918 WIA 2<sup>nd</sup> occ on 29<sup>th</sup> Sep 1918 at Bellicourt

Admitted 141st Fld Amb (gas shell) and transferred to CCS, on 29th Sep 1918

RTA per "Devanha" on 8th May 1919 Discharged at Sydney on 18th Aug 1919 Married Aileen O'Brien on 22nd Feb 1925

Served in WWII as Cpl N172465

Died at Repatriation Hospital, Concord, Sydney, on 17th Dec 1968, age 71 years

**O'BRIEN** 

Rank

Born NoK

Age

Notes



Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment

1876 Pte Nar Nar Goon. Victoria Mrs Elizabeth Mary O'Brien, Nar Nar Goon, Victoria 20<sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 Nar Nar Goon, Victoria

Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	<ul> <li>19</li> <li>Single, R.C.</li> <li>Farmer</li> <li>Seven Hills, Nar Nar Goon, Victoria</li> <li>RTA 25<sup>th</sup> Nov 1917</li> <li>2<sup>nd</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn</li> <li>Embarked at Brisbane, on HMAT A55 "Kyarra", 3rd Jan 1916</li> <li>Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT "Demosthenes", 28<sup>th</sup> Dec 1915</li> <li>Disembarked, ex 'Demosthenes', at Suez on 31<sup>st</sup> Jan 1916</li> <li>To 8<sup>th</sup> Trng Bn, Cairo</li> <li>Allotted to and proceeded to 46<sup>th</sup> Bn at Zeitoun on 6<sup>th</sup> Mar 1916</li> <li>Taken on strength of 46th Bn at Tel el Kebir, on 6<sup>th</sup> Mar 1916</li> <li>Proceeded to join BEF per 'Kinsfauns Castle' at Alexandria on 2<sup>nd</sup> Jun 1916</li> </ul>
	Proceeded to join BEF per 'Kinsfauns Castle' at Alexandria on 2nd Jun 1916
	Disembarked at Marseilles on 8 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1916 WIA (GSW L leg) on 7 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1917
	Transferred from No 8 Stat Hospital, Wimereux to embark for England on 14th Jun 1917

RTA per HS No1 'Karoola' on 25<sup>th</sup> Nov 1917 Disembarked at Melbourne on 10<sup>th</sup> Jan 1918 Discharged at Melbourne on 11<sup>th</sup> Jul 1918

## O'BRIEN

John



Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes 1084 Pte Deniliquin, NSW sister, Mrs Carrie Tuck, Strathmerton, Victoria 9<sup>th</sup> Sep 1915 Strathmerton, Victoria 35 Single, R.C. Labourer

Discharged Reserve details from 10<sup>th</sup> Sep to 15<sup>th</sup> Oct 1915 8<sup>th</sup> Bde from 15<sup>th</sup> Oct to 30<sup>th</sup> Oct 1915 Original, 'B' Coy, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn on 30<sup>th</sup> Oct 1915 Discharged, did not embark

<b>O'BRIEN</b>	John
Service No	3005
Rank	Pte
Born	Brisbane, Queensland
NoK	Mrs Mary O'Brien, 11 Ebenezer Plce, Glebe, Sydney, NSW
	Later 14 Mitchell St, Glebe, Sydney, NSW
	(f) Mr F. O'Brien, Glebe, Sydney, NSW (father deceased c1915)
Enlistment	15 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1915 Glebe, Casula, Sydney, NSW
Age	27
Status & Religion	Single, R.C.
Occupation	Labourer
Address	11 Ebenezer Plce, Glebe, Sydney, NSW
Outcome	RTA 5 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1918
Notes	5 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916
	Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

'A' Coy, II Platoon, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Alexandria on 20<sup>th</sup> Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles on 30th Jun 1916

Proceeded to join unit, from 5<sup>th</sup> AIDBD, Etaples, on 26<sup>th</sup> Aug 1916 Taken on strength of  $31^{\rm st}$  Bn on  $27^{\rm th}$  Aug 1916

WIA on 11<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917 WIA by same shell at Passchendaele Ridge that KIA Pte Thomas Patrick Scanlan, on 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917

RTA per A30 'Borda' due compound fracture of femur, on 5<sup>th</sup> Apr 1918 Discharged at Sydney on 4<sup>th</sup> Sep 1919 Died 29<sup>th</sup> May 1920 at No. 4 A.G. Hosp. Randwick,

<b>O'BRIEN</b>	John
Service No	3866
Rank	Pte
Born	Brisbane, Queensland
NoK	Mr John O'Brien, Beattie St, West End, Brisbane, Queensland
Enlistment	6 <sup>th</sup> Dec 1915 Brisbane, Queensland
Age	20
Status & Religion	Single, R.C.
Occupation	Labourer
Address	Beattie St, West End, Brisbane, Queensland
Outcome	KIA on 27th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood, remembered Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial Belgium
Notes	9 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "SEANG CHOON", 19th September 1916
	Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 9th Dec 1916

'D' Coy, XIII Platoon, Machine Gunner, buried by Pioneers.

KIA on 27th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood, remembered Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial Belgium

O'BRIEN	John Joseph
Service No	5304
Rank	Pte
Born	Ipswich, Queensland
NoK	Mrs Johanna O'Brien, Ipswich, Queensland
Enlistment	29 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1917 Ipswich, Queensland
Age	27
Status & Religion	Single, R,C.
Occupation	Jockey
Address	Moore, via Ipswich, Queensland
Outcome	RTA 14 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1919
Notes	15 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Sydney, NSW, per R.M.S. "ORMONDE", 2nd March, 1918
	A Corps RE W/shops

RTA 14<sup>th</sup> Mar 1919

O'BRIEN	Joseph Nathaniel
Service No	1898 and 376
Rank	Pte
Born	Wangaratta, Victoria
NoK	Mr J O'Brien
Enlistment	22 <sup>nd</sup> Aug 1914 Wangaratta, Victoria
Age	27
Status & Religion	Single, C.of E.
Occupation	Blacksmith
Address	Rowan St, Wangaratta, Victoria
Outcome	RTA 2 <sup>nd</sup> Jun 1919
Notes	Brother Pte #365 John William, also "B" Coy, 7th Bn

Previously served as # 376, "B" Coy, 7th Bn RTA per SS "Hororata" due GSW thigh, on Jul 1915 2<sup>nd</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Brisbane, on HMAT A55 "Kyarra", 3rd Jan 1916 Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT "Demosthenes", 28th Dec 1915 Disembarked, ex 'Demosthenes', at Suez on 31st Jan 1916 To 8th Trng Bn, Cairo Allotted to and proceeded to 46th Bn at Zeitoun on 6th Mar 1916 Taken on strength of 46th Bn at Tel el Kebir, on 6th Mar 1916 Proceeded to join BEF per 'Kinsfauns Castle' at Alexandria on 2nd Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles on 8th Jun 1916

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RTA per "Beltana" on 2nd Jun 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 19th Jul 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 18th Oct 1919 Died in Sydney, NSW, in 1947, aged 60 years

**O'BRIEN** Patrick Daniel Service No 493 Rank Pte Montreal, Canada Born Mr Daniel O'Brien, 22nd Avenue, St Johns, New Brunswick, Canada NoK 25th Oct 1915 Enlistment Brisbane, Queensland 39 Age Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Sailor Address Brisbane, Queensland Discharged in London on 20th Feb 1919, due medically unfit Outcome 'B' Coy 41st Bn Notes Embarked

Taken on strength 31st Bn on

Discharged in London on 20th Feb 1919, due medically unfit

**O'BRIEN** 

Rank

Born

NoK

Age

Address

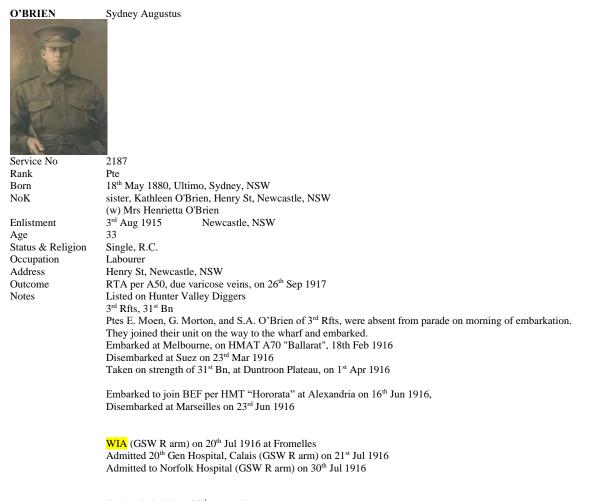
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Service No 1558 Pte Brisbane, Queensland Mr P O'Brien 21st Jul 1915 Enlistment South Brisbane, Queensland 31 Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Farrier Earl St, Thompson Estate, South Brisbane, Queensland 10<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918 Outcome RTA 1<sup>st</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A41 "Bakara", 5 Nov 1915 Disembarked at Suez on 9th Dec 1915 Taken on strength of 'A' Coy, 31st Bn on 11th Feb 1916 Appointed Dvr on 1st Jun 1916

WIA (SW L shoulder, comp fracture) on 8th Aug 1918

RTA per "Somali" on 10<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918 Discharged at Brisbane on 15<sup>th</sup> Apr 1919



To hospital sick on 23<sup>rd</sup> Apr 1917 Transferred to England ex 6<sup>th</sup> Gen Hospital, Rouen, on 27<sup>th</sup> Apr 1917 Admitted Military Hospital, Eastleigh, (varicose veins) on 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1917

RTA per A50, due varicose veins, on 26<sup>th</sup> Sep 1917 Discharged at Sydney on 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 1918 Died at Concord, Sydney, on 21<sup>st</sup> Dec 1949, aged 69 years Buried Botany General Cemetery, NSW

**O'BRIEN** 

Vincent John



Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	<ul> <li>4352</li> <li>Pte</li> <li>Dalby, Queensland</li> <li>sister, Miss Agnes O'Brien, Nudgee Orphanage, Brisbane, Queensland</li> <li>15<sup>th</sup> Feb 1916 Toowoomba, Queensland</li> <li>19</li> <li>Single, R.C.</li> <li>Farm Hand</li> <li>Toowoomba, Queensland</li> <li>RTA 19<sup>th</sup> Jun 1919</li> <li>11<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn</li> <li>Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916</li> <li>Disembarked at Plymouth, England on</li> <li>15th Bn</li> <li>WIA on 25<sup>th</sup> Aug 1918</li> </ul>
	RTA per "Militides" on 19 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 16 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1919
O'CARROLL Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	John Timothy 4114 Pte Brisbane, Queensland (m) Mrs Alice Kean, Bangalow, NSW (w) Mrs Florence May (nee Coward) O'Carroll 19 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Bangalow, NSW 20 Single, R.C. Carrier Bangalow, NSW RTA 8 <sup>th</sup> Aug 1919 10 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A36 "BOONAH", 21st October 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 10 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1917 HQ 'C' Coy, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn RTA per "Katoomba" on 8 <sup>th</sup> Aug 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 10 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1919
O'CONNOR Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	Arthur John 5444 Pte Hughenden, Queensland Mrs Sarah O'Connor, Ackers St, Hermit Park, Townsville, Queensland 27 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1915 Townsville, Queensland 19 Single, R.C. Labourer Ackers St, Hermit Park, Townsville, Queensland RTA 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 1917 17th Rfts, 9th Bn Embarked Taken on strength of 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn from 17 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 9 <sup>th</sup> Bn and 1 <sup>st</sup> AIDBD on 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1916 WIA (GSW L leg) on 23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov 1916 Embarked on HS "St Patrick" for England on 22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec 1916 Admitted 1 <sup>st</sup> Southern General Hospital, Birmingham, (shrap L knee) on 23 <sup>rd</sup> Dec 1916

RTA per A35, GSW L leg, on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1917 Discharged at Brisbane on 1<sup>st</sup> Sep 1917

O'CONNOR Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes Notes	Bert 1899 Dvr Kilcaim, Ireland 3° Mar 1915 Melbourne, Victoria 23 30 Single, R.C. Groom Melbourne, Victoria RTA 11 <sup>10</sup> May 1919 RTA medically unfit on 4 <sup>4</sup> Aug 1915 2° RfA, 31° Ba Embarked at Brishane, on HMAT A55 "Kyara", 3rd Jan 1916 Embarked at Brishane, on HMAT A55 "Kyara", 3rd Jan 1916 Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A55 "Kyara", 3rd Jan 1916 To 8° Trag Bn, Cairo Disembarked, et Brishane, on HMAT A55 "Kyara", 3rd Jan 1916 Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT 7 Demosthenes", 28° Dec 1915 Disembarked, et a "Demosthenes", at Suze on 31° Jan 1916 To 8° Trag Bn, Cairo Alborted to and proceeded to 46° Bn at Zeitonon of ° Mar 1916 Taken on strength of 12° FAB, mustered as Gnr and posted to 47° Bity on 17° Mar 1916 Mustered as Driver on 1° May 1916 Embarked at Marseilles on 27° Jun 1916 To hospital sick on 2°d Mar 1917 Admitted f° Fid Amb and transferred to DRS, on 3°d Mar 1917 Admitted f° Fid Amb and transferred to DRS, on 3°d Mar 1917 Admitted 5° CCS (halouitis bubo) and transferred to Amb Train 7, on 3°d Mar 1917 Admitted 5° CCS (halouitis bubo) and transferred to Amb Train 7, on 3°d Mar 1917 Marched out to 4° Div Artillery, on 26° Apr 1917 Rejoined 12° (Army) FA Bde, on 28° Apr 1917 To UK on leave on 11° Feb 1918 Admitted 39° Gen Hospital, on 28° Apr 1917 Admitted 39° Gen Hospital, Nave, on 1° Mar 1918 Discharged to Base Depot, Havre, on 27° Mar 1918, total period 24 days Marched out to unit on 1° May 1918 Attached for duty with 1° DAC, on 12° May 1918 Discharged to Base Depot, Havre, on 1° Mar 1918 Sick to hospital on 9° Nov 1918 Attached for duty with 1° DAC, on 12° May 1918 Discharged to ang 0° Nov 1918 Admitted 5° Fid Amb 0° Nov 1918 Admitted 5° Fid Amb 0° Nov 1918 Discharged to unit on 15° Nov 1918

Rejoined from leave on 24th Dec 1918

Marched out for RTA on 26th Mar 1919

Marched out AIBD, for England and RTA, Quota 21, on 2nd Apr 1919

Disembarked at Southampton and marched in to No 3 Group, Codford, on 3rd Apr 1919

RTA per 'Borda' on 11th May 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 27th Jun 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 19th Aug 1919

O'CONNOR	Christopher
Service No	3004
Rank	Pte
Born	St Mary's, Sydney, NSW
NoK	brother, George O'Connor, 18 Ferris St, Annandale, Sydney, NSW
Enlistment	19 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1915 Casula, Sydney, NSW
Age	27
Status & Religion	Single, Pres.
Occupation	Labourer
Address	Sydney, NSW
Outcome	RTA 21 <sup>st</sup> Dec 1917
Notes	5 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 8th MG Bn on 22nd Aug 1916

To hospital sick on 19th Nov 1916

Marched in to 8th MG Base Depot, Camiers, from hospital on 25th Nov 1916

Rejoined Coy from sick on 5th Jan 1917

WIA (GSW back, compound fracture) on 3rd Mar 1917 Embarked at Havre on HS "Warilda" for England on 11th Mar 1917 Admitted War Hospital, Stratford on Avon on 12th Mar 1917

RTA per A34 HT 'Persic' due GSW R lumbar & guttural regions, on 21st Dec 1917 Disembarked at Melbourne on 12th Feb 1918 and transshipped on RMS 'Ormonde' for Sydney Discharged at Sydney on 13th Aug 1918





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Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes



Sgt Sydney NSW aunt, M O'Connor, 4 Junior St, Leichhardt, Sydney, NSW (f) Mr Daniel O'Connor, 41 Liverpool St, Paddington, Sydney, NSW 16<sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland 20 Single, R.C. Well-sinker Brisbane, Queensland RTA per "Anchises" on 23rd Aug 1919 Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915 Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Admitted to hospital, 8th Fld Amb, (cough) at Serapeum on 16th Jan 1916 Discharged to duty and rejoined unit on 19th Jan 1916 Embarked at Alexandria, Egypt to join B.E.F HMAT 'Hororata' on 16th Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles, France on 23<sup>rd</sup> Jun 1916 Promoted Cpl on 26th Jul 1916 Promoted Sgt (vice Sgt Leech) on 1st Jan 1917 To 1st Anzac Corps School on 17th Jun 1917 Returned from 1<sup>st</sup> Anzac Corps School on 19<sup>th</sup> Jun 1917 'B' Coy (RO 497) Proceeded on leave to UK on 4th Aug 1917 Remanded for DCM on charge of AWL on 20th Sep 1917 DCM held at Warwick Square, London on 1st Oct 1917 President: Lt Col A V Deeble, 69th Bn Charge: 1. When on active service absenting himself without leave in that at London on 16th August 1917 failed to report to the RTO at Victoria Station, at 6.15am as was his duty to do, and remained AWL until he surrendered to the Military Authorities in London at 12 noon on 19th Sept 1917. Finding: Guilty Pleading: Not Guilty Sentence: To be reduced to the rank of Private. Confirmed by Colonel T Griffiths, Commandant, AIF Admin HQ, London. Period in custody awaiting trial, 12 days. Total forfeiture 47 days Rejoined unit from leave to UK on 16th Oct 1917 Appointed L/Cpl on 2nd Dec 1917 To Paris on leave on 25th Jan 1918 Returned from Paris leave on 4th Feb 1918 Detached for duty with 8th Bde Sports Unit on 23rd Feb 1918 Rejoined unit from 8th Bde Sports Unit on 14th Mar 1918 L/Cpl to hospital sick (Influenza) on 22<sup>nd</sup> Jun 1918 Admitted 15<sup>th</sup> Fld Amb on 23<sup>rd</sup> Jun 1918 Admitted 50th CCS on 23rd Jun 1918 Rejoined unit ex sick on 1st Jul 1918 Recommended for MM for actions: "On 8 August 1918, during the attack of the 31st Battalion from Warfussee-Abancourt, this NCO showed considerable tactical ability in overcoming hostile points of resistance and by his courage and boldness helped to keep the forward movement going at a rapid rate. On a subsequent occasion he materially helped toward the capture of three 77 mm guns near Bayonvillers by boldly advancing his Lewis gun and bringing enfilade fire to bear on them thus enabling the infantry to eventually surround same. He showed powers of leadership much above the ordinary throughout the entire operation." Awarded MM on 31st Aug 1918 Promoted T/Sgt, (vice Sgt A J Wyatt, wounded 29th Aug 1918) on 15th Oct 1918 To UK on leave on 24th Oct 1918 Rejoined unit from leave on 21st Nov 1918 Promoted Sgt on 15th Jan 1919 Marched out to Base Depot for RTA on 24th Jan 1919 Marched out to England from Havre (1915 personnel) on 31st Jan 1919 Disembarked at Weymouth and marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 1st Feb 1919 Admitted hospital, Bulford, on 31st Mar 1919 Discharged from Bulford to No 2 Group, Sutton Veny, on 21st Jul 1919 RTA per "Anchises" on 23rd Aug 1919 Discharged at Sydney on 12th Dec 1919 George Aloveius

O'CONNOR	George Aloysius
Service No	3069
Rank	2/Lieut
Born	Deniliquin, NSW
NoK	Mrs Kathleen O'Connor, Windy Nook, Dellview St, Bondi, Sydney, NSW
Enlistment	26 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1915 Bondi, Sydney, NSW
Age	32
Status & Religion	Single, R.C.
Occupation	Accountant
Address	Windy Nook, Dellview St, Bondi, Sydney, NSW
Outcome	RTA 29 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1918
Notes	5 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916
	Embarked to join BEF, at Alexandria on 20th Jun 1916
	Disembarked at Marseilles on 30 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1916

Taken on strength of  $31^{st}$  Bn from  $5^{th}$  Rfts, on  $23^{rd}$  Jul 1916 To hospital sick on  $2^{nd}$  Nov 1916 Transferred to England on  $9^{th}$  Nov 1916

Attended School of Instruction, Tidworth, on 20<sup>th</sup> Aug 1917 To hospital sick on 14<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917 Discharged from hospital on 13<sup>th</sup> Nov 1917 To hospital sick on 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 1918 Discharged to duty on 24<sup>th</sup> Jan 1918

To be 2/Lieut on 1<sup>st</sup> Apr 1918 Proceeded overseas to France on 10<sup>th</sup> Apr 1918 Taken on strength of 31<sup>st</sup> Bn on 26<sup>th</sup> Apr 1918

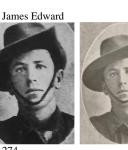
2/Lieut sentenced to be dismissed from His Majesty's Service on 24<sup>th</sup> Jul 1918 Gen Court Martial. Drunkenness. Found Guilty and sentenced to be dismissed from His Majesty's Service on 24<sup>th</sup> Jul 1918 Transferred to England on 8<sup>th</sup> Sep 1918 Dismissed from the service by sentence of Court Martial, on 7<sup>th</sup> Oct 1918

RTA per D28 HT 'Borda' on 29<sup>th</sup> Oct 1918 Discharged at Sydney on 19<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918

Died on 1st Feb 1958

#### O'CONNOR





Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

274 Cpl Gympie, Queensland Mr John O'Connor, PO Murgon, Queensland 13th Jul 1915 Murgon, Queensland 21 Single, R.C. Labourer PO Murgon, Queensland RTA per "Ascanius" on 9<sup>th</sup> Feb 1919 Original, 'A' Coy, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Promoted Cpl on 13th Oct 1915 Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915 Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Embarked at Alexandria, Egypt to join B.E.F HMAT 'Hororata' on 16th Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles, France on 23rd Jun 1916 Promoted Sgt on 26th Jul 1916 To hospital, sick on 1st Aug 1916 Rejoined unit ex sick on 1st Sep 1916

Accidently injured (Sprained ankle) during drill exercise, soldier not to blame, on 22nd Sep 1917

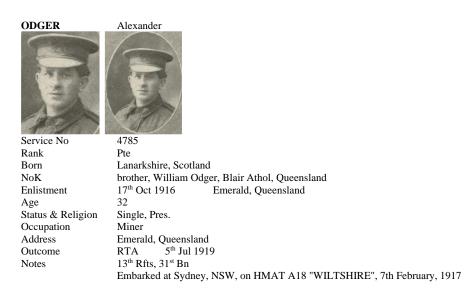
RTA per "Ascanius" on 9<sup>th</sup> Feb 1919 Discharged 24<sup>th</sup> May 1919

O'CONNOR Rupert John Service No 2485 Rank Pte

Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	Maryborough, Queensland Mrs Ethel Annie O'Connor, 37 Cooks St, Darceyville, Sydney, NSW Children: Ellen Irene O'Connor, Ethel Kathleen O'Connor, John William O'Connor, Eileen Edith O'Connor 24 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Randwick, Sydney, NSW 36 Married, R.C. Packer St Paul's St, Randwick, Sydney, NSW 50D on 25 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1916 4 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916 1st Pioneer Bn 50D on 25 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1916
O'DEA Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	James 825 Sgt Brunswick, Melbourne, Victoria de facto wife; Mrs Nora Geraghty (Nora O'Dea), 210 Aberdeen St, West Perth, West Australia (m) Mrs Mary Ann Boyce, 24 George St, Brunswick, Melbourne, Vic (w) Mrs Matilda Ann O'Dea, 37 Hanson St, Adelaide, South Australia 3 <sup>rd</sup> Apr 1916 Perth, WA 43 Married, R.C. Carpenter 72 Francis St, Perth, WA RTA per "Somali" on 1 <sup>st</sup> Jun 1919 'D' Coy, 44th Bn Embarked at Fremantle, West Australia, A29 "Suevic" on 6th Jun 1916 Proceeding overseas to France per "Princess Victoria" via Folkestone on 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec 1916

Taken on strength of  $31^{\rm st}\,Bn$  on  $27^{\rm th}\,Jan\,1917$ 

RTA per "Somali" on 1st Jun 1919



RTA 5<sup>th</sup> Jul 1919

O'DONNELL Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	<ul> <li>William James</li> <li>4760</li> <li>Pte</li> <li>Rockhampton, Queensland</li> <li>South St, Rockhampton, Queensland</li> <li>1<sup>st</sup> Nov 1915</li> <li>21</li> <li>Single, R.C.</li> <li>Labourer</li> <li>South St, Rockhampton, Queensland</li> <li>RTA per "Zealandic" on 27<sup>th</sup> Mar 1920</li> <li>12<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 26<sup>th</sup> Bn</li> <li>Embarked on 9<sup>th</sup> Apr 1916</li> <li>Taken on strength of 31<sup>st</sup> Bn on 9<sup>th</sup> Oct 1916</li> <li>Taken on strength of Aust Emp Coy on 11<sup>th</sup> Nov 1917</li> <li>RTA per "Zealandic" on 27<sup>th</sup> Mar 1920</li> <li>Discharged at Brisbane on 14<sup>th</sup> Aug 1920</li> </ul>
O'DONOHUE Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	Henry Patrick 2487 Pte Hokitika, New Zealand Miss K. O'Donohue, 41 Stephen St, Balmain, Sydney, NSW 24 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Liverpool, Sydney 24 Single, Wharf labourer 41 Stephen St, Balmain, Sydney, NSW 40 on 28 <sup>th</sup> Aug 1918 7D'Coy 30 <sup>th</sup> Bn 4 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn 4 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn 4 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn 5 <sup>th</sup> Coy 30 <sup>th</sup> Bn 4 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn 6 <sup>th</sup> Embarked on HMAT "Anchises" on Disembarked at Suez on 5 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1916 Embarked to join DEF on HMT "Huntsend" at Alexandria on 20 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1916 Disembarked at Suez on 5 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1916 Proceeded to join unit from 5 <sup>th</sup> AIDBD, Etaples on 20 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1916 7to ceeded to join unit from 5 <sup>th</sup> AIDBD, Etaples on 20 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1916 Taken on strength of 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn on 23 <sup>rd</sup> Jul 1916 WIA (remaining at duty) on 18 <sup>th</sup> May 1918 Figioned unit ex sick, on 23 <sup>rd</sup> Jun 1918 <sup>10</sup> On 28 <sup>th</sup> Aug 1918 <sup>10</sup> On the Somme near Villers Carbonnel killed on the 29 <sup>th</sup> Aug 1918, we were trying to take a forward position to cross the River, hit about 3pm in the windpipe – just groaned and died very soon after, could not speak. Buried near where killed. We dug 5 graves and buried them here – O'Donohue, Ben McFarlane, Felix Hamilton all 16 Platoon, Gard is 14 or 15 Platoon. 1 knew him very well. It was night time when we buried them, so I can't say I buried Gard, but he is buried there." Pte 2049, T.R. Mackie,
<b>O'DWYER</b> Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	Alfred Edmund Johnston 2486 Pte Sydney, NSW Mr E O'Dwyer, Victoria Insurance Co, 83 Pitt St, Sydney, NSW 24 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Liverpool, NSW 19 Single, C.of E. Clerk "Hillyme" Johnston St, Chatswood, NSW RTA 22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec 1918 'D' Coy 30 <sup>th</sup> Bn 4 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916 Disembarked at Suez on 5 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1916 Marched out to 1 <sup>st</sup> Divisional Pioneers from 8 <sup>th</sup> Trng Bn, Tel el Kebir, on 9 <sup>th</sup> May 1916 Embarked to join BEF on HMT "Iyernia" at Alexandria on 25 <sup>th</sup> May 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 29th May 1916 Reported Pnr Bn Base Depot, Etaples on 29th May 1916 Transferred to and taken on strength of 1st Pnr Bn on 6th Jun 1916

WIA (shell shock) on 27<sup>th</sup> Jul 1916 Embarked on HS "Marama" for England on 29th Jul 1916

WIA 2<sup>nd</sup> occ (gassed) on 25<sup>th</sup> Aug 1918 Invalided to UK on 28th Aug 1918 Admitted Beaufort War Hospital, Bristol, (gassed) on 30th Aug 1918

RTA per "Bakara", due gas poisoning, on 22nd Dec 1918 Discharged at Sydney on 14th Apr 1919



David Lawrence



Service No Rank

Enlistment

Occupation

Address

Outcome

Notes

Born

NoK

Age

3429 Cpl Maryborough, Queensland Mr Patrick O'Gorman, Albert St, Maryborough, Queensland 24<sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Maryborough, Queensland 21 Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Draper Albert St, Maryborough, Queensland RTA 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1919 AWM Photo E01618 7th Rfts, 31st Bn Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "Seang Choon", 4th May 1916 Disembarked at Suez on 15th Jun 1916 Taken on strength of 5<sup>th</sup> Div Details, Tel el Kebir, on 9<sup>th</sup> Jul 1916 Admitted 2<sup>nd</sup> ASH, Tel el Kebir, (scalded feet) on 11<sup>th</sup> Jul 1916 Admitted 3<sup>rd</sup> AGH, Abbassia, (scalded feet) on 12<sup>th</sup> Jul 1916 Transferred to HT 'Kanowna' on 13th Aug 1916 Embarked on HT 'Kanowna' for England as invalid, on 13th Aug 1916

> Proceeded overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, on 16th Sep 1916 Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, on 17th Sep 1916 Marched out to unit on 28th Sep 1916

Taken on strength of 'B' Coy, 31st Bn, on

Appointed L/Cpl on 8th May 1917 To 1<sup>st</sup> Anzac Corps Lewis Gun School, Becourt Camp, on 29<sup>th</sup> May 1917 Rejoined Bn from 1st Anzac Corps Lewis Gun School, Becourt Camp, on 20th Jun 1917 ('B' Coy, RO 469) Proceeded as advance Party to Hazebrouck, on 25th Jul 1917

(Battle of Polygon Wood, 26th/27th Sep 1917) To UK on leave on 27th Sep 1917 Promoted Cpl, (vice Cpl Henry Peel, promoted Sgt), on 1st Oct 1917 Returned from Leave to UK, on 10th Oct 1917 (Battle of Amiens, Villers Carbonnel, Bellicourt, & Nauroy) To Paris on leave on 25th Jan 1918 Returned from leave to Paris, on 4th Feb 1918

RTA per HT 'Durham' from Liverpool on 22nd May 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 21st Jul 1919, thence to Brisbane Discharged at Brisbane on 6<sup>th</sup> Sep 1919 Married Tesse Myrtle Sim in Maryborough, Qld, on 6<sup>th</sup> Nov 1926 Died in Brisbane, on 31<sup>st</sup> Jan 1964 Buried Mackay Cemetery, Queensland

O'GRADY	Edward Joseph
Service No	5305
Rank	Pte
Born	Toowoomba, Queensland
NoK	Mr William O'Grady, Aubyn Villa, Russell St, Toowoomba, Queensland
Enlistment	4 <sup>th</sup> Dec 1917 Toowoomba, Queensland
Age	35
Status & Religion	Single, R,C.
Occupation	Labourer
Address	Aubyn Villa, Russell St, Toowoomba, Queensland
Outcome	RTA 25 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1919
Notes	15 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Sydney, NSW, per R.M.S. "ORMONDE", 2nd March, 1918

RTA 25<sup>th</sup> Sep 1919

<b>O'GRADY</b>	James Nicholas
Service No	3009
Rank	Pte
Born	1895, Redfern, Sydney, NSW
NoK	Mr James O'Grady, 40 Epsom Rd, Alexandria, Sydney, NSW
Enlistment	3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec 1915 Alexandria, Sydney, NSW
Age	22
Status & Religion	Single, R.C.
Occupation	Bottle blower
Address	40 Epsom Rd, Alexandria, Sydney, NSW
Outcome	RTA 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb 1919
Notes	'B' Coy, 20 <sup>th</sup> Depot Bn, Casula, from 17 <sup>th</sup> Dec 1915
	5 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916
	Embarked to join BEF on HMT 'Huntsend' at Alexandria, on 20th Jun 1916
	Disembarked at Marseilles, on 30 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1916
	Proceed to join unit, from 5th ADBD, Etaples, on 26th Aug 1916
	Taken on strength of 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, on 27th Aug 1916
	(Franks Force Raid, 12 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1916)
	To hospital sick, on 19 <sup>th</sup> Feb 1917
	Admitted 8th Fld Amb (influenza) and transferred to Amb Train, on 20th Feb 1917
	Admitted 1 <sup>st</sup> NZ Stat Hospital, Amiens, (influenza) on 21 <sup>st</sup> Feb 1917
	Transferred to Amb Train (trench fever) on 6 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1917
	Admitted 12 <sup>th</sup> General Hospital, Rouen, on 7 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1917
	Transferred to Amb Train ex 12 <sup>th</sup> Gen Hospital (nephritis) for England on 15 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1917
	Embarked at Havre, on HS 'Lanfranc' for England, on 15 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1917
	Admitted 1 <sup>st</sup> Southern General Hospital Dudley Rd, Birmingham, (nephritis), on 16 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1917 Transferred to 3 <sup>rd</sup> Aux Hospital Dartford on 11 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1917
	Discharged to furlough on 30 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1917 and to report Depot, Hurdcott, on 15 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1917
	Offence: AWL from 3.30pm 15 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1917 to 2.20pm 16 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1917.
	Award: 2 days CC by Capt W H Baker. Forfeits 2 days' pay (10/-)
	Classified B1A3 at No 3 Comm Depot, Hurdcott on 17 <sup>th</sup> May 1917
	Classified A3 at No 3 CD, Hurdcott, on 15 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1917
	Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Perham Downs, from No 3 CD, Hurdcott, on 15 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1917
	Proceeding overseas to France, from OTB, Perham Downs, via Southampton, on 30th Aug 1917
	Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from England on 31st Aug 1917
	Marched out to unit on 9th Sep 1917
	Rejoined unit from 5 <sup>th</sup> ADBD, ex sick, on 11 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1917
	(Battle of Polygon Wood, 26 <sup>th</sup> /27 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1917)
	To hospital sick on 16 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1917
	Admitted 5th DRS (incont of urine) on 16th Oct 1917

To CCS, on 20th Oct 1917 Admitted 3rd Can CCS (incont of urine), on 20th Oct 1917 To Amb Train No 14, on 21st Oct 1917 Admitted 3rd Can General Hospital, Boulogne, on 22nd Oct 1917 Transferred to 3rd Conval Depot, Boulogne, on 31st Oct 1917on Discharged to Base Depot, on 2nd Nov 1917 Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from hospital, on 3rd Nov 1917 Marched out to unit, from 5<sup>th</sup> ADBD, on 10<sup>th</sup> Nov 1917 Rejoined unit, ex sick, on 14th Nov 1917 WIA on 10th Apr 1918 (III Platoon, 'A' Coy, 31stBn) Admitted 11th Fld Amb (BW L foot & leg), and transferred to CCS, on 10th Apr 1918 Admitted 20th CCS, (SW L foot & L leg) on 10th Apr 1918 To Amb Train, on 11th Apr 1918 Admitted 1st SA General Hospital, Abbeville (GSW L foot & leg) on 11th Apr 1918 Transferred to England, on 17<sup>th</sup> Apr 1918 Embarked on HS 'Pieter de Connick' for England, on 18<sup>th</sup> Apr 1918 Admitted Colchester General Military Hospital on 19th Apr 1918 Transferred to 3<sup>rd</sup> Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1918 Discharged to No 3 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 24th May 1918 Marched in to No 3 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from 3rd AAH, on 24th May 1918 Marched out to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from No 3 CD, Hurdcott, (class B1A1) on 1st Jun 1918 Offence: Hurdcott 28th Jun 1918. AWL from 10.00pm 28th Jun 1918 to 4pm 30th Jun 1918. Award: 7 days FP No 2, by Majoy W J Rowland. Total forfeiture: 10 days pay Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, from No 4 CD, Hurdcott, on 23rd Sep 1918 Proceeding overseas to France, from OTB, Longbridge Deverill, via Southampton, on 17th Oct 1918 Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from UK, ex wounded, on 18th Oct 1918 Marched out to unit on 19th Oct 1918 Rejoined Bn, ex wounded, on 19th Oct 1918

Admitted 8<sup>th</sup> Fld Amb (old GSW L foot), and to CCS, on 17<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918 Admitted 12<sup>th</sup> CCS (old GSW L foot) on 17<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918 Transferred to Amb Train, on 27<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918 Admitted 5<sup>th</sup> General Hospital, Rouen, (old GSW L foot) on 27<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918

RTA per HT 'Ascanius' on 9<sup>th</sup> Feb 1919 Discharged at Sydney on 24<sup>th</sup> May 1919

Married Alice Maud Lonergan

Died at Auburn, Sydney, NSW in Mar 1965

Buried 25th Mar 1965 at Eastern Suburbs Memorial Park, Matraville, Sydney, NSW

One of the men in the barn at the time that 3 shells burst amongst them (see Stubbin entry) caused 30 casualties out of 35 in our platoon. One cross bearing 11 names was erected, of the others – Tom Lynn, Stubbin, Ruskett, Prime, Ross. He was wounded by a shell while asleep in a barn in front line at Vaire, near Corbie, near a canal bank, not far from Villers Bretonneux.

We were in a barn at Bouzancourt, near Hamel when a shell burst on a barn in which Stubbin and 34 of us were sleeping. He and several others were killed outright, and a few died of wounds, while 14 of us were wounded and in hospital. I saw him buried with 9 or 10 others near the barn. We erected a cross giving all the details. Pte RH Noble, # 3604. This shell killed or wounded 27 other ranks. Lt H Miller, 'A' Coy, in charge of burial party that interred this man and 9 others at the left rear corner of the Farmhouse at Bouzancourt, (map ref I.34d) A cross erected over each body, Bn padre Malcolmson buried them. Only arrived the night before, so taking shelter in best places we could find. (Red Cross file) Pte John Andersen, 718A 'A' Coy, III Platoon, wounded.

O'KEEFE	James Charles
Service No	3868
Rank	Pte
Born	Brisbane, Queensland
NoK	Mrs Eva Ethel O'Keefe, Nerang, Queensland
	Daughter; Ethel Marie O'Keefe
Enlistment	11 <sup>th</sup> May 1916 Toowong, Brisbane, Qld
Age	26
Status & Religion	Married, R.C.

Occupation Address Outcome Notes Carter Lodge St, Toowong, Brisbane, Queensland KIA on 26<sup>th</sup> Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood 9<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "SEANG CHOON", 19th September 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 9<sup>th</sup> Dec 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 7th Feb 1917

**KIA** on 26<sup>th</sup> Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood Buried in the vicinity of Polygon Wood, Sht 28NE J.10 Remembered Menin Gate Memorial, Ypres

O'KEEFE



Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes 3222

Pte

Frank

Cooktown, Queensland Mrs Mary O'Keefe, Laidley, Queensland 20<sup>th</sup> Dec 1915 33 Married (5 children), R.C. Railway Employee Laidley, Queensland Discharged – did not embark 7<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked

## O'KEEFFE

Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes Frank 4351 Pte Corowa, NSW Mr Patrick O'Keefe, Bull Plains Station, Corowa, NSW 5th Oct 1916 38 Single, R.C. Lanourer GPO Brisbane, Queensland RTA per A58, dilation of heart, on 11th Sep 1917 11th Rfts, 31st Bn Embarked at Brisbane on HMAT "Kyarra" on 17th Nov 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 30th Jan 1917 Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott on 30th Jan 1917 Proceeded overseas to France per SS "Golden Eagle" via Folkestone on 25th Apr 1917 Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Etaples on 26th Apr 1917 Marched out to unit on 13th May 1917 Taken on strength of 31st Bn ex 11th Rfts, 31st Bn on 17th May 1917 To hospital sick (influenza) 8th Fld Amb, on 18th Jun 1917 To 58th CCS on 20th Jun 1917 Admitted 8th Gen Hospital, Rouen, on 25th Jun 1917 Transferred Amb Train on 28th Jun 1917 Transferred to England per HS "Aberdonian", from 8th Gen Hospital, Rouen on 28th Jun 1917 Admitted War Hospital, Bath (influenza) on 29th Jun 1917 Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 23rd Jul 1917 Discharged to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 30th Jul 1917 RTA per A38 "Ulysses", dilation of heart, on 11th Sep 1917 Discharged at Brisbane on 18th Dec 1917

## OLDFIELD Frederick John



Service No	3006
Rank	Pte
Born	Bourke, NSW
NoK	Mr Frederick & Mrs Maude Frances Oldfield, Tonalli, Mill St., Carlton, NSW
Enlistment	15 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Bourke, NSW
Age	21
Status & Religion	Single, R.C.
Occupation	Typist
Address	Hope St, Bourke, NSW
Outcome	KIA on 3 <sup>rd</sup> May 1917 at Bullecourt, France, Buried Queant Road Cemetery Buissy
Notes	AWM photo DA14426
	5 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916
	Disembarked at Suez on 15 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1916
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5th MG Bn

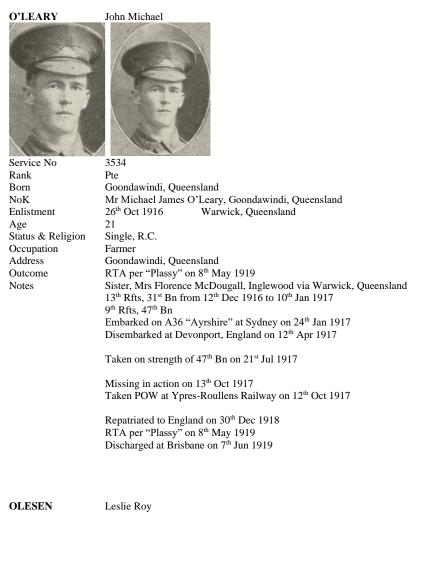
KIA on 3rd May 1917 at Bullecourt, France, Buried Queant Road Cemetery Buissy

## OLDMEADOW Howard Elliott

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(OLDMEADOWS H	oward Elliott)
Service No	77
Rank	S/Sgt Armourer
Born	Dunolly, Victoria
NoK	Mr Burden Oswald & Mrs Annie Kathleen Oldmeadow, c/- Mrs Pellett, Peardon St, Toowoomba, Qld
Enlistment	30 <sup>th</sup> Aug 1915 Brisbane, Queensland
Age	33
Status & Religion	Single, Meth.
Occupation	Armourer
Address	Park Rd, South Brisbane, Queensland
Outcome	RTA 19 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1917
Notes	41 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Sydney on HMT "Demosthenes" on 16th May 1916
	Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 20 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1916

41st Bn

RTA per "Port Lyttleton" due Neurasthenia on 19<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917 Discharged at Brisbane on 28<sup>th</sup> Jan 1918 Died 13<sup>th</sup> Feb 1951



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Sgt
Nudgee, Queensland
Mr Alfred August Olesen, York St, Nundah, Queensland
15 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 Nundah, Queensland
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Single, R.C.
Labourer
York St, Nundah, Queensland
RTA 26 <sup>th</sup> Aug 1918
Original, 'A' Coy, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn / 22nd Cyclist Bn
Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915
Disembarked at Suez on 7 <sup>th</sup> Dec 1915
Transferred to 5 <sup>th</sup> Divisional Artillery on 15 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1916
Taken on strength 25th Howitzer Bde and posted to 113th Btty on 15th Mar 1916

Transferred to 5th Div Cyclist Corps on 12th May 1916

RTA per "Port Darwin" on 12th Jul 1918

Discharged at Brisbane on 9th Sep 1918 Died as a result of a boating accident on 27th Aug 1919 Buried Nundah Cemetery, Brisbane, Queensland

OLIVE





Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

Pte Casino, NSW Mrs Mary Elizabeth Olive, Casino, NSW 17<sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 Casino, NSW 25 Single, R.C. Carter Casino, NSW 5th Mar 1919 RTA Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn / 2nd LH Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915 Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to Camel Corps on 24th Jan 1916 Taken on strength of Camel Corps on 25th Jan 1916

RTA per "Port Sydney" on 5th Mar 1919 Discharged at Sydney on 13th Jun 1919

#### OLIVER

Rank

Born

NoK

Age

Address

Notes

**Benjamin Francis** Service No 2390 Sgt Birmingham, England Mr Edward & Mrs M Oliver, "Leontes" The Cresent, Annandale, NSW Enlistment 5<sup>th</sup> Sep 1915 Annandale, NSW 22 Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Hairdresser Occupation "Leontes" The Cresent, Annandale, NSW Outcome RTA 22nd Nov 1918 4th Rfts, 31st Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916 Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916 Embarked on HMT "Franconia" at Alexandria on 6th Jun 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 16th Jun 1916

Accidently wounded (BW R knee & R shoulder) on 11th Jan 1917

Embarked for overseas to France from 8th Trng Bn on 5th Sep 1917 Taken on strength 'D' Coy, 31st Bn on 22nd Sep 1917

Appointed L/Cpl on 27th Mar 1917 Promoted Cpl on 23rd Jun 1917 Promoted Sgt on 1st Oct 1917

WIA (GSW R arm) on 29th Sep 1918 Invalided to UK, wounded, on 4th Oct 1918

RTA per "Bakara", GSW R arm, on 22nd Nov 1918

#### OLIVER

Frederick William





Service No 3489 Pte Rank Woodlane, Holbeach, Lincolnshire, England Born NoK Mr Frederick & Mrs Susan Oliver, Woodlane, Holbeach, Lincolnshire, England Enlistment 20th Oct 1916 Miles, Queensland 28 Age Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Grazier Address Miles, Queensland RTA 23rd Apr 1920 Outcome Notes Approved leave to return to home of Dillgo near Dulacca, Qld from 1st Dec to 9th Dec 1916 to visit farm and attend to cattle and partnership business. Allocated to 13th Rfts, 31st Bn on 21st Dec 1916 Transferred to 9th Rfts, 47th Bn on 19th Jan 1917 Embarked at Sydney per HMAT A33 "Ayrshire" on 24th Jan 1917 Disembarked at Devonport, England on 12th Apr 1917 Marched in to 12th Trng Bn, Codford on 12th Apr 1917 Sick to hospital on 23rd Apr 1917 Marched in from Hospital, Codford on 29th May 1917 Transferred and taken on strength of MGC Dtls, Grantham, from 47th Bn on 22nd Jul 1917 Proceeded overseas to France via Folkestone on 11th Oct 1917 Taken on strength in France, of 23rd MG Coy on 23rd Oct 1917 WIA (GSW head) on 5<sup>th</sup> Apr 1918 Admitted to 20th Gen Hospital, Camiers on 7th Apr 1918 Discharged to 6th Conv Depot, Camiers on 24th Apr 1918 Discharged to Base on 27th Apr 1918 WIA (GSW arm) 2<sup>nd</sup> occ, on 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug 1918 Admitted to 20th Gen Hospital, Camiers on 7th Apr 1918 Awarded MM on 20th Sep 1918 – "For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty. During the attack West and North of Bray on the morning of the 22-8-18 this soldier was No 1 of a gun team and was badly wounded in the arm. Notwithstanding the severity of his wounds, and the fact that the position was subjected to a heavy barrage, he remained at his post until the completion of his task, thereby setting a fine example of endurance and fortitude to all in the vicinity." Pte Wilfred John Thomas, # 490 also awarded MM for same action. (23rd MG Coy) Transferred to 3rd Stat Hospital, Rouen on 23rd Aug 1918 To duty 2<sup>nd</sup> Conv Depot, Rouen on 16<sup>th</sup> Sep 1918 Marched in to MG Base Depot, Havre on 19th Sep 1918 Rejoined Battalion (3rd MG Bn) on 9th Oct 1918 Proceed on leave to UK on 24th Oct 1918, rejoining unit on 10th Nov 1918 Marched out to UK for Non-Military Employment in United Kingdom on 4th Mar 1919 Disembarked at Southampton and to proceed to Parkhouse on 12th Mar 1919 Taken on strength of AIF HQ (non military employment) on 15th Mar 1919 Granted leave from 15th Mar 1919 to 15th Jun 1919 on Non-Military Employment with pay only. Reason farming attending c/o J Oliver, Woodlane, Holbeach, Lincolnshire, England Marched in to No 2 Group, Sutton Veny from AIF HQ on 8th Jul 1919 23rd Jul 1919, Parish Church of England, Holbeach, Lincoln, England. Married: Reg. ref. 393 By Rev Richard Henry Lane, Assistant Curate Frederick William OLIVER, of Fleet Soldier in AIF Age 30 yrs Groom: Bachelor Father: Frederick Oliver. Farmer Bride: Dorothy Gertrude TINGLE of Holbeach, Lincolnshire Age 26 yrs Spinster Father: Henry Rise Tingle(dec), Master Draper Granted indefinite leave subject to recall to Sutton Veny on 8th Aug 1919

Still on indefinite leave on 20th Jan 1920 RTA per "Orvieto" on 23rd Apr 1920

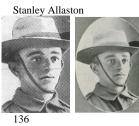
Discharged at Brisbane on 8th Jun 1920

OLIVER	George
Service No	3432
Rank	Pte
Born	Chelmsford, Essex, England
NoK	Mrs Ruth Amelia Oliver, Ford St, Albion, Brisbane, Queensland
Enlistment	30 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1915 Enoggera, Brisbane, Qld
Age	30
Status & Religion	Single, C.of E.
Occupation	Miner
Address	Ford St, Albion, Brisbane, Queensland
Outcome Notes	RTA 12 <sup>th</sup> May 1918 'D' Coy, 41 <sup>st</sup> Bn, Sgt, from 1 <sup>st</sup> Feb to 1 <sup>st</sup> May 1916
Notes	$3^{rd}$ Rfts, $49^{th}$ Bn from $1^{st}$ May to $4^{th}$ May 1916
	Reserve Bn on 4 <sup>th</sup> May 1916
	7 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn on 4 <sup>th</sup> May 1916
	Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "Seang Choon", 4th May 1916
	Disembarked at Suez on 15 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1916
	To be EDP Sgt, on 8 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1916
	Taken on strength of 5th Div Details, Tel el Kebir, on 9th Jul 1916
	Embarked on HMT 'Franconia' at Alexandria, on 2 <sup>nd</sup> Aug 1916
	Marched in and taken on strength of 8 <sup>th</sup> Trng Bn, Larkhill, on 22 <sup>nd</sup> Aug 1916
	Offence; At Larkhill on 5 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1916. Allowing prisoners to escape on 5 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1916.
	Award: severely reprimanded by Major Knight on 11 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1916 Reverts to A/Sgt on 11 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1916
	Marched in AHQ, from Musketry School, Tidworth on $5^{th}$ Oct 1916
	To be EDP Sgt, on 5 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1917
	Reverts to A/Sgt, on 9 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1916
	Proceeding overseas to France, from 8 <sup>th</sup> Trng Bn, on SS 'Golden Eagle' via Folkestone, on 11 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1916
	Marched in to 5 <sup>th</sup> ADBD, Etaples, on 12 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1916
	Appointed A/Cpl EDP, 5th ADBD, Etaples, on 13th Nov 1916
	A/Sgt reverted to Pte, at 5th ADBD, Etaples, on 17th Nov 1916
	Revert to permanent rank, Pte, on 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1916
	Proceeded to join unit on 15 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1917
	Taken on strength 'D' Coy, 31st Bn, on 16th Jan 1917
	WIA on 26 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1917
	Admitted 15 <sup>th</sup> Fld Amb (SW shoulder) and transferred to CCS, on 26 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1917
	Admitted $13^{\text{n}}$ r Id runs (b), should r and ransferred to $2005$ , or $20^{\text{n}}$ Sep 1917 Admitted $32^{\text{nd}}$ CCS, and transferred to Amb Train, on $27^{\text{th}}$ Sep 1917
	Admitted 24 <sup>th</sup> general Hospital, Etaples, (GSW L shoulder & R hand) on 27 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1917
	Transferred to England on 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct 1917
	Embarked on HS 'Stad Antwerpen' for England on 1st Oct 1917
	Admitted Beaufort Hospital, Bristol, (GSW L shoulder) on 1st Oct 1917
	Transferred to 3 <sup>rd</sup> Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 12 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1917
	Discharged to Depot, Weymouth, on 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct 1917
	Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct 1917
	Marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from No 2 CD, on 7 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1918
	Marched out from No 4 Comm Depot to No 2 CD, on 28 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1918 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 29 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1918
	RTA per D8, 'Ruahine' due flat feet on 12 <sup>th</sup> May 1918
	Disembarked at Sydney on 5 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1918
	Discharged at Brisbane on 25 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1918

OLIVER



Service No Rank Born



Pte Dartford, Kent, England

NoK	Mr Edwin & Mrs Mary Oliver, 140 St Albans Rd, Dartford, Kent, England
Enlistment	7 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1915 Casino, NSW
Age	24
Status & Religion	Single
Occupation	Storekeeper
Address	Casino, NSW
Outcome	KIA on 20 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1916 at Fromelles, Buried RUE-PETILLON Military Cemetery Fleurbaix, I. L. 64.
Notes	Unallotted LH, on 7 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1915
notes	'A' Coy, 26th Bn on 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 1915
	Embarked
	Embarked at Alexandria to join MEF on Gallipoli Peninsula, 'A' Coy, 26th Bn, on 4 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1915 On Gallipoli Peninsula, 'A' Coy, 26th Bn
	Offence: Mudros: Disobeying a lawful order. Awarded 48 hours FP No 2, Mudros, on 30 <sup>th</sup> Dec 1915
	Disembarked at Alexandria, ex Mudros, on 9 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916
	Offence: AWL from 1400 to 1600, 17/1/16. Tel el Kebir. Awarded: 48 hours FP No 2, Tel el Kebir, on 18 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916
	Offence: AWL from 1900 to 2300, 1/2/16, Tel el Kebir. Awarded 96 hours FP No 2, Tel el Kebir, on 5 <sup>th</sup> Feb
	1916
	Offence: Using insubordinate language to superior officer. Awarded: 20 days FP No 2, Ismailia, on 19 <sup>th</sup> Feb
	1916
	Transferred to 2 <sup>nd</sup> Pioneer Bn, Ismailia, on 10 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1916
	At Moascar, 24/3/16 & 24/3/16. Absent from 0600 parades. Awarded 2 days CB, by Lt Harold Cox
	Taken on strength of 'D' Coy, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn, from 26 <sup>th</sup> Bn, Duntroon Plateau, on 6 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1916
	At Ferry Post, 27 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1916. Leaving parade without permission.
	Awarded extra guard duties, by Capt Mills ('D' Coy)
	Embarked to join BEF, on HMT 'Hororata' at Alexandria, on 16 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles, on 23 <sup>rd</sup> Jun 1916
	KIA on 20 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1916, at Fromelles
	Buried Eaton Hall Military Cemetery, 2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> miles E of Laventie, 4 miles SSW of Armentieres.
	Buried RUE-PETILLON Military Cemetery Fleurbaix, I. L. 64.
	Another Bto Stanlow Oliver # 2152 also correct with the $26^{th}$ Br $(4^{th}$ Bto $26^{th}$ Br) and was KIA or $2^{rd}$ May 1017

Another Pte Stanley Oliver # 2153 also served with the  $26^{th}$  Bn ( $4^{th}$  Rfts,  $26^{th}$  Bn) and was KIA on  $3^{rd}$  May 1917. He enlisted on  $17^{th}$  Jun 1915 at Brisbane, Queensland. The photos of Pte S Oliver in the Queenslander on  $12^{th}$  Jun 1915 i.e. Rfts  $26^{th}$  Bn show Pte 137 Alfred Francis Osmond who enlisted  $24^{th}$  Apr 1915 with  $26^{th}$  Bn. So, conclude photo is of Pte #136 Stanley Oliver who transferred to  $31^{st}$  Bn post Gallipoli and was KIA at Fromelles.

<b>O'LOUGHLIN</b>
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<b>O'LOUGHLIN</b> Frank	
Service No 3007	
Rank Pte	
Born Hillgrove, NSW	
NoK sister, Catherine Mary O'Loughlin, 10 Brud	ce St. Rozelle, Sydney, NSW
Enlistment 15 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1915 Rozelle, Sydney, NS	
Age 19	
Status & Religion Single, C. of E.	
Occupation Engineer	
Address Rozelle, Sydney, NSW	
Outcome RTA 10 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1918	
Notes 5 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn	
Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "	Anchises", 14th Mar 1916
Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916	
Admitted 2 <sup>nd</sup> ASH, Tel el Kebir, (Otis med	ia) on 17 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1916
Discharged to duty, on 20th Apr 1916	-
Rejoined 8th Trng Bn, Tel el Kebir, from ho	ospital, on 20 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1916
Embarked to join BEF, on HMT 'Huntsend	l' at Alexandria, on 20 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1916
Disembarked at Marseilles on 30 <sup>th</sup> Jun 191	6
Offence: 5th ADBD, Etaples, 16th Jul 1916.	Whilst on active service, smoking in the ranks.
Award: 2 days CC, by Lt E, Thomas, OC, o	on 16 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1916
Proceeded to join unit from 5th ADBD, Eta	
Taken on strength of 'C' Coy, 31st Bn on 3	<sup>rd</sup> Sep 1916
To hospital sick, on 13th Sep 1916	
Admitted 3rd Fld Amb, (otis media) on 13th	Sep 1916
To duty on 13 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1916	
Rejoined unit on 13th Sep 1916	
Sick to hospital, on 27th Oct 1916	_
Admitted 8 <sup>th</sup> Fld Amb (myalgia) and transf	
Rejoined Bn on 5th Nov 1916	erred to CRS, on 27 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1916

Sick to hospital on 20th Dec 1916 Admitted 5<sup>th</sup> Fld Amb (laryngitis) on 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 1916 Admitted Anzac CRS, (laryngitis) on 23rd Dec 1916 Admitted 36th CCS, on 25th Dec 1916 Transferred to Amb Train, on 26th Dec 1916 Admitted 10th General Hospital Rouen, (infected nervous membrane), on 27th Dec 1916 Transferred to England, on 31st Dec 1916 Embarked at Havre, on HS 'Warilda' for England, (nephritis), on 31st Dec 1916 Admitted Alexandra Military Hospital, Cosham, (nephritis) on 1st Jan 1917 Transferred to 1<sup>st</sup> Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 16<sup>th</sup> Feb 1917 Discharged to Depot, on 23<sup>rd</sup> Mar 1917 Discharged to furlough, on 23rd Mar 1917 and to report to Trng Depot, Wareham, on 7th Apr 1917 Proceeding overseas to France, from H & D Draft Depot, via Southampton, on 27th May 1917 Marched in to Coy B, ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 28th May 1917 Marched out to unit, on 18th Jun 1917 Rejoined unit from 5<sup>th</sup> ADBD, on 22<sup>nd</sup> Jun 1917 ('C' Coy, RO 471) (Battle of Polygon Wood, 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> Sep 1917) WIA (GSW R arm & shoulder) on 13<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917 Admitted 3rd Fld Amb (SW R forearm) and transferred to 17th CCS, on 13th Oct 1917 Admitted 7th Can General Hospital, Etaples, (SW R forearm, frac radius, & SW R shoulder) on 14th Oct 1917 Transferred to England, on 16th Oct 1917 Embarked on HS 'Stad Antwerpen' for England, on 17th Oct 1917 Admitted 2/1st Southern General Hospital, Birmingham, (SW R forearm) on 17th Oct 1917 Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital Dartford, on 21st Dec 1917 Discharged to furlough on 7<sup>th</sup> Jan 1918 and to report to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 21<sup>st</sup> Jan 1918 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from AHQ, London, ex furlough, on 21<sup>st</sup> Jan 1918 RTA per "Durham Castle", SW R arm & shoulder, on 10th Mar 1918 Discharged at Sydney on 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct 1918

Died 27th Jan 1955

**O'LOUGHLIN** Thomas



Service No	3393
Rank	Pte
Born	Thane Creek, Thane, via Warwick, Queensland
NoK	Mrs Kate O'Loughlin, Thames Creek, via Warwick, Queensland
Enlistment	27 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Warwick, Queensland
Age	19
Status & Religion	Single, Pres.
Occupation	Labourer
Address	Thames Creek, via Warwick, Queensland
Outcome	RTA 5 <sup>th</sup> Jul 1919
Notes	AWM photo: E01268 dated 22 November 1917
	7 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "Seang Choon", 4th May 1916

RTA 5<sup>th</sup> Jul 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on

**O'LOUGHLIN** Thomas Francis

## ('C' Coy, RO 472)





Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

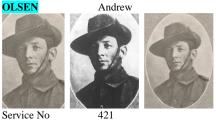
Stanthorpe, Queensland Mrs Mary O'Loughlin, PO Stanthorpe, Queensland 23<sup>rd</sup> Apr 1917 Toowoomba, Queensland 21 Single, R.C. Postal assistant Toowoomba, Queensland RTA 11<sup>th</sup> May 1919 14<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A20 "HORORATA", 14th June, 1917 Disembarked at Liverpool on 25<sup>th</sup> Mar 1917 Marched in to 8<sup>th</sup> Trng Bn, Hurdcott, from Australia, on 26<sup>th</sup> Mar 1917

41st Bn

5084

Pte

RTA 11<sup>th</sup> May 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on



Rank Pte Born Yangan, Queensland Mr Anders Gustaf & Mrs Catherine (Karin) Olsen, Queen St. later Wharf St, Maryborough, Queensland NoK 8th Jul 1915 Enlistment Maryborough, Queensland 24 Age Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Labourer Queen St., Maryborough, Queensland Address Outcome KIA 19th Jul 1916 at Fromelles, buried V.C. Corner, Australian Cem, Fromelles, Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn Notes Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915 Embarked to join BEF on HMT Hororata at Alexandria on 16th Jun 1916, Disembarking Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

KIA 19th Jul 1916 at Fromelles, buried V.C. Corner, Australian Cem, Fromelles, 3

OLSEN	William Henry
Service No	4761
Rank	Pte
Born	Bundaberg, Queensland
NoK	Mrs Annie Louise Olsen, Mt Perry Rd, North Bundaberg, Queensland
Enlistment	19 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Brisbane, Queensland
Age	21
Status & Religion	Single, C.of E
Occupation	Labourer

Address Outcome Notes Mt Perry Rd, North Bundaberg, Queensland RTA per "Valencia" on 26<sup>th</sup> Jul 1919 12<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 26<sup>th</sup> Bn Embarked on 12<sup>th</sup> Apr 1916

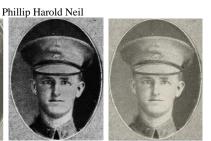
Proceeding overseas to France from Rollestone, on 23<sup>rd</sup> Sep 1916 Marched in to 2<sup>nd</sup> AIDBD, Etaples on 24<sup>th</sup> Sep 1916 Taken on strength of 31<sup>st</sup> Bn, ex 12<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 26<sup>th</sup> Bn from 2<sup>nd</sup> AIDBD, on 9<sup>th</sup> Oct 1916 Sick to hospital (trench feet) on 31<sup>st</sup> Oct 1916 Admitted 11<sup>th</sup> Gen Hosp, Camiers on 31<sup>st</sup> Oct 1916 Embarked on HS "Panama" at Havre for England (trench feet) on 9<sup>th</sup> Nov 1916 Admitted 1<sup>st</sup> South Gen Hosp on 10<sup>th</sup> Nov 1916

RTA per "Valencia" on 26<sup>th</sup> Jul 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 16<sup>th</sup> Oct 1919

OLSON



4574



Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

Pte Ipswich, Queensland Mrs Elizabeth Olson, Woodleigh, Kingaroy, Queensland 6<sup>th</sup> Nov 1916 Kingaroy, Queensland 23 Single, Meth. Farmer Woodleigh, Kingaroy, Queensland 5<sup>th</sup> Jul 1919 RTA 12th Rfts, 31st Bn Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A64 "DEMOSTHENES", 23rd December, 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth on 3rd Mar 1917 Marched in to 8th trng Bn, Hurdcott, from Australia, on 3rd Mar 1917 Proceeding overseas to France, from 8th Trng bn, via Southampton, on 23rd Sep 1917 Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from England on 24th Jul 1917 Marched out to unit on 9th Aug 1917 Taken on strength of X Platoon, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn on 11th Aug 1917 WIA at Polygon Wood on 26th Sep 1917 Admitted 12th CCS (SW face) on 26th Sep 1917 Transferred to Amb Train on 29th Sep 1917

Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth, from France on 13<sup>th</sup> May 1919 RTA per 'Port Melbourne' on 5<sup>th</sup> Jul 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on



Albert George



Rank

Born NoK

Age

Notes

4636 Service No Sgt Gympie, Queensland Mr George O'Malley Enlistment 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1916 Emerald, Queensland 22 Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Miner Blair Athol, Central Queensland Address Outcome RTA 16<sup>th</sup> Jan 1919 AWM Photo E01618 12th Rfts, 31st Bn Appointed VO Cpl on 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 1916 Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A64 "DEMOSTHENES", 23rd December, 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth on 3rd Mar 1917 Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, from Australia, on 3rd Mar 1917 Appointed A/Cpl at 8th Trng Bn, on 6th Mar 1917 Reverts to ranks, at 8<sup>th</sup> Trng Bn, on 1<sup>st</sup> Jul 1917 Proceeding overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, via Folkestone, on 2nd Jul 1917 Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 3rd Jul 1917 Marched out to unit on 31<sup>st</sup> Jul 1917 Taken on strength of 'D' Coy, 31st Bn, on 1st Aug 1917 Informant for Pte 3354 Alfred Edward Fleet Red Cross file Appointed L/Cpl on 1st Oct 1917 To hospital sick on 28th Oct 1917 ('D' Coy, RO 590) Admitted 8th Fld Amb (bronchitis, after gas) and transferred to 5th DRS, on 28th Oct 1917 Admitted 5th DRS (bronchitis after gas) on 29th Oct 1917 Discharged to duty on 5th Nov 1917 Rejoined unit, ex sick, on 6th Nov 1917 Promoted Cpl to date from 10/11/17 to complete establishment, on 10th Nov 1917 To be T/Sgt, (vice Beroff, wounded 26/9/17) on 21st Dec 1917 Promoted Sgt (vice Sgt W Beroff, wounded 26/9/17), on 26th Dec 1917 To Aust Corps Infantry School, on 14th Jan 1918 Rejoined unit from Aust Corps Infantry School, on 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb 1918 To hospital sick on 28th Apr 1918 Admitted 14th Fld Amb (trench fever) and to CCS, on 28th Apr 1918 Admitted 20th CCS (trench fever) on 28th Apr 1918 To Amb Train on 29th Apr 1918 Admitted 24th General Hospital, (trench fever) on 30th Apr 1918 Transferred to England on 2nd May 1918 Embarked on HS 'Ville de Liege' for England on 3rd May 1918 Admitted 2/1st Southern General Hospital, Dudley Rd, Birmingham, (trench fever) on 4th May 1918 Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 31st May 1918 Discharged to No 3 Comm Depot, Hurdcott on 3rd Jun 1918 Marched in to No 3 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from 3rd AAH, on 3rd Jun 1918 Marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from No 3 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 29th Jun 1918 Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, from No 4 CD, Hurdcott, on 31st Jul 1918 Proceeding overseas to France from OTB, Longbridge Deverill, via Folkestone, on 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug 1918 Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from England, ex sick, on 23rd Aug 1918 Marched out to unit on 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug 1918 Rejoined unit ex sick on 27<sup>th</sup> Aug 1918 To hospital sick, on 29th Aug 1918 Admitted 15th Fld Amb (influenza) and transferred to CCS, on 30th Aug 1918 Admitted 61st CCS (influenza) and transferred to Amb Train, on 30th Aug 1918 Admitted 9th General Hospital, Rouen, (influenza) on 31st Aug 1918 Embarked at Rouen, on HS 'Panama' for England on 1st Sep 1918 Admitted 1st Southern General Hospital, Rednal, Birmingham, (influenza), on 1st Sep 1918 Discharged Rednal War Hospital and to report Littlemoor Camp, Weymouth, on 13th Sep 1918 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from AHQ, London, on 14th Sep 1918 Marched out of No 2 Comm Depot, on leave on 12th Nov 1918

and to report to No 1 Comm Depot, on completion, Class B1A Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny, from No 2 Comm Depot, on 10<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918 RTA per 'City of Exeter' on 16<sup>th</sup> Jan 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 2<sup>nd</sup> Mar 1919, thence by transport to Brisbane Discharged at Brisbane on 8<sup>th</sup> Apr 1919 Served in WWII as Q69300 WOII

O'MALLEY O'MALLY Thomas Patrick







Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

Pte Milltown Malbay, Ireland Mrs Ellen O'Malley, Milltown, Malbay, Ireland 26<sup>th</sup> Feb 1916 Eromanga, Queensland 35 Single, R.C. Labourer Eromanga, Queensland Deserted - Declared an illegal absentee from 31<sup>st</sup> Aug 1917 8<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916

O'MARA Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	Daniel 5446 Pte Ipswich, Queensland friend, John Brady, Ellen St, Barcaldine, Queensland 7 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Rockhampton, Queensland 43 Single, R.C. Labourer Barcaldine, Queensland RTA per A14, chronic rheumatism, on 30 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1918 17th Rfts, 9th Bn Embarked Taken on strength of 'B' Coy, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn ex 9 <sup>th</sup> Bn Rfts and 1 <sup>st</sup> AIDBD, on 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1916 WIA (GSW hip & arm) on 26 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood (with 'B' Coy)
	RTA per A14, chronic rheumatism, on 30 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1918 Discharged at Brisbane on 28 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1918

O'NEILL Bernard



3592

Service No Rank Born NoK

Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes Pte Killarney, Port Fairy, Victoria Mr James O'Neil, PO Killarney, Victoria (w) Mrs Agnes O'Neill, Henty St, Pakenham, Victoria 29<sup>th</sup> Mar 1916 Camperdown, Victoria 21

Single, R.C. Farm hand Killarney, Port Fairy, Victoria RTA 15<sup>th</sup> Apr 1918 8<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 29<sup>th</sup> Bn Embarked on HMT "Orsova" at Melbourne on 1<sup>st</sup> Aug 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 14<sup>th</sup> Sep 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 5th Dec 1916

To hospital sick, synovitis R knee, on 9<sup>th</sup> Jan 1917 (Soldier states "Coming out of the trench at night time, I just got out when a shell burst and I fell back into the trench again.")

WIA (GSW forearm & back) on 26<sup>th</sup> Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

RTA per A74 "Marathon", GSW L elbow, on 15<sup>th</sup> Apr 1918 Discharged at Melbourne on 23<sup>rd</sup> Jul 1918 WWII service V16931 Died 10<sup>th</sup> Aug 1981

O'NEILL

Henry Arthur Albert

3860



Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome

Pte Lismore, NSW Mr Timothy B & Mrs Rose O'Neill, Mullimbimby, Brunswick River, NSW 07-Oct-15 Brisbane, Queensland 38 Single, R.C. Teamster Mullimbimby, Brunswick River, NSW RTA 8<sup>th</sup> Apr 1919 Notes

9th Rfts, 26th Bn Embarked Taken on strength X Platoon, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn, at Duntroon Plateau, on 6th Apr 1916 Embarked to join BEF per HMT "Manitou" at Alexandria on 17<sup>th</sup> Jun 1916, Disembarked at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916

To hospital sick, trench feet, on 1st Jul 1917

Awarded MM for actions on 8th Aug 1918 at Warfusee Abancourt "During the attack of the 31st Battalion from Warfusee-Abancourt on 8 August 1918, this man did wonderful work as a stretcher bearer. He not only brought in the wounded of our own Battalion but went on under a deadly machine-gun fire to the vicinity of Vauvillers and brought in many wounded cavalry men. During the attack of the 29th battalion on the 9th, he assisted in bringing in many of their wounded, the work

being carried out under exceptionally heavy shell and machine-gun fire. Throughout the whole operation he set a wonderful example to all around him by his bravery and devotion to duty."

RTA per "Trasos Montes" on 8th Apr 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 11th Jul 1919

**O'NEILL** 



John

Cook

Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

1733 Pte Liverpool, England sister, Mrs Catherine Perry, 98 Harlington St, Liverpool, England 15<sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 Sydney, NSW 28 Single, R.C.

KIA on 3<sup>rd</sup> Apr 1918 Buried Senlis Communal Cemetery, II. A. 9. 2<sup>nd</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Brisbane, on HMAT A55 "Kyarra", 3rd Jan 1916 Disembarked at Suez on 31st Jan 1916 Allotted to and proceeded to join  $47^{th}$  Bn at Zeitoun, on  $9^{th}$  Mar 1916 Taken on strength of  $47^{th}$  Bn, Tel el Kebir, on  $9^{th}$  Mar 1916 Embarked to join BEF per HMT "Caledonia" at Alexandria on 2<sup>nd</sup> Jun 1916, Disembarked at Marseilles on 9th Jun 1916

Transferred to 12th A LTMB on Jul 1916

KIA on 3<sup>rd</sup> Apr 1918 Buried Senlis Communal Cemetery, II. A. 9.

**O'NEILL O'NEIL** 

Rank

Born

NoK

John Patrick

Service No 2866A Pte (Bullahdellah), Billadinna NSW Mr William Walter O'Neill, c/o W Tucker, horse trainer, Brisbane, Qld. & Mrs Rose Anne O'Neill, Chatsworth, Gympie, Queensland

Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	10 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916       Toowoomba, Queensland         22       Single, R.C.         Labourer/Carter       Toowoomba, Queensland         Toowoomba, Queensland       Main on 26 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1917, remembered Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial         11 <sup>th</sup> Depot Bn, from 18 <sup>th</sup> Jan to 26 <sup>th</sup> Feb 1916         14 <sup>th</sup> Depot Bn, from 26 <sup>th</sup> Feb to 31 <sup>st</sup> Mar 1916         6 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn on 1 <sup>st</sup> Apr 1916         Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A40 "Ceramic", 14th April 1916         Disembarked at Port Said, on 16 <sup>th</sup> May 1916         Embarked on HMT 'Franconia' at Alexandria, on 6 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1916         Disembarked at Plymouth, on 16 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1916         Offence: Larkhill. Overstaying leave from midnight 10/7/16 to 6.30am parade 14/7/16.         Award: 6 days detention and forfeits 4 days' pay. Total forfeiture: 10 days' pay
	Proceeded overseas to France, from 8 <sup>th</sup> Trng Bn, on 5 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1916 Marched in to 5 <sup>th</sup> ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 6 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1916
	Proceeded to unit, on 19 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1916
	Taken on strength of 'C' Coy, 31st Bn, and to take regimental number 2866A, on 25th Sep 1916
	Offence: AWL from 0800 to 1500 on 15 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1916.
	Awarded 7 days FP No 2 by Major PAM Eckersley, (total Forfeiture: 8 days pay)
	To UK on leave, on $6^{th}$ Sep 1917
	Returned from leave, on 21 <sup>st</sup> Sep 1917
	Wounded in Action on 27 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1917 Previously reported Wounded now reported Missing (no confirmation of previous report obtainable)
	('C' Coy, RO 593)
	Board of Inquiry held on 6 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1918, on account of the slender evidence available no finding can be decided on.
	Board of Inquiry held on 15 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1918, finding Killed in Action on 26 <sup>th</sup> /27 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1917
	$\frac{1}{\text{KIA}} \text{ on } 26^{\text{th}} \text{ Sep } 1917,$
	Remembered Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial
	Buried in vicinity of Polygon Wood, Sht 28 NE J.10

O'NEILL	Michael
Service No	3332 (# 6898, 6th Bn)
Rank	Pte
Born	Sydney, NSW
NoK	friend, Mary McQuade
	(m) Mrs D McQuade ?
Enlistment	5 <sup>th</sup> Feb 1916 McLeay River, NSW
Age	27
Status & Religion	Single, R.C.
Occupation	Labourer
Address	Kinchela, McLeay River, NSW
Outcome	RTA 4 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1919
Notes	7 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "Seang Choon", 4th May 1916

**O'NEILL** 

Rank Born NoK

Enlistment Age

Michael Joseph



4577 4577
Pte
18<sup>th</sup> Dec 1897, Brisbane, Queensland
(m) Mrs Mary Kate O'Neill, Seymour Rd, Ascot, Brisbane, Queensland
(w) Mrs Elsie O'Neill
3<sup>rd</sup> Oct 1916
Brisbane, Queensland
10 Status & Religion

 Occupation
 Motor driver

 Address
 Seymour Rd, Ascot, Brisbane, Queensland

 Outcome
 RTA
 24<sup>th</sup> Jan 1919

 Notes
 12<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn

 Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A64 "DEMOSTHENES", 23rd December, 1916

RTA 24<sup>th</sup> Jan 1919 Enlisted 24<sup>th</sup> Apr 1940 at Brisbane, Qld for WWII service. Q191228

O'NEILL
Service No
Rank
Born
NoK
Enlistment
Age
Status & Religion
Occupation
Address
Outcome
Notes

Phillip Leo 4575 L/Cpl Tweed River, NSW Mrs Kate O'Neill, Scott's Creek, Tweed River, NSW 7<sup>th</sup> Nov 1916 Tweed River, NSW 18 Single, R.C. Farmer Scott's Creek, Tweed River, NSW RTA 23<sup>rd</sup> Jul 1919 12<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A64 "DEMOSTHENES", 23rd December, 1916

#### A.C.R.E. Workshops

RTA per 'Main' on 23<sup>rd</sup> Jul 1919 Disembarked at Sydney on 15<sup>th</sup> Oct 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov 1919

#### ONSLOW Frank (aka PRIEST Leopold F)



272 Pte



Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

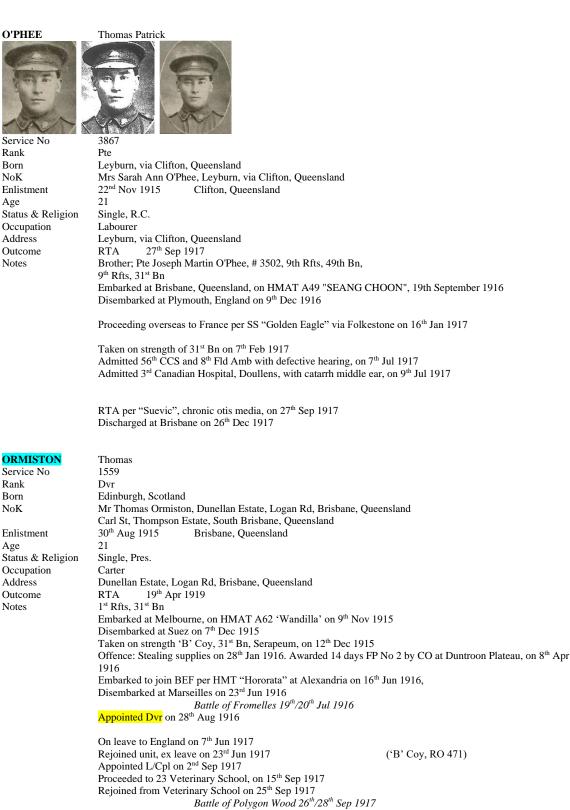
Hobart, Tasmania (m) Mrs Emily Priest, 290 Bathurst St, Hobart, Tasmania 14<sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland 27 Single, C.of E. Miner Ivy Villa, Ann St, Brisbane, Queensland 20th Dec 1918 RTA Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn / 5th Pioneer Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915 Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to and taken on strength of 5th Pnrs on 3rd Mar 1916 Embarked at Alexandria, Egypt to join B.E.F HMAT 'Hororata' on 16th Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles, France on 23<sup>rd</sup> Jun 1916

WIA (SW R heel) on 1st Feb 1917

WIA 2<sup>nd</sup> occ (GSW legs) on 3<sup>rd</sup> Sep 1918

RTA per "Orontes" on 20<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918 Disembarked at Sydney and proceeded to Hobart on 1<sup>st</sup> Feb 1919

### Discharged at Hobart, medically unfit, GSW R leg, on 3rd Apr 1919



On leave to UK on 13th Mar 1918

Rejoined from leave on 4th Apr 1918 WIA (SW R thigh) on 4th Aug 1918 Admitted 10<sup>th</sup> Fld Amb and transferred to CCS, on 5<sup>th</sup> Aug 1918 Admitted 5<sup>th</sup> CCS (GSW thigh) on 5<sup>th</sup> Aug and transferred to Amb Train on 6<sup>th</sup> Aug 1918 Admitted 5<sup>th</sup> Gen Hospital, Rouen, (GSW R thigh) on 6<sup>th</sup> Aug 1918 Invalided to UK (wounded) on 9th Aug 1918 Embarked on HS 'Carisbrook Castle' (GSW R thigh & face), on 9th Aug 1918 Admitted Northamptonshire War Hospital, Duston, Northampton, (Shell wound R thigh) on 10th Aug 1918 Transferred from Duston to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 10th Sep 1918 Discharged to furlough on 12th Sep 1918 and to report No 1 Comm Depot, on 26th Sep 1918 Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny, ex AIF HQ and furlough, on 26th Sep 1918 Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, from No 1 CD, on 19th Oct 1918 Proceeded overseas to France, ex Overseas Trng Bde, via Southampton on 21st Nov 1918 Marched in to AIBD, Havre, on 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov 1918 Transferred from 31st Bn to establishment and taken on strength of AIBD, on 9th Dec 1918 Marched out to England (Quota 9) on 21st Feb 1919 Disembarked via Weymouth (1915 Personnel, Quota 9) and marched in to RBAA, Heytesbury, on 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb 1919 AWL on 12th Mar 1919 Apprehended on 16th Mar 1919 Marched out to 2<sup>nd</sup> Trng Bde, from RBAA, Heytesbury, on paper only as still AWL on 19<sup>th</sup> Mar 1919 Offence: Edinburgh. AWL 2359hrs 12/3/19 to 16/3/19. Forfeits 8 days pay by Major Rogers on 25th Mar 1919 at Codford. Total Forfeiture: 12 days pay RTA per "Sardinia" from Devonport, on 19th Apr 1919 Disembarked at Sydney for Brisbane, on 14th Jul 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 6th Aug 1919 Married Kathleen Ethel Duffy on 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov 1922 Died on 28th Nov 1962

O'ROURKE	Charles Edward Jr.
Service No	3862A
Rank	Pte
Born	Brisbane, Queensland
NoK	Mr Charles Edward & Mrs Ida Isabel May O'Rourke, "Kerry", Evans St., Nundah, Queensland
Enlistment	6 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1915 Brisbane, Queensland
Age	18
Status & Religion	Single, R.C.
Occupation	Clerk
Address	Station St, Albion, Brisbane, Queensland
Outcome	KIA on 9 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1918, buried Hancourt British Cemetery, D. 1.
Notes	9th Rfts, 26th Bn
	Embarked
	Taken on strength of 'B' Coy, 31st Bn, ex 9th Rfts 26th Bn, Duntroon Plateau, on 6th Apr 196
	Embarked to join BEF per HMT "Hororata" at Alexandria on 16 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1916, Disembarked at Marseilles on 23 <sup>rd</sup> Jun 1916
	WIA (SW back) on 19th Jul 1916
	Embarked at Boulogne on HS "St David" for England on 21st Jul 1916
	WIA (GSW R thigh, L arm, L shoulder) on 10 <sup>th</sup> Dec 1916
	Embarked at Rouen on HS " Aberdonian" for England on 16 <sup>th</sup> Dec 1916
	Taken on strength of 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn ex 69 <sup>th</sup> Bn on 13 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1918
	KIA on 9 <sup>th</sup> Sep 1918, buried Hancourt British Cemetery, D. 1.
	Buried isolated graves Pouilly, 8 miles SE of Peronne
	Buried Sht 62 C.Q.28 b.4.4
O'ROURKE	James Francis



Rank Born

NoK

Age

Address

Outcome

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WO RSM /Lieut Tipperary, Ireland Mrs Annie O'Rourke, 47 Hamilton St, Hobart, Tasmania Enlistment Waroongal,NSW 8th Aug 1915 41 Status & Religion Married, R.C. Occupation Labourer Abbotsleigh, Lanslove Rd Waroongal, NSW Repat To Australia (RTA) 12<sup>th</sup> Apr 1923 Original, HQ, 31st Bn 16 yrs R.F.A. England, 2 3/4 yrs A & O Staff, 5 1/2 yrs P.T.I. Staff Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915 Appointed 2nd Lieut at Tel el Kebir 12 Mar 1916, then appointed Adjutant at Duntroon Plateau, 13/3/16 10 Jul 1916 2/Lt James Francis O'Rourke becomes Transport Officer in lieu of being Adjutant WIA (GSW Shoulder) 20th Jul 1916 Fromelles Transferred to 3rd DAC 15/11/16 Taken on strength 3rd DAC as Adjutant 18/12/16 Mentioned in Dispatches 1/1/18 Awarded MC 4/6/18 7/3/19 To be Town Mayor of LOBBE 30/9/19 declared AWL.... Illegal absentee RTA 12-Apr-23 May 1926 was in Sunbury Asylum for the Insane

## **O'ROURKE**

John Page 2869B Service No Rank Pte 25th Sep 1897, Brisbane, Queensland Born NoK Mr Charles Edward and Ida Isabel (nee Humber) O'Rourke, Station St, Clayfield, Brisbane, Queensland later (1917) 'Kerry' Evans Rd, Nundah, Qld Enlistment 16th Aug 1915 Brisbane, Queensland 18 Age Status & Religion Single, R.C. Packer Occupation Address Station St, Clayfield, Brisbane, Queensland 28th Mar 1919 Outcome RTA Notes 9th Rfts, 9th Bn Embarked on HMAT 'Ayrshire' at Sydney on 3rd Sep 1915 Disembarked at Egypt, on 13th Jun 1915 Taken on strength of 9th Bn, Tel el Kebir, from Rfts, on 19th Jan 1916 Transferred to 49<sup>th</sup> Bn. at Habeita, on 25<sup>th</sup> Feb 1916 Taken on strength of 49th Bn on 27th Feb 1916 To hospital sick, (poisoned forearm) Tel el Kebir, on 29th Mar 1916 Admitted 13th Fld Amb, Tel el Kebir, (septic arm) and transferred to 2nd ASH, on 30th Mar 1916 Admitted 2<sup>nd</sup> ASH, Tel el Kebir, (furunculosis) and transferred to No 4 Amb Train, on 30<sup>th</sup> Mar 1916 Transferred from 3rd Aux Hospital to British Red Cross Hospital, on 19th Apr 1916 Admitted British Red Cross Hospital, Montazah, (poisoned arm) on 19th Apr 1916 Discharged to Tel el Kebir, on 8th May 1916 In hospital, Egypt, 24th May 1916 Reallotted from 16th Rfts, 9th Bn, as Rfts to 49th Bn, Egypt, on 24th May 1916 Embarked on HMT 'Megantic' at Alexandria, on 6th Aug 1916 Proceeded overseas to France, on 22nd Sep 1916 Marched in to 4th ADBD, Etaples, on 24th Sep 1916 Marched out from 4<sup>th</sup> ADBD, to join 31<sup>st</sup> Bn, on 5<sup>th</sup> Oct 1916 Taken on strength on 31st Bn, ex 49th Bn Rfts and 4th AIDBD, and to take Reg No 2860B, on 9th Oct 1916 WIA (SW back) on 1<sup>st</sup> Nov 1916 Admitted 38th CCS (SW R shoulder) and transferred to Amb Train, on 2nd Nov 1916 Admitted 1st Can General Hospital, Etaples, (SW R shoulder) on 2nd Nov 1916 Transferred to England, on 11th Nov 1916 Embarked at Calais, on HS 'Dieppe' for England on 11th Nov 1916

Discharged to furlough on 23rd Feb 1917 and to report to Perham Downs, on 10th Mar 1917 Marched out from No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs, to No 4 Comm Depot, Wareham, on 17th Mar 1917 Offence: 26th Mar 1917. Failing to mount guard after being duly warned. Award: Forfeits 14 days' pay, by Lt Col Deeble, on 27<sup>th</sup> Mar 1917. Total Forfeiture 15 days' pay Taken on strength of 69<sup>th</sup> Bn from 31<sup>st</sup> Bn, on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1917 Offence: Hurdcott, 10th Aug 1917. AWL from noon 10/8/17 till 9pm 11/8/17. Award: Admonished by Lt Col Deeble, on 13th Aug 1917. Forfeits 2 days' pay Transferred to 31st Bn on marching out to 69th Draft Bn, Hurdcott, on 19th Sep 1917 Proceeding overseas to France, ex 69th Draft Bn, via Southampton, on 17th Nov 1917 Marched in to 5<sup>th</sup> ADBD, Havre, from England, on 18<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917 Marched out to unit on 30th Oct 1917 ('D' Coy, RO 595) Rejoined unit from hospital, on 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov 1917 (Battle of Amiens, 8th Aug 1918) With unit on 5th Sep 1918 Detached for duty with APM 5<sup>th</sup> Div, on 11<sup>th</sup> Nov 1918 Rejoined Bn ex detachment with 5th Div APM, on 13th Nov 1918 On leave to UK, on 17th Nov 1918 Granted leave extension from 19th Nov to 3rd Dec 1918, by AHQ, London Rejoined Bn ex UK leave, on 6th Dec 1918 Marched out to UK for RTA, on 14th Jan 1919 Marched out from AIBD, Havre, to England (1915 Personnel) on 20th Jan 1919 Marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, ex Havre, on 21st Jan 1919 RTA per "Port Macquarie" from Cardiff, on 28th Mar 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne, on 26th May 1919 thence to Brisbane Discharged at Brisbane on 20th Jul 1919 Married Elizabeth Margaret Parker, on 9th Apr 1921 Died 24th May 1978

Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, (wounded) on 11th Nov 1916

ORUM Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	<ul> <li>William</li> <li>1897</li> <li>Dvr</li> <li>Kadina, SA</li> <li>Mrs Elizabeth Orum, Wolfram St, Broken Hill, NSW</li> <li>24<sup>th</sup> Dec 1914 Broken Hill, NSW</li> <li>25</li> <li>Single, C. of E.</li> <li>Miner</li> <li>Wolfram St, Broken Hill, NSW</li> <li>RTA 11<sup>th</sup> May 1919</li> <li>Brother; Pte Edward George Orum, #2454</li> <li>Previously served as # 1787, 4th Rfts, 10th Bn, enl Oaklands SA</li> <li>RTA per "Port Lincoln", venereal, on 4<sup>th</sup> Aug 1915</li> <li>Returned to Egypt with 2<sup>nd</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn</li> <li>Embarked at Brisbane, on HMAT A55 "Kyarra", 3rd Jan 1916</li> <li>Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT "Demosthenes", 28<sup>th</sup> Dec 1915</li> <li>Disembarked, ex 'Demosthenes', at Suez on 31<sup>st</sup> Jan 1916</li> <li>To 8<sup>th</sup> Trng Bn, Cairo</li> <li>Allotted to and proceeded to 46<sup>th</sup> Bn at Zeitoun on 6<sup>th</sup> Mar 1916</li> <li>Transferred to 12<sup>th</sup> Army FAB and posted 45<sup>th</sup> Btty at Tel el Kebir, on 17<sup>th</sup> Mar 1916</li> <li>Appointed Dvr on 1<sup>st</sup> May 1916</li> <li>Proceeded to join BEF per at Alexandria on Jun 1916</li> <li>Disembarked at Marseilles on Jun 1916</li> </ul>

RTA per "Borda" on 11<sup>th</sup> May 1919 Disembarked at Adelaide on 23<sup>rd</sup> Jun 1919 Discharged at Adelaide on 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug 1919

OSBORNE OSBOURNE Service No Rank Duncan Henry

Duncan Henry

3866 Pte Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes Clarence River, Grafton, NSW Mr Frank Osborne, Asplin St, Cairns, North Queensland 13<sup>th</sup> Sep 1915 Townsville, Queensland 40 Single, C.of E. Miner Townsville, Queensland RTA 30<sup>th</sup> Jan 1918 9<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 26<sup>th</sup> Bn Embarked Taken on strength of 'D' Coy, XVI Platoon, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn from 9<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 26<sup>th</sup> Bn at Duntroon Plateau, on 6<sup>th</sup> Apr 1916 Embarked at Alexandria, Egypt to join B.E.F on HMAT 'Hororata' on 16<sup>th</sup> Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles, France on 23<sup>rd</sup> Jun 1916

WIA (GSW elbow) on 20<sup>th</sup> Jul 1916 at Fromelles Admitted 8<sup>th</sup> Stat Hospital, Wimereux, on 22<sup>nd</sup> Jul 1916 Discharged to 5<sup>th</sup> AIDBD on 7<sup>th</sup> Aug 1916 Rejoined unit ex wounded on 27<sup>th</sup> Aug 1916

WIA 2<sup>nd</sup> occ (GSW shoulder) on 24<sup>th</sup> Oct 1917

RTA per A14, "Euripides" due GSW scapula, on  $30^{th}$  Jan 1918 Discharged at Brisbane on  $20^{th}$  Jun 1918





Leonard Reginald

Service No Rank Born NoK

Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes Cpl London, England friend, Mr Osbourne, 22 North Rd, Brighton, Sussex, England Aunt, Mrs L R Osborne, 142 Prestifield Rd, Brighton, Sussex, England 15<sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland 19 Single, C.of E. Labourer c/o Mrs Miles, Charlotte St, Brisbane, Queensland RTA per "Aeneas" on 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov 1919 2<sup>nd</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Brisbane, on HMAT A55 "Kyarra", 3rd Jan 1916 Disembarked at Suez on 31st Jan 1916 Detached to Aust Postal Corps, Zeitoun, on 23rd Mar 1916 Embarked at Alexandria, Egypt to join B.E.F on HMAT 'Transylvania' on 17th Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles, France on 23rd Jun 1916

Taken on strength of Postal Corps from 31st Bn on 21st Oct 1916

Appointed A/Cpl on 1<sup>st</sup> Nov 1918 Promoted T/Cpl on 9<sup>th</sup> Nov 1918

RTA per "Aeneas" at Plymouth, England on 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov 1919 Disembarked at Adelaide on 7<sup>th</sup> Jan 1920 - absentee Discharged at Brisbane on 14<sup>th</sup> Mar 1920 Died 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 1978, aged 82 years

OSBORNE	Lowell Mason
Service No	4353
Rank	Cpl
Born	Lismore, NSW
NoK	Mrs Esther Osbourne, c/o TB Osborne, Magellan St, Lismore, NSW
Enlistment	10 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Townsville, Queensland
Age	29
Status & Religion	Single, Pres.
Occupation	Farmer
Address	Townsville, Queensland
Outcome	RTA 1 <sup>st</sup> Jul 1919
Notes	11 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn
	Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916
	To be VO Sgt on 17 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1916
	Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 30th Jan 1917

Taken on strength of 'C' Coy, 31st Bn on 9th Oct 1917

WIA (GSW back) on 19<sup>th</sup> Jul 1918 Invalided to England on 25<sup>th</sup> Jul 1918

RTA per "Karmala" from Devonport, England, on 1<sup>st</sup> Jul 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 8<sup>th</sup> Nov 1919



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NoK

Age

# John Augustus



140'5 3607 Pte Lancefield, Victoria Mr Michael O'Shea, Lancefield, Victoria 8th Jan 1916 Greenmount, Queensland 30 Single, R.C. Farm Labourer c/o A E Galbraith, Greenmount, Darling Downs, Qld RTA 19th Oct 1917 8<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 13th Oct 1916

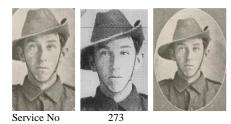
Proceeding overseas to France from 8th Trng Bn, per "Golden Eagle" via Folkestone on 17th Dec 1916

Taken on strength of 31<sup>st</sup> Bn, ex 8<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn and 5<sup>th</sup> AIDBD, on 26<sup>th</sup> Dec 1916 WIA (GSW L thigh) on 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb 1917 Embarked at Havre on HS "Formosa" for England on 3<sup>rd</sup> Mar 1917

RTA per "Port Lyttleton" due GSW thigh, on  $19^{\rm th}$  Oct 1917 Discharged at Brisbane on  $17^{\rm th}$  Jan 1918

OSTWALD

Joseph Albert



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Pte Gympie, Queensland (m) Mrs Bridget Ostwald, Hamilton Place, Bowen Hills, Brisbane, Qld Brother, Frederick Charles Ostwald, cnr Hamilton Place & Jeays St, Bowen Hills, Brisbane, Qld 14<sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland 22 Single, R.C. Labourer Stoneleigh St, Albion, Brisbane, Queensland KIA on 12th Oct 1917, remembered on Menin Gate, Ypres Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915 Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Offence: Ferry Post. AWL from 1630 22/4/16 to 0630 23/4/16. Award: Forfeits 2 days pay and awarded 3 days CC, by Capt Robertson on 24th Apr 1916 Embarked at Alexandria, Egypt to join B.E.F HMAT 'Hororata' on 16th Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles, France on 23<sup>rd</sup> Jun 1916 WIA (GSW leg & thigh) on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles Admitted 2<sup>nd</sup> Aus Gen Hospital, Wimereux on 21<sup>st</sup> Jul 1916 Embarked at Boulogne on  $\hat{H}S$  "St George" for England on 22<sup>nd</sup> Jul 1916 Admitted 4th London General Hospital, Denmark Hill, on 23rd Jul 1916 Discharged and granted furlough om 16<sup>th</sup> Nov 1916 and to report to Perham Downs, on 1<sup>st</sup> Dec 1916 Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs, and classified, on 5th Dec 1916 Offence: Perham Downs, 1st Dec 1916. AWL from 3.30 1/12/16 till 2.15 3/12/16. Award: 7 days CC by Lt H E Shaw, on 6th Dec 1916. Total forfeiture: 3 days' pay Marched out from No 1 Comm Depot, to 8th Trng Bn, Dinton, on 11th Dec 1916 Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, on 12th Dec 1916 Proceeding overseas to France from 8th Trng Bn, per "Princess Henrietta" via Folkestone on 31st Dec 1916 Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Etaples on 1st Jan 1917 Marched out to unit on 2nd Jan 1917 Rejoined unit ex wounded on 4th Jan 1917 Detached for duty with 8th Fld Engrs on 12th May 1917 Ceased to be attached and rejoined unit on 25th May 1917 Rejoined unit from detachment on 25th May 1917 To 5th Army Rest Camp, Becourt Camp, on 27th May 1917 Rejoined unit from 5<sup>th</sup> Army Rest Camp, Becourt Camp, on 20<sup>th</sup> Jun 1917 FGCM held at Blaringham on 9<sup>th</sup> Aug 1917 ('A' Coy, Ro 469) President: Major J McArthur, 29th Bn, AIF Charge: Neglect to the prejudice of good order and military discipline in that he on 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug 1917allowed a prisoner under his charge to obtain liquor, by doing so caused the prisoner to be in a state of drunkenness, that he could not appear before the company office at the appointed hour. Pleaded: Not Guilty Finding: Guilty Sentence: 21 days FP No 2 Confirmed: Major Gen E. Tivey, CB, DSO, VD, GOC 8th Aust Inf Bde, on 11th Aug 1917 Period in Arrest awaiting Trial: 7 days Total Forfeiture: 28 days pay KIA on 12th Oct 1917, remembered on Menin Gate, Ypres Buried in vicinity of Polygon Wood Sht 28NE J.10

**O'SULLIVAN** 

Florence



Rank

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Age

Address

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Pte 1887, Taroom, Queensland Mrs Henricks O'Sullivan, Edward St, Roma, Queensland 27<sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Enlistment Roma, Queensland 29 Status & Religion Married, R.C. Stockrider Occupation Edward St, Roma, Queensland 22nd May 1919 RTA Outcome 8th Rfts, 31st Bn Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 13th Oct 1916 To No 3 Comm Depot, Admitted Isolation Hospital, Woolwich - Mumps, from No 3 CD, on 14th Oct 1916 Discharged from hospital on 3rd Nov 1916 Marched out to 8th Trng Bn on 17th Nov 1916 Proceeding overseas to France from 8th Trng bn, per SS 'Golden Eagle' via Folkestone on 18th Dec 1916 Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples on 19th Dec 1916 Marched out to unit on 23rd Dec 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn ex 8th Rfts and 5th AIDBD, on 26th Dec 1916 WIA (shell shock) on 15th Mar 1917 Admitted 15th Fld Amb on 16th Mar 1917 Admitted 3rd Can Stat Hospital, Doullens, (shell shock) on 17th Mar 1917 Discharged to duty on 21st Mar 1917 Rejoined unit ex wounded on 24th Mar 1917 (Battle of Polygon Wood, 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> Sep 1917) Appointed Driver (vice Dvr H Ramsey, reverted to Pte, at own request) on 1st Oct 1917 To UK on leave on 13th Jul 1917 Rejoined unit from leave, on 31st Jul 1917 With unit on 12th Feb 1919 Marched out from 8th Bde Bn to Base Depot for RTA, on 2nd Apr 1919 Marched out of AIBD, Le Havre, for England (1916 Personnel for RTA), on 9th Apr 1919 Disembarked at Weymouth and marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 10th Apr 1919 Crime: Littlemoor Camp on 4th May 1919. AWL from 0300 4/5/17 to 2100 5/5/19. Award: Forfeit 2 days pay, total forfeiture 3 days pay RTA per HT "Durham" from Liverpool, on 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1919 Disembarked at Cape Town on 20th Jun 1919 - fractured base of skull, accident due to fall Admitted No 1 Hospital, Wynberg, Cape Town, South Africa - probably internal L ear damage, on 20th Jun 1919 (due to accident, falling on head on board, on evening of 19th Jun 1919) Improving, evidently internal L ear damage, on 23rd Jun 1919 Embarked from No 1 General Hospital, Wynberg, to SS "Thermosticles" for continuation of voyage to Australia, and admitted ship's hospital, on 19th Jul 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 15th Nov 1919

Died Kemmel Hill, Injune, Queensland on 7th Aug 1932, aged 45 years

**O'SULLIVAN** Reginald Joseph 'Reg'



Service No	1323
Rank	Lieut
Born	Beechworth, Victoria
NoK	Mr Cornelius Joseph & Mrs Mary Jane O'Sullivan, 21 Adelaide St, Malvern, Melbourne, Victoria
Enlistment	24 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1915 Hawthorn, Melbourne, Vic
Age	29
Status & Religion	Single, R.C.
Occupation	Accountant
Address	8 Hawthorn Grove, Hawthorn, Melbourne, Victoria
Outcome	RTA 13 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1918
Notes	Original, 'D' Coy, 29th Bn
	Service No 1323
Rank	Lieut
Born	c 1886, Beechworth, Victoria
NoK	Mr Cornelius Joseph & Mrs Mary Jane (nee McGrath) O'Sullivan, 21 Adelaide St, Malvern, Melbourne,
Victoria	
Enlistment	24 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1915 Hawthorn, Melbourne, Vic
Age	29
Status & Religion	Single, R.C.
Occupation	Accountant
Address	8 Hawthorn Grove, Hawthorn, Melbourne, Victoria
Outcome	RTA 13 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1918
Notes	Entered St Patrick's College, Ballarat about 1900 as a pupil and had a successful school career. Later he was an accountant prior to enlisting in June 1915.
	Reserve Coy, Sgt School at Broadmeadows, from 24 <sup>th</sup> Jun to 28 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1915
	Transferred to 29 <sup>th</sup> Bn, 8 <sup>th</sup> Bde on 29 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1915
	Promoted Sgt on 1 <sup>st</sup> Nov 1915
	Original, 'D' Coy, 29th Bn
	Embarked on HMAT SS' Ascanius' at Melbourne on 10th Nov 1915
	Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915
	Embarked to join BEF on HMT 'Tunisian' at Alexandria on 16th Jun 1916

Battle of Fromelles 19th/20th Jul 1916 Lt Col Toll on his post battle report on men due for recognition, stated "also beg to bring to your notice Sergeant O'Sullivan ? for recognition of his splendid organisation and control of men. His behaviour was worthy of special notice and I pass it on for his CO's information.

An N.C.O. of the 29th also deserves mention. This N.C.O. brought over and was in charge of two platoons of the 29th and behaved most courageously. I will try and ascertain his name later."

Awarded DCM for actions: "Petillon 19-20 July 1916: For conspicuous gallantry during operations. When posted with 30 men in the main trench to link up with another battalion, he behaved in a most cool and determined manner, and held the ground allotted to him till daylight."

In a letter from Sgt McLelland, 29th Bn, to Reg's father: "You were asking about a Sgt O'Sullivan in our Company. Well, he was here up till a few days ago. He is attached to another Battalion now, but in the same Brigade. He has got his Commission, and my word, he deserves it. He has also received a DCM for bravery. A short time ago we made a charge, and held the trenches for about nine hours when the Germans counter attacked, and we had to retire. An officer and Sergt O'Sullivan were there till the last, and then brought a machine-gun back to our front line, and turned it on the Germans. The Sergeant wasn't satisfied with that, but he goes out and brings in three wounded men. He is indeed a brave man, and well deserves his DCM."

Promoted CSM on 25th Jul 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn, on 2nd Aug 1916 Transferred to 'D' Coy, 31st Bn on 3th Aug 1916 Promoted 2/Lieut on 6th Aug 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

Those to be 2/Lieut dated from 16th Aug 1916 (Ref RO 194)

CQMS 173 Valentine CASEY	'A' Coy
Sgt 801 Harold Robert NEWALL	'D' Coy
Sgt 797 Stanley TOWNS	'C' Coy
CQMS 791 Alfred Willis GARLAND	'D' Coy
Sgt 800 Edward JOY	ʻC' Coy
Sgt 290 Eric SPRINGFIELD	Lewis Gun Section (temp att 'D'Coy)

CSM 1323 Reginald Joseph O'SULLIVAN 'C' Coy, transferred from 29th Bn

Promoted Lieut on 20th Nov 1916 Proceeded on leave on 27th Jan 1917 Returned from leave on 12th Feb 1917 Seconded for duty with 8th Trng Bn on 26th Feb 1917 Posted for duty with 8th Trng Bn on 26th Feb 1917 Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples from England on 10th May 1917 Marched out to unit on 13th May 1917 Rejoined unit, resumed duty ex Seconded List (8th Trng Bn) on 13th May 1917 Proceeded to England on Command to 8th Trng Bn, on 10th Jul 1917 Posted for duty with 8th Trng Bn, on 10th Jul 1917 Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, from France, on 14th Jul 1917 Sick to Fovant Hospital on 11th Sep 1917 Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, from Fovant Hospital on 14th Sep 1917 Proceeding overseas to France via Southampton on 5th Oct 1917 Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, on 7th Oct 1917 Marched out to unit on 8th Oct 1917 Rejoined unit from seconded with 8th Trng Bn, on 9th Oct 1917 Ceased to be seconded with 8th Trng Bn and resumed regimental duty, on 9th Oct 1917

<u>General Court Martial</u> held on 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 1917 at Desvres. President Col (Temp Brig Gen) H.G. Elliott, CMG, DSO, GOC 15<sup>th</sup> Aust Inf Brigade.

Members 57th Bn AIF Lt Col J.C. Stewart, DSO 56th Bn AIF Lt Col A.J. Simpson 30th Bn AIF Major F. Charlton, MC Major A.C. Holland 55th Bn AIF Prosecutor Major N.M. Freeman, DSO 58th Bn AIF Counsel foe Accused Capt C.H. Helsham 5th Pnr Bn AIF Judge Advocate Capt Campbell Johnston Royal Sussex Regiment Charge: When on active service, 'Drunkenness' in that he, at Wulvergham on 21st Nov 1917, having been warned for duty in the line, was drunk, A.A.Sect 19 Finding: Guilty Sentence: To be dismissed from His Majesty's Service 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec 1917 Confirmed by Field Marshall Sir Douglas Haig on 17th Jan 1918. Period awaiting Trial 27th Nov 1917 to 21st Dec 1917 - 25 days Proceeded to England for RTA on 29th Jan 1918

Dismissed from service due GCM on 26<sup>th</sup> Jan 1918 RTA per "Dunvegan Castle" on 13<sup>th</sup> Mar 1918 File shows not eligible for receipt of medals, Star, British War and Victory Medals His father, Cornelius Joseph O'Sullivan died 4<sup>th</sup> Jun 1924 Died 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 1926 at Malvern, Melbourne, Victoria He was proud of his <u>DCM</u> but not bothered about other general service medals Application was made on his mother's behalf re medals. His mother, Mary Jane O'Sullivan, received his medal entitlement (Star, BWM. VM) in August 1942

**OSWALD** 

Arthur Weir



Rank

Born

NoK

Age

Address

Outcome

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4576 Service No Sgt Clifton, NSW Mrs Jean Miller Oswald, PO Boolaroo, Newcastle, NSW Enlistment 27th Oct 1916 Boolaroo, Newcastle, NSW 21 Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Bank Accountant Occupation PO Boolaroo, Newcastle, NSW RTA 12<sup>th</sup> Jul 1919 Listed on Hunter Valley Diggers At 11th Depot Bn from 11th Aug to 25th Nov 1916 12<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn on 26<sup>th</sup> Nov 1916 Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A64 "DEMOSTHENES", 23rd December, 1916 Sick to ship's hospital on 23rd Feb 1917 Discharged from hospital on 27th Feb 1917 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 3rd Mar 1917 Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, on 3rd Mar 1916 Marched in to 15th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, for rations and accommodation only on 21st Jul 1917 Marched out to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, on 2nd Aug 1917 Sick to Sutton Veny Hospital on 10th Oct 1917 Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, Codford, from 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, on 5th Nov 1917 Proceeding overseas to France, ex 14th Trng Bn to reinforce 29th Bn, via Folkestone, on 3rd Jun 1918 Marched in to AIDBD, Havre, on 6th Jun 1918 Marched out to unit on 8th Jun 1918 Taken on strength of 29th Bn (orig 12th Rfts, 31st Bn) on 12th Jun 1918 Detached to 5th Div Sig Coy for duty on 20th Jun 1918 Rejoined unit on 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug 1918 Transferred to 32<sup>nd</sup> Bn from 29<sup>th</sup> Bn whilst attached to 5<sup>th</sup> Div HQ, on 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 1918 Transferred to AAPC on 2nd Dec 1918 Taken on strength of A Pay Corps on 2nd Dec 1918 On leave to Paris on 1st Mar 1919 Promoted Temp Sgt (vice Barr) on 6th Mar 1919 Returned from Paris leave on 1st Apr 1919 Attached to 2<sup>nd</sup> Div A Pay Corps, on 9<sup>th</sup> Apr 1919 Marched out to Chief Pay Office, London, for duty, on 6th May 1919 Disembarked at Folkestone on duty from France and to report to HQ London on 7th May 1919 Reported to Furlough Dept, AIF HQ, London, on 7th May and granted leave to report HQ on 21st May 1919 Marched out from AAPC for RTA on 21st May 1919 Reverts to Pte on marching out and appointed Hon Sgt on 8th Jul 1919 RTA per "City of Exeter" as T/Sgt, on 12th Jul 1919 Arrived Sydney on 26th Aug 1919 and proceeded to Brisbane Discharged at Brisbane on 5th Oct 1919

OSWIN	Thomas William
Service No	3670
Rank	Pte
Born	Gympie, Queensland
NoK	(m) Mrs Sarah Ann Oswald, 17 Phillip St, Spring Hill, Brisbane, Queensland
	(w) Mrs Elizabeth Jean Oswin, Everson St, Cootharaba Hill, Gympie, Qld
Enlistment	23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov 1916 Brisbane, Queensland
Age	21
Status & Religion	Married, Meth.
Occupation	Miner
Address	Everson St, Cootharaba Hill, Gympie, Qld
Outcome	RTA per "Friedrichsruh" on 22 <sup>nd</sup> Jan 1920
Notes	Brother, Pte Richard Charles Oswin, # 1275
	Brother, Mr W H Oswin, Dagan, Queensland
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Rfts, 4 <sup>th</sup> Pnrs from 1 <sup>st</sup> Apr 1916 to 13 <sup>th</sup> Apr 1916
	8 <sup>th</sup> Bfts 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn

8<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn

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Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 13th Oct 1916 Marched in to No 3 Comm Depot, from Australia, on 20th Oct 1916 Proceeded overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, per 'Golden Eagle' via Folkestone, on 17th Dec 1916 Marched in to ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 18th Dec 1916 Marched out to unit on 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec 1916 Taken on strength of 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, ex 5th AIDBD, on 26th Dec 1916 To hospital sick, on 6th Jan 1917 Admitted 14th Fld Amb (broncho catarrh) on 6th Jan 1917 Rejoined unit ex sick, on 10th Jan 1917 WIA (contusions back) on 26<sup>th</sup> Sep 1917 (IV Platoon, 'A' Coy) Admitted 8th Fld Amb (contusions back) and transferred to 5th DRS, on 26th Sep 1917 Discharged to duty, on 29th Sep 1918 Rejoined Bn ex sick, on 29th Sep 1918 FGCM held in the field on 31st Oct 1917 (RO 595) President: Major B A Wark, 32nd Bn, AIF Charge: Deserting His Majesty's Service, AA Sect12 (1) Pleading: Not Guilty Finding: Not Guilty of Desertion, but Guilty of AWL (from 9.30am on 21/10/17 till about 1.30pm on 23/10/17) Sentence: 1 year IHL Finding and Sentence confirmed but sentence remitted to 90 days FP No 2 by Major Gen Hobbs, CB, VD, Commanding 5th Aust Div, on 2nd Nov 1917 Period under arrest awaiting trial: 7 days AWL 3 days To 1st Aust FP Compound, on 9th Nov 1917 To hospital sick from Aust FP Compound, on 5th Jan 1918 Admitted 53rd CCS (ICT R finger) on 5th Jan 1918 Transferred to Amb Train on 11th Jan 1918 Admitted 7th Stat Hospital, Boulogne, (septic R finger) on 11th Jan 1918 Discharged to 7th Conval Depot, on 7th Feb 1918 Discharged to Base Depot, on 13th Mar 1918 Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from hospital, on 17th Mar 1918 Marched out to unit on 17th Apr 1918 Rejoined Bn ex sick, on 19th Apr 1918 Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from 39th General Hospital, on 22nd Jun 1918 Offence: AIBD, Rouelles. When on active service, AWL from 9.30am 2/7/18 till 9pm 12/7/18. Award: 28 days FP No 1, by OC AIBD, on 13th Jul 1918Total forfeiture: 39 days' pay Marched out to unit on 13th Jul 1918 Rejoined unit ex sick, on 13th Jul 1918 WIA 2<sup>nd</sup> occ (GSW leg) on 19<sup>th</sup> Aug 1918 Admitted 12th Fld Amb (SW R leg) and transferred to CCS, on 19th Aug 1918 Admitted 53rd CCS (SW leg) on 19th Aug 1918 Transferred to AMB Train on 20th Aug 1918 Admitted 9th General Hospital, Rouen (SW R leg) on 21st Aug 1918 Transferred to England, on 23rd Aug 1918 Embarked on HS 'Essequibo' for England, on 23rd Aug 1918 Admitted Coliston House, VAD Hospital, Doneheala, aff Weymouth Military Hospital, (GSWW R leg) on 24th Aug 1918 Discharged to furlough on 5th Oct 1918 and to report to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 7th Oct 1918 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, from AHQ, London, on 7th Oct 1918 No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny, Reported AWL on 4th Nov 1918 Court of Inquiry held at Sutton Veny on 26th Nov 1918. Declared an illegal absentee from 3pm 4/11/18 and that he is still so absent. Marched in to No 2 Group, Sutton Veny, from Liverpool, on 27th Jun 1919 DCM held at Sutton Veny on 11th Jul 1919 President: Charge: Sutton Veny, 4th Nov 1918. AWL from 1500 4/11/18 till apprehended at Liverpool at 2315 21/6/19. Pleading: Guilty Finding: Guilty Sentence: to undergo 12 months Detention from 11/7/19 Confirmed: Major Gen Sir C Rosenthal, KCB, CMG, DSO, AIF Depots in UK on 15th Jul 1919 Promulgated: 18th Jul 1919 Period under Charge: 23/6/19 to 11/7/19 Forfeiture Concurrent: on 11/7/19

Declared an illegal absentee at Sutton Veny, by Court of Inquiry, and is still so absent, on 19<sup>th</sup> Feb 1919 Apprehended (APM London) on 20<sup>th</sup> Dec 1919 <u>DCM</u> held at Warwick Square, on 31<sup>st</sup> Dec 1918 President: Lt Col, C R Davies, Charge: Absenting himself without leave, in that he at Sutton Veny on the 19th day of July 1919absented himself without leave and remained so absent until apprehended by the Military authorities in Edinburgh at 10.45am on 20th Dec 1919 Pleading: Guilty Finding: Guilty Sentence: Detention for 14 months Confirmed: Lt Col R E Jackson, Acting Commandant AIF HQ, on 2nd Jan 1920 Case first investigated, on 31st Dec 1919 Admitted AIF Detention Barracks, Lewes, on 8th Jan 1920 Sentence to undergo Detention for 14 months. The unexpired portion of the above sentence is remitted as from the date of embarkation. RTA per "Friedrichsruh" on 22nd Jan 1920 Illegally absent from "Friedrichsruh" on 1st Mar 1920 AWL at Fremantle, on 2<sup>nd</sup> Mar 1920 Re-embarked on SS "Karoola" at Fremantle on 20th Mar 1920 Discharged at Brisbane on 2nd Apr 1920

## **OTTERSPOOR**

Francis Jacob (Franciscus Jacobus )



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Service No Rank Born NoK

Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

Pte Ubrecht, Holland (f) Mr Servanus Otterspoor, of Cooper's Plains, Brisbane, Queensland, and (w) Mrs Hendrika Johanna van Kesberen (his wife) (brother) Mr John Otterspoor, 'Estor' Annerley Rd, South Brisbane, #3900, 4th Pnr Bn, KIA,22nd May 1918 19<sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 21 Single Meth. Salesman 'Estor' Annerley Rd, South Brisbane, KIA 19th Jul 1916 at Fromelles. Buried Rue-Petillon Military Cemetery I. L. 66. Lived in Pretoria, South Africa. Violinist and had a "Stradarvari". Another brother, Tpr #1210 A. Otterspoor, 11th LH Original 'B' Coy, 31st Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915 Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 To hospital sick (balanitus) at Duntroon Plateau on 17th Apr 1916, admitted to 15th Fld Amb, transferred to No2 ACCS at Ferry Post on 20th Apr 1916 Discharged to unit at Ferry Post on 12th May 1916 Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Honorata" on 16th Jun 1916, Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 At Morbecque on 3<sup>rd</sup> Jul 1916, Conduct to the good order and Military Discipline – Talking in the ranks. Awarded4 days CB by Capt W Sharp. KIA 19<sup>th</sup> Jul 1916 at Fromelles. Buried Rue-Petillon Military Cemetery I. L. 66.

Buried at Eaton Hall Militar	v Cemetery	by Rev S.A	. Beveridge, att 29 <sup>th</sup> Bn.

OTTENSEN	Charles William
Service No	5083
Rank	Pte
Born	Ipswich, Qld
NoK	Mrs Lillite Fanny Ottensen, 26 Warner St, Valley, Brisbane, Qld
	Two children,
Enlistment	6 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1917 Brisbane, Qld
Age	23
Status & Religion	Married, C.of E.

Occupation Address Outcome Notes	Woodworker 26 Warner St, Valley, Brisbane, Qld RTA per HT "Khyber" due invalidity on 31 <sup>st</sup> Mar 1919 AMC Rfts 10 <sup>th</sup> May to 9 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1917 14 <sup>th</sup> Rfts 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn on 9 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1917 Embarked on A20 at Sydney on 14 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1917 Disembarked at Liverpool, England on 26 <sup>th</sup> Aug 1917 Marched in to 8 <sup>th</sup> Trng Bn, Hurdcott on 26 <sup>th</sup> Mar 1917 Taken on strength of 41 <sup>st</sup> Bn on 4 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1918 Appointed L/Cpl on 1 <sup>st</sup> Sep 1918 RTA per HT "Khyber" due invalidity on 31 <sup>st</sup> Mar 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 20 <sup>th</sup> Jun 1919
OULD	John
Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	<ul> <li>1085</li> <li>Pte</li> <li>Fitzroy, Melbourne, Victoria</li> <li>Mr John Ould, 88 Alexandra Pde, Fitzroy, Melbourne, Victoria</li> <li>15<sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 Fitzroy, Melbourne, Vic</li> <li>18</li> <li>Single, C.of E.</li> <li>Clerk</li> <li>88 Alexandra Pde, Fitzroy, Melbourne, Victoria</li> <li>RTA 9<sup>th</sup> Sep 1916</li> <li>Original, 'B' Coy, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn</li> <li>Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915</li> <li>Disembarked at Suez on 7<sup>th</sup> Dec 1915</li> <li>Embarked at Alexandria, Egypt to join B.E.F on HMAT 'Hororata' on 16<sup>th</sup> Jun 1916</li> <li>Disembarked at Marseilles, France on 23<sup>rd</sup> Jun 1916</li> <li>WIA (SW forearm) on 19<sup>th</sup> Jul 1916</li> <li>Admitted 3<sup>rd</sup> Can Gen Hospital on 21<sup>st</sup> Jul 1916</li> <li>Embarked at Boulogne on HS "St David" for England on 21<sup>st</sup> Jul 1916</li> <li>RTA per HT "Kanowna", compound fracture forearm, from Southampton, on 9<sup>th</sup> Sep 1916</li> <li>Discharged at Melbourne on 31<sup>st</sup> Mar 1917</li> </ul>
OUTEN Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes	Joseph 3609 Pte Charleville, Queensland (m) Mrs Elizabeth Outen, Alfred St, Charleville, Queensland (w) Mrs W W Outen, 12 Elm St, Wynnum, Queensland 15 <sup>th</sup> Feb 1916 Charleville, Queensland 27 Single, C.of E. Station hand Charleville, Queensland RTA per HT "Nestor" on 1 <sup>st</sup> Nov 1919 Brother, Pte William Amos Outen, # 3610, 31st Bn 8 <sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1916 Taken on strength of 31 <sup>st</sup> Bn, ex 5 <sup>th</sup> AIDBD, on 26 <sup>th</sup> Dec 1916 RTA per HT "Nestor" on 1 <sup>st</sup> Nov 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb 1920

Discharged at Brisbane on 8<sup>th</sup> Feb 1920 Died 16<sup>th</sup> Dec 1959



William Amos

Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

3610 Pte Charleville, Queensland Mrs Elizabeth Outen, Alfred St, Charleville, Queensland 15th Feb 1916 Charleville, Queensland 31 Single, C.of E. Station hand Alfred St, Charleville, Queensland RTA 25th Sep 1919 Brother, Pte Joseph Outen, # 3609, 31st Bn 8th Rfts. 31st Bn Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 13th Oct 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, ex 5th AIDBD, on 26th Dec 1916

WIA (GSW leg) on 10th Apr 1918

John Peter

RTA per "Port Denison" on 25th Sep 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 9th Jan 1920

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3008 Pte Appin, NSW uncle, William Ovard, PO Woonona, NSW 15<sup>th</sup> Jan 1916 Woonona, NSW 18 Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Labourer PO Woonona, NSW KIA on 26th May 1918, buried Le Peuplier Military Cemetery, Caestre, B. 13. 5th Rfts, 31st Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916 Marched out to 1st Pioneers, Tel el Kebir on 8th Mar 1916 Embarked to join BEF on HT "Ivernia" at Alexandria on 25th May 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles on 29th May 1916 Reported Pnr Dtls, Etaples on 29th May 1916 Proceeded to join unit on 18th Jul 1916 Taken on strength of 1st Pnrs on 19th Jul 1916

> KIA on 26<sup>th</sup> May 1918, buried Le Peuplier Military Cemetery, Caestre, B. 13. Buried Peuplie Military Cemetery, 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> miles NE of Hazebrouck.

Hugh

OWENS	
Service No	
Rank	
Born	
NoK	

1025 Pte Williamstown, Victoria Mrs Rose M Owens, 76 Station St, Port Melbourne, Victoria Enlistment 13<sup>th</sup> Jul 1915 Age 41 Status & Religion Married, C.of E. Occupation Labourer Address 76 Station St, Port M Outcome RTA 17<sup>th</sup> Mar Notes Original, 'D' Coy, 3 Embarked at Melbo Disembarked at Sue

RTA per "Beltana" on 17<sup>th</sup> Mar 1917 Discharged at Melbourne on 13<sup>th</sup> Jun 1917

### OWENS





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Service No Rank Born NoK Enlistment Age Status & Religion Occupation Address Outcome Notes

Pte Eardary, Scotland sister, Mrs Margaret Collins, Slatefield St, Glasgow, Scotland 8<sup>th</sup> Jan 1917 Redbank, Queensland 53 Single, R.C. Miner Redbank, Queensland RTA 10<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918 13<sup>th</sup> Rfts, 31<sup>st</sup> Bn Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A18 "WILTSHIRE", 7th February, 1917 Disembarked at Devonport, Melbourne on 11<sup>th</sup> Apr 1917

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, ex 13th Rfts on 18th Oct 1917

RTA per "Somali", age, on 10<sup>th</sup> Dec 1918 Discharged at Brisbane on 31<sup>st</sup> Mar 1919