'D' Members 31st Bn

DAHL Arthur Albert

Service No 4647 Rank Cpl

Born 2nd May 1896, Woongarra, Queensland

NoK Mr Angus Neilsen Dahl, (m) Laurine Christina (nee Jensen) Dahl, George St, Bundaberg, Queensland

Enlistment 12th Apr 1916 Bundaberg, Queensland

Age 21 Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Farmer

Address George St, Bundaberg, Queensland

Outcome RTA 6th Sep 1919 Notes 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, on 3rd Mar 1917 Sick to Parkhouse Hospital on 7th Apr 1917

Admitted Parkhouse Military Hospital (mumps) on 8th Apr 1917

Discharged on 26th Apr 1916

Transferred to and taken on strength of 5th AASC Trng Depot, Parkhouse, from 31st Bn, on 16th Jun 1916 Proceeded overseas to France, from ASC Trng Depot, Parkhouse, via Southampton, on 1st Apr 1916

Taken on strength of 5^{th} Aust Motor Transport Coy, on 11^{th} Apr 1918

To hospital on 11th Nov 1918

 $Admitted\ 3^{rd}\ AGH,\ Abbeville,\ (injury\ to\ jaw)\ on\ 11^{th}\ Nov\ 1918$ $Transferred\ to\ England\ (compound\ frac\ of\ mandible)\ on\ 25^{th}\ Nov\ 1918$

Embarked on HS 'St Denis' for England on 25th Nov 1918

Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, (injury to jaw) on 25th Nov 1918

RTA per HT 'Euripides' on 6th Sep 1919 Disembarked at Sydney on 21st Oct 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 9th Dec 1919 Married Annie Coulter on 5th Feb 1920

Served in WWII as Pte Q69627 with Northern Command Canteen Service

NoK (w) Annie Dahl, 4th Avenue, Sandgate, Brisbane, Qld

Discharged medically unfit on 21st May 1942

Died on 6th Apr 1963

DAHTLER Michael Richard

Service No 4761A Rank Pte

Born Mount Perry, Queensland

NoK Mr Frederick Dahtler, Mt Perry, Queensland Enlistment 13th Sep 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 24

Status & Religion Single, Meth Occupation Stockman

Address Mt Perry, Queensland Outcome RTA 22nd May 1919

Notes 15th Rfts, 9th Bn

Embarked on A73 HMAT Commonwealth on 28^{th} Mar 1916 at Brisbane

'D' Coy. 14 Platoon, 31st Bn

RTA 22nd May 1919 Discharged at Brisbane, on Married Clara Louise Biskup in 1921 Died 1st Sep 1946, at Mt Perry Qld Buried Mt Perry Cemetery, Qld

DALE John Patrick Service No 2129 Rank Pte

Wollongong, NSW Born

NoK sister, Miss Elizabeth Dale, Manilla, NSW (sister, R S Rowlinson)

Enlistment 16th Sep 1915 Newcastle, NSW

19 Age Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Farm Labourer Address Woollongong, NSW 19th Apr 1919

Outcome RTA 3rd Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A70 "Ballarat", on 18th Feb 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 23rd Mar 1916

Returned from leave to UK on 29th Mar 1918 'C' Coy (RO 724)

RTA per HT 'Marathon' on 19th Apr 1919 Disembarked at Sydney, on 10th Jun 1919

DALE John Ramsay Service No 4980 Rank Cpl

Ballarat, Victoria Born

Mrs Jemina Dale, 322 Tiger St, Ballarat, Victoria NoK 12th Mar 1917 Red Hill, Queensland Enlistment

26 Age

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Corps of M.S. Clerks Red Hill, Queensland Address Outcome 18th Jul 1920 14th Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A20 "HORORATA", 14th June, 1917

7th FAB

RTA per HT 'Kigoma' on 18th Jul 1920

Discharged in

Served in WWII as Major, VX245, with 2/1st Aust Army Ordnance Stores Company with 6th Div in Middle East

from 15th Dec 1939 to 17th Dec 1941. Mentioned in Despatches.

Returned to Australia on Queen Elizabeth, V41, on 18th Dec 1941 for Duty in Australia.

Promoted Lieut Colonel, service no V146282, with AAOC, HQ, Vic L of C.

Placed on Retirement List on 15th Aug 1952

Died Kew, Vic in 1963

Cemetery: Springvale Botanical Cemetery, Melbourne, service on 3rd Oct 1963 and remains scattered.

DALRYMPLE David Service No 639 Rank Pte

Born Malvern, Melbourne, Victoria

Mrs Sarah Dalrymple, "Essex Villa", Horace St, Malvern, Melbourne, Vic NoK

Enlistment 9th Jul 1915 Malvern, Victoria

25 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E., Occupation Brickmaker

Address "Essex Villa", Horace St, Malvern, Melbourne, Vic

10th Jun 1916 RTA Outcome

Notes Brother of Dvr 1234 Alexander Dalrymple, 6th Bn/2nd FAB, Pte 5580 Henry Dalrymple, 21st Bn, and a cousin of

Gnr 1137 Albert Pankhurst

'A' Coy, Flemington Depot, from 14th Jul to 12th Aug 1915

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn on 12th Aug 1915

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to hospital, Serapeum, on 28th Dec 1915

Admitted 1st Aux Hospital, Heliopolis (dental) on 13th Jan 1916 Discharged from 1st AGH, Cairo, to light duties, on 14th Feb 1916

Admitted 1st Aux Hospital, Heliopolis, (opacity of knee) on 22nd May 1916

Invalided to Australia, on 22nd May 1916

Discharged from 1st Aux Hospital, Heliopolis, for RTA, on 9th Jun 1916 RTA per HT 'Itonus' (opacity of limbs) from Suez, on 10th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Melbourne on 18th Jul 1916 Discharged at Melbourne on 18th Aug 1916 Married Elizabeth Mary Jackman in 1928 Died at Heidelberg, Vic, on 4th May 1955

DALTON John Arthur Service No 1578 Rank Pte

Born Footscray, Melbourne, Victoria NoK (m) Mrs Agnes E Dalton,

(w) Mrs Margaret Dalton, 6 Pilgrim St, Footscray, Melbourne, Victoria (mar 1915)

Enlistment 3rd Aug 1915 Melbourne, Victoria

Age 22

Status & Religion Married, C.of E. Coccupation Labourer

Address 6 Pilgrim St, Footscray, Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome RTA 25th Aug 1917

Notes 1st Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A42 "Bakara", on 8th Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Transferred to 'D' Coy, 31st Bn, Serapeum, on 11th Feb 1916 Transferred to 5th Pioneer Bn, Tel el Kebir, on 13th Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 5th Pnr Bn, on 13th Mar 1916

Embarked to join BEF, on HMT 'Canada' at Alexandria on 19th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916

WIA on 15th Jul 1916

Admitted 14th Fld Amb (thorax) on 16th Jul 1916

Admitted 13th Stat Hospital, Boulogne (GSW thorax, back) on 17th Jul 1916

Embarked on HS 'Jan Brydel' for England on 25th Jul 1916

RTA per A24 HT 'Benalla' deafness and GSW back, on 25^{th} Aug 1917

Disembarked at Melbourne on 4th Oct 1917 Discharged at Melbourne on 14th Dec 1917 Married Margaret Cosgrove in 1915

Died at East Brunswick, Melbourne, on 9th Jun 1970

DALY





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Service No 184 Rank Pte

Born Ballina, NSW

NoK Mr John Thomas Laly(step father)& Mrs Mary Jane (Helen) Daly (Lally), Hotel Royal, Casino, NSW

Mary Jane Daly, ROH, Burringbar, Tweed Line, NSW

Enlistment 16-Jul-15 Casino, NSW

Age

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Barber/ Barman

Address Hotel Royal, Casino, NSW

Outcome KIA on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles, Buried Anzac Cemetery Sailly-Sur-La-Lys, II. G. 4.

Notes Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

KIA on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles,

Buried Anzac Cemetery Sailly-Sur-La-Lys, 2 ¼ miles ENE of Estaires, 5 miles SW of Armentieres, Ref to map

Sht 36, square G.11.c,2,6 by Rev W Holliday, attached 56th Bn, 8th Bde, AIF

Buried Anzac Cemetery Sailly-Sur-La-Lys, II. G. 4.

DAMMDavidService No2933RankPte

Born Pialba, Queensland

NoK Mr Geuschristian (Jens Christien) & Mrs Maria Damm, Pialba, Queensland

Enlistment 29th Jan 1916 Pialba, Queensland

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, Meth.
Occupation Labourer

Address Pialba, Queensland Outcome RTA 5th Jul 1919

Notes Brother; Sgt Neils Peter Damm, # 2932A, 31st Bn

6th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A40 "Ceramic", 14th April 1916

Disembarked at Port Said, on 16th May 1916

RTA 5th Jul 1919

DAMM Niels Peter Service No 2932A Rank Sgt

Born 2nd May 1890, Pialba, Queensland

NoK Mr Geuschristian (Jens Christien) & Mrs Maria (nee Gundersen) Damm, Pialba, Queensland

Enlistment 29th Jan 1916 Pialba, Queensland

Age 25

Status & Religion
Occupation
Address
Outcome
Single, Meth.
Labourer
Pialba, Queensland
RTA 11th Jan 1918

Notes Brother; Pte David Damm, # 2933, 31st Bn

11th Depot Bn, from 1st Feb to 11th Mar 1916 Reserve Coy, from 11th Mar to 10th Apr 1916

6th Rfts, 31st Bn, on 10th Apr 1916

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A40 "Ceramic", 14th April 1916

Disembarked at Port Said, on 16th May 1916

Embarked on HMT 'Franconia' at Alexandria on 6th Jun 19116

Disembarked at Plymouth on 16th Jun 1916

Admitted to hospital, from 8th Trng Bn, Larkhill, on 30th Jun 1916 Detached for duty from 8th Trng Bn, at Instructional School, Tidworth, on Attached for duty at Instructional School, Tidworth, on 29th Jul 1916 On command at Jallalabad Barracks, Tidworth, on 9th Sep 1916

Proceeded overseas to France,

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 11th Sep 1916

To be Acting Cpl on 13th Sep 1916

Reverted to permanent grade at 5th ADBD, on 28th Sep 1916

Proceeded to join unit on 28th Sep 1916

Reverted to Pte, on 28th Sep 1916

Taken on strength of 'D' Coy, 31st Bn, on 30th Sep 1916

Appointed L/Cpl on 15th Oct 1916

Promoted Cpl, vice Sgt Robbins, on 27^{th} Oct 1916

Promoted Sgt, (vice Sgt EJ Robbins, joined Officer Train Bn and struck of strength on evac wounded on 31st Oct 1916) on 31st Oct 1916

Promoted T/Sgt, (vice Sgt Frank Austin Collins evacuated sick), on 1st Oct 1916

Promoted Sgt confirmed, (vice Sgt Frank Austin Collins evacuated sick), on 5th Nov 1916

To hospital sick, on 3rd Mar 1917

Admitted 15th Fld Amb and transferred to CCS, on 3rd Mar 1917

Admitted Anzac Mumps Station, (mumps) on 5th Mar 1917

Discharged to unit, on 23rd Mar 1917

Rejoined unit, ex hospital, on 26th Mar 1917

WIA (BW chest) on 26th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

Admitted 6th Fld Amb (GSW chest) and transferred to CCS, on 26th Sep 1917

Admitted 10th CCS, (GSW chest) and transferred to Amb Train, on 27th Sep 1917

Admitted 8th General Hospital, Rouen (GSW chest) on 27th Sep 1917

Transferred to England, on 7th Oct 1917

Embarked on HS 'Warilda', for England, on 7th Oct 1917

Admitted Queen's Hospital, (aff 1st Southern General Hospital), Birmingham, (BW chest, severe),

on 9th Oct 1917

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 27th Nov 1917

Discharged to furlough, on 28th Nov 1917 and to report to Depot, Hurdcott, on 12th Dec 1917

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, from No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 23rd Feb 1918

Proceeded overseas to France, from OTB, Longbridge Deverill, via Southampton, on 20th Mar 1918

Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from England, on 21st Mar 1918

Marched out to unit, on 22nd Mar 1918

Rejoined unit, ex wounded, on 26th Mar 1918

Listed War Diary 8th July 1918, mentioned War Diary July 1918

Detached with Demonstration Coy, (Paris), on 8th Jul 1918

Rejoined Bn ex Demonstration Coy, (Paris), on 19th Jul 1918

Appointed Acting CSM, (vice CSM Herbert James Forsyth, WIA 4/8/18) on 22nd Aug 1918

Promoted Temp CSM, (vice CSM Herbert James Forsyth, WIA 4/8/18) on 22nd Aug 1918

To Paris, on leave, on 22nd Nov 1918

Rejoined Bn, ex Paris leave, on 4th Dec 1918

Promoted T/RSM (vice Spilling), on 22nd Dec 1918

T/RSM (WO I) on 1st Jan 1919

Proceeded on leave to Paris, on 5th Feb 1919

Rejoined unit for Paris leave, on 19th Feb 1919

Marched out from 8th Bde Bn to Base Depot, for RTA, on 4th Apr 1919

Marched out from AIBD, Havre, to England, on 12th Apr 1919

Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth, from France, on 13th Apr 1919

RTA per 'Port Melbourne' on 11th Jan 1918

Disembarked at Melbourne, on 20th Aug 1919

Discharged at Brisbane on 15th Oct 1919

Married Mavis Clare Williams, on 25th Sep 1923 at St Peter's Church of England, Gympie

Served in WWII as Captain Q209532 with 12th Bn, VDC at Gympie, aged 52 years, cane farmer.

Nok Mavis Clare Damm, Goomboorian, via Gympie, Qld

Taken on strength 12th Bn, VDC, Gympie, on 3rd May 1942

Promoted Acting Captain, on 10th Dec 1942

Placed on Reserve List on 22nd Oct 1945

Died Goomboorian, via Gympie, Qld on 18th Nov 1959

DANAHER James









Rank Lieut 402 Born Harrisville, Queensland NoK Mr Phillip John and Mrs Maria Danaher, Shaw St, Archerflower, Brisbane, Queensland

and at Calvert, via Rosewood, Queensland

28th Jun 1915, Enlistment Brisbane, Queensland

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Age Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Surveyor

Address Calvert, via Rosewood, Queensland

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

Unallotted Pte from 28th Jun to 1st Aug 1915 Notes

> To 31st Bn on 1st Aug 1915 Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Appointed L/Cpl at Moascar on 6th Jun 1916

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

Promoted Sgt on 26th Jul 1916 Proceeded on leave on 8th Oct 1916 Returned from leave on 22nd Oct 1916

Proceeded to join Officer Cadet Trng Bn, Trinity College, Cambridge on 25th Nov 1916

On course Officer Cadet Trng Bn, Trinity College, Cambridge on 8th Dec 1916

Appointed 2/Lieut and posted to Infantry Rfts on 30th Mar 1917 Proceeded overseas to France from Tidworth on 26th Apr 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples on 27th Apr 1917

Marched out to unit on 30th Apr 1917 2/Lieut with 31st Bn on 30th Apr 1917 Transferred to 15th Bn on 1st May 1917 Taken on strength of 15th Bn on 2nd May 1917 Transferred to 31st Bn on 11th May 1917 Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 12th May 1917

Appointed Acting Intelligence Officer on 8th Jun 1917

Proceeded to 3rd Army Snipers and Observation School on 25th Jun 1917

Rejoined unit from School on 8th Jul 1917 To 1st Anzac Corps School on 7th Aug 1917 Promoted to be Lieut on 11th Aug 1917

Rejoined unit from 1st Anzac Corps School on 25th Aug 1917

Proceeded on leave to Paris on 2nd Sep 1917 Returned from Paris leave on 7th Sep 1917

After we had gained our objective on morning of 27th Sep, it was necessary to check our position etc by compass bearing. It was whilst doing this duty that he was hit by a shell and killed instantly. He had only left me a few minutes previously but I could not get definite information for some hours after. The battle was still in progress and enemy attacking made matters difficult. His poor body was afterwards buried on the battlefield close to where he fell, in SE corner of the wood near a place known as Cameron House. The registration of these graves could not be done as the ground was still being fought on, but I can assure you that it will be done as soon as possible. It is difficult to describe details of these affairs, but I hope these meagre lot will assist you in giving information to the enquirer. I wrote to his people in Queensland last October, but I don't think I mentioned about the registration difficulty. Lt Col F W Toll

Killed outright by a shell on the morning of 27th Sep. during our advance at Polygon Wood while in a very advanced position. He was acting as Battalion Intelligence Officer at the time of his death. Was with Lt Thompson, 'A' Coy, I Platoon- "He left me a minute before. I ducked as a shell came and it apparently hit him about 20yds away- and he was dead when I got to him. Struck in the side. Buried in eastern corner of Polygon Wood, just inside the wood. The grave was not marked then, and I'm sure it hasn't been since. The place has been under heavy shell fire ever since.

This Officer was killed during a reconnaissance in the operations at Polygon Wood on 27th Sep 1917. Buried at Polygon Wood - Parts SE, 1 & 3, 1/50,000 15.b buried between Carlisle Farm and Jerk House.

KIA 27th Sep 1917 Remembered at Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial Belgium

DANBY





John







644 Service No Cpl Rank

Born York, England

NoK Mr John Danby, 8 Belgrave St, York, England

(w) Mrs Elizabeth Ellen (nee Plant) Danby

Enlistment 12th Jul 1915 Melbourne, Victoria

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, C.of E., Occupation Labourer Address Melbourne, Victoria 31st Jan 1919 Outcome RTA

Notes Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn / A. Corps HTM Bty

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Transferred to 5th Div Artillery at Tel el Kebir, on 15th Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 25th Artillery Brigade and posted to 114th Battery on 15th Mar 1916

Transferred to Battery HQ, at Ferry Post, on 10thth May 1916 Proceeded to join BEF, per HMT 'Canada' at Alexandria on 19th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916

Transferred to Heavy Trench Mortar Battery on 15th Jul 1916 Taken on strength of V5 Aust HTMB, at Sailly, on 15th Jul 1916

To be T/Bdr, vice Arnold, (promoted) on 23rd Dec 1916

Promoted to Bdr confirmed on 23rd Dec 1916

Marched out to 5th Army Trench Mortar School on 26th Feb 1917

Rejoined unit ex 5th Army TM School on 13th Mar 1917

On leave to UK on 22nd Apr 1917 Rejoined unit ex leave on 9th May 1917

Marched out to 5th Army Trench Mortar School on 20th Jun 1917

Rejoined unit ex 5th Army TM School on 4th Jul 1917 WIA (1st occ) and remaining at duty on 31st Jul 1917

To be Temp/Cpl, vice 1526 Cpl Anderson (promoted) on 17th Aug 1917

To be Cpl, to complete complement, on 17th Aug 1917

Proceeded on leave on 10th Sep 1917

Rejoined unit from leave on 24th Sep 1917

Detached to 5th DAC (Div Ammo Column) on 11th Nov 1917

Attachment ceased on 19th Nov 1917

Detached to 14th FAB ex 5th DAC, on 19th Nov 1917 To be Cpl, to complete complement, on 17th Aug 1917

Attached to 5th DAC on 21st Nov 1917 Attachment ceased on 29th Nov 1917

Rejoined unit from attachment on 29th Nov 1917

On leave to Paris on 19th Jan 1918

Rejoined unit from leave on 26th Jan 1918

Transferred to Australian Heavy Trench Mortar Battery on 15th Feb 1918 Taken on strength of Aust HTMB ex 5th Div TM Battery, on 16th Feb 1918

WIA 2nd occ (GSW neck) on 12th Apr 1918

Admitted to 1/3 W.R. Fld Amb (GSW neck) and transferred to CCS, on 12th Apr 1918 Admitted to 11th CCS and transferred to Amb Train on 12th Apr 1918

Admitted 83rd Gen Hospital, Boulogne, (GSW neck & jaw) on 13th Apr 1918 Transferred from 83rd Gen Hospital (GSW neck & jaw) to England on 15th Apr 1918 Embarked at Boulogne, per HT 'Cambria' (GSW face) for England on 15th Apr 1918

Admitted Pavilion Gen Hospital, Brighton (GSW neck) on 16th Apr 1918

Transferred from Pavilion Gen Hospital to 3rd Aux Hospital, on 1st May 1918 Transferred to Queen's Hospital, Sidcup, on 27th May 1918

Discharged on 13th Jun 1918 and granted furlough and to report Queen's Hospital, Sidcup on 25th Jul 1918 At Queen's Hospital, Sidcup

Discharged on 15th Aug 1918 and granted furlough and to report Queen's Hospital, Sidcup on 29th Aug 1918 Awarded Military Medal on 29th Aug 1918 (AIF List 377)

At Queen's Hospital, Sidcup

Discharged on 19th Sep 1918 and granted leave and to report Queen's Hospital, Sidcup on 19th Oct 1918

Married: 9th Oct 1918, at Established Church, St Saviour, York by E.C. Smith Entry No 84

Groom: John DANBY of Lowther St. York. 644 Cpl Trench Mortar Battery AIF Age 22 yrs Sol

John DANBY of Lowther St, York. 644 Cpl Trench Mortar Battery AIF Age 22 yrs Soldier Father: Tom Danby, Labourer

Bride: Elizabeth Ellen PLANT, of Lowther St, York Age 23 yrs Spinster

Father: Jeremiah Plant, Labourer

At Queen's Hospital from 19th Oct 1918

Discharged on 30th Jan 1919 and granted furlough and to report Queen's Hospital, Sidcup on 13th Feb 1919 Offence: At Sidcup, overstaying furlough from 1800hrs 13/2/19 to 1600hrs 14/2/19. Admonished by Major

W.F. Christie, RAMC. Total Forfeiture 1 days pay.

Discharged from Queen's Hospital for RTA on 31st Mar 1919

RTA per 'Wandilla' from Southampton with his wife, on 31st Mar 1919

Disembarked 'Wandilla' at Melbourne on 18th May 1919

Discharged at Melbourne on 19th Dec 1919

DANDIE

Leopold George



Service No 833 Rank Cpl

Born 1893, Williamstown, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mr John & Margaret Lough Dandie, 15 Railway Tce, Williamstown, Melbourne, Victoria

Later 19 Davies St, Moonee Ponds, Melbourne, Vic

Enlistment 6th Jul 1915 Williamstown, Melbourne, Vic

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Labourer

Address 15 Railway Tce, Williamstown, Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome RTA 8th Apr 1919

Notes Original, 'D' Coy, XIII Platoon, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915,

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

(Battle of Fromelles, 19th/20th Jul 1916)

Sick to hospital on 1st Aug 1916

Admitted 5th DRS, (exhaustion) on 4th Aug 1916

Discharged to unit on 19th Aug 1916 Rejoined unit from sick on 20th Aug 1916 Appointed L/Cpl on 1st Sep 1916

To hospital sick, on 26th Sep 1916

Admitted 5th DRS (influenza) on 28th Sep 1916

Discharged to duty, on 10th Oct 1916 Rejoined unit from sick, on 10th Oct 1916

Sick to hospital, on 21st Nov 1916

Admitted 5th Fld Amb (bronco catarrh) and to DRS, on 21st Nov 1916

Rejoined unit from hospital, on 9th Dec 1916

Sick to hospital on 12th Jan 1917

Admitted 14th Fld Amb (sore feet) and transferred to 8th Fld Amb, on 12th Jan 1917

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (sore foot) on 12th Jan 1917

Transferred to DRS, on 27th Jan 1917

Admitted Anzac Corps Rest Station, on 27th Jan 1917

Transferred to 8th Fld Amb on 2nd Feb 1917 Rejoined from hospital, on 10th Feb 1917

To hospital sick on 23rd Feb 1917 Admitted 15th Fld Amb (bronchitis) on 23rd Feb 1917 Transferred to DRS and admitted 5th DRS on 25th Feb 1917

Transferred to 8th Fld Amb (DRS) on 14th Mar 1917 Admitted 1/1 S M CCS, (rheumatism), on 16th Mar 1917

Transferred to Amb Train, on 21st Mar 1917

Admitted 5th General Hospital, Rouen, on 21st Mar 1917

Embarked on HS 'St George' for England on 21st Apr 1917

Admitted Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, (rheumatism) on 24th Apr 1917

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 15th May 1917

Discharged to furlough on 18th May 1917 and to report to Trng Depot, Perham Downs, on 2nd Jun 1917

Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs, on 4th Jun 1917

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bn, from No 1 CD, on 12th Jun 1917

Marched out to Camp HQ on 13th Jun 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, Havre, from OTD, on 9th Jul 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD. From England, on 10th Jul 1917

Marched out to unit on 31st Jul 1917

Rejoined unit from sick, on 1st Aug 1917

Disobedience of Coy Standing Orders. Award: Reprimanded by Capt Drayton, on 6th Aug 1917

Wounded at Polygon Wood and remaining at Duty

[The Argus, Wed 25 Sep 1918 TEGART- In loving memory of my dear comrade, Private Herbert Leslie Tegart, who was killed in action on 25th September, 1917, at Polygon Wood, Belgium. (Inserted by Corporal L. G. Dandie, on active service, 19 Davies Street, Moonee Ponds.)]

Promoted T/Cpl (vice Cpl M J Ryan, evacuated sick on 5/8/17) on 1st Oct 1917

To hospital sick, on 11th Oct 1917

Admitted 3rd Fld Amb (bronchitis) on 11th Oct 1917

Reverted to L/Cpl on evacuating sick, 11th Oct 1917

Admitted 2nd Can CCS, (bronchitis) on 11th Oct 1917

Transferred to No 6 Amb Train, on 13th Oct 1917

Admitted 7th Conval Depot, Boulogne, on 26th Oct 1917

Transferred to and admitted to 10th Conval Depot, Ecault, on 30th Oct 1917

Transferred to 3rd Rest Camp, Ecault, on 5th Nov 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from hospital, on 6th Nov 1917

Marched out to unit, on 14th Nov 1917

Rejoined unit ex sick, on 15th Nov 1917

To hospital sick, on 1st Dec 1917

Admitted 8th Fld Amb, (bronchitis) and transferred to 5th DRS, on 1st Dec 1917

Admitted 5th DRS (bronchitis) on 1st Dec 1917

Discharged to duty, on 11th Dec 1917

Rejoined unit ex sick, on 11th Dec 1918

To be Temp Cpl (vice Cpl Egerton promoted T/Sgt, on 21/12/18) on 21st Dec 1917

Promoted Cpl (vice Cpl M R Egerton promoted Sgt) on 26th Dec 1917

To Trng Bn, England, and to be borne supernumerary to establishment, on 29th Jan 1918

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, from Franc, on 1st Feb 1918

Taken on strength (under para 1072) of Perm Cadre, Overseas Trng Bde, from 31st Bn, on 1st Feb 1918

Attended 18th Rifle Course at the Aust School of Musketry, Bhurtpore Barracks, Tidworth, from 21st Feb 1918 to 23rd Mar 1918, and qualified 1st Class with a fair working knowledge of Lewis Gun.

Sick to Group Clearing Hospital, Longbridge Deverill, (boils) on 29th May 1918

Re-transferred to 31st Bn, from Perm Cadre OTB, on admission to hospital, on 29th May 1918

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, from hospital, on 1st Jun 1918

Taken on strength of OTB, from 31st Bn, ex hospital, (vice Duncey), on 1st Jun 1918

Proceeding overseas to France, from Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, via Folkestone, on 1st Sep 1918

Re-transferred to 31st Bn from Perm Cadre of OTB, on marching out for overseas, on 1st Sep 1918

Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from UK, ex OTB, on 3rd Sep 1918

Marched out to unit on 6th Sep 1918

Rejoined unit ex Overseas Trng Bde, on 6th Sep 1918

Reported AWL on 28th Sep 1918

Accounted for on 6th Oct 1918

AWL from 9pm 27/9/18 to 9am 28/9/18. Reprimanded by CO 31st Bn. Forfeits 1 days pay.

Reverts to Pte at his own request, on 21st oct 1918

Marched out to Base Depot, for RTA, on 24th Jan 1919

Marched out of AIBD, Havre, for England (1915 Personnel) on 31st Jan 1919

Disembarked at Weymouth and marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 1st Feb 1919

RTA per 'Trasos Montes' on 8th Apr 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne, on 22nd May 1919

Discharged at Melbourne, on 15th Jul 1919

Died at Moon, in 1955, age 62 years

D'ANGRI Norman Service No 1132 Rank Cpl

Born 10 Aug 1893, Ballarat Victoria

NoK Mr William Natali D'Angri & Mrs Isabella (nee Wrathall) D'Angri, 16 Johnson St, Ballarat Victoria

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Ballarat Victoria

Age 23

Status & Religion Single, Meth. Occupation Farmer

Address 337 Lydiard St, Ballarat, Victoria
Outcome KIA on26th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

Notes Ballarat Avenue of Honor, Tree # 1177, Planted by Mr H Gill

Brother; Pte William Noel D'Angri, # 689,

Macarthur St State School, Ballarat, reference Amanda Taylor worked for Vic Railways, farmer, labourer, reference Amanda Taylor

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915,

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 WIA (GSW thigh) on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

Admitted 2nd CCS, (GSW thigh), and transferred to Amb Train, on 21st Jul 1916 Admitted 3rd Can Stat Hospital, Boulogne, (GSW R thigh), on 21st Jul 1916 Embarked at Boulogne, on HS 'Jan Brydel' for England, on 21st Jul 1916 Admitted Military Hospital, Colchester, (GSW R thigh), on 22nd Jul 1916

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 17th Nov 1916

Discharged to furlough on 17th Nov 1916 and to report to Perham Downs, on 2nd Dec 1916 Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, from AHQ, London, ex furlough, classified 'A', on 4th Dec 1916

Marched out to 8th Trng Bn, Burton, on 5th Dec 1916

Proceeded overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, per 'Princess Henrietta', via Folkestone, on 31st Dec 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 1st Jan 1917

Marched out to unit, on 2nd Jan 1917 Rejoined unit ex wounded, on 4th Jan 1917 Appointed L/Cpl, on 2nd Mar 1917 To hospital sick, on 22nd Mar 1917

Admitted MDS/6th Fld Amb, (tonsilitis), and transferred to Div Rest Station, on 23rd Mar 1917

Admitted 5th DRS, (tonsilitis) and transferred to CCS, on 23rd Mar 1917

Admitted 2/1 SM CCS, (diptheria), on 24th Mar 1917

Transferred to Amb Train, on 7th Apr 1917 Admitted 14th Stat Hospital, on 8th Apr 1917 Transferred to England, on 13th Apr 1917

Embarked on HS 'St Denis' for England, on 15th Apr 1917

Admitted Royal Herbert Hospital, (diptheria conv), on 16th Apr 1917

Admitted 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 30th Apr 1917

Discharged to furlough on 11th Jun 1917 and to report to No 2 Comm Depot, on 25th Jun 1917

Marched in to Overseas Trng Depot, Perham Downs, on 20th Jul 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, from Overseas Trng Depot, via Folkestone, on 4th Aug 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from England, on 6th Aug 1917

Marched out to unit, on 19th Aug 1917 Rejoined unit, ex sick, on 21st Aug 1917

Promoted Cpl, (vice Cpl L G Ricketts promoted Sgt, X Platoon, 'C' Coy), on 30th Aug 1917

(replaced by L/Cpl Stanley Victor Wallace) ('C' Coy, RO 540)

KIA on 26th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood (X Platoon, 'C' Coy)

Buried in vicinity of Polygon Wood, Sht 28NE, J.10

Remembered on Menin Gate, Ypres

Could I his mother have clasped his hand,

The son I loved so well.

To kiss his brow when death was near And whisper "Dear Norm, farewell." Sweet is the memory left behind Of one so noble, true and kind; His fight is fought, he stood the test—Dear Norm was one of the best.—

DANIEL Lawrence Service No Pte Rank

Born Tallarook, Victoria

NoK Mr Alexander Daniel, 8 Hotham St, South Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 South Melbourne, Victoria

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Carpenter

Address 8 Hotham St, South Melbourne, Victoria 13th Apr 1919 RTA Outcome

Notes Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn / 5th Pioneers

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Transferred to 5th Pnr Bn on 3rd Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 5th Pnr Bn, Tel el Kebir, on 3rd Mar 1916

Embarked to join BEF on HMT 'Canada' at Alexandria, on $19^{\rm th}$ Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles on $25^{\rm th}$ Jun 1916

Sick to hospital on 5th May 1917

RTA per HT 'Wyreema' on 13th Apr 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 31st May 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 28th Oct 1919

DANIELS Edward Mark 4292 Service No Rank Cpl

Brighton, England Born

Mrs Harriet Louisa Daniels, cnr Ernest and Stanley Sts, South Brisbane, Qld NoK

27th Nov 1915 Enlistment Brisbane, Queensland

21 Age

Status & Religion Married, Meth. Occupation Fruit farmer

Address cnr Ernest and Stanley Sts, South Brisbane, Qld

Outcome 9th Feb 1919

'B' Coy, 6th Depot Bn from 27th Nob 1915 to 22nd Jan 1916 Notes

'D' Coy, 35^{th} Bn from 22^{nd} Jan to 31^{st} Jan 1916 'D' Coy, 36^{th} Bn from 31^{st} Jan to 14^{th} Feb 1916 'D' Coy, 42nd Bn from 14th Feb to 11th Jun 1916

11th Rfts, 31st Bn on 12th Jun 1916

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916

To be Voyage Only Cpl on HMT 'Kyarra' on 17th Nov 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 30th Jan 1917

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, from Australia on 30th Jan 1917 Admitted Military Hospital, Fovant (bronchitis) on 4th Feb 1917

Admitted Military Hospital, Fovant (mumps) on 4th Feb 1917 Marched in to 8th Trng Bn from Mil Hosp, Fovant, on 6th Apr 1917

Detached for duty with 4th Div MG Coy, Perham Downs, from 31st Bn, on 3rd Jun 1917 Taken on strength of 4th Div MG Coy, Perham Downs, from 31st Bn, on 22nd May 1917

Proceeding overseas to France via Southampton on 7th Sep 1917

Sick to hospital from Overseas Trng Bde, (pleurisy) on 20th Nov 1918 Admitted Military Hospital, Sutton Veny, (bronchitis) on 21st Nov 1918 Discharged to No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny, on 23rd Dec 1918

RTA per 'Ascanius' due influenza, on 9th Feb 1919

Discharged at Brisbane on9th May 1919

DANK Charles Conrad









Service No 320 Rank Pte

Born 28th Dec 1886, Allora, Queensland

NoK Mrs Louisa Dank, Spring Creek, Clifton, Queensland

Enlistment 13th Jul 1915 Clifton, Queensland

Age 25

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.
Occupation Mill hand/ Sawmiller

Address Spring Creek, Clifton, Queensland

Outcome Outcome VIA on 19th Jul 1916 at Fromelles, remembered at VC Corner Australian Cemetery France

Notes AWM photo DA11925

Brother Henry Adams Dank, # 183, 31st Bn, RTA Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 Missing after action on 20th Jul 1916

Previously reported Missing, now Killed in Action

KIA on 19th Jul 1916 at Fromelles, remembered at VC Corner Australian Cemetery France

Buried in vicinity of Fleurbaix Sht 36 NW

DANK

Henry Adams











Service No 183 Rank Sgt

Born Allora, Queensland

NoK Mrs Louisa Dank, Spring Creek, Clifton, Queensland

Enlistment 13th Jul 1915 Clifton, Queensland

Age 27

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Saw-miller

Address Spring Creek, Clifton, Queensland

Outcome RTA 9th Dec 1918 Notes AWM photo DA11925

Brother, Charles Conrad Dank, #320, 31st Bn, KIA

Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

At Fromelles on 19th/20th Jul 1916 Promoted Cpl on 26th Jul 1916

WIA (bomb/grenade wound) on 10th Aug 1916

Embarked at Boulogne per 'St Denis' for England (GSW upper extremities) on 17th Aug 1916 Admitted 2nd Western General Hospital, Manchester (GSW grenade) on 18th Aug 1916 Promoted Sgt on 28th Jun 1917

Rejoined ex G HQ LG School on 9th Oct 1917

To hospital sick on 19th Oct 1917

Admitted 50th CCS (scabies) on 19th Oct 1917

To duty on 23rd Oct 1917

Rejoined Bn from sick, on 23rd Oct 1917 To Paris on leave on 13th Nov 1917 Rejoined from Paris leave on 25th Nov 1917 To UK on leave on 21st Jan 1918 Rejoined unit ex leave on 8th Feb 1918 To hospital sick on 20th Mar 1918

Admitted 15th Fld Amb (synovitis rhino) on 20^{th} Mar 1918 Transferred to 5^{th} Div Rest Station on 20^{th} Mar 1918

Discharged to duty on 24th Mar 1918 Rejoined unit ex sick on 24th Mar 1918

With unit for 8th Aug 1918 operations onwards
WIA 2nd occ (GSW L leg) at Bellicourt, on 29th Sep 1918
Admitted 134th Fld Amb (GSW L leg) on 29th Sep 1918

Admitted 3rd Aust Gen Hospital, Abbeville, on 1st Oct 1918 Embarked per HE 'D Castle', France, on 4th Oct 1918 Admitted Reading War Hospital, (GSW L leg) on 5th Oct 1918

RTA per 'Leicestershire' due GSW L leg, on 9th Dec 1918

Discharged at Brisbane on 10th Mar 1919

Policeman (Registered No 2401, Sworn in as policeman on 16th Jun 1919) for more than 20 years in Townsville,

Toowoomba and Brisbane.

Retired to Toowoomba in 1941

Died 26th Feb 1952, aged 61 years and buried Toowoomba Cemetery, Qld

ANN Alfred James





Service No 2128 Rank Pte

Born Devonshire England

NoK Mr Alfred James & Mrs Mary Ellen Dann, 69 Railway Lane, Wickham, NSW

(w) Mrs Margaret Ann Dann, McMichael St, Maryville, Newcastle, NSW

Enlistment 4th Sep 1915 Newcastle, NSW

Age 30

Status & Religion Married, Meth.

Occupation Baker

Address McMichael St, Maryville, Newcastle, NSW

Outcome RTA 13th Feb 1917
Notes Listed on Hunter Valley Diggers

Brothers: Pte Sydney Martin Dann, # 2681, 35th Bn; Pte William John Dann, # 4668, 1st Bn

Brother; Pte Richard Harold Dann, # 2126, 31st Bn

3rd Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A70 "Ballarat", 18th Feb 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 23rd Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, Duntroon Plateau, on 1st Apr 1916

Embarked to join BEF, on HMT 'Hororata' at Alexandria, on 16th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles, on 23rd Jun 1916

WIA on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

Admitted 1st CCS, (GSW shell R leg) on 20th Jul 1916

To Amb Train on 21st Jul 1916

Admitted 30th General Hospital, Calais, (GSW R leg) on 21st Jul 1916

Embarked on HS 'Newhaven' for England, on 27th Jul 1916

Admitted Wanstad Hospital, Margate, (GSW R leg) on 27th Jul 1916

Admitted Shorncliffe War Hospital, (GSW R leg & compound fracture) on 31st Jul 1916

Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 27th Oct 1916 Discharged from 1st AAH, Harefield, on 8th Dec 1916

RTA per HT 'Benalla' from Plymouth, due compound fracture R leg, on 13th Feb 1917

Disembarked at Sydney on 10th Apr 1917 Discharged at Sydney on 8th May 1917

Lived at 88 McMichael St, Maryville, Newcastle, NSW Died at Waratah Hospital, Maryville, NSW, on 14th Oct 1937 Buried Sandgate General Cemetery, Newcastle, NSW

DANN

George Robert



Service No 3222 Rank Pte

Born Petersburg, SA

NoK Mr William Dann, Ucolta via Petersburgh, SA

Sister; Miss Agnes Dann, 16 McLaren St, Adelaide, SA

Enlistment 18th Feb 1916

Age 22

Status & Religion Occupation Farmer
Address Petersburg, SA

Outcome DOW (GSW Legs) at 38th CCS on 29th Dec 1916

Notes With 14th Rfts, 27th Bn on 10th May 1916 to 12th Jun 1916

Transferred to 7th Rfts, 32nd Bn on 13th Jun 1916

Embarked at Adelaide on HT "Matatuka" on 27th Jun 1916

Disembarked A57, HMT "Matatuka" at Devonport, England on 22nd Aug 1916

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn on 24th Aug 1916

Proceeded overseas to France to reinforce 31st Bn, per HT "Golden Eagle", via Folkestone on 1st Nov 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples on 12th Nov 1916 Marched out to join 31st Bn on 29th Nov 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 1st Dec 1916 WIA (SW R arm) on 15th Dec 1916

Admitted 1st Anzac M D Station on 15th Dec 19196

Transferred to 38th CCS on 16th Dec 1916

DOW (GSW Legs) at 38th CCS on 29th Dec 1916, interred Heilly Station Cemetery,

adjacent to hospital, 2 ½ miles NNE Corbie, by Chaplain Rev J A Hogg.

Buried Heilly Sur Somme Military Cemetery, Plot 6 Row 7

ANN

Richard Harold



Service No 2126 Rank Pte

Born Mar 1893, Broadmeadow, Newcastle, NSW

NoK Mr Alfred James & Mrs Mary Ellen Dann, 69 Railway Lane, Wickham, NSW

Enlistment 20th Sep 1915 Broadmeadow, Newcastle, NSW

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, Meth.
Occupation Labourer

Address Broadmeadows, Newcastle, NSW Outcome RTA 23rd Jul 1919
Notes Listed on Hunter Valley Diggers

Brother; Pte Alfred James Dann, # 2128, 31st Bn

Brothers: Pte Sydney Martin Dann, # 2681, 35th Bn; Pte William John Dann, # 4668, 1st Bn

3rd Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A70 "Ballarat", on 18th Feb 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 23rd Mar 1916

AWL 1 day. Award: forfeits 6 days pay, Total forfeiture 7 days pay, on 24th Mar 1916

Admitted Acting CCS, Ferry Post, (constipation), on 18th May 1916

Rejoined unit, on 19th May 1916

Embarked to join BEF on HMT 'Hororata' at Alexandria on 16th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

WIA on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

Admitted 1st CCS (GSW shrapnel buttock) and transferred to Amb Train, on 21st Jul 1916

Admitted 30th General Hospital, Calais, (SW buttock) on 21st Jul 1916

Transferred to England on 27th Jul 1916

Embarked on HS 'Newhaven' for England, on 27th Jul 1916

Admitted Wanstad Hospital, Margate, (SW buttock) on 27th Jul 1916 Admitted Military Hospital, Shorncliffe, (SW buttocks), on 31st Jul 1916

Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield

Discharged to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from 1st AAH, Harefield, on 5th Dec 1916

Marched out to Inf Draft Depot, Perham Downs, from No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 29th Mar 1917

Admitted 1st ADH, Bulford, (VD), on 31st Mar 1917

Transferred to Conval Trng Depot, Parkhouse, from 1st ADH, Bulford, on 24th Apr 1917. Total period, 26 days

Marched in to Conval Trng Depot, from 1st ADH, on 28th Apr 1917

Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs, from CTD, Parkhouse, class B1A, on 22nd May 1917

Offence: Perham Downs, 13th Aug 1917. AWL from midnight 13/8/17 till 6pm, 15/8/17.

Award: 5 days CC by Lt R Crompton, on 16th Aug 1917. Total forfeiture; 3 days' pay

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Perham Downs, from No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs, on 22nd Aug 1917 Offence: OTB, Perham Downs, 17th Sep 1917. AWL from 8.30am, 17/9/17 till reporting back 3.30pm, 24/9/17.

Award: 14 days FP No 2, by Major N Kinnish, on 25th Sep 1917. Total Forfeiture; 22 days pay

Proceeded overseas to France, from Overseas Trng Bde, Perham Downs, via Southampton on 16th Oct 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from England on 17th Oct 1917

Marched out to unit on 21st Oct 1917

Rejoined unit ex wounded on 26th Oct 1917 ('D' Coy, RO 589)

Detached for duty with SSO 5th Aust Div, on 23rd Feb 1918

Rejoined unit ex detachment, on 16th Mar 1917

Re death of Sgt David Emmet Coyne, DOW 15th May 1918;

Pte 2126 R H Dann, 31st Bn states:

"I am a member of the Lewis Gun section of No 14 Platoon. Before midnight on 14th May 1918, Sgt Coyne came into our trench. About 10 minutes after he came into the trench, I heard him say he was going to test a bomb. I saw him get on the firestep and prepare to throw by bringing his right arm back. He must have either hit his hand on the back of the trench or else slipped, as I saw him fall. I couldn't see him after he fell, as it was dark in the trench itself. I next heard him say "Go for your life boys, I've let the bomb drop." After the explosion I heard Sullivan sing out "Is anyone hurt?" I heard Sgt Coyne answer "I've got the full share of it." I didn't hear anything else."

Sick to hospital on 21st Jun 1918

Admitted 15^{th} Fld Amb (influenza) and transferred to DRS, on 22^{nd} Jun 1918

Admitted 5th DRS, on 23rd Jun 1918

Discharged to duty on 30th Jun 1918

Rejoined unit from sick, on 30th Jun 1918

WIA 2nd occ (gas) on 30th Jul 1918

Admitted 5th Fld Amb (gassed – yellow cross), and transferred to CCS, on 30th Jul 1918

Admitted 20^{th} CCS (gas shell) and transferred to 53^{rd} CCS, on 30^{th} Jul 1918

Admitted 53rd CCS (gassed – yellow cross), on 31st Jul 1918

To Amb Train on 2nd Aug 1918

Admitted 2nd General Hospital, Le Treport, (gas shell), on 3rd Aug 1918

Transferred to 1^{st} Aust Conval Depot, Havre, on 26^{th} Aug 1918

Admitted 1st Aust Conval Depot, Havre, on 27th Aug 1918

Discharged to Base Depot, on 7th Sep 1918

Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from hospital, on 7th Sep 1918

Marched out to unit, on 11th Sep 1918

Rejoined unit ex wounded on 13th Sep 1918

To UK on leave, on 5th Nov 1918

Rejoined unit ex UK leave on 25th Nov 1918

To hospital sick on 16th Feb 1917

Admitted 8th Fld Amb, (influenza) on 25th Feb 1917

Discharged to duty on 25th Feb 1919 Rejoined unit ex sick on 25th Feb 1919 To UK on leave on 21st Mar 1919

Granted leave extension, by AHQ London, from 23rd Mar to 6th Apr 1919

Granted leave extension to 9th Apr 1919, on 7th Apr 1919 Apprehended by APM, London ex AWL, on 15th Apr 1919 Admitted 39th General Hospital, Havre, (VD), on 7th May 1919 Invalided to UK, from 39th Gen Hospital, Havre, on 12th May 1919 Admitted 1st ADH, Bulford, ex 39th Gen Hospital, Havre, on 13th May 1919

Discharged to Conval Trng Depot, Parkhouse, on 25th May 1919. Total period, 20 days

Marched in to Conval Trng Depot, Parkhouse, on 26th May 1919

Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth from Parkhouse, on 6th Jun 1919 RTA per 'Canberra' on 23rd Jul 1919

Disembarked at Sydney on 14th Sep 1919 Discharged at Sydney on 9th Nov 1919

DANSEY Herbert Service No 411 Rank Pte

Newcastle NSW Born

NoK Mrs J Dansey, 324 Nicholson St, Fitzroy, Melbourne, Victoria

7th Jul 1915 Enlistment Fitzroy, Melbourne, Vic

34 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Nailmaker

Address 324 Nicholson St, Fitzroy, Melbourne, Victoria

18th Jan 1919 Outcome RTA

Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn / Aust Emp Coy Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to 5th Pioneer Bn, Tel el Kebir, on 3rd Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 5^{th} Pnr bn on 3^{rd} Mar 1916

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Canada" on 19th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916

RTA per HT 'Ulysses' (with 5th Pnrs) on 18th Jan 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 10th Mar 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 2nd May 1919

DARE William Edward

Service No 5339 Rank Pte

Born Birmingham, England

NoK Mrs Dorothy Grace Dare, Toombul St, Nundah, Queensland

Enlistment 19th Jun 1917 Nundah, Queensland

24 Age

Status & Religion Married, Meth. Occupation Railway porter

Toombul St, Nundah, Queensland Address

Outcome RTA 5th Apr 1919

No 1 Coy, Enoggera, from 17th Jul to 24th Jul 1917 Notes

MG Rfts, on 25th Jul 1917

MG Depot, Seymour, from 27th Aug to 19th Oct 1917 Invalides 3MD, from 25th Oct to 24th Nov 1917 Seymour, from 24th Nov to 30th Nov 1917

Broadmeadows, 8/38, 2nd Bn, from 30th Nov 1917 to 10th Jan 1918

15th Rfts,31st Bn on 15th Jan 1918

Appointed VO Cpl on 2nd Mar 1918 Embarked at Sydney, NSW, per R.M.S. "ORMONDE", 2nd March, 1918

Disembarked at Suez on 4th Apr 1918

Taken on strength of Aust Camp Suez, on 4th Apr 1918

Reverted to ranks, on 5th Apr 1918

Evacuated to Segregation Camp, Suez, (measles contact), on 21st Apr 1918

Discharged to duty and taken on strength Aust Camp Suez, on 28th Apr 1918

Transferred to Port Tewfik, for embarkation overseas, on 30th Apr 1918

Embarked per I 15 HT 'Indarra' at Port Tewfik, on 30th Apr 1918

Promoted VO Cpl on 30th Apr 1918

Disembarked at Southampton on 15th May 1918

Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, Codford, from Australia, on 15th May 1918

Reverts to Pte on marching in from Australia, on 15th May 1918

Sick to Bde Clearing Hospital, on 16th May 1918

Appointed A/L/Cpl, on 20th May 1918

Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, Codford, from Bde Clearing Hospital, on 27th May 1918

On command at School of Instruction, Kandahar Barracks, on 29th Jun 1918 Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, from School of Instruction, on 20th Aug 1918

Proceeding overseas to France, from 14th Trng Bn, via Folkestone, on 13th Sep 1918

Reverts to Pte on marching out overseas, on 13th Sep 1918

Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from England, on 16th Sep 1918

Marched out to unit, on 17th Sep 1918

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, ex 15th Rfts, on 19th Sep 1918

To hospital injured, on 11th Dec 1918

Casualty classified as injured accidently, on 11th Dec 1918

Admitted 8th Fld Amb, (accidental wound R eye) and transferred to CCS, on 11th Dec 1918

Admitted 41st CCS, (wound R eye), on 14th Dec 1918

Transferred to and admitted 56th CCS, (Acc wound R eye) on 14th Dec 1918

Transferred to Amb train, on 20th Dec 1918

Admitted 5th General Hospital, Rouen, (acc wound R eye), on 21st Dec 1918

Transferred to England, on 27th Dec 1918

Embarked on HS 'Grantully Castle' for England, on 29th Dec 1918

Admitted Kitchener Military Hospital, Brighton, (wound R eye), on 29th Dec 1918

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 6th Jan 1919

Discharged and granted furlough on 23rd Jan 1919 and to report No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 6th Feb 1919

Admitted 2nd Aux Hospital, Southall (loss of R eye) on 7th Feb 1919

Due to report AHQ London on 6/2/19. Advised AWL, instructed London to report 2nd AAH, Southall, for

admission on 7/2/19. Lateness excused.

Discharged from 2nd AAH, Southall, to AHQ, London, and granted leave, on 3rd Mar 1919

Granted leave on 3rd Mar 1919 and to report No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 8th Mar 1919

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, on 8th Mar 1919 RTA per HT 'Armagh' at Devonport, on 5th Apr 1919

Disembarked at

Discharged at Brisbane, on 22nd May 1919

Died 27th Jul 1958

DARLINGTON Sydney George

Service No 834 Rank Pte

Born Wallan Wallan, Victoria

NoK Mr G Darlington, 7 Rosamond St, Balaclava, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 5th Jul 1915 Balaclava, Melbourne, Victoria

Age 26

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.
Occupation Labourer

Address 7 Rosamond St, Balaclava, Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome RTA 13th Feb 1917 Notes Original, 'D' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

RTA per HMAT 'Benalla' from Plymouth, due GSW R hand & loss of fingers, on 13th Feb 1917

Disembarked at Melbourne on 10th Apr 1917 Discharged at Melbourne on 18th May 1917 DAVEY

Cecil Gordon





Service No 1130 Rank Cpl

Born Newport, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mr Alfred L & Mrs Elizabeth Ann Davey (Coulter), McKinnons Post Office, South Gippsland, Vic, later 69

Union St, Northcote, Vic, then 121 Clark St, Northcote, Melbourne, Vic (with daughter, Mrs Daisey Haywood)

Enlistment 5th Jul 1915 McKinnons, Sth Gippsland, Vic

Age 26

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Clerk

Address McKinnons, South Gippsland, Victoria

Outcome KIA on 12th Apr 1918

Notes 47th Coy Depot, from 19th Jul to 1st Aug 1915

10th Rfts, 5th Bn, from 2nd Aug to 4th Oct 1915 Reserve Coy, from 4th Oct to 7th Oct 1915 'C' Coy, 29th Bn, 8th Oct 1915 to 7th Nov 1915 Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn, on 7th Nov 1915

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

AWL from 16/3/16 to 6am 19/3/16, at Ferry Post. Award: Reprimanded by CO 31st Bn on 22nd Apr 1916.

Forfeits 4 days pay.

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916

(Battle of Fromelles, 19th/20th Jul 1916)

FGCM held 24th Jul 1916

President: Major M. Purser, 30th Bn, AIF

Charge: Morbecque, 9th Jul 1916. Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in that he left a

fatigue party of which he was in charge. (Pleaded guilty) Sentence: 21 days FP No 2. Awaiting Trial: 15 days. Confirmed by Brig Gen E Tivey, on 25th Jul 1916

(L/Cpl automatically reverts to Pte)

Offence: 17th Aug 1916. Whilst on active service, Drunkenness. Awarded 168 hours FP No 2 by CO 31st Bn,

on 21st Aug 1916

To hospital sick, on 12th Sep 1916

Admitted 14th Fld Amb, (influenza) on 12th Sep 1916

Discharged to duty on 22nd Sep 1916

Rejoined unit ex hospital, on 22nd Sep 1916

Offence: 14th Oct 1916. Absent off parade. Award: to forfeit 1 days pay by 2nd/Lt Rule, on 16th Oct 1916

To hospital sick, on 23^{rd} Feb 1917

Admitted 15^{th} Fld Amb, (trench feet) on 23^{rd} Feb 1917

Transferred to and admitted 5th Div Rest Stn, (septic abrased feet) on 24th Feb 1917

Transferred to CCS on 27th Feb 1917

Admitted 1/1 SM CCS, (septic abrasion toe) on 27th Feb 1917

Transferred to Amb Train, on 28th Feb 1917

Admitted 2nd AGH, Wimereux, (trench feet), on 1st Mar 1917

Transferred to England on 3rd Mar 1917

Embarked on HS 'Princess Elizabeth' for England, on 3rd Mar 1917

Admitted County of Middlesex Hospital, Napsbury, (trench feet), on 4th Mar 1917

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 16th Mar 1917

Offence: London, 4th Apr 1917. Being Drunk and incapable. Fined 5/- by Lt Col H Arthur Bowell,

on 7th Apr 1917

Discharged and granted furlough on 13th Apr 1917 and to report to Trng Depot, Perham Downs,

on 28th Apr 1917

Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, from furlough, classified B1A, on 28th Apr 1917

Transferred to 66th Bn from 31st Bn, Windmill Hill, on 28th Apr 1917

Taken on strength of 66th Bn, from 31st Bn, Windmill Hill, on 28th Apr 1917 ('C' Coy, RO 472)

Marched out to Windmill Hill Camp, from No 1 Comm Depot, on 3rd May 1917

To hospital sick, on 11th May 1917

Admitted 1st ADH, Bulford, (VD) on 11th May 1917 Discharged on 16th Jun 1917. Total period, 37 days

Marched in to 66th Bn, Windmill Hill, from Bulford, on 16th Jun 1917

Appointed L/Cpl, on 14th Aug 1917

Marched out to Overseas Trng Bde, on 31st Aug 1917

Promoted Temp Cpl, on 1st Sep 1917

Promoted Cpl, on 1st Sep 1917

Transferred to 31st Bn from 66th Bn, on 19th Sep 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, from Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, via Southampton, on 10th Nov 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from England, on 11th Nov 1917

Offence: (1) AWL from 9pm 13/11/17 until apprehended by MP about 5.45 am 14/11/17.

Award: Reprimanded by OC Base. Forfeits 1 days' pay

Marched out to unit on 15th Nov 1917

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, ex 66th Bn, on 20th Nov 1917

KIA on 12th Apr 1918 at Bouzencourt

Buried Sheet 62D, J.34.c.2.6 Bouzencourt

Reburied Adelaide Cemetery, Villers Bretonneux, Plot 3, Row S, Grave 16

"Re 1130 Cpl C.G. Davey, C Coy, 31st Bn, killed in action 12-4-18. We, the Platoon. which Davey was in, moved from Daours on the night of 9th April, and went into the front line at Bouzencourt. We were heavily shelled while we were there and on the 10^{th} about 1.30 pm some 10 men were killed and 14 wounded, more or less seriously. On the night of the 11th, Cpl Davey was in charge of a patrol, of which I was one of the party, and we patrolled the village of Bouzencourt and then "No Man's Land", immediately in front of our position. We patrolled without incident, although we searched all buildings cautiously and carefully. Davey was always a good leader, being careful and considerate. It was getting towards dawn 12th April, when we came in off patrol and Davey and Plummer went to a trench. Plummer had supervised in digging, and I was nearby. Plummer was standing on top and Davey was sitting down in the trench when a shell burst on the trench, Plummer fell and it was soon seen that Davey had been hit. Davey was hit in the chest by a piece of shell as well as in other parts of the body, and he was placed on a stretcher, but died almost immediately, and Plummer was taken out when Davey died. Plummer received a nasty wound to the neck which bled freely, and on the arm. Plummer lingered on till the 20th April and died in No.6 Gen Hpl.

That night Davey was buried beside the lads who were killed on the 10th. I have not had the opportunity since, of visiting the spot, and I was wounded the same day, and we have been on another sector since. I have no doubt that the grave will be registered as there are several buried there, and all have crosses on their graves. When he was buried, there was no Military Cemetery there, so he was buried on the field. We expect to be near there soon and I shall visit the spot, and should I be able to gain any more information I shall let you know. He is buried at Bouzencout, which is a small village between Saill le Sec and Hamel, on the Somme canal. To get to Bouzencourt, leave Corbie and go up to the Somme canal on the left-hand side, cross over the bridge leading into Bouzencourt and about 100yds up the road, turn on road to the right and you come to a large farm house to the right, just past the farm house near some tall trees is where the last resting place of Gordon Davey will be found. During my time in the Platoon, I always found him a very fine chap, amicable and generous. He always looked after his section and was liked by all. We all regretted his death. was indeed sorry as he was endeavouring to get back home to his mother since his father died. Should you be writing to his mother, I shall feel obliged if you would convey to her my sincerest sympathy in the loss of such a brave son who so willingly gave his life for liberty and humanity, and that the world may be easier for generations to come to live in. In appearance he always looked every inch a soldier and always took pride in keeping himself tidy. He was a block of a lad and stood about 5'7 1/2" in height."

Pte. 4750 Charles Percival Bottomley, 'C' Coy, 31st Battn (FRANCE, 11th Sep 1918)

DAVEY

Henry Austin



631 Service No. Rank

Donald, Victoria Born

NoK Mr William Henry Davey, Donald, Victoria Enlistment 6th Jul 1915 Donald Victoria

25 Age Status & Religion

Single, Pres Occupation Ironmonger Address Donald, Victoria Outcome DOW on 20th May 1917 Notes Cousin 2323 Pte Herbert James White, 4th Rfts, 22nd Battalion, of Hawthorn, Vic

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916

(Battle of Fromelles, 19th/20th Jul 1916)

WIA (shell shock) on 21st Nov 1916

WIA and DOW on 20th May 1917

Buried D30.central close to west of Lagincourt-Beaumetz Road. Isolated graves, ¾ miles NE of Marchies, 6 miles NE of Bapaume

DOW on 20th May 1917

Reburied Queant Road British Cemetery, Plot 8, Row B, Grave 16

DAVIDSON







Service No 4383 Rank Pte

Born Charters Towers, Queensland

NoK Mrs Margaret Davidson, c/o H Hoffmaster, Neill & Nolan, Victoria St, Mackay, Queensland

Enlistment 13th Mar 1916 Rockhampton, Queensland

Age 27

Status & Religion Married, R.C. Occupation Labourer

 Address
 Rockhampton, Queensland

 Outcome
 RTA
 23rd Jun 1919

 Notes
 11th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916

RTA 23rd Jun 1919

DAVIDSON

George Alexander



Service No 4762 Rank Pte

Born Teneriffe, Queensland

NoK Mrs Alice Davidson, Little Chester St, Tenneriffe, Brisbane, Qld

Enlistment 2nd Sep 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 18

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Occupation Clerk

Address Little Chester St, Tenneriffe, Brisbane, Qld

Outcome RTA 31st Jan 1918 Notes 15th Rfts, 9th Bn

Embarked A73 HMAT Commonwealth on 28th Mar 1916 at Brisbane

WIA (GSW L hand) at Polygon Wood on 26th Sep 1917

RTA 31st Jan 1918

DAVIDSON James Sunnival

Service No 1641 Rank Pte

Born Ravenswood, Queensland

NoK sister Ada Newton, PO Ravenswood, North Queensland

Enlistment 22nd Nov 1915 Townsville, Queensland

Age 43

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Stockman

Address Ravenswood, North Queensland
Outcome RTA 17th Mar 1917
Notes 2nd Rfts, 49th Bn

Embarked on SS Hawkes Bay on 20th Apr 1916 at Sydney

RTA 17th Mar 1917

DAVIDSON

Martin Shanahan



Service No 362 Rank Cpl

Born Toowoomba, Queensland

NoK brother, Arthur Davidson, c/o Australian Estate, Brisbane, Queensland

Enlistment 12th Jul 1915 Longreach, Queensland

Age 34

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Clerk

Address Longreach, Queensland Outcome RTA 10th Jul 1919

Notes Unallotted from 12th Jul to 1st Aug 1915

Private on 1st Aug 1915

Promoted Cpl from 16th Sep to 6th Nov 1915

Pte on 6th Nov 1915

Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn / Aust Prov Corps

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Transferred to Anzac Police Corps, Abbassia, on 3^{rd} Jan 1916 Taken on strength of Anzac Police Corps 3^{rd} Jan 1916

RTA per HT 'Oxfordshire' at Kantara, on $10^{\rm th}$ Jul 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on $13^{\rm th}$ Aug 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on $5^{\rm th}$ Oct 1919

Died 30th Aug 1933

Ronald Mackintosh



4172 Rank Pte

Born Townsville, Queensland

NoK Mr John McIntosh & Mrs Mary (nee McMurtie) Davidson

29th Apr 1916 Enlistment Wolfram, Cairns, Qld

Age

Single, C.of E. Status & Religion Mill hand Occupation

Wolfram, via Cairns, Queensland Address

5th Jul 1919 Outcome RTA 10th Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

At 11th Depot Bn, Enoggera from 6th May 1916 to 25th Jul 1916

To 9th Rfts on 25th Jul 1916 to 19th Sep 1916

To 10th Rfts on 19th Sep 1916

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A36 "BOONAH", 21st October 1916 Offence; Refusing to obey an order. Award; Admonished by Major A Lloyd on 4th Dec 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 10th Jan 1917 at marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott.

Sick to Fovant Hospital on 1st Mar 1917

Marched in from Camp No 10 Hospital, Fovant, to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott on 23rd Mar 1917

Proceeded overseas to France, ex 8th Trng Bn, via Folkestone on 25th Apr 1917

Marched in to AIDBD, Havre on 26th Apr 1918

Marched out to unit on 13th May 1917

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 17th May 1917

Probably a mate of Pte William Richard Furmston (same 10th Rfts/same platoon)

WIA (SW R thigh and buttock) at Polygon Wood on 26th Sep 1917

Admitted 6th Aust Fld Amb, and 10th CCS on 26th Sep 1917

Transferred to Amb Train on 27th Sep 1917

Admitted 7th Con Depot (GSW R thigh & buttock) on 27th Sep 1917

Transferred and admitted 3rd Canadian Gen Hospital, Boulogne on 28th Sep 1917

Embarked on HS "Princess Elizabeth" for England on 2nd Oct 1917

Admitted 5th Southern General Hospital, Portsmouth, (GSW R buttock) on 2nd Oct 1917

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 16th Jan 1918

To furlough on 18th Jan 1918 and to report to No 4 C.D., Hurdcott on 1st Feb 1918

Marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from AIF HQ, on 1st Feb 1918

Marched out to Overseas Trng Bn, on 1st Mar 1918

Proceeding overseas to France ex Trng Bn L/Deverell, via Southampton on 28th Mar 1918

Marched in to AIDBD, Havre on 29th Mar 1918

Marched out to unit on 6th Apr 1918

Rejoined unit, ex wounded, on 13th Apr 1918 WIA 2nd occ (GSW R arm) on 8th August 1918

Admitted 15th Aust Fld Amb, 20th CCS and Amb Train (SW R arm) on 9th August 1918

Admitted 20th Gen Hospital, Camiers, on 10th Aug 1918

Transferred to 6th Convalescent Depot, Etaples, on 27th Aug 1918

Discharged to base Depot on 27th Sep 1918

Marched in to AIDBD, Havre on 28th Sep 1918

Marched out to unit on 5th Oct 1918

Rejoined unit ex wounded on 5th Oct 1918

To UK on leave on 20th Nov 1918

AIF HQ, London, on leave from 22nd Nov to 6th Dec 1918

Rejoined Bn ex UK leave on 9th Dec 1918

Crime: AWL from 2130 on 5/2/19 to 1330 on 9/2/19. Award: 4 days F.P. No 2 by CO 31st Bn on 11/2/19.

Total Forfeiture: 8 days' pay. Pay book lost.

Marched out from 8th Bde Bn for RTA, on 4th May 1919 Embarked for England ex AIDBD, Havre on 12th May 1919

Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth, on 13th May 1919 RTA from Devonport, per "Port Melbourne" on 5th Jul 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 20th Aug 1919

Discharged at Brisbane on 7th Oct 1919 Married Eileen Alice Thompson on 24th Apr 1933 Died 23rd Dec 1971

DAVIDSON

William James



Service No 4999 Rank Pte

Born Brisbane, Queensland

NoK Mrs Alice Maud Davidson, Chester St, Tenneriffe, Brisbane, Queensland

Enlistment 8th Jan 1916 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 20

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Occupation Clerk

Address Chester St, Tenneriffe, Brisbane, Queensland

Outcome RTA 20th Oct 1918

Notes Brother; Pte George Alexander Davidson, # 4762, 31st Bn

13th Rfts, 25th Bn

Embarked A49 HMAT Seang Choon on 4th May 1916 at Brisbane

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Jun 1916

Taken on strength of 5th Div Details, Tel el Kebir, on 9th Jul 1916

To hospital, Tel el Kebir, on 9th Jul 1916 Admitted 2nd ASH, Tel el Kebir,

Embarked to join BEF on HMT 'Arcadian' at Alexandria on 29th Jul 1916

Admitted to Base from England, on 2nd Oct 1916

Taken on strength of 'B' Coy, 31st Bn, on 15th Oct 1916

WIA on 3rd Nov 1916

Admitted Anzac DS (SW R leg), and to CCS, on 3rd Nov 1916

Admitted 36th CCS (GSW R leg) and transferred to Amb Train, on 4th Nov 1916

Admitted 1st AGH, Rouen, (SW R leg), on 5th Nov 1916

Transferred to England on 7th Nov 1916

Embarked at Havre, on HS 'Lanfranc' for England, ex 1^{st} AGH, on 7^{th} Nov 1916

Admitted Duchy of Con Red Cross Hospital, Taplow, on 8th Nov 1916

Proceeded overseas to France, ex Inf Draft Depot, via Folkestone, 13th Mar 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 14th Mar 1917

Marched out to unit on 17th Mar 1917 Rejoined unit ex wounded, on 19th Mar 1917

Admitted 56th CCS (boils), on 22nd Jul 1917 Transferred to Amb Train, on 24th Jul 1917

Marched out to unit from 5^{th} ADBD, Havre, on 25^{th} Sep 1917

Rejoined unit from sick, on 27th Sep 1917 To UK on leave, on 25th Feb 1918

Returned from leave on 13th Mar 1918

WIA 2nd occ on 26th May 1918

Admitted 5th Fld Amb (SW R leg) and to CCS, on 27th May 1918

Admitted 20th CCS (SW R thigh) on 27th May 1918

Transferred to Amb Train, on 30th May 1918

Admitted 56th General Hospital, Etaples, on 31st May 1918

Transferred to England, on 2nd Jun 1918 Embarked on HS 'Ville de Liege' for England, on 2nd Jun 1918

Admitted 1st Southern General Hospital, Birmingham, (GSW R thigh) on 3rd Jun 1918

Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 6th Sep 1918

Granted furlough on 11th Sep 1918 and to report to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 25th Sep 1918 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from AIF HQ, London, (Class CC2) on 25th Sep 1918

RTA per D28 HS 'Borda' due GSW R thigh, frac femur, on 20th Oct 1918

Disembarked at Sydney on 19th Dec 1918, for Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane on 30th Jan 1919

Died 3rd Sep 1973

William John

180 Service No Rank Pte

Born Bundaberg, Queensland

Mr W.A. Davidson, Glen Morris, Gin Gin, Queensland NoK

Enlistment 14th Jul 1916

18 Age

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Labourer Occupation

Address Glen Morris, Gin Gin, Queensland

Discharged at Broadmeadows (heart disease) 29th Nov 1915 Outcome

Notes Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Discharged at Broadmeadows (heart disease) 29th Nov 1915

DAVIE Andrew Service No 628 Rank Pte

Born Alloa, Scotland

NoK Mr Alex Davie, 6 Durlston Garden, Alloa, Scotland

Mr James Cuthbert, 10 Carpenter St, Middle Brighton, Melbourne, Vic (NoK Australia)

Enlistment 5th Jul 1915 Melbourne, Victoria

Age 24

Status & Religion Single, Pres Occupation Clerk

Address Melbourne, Victoria 12th Nov 1916 Outcome RTA

Original, allocated 'C' Coy, 31st Bn on 12th Aug 1915 Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916

WIA (GSW R ankle and thigh – serious) on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

Admitted 32nd Stat Hospital, Wimmereux on 21st Jul 1916 Embarked at Boulogne on HS "Jan Breydel" on 25th Jul 1916 Admitted St Luke's War Hospital, Halifax on 26th Jul 1916 RTA per HT "Wiltshire" due GSW R thigh, on 12th Nov 1916 c/o Mrs Harrison, 145 Park St, Parkville, Melbourne, Vic

Discharged at Melbourne on 20th Feb 1917

DAVIES Bertram Deonall

Service No. 1517 Rank Sgt

Born Gympie, Queensland

NoK Mr J.D. & Mrs Louisa E. Davies, Henry St, Gympie, Queensland

20th Jul 1915 Enlistment Sth Brisbane, Queensland

26 Age

Status & Religion Single, Meth. Occupation Painter

c/o Mrs M MacFarlane, Vulture St East, S Brisbane, Qld Address

Outcome KIA on 19th Jul 1915 at Fromelles, Buried Anzac Cemetery Sailly-Sur-La-Lys, I. F. 6.

Legatee: Miss Nancy K MacFarlane, Vulture St (opp Baptist Church), Sth Brisbane, Queensland Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A41 "Bakara", 5 Nov 1915

'B' Coy, 31st Bn

Killed by a shell 6.15 pm 19th July 1915

KIA on 19th Jul 1915 at Fromelles, Buried Anzac Cemetery Sailly-Sur-La-Lys, I. F. 6.

DAVIES Charles Stephen

Service No 4293 Rank Spr

Born Nabbeth, Wales

NoK Mrs Emmeline Davies, Ipswich Rd, Rocklea, Queensland 11th Aug 1916 Enlistment Rockhampton, Queensland

Age

Status & Religion Married, C.of E. Occupation Fireman

Ipswich Rd, Rocklea, Queensland Address

6th Jul 1919 Outcome RTA 11th Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916

A. Ops Sig C.

RTA 6th Jul 1919 Died 26th Sep 1934

DAVIES



Charles Stewart





Rank Brigadier General

Born

NoK Mrs E Davies, 348 Bagot Rd, Subiaco, Perth, West Australia

(w) Mrs (nee Cunningham) Davies

7th Oct 1915 Melbourne, Victoria Enlistment

Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Occupation

Address c/o Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, Victoria Outcome Discharged London, England 28th May 1919

Major Leicestershire Regiment, 16 yrs service, Instructor Signalling School India, Notes

GSO South Africa, Instructor RMC Duntroon,

Assistant West Africa

28th May 1919 Discharged London, England Rejoined British Imperial Army 5th Apr 1919

Franklyn William Gruffyd





Service No 2179 Rank Lient

Born Griffiths Town, England

Rev. David Horgan Davies, 18 Wentworth Place, Bolton, Lancashire, England NoK

8th Sep 1915 Enlistment Newcastle, NSW

22 Age

Status & Religion Single, Bapt.

Occupation

c/o T Hogg, Leighton Park, Scone, NSW Address

Outcome 16th Mar 1919 RTA Hunter Valley List Notes AWM photo DA14071 3rd Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A70 "Ballarat", 18th Feb 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 23rd Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, Duntroon Plateau, on 1st Apr 1916

Reverted to Pte on joining Bn, on 1st Apr 1916 Appointed L/Cpl, Moascar, on 6th Jun 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)

Promoted Cpl on 24th Jul 1916

Transferred to Light Trench Mortar Battery, on 25th Jul 1916 Taken on strength of 8th LTMB, ex 31st Bn, on 25th Jul 1916

To School of Instruction, on 18th Sep 1916

Retained for duty at 2nd Army HQ Grenade School, on 22nd Sep 1916 Still with 2nd Army HQ Grenade School, on 16th May 1917

Rejoined 8th LTMB, from detachment to 2nd Army HQ Grenade School, on 12th Oct 1917 Selected to attend Inf Cadet Bn, Cambridge, England, commencing on 5th Dec 1917

Proceeded to join No 5 Officer Cadet Bn, Cambridge and placed on supernumerary list, on 5th Dec 1917

Joined No 5 Officer Cadet Bn, Cambridge, and appointed as a Cadet, on 7th Dec 1917 Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, from Overseas Trng Bde, on 15th Apr 1918 (Cpl Cadet)

Qualified for Commission in Infantry at No 5 Officer Cadet Bn and to retain appointment as Cadet until commissioned, on 13th May 1918

Appointed EDP Sgt on 14th May 1918

Appointed 2nd/Lieut in AIF and posted to General Infantry Rfts, on 1st Jun 1918

Proceeded overseas to France, via Southampton on 11th Jun 1918

Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from UK, ex Officer Cadet Bn, on 13th Jun 1918

Marched out to unit (31st Bn) on 16th Jun 1918

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, ex Officer Cadet Bn, on 17th Jun 1918

To Aust Corps School on 9th Jul 1918

Rejoined Bn ex Aust Corps School, on 14th Aug 1918

Promoted Lieut, on 1st Sep 1918

WIA on 29th Sep 1918, at Bellicourt

Placed on Regimental Seconded List, on 29th Sep 1918

Admitted 132nd Fld Amb (SW R leg) and transferred to CCS, on 29th Sep 1918 Admitted 12th CCS (SW R hand & R leg) and transferred to Amb Train, on 29th Sep 1918

Admitted 12th General Hospital, Havre, on 30th Sep 1918

Transferred to England on 1st Oct 1918

Embarked on HS 'West Australia' for England, on 1st Oct 1918

Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, (SW R hand & R leg) on 1st Oct 1918

Medical Boarded on 4th Feb 1919, and unfit for General Service & Home Service for 3 months, and unfit for

Home Service. To 3rd London General Hospital for treatment.

RTA per HT 'Czaritza' due GSW R hand & leg, on 16th Mar 1919 Transshipped to 'Dunluce Castle' at Alexandria, on 7th Apr 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 15th May 1919, thence for Sydney

Appointment terminated at Sydney on 3rd Apr 1920

DAVIES Frederick James Payne Service No 63624th Jul 1917

Rank Gnr

Born Yarraville, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mr William J & Mrs C Davies, 46 Bay View Rd, Yarraville, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Yarraville, Melbourne, Vic

Age 18

Status & Religion Single, Bapt,

Occupation Joiner

Address 46 Bay View Rd, Yarraville, Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome RTA 20th Dec 1918

Notes Shown on Roll of Honour Yarraville Club, Yarraville, Melbourne, Victoria

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn / 13th FAB

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to 5th Div Artillery on 15th Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 25th Howitzer Bde and posted to 114th Battery on 15th Mar 1916

Embarked to join BEF on HMT 'Canada' on 19th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916 Transferred to 115th Battery on 7th Jul 1916

Transferred to 13th Field Artillery Bde on 4th Apr 1917 Taken on strength and posted to 113th Battery on 4th Apr 1917

Granted furlough on 2nd Sep 1917 Returned from leave on 18th Sep 1917 WIA (gassed) on 5th Nov 1917

Admitted 10th CCS (Gas shell, 'W') on 5th Nov 1917

WIA 2nd occ (gassed) on 21st Oct 1918

Admitted 5th CCS (mustard gas) on 21st Oct 1918

RTA per 'Orontes' gas passenger, on 20th Dec 1918 Disembarked at Melbourne on 30th Jan 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 16th Mar 1919

Married Margaret Dumayne in 1924

Died at Canterbury, Melbourne in 1970, aged 73 years

DAVIES George Service No 2127 Rank Pte

Born Lambton, NSW

NoK Mr Thomas Davies, Mirong (Nerong?) Rd, Lambton, NSW

Enlistment 30th Aug 1915 Lambton, NSW

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, Meth.
Occupation Labourer

Address Mirong (Nerong?) Rd, Lambton, NSW

Outcome RTA 23^{cd} May 1918 Notes Hunter Valley List 3^{cd} Rfts, 31^{st} Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A70 "Ballarat", 18th Feb 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 23rd Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 'B' Coy, 31st Bn, at Duntroon Plateau, on 1st Apr 1916 Embarked to join BEF, on HMT 'Hororata' at Alexandria, on 16th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

WIA on 19th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

Admitted 3rd Can General Hospital, Boulogne, (SW R knee) on 20th Jul 1916

Embarked at Boulogne on HS 'Cambria' for England (SW R knee), ex 3rd General Hospital, on 24th Jul 1916

Admitted 1st Southern General Hospital, Rednal, Birmingham, on 22nd Jul 1916

Transferred from 1st Aux Hospital, Dartford, to Woodcote Park, Epsom, on 14th Sep 1916

Marched out of Aust Conval Camp, Woodcote Park, to No 1 Comm Depot, Class 'A', on 12th Oct 1916

Marched in and reclassified Class 'A' at No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs, on 30th Oct 1916

Marched out to 8^{th} Trng Bn, on 31^{st} Oct 1916

Proceeding overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, via Folkestone, on 5th Dec 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, 6th Dec 1916

Marched out to unit on 30th Dec1916

Rejoined unit ex wounded on 5th Jan 1917

To hospital sick on 11th Mar 1917

Admitted 15th Fld Amb (scabies) and to Scabies Hospital, on 11th Mar 1917

Admitted Central Scabies Hospital, on 11th Mar 1917

Discharged to duty on 23rd Mar 1917

Rejoined unit from hospital, on 25th Mar 1917

To hospital sick, on 8th Apr 1917

Admitted 3rd Fld Amb, and transferred to DRS, on 8th Apr 1917

Admitted 5th DRS (boils L leg) on 9th Apr 1917 Discharged to duty, on 20th Apr 1917 Rejoined unit ex hospital, on 21st Apr 1917

Detached for duty with 8th Fld Engrs, on 12th May 1917 Rejoined Bn from 8th Fld Engrs, on 25th May 1917

To hospital sick on 20th Sep 1917

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (boils, face) and to 5th DRS, on 20th Sep 1917 Discharged to duty, from 8th FA 5th DRS, (boils), on 24th Sep 1917

Rejoined unit ex sick on 25th Sep 1917

Polygon Wood, 26th/27th Sep 1917

Detached to Anzac Light Railway, on 30th Sep 1917 Rejoined from Anzac Light Railway, on 7th Oct 1917

To UK on leave, on 22nd Jan 1918

To hospital sick, whilst returning from leave, on 9th Feb 1918 Admitted 2nd CCS, (pleuritis R lung apex) on 9th Feb 1918

Transferred to Amb Train, on 10th Feb 1918

Admitted 22nd Gen Hospital, Camiers, on 11th Feb 1918

Transferred to England on 15th Feb 1918

Embarked on HS 'Princess Elizabeth' for England, on 15th Feb 1918

Admitted Ontario Hospital Orpington, Kent, on 15th Feb 1918

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, from Orpington, on 27th Mar 1918

Discharged to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 11th Apr 1918 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 11th Apr 1918

RTA per D9, HT 'Gaika' due pleurisy, on 23rd May 1918 Disembarked at Melbourne on 5th Jul 1918, for Sydney

Discharged at Sydney on 3rd Oct 1918

Died 28th Feb 1954

DAVIES

Morgan



Service No 4763 Rank Pte

Born Cambridge, Glamorganshire, South Wales

NoK Aunt Mrs Margaret Connor, c/o I H Wilson, Belmont Bath, Somerset, England

Enlistment 9th Oct 1915 Townsville, Queensland

Age 37 Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Occupation Miner

Address Townsville, Queensland

Outcome RTA per "Nestor" on 20th May 1919

Notes 15th Rfts, 9th Bn

Embarked on 28th Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 13th Oct 1916 Transferred to 9th Bn on 9th Dec 1916

RTA per HMAT "Nestor" via Liverpool, on 20th May 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 29th Sep 1919

DAVIES Thomas Alfred



Service No 29 Rank Lieut

Born Llandyssul, South Wales

NoK Mr Griffith Davies, Albion House, Llandssul, Cardiganshire, Wales

Enlistment 13th Jul 1915 Sydney, NSW

Age 26

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Salesman

Address 95 Victoria St, Potts' Point, Sydney, NSW

Outcome RTA 23rd Mar 1919 Notes AWM photo DAOD1351

Previously 18th GSR another enl 15/10/18

4th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

RTA 23rd Mar 1919

DAVIES Thomas Henry

Service No 5388 Rank Pte

Born Brecknock, Wales

NoK sister, Mrs Maryann Morgan, Dumfries St, Trekerbert, Glamorganshire, South Wales

Enlistment 31st Dec 1917 Maryborough, Queensland

Age 44

Status & Religion
Occupation
Address
Outcome
Notes
Single, C.of E.
Engineer's blacksmith
Bundaberg, Queensland
RTA
9th Dec 1918
15th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, per R.M.S. "ORMONDE", 2nd March, 1918

Disembarked at Suez on 4th Apr 1918

Taken on strength of Aust Camp Suez, on 4th Apr 1918

Evacuated to Segregation Camp, Suez, (measles contact), on 21st Apr 1918 Discharged to duty and taken on strength Aust Camp Suez, on 28th Apr 1918 Transferred to Port Tewfik, for embarkation overseas, on 30th Apr 1918 Embarked per I 15 HT 'Indarra' at Port Tewfik, on 30th Apr 1918

Disembarked at Southampton on 15th May 1918

Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, Codford, from Australia, on 15th May 1918

Sick to Bde Clearing Hospital, on 19th Aug 1918

Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, Codford, from Bde Clearing Hospital, on 12th Sep 1918

Marched out from 14th Trng Bn, Codford, to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, for RTA, on 30th Nov 1918

RTA per HT 'Leicestershire' wound in forearm, on 9th Dec 1918 Disembarked at Melbourne on 22nd Jan 1919, for Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane, on 19th Feb 1919

DAVIES Thomas Stanley



Service No 835 Rank Pte

Born Korumburra, Victoria

NoK Mr David Thomas & Mary (nee Wylie) Davies, 99 Coppin St, Richmond, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 5th Jul 1915 Richmond, Melbourne, Vic

Age 18

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Bootmaker

Address 99 Coppin St, Richmond, Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome RTA 23rd Mar 1919 Notes Original, 'D' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

Admitted 5th Div Rest Station (exhaustion) on 4th Aug 1916

Rejoined 31st Bn ex Rest Station on 15th Aug 1916

Proceeded to Pigeon School, Albert, on 10th Jul 1917 Rejoined from 3rd Army Pigeon School on 13th Jul 1917

Rejoined 31st Bn on 16th Mar 1918

Awarded MM on 31st Aug 1918

Awarded MM for actions: "On the 9th August 1918 near VAUVILLERS, East of VILLERS BRETONNEUX this man did wonderful work as a stretcher bearer. His Company was exposed during the day to heavy machine gun and shell fire, and it became necessary to take risks in order to rescue the wounded. He showed utter disregard for his personal safety, and refused to take a rest until the whole of the wounded had been moved to the rear.

He made many trips through a very heavy machine gun barrage and throughout the operation he set a splendid example to his fellow bearers."

Awarded Bar to MM for actions: "For gallantry and devotion to duty. Carried a message over a distance of 300 yards through heavy Artillery and M.G. fire. Finding bridges blown up across marshes and canal, he had to wade and swim to get across. He exhibited marked courage in the face of extreme danger. Above was near VILLERS CARBONNEL on 30th August 1918."

Granted leave to UK on 1st Sep 1918

Admitted 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, (ICT R hand) on 6th Sep 1918 Discharged from hospital and granted balance of leave, on 11th Sep 1918

Rejoined unit ex sick whilst on furlough, on 24th Sep 1918

WIA (GSW R leg) at *Joncourt*, on 30th Sep 1918

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (GSW R leg) on 30th Sep 1918

Transferred to England on 6th Oct 1918

Admitted 5th South Gen Hospital, Portsmouth (GSW R leg- sev) on 7th Oct 1918

Discharged from hospital and granted furlough on 18th Feb 1919 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Dartford on 10th Mar 1919

RTA per 'Czar' on 23rd Mar 1919

Transshipped at Alexandria to HS 'Dongala' on 10th Apr 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 16th May 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 26th Oct 1919

Thomas died on 26 May 1974 in Ivanhoe, Victoria, aged 77 years

DAVIES Valentine Charles

Service No 836 Rank Pte

Born Launceston, Tasmania

NoK Mrs Flora Davies, 260 Gore St, Fitzroy, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 5th Jul 1915 Fitzroy, Melbourne, Vic

Age 29

Status & Religion Married, C.of E.
Occupation Brewery employee

Address 260 Gore St, Fitzroy, Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome RTA 8th Apr 1919 Notes Original, 'D' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

WIA at Fromelles 20th Jul 1916

Admitted 13th General Hospital, Boulogne, (GSW neck, severe), on 21st Jul 1916

Embarked at Boulogne, on HS 'Jan Brydel' for England, on 28th Jul 1917

Admitted Military Hospital, Bagthorpe, Nottingham, (GSW neck, severe), on 29th Jul 1916

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, from Bhurtpore Barracks & Bagthorpe Hospital, on 30th Sep 1916

Marched out from No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, to Woolwich, on 28th Oct 1916

Proceeding overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, per 'Golden Eagle', via Folkestone, on 11th Dec 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 12th Dec 1916

Admitted to Segregation Camp, on 4th Jan 1917 Discharged from Segregation Camp, on 18th Jan 1917 Marched out to unit, from 5th ADBD, on 10th Feb 1917

Rejoined unit, ex wounded, on 11th Feb 1917

To hospital sick, on 28th May 1917

Admitted 8th Fld Amb, (tonsilitis), on 28th May 1917

Admitted 5th DRS, on 28th May 1917

Admitted 9th CCS, (tonsilitis) on 28th May 1917 Transferred to Amb Train, on 8th Jun 1917

Rejoined unit, from hospital, on 27th Jun 1917 ('D' Coy, RO 476)

(Battle of Polygon Wood, 26th/27th Sep 1917)

Detached to 5th Div APM, on 29th Sep 1917

Rejoined unit from detachment with 5th Div APM, on 9th Dec 1917

Detached to 5th Div APM, on 19th Dec 1917

Rejoined unit from detachment with 5th Div HQ, APM, on 23rd Aug 1918

Detached to 5th Div HQ, APM, on 26th Aug 1918 Rejoined unit, ex detachment, on 23rd Jan 1919 Marched out to Base depot, for RTA, on 24th Jan 1919

Marched out from AIBD, Havre, for England, (1915 personnel), on 31st Jan 1919

Disembarked at Weymouth, and marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 1st Feb 1919

RTA per 'Trasos Montes' on 8th Apr 1919

Offence: AWL from 10pm, 14/5/19 to 9am, 15/5/19. Award: 4 days CB, by OC Troops, on 15th May 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 22nd May 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 15th Jul 1919

DAVIES William Arthur

Service No 3534 Rank Pte

Born Warrnambool, Victoria

NoK Mr William Davies, Dandenong, Victoria Enlistment 27th Apr 1916 Melbourne, Victoria

Age 23
Status & Religion Single,
Occupation Labourer

Address Dandenong, Victoria
Outcome KIA on 12th Apr 1918

Notes Brothers; Stanley George Davies and Allan Henry Davies of Allansford, Victoria

8th Rfts, 29th Bn Embarked

KIA on 12th Apr 1918

DAVIES William Owen



Service No 5010 and 4186

Rank Pte

Born Hollywell, North Wales, England

NoK (w) Mrs Cedilla Davies, Annie St, Torwood, Queensland

(m) Mrs Esther Davies

Enlistment 2nd Oct 1915 Torwood, Queensland

Age 30

Status & Religion Married, C.of E. Occupation Fireman

Address Annie St, Torwood, Queensland Outcome RTA 25th Mar 1919

Notes Previously served as # 4186, 9th Bn

14th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A20 "HORORATA", 14th June, 1917

RTA per "Port Denison" on 25th Mar 1919

DAVIS



Daniel Brodie



Service No 3016A Rank Pte

Born Anthony, Queensland

NoK Mr Richard & Mrs Agnes Davis, Allora, Darling Downs, Queensland

Enlistment 30th Dec 1915 Allora, Queensland

Age 23

Status & Religion Single, Pres.
Occupation Railway employee

Address Allora, Darling Downs, Queensland

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Aug 1918,
Buried Assevillers New British Cemetery, France, Plot II, Row E, Grave No 1
Mates: Joseph Devonshire, # 2896A, Drayton, Queensland, and Edward Smythe, # 3396, Killarney, Qld

Nephew of Arthur Hoey Davis aka 'Steele Rudd' writer of 'Dad and Dave'

6th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A40 "Ceramic", 14th April 1916

Disembarked at Port Said on 15th May 1916

Embarked on HMT "Franconia" at Alexandria on 6th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth and marched in to 8th Trng Bn, on 16th Jun 1916

Proceeded overseas to France on 5th Sep 1916 Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Etaples on 6th Sep 1916

Proceeded to join unit on 19th Sep 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn and to take regimental number 3016A, on 22nd Sep 1916

Allotted to 'A' Coy, III Platoon, 31st Bn.

WIA (GSW L groin) on 12th Oct 1916 during a raid on German trenches, by 'Franks Force' led by Lieut

Francis Ryan Smith

Admitted 8th Aust Fld Amb and transferred to 2nd CCS on 12th Oct 1916

Transferred to Amb Train and admitted 14th Gen Hosp, Wimereux, on 13th Oct 1916 Embarked on HS "St Andrew" at Boulogne for England, GSW L groin, on 15th Oct 1916

Admitted Frensham Hill Military Hospital on 15^{th} Oct 1916

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford on 7th Nov 1916

Discharged on furlough on 10th Jan 1917 and to report Perham Downs on 25th Jan 1917

Marched in from furlough to No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs and classified B1a, on 25th Jan 1917

Admitted Bulford, (VD) Perham Downs on 28th Jan 1917

Discharged on 22nd Mar 1917

Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs and classified B1a, on 23rd Mar 1917

Sick to Parkhouse Military Hospital (mumps) 31st Mar 1917

Discharged to Depot on 18th Apr 1917

Marched in from Hospital to No 1 Comm Depot (classified B1a) on 19th Apr 1917

Transferred to 69th Bn, 16th Bde, Wareham on 24th Apr 1917

Taken on strength of 69th Bn from 31st Bn on 24th Apr 1917

Sick to 16th Fld Amb (VD) on 27th Apr 1917

Admitted 1st ADH, Bulford on 1st May 1917

Discharged and marched in to 69th Bn, Wareham, on 11th May 1917

Crime: Absent from 6:45 am Parade on 18th May 1917. Awarded 3 days CB by Capt Cummins

Crime: AWL from 31/8/17 to 5/9/19 from Hurdcott, Salisbury. Awarded 14 days CB by Lt Col Deeble.

Total Forfeiture: 19 days pay.

Transferred to 31st Bn from 69th Bn on marching out to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, on 19th Sep 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, ex 8th Trng Bn, via Southampton, on 14th Oct 1917

Marched in to 5th AIDBD. Havre on 15th Oct 1917

Marched out to unit on 18th Oct 1917

Taken on strength of 31st Bn and allotted to III Platoon, 'A' Coy, on 25th Oct 1917

To hospital sick (influenza) on 22nd Mar 1918

Admitted 15th Aust Fld Amb and transferred to Div Rest Station on 22nd Mar 1918

Admitted 5th ADBD with Albuminuria on 22nd Mar 1918 and transferred to Amb Train.

Admitted 32nd Stat Hosp, Wimereux, suffering effects of gas, on 24th Mar 1918

Transferred to 10th Convalescent Depot, Ecault, on 6th Apr 1918

Discharged from St Martins Rest Camp, Boulogne to Base Depot on 11th Apr 1918

Marched in to AIDBD, Havre, on 12th Apr 1918

Marched out to unit on 22nd Apr 1918 Rejoined unit, III Platoon, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn on 25th Apr 1918

Awarded MM for actions on 8th Aug 1918, at Warfusee-Abancourt

"During the attack of the 31st Battalion from WARFUSEE-ABANCOURT, East of VILLERS BRETONNEUX on 8th August 1918this man did splendid work as a stretcher bearer, rescuing many wounded under very heavy shell fire. Some time after the capture of the final objective, he was instrumental in rescuing many of the cavalry. He also assisted in stretcher bearing on the 9th August for the 29th Battalion in their attack on VAUVILLERS and for units of the 2nd Australian Division who passed through our line, on each occasion showing an absolute disregard for his personal safety and setting a splendid example to his comrades.'

At Villers Carbonnel, he and one other were killed with a shell, and Pte Patrick Kelly, KIA, near Perrone, both killed by same shell

KIA on 29th Aug 1918,

Buried map reference Sht 62C D.20.c.7.2.

Reburied Assevillers New British Cemetery, France, Plot II, Row E, Grave No 1

DAVIS Harold Horace William



Service No 2553 Rank Lient

Adelaide, South Australia Born

NoK Mrs Caroline Davis, Sherbourne Rd, Blackwood, Adelaide, SA

Enlistment 9th Aug 1915 Adelaide, South Australia

20 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Engineer

Address Sherbourne Rd, Blackwood, Adelaide, SA



Outcome RTA 24th Dec 1919 Notes 7th Rfts, 27th Bn

Embarked A7 HMAT Medic on 12th Jan 1916 at Adelaide

Awarded MC for actions (31st Bn attached to 8th ALTMB): "At POLYGON WOOD—East of YPRES – during the operations from 26th/30th September 1917, this Officer performed most gallant service in the tactical handling of his sub-section.

For a short time, his sub-section was without Stokes ammunition and as the Battalion to which he was attached had suffered heavy casualties in Officers, he volunteered to take his men out on patrol, and rendered the utmost service in obtaining valuable information and in gaining contact with the Brigade on the left.

Later when ammunition arrived, he silenced 4 Machine Guns by means of a barrage from his Stokes Guns and so enabled supplies to be brought up and wounded to be evacuated with safety.

He won the confidence and esteem of all Officers and men by his gallant conduct and devotion to duty."

RTA per 'Marathon' on 24th Dec 1919

DAVISHarryService No2917RankPte

Born Broken Hill, NSW

NoK Mr Harry Davis, 102 Fauchart Rd, Rozelle, Sydney, NSW

Enlistment 17th Jan 1916 Rozelle, Sydney, NSW

Age 18

Status & Religion Single, Meth. Occupation Hairdresser

Address 102 Fauchart Rd, Rozelle, Sydney, NSW

Outcome RTA 12th Jun 1919 Notes 5th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", on 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

1st Pioneers

RTA per 'Port Darwin' on 12th Jun 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 27th Jul 1919 Discharged at Sydney on 19th Sep 1919

DAVIS Herbert Service No 3362 Rank Pte

Born Warwick, Queensland

NoK aunt, Mrs Mary Farrell, Mill Hill, Rosewood, Queensland

Enlistment 21st Jan 1916 Toowoomba, Queensland

Age 23 Status & Religion Single, R.C.

Occupation Selector
Address Rosewood, Queensland
Outcome RTA 2nd Jan 1919

Notes RTA 2nd Jan 191 Notes 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 $5^{\rm th}$ Div Details at Tel el Kebir, on $9^{\rm th}$ Jul 1916 Embarked on HMT 'Franconia' at Alexandria on $2^{\rm nd}$ Aug 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 22nd Aug 1916

Marched in to 8^{th} Trng Bn, Larkhill, from Egypt, on 22^{nd} Aug 1916 Taken on strength of 8^{th} Trng Bn, from overseas, on 22^{nd} Aug 1916

Proceeding overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, per 'Golden Eagle', via Folkestone, on 11th Nov 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 12th Nov 1916

Marched out to unit on 19th Nov 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn, on 5th Dec 1916

To hospital sick, on 21st Jan 1917

Admitted 12th Fld Amb, (frostbitten feet), and transferred to CRS, on 23rd Jan 1917

Admitted 1st Anzac CRS, (frostbitten feet), on 23rd Jan 1917

Admitted 36th CCS, (frostbitten feet), and transferred to Amb Train, on 23rd Juan 1917

Admitted 3rd Stat Hospital, Rouen, (frostbitten feet), and transferred to England, on 23rd Jan 1917

Admitted 3rd Stat Hospital, Rouen, (frostbite), on 23rd Jan 1917

Transferred to England, on 24th Jan 1917

Embarked at Rouen, on HS 'Aberdonian, for England, on 24th Jan 1917

Admitted Bethnal Green Military Hospital, London, (frostbite feet), on 28th Jan 1917

Transferred to Tooting Military Hospital, on 16th Feb 1917

Discharged from Tooting Hospital, to furlough on 21st Apr 1917 and to report to

Trng Depot, Wareham, on 7th May 1917

Admitted Grove Military Hospital, Tooting, on 29th Apr 1917

Discharged, to furlough on 23rd Jun 1917 and to report to Trng Depot, Wareham, on 29th Jun 1917 Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Perham Downs, from No 4 Comm Depot, Codford, on 1st Sep 1917

Promoted EDP Sgt, to complete establishment, on 18th Sep 1917

Promoted A/Sgt, on 18th Sep 1917

Reverted to ranks on proceeding overseas from OTB, Longbridge Deverill, on 2nd Nov 1917 Proceeding overseas to France, from Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, via Southampton, on 2nd Nov 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from England, on 3rd Nov 1917

Marched out to unit, on 7th Nov 1917

Rejoined Bn, from sick, on 14th Nov 1917

To 1st Anzac Corps School, Bombing Course, on 5th Dec 1917

Rejoined unit from 1st Anzac Corps School, Bombing Course, on 24th Dec 1917

Detached for duty with 8th Bde Sports Unit, on 23rd Feb 1918 Rejoined unit from 8th Bde Sports Unit, on 25th Mar 1918

WIA on 8th Aug 1918

Admitted 8th Fld Amb, (SW R thigh) and transferred to CCS, on 8th Aug 1918

Admitted 20th CCS, (SW back & L leg) and transferred to Amb Train, on 8th Aug 1918

Admitted 4th general Hospital, Etaples, (SW back & R leg), on 9th Aug 1918

Transferred to England, on 13th Aug 1918

Embarked on HS, 'Brighton' for England, on 13th Aug 1918

Admitted Norfolk Hospital, Thorpe, Norwich, (SW R leg), on 13th Aug 1918

Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 23rd Aug 1918 Discharged to Littlemoor Camp, Weymouth, on 6th Sep 1918

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from 1st AAH, Harefield, on 6th Sep 1918

Sick to hospital, on 8th Sep 1918

Marched in to No 2 CD, Weymouth, from hospital, on 23rd Sep 1918

Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny, from No 2 CD, Weymouth, on 4th Nov 1918

RTA per HT 'Karmala', due GSW R leg, on 2nd Jan 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne, on 15th Feb 1919, and thence by boat to Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane, on 4th Apr 1919

DAVIS





Service No 4046 Rank Cpl

Born 30th Apr 1892, London, England

NoK Mrs Emily Davis, 4 Pembridge Villa, Bayswater, London, England

(w) Mrs Florence Davis

Enlistment 3rd Jul 1916

Age 25

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Engine fitter

Address Newmarket Hotel, Flinders St, Townsville, Qld

Outcome RTA 20th Nov 1918 Notes 10th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A36 "BOONAH", on 21st October 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 10th Jan 1917

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, from Australia, on 10th Jan1917

Proceeded overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, via Folkestone, on 5th Apr 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 7th Apr 1917

Marched out to unit, on 8^{th} Apr 1917 Taken on strength, 31^{st} Bn, on 12^{th} Apr 1917

To hospital sick, on 21st Aug 1917

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (influenza & deformed foot) on 21st Aug 1917

Transferred to and admitted 7th Can General Hospital, Havre, (deformed foot), on 24th Aug 1917

Discharged to Conval Depot, on 27th Aug 1917

RTA per D33 HT 'Suevic', defective vision, on 20^{th} Nov 1918 Disembarked at Melbourne on 5^{th} Jan 1919, thence to Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane on 20th Feb 1919

WWII Service as A/Cpl Q186892 with 1st Garrison Bn and Northern Comm Provost Corps

NoK (w) Florence Davis, Brighton Rd, Sandgate, Brisbane, Qld

Died Lutwyche, Brisbane, on 22nd Nov 1957, aged 65 years

Buried Lutwyche Cemetery, Brisbane.

DAVIS James Service No 652 Rank Pte

Born Footscray, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mr Robert Davis, Lothian St, North Melbourne, Victoria Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 North Melbourne, Victoria

Age 27

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.,

Occupation Labourer

Address Lothian St, North Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome RTA 8th Apr 1919 Notes Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916 WIA (shell shock) on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

RTA per 'Trasos Montes' on 8th Apr 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 22nd May 1919

Discharged at Melbourne on

Died 14th Feb 1939

DAVIS Leonard Adam

Service No 186 Rank Sgt

Born Brisbane, Queensland

NoK Mr Francis Robert Davis, Indooroopilly, via Brisbane, Queensland

Enlistment 10th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 27

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Fitter

Address Indooroopilly, via Brisbane, Queensland

Outcome RTA 16th Jan 1919 Notes Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9^{th} Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

(Battle of Fromelles, 19th/20th Jul 1916)

WIA (SW L shoulder) on 2nd Nov 1916

WIA 2nd occ 29th Aug 1918 at Villers Carbonnel

RTA per HT 'Demosthenes', on 16^{th} Jan 1919 Arrived at Melbourne on 2^{nd} Mar 1919 and travelled to Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane on 23rd Apr 1919

DAVIS Richard Ashley



3207 Service No Rank L/Cpl

Born Warwick, Queensland

NoK brother, John Davis, Tara, via Dalby, Queensland $13^{th}\ Jan\ 1916$ Enlistment Toowoomba, Queensland

Age 23

Single, R.C. Status & Religion Occupation Farmer

Tara, via Dalby, Queensland RTA 22nd May 1919 Address Outcome

Notes 7th Rfts, 31st Bn

X Platoon, 'C' Coy

RTA22nd May 1919

DAVIS



William Roy

Service No 2934A

Rank Born Palmers Island NSW

NoK Mrs Eliza Jane Carter, Palmer's Channel, Clarence River, NSW

Enlistment 8th Jan 1916 Lismore, NSW

20 Age

Status & Religion Single, Meth. Engineer Occupation

Address Palmer's Channel, Clarence River, NSW

5th Apr 1919 Outcome RTA 6th Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A40 "Ceramic", 14th April 1916

8th LTMB

RTA 5th Apr 1919 **DAVISON** Gordon











Service No 187 Rank Pte

Born Lawrence, NSW

NoK Mr George and Catherine Eliza Davison, Center St, Casino, NSW

Enlistment 17th Jul 1915 Casino, NSW

Age 28

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Butcher

Address Center St, Casino, NSW Outcome RTA 15th Sep 1918

Notes Original, II Platoon, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915, HMAT A41 "BAKARA", 5 Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915.

Embarked for France via Alexandria and Marseilles per "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916

WIA and POW

Reported Missing then Wounded and Prisoner of War from 19th/20th Jul 1916, Fromelles.

"We went 'over the top' at 20 minutes to 6 o'clock on the evening of July 19, 1916. We had only come up into the trenches that afternoon from Fleurbaix. It was a big affair, the whole 5th Australian Division taking part in it. Our objective was the enemy trench about 300 yards in front of us. I got out as far as what we believed to be the third line of enemy trenches, but then returned to his second line. There our chaps put in the whole of the night 'digging in' and consolidating our position. We were under a heavy fire and a continuous artillery bombardment during the whole time. Saw the C.O. Colonel FW Toll out in the third line of enemy trenches, also Second in Command, Major Eckersley, also out in the third line of enemy trenches.

During the night I was completely out of action. I received a bullet through the left shoulder and another through the right hand. I lay out through all that night in a shell-hole and was picked up by the Germans early next morning.

I was taken to Douai and I remained in hospital there till October. Then I was sent to the lager at Dulmen, from there the Germans sent me out 'on commando' from a place called Burgsteinfurt. We were put to work among scrap iron and timber. My wound was still running, in fact it is still running. This commando was made up of 40 British Prisoners of War, of whom 10 were Australians. I was in the hospital till 30th Apr 1917 and was then transferred to the lager. I remained in Munster lager till 7th Dec 1917. Then I was moved to Mannheim where I passed the medical board fro internment in a neutral country.

I left Mannheim on 26th Dec 1917 and went to the Chateau d'Oex Region in Switzerland. Most of my time there I was in hospital (the 'A.S.A'). The Swiss people were very kind to us, and I received good treatment in hospital. With others I left Switzerland on 11th Jun 1918. We crossed France from the frontier post of Pont Arlier to Le Havre and came across to Southampton in the SS 'Panama', arriving on 14th June. From Southampton we came straight into London and were quartered at the King George Hospital, Waterloo."

Marched into No 2 Command Depot on 31st Aug 1918 RTA per "H25" due SW L shoulder on 15th Sep 1918

Discharged at Brisbane on 24th Aug 1919

DAVISONJamesService No2910RankPte

Born Arncliffe, Sydney, NSW

NoK Mr George and Lavinia Thompson Davison, both deceased

sister, Mrs Bertha O Wilkinson, "Hazelbrigge", Wardell Rd, Marrickville, Sydney, NSW

brother; Mr George Emanuel Davison, c/o District Surveyor, Grafton, NSW

aunt; Mrs Margaret Davison, 'Hillside', Rowsley, Vic

Enlistment 20th Dec 1915 Marrickville, Sydney, NSW

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, Pres.

Occupation Clerk (NSW Railways)
Address Marrickville, Sydney, NSW

Outcome KIA 26th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood, remembered Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial Belgium

Notes D' Coy, 17th Bn from 20th Dec 1915 to 23rd Dec 1915 'A' Coy, 20th Bn from 23rd Dec 1915 to 25th Feb 1916 To 5th Rfts, 31st Bn on 26th Feb 1916 'B' Coy

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916 Appointed EDP/Cpl in Egypt on 5th Jun 1916 Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria on 20th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 30th Jun 1916

Proceeded to join unit ex 5^{th} ADBD, Etaples, on 22^{nd} Jul 1916 Taken on strength 'B' Coy, 31^{st} Bn and reverts to Pte, on 23^{rd} Jul 1916

Sick to hospital on 8th Aug 1916

Admitted 15th Fld Amb (measles contact) and transferred to CCS, on 9th Aug 1916

Rejoined unit ex sick, on 22nd Aug 1916 Detached to 8th Fld Engrs on 12th May 1916

Ceased to be attached and returned to duty with 31st Bn on 25th May 1916

To 3rd Army Sniping School on 9th Jul 1917 Rejoined from Sniping School on 22nd Jul 1917 To UK on leave on 21st Aug 1917 Returned from UK leave on 3rd Sep 1917 Reported wounded in action on 26th Sep 1917

Previously reported WIA and now reported wounded and Missing in Action, on 26th Sep 1917

On account of slender evidence available no finding can be decided on, 5th Mar 1918

Extract from Cable from Defence "Nothing to prevent finding of deceased" from Melbourne on 20th Mar 1918

Court of Inquiry held on 15th Oct 1918, Finding: Killed in Action 26th/27th Sep 1917 Pte J Kilmister, also 'B' Coy wrote to his sister advising death on 26th Sep 1917

Saw Davison hit by shell, went back to make sure and saw him being carried away by SBs dead. L/Cpl Gower

KIA 26th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood, remembered Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial Belgium

Remembered on Bacchus Marsh Avenue of Honour tree N091 (north). Also 3 cousins on Bacchus Marsh Avenue of Honour- Alan, Norman & Robert. His aunt Elizabeth Allan (nee Davison) married to Robert Clarke

had 2 sons Archibald and William also in Avenue

DAWSON

George



Service No 4822 Rank Pte

Born Norwich, England

NoK aunt, Mrs Mavis Sherwood, 16 Whitecher St, New Cross, London, England

(w) Mrs Emily Alice (nee Stelfox) Dawson 4th Dec 1916 Charleville, Queensland

Age 29

Enlistment

Status & Religion
Occupation
Address
Outcome
Single, C.of E.
Kangaroo shooter
Charleville, Queensland
RTA 3rd May 1919

Notes 13th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A18 "WILTSHIRE", 7th February, 1917

4th MG Bn

Taken POW at Dernancourt, France on 5th Apr 1918

DAWSONHaroldService No1577RankPte

Born Echuca, Victoria

NoK Mrs Louisa Dawson, 15 Perth St, Prahan, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 3rd Aug 1915 Mathoura, NSW

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Painter

Address c/o Mrs M A'Hearne, Mathoura, NSW

Outcome RTA 28th May 1919

Notes 1st Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A41 "Bakara", 5 Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 13th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

RTA 28th May 1919

DAWSON

William Henry



Service No 643 Rank Pte

Born Deniliquin, NSW

NoK Mr Charles Dawson, Mathoura, NSW Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Mathoura, NSW

Age 27

Status & Religion Occupation Single, R.C. Labourer Address Mathoura, NSW

Outcome RTA 28th Mar 1919

Notes AWM Photo DA09873, c August 1915

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7^{th} Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

WIA (remaining at duty) on 18th Oct 1917

WIA 2nd occ (gassed) on 24th Apr 1918

RTA per "Port Macquarie" via Cardiff on 28th Mar 1919 "Settlement Block" of land near Deniliquin about 1925?



640 Service No Rank Cpl

1896, Brisbane, Queensland Born

NoK Mr Alfred Samuel & Mrs Evalina K. Day, 60 Garton St, Princes Hill, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Princes Hill, Melbourne, Vic

Age 19 Status & Religion Single, C.of E., Occupation Traveller

Address 60 Garton St, Princes Hill, Melbourne, Victoria

4th May 1917 Outcome RTA Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn Notes

Promoted L/Cpl on 12th Aug 1915

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

To hospital sick (influenza) admitted 8th Fld Amb, Tel el Kebir on 1st Mar 1916

Discharged for duty 4th Mar 1916

Promoted Cpl, vice JK Avery, on 14th Mar 1916

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

WIA (GSW L Buttock) on 16th Jul 1916

Awarded Mention in Despatches (MID); "This NCO has on several occasions shown merit of a high order as a scout and as an assistant to Battalion Intelligence Officer. While doing duty in the latter capacity and on first taking over the task, he was wounded. (At Fromelles)'

Admitted 10th Stat Hospital, St Omer, on 19th Jul 1916

Embarked on HS "St David" for England, GSW buttock, on 24th Jul 1916

Admitted Kitchener Hospital, Brighton (severe) on 26th Jul 1916 Discharged from hospital to Perham Downs on 20th Aug 1916 Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 22nd Aug 1916 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth on 20th Feb 1917

Crime: Overstaying leave from 3pm on 23rd Mar 1917 to 3pm on 26th Mar 1917.

Award; severely reprimanded and Forfeits 4 days pay (£1.14.0)

Admitted to Monte Video Camp on 21st Mar 1917 RTA per HS "Miltiades" from Devonport on 4th May 1917

Discharged at Melbourne on 13th Aug 1917

In 1923 was at 62 Paxton St, East Malvern, Melbourne, Vic

In 1932 was a Manufacturer, 66 Castlereagh St, Redfern, Sydney, NSW

Died 21st May 1947, aged 51 years

Buried Rokewood Memorial Gardens and Crematorium, Sydney, NSW

DAY Charles Drummond

Service No 650 Rank Pte

Born Bendigo, Victoria

NoK (m) Mrs Wilkinson, 8 Lynch St, Footscray, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Footscray, Melbourne, Vic

Age

32 Single, C.of E.,

Status & Religion

Occupation Waiter

8 Lynch St, Footscray, Melbourne, Victoria Address

RTA per HT "Ulysses" from Plymouth on 13th Feb 1917 Outcome

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25rd Jun 1916 To hospital sick (trench jaundice) on 20th Aug 1916 To 7th Gen Hospital, St Omer on 26th Aug 1916

Embarked at Boulogne on HS "St Denis" for England due "Trench jaundice" on 2nd Oct 1916 Admitted 1st Southern Hospital, Stirchley, Birmingham (jaundice – severe) on 30th Oct 1916 Transferred from 1st Sthn Hospital, Birmingham to 2nd Aux Hospital, Southall on 24th Nov 1916 Discharged from 2^{nd} Aux Hospital to Weymouth on 28^{th} Nov 1916 RTA per HT "Ulysses" from Plymouth, due jaundice, on 13^{th} Feb 1917

Discharged at Melbourne on 2nd Jun 1917

Died 24th Nov 1932

DAY Frank Harold

Service No 805 Rank Cpl

Born North Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mrs M Day, "Eumerella" 296 Dandenong Rd, East St Kilda, Melbourne, Vic

Enlistment 8th Jul 1915 St Kilda, Melbourne, Vic

Age 31

Status & Religion Married, Pres.
Occupation Engineer

Address "Eumerella" 296 Dandenong Rd, East St Kilda, Melb, Vic

Outcome RTA 21st Dec 1917

Notes Original, 'D' Coy, 31st Bn / 5th Trg Sqd AFC

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9^{th} Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

RTA per A38 due frac of L Radius of Ulna, on 21st Dec 1917

Discharged at Melbourne on 15th Aug 1918

DAY Stanley Albert

Service No 3067 Rank Pte

Born East Camberwell, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mr Thomas Day, Canterbury Rd, Canterbury, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 20th Jan 1916 Canterbury, Melbourne, Vic

Age 20

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Electrician

Address Canterbury Rd, Canterbury, Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome RTA 5th Jul 1919 Notes 5th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", on 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

Embarked on to join BEF on HMT 'Huntsend' at Alexandria on 20th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles, England on 30th Jun 1916

Proceeded from 5th ADBD, Etaples, to join unit on 22nd Jul 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, on 23rd Jul 1916

Sick to hospital, on 13th Sep 1916 Admitted 1st CCS, on 15th Sep 1916 Discharged to duty, on 17th Sep 1916 Rejoined unit on 17th Sep 1916

WIA on 21st Nov 1916

Classified wounded self-inflicted without negligence

Admitted 5^{th} Fld Amb (GSW hand) and transferred to CCS, on 23^{rd} Nov 1916

Admitted 5^{th} CCS, (GSW hand) on 23^{rd} Nov 1916

WIA on 30th Sep 1918

Admitted 53rd CCS (SW R thigh) and transferred to Amb Train, on 1st Oct 1918

 $Admitted\ 74^{th}\ General\ Hospital,\ Trouville,\ and\ transferred\ to\ 1^{st}\ Can\ Gen\ Hospital,\ on\ 2^{nd}\ Oct\ 1916$

Admitted 1st Can General Hospital, Trouville, (GSW R thigh), on 3rd Oct 1918

Marched out of 8th Bde Bn to Base Depot, for RTA, on 4th Apr 1919 Marched out from AIBD, Havre, for England, on 12th May 1919 Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth, on 13th May 1919

RTA per 'Port Melbourne' on 5th Jul 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 20th Aug 1919 Discharged at Melbourne, on 12th Oct 1919 DAYMOND William Harold

Service No 648 Rank Pte

Born Sale, Victoria

NoK Mr Albert Edward Daymond, Maffra, Victoria Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Maffra, Victoria

Age 23

Status & Religion Single, Ang
Occupation Labourer
Address Maffra, Victoria
Outcome RTA 8th May 1919
Notes see Alexander Dottie, # 647

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25rd Jun 1916

Taken on strength of 8th Bde LTM Bty from 31^{st} Bn on 25^{th} Jul 1916

WIA on 3rd May 1917

Rejoined unit on 12th Aug 1917

Awarded Belgium Croix de Guerre, dated 16th Feb 1918

RTA per "Devanha" on 8th May 1919

De FLORACSinclairService No1636RankPte

Born Menston, Yorkshire, England

NoK Mrs Mary Myrtle De Florac, 31 Constance St, Valley, Brisbane, Qld

Enlistment 10th Jan 1916 Brisbane, Qld

Age 35 Status & Religion Married, C.of E. Occupation Musician

Address 31 Constance St, Valley, Brisbane, Qld

Outcome RTA per A29, for discharge due chronic rheumatism on 21st Apr 1918

Notes enlisted with 'D' Coy, 9th Bn on 9th Sep 1914

2nd Rfts, 49th Bn

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 9th Oct 1916

RTA per A29, for discharge due chronic rheumatism on 21st Apr 1918

Discharged at Sydney on 12th Aug 1918

De LACEY

Walter Charles





Service No 4391 Rank Pte

Born Byker, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Northumberland, England
NoK Mrs Mary DeLacey, Main St, South Townsville, Queensland

Enlistment 2nd Oct 1916 Charters Towers, Qld

Age 31

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Occupation Groom/Dairyman/Fireman/Handyman

Address Boundary St, Charters Towers, Queensland KIA on 10th Oct 1917 at WestHoek Ridge, France Outcome Notes

Brother; Pte Isaac Morgan DeLacey, # 7235, 9th Bn, DoW

11th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916

KIA on 10th Oct 1917 at WestHoek Ridge, France

De MEDICI Hudson Service No 838 Rank L/Cpl

1892, Clunes, Victoria Born

NoK Mr (Michael) Hudson & Mrs Sarah De Medici, 147 Maribyrnong Rd, Ascot Vale, Melbourne, Vic

5th Jul 1915 Enlistment Coburg, Melbourne, Vic

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Occupation Plumber

18 Murray St, Coburg, Melbourne, Victoria Address

Outcome RTA 12th Mar 1918

Brother, Pte Sampson Mitchell De Medici, # 2067, 2nd Field Cov Engrs Notes

Original, 'D' Coy, XIII Platoon, 3rd Section, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

Battle of Fromelles 19th/20th Jul 1916

Sick to hospital, on 20th Nov 1916

Admitted 1st SM CCS, (bronchitis) on 20th Nov 1916 Transferred to No 29 Amb Train, on 21st Nov 1916

Admitted 11th Stat Hospital, Rouen, (bronchitis), on 26th Nov 1916 Embarked on HS 'Wet Australia' for England, on 4th Dec 1916 Admitted 2nd Birmingham War Hospital, (bronchitis), on 5th Dec 1916

Marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Wareham, from furlough, on 23rd Feb 1917

Marched out from No 4 CD, Wareham, on 14th Mar 1917

Marched in to No 3 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from Wareham, on 17th Mar 1917

Classified B1A4, at Hurdcott, on 20th Apr 1917

Marched out to Drafting Depot, Perham Downs, on 15th May 1917

Offence: Perham Downs, 28th May 1917. Neglecting to obey RO Para 'Bounds'.

Award: 4 days CC, by OC H&D Depot, on 1st Jun 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, from Inf Draft Depot, via Folkestone, on 3rd Jun 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from England, on 5th Jun 1917

Marched out to join unit, on 28th Jun 1917 Rejoined unit from hospital, on 1st Jul 1917

('D' Coy, RO 479)

Detached for duty with 1st Anzac Corps HQ on 16th Jul 1917

Detached for duty with Corps HQ on 16th Jul 1917. (All from 'D' Coy) Kenneth Guthrie Stewart, Cpl 3624 Reginald Rowland, Pte 838 Hudson De Medici, Pte 2147 Samuel Jenkins, Pte 868 Thomas Arthur Heath, Pte 2956A George Morgan, Pte 3005A William Wheldon, Pte 3009A Royden John Rogers, Pte 2040 George King, Pte 871 'Wally' (Stanley Christopher Wallis) Hicks, Pte 914 William Herbert McBain.

Rejoined unit from detachment on 12th Aug 1917

Appointed L/Cpl on 3rd Sep 1917

WIA on 26th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

Admitted 6th Fld Amb (GSW R thigh) and transferred to 17th CCS, on 26th Sep 1917

Admitted 12th General Hospital, Rouen, (GSW R thigh), on 27th Sep 1917

Transferred to England, on 5th Oct 1917

Embarked on HS 'Essequibo' for England, on 5th Oct 1917

Admitted 1st Southern Hospital, Birmingham, (GSW R leg, severe), on 7th Oct 1917

Now 2nd Birmingham War Hospital, Birmingham, on 1st Jan 1918 Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 21st Jan 1918

Discharged to furlough, on 31st Jan 1918, and to report to No 2 Comm Depot, on 14th Feb 1918 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from AHQ, London, ex furlough, on 14th Feb 1918

RTA per HT 'Kenilworth Castle' due GSW R thigh, on 12th Mar 1918 Transshipped to 'Field Marshall' at Durban, departing 28th Apr 1918. Departed Capetown on 2nd May 1918, and

disembarked at Melbourne, on 22nd May 1918 Discharged at Melbourne on 4th Jul 1918 Married Mavis Cecilia Tobin in 1939 Died 4th Jun 1968 at Parkville, aged 75 years Buried at Fawkner, Melbourne, Victoria

DEAN Joseph Henry



Rank

Born Footscray, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mrs Mary Ann Dean, 77 McCracken St, Kensington, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Kensington, Melbourne, Vic

18 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.,

Occupation Clerk

77 McCracken St, Kensington, Melbourne, Victoria Address

Outcome RTA 8th Apr 1919 Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Attached to Postal Corps, Zeitoun, from Garrison Camp, on 22nd Mar 1916

Embarked at Alexandria per HMT "Aragon" on 13th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Plymouth on 23rd Jun 1916

Placed in detention on 7th Dec 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 12th Oct 1917

Proceeded to join Div Demonstration Platoon on 3rd Jan 1918

WIA (gassed) on 7th Aug 1918

RTA per 'Trasos Montes' on 8th Apr 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 22nd May 1919

Discharged at Melbourne on

DEAN Lewis Harder

Service No 5011 Rank

Born Gympie, Queensland

NoK Mrs Sarah Ann Dean, Mellor St, Gympie, Queensland

Enlistment 3rd Jun 1916 Gympie, Queensland

18 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Stonecutter

Address Mellor St, Gympie, Queensland 12th Jun 1919 Outcome RTA Notes

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A20 "HORORATA", 14th June, 1917

41st Bn

RTA 12th Jun 1919

DEAN Raymond Phillip

Service No 219 Rank Pte

Born Nhill, Victoria

NoK Mrs Rose Ellen Dean, 56 Fawkner St, South Yarra, Melbourne, Vic

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Melbourne, Vic

Age 19

Status & Religion Single, Meth.
Occupation Farrier

Address 56 Fawkner St, South Yarra, Melbourne, Vic Outcome RTA per HMAT "Derbyshire" on 2nd Mar 1919

Notes 'A' Coy, 29th Bn

Embarked

RTA per HMAT "Derbyshire" on 2nd Mar 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 14th Jun 1919

DEANE John Richard

Service No 837 Rank Pte

Born Westbury, Wiltshire, England

NoK Mr John Deane, The Dairy, Meaktin-Jarleigh, near Bath, England

Enlistment 5th Jul 1915 Heidelberg, Melbourne, Vic

Age 23

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.
Occupation Kitchenman (hospital)

Address Austin Hospital, Heidelberg, Melbourne, Vic Outcome RTA per HMAT "Borda" on 27th Jan 1920 Notes Original, 'D' Coy/ IX Platoon, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Appointed L/Cpl, at Ferry Post, on 4th May 1916

Reverts to rank of Pte at own request, Ferry Post, on 13th May 1916 Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

To hospital sick, on 10th Feb 1917

Admitted 5th DRS, (septic foot) on 10th Feb 1916

Embarked at Boulogne, on HS 'Princess Elizabeth' for England, on 25th Feb 1917

Admitted Norfolk War Hospital, Norwich, (septic toe), on 26th Feb 1917

Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 11th Apr 1917

Rejoined Bn ex sick, on 26th Oct 1917 ('HQ' 'Pnr' Coy, RO 590)

With unit on 5th Sep 1918

To UK on leave on 24th Oct 1918

Rejoined unit ex leave, on 11th Nov 1918

To hospital sick on 30th Nov 1918

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (cyst on neck) and transferred to CCS, on 30th Nov 1918

Admitted 12th CCS, (sebaceous cyst neck) and transferred to Amb Train, on 30th Nov 1918

Admitted 9th General Hospital, (Lakeside Unit, USA), Rouen, (sebaceous cyst on neck) on 2nd Dec 1918

Embarked on HS 'St Andrew' for England on 14th Dec 1918 Admitted 2nd Southern General Hospital, Bristol, on 17th Dec 1918

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 20th Dec 1918

Discharged and granted furlough on 23rd Dec 1918 and to report to No 1 Comm Depot, on 6th Jan 1919

Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny, from Admin HQ, on 6th Jan 1919

RTA per HMAT "Borda" on 27th Jan 1920 Discharged at Melbourne on 27th Apr 1920

Died 29th Sep 1981

DEARDS

Henry Frederick Leon Howard



4289 Service No Rank Pte

Born Dungog, NSW

Mrs Amy Muriel Deards, Uki, Tweed River, NSW NoK

Son; Leon Howard Andrew Deards

23rd Sep 1916 Enlistment Brisbane, Queensland

Age

Status & Religion Married, C.of E. Occupation Farmer

Address Uki, Tweed River, NSW KIA on 18th Aug 1917 11th Rfts, 31st Bn Outcome Notes

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916

15th Bn

KIA on 18th Aug 1917

DeBOAR William George

Service No 2321 Rank Pte

Brompton, Adelaide, SA Born

NoK Mrs Matilda Maud DeBoar, Coghlin St, Brompton, Adelaide, SA

Enlistment 29th Nov 1915 Adelaide, SA

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Labourer

Address 69 Coghlin St, Brompton, Adelaide, SA RTA per "Port Lyttleton" on 10th Jun 1919 Outcome

Notes 4th Rfts, 32nd Bn

Embarked

RTA per "Port Lyttleton" on 10th Jun 1919 Discharged at Adelaide on 12th Dec 1919

DECIS William Alfred

Service No Cpl Rank

Born Port Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mrs Louise Decis, 24 Graham St, Port Melbourne, Victoria

 $14^{th}\;Jul\;1915$ Enlistment Port Melbourne, Victoria

23 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E., Occupation Engraver

24 Graham St, Port Melbourne, Victoria Address Outcome RTA 8th May 1919

Notes Original, X Platoon, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25rd Jun 1916

RTA per 'Devanha' on 8th May 1919

DEE Norman Victor

Service No 4036 Rank Pte

Born Rockhampton, Queensland

NoK Mr William Henry Dee, Walkerston, Queensland Enlistment 25th Mar 1916 Mackay, Queensland

Age 19

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Shop assistant

Address Sydney St, Mackay, Queensland

Outcome RTA 1^{st} Aug 1919 Notes 10^{th} Rfts, 31^{st} Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A36 "BOONAH", 21st October 1916

10th

RTA 1st Aug 1919

DEKOSESKO George **DIACONOEYESCO DIACUNESCU**



Service No 475 Rank Pte Born Romania

NoK Mr Eonei Diacunescu & Mrs Pathitsa Diaconoeyesco (Georgeson), St Bogdau Diagas No 2, Rounman,

Roumania

Enlistment 6th Jul 1915 South Brisbane, Qld

Age 39

Status & Religion Single, Greek Orth.

Occupation Barber

Address c/o Mrs Greenfield, Boggo Rd, South Brisbane, Qld

Outcome RTA 6th Sep 1919 Notes Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 WIA (GSW R leg) on 19th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

RTA per A68 'Anchises' Comp frac R tibia &fibula, on 1st Nov 1917

Disembarked at Melbourne on 3rd Jan 1918 for Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane on

DELAHUNT



Service No Rank



3793

Pte



Born Auburn, NSW

NoK Mr John Delahunt, Innisfail, North Queensland

Wife; Agnes Hill

Enlistment 18th Dec 1915 Townsville, Queensland

Age 26

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Labourer

Address Innisfail, North Queensland
Outcome RTA 7th Feb 1920
Notes 9th Rfts, 31st Bn

Brother; Pte W Delahunt

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "SEANG CHOON", 19th September 1916

AAOC

RTA 7^{th} Feb 1920 Died 2^{nd} Jul 1951

Gregory Stanislaus

DELLIT

Notes



Rank Lieut

Born 19 Apr 1891, Redfern, NSW

NoK Mr Albert Dellit, 1 Church St, Waverley, Sydney, NSW Enlistment 3rd Aug 1915 Waverley, Sydney, NSW

Age 24

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Salesman

Occupation Salesman
Address 1 Church St, Waverley, Sydney, NSW
Outcome RTA per HT "Orontes" on 25th Oct 1919

5th Rfts, 31st Bn

Appointed 2nd/Lieut, on 16th Feb 1916

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", on 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

Taken on strength of 8th Trng Bn, on 3rd Aug 1916

Joined 31st Bn from 5th Rfts on 5th Sep 1916

Taken on strength 29^{th} Bn, ex 31^{st} Bn on 2^{nd} May 1917

Attended a course of Instruction at Southern Command Gas School from 13th to 20th Oct 1917 and qualified as an instructor.

Ceased to be seconded from 15th Trng Bde and resumed regimental duty on 30th Apr 1918

Taken on strength 31st Bn, ('A' Coy, 31st Bn) ex 29th Bn, on 16th May 1918

Mention in Corps Orders for actions: "During the operations of 29th/30th September 1918, this officer commanded a Company with great skill and courage. His bearing under heavy shell and machine gun fire was a fine example to the men under his command. During a serious period of the advance, he, grasping the tactical situation and with total disregard to personal safety, led his Company forward, and was instrumental in beating off a counterattack. He set a fine example of courage and determination throughout."

RTA per HT "Orontes" on 25^{th} Oct 1919

Appointment terminated at Sydney on 31st Jan 1920

DEMAINE







Service No 680A Rank Pte

Born Maryborough, Queensland

NoK Mr William Hallwell Demaine, Yaralla St, Maryborough, Queensland

(w) Mrs Maud (nee Stokes) Demaine,

Enlistment 23rd Sep 1916 Roma, Queensland

Age 25

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Draper

Address Yaralla St, Maryborough, Queensland Outcome RTA per "Osterley" on 24th Jan 1920

Notes 8th Rfts, 52nd Bn from 25th Nov 1916 to 13th Dec 1916

12th Rfts, 7th MG Coy from 16th Jan 1917 to 27th Jan 1917 13th Rfts, 31st Bn from 27th Jan 1917 to 5th Feb 1917 25th Rfts, 9th Bn from 6th Feb 1917 to 8th Feb 1917 MG Rfts, 12th Rfts, 7th MG from 19th Feb to 21st Jun 1917 Embarked at Melbourne on A29 "Suevic" on 21st Jun 1917

Disembarked at Liverpool, England on 26th Aug 1917

Marched in to Rollestone on 26th Aug 1917

WIA (SW head) on 10th Jun 1918

Rejoined unit on 13th Aug 1918

WIA (gassed) on 2nd Sep 1918 Invalided to England on 8th Sep 1918

Admitted Military Hospital, Weymouth (gassed) on 9th Sep 1918

RTA per "Osterley" on 24th Jan 1920 Discharged at Brisbane on 19th Apr 1920

DENING

Maborly Esler









Service No 346B, 6661A

Rank Lieut

Born 21st Apr 1897, Tokyo, Japan

NoK (m) Mrs Lydia Norman Dening, Cowie Rd, Apsley PO, near Brisbane, Queensland

Enlistment 10th Feb 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 20

Status & Religion Single, Agnostic,

Occupation Student of Toyoko, Japan and Brisbane Address Apsley PO, near Brisbane, Queensland

c/o Lady Dening, Hampton Court Palace, Hampton Court, London West, England

Outcome Discharged in England 26th Jan 1920

Notes Studied German, French and Japanese in respective countries during schooling.

Unallotted infantry 10th Feb to 28th Mar 1915

'A' Coy 25th Bn 28th Mar to 4th Jul 1915

Promoted CSM on 15th May 1915

Crossed off roll of 25th Bn No 80 (medically unfit) and unallotted from 4th Jul to 1st Aug 1915

Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn on 1st Aug 1915

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

WIA (shell shock) on 19th Jul 1916 at Fromelles (blown up by an explosion and unconscious for 2 hours)

Embarked at Boulogne for England on HS "St David" on 21st Jul 1916

Admitted to 4th London General Hospital, Denmark Hill (shell shock) on 22nd Jul 1916

On 20th Oct 1916, placed on supplementary list of officers owing to absence from unit for a period of 3 months Promoted 2/Lieut on 6th Nov 1916

Proceeded overseas to France on 8th Nov 1916

Rejoined unit, 31st Bn, ex Seconded List and 5th ADBD on 17th Nov 1916

To be Lieut on 25th Nov 1916

To hospital sick on 1st Dec 1916

Rejoined unit from hospital on 13th Dec 1916

To hospital sick on 14th Dec 1916

Admitted to 1st Gen Hospital, (Halve Tachycardia – slight) on 17th Dec 1916

To hospital sick ex 5th DBD on 22nd Jan 1917

Discharged from 24th Gen Hospital, Etaples for duty on 2nd Feb 1917

Marched in to 5th Div Base Depot on 3rd Feb 1917

Seconded for duty with 8th Trng Bn on 29th Aug 1917

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, ex Fovant on 4th Sep 1917

Attended a course of instruction at Southern Command Gas School, Portion, from 11th Sep to 29th Sep 1917 and qualified as an instructor.

Proceeded overseas to France on 23rd Nov 1917

Rejoined unit on 5th Dec 1917



Christmas Dav 1917 - Top of Steps and Down: Second-Lieutenants K.W. Morrison, H. Miller, G. Jennings, Lieutenant E. Joy, Second-Lieutenant J.M. Nelson, Lieutenant E. Robbins, Second-Lieutenant H. Elton, Lieutenant G.A. Wheatley, Second-Lieutenant B.W. Drinkwater, Second-Lieutenant C.K. Unwin, Lieutenants J.R. Greeves, J. Spain, L.N. Larnock, M.E. Denning, Second-Lieutenant E.C. Knowles, Lieutenant J.J. Cairns, Second-Lieutenant E.A. Hepburn, Lieutenant H.D. Porter, Lieutenant R.C. Kimpton, and Second-Lieutenant A.E. Hill.

Proceeded to England for duty on 23rd Feb 1918

Proceeded to Intelligence Course, England on 27th Feb 1918

Attached from Intelligence Course to Anzac Corps HQ on 30th Apr 1918

Seconded for duty and attached to 2nd Divisional HQ ex 31st Bn as Intelligence Officer on 4th May 1918 Proceeded to England for duty on 3rd Apr 1918

Hon Intelligence Officer M Div, to be ADC to GOC, AIF Depots in UK on 15th Apr 1919

Awarded MBE for actions 8 Aug-1 Oct 1918 in Div. Intelligence on 2nd Jun 1919 – "As Divisional Intelligence Officer Lieut DENING has rendered conspicuously good service especially during the period August 8th to October 6th 1918.

This officer paid special attention to the careful training of German speakers who were organized as part of the Divisional Intelligence Staff.

As a result of his initiative, thoroughness, and personal reconnaissance the Divisional General Staff was kept promptly and fully advised of all information obtained from German prisoners during the period above referred to – information which, frequently was not only of greatest value to the troops of 2nd Australian Division, but also to higher authorities."

Mentioned in Sir Douglas Haig's Despatches 13th Jul 1919

Taken on strength of No 2 Group as from 31st Aug 1919,

but to remain at HQrs, Tidworth for duty on 30th Aug 1919

Discharged in England, address Old Brompton, Chatham, on 26th Jan 1920

Taking up an appointment under the Foreign Office in the Far Eastern Consular Service

Later from Apr 1920, c/o The British Embassy, Toykio, Japan



Dening was a career foreign service officer; and he was promoted regularly across the span of years.

Dening was consular officer in 1938, when he was awarded an OBE. During the Second World War, he served on the staff of Louis Mountbatten, 1st Earl Mountbatten of Burma. He had become the Chief Political Adviser to the Supreme Allied Commander, South-East Asia Command when he was made a member or Companion in the Order of St Michael and St George in 1945. In an unusual move Dening became a whistle blower in a dispatch to the Foreign Office, London; stating that Mountbatten constantly ignored the advice of those he commanded and described him as a 'obsequious sycophant desperate that British-Indian operations in southern French Indo-China would not tarnish his professional reputation or SEAC legacy'.

In 1950, Dening was an Assistant Under-Secretary of State in the Foreign Office when the King promoted him to be a Knight Commander of the Order of St Michael and St George. He was the British Political Representative in Tokyo in 1950-1951 and when full diplomatic relations were re-established, his role was an essential element of the transition.

Sir Esler appointed to be Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Tokyo on 6 May 1952. He was the Ambassador from 1952 through 1957.



Ambassador Dening laying a wreath in the Yokohama War Cemetery on Remembrance Day — November 1955

In 1955, Sir Esler promoted to be a Member of the First Class, or Knight Grand Cross, of the Order of St Michael and St George

Died 29th Jan 1977 and a notice published in London Gazette of Sir Esler's death

DENNAlfred ErnestService No2893ARankPte

Born South Yarra, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK brother, James Denn, 58 Gindon St, Burnley, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 14th Jan 1916 Toowoomba, Queensland

Age 23

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Labourer

Address Charleville, Queensland
Outcome RTA 22nd May 1919

Notes 6th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A40 "Ceramic", 14th April 1916

'D' Coy, 31st Bn (A.D. Cumming, Red Cross file)

RTA 22nd May 1919 Died 13th Oct 1931 **DENNIS** James

AVIS D. B.
AVISON J.
PE LERCY W. C.
SENTON R. C.
PODSON H. E.

Service No 3223A Rank Pte

Born 3rd Nov 1885, Mannum, South Australia

NoK (w) Mrs Annie Elizabeth (nee Evans) Dennis, High View Farm, Port Broughton, SA (m. 13th Jun 1916)

(f) Richard Dennis (m) Matilda Dennis

Enlistment 16th Mar 1916 Bute, South Australia

Age

Status & Religion Married, Meth Occupation Farm labourer

Address High View Farm, Port Broughton, SA

Outcome RTA 10 Jun 1919

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Notes Brother: Mr Robert L Dennis, Bute, South Australia see page 42 suicide note

Sister: Amy Jane Svensson, Cornermant, River Murray, SA

7th Rfts, 32nd Bn

Embarked on A52 HMAT "Matakuta" at Adelaide, on 12th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Devonport on 22nd Aug 1916

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Larkhill, on 24th Aug 1918

Proceeding overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, per 'Golden Eagle', to reinforce 31st Bn, via Folkestone,

on 11th Nov 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, in 12th Nov 1916

To hospital sick, on 15th Nov 1916

Admitted 24th General Hospital, Etaples, (mumps), on 15th Nov 1916

Discharged to Base Depot, on 3rd Dec 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from Conval Depot, Rouen, on 3rd Dec 1916

Marched out to 31st Bn, on 14th Dec 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, and allotted Reg No 3223A, on 16th Dec 1916

To hospital sick, on 1st Feb 1917

Admitted 15th Fld Amb, (injury to foot) and transferred to CRS, on 1st Feb 1917

Admitted Anzac CRS, (injury to foot), on 1st Feb 1917

Transferred to 8th Fld Amb, on 2nd Feb 1917 Discharged to duty, on 12th Feb 1917 Rejoined unit from hospital, on 13th Feb 1917

WIA on 9th Oct 1917

Admitted 3rd Fld Amb, (SW R thigh), and transferred to 10th Can CCS, on 10th Oct 1917 Admitted 10th Can CCS, (SW R thigh), and transferred to No 21 Amb Train, on 10th Oct 1917

Admitted 57th General Hospital, on 10th Oct 1917

Transferred to England, on 20th Oct 1917

Embarked on HS 'Princess Elizabeth' to England, on 20th Oct 1917

Admitted Queen Mary's Military Hospital, Whalley, (GSW R thigh), on 20th Oct 1917 Discharged on 16th Nov 1917 and to report to Depot, Hurdcott, on 17th Nov 1917 Marched in to No 3 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from Whalley Hospital, on 17th Nov 1917

Marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from No 3 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 10th Dec 1917 Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, from No 4 CD, Hurdcott, on 30th Mar 1918 Proceeded overseas to France, from OTB, Longbridge Deverill, via Folkestone, on 24th Apr 1918

Marched in to NZ Inf BD, Etaples, ex UK, on 25th Apr 1918

Rejoined Bn, ex wounded, on 7th May 1918

To hospital sick, on 16th May 1918

Admitted 14th Fld Amb (synovitis R knee) on 16th May 1918

Discharged to duty, on 20th May 1918 Rejoined Bn, ex sick, on 20th May 1918

(Battle of Amiens, 8th Aug 1918)

To hospital sick, on 24th Oct 1918

Admitted 8th Fld Amb, (influenza), on 24th Oct 1918

Discharged to duty on 1st Nov 1918 Rejoined Bn, on 2nd Nov 1918 To UK on leave, on 2nd Feb 1919

Granted leave extension by AHQ, London, from 4th Feb to 18th Feb 1919

Rejoined unit from leave, on 22nd Feb 1919

Rejoined 8th Bde Bn from detachment with War Materials Guard, on 11th Apr 1919

Marched out to Base Depot, for RTA, on 7th Apr 1919 Embarked for England, from AIBD, Havre, on 23th Apr 1919

Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth, from France, on 24th Apr 1919

Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth, from hospital, on 11th Jun 1919

RTA per HT 'Port Lyttleton' on 10th Jun 1919

"Drowned at sea through jumping overboard from 'Port Lyttleton' vide Court of Inquiry"

Died 25th Jul 1919 at Sea, committed suicide by jumping overboard.

Deceased was suffering Mental Depression.

"Dearest Annie.

It is with very much regret that I am forced to write to you these few lines, but fate will have its way. It is very sad news for all, seeing that I have come through the War and am on my way home, and you are expecting me very soon, dear Annie, but I will not see your dear face any more. It is my own fault; I have been wishing I had been killed on the Battle Field. My life which was one time a pleasure as you know, is now a burden, the day of judgement has come and I have been found wanting. Oh, Annie it's all too horrible. I know it will break your heart when you hear this sad news. I have only made one mistake and that proved fatal. I know you have been always loving and true during my absence, but it is with much pain and agony to relate that I have not. It is now about 18 months since that awful night. Oh, Annie, it makes me shudder to think of it. Now all is lost, and death is very near. Everyone on this ship seems to be happy, but the boy you used to call your 'Jim' and I am the saddest of them all. It was Sunday today and a nice day too, there was a Church Parade on board and I was very much impressed with it. I was wishing that I was a Christian instead of a poor sinner, but girlie I pray every night lately for you and me.

You have been far too good a wife for such a poor soul as me, and now in my days that I feel are numbered, I pray that you will forgive me, seeing that it was the influence of another chap, that encouraged me to do what I did, on that fateful night. You will no doubt learn from some of my mates about my soldiering in France. I have seen terrible things and have had many narrow escapes, but the dark hour is still in front of me, my life is worth very little now. I think this is about all for now. Hoping you will not take this news too hard.

Now I will have to say that painful word 'Good-bye'.

God Bless you Annie, Keep you alright, In life's Dark hours, May you always be bright."



629 Service No Rank

Born Jerilderie, NSW NoK

Mr Henry & Mrs Emeline Denton, 652, Bridge Rd., Richmond, Victoria,

"Son of Henry and Emmeline (nee Grounds) DENTON. He had 1 sister, Florence Jane, a brother, Henry died in infancy, Mother Emmeline died in 1900 and his father remarried the same year to Emmeline's sister Isabella Emmeline Maud Grounds."

6th Jul 1915 Enlistment Footscray, Melbourne, Vic 26

PTE. G R. DENTON.

Single, R.C. Status & Religion

Age

Notes

Reginald George

Occupation Electrician (employed in the Footscray city council's electric light department)

35 Lynch St, Footscray, Melbourne, Victoria Address Outcome

KIA on 19th Jul 1919 at Fromelles, Remembered at Villers Bretonneux-France

'A' Coy, Depot, Flemington, from 12th Jul to 12th Aug 1915

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn, on 12th Aug 1915

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25rd Jun 1916

WIA on 19th Jul 1916

"Jaw shot away and seen wandering aimlessly in German 1st line trenches, covered in blood, 6-30pm 19th Jul Not at all likely to have survived. Fleurbaix, 19th Jul 1916." informant Cpl Brew, #578

Court of Inquiry held on 1st Aug 1917, previously reported Wounded and Missing,

now pronounced Killed in Action

(1A on 19th Jul 1919 at Fromelles,
Buried at Fleurbaix, Sht 36, NW. H.21.d
Remembered at Villers Bretonneux-France

"Denton was born in NSW and spent most of his life there, but his father, Mr Denton, of the Footscray Club, is well known to hundreds of Footscray people who sympathise with him in the loss of his only boy. Pte Denton was employed in the city council's electric light department, and enlisted in July 1915, spending some time in Egypt before going to France. He was 26 years of age."

DEUTSCHER Sydney Alick Augustus

Service No 5257 Rank Pte

Born Temora, NSW

NoK Mr Alexandra Michael Deutscher, Galatea St, Charleville, Queensland

Enlistment 6th Nov 1916 Charleville, Queensland

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Grazier

Address Galatea St, Charleville, Queensland

Outcome RTA 8th Jul 1919 Notes 15th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, per R.M.S. "ORMONDE", 2nd March, 1918

X Platoon, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

RTA 8th Jul 1919

DEVENISH Walter Ernest



Service No 99

Rank Cpl

Born Perth, West Australia

NoK sister, Mrs A.G. Devenish, Shipperton Rd, Victoria Park, Perth, Western Australia

sister, Mrs B.A. Devenish

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Cocupation Labourer

Address Shipperton Rd, Victoria Park, Perth, West Aust.

Outcome RTA 24th Sep 1919

Notes Original, MG Sec- HQ, 31stBn / 5th MG Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

RTA 24th Sep 1919

DEVLINDavidService No5106RankPteBornIreland

NoK Mr Samuel Devlin, Bangford, Gilford, County Down, Ireland

Enlistment 10th Jan 1916 Age 23

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.
Occupation Labourer

Address Brisbane, Queensland

Outcome RTA per "Chemnitz" on 7th Jul 1919

Notes 13th Rfts, 25th Bn

Embarked

Proceeding overseas to France on 29th Sep 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn ex 13th Rfts, 25th Bn on 15th Oct 1916

Transferred to 25th Bn on 3rd Dec 1916 Transferred to MG Coy Dtls on 2nd Oct 1918

WIA on 12th Jun 1918

Admitted to 61st CCS on 14th Jun 1916

Taken on strength of 2nd MG Bn on 1st Dec 1918

RTA per "Chemnitz" on 7th Jul 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 16th Dec 1919

DEVLIN James Edward



Service No 3224 Rank Pte

Born4th May 1893, Dutton, South AustraliaNoKMrs Louisa Devlin, Nuriootpa, South AustraliaEnlistment29th Feb 1916Adelaide, South Australia

Age 22 Status & Religion Single, Cong.

Occupation Baker

Address Angaston, South Australia
Outcome RTA 16th Jun 1919

Notes With 'A' Company, Mitcham Depot, SA 6th Mar to 15th Mar 1916

Then to Pioneers from 16th Mar to 31st Mar 1916 Allotted to 7th Rfts, 32nd Bn on 1st Apr 1916

Embarked on A57 HMAT 'Malakuta' on 27th Jun 1916 at Adelaide

Disembarked at Devonport, England on 22nd Aug 1916 Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Larkhill on 22nd Aug 1916

Proceeding overseas to France, ex 8th Trng Bn, Codford, to reinforce 31st Bn,

per "Golden Eagle" via Folkestone on 11th Nov 1916 Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Etaples on 12th Nov 1916 To hospital sick, ex 5th AIDBD, Etaples on 3rd Dec 1916 Admitted 18th Gen Hospital, Camiers (Mumps) on 18th Dec 1918

Discharged from 18th Gen Hosp, after mumps to Base Depot on 29th Dec 1918

Taken on strength 5th AIDBD, Etaples from hospital on 29th Dec 1916

Marched out to unit on 4th Jan 1917

Taken on strength of $31^{st}\,Bn$ from $7^{th}\,Rfts,\,32^{nd}\,Bn$ and $5^{th}\,AIDBD$ on $7^{th}\,Jan\,1917$

Posted to 'A' Coy, 31st Bn.

To hospital sick (tinea) on 22nd Feb 1917

Admitted 15th AFA and transferred to 5th Div Rest Station on 22nd Feb 1917

Discharged to duty on 31^{st} Mar 1917 Rejoined unit from hospital on 3^{rd} Apr 1917 To hospital sick (septis foot) on 7^{th} Oct 1917 Admitted 8^{th} AFA and 5^{th} DRS on 7^{th} Oct 1917

To 2nd Can CCS on 8th Oct and thence 31 Amb Train on 9th Oct 1917

Admitted 16th Gen Hospital, Le Treport on 10th Oct 1917 Admitted 3rd Conv Depot (ICT R foot) on 4th Dec 1917

Discharged to Base Depot on 12th Dec 1917

Marched out of 5th AIDBD, Etaples to unit on 15th Dec 1917

Rejoined unit from sick on 18th Dec 1917

To UK on leave on 9th Jan 1918

Returned from UK leave on 24^{th} Jan 1918 To hospital sick (scabies) on 7^{th} Mar 1918

('A' Coy, RO 715)

Admitted 14th Aust Fld Amb and transferred 14th AFADRS on 7th Mar 1918

Discharged to duty and rejoined unit from sick on 12^{th} Mar 1918

<u>Crime:</u> On 23rd Mar 1918. Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline in that he hesitated to obey an order given by NCO. <u>Award:</u> forfeiture 3 days' pay by CO 31st Bn With III Platoon in Jul 1918 in preparation of the advance anticipated from the 8th Aug 1918

(Battle of Amiens, 8th Aug 1918, Villers Carbonnel, 28th/29th Aug 1918)

To hospital sick (influenza) on 29th Sep 1918

Admitted 13th AFA and transferred to 12th CCS on 1st Oct 1918

Transferred to Amb Train and admitted 73rd Gen Hospital, Trouville on 2nd Oct 1918

Admitted 1st Aust Conv Depot, Havre on 14th Oct 1918 Discharged to Base Depot, Havre on 21st Oct 1918

Marched out to unit on 2nd Nov 1918

To hospital sick (cellulitis L hand) (8^{th} Bde Bn) on 1^{st} Apr 1919 Admitted 8^{th} / 14^{th} AFA and transferred to 55^{th} CCS on 1^{st} Apr 1919

Admitted 7th Stat Hosp on 15th Apr 1919

Transferred to England per HS "St Andrew", ex 3rd AGH, Abbeville on 18th Apr 1919

Admitted 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford (cellulitis L hand) on 18th Apr 1919

Discharged and granted furlough on 25th Apr 1919 and to report AHQ on 9th May 1919

Orderly Room AHQ. Due to report these HQ on 9/5/19 for transfer to Weymouth. Advised AWL.

Dealt with by OC Troops and is being sent to his depot.

Offence: London 9/5/19 AWL from 10am 9/5/19 to 10am 19/5/19.

Award: forfeits 20 days' pay, by Major CH Howard. Total Forfeiture: 30 days pay

Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth from HQ AIF, London, ex 3rd Aux Hosp, Dartford on 20th May 1919

Sick to hospital, No 5 Group, Weymouth on 25th May 1919

RTA per "Ormonde" due invalidity on 16th Jun 1919

Discharged to HMT "Ormonde" on 24th Jun 1919

Discharged at Adelaide on 13th Sep 1919

Post war returned to his occupation as a baker at Angaston, South Aust.

Served in WWII as Pte S212872 with the 4th Garrison Battalion, in SA

NOK (w) Mrs Alvera Augusta Devlin, Nurioopta, SA

Enlisted on 25th Jun 1940, 4th Garrison Bn Age 49 years Baker

Discharged 1st Sep 1941

Died of illness on 1st Apr 1946, at Nurioopta, South Aust,

Buried Nurioopta Cemetery.

DEVONSHIRE



Joseph L. Doseph



Service No 2896A Rank Pte

Born Boonah, Queensland

NoK Mr Richard Devonshire, Drayton, via Toowoomba, Queensland

(w) Mrs C Devonshire

Enlistment 31st Dec 1915 Drayton, Toowoomba, Qld

Age 20

Status & Religion Single, C. of E. Cocupation Labourer

Address Drayton, via Toowoomba, Queensland

Outcome RTA 25th Mar 1919

Notes 6th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A40 "Ceramic", 14th April 1916

Mate of Dan Davis and wrote to family

'A' Coy, HQ (S.B.)

Disembarked at Port Said on 16th Mar 1916

Admitted 3rd AGH (gastritis), Abbyssia, on 2nd Jun 1916

Discharged from hospital on 26th Jul 1916

Marched in to 5th Div Depot, Tel el Kebir on 27th Jul 1916

Embarked for overseas per HT "Franconia" from Alexandria, on 2nd Aug 1916

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn from overseas on 22nd Aug 1916

Admitted to Camp Hospital, Codford, (chronic rheumatism) on 12th Oct 1916

Proceeding overseas to France via Folkestone, on 17th Dec 1916

Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Etaples, on 18th Dec 1916

Marched out to 31st Bn on 23rd Dec 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 26th Dec 1916 Accidently wounded and remaining at duty on 11th Jan 1917

Court of Inquiry: held on 12th Jan 1917. Finding: The Board having considered the evidence of the operator that the accident was caused by the bursting of the barrel, whilst transporting was probably due to the Kyersol cartridge having been used and there is no blame attached. Confirmed: Maj Gen Hobbs, Commanding 5th Div Admitted 38th CCS (trench feet) on 22nd Jan 1917

Admitted Gen Hospital, Rouen, on 22nd Jan 1917

Embarked on HS "Aberdonian" at Rouen, (trench feet & hand) for England on 24th Jan 1917

Admitted to Bethnal Green Hospital, suffering from trench feet, on 26th Jan 1917

Discharged from hospital on 1st Mar 1917, granted furlough, and to report Perham Downs on 16th Mar 1917

Marched in to No 1 CD, Perham Downs on 17th Mar 1917 and classified B.1.A

Classified B.1.A.2 on 10th Apr 1917 Classified B.1.A.3 on 24th Apr 1917

Transferred to 66th Bn, Windmill, Perham Downs on 1st May 1917

Offence: Windmill Hill; AWL on $18^{th}/19^{th}$ Sep 1917. Award; Forfeits 4 days pay. Total Forfeiture; 6 days pay

Retransferred from 66th Bn to 31st Bn on marching out to 69th Draft Bn on 19th Sep 1917

Transferred to 31st Bn on marching out to 69th Draft Bn on 19th Sep 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, ex 8th Trng Bn, via Southampton on 14th Oct 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre on 15th Oct 1917

Marched out to unit on 18th Oct 1917

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 26th Oct 1917

Awarded MM for actions on 8th Aug 1918 – "On the 8/8/18 both during the attack and during consolidation this man did splendid service as a stretcher bearer. His courage and cheerfulness under fire was a splendid incentive to his comrades. On the afternoon of the 9/8/18 he made 8 (eight) separate trips overland with wounded under heavy fire. His bravery was beyond all praise."

To hospital sick, 55th CCS and thence Amb Train on 25th Sep 1918

Admitted 8th Fld Amb, (haemorrhoids) on 25th Sep 1918

Admitted to 3rd Stat Hosp (L of C Hospital), Rouen, sick on 26th Sep 1918

Discharged from hospital to Base Depot on 28th Sep 1918

Classified B.2 – (piles) on 30th Sep 1918

Marched in to ADBD, Havre on 1st Oct 1918

Marched out to Australian Bakers and Butchers Depot, Rouen, on 8th Oct 1918

Marched out to England for RTA ("B Class") on 22nd Dec 1918 Marched in to No 2 CD, Weymouth, from France on 23rd Dec 1918

RTA per "Port Denison" on 25th Mar 1919

Disembarked 19th May 1919

Discharged at Brisbane, medically unfit, on 3rd Jul 1919

Died 5th Sep 1972 at 5 Blackwood St, Toowoomba, Queensland

DEWHURST Royston Charles

Service No 2474 Rank Pte

Born Paddington NSW

NoK Mrs Ruby Beatrice Dewhurst, 14 Windsor St, Paddington, Sydney, NSW

Enlistment 31st Jan 1916 Paddington, Sydney, NSW

Age 41

Status & Religion Married, R.C. Occupation Engineer

Address 14 Windsor St, Paddington, Sydney, NSW

Outcome RTA 12th May 1918

Notes 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 'A' Coy, 5th Trng Bn, Rollestone, (Bandsman) in letter to wife

RTA per D9, HT 'Gaika' senility, on 12th May 1918 Disembarked at Melbourne, on 5th Jul 1918, for Sydney Discharged at Sydney on 7th Aug 1918 DICK















Service No 4290 Rank Pte

Born Cooktown, Queensland

NoK Mr James Dick (dec) & Mrs Mary Alice Dick, Hill St, Cooktown, Queensland

Enlistment 25th Sep 1916 Townsville, Queensland

Age 31

Status & Religion Single, Meth.
Occupation Railway porter
Address Townsville, Queensland

Outcome RTA 5th Jul 1919 Notes sister: Mrs T.A. Coutts, Westbrook, via Toowoomba, Qld

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Brother: Pte Jubilee Joseph Dick, # 6543, 25th Bn

11th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916

RTA 5th Jul 1919 Died 29th Aug 1953

DICKINSON Eric Erington Joseph Miller

Service No 4823 Rank L/Cpl

Born Brisbane, Queensland

NoK Mrs Catherine Mee Dickinson, Mabel St, Highgate Hill, Queensland

Enlistment 18th Dec 1916 Highgate Hill, Queensland

Age 24

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Signwriter

Address Mabel St, Highgate Hill, Queensland

Outcome RTA 22^{nd} Aug 1919 Notes 13^{th} Rfts, 31^{st} Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A18 "WILTSHIRE", 7th February, 1917

4th MG Bn

RTA 22nd Aug 1919

DICKINSON

Thomas Joseph Edward



Service No 491 Rank Dvr

Born Gayandah, Queensland

NoK Mr John Thomas & Mrs Annie Dickinson, Wharf St, Sandgate, Queensland

Enlistment 5th Jul 1915 Sandgate, Queensland

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Carpenter

Address Wharf St, Sandgate, Queensland Outcome RTA 22nd Jul 1917
Notes Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

(Battle of Fromelles, 19th/20th Jul 1916)

To hospital sick, on 17th Apr 1917

RTA per A71, HT 'Nestor' nephritis, on 22nd Jul 1917

Disembarked at Melbourne on 24th Sep 1917 thence overland to Brisbane, 27th Sep 1917

Discharged at Brisbane on 26th Oct 1917

Died 8th Sep 1947

DICKSON







Service No 4506 Rank Pte

Born Aramac, Queensland

NoK Mr William Dickson, Annievale, via Pentland, Queensland

Enlistment 16th Oct 1916 Emerald, Queensland

Age 28

Status & Religion
Occupation
Address
Outcome
Notes
Single, R.C.
Station Hand
Aramac, Queensland
RTA
1st Apr 1919
Notes
12th Rfts, 31st Bn

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

RTA per 'Shropshire' on 1st Apr 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 16th May 1919 and re-embarked on 'Dongola' for Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane on 29th Jun 1919

DICKSON





Occupation

Service No 523 Rank Pte

Born Brisbane, Queensland

Labourer

NoK Mrs E Dickson, Thomas St, West End, South Brisbane, Queensland

(w) Mrs Florence (nee Freelore) Dickson

Enlistment 7th Jul 1915 SouthBrisbane, Queensland

Age 27 Status & Religion Single, Pres.

Address Thomas St, West End, South Brisbane, Queensland

Outcome RTA 18th Dec 1918 Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

RTA per "Aeneas" debility, on 18th Dec 1918 Discharged at Melbourne on 3rd Apr 1919

Died 23rd Sep 1943

DICKSON

James



44A, 4787, 2643, Service No

Rank

Born Paisley, Scotland

NoK Mrs G.H. Dickson, 1 George St, Paisley, Scotland

 8^{th} Jul 1915 Enlistment 20 Age Status & Religion Single, Pres Occupation Labourer

GPO Brisbane Address Outcome

RTA per A14 for discharge due GSW L thigh on 30th Jan 1918 Notes

Original 31st Bn, Signallers on 10th Aug 1915 With 31st Bn at Broadmeadows, Vic on 3rd Oct 1915

To 15th Rfts, 14th Bn on 30th Dec 1915

To hospital 7th Mar to 19th Apr 1916 at Langwarren, Victoria Allotted to 2nd Rfts, 60th Bn

Embarked 4^{th} May 1915 on HMAT 'Port Lincoln', disembarking at Suez on 10^{th} Jun 1916

Taken on strength at Tel el Kebir

WIA (GSW Thigh) on 26th Sep 1917

RTA per A14 for discharge due GSW L thigh on 30th Jan 1918

Discharged at Brisbane on 12th May 1918

DICKSON Joseph Service No 4294 Pte Rank

Born Guilford, Ireland

NoK Mr Robert Dickson, Gilford, County Down, Ireland Enlistment 11th Oct 1916 Rockhampton, Queensland

32 Age Status & Religion

Single, C.of E. Occupation Farm labourer/ Selector Address Rockhampton, Queensland DOW on 27th Jun 1917 Outcome 11th Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916

15th Bn

DOW on 27th Jun 1917

DICKSON Victor Service No 1342 Rank Pte

Born 17th Jul 1889, Orange, NSW

NoK Mrs Mary Anne Dickson, Orange, NSW Enlistment 22nd Mar 1915 Liverpool, Sydney, NSW

Age 27

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Occupation Chef

Address Orange, NSW

Outcome RTA per "Ratanga" on 8th Sep 1919

Notes 'A' Coy, 30th Bn

Embarked on HMAT 'Beltana' on 9th Nov 1915 Disembarked at Suez on 11th Dec 1915

Promoted L/Cpl on 19th Dec 1915

Transferred to 2^{nd} Anzac HQ, England on 26^{th} May 1916 Taken on strength 2^{nd} Anzac HQ, Ismailia, on 27^{th} May 1916

Embarked to join BEF, on HMT 'Ariana' at Alexandria, on 6th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles, on 17th Jun 1916

Sick to hospital, on 29th Sep 1916

Admitted 2nd CCS (abscess jaw), on 29th Sep 1916

Discharged to duty on 4th Oct 1916

Rejoined 2nd Anzac HQ, from hospital, on 6th Oct 1916

Transferred to 31st Bn on 6th Oct 1916

Taken on strength of 'HQ' Coy, 31st Bn on 6th Oct 1916 Attached to 8th Bde HQ, from 31st Bn, on 6th Dec 1916

Ceased to be attached to 8th Bde HQ and returned to 31st Bn, on 15th Dec 1916

Proceeded on leave to UK, on 15th Jun 1917

Rejoined unit ex leave, on 27th Jun 1917 ('B' Coy, RO 474)

Promoted Temp Sgt (vice Sgt Dryden, evacuated wounded) on 19th Oct 1917

WIA and remained at duty on 24th Oct 1917 ('HQ' Coy, RO 589)

Promoted Sgt (vice Sgt C D P Dryden, evacuated wounded) on 26th Dec 1917

To Paris on leave on 3rd Feb 1918

Rejoined unit ex Paris leave, on 13th Mar 1918

To UK on leave on 4th Sep 1918

Returned from leave, on 21st Sep 1918

WIA 2nd occ, on 29th Sep 1918

Admitted 132nd Fld Amb (SW L buttock) and transferred to CCS, on 29th Sep 1918 Admitted 72nd General hospital, Trouville, (GSW face & R arm) on 1st Oct 1918

Transferred to Conval Depot (SW face) on 5th Oct 1918

Admitted 1st Anzac Conval Depot, Havre, (SW face) on 5th Oct 1918

Still at Depot, on 9th Dec 1918

Discharged to AGBD, on 15th Feb 1919Marched out from AGBD, to No 3 Rest Camp, Havre, on 19th Feb 1919

To UK on leave from Rest Camp, on 5th Mar 1919

Granted leave extension from 7th Mar to 21st Mar 1919 by AHQ, London Rejoined 3rd Rest Camp, Havre, (8th Bde Bn), ex UK leave, on 23rd Mar 1919 Transferred from 31st Bn to Aust Base Rest Camp No 3, Havre, on 1st Mar 1919

Taken on strength Aust Base Rec Camp from 31 st Bn, on 1 st Mar 1919

Marched out to England, No 107 Draft, on 6th Jun 1919

Disembarked at Southampton and marched in to No 2 Group, on 7th Jun 1919

Sick to 1st ADH, and admitted Bulford, on 25th Jun 1919

Discharged Bulford and marched in to No 2 Group, Sutton Veny, on 9th Aug 1919. Total period, 46 days.

RTA per "Ratanga" on 8th Sep 1919
Disembarked at Sydney on 29th Oct 1919
Discharged at Sydney on 9th Jan 1920
Served in WWII as WOII N78813

DIKE Frank Service No 4900 Rank Pte

Born Bundaberg, Queensland

NoK Mr George Dike, Woondoona St, Rockhampton, Queensland Enlistment 19th Sep 1916 Rockhampton, Queensland

Age 25

Status & Religion Single, Ply. Breth.

Occupation Plumber

Address Woondoona St, Rockhampton, Queensland

Outcome RTA 23-Jul-19 Notes 13th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A18 "WILTSHIRE", 7th February, 1917, disembarking at Devonport

11th Apr 1917, and marching in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott. Proceeded overseas via Southampton and Havre on 4th Dec 1917 Taken on strength of HQ 'C' Coy, 31st Bn on 11th Dec 1917

Offence – whilst on active service, leaving a working party – awarded 7 days FP No 2 To hospital sick (influenza) 25^{th} Jun 1918, discharged to unit on 2^{nd} Jul 1918.

Proceeded to UK on leave on 6th Dec, rejoining unit on 24th Dec 1918

Transferred to Aust Corps RE Workshops on 21st Apr 1919

Returned to Australia per "Main: on 23rd Jul 1919

DILLON Timothy Leo Service No 4886 Rank Pte

Born Gympie, Queensland

NoK Mr James Dillon, Mount Chalmers, Queensland Enlistment 18th Dec 1916 Rockhampton, Queensland

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Labourer

Address Mount Chalmers, Queensland
Outcome RTA 8th Jan 1919
Notes 13th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A18 "WILTSHIRE", 7th February, 1917

RTA 8th Jan 1919

DINGWALL Allan McGregor

Service No 649 Rank Pte

Born South Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mr John Dingwall, Wellington Rd, Narre Warren, Victoria

Enlistment 19th Jul 1915 Dandenong, Victoria

Age 18 Status & Religion Single, C.of E.,

Occupation Dealer

Address Cranbourne Rd, Dandenong, Victoria

Outcome RTA 23rd Jun 1919

Notes Brother: Pte Hector Alex Stewart Dingwall, # 637, 31st Bn

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7^{th} Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25rd Jun 1916

WIA (GSW head) on 20th Jul 1916

5th Aust Div Traf Con

RTA per HT 'Orita' on 23^{rd} Jun 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 6^{th} Aug 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 29^{th} Sep 1919

DINGWALL Hector Alexander Stewart

Service No 637 Rank Pte

Born Port Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mr John Dingwall, Wellington Rd, Narre Warren, Victoria

Enlistment 12th Jul 1915 Dandenong, Victoria

Age 20

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.,
Occupation Labourer

Address Cranbourne Rd, Dandenong, Victoria

Outcome RTA per SS "City of Exeter" on 15th Jan 1919 Notes Brother: Pte Allan Mcgregor Dingwall, # 649, 31st Bn

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25rd Jun 1916

Awarded MM for actions; - "During the attack of the 31st Btn from WARFUSEE – ABANCOURT on the 8/8/18this man did splendid work as a stretcher bearer. He not only brought in the wounded of our battalion, but went out under a deadly machine gun fire to the vicinity of VAUVILLERS and brought in many wounded cavalarymen.

During the attack of the 29th Battalion 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."

Awarded Bar to MM for actions; - "For gallantry and devotion to duty near FOUCAUCOURT on 26/8/18 Pte DINGWALL, although himself wounded, went through a heavy bombardment of HE, shrapnel and Gas to assist wounded comrades. He then assisted a wounded comrade back to the RAP through the bombardment. His conduct was particularly gallant and he showed no regard for personal safety."

WIA (GSW thigh and back) on 27th Aug 1918

RTA per 'City of Exeter' on 15th Jan 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 2nd Mar 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 16th Apr 1919

Died 14th Mar 1958, aged 62 years, commemorated Springvale Crematorium, Melbourne

DIXON Peter Leslie

Service No 2920 Rank Dvr

Born 3rd Oct 1894, West Wyalong, NSW

NoK Mr Joseph Dixon, 4 Wells St, Redfern, Sydney, NSW Enlistment 23rd Nov 1915 Redfern, Sydney, NSW

Age

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Driver

Address 4 Wells St, Redfern, Sydney, NSW

Outcome RTA 2nd Jun 1919 Notes 5th Rfts, 31st Bn

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Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

Embarked to join BEF, on HMT 'Huntsend' at Alexandria on 20th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 30th Jun 1916

Proceeded to join unit (31st Bn) from 5th ADBD, Etaples, on 8th Aug 1916

Taken on strength 31st Bn on 15th Aug 1916

Sick to hospital on 3rd Nov 1916

Admitted 36th CCS (trench feet) and transferred to No 1 Amb Train on 4th Nov 1916

Admitted 9th Gen Hospital, Rouen, (trench feet) on 5th Nov 1916 Embarked at Havre, on HS 'Lanfranc' for England on 7th Nov 1916

Admitted Duchess of Connaught, Red Cross Hospital, (trench feet) on 8th Nov 1916

Discharged from 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, to furlough on 20th Dec 1916

To report to Perham Downs on 4th Jan 1917

Marched into No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs from furlough, (classified B1A), on 5th Jan 1917

Marched out to Wareham on 19th Mar 1917

Transferred to and taken on strength of 61st Bn, Wareham, on 23rd Mar 1917

Taken on strength of 63rd Bn, Windmill Hill, on 4th Apr 1917

Mustered as Driver with 63rd Bn, Hurdcott, on 18th May 1917
Transferred to 31st Bn (as Dvr) from 63rd Bn at Hurdcott on 18th Sep 1917

Marched out from 63rd Draft Bn to No 5 Group, 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, on 1st Oct 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, ex 8th Trng Bn, via Southampton, on 6th Nov 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from England on 10th Nov 1917

Marched out to unit Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 14th Nov 1917

(Battle of Amiens, 8th Aug 1918 and last 100 days of operations)

With Unit (31st Bn) on 5th Sep 1918

To UK on leave on 20th Nov 1918

On leave from France, in London, extended from 22nd Nov to 6th Dec 1918

Rejoined Bn ex UK leave, on 8th Dec 1918

Marched out from 8th Bde Bn to Base Depot, for RTA, Quota 26, on 2nd Apr 1918 Embarked at Havre, from AIBD, for England (1916 Personnel) on 9th Apr 1918

Disembarked via Southampton and marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 10th Apr 1919

RTA per 'Beltana' from Devonport, on 2nd Jun 1919

Disembarked at Sydney on 19th Jul 1919 Discharged at Sydney on 12th Sep 1919

Married Claudia Jane (Hilder/Johnson) at Redfern, Sydney, in 1926

Served in WWII as N75801, enlisted at Paddington on 28th Jun 1940, with 11th Garrison Bn

Nok (w) Claudia Jane Dixon, Verbena Ave, Casula, via Liverpool, NSW

Appointed L/Cpl on 25th May 1942

Discharged, medically unfit, on 29th Dec 1943

Died at Liverpool in 1972

DIXON

William Turnbull Atkinson



Service No 4765 Rank Pte

Born North Shields, England

NoK brother, James Dixon, River Tyne, Commissioners Ferry Company, North Shields, England

Enlistment 14th Sep 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 39

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Labourer

Address Brisbane, Queensland
Outcome RTA 10th May 1919

Notes 15th Rfts, 9th Bn

Embarked on A73 HMAT Commonwealth on 28/03/1916 at Brisbane

RTA 10th May 1919

Died 8th Oct 1956 and buried Rockhampton, Queensland

DOBSONAlexanderService No3546RankPte

Born Toowoomba, Oueensland

NoK Mrs Agnes Dobson, Cummings St, Toowoomba, Queensland

Enlistment 3rd Feb 1916 Toowoomba, Queensland

Age 26

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Coccupation Labourer

Address Cummings St, Toowoomba, Queensland

Outcome RTA 10th Jun 1919

Notes 8th Rfts, 31st Bn

Notes 8th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916

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

WIA on 27th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

RTA 10th Jun 1919

DOCKRILL DOCKRELL

William Frederick



Service No 39 Rank Pte

Born Casino NSW

NoK Mr & Mrs William Joseph Dockrill, Clovass, Casino, NSW

Enlistment 21st Jul 1915 Casino, NSW

Age 18

Status & Religion Occupation Groom
Address Casino, NSW

Outcome RTA 16th Jun 1919

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Brother: Tpr John Thomas Dockrill

Original, HQ, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla, at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to 'D' Coy at Serapeum, on 12th Dec 1915 Transferred to 'A' Coy at Serapeum, on 16th Jan 1916 Admitted 8th Fld Amb (vomiting), Serapeum, on 15th Feb 1916

Discharged to unit from 8^{th} Fld Amb, Serapeum, on 17^{th} Feb 1916

Rejoined 31st Bn, Serapeum, on 17th Feb 1916

Admitted 3rd Aux Hospital, Heliopolis, (varicocele) on 10th May 1916

To 31st Bn, Tel el Kebir, on 25th May 1917

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Tel el Kebir, from 3rd AGH, on 23rd May 1916

Transferred to Base Details, 8th Trng Bn, (surplus to establishment), Moascar, on 29th May 1916

Embarked at Alexandria per HMT "Franconia" on 6th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Plymouth on 16th Jun 1916

Proceeding overseas to France, per SS 'Princess Victoria' via Folkestone, on 4th Feb 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England on 4th Feb 1917

Marched out to unit on 8th Feb 1917

Rejoined Bn, ('A' Coy) ex 8th Trng Bn, on 9th Feb 1917

To hospital sick, on 9th Jun 1917

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (influenza), and transferred to 5th DRS, on 9th Jun 1917

Admitted 5th DRS, (influenza) on 9th Jun 1917

Admitted 7th Fld Amb/DRS, (influenza) on 16th Jun 1917

Discharged to duty on 17th Jun 1917 Rejoined unit ex hospital, on 22nd Jun 1917

Offence: AWL from 9am 2/7/17 till 8am 3/7/17. Award: 2 days FP No 2, by CO on 4th Jul 1917.

Total forfeiture: 4 days' pay (£1/-/-)

Proceeded to 3rd Army Sniping School, on 9th Jul 1917 Returned from 3rd Army School, on 22nd Jul 1917 Reported Missing in Action, on 27th Sep 1917

Taken Prisoner of War on 27th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

Reported Prisoner of War, via postcard, interned at Limburg, Germany

Previously reported 'Missing' now reported 'Prisoner of War' now in German hands. ('A' Coy RO 591) Telegram from Berne, POW Germany now transferred to Switzerland for internment, arrived, 30th Aug 1918

Pte 39 W F Dockrill, IV Platoon, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

"Our battalion was called into the line hurriedly from 8 miles to the rear, to replace another unit which had been badly cut up. Our objective was a ridge 600 yards in front of our trenches. We did not reach it. We were held up in front of a pill box. The Germans surrounded us with machine guns and bombs. All but four of our party were casualties. The following were captured with me:-

Pte Fisher 'A' Coy, 31st Bn (not wounded)
Pte Smith 'A' Coy, 31st Bn (wounded left leg)
Pte Bird 8th LTMB (wounded right arm)
Pte Meiklejohn 'C' Coy, 31st Bn (not wounded)

Pte McKenzie 'C' Coy, 31st Bn (wounded)
Pte Hart 'C' Coy, 31st Bn (not wounded)

I saw 20 altogether, 16 of whom were wounded. I do not know the names of the others.

<u>Lieut Brodie:</u> 31st Bn, was my Platoon Commander. I went over with him. We were hung up in front of a pill box. He rose and waved his stick for reinforcements and said "We must charge it" At that moment he was shot through the head and killed instantly.

<u>Lieut Castles:</u> (29th Bn, attached 31st Bn) I saw him first at the dressing station after we were captured. He was not wounded.

"I was captured on 26th Sep 1917 on the Ypres front with 19 of my own mates out of the same Batt. About 16 of them were badly wounded. Some of them were bandaged up near the line at a dressing station and we were then taken to Courtrai. We arrived there at midnight and we were all very hungry. The next morning, they gave us some coffee in a basin with a lump of black bread. We could not eat the bread although we were all very tired and hungry. I will explain later on what the coffee and their food is made out of. We could not have a decent wash as there was no soap and we were simply black and for the want of a shave after three days. During our stay in Courtrai, we had met some officers (English) and they got up some card playing and gave us prizes in money. This enabled us to buy some fruit.

After a few days there we were sent to Dendermonde and were put in a big brick barracks. It was like being in a tunnel and it was very dark. We had to sleep on the straw. They had given us no blankets and it was simply freezing. We had one hour's walk around the square a day. There were over 1,000 Russians in the same barracks, and the rooms were simply rotten with the smell of these Russians. We had a trip to Ghent and they told us we were going to Germany, but when we arrived at Ghent we were marched to some big baths. We were here all day getting bathed and fumigated. The civilians were bringing us apples until the Germans chased them with their rifles.

When we arrived back at Dendermonde we were sent to a big room which was once a cotton factory. Here there were 600 of us in one room, everybody was starving. I have never met a lot of fellows in such a state before. They all had big beards on and were grumbling. We had to sleep on wet straw and the fellows of the night would light the straw to keep themselves warm and the smoke was simply cruel. The German soldiers would come in with bread and buy our boots. Of course, the fellows had to do it or die from starvation. A German demanded my boots from me behind the firing line so I had to give them to him and received an old pair in exchange. A batch of 250 were sent to Germany. After a while we were sent to another factory. This new place was the same as the other, concrete floors and a straw bed. There were a few Australians. It was not long before some of these Australians made up their minds to escape. Three of them got through the windows and went, the next night three more escaped. The third night three more went; and on the fourth night two more and myself got away. On the sixth night we were missed from the prison. I believe there was an uproar. The German officer in command stripped the Corporal of the guard and stopped the soup of the other poor fellows because they would not tell him where we escaped from. We three were 10 days on the track living with Belgians most of the time; they were good to us. Some of the women cried when they saw us. They said they could not be good enough for what the English had done in 1914. The Belgians gave us bread, bacon, underclothing and money, and if we wanted anything they said to ask for it. We were assisted along by a Belgian and an American. They could speak English splendidly. We also had a German deserter. He said the reason he deserted was that we were too hot for him. But I think he was one of our spies. It was a misty night and we came to a house and all of a sudden, a dog barked furiously. We laid down in the open behind a hay stack but the dog would not stop and we had three men on top of us in no time. Two were Belgians and the other was a German soldier. They had a pitch fork each and we had to surrender. Later on, an armed guard came up and it was a case then. The German Corporal was going to shoot one of my mates for not holding his hands high enough. They took us into the hotel where they were staying and the Belgians gave us bread and beet. So we had a German guarding us again. Next morning the Belgians brought us milk and fried potatoes and bags of bread. At this place the Germans had a lot of Belgians working for them in a big pit (slave driving). The Germans had big sticks and you could hear nothing else but yells all the time from Germans and Belgians. We were taken to some big town where they locked us in a cell near a lot of Belgians who had refused to work and the Germans were giving them a rough time.

Later in the evening we were taken to Ghent by rail. We were put with a lot of German soldiers and they gave us bread and their sausage. They also gave us praise for escaping and said they were fed up with the war. We stopped at Ghent in a dungeon for the night and the next morning, about 5am. we were on the station there and we saw our aeroplanes over. Everything was quiet; they did some good work that night. We were taken back to Dendermonde and were put into cold concrete cells here. We had nothing to eat. Next day they gave us one third of a loaf of bread and a bucket of water. Here there were a lot of Belgians, women, children and men. It was cruel to see them. The Germans would not let anyone go near them. I saw a nun come in and she was booted outside. She came back and the German sentry drew his bayonet and shoved her out.

The third day we were sent to Germany. I was surprised to see six more of my mates captured. They were caught seven days before me. They were caught of the Holland border and they were like ghosts with rough beards. They threatened to shoot us all if we dared to escape again. We arrived at Dulmen in Westphalia after a most miserable train ride. It took us three days and they gave us only one meal and it was warm water which they called soup. When we arrived at Dulmen they put us in a big barrack. The floor was all broken, big long nails sticking out of the boards and it was raining and cold. We were all dying of hunger and they gave us soup. It was just like mud, potato meal, threy called it. Next day we were bathed and fumigated and they put us into an isolation block. It was all walled in.

We received a packet from the British Help Committee and we thought that was the happiest day of our lives. Some ate their whole packet in a few hours and then they would smoke the tea in their pipes. The days seemed long and we were continually falling into trouble. We had a very savage old German in charge of us.

I think he must have been over fifty years of age and he was continually pulling out his bayonet. It was about a yard long. We were taken again shortly afterwards to another group amongst some old prisoners who gave us a few tips. In this block we could see the Germans belting chaps with their rifle butts. They would stop us from having any sport in these groups.

After our isolation was finished and we had been vaccinated and inoculated six times we (the nine men who escaped including myself) were sent to a prison in another group. We were put into cells. I had to do seven days. It was better there than in the group as the coup was a bit better and there was no one to trouble us. After we came out I was sent to a working 'commando' attached to Minden. The work was making drains alongside a road. This was in December and it was snowing nearly the whole time and we could not do much work.

We had Xmas at this 'commando' and it was boiled potatoes and turnips. It was a very miserable day for all of us. I received my first lot of packets in Feb 1918 and I received 13 packets in one mail. We all received a big issue so we had some great meals for a few days. We were sent back from this work as being no good as regards work. I stayed in this camp for five months and they sent me on a farm but I was useless to them. I went sick and they sent me to the hospital and from there to Switzerland.

The food I received from the Germans all the time was not fit for a pig to eat. Soup was made out of cabbage leaves; you drank the water and all. They did not issue a spoon when issuing a basin and two old blankets that is what they gave us, no towel or nothing. I have seen 23 Russians go to the Cemetery in three days from starvation. It was a common occurrence to see a long line of coffins going of to the Cemetery. The graves are well looked after by our fellows."

"At about 6am on 26th Sep 1917 the 31st and 59th Battalions, attacked the enemy positions on Zonnebeke Ridge, near Passchendaele. The Menin Road was our right flank. To reach our objective we had to advance about 500 yards. Our losses in the advance were not great. We reached our sector of the ridge and found that we had no support on either right or left. There would be about 50 of us all told, but the majority of these were shot down by enemy snipers and machine guns, shortly after reaching the summit of the ridge. The Trench Mortar men had one gun, but no live shells beyond smoke shells. We had been instructed to pick up live ammunition in the front line, but we found none there. We advanced about 50 yards over the ridge – what was left of us, about 23 – until the enemy machine guns properly held us up. We took cover in shellholes and sustained rifle fire as long as we could. The enemy machine guns kept us down under cover. The enemy fire came from both flanks and from the rear. Eventually a party of enemy infantry, under cover of their machine gun barrage, advanced on our left. We were a divided party in separate shell-holes. The enemy called on us to surrender and we did so. We had no alternative. In another shell-hole on our left was Lieut Castles of the 29th Battalion.

We saw him surrender before we were called upon to surrender. Lieut Hill of the LTMB, badly wounded – one eye having been knocked out – was in a hole nearby. A party of 18 of us were marched to Courtrai via Roulers, being searched at the latter place. We got to Dulmen on 11th Nov 1917, having up till then being locked up in a disused factory at Dendermonde. After a month at Dulmen, we were sent to Dyrotz, some 30 kilometers from Berlin.

Some of us were sent out 'on commando', others were put to building an aerodrome at Dyrotz. On the signing of the Armistice, all commandos were call in to Dyrotz. Thence we were sent to Stettin via Altdamm. We left Stettin for Copenhagen by the SS 'Queen Maude' on 3rd Dec 1918. After eight days in camp at Lillereg near Copenhagen, we crossed to Leith in the SS 'Ajex'. We arrived at Leith on 16th Dec 1918. It was not until the end of February 1918 – five months after our capture, that we received out Red Cross parcels. Pte E Fisher when captured, had a bullet wound in the left leg." Signed by Pte 2341 A V Hart, X Platoon, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn, Pte 781 F S Warrener, I Platoon, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, Pte 1534 E Fisher, II Platoon, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, Pte 2589b G W Bird, No. 2 Gun Crew, 8th LTMB, Pte 5432 S McClelland, VI Platoon, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn. Witnessed by Sgt 559a A J Angel

Repatriated to England, arrived on 9th Dec 1918

Admitted Paddington War Hospital, on 9th Dec 1918

Granted leave on 13th Dec 1918 and to report to AHQ, London on 13th Jan 1919

Admitted 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, (influenza) whilst on leave from hospital, on 4th Jan 1919

Discharged from 3rd AAH, and granted leave on 13th Jan 1919 and to report to AHQ, London, on 22nd Jan 1919 Offence: London, AWL from 10am 27/1/19 to 10am 3/2/19.

Award: forfeits 7 days' pay by Major C Howard, on 3rd Feb 1919. Total Forfeiture: 14 days' pay.

On leave till 22/1/19, Advised AWL, Dealt with by Orderly Room, and

sent to No 2 Comm Depot, on 4th Feb 1919

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, ex HQ, London, on 4th Feb 1919

Sick to hospital, at Weymouth, on 14th Feb 1919

Admitted 1st ADH, Bulford, (VD) on 21st Feb 1919

Discharged to and marched in to Conval Trng Depot, Parkhouse, from Bulford, on 7th May 1919 Total period, 76 days

Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth from Parkhouse, on 16th May 1919

RTA per 'Ormonde' on 16th Jun 1919

Disembarked at Sydney, on 4th Aug 1919

Discharged at Sydney, on 13th Dec 1919

DODD James Alfred





Service No 3547 Rank Pte

Rank Pte Born Augathella, Queensland

NoK Mrs Mary Catherine Dodd, Augathella, Queensland Enlistment 15th Feb 1916 Augathella, Queensland

Age 17 Status & Religion Single

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Labourer

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916

RTA 5th Apr 1919

DODD Julian Ambrose



Service No 4766 Rank Pte

Born Brisbane, Queensland

NoK Mr Henry James Dodd, Mount Graham, Stanton, Townsville, Qld

Enlistment 25th Sep 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 18

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Engineer's Assistant

Address Lutwyche Rd, Wooloowin, Brisbane, Queensland

Outcome RTA 22nd May 1919

Notes 15th Rfts, 9th Bn

Embarked on A73 HMAT 'Commonwealth' on 28^{th} Mar 1916 at Brisbane

'B' Coy, VIII Platoon, 31st Bn

RTA 22nd May 1919

DODDSThomas(aka Thomas EAVES)Service No1066RankPte

Born Grant, Victoria

NoK Mr Robert & Mrs Esther Eaves, Tyldesley, Victoria Enlistment 6th Jun 1915 South Melbourne, Victoria

Age 19
Status & Religion Single, Pres.
Occupation Labourer

Address 22 Thomson St, South Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome RTA 3rd May 1919 Notes Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked at Fremantle on

Re-embarked at Fremantle on A30 HMAT 'Borda' on 29th Jun 1916

Disembarked HMAT 'Borda' at Plymouth on 25th Aug 1916

Marched in to No 3 Camp Details, Parkhouse from Australia, ex A30 HMAT 'Borda' on 26th Aug 1916

Marched out to 8th Trng Bn, on 29th Aug 1916

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, ex Parkhouse on 30th Aug 1916

Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, Codford, from 8th Trng Bn, on 5th Nov 1916

Offence: Codford, 11th Nov 1917. AWL from Church Parade, on 11/11/17.

Award: 3 days FP No 2 by Major PAM Eckersley, on 12th Nov 1917

AWL, 14th Trng Bn, Codford, from 12th Feb 1918

Returned from AWL on 19th Feb 1918

Offence: Trowbridge, 13th Feb 1918. AWL from midnight 12/2/18 until apprehended by MPs at 9.40pm 18/2/18 Award: Forfeits 10 days pay by Major PAM Eckersley, on 20th Feb 1918. Total forfeiture: 16 days pay.

Marched out to unit on 21st Mar 1918

Taken on strength of 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, from 31st Bn Details, on 29th Mar 1918

WIA on 17th Jun 1918

Admitted 4th Fld Amb (SW head) and to CCS, on 18th Jun 1918 Admitted 5th CCS, on 18th Jun 1918

Transferred to 10th Gen Hospital, on 20th Jun 1918

Admitted 10th General Hospital, Rouen, (GSW scalp), on 21st Jun 1918

Admitted 74th General Hospital, Trouville (GSW scalp) on 26th Jun 1918

Transferred to No 1st Conval Depot, Havre, on 1st Jul 1918

Admitted 1st Conval Depot, Havre, on 2nd Jul 1918

Discharged to Base Depot and marched in to 5th AIBD, Havre, from hospital, on 25th Jul 1918

Marched out to unit on 4th Aug 1918

Rejoined unit ex hospital on 14th Aug 1918

WIA 2nd occ, (gas) on 29th Sep 1918

Admitted 132nd Fld Amb, (gas) and transferred to CCS, on 30th Sep 1918

Admitted 20th CCS (gas shell) on 30th Sep 1918

Transferred to Amb Train, on 1st Oct 1918

Admitted 5th general Hospital, Rouen, (gas shell) on 2nd Oct 1918

Transferred to England on 7th Oct 1918

Embarked at Rouen on HS 'Gloucester Castle' for England on 7th Oct 1918

Admitted Bath War Hospital, Bath, (gas shell) on 8th Oct 1918

By sworn Declaration assumed true name of **Thomas Dodds**, on 2nd Nov 1918

Discharged to furlough on 7th Nov 1918 and to report to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 21st Nov 1918

Reported AWL on 21st Nov 1918. To report to Orderly Room, AHQ, London, on 21st Nov 1918. For transfer to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott. Advised AWL. Dealt with by Orderly Room on 10th Nov 1918. Awarded 12 days

Offence: London 21st Nov 1918. AWL from 1030am 21/11/18 till 1230pm 9/12/18.

Award: 19 days detention by Major C Howard, on 10th Dec 1918. Total forfeiture: 38 days' pay

Admitted Lewes Barracks, from London on 12th Dec 1918

Discharged from Lewes Barracks to Overseas Trng Bde, on 28th Dec 1918

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, on 30th Dec 1918

Declared an illegal absentee as from 12/1/19 by Court of Inquiry, held at Overseas Trng Bde, on 3rd Feb 1919 and declared to be still so absent.

DCM held at Sutton Veny on 6th Mar 1919

<u>Charge:</u> At Longbridge Deverill on 12/1/19, AWL form 2359 12/1/19 till apprehended at Sheffield at 0630 13/2/19.

Pleading: Guilty. Finding: Guilty

Sentence: 45 days FP No 2, on 6th Mar 1919

Confirmed: Major Gen Sir C Rosenthal, KGB, CMG, DSO, GOC AIF Depots in UK, on 11th Mar 1919

Period under charge from 1st investigation, 13/2/19 to 6/3/19

Forfeiture concurrent from 6/3/19

Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth, from No 1 Group, Longbridge Deverill, & No 2 CD, Weymouth, on 3rd Apr 1919

RTA per HT 'Leicestershire' on 3rd May 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne, on 21st Jun 1919

Discharged at Melbourne on 21st Jul 1919

Died 30th Aug 1953

DODSON Horace Edward

Service No 642 Rank Pte

Auburn, Melbourne, Victoria Born

NoK (f) Mr Arthur Edward Dodson (m) Mrs Ada Dodson, Joyceglen, Mavho St, Bentleigh, Victoria

(w) Mrs Amy Ivy Taylor Brown {late wife), 135 Orrong Cres, Caulfield, Victoria

Children; Doris Dodson, and Marjory Dodson 14th Jul 1915 Bentleigh, Melb, Victoria

Age 26

Enlistment

Status & Religion Married, C.of E.,
Occupation Bricklayer

Address Centre Rd, Bentleigh, Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome KIA on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles, Buried Rue-Petillon Military Cemetery, I. L. 40.

Notes Original, 'C' Coy XI Platoon (Signaller and runner), 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7^{th} Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25rd Jun 1916

Fell in No Man's Land due MG fire

KIA on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles, Buried Rue-Petillon Military Cemetery, I. L. 40.

DOHERTY



Reginald



Service No 3306 Rank Pte

Born Rockhampton, Queensland

NoK Mr James & Mrs Mary Doherty, Upper Dawson Rd, Rockhampton, Queensland

Enlistment 14th Feb 1916 Rockhampton, Queensland

Age 19

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Clerk/Labourer

Address Upper Dawson Rd, Rockhampton, Queensland

Outcome KIA on 4th Oct 1917

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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^{th} Div Details at Tel el Kebir, on 9^{th} Jul 1916 Embarked on HMT 'Franconia' at Alexandria on 2^{nd} Aug 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth on 22^{nd} Aug 1916

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Larkhill, from Egypt, on 22nd Aug 1916 Taken on strength of 8th Trng Bn, from overseas, on 22nd Aug 1916

Proceeding overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, per 'Golden Eagle', via Folkestone, on 11th Nov 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 12th Nov 1916 To hospital, (26th General Hospital, Etaples) on 24th Nov 1916

Admitted 26th General Hospital, Etaples, (aural abscess), on 24th Nov 1916 Embarked at Calais, on HS 'Dieppe' for England, on 28th Nov 1916

Admitted Norfolk War Hospital, Norwich, (dental abscess), on 28th Nov 1916

Transferred to 66th Bn, Windmill Hill, Perham Downs, on 27th Apr 1917

Taken on strength of 66th Bn, Perham Downs, from 31st Bn, on 27th Apr 1917

Proceeded overseas to France, from 66th Bn, to reinforce 38th Bn, via Southampton, on 25th Aug 1917

Marched in to 3rd ADBD, Rouelles, from England, on 26th Aug 1917

Marched out to unit, on 31st Aug 1917

Taken on strength 38th Bn, on 2nd Sep 1917

KIA on 4th Oct 1917, at Passchendaele Ridge

Buried in vicinity of D.1.5.d.0.0

DOIG Charles Gordon



Service No 993 Rank Pte

Born Ascot Vale, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mr Robert J. Doig, 142 The Parade, Ascot Vale, Victoria

Enlistment 7th Jul 1915 Ascot Vale, Victoria

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Tinworker/Tinsmith Occupation

Address 142 The Parade, Ascot Vale, Victoria DOW on 25th Sep 1917 Outcome Notes

Same units as Sampson and Brick

'B' Depot Coy, from 7th Jul to 18th Aug 1915

'B' Coy 12th Depot Bn, from 19th Aug to 10th Oct 1915

'D' Coy, 31st Bn, on 10th Oct 1915

Original, 'D' Coy, 31st Bn /103rd Howitzer Bty, 3rd Army

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to 5th Div Artillery on 15th Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 25th Howitzer Bde and posted to 114th Battery, on 15th Mar 1916

Proceeded to join BEF on HMT 'Canada' at Alexandria, on 19th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles, on 25th Jun 1916 Transferred from 114th to 115th Battery on 7th Jul 1916 Transferred to 3rd Army FAB, on 2nd Apr 1917

Taken on strength of 3rd (Army) Field Artillery Bde from 115th Battery, 25th Howitzer Bde, on 2nd Apr 1917

Offence: Overstaying leave from 1200 8/8/17 to 1200 10/8/17

Award: 5 days FP No 2 by CO 3rd (Army) Bde AFA, on 13th Aug 1917

Total forfeiture: 8 days' pay

WIA on 25th Sep 1917

Admitted 6th Fld Amb, (SW head & R leg) on 25th Sep 1917 DOW (GSW head & R leg) at 6th Fld Amb on 25th Sep 1917.

Buried Menin Road South Military Cemetery

DOLAN

John George





3794 Service No Rank

Born Clara Vale, County Durham, Newcastle, England

NoK Mr James & Mrs Mary Anne Dolan, Ambulance Brigade, Rockhampton, Queensland

Enlistment 8th Feb 1916 Ipswich, Queensland

19 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Miner

Address Rhondda Colliery, Bundamba, Queensland

Outcome DOW on 27th Oct 1917, was buried at Lijssenthoek Cemetery, France.

11th Depot Bn from 22nd Feb to 31st Mar 1916 Notes

AMC from 31st Mar to 22nd Jul 1916 9th Rfts, 31st Bn on 22nd Jul 1917

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "SEANG CHOON", 19th September 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 9th Dec 1916

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, on 10th Dec 1916

Offence: Hurdcott, 12th Jan 1917. AWL from 2400 12/1/17 to 0830 29/1/17.

Awarded: 28 days FP No 2 by Capt M Costa. In custody awaiting trial, 7 days. Total Forfeiture: 52 days' pay Proceeded overseas to France, from 8^{th} Trng Bn, per SS 'Golden Eagle', via Folkestone, on 28^{th} Feb 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England on 1st Mar 1917

Marched out to unit on 5th Mar 1917

Taken on strength 'D' Coy, 31st Bn, from 9th Rfts, on 6th Mar 1917

To hospital sick, on 16th Mar 1917

Admitted 5th Div Rest Station (8th Fld Amb) (trench feet) on 17th Mar 1917

Discharged to duty, on 12th Apr 1917 Rejoined unit ex hospital, on 19th Apr 1917

Crime: in the Field. Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline,

i.e. being in bed after Reveille.

Award: 7 days FP No 2 by CO 31st Bn, on 24th Apr 1917. Total Forfeiture: 7 days' pay (£1/15/-)

To hospital sick on 9th May 1917

Admitted 15th Fld Amb (scalded feet) on 9th May 1917

Transferred to CRS, on 11th May 1917

Admitted 5th DRS (15th Fld Amb) (scalded feet) 11th May 1917

Transferred to CCS, on 12th May 1917

Admitted 9th CCS (scalded feet) and transferred to Can Stat Hospital, on 12th May 1917

Admitted 3rd Can Stat Hospital, Doullens, (scalded feet), on 12th May 1917

Attached to 8th LTMB, from 31st Bn, 13th Aug 1917

Ceased to be attached and returned to 31st Bn, on 17th Aug 1917

Rejoined Bn from detachment with 8th LTMB, on 17th Aug 1917

Crime: AWL from 9pm 15/8/17 till 9am 17/8/17. Award: 21 days FP No 2 by CO 31st Bn on 20th Aug 1917

Total Forfeiture: 24 days' pay.

Crime: 1st Sep 1917. Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in that he fell out of the line of march without permission.

Award: 10 days FP No 2 by CO 31st Bn on 7th Sep 1917. Total Forfeiture: 7 days pay, part of award runs concurrent with that on 20/8/17.

(Battle of Polygon Wood, 26th/27th Sep 1917)

WIA on 24th Oct 1917

Admitted 3rd Fld Amb (SW L arm & both legs) and transferred to 17th CCS, on 25th Oct 1917

Admitted 17th CCS, (SW L arm & both legs), on 25th Oct 1917

DOW at 17th CCS, Remy Siding, on 27th Oct 1917 ('D' Coy, RO 591)

Buried at Lijssenthoek Cemetery, Belgium.

OLAN



Samuel Thomas



Service No 1989 Rank Pte

Born Leichhardt, NSW

NoK Mr Samuel T Dolan (dec) & Mrs Kate Dolan, 41 Upward St, Leichhardt, Sydney, NSW

Enlistment 7th Jan 1916 Leichhardt, Sydney, NSW

Age 22 Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Upholsterer

Address 41 Upward St, Leichhardt, Sydney, NSW

Outcome DOW on 22nd Jul 1916 at Fromelles, Buried Bailleul Communal Cemetery Extension, II. F. 88.

Notes AWM photo P05301228 & AWM photo DA14074

3rd Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A70 "Ballarat", 18th Feb 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 23rd Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn at Duntroon Plateau on 1st Apr 1916

Embarked to join BEF on HMT "Hororota" at Alexandria on 16th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 WIA (SW R groin) on 19th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

Admitted 8th CCS on 20th Jul 1916

DOW on 22nd Jul 1916, at 8th CCS, at Fromelles,

Buried Bailleul Communal Cemetery Extension, II. F. 88. By Chaplain Rev B.D. Collingwood, attached No 2 CCS.

DOLAN



Timothy





4029 Service No Rank

West Brook, Toowoomba, Queensland Born

NoK Mr T & Mrs Catherine Dolan, Harristown, Toowoomba, Queensland

Enlistment 9th May 1916 Toowoomba, Queensland

Age

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Railway Clerk

Drayton Rd, Drayton, Queensland Address Outcome KIA on 27th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

Notes 10th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A36 "BOONAH", 21st October 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 10th Jan 1917

Sick to Camp 10 Hospital, 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, on 9th Mar 1917

Transferred to Parkhouse Hospital, on 13th Mar 1917

Proceeded overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, via Southampton, on 19th Jun 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, on 20th Jun 1917 Crime: Havre. Being in town without a pass.

Award: 14 days CC & forfeits 7 days' pay, by OC, 5th ADBD on 11th Jul 1917

Marched out to unit on 17th Jul 1917

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, on 19th Jul 1917

KIA on 27th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

Buried in vicinity of Polygon Wood, Sht 28 NE, J.10

DONALD Clarence George

1037 Service No Rank Dvr

Born Deniliquin, NSW

Mrs Mary Donald, 151 Gillies St, Fairfield, Melbourne, Victoria NoK

 $19^{th}\;Jul\;1915$ Enlistment Fairfield, Melbourne, Vic

19 Age Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Labourer

151 Gillies St, Fairfield, Melbourne, Victoria Address

27th Apr 1919 Outcome RTA

Original, 'D' Coy, 31st Bn / 6th Army FAB Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Transferred to 5th Div Artillery at Tel el Kebir, on 15th Mar 1916

Taken on strength 25th Howitzer Bde and posted to 114th Battery, Tel el Kebir, on 15th Mar 1916

Mustered as Driver at Ferry Post on 10th May 1916

Embarked to join BEF per HMT "Georgian" at Alexandria on 18th Jun 1916,

Disembarked at Marseilles on 27th Jun 1916 Transferred to 115th Battery on 7th Jul 1916 Transferred to 6th Army FAB on 3rd Apr 1917

Taken on strength of 6th Army FAB and posted to 106th Battery on 3rd Apr 1917

With unit on 30th Jan 1918

To UK on leave on 29th Aug 1918 Rejoined from leave on 15th Sep 1918 Marched out for RTA on 17th Feb 1919

Marched in to AGBD, Havre, from unit on 20th Feb 1919

Embarked for England on 26th Feb 1919 Marched in from France to 27th Bde, on 27th Feb 1919

RTA per 'Runic' on 27th Apr 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 10th Jun 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 2nd Aug 1919

DONALD Norman Victor





3548 Service No Rank Pte

Dalby, Queensland Born

NoK (f) Mr Edwin Donald, Lovell St, Roma, Queensland 25th Jan 1916 Enlistment Toowoomba, Queensland

Age 18 Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Dentist's Assistant

Address Lovell St, Roma, Queensland Outcome RTA 24th Dec 1918

8th Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916

Crime: At sea, HT 42. 1. Failing to report for ship's guard 20/9/16.

2. Failing to report for Cook's fatigue, 21/9/16.

Award: Forfeits 26 days pay by Col Flewell Smith, VD. Total forfeiture 26 days pay

Disembarked at Plymouth on 13th Oct 1916

Marched in to No 3 Comm Depot, from Australia, on 20th Oct 1916

Marched out of No 3 Comm Depot, Woolwich to 8th Trng Bn on 17th Nov 1916 Proceeding overseas to France, ex 8th Trng Bn, via Folkstone, on 17th Dec 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England on 18th Dec 1916

Marched out to unit on 23rd Dec 1916

Taken on strength of 'C' Coy, 31st Bn, and to take regimental number 3548A, on 26th Dec 1916

To hospital sick on 14th Feb 1917

Admitted 15th Fld Amb (septic foot) on 14th Feb 1917

Discharged to unit on 17th Feb 1917 Rejoined unit, ex hospital, on 17th Feb 1917

Detached to 5th Div Pack Transport Troop on 25th Sep 1917

(Battle of Polygon Wood, 26th/28th Sep 1917)

Rejoined from 5th Div Pack Transport Troop on 1st Oct 1917

To UK on leave on 18th Oct 1917 Rejoined from leave on 7th Nov 1917 WIA on 8th Aug 1918 (Battle of Amiens)

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (SW forehead & abdomen), and to CCS, on 8th Aug 1918

Admitted 61^{st} CCS (SW forehead) and to Amb Train on 9^{th} Aug 1918

Admitted 8th Stat Hospital, Wimereux, on 10th Aug 1918

Transferred to England on 4th Sep 1918

Embarked on HS 'St Denis' from Wimereux (SW head) on 4th Sep 1918 Admitted Military Hospital, Shorncliffe, (SW head) on 4th Sep 1018

Discharged to furlough on 4th Nov 1918 and to report No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth on 18th Nov 1918

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth from AHQ, on 18^{th} Nov 1918

RTA per 'Takada' due GSW head, on 26th Dec 1918

Disembarked at Melbourne on 11th Feb 1919, awaiting transport to 1st MD

Disembarked at Brisbane on 1st Mar 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 13th Apr 1919 Married Nellie Mather on 11th Feb 1928

Died 29th Sep 1979

DONALDSON Francis Patrick Service No 2306 and 2918

Rank Pte

Born Cobargo, NSW

NoK Mr Francis Hugh & Mrs Annie Donaldson, Cobargo, NSW

Enlistment 14th Dec 1915 Cobargo, NSW

Age 21

Status & Religion
Occupation
Address
Outcome
Notes

Single, R.C.
Labourer
Cobargo, NSW
Outcome
2nd Jan 1918
Ath Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

RTA per HT 'Karoola' due pleurisy with effusion, on 23rd Nov 1916

(re-enlisted as 2918 with 36th Bn)

Embarked on A72 HMAT "Beltana" on 25th Nov 1916 with Rfts, 36th Bn

Disembarked at Devonport, on 29th Jan 1917

Taken on strength of 36th Bn, on 6th Jul 1917

WIA on 12th Oct 1917

Admitted 3rd CCS (contusions on back) on 13th Oct 1917

Rejoined 36th Bn, ex wounded, on 26th Dec 1917

WIA 2nd occ on 30th Dec 1017

Admitted 10th Fld Amb, (GSW chest) and transferred to CCS, on 30th Dec 1917

Admitted 2nd CCS (GSW chest, penetrating) on 30th Dec 1917

DOW at 2nd CCS, on 2nd Jan 1918

Buried Trois Arbres Cemetery, Steenwerck, Nord Pas de Calais, France

DONALDSON

Oliver Thomas



Service No 338 Rank Dvr

Born 3rd May 1893, Wedderburn, Victoria

NoK (m) Mrs Mary Ann Donaldson, High St, Wedderburn, Victoria

(f) Richard Donaldson

later Reef St, Wedderburn, Victoria

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Wedderburn, Victoria

Age 23

Status & Religion Single, Meth.
Occupation Dealer

Address High St, Wedderburn, Victoria Outcome RTA 19th Feb 1919

Notes AWM Photo DA10288, c September 1915

Depot Bn from 27th Jul to 2nd Aug 1915 10th Rfts, 9th Bn, from 3rd Aug to 5th Oct 1915 Reserve Coy, from 5th Oct to 15th Oct 1915 Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn on 15th Oct 1915

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16^{th} Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

Transferred to 5th Div Artillery at Tel el Kebir, on 15th Mar 1916

Taken on strength 25th Howitzer Bde and posted to 113th Battery, Tel el Kebir, on 15th Mar 1916

Mustered as Driver at Ferry Post on 10th May 1916

Embarked to join BEF per HMT "Georgian" at Alexandria on 19th Jun 1916,

Disembarked at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916

Transferred to and taken on strength of 13th FAB on 9th Jul 1916

Sick to hospital on 24th Dec 1916

Admitted Hospital, Rouen, on 24th Dec 1916

Admitted 51st Gen Hospital, Etaples, from hospital, on 29th Dec 1916

Discharged to Base Depot on 24th Jan 1917 Marched in to AGBD, Etaples, on 24th Jan 1917

To 5th Div Artillery on 7th Apr 1917 Rejoined from hospital on 11th Apr 1917 Granted furlough on 8th Sep 1917 Rejoined ex leave on 26th Sep 1917 Sick to hospital on 2nd Jul 1918

Admitted 5th CCS (pyrexia) on 2nd Jul 1918 Admitted 52nd Gen Hospital on 4th Jul 1918

Embarked on HS 'Jan Brydel' at Boulogne, for England, on 6th Jul 1918

Admitted 2nd London Gen Hospital, Chelsea, (broncho pneumonia) on 6th Jul 1918

Transferred to 3^{rd} Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 2^{nd} Aug 1918

Discharged to No 4 Comm Depot on 9th Aug 1918 Marched out to Overseas Trng Bde on 12th Nov 1918

Marched out to RBAA from Overseas Trng Bde, on 18th Oct 1918

RTA per 'Orca' on 19th Feb 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 7th Apr 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 7th Oct 1919

Married Hilda Jane Clark at Bendigo on 3rd Sep 1919

Died at Koondrook, Victoria, on 20th Nov 1946, aged 53 years

DONALDSON

LUSON







Service No 179 Rank Pte

Born Brisbane, Queensland

NoK friend, Mrs Ekins, Heussler Tce, Torwood, Brisbane, Queensland

Enlistment 13th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 19

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Farmer

Address Heussler Tce, Torwood, Brisbane, Queensland

Outcome RTA 8th Apr 1919

Notes AWM Photo DA12029, c October 1915

Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to hospital, Ferry Post on 19th May 1916 Admitted 8th Fld Amb, Ferry Post, on 19th May 1916

Discharged to unit on 22nd May 1916

Rejoined unit from hospital, Ferry Post on 23rd May 1916

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 WIA (face) on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

Admitted 5th Div Rest Stn (St wound L cheek) on 21st Jul 1916

Discharged to unit on 6th Aug 1916

Rejoined unit from wounded on 6th Aug 1916

Sick to hospital on 23rd Aug 1916

Admitted 5th Div Rest Stn (otis media) on 26th Aug 1916 Discharged from 8th Fld Amb to unit on 4th Sep 1916 Rejoined from sick on 6th Sep 1916

WIA 2nd occ (GSW face) on 24th Oct 1916

Admitted 38th CCS (GSW face) on 24th Oct 1916

Transferred to Amb Train on 25th Oct 1916

Admitted 8th Red Cross Hospital, Le Touquet, on 26th Oct Transferred to 6 Camp Depot, Etaples on 10th Nov 1916 Admitted 5 Conval Depot, Cayaeux, on 11th Nov 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, from 5th Conval Depot, Cayeaux, on 25th Nov 1916

Marched out from 5th ADBD on 18th Dec 1916 Rejoined from wounded on 20th Dec 1916

Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from hospital, on 25th May 1918

Marched out to unit on 30th May 1918 Rejoined unit ex sick on 3rd Jun 1918

To UK on leave on 11th Oct 1918 Rejoined from leave on 29th Oct 1918

Marched out to Base Depot for RTA on 24th Jan 1919

Marched out from AIBD, Havre, to England (1915 Personnel) on 31st Jan 1919 Disembarked via Weymouth and marched in to No 4 CD, Hurdcott, on 1st Feb 1919

Admitted 2nd Scottish Hospital, Edinburgh, (influenza) whilst on leave from Hurdcott, on 13th Feb 1919

Admitted 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, from 2nd SGH, on 19th Mar 1919

Discharged to Admin HQ on 27th Mar 1919 RTA per 'Trasos Montes' on 8th Apr 1919 Disembarked at Brisbane on 27th May 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 19th Jul 1919

Served in WWII as Pte Q123472 with 1st Garrison Bn

DONE

Percival Frederick



Service No 2913 Rank Pte

Born Kiama, NSW

NoK (f) Rev J Done, Holy Trinity Rectory, Dawes Point, Sydney, NSW (w) Mrs Amy Alice Done, 117 Darby St, Newtown, Sydney, NSW

Enlistment 7th Feb 1916 Newtown, Sydney, NSW

Age 32

Status & Religion Married, C.of E.

Occupation Clerk

Address 117 Darby St, Newtown, Sydney, NSW

Outcome RTA 20th Dec 1918 Notes AWM photo DA14331

5th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

Promoted A/Cpl (8th Trng Rn) on 31st Ma

Promoted A/Cpl (8th Trng Bn) on 31st May 1916

Reverted to Pte at own request, at Tel el Kebir, on 2nd Jun 1916

Offence: Tel el Kebir, 13th Jun 1916. AWL 1600 Parade. Awarded 3 days FP No 1, by Lt W S Houghton,

on 14th Jun 1916

Embarked to join BEF on HMT "Huntsend" at Alexandria on 20th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 30th Jun 1916

Taken on strength of 'D' Coy, 31^{st} Bn from 5^{th} Rfts on 23^{rd} Jul 1916

To hospital sick, on 14th Feb 1917

Admitted 5th DRS, (dental), on 14th Feb 1917 Discharged to duty, on 1st Mar 1917 Rejoined unit ex hospital, on 2nd Mar 1917 Re death of Cpl Archibald Gordon Kilfoyle, KIA 15th Mar 1917: "He was struck by a shell in Drayton Trench (better known as Hostile Trench) in front of Bapaume, on March 15th or 16th. His leg was blown right away, and he died about an hour afterwards in the trench. He was buried alongside the trench, and a cross with his name etc was put up in Jun by Pte Morgan, of 'D' Coy, 31st Bn. I saw the grave with the cross on it. I was in the trench when he was wounded, but did not see him."

Pte 2913 Percival Frederick Done, XIII Platoon, 'D' Coy, 31st Bn

To hospital sick, on 16th Mar 1917

Admitted 15th Fld Amb (trench feet) and transferred to 5th DRS, on 16th Mar 1917

Admitted 5th DRS/8th Fld Amb, (trench feet), on 17th Mar 1917

Discharged to duty, on 31st Mar 1917

Rejoined unit, from hospital, on 2nd Apr 1917

Offence: AWL from midnight 20th Jun 1918 to 11pm 21st Jun 1918 (23 hours).

Award: 48 hours FP No 2 Total forfeiture: (15/-) by CO on 22nd Jun 1917 ('D' Coy, RO 470)

To UK on leave, on 5th Sep 1917

To hospital from 5th Div Rfts Wing, whilst enroute from leave, on 24th Sep 1917

Admitted 8th Fld Amb. (VD) and transferred to CCS, on 24th Sep 1917

Admitted 10th CCS (VD) on 24th Sep 1917

Admitted 39th General Hospital, Havre, (VD) on 25th Sep 1917 Discharged to Base Depot, 2nd Nov 1917. Total period 40 days

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from 39th Gen Hospital, on 2nd Nov 1917

Marched out to unit, on 20th Dec 1917

Rejoined unit, ex sick (admitted whilst on leave), on 23rd Dec 1917

To Aust Corps School on 9th Jul 1918

Rejoined 31st Bn from Corps School on 19th Aug 1918 WIA (GSW R arm & mustard gas burn) on 30th Sep 1918

Admitted 132nd Fld Amb, (SW right arm), and transferred to CCS, on 30th Sep 1918

Admitted 53rd CCS, (SW R arm) on 1st Oct 1918

Transferred to Amb Train, on 2nd Oct 1918

Admitted to 6^{th} Gen Hospital, Rouen, (GSW R arm), on 3^{rd} Oct 1918 Transferred to and admitted 2^{nd} Conval Depot, Havre, on 5^{th} Oct 1918

Transferred to and admitted 1st Aust Conval Depot, on 6th Oct 1918

Transferred to and admitted 2nd General Hospital (gas burns, mustard) on 11th Oct 1918

Invalided to UK, wounded, on 13th Oct 1918

Embarked on HS 'Essequibo' to England on 13th Dec 1918

Admitted 2nd/1st Southern General Hospital, Dudley St, Birmingham, (mustard gas burns) on 13th Oct 1918 Admitted 2nd Southern General Hospital, Dudley Rd, Birmingham (mustard gas burn) on 14th Oct 1918 Discharged to furlough on 1st Nov 1918 and to report to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 15th Nov 1918

Marched in to No 4 Comm depot, from AHQ London, ex furlough, on 15th Nov 1918

RTA per "Orontes", debility, on 20th Dec 1918 Disembarked at Sydney on 1st Feb 1919 Discharged at Sydney on 14th Jun 1919

Died 5th Aug 1936

ONNELLY



George



Service No 522 Rank Pte

Born Queensland

NoK Mr Matthew Donnelly, Baree, Mount Morgan, Queensland Enlistment 5th Jul 1915 Mount Morgan, Queensland

Age 28

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Labourer

Address Baree, Mount Morgan, Queensland

Outcome RTA 8th Apr1919 Notes Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

To Base Details 8th Trng Bn, Moascar, surplus to establishment, on 29th May 1916

Embarked on HMT "Franconia" at Alexandria on 6th Jun 1916,

Disembarked at Plymouth on 16th Jun 1916

Proceeded overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, on 16th Sep 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 17th Sep 1916

Marched out to rejoin 31st Bn, on 24th Sep 1917 Rejoined Bn from 5th ADBD, on 26th Oct 1916

WIA on 31st Oct 1916

Admitted Anzac CRS (SW R hand & L knee), and transferred to CCS, on 1st Nov 1916 Admitted 36th CCS, (GSW R hand & L knee), and transferred to Amb Train, on 2nd Nov 1916

Admitted 1st Can General Hospital, Etaples, (SW hand & L knee), on 3rd Nov 1916

Embarked in HS 'Cambria', for England, on 9th Nov 1916

Admitted Norwich Hospital, Norwich, (GSW hand & knee), on 9th Nov 1916

Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 22nd Nov 1916

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from 1st AAH, Harefield, on 29th Nov 1916

Marched in to Inf Draft Depot, Perham Downs, from No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 19th Jan 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, from Inf Draft Bn, per SS 'Victoria', via Folkestone, on 3rd Feb 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 4th Feb 1917

Marched out to unit, on 7th Feb 1917

Rejoined unit, ex wounded, on 8th Feb 1917

Proceeded to 5th Army Rest Camp, on 10th Jun 1917

Rejoined unit from Rest Camp, on 24th Jun 1917

(Battle of Polygon Wood, 26th/27th Sep 1917)

To UK, on leave, on 25th Feb 1918

Rejoined unit from leave, on 13th Mar 1918

To hospital sick, on 10th Jul 1918

Admitted 15th Fld Amb, (influenza) and transferred to CCS, on 10th Jul 1918

Admitted 61st CCS, (influenza) on 10th Jul 1918

Discharged to duty, on 25th Jul 1918

Rejoined unit ex sick, on 25th Jul 1918

(Battle of Amiens, 8th Aug 1918 and Hindenberg Line)

Marched out to Base Depot, for RTA, on 24th Jan 1919

Marched out from AIBD, Havre, for England, (1915 Personnel), on 31st Jan 1919

Disembarked at Weymouth, and marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 1st Feb 1919

RTA per 'Trasos Montes' on 8th Apr1919

Arrived at Melbourne on 22nd May 1919, disembarked at Brisbane on 27th May 1919

Disembarked at Brisbane, on 27th May 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 19th Jul 1919

(Married Nellie Decima Schweitzer, on 3rd Aug 1922)

Died on 20th Sep 1941

DONNELLY Thomas John

Service No 1987 Rank Pte

Forbes, NSW Rorn

NoK Mrs Elizabeth Donnelly, 213 Marion St, Leichhardt, Sydney, NSW

15th Nov 1915 Enlistment Leichhardt, Sydney, NSW

Age 24

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Labourer

Address 213 Marion St, Leichhardt, Sydney, NSW

13th Feb 1917 Outcome RTA

3rd Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A70 "Ballarat", on 18th Feb 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 23rd Mar 1916

Allotted to and proceeded to join 47th Bn, Zeitoun, on 2nd Apr 1916

Joined 47th Bn, Serapeum, on 1st Apr 1916

Sick to hospital, on 20th Apr 1916

Admitted 12th Fld Amb, (varicose ulcer), on 20th Apr 1916 Admitted 54th CCS, (ulceration L shin), on 26th Apr 1916

Transferred to 1st ASH, on 29th Apr 1916

To No 2 Hospital Train

Admitted 1st ASH, Ismailia, (varicose ulcer), on 29th Apr 1916 Admitted 3rd Aux Hospital, Cairo, on 1st May 1916

Invalided to England, on HS 'Galeka' from Alexandria, on 7th Jul 1916

Admitted 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 6th Sep 1916

To No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from 1st AAH, Harefield, Class B, (varicose veins), on 6th Sep 1916

Transferred to Military Hospital, Tooting, on 6th Sep 1916

Taken on strength of No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 9th Sep 1916 Admitted 2nd Aux Hospital, Southall, (septic wound), on 9th Oct 1916 Discharged from 2nd AAH, Southall to Weymouth, on 18th Nov 1916 Sick to 2nd Aux Hospital, Southall, from No 2 CD, on 19th Nov 1916 Date of discharge not available,

RTA per HT 'Ulysses' from Plymouth, on 13th Feb 1917

Disembarked at Sydney on 12th Apr 1917 Discharged at Sydney on 14th May 1917

Correct name of Thomas John Donnelly is Frederick John Hayes according to his aunt, Mrs E Merriman, (on file Mar 1917) and his father was residing at 213 Marson St, Leichhardt, Sydney.

DONOHUE Francis Service No 4756 Pte Rank

Born Tenterfield, NSW

sister; Mrs Johanna Sweeney, Orange, NSW NoK 16th Dec 1916 Enlistment Cairns, Queensland

Age

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Miner

Address c/o Miss A. Nash, Babinda, via Cairns, Queensland

Outcome RTA per "Suevic" on 27th Sep 1917

13th Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked per HMAT "Wiltshire" from Sydney on 7th Feb 1917

Disembarked Devonport, England and marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott from Australia on 11th Apr 1917

Marched out from Hurdcott to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth on 7th Aug 1917

Embarked for RTA on 27th Sep 1917, per A29 "Suevic", from England, for discharge, due chronic Bronchitis

Discharged in Brisbane on 27th Dec 1917

DOODY

Walter



2195 Service No. Rank Pte

Born Janiember, Victoria

NoK Nok; brother, Ernest Doody, Tandarra, Victoria Enlistment 6th Jul 1915 Tandarra, Victoria

18 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Labourer

Address c/o Ernest Baker, 167 Alexandra Rd, Fitzroy, Vic

Outcome **DOW** on 15th Nov 1916 Villers Bretonneux, France

47th Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A70 "Ballarat", 18th Feb 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 23rd Mar 1916

DOW on 15th Nov 1916 Villers Bretonneux, France

Brother; Pte Herbert Doody, # 12950, 56th Bn,

DORAN James Graham

Service No 1990 Pte Rank

Born 1864, Cooks River, Petersham, Sydney, NSW NoK (sister) Mrs Elizabeth Quince, Portland, NSW

Enlistment 23rd Nov 1915

45 Age

Single, C of E. Status & Religion Occupation Labourer Address Sydney, NSW

RTA per 'Clan Mcgillivray' due old injury L leg and old age, from Suez on 10th Jul 1916 Outcome

Notes 3rd Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked on HMAT 'Ballarat' at Sydney on Disembarked at Suez on 23rd Mar 1916 Allotted to 47th Bn, Zeitoun on 2nd Apr 1916

Transferred to and taken on strength of 47th Bn, Serapeum, on 2nd Apr 1916

Sick to hospital, Rabista, on 10th May 1916 Admitted 12th Fld Amb (defective vision), Serapeum, and transferred to 54th CCS, on 10th May 1916

Admitted 54th CCS (defective vision) on 10th May 1916

Transferred to 1st Stat Hospital, Ismailia, on 16th May 1916

Admitted 3rd Aux Hospital, (old injury) and to Amb Train on 23rd May 1916 Admitted 1st Aux Hospital, Helipolis, Egypt, (old injury) on 13th Jun 1916

RTA per HT 'Clan McGillivray' due old injury L leg and old age, from Suez on 10th Jul 1916

Disembarked at Sydney on 14th Aug 1916 Discharged at Sydney on 23rd Sep 1916

DORRELL

George

Service No 4769 Rank Pte

Born Buckinghamshire, England

NoK (f) James Dorrell, Kings Ash, Lee, Great Missenden, Buckinghamshire, England

Enlistment 9th Oct 1915 22 Age

Status & Religion Single, C of E. Occupation Labourer

Address Toowoomba, Queensland

DOW received in action, at 12.30pm, on 15th Dec 1916 Outcome

15th Rfts, 9th Bn from 9th Oct 1915 Notes

Embarked on 28th Mar 1916

Embarked on HMT 'Arcadian' at Alexandria, on 29th Jul 1916 Taken on strength of 3rd Trng Bn, Perham Downs, on 9th Aug 1916 Proceeding overseas to France from 3rd Trng Bn, on 29th Sep 1916

Marched in to 1st ADBD, Etaples, on 1st Oct 1916 Marched out to 31st Bn on 11th Oct 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 13th Oct 1916

WIA (GSW head) on 21st Nov 1916

Admitted 1st Anzac DRS and transferred to CCS, on 21st Nov 1916

Admitted 38th CCS (GSW head) on 22nd Nov 1916

To Amb Train on 24th Nov 1916

Admitted 3rd Stat Hospital, Rouen, on 25th Nov 1916

Reported dangerously ill on 26th Nov 1916

DOW received in action, at 12.30pm, on 15th Dec 1916

Buried St Sever Cemetery Extension, Rouen



Service No 647 Rank Pte

Born 1892, Salford, Manchester, England

NoK Mr Robert Edwin Dottie, 39 Darwen St, Weaste, Manchester, England

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, RC
Address Maffra, Victoria

Outcome DOW (gas) on 24th Apr 1918

Notes 'A' Coy, Flemington from 14th Jul to 12th Aug 1915 To 'C' Coy, 31st Bn, Broadmeadows, on 12th Aug 1915

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn / 6th Army FAB

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Transferred to 5th Div Artillery MTM Battery ex 31st Bn, on 5th Jul 1916

Taken on strength of X5A MTM Bty, ex 31st Bn, and mustered as Gunner, on 5th Jul 1916

On command with 5th DAC on 1st Dec 1916

Rejoined unit on 28th Dec 1916 WIA (GSW head) on 9th Jan 1917

Admitted 60th Fld Amb (GSW head) on 9th Jan 1917

Transferred to CCS on 10th Jan 1917

Admitted 34th CCS (GSW head) and to Amb Train, on 10th Jan 1917

Admitted 5th General Hospital, Rouen, on 11th Jan 1917

Embarked on HS 'Abordonia' to England (GSW head) on 16th Jan 1917 Admitted County of Middlesex War Hospital, Napsbury, on 17th Jan 1917

Granted furlough on 23rd Feb 1917, and to report to Perham Downs on 10th Mar 1917

H & D Camps 4 & 5, Perham Downs

Proceeding overseas to France, from H & D Camps, Perham Downs, via Folkestone, on 9th May 1917

Marched in to AGBD, Etaples, from England on 10th May 1917 Marched out to 5th Div T.M.B, from Rouelles, on 7th Jun 1917

Rejoined unit from hospital on 9th Jun 1917 Marched out to 5th Army TMB, on 20th Jun 1917

Rejoined 5th T.M. Bde from 5th Army TMB, on 4th Jul 1917

Proceeded on leave on 10th Sep 1917 Rejoined from leave on 22nd Sep 1917 Posted to 9th Battery, on 28th Jan 1918 WIA 2nd occ (gas) on 24th Apr 1918

Admitted 14th Fld Amb (gassed) and transferred to 2nd C Gas Stn, on 24th Apr 1918 Admitted 15th Fld Amb (Div Coll Stn), gassed lethal, on 24th Apr 1918 and DOW

DOW (gas) on 24th Apr 1918

Buried Vignacourt British Cemetery, 8 miles NNW of Amiens



Vivian James Richard

Service No 192 Rank Pte Born Brisbane, Queensland

NoK Mr R Dougherty, Sandgate, Brisbane, Queensland Enlistment 25th Jun 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

21 Age

Status & Religion Single, C. of E. Occupation Assistant Post Master Address Sandgate, Brisbane, Queensland

Outcome Discharged medically unfit (old fracture of arm from 1912 – arm is so bad he cannot carry a rifle, 3rd finger is

missing, little finger broken) (not due to misconduct) at Ascot Vale, Melbourne on 22nd Nov 1915

Notes Bugler, Coy

Original 31st Bn / HQ / Band

Discharged medically unfit, at Ascot Vale, Melbourne on 22nd Nov 1915

DOUGLAS George 1074 Service No Rank Sgt

Koroit, Victoria Born

Mr David & Mrs Catherine Douglas, Winslow, Warrnambool, Victoria NoK

Warrnambool, Victoria Enlistment 7th Jul 1915

Age 22 Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Occupation Grazier

Address Winslow, Warrnambool, Victoria

DOW on 6th Oct 1917 Outcome Notes Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Offence: AWL from 0645 on 6th May 1916 to 2300 on 7th May 1916.

Forfeit 2 days pay and awarded 2 days CC, at Ferry Post

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

(Battle of Fromelles, 19th/20th Jul 1916)

Promoted to Cpl on 24th Aug 1916

Promoted to Sgt, vice Sgt McKenzie, on 9th Nov 1916

(II Platoon, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, Sgt Lang file) On 7th Dec 1916, 5th Division Routine Orders (Frank's Force): "Placed on record by Divisional Commander:

This NCO maintained excellent control over his men, and led them in a cool and thorough manner . During the occupation of the enemy trenches he killed several Germans."

Proceeded on leave to UK on 5th Jan 1917, rejoining unit on 21st Jan 1917

To hospital sick on 27th Jan 1917

Admitted and transferred from 13th Aust Fld Amb to 4th Div Rest Station 27th - 31st Jan 1917

Discharged from 5th Div Rest Station on 17th Feb 1917 (due influenza) (new disease supervening)

Re-admitted Soft Chancre on 18th Feb, and transferred to 45th CCS on 20th Feb 1917

Admitted 7th Con Depot on 22nd Feb 1917 To 51st Gen Hospital, Boulogne on 23rd Feb 1917 Discharged to Base Depot on 22nd Mar 1917 Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples on 22nd Mar 1917 Discharged from Segregation Unit on 17th Apr 1917

Marched out to unit on 21st Apr 1917 Rejoined unit on 22nd Apr 1917

(II Platoon, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, Sgt Lang file)

Awarded MM for actions: "At POLYGON WOOD on 26th/27th September 1917, when both his platoon commander and sergeant had been killed, this NCO jumped into the breach, and on his own initiative, led his platoon and captured the allotted sector of the final objective. During the consolidation his coolness and utter disregard of danger were great factors in maintaining the confidence of his men."

WIA (SW face) on 29th Sep 1917

Admitted 3rd Aust Fld Amb & 17th CCS on 29th Sep 1917 Admitted 7th Can Gen Hospital, Etaples on 1st Oct 1917 DOW at 7th Canadian Gen Hospital, Etaples on 6th Oct 1917

Buried Etaples Military Cemetery.

DOUGLAS Harry Service No 3340 Rank Pte

Born Brisbane, Queensland

sister, Mrs Mary Grayson, Park Rd, South Brisbane, Queensland NoK

(w) Mrs Florence Chalwin (nee Durrant) Douglas

18th Jan 1916 Enlistment Cairns, Queensland

21 Age

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Labourer

Address Cairns, Queensland
Outcome RTA 21st Dec 1918

Notes 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 $5^{\rm th}$ Div Details at Tel el Kebir, on $9^{\rm th}$ Jul 1916 Embarked on HMT 'Franconia' at Alexandria on $2^{\rm nd}$ Aug 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 22nd Aug 1916

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Larkhill, from Egypt, on 22nd Aug 1916 Taken on strength of 8th Trng Bn, from overseas, on 22nd Aug 1916

41st Bn

RTA per HT 'Benalla' with wife, on 8th Oct 1919 Disembarked at Sydney, on 29th Nov 1919 Discharged at Brisbane, on 15th Jan 1921

DOUGLAS Thomas Victor

Service No 4040 Rank Pte

Born Castle Douglas, Scotland

NoK cousin, Nurse Agnes Donnolly, Roxburg District Asylum, Melrose, Scotland

(w) Mrs Elizabeth Jessie (nee Gilston) Douglas

Enlistment 8th May 1916 Townsville, Queensland

Age 30

Status & Religion Widower, Pres.

Occupation Labourer

Address Flinders St, Townsville, Queensland Outcome Discharged 25th Feb 1918

Notes 10th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A36 "BOONAH", 21st October 1916

15th Bn

Discharged 25th Feb 1918

DOUGLASWilliam JohnService No5340RankL/Cpl

Born Boompa, Queensland

NoK Mr James Douglas, Boompah, Gayndah Line, Queensland

Enlistment 3rd May 1917 Maryborough, Queensland

Age 19

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Labourer

Address Boompah, Gayndah Line, Queensland

Outcome RTA 29th Feb 1920 Notes 15th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, per R.M.S. "ORMONDE", 2nd March, 1918

Appointed Voyage Only Cpl on 2nd Mar 1918

Disembarked Suez on 4th Apr 1918

Taken on strength of Aust Čamp, Suez, on 4th Apr 1918 Reverted to Ranks at Suez, on 10th Apr 1918

Promoted Voyage Only Cpl, at Suez, on 17th Apr 1918

Transferred to Port Tewfik, for embarkation overseas on $30^{\text{th}}\,\text{Apr}\,1918$

Embarked on F15 'Eilinga' at Port Tewfik, on 30^{th} Apr 1918

Disembarked at Southampton on 15th May 1918 Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, Codford, on 15th Mar 1918

Reverts to ranks on marching in to $14^{\rm th}\, Trng$ Bn, Codford, on $15^{\rm th}\, Mar$ 1918

Appointed A/L/Cpl on 20th May 1918

On command at Candahar Barracks, on 29th Jul 1918

Marched in to 14th Trng Bn from School of Musketry, Tidworth, on 20th Sep 1918

Admitted 1st ADH, Bulford, on 20th Sep 1918

Discharged to Conv Trng Depot, Parkhouse, (Total period VD 148 days) on 9th Feb 1919

Marched in to Conv Trng Bn, Parkhouse from 1st ADH, on 9th Feb 1919 Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny, on 18th feb 1919

Paid at No 1 CD on 17th Jul 1919

Last payment at No 2 Group, Sutton Veny, on 22nd Jul 1919

RTA per 'Cap Verde' from England on 5th Jan 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 29th Feb 1920 Arrived Brisbane on 11th Mar 1920 Discharged at Brisbane on 31st Mar 1920

William Wallace





72 Service No Rank

Maryborough, Queensland Born

sister, Jessie Berry, Scarness, Pialba, Queensland later 2nd Ave, Wilston, Brisbane, Qld NoK

Enlistment 15th Jun 1915 Rosalie, Brisbane, Old

Age

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Labourer

Address Rosalie, Brisbane, Qld 11th May 1919 Outcome RTA

Original, HQ, 31st Bn, on 15th Jun 1915 Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

(Battle of Fromelles, 19th/20th Jul 1916)

WIA admitted hospital, (shell shock), on 26th Oct 1916

Rejoined Bn, on 3rd Nov 1916 To hospital sick, on 7th Dec 1916

Admitted 36th CCS, (bronchitis), on 9th Dec 1916

Transferred to Amb Train, on 11th Dec 1916

Admitted 6th General Hospital, Rouen, (bronchitis), on 12th Dec 1916

Transferred to and admitted 2nd Conval Depot, Rouen, (bronchitis & pleurisy), on 18th Dec 1916 Transferred to and admitted 6th General Hospital, Rouen, (bronchitis & pleurisy), on 20th Dec 1916

Transferred to England, on 1st Jan 1917

Embarked on HS 'St George' (pleurisy), for England, on 1st Jan 1917

Admitted 1st Eastern General Hospital, Cambridge, (pleurisy), on 2nd Jan 1917

Discharged to furlough, on 9th Feb 1917 and to report to Perham Downs, on 24th Feb 1917

Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs, Class B1A, on 26th Feb 1917

Reclassified Class B1A3, at No 1 CD, Perham Downs, on 16th Apr 1917

Reclassified Class B1A1, at No 1 CD, Perham Downs, on 30th Apr 1917

Reclassified Class B1A3, at No 1 CD, Perham Downs, on 18th May 1917

Reclassified Class A3, at No 1 CD, Perham Downs, on 21st Jun 1917

Reclassified Class B1A3, at No 1 CD, Perham Downs, on 8th Aug 1917

Reclassified Class B1A4, at No 1 CD, Perham Downs, on 27th Sep 1917

Reclassified Class A3, at No 1 CD, Sutton Veny, on 19th Oct 1917

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, from No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny,

on 27th Jun 1917

Proceeded overseas to France, from Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, via Folkestone, on 29th Aug 1917

Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from UK, ex sick, on 1st Sep 1918

To hospital sick, from AIBD, Havre, on 27th Sep 1918

Admitted 39th General Hospital, Havre, on 27th Sep 1918

Still in hospital, on 10th Nov 1918

Discharged to duty, on 21st Nov 1918. Total period, 56 days

Discharged to 1st Aust Conval Depot, Havre, on 21st Nov 1918

Admitted 1st Aust Conval Depot, Havre, (debility), on 21st Nov 1918 Marched in to AGBD, Havre, from 1st Aust Conval Depot, on 14th Feb 1919

Marched out to Aust Base Depot, No 7, Havre, on 26th Mar 1919

Marched in to Aust Base Depot, No 7, Havre, ex AGBD, on 26th Mar 1919

Marched out from AIBD, for England, (1915 Personnel), on 2nd Apr 1919

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

RTA per HT 'Borda' on 11th May 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne, on 27th Jun 1919, thence to Brisbane Discharged at Brisbane, on 21st Aug 1919

Died on 6th Jul 1936

DOVER Ernest Phillip





Service No 182 Rank Pte

26th Mar 1893, Shepperds Bush, Kensington, London, England Born

NoK (f) Mr E Dover

(m) Mrs Minnie Dover, Kensington, London

friend, John Doonan, Burringbar, Tweed River, NSW

Enlistment 16th Jul 1915 Tweed River, NSW

Age 23

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Traveller

Address Burringbar, Tweed River, NSW

RTA per "Trasos Montes" on 8th Apr 1919 Outcome Notes Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, on 18th Jul 1915

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 Proceeded on leave to England on 20th Dec 1916

Returned from leave on 7th Jan 1917 Proceeding to 5th Army Infantry School, Toulencourt, on 3rd Jul 1917 (HO Coy, RO 481)

(Batman to Capt R K Hibbs, 'B' Coy, and Sgt 525 Cyril Kirby, 'B' Coy)

Rejoined unit from 5th Army School, on 5th Aug 1917

WIA on 26th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

Admitted 4th NZ Fld Amb (SW upper legs) on 26th Sep 1917

Transferred to CCS, on 28th Sep 1917

Admitted 46th CCS on 29th Sep 1917 Admitted 22nd General Hospital, Camiers, (GSW upper legs) on 29th Sep 1917

Transferred to 11th Conval Depot, on 4th Oct 1917 Admitted 6th Conval Depot, Etaples, on 4th Oct 1917 Transferred to Base Depot, on 6th Oct 1917

Marched out to unit on 13th Oct 1917 Rejoined unit on 15th Oct 1917

Transferred from 'A' Coy to 'B' Coy on 31st Oct 1917 - Runner (RO 592)

To UK on leave on 22nd Jan 1918 Rejoined unit ex leave, on 12th Feb 1918 To 'X' Corps School, on 24th Feb 1918

Rejoined unit ex 'X' Corps School, on 27th Feb 1918

To hospital sick on 24th Jun 1918

Admitted 15th Fld Amb (influenza) and transferred to CCS, on 25th Jun 1918

Admitted 15th CCS, (influenza) on 25th Jun 1918

Discharged to duty on 4th Jul 1918 Rejoined unit ex sick on 8th Jul 1918

(Battle of Amiens, 8th Aug 1918 to Bellicourt/Nauroy)

To hospital sick, on 20th Nov 1918

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (influenza) and to 3rd AGH, on 20th Nov 1918

Admitted 3rd AGH, Abbeville, (influenza) on 20th Nov 1918

Transferred to Conval Depot, on 29th Nov 1918 Admitted 1st Conval Camp, Havre, on 30th Nov 1918 Discharged to Base Depot, on 12th Jan 1919

Marched out to unit, from AIBD, Havre, on 14th Jan 1919

Rejoined unit ex sick, on 19th Jan 1919

Marched out to Base Depot for RTA on 31st Jan 1919

Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from Aust Concentration Depot, on 12th Jan 1919 Marched out from AIBD, Havre, for England (1915 Personnel) on 31st Jan 1919

Disembarked at Weymouth, and marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 1st Feb 1919

RTA per "Trasos Montes" on 8th Apr 1919 Disembarked at Brisbane, on 27th May 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 19th Jul 1919

Hon Cpl 1839 AN^MEF, joined at Sydney, on 8th Sep 1920

Embarked at Sydney on 11th Sep 1920

Taken on strength of AN&MEF and allotted to Agricultural Dept, @ 13/- per diem, at Rabaul, on 25th Sep 1920 To be Honorary Cpl, at Rabaul, on 25th Sep 1920

From Rabaul to Bita Paka. Transferred for duty (foreman at Bita Paka farm) on 10th Jan 1921

From Rabaul to Bita Paka via Kokopo, returning from hospital, on 5th Mar 1921

Transferred to Civil Administrator on 9th May 1921

Died at Wau Hospital, on 28th Jan 1940 (New Guinea War Greves) Morobe Goldfields, Edie Creek, New

Guinea

Pacific Islands Monthly 15th Feb 1940

"Ernie" Dover Dead

Pioneer of Morobe Goldfields

From Our Own Correspondent

WAU, Feb. 1. 1940

Ernest Dover, a very well-known identity of the goldfields, died from Japanese River fever on Sunday, 28^{th} January, at the Wau Hospital.

"Ernie", born in London, was among the very first pioneers of the Morobe Goldfields, being associated with "S hark- Eye" Park. Nettleton and others, in 1924.

When the rush from the Kulolo to Kaindi occurred in 1926, Ernest Dover was among the first to reach the new Eldorado, with Bill Royal.Knowing Dover's slight physique, one wonders at his hardihood in those wildays. Fo r a long time, he travelled the formidable road, from the coast to Kulolo, with supplies.

Ernest Dover served during the last war, but one seldom, if ever, heard him speak of his warservices. He had not an enemy in the world, was always charitable and courteous, and he is missed by the many who had known him for long years on the Goldfields. Mr. Dover originally came to New Guinea with the A.N. & M.E.F. and transferred to the Department of Agriculture. He saw service with this department in the Kokopo and Kavieng districts, ultimately resigning and joining up with the Expropriation Board.

Finally, about 1924, he went prospecting for gold. He always missed fortune "by a whisker", as he said himself. At one time he owned the rich Koranga claim, which he sold to Messrs. Pryke and Joubert.

DOWD Alfred Andrew George 'George'

Service No 856A Rank Pte

Born Longreach, Queensland

NoK Mr Fanny A. Dowd, Railway Hotel, Raglan, Queensland Enlistment 18th Mar 1916 Rockhampton, Queensland

Age 18

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.
Occupation Labourer

Address Rockhampton, Queensland
Outcome Discharged 22nd Jul 1920

Notes Brother; Pte James Edward Maurice Dowd, #328, 31st Bn

'D' Coy, 41st Bn

Embarked on A64 HMAT 'Demosthenes' on 18th May 1916 at Sydney

Disembarked at on 20th Jul 1916

Proceeded overseas to France, ex 13th Trng Bn, to reinforce 52nd Bn, on 9th Sep 1916

Transferred from 52^{nd} Bn from 41^{st} Bn on 22^{nd} Sep 1916 Marched in to 4^{th} ADBD, Etaples, on 24^{th} Sep 1916

Taken on strength of 'B' Coy, 31st Bn on 9th Oct 1916

To hospital sick on 20th Jan 1917

Admitted 1st AGH, Rouen, (trench feet) on 22nd Jan 1917

Discharged ex hospital, on 5th Mar 1917

To UK on leave on 12th Dec 1917

Returned unit ex sick and from leave, on 27th Aug 1918

Mentioned in Despatches for actions: "During the operations of 29th/30th September and 1st October, while under heavy artillery and machine gun fire, this man carried messages to company Headquarters and forward posts regardless of attendant peril. His actions throughout the whole operations were a fine example to his comrades."

The Corps Commander wishes to express his appreciation of the gallant services rendered by this man.

To hospital sick on 17th Nov 1918

Rejoined unit ex sick on 20th Nov 1918

To hospital sick on 4th Dec 1918

Transferred to England on 15th Jan 1919

AWL on 4th Dec 1919

Declared an illegal absentee, on 15th Mar 1920

Discharged in consequence of illegal absence on 21st Jul 1920

Letter written to AIF HQ seeking surrender and assistance for return to Australia with wife, circumstances for desertion etc, dated 28th Oct 1920. (see file)

Reported back on 3rd Nov 1920

Discharged certificate issued on 9th Nov 1920, at London, England

intended place of residence: 9 Nelson Tce, Park Road, Hockley, Birmingham, England

RTA per 'Bahia Castella' on 4th Dec 1920, ex-AIF

Discharged 22nd Jul 1920

DOWD James Edward Maurice

Service No 328 Rank Pte

Born Claremont, Queensland

NoK Mrs Fanny A. Dowd, Raglan, via Rockhampton, Queensland

Enlistment 15th Jul 1915 Rockhampton, Queensland

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.
Occupation Labourer

Address Raglan, via Rockhampton, Queensland

Outcome RTA 20th Dec 1917

Notes Brother; Pte Alfred Andrew George Dowd, # 856A, 31st Bn

Original, 'A' Coy, 31^{st} Bn / 1st Pioneers

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Transferred to 5th Pioneer Bn, Tel el Kebir, on 3rd Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 5th Pnr Bn, on 3rd Mar 1916

Proceeded to join BEF on HMT "Scotian" at Alexandria on $4^{th}\,\text{Jun}\ 1916,$

Disembarking at Marseilles on 11th Jun 1916

WIA (SW R arm) on 31st Jul 1916

WIA (SW head & shoulder, HE shell) on 20th Aug 1917

RTA per A54, HT 'Runic' GSW head, comp frac of skull, on 20^{th} Dec 1917 Disembarked at Melbourne on 13^{th} Feb 1918, thence steamer to Sydney

Discharged at Brisbane on 9th May 1918 Died 14th Feb 1956

DOWD

William





Service No 546 Rank Pte

Vulture St, Brisbane, Queensland Born

NoK Mr John Dowd, Upper Melbourne St, South Brisbane, Queensland

16th Aug 1915 Brisbane, Queensland Enlistment

22 Age

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Labourer

Address Upper Melbourne St, South Brisbane, Queensland

Outcome RTA 7th Jul 1919 Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915,

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Manitou" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 25rd Jun 1916 WIA (GSW Back) on 19th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

Embarked at Boulogne per HS "St Denis" for England on 23rd Jul 1916 Admitted Bevan Military Hospital, Sandgate on 24th Jul 1916 Admitted Military Hospital, Shorncliffe on 31st Jul 1916

Rejoined unit from wounded ex 5^{th} ADBD on 19^{th} Mar 1917

RTA per HMAT Chemnitz on 7th Jul 1919

Arthur Thomas

107 Service No Rank Pte

London, England Born

NoK sister, Mrs Cook, 3 Bacchus Walk, London N.E.

(w) Mrs Annie Dowling, 16 Wharf Rd, Broadway, London Field, London E, England

Enlistment 17th Jul 1915 Cairns, Queensland

35 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Labourer

Address Cairns, Queensland

Discharged 25th Feb 1918 Outcome Notes with 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, on 16th Sep 1915 With MG Section, 31st Bn, on 16th Sep 1915

Original, MG Sec- HQ, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Taken on strength of 8th MG Coy, from 31st bn, on 11th Mar 1916

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Tunisian" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

To hospital sick, on 9th Jul 1916

Admitted 4th Fld Amb (frac R fibula), on 9th Jul 1916 Transferred to and admitted 2nd CCS, on 10th Jul 1916

Transferred to Amb Train, on 11th Jul 1916

Admitted 8th Stat Hospital, Wimereux, (frac R fibula), on 11th Jul 1916

Report of MO to the effect that Pte Dowling was admitted to hospital suffering from frac fibula of a severe nature and that the disability will probably not interfere with his future efficiency as a soldier,

Transferred to England, on 12th Jul 1916

Embarked at Boulogne, on HS 'Jan Brydel' for England, on 12th Jul 1916

Admitted 1st Southern General Hospital, Dudley Rd, Birmingham, (frac R fibula), on 13th Jul 1916

Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 27th Jul 1916 Discharged to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 19th Aug 1916

Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs, from No 2 CD, Weymouth, on 11th Oct 1916

Marched out to No 3 Comm Depot, Bovington Woolwich, from No 1 CD, Perham Downs, on 13th Oct 1916

Marched out to No 4 Comm Depot, Wareham, on 3rd Nov 1916

Offence: Wareham, 1st Dec 1916. AWL from midnight 1/12/16 to 9am, 5/12/16.

Award: 72 hours detention, by Capt Herbert, on 7th Dec 1916. Total forfeiture: 7 days' pay

Admitted for detention at No 4 Comm Depot, on 7th Dec 1916. Detention expired on 10th Dec 1916 Marched in to Inf Draft Bn, Perham Downs, (Details 6-7 Camp), from Wareham, on 1st Jan 1917

Marched out to Aust MG Trng Depot, Belton Park, from Perham Downs, on 22nd Feb 1917

Sick to isolation, on 24th Feb 1917

Offence: Belton Park, AWL from 2am to 1030pm, 26/3/17.

Award: 14 days CB, by Capt E Sexton on 26th Mar 1917. Forfeits 1 days' pay

Classified 'PB' at MG Trng Depot, Grantham, on 20th Apr 1917

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from MG Trng Depot, Grantham,

classified C1, on 14th Nov 1917

Marched out from No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, to AIF HQ, pending discharge in England, on 28th Jan 1918

Marched in to No 2 CD, Weymouth, ex furlough, on 2nd Feb 1918

Marched out from No 2 CD, Weymouth, to AIF HQ, for discharged (class 'PB') on 25th Feb 1918

Discharged in UK, medically unfit, on 25th Feb 1918 14 Wharf Rd, London Fields, London, England

DOWLING

Thomas



Service No 845A (848) Rank Pte

Born Portarlington, Ireland

NoK Mrs Margaret Dowling, Emo, Port Arlington, Queens County, Ireland

22nd Nov 1915 Enlistment Brisbane, Queensland

28 Age Status & Religion

Single, R.C. Occupation Labourer

Address Brisbane, Queensland 27th Sep 1917 Outcome RTA

Pte at Enoggera, from 22nd Nov 1915 to 15th Feb 1916 Notes

'D' Coy, 41st Bn, from 16th Feb to 22nd Sep 1916

Embarked A64 HMAT Demosthenes on 18th May 1916 at Sydney

Disembarked in England, on 20th Jul 1916

Transferred to 52nd Bn, from 41st Bn, on 23rd Sep 1916

Proceeded overseas to France, from 13th Trng Bn, to reinforce 52nd Bn, on 23rd Sep 1916

Marched in to 4th ADBD, Etaples, from England on 24th Sep 1916 Re-allotted from 52nd Bn to 31st Bn, at Etaples, on 7th Oct 1916

Marched out to 31st Bn, on 7th Oct 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn, on 9th Oct 1916

To hospital sick, on 2nd Feb 1917

Admitted 15th Fld Amb, (frostbite, toe) and transferred to CRS, on 4th Feb 1917

Admitted 5th DRS, (frostbite), on 4th Feb 1916

Admitted 45th CCS, on 16th Feb 1917

Transferred to No 25 Amb Train, on 18th Feb 1917

Admitted 3rd Stat Hospital, Rouen, (frostbite), on 18th Feb 1917

Transferred to 2nd Conval Depot, on 19th Feb 1917

Transferred to England, on 27th Feb 1917

Embarked at Havre, on HS 'Panama' for England, on 28th Feb 1917

Admitted 3rd Southern General Hospital, Oxford, (frostbite, R foot), on 28th Feb 1917

Discharged to furlough on 24th Apr 1917 and to report Trng Depot, Wareham, on 9th May 1917

Admitted 16th Fld Amb, Wareham, (VD), on 25th May 1917

Transferred to 1st ADH, Bulford, on 26th May 1917

Discharged to Depot, on 11th Jun 1917. Total period, 18 days

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from No 4 Comm Depot, Codford, on 31st Jul 1917

RTA per A29, HT 'Suevic', on 27th Sep 1917

Disembarked at Melbourne, on 18th Nov 1917, thence overland to Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane, on 18th Dec 1917



Harry E.



635 Service No Rank

Born Brisbane, Queensland

NoK Mrs Sarah Downes, Wren St, Albion Park, Brisbane, Queensland

Enlistment 18th Jan 1916 Brisbane, Queensland

27 Age

Status & Religion

Occupation Farmer

Address Brisbane, Oueensland KIA on 11th Oct 1917 Outcome Notes 'C' Coy, 41st Bn

Embarked A64 HMAT Demosthenes on 18th May 1916 at Sydney

Disembarked in England, on 20th Jul 1916

Proceeded overseas to France, from 13th Trng Bn, to reinforce 52nd Bn, on 23rd Sep 1916

Marched in to 4th ADBD, Etaples, from England on 24th Sep 1916 Re-allotted from 52nd Bn to 31st Bn, at Etaples, on 7th Oct 1916

Marched out to 31st Bn, on 7th Oct 1916

Taken on strength of 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, on 9th Oct 1916

Sick to hospital, on 14th Nov 1916

Admitted 1st NZ Stat Hospital, Amiens, (orchitis), on 15th Nov 1916

Transferred to Amb Train, on 21st Nov 1916

Admitted 8th General Hospital, Rouen, (orchitis), on 22nd Nov 1916 Transferred to and admitted 2nd Conval Depot, Rouen, on 23rd Nov 1916 Transferred to Base Depot, Class 'A', on 25th Nov 1916

Marched out to Etaples, on 26th Nov 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from hospital, on 27th Nov 1916

Marched out to 31st Bn, on 18th Dec 1916 Rejoined unit from hospital, on 20th Dec 1916

To hospital sick, on 26th Jun 1917 ('A' Coy, RO 474)

Admitted 8th Fld Amb, (trench fever) and transferred to CCS, on 26th Jun 1917

Admitted 56th CCS, (trench fever), on 26th Jun 1917

Discharged to duty on 5th Jul 1917 Rejoined unit from sick, on 5th Jul 1917 To UK on leave, on 24th Sep 1917 Returned from leave, on 6th Oct 1917

KIA on 11th Oct 1917 at Remus Wood, Broodseinde

('A' Coy, 31st Bn)

Remembered on Menin Gate Memorial, Ypres

DOWNES John Finlay







Service No 190 Rank Pte

Born 14th Feb 1883, Clunes, Victoria

NoK Mr Hugh and Mrs Kate (nee Dickson) Downes, Bell, Queensland

Enlistment 15th Jul 1915 Bell, Queensland

Age 33

Status & Religion
Occupation
Address
Outcome
Notes
Single, Pres.
Solicitor
Bell, Queensland
Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn
Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Admitted to hospital, 8th Fld Amb (mumps) on 22nd Jan 1916 Admitted No 4 Aux Hospital, Abbassia, (mumps), on 30th Jan 1916 Discharged from No 4 Aux Hospital, Abbassia, on 13th Feb 1916

Rejoined Bn from hospital, on 5th Mar 1916

Embarked to join BEF, on HMT 'Hororata' at Alexandria, on 16th Jun 1916

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

Reported Missing on 19th/20th Jul 1916 now reported POW

Taken POW on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

Admitted to detention Gefangenenlager Dulmen on 24th Jul 1916

Repatriated to England on 13th Dec 1918, from Ripon

Marched in No 1 CD from AHQ, ex furlough, on 18th Jan 1919

RTA per HT 'Euripides' on 3rd Mar 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 20th Apr 1919 for Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane on 23^{rd} Jun 1919 Married Florence May Tabb, on 13^{th} May 1931

Served WWII as Q210188 with 20th Bn, VDC Enlisted 30th May 1942, Grazier 49yrs

NoK: Mrs Florence May Downes, 'Werona', Ironpot, Kingaroy, Qld

Taken on strength of 20th Bn VDC, on 30th May 1942

Placed on Reserve, on 29th Jun 1944 Discharged on 21st Oct 1945 Died on 25th Jan 1979

DOWNEY Richard James

Service No 3798 Rank Pte

Born Cooktown, Queensland

NoK Mrs Margaret Downey, Sachs St, Cairns, Queensland

(w) Mrs Lillian (nee King) Downey

Enlistment 29th Jan 1916 Cairns, Queensland

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Assistant draper

Address Sachs St, Cairns, Queensland Outcome RTA 16th May 1920

Notes 9th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "SEANG CHOON", 19th September 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 9th Dec 1916

15th Bn

RTA 16th May 1920

DOWNEY

Sydney Patrick





Service No 3549 Rank Pte

Born Sydney NSW

NoK Mrs Ellen Downey, 265 Bridge St, Forest Lodge, NSW Enlistment 14th Feb 1916 Surat, Toowoomba, Qld

Age 39

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Carpenter
Address Surat, Queen

Address Surat, Queensland
Outcome RTA 7th Feb 1919
Notes 8th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916

8th LTMB

RTA 7th Feb 1919

DOWNING

James Francis





Service No 191 Rank Sgt

Born Baramba, Queensland

NoK Mr Robert Downing, Barambah, Goomeri, Queensland

Enlistment 13th Jul 1915 Goomeri, Queensland

Age 29

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Labourer/ Grazier

Address Barambah, Goomeri, Queensland

Outcome IA on 15th Feb 1917 at Gudicourt, France Notes Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

KIA on 15th Feb 1917 at Gudicourt, France

DOWSE

Victor Fairfax







Service No 188 Rank Pte

Born Bundaberg, Queensland

NoK Mr Charles & Mrs Louisa Dowse, c/o Carlton Club Hotel, Brisbane, Qld.

Enlistment 15th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 19

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Milkman

Address c/o F Fosdike, St Lucia, Toowong, Brisbane, Q
Outcome DOD on 24th Jun 1916 at Sherikea, Egypt
Notes AWM Photo of grave P05301.111

Original, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Imp Camel Corps/ No 1 Coy

DOD on 24th Jun 1916 at Sherikea, Egypt

DOWSETT Stafford Harold

Service No 2911 Rank Pte

Born Enfield, NSW

NoK Mr S Dowsett, 212 Illawarra Rd, Marrickville, Sydney, NSW

(w) Mrs Jessie (Christie) Dowsett

Enlistment 7th Feb 1916 Marrickville, Sydney, NSW

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Horse driver

Address 212 Illawarra Rd, Marrickville, Sydney, NSW

Outcome RTA 6th Sep 1919

Notes 5th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", on 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

8th LTMB

RTA per HT 'Ulysses' on 8th Sep 1919 Disembarked at Sydney, on 24th Oct 1919 Discharged at Sydney on 29th Dec 1919

Died 15th Jun 1937

DOYLEBaileyService No255RankPte

Born Port Douglas, Queensland

NoK Mrs Elizabeth Doyle, Port Douglas, Queensland Enlistment 12th Feb 1916 Townsville, Queensland

Age 20 Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Fitter

Address Townsville, Queensland
Outcome RTA 1st Feb 1918
Notes 1st Rfts, 14th LH

Embarked on A72 HMAT Beltana on 13th May 1916 at Sydney

RTA 1st Feb 1918

DOYLE Charles Roger Service No 2914 and 4593

Rank Pte

Born Darlington, NSW

NoK Mr James & Mrs Mary Ann Doyle, Thompson St, Marrickville, Sydney, NSW

Enlistment 11th Dec 1915 Marrickville, Sydney, NSW

Age 26

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Carter

Address Thompson St, Marrickville, Sydney, NSW Outcome RTA 27th Jul 1917

Outcome RTA 27th Jul 1917 Notes 5th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", on 14th Mar 1916

Failed to re-embark at Adelaide, on 16th Mar 1916

Re-enlisted as 4593, with 21st Bn

Marched in to 2nd ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 17th Sep 1917

Marched out to unit on 28th Sep 1917
Taken on strength of 21st Bn, on 28th Sep 1916

To be L/Cpl on 1st Mar 1917

WIA on

RTA per A64 HT 'Demosthenes' due GSW R leg, on 27th Jul 1917

Disembarked at Melbourne, on 24th Sep 1917 Discharged at Sydney on 28th Mar 1918

DOYLE

John



Service No 394 Rank Pte

Born Northampton, Geraldton, WA

NoK Mr James & Mrs Catherine Doyle, 45 Burt St, Nth Perth, WA

Enlistment 27th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 20

Status & Religion Single, R.C.

Occupation Drover and Horsebreaker/ Stockman

Address Subiaco, Perth, WA

Outcome KIA on 3rd Oct 1917 in Ypres Sector, buried Perth(China Wall) Zillebeke, Belgium

Notes Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn / 23rd Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915 Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 11th Oct 1915 at Broadmeadows, Victoria Transferred to 5th Division Artillery, Tel el Kebir, on 15th Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 25th Howitzer Bde, and posted to 114th Howitzer Battery on 15th Mar 1916

Transferred to 115th Howitzer Battery on 7th Jul 1916

Transferred to 23rd Bn on 9th Jul 1917

KIA on 3rd Oct 1917 in Ypres Sector, buried Perth(China Wall) Zillebeke, Belgium

DOYLEJosephService No2136RankCpl

Born Forbes, NSW

NoK Mr Peter Doyle, Yamma, via Forbes, NSW Enlistment 5th Jul 1915 Liverpool, NSW

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Blacksmith

Address Outcome

RTA per "Castalia" on 13th Apr 1918

Notes 4th Rfts, 17th Bn

Embarked 2nd Pioneers

RTA per "Castalia" on 13th Apr 1918 Discharged at Sydney on 25th Jul 1919

DOYLE Thomas





Service No 2915 Rank Pte

Born 1889, Altona Bay, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK sister, Kate Doyle, 86 Stanley St, West Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 7th Dec 1915 Casula, Sydney, NSW

Age 26

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Labourer

Address

Outcome RTA 8th Jan 1919

Notes 5th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

8th LTMB

Awarded MM for actions:" On the night 28th/29th July 1918, 29th Battalion attacked and captured trench opposite MORLANCOURT. Private Doyle is a member of a gun crew taking over a Stokes Mortar with which to assist the centre company. The Corporal in charge of the gun was badly wounded going over, Pte Doyle also being wounded at the same time. Pte Doyle immediately took over command of the gun crew and succeeded in establishing his gun in the old German line, where he remained until dawn, ready to fire on enemy counter attack. He fired his gun on two occasions when parties of enemy were observed and succeeded in dispersing and inflicting causalities on same. The promptness in taking over command and devotion to duty under such difficulties are highly commendable."

WIA on 29th Jul 1918

RTA per 'Orsova' on 8th Jan 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne, on 20th Feb 1919 Discharged at Melbourne, on 13th Apr 1919

DRAISEY

Edward Hansford







Service No 626A Rank Pte

Born 9th Nov 1889, Georgetown, Queensland

NoK Mary Hansford (Foster mother), Ashton Estate, West End, Townsville, Queensland

(f) Henry John Hillier, (m) Kate Cordial 15th Nov 1915 Townsville, Queensland

Age 26

Enlistment

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Stockman

Address Lake Nash, via Camooweal, North Queensland

Outcome RTA 22nd May 1919

Notes 'C' Coy, 41st Bn from 3rd Mar 1916

Embarked on A64 HMAT Demosthenes on 18th May 1916 at Sydney

Offence: At Sea aboard A64 on 23rd Jun 1916. Whilst on active service, breaking away from quarters.

Award: Forfeits 15 days pay by OC Troops, TS A64

Disembarked at Plymouth on 20th Jul 1916

Transferred to 49th Bn, on 9th Sep 1916

Marched in to 49th Bn Rfts, ex 41st Bn, Larkhill, on 9th Sep 1916 Transferred to 52nd Bn, on 22nd Sep 1916

Proceeded overseas to France, from 13th Trng Bn, to reinforce 52nd Bn, on 22nd Sep 1916

Marched in to 4th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 24th Sep 1916

Re-allotted from 52nd Bn to 31st Bn, at 4th ADBD, on 7th Oct 1916

Taken on strength 'A' Coy, 31st Bn, on 9th Oct 1916

Sick to hospital on 16th Oct 1916

Admitted 32nd Stat Hospital, Wimereux, (diarrhoea) on 20^{th} Oct 1916 Transferred to and admitted 1st Conval Depot, Boulogne, on 21^{st} Oct 1916 Discharged from 1st Conval Depot, Boulogne, to Base Details, on 24^{th} Oct 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from hospital, on 26th Oct 1917

Marched out to join unit on 8th Dec 1916

Rejoined unit from sick, ex base, on 11th Dec 1916

Sick to hospital on 22nd Dec 1916

Admitted 6th Fld Amb (broncho catarrh) and to CRS, on 22nd Dec 1916 Admitted Anzac Corps Rest Stn, (broncho catarrh) on 22nd Dec 1916

Transferred to CCS, (bronchitis, pleurisy), on 2nd Jan 1917 Admitted 36th CCS, (broncho catarrh) on 2nd Jan 1917

To Amb Train, on 3rd Jan 1917 Admitted 1st General Hospital, on

Discharged from 1st Gen Hospital and admitted to 4th Conval Depot, Etretat, on 1st Feb 1917

Discharged from 4th Conval Depot, (TB) to Base Depot, Havre, on 8th Feb 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, on 18th Feb 1917

Marched out to unit on 24th Feb 1917 Rejoined unit, on 26th Feb 1917 To UK on leave, on 23rd Sep 1917 Rejoined unit from leave, on 6th Oct 1917 To hospital sick, on 13th Nov 1917

Admitted 53rd CCS (scabies) and transferred to 50th CCS, on 13th Nov 1917

Admitted 50th CCS, (scabies) on 13th Nov 1917

Discharged to duty on 17th Nov 1917 Rejoined unit, ex sick, on 20th Nov 1917

To hospital sick, on 2nd Jan 1918

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (ICT R finger) and transferred to DRS, on 2nd Jan 1918

Admitted 5th DRS, (septic R finger) on 2nd Jan 1917

Transferred to and admitted 3rd Can General Hospital, Boulogne, (septic R finger) on 12th Jan 1918

Transferred to England on 14th Jan 1918

Embarked on HS 'St Denis' for England on 14th Jan 1918

Admitted Fusehill War Hospital, Carlisle, (ICT R hand) on 14th Jan 1918

Transferred to 1st Aux Hospital, Harefield, on 19th Feb 1918

Discharged to furlough on 21st Feb 1918 and to report to No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny, on 7th Mar 1918 Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny, from AHQ, London, ex furlough (class B1A4), on 8th Mar 1918

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, from No 1 CD, Sutton Veny, on 18th Mar 1918 Proceeding overseas to France, from Overseas Trng Bn, Longbridge Deverill, via Southampton, on 9th Apr 1918 Marched in to 5th AIBD, Havre, from England, on 10th Apr 1918

Marched out to unit on 12th Apr 1918 Rejoined unit, ex sick, on 13th Apr 1918

Raid by 'A' Coy, on 25th May 1918 where Pte Howard was wounded "I knew casualty.... He was in front line on the banks of the Somme at Vaire. He went out on a raid on the enemy's strong post and was wounded by a machine gun bullet while out there. He was carried out by the Battalion stretcher bearers and I believe he died on the way out. I was in the same raid as him and saw him soon after he was hit. I do not know where he is buried."

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(Battle of Amiens, 8th Aug 1918, Villers Carbonnel, 28th Aug 1918 and Bellicourt, 29th Sep 1918, Nauroy)

Mention in Corps Orders - L/Cpl 4044 COSTELLO Martin James and Pte 626A DRAISEY Edward Henry: "For gallantry and devotion to duty. Near VILLERS CARBONNEL on 28th and 29th August 1918 this NCO and man exhibited great skill and daring while acting as scouts. They harassed enemy rearguard and sent back frequent and accurate information."

Is congratulated for gallant services rendered during recent operations, by Corps Commander, on 20th Sep 1918 To UK on leave on 2nd Feb 1919

Granted leave extension, by AHQ, London, from 4th Feb to 18th Feb 1919

Rejoined Bn from UK leave, on 22nd Feb 1919

Detached for duty with 5th Aust Div Boxing Troupe, on 8th Mar 1919 Rejoined unit ex 5th Aust Div Boxing Troupe, on 19th Mar 1919 To Base Depot, from 8th Bde Bn, for RTA (quota 26), on 2nd Apr 1919

Marched out from AIBD, Havre, for England (1916 Personnel) for RTA, on 9th Apr 1919

Disembarked at Southampton and marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 10th Apr 1919

RTA per HT 'Durham' from Liverpool, on 22nd May 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne, on 21st Jul 1919 for Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane on 6th Sep 1919

Married Annie Elizabeth Draisey on 5th Sep 1921

Lived 20 Lanercost St, Geebung, Brisbane, Qld

Died at Geebung, Brisbane, on 15th Oct 1955, aged 64 years

Buried Queensland Garden of Remembrance (within Pinaroo Lawn Cemetery)

DRANSFIELD









Service No 2305 Rank Sgt

Born 24th Mar 1895, Wallsend, NSW

NoK Mrs Vida Dransfield, Tenambit, East Maitland, NSW

Enlistment 17th Nov 1915 West Maitland, NSW

Age 20

Status & Religion Married, Meth.
Occupation Bank clerk

Address Church St, West Maitland, NSW
Outcome RTA 12th Mar 1918
Notes AWM Photo P03633.003
AWM photo DA14267

Listed on Hunter Valley Diggers

4th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Appointed VO Cpl on 14th Mar 1916 Disembarks at Suez on 15th Apr 1916 Reverts to Pte at 8th Trng Bn on 15th Apr 1916 Appointed A/Sgt at 8th Trng Bn on 31st May 1916 Embarked on HMT "Franconia" at Alexandria on 6th Jun 1916 Disembarked at Plymouth on 16th Jun 1916 Attached to Musketry School, Tidworth on 14th Aug 1916 A/Sgt marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, from Tidworth on 25th Nov 1916 Promoted T/Sgt on permanent cadre of 8th Trng Bn, on 1st Jan 1917



Outdoors group portrait of eight members of the 31st Battalion. Identified left to right, back row: Sergeant (Sgt) A Thomson; Sgt Walter McGill; Sgt L F Lewis (probably 3753 Lewis Frederick Lewis); 2305 Sgt Henry Walter Dransfield.

Front row: Sgt Holman; 352 Company Sergeant Major (CSM) Ernest Holland of Toowoomba Qld, with two wound stripes (killed in action 14 March 1917 at Bapaume, France); 3624 Sergeant Reginald Rowland of Bundaberg, Qld, (killed in action 26 September 1917 at Polygon Wood, France); 557 Corporal (Cpl) Patrick James (Bob) Bouchier, with one wound stripe. Cpl Bouchier served as 2694 Trooper Bouchier in the 3rd NSW Imperial Bushmen's contingent to the Boer War and is wearing the campaign ribbons of the Queen's and King's South Africa medals.

Proceeding overseas to France via Southampton ex 8^{th} Trng Bn on 19^{th} Jun 1917 ER Sgt reverts to perm grade of Cpl on proceeding overseas from Hurdcott, on 19^{th} Jun 1917 Marched in to 5^{th} ADBD, Havre, on 19^{th} Jun 1917

Marched out to join unit on 25th Jun 1917

Taken on strength of 'D' Coy, 31st Bn ex Rfts, on 1st Jul 1917 Promoted Sgt on 2nd Sep 1917

('D' Coy, RO 479)

WIA (GSW L forearm) on 26th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood
Admitted 3rd Fld Amb and transferred to CCS on 26th Sep 1917

(XVI Platoon??? See Cork Red Cross file)

Admitted 10th CCS and transferred to Amb Train on 26th Sep 1917

Admitted 10" CCS and transferred to Amb Train on 26" Sep 1917 Admitted to 3rd Can General Hospital, Boulogne, on 27th Sep 1917

Embarked at Boulogne per HS 'St Denis' for England, (GSW L forearm) on 28th Sep 1917

Admitted 2nd Military Hospital, Canterbury, England, (GSW L forearm) on 28th Sep 1917

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 3rd Oct 1917

Discharged to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth on 10th Oct 1917

Marched out to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 26th Nov 1917

Marched out to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, on 11th Jan 1918

Marched out to No 1 Comm Depot, Sutton Veny, and classified B2B, on 24th Jan 1918

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 9th Feb 1918

RTA per "Kenilworth Castle", GSW L forearm, on 12th Mar 1918

RTA per "Field Marshall" from Durban, SA, on 23rd Apr 1918

Disembarked at Melbourne on 22nd May 1918 for overland to Sydney

Discharged at Sydney on 28th Jun 1918

Post war J.A. Dransfield, Seed Importer and Florist, West Maitland, NSW

Died at Avalon Beach, NSW, on 23rd Sep 1966, aged 71 years

DRAPER

Edmund Charles





Service No 374 Rank Sgt Born NSW

NoK brother, Alfred Draper, 2 Bishopsgate St, Within London, England

Enlistment 23rd Jun 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E., Occupation Accountant Brisbane, Queensland Address 15th Dec 1919 Outcome RTA Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Promoted to Cpl at Moascar, on 30th May 1916 Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria on 16th Jun 1916 Disembarked at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 WIA (GSW L groin) at Fromelles on 19th/20th Jul 1916 Admitted 2nd CCS (GW groin) on 20th Jul 1916

Admitted 8th Stat Hospital, Wimereux, (GSW groin) on 21st Jul 1916 and to 1st CD

Admitted 1st CD, (wounded) Boulogne on 27th Jul 1916

Discharged (fit) from 1st Conv Depot, Boulogne to Base Details, on 19th Oct 1916 Discharged to Etaples from 3rd Large Rest Camp, Boulogne, Class 'A' on 19th Oct 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, on 21st Oct 1916

Marched out to 31st Bn on 30th Oct 1916 Rejoined unit ex Base, on 1st Nov 1916 Promoted Sgt, vice Danaher, on 1st Jan 1917 Proceeded on leave to UK on 7th Jul 1917 Returned from leave to UK on 19th Jul 1917

Proceeded to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, to be borne supernumerary to establishment, on 9th Aug 1917

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn from France on 12th Aug 1917

Appointed to Permanent Cadre of 8th Trng Bn, Tidworth, on 14th Aug 1917

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bn, Longbridge Deverill, from 8th Trng Bn, on 4th Nov 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, ex Overseas Trng Bn, Longbridge Deverill, via Southampton, on 9th Apr 1918

Marched in to ADBD, Havre, from England, on 10th Apr 1918

Marched out to unit on 12th Apr 1918

Rejoined 31st Bn, ex Trng Bn, on 13th Apr 1918 To hospital, sprained ankle, on 8th Aug 1918

Admitted 15th Fld Amb, (sprained ankle) and to CCS, on 8th Aug 1918 Admitted 20th CCS (sprained ankle) on 8th Aug 1918 and to Amb Train Admitted 22nd Gen Hospital, Carriers, L sprained ankle) on 9th Aug 1918

Transferred to 6th Conv Depot, Etaples on 13th Aug 1918

Transferred and admitted 56th Gen Hospital, Etaples, (piles) on 8th Sep 1918

Transferred to 73rd Gen Hospital, on 9th Sep 1918 Admitted 73rd Gen Hospital, Tronville, on 10th Sep 1918

Transferred and admitted 1st Aust Conv Depot, Havre, on 22nd Sep 1918 Transferred and admitted 40th Stat Hospital, Harfleur, on 23rd Sep 1918

Admitted 1st Aust Conv Depot, Havre, on 7th Oct 1918

Discharged to and marched in to ADBD, Havre, on 14th Nov 1918

Marched out to unit on 28th Nov 1918 Rejoined unit ex sick, on 30th Nov 1918 To Paris on leave on 14th Jan 1919 Rejoined unit ex Paris leave on 21st Jan 1919

To hospital sick, on 26th Feb 1919

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (VD 20) on 26th Feb 1919 Transferred to 55th CCS on 27th Feb 1919

Admitted 55th CCS and transferred to Amb Train on 28th Feb 1919

Admitted 7th General Hospital (VD 20) on 2nd Mar 1919

Transferred to England on 3rd Mar 1919

Embarked on HS 'St Andrew' for England on 3rd Mar 1919

Admitted 1st ADH, Bulford, (VD 20) on 4th Mar 1919

Discharged to 1st AGH, from 1st ADH, Bulford on 2nd Sep 1919, Total Period 189 days

Admitted 1st AGH (abcess acilla) Sutton Veny, on 2nd Sep 1919

Discharged to Trng Depot on 13th Sep 1919

Marched in to Group 5, Sutton Veny, on 13th Sep 1919

RTA per HMAT 'Nestor' on 1st Nov 1919

Admitted ship's hospital, at sea, (absc buttock) on 9th Nov 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 15th Dec 1919

Arrived Brisbane on 17th Dec 1919





Service No 185 Rank L/Cpl

Born London England

NoK aunt (foster mother), Mrs Agnes Nolder, Bay Terrace, South Wynnum, Brisbane, Queensland

(w) Mrs Eleanor Draper, 57 Winchester St, Salisbury, Wiltshire, England

Enlistment 15th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 26

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Occupation Carrier

Address 4 Center St, Redfern, Sydney, NSW
Outcome Discharged in London, on 16th May 1919

Notes Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 To hospital at Serapeum, on 10th Feb 1916

Admitted 8th Fld Amb, (VD) and transferred to 1st CCS, on 10th Feb 1916

Admitted 1st CCS, Serapeum, (VD) on 10th Feb 1916

Transferred to and admitted to 1st ASH, Ismailia, on 10th Feb 1916

Transferred No 4 Hospital Train, on 11th Feb 1916 Admitted 1st ADH, Abbassia, (VD) on 11th Feb 1916

Discharged to Ghezerah, on 17th Mar 1916. Total period, 36 days Admitted Overseas Base, Ghezerah from Abbassia, on 17th Feb 1916

Marched in to Garrison Camp, Zeitoun, and posted to 8th Trng Bn, on 20th Feb 1916

Marched out to 8th Trng Bn, on 20th Feb 1916

Embarked on HMT 'Franconia' at Alexandria on 6th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 16th Jun 1916

Married: 15th Feb 1917, at St Thomas' Church, Lambeth, Surrey. Entry No 38

By Max Williams, Vicar

Groom: Edwin DRAPER, of Hurdcott Camp, Salisbury Plain, 31st Bn AIF Age 32 yrs Bachelor

Father: Edward Draper (dec),

Bride: Eleanor Maude SMITH, of 166 Westminster Bridge Road, Age 34 yrs Widow

Father: Stephen Taylor, (dec) Steward

Sick to Fovant Hospital, from 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, on 14th Mar 1917

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, from Fovant Hospital, on 29th Mar 1917

Offence: Hurdcott, 11th Sep 1917. Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in that he at

Hurdcott, on 11th Sep 1917, made a false statement whilst applying for leave.

Award: 10 days FP No 2 by Major H W Sloan, on 13th Sep 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, from 8^{th} Trng Bn, via Southampton, on 23^{rd} Oct 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, from England, on 24th Oct 1917

Marched out to unit on 27^{th} Oct 1917

Rejoined Bn, ex sick, on 1st Nov 1917 ('A' Coy, RO 593)

(Battle of Amiens, 8th Aug 1918, through to Bellicourt/Nauroy)

With unit on 5th Sep 1918

To UK on leave on 16th Oct 1918

Rejoined unit ex leave, on 2nd Nov 1918

Detached (temporarily) to Dieppe Works, on 18th Dec 1918

Rejoined Bn ex detachment on 9th Feb 1919

To UK on leave on 14th Feb 1919

Rejoined unit from UK leave, on 5th Mar 1919

Marched out to Base Depot for RTA (Quota 26), on 2nd Apr 1919

Marched out from AIBD, Havre, for England, (1916 Personnel) for RTA, on 9th Apr 1919

Disembarked at Southampton, and marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 10th Apr 1919

Marched out from No 5 Group, to AHQ, London, for discharge, on 15th May 1919

Discharged in London, England, demobilisation, on 16th May 1919

Left England for RTA per HT 'Bahia Castillo' with wife, on 17th Apr 1920

Arrived in Sydney, with Eleanor, on 21st Jun 1920, with intent of travelling to Brisbane

DRAPER William



Service No 3665 Rank Pte

Born 10th Nov 1893, Collingwood, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK sister, Mrs Girlie Cheetham, Nellie Bay, Magnetic Island, Townsville, Queensland

and c/o Mrs Walsh, Fryer St, North Ward, Townsville, Queensland

Enlistment 17th Jan 1916 Townsville, Queensland

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Labourer

Address Flinders St, Townsville, Queensland

Outcome RTA 22nd May 1919

Notes 8th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916

At Sea: HT A42. Failing to report for duty with City Picquet being AWL. Forfeits 20 days pay by Col Howell

Smith, VD. Total forfeiture 21 days pay. Disembarked at Plymouth on 13th Oct 1916 Sick to Isolation Hospital on 16th Oct 1916

Marched in to No 3 Comm Depot from Australia on 20th Oct 1916

Discharged from hospital on 3rd Nov 1916

Marched out to 8th Trng Bn, Woolwich, on 17th Nov 1916

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

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples on 18th Dec Marched out to 31st Bn on 23rd Dec 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 26th Dec 1916

Crime in the Field: AWL from 0900 hrs 27/4/17 to 1630 hrs 28/4/17, 2 days. Award: 168 days FP No 2. Total

forfeiture 9 days pay £2-5-0

To 2nd Army rest Camp on 27th Aug 1917

Rejoined from 2nd Army Rest Camp on 7th Sep 1917

Polygon Wood on 26th/27th Sep 1917

Detached to 8th Bde Works Unit on 14th Nov 1917

Rejoined Bn from 8th Bde Works Unit on 16th Dec 1917

To UK on leave on 25th Jan 1918

Rejoined unit from leave on 12th Feb 1918

WIA (Gas) on 13th May 1918

Admitted 14th Fld Amb (Gas – mustard, shell) on 13th May 1918

Transferred to 20th CCS on 13th May 1918 Admitted 61st CCS (gas) on 14th May 1918 Transferred to Amb Train on 15th May 1918

Admitted 12th Gen Hospital, Rouen, on 15th May 1918

Transferred to 2nd Conval Depot, Rouen, on 18th May 1918 Admitted 11th Conval Depot, Bushy, on 26th May 1918

Discharged to Base depot on 15th Jun 1918 Marched in to ADBD, Havre, on 15th Jun 1918 Marched out to unit on 19th Jun 1918

Rejoined unit ex wounded on 19th Jun 1918

With Bn for 8th Aug 1918 operations onwards

To UK on leave on 9th Jan 1919

Leave to UK (extended by AIF Admin HQ) from 12th Jan to 26th Jan 1919

Rejoined Bn ex leave on 31st Jan 1919

Detached for duty with 5th Aust Div Boxing Troupe on 8th Mar 1919 Rejoined unit ex 5th Aust Div Boxing Troupe on 19th Mar 1919 To Base Depot ex 8th Bde Bn for RTA, No 26 Quota, on 2nd Apr 1919

Embarked for England from Le Havre, 1916 Personnel for RTA, on 9th Apr 1919

Disembarked at Southampton and marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, on 10th Apr 1919

RTA per 'Durham' ex Liverpool on 22nd May 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 21st Jul 1919

Discharged from the AIF at Brisbane – termination of period of enlistment, on 6th Sep 1919

Died 14th Sep 1925, aged 31 yrs, war service related (gas) at Townsville, Qld

Buried Townsville (Belgian gardens) Cemetery, Qld, Section A 310

DRAYDON Matthew John









Service No 38 Rank Sgt

Born Pratten, near Warwick, Queensland NoK Mr John Draydon, Bell, Queensland

13th Nov 1915 Enlistment Toowoomba, Queensland

21 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Engineer/Engine cleaner Toowoomba, Queensland Address Outcome RTA 9th Aug 1919

'A' Sqd, 14th LH Notes

Promoted Cpl on 12th May 1916

Embarked A72 HMAT Beltana on 13th May 1916 at Sydney

Disembarked on 10th Jul 1916 Admitted to hospital (mumps) on

Proceeding overseas to France, per 'Golden Eagle', to reinforce 31st Bn, via Folkestone, on 11th Nov 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, on 12th Nov 1916

Marched out to join unit on 27th Nov 1916

Taken on strength of 'C' Coy, 31st Bn, 31st Bn on 1st Dec 1916

(see Gordon Hooker letter, "Matt

Draydon and Douglas Lang have joined up with our battalion. Dug Lang is in the same platoon a I am, (II Platoon, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn), Matt is in C Company, and they are both well.")

Promoted T/Sgt on 23rd Jan 1917

Promotion to Sgt confirmed, (vice Sgt F H Larkins, to hospital), on 4th Apr 1917

To hospital sick, on 10th May 1917

Admitted 5th DRS/15th Fld Amb, (STA feet), on 10th May 1917

Discharged to duty, on 31st May 1917 Rejoined unit, ex hospital, on 31st May 1917

Proceeded to 1st Anzac Bombing School, on 4th Jul 1917 Rejoined unit from Bombing School, on 19th Jul 1917

To Anzac Corps School, on 19th Jul 1917

Rejoined unit from Anzac Corps School, on 29th Sep 1917

WIA on 10th Oct 1917

Admitted 3rd Fld Amb, (SW head) and transferred to 3rd Can CCS, on 12th Oct 1917

Admitted 3rd Can CCS, (SW head) and transferred to Amb Train, on 12th Oct 1917

Admitted 5th General Hospital, Rouen, (SW head), on 13th Oct 1917 Transferred to and admitted 2^{nd} Conval Depot, Rouen, on 14^{th} Oct 1917 Transferred to and admitted 11^{th} Conval Depot, Buchy, on 31^{st} Oct 1917

Discharged to Base Depot, on 9th Apr 1918

Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from hospital, on 9th Apr 1918

Marched out to unit, on 17th Apr 1918 Rejoined unit from wounded, on 19th Apr 1918

To UK on leave, on 5th Jul 1918

Rejoined unit, ex leave, on 22nd Jul 1918

WIA 2nd occ, on 8th Aug 1918 (Battle of Amiens)

Admitted 6th Fld Amb (SW buttock) and transferred to CCS, on 8th Aug 1918

Admitted 41st CCS, (SW buttock), on 8th Aug 1918

Transferred to Amb Train, on 9th Aug 1918

Admitted 9th General Hospital, Rouen, (SW buttock), on 9th Aug 1918

Transferred to England, on 12th Aug 1918

Embarked at Rouen, on HS 'Guildford Castle' for England, on 12th Aug 1918

Admitted Horton County of London War Hospital, Epsom, (GSW L buttock, severe), on 13th Aug 1918

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 20th Sep 1918

Discharged to furlough on 28th Sep 1918 and to report to Littlemoor Camp, Weymouth, on 14th Oct 1918

Marched in to No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, from AHQ, London, ex furlough, on 16th Oct 1918

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bde, Longbridge Deverill, from No 4 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, on 29th Nov 1918

Marched out from Overseas Trng Bde, to AHQ London, on 11th Dec 1918

Attached for duty from 31st Bn, (Demob), on 12th Dec 1918

Attached to Repat & Demob Depot, London, for duty at Liverpool, on 12th Dec 1918

Detached for duty with Demob Dept AHQ, London, on 12th Dec 1918

RTA per HT 'Ceramic' from Liverpool, on 9th Aug 1919

Disembarked at Sydney, on 3rd Oct 1919 Discharged at Brisbane, on 16th Dec 1919 Married Ethel Amelia Sorley, on 8th Sep 1920

Died on 25th Jul 1968

Frederick













Capt Rank

Born 6th Jul 1889, Boulder City, Kalgoorlie, WA NoK Mr Charles Drayton, Kalgoorlie, West Australia Enlistment 24th Feb 1915 Elsternwick, Melb, Victoria

25 Age Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Clerk

Occupation

Address 21 Hotham Grove, Elsternwick, Melbourne, Victoria

22nd Aug 1919 Outcome RTA

Sister, Mrs A Craig, Mitta Mitta, Bethungra, NSW Notes

AWM Photo DAOF059A & AWM Photo A03377

Educated Perth Grammar School 3 years Gape Garrison, Artillery

No 5 Officers School of Instruction, Broadmeadows, May 1915

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Batman was Pte Louis August Lavenne, # 2042

Promoted to 1st Lieut on 20th Feb 1916

Embarked to join BEF on HMT 'Manitou' at Alexandria on 17th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916

At Fromelles on 19th/20th Jul 1916

Granted Temp rank of Capt due Capt Mills missing on 20th Jul 1916

Mentioned in Sir Douglas Haig's Despatches for actions 19th/20th Jul 1916 at Petillon/ Fromelles, on 13th Nov

"This Officer is always devoted to duty. At PETILLON on 19th/20th July 1916, he showed coolness of a high order. On arriving on the enemy parapet German Officer attempted to throw a stick bomb, but Captain (then Lieut) Drayton shot him through the head. He afterwards advanced with the remnants of his Company across the open, his Commander and second in command being both wounded early in the engagement. As Grenadier Officer of the 31st Battalion he has spared no pains in the instruction of his men, and ever since the Brigade has been formed has carried out his work with determination and efficiency."

Awarded France Croix de Guerre for 19-20 Jul 1916 at Petillon/ Fromelles "During the operations at PETILLON on 19th/20th July 1916 this Officer displayed coolness and courage of a high order. On arriving at the enemy parapet, a German Officer attempted to throw a bomb, but Drayton promptly shot him through the head. He then cut a shoulder strap off the tunic which he handed to the Brigade Major the following morning. Captain (then Lieutenant) Drayton afterwards advanced the remnants of his Company to our most forward position in the German lines, and held on all night under a terrific fire. His Company Commander and 2th in Command were wounded early in the engagement. Since the arrival of his unit on the Somme front, this Officer has shown consistent courage and devotion to duty, and a fine example to the Officers and men of his Company."

Awarded France Croix de Guerre confirmed by la President of French Republic

Promoted Captain (vice Capt Hibbs) on 22nd Nov 1916

Proceeded on leave to England on 17th Jan 1917

Returned from leave on 29th Jan 1917

Proceeded on leave to Leonville-sur? or Fournelles -

Returned from leave on ?

To Paris on leave on 28th Sep 1917

Returned from Paris leave on 3rd Oct 1917

Appointed Adjutant, (vice Capt SK Fisher) on 5th Dec 1917

On leave to UK on 29th Dec 1917

Rejoined ex leave on 10th Jan 1918

Special Mention in Sir Douglas Haig's Despatches on 7th Apr 1918

Attached for duty with Aust Sec 3rd Echelon GHQ on 2nd Aug 1918

Rejoined unit ex 3rd Echelon GHQ on 7th Aug 1918

To UK on leave on 16th Sep 1918

Ceased to hold appointment as Adjutant on 16th Sep 1918

Rejoined from UK leave on 6th Oct 1918

To Nice on leave on 26th Dec 1918

Rejoined unit ex leave to Nice, on 11th Jan 1919

Seconded to Command Aust Corps Depot on 21st Jan 1919

Detached for duty to Aust Corps Rfts Camp on 22nd Jan 1919

Promoted to Commandant Aust Corps Dept, vice Ramsay, on 28th Jan 1919

Attached to 'B' Rfts Camp, France on 15th Mar 1919

Transferred to 8th Bde Bn on 26th Mar 1919

Marched out to Base Depot, Havre on 7th Jun 1919

Marched out to England on 17th Jun 1919

Disembarked on duty from France and to report to AIF HQ, London on 17th Jun 1919

On duty with AIF Admin Records to 30th Jun 1919

Granted leave to 4th Jul 1919 and to report to No 2 Group

Granted extension of leave to 21st Jul 1919

Marched in to No 2 Group, Sutton Veny, ex HQ London on 21st Jul 1919

Marched out to 20 Belgrave Sq, London, ex No 2 Group, Sutton Veny, on 15th Aug 1919

RTA per 'Anchises' on 22nd Aug 1919

Appointment terminated 23rd Mar 1920

Sister; Mrs A Craig, Mita Mita, Bethungra, NSW

1921 Address: Capt F Drayton, Rumbia Division, Pegot Ltd, Alor Gajah, Malaacca, Straits Settlement 1926 applied to Dept of Lands, Sydney for land grant.

DREGHORN



Robert Burnup



Service No Rank 5258 Pte

26th Sep 1899, Born

Mr William Dreghorn, Stoneleigh St, Albion, Brisbane, Queensland NoK (m) deceased

Enlistment 4th Oct 1917 Albion, Queensland

Age

18

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Farm Hand

Address Stoneleigh St, Albion, Brisbane, Queensland

5th Jul 1919 Outcome RTA

Notes No 1 Depot Coy from 2nd Nov to 20th Nov 1917

21st Rfts, 26th Bn, from 21st Nov to 4th Dec 1917 Reserve unit from 5th Dec 1917 to 11th Jan 1918

15th Rfts, 31st Bn on 12th Jan 1918

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, per R.M.S. "ORMONDE", 2nd March, 1918

Disembarked Suez on 4th Apr 1918

Taken on strength of Aust Camp, Suez, on 4th Apr 1918 Evacuated to Hospital, Suez (ingrown toenail) on 21st Apr 1918

Discharged to Aust Camp Suez on 5th May 1918

Transferred to Alexandria for embarkation overseas, on 22nd May 1918

Embarked per HT 'Indarra' on 24th May 1918 Disembarked at Southampton on 5th Jun 1918 Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, Codford, on 5th Jun 1918

Offence: At Hurdcott, AWL from midnight 10/9/18 until 1pm 11/9/18. Award: 2 days CC by Major P

Eckersley. Total Forfeiture: 1days pay. Proceeding overseas to France, ex 14th Trng Bn, via Dover, on 4th Oct 1918 Marched in to AIBD, Havre, on from UK, ex 15th Rfts, 31st Bn, on 6th Oct 1918

Marched out to unit on 8th Oct 1918

Taken on strength of 31st Bn from 15th Rfts, on 11th Oct 1918

Detached from 8th Bde Bn to 2nd Div Rest Home, Brussels, on 20th Apr 1919

Rejoined 8th Bde Bn ex detachment on 28th Apr 1919 Marched out fro RTA, on 4th May 1919

Embarked for England at Le Havre on 12th May 1919

Marched in from France, to No 5 Group, Weymouth, on 13th May 1919

RTA per 'Port Melbourne' from Devonport, on 5th Jul 1919

Disembarked at Melbourne on 20th Aug 1919 Arrived Brisbane on 22nd Aug 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 15th Sep 1919

DREW George Service No 4295 Rank Pte

Born Mackay, Queensland

NoK Mrs Ann Drew, Finch Hatton, Mackay, Queensland

Enlistment 7th Oct 1916 Mackay, Queensland

22 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Labourer

Address Finch Hatton, Mackay, Queensland

16th Mar 1918 Outcome RTA Notes 11th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916

RTA 16th Mar 1918

DREWETT Harry Service No 632 Rank Pte

Born Westbury Leigh, England

NoK Mr James Drewett, Dilhous March, Westbury, Wiltshire, England

14th Jul 1915 Enlistment Melbourne, Victoria

24 Age

Status & Religion Single, Salv Army, Occupation Labourer Address Melbourne, Victoria

RTA per HT 'Medic' on 24th Aug 1918 Outcome

Original, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

RTA per HT 'Medic' on 24th Aug 1918 Disembarked at Melbourne on 11th Oct 1918 Discharged at Melbourne on 15th Nov 1918





Bertie Leslie



Service No 2912 Rank Lieut Born Sydney, NSW

Mrs Ella Josephine Drinkwater, mother, 18 Victoria St, Lewisham, Sydney, NSW NoK

> Mrs Annie Martha (nee Flack) Drinkwater, wife Lewisham, Sydney, NSW 14th Feb 1916

26 Age

Enlistment

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Bootmaker

Address 18 Victoria St, Lewsiham, Sydney, NSW Outcome Repat to Australia (RTA) 9th Jan 1920

5th Rfts, 31st Bn 'C' Cov Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

Embarked on HMT "Huntsend" at Alexandria on 20th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 30th Jun 1916

To be A/Sgt, EDP at 5th Div Aux Depot, Etaples, on 1st Jul 1916 Proceeded to join 31st Bn ex 5th AIDBD, Etaples, on 23rd Jul 1916

A/Sgt Drinkwater joined 31st Bn ex 5th Rfts, 31st Bn and reverted to Pte on 23rd Jul 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, 'A' Coy on 23rd Jul 1916

Promoted Cpl on 26th Jul 1916

Franks Force – Raid carried out by 8th Infantry Brigade on 12th Oct 1916

To hospital sick on 31st Oct 1916

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (sprained ankle) and transferred Conval Rest Station on 1st Nov 1916

Rejoined Bn ex hospital on 3rd Nov 1916 Awarded Military Medal on 23rd Dec 1916

Awarded MM for actions during Franks Force Raid - "Corporal Drinkwater was conspicuous for his good work in the enemy trenches during the stay there. He remained after the withdrawal to search for our wounded and assisted several back. He also killed two of the enemy."

Sgt to attend No 2 Officer Cadet Bn, Pembroke College, Cambridge, England on 7th Jun 1917 Marched in to and on command with No 2 Officer Cadet Bn, Cambridge from 31st Bn on 7th Jun 1917 Appointed 2nd Lieut on 28th Sep 1917

Sgt appointed 2/Lieut and posted to Gen Inf Rfts on 30th Sep 1917 Proceeded overseas to France via Southampton on 14th Oct 1917

Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Etaples on 15th Oct 1917

Marched out to unit on 19th Oct 1917

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 26th Oct 1917

2/Lt B.L. Drinkwater attached to 'B' Coy on 28th Oct 1917 (RO 589)

Promoted Lieut on 30th Dec 1917

To Aust Corps Signal School on 3rd Jan 1918

Rejoined unit from Aust Corps Signal School on 21st Feb 1918

To UK on leave on 3rd Mar 1918

To hospital sick whilst on furlough in UK, on 15^{th} Mar 1918

Admitted 1st ADH, Bulford, (VD) on 16th Mar 1918

Discharged to Trng Depot, Parkhouse, on 28th Mar 1918. Total period 13 days.

Married: 29th Apr 1918, at St Clement Parish Church, Cambridge

Bertie Leslie DRINKWATER, Lieut, 31st Bn AIF Age 28 yrs Bachelor/ Soldier on Groom:

active service

Father: George Alfred Drinkwater Photographer

Annie Martha FLACK, of 37 Bridge St, Cambridge Bride: Age 22 yrs Spinster

Father: John Flack Gamekeeper By licence with Witnesses John Flack and CSM Cadet Bertie Stanley Fiven

Marched in to No 1 Comm Depot from Parkhouse on 15th May 1918

Placed on Supplementary List on 15th Jun 1918

Marched out to Overseas Trng Bde on 1st Aug 1918

Proceeded overseas to France via Southampton, on 12th Aug 1918

Marched in to AIDBD, Havre, on 14th Aug 1918

Marched out to unit on 15th Aug 1918

Rejoined unit ex Suppl List and sick, on 15th Aug 1918

Granted leave from 1st Sep 1919 to 20th Sep 1919

Admitted to hospital, on 20th Nov 1918

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (reaction) and transferred to 3rd AGH, on 20th Nov 1918

Admitted 2nd Stat Hospital, Abbeville, (NYD-slt) on 20th Nov 1918

Discharged to unit on 23rd Nov 1918 Rejoined from hospital on 24th Nov 1918 On leave to UK on 20th Dec 1918 Returned from UK leave on 6th Jan 1919 Shown with unit on 26th Feb 1919

Transferred to 8th Bde Bn on 21st Mar 1919

To UK on leave on 4th Apr 1919 Rejoined ex UK leave on 28th Apr 1919

Marched out of 8th Bde Bn for RTA, Quota 47, on 4th May 1919 Marched out from ADBD, Havre, for RTA on 12th May 1919

Disembarked Southampton ex France on 13th May 1919

Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth, Quota 47, on 13th May 1919

Marched out to 1st ADH, Bulford on 16th May 1919

Marched in to No 2 Group, Sutton Veny, ex Trng Depot, Parkhouse, on 3rd Jul 1919

Proceeding on Individual leave awaiting RTA, on 7th Jul 1919

Marched out to 20 Belgrave Square on 16th Jul 1919

Granted leave from 1st Sep to 20th Sep 1919

Married - Mrs Ann Drinkwater, Long Road, Pruanpington, Cambridge, England

RTA per "Megantic" from Liverpool, England on 9th Jan 1920 with wife

Appointment terminated at Sydney on 27th Apr 1920

Died 20th Oct 1957

DRISCOLL Lionel John (Bossy)







Service No 3352 Rank Pte

Born Tenterfield, NSW

NoK Mr John & Mrs Emma Driscoll, Casino, Richmond River, NSW

Enlistment 26th Jan 1916 Casino, NSW

Age 18 Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Labourer

Address Casino, Richmond River, NSW Outcome RTA 10th Jun 1919

Notes 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^{th} Div Details at Tel el Kebir, on 9^{th} Jul 1916 Embarked on HMT 'Franconia' at Alexandria on 2^{nd} Aug 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 22nd Aug 1916

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Larkhill, from Egypt, on 22nd Aug 1916 Taken on strength of 8th Trng Bn, from overseas, on 22nd Aug 1916

Proceeding overseas to France, from 8th Trng Bn, per 'Golden Eagle', via Folkestone, on 11th Nov 1916

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, from England, on 12th Nov 1916

Marched out to unit on 29th Nov 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn, on 5th Dec 1916

RTA per HT 'Port Lyttleton, on 10^{th} Jun 1919

DRISCOLL

Thomas



Service No 100 Rank Pte

Born Hobart, Tasmania

NoK Mrs O. Worsley, sister, Sandfly, Hobart, Tasmania

(w) Mrs T Driscoll, 260 Botany Rd, Botany, Sydney, NSW

Enlistment 19th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 22

Status & Religion Married, C.of E.

Occupation Miner

Address c/o sister, Sandfly, Hobart, Tasmania

Outcome RTA 24th Aug 1919

Notes Original, MG Sec- HQ, 31st Bn / 5th MG Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7^{th} Dec 1915

Appointed L/Cpl on 16th Jan 1916

Transferred to 8th MG Coy, at Tel el Kebir, on 9th Mar 1916

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 WIA & taken POW on 20th Jul 196 at Fromelles

RTA 24th Aug 1919

DRIVERBenjaminService No442RankPte

Born Aberdeen, Scotland

NoK Mr J & Mrs Prudence Driver, 4 Mealmarket St, Aberdeen, Scotland

Enlistment 12th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 24

Status & Religion Single, Pres
Occupation Miner

Address Brisbane, Queensland
Outcome RTA 23rd Jul 1919

Notes Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn / 5th Div HQ

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Transferred to 5th Div Artillery, Ferry Post, on 24th May 1916

Transferred to and taken on strength 5th Div HQ, Ferry Post, on 27th May 1916 Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Transylvania" on 17th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

RTA per HT 'Suevic' on 23rd Jul 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 10th Sep 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 11th Nov 1919 DRIVER Herbert



Service No 4296 Rank Pte

Born Suffolk, England

NoK Mrs Mary Driver, Highhouse Farm, Peasenhall, Suffolk, England

Enlistment 23rd Oct 1916 Toowoomba, Queensland

Age 28

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Labourer

Address Toowoomba, Queensland
Outcome RTA 30th Jan 1918
Notes 11th Rfts. 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 30th Jan 1917

Proceeded overseas to France, ex 8th Trng Bn, via Folkestone, on 25th Apr 1917

Marched in to Coy B, ADBD, Etaples, on 26th Apr 1917

Marched out to unit on 13th May 1917

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 17th May 1917 To hospital sick (Accidently injured) on 14th Jul 1917

"This soldier was sent off parade to get his steel helmet, and when getting it from his bunk, he

slipped and sprained his L ankle. Soldier not to blame.

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (sprained ankle) and transferred to 5th Div Rest Station, on 14th Jul 1917

Admitted 56th CCS (sprained ankle) on 15th Jul 1917

Transferred to Amb Train on 18th Jul 1917

Admitted 10th Gen Hospital, Rouen, on 19th Jul 1917 Transferred to 26th Conval Depot on 26th Jul 1917 Discharged to Base Depot on 6th Aug 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Havre, ex hospital, on 7th Aug 1917

Marched out to unit on 9th Aug 1917 Rejoined unit ex hospital on 11th Aug 1917 WIA at Polygon Wood on 26th Sep 1917

Admitted 6th Fld Amb (SW head) on 26th Sep 1917

Admitted 10th CCS (SW head) and transferred to Amb Train on 26th Sep 1917

Admitted 20th Gen Hospital, Camiers, on 27th Sep 1917 Embarked on HS 'de Cormack' for England on 6th Oct 1917

Admitted 2nd East Gen Hospital, Brighton, (GSW L eye), on 6th Oct 1917

Transferred 2nd Aux Hospital, Southall, on 24th Oct 1917

Discharged to furlough on 17th Nov 1917 and to report to Depot on 1st Dec 1917

Marched in to No 2 CD, Weymouth from AIF HQ, London, ex furlough, on 1st Dec 1917

RTA per A14, due SW L eye, lost eye, on $30^{\text{th}}\,\text{Jan}\,1918$

Discharged at Brisbane on 23rd May 1918

DROMGOOLE Cassian Bernard

Service No 2894A Rank Pte

Born Lancashire England

NoK Mrs Jane Dromgoole, St Helens, Lancashire, England

sister, Miss Lily Dromgoole, St Helens, Lancashire, England

Enlistment 28th Jan 1916 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 29 Status & Religion Single

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Clerk

Address Brisbane, Queensland
Outcome RTA 1st Feb 1918

Notes Brother: Sgt Vincent Dromgoole, # 482, 2nd FAB

6th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A40 "Ceramic", 14th April 1916

RTA 1st Feb 1918

Died 1st Jan 1927

DRURYRobert JohnService No624RankPte

Born Sutton On Sea, England

NoK Mrs Annie Drury, Atherton, via Cairns, Queensland Enlistment 18th Oct 1915 Townsville, Queensland

Age 29

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.

Occupation Miner

Address Atherton, via Cairns, Queensland

Outcome RTA 24th Dec 1918 Notes 'C' Coy, 41st Bn

Embarked

RTA 24th Dec 1918

DRYDEN

Charles David Paul



Service No 355

Rank Sgt Born Middless, London, England

NoK Mrs Louisa Dryden, St Margaret Mansion, Lillie Rd, London, N.W. later 42 Stockwell Rd, London, England

Enlistment 6th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 21

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Stockman

Address Brisbane, Queensland Outcome RTA 23rd Jul 1919

Notes Original, 'B' Coy, 31st Bn / A.H.Q.

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

WIA (GSW L elbow and back) on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles

WIA (GSW thigh, L femur & gas) on 26th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

RTA per "Port Lincoln" on 23rd Jul 1919 Disembarked at Sydney on 20th Sep 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 20th Nov 1919

Wife killed and house destroyed in an air raid on 21st Dec 1943 at Biggin Hill, Kent, England

Address at 'Embrook' Wanda Rd, Mosman, Sydney, NSW on12th Apr 1948

Norman Park, Queensland

Later 19th Riddell St, Bellevue Hill, Sydney, NSW in Mar 1959

Bondi Junction & Waverley RSL

Died 23rd Feb 1970

DRYSDALEJohn DouglasService No5012RankPte

Born Dumbarton Scotland

NoK sister, Mrs Mary Powell, Power St, Norman Park, Queensland

Enlistment 5th Feb 1917

Age 33

Status & Religion Single, Meth. Occupation Grocer

Address Power St, Norman Park, Queensland

Outcome RTA 8th Sep 1919

Notes 14th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A20 "HORORATA", 14th June, 1917

49th Bn

RTA 8th Sep 1919

DUBBO (DUBLO) Harold



DUBBO Harold

(DUBLO)

Service No 181 Rank Pte

Born Bundaberg, Queensland

NoK Mr Frederick George Dubbo (Dublo) & Mrs Elspeth Dubbo, Barolin St, Bundaberg, Queensland

In (f) Frederick Dubbo , c/o I.V. Francis, Esq, Butcher, Ipswich, Queensland

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Bundaberg, Queensland

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Clerk

Address Barolin St, Bundaberg, Queensland

Outcome KIA on 5th Aug 1916, Buried Anzac Cemetery Sailly-Sur-La-Lys, I. A. 4.

Notes Brother Lieut 394 Frederick Doblo

Original, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Crime; overstayed leave from 2200 17th Mar 1916 to 0700 19th Mar 1916, at Tel el Kebir, missed train and

To hospital sick (gastro enteritis) at Ferry Post on 25th Apr 1916

Rejoined Battalion on 1st May 1916

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

KIA on 5th Aug 1916, Buried Anzac Cemetery Sailly-Sur-La-Lys, I. A. 4.

Buried by Rev George Cranston

DUFFICEY

Joseph Maurice



Service No 633A

Rank Pte Born Townsville, Queensland

NoK Mrs Winifred Dufficey, South Townsville, Queensland Enlistment 26th Oct 1915 Enoggera, Brisbane, Qld

Age 25
Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Labourer

Address South Townsville, Queensland

RTA 19th Feb 1919 Outcome

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'C' Coy, 41st Bn Embarked

DUFFY

Archibald John Francis









1053 Service No Rank L/Cpl

Hornsby, Sydney, NSW Born

Mr Thomas Henry & Sarah Elizabeth Duffy, Ormiston, Cleveland, Queensland NoK

19th Jul 1915 Enlistment Cleveland, Queensland

26 Age

Status & Religion Single, R.C.

Occupation Timber mill worker/ Sawyer Address Ormiston, Cleveland, Queensland

Outcome KIA at Polygon Wood, 26th Sep 1917, Buried Tyne Cot Cemetery Passchendaele, XLII. B. 10.

Brother Cpl 1669 Roger Bede Duffy, MM, 26th Bn Notes

Original, 'A' Coy, II Platoon, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 To hospital sick (influenza), Serapeum, on 5th Jan 1916 Admitted 8th Fld Amb, Serapeum, on 5th Jan 1916 Discharged to unit on 23rd Jan 1916

Rejoined unit at Serapeum, on 24th Jan 1916

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Honorata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 At Fromelles with 'A' Coy on 19th/20th Jul 1916

Appointed L/Cpl on 2nd Feb 1917

Proceeded on leave to UK on 9th May 1917 Returned from leave on 23rd May 1917 KIA at Polygon Wood, 26th Sep 1917,

L/Cpl 3190 Francis Joseph Brandt, 'A' Coy, II Platoon; Killed by a sniper in Polygon Wood, after we had obtained our objective. Killed at Pill Boxes at Jerk House, 150 yds South of South West corner of Polygon Wood. He was buried on the evening of 28th Sept in a shell hole about 50 yds from South West corner of Wood, along with Sgt 1058 William Reid and L/Cpl 1053 Archibald John **Duffy** of same Platoon (II Platoon). Grave not marked. 2nd Identity Discs left on body

Buried in vicinity of Polygon Wood, Sht 28 NE J.10 Buried Tyne Cot Cemetery Passchendaele, XLII. B. 10.

DUFFY



Patrick









Service No 189A Rank L/Cpl

Tweed River, NSW Born

NoK Mr J & Martha Duffy, Bilambil, Tweed River, NSW $16^{th}\ Jul\ 1915$ Tweed River, NSW

Enlistment 19 Age

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Butcher

Address Bilambil, Tweed River, NSW
Outcome RTA per 'Medic' on 10th Apr 1919
Notes Original, 'A' Coy/ Signaller, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria per HMT "Hororata" on 16th Jun 1916,

Disembarking at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916

Awarded MM for actions: "During the advance through BELLICOURT on 29th/30th September and 1st October 1918, this NCO displayed great courage and devotion to duty. He was placed in charge of the lines, and throughout the whole operation showed the utmost coolness in the repair of breaks under heavy shell and machine gun fire. As a result of his work communication was maintained especially at times when it was of vital importance to the success of the operation."

Mention in Corps Orders for actions: "During the advance through BELLICOURT on 29th/30th September and 1st October 1918, he displayed great courage and devotion to duty. He was placed in charge of the lines, and throughout the whole operation showed the utmost coolness, often repairing breaks under heavy shell and machine gun fire. It was mainly due to his untiring efforts that such excellent communication was maintained throughout the whole operation."

RTA per "Medic" on 10th Apr 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 26th Jul 1919

DUGGAN

Edmund



Service No 4771 Rank Pte

Born Maitland, NSW

NoK Mrs Sarah Duggan, Vacey, West Maitland Enlistment 29th Sep 1916 Brisbane, Queensland

Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Barman

Address Brisbane, Queensland

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Outcome RTA per "Port Darwin" on 11th Jan 1918

Notes

15th Rfts, 9th Bn Embarked

Admitted Government Hospital, Suez, (mumps), on $4^{\rm th}$ May 1916 Discharged to duty, on $11^{\rm th}$ May 1916

Embarked on HMT 'Arcadian' at Alexandria, on 29th Jul 1916 Taken on strength of 3rd Trng Bn, Perham Downs, from Egypt on 9th Aug 1916

Proceeding overseas to France, from 3rd Trng Bn. On 29th Sep 1916

Marched in to 1st ADBD, Etaples, on 1st Oct 1916 Marched out to 31st Bn on 11th Oct 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn, ex 15th Rfts, 9th Bn, on 13th Oct 1916

Embarked on HS 'Grantully Castle' at Havre, for England (myalgia) on 26th Feb 1917 Admitted Prince Charles Hospital, Weymouth, on 27th Feb 1917 Proceeding overseas to France, via Southampton, on 12th Jul 1917

Embarked on HS 'Warilda' for England on 19th Aug 1917 Admitted Bath War Hospital, Bath, (vertical calculus), on 20th Aug 1917

RTA per 'Port Darwin' (renal calculus) on 11th Jan 1918

Disembarked at Melbourne on 4th Mar 1918, thence overland to Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane on 10th Apr 1918

DUGGAN William John

Service No 2916 Rank Pte

Born Glebe, Sydney, NSW

NoK Mr Dennis Duggan, Garong Rd, Lakemba, Sydney, NSW

Enlistment 17th Jan 1916 Lakemba, Sydney, NSW

Age 26

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Horse driver

Address Garong Rd, Lakemba, Sydney, NSW

Outcome RTA 12th May 1918

Notes 'B' Coy, Depot Bn, from 17th Jan to 9th Feb 1916

'C' Coy, Depot Bn from 9th Feb to 20th Feb 1916

5th Rfts, 31st Bn, on 1st Mar 1916

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

Taken on strength of 'A' Coy, 31st Bn on 13th Oct 1916

(Battle of Polygon Wood, 26th/27th Sep 1917) (Runner)

Pte 2999 FLN McCool, KIA,

"He came from Darlinghurst and was a Cabdriver. He left Australia with the informant per 'Anchises' in March 1916.

Informant states they both belonged to 'A' Company. On 27th Sep 1917, the Battalion was in action at Polygon Wood, which they captured. About 3pm after they had passed the German front line, McCool and three others rushed a Pillbox and were not seen again. Informant saw them rush the Pillbox which they reached and entered. The Battalion went on, but informant, who was a Runner, had to go back. He left the Battalion three days later and heard no more regarding McCool.

(Runner)

Informant states that McCool was a great mate of his and was well liked by the other boys."

Pte William John Duggan, 'A' Coy, 31st Bn

Marched in to AIBD, Havre, from hospital, on 19th Mar 1918
Medical Board Havre, TB lungs, classified E, for discharge, on 21st Mar 1918
Embarked for England, Class 'E', on 31st Mar 1918
Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from France on 2nd Apr 1918
RTA per HT "Ruahine" due phthisis, on 12th May 1918
Disembarked at Sydney on 5th Jul 1918
Discharged at Sydney on 15th Oct 1918



William Charles





4049 Service No Rank Pte

Born Gympie, Queensland

NoK Mr Charles & Mrs Hariet Marion Dun, Tewantin, via Cooroy, Queensland

Enlistment 11th May 1916 Brisbane, Queensland

18 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Labourer

Tewantin, via Cooroy, Queensland Address

19th Aug 1919 Outcome RTA

Notes Photo from Loftus Dun family records

10th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A36 "BOONAH", 21st October 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 10th Jan 1917

Marched in to 15th Trng Bn, Hurdcott for rations and accommodation only (isolation) on 21st Jul 1917 Marched out to 8th Trng Bn, Hurdcott, on 28th Jul 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, ex 8th Trng Bn, via Southampton, on 12th Oct 1917

Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Havre, on 13th Oct 1917

Marched out to unit on 16th Oct 1917

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 18th Oct 1917 Detached for duty with 16th AASC on 15th Jun 1918 Attachment ceased and rejoined 31st Bn on 27th Jun 1918

To UK on leave on 2nd Nov 1918

Rejoined Bn ex leave on 20th Nov 1918

Detached for duty with 5th Div Boxing Troupe, on 8th Mar 1919 Rejoined unit ex 5th Div Boxing Troupe, on 19th Mar 1919

Marched out for RTA on 17th Apr 1919

Embarked at Havre for England on 23rd Apr 1919 Marched in to No 5 Group, Weymouth, on 24th Apr 1919

Admitted 1st Aust Derm Hospital, Bulford, (VD) on 16th May 1919

Discharged from 1st ADH to No 2 Group, Total period 74 days, on 28th Jul 1919

Marched in to No 2 Group, Sutton Veny, on 28th Jul 1919

RTA per HT 'Ajana' on 19th Aug 1919 Disembarked at Sydney on 9th Oct 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 25th Nov 1919

WWII Service Q209192. Enlisted at Gympie on 12th Apr 1941. Nok Lucy Dun of Wolvi, Qld. Served with 12th Bn VDC. Discharged 21st Oct 1945





Service No 4772A and 4482

Rank

Born Croydon, Queensland

NoK Mr Robert Allen Dunbar (dec) & Mrs Margaret McIntyre Dunbar, 121 Kent St, Rockhampton, Queensland

Enlistment 6th Oct 1915 Rockhampton, Queensland

17 Age

Single, C.of E. Status & Religion Occupation Draper Assistant

Address 121 Kent St, Rockhampton, Queensland Outcome KIA 24th Oct 1917 at Passchendaele Ridge Notes

Brother: Pte Thomas McIntyre Dunbar, MM, #2352, 26th and 12th Bn

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15th Rfts, 9th Bn

Embarked per A73 HMT 'Commonwealth' at Brisbane on 28th Mar 1916

Embarked per HMT 'Arcadian' at Alexandria on 29th Jul 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 9th Aug 1916

Marched in to 3rd Trng Bn, Perham Downs, from Egypt on 9th Aug 1916

Proceeding overseas to France on 29th Sep 1916 Marched in to 1st AIDBD, Etaples, on 1st Oct 1916 Marched out to join 'D' Coy, 31st Bn on 11th Oct 1916

Taken on strength of 31st Bn and reallotted regimental number 4772A, on 13th Oct 1916

To hospital sick on 4th Nov 1916

Admitted 35th CCS (trench feet) on 4th Nov 1916 Transferred to Amb Train on 5th Nov 1916

Admitted 3rd Stat Hospital, Rouen, (trench feet) on 5th Nov 1916 Transferred and admitted 2nd Conval Depot on 8th Nov 1916 Discharged to 4th Aust Div Base Depot (Class A) on 22nd Nov 1916

Marched out to 5th AIDBD on 23rd Nov 1916 Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Etaples on 24th Nov 1916

To hospital sick on 15th Dec 1916

Admitted 26th General Hospital, Havre, (ICT feet) on 15th Dec 1916

Transferred to England on 28th Dec 1916

Embarked at Havre per HS 'Dunluce Castle' for England on 29th Dec 1916 Admitted Norfolk War Hospital, Norwich, (ICT feet, slight) on 30th Dec 1916

Transferred to 2nd Aux Hospital, Southall, 31st Mar 1917

Discharged to furlough on 3rd Apr 1917 and to report to Trng Depot on 18th Apr 1917

Classified B1A2 at No 3 CD, Hurdcott on 19th Apr 1917

Classified B1A3 on 24th Apr 1917 Classified A3 on 2nd May 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, ex Infantry Draft Depot, via Southampton, on 27th May 1917

Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Etaples from England on 28th May 1917

Marched out to unit from Havre, on 18th Jun 1917

Rejoined unit from hospital on 22nd Jun 1917 ('D' Coy, RO 471)

KIA 24th Oct 1917 at Passchendaele Ridge

Buried on outskirts of Romulus Wood, 1000 yards ESE of Zonnebeke and 4000 yards SSW of Passchendaele Reburied at Passchendaele New British Cemetery Plot 14 Row C Grave 5

DUNBAR



Robert George

Service No 5259 Rank

Born Cullen, Scotland

NoK cousin, Robert Dunbar, Caithness, Bridge St, Albion, Queensland

26th Nov 1917 Enlistment Brisbane, Queensland

Age 37

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Railway employee Occupation Address Brisbane, Queensland RTA 9th Jul 1919 Outcome 15th Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, per R.M.S. "ORMONDE", 2nd March, 1918

Disembarked at Suez on 4th Apr 1918

Taken on strength Aust Camp Suez, on 4th Apr 1918 Evacuated to hospital at Suez on 28th Apr 1918 Admitted Govt Hospital Suez (influenza) on 30th Apr 1918 Discharged to duty, Aust Camp Suez, on 7th May 1918

Taken on strength Misc Details Aust Camp Suez on 7th May 1918

Evacuated to and admitted Govt Hospital Suez (diarrheoa) on 12th May 1918

Discharged to duty on 28th May 1918

Taken on strength Aust Camp Suez, ex hospital, on 28th May 1918

Transferred to Alexandria for embarkation overseas, on 3rd Jul 1918

Attached to troops for voyage on HMAT 'Darwin' whilst enroute to England on 3rd Jul 1918

Disembarked at Southampton on 16th Jul 1918

Proceeding overseas to France on ex ABAA, Heytesbury to reinforce Artillery, via Dover, on 4th Oct 1918

Marched in to AGBD, Rouelles, ex England, on 6th Oct 1918

Marched out to 1st Div Artillery, on 8th Oct 1918

Taken on strength 1st Fld Arty Bde on 11th Oct 1918

To hospital sick on 14th Mar 1919

Admitted 2nd Fld Amb (influenza) on 14th Mar 1919

Discharged to duty and rejoined unit on 15th Mar 1919

Marched out for RTA, on 26th Apr 1919

Embarked for England from AIBD, on 5th May 1919

Marched in to No 5 Group, from France on 5th May 1919

RTA per 'Prinz Ludwig' on 10th Jul 1919

Disembarked at Sydney on 8th Sep 1919

Discharged at Brisbane on 2nd Oct 1919

Address c/o Mrs Robbins, 'Komomo' Rochester Tce, Kelvin Grove, Brisbane, Qld

DUNCAN

Enlistment



Alexander Arthur





22 Jul 1891, at Pimpama, Queensland Born

NoK Mr John William & Mrs Elizabeth Mary Duncan, Canungra, Beaudesert Line, Queensland

8th Jan 1916 Canungra, Beaudesert Line, Queensland

24 Age

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Sawyer

Canungra, Beaudesert Line, Queensland Address

DOW on 3rd May 1918 at Royal Victoria Hospital, Outcome

Notes 8th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A42 "Boorara", 16th August 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 13th Oct 1916

Marched in to No 3 Comm Depot, Woolwich, on 20th Oct 1916

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

Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Etaples, on 11th Dec 1916

Marched out to 31st Bn on 23rd Dec 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 26th Dec 1916

To hospital sick on 21st Jan 1917

Admitted 38th CCS (trench feet) on 22nd Jan 1917

Transferred to Amb Train on 23rd Jan 1917

Admitted 10th General Hospital, Rouen (trench feet) on 24th Jan 1917 Embarked per HS 'Clement Castle' at Havre, for England on 25th Jan 1917 Admitted 1st Southern Hospital, Edgbaston, (trench feet) on 26th Jan 1917

Discharged from hospital 5th Jun 1917 to furlough and report Weymouth on 20th Jun 1917

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, from AHQ London, on 20th Jun 1917 Marched in to No 3 Comm Depot, Hurdcott, ex No 2 CD, on 29th Jun 1917

Classified B1A4 at Hurdcott, on 9th Jul 1917

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bn, Perham Downs, on 12th Jul 1917

Proceeding overseas to France ex Overseas Trng Bn, via Southampton, on 30th Jul 1917

Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Havre, on 31st Jul 1917

Marched out to unit on 16th Aug 1917 Rejoined 31st Bn ex sick, on 18th Aug 1917 Detached to 8th MG Coy on 30th Aug 1917

Attached to 8th MG Coy from 31st Bn, on 30th Aug 1917

Ceased to be attached to 8th MG Coy and transferred to 5th MG Bn, on 4th Apr 1918

WIA (gassed) on 17th Apr 1918



Admitted 55th Fld Amb (gassed shell) and transferred CCS, on 17th Apr 1918 Admitted 1st Aust Gen Hospital, Rouen, ('W' gassed) on 18th Apr 1918

Transferred to England on 25th Apr 1918

Admitted Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, (dangerously ill) on 26th Apr 1918 DOW on 3rd May 1918 at Royal Victoria Hospital, (gas poisoning shell)

Buried Military Cemetery Netley (Grave 1947) Hampshire, England, on 6th May 1918

"The deceased soldier was accorded a Military funeral. The coffin draped with the Union Jack was carried by 6 bearers to the Hospital Chapel where a short service was held. The remains were then transferred to a Gun Carriage supplied by the ASC and the cortege moved to the graveside and here the Bugler sounded the "Last Post". A wreath from 'anonymously sent' was placed on the grave. The grave will be immediately turfed and temporary cross erected. Administrative Headquarters, AIF, London, were represented at the funeral."

DUNCANRoy RussellService No2918RankPte

Born Sydney, NSW

NoK Mr F M Duncan, Ramsay St, Kogarah, Sydney, NSW Enlistment 6th Dec 1915 Kogarah, Sydney, NSW

Age 18

Status & Religion Single, Pres. Occupation Engineer

Address Ramsay St, Kogarah, Sydney, NSW

Outcome RTA 23rd Jun 1919

Notes 5th Rfts 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

X Platoon, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

RTA per HT 'Orita' on 23rd Jun 1919 Disembarked at Sydney, on 9th May 1919 Discharged at Sydney, on 1st Oct 1919

DUNLOP James Howie

Born Auchinleck, Scotland

NoK Mr James Dunlop, 13 Herbert St, Footscray, Melbourne, Victoria

Enlistment 17th Jul 1915 Footscray, Melbourne, Vic

Age 22

Status & Religion Single, Pres.
Occupation Butcher

Address 13 Herbert St, Footscray, Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome RTA 19th Aug 1919

Notes Original, 'D' Coy, 31st Bn / 6th Army FAB

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9th Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915.

(Along with 5 Officers and 100 other ranks, he transferred to the 5th Divisional Artillery,

115th Battery, on 15th Mar 1916)

Transferred to 5th Div Artillery at Tel el Kebir, on 15th Mar 1916

Taken on strength 25th Howitzer Bde and posted to 113th Battery, Tel el Kebir, on 15th Mar 1916

Mustered as Driver at Ferry Post on 10th May 1916

Embarked to join BEF per HMT "Georgian" at Alexandria on 17th Jun 1916, Disembarked at Marseilles on 27th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 27th Jun 1916 Transferred to 117th Battery on 7th Jul 1916 Transferred to 6th Army FAB on 3rd Apr 1917

Taken on strength of 6th Army FAB and posted to 106th Battery, on 3rd Apr 1917

Crime: Making improper use of a Pass, 6/10/17. Award 3 days FP No 2, on 13th Oct 1917

To UK on leave on 2nd Sep 1918 Rejoined from leave on 23rd Sep 1918

Taken on strength of AIF London (Non Military employment) on 17th Feb 1919 Reported Admin HO ex France, on duty (Repat & Demob) on 17th Feb 1919

Granted leave from 17/2/19 to 17/4/19 with pay & subsistence (condition on letter from employer)

Reason: Butchering Attending: Auld Bros, Auchinlock, Scotland

Granted leave (extension) from 18/4/19 to 18/6/19

Reason: Butchering Attending: Auld Bros, Auchinlock, Scotland

Retransferred to 6th Army Bde, AFA, on expiration of leave on 18th Jun 1919

Granted pre-embarkation leave until 24th Jul 1919

Reported HQs on 10th Jul 1919 on expiration of N.M.E. and granted leave & to report Sutton Veny on 24th Jul

Has failed to report to HQ on expiration of leave on 24^{th} Jul 1919

Due to report Admin HQ, London on 24/7/19. Advised AWL, dealt with by OC Troops and being sent to Sutton Veny on 30th Jul 1919

Offence: London, 24/7/19. AWL from 10am 24/7/19 to 9am 29/7/19. Award: Forfeits 10 days' pay by Major

C.H. Howard on 29th Jul 1919. Total forfeiture 15 days' pay

Marched in to No 2 Group, Sutton Veny, from HQs, London, on 30th Jul 1919

RTA per 'Ajana' on 19th Aug 1919

Disembarked at Sydney on 9th Oct 1919

Discharged at Melbourne on 10th Dec 1919

Married Lily Myrtle Falconer in 1922

Died at Yallourn, Victoria, on 15th Apr 1965, aged 70 years



John

5405 Service No Rank Pte

Born 21st Mar 1877, Eurrelia, SA north of Adelaide, nr Ororaroo

NoK sister, Mrs Elizabeth Chevlier, Forest Range, South Australia/ Mt Serle, via Copley, SA

Friend: Mrs M McGuire, Petersburg, SA

Mr John & Mrs Mary Jannet Dunn, Vera St, Ellendale, Port Pirie, South Aus

 $22^{nd}\;Jan\;1918$ Rockhampton, Queensland

Age

Enlistment

Status & Religion Single, R.C.

Occupation Labourer

PO Rockhampton, Queensland Address

Outcome KIA on 29th Sep 1918 at Bellicourt. Buried Bellicourt British Cemetery, II. F. 6.

15th Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, per R.M.S. "ORMONDE", 2nd March, 1918

Disembarked at Suez on 4th Apr 1918

Taken on strength of Aust Camp, Suez, on 4th Apr 1918

Transferred to Port Tewfik for embarkation for overseas, on 30th Apr 1918

Embarked on F15 'Eilinga' at Port Tewfik, on 30th Apr 1918

Disembarked at Southampton on 15th May 1918

Marched in to 14th Trng Bn, Codford, on15th May 1918

Proceeding overseas to France, ex 14th Trng Bn, Codford, via Folkestone on 8th Aug 1918

Marched in to 5th AIDBD, Havre, on 10th Aug 1918

Marched out to unit on 12th Aug 1918

Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 12th Aug 1918

KIA on 29th Sep 1918 at Bellicourt. Buried Bellicourt British Cemetery, II. F. 6.

Buried Nauroy Road British Cemetery, 7 1/2 miles NNW of St Quentin

Buried Wiancourt 1/20000 G.10.6.4.4



Leslie Clarke



Rank Pte

Born Richmond, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mrs Lilian Mary Dunn, 142 Dudley St, West Melbourne, Victoria and sons David Dunn & Edward M Dunn

Enlistment 12th Jul 1915 West Melbourne, Victoria

Age 27

Status & Religion Married, Pres. Occupation Cigarmaker

Address 142 Dudley St, West Melbourne, Victoria

Outcome KIA on 20th Jul 1916 at Fromelles, Remembered at Villers Bretonneux-France

Notes Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Embarked per HMT 'Manitou' to join BEF at Alexandria on 17th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 25th Jun 1916

At Fromelles with 'C' Coy, 31st Bn, 19th/20th Jul 1916

5-700 yards behind last line of German trenches, got on too far and came into own barrage, Dunn was not seen

to come back, informant Pte A Peck, # 1119, 'C' Coy

Reported Missing on 21st Jul 1916

German List received by Wounded and Missing Enquiry Bureau of Red Cross: Identification marks found on the Prisoner of War are inspected by the German War Bureau and shown on the List as DEAD. Identification disc received from Germany. No particulars were afforded except that soldier is deceased. To be reported as KILLED IN ACTION.

"fell in the neighbourhood of Fromelles on 19/7/16"

Among the missing. Reburied at Pheasant Wood Cemetery, Fromelles Disc received from Germany Identified among the missing. Reburied at Pheasant Wood Cemetery, Fromelles

Grave I. D. 10

"MELBOURNE, VICTORIA HUSBAND OF LILLIAN, FATHER OF DAVID AND EDWARD"

DUNNE

Alexander



Service No 2501 Rank Cpl

Born Pitt Water NSW

22

NoK Mr A J Dunne, King's Rd, Adamstown, NSW Enlistment 18th Sep 1915 Newcastle NSW

Age

Status & ReligionSingle, Pres.OccupationFettlerAddressPittwater, NSWOutcomeRTA5th Jul 1919NotesListed on Hunter Valley Diggers

 4^{th} Rfts, 31^{st} Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Apr 1916

Embarked per HMT 'Franconia' at Alexandria on 6th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth on 16th Jun 1916

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn on

Proceeded overseas to France from England on 5^{th} Sep 1916 Marched in to 5^{th} AIDBD, Etaples from England, on 6^{th} Sep 1916

Appointed A/Sgt at Etaples on 7th Sep 1916

Reverts to previous grade Pte (ex A/Sgt) at Etaples on 13th Sep 1916

Proceeded to join unit on 19th Sep 1916 Taken on strength of 31st Bn on 22nd Sep 1916

To be L/Cpl on 3rd Oct 1916

Sick to hospital on 19th Nov 1916 Admitted 14th Fld Amb (ingrowing toenail) and transferred to CCS on 19th Nov 1916 Admitted 36th CCS (onychid) on 19th Nov 1916 Transferred to 207 Amb Train on 21st Nov1916 Admitted 2nd Gen Hospital, Havre, (onychid) on 21st Nov 1916

Marched in to 5th AIDBD from Le Havre on 13th Jan 1917 Proceeded to join unit on 20th Jan 1916 Rejoined unit ex hospital on 23rd Jan 1916

WIA (SW L hand) at Polygon Wood on 26th Sep 1917

RTA per 'Port Melbourne' at Devonport on 5th Jul 1919 To ships hospital sick (abscess) on 19th Jul 1919 Discharged to duty on 24th Jul 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 20th Aug 1919 Discharged at Sydney on 13th Oct 1919

DUNNE

Edgar Bernard









Service No 4511A Rank Pte

Born Gympie, Queensland

NoK Mr Edward & Mrs Mary Anne Dunne, Brisbane Rd, Monkland, Gympie, Queensland, later "Ballinamire"

Constitution Rd, Windsor, Brisbane, Qld

Enlistment 22nd Feb 1916 Normanton, Queensland

Age 23

Status & Religion Single, R.C.
Occupation Clerk of Petty Sessions

Address Court House, Normanton, Queensland

Outcome DOW on 28th Sep 1917. Buried Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery Belgium, XXV. B. 14.

Notes $\overline{12}^{th}$ Rfts, 31^{st} Bn

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

Sick to ship's hospital on 6th Jan 1917 Discharged from hospital, on 17th Jan 1917 Disembarked at Plymouth on 3rd Mar 1917

Proceeding overseas to France, ex 8th Trng Bn, via Southampton, on 9th Jul 1917

Marched I to 5th ADBD, Havre, on 10th Jul 1917

Marched out to unit on 21st Jul 1917

Taken on strength of 31^{st} Bn and allotted Reg No 4511A, on 1^{st} Aug 1918

WIA (SW Thigh, hand, thigh) 27th Sep 1917

Admitted 3rd Fld Amb (SW multiple) and transferred to CCS, on 28th Sep 1917

DOW at 10th CCS on 28th Sep 1917.

DOW 28th Sep, Buried by Rev HS Clarke at 10th CCS at Lijssenthoek, Belgium, Sht 27, Sq. L22 D63

Buried Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery Belgium, XXV. B. 14.

DUNNE Patrick Joseph







Service No 2891A Rank Pte Born Ireland

NoK Elizabeth Silcock, Hope St, off Wharf St, Brisbane, Queensland

Enlistment 20th Jan 1916 Charleville, Queensland

Age 44

Status & Religion
Occupation
Address
Outcome
Single, R.C.
Woolclasser
Charleville, Queensland
RTA 26th Sep 1917

Notes 11th depot Bn on 20th Jan to 25th Feb 1916

To 14th Depot Bn from 26th Feb 1916 to 31st Mar 1916

6th Rfts, 31st Bn on 1st Apr 1916

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A40 "Ceramic", 14th April 1916

Disembarked at Port Said on 16th May 1916

Embarked to join BEF at Alexandria on 20th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 30th Jun 1916

Offence: At Etaples, whilst on A.S. Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline in that he was absent from Trng Ground after being marked 'Duty' by MO. Award: 2 days CC by Lt Veal, on 31st Jul 1916.

Proceeded to join unit (31st Bn) on 8th Aug 1916

Taken on strength, 31st Bn from 6th Rfts and allotted Reg No 2891A, on 15th Aug 1916 In the Field on 6th Sep 1916. Drunkenness. Awarded 168 hours FP No 2 by CO

Offence: Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline in that he had intoxicating liquor in his

possession on 30th Dec 1916. Award: 7 days FP No 2 by Major PAM Eckersley

Sick to hospital on 16th Jan 1917

Admitted 5th Fld Amb (debility) and transferred to Corps Rest Station, on 16th Jan 1917

Admitted Anzac Corps Rest Station(debility) on 17th Jan 1917

To hospital sick on 16th Jan 1917 Discharged to duty on 17th Feb 1917 Rejoined unit from hospital on 20th Feb 1917

To hospital sick on 19th Mar 1917

Admitted 8th Fld Amb (lumbago) on 5th Apr 1917

Transferred to CCS on 5th Apr 1917 Admitted CCS (lumbago) on 5th Apr 1917 Transferred to Amb Train on 6th Apr 1917 Admitted 6th Gen Hospital, Rouen, on 7th Apr 1917

Embarked on HS 'West Australia' at Rouen for England (myalgia) on 15th Apr 1917

Admitted 1st London General Hospital, Camberwell, on 16th Apr 1917

Discharged to furlough on 15th Jun 1917 and to report No 4 Comm Depot, Wareham, on 29th Jun 1917

Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth from No 4 CD, Codford, on 2nd Aug 1917

Classified C1 at Weymouth on 14th Aug 1917

RTA per A30, for discharge due rheumatism and senility, on 26th Sep 1917

Re-embarked 'Suevic' for 1MD (Brisbane) on 22^{nd} Nov 1917 Discharged in Brisbane, medically unfit, and age, on 29^{th} Dec 1917

Died after discharge (i.e. prior to 30th Aug 1918) on 29th Mar 1930

DUNNE Thomas Service No 4508 Rank Pte

Born Murwillumbah, NSW

NoK Mrs Annie Mary Dunne, Wardrop St. South Murwillumbah, NSW

Enlistment 9th Oct 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 27

Status & Religion Single, R.C.

Occupation Farmer

Wardrop St, South Murwillumbah, NSW Address

Outcome 23rd Jun 1919 RTA 12th Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

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

4th MG Bn

RTA per 'Orita' on 23rd Jun 1919

Disembarked at Sydney for Brisbane, on 9th Aug 1919

Discharged at Brisbane on 17th Sep 1919

DUNNING Harold Ivo



Service No 1690 Rank

Born 7th Jun 1892, Sherwood, Queensland

NoK Mr Robert & Elizabeth (nee York) Dunning, Daguilar, Woodford Line, Queensland

Enlistment 28th Jul 1915 Fraser's Camp, Queensland

23 Age

Status & Religion Single, Meth.

Storeman/Shop Assistant Occupation

Daguilar, Woodford Line, Queensland Address

5th Aug 1919 Outcome RTA

Notes Brothers: Pte 632 Archibald Septimus Dunning and Pte 3327 Sydney Herbert Dunning

2nd Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, on HMAT A55 "Kyarra", 3rd Jan 1916 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 15th Bn at Zeitoun on 7th Mar 1916

Transferred to and taken on strength of 49th Bn, Tel el Kebir, on 21st Mar 1916

To hospital sick, Habeita, on 21st May 1916 Rejoined unit, Railhead, on 27th May 1916

Proceeded to join BEF per 'Arcadian' at Alexandria on 5th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 12th Jun 1916 WIA (GSW side & buttock) on 3rd Sep 1916

Admitted 49th CCS (GSW side) and transferred to Amb Train No 9, on 3rd Sep 1916

Admitted 5th General Hospital, Rouen on 4th Sep 1916 Transferred to England wounded on 6th Sep 1916

Embarked at Rouen, on HS 'Lanfranc' (GSW buttock) for England on 7th Sep 1916

Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, on 7th Sep 1916

Marched in to 4th ADBD, Havre, on 15th Oct 1917 Proceeded to join unit on 16th Oct 1917 Taken on strength of 49th Bn, on 23rd Oct 1917 Re-allotted regimental No 1690A, on 23rd Oct 1917

RTA per HT 'Armagh' from Devonport, on 5th Apr 1919

Disembarked at Brisbane on 18th May 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 14th Jul 1919

Lived with his brother Sydney at Brackenridge, Qld, until 1923

Married Mary Burley in 1923 Lived at Alderley, Queensland WWII Service served as Q123290. Enlisted with Northern Command Record Office

on 22nd Dec 1941 at Brisbane.

NoK (w) Mary Dunning, Elgin St. Brisbane, Qld. He was aged 49 years and occupation, clerk.

Taken on strength of NCRO, Brisbane on 24th Dec 1941

Promoted Cpl, and classified Clerk, TG III, at NCRO Brisbane, on 5th Jan 1942

Promoted A/Sgt at Warwick on 1st Jan 1943 Rank of Sgt confirmed on 3rd Jun 1943

Discharged at Redbank, Brisbane on 23rd Sep 1944

Died in Brisbane on 15th Dec 1962, aged 70 years Buried Mt Thompson Crematorium, Brisbane, Qld

DUNNINGHAMFrederickService No2919RankPte

Born Clayton Park, London, England

NoK (m) Mrs Edith Dunningham, Corner St, Burwood,

(w) Mrs Amelia Dunningham (Henry), 21 Rowe St, Moollahra, Sydney

Son; Charles Stanley Dunningham

Enlistment 15th Nov 1915 Casula, Sydney, NSW

Age 22

Status & Religion Married, C.of E.

Occupation Labourer at Cockatoo Island/ Dairy Farming
Address 'Hasn' Whaley Rd, North Sydney, NSW

Outcome KIA on 8th Aug 1918

Notes Son Charles Stanley Dunningham, died Erskineville, Sydney, NSW on 12 Aug 1968

5th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A68 "Anchises", 14th Mar 1916

'C' Coy, 31st Bn

Was a Machine Gunner. Pte Saunders, 'C' Coy, wounded by same shell. Killed in front of Marcel Caves by a shell, whilst forming up on Green Line.

KIA on 8th Aug 1918, Buried Villers-Bretonneux Military Cemetery Fouilloy III. E. 8.

DUNSTAN Ro

Robert Alexander





Born Normanton, Queensland NoK Mrs Dora Dunstan

Enlistment 4th Apr 1916 Normanton, Queensland

Age 19

Status & Religion Single, C.of E.
Occupation Locomotive fitter

Address c/o Railway Department, Normanton, Queensland

Outcome RTA 2nd Jan 1919 Notes 9th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "SEANG CHOON", 19th September 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 9th Dec 1916

WIA (GSW thigh) at Bellicourt on 29th Sep 1918

RTA per "Karmala" due GSW thigh, 2nd Jan 1919 Discharged at Brisbane on 4th Apr 1919 DUNWOODIE

Thomas

Service No 3330 Rank Pte

Thursday Island, Queensland Born

Mrs Annie Dunwoodie, Thursday Island, Queensland NoK

(w) Mrs T Dunwoodie, 2 Thistle Place, Aberdeen, Scotland

Enlistment 17th Feb 1916 Townsville, Queensland

Age 23

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Stockman

Address Thursday Island, Queensland

RTA per "Dunlace Castle" on 24th Jan 1918 Outcome

Notes 7th Rfts, 31st Bn

Aboriginal

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "Seang Choon", 4th May 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 15th Jun 1916

Taken on strength 5th Div Details, Tel el Kebir on 9th Jul 1916

Proceeding overseas per HMT 'Franconia' ex Alexandria on 2nd Aug 1916

Marched in to 8th Trng Bn, Larkhill England on 22nd Aug 1916

Proceeding overseas to France per SS 'Golden Eagle' via Folkestone, on 11th Nov 1916

Marched in from England to 5th AIDBD, Havre, on 12th Nov 1916 Marched out to join unit on 29th Nov 1916

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

Sick to Hospital on 21st Dec 1916

Admitted 1st Fld Amb and transferred to 1st Anzac Rest Station (pleurisy) on 21st Dec 1916

Admitted 1st Anzac Rest Station (pleurisy) on 21st Dec 1916

To 36th CCS on 27th Dec 1916

Transferred to Amb Train on 29th Dec 1916

Admitted 3rd Stat Hospital, Rouen, on 29th Dec 1916

Transferred to England per HS 'West Australia' on 1st Jan 1917

Admitted 1st Eastern General Hospital, Cambridge, (pleurisy) on 2nd Jan 1917 Marched in to No 2 Comm Depot, Weymouth, from Cambridge, on 12th Feb 1917

Granted furlough on 8th Feb 1917, until 14th Mar 1917

Marched in to Drafting Depot, from No 4 Comm Depot, Perham Downs, on 28th Mar 1917

Proceeded overseas to France, from Inf Draft Depot, Perham Downs, via Folkestone, on 25th Apr 1917

Marched in to 5th ADBD, Etaples, on 26th Apr 1917

Marched out to unit on 13th May 1917

Rejoined unit from hospital, on 17th May 1917

WIA (GSW face) on 26th Sep 1917, at Polygon Wood

Admitted 6th Fld Amb (GSW face) and to 2nd Can CCS, on 27th Sep 1917

Admitted 2nd Can CCS and to Amb Train, on 27th Sep 1917

Admitted 83rd General Hospital, Boulogne, on 27th Sep 1917

Transferred to England on 29th Sep 1917

Embarked on HS "St Andrew" for England on 29th Sep 1917 Admitted Military Hospital, Devonport, England on 30th Sep 1917

Transferred to 3rd Aux Hospital, Dartford, on 2nd Nov 1917

Discharged to furlough on 5th Dec 1917 and to report to 3rd AAH, Dartford, on 19th Dec1917

RTA per "Dunlace Castle" for discharge due GSW R face, on 24th Jan 1918

Discharged at Brisbane on 18th Apr 1918

Died on 22nd Dec 1973

DURHAM

George



Service No n/a Rank Pte

Waterloo, NSW Born

Mrs M.M. Durham, Cecilia St, Grove Estate, Brisbane, Qld NoK

Enlistment 20th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Qld

Age

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Labourer Occupation

Address Cecilia St, Grove Estate, Brisbane, Qld

Discharged as not likely to be efficient, on 27th Nov 1915 Outcome

2nd Rfts, 31st Bn Notes

John







Service No 73 Rank

Motherwell, Dalziel, Scotland Born

Mr Peter & Margaret Durkin, Newry, Ireland NoK (Burren, Warrenpoint, County Down, Ireland)

(w) Mrs Lily (nee Appleby) Durkin, 35 Front Ellers, Ulverston, Lancashire, England; later at 45 Reform St,

East Bromwich, Staffordshire, England.

27th Jul 1915 Rockhampton, Queensland Enlistment

28 Age

Status & Religion Single?, R.C. Occupation Slater

Address Rockhampton, Queensland

Outcome KIA on 29th Sep 1918, buried Bellicourt British Cemetery, France

Original, HQ, 31st Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Transferred to hospital at Duntroon Plateau, on 6th Apr 1916

Admitted 8th Fld Amb, Broadbead North, (haemorrhoids) on 8th Apr 1916

Transferred and admitted 2nd CCS, Ferry Post, on 8th Apr 1916 Admitted 1st Aust Stat Hospital, Ismailia, on 8th Apr 1916

Discharged to duty from 1^{st} Aust Stat Hospital, Ismailia, on 29^{th} Apr 1916 Rejoined Battalion at Ferry Post on 29^{th} Apr 1916

Embarked to join BEF on HMAT 'Hororata', at Alexandria on 16th Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 23rd Jun 1916 Sick to hospital, (haemorrhoids), on 2nd Jul 1916

Admitted 8th Fld Hosp and transferred to 12th CCS on 2nd Jul 1916

Transferred to No 1 Amb Train on 4th Jul 1916

Joined 5th ADBD, Etaples from hospital, on 11th Jul 1916

Proceeded to join unit on 19th Jul 1916

Rejoined battalion from hospital on 23rd Jul 1916

Sick to hospital on 27th Oct 1916

Admitted 35th CCS (piles) on 27th Oct 1916 Transferred to 11 Amb Train on 30th Oct 1916

Admitted 18th Gen Hospital, Carriers, (piles) on 31st Oct 1916

Embarked on HS 'Cambrai' for England (piles)ex 18th Gen Hospital, from Calais on 11th Nov 1916

Admitted Edmonton Military Hospital (haemorrhoids) on 12th Nov 1916

Transferred to 2nd Aux Hospital, Southall, on 13th Dec 1916

Discharged from 2nd Aux Hosp on 19th Dec to furlough and to report No 1 CD, Perham Downs on 3rd Jan 1917 Offence: AWL at Perham Downs, from 3.30pm 3/1/17 till 3.45pm 9/1/17.

Award: 168 hours detention by Capt AJ Crowley. Total Forfeiture: 10 days pay

Marched in and classified B1a2, at No 1 Comm Depot, Perham Downs on 10th Jan 1917

Reclassified B1a on 18th Jan 1917

Marched out to Aust Details, No CD, Perham Downs on 26th Jan 1917

Marched out to Camp HQ on 27th Jan 1917

Married Lily Appleby on 21st February 1917 at St Osmond, in district of Sarisbariam, by Henry Mather. Reg No 17

Marched out to Drafting Depot, from No 6 & 7 Camp, Perham Downs, on 3rd Apr 1917

Sick to hospital from Overseas Training Bn, Longbridge Deverill to Hospital (piles) on 13th Dec 1917

Admitted Military Hospital, Sutton Veny on 13th Dec 1917

Discharged to No 1 CD, Sutton Veny, on 5th Jan 1918

Classified B1A2 at Sutton Veny on 6th Jan 1918

Declared AWL on 27th Feb 1918 and illegal absentee from 27th Feb to 22nd Mar 1918 but

Admitted West Bromwich and District Hospital (inflammation of gland/groin) on 27th Feb 1918

Letter to Tidworth explaining illegal absence/ order cancelled on 2nd May 1918

Sick to hospital from No 1 CD, Sutton Veny on 25th Jun 1918

Admitted 1st Aust Derm Hospital, Bulford (urethritis NVD) on 25th Jun 1918

Discharged from 1st ADH, Bulford (NVD) on 8th Jul 1918

Marched in to No 1 CD, Sutton Veny from Bulford (Class B1A2) on 8th Jul 1918

Marched in to Overseas Trng Bn, Longbridge Deverill on 2nd Aug 1918 Proceeding overseas, ex Trng Pool, via Folkestone, on 29th Aug 1918

Marched in to AIDBD, Havre, from UK, ex sick, on 1st Sep 1918

Marched out to unit on 3rd Sep 1918

Rejoined unit, ex sick, on 6th Sep 1918

KIA on 29th Sep 1918, buried Bellicourt British Cemetery, France

"This soldier was killed by H.E. shell wounds in the back whilst taking part in operations on BELLICOURT on 9/9/18 and buried WAINCOURT 1/20,000 G.23.c5.5. 1600 yards S.S.W of NAUROY."

DURKIN William Francis

Service No 840

Rank

Born Newport, Melbourne, Victoria

Mr John Durkin, 34 Durkin St, Newport, Melbourne, Victoria NoK

5th Jul 1915 Newport, Melbourne, Vic Enlistment

25 Age

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Labourer

34 Durkin St, Newport, Melbourne, Victoria Address

Outcome RTA 3rd May 1919

Original, 'D' Coy, 31^{st} Bn / 5th MG Bn Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915

Belgian Croix de Guerre

RTA per HT 'Leicestershire' on 3rd May 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 21st Jun 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 13th Aug 1919

DUTNEY

Harry



Service No 4977 Rank Sgt

Born Rosewood, Brisbane, Queensland

NoK Mr George Herbert & Mrs Elizabeth Clarke Dutney, 'Louis' Park Rd, Yeronga, South Brisbane, Qld

Enlistment 1st Mar 1917 Rosewood, Queensland

Age

19

Status & Religion Single, Cong.

Occupation School Teacher/ Soldier, Instructionnal Staff

Address Rosewood, Queensland
Outcome KIA on 5th Oct 1918
Notes 14th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A20 "HORORATA", 14th June, 1917

49th Bn

KIA on 5th Oct 1918

DUVAL

William Nancarrow



Service No 3791 Rank Pte

Born Townsville, Queensland

NoK friend, Mrs Bridget Murphy, Phillip St, West End, Townsville, Queensland

Enlistment 8th May 1916 Townsville, Queensland

Age 36

Status & Religion Single, C.of E. Occupation Woodcutter

Address Clevedon, Ayr Line, via Townsville, Queensland

Outcome RTA 7th Jun 1918 Notes 9th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A49 "SEANG CHOON", 19th September 1916

Disembarked at Plymouth, England on 9th Dec 1916

RTA 7th Jun 1918

DWYER Charles Timothy Leo "Leo" ?

Service No 651 Rank Pte

Born Ballarat, Victoria

NoK brother, Mr O Dwyer,17 Wills St, Ballarat, Victoria

Enlistment 14th Jul 1915 Ballarat, Victoria

Age 28 Status & Religion Single, R.C.,

Occupation Driver
Address 17 Wills St, Ballarat, Victoria
Outcome RTA 26th Sep 1917

Notes Ballarat Avenue of Honor, Tree # 3243?, Planted by

Original, 'C' Coy, 31st Bn / 5th FA Bde

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", on 9^{th} Nov 1915

Disembarked at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to 5th Div Artillery on 15th Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 25th Howitzer Bde, and posted to 115th Battery, on 15th Mar 1916

RTA per HT 'Borda' due valvular diseased heart, on 26th Sep 1917

Disembarked at Melbourne on 21st Nov 1917

Discharged at Melbourne on 24th Dec 1917 Died at Ballarat East, Victoria in 1918

DWYERThomasService No4291RankPte

Born Eldevold Queensland

NoK Mr John Dwyer, Eidsvold, Gayndah, Queensland Enlistment 28th Aug 1916 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 25

Status & Religion Single, R.C. Occupation Stockman

Address Brisbane, Queensland
Outcome RTA 24th Dec 1918
Notes 11th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, Queensland, on HMAT A55 "KYARRA", 17th November, 1916

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

WIA (GSW R arm) on 26th Sep 1917 at Polygon Wood

RTA per 'Takada' on 24th Dec 1918

Disembarked at Melbourne, on 11th Feb 1919, awaiting transport to Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane on 12th Apr 1919

DYBALL Leo Daniel

Service No 1699 (501)

Rank Pte

Born Taree, NSW

NoK sister: Miss V Dyball, Taree, Manning River, NSW

Mrs Crane

Enlistment 13th Jul 1915 Brisbane, Queensland

Age 35

Status & Religion Single, C of E Occupation Stockman

Address Taree, Manning River, NSW Outcome RTA 8th Apr 1918
Notes To 31st Bn on 13th Jul 1915

To 2nd Rfts, 29th Bn on 15th Nov 1915

Embarked A60 HMAT 'Demosthenes' at Fremantle, (from Australia) on 29th Dec 1915

Disembarked at

Allotted to and proceeded to join 46th Bn ex 8th Trng Bn, Zeitoun, on 5th Mar 1916

Taken on strength 46th Bn, at Tel el Kebir, on 6th Mar 1916 Taken on strength of 12th Fld Arty Bde, mustered as Gunner and posted to 48th Batty, at Tel el Kebir on 17th Mar 1916

WIA on 14th Aug 1917

RTA per 'Dunluce Castle' due pulmonary tuberculosis on 8^{th} Apr 1918

DYER

Edward Victor Herbert



Service No 1689 Rank Pte

Born Sandgate, Queensland

NoK Mr Edward Dyer, Nanango, Queensland Enlistment 12th Jul 1915 Sandgate, Queensland

Age 26

Status & Religion Single, Cong. Occupation Carpenter

Address Sandgate, Queensland
Outcome RTA 21st Dec 1918

Notes 2nd Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Brisbane, on HMAT A55 "Kyarra", 3rd Jan 1916 Disembarked, ex 'Demosthenes', at Suez on 31st Jan 1916

To 8th Trng Bn, Cairo

Allotted to and proceeded to 47th Bn at Zeitoun on 1st Apr 1916 Taken on strength of 47th Bn at Serapeum, on 1st Apr 1916

Proceeded to join BEF per 'Caledonian' at Alexandria on 2nd Jun 1916

Disembarked at Marseilles on 9th Jun 1916

WIA (GSW head & R leg) on 29th Mar 1918

RTA per 'Takada' GSW R leg, on 21st Dec 1918

Disembarked at Melbourne on 11th Mar 1919, awaiting transport to Brisbane

Discharged at Brisbane on 27th Jan 1920

DYER Ernest Henry
Service No 2658
Rank Pte

Born Fitzroy, Melbourne, Victoria

NoK sister, Miss F Dyer, 16 Earle St, Randwick, Sydney, NSW

(f) Mr WH Dyer, c/o Marcus Mark, Lismore, NSW

Enlistment 17th Aug 1915 Lismore, NSW

Age 26

Status & Religion Single C of E Occupation Insurance Agent

Address Outcome

RTA 5th Apr 1919

Notes

Embarked 49th Bn

RTA per 'Armagh' from England on 5th Apr 1919

Discharged Died 13th Sep 1935 DYER Richard Service No 3015A Rank Pte

Born Melbourne, Victoria

NoK Mrs Mary Dyer, Miles PO, Queensland Enlistment 21st Jan 1916 Toowoomba, Queensland

Age 43

Status & Religion Married, R.C.
Occupation Labourer

Address Toowoomba, Queensland
Outcome RTA 11th Jan 1918

Notes 6th Rfts, 31st Bn

Embarked at Sydney, NSW, on HMAT A40 "Ceramic", 14th April 1916

RTA 11th Jan 1918

DYER Victor Clarence



Service No 3224 Rank Pte

Born Dulwich Hill, Sydney

NoK (w) Elsie Maude Dyer, 5 Paul St, Randwick, Sydney, NSW

Later: 22 Ruthven St, Waverley, Sydney, NSW

Enlistment 13th Sep 1915

Age 23

Status & Religion Married, C of E Occupation Furnace Assistant

Address 5 Paul St, Randwick, Sydney, NSW

Outcome DOW on 7th July 1918, Buried Vignacourt British Cemetery, IV. B. 10.

Notes 'C' Coy, 2nd Depot Bn from 15th Nov 1915 to 6th Mar 1916

4th Rfts, 31st Bn

 7^{th} Rfts, 30^{th} Bn from 6^{th} Mar 1916 AWM Photo P03633.004 at Bulford

Embarked HMT 'Hororata' at Sydney on 2nd Apr 1916

Disembarked at Suez on 9th Jun 1916

Proceeded overseas per 'Franconia' from Alexandria on 2nd Aug 1916

Taken on strength of 8th Trng Bn, (30th Bn) Larkhill, from overseas, on 22nd Aug 1916

Proceeding overseas to France, per SS 'Onward', ex 8th Trng Bn, Codford, via Folkestone, on 12th Nov 1916

Taken on strength 5th Div Base, Etaples, ex England, on 13th Nov 1916

Proceeded to join 56th Bn, on 29th Nov 1916

Taken on strength 56th Bn, ex 53rd Bn, on 22nd Nov 1917

To 2nd Army Gas School on 8th Jan 1918

Rejoined Battalion on 13th Jan 1918

WIA (BW head, arm, hand, R leg) on 7th Jul 1918

Admitted 15th Fld Amb (BW head, arm, hand, R leg) and transferred to CCS, on 7th Jul 1918

Admitted 61st CCS on 7th Jul 1918

DOW on 7th July 1918,

Buried Vignacourt British Cemetery, IV. B. 10. By Rev S.A. Boycott. Map 1/40,000Sht 57E W.2.2.B.4.7

DYKER Bruce Fenwick

Service No 842 Rank Dvr

Born Geelong, Victoria

NoK Mrs Amelia Dyker, 7 Little Millar St, Richmond, Melbourne, Victoria

7th Jul 1915 Enlistment Richmond, Melbourne, Vic.

22 Age

Single, Pres Plasterer Status & Religion Occupation

7 Little Millar St, Richmond, Melbourne, Victoria Address

15th May 1919 Outcome RTA

Original, 'D' Coy, 31st Bn / 14th FA Bde Notes

Embarked at Melbourne, on HMAT A62 "WANDILLA", 9 Nov 1915

Disembarked HMAT Wandilla at Suez on 7th Dec 1915 Transferred to 5th Div Artillery on 15th Mar 1916

Taken on strength of 25th Howitzer Bde, and posted to 115th Battery, on 15th Mar 1916 Mustered as Driver on 10th May 1916

Transferred to 114th Battery on 7th Jul 1916

WIA (GSW L shoulder) on 2nd Aug 1917

RTA per 'Orontes' on 15th May 1919 Disembarked at Melbourne on 28th Jun 1919 Discharged at Melbourne on 16th Sep 1919

Married May Angelina Dyker

Died at Dandenong on 2nd Jul 1982