

Order of Service

Dedication
and
Burial

Fromelles
(Pheasant Wood)
Military Cemetery

19th July 2010



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Office of Australian War Graves



INTRODUCTION

THIS REGISTER WAS PUBLISHED FOR THE INFORMATION OF FAMILIES AND VISITORS ATTENDING THE OPENING OF THE NEW FROMELLES MILITARY CEMETERY ON 19 JULY 2010.

IT WAS INTENDED THE DOCUMENT ENABLE DESCENDANTS TO REFERENCE AUSTRALIAN FIRST WORLD WAR SERVICEMEN BEING DISINTERRED FROM THE MASS GRAVE AT PHEASANT WOOD AND TO ALSO SUPPORT THE OFFICIAL SERVICE HONOURING THOSE WHO PARTICIPATED IN THIS MILITARY ENGAGEMENT.

THE DOCUMENT LISTS GREAT WAR SOLDIERS THAT WERE IDENTIFIED DURING THE RECOVERY PROJECT AT FROMELLES AND WHO NOW LIE BENEATH NAMED MEMORIALS

FROMELLES (PHEASANT WOOD) MILITARY CEMETERY

Nord, France

Historical notes:

In the early evening of 19 July 1916, near the village of Fromelles, in northern France, two infantry divisions newly arrived on the Western Front, the 5th Australian and British 61st (South Midland) attacked a 4,000 yard section of the German frontline centred on a notorious strongpoint called the "Sugar Loaf". Advancing over unfavourable ground, in clear view of resolute and expectant defenders, the attackers suffered terrible casualties in a matter of minutes. The action turned into a bloody catastrophe - the Australians had over 5,500 killed, wounded and missing; 61st Division reported over 1,500 killed, wounded and missing. No tactical advantages resulted from the action and it remains the worst day in Australian military history.

For a more in-depth account of the 1916 Battle of Fromelles visit www.cwgc.org/fromelles.

Fromelles (Pheasant Wood) Military Cemetery is the first new war cemetery to be built by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission in fifty years. The cemetery contains 250 Australian and British soldiers, whose remains were recovered in 2009 from a number of mass graves located behind nearby Pheasant Wood, where they had been buried by the Germans following the disastrous battle of Fromelles on 19 and 20 July 1916. The cemetery, officially dedicated on 19 July 2010, was designed by Barry Edwards.

Visiting information:

Internal gradients are manageable for those with mobility problems and there is ramped access to the Cross of Sacrifice terrace. The cemetery has its own parking area.

Location notes:

Fromelles is a small village situated in the Nord/Pas de Calais region of Northern France, 22 kilometres west of Lille and 104 kilometres south east of Calais, close to the villages of Aubers and Herlies. The GPS co-ordinates are: N 50° 36', E 2° 51' The cemetery is sign posted from the main N41 Lille - La Basse road. When arriving in Fromelles the cemetery is located on Rue de la Basse Ville opposite the church and civil cemetery.

THE REGISTER OF THE WAR DEAD

- ARNOTT**, Private, COLIN HENRY, 1968, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 21. Son of Colin and Alice Jane Arnott. Native of Laurieton, New South Wales. Grave Ref. III. B. 2.
- BALKIN**, Private, MICHAEL WILLIAM, 4254, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 38. Grave Ref. IV. A. 6.
- BARRETT**, Private, ROSSITER ALFRED, 3031, 55th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 19. Son of George and Margaret Barrett, of "Rawene," William St., Annandale, New South Wales. Grave Ref. I. F. 10.
- BENNETT**, Lance Corporal, ALLAN, 1602, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 31. Son of Henry Goulding Bennett and Fanny Collier Bennett, of "Aberkenfig," Waroonga Rd., Claremont, Western Australia. Born Clunes, Victoria. Grave Ref. II. E. 15.
- BENSON**, Private, GEORGE VERNER, 840, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 22. Son of John Henry and Emma J Benson (nee Richards) of Inverell, New South Wales. Native of Captains Flat. Grave Ref. II. F. 4.
- BISHOP**, Private, RAYMOND CHARLES, 3761, 55th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 20. Son of Alice A. Bishop, of Tilba Tilba, New South Wales, and the late William Bishop. Native of Moruya. His brother Harold also fell. Grave Ref. I. E. 11.
- BOLT**, Corporal, HERBERT THOMAS, 3009, 55th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F. 20 July 1916. Age 22. Son of Frederick and Mary Bolt; husband of Jennie Margaret Bolt, of 144, Wilson St., Newtown, New South Wales. Born at Sydney. Grave Ref. III. B. 6.
- BOURKE**, Private, HAROLD JOHN, 1682, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 22. Son of Richard and Catherine Bourke, of Carrington St., West Maitland, New South Wales. Grave Ref. III. B. 5.
- BRADNEY**, Private, REGINALD RAYMOND, 1888, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 20. (Served as WILDMAN). Son of Mrs. Oriel A. Jones, of Polding St., Yass, New South Wales. Native of Keira Village, Wollongong. Grave Ref. III. A. 4.
- BRUMM**, Private, NORMAN LESLIE, 1470, 29th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 19. Son of Michael and Mary Ogilive Brumm, of Macauley St., Albury, New South Wales. Grave Ref. I. B. 5.
- BURNEY**, Private, EDWARD NASON, 1226, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 23. Son of William and Frances M. Burney, of Morwell, Victoria. Native of Port Melbourne. Grave Ref. IV. D. 2.
- BURNS**, Lieutenant, ROBERT DAVID, 43, 14th Coy., Australian Machine Gun Corps. 20 July 1916. Age 28. Son of Col. the Hon. Sir James Burns, K.C.M.G., and Mary Burns. Grave Ref. I. F. 1.
- CHINNER**, Lieutenant, ERIC HARDING, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F. 20 July 1916. Age 22. Son of Thomas Henry and Sarah Chinner, of 85, Grant Avenue, Toorak, South Australia. Native of Peterborough, South Australia. Grave Ref. II. D. 8.
- CLINGAN**, Private, ALEXANDER STANLEY, 3168, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 22. Son of William and Ruth Clingan. Native of Waterloo, New South Wales. Grave Ref. III. E. 8.

- CORIGLIANO**, Private, MAURICE, 2011, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 32. Grave Ref. II. F. 14.
- COSGRIFF**, Private, THOMAS JOSEPH, 2150, 59th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 20. Grave Ref. IV. C. 9.
- CRESSY**, Private, HENRY ALFRED, 4179, 54th Bn, Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 22. Son of Brougham and Ann Elizabeth Cressy, of Creek Rd., Boolaroo, New South Wales. Native of Tamworth. Grave Ref. II. C. 11.
- CROFT**, Private, GEORGE, 2006, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 24. Son of Sarah Elizabeth Croft, of 50, Everton St., Hamilton, New South Wales, and the late Francis Croft. Native of Minmi. Grave Ref. III. D. 2.
- CROKER**, Private, HARRY, 2010, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 24. Son of Robert and Sarah Jane Croker, of Failford, New South Wales. Born Taree, N.S.W. Grave Ref. III. B. 7.
- CUCKSON**, Private, WILLIAM JOSEPH, 3032, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 27. Son of William and Margret Cuckson. Born Balmain, Sydney. Grave Ref. II. A. 4.
- CULLEN**, Private, WILLIAM JOSEPH, 623, 31st Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F. 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 19. Grave Ref. IV. E. 4.
- DEWAR**, Private, ROBERT ARTHUR, 3047, 55th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 30. Son of Robert and Kate Elizabeth Dewar, of 700; Barking Rd., Plaistow, London, England. Grave Ref. II. F. 7.
- DIBBEN**, Private, EDWIN HENRY, 4183A, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 33. Grave Ref. I. F. 7.
- DUNSTAN**, Private, BENEDICT JOHN ARTHUR, 4483, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 23. Son of William and Catherine Louisa Dunstan, of "Faraday," Connemara St., Bexley, New South Wales. Native of Carlton. Grave Ref. I. E. 1.
- DYSON**, Private, FREDERICK ARTHUR, 3560, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 19. Son of James Henry and Hannah Eliza Dyson, of Sherwood, New South Wales. Grave Ref. III. A. 1.
- ESAM**, Private, HAROLD, 491, 31st Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 22. Grave Ref. III. C. 8.
- FAHEY**, Private, PATRICK WILLIAM, 3060, 55th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 22. Son of Patrick and Catherine Fahey, of 18, Peel St., Collingwood, Victoria. Grave Ref. III. C. 7.
- FARLOW**, Private, SAMUEL, 80, 29th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 41. Grave Ref. IV. D. 6.
- FENWICK**, Private, ROBERT GLADSTONE, 882, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 21. Grave Ref. I. C. 11.
- GREEN**, Corporal, ROBERT COURTNEY, 1274, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 30. Son of Augustus Phillip and Jane Green, of 168, Ashley Rd., Upper Parkestone, Dorset, England. Native of London. Grave Ref. III. C. 9.
- GRIFFITHS**, Private, GILBERT ALLEN, 1276, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 30. Grave Ref. I. E. 8.

- HALE**, Private, NORMAN ARTHUR, 702, 31st Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F. 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 21. Son of Joseph Arthur and Annie Maria Hale, of 146, Stanley St., West Melbourne. Born Melbourne. Grave Ref. III. E. 9.
- HARRIOTT**, Private, LAURENCE, 4509, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 27. Son of Thomas Whelan Harriott and Mary Jane Harriott, of 119, Devonshire St., Sydney. Native of Ryde, New South Wales. Grave Ref. IV. B. 4.
- HART**, Corporal, LESLIE WILLIAM, 865, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 22. Son of Frederick William and Jane Hart, of 62, Kingsley St., Elwood, Victoria. Born Ballarat, Victoria. Grave Ref. III. D. 3.
- HAWCROFT**, Private, CHARLES HENRY, 188, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 21. Son of Samuel and Elizabeth Hawcroft. Born Merewether, New South Wales. Grave Ref. II. C. 2.
- HIGGINS**, Private, WILLIAM BRUCE, 196, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 19. Grave Ref. I. D. 3.
- HOLLIDAY**, Private, CLIFFORD DAWSON, 4801, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 21. Grave Ref. I. E. 7.
- HOLMES**, Private, ARNOLD, 955, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 27. Son of John and Eva Holmes, of "Otranto," Solomon St., Cottesloe Beach, Western Australia. Native of New Lenton, Nottingham, England. Grave Ref. IV. B. 10.
- HOWARD**, Private, WILLIAM JOHN, 258, 31st Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 47. (Served as MORLEY, John). Grave Ref. IV. E. 3.
- IRVIN**, Private, DAVID GEORGE, 4807, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 23. Grave Ref. IV. E. 1.
- IRVING**, Private, ALLAN WILLIAM JAMES, 1528, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 21. Son of William Henry and Alice Maude Mary Irving, of Edward St., Glandore, South Australia. Native of Adelaide. Grave Ref. I. E. 4.
- JAMES**, Private, FREDERICK, 3347, 14th Coy., Australian Machine Gun Corps. Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 22. Grave Ref. IV. A. 7.
- JENTSCH**, Lance Sergeant, ERNEST AUGUSTUS, 3331, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 22. Only son of Ernest Felix and Alice Elizabeth Jentsch, of "Carlton," Hampstead Rd., Petersham, New South Wales. Grave Ref. II. A. 5.
- JOHNSTON**, Private, CYRIL DONALD, 4315A, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 24. Son of Ronald and Elizabeth Johnston. Native of Inverell, New South Wales. Grave Ref. I. D. 6.
- KENDALL**, Corporal, HASSALL MARSDEN HARDING, 365, 31st Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 21. Son of Thomas Harding Kendall and Bridget Mary Kendall, of "Kirmington," Abergeldie St., Dulwich Hill, New South Wales. Grave Ref. II. F. 16.
- LAWLOR**, Private, DANIEL MICHAEL, 126, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 29. Son of Johanna Lawlor, of 122, Gray St., Adelaide, and the late John Patrick Lawlor. Grave Ref. II. D. 10.

- LEISTER**, Private, LESLIE, 4840, 55th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 21. Son of Sarah Jane Whiteman; Nephew of Robert Duncan and Eliza Leister, of Parkes, New South Wales. Grave Ref. I. E. 5.
- LOADER**, Private, FRANK OLIVER, 2064, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 31. Son of Hannah Loader, of 30, Morris St., St. Peters, South Australia, and the late Timothy James Loader. Grave Ref. I. C. 9.
- LUCRE**, Private, GEORGE HENRY, 467, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 23. Grave Ref. III. D. 7.
- MAYER**, Private, HENRY, 2873, 55th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 23. Son of William Henry and Elizabeth Alice Mayer. Native of Stockport, England. Grave Ref. IV. B. 5.
- McDOWELL**, Sergeant, ATHOL HALLIDAY, 3194, 60th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 26. Son of Alexander and Elizabeth McDowell, of 186, North Rd., Brighton, Victoria. Born Melbourne, Victoria. Grave Ref. III. B. 4.
- McKENZIE**, Private, ALEXANDER McGREGOR (ALEC), 1797A, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 25. Son of James McGregor McKenzie and Mary McKenzie. Native of Talia, South Australia. Grave Ref. I. D. 1.
- McLEAN**, Private, HUGH, 293, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 28. Son of James William and Ellen Matilda McLean. Native of Tarnagulla, Victoria. Grave Ref. IV. C. 6.
- MENDELSON**, Lieutenant, BERROL LAZAR, 55th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 25. Son of Mrs. Abbie Mendelsohn, of "Berrol," Neridah St., Chatswood, New South Wales, and the late Sali Mendelsohn. Native of Esk, Queensland. Grave Ref. II. F. 2.
- MEYERS**, Private, COLIN, 2055, 31st Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 16. (Served as MORGAN, Cecil). Son of Reginald and Emily Meyers. Native of Goulburn, New South Wales. Grave Ref. I. B. 7.
- MITCHELL**, Lieutenant, ALAN, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 22. Son of George Alexander Mitchell and Marion Mitchell, of "Camrie," Doncaster Avenue, Kensington, New South Wales. Born Sydney. Grave Ref. I. C. 2.
- MOMPLHAIT**, Private, ALFRED VICTOR, 3282, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 29. Son of Jean Gustav Momplhait and of Edith Helen Bushell (formerly Momplhait). Born Alberton, South Australia. Grave Ref. IV. B. 2.
- MOORE**, Private, WILLIAM, 3393, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 26. Son of William Angus and Rose Eleanor Moore, of Harrierville, Victoria. Grave Ref. I. F. 8.
- MOREY**, Private, GILBERT MAJOR, 3366A, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 41. Son of Matthew Major Morey and Emily Major Morey. Native of New Zealand. Grave Ref. III. D. 14.
- MORGAN**, Private, CECIL, 2055, ALIAS. 19 July 1916. Age 17. See MEYERS, Colin, the true family name.
- MORLEY**, Private, JOHN, 258, ALIAS. 20 July 1916. Age 47. See HOWARD, W.J., the true family name.

- NEVILL**, Private, JOSEPH HAROLD, 269, 31st Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 22. Son of Henry James and Ada Annie Nevill, of Jackson St., Indooroopilly, Queensland. Grave Ref. II. F. 1.
- NORRIS**, Lieutenant Colonel, IGNATIUS BERTRAM, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 35. Grave Ref. III. A. 3.
- PAGAN**, Lance Corporal, GEORGE, 2906, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 25. Son of George and Jennett Pagan, of "Burnside," Scott Grove, East Malvern, Victoria. Native of Ardmona. Grave Ref. II. D. 3.
- PARKER**, Second Lieutenant, JOHN, 572, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 20. Son of Edwin Albert and Sarah Parker, of 36, Parkes St., Lismore, New South Wales. Native of Kiama. Grave Ref. III. E. 11.
- PARRY**, Private, FREDERICK, 320, 29th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 20. Born Brunswick, Victoria. Grave Ref. II. D. 4.
- PFLAUM**, Private, RAYMOND HOLSTEIN, 161, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F. 19 July 1916. Age 19. Son of Theodor and Mary Jane Pflaum, of Birdwood, South Australia. Grave Ref. I. B. 11.
- PHEASANT**, Private, WALTER, 2462, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 22. Grave Ref. IV. B. 11.
- PITT**, Private, HAROLD CHARLES, 595, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 19. Son of Charles and Louisa Ann Pitt, of John St., Payneham, South Australia. Grave Ref. IV. D. 4.
- POLLARD**, Private, HERBERT GEORGE, 324, 29th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 25. Son of George and Euphemia Beatrice Pollard; husband of Hilda G. Pollard, of 305, Raglan St., Ballarat, Victoria. Native of Northcote. Grave Ref. IV. A. 5.
- PRATT**, Second Lieutenant, ALBERT ERNEST, 3099, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 23. Son of Henry James and Matilda Annette Emily Pratt, of Bega Rd., Northbridge, North Sydney, New South Wales. Native of Auckland, New Zealand. Grave Ref. I. E. 10.
- PRETTY**, Private, WALTER HAINSWORTH, 1556, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 19. Grave Ref. I. C. 6.
- RANDALL**, Private, HOWARD JAMES, 1558, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 25. Son of Samuel and Eliza Randall. Native of Kingston, South Australia. Grave Ref. IV. D. 10.
- RAWLINGS**, Private, FREDERICK, 916, 31st Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 29. Son of Joseph and Mary Ann Rawlings. Native of Ballarat, Victoria. Grave Ref. III. A. 6.
- REID**, Sergeant, JAMES ALEXANDER, 335, 29th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 22. Son of James and Rosa Marie Reid, of "Alex," 13, Swanston St., Geelong, Victoria. Grave Ref. III. C. 2.
- RIDLER**, Private, SAMUEL THOMAS JAMES, 1036, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 43. Son of Samuel and Mary Ridler. Born Surrey, England. Grave Ref. IV. B. 3.

RONSON, Private, WILLIAM, 3102, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 24. Son of John and Anne Jane Ronson. Native of New South Wales. Grave Ref. I. F. 2.

ROSS, Corporal, JAMES HUGH, 1216, 29th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 23. Son of James A. and Alice T. Ross, of 99, Arthurton Rd., Northcote, Victoria. Born Stirling, Scotland. Grave Ref. II. D. 1.

RYAN, Corporal, WILLIAM POLDING, 1520, 31st Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 20. Grave Ref. I. A. 2.

SAMPSON, Major, VICTOR HORATIO BULLER, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 28. Son of Mr. B. E. and Mrs. K. S. Sampson, of Bringelly, New South Wales. Grave Ref. IV. C. 1.

SCOTT, Private, ROBERT GRIEVE MONCRIEFF, 1046, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 21. Son of Andrew Moncrieff Scott and Christian Brydon Grieve Scott, of Upper Keir, Thornhill, Dumfriesshire, Scotland. Born at Perth, Scotland. Grave Ref. II. E. 6.

SIMON, Private, VICTOR GEORGE, 1516, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 23. Son of John Blondel Simon and Eliza Simon, of Charles St., Paddington, South Australia. Grave Ref. IV. C. 2.

SPENCE, Private, MALCOLM, 4614, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 23. Son of James and Zella Spence. Native of Footscray, Victoria. Grave Ref. I. B. 2.

STALGIS, Corporal, GREGORY FRANCIS, 2898, 14th Coy., Australian Machine Gun Corps. Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 21. Son of Mr. J. and Mrs. A. Stalgis, of 45, Edgeware Rd., Enmore, New South Wales. Native of Sydney, New South Wales. Grave Ref. I. D. 9.

STEAD, Private, JOSEPH RAYMOND, 187, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 21. Grave Ref. I. C. 5.

STEED, Corporal, FRANK ISAAC, 755, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 33. Son of Frederick and Catherine Steed; husband of A. Steed. Native of Croydon Park, New South Wales. Grave Ref. II. C. 10.

TISBURY, Private, CHARLES FREDERICK, 1623, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 23. Grave Ref. III. E. 10.

TUCKER, Private, WILLIAM CHARLES, 1581, 32nd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 20. Son of James Douglas Percy and Margaret Tucker, of 146, Grant Avenue, Toorak. Adelaide. Grave Ref. II. F. 6.

TURNER, Private, JOHN, 767, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 20. Grave Ref. II. D. 6.

VERPILLOT, Private, AIME CONSTANT, 4885, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 25. Son of Charles Eugene and Berthe Verpillot, of 15, Barracluff Avenue, Bondi, New South Wales. Native of Neuchatel, Switzerland. Grave Ref. II. D. 2.

VINCENT, Private, LAWRENCE STANLEY, 777, 30th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 21. Son of Charles and Isabella Caroline Vincent, of "Laurieville," Military Rd., Merrylands, New South Wales. Born Narrabri. Grave Ref. II. C. 6.

WAILES, Private, JOSEPH PATRICK, 4617, 54th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 20 July 1916. Age 19. (Served as WALLIS). Son of Fredrick Charles and Jane Wailes. Native of Darlinghurst, New South Wales. Grave Ref. I. E. 2.

WALLIS, Private, JOSEPH PATRICK, 4617, ALIAS. 20 July 1916. Age 19. See "WAILES," the true family name.

WEBB, Private, THOMAS RICHARD, 2910, 60th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 26. Son of Henry and Alice Webb, of 7, Thistlewaite St., South Melbourne. Native of Melbourne. Grave Ref. II. F. 10.

WEIR, Private, ARTHUR JOSEPH, 358, 29th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 27. Grave Ref. I. B. 4.

WILDMAN, Private, REGINALD RAYMOND, 1888, ALIAS. 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 20. See BRADNEY, the true family name.

WILKIN, Private, ERNEST FRANK, 1314, 29th Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 23. Grave Ref. II. E. 16.

WILLIS, Private, HENRY VICTOR, 983, 31st Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F. 19 July 1916 - 20 July 1916. Age 20. Son of John and Janet Willis, of Alberton, Victoria. Grave Ref. II. F. 11.

WILSON, Private, ERIC ROBERT, 4887, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 20. His brother, Samuel Charles, also died in service and is buried alongside him. Grave Ref. II. E. 2.

WILSON, Private, SAMUEL CHARLES, 3534, 53rd Bn., Australian Infantry, A.I.F., Killed in action 19 July 1916. Age 30. His brother, Eric Robert, also died in service and is buried alongside him. Grave Ref. II. E. 1.

Additional Personnel Identified

More identified casualties from Fromelles Pheasant Wood

THIS ADDITIONAL LIST OF IDENTIFIEDS IS BASED ON 'FROMELLES IDENTIFICATIONS' POSTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE ON ITS WEBSITE. IT IS CROSS-REFERENCED WITH THE BATTLE OF FROMELLES ROLL OF MISSING UPLOADED TO THE WEBSITE OF FROMELLES DISCUSSION GROUP WHICH WAS ORIGINALLY CREATED FROM DATA PROVIDED BY THE COMMONWEALTH WAR GRAVES COMMISSION.

The record below is useful from two points of view. Firstly the initial list includes identifieds post the dedication of the new Fromelles (Pheasant Wood) Military Cemetery. Names highlighted in black are soldiers not found in the earlier roll of missing. [Where aliases occur names have been adopted from the schedule 'Fromelles Identifications'].

Dedication of the Fromelles Cemetery on 19 July 2010 underscored the need to aggregate the remains of all unidentified Great War diggers from the Battle of Fleurbaix. Of the 250 men recovered and reburied at that point, most were Australian. Included among the members of the First AIF identified were HT Bolt, RD Burns, WJ Cullen, NA Hale, RH Pflaum and HV Willis commemorated at Villers Bretonnuex rather than VC Corner, while two others, AE Pratt and RGM Scott, were thought to be under named headstones at Pozieres British Cemetery and Rue-Petillon respectively. In addition it is believed according to information received back then, that David King was supposed to be buried at Rue-Petillon as well, however he is still listed as missing. Photographs of VC Corner Cemetery and soldier headstones which have been uploaded to Fromelles Discussion Group are courtesy of Plerre Vanderveldon, WebMaster, INMEMORY.com: <http://www.inmemories.com> and Chris and Jean Cosgrove, who are duly acknowledged.

To date there have been 144 diggers identified.

[A] 2560 Sgt David Anderson 54th Btn I [B] 3007 Pte Vinton Baker 55th Btn I 346 Pte William Barber 32nd Btn I 605 Pte Thomas Bills 31st Btn I 3013 Pte Leonard Broadhurst 55th Btn I 4744 Pte Albert Bromley 53rd Btn I [C] 495 Sgt Jack Campbell 54th Btn I 3585A Pte William Connolly 54th Btn I 4420 L Cpl William Craigie 54th Btn I 79 Pte John Crocker 32nd Btn I [D] 3557 Pte Willie Doust 54th Btn I [E] [F] 3310 Cpl Frederick Fletcher 55th Btn I 4779 Pte Robert Forland 53rd Btn I 3046 Pte John Forrest 54th Btn I 2584 Pte Thomas Francis 29th Btn I [G] 4811 Pte Percy Geason 55th Btn I 1291 L Cpl Frederic Glenn 30th Btn I 555 Pte John Goulding 31st Btn I 4296 Pte Sidney Gray 54th Btn I 2nd Lt Reginald Griffen 32nd Btn I [H] 1390 Pte Herbert Haslam 29th Btn I 2056 Pte Matthew Hepple 30th Btn I 3327 Pte George Hungerford 53rd Btn I [I] [J] 2144 Pte William Jamieson 31st Btn I 2203 Pte Arthur Johnson 29th Btn I [K] 1603 Pte Adolf Knable 32nd Btn I [L] 94 Cpl Joseph Lee 60th Btn I 1168 Cpl David Livingston 29th Btn I [M] 1553 Pte Archie McDonald 31st Btn I 151 Pte John McKenzie 32nd Btn I 1590 Cpl Charles Murray 30th Btn I [N] [O] 319 Pte William O'Donnell 29th Btn I 316 Pte Ernest Oliver 29th Btn I [P] 2092 Pte Edgar Parham 32nd Btn I [Q] [R] 3256 Pte Maurice Reid 32nd Btn I 1087 Company Sgt Major William Rose 55th Btn I 4299 Pte Arthur Russell 54th Btn I 743 Pte Daniel Ryan 30th Btn I [S] Capt Thomas Francis Sheridan 29th Btn I 1245 Pte Gordon Smith 29th Btn I 3924 Pte Herbert St. Smith 55th Btn I [T] 1252 Cpl Alfred Tuck 29th Btn I [U] [V] [W] 311 Pte Leslie Walsh 31st Btn I 2184 Pte Claude Ward 30th Btn I 318 Pte Percy Weakley 31st Btn I 4249 Pte Albert Williamson 54th Btn I 794 Company Sergeant Major Harold Woodman 31st Btn I 2485 Pte John Wynn 30th Btn I [X] [Y] [Z]

Extra to the Roll of Missing promulgated by Fromelles Discussion Group and also recorded in the Register of War Dead distributed by the CWGC at the memorial service are the following:

3009 Cpl Herbert Bolt 55th Btn I 43 Lieutenant Robert Burns 14th Machine Gun Company I 623 Pte William Cullen 31st Btn I 491 Pte Harold Esam 31st Btn I 3060 Pte Patrick Fahey 55th Btn I 1274 Cpl Robert Green 32nd Btn I 702 Pte Norman Hale 31st Btn I 293 Pte Hughie McLean 32nd Btn I 2055 Pte Cecil Morgan (AKA Colin Meyers) 31st Btn I 258 Pte John Morley (AKA William John Howard) 31st Btn I 269 Pte Joseph Nevill 31st Btn I 161 Pte Raymond Pflaum 32nd Btn I 3099 2nd Lieutenant Albert Pratt 53rd Btn I 1046 Pte Robert Scott 32nd Btn I 983 Pte Henry Willis 31st Btn I