

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing  
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War  
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**Chief Engineer  
A S Currie**

**SS Wairuna**



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S.S. "Wairuna"  
Chief Engineer.

CURRIE,  
A.S.

"Prisoner of War."

Captured 2.6.17. Pacific Ocean.

Interned Karlsruhe.  
Cert. by German List 21.7.18.

London.  
15.4.18.

No inc.

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"I am here in this camp as P of W. reached here on 7.5.18.  
I was chief Engineer of the S.S. "Wairuna" Captured....  
The "Wairuna" was owned in New Zealand. I am a native of Melbourne  
and as such would be pleased if you will send parcels to me.  
The "Wairuna" had a crew of 42 persons (inclusive of 9 officers)  
but we are not now altogether."

Cert. by extract from Post card from man to Red Cross dated 11.5.18.

London.  
2.5.18.

No inc.