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1885 Private
Bertie Barker

36th Battalion



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AUSTRALIAN. 36 BARKER, Pte.

We were at Messines of June 7th. He was a reserve S/B and I heard was blown, more or less, to pieces. I went out to find his remains which I discovered and buried. I had no time to put up a cross. I gave what belongings I could find to Capt Piggott and reported this to him. Capt Piggott himself was killed afterwards. He was known as "Berty", was about 5ft 9, fair, an Englishman, joined in Australia.

Inf: S/B F.D. Hooker. 2081.
On Leave.
BOULOGNE. 26.11.17.

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