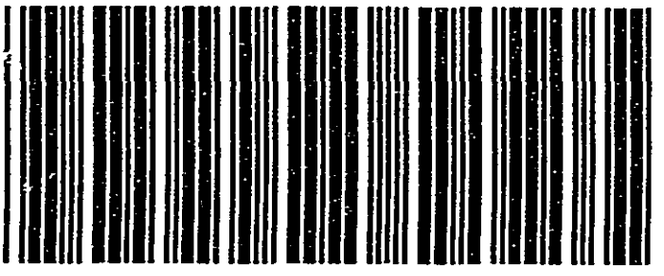
Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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4659 Private
Arthur Ernest Baggett

17th Battalion



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Enquiry included in W.S.M. Cable — No. [illegible] of [illegible]

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Name and Address of Enquirer: Mrs Jane Gilpin, 166 Town Hall, Leadenville

Relation of Enquirer to Enquiree: Mother

State if Next-of-Kin: Yes

16 June 16 1916

Ricardo Dre

Arthur Craig Secretary.

[redacted]

A.I.F. 17th Battn.

BAGGETT
Arthur Ernest
4659

K/A 3/5/17

No trace in Germany
Cert. by Capt. Mills 10/10/19

London
21/10/19

OHF.M.
P.I.

1.10.19.

Final Draft to

Th. E. A. Baggett
44 Watery Lane
Kentish Town
NW.19

about

4659 A.E. Baggett
17 + Box

17th Battn
AIF B Coy

BAGGETT
Arthur 4659

"Wounded andMissing 3.5.17."

Killed in Action 3.5.17. prev. reported Missing and wounded.
Cert. by AIF HdQtrs 3.1.17.

P.I & Off. M

London.
8.1.18.

ack
27.7.17

St Catherines
Headington Hill
Oxford

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21 JUL 1917

19 July 1917

CARLTON HOUSE TERRACE.

Dear Sir,

I have been asked to make enquiries for Pte Arthur Baggott 4659. 17 Ans. D. T. Bty. for Nurse Barraclough at Cowley Hospital (St Southern General). The name is already in the Enquiry Book, but I thought that possibly you would like to have the enclosed card giving his christian name. no. the place where he was missing - & how he was last seen.

Yours Truly
H. M. Pickard Cambridge

46 Waters Lane
Acton Park S.W.19
16-7-17
Rcd. 13-7-17

Dear Sir

I am sorry to trouble you but I have a son reported missing since the 3rd of May. I have written to his C.C. & he tells me that he was seen by three men of his Coy. being carried on a Stretcher to a dressing Station. and that is all he can tells me. But refers me to you he assures me that you will do all you can to find him for me his No. 4659. Pte. E. Baggett
15 Coy. 17 Batt
5th Inf. Brigade
2nd Division
France B.E.F.

Thanking you in anticipation
I remain
Yours Truly
E. A. Baggett.

1 FRONT France

AS TO

Battalion and Regiment.	Co.	Platoon	Casualty.
35th Battalion A.I.F.			K. Feb. 28/17. Dit D/B.

BY

Battalion and Regiment.	Co.	Platoon	Home Address.
35th Battalion A.I.F.	C.	10	Cpl. Mrs. P. Guilfoyle Tenalba Nr. Quirindi, N.S.W.

INFORMANT

first person).

as killed about the end of February - He was taken back and buried behind the lines. - I have seen his name on it. L.Cpl. men 35th original Battalion men.

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THE FOLLOWING

give name, number, etc., of the man who told him.

Informant says a man was killed, death instantaneous, and was body buried, and if so where? Instantaneous. Body buried in burying ground behind lines. Cross put up with name on it. (Corrected)

Were any other man of same in Co. or Battalion? Knew of no other. -

about 19 years. Cost for no other description.

Signature of Searcher A. Fell

Date of Report June 30th 1917

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Written Mrs. G. Barraclough

+Miss Barraclough 19 Bond Rd
3rd Southern Hpl (Bowley Hosp) Bitterne Park
Oxford. Southampton

Re.

46 59 Pte A.E. Baggett
17th Batn

27.7.17.

Acke 27.7.17

Surname and Christian name Archer Baggett
Rank

Name of Missing Man Pte

Regt'l ~~5th A.T. Brigade~~ 17th A.T.

Regimental No. 4659

Battalion 19th A.T.

Company B.

Platoon

Date when Missing 9th May 1917.

If Official yes

Place: Bullecourt.

Last seen by his C.O being taken off the field on a stretcher wounded.

Name and Address of the person to whom information should be sent Mrs J Baraclough

Rcd 26.7.17 19 Bond Road
Bittorne Park
Southampton.

POST CARD.

THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.

SPACE FOR ½d. STAMP.

THE SECRETARY,
British Red Cross Society & Order of St. John,
Enquiry Department,
18, Carlton House Terrace,
London, S.W.

Mrs.G.Barraclough,
19, Bond Rd, Bittern Rd,
Southampton.

January 11th, 1918.

Re 4659 ARTHUR BAGGETT, 17th Bttn, B.Co,A.I.F.

Dear Madam,

We regret to inform you that the above soldier who was previously reported Missing and Wounded is now reported as Killed in Action 8.8.17.

We are making further enquiries in the hope of learning details of his death and will send you any information we receive.

Regretting the distressing character of this news.

Yours faithfully,

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SECRETARY.

E.A.Baggett, Esq.,
[illegible], Watery Lane.
Merton Park, S.W.19.

January 11th, 1918.

Re ARTHUR BAGGETT, 4659, 17th Battalion, A.I.F.B.Coy.

Dear Sir,

We deeply regret to inform you that the above soldier who was previously reported Missing and Wounded is now reported Killed in Action on 3.5.17.

We are making further enquiries in the hope of learning full details of his death and will immediately forward to you any information that we receive.

Assuring you of our sincere sympathy in your loss.

Yours faithfully,

SECRETARY.

Nurse Barraclough,
3rd Southern General Hpl,
Oxford.

January 11th, 1918.

Re 4659 ARTHUR BARRETT, 17th Btln, B.Co,A.I.F.

Dear Madam,

We regret to inform you that the above soldier who was previously reported Missing & Wounded in now reported Killed in Action on 3.5.17.

We are making further enquiries in the hope of learning details of his death and will send you any information that we receive.

Regretting the distressing character of this news.

Yours faithfully,

Lgw.

SECRETARY.