

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing  
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War  
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**2335 Private  
Arthur Gordon  
Anderson**

**5th Pioneer Battalion**



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A.I.C. Pion. Btn

ANDERSON  
Pte. A.G. 2335

"Died of wounds"

The above died in this hospital at 8-30 a.m. on 21-10-17 from wounds of neck penetrating Chest and Head. He was buried in Lyssenthoek Cemetery, Map location sheet 27, Square L. 22. D. 6.3. Plot 22 B. grave 12.B.

Ref: letter recd. from O.C. 3rd Canadian C.C.Stn  
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"QUESTMAN, LONDON."

Dear Sir,

We have been asked by the relatives in Australia to obtain the fullest details possible of the wounds, death and burial of the above who died in your Hospital on 21-10-14 and would greatly appreciate any information that you may send us.

With apologies for troubling you.

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

*K. A. G. C. K.*

SECRETARY.

NOTE. We have been informed by various O.O's and Adjutants that the receipt of notes of thanks only causes them unnecessary inconvenience. Unless you ask us to acknowledge your reply to the above, we will not do so, and trust that you will understand that we appreciate it none the less.

*To Mr. O.C.*

3<sup>rd</sup> Canadian Casualty Clearing Station

*B. E. F.*

*see reverse*

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Australasian Red Cross Society,  
London.

No. 2335, Pte. Anderson, A.G. 5th Aust. Pnr Bn, died in this hospital at 8:30 a.m., 21/10/17 from wounds of neck penetrating Chest and Head.

He was buried in Lyssenthoek Cemetery,  
Map Location Sheet 27, Square L 22, D 6.3, plot 22 B.  
grave 12 B.

*J. H. J. G. G.*  
Lt. Col. D.A.M.C.  
Q.C. 3RD CANADIAN CASUALTY CLEARING STATION.

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5th Pioneers  
A.I.F.

ANDERSON,  
A.G. 2375

"Died of Wounds 21.11.17."

He died from a shell wound 2 days after he was hit (about Oct, 1917) between Lone House and Brochdale Ridge. His brother Charles (There is another "C. Anderson" in the 5th Pioneers but I think it's C.C., but not in the cock house who is a man of about 47 in C Coy. 5th Pioneers, in the Cock house, will have all the details. He came with the 4th reinforcement and belonged to C Coy. I very well know. We called him "Long-us".

Incident:- Lt Col. R.L. Ellis, 2376,  
A.G.Campbell. 5th Pioneers I.I.D. K.Y.  
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25th April 1918.

5th Aust. Pioneers.

Anderson A.G. 2335.

D/W 21st Octr 1917. Det D/B.

He was killed by a shell while carrying duck boards up on the Somme near Needle Dump and was buried in a shell hole close by and his grave was marked.

Inf:- Pte T. Draper No. 1061.  
5th Aust. Pioneers.  
H.S. 'St. David'.

RBS.

Havre.

6th. May. 1918.

5th. Australian Pioneers.

Anderson, A. G. 2335.

D/W. October. 21/1917. Det. D/B.

Sergeant Sayes told me that he saw Anderson wounded by a shell at Chateau Wood on October 1st. He said that he took him to the D/Station; he was badly so aid. He heard after that he died of wounds. Sergeant Sayes is still with the 5th. Australian Pioneers and he knows all particulars.

Inf:- Sergeant. A. S. H. Iforn. 2589.  
5th. Australian Pioneers.  
H.S. "Guildford Castle".

C.W.D.

N. J. 20/10/18