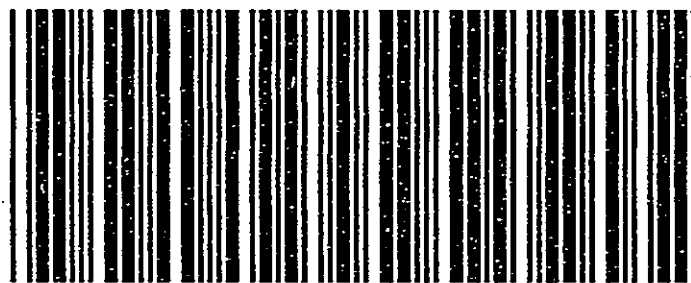


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Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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**4163 Private
John Charles Carr**

9th Battalion



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A.I.F. 9th Btn

John Chas. CARR
4163

"MISSING"

Killed in action 7-5-17 - previously reported Missing
ert. by A.I.F. Hqrs 28-12-17

London
2-1-18

B & P.I

9th Battn.
C.Coy.
A.I.F.

Carr.
J. C. 4163
(& 4 others, for full list
see E.H.Allen's report)

"Wounded & Missing 7.5.17"

Refer to Cpl.W.Bruce 9th Battalion.C.Coy.who is now in France and
can give full particulars of all these men.

Witness:-

Cpl.H.C.Black 4144
9th Battn. C.Coy. 10th Pltn.
3rd A.A.Hospital.
Dartford.

W.Oman.

London.
4.1218.

Note Written Cpl.Bruce 20.12.17.

B.
P.I.

off sent P.I

9th Battn. B.Coy.
A.I.F.

CARR
J.C. 4163

"Killed 7-5-17"

In July, 1917, at London, I was in this man's company. J.C. Carr had been wounded, but was convalescent. Men with the Battn. have had letters from him within the last 4 months, from Weymouth. Pte. Keefe was one of these men.

Eye-witness: Yes.
Description: Came from Brisbane.

Informant. Carr F.488 (reliable)
9th Battn. B.Coy.

Home address: Brisbane.
Ward 4 A,
1st Birmingham War Hpl.

H. Norman
28-4-18
London
3-5-18

P.I.
B.

Note: Hpl. Index gives Carr G.E. 7690 add. Tidworth Mil. Hpl. 26-1-18
Dis. 24-2-18.

A.I.F.
9th. Battalion.

CARR. 4163.
John Charles.

"Killed in Action 7.5.17".

No trace Germany.

Cert. by Capt. Mills. 10.10.19.

B.P.I.

London.
15.10.19.

9th Battn.
A. I. F.

CARR.
J. C. 4163

"Wounded & Missing 7.5.17."

Still wounded & missing, no further report.

Cert. by A.I.F.Hqrs 22.9.17.

London.
12.10.17.

Off.M.
P.I.

9th Battn. A.I.F.

Garr, Pte. J.C. 4163 D XIV

(W & M. May 7th 1917.)

"I was told that Garr and Cpl. Scott and Ken Monroe were all killed by one shell. Pte. O'Shea of the same Coy. and Platoon might be able to give further information."

Eye witness: No. Told by Pte. J.O'Shea D. Coy. 14th Pltn.
9th Battn. A.I.F.

Description: About 23, described as "a nugget".

Informant: Pte. Parker 4266, 9th A.I.F. D XIV
Evans Hos: Sandgate, Kent.

G. R. Allen
Sep. 29.1917.

Home address: 178 Alma Lane,
Rockhampton,
Queensland.

*Note written Pte O'Shea
16-10-17*

*P.I
O.H. db
1 extra copy*

V.B.QV.

Mrs. J.W.Carr,
12 St. James Street
Nottingham

Dear Madam,

It is with great regret that we tell you that 4163 J.^C. Carr
9 Battn A.I.F. has now been reported wounded and missing 7.5.17.
Up to the present we have no information concerning his fate but
are making every ^{effort} to obtain some. As you will readily understand in
cases of missing men, news of their death or capture is necessarily
slow in coming. Six weeks is the shortest period that generally
elapses between the date that a man is posted missing and that
which his name appears ^a on the German lists. Should you hear from
him in Germany we will be glad if you will at once advise us, as
our Prisoners of War Dept. supply all members of the A.I.F. capt
in Germany with regular parcels of food. As soon as we obtain a
definite news of his fate we shall at once communicate with you
With sincere sympathy in your anxiety,

W.F.J.

October 26th, 1917.

Mrs. J.W.Carr.
12, St. James Street,
Nottingham.

Dear Madam,

In answer to your inquiry for

No 4163 Pte. J.C. Carr,
9th Battalion,
A.I.F.

we deeply regret to inform you of an unofficial report
which we have received from No 266 Pte. Parker, of his unit,
when in the Bevan Hospital, Sandgate, Kent.

He stated that he was told by Pte. H.O'Shea, to whom
we have written for further details, that Pte. Carr and two
others were all killed by one shell at Bullecourt on May 7th,
and he describes him as 23 years of age, and "nuggety" in
build.

We greatly fear that there can be little hope of his
being alive as very few prisoners were taken on that date, and
nearly six months have elapsed since the casualty occurred.

We are continuing the inquiry and will inform you immedi-
ately on receipt of further news.

Assuring you of our sincere sympathy. Yours faithfully,

V.D.
SECRETARY *AW*

1903

9/13/03

See index

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5th. Allen

9/13/03

Mrs. J.W.Carr.
12, St. James St,
Nottingham.

January 11th, 1918.

Re 4163 JOHN.CHAS.CARR, 9th Battalion, A.I.F.

Dear Madam,

We deeply regret to inform you that the above soldier who was previously reported Missing is now reported Killed in Action on 7.5.17.

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,

W.H.
SECRETARY.

29.9.19.

Final Draft To

The J. W. Carr

12 St James St
Birmingham

about

4163 J. C. Carr

9th Feb.

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The Australian Red Cross Society

(B.R.C.S.)

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

WOUNDED AND MISSING ENQUIRY BUREAU.

Enquiry No. 6835

Date May. 15th 18.

Regimental Details of
Soldier enquired about.

No. 5786 A.

Pte. J. Shaw

57th Battalion

Details of Casualty.

Wounded (2 occ.)

Information wanted.

Location & condition

12. H. James L.

Feb. 14. 1918.

Gottingham

1851 Madam.

Dear Sir

to much for the lover

4163 9 Bth

4163 9 Bldg
John. H. Bell. From what

I gather. How fine!

Shedd's and both are all

Part. of the line I am afraid

the character of detail as well.

Post. of shell is parallel to

Let's for last day success.

J. J. J. J.

Miss. Lacey.

Feb. 28. 1901.

The Church of England has little
 thing clinging to him. I suppose
 it is small still. He has not
 his own house, no subscription
 to read a evening service. I give
 them a better still in my own
 time, a great deal. Since then,
 he has been, no longer out of
 his alliance in the same manner.
 - A man of a good mind and
 cultivated tastes, but somewhat
 little, almost in English. I like
 to see his mind, but I have
 nothing to do with him. I have
 been in the same way.