

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
1DRL/0428

3127 Private
Reginald Harry Harper

28th Battalion



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28th Batt.
A.I.F.,

HARPER
3127

R. H

"Missing 29.7.16"

The men also reported Pte Harper as being killed during the advance across "No Man's Land".

Cert. by letter from 2nd Lieut. G. McTaggart,
28th Batt. A.I.F.
France,
8.12.16

London.
11.1.17

P.

Harper . Plz. R. H. . 3127

28th Bata.

See under

Cpl. P. E. Tread . 383 . 28th Bata.

8.12.16.
20.12.16.

28th.Battn.A.I.F.

HARPER.
R.H. 3127.

" Missing"

Missing 29.7.16.

Cert: by A.I.F.Headquarters.List.8.9.16.

Killed in Action. 29.7.16. prev:reported Missing.

Cert: by.A.I.F.Headquarters.List.I.B.159.

London
21.2.17.

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19th October 1916.

Pte McGaskill,
B. Company,
28th Battalion,
A.I.F.

Dear Sir,

We are making inquiries about ^{*}3127 Pte R. Harper
28th Battalion, who is officially reported missing since July 29th,
1916, and have heard that you have some information about him.
We should be very grateful if you would be so kind as to let us
know what you can of his fate, and all particulars that would be
of interest to his family. Please add also a short description of
Pte Harper's appearance, so that his family may be satisfied that
it is the same man.

With good wishes,

Yours faithfully,

*A.P.
for.*

Secretary.

20th October

Lieut G. S. McTaggart,
28th Battalion,
A.I.F., B.E.F.

Dear Sir,

We are making inquiries into the fate of a member of
your Battalion 31st Pte R. ^HHarper, and have been told that
you may be able to give us some information on this subject.
We should be very grateful for any details you could send us
regarding Pte Harper, as we are anxious to inform his relatives
as fully as possible without delay.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Yours faithfully,

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Secretary