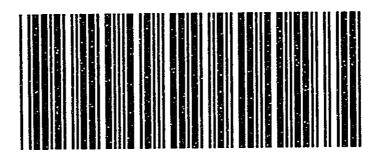
Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War 1DRL/0428

4466 Private Robert Harold Lennox

20th Battalion



1590106M

A.T.F. 20th Btm.

Ro-buried Villors Bratonnoux Mil. Com. 52.D.0.17.0.4.3.Plot 80
Row B. Grave 5.
Cert. by Capt. Spedding's list 15.8.19. Sheet No 178.

0

London. 3.10.19.

A.I.F. 20th Battm.

LEHNOX R.H.4466

MYTLLED IN ACTION 13/7/18"

Buried Sentral Mil. Com. 42 miles MeS.E. of Amiens. Cert. by A.I.F. Hars List.

London 1/10/18

11

20th. Battn. A. I. F.

Lennox, R. H. No. 4466.

No. & Platoon. E. Company.

13

Killed. July 31st. 1918. Det. D/B.

() We were on fatigue at Villers Erettonneux laying cables. One of the boys put a pick into a bomb exploding it and wounded about 13 of our party inoluding Lennox. He was taken back to the Dressing Station by the Stretcher Bearers where he died the same night. It happened between 9 and 10 p.m. I went with him back to the Dressing Station. He was buried at the tannel near Villers Brettonneux, there were a lot of other graves there, but it was not a cemetry. I was not present at his burial, but saw a cross after it had been erected over his grave, with full details on it. I knew him well, was in the same plateon No.b. and were both in the same section of Machine Gunners.

Description. Age. 20. Height. 5-7. Dark Complexion. Very Slight Euild.

Witness. Pte. Ramsay, A. C. No. £560. E. Company. 20th. Battalion.

Taken at. No. 4.C.D. Hurdcott. 25. 10. 18.

C. H. Brown, No. 4. Command Depot, Hurdcott. .

20th. Battn. A. I. F.

Lennox, R. H. No. 4466.

No. & Blatoon. B. Company.

13 Killed. July -81st. 1918. Det. D/B.

C I was on fatigue with Lennox and several others laying cables just in front of Villers Brettonneux between 10 and 11 p.m. on the above date. One of the party struck a bome with his pick whick exploded, and wounded about 14 of the party including Lennox. He was taken away by the Stretcher Bearers but died on the way down to the dressing station. I could not give any particulated on the way down to the dressing station. ulars of his burial. I knew him well, was in same plateon for over six months.

Description. Height. 5-7. Dark Complexion. Medium Build.

Witness. Pte. Symes, H. No. 4285. B. Company. 20th. Pattalion.

Taken at. No. 4.07D.Hurdcott. 25. 10. 18.

 \mathbf{C}^{c}

C. H. Brown, No. 4. Command Depot, Hurdcott.

20th Fatth. A.I.F.

"Killed in Action 13-7-18"

I remember that Pte Leasex (20.B.H.Q.) met with an accident, on July 31st in front of Villers Bretonneux. I was cut on a fatigue party with him that might, digging a cable trench. I think someone hit a Mill's grenade. It was buried, and they came upon it digging. He was wounded ont died shortly afterwards. It was such a dark night that I did not see that not see him, elthough I heard the employier. I am sorry that . I do not know where he was buried. The ground was held.

Eyu-Witness: - No. Description: - Single, short, young about 19/80.

Home address:-Informati- Delancy, Harold, 1697, Sgt. if Werdell Ra. (A very Invelligent Sergeest Petershom. Sydnoy.N.S.V. quite reliable)

Hilds.M.lickara-Cambridge. Losi ... <u>.:-11-1</u>8. H.I.S.

20th Batta. A.I.F. B.VI. 3rd S.G.Hpl Wingfield Sec: CXFORD.

II.

The state of the s

A.I.F. 20th Buttm.

(

MINON A.H.4466 Eto.

"MILLYD IN LOCKER 13.7.19"

I could not say exactly where Lennon was buried but he was hilled accidently at Villers Frotomew on 51.7.18. He was one of a fatigue party burying (laying) a cable when the piec of one of the men struck a bomb which emploded and dilled several of the party Lennox among them. The Battalion Edgrs should be able to tell you where he was buried. Death was instantaneous, Ground was hold,

> 5552 Opl. Vermon H. Johan, (Jorraet as to Informut:-20th Earth, A.I.F., death details B Company, Red M Mospital, Christchurch. Warr into Higant)

Home address:- 51, Gloud-ster Hond, Fark, London.

F. Watkinson. 19,10,18 London 5.11.13 HG

gagifikikotiy jaarimisa qarin astrotoji in kinin t

11