

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

723 Private  
Arthur Henry Freeman

3rd Battalion



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3rd Battalion A.I.F.

FREEMAN Pte A. 727 ✓

(Arthur Henry)

1946

Killed 19.5.15.

This man was killed at Johnson's Jolly, near Lone Pine. It was during an attack by Turks. He got up on the parapet and was shot through the head by a rifle bullet-- he died instantly-- I helped to bury him -- he was buried in Shrapnel Gully.

He was about 5 ft. 8 ins., more than medium build, about 11 or 12 stone, and about 23 years of age. He told me he came from Mudgee.

We left Sydney on the same boat, the "Euripides" on 19th October, 1914. He was a very game fellow.

Informant:-- GUY A. Pte. 727

3rd Battalion,

No. 4 Australian General Hospital, RANDWICK.  
N. Ward.

12.7.17.

Not sent on

SYDNEY BUREAU.

3rd Battalion, A.I.F.  
C. Coy.

FREEMAN,  
Pte. A.I.F. 723.

(Killed in Action).

(Arthur Henry)

not 1946

Informant knew Freeman and believes he came from Hudgee. He was a fair man, about 5 ft. 9 ins., 25 years of age.

They were in the same trench together on the 19th May, when the Turks charged the trenches opposite Lone Pine, between the Bluff and Brown's Dip. Freeman was shot in the charge, and Informant saw him after he had been killed. He was taken away by the stretcher-bearers, and was buried behind the lines.

Informant knew Freeman particularly well, knew his number, and had been with him from leaving Sydney.

Ref.: - O'Brien,  
Pte. C. 765,  
3rd Battalion, C.Co.,  
No. 4 Aust. General Hospital,  
RANDWICK.

C.H.R. McL.  
20/7/16.

SYDNEY BUREAU.

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A.I.F.  
3rd Battalion

FREEMAN  
Pte. Arthur Henry 723e

Killed in Action 19.5.15.

Killed in action 19.5.15 Cert. by Hdqrs List 11.9.19  
Next of Kin lived at Hudgee N.S.W.  
Sailed from Sydney on "Euripides" 18.10.1914.  
Age on enlistment 21 years 6 months  
Fair complexion; 5ft.9 inches; weight 12 Stone. 2lbs.  
Cert. by Hdqrs. List 15.9.19.

London  
25.9.19.

A.I.F.  
3rd. Battalio.  
not 2nd. Battalio.

FREEMAN 723.  
Arthur, Henry. nct.  
Pte. 1946.

"Killed in Action 19.6.15"

Killed in Action, May 19th. - ( 6.11.16. )  
Details.

This man's No. & initial wrong.  
723. Freeman Arthur Henry, 3rd. Btn. K/A. 19.6.15.

Cert. by H.Q. L.11.9.19.  
& H.Q.L. 15.9.19.

London.  
14.10.19.

Alex.  
P.J.

AI.F. 2nd. Btn.

FREEMAN.  
Alfred John. 1946.

A.J. Freeman. 1946. of the 2nd. Btn. A.I.F. was transferred to  
Zeitoun Base Details from Gezira Palace Hospital, 27.7.15.

Cert; by 3rd. Echelon Records.

Cairo.  
13.12.15.

Above report sent in mistake for 723. Freeman Arthur Henry,  
3rd. Batt. A.I.F. K/A 19.5.15.

Cert. by H.Q. List 11.9.19. London 13.9.19.

London.  
27.9.19.