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3947 Private
John Joseph Lavery

24th Battalion



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A.I.F. 24th Btn

LAVERY
J.J. 3947

"H. 5-10-18"

Killed in action previously reported missing 5-10-18.
ert. by A.I.F. Hqrs 1-11-18.

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London
4-11-18

24 ~~23th~~ Batn. A. Coy.
A.I.F.

LAVERY,
J.J. 3947.

"Killed in action 5-10-18."

Killed in action 5-10-18 at Montbeham, buried approx. H.6D.Central Sheet 62B.

Sergt. H. V Griffiths 2146.
24 Bn. H.Q
List obtained by H.E. Hays.
Searcher.

H.E.H.
2-12-18.
London,
18-1-19.

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24th Battn.

LAVERY
J.J., 3947
G.S.L.

K. 5/10/18.

I knew casualty, he was a slight built man, 5'6" in height, fair complexion, about 21 years of age. Casualty was going up to the line at St.Quentin when he was wounded in the back by a high explosive shell. I was with him at the time of his being hit but he died in about half an hour after he had his wound attended to. I got his personal effects and gave same to his brother. He was buried where he fell. There was a cross with his name, number and unit, on it erected over his grave.

Informant:- 2440
Cpl. C.W. Richards,
Private Address:- "Eliyer"
Irvin Road,
KOORAK.

N.A.T.
19/9/19.

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24th Btn.

LAVERY, I. I.
Pte. 3947.

K. in act. 5/10/18.

"I buried Casualty at Anstral Cemetery, Mont Brehain, on the 11/6/18."

Informant:- Cpl. Johnstone, G.O.
24th Btn.

Private address.
Mena House,
Murray Street,
Caulfield.

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