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4781 Private
Sidney Arthur Milner

28th Battalion



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MILNER, S. A. 4761.

K. April 8th, 1918.

It was at Buire near Albert, that Milner was killed by one of our own shells falling short. I was in the same trench about 25 yards away. He was killed outright, as also was Pte. Edwards, and Cpl. Ward was wounded. I saw him carried away, dead, on a stretcher. I did not see his grave, but I did see the cross that was got ready. It was inscribed with his name and regimental no. He was in my co. - C - and the same pltn. We joined the battn. in France together about the 18th Nov. 1916. He'd been in hospital once, I remember, but never wounded. He was a good lad.

Inf. J. J. George, 5011, 28.C.X.,
No.8. Stat. Hosp.
BOULOGNE. 12.9.18. SPT.

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Miln^er, S.A. 4781.

K. 8/4/18.

He was killed by one of our own shells which fell short while having his breakfast in a trench at the right of the Albert-Amiens Road. Two others were killed and 1 wounded at the same time. I helped to carry him to H.Q. and he was buried in a small cemetery on the side of the Amiens-Albert Road about 2 kilometers behind the line.

28th Battn:

Blood, R. Pte. 5806.

A 10. Dartford. 22/8/18.

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