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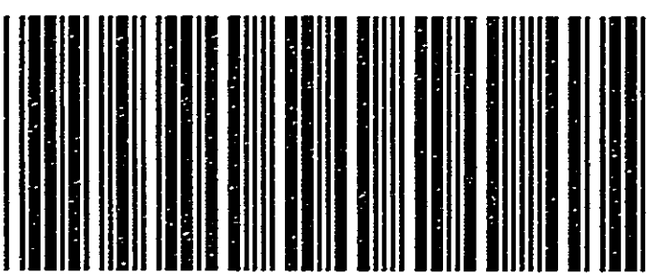
4462 Private Alfred Johnathan Meyer

24th Battalion



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HEYTH.

A.I.F.
24th Bttn.

A.J. 4462.

"K/A 5.8.16."

C of E 585. Held 6.8.17.
No Statement.

Finding K/A 5.8.16. E/H.

Off.H.

London.
19.5.19.

A.I.F. 24th Bttn. MEYER.
Alfred Jonathan. 4462.

Killed in Action. 5.8.16.

No trace in Germany.
Cert by Captain Mills. 14.10.19.

London.
16.10.19. C21 M.

24th Batt,
A.I.F.

Meyer,
A.J. 4462.

"Missing"

Killed in Action 5.8.16 - Previously reported Missing

Cert, by A.I.F.Headquarters 22.9.17

London 26.9.17

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24th A. I. F.

Meyer, A. J. 4462.
D Coy.

(M. Aug: 5/16.)

Informant states that on 5th August 1916 at Pozieres I saw A. J. Meyers shot dead close by me whilst he was on ration fatigue work. It was between 10 and 12 o'clock A.M.

Reference:— J. Docherty, 4098,
24th A. I. F.
1st. Southern General Hospital,
Birmingham.

Home address:— 24, Lochburn Rd,
Maryhill,
Glasgow.

Nov: 25th
Taylor.

A.I.F. 34th Battn

MEYER
A.J. 4462

Missing - August 5-16.

This side Mouquet Farm was on Fatigue duty taking up Rations Shell killed him right out. I saw him killed - I was just ahead of him. It was about 11.a.m. - It was reported to the Sgt. at the time.

Ref. Letter recd. from - Chadwick 167
Ward 38
Harefield Hospital
19-11-16.

D.P.Dickson
London
27-11-16

OFF.M.

24th A. I. F. A. J. MEYER, 4462.

Missing 5.8.16.

He was on fatigue at Rozieres and on going down the 2nd time, was killed by a shell, and another man named Murphy was badly wounded by the same explosion. L/Cpl. Hay of the 24th Batt. told me he had witnessed the casualties. Meyer was a great friend of mine. He was aged about ~~28~~ 27, dark and stood 6 ft.1.

Reference: Pte. R. Spoull, 4534.

No.12 General, Rouen. 5.12.16.

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Written Lcpl Hay 13.12.16

24th Btn.

MEYER, A. J.
Pte. 4462.

"Killed in action 5/8/16."

"I saw Casualty sitting in the trench at Pozieres on the 5th August, 1916. We had just returned from the line after taking up rations and he said he would rest as he was too tired to return to the supports. We left him there and that was the last I saw of him. It was quite impossible he could be taken prisoner from his position as this locality was never in the enemy's hands after that date."

Informant:- A.E. Sherriff,
No. 4524, 24th Battalion.

Private address:-
Narrewerrin, Vic.

HAB
(4/11/17)

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Meyer. Plē. C.J. 4462. 2 4th Balte.

See under

Plē. F.H. Murphy. 4480. 4th Balte.

13.12.16.

Meyer 4462

A. J. K/A 5. 8. 16 24 Btn

C of E. 683. Held 6 8 17.

No Statement

Finding K/A 5. 8. 16. E/N.