

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

**1109 Private
William Wallace Park**

8th Battalion



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A.I.F.
8th. Battalion.

PARK.
William Wallace. 1109

"Killed in Action 8.5.15".

Killed in Action on or about 8.5.17.

Cert. H.Q. 26.9.17. I.B./320.

Killed in Action 8.8.15.

Cert. H.Q. List. 25.8.19.

London.
8.10.19.

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Med.

8 A.I.F.
A. Coy

M. 8/8/15:

Park,
Pte. W. W. 1109
William Wallace

Park was alongside of witness when he was wounded in the shoulder and thigh. He was taken away and sent off in a Hospital Ship. Witness saw him in September at the Pembroke Convalescent Camp, Malta. He was then getting well after a bad time. Park came from South Australia.

Pte. J. Mitchie, 146, D Coy. 60th Battalion,

Tel-el-Kebir

S.A.
23/3/16

A.

8th A.I.F.
A Coy.

Park,
Pte. W.W. 1109

William Wallace

Last letter received April. Chaplain saw him 8th May, 1915,
Unoff. M., but still receiving pay. 3rd Novr. 1915.

Wounded, no further report. Missing, 8/8/15.

Cert. by - 3rd Echelon.

Cannot be traced.

Malta Cable 4/7/16.

London,
5/7/18.

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8th A. I. F.

A. Coy

William Wallace ✓
Park, W. W. 1109,
A Coy.
(M. May 8/15.)

Informant states that Col. McPhee the Chaplain a great friend of the Park family made special enquiries, and told informant and other men at Lemnos in October 1915 that he had proof positive that Park was dead. Col. McPhee now back in Australia. Park's people know he is dead.

Reference:-- Pte. Horace Hayes, 138,
8th Batt: A. I. F.
Hillsboro' Hospital,
Harlow, Essex.

Home address:--
41, Morley Rd

Plaistow.

LONDON
July 8th
Robertson.

A.

A.I.F. 4-3-4 S. A.

Med.

PARK, W.W. 1109.

M. May 8th. 1916.

William Wallace

At Cape Helles we went out to make a new firing line between that of the English and the Turks.

Park, as far as we know, was killed between the new line and that of the Turks. We were not in touch with the Turks at the time, so he could not have been taken prisoner.

FWC.

Reference: Pte. J. Robertson. 107.
11. Gen.

Etaples 27th. July 1916.

8th A. I. F.

A. Coy

William Wallace
Park, W.W. 1109,
A. Company

(M. May 8th 1915)

Informant states that on 8th May 1915 the Batt. was advancing under heavy fire over open country when it halted to dig in. Park was missing and was never seen again. Informant was sure he must have been killed by a shell, as no prisoners were taken then.

Reference: Pte H. Hamilton, 1107,
8th A. I. F., A. Coy,
Graylingwell Hospital,
Chichester.

Home address:

Durobin House,
Glenslip,
South Australia.

26th August, 1916.
V. Beaumont.

A.I.F. 8th Btn A.Coy.

PARK
Pte W.W. 1109
William Wallace

"MISSING"

Killed in action about 8-5-17
Cert: by A.I.F.Hqrs 26-9-17

London
1-10-17

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TEL. NO. 659.
TELEGRAMS - PYGMALION, LEEDS.

2 Encls
From the
Magasins of the Grand
Pygmalion.



Leeds June 28/16

60/2
Sir Louis Mallet
18 Carlton House Terrace
London

My Sir
I am writing to you
on behalf of a relative
Mr. Wallace Park
19 Opie St. St. Peters
Adelaide Australia

his son
Mr. Wallace Park Junr
No 1109 A Company 8th Battalion
1st A. I. C. F.

has been missing since
— May 8th 1915 —

I beg to enclose you portion
of the letter I have received
giving particulars of the
case, he was wounded in the
Nardmeths, sent away in an
hospital ship, & was afterwards
seen in the Pembroke Convales-
cent Camp Malta, in September
last. Nothing can be traced
further concerning him & they
have appealed to me to write
to you at this end and
if you w^d. kindly take the
matter up & let me know
the result I w^d. feel indebted

Photo is herewith enclosed
of the last who is missing

Stamped Envelope enclosed
for reply

Yours respectfully

Wm R. Hamilton



POST CARD

CORRESPONDENCE

ADDRESS ONLY

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Janet's brother in law
 is an Artist he took
 Wilkins face out of a
 Football Group & put
 a welders hat on
 put on him he caught
 picture of getting his photo
 taken while he had not time when he was sent away

1109 Ave. W. W. Park
 A. Comp. Bu. Buffalo
 1st. Ct. S. F.
 E. J. P.

and did not get enough money
 in Egypt - W. W. Park

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1109 Pte. W. W. Bank
A. Company 8th Battalion
1st A. F. B. 7.
Egypt

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and did not get enough money
in Egypt - W. W. Bank

I received from the Red Cross Society which
I will report to you Wm. W. Park 19 Esplanade St. Peter's
Dear Madam 15th May

We are in receipt of an Interim report from the
Commissioners in Egypt taken from Private J. Ritchie a copy of
we enclose for your information This report being the
statement of a fellow Soldier until officially confirmed
otherwise should be received with caution We have
no doubt however that the Commissioners will further
the enquiry & we will receive further reports in
due course which will be immediately communicated to
you Copy received S. A. J. F. Park Pk 7. 7. 1109

During 8/8/15 Park was alongside of Witness when he
was wounded in the shoulder or thigh He was taken
away or sent off in a Hospital Ship Witness saw him
in September at the Pembroke Convalescent Camp
where he was then getting well after a bad time Park
came from South Australia Witness Pvt J. Ritchie 146
G. C. 60th Battalion Tel-el-kebir & what do you think of it
now I was thinking if you put this before the Red
Cross in England together with the photo that you have
they may be able to trace him from Malta as they have
lost his memory & know nothing of the past you
know that he was missing since May 8th 1915

It was at a trench shot as a photo that we like sent you,
we got a trench shot of himself but we could not get a photo of it we have
not got a photo of him at the time that he left from here all in good health Hoping
this will find you all enjoying the war time
Wm. W. Park