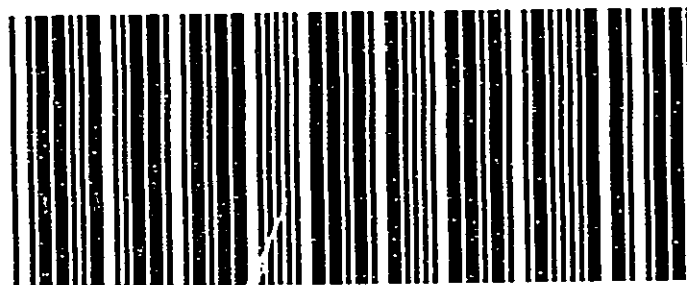


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**2269 Private  
Arthur Washington  
Walker**

**55th Battalion**



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A.I.F. 55th Battn.

WALKER  
A.W.2269

"KILLED 1.9.18"

Buried Herbécourt Communal Cemetery extension 4½ miles West of  
Peronne  
Cert. by A.I.F. Hqs List 6.12.18

London  
8.12.18

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A.I.F. 55th Battn.

WALKER  
A.W. 2269

skilled 1/9/18

I helped to bury A.W.Walker whom I knew well at Herbecourt near  
Peronne. The Battn. cross was erected. He was buried on 2/9/18

Informant:- C.V. Arnett 2260,  
55th D. Coy., S/B.

W.M.K.

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Sign. A.F. **WALKER**  
2269

"K. Sept. 1/18"

Height - 5/4-5 dark, (not very) medium build, age 28-30 came from near Sydney - was a carpenter in civilian life. On Sept. 1/18 near Peronne I saw Walker sitting back against the side of the trench. He had been hit in the head with a piece of shell, and was dying at the time. He was unconscious & could not speak. I was assisting to take other wounded men away at the time and when I saw Walker later he was dead. That was the last I saw of him - he was in my Coy. (D.)

Informant - Green H. J. C. Sgt. - 2663  
55th Btn  
3rd A.A.E.  
Dartford.

R. B. Davidson  
Chaplain  
London  
J. E. A.  
1-2-19

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A.I.F. 55th Battn.

WALKER  
A.W. 2269

"KILLED 1/9/18"

88 - D - C.H.Q. Sigs 5/4 dark, over 30 - Came from Sydney, Embarked Sydney, September 4/18 S.S. Port Sydney. At Peronne on 1/9/18 at 2 p.m. we were holding our objective when Walker was killed instantly by a shell. He was buried at Herbecourt behind Peronne in a Military Cemetery. A Battn. cross was erected.

Informant:- 2240, W. Sloan,  
55th Bn. D Coy.

NOTE:- C.Q.M. Sgt. V.D. O'Sullivan 4957 and P. Buckley 1825 S/B gave similar evidence.

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A.I.F. 55th Battn.

"Killed 1/9/18"

"Killed 31/8/18"

WALKER  
A.W. 2269 Pte.  
Tyler  
J.J. 3774 Pte

I did not see Tyler killed but I helped to bury him and also Walker. They were buried at Herbecourt by the 55th Battn. Padre (in the absence of our own) Their bodies were already seen up for burial so I am unable to say where they were wounded. I was not an eye-witness. We were advancing - Tyler Fairly tall, medium build, fair complexion. Walker - A big man, dark.

Informant:- 5231 Cpl. H. P. Thomson, (Accurate & Intelligent)  
55th Battn.,  
B Coy., 7th Pltn.,  
King George Hl. Hpl.,

Alice Hoare-Ward  
29/3/19  
London  
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