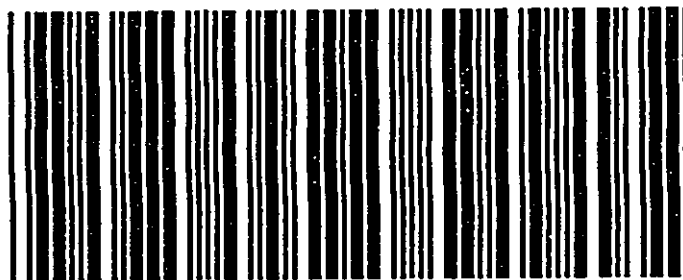


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**6571 Private
Thomas John Roberts**

16th Battalion



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A.I.F. 16th Batn.

ROBERTS,
T.J. 6571.

Repatriated Prisoner of War.

Arrived Hull 11-12-18.

" London 13-12-18.

Cert. by List from A.I.F. H.Q., 14-12-18.

London,
18-12-18.

P.

16th Batt,
A.I.F.

Roberts,
T.J. 6571.

"Prisoner of War"

Transferred Sennelager l.w.

Post-Card received from Man dated 2.8.17

London
29.8.17

P.

16th Batt,
A.I.F.

Roberts,
Thomas John. 6571

"Missing 11.4.17"

Prisoner of War - Interned at Gef Minden,
Cert, by German List dated 11.5.17.

London
11.6.17.

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16th Battn.
A. I. F.

Roberts.
T. J. 6571.

"Missing 11.4.17."

Pte. Sloss (16th Battn) said " Pte Roberts stayed behind in trench on 11.4.17 when we received the order to take our choice of retiring to our own lines or waiting to surrender. He was unwounded when I left the trench, and I was almost the last to leave. Roberts' people were poultry farmers just outside Perth, and previous to enlistment he worked on the poultry farm. He was a young man about 22-23.

Informant:

T. W. Sloss 6582.
B Coy.

Taken at 16th Battn. A.I.F.
London Office 28.5.17.

London.
2.6.17.

Off.M.