

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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**3591 Private
Johannas Jacob Reid**

18th Battalion



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18th Batt.
A.I.F.,

5.3. REID
Pte ~~S.L~~ 3591

"Died of Wounds"

Pte Reid was admitted here on Mar. 2nd/17 with a bullet wound through the front part of the brain - a severe injury, but with treatment he did well for some time, and was conscious, bright and comfortable until two days before his death. It was quite hoped that he would pull through, but early on Mar. 18th there began to show signs of meningitis developing around the wound - this spread rapidly, the patient became unconscious and he passed away at 6.15. p.m. on the 19th. Burial took place on the 22nd, at the Etaples Military Cemetery - the number of the grave is "R 277"

Cert. by letter from Capt. A.S. Walter, Registrar,
1 Canadian Gen. Hospital,
B.E.F., 1.4.17.

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