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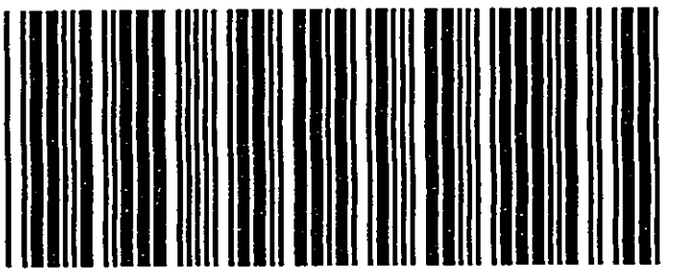
2192 Private
Eric Gentle Roy

8th Battalion



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A.I.F. 8th Btn

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E. 2192

"Wded & Missing"

Killed in action on or about 7-8-15 - previously reported Wded & Missing
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ROY

8th. Battalion.
A.I.F.

Eric. 2192.

"Killed in Action 7.8.16"

Killed in Action 7.8.15.

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8 A.I.F.

ROY
Pte.E. 2192.
Eric

(W. Aug.)

Informant was with him on Aug. 6th at Steel's Post when the trench was blown in on them both. They were extricated ~~extricade~~ but Roy was very badly wounded having a leg and arm blown off. He was carried away on a stretcher and informant has heard nothing since, but thinks there was very little chance for him.

Ref:- Sgt.Swift, 769, B.Co.
Island Rest Camp, Mudros E.

G.E.B.
24:11:15.

(M.)

8 A.I.F.

ROY
Pte. E. 2192.
Eric

(W. August.)

On about 18th August (on same day as Pte Harris of 6th reinf. was wounded) Eric Roy was wounded severely in the leg by shrapnel. Witness' informant being his brother, Pte.V.R.Windsor of D.Co.

Ref:-Pte.W.D.Windsor, 1899, 8 A.I.F.
3rd Aust. Gen. Hosp. Mudros.

R.C.C.
26:11:15.

(M.)

Passed cable

8 A.I.F.
B.Co.

ROY
E. 2192.
Eric

(W. Aug.)

Informant states that Roy, who came to Egypt with the 6th reinforcements of the 8th Battalion, was attached to B;CO and became a friend of his. He had his leg blown off by a shell which landed in the midst of the Coy at a ~~copt~~ spot to the right of Steele's Post. Informant thought Roy died as he was very badly wounded. Informant seemed reliable, though he could give no details of his knowledge.

Ref:-Cpl.G.McKnockiter, 8 A.I.F.
3rd Aust. Gen. Hosp. Mudros.

S.A.
27:11:15.

(M.)

8 A.I.F.

ROY Eric
Pte. 2192.

(W. Aug.)

Informant states that On August 7th during a heavy bombardment, he was badly wounded in the arm and abdomen by a high explosive shell. He was taken away to the dressing station and informant has not seen or heard of him since.

Ref:- Pte.M.C.Prath, 1815,
Gezira Hospital, Cairo.

N.W.Kater,
8:12:15.

(M.)

8th Btn. A.I.F.

ROY
Pte E. 2192.

W. August.

Sgt R.Dabb, of V Platoon, B Co., told witness yesterday that Roy had lost an arm on the 7th August and left Anzac at that time, but had not been heard of since.

Ref:- 455 Cpl G.Macknockiter,
B Co.,
Lowland Conv. Camp, MUDROS?

R.C.C.
21/12/15.
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Allen's Modern Methods, Ltd., London, England. Binder and holes in leaves. Pat'd No. 6775, 1906.

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Quest List

8th Australian Regiment,
Roy Pte. E., 2192,

(M. Aug. 7th 1915)

Informant states that at Anzac Roy's left hand was blown off by a shell and he was taken away to a dressing station by two Army Medical Corps men, and Informant did not see him again. Informant knew him quite well, both being in the Machine Gun Section.

Reference: Pte. Leslie Rae, 2116,
8th A.I.F., B. Co.,
King George Hospital, Ward M. 3,
Stamford Street.

London,
Ma[illegible] 7th 1916,
K. Snell.