

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing  
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War  
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**2355 Private  
John Francis Quinn**

**22nd Battalion**



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A.I.F. 22nd Btn

QUINN  
J.F. 2355

"M. 5-8-16"

Killed in action 5-8-16 -- previously reported Missing  
Cert. by A.I.F. Hqs 24-1-18.

London  
29-1-18

OFF.M.

22nd A. I. F.

J. F. QUINN, 2355.

Missing 5.8.16.

I knew J. F. Quinn, he came over from Australia with me. I saw Quinn on the forenoon of the 5th August at Pozieres. He was then wounded in the face, arm and leg, but he was able to walk to the dressing station which was only about 50 yards from where I met him. He appeared to me to be badly wounded. I never saw him again.

Reference: Sgt. J. E. Veel, 2443, D Co.

No.9 General, Ropen. 7.12.16.

AGL. ✓

22nd Australian Imperial Force

Quinn, Pte. J. F. 2355

( M. Aug. 5/16 ).

" I heard that Pte. Quinn was killed. There is not much doubt about it. It was at Ypres and Aug. 5th would be about the right date. Particulars can be had from

Sergt. Andrews.

II Platoon, A Coy.

22nd Battalion.

A. I. F.

Eye witness - It happened before Informant joined the battalion

Informant :- Pte. Arthur Robert Reid, 4785,  
22 Australian Imp. Force A Coy. II Pltn.  
3rd Southern General Hospital,

Home address :- Drill Hall, Oxford.

247, Stawell St.

Burnley.

Victoria, Australia.

22/1/17.

J.M. Payne.

*Written Sgt Andrews 30.1.17*

22nd A. I. F.

Quinn, J. F. 2355.  
B Coy.

(M. Aug: 5/16.)

Informant states "Quinn was killed by a gas shell between Flers and Bethune. I did not see him killed but saw his body buried by his comrades. I am not sure as to his Christian name or number, but the man I saw buried was called "Quinn"

Reference:-- J. Dorey, 4692,  
22nd A. I. F. D Coy.  
2nd Southern General Hospital,  
Southmead, Bristol. Ward 3.

Home address:-- Sale,  
Gippsland,  
Victoria.

Nov: 30th  
Scott.

31st January /7

Sgt. Andrews,  
A. Co., 2nd Platoon,  
22nd Batt. A.I.F.,  
B.E.F.

2355 Pte J.F. Quinn, 22nd Battalion, A.I.F.,  
reported Missing 3.3.16

Pte Quinn

*P.M. for Miss Quinn*