

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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2169 Private
Robert Francis Darcy
Sinclair (Francis Darcy
Sinclair)

13th Battalion



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A.I.F. 13th Bn

SINCLAIR
Francis Darcy 2169

"Rept: M. 22-8-15"

X/Action 21-8-15
Cert. by A.I.F.Hqrs 26-8-19.

London
15-10-19

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SINCLAIR
F.D. 2169.

21-8-15
K. 22.8.15. Details. Francis Darcy

Witness was with Sinclair at Australia Gully when latter was shot in the stomach. He was badly injured and was bleeding internally. The Dr bandaged him, but witness understood that the Dr held out very little hope from the first. Witness thought he was dying. Witness saw him sent away on a stretcher.

Ref:- Pte F.E.Breen, 2105,
B Co, 13 A.I.F.
Iana Park Hospital, Heliopolis, CAIRO.

J.L.K.
14.2.16.

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13th Batt., A.I.F.,
6 Rets.

SINCLAIR,
Pte.F.D. 2169.

(Killed in action). 21-8-15 *Francis Darcy*

On the 21st August Sinclair took part in a charge on
Anafarta Ridges. He was hit by machine gun fire and fell.
Death was probably instantaneous.

Ref.: JOYCE,
Pte.D. 742,
13th Batt., G.Co.,
No.4 Aust. General Hospital,
RANDWICK.

D.W.
10.3.16.

SYDNEY BUREAU.

M E D .

13 A.I.F.

SINCLAIR
Pte F.D. 2169.

K/A 21/8/15.

James Darcy

Sincalir, who was K/A 21/8/15, is listed in Btn records as buried in 92-0-4. This denotes area in which he was buried.

Battalion Records,
Tel el Kebir Camp.

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K. in A. 21/8/15:

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Francis Darcy
Sinclair,
Pte. F.D. 2169

There was a charge on 21st August across to Herring's Post. The Company held its ground and dug in. Sinclair fell on the way over. He did not get across. He fell between the old position and the new. He must have been killed. He could not be a prisoner as the Turks did not cover that ground again. Bodies could not be recovered because of the heavy firing over the ground on which they lay.

Witness - Pte. S. Turner, No. 2239, C.Coy. 45th Battln.
Tel-el-Kebir

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18/3/16

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