Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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531 Private
Edward Shone

30th Battalion



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30th Batt, B. Coy
A.I.F.

Shone (Hq)
Edward, Percy, (Syd) 531

"Killed in Action"

Killed in Action 20.7.16 - Previously reported missing

Cert, by A.I.F. Headquarters dated 17.8.17

London 21.8.17

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30th Battn.
A.I.F.,

Shone
E.P. 531

"Missing July 20th 1916"

I knew him personally. he used to be a sniper in my Company, He was wounded between July 19th and 20th, was hit in the legs. The Germans re-took the trench on the 20th. and we did not have time to get him out, and he was taken prisoner.
He came from Newcastle, N.S.Wales.

Reference;- W.H.Webb, 568
30th Battalion,
Southall. 19-12-16.

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London
1-1-17
W.G.J.

30th. Battn.
A.I.F.

Shone, E. P.
No. 531

"Missing 20-7-16".

No one seems to be able to give any reliable information but further enquiries will be made.

Cert. by letter from Capt. Jim A. Chapman,
France,
30-12-16

London,
15-1-17

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30th Batt. A. I. F.

SHONE E. P. 531.
" B " Coy.

" M. July 20/16 ".

Witness was near soldier during the attack at FOMELLES near Armentieres, on July 19th'16. They were in the enemy's front line trench, when a shell exploded, and soldier was wounded badly in the leg. Witness was unable to remain behind and look after him, but is of the opinion from the way he was wounded, that soldier mostprobably died. If not, he should have been taken prisoner. Witness knew him well, being in the same company.

Description. Hgt. 5ft6. Dark complexion.

Witness. Webb. W. H. 568.
" B " Coy. 30th Batt.

previous report by Webb

Worgret Camp,
WAREHAM.

April 4th., '17.
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E. P. 531

See under Jackson J. H. 451

27-1-17