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2930 Private
John Smith

48th Battalion



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A.I.F. 48th Battn.

SMITH
John 2830
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Killed in action 3.5.18

Buried S.S.P.3495/29. 62D.0.35.D.18
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48th. Battalion. Private J. Smith. 2930.

Killed in Action May 3rd. 1918.

Killed instantly by shell fire at Villers Bretonneux and buried near the railway line at Villers Bretonneux Cemetery. Grave marked by a cross.

Informant:- Private A. Black, 2862.
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48th Battn. A.I.F.

SMITH
L/Cpl. J. 2930

K/A. 3/5/18

In "C" Coy.

Killed at Albert May 3rd 1919 at 4 p.m. by shell outright just before the 46th Btn. took over No.1 man on Lewis Gun.

Was in the trench with a number of other chaps when a shell came over and killed three others besides him. Buried in Millencourt Cemetery just behind Albert:known as "Jack".

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