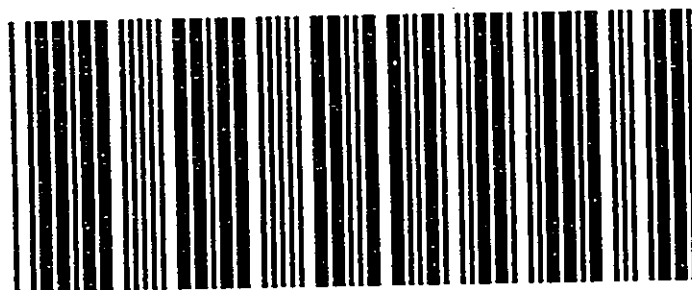


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**775B Private  
Frank Wyatt**

**9th Battalion**



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9th Battn.

WYATT,  
F. 775A

K. 11/8/18

About 5ft 7ins, and of dark complexion. A number of us had been sent up the line to hold a section of trench, Wyatt and I were amongst the number. Wyatt was a machine gunner, he was killed instantly by a shell quite close to me. I do not know anything of the burial.

L/Cpl. Collins, P.R.  
2611, 9th Battn.

Private Address:-  
BANGALOW,  
N.S.W.

Sgt. E. A. Gill,  
H.M.A.T. "Suffolk"  
24/4/19

*J. A.  
more*

*M*

A.I.F. 9th Battrn.

WYATT  
F. 775A  
not 7756

"KILLED IN ACTION 11.8.18"

Details not stated

Cert. by A.I.F. Hqrs List 5.12.18

London  
6.12.18

M

A.I.F. 9th Btn

WYATT  
F. 775A

"K. Aug: 11/18"

He was a Pte. in A.Cy 2nd Pltn, short, dark, thickset. He was hit by pieces of shell in the head in front of Anger Wood, near Lihons on 11th Aug: about 11 a.m. killed instantly. Four others were hit by the same shell (2 killed 2 wounded) an anti-tank shell. We were just moving out & left them all in the trench. I do not know where he was buried, but probably in his grave for 19 men buried near the wood.

Informant - Lieut. R.E. Meyers  
9th Btn.

Note: Lt. Meyers is certain that Wyatt was one of the men lying dead, but was not sure of his description, which was furnished by Pte. E. Gunn, 7503. A.C. 9th Btn, who was in Orderly Room when I was taking this report.

H. J. Cowan      Confirmed by Sgt. H. Keogh 6046, A.Coy, 9th Btn  
London      Saw him lying dead about 3 p.m. in a trench. Had been  
J.E.A.      hit badly in head by a piece of shell. Description H.C.  
7-2-19.      correct.

A.I.F.  
9th Bttn.  
Co.H/Qs.

F. WYATT. Pte.  
775a.

Killed 11.8.18.

5'7", dark, age 35/36 Single. Queensland. It was general report at the Unit that Wyatt was hit on head by shrapnel and killed instantly. The chap in front had both legs blown off and much cut up by same shrapnel at Leon's stunt on 11.8.18. I know nothing of burial and did not see him killed.

Informant:- Pte. WC.Patchet.  
9th Bttn. A.Co. Pltn 1.  
Ward 12. 3rd A.A.Hpl.  
Dartford. 16.6.19.

O.S.W.  
London.  
25.6.19.  
HG.

M.