

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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1190 Private
Arthur Swire

22nd Battalion



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A.I.F. 22nd Btn

A. SWIRE
1190

"MISSING"

Killed in action 4-8-16 - previously reported Missing
Cert. by A.I.F.Hqrs 24-1-18.

London
29-1-18

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22nd.A.I.F.

Swire, A. 1190.
B Co.

M.Aug.8/16.

" I was told by Collins of the same battn.(who was killed on Aug.26th) that he was with Swire when he was killed by a direct hit on the head from a shell. I believe this was on Aug.4/16. We held the ground but it was so much smashed up by shell-fire that many of the bodies would have been buried by the shells."

Eyewitness:- No. Told by Collins, 22nd.A.I.F.

Description:- A sandy complexioned, full-faced, thick-set, freckled man, clean-shaven, about 5'7".

Informant:- R.C.Macphee, 440.
22nd A.I.F., B Co.
Richmond Mil.Hosp., (Grove Road.)

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May 17/17.
A.G.Campbell,