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Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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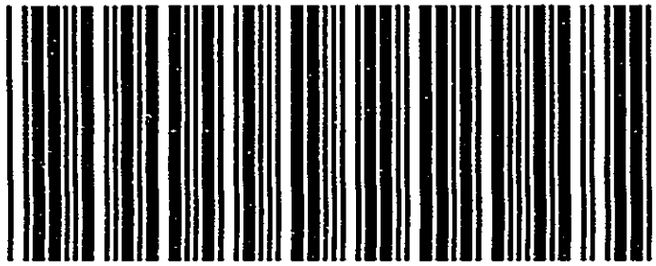
2812A Private
Robert Percival Sykes

3rd Battalion



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3rd. Battn.,
C. Coy.,
A.I.F.

SYKES,
R.Percy. 2872 B
(H.Q.2812)

"Off. reported killed 29th Jube 1916."

Pte. R. P. Sykes - killed in action 29-6-16.
Buried in Military Cemetery, Rue David, 3½ miles S.S.W. of Armentieres by Rev. McAuliffe.
Cert. b y - A.I.F. Headquarters 18-9-16.

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London,
20-9-16.

3rd Battn
A.I.F.

Sykes
R.P. 2812 or 2872B.

"Killed 29. 7. 16"

Killed at Fleurbaix between 20th and 30th June by shell which hit the dugout I lifted him out with others all smashed about the legs, he was in my platoon quite certain of him he was taken away on stretcher dont know where buried.

Reference:- Brown Sgt. 2448
Ward 3 Harefield Hospital

London
10.10.'16
D.P. Dickson

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2789 Pte A. J. Sykes
1st Sig. Coy.
Bhurt Pore
Tidworth
asks for photo of grave
of.
2.12.18

2812 Pte R. P. Sykes
3rd Bn
K/A 29. 6.16 nr Armentières

by phone 30. 11.18

Photo to be sent to above
at
Mulwarree St.
Goulburn
N. S. W.

M.E.H.

2789,
Pte A.J.Sykes,
1st Sig.Coy.
Bhurtpore Barracks,
TIDWORTH.

3/12/18.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your enquiry of the 30th ulto. for a photograph of the grave of 2812 Pte.R.P.Sykes,3rd Battn.A.I.F (who is officially reported killed in action on 29.6.16). We beg to inform you that we have applied on your behalf to the Graves Dept at A.I.F Headquarters with instructions for a copy to be sent to you at

Mulwarree Street,
Goulburn,
New South Wales.

as soon as is available.

With sincere sympathy in your loss,

Yours faithfully,

MK.

SECRETARY.

H-dqrs. a.I.F Depots
in U.K.
Bhurtpore
Tidworth
6-12-18

The Secretary
Aust. Red Cross

Dear Madam

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 3rd inst. in reference to a photo of my brothers grave.

Thanking you for your favor

I am

Yours faithfully
O.J. Sykes 2789.
1st Sig Coy. a.I.F.

2812 Pte R. P. Sykes. 3 Bttn