

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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**3764 Lance Corporal
Joseph Francis
Hocking**

15th Battalion



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A.I.F. 15th Bn.

HOCKING
L/Opl. Joseph F. 3764

"Prisoner of War"

Translation of German Death Certificate received from Capt. Mills,
and passed on to A.I.F. Hqs September 1st 1919.

It is hereby notified that -

1	<u>Day, Month, Year, Time of Day, and hour of resulting death.</u>	13th August 1917. 1-30 a.m.
2	<u>Christian & Surname of Deceased.</u>	Joseph Hocking,
3	<u>Religion</u>	Anglican
4	<u>Age</u>	26 <u>years</u> 11 <u>months</u> old
5	<u>Rank & Unit, also position in life, and residence of deceased before the war.</u>	Private of the Australian Imperial Force Regt, 15th Bn A.Comp. Before the war - Farmer at Chillagoe, Queensland.
6	<u>Birthplace of deceased</u>	Durham, Nth Q'land, Australia.
7	<u>Name and Surname of Wife of deceased.</u>	unmarried
8	<u>Name and Surname, position in life or trade, and residence of parents of deceased.</u>	Father - dead Mother - Louise Hocking in Chillagoe, Queensland.
9	<u>Hospital in which the death took place.</u>	Reserve Hospital at Munsterlager of heart weakness following sepsis after gun shot wound in upper thigh.

Munsterlager - 13th August 1917

Reserve Hospital

The Chief Doctor
(Signed).

(Seal)

London
24-9-19

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15th Batt.
A.I.F.

Hocking,
L/C. Joseph 3764.

"Prisoner of War"

Died 13.8.17 in Res. Lazarett Munster - Death following on Gunshot
wound in thigh.

Cert. by German death list dated 4.9.17

London 9.10.17

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15th Batt,
A.I.F.

Hocking
L/Cpl J.F. 3764

"Missing 11.4.17"

Prisoner of War - Interned at Soltau Z 3605.
Cert, by information by Post-Card from Man to A.I.F.
Headquarters 15.5.17
"I am wounded and captured on 11.4.17"

London
18.6.17

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15th Batt,
A.I.F.

Hocking,
L/Cp.J.F. 3764.

"Prisoner of War"

Wounded right knee - Reported Reserve Lazarette Valenciennes 62.
Cert, by information from German Lazarette List dated 3.7.17

London
8.8.17

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15th Batt,
A.I.F.

Hocking
L/Cpl. J.E. 3764

"Prisoner of War"

Death reported on Post-Card from Cpl A.H. Tyler date not stated

Interned Soltau 25.8.17

Cert, by A.I.F. Headquarters dated 24.9.17

London 28.9.17

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15th Battn.
A.I.F.

HOCKING.
L/Cpl. J.P. 3764.

"Died as Prisoner of War"

Was wounded on 11th April at Bullicourt. Had been hit by machine gun bullets in thigh and jaw. He was taken to Munster where he died from blood poisoning. His wounds had healed, but broke out again. Was buried in Prisoner of War Cemetery Munster. None of our men attended funeral as we were all Hospital patients. He died 2nd week in August 1917.

Informant:- Pte H.J. Jemmett. 6515.
15th Battn. A.Coy. P/W.
RED CROSS.

A.D.G.
London.
7-1-19.

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1. Tag, Monat, Jahr, Tageszeit
und Stunde des erfolgten Todes:

2. Vor- und Familiennamen des
Verstorbenen:

3. Religion:

4. Alter:

5. Dienstgrad und Truppenteil,
sowie Stand und Wohnort des
Verstorbenen vor der Einstellung:

6. Geburtsort des Verstorbenen:

7. Vor- und Familienname der
Ehegattin des Verstorbenen:

8. Vor- und Familiennamen, Stand
oder Gewerbe und Wohnort der
Eltern des Verstorbenen:

9. Lazarett, in welchem der Tod
erfolgt ist:

Es wird hiermit zur Anzeige gebracht, daß am 13. 8. 14.

Erkrankung durch Malaria
folgte

1.30 Vormittags
Joseph Hocking (Joseph Hocking)

Anglikan. Religion,

26 Jahre 11 Monate alt,

Gammelsdorf Austral. Inf. Fz. Btl. 15. Btl. 1. Komp.

vor der Einstellung Pächter zu Chillaioi

Greenland

geboren zu Durham Kreis 17. 11. 1887

Neuseeland

Lebte

Mutter: Louise Hocking in Chillaioi

Greenland

in dem Reserve Lazarett zu Munselager von

Genuss von infolge Lysiss und Cholesterin

verstorben ist. Schicksal unbekannt.

Munselager den 13ten August 1914

Reserve Lazarett.

Der Chefarzt.

M. Hocking

Rec. Sept. 1. 1915



Hausarzt
Dr. G. Hocking