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Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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1674 Private
George Jackson

47th Battalion



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47th Batt,
A. I. F.

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"Missing 7.6.17"

Killed In Action 7.6.17 - Previously reported Missing

† Cert. by A. I. F. Headquarters dated 3.12.17

London 7.12.17

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Messines. I saw him dead on top of Ridge. I saw him go down. He was with me in a shell hole and both hopped out. He fell and never moved after. He was in my platoon. Short, thick set, fellow. I knew him well.

Witness:- 1937 Ellis
W.29. Harefield.

D.P. Dickson.

London.
24.12.17.

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20th December 1917.

47th A.I.F.

Jackson G. No. 1674.

A. 7th June 1917.

The last I saw of this good chap was at 5.30 p.m. on the 7th June going forward with me behind the barrage in the 2nd phase of the attack. He was smiling and cheering and his happy face aglow. I gave him a drink from my Water Bottle. I liked him very much. I think he must have been killed in front of Owl Trench (German)

Inf:- Lieut. Hugh Douglas.
Australian Camp.
Bouelles.

R.M.