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Lieutenant Leslie John Primrose

2nd Squadron, Australian Flying Corps



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PRIMROSE L.J.Lieut.

Killed in action 4.6.18

Buried in Cem. near Clermont. Cert. by Capt. Spedding's List.

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PRIMROSE Lieut. L. M.

Killed 4/6/18

Killed during stunt at Bresles near Beauvais. Been out on patrol and on returning was cantour chasing (flying very low) and he flew into a hill. Primrose and machine smashed up. Buried near where machine crashed. Primrose's uncle, Air Mechanic of No. 2 Squad. known as "Primmie" witnessed the burial.

Informant has photo of grave with cross erected made out of an aeroplane propellor. Build about 5ft 8ins, fair, slim, professional footballer from Melbourne - Victoria.

Informant: Air Mechanic C.H. Peter Cobdeb, Sintiffic Victoria.

K.L.Piper H.W.A.T. "Euripides" 20/10/19.