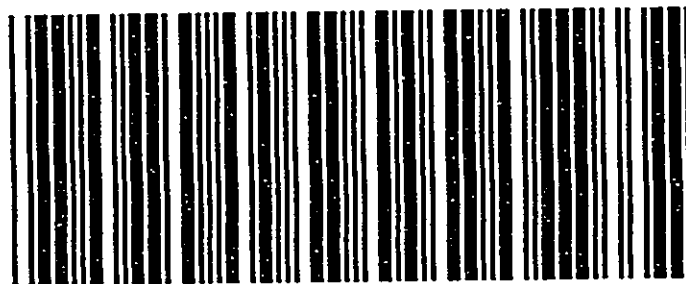


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Lieutenant
Walter Kennedy
Spence

52nd Battalion



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A.I.F. 52nd Bn

SPENCE
Lieut Walter
Kanned

"Wded 27-9-17"

Died 2-10-17 at Duchess of Westminster Hpl, who reported
the death to Cox's
Cert. by 'phone 25-10-17

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2/Lieut. SPENCE.

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No Enquiry Report.

Just after the stunt at Ypres on Sept.26th, he was killed, about 11.0 a.m. He was sitting in a trench with no back to it. I was his Plat. Runner. We were just going to have a sleep when a shell came and hit the trench. It buried me except my head and shoulders. I looked round and could see Mr.Spence, sitting up, unconscious. He had been hit in the temple. I got out and went to the 52nd Battn. Hdqrs. and fetched the Stretcher Bearers. They took him to the first C.C.S.. He got past that all right but died on the road to the Hospital.

Reference: Pte.Vaughan, D.Coy. XIII Pl.

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No.1 Aust. General, Rouen, 22.10.17.