John Kenworthy M ASHHURST

Birth date: 15-9-1895  
Birth place: Bridgewater SA  
Occupation: gardener, chemist assistant  
Residence: Bridgewater SA

Enlistment date: 21-7-1915  
Service number: 6421  
Rank: Gunner  
Unit: 11 Field Artillery Brigade

Embarkation date: 2-12-1915  
Embarkation ship: RMS Malwa
Death date: 22-7-1917
Death place: Belgium
Cause of death: Killed in action
Age at death: 21 y
Burial or memorial: Bus House Cemetery, Voormezele, Belgium

World War I South Australian Servicemen Deaths website
http://www.findagrave.com
Clarence Murchison DUDLEY

Birth date: 1896
Birth place: Cuddingwarra WA
Residence: Bridgewater SA
Enlistment date: 16-9-1914
Service number: 1156
Rank: Private
Unit: 16 Battalion
Embarkation date: 22-12-1914
Embarkation port: Melbourne
Embarkation ship: HMAT Ceramic

Death date: **1-5-1915**
Death place: Gallipoli
Cause of death: Killed in action
Age at death: 19 y
Burial or memorial: Lone Pine Memorial, Gallipoli
Bertram Lawrence FLAVEL

Birth date: 19-6-1898
Birth place: Murray Bridge
Occupation: cleaner SA railways
Residence: Bridgewater
Enlistment date: 18-9-1916
Service number: 6081
Rank: Private
Unit: 27 Battalion
Embarkation date: 6-11-1916
Embarkation port: Adelaide
Embarkation ship: HMAT Africa

Death date: 9-8-1918
Death place: Raincourt, France
Cause of death: Killed in action
Age at death: 20 y
Burial or memorial: Heath Cemetery, Harbonnieres, France

"Killed in Action 8-8-16"

I saw Flavel’s (C. Company) body a few minutes after he was killed instantly by a machine gun bullet through stomach August 9th not 8th in front line near Harbonnieres just after we reached our objective after the morning hop over and while we were digging in. He was dead when we got to him. I was stretcher bearer in his Company and buried him where he was killed. Also went up later when the Battalion cross was erected.

Flavel was about 5ft 10, medium complexion, about 20. I worked with him at Railway Murray Bridge, S Australia. His home was at Bridgewater. S. Australia.

Informant:- Pte (S/B) M.W. O’Connor. 6609.
27th Battn. C. Coy.

H.E.H.
London.
10-3-19.
J.E.A.
I did not see his body but erected a cross over his grave between Framerville and Villers Bretonneaux. He was killed just before entering Framerville on afternoon of August 9th 1918, during a daylight stunt. Height about 5'6", age 21 or 22. Rather stout build, dark complexion.

Informant: 6628
Pte. C. H. Rule
27th Battn.
Streaky Bay
West Coast
S.A.

Description
Surrounded by snow, a cross and helmet on the grave of 6081 Private Bertram Lawrence Flavel, 27th Battalion, of Murray Bridge, SA, killed in action 9 August 1918.
HALES, Stanley Russell

Service No. 2666
Private
10th Battalion

Born 5 January 1889 at Bridgewater
Son of John W. and Ellen Hales of Summertown
Occupation prior to enlistment Labourer
Enlisted 20 June 1915
Served in Egypt and France
Made the supreme sacrifice 25 July 1916 at Pozieres
Buried Puchevillers British Cemetery II A 52

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD

No. 2666
Name: HALEY Stanley Russell
Unit: 6/127 F.F.
Joined on: 10th Battalion

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? Stanley Russell Hales
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? Bridgewater
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.)
4. What is your age?
5. What is your trade or calling?
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? Where, to whom, and for what period?
7. Are you married?
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated)
9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power?
10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces, with ignominy, or as an Incorrigible and Worthless, or on account of Conviction of Felony, or of a Sentence of Penal Servitude, or have you been disassociated with disgrace from the Navy?
11. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, His Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Territorial Force, Royal Navy, or Colonial Forces? If so, state which, and if not now serving, state cause of discharge.
12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service?
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds?
14. (For married men, widowers with children, and soldiers who are the parents or guardians of a minor.—Do you understand that no separation allowance will be issued to you in any circumstances during your term of service.)
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever?

Stanley Russell Hales do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and I am willing and hereby voluntarily agree to serve in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.

And I further agree to allot not less than Two-fifths of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife and children.

Date: 8/15

Signature of Person Enlisted: S.R. Hales

* This clause should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 15 years of age.
† Two-fifths must be allotted to the wife, and if there are children three-fifths must be allotted.
Albert Ernest Lock

Birth date: 9-6-1887
Birth place: Bridgewater SA
Occupation: civil servant
Residence: Bridgewater SA
Enlistment date: 20-1-1916
Service number: 29888
Rank: Sergeant (temp)
Unit: 2 Field Artillery Brigade
Embarkation date: 3-10-1916
Embarkation port: Melbourne
Embarkation ship: HMAT Aeneas

Death date: 9-10-1917
Death place: Belgium
Cause of death: Died of wounds
Age at death: 30 y
Burial or memorial: The Huts Cemetery, Dickebusch, Belgium
After being promoted to the rank of sergeant he died of wounds on 9 October 1917, aged 30, at Passchendaele, Belgium. After the war, the town of Lock, SA, was named after Sgt Lock who had been an officer of the Land Office, Department of Lands, SA.
"D/Wounds Oct.9/17"

If this is Sgt. Lock he was hit by a piece of shell up by Westhoek Ridge and taken by our men to a Dressing Station and died going down. He is buried at Dickebusch Cemetery and a cross was erected. I saw him hit as I was only a few yards away, but I was not at the burial, several of our boys were.

102 How Bty.
A.I.F.

"Died of Wounds 9.10.17."

Lock was Acting 3/M, and was killed at 5 o'clock in the morning coming out of the officer's dugout at Westhoek Ridge. He was hit, rushed back and said 'I've lost my arm.' He was immediately dressed but died before reaching the 3s about half a mile away. He is buried at Dickebusch, Military Cemetery and cross was erected. He was a very popular fellow. I have written to his people. I did not actually see casualty but saw him afterwards. I saw his grave.


I saw him killed, he was hit through the heart by a piece of shell, whilst we were at West Hoek Ridge. He was taken to the dressing station. I believe he was buried close by, but could not give any particulars of his burial. I knew him in the baty, I could not say where he came from.


S. Whitmee.

Taken at
NO. 4 C.D. Hurdcott.
19-3-18.
F.G.H.
James Henry JONES
Birth date: 23-3-1888
Birth place: Bridgewater SA
Occupation: mason
Enlistment date: 12-11-1914
Service number: 1377
Rank: Private
Unit: 16 Battalion
Embarkation date: 22-12-1914
Embarkation port: Melbourne
Embarkation ship: HMAT Ceramic

Death date: 2-5-1915
Death place: Gallipoli, Turkey
Cause of death: Killed in action
Age at death: 27 y
Burial or memorial: Lone Pine Memorial, Gallipoli
Plot: Final resting place unknown. Name listed on Panel 53 of the Memorial.
16th A.I.F.
D. Coy

W. 2/5/15 (Unof.F.)

Jones
Pte. Jas. H. No. 1377
James Henry

Witness says that Jones was in the charge at Dead Man's Ridge on the night of 2nd to 3rd May. He and witness were friends and witness made particular enquiries for him immediately afterwards, but could ascertain nothing about him.


W. J. I.
26/2/15

(A.) L. L. W.

16 A.I.F.
D. Coy

W. 2/5/15.

Jones
James Henry

Witness knew a man called Jimmy Jones in D Co, 16th Btn, who came over with the 1st Hts. Witness knows that he went into the charge on the position known as Dead Man's Ridge between Pope's Post and Quinn's Post on 2/5/15. The casualties in the 16th Btn in that attack were very heavy and, as far as witness knows, he has not been seen since.

Ref: - Pte H.L. Bates, 1146, DCo 16th A.I.F.
Tel el Kebir Camp.

J.L.K.
13/3/16.
Herbert Clifford Henry KADOW

Birth date: 10-2-1893
Birth place: Bridgewater SA
Occupation: labourer
Enlistment date: 1-12-1914
Service number: 3078
Rank: Private
Unit: 43 Battalion
Embarkation date: 2-6-1915
Embarkation port: Adelaide
Embarkation ship: HMAT Botanist

Death date: 1-9-1918
Death place: Mont St Quentin, Somme, France
Cause of death: Killed in action
Age at death: 25 y
Burial or memorial: Peronne Communal Cemetery Extension, France

Originally 9 Light Horse, returned to Australia 20-6-1916 on HS Themistocles with arthritis ankle, discharged 10-7-1916, re-enlisted 7-3-1917, re-embarked 23-6-1917 HMAT Borda from Adelaide

"Killed in Action 1-9-18"

He was a stretcher bearer in C. Company. On Sept 1st we arrived at Mont St Quentin. The next day we advanced on open ground and a little later I saw him lying there dead. He had been shot through the heart by a sniper. He was buried by the Battalion Pioneers and I saw his grave about one month later at a place 10/12 Kilos from Peronne. It had a cross with full particulars erected. He was a mate of mine. I knew him in Gawler, South Australia. About 26, about 5ft 9/10, 13 stone, medium complexion.

Informant:- Pte Norman, N.W.L. 3062.
A.Coy, 43rd Battl.
LITTLEMOOR.
23rd December 1918.

Miss D.V. Harris,
3rd London General Hospital,
 Wandsworth, S.W.

Dear Miss Harris,

In reply to your enquiry dated 17th December 1918, regarding 2076 Pte. H.C.H. Kadow, 43rd Battalion A.I.F., we deeply regret to have to inform you that he was killed in action on the 1st September 1918. If you wish for details will you kindly let us know, and we will pursue our enquiries.

Assuring you of our sincere regard in having to forward such distressing news.

Yours faithfully,

(Miss)

Secretary.

E.B. Y. M.
Henry Gilmour RADBONE
Birth date: 28-6-1894
Birth place: West Adelaide
Occupation: labourer
Residence: Bridgewater SA
Enlistment date: 6-1-1915
Service number: 1800
Rank: Quarter Master Sergeant, MM
Unit: 10 Battalion
Embarkation date: 1-4-1915
Embarkation port: Adelaide
Embarkation ship: HMAT Port Lincoln

Death date: 30-6-1918
Death place: 2 Casualty Clearing Station, France
Cause of death: Died of wounds
Age at death: 24 y
Burial or memorial: Longuenesse (St Omer) Souvenir Cemetery, France
Won a military medal
Wilhelm Andreas (aka William Andrew) SCHIFF

Birth date: 23-12-1887
Birth place: Bridgewater SA
Occupation: railway employee
Residence: Kalgoorlie WA
Enlistment date: 9-12-1915
Service number: 4904
Rank: Sergeant, MM
Unit: 16 Battalion
Embarkation date: 1-4-1916
Embarkation port: Fremantle
Embarkation ship: HMAT Ulysses

Death date: 28-7-1918
Death place: Rest Camp, Querrieu, France
Cause of death: Killed in action during an air raid on a rest camp at Quernieux.
Age at death: 30 y
Burial or memorial: Querrieu British Cemetery, France
SA Notes: Awarded Military medal for conspicuous gallantry at Zonnebeke 26-9-1917.
Samuel WORMWELL

Birth place: Earby, Yorkshire ENG
Occupation: builder & contractor
Residence: Bridgewater SA
Wife: Ada
Enlistment date: 17-2-1915
Service number: 729
Rank: Company Sergeant Major
Unit: 27 Battalion
Embarkation date: 31-5-1915
Embarkation port: Adelaide
Embarkation ship: HMAT Geelong

Death date: **5-11-1916**
Death place: Flers, France
Cause of death: Killed in action
Age at death: 40 y
Burial or memorial: Villers-Bretonneux, France
Notes: Served as Corporal in Imperial Yeomanry, Boer War.
X. Nov. 5th 1916. Det: D & B

He was buried by the Rev. Hume Robertson, C.F. 28th A.I.F. B.Coy. (he thought the name was Wormewell, but initials and number were the same) on the 4th March 1917. His body had been lying in no-man's-land, and it was impossible to bring it in before, the grave was in the open.

Informant: Rev. Hume Robertson, C.F. 28.B.
No. 2 Aust. Hosp.
BOULOGNE. 7.5.17.

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27th AUSTRALIANS

X. 5.11.16. Det: D/B

He was hit by a bullet in the head close to the German lines at Flers. He was returning back to our lines when he was killed outright by a shell. He was then about 80 yards from our trenches. I do not know what became of his body as there was heavy shelling going on till we were relieved.

Informant: Serjt. W. G. Clarke, 524
27th Australians, C Co.
No. 2 Gen. (Yard) Havre.
HALLIDAY, Arnold Owen

Service No: 1717
Private
27th Battalion

Born 10 May 1897 at Bridgewater, SA
Son of Alfred HALLIDAY and Matilda A nee MITCHELL
Of Tailem Bend, SA
Enlisted: 7 May 1915 at Keswick
Age: 19 years
Occupation prior to enlisting: Baker
Served Gallipoli, Egypt, Belgium & France
Suffered from Trench Feet & Frost Bit
Killed in Action in France: 5 November 1916
Commemorated Villers - Bretonneux Memorial MR 25, Part III, G - J

State Records of SA GRG 25/5/4/1282

"Killed in Action 5-11-16" - previously reported Missing in action

Cert. by A.I.F. Egrs 17-8-17.

A.I.F.
27th. Battalion.

HALLIDAY, 1717.
Arnold Owen.

"Killed in Action 5-11-16".

No trace Germany.

Cert. Capt. Mills. 10.10.19.
Mrs. A. Burke,  
27, Churchways Crescent,  
Horfield, BRISTOL.

Dear Madam,

With regards to your enquiry about 1717 Private Arnold Halliday, 27th Battn., A.I.F., we regret to say we have no news at all of him. We are unable to find that he is in hospital anywhere, either in France or England; we hope that in time we may be able to hear what has happened to him from some of his companions in the battalion. If that is so we shall let you know immediately. We fear that at this late date there is no hope of his turning up as a prisoner of war. Accepting you of our desire to help you.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]
Secretary.

August 24th, 1917.

Mrs. A. Burke,  
27, Churchways Crescent,  
Horfield, Bristol.

Re Arnold Halliday, 1717, 27th Battn., A.I.F.

Dear Madam,

We deeply regret to inform you that the above soldier who was previously reported "Missing" is now reported "Killed in Action on 5.11.16".

We are making further inquiries in the hope of learning full details of his death and will immediately forward to you any information that we receive.

Assuring you of our sincere sympathy in your loss.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]
Secretary.