

HUNT, Robert Edward



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Robert Hunt studied for the Diploma for just one year during 1904. He was 17. He joined the 18th Battalion as a 28 year old grazier at the end of May 1915 and was only in camp for 4 weeks before embarking for Egypt on 19 June 1915. He sent a postcard to HAC on the 14th of August saying he was off to Gallipoli the following day. Hunt was posted missing subsequent to the charge on Hill 60 on 27 August and his body was found by a search party the following day. A witness later recounted that he was shot through the head at 5pm shortly after the attack commenced. He lies today in the Hill 60 Cemetery, Gallipoli, Turkey.