



George HOGG

Regimental No.	875
Religion	Church of England
Occupation	Driver
Address	140 Chestnut Street, Richmond, Victoria
Marital status	Single
Age at embarkation	18
Next of kin	Father, G Hogg, 140 Chestnut Street, Richmond, Victoria
Enlistment date	3rd February 1915
Date of enlistment from Nominal Roll	1st February 1915
Rank on enlistment	Private
Unit name	21st Battalion, D Company
AWM Embarkation Roll No.	23/38/1
Embarkation details	Unit embarked from Melbourne, Victoria, on board HMAT A38 Ulysses on 10th May 1915
Rank from Nominal Roll	Lance Corporal
Unit from Nominal Roll	21st Battalion
1915 March	Attached 21st Battalion 6th Brigade at its formation.
1915 8th May	Embarked SS <i>Ulysses</i> for Egypt.
1915 September	Landed on Gallipoli until December 1915. Served Gallipoli, Egypt, France and England.
1916 - 1917	Serving with Battalion Egypt and France. Bullecourt.
1916 March	In France with Battalion. April in front line - Fleurbaix, Pozieres onwards to Flers, 1916 -1917 winter.
1917 January	Continuously with Battalion to May 1917.
1917 4th May	Awarded Military Medal - "for conspicuous gallantry near Bullecourt".
1917 May to October	With Battalion throughout to Ypres and 9th October engagement.
1917 9th October	Wounded seriously in head at Hellfire Corner. Evacuated to Hospitals in France then England followed by Convalescent Camps.
Fate	Returned to Australia 21st April 1918
Other details	Discharged physically unfit 2nd October 1918. Medals: Military Medal for conspicuous gallantry in holding up the enemy bombers by skilled bombing until the arrival of our reinforcements. Recommendation date: 14th May 1917 Born 3rd December 1896 in Monbulk to Ellen <i>nee</i> McCarthy and George Hogg Described as 5 ft., 10 in., 11 Stone, light brown eyes and fair hair. Brother John Henry Hogg also enlisted. Admitted to Hospitals in Australia 7th June 1918. Further details unknown.

CITATION OF AWARD OF M.M.

From Base Records A.I.F. Canberra. No.875. Corporal George Hogg M.M. 21st Battalion. Awarded the Military Medal for conspicuous gallantry whilst employed on a working party near Bullecourt on the 4th May 1917. During an enemy counter attack he reinforced the covering party and by skillful bombing held up the enemy Numbers until the arrival of our reinforcements.

(Signed) A.J. Bowman
Officer -Ic Base Records A.I.F.
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