

Beveridge, Alwynne Steel

ASC 1904-7

AUSTRALIAN



MILITARY FORCES.

TAKEN ON STRENGTH FROM

7th Light Horse Regt

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No.

842

Name *BEVERIDGE Alwynne Steel*

Unit *12th L. H. R. A.I.F.*

Joined on *13 - 4 - 15*

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

What is your Name?

1. *Alwynne Steel Beveridge*

In or near what Parish or Town were you born?

2. In the Parish of *Magga Magga* in or

near the Town of *Magga Magga*

in the County of *Magga Magga*

Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.)

3. *Yes*

What is your age?

4. *25 years*

What is your trade or calling?

5. *Private*

Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period?

6. *No*

Are you married?

7. *No*

Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated)

8. *Mrs M J Beveridge
Blairgowrie, Sp. Junc.*

Age *25* years *1* months

Height *5* feet *7 1/2* inches

Weight *134* lbs.

Chest Measurement *31.75* inches

Complexion *Dark*

Eyes *Good Blue*

Hair *Brown*

Religious Denomination *Cal E*

Notice below contracted Malaria.

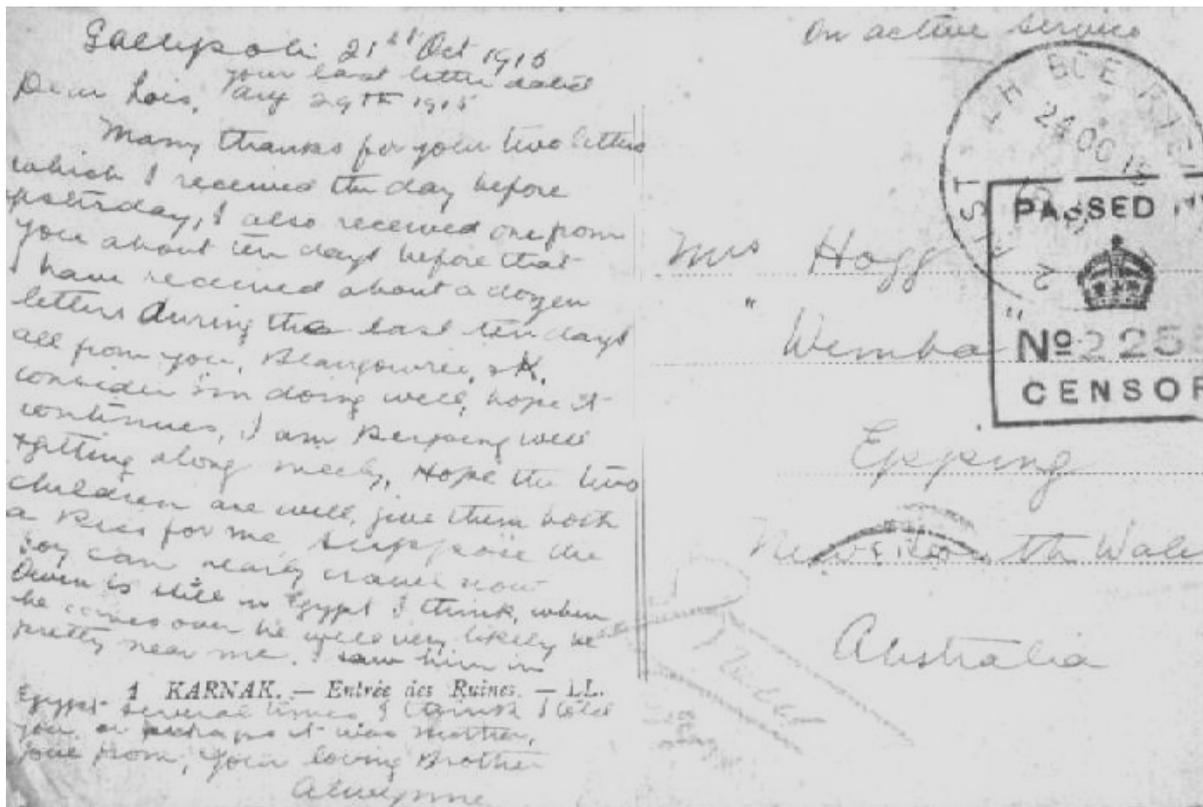
Casualty Form — Active Service.

Regiment or Corps *2nd Punf 12th Reg^t A.L.H*
 Regimental No. *842* Rank *Cooper* Name *Beveridge Alwyn*
 Enlisted (a) *13.4.15* Terms of Service (a) Service reckons from (a)

3/10/15	C.O. Regt.	Joined and taken on strength of 7th L H Regt.	Gallipoli Peninsula
<i>30/10/15</i>	<i>2nd A.L.H 4pl.</i>	<i>Malasia</i>	<i>Cairo</i>
<i>31/10/15</i>	<i>C.S. Regt.</i>	<i>Sick</i> <i>1st A.L.H</i>	<i>Gallipoli Peninsula</i>
<i>30/10/15</i>	<i>Whip Glasgow Castle</i>	<i>Admitted</i>	<i>do</i>
<i>31/10/15</i>	<i>1st A.L.H Str</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>do</i>
<i>3/11/15</i>	<i>B.R. Cross Comm 4pl.</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>Montazek</i>
<i>11/11/15</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>Discharged</i>	<i>do</i>
<i>8/12/15</i>	<i>Off Base</i>	<i>Taken on strength</i>	<i>Cairo</i>

Date	received	A. 80, or in other official documents. To notify to be noted in such case.	
3.5.18	15 th LH	To Hospital	E&D
3/3/16	18 th LH Hpl.	Malaria Adm	Curso
		Detach. Co. Strength	Heliopoli
20/3/16	18 th LH	Malaria. Adm	Basel
24/3/16	"	" Disch'd to Base C.S. Base Messafra	"
3.8.18	12 th LH	Rejoined from sick	E&D
30.4.16	12 th LH	Admitted In	Tel-el-K
16.6.16	do.	To Hospital	du
11.6.16	Lawland	Malaria Admtd. Dfd to	Scottish
13.6.16	6.6.1	admt'd 1/6/16 Dfd	Kiagara Kan
13.6.16	3 rd Cont	Malaria Admtd	Port Said
27.6.16		Disch'd to	Heliopoli

30.6.16	12 LH.	Ref from Hospital	Neredan
23.6.16	Base Belah Pamb.	To Unit 23.6.16	Port Said
26.1.18	12 th LH.	To Rest Camp Pt Said	Belah
2.2.18	do	Rejoined x Rest Camp	do
27.4.18	12 th LH	To Hospital	E&D



Beveridge Post Card from Gallipoli, 21 October 1915

This post card was discovered as presented without any further detail.

Tracking down the author required a bit of detective work as is required on all disparate pieces of evidence. The only identifying information on the post card was that on the post card, - Alwynne, the brother of Mrs Hogg of Epping. He was at Gallipoli and a person Owen is also mentioned.

Through research, it is now possible to put a name to the author of the post card letter. The man has been identified as 842 Private Alwynne Steel Beveridge, a 25 year old Grazier from Epping, N S W. He enlisted on 13 April 1915 and was allotted to the 12th Australian Light Horse Regiment, AIF, 2nd Reinforcements, embarked from Sydney, on board HMAT A51 *Chilka* 7 June 1915; and at the conclusion of the war returned to Australia, 20 July 1919.

The Postcard was sent on the day he arrived at Gallipoli. Lois is Mrs Lois Hogg whose husband Herbert had a brother Owen Stanley Byames Hogg who was a Captain and a dentist and remained in Cairo with that unit. Text reads:

Gallipoli 21st Oct 1915

On Active Service

Your last letter dated May 29th 1915

Dear Lois,

Many thanks for your two letters yesterday. I also received one from you about ten days before that have received about a dozen letters during the last ten days all from you, Blairgowrie & K. Consider I'm doing well, hope it continues, I am keeping well +

getting along nicely. Hope the two children are well. Give them both a kiss for me. Suppose the boy can nearly crawl now. Owen is still in Egypt I think. When he comes over he will very likely be pretty near me. Saw him in Egypt several times. I think I told you or perhaps it was mother. Love from your loving brother,

Alwynne.

Acknowledgement, Australian Light Horse Studies Centre

Station and Date	Disease	Malaria
Quene	Landed Anzac beginning October - into trenches & remained there for 2 weeks - then did fatigue work - only noticed an odd mosquito - no swamps - Soon after leaving firing line he found himself getting hot at night & shivering - he was also faint & had to sit down. The attacks of shivering came at irregular intervals - he had no incubating stage - During one attack his temperature was taken by a M.O. it was 104.2 - he was sent to bed & next day his temperature was better. He was then put on a Hospital ship - He has improved since then - He has had no attack since being in Hospital - the last attack was on the ship 5 days ago	
6/11/15	Transferred to Muntack.	

Possibly in famous charge at Beersheba?
Beveridge Alwynne Steel 842 Pte B Sqn



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Informal group portrait of soldiers of 4th Troop, 12th Light Horse Regiment, after the second battle of Gaza. The second battle of Gaza began on 17 April 1917 with British and Australian forces launching a frontal assault on the Turkish defences. The 12th Light Horse Regiment joined the battle on 19 April 1917, a day before the attack was called off.

Born, 3/7/1890 Wagga Wagga. Son of Andrew Steel Caldwell Beveridge and Mary Jane Beveridge. Brother of Dorothy Enid, Rex Caldwell, Lois, Bruce, Laurie. Married Kathleen Marjorie 1921 at Summer Hill.

Died 28/2/77.