

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War
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216 Private
Cyril Alfred Yells

15th Battalion



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15th Bata
A. I. F. (1st)

YELLS
C.A. 216

"Missing 11.4.17."

Killed in Action 11.4.17. previously reported Missing.

Cert. by A. I. F. HdQtrs 8.11.17.

London.
16.11.17.

P. I. Off. M.

No further information
required

Memorandum
Cullompton
Oct. 4th 19.

Dear Madam,

Thank you for
your communication of
the 2nd inst. Please do
not trouble to make
further inquiries regarding
our cousin 216 C. G. Yello. ¹⁵⁸⁷
as if there is anything to
learn, we should doubtless
receive information from his
people in New Zealand.
Again thanking you for
the trouble taken

Yours sincerely
Susan
Miss Lillian Yello. S. Yello.

2/10/19

Final Draft to

Miss Lello

Remberton

Callowpton

Devon

about

216 e. a. Lello

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The Australian Red Cross Society

(B.R.C.S.)

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

WOUNDED AND MISSING ENQUIRY BUREAU.

Enquiry No.

7266

Date June 22-1918.

Regimental Details of
Soldier enquired about.

No. 10853,
Cmr. F. Donaldson
18th F.A.B.

Details of Casualty.

Wounded (lost leg)

Information wanted.

Draft 5.

Chris Yells
Reimbursement

Cellompton
Dewon

re 216

Pl C. A. Yells 15. Blu

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28. 7. 17.

August 22nd, 1917.

595 Sgt. C. R. Yells,
Imperial School of Instruction,
Egypt.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your enquiry for

^{C.A.}
216 Pte. ~~C.R.~~ Yells,
15th Battn,
~~A.I.F.~~

who was officially reported Missing 11.4.17. We very
much regret that we have no reported^s about him at
present.

As soon as we receive any information concerning him
we will immediately communicate with you.

Assuring you of our sympathy in your anxiety.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary.

for D N S

December 20th, 1917.

Miss Yells,
Remberton,
Cullompton,
Devon.

Dear Madam,

Re C. A. Yells, 216. 15th Bn

We deeply regret to inform you that the above soldier who was previously reported missing is now reported killed in action 11.12.17.

We are making further enquiries 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,

Max

Secretary.

24th December, 1917.

Sergeant C. R. Yells,
Imperial School of Instruction,
Egyptian Expeditionary Force.

Dear Sir,

Re Pte. C. R. YELLS 216, 15th Batt. A. I. F.

We deeply regret to inform you that the above soldier who was previously reported missing is now reported killed in action on the 11th April, 1917.

We are making further enquiries 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,

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SECRETARY.



19 FEB 1918



Y.M.C.A.

WITH THE

NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

(We)

WRITE HOME FIRST.

RECORDS

Reply to No. _____ Company _____ Bar _____ *New Zealand*
 Stationed at _____ *No. 1 Discharge Depot*
Porquary 1918
 to *The Secretary*
The British Red Cross Society
% Central Prisoners of War Committee
4 Charles Place
London, S.W.

Sir

Will you kindly let me know if you have the address of *A.C. Yells* A. Coy 15th Battalion 4th Brigade Australian Imperial Forces. *A.C. Yells* was taken prisoner at *Bullicourt* on April 11th last. He is a (brother in law) of mine if you can give me any information I will be very much obliged because I am returning to New Zealand shortly

Yours Faithfully
Pvt A.W. Thompson 88458

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38450 Pte. A. W. Thompson,
New Zealand No 1 Discharge Depot
Torquay.

February 5th, 1918.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your enquiry of 27th ulto for 216 Pte. A. C. A. Yalls, 15th Battalion, A.I.F. We very much regret to inform you that we have no trace of him as a ~~prisoner~~ prisoner of war, and that he is now officially reported killed in action on 11.4.17, having previously been reported missing on that date. Up to the present we have been unable to obtain any particulars of his death and burial, but we are still pursuing our enquiries, and will advise you as soon as any information comes to hand. Regretting we should have to forward such sad news and assuring you of our sympathy.

Yours faithfully,

SECRETARY.

P.S. Your letter has been forwarded to us from the Central Prisoners Enquiry Committee, as we are the only organisation that deals with enquiries for wounded and missing Australians

J. B. for M.R.