CARLSON, David Fridengard

Rank: Private

Service Number: 2002

Unit: 42nd Battalion

Place of Birth: Parish of Bodarno, Loxo, Sweden.

Date of Birth: 8 February 1884

Enlisted at Gladstone 26 February 1916 age 32 years 0 months. Next-of-kin was his father, Carl Gustav Carlson, Loxo Station, Sweden. On enlistment he was 5 feet 7 inches and weighed 12 stone 6 lbs. His chest measurement was 39-40 inches. His occupation was labourer. Carlson had previously served in the Swedish Navy for three (3) years. He served in France from 9 November 1916 to 4 October 1917, when he was killed in action in the field in Belgium. He is commemorated at Ypres (Menin Gate) Memorial, Panel 27, Belgium.

Service Record: View digital copy (naa.gov.au)

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