

LYON, Richard Brennan



R.B. Lyon 11-9, one of the soldiers photographed in *The Queenslander Pictorial*, supplement to *The Queenslander*, 1915. (2014). John Oxley Library, State Library of Queensland.

Rank: Private

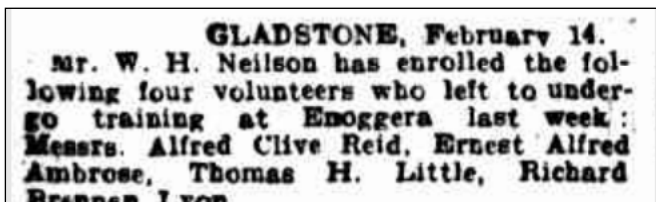
Service Number: 3404

Unit: 9th Battalion, 11th Reinforcement/49th Battalion

Place of Birth: Cawarral, via Rockhampton, Queensland.

Date of Birth: 6 August 1888

Enlisted at: sea on HMAT A48, on 15 July 1915, aged 26 years



Queenslander 20 February 1915 (from trove.nla.gov.au)

Next-of-kin was John Faucett (sic Fawcett) Lyon, Cawarral, via Rockhampton, Qld. Mother Mary Maria Brenan. On enlistment he was 5 ft 8 inches and weighed 154 lbs. His chest measurement was 36-38 inches. His occupation was miner. Transferred from Light Horse Regiment 20 November 1915 at sea. Unit embarked from Brisbane, Queensland, on board HMAT A48 *Seang Bee* on 21 October 1915. Disembarked Alexandria. Sick to hospital 15 May 1916. Transferred to France 28 August 1916. Wounded in action France 5 April 1917 GSW knee. Returned to field 1 June 1917. Numerous incidents of AWL. Returned to Australia 18 May 1915 per *Armagh*.

Service Record: [View digital copy \(naa.gov.au\)](http://naa.gov.au)

Paulette Flint, 2024