

## McCOSKER, Thomas Leonard



T. McCosker, one of the soldiers photographed in *The Queenslander Pictorial*, supplement to *The Queenslander*, 1917. (2014). John Oxley Library, State Library of Queensland.

Rank: Staff Sergeant

Service Number: 110

Unit: Machine Gun Company 11; 3<sup>rd</sup> Machine Gun Battalion

Place of Birth: Caboolture, Qld

Date of Birth: 26 March 1889

Enlisted at Rockhampton, Qld, on 18 May 1916 aged 27 years 1 month.

Next-of-kin was mother, Thomas Alexander McCosker, Many Peaks, Queensland.

On enlistment he was 5 feet 9.5 inches and weighed 12 stone 0 lbs. His chest measurement was 38.5 inches. His occupation was miner. Unit embarked from Sydney on board HMAT A30 *Borda* 5 June 1916. Proceeded to France 23 November 1916. Trench Fever 2 June 1918. Transferred to hospital Birmingham, UK. Returned to Australia 10 May 1919.

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

*Paulette Flint, 2024*