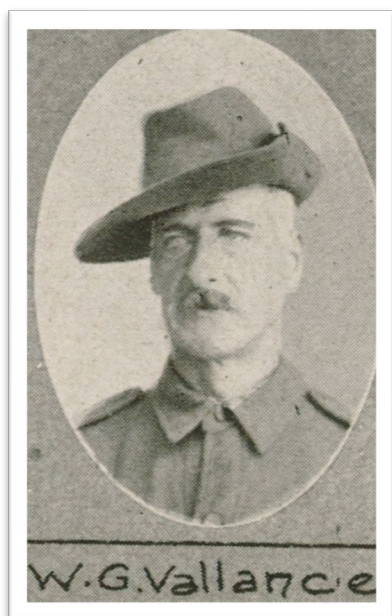


## VALLANCE, William George



W.G. Vallance, one of the soldiers photographed in *The Queenslander Pictorial*, supplement to *The Queenslander*, 1916. (2014). John Oxley Library, State Library of Queensland.

Rank: Private

Service Number: 2383

Unit: 11<sup>th</sup> Depot Battalion/Field Engineers

Place of Birth: Rutherglen, Victoria

Date of Birth: c.1872

Enlisted at: Rockhampton, Qld, on 18 January 1916 aged 44 years.

Next-of-kin was sister, Mrs Marion Shearer, 13 Kirkwood Street, Rutherglen, Scotland.

On enlistment he was 5 ft 9 inches and weighed 11 stone 6 lbs. His chest measurement was 36-37 inches. His occupation was tailor. Postal address, Blackall, c/- Mr Swanwick, selector.

After five offences including AWL, drunkenness (2), disobedience, abusive language, it was considered that: *'it is a waste of public money to continue his training ... he is not likely to become an efficient soldier'*, recommendation for discharge 8 May 1916.

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

*Paulette Flint, 2024*