WRIGHT, Harry



H. Wright, one of the soldiers photographed in *The Queenslander Pictorial*, supplement to *The Queenslander*, 1915. (2014). John Oxley Library, State Library of Queensland.

Rank: Driver/Sergeant

Service Number: 1635

Unit: 5th Light Horse Regiment, 12th Reinforcement

Place of Birth: Calliope, Queensland.

Date of Birth: 21 August 1885

Enlisted at Enoggera, Queensland on 1 July 1915, aged 29 years

Next-of-kin was mother, Mary Jane WRIGHT (nee HEWITT), Calliope via Gladstone, Qld. Father, George Wright.

On enlistment he was 5 ft 9 inches and weighed 10 stone 3 lbs. His chest measurement was 34-37 inches. His occupation was labourer. Unit embarked from Sydney, New South Wales, on board HMAT A23 *Suffolk* on 30 November 1915. Served Egypt. Returned to Australia 28 June 1919.



Harry Wright and two other soldiers on camels in front of Sphinx and Pyramids, Egypt. Harry in the middle. Photograph from Gail Sellers (nee Bermingham, granddaughter)



Harry Wright before going overseas



Service Record: <u>View digital copy (naa.gov.au)</u>

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