## **LITTLE, Robert Dalrymple**

**Reference: Beecroft Church of England Roll of Honour, Beecroft Roll of Honour, Beecroft Public School, Tony Cunneen book**

**Resident of “Glenbower,” Beecroft, NSW**

**Brother of Bruce Little**

[Born 1892, Marrickville district, son of Henry J. and Jemima E. Little]

**AIF Project details:**

Regimental Number: 779

Enlistment Date: 4 Nov 1914

Place of Birth: Marrickville, Sydney, NSW

Occupation: Station overseer

Address: ‘Glenbower’ Beecroft, NSW

Marital Status: Single

Age at embarkation: 22

Height: 5’ 4”

Weight: 9 stone 4lbs

Chest Measurement: 33-35.5”

Complexion: Dark

Eyes: Blue

Hair: Dark

Religious Denomination: Church of England

Next of Kin: Father, Henry John Little, ‘Glenbower’, Beecroft, NSW

Date of enlistment from Nominal Roll: 14 Jan 1915

Rank on enlistment: Private

Unit Name: 7th Light Horse Regiment, 3rd Reinforcement

AWM embarkation Roll number: 10/12/2

Embarkation details: Unit embarked from Sydney, NSW, on board HMAT A1 *Hymettus* on 8 Feb 1915

Roll title: 7 LHR [Light Horse Regiment] – 1 to 10

 Reinforcements (Dec 1914 – Oct 1915)

Rank from Nominal Roll: Lance Corporal

Unit from Nominal Roll: 7th Light Horse Regiment

Fate: Returned to Australia 28 Jun 1919

Misc. information from cemetery records: Plaque in NSW Garden of Remembrance

Date of death: 23 Jun 1927

**Further references:**

“Beecroft and Cheltenham in WW1” by Tony Cunneen (pages 10-11, 14, 17, 43, 49-50, 85)

The Cumberland Argus and Fruitgrowers Advocate, Sat 22 May 1915 (Beecroft honours board)

The Cumberland Argus and Fruitgrowers Advocate, Sat 29 May 1915 (at front)

Leader (Orange, NSW), Fri 11 Jun 1915 (casualty list)

The Cumberland Argus and Fruitgrowers Advocate, Sat 19 Jun 1915 (reported wounded)

The Cumberland Argus and Fruitgrowers Advocate, Sat 6 Nov 1915 (photo)

The Cumberland Argus and Fruitgrowers Advocate, Sat 13 May 1916 (Beecroft Public school ex-student)