## **SHERRING, Harrie Webster**

**Reference: Beecroft Public School**

[Born 1895, Bourke district, son of George W. and Jessie A. Sherring]

**AIF Project details:**

Regimental Number: 4236

Enlistment Date: 3 Aug 1915

Place of Birth: Bourke, NSW

Age: 20 years 6 months

Occupation: Clerk

Address: Heydon Street, Mosman, Sydney, NSW

Marital Status: Single

Age at embarkation: 20

Height: 5’ 10”

Weight: 8 stone 11 ½ lbs

Chest Measurement: 34-35”

Complexion: Dark

Eyes: Brown

Hair: Black

Religious Denomination: Church of England

Next of Kin: Father, Mr. George W. Sherring, Heydon Street, Mosman, NSW

Previous military service: 2 years Militia

Rank on enlistment: Private

Unit Name: 2nd Battalion, 13th Reinforcement

AWM embarkation Roll number: 23/19/3

Embarkation details: Unit embarked from Sydney, NSW, on board HMAT A6 *Aeneas* on 20 Dec 1915

Roll title: 2 Infantry Battalion – 13 to 23 Reinforcements (Dec 1915-Nov 1916)

Rank from Nominal Roll: Private

Unit from Nominal Roll: 54th Battalion

Fate: Returned to Australia 4 May 1917

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

Date of death: 12 Nov 1974

**Further references:**

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

The Sydney Morning Herald, Fri 4 Aug 1916 (reported wounded)