## **SWAN, George Leslie**

**Reference: Tony Cunneen book**

**Brother of C. R. Swan of Beecroft, NSW**

**AIF Project details:**

Regimental Number: 2642

Enlistment Date: 24 May 1915

Place of Birth: North Fitzroy, Melbourne, NSW

Age: 33 years

Occupation: Bank Clerk

Address: Melbourne, Victoria

Marital Status: Single

Age at embarkation: 33

Height: 5’ 10 ½”

Weight: 145lbs

Chest Measurement: 35-37”

Complexion: Medium

Eyes: Blue

Hair: Black

Religious Denomination: Congregational

Next of Kin: Father, Henry William Swan, ‘Hillcross’ Cross Street, Canterbury, Melbourne, Victoria

Rank on enlistment: Private

Unit Name: 15th Battalion, 8th Reinforcement

AWM embarkation Roll number: 23/32/2

Embarkation details: Unit embarked from Brisbane, Queensland, on board HMAT A55 *Kyarra* on 16 Aug 1915

Roll title: 15 Infantry Battalion – 1 to 23 Reinforcements (Dec 1914-Nov 1916)

Regimental number from Nominal Roll: Commissioned

Rank from Nominal Roll: Lieutenant

Unit from Nominal Roll: 48th Battalion

Fate: Returned to Australia 16 Jun 1919

**Further references:**

“Beecroft and Cheltenham in WW1” by Tony Cunneen (page 52)

The Sydney Morning Herald, Thu 11 Oct 1917 (commission)