RICHARD VINCENTS

Date of Birth:

30 October 1889

Student Number:

922

Enrolment:

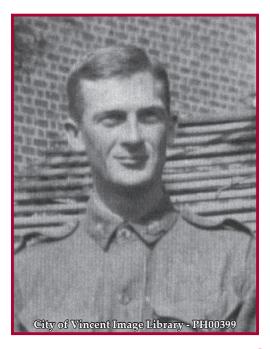
29 January 1900

Age Entered IGS:

13 years

Final Day at IGS:

December 1902



Unit:

11th Field Artillery Brigade

Regimental Number:

4554

Enlistment:

4 October 1915

Age at Enlistment:

25 years

Final Day of Service:

13 February 1917 - MD

CHARLES WALLER GEORGE

Waller was part of the motley crew who graduated from IGS in the June of 1911. All of his group volunteered to serve in WW1. Little did he know that in only six short years he would be dead. Waller died in France, on the 13th of April, 1917, of meningitis. He was just 21 years old.

The poignancy of the words etched into his grave is striking:

"The bugles of England were calling and how could I stay"

This quote epitomises the typical Aussie Digger they left their lives back home in Australia, to do the right thing. To fight against evil, to save the Mother Country.

The impact of this loss of life, some 60,000 Australians were killed, with approximately 156,000 returning home having been wounded, gassed or taken prison, will never be truly known.

Men like Waller, and their willingness to make the ultimate sacrifice, must never be forgotten.

Date of Birth:

3 February 1896

Student Number:

1237

Enrolment:

February 1910

Age Entered IGS:

14 years

Final Day at IGS:

June 1911



Unit:

5th Light Horse Regiment

Regimental Number:

2402

Enlistment:

17 November 1915

Age at Enlistment:

20 years

Final Day of Service:

Died of Disease 13 April 1917