



# Heathcote WYNDHAM



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Occupation

Grazier

Marital status

Married

Age at embarkation

42

Next of kin

Wife, Mrs Gertrude Wyndham, c/o Bank of NSW, Head Office, London, England

Enlistment date

8 November 1915

Rank on enlistment

Lieutenant

Unit name

[38th Battalion, 5th Reinforcement](#)

AWM Embarkation Roll number

23/55/2

Embarkation details

Unit embarked from Sydney, New South Wales, on board HMAT A24 *Benalla* on 9 November 1916

Rank from Nominal Roll

Lieutenant

Unit from Nominal Roll

38th Battalion

Fate

Killed in Action 17 July 1917

Age at death from cemetery records

44

Place of burial

Kandahar Farm Cemetery (Plot II, Row C, Grave No. 27), Belgium

Panel number, Roll of Honour,  
Australian War Memorial

130

Miscellaneous information from  
cemetery records

Parents: Hugh and Celia WYNDHAM

Other details

War service: Western Front

Medals: British War Medal, Victory Medal



Lieut. Heathcote Wyndham, of Inverell, has been killed in Belgium. The meagre particulars cabled indicate that he met his death on July 11 by what appears to have been an unfortunate accident. This at least is the construction put on the two cabled words "Bomb burst." The conclusion is heightened by the further knowledge that his body was interred with full military honors. The late Lieut. Wyndham was a son of Mrs. and the late Mr. Hugh Wyndham, and was a native of Bukkulla. He was a scion of a fine old English pioneering family whose connection with Bukkulla dates back to the early forties of last century. He was a grazer by occupation and shortly before enlisting disposed of his valuable property at Buiwan. He was an estimable citizen, taking a leading part in all matters making for the good of the community and was a valued member of the Ashford Shire Council. He was also the officer commanding the Inverell Light Horse prior to his departure. His widow is in England, where she is engaged as a voluntary aid worker. He was 41 and leaves one son.

