

Percival Thomas JAMES



Pre-enlistment

- Percival was born approximately 1892, and was the son of Henry and Matilda JAMES of Pimpama, Qld.
- He lived in Pimpama, Qld
- He was a farmer

Military Records

- Service Number: 5358
- Percival JAMES enlisted on 10 January 1916 Brisbane, aged 24 years, as a Private.
- He was part of the 26th Infantry Battalion.
- 8 August 1916 he embarked with the 26th Infantry Battalion, on the HMAT Itonus, from Brisbane.
- 7 October 1917 he was initially posted as missing.
- Private Percival JAMES was later reported as having been 'Killed in Action', on 7 October 1917, in Belgium.

Cemetery &/or Memorial

- Tyne Cot Cemetery (Plot XXIII, Row A, Grave No. 9), Passchendaele, Belgium.
- Australian War Memorial Roll of Honour.
- Pimpama & Ormeau War Memorial.

Honours & Awards

- British War Medal
- Victory Medal

'His duty done'

Rifle Shooting

- Percival James was a member of the Pimpama Rifle Club

ACWM Commemoration Service

- ANZAC Day 2021 Keynote Address Ian Errington

Some Reference Links

- wwma.org.au/explore/people/95307
- recordsearch.naa.gov.au/SearchNRRetrieve/Interface/ViewImage.aspx?B=7360297
- aif.adfa.edu.au/showPerson?pid=151923
- 'Home on the Range Queensland Rifle Association 1861 - 2011', Bill Casey, p 53