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Foreword from the President

To Fellow Members of the 22nd Battalion Association,

Gentlemen,

Another year has passed by and again I have to express my thanks to the members of your Committee for time and talents cheerfully given in the interests of the Association, and especially to our Secretary, Fred Russell, who is on the ball always and never overlooks anything regarding the welfare of the 22nd.

Our Annual Reunion held in September last at Kings Hotel in Russell Street, was an unqualified success, the numbers in attendance being in excess of that of the previous year, despite the fact that due to the low ebb of our finances, the donation had to be raised to defray the cost. Thanks to the generosity of those present and our absent members and friends, our financial position is once again satisfactory as evidenced by our Treasurer's report. An enjoyable luncheon with plenty of time to renew fellowship with old pals was the order of the day.

We trust we will have our usual large muster on Anzac Day, the assembly point being the same as last year, near Hartley's, in Flinders Street.

Your Association was privileged to attend the presentation of Colours to the 22nd Battalion Royal Victoria Regiment at Puckapunyal on 5th March. The display on the parade ground by the younger generation of "diggers", proved that they are worthy to carry on the traditions of the old W.O.T.B.G. unit.

Our remembrance service at the Shrine will be held on 7th May. We are hoping to see a good roll up of members to honour the memory of our departed comrades.

We send our greetings and best wishes to those of our members who, because of ill-health or their place of residence, find it impossible to be with us in person at our annual meetings; and I, together with all members of your Committee, once again join in wishing all good fortune and happiness through the coming days.

14th April, 1972.

RALPH DICKINS, President.

ANZAC DAY 1972

In accordance with the new procedure we will assemble for the 1972 Anzac Day March at 270 Flinders Street—in front of Hartley's—at 9.00 a.m.

The march is due to start at 10.00 a.m. and we will be the second division of the 1st A.I.F. in the column. The timetable will not allow us much time at the assembly point so an early attendance of our members is very desirable.

This will be the second march under the new set-up and the shortened distance has proved an advantage for us. Last year we had 47 marching and all hands covered the distance with ease. Being held on a Sunday may have had an influence but members are asked to respond to the roll call even if marching for them is taboo. In fact some members commented that it was too short and they had not got properly warmed up. Which recalls an estimation of one of our members on route marching in France. "You are not good until you get properly warmed up and when you do get warmed up you're bugged."

Fair Comment! Taking part nowadays in an Anzac Day March can be chastening at times.

As the remnants of my once-famous Battalion, with colours flying and gongs clinking, braced themselves for the final lap up to the Shrine, a voice from the crowd was heard to say—

"Hard to believe, ain't it, that the Germans was frightened of them poor old buggers!"

Makes one wonder, don't it, how the poor old Germans who manned the trenches on the other side of No-Man's Land, are looking these days!

SHRINE PILGRIMAGE 1972

Our annual Pilgrimage to the Shrine will be held on Sunday, 7th May, 1972, at 3.00 p.m. Assemble at the Linlithgow Statue in St. Kilda Road, opposite Victoria Barracks at 2.30 p.m. Again we urge our members to attend this little ceremony which is the best means of our remembrance for departed comrades. The following is a report of last year's ceremony.

The 22nd Flag had pride of place at the Shrine on Sunday, 9th May, 1971, when we conducted our annual Pilgrimage in remembrance of departed comrades. This little ceremony is carried out annually in fitting tribute to the memory of so many of our members who either died on service or have passed on since.

President Ralph Dickins conducted the ceremony in the Inner Shrine at which 21 members and a greater number of relatives were present. In

his address Ralph referred to the uncertainty of the future ahead of members of the Battalion which left Melleuven on 8th May, 1915, and which in the course of three years of service established itself as a really worthy unit of the A.I.F.

During the period of its war service it sustained heavy casualties including many men of outstanding ability who were cut down on the threshold of their lives, and even in these days men who have achieved distinction in civil careers have succumbed to injuries which originated in war service. We, who are left, must "carry on" ever remembering those whose memories we cherish.

Those attending this ceremony were:

R. Dickins	T. Evans
W. Liston	T. McKenzie
L. Silver	C. H. Johnson
J. Lovelace	F. C. Russell
D. Lechte	J. Bennett
S. A. Kohn	J. B. Armstrong
A. Salmon	J. Kohn
B. J. Vaughan	L. Speak
C. F. Monk	A. Carroll
A. Wilson	W. F. Sturrock
A. E. Cameron	

Apologies from W. Lyndon and S. Gilchrist.

1972 REUNION

Details of our reunion this year have not been decided but members are advised that it will be held in September and will again be a luncheon.

Our experience of the past two years' functions has proved that that is the type of reunion favoured by all and we will continue with it.

However circulars will be sent to all members in good time, so for the present, "stand easy".

Ray S. Baker

We mourn the death of a very sterling comrade in Ray S. Baker who died in Heidelberg R.G.H. on 18th May, 1971.

Apart from his considerable war injuries, which he had endured for many years, he suffered a heart attack early in May and was admitted to R.G.H., but while there he suffered a stroke which resulted in his death.

Ray joined the battalion in Tel el Kebir and soldiered on as a member of the Signal Section, for the whole period of our service in France. He received a mention "for good and gallant conduct in hard fighting round Pozieres in 1916" in which battle he was wounded, and in October, 1917, he was awarded the Military Medal for outstanding service at Becoosinde. In the action at Ville sur Ancre in May, 1918, he suffered grievous injuries

from a shell blast in having both legs broken, and which resulted, after many operations, of having his height reduced by 2½ inches.

On his return to Australia he spent many months in Caulfield Hospital and was eventually discharged with a 100% pension.

Despite his disability he returned to his occupation with the Commonwealth Clothing Factory and was manager of the Coburg-annexe at the time of his retirement in 1960.



With his reduced mobility Ray continued an active life and always maintained a cheerful disposition. He joined the committee of the Association in 1951, and was President in 1958, and succeeded the late Fred Cantelone as Honorary Treasurer in 1967.

He was an active member of the Coronation Lodge in Freemasonry, and in 1970 was awarded a special honour for 25 years continuous service as Treasurer.

Mrs. Baker predeceased him in 1963 and he is survived by his only child, Nola, who was Ray's backstop in his Association activities and has continued her active contact with us.

Mont St. Quentin Memorial

Mention was made in last year's "Echo" of a proposed pilgrimage in 1971 to Mont St. Quentin for the unveiling ceremony of a new memorial statue to replace the original destroyed by the Germans during World War 2.

That ceremony was duly carried out on 2nd September, 1971, 53 years after the memorable battle which General Rawlinson described as "the finest single feat of the war". It will be recalled that on that occasion we were so reduced in numbers—190 all ranks—that we were the support battalion of the brigade but were actively engaged in bringing up supplies for the other three battalions and in the final stages of the battle were actually in close support of the attacking troops.

Thirty-six members of the 2nd Division A.I.F. comprised the pilgrimage which left Sydney on 6th August, 1971, and returned on 12th September after a very strenuous journey, by air, through U.S.A. to U.K. and Europe.

Conducted tours of U.K. and Scotland were taken as well as organised tours of the old battlefields in France and Belgium. The party was accommodated in the Hotel Carlton in Amiens prior to the ceremony on 2nd September, and while there Roly Werrett was included in the party and took part in their activities.

During the five day stay in Amiens a special service was held in the Amiens Cathedral and an Australian Flag was presented to the cathedral to replace the one presented by the A.I.F. in 1918. That flag was brought back to Australia and in a fitting ceremony was placed in the War Memorial in Canberra on 22nd January, 1972.

The party visited Villers Bretonneux to lay a wreath on the memorial there and were entertained at lunch by the townsfolk. On the day of the ceremony at Mont St. Quentin the party were given a special lunch at Peronne.

The new memorial statue is a 10 foot figure of a Digger in battle dress and wearing the Australian slouch hat. In view of the prominence given to that hat in France during World War 1 it was considered more symbolical of the A.I.F. than the "tin hat" and was accordingly included in the statue.

The statue was the work of Mr. S. Hammond of East Malvern and its moulding and casting took 18 months to complete. The sculptor certainly did an excellent job and the completed figure is a worthy memorial.

The actual unveiling ceremony was done by Dr. D. Coult, leader of the Pilgrimage and Dr. D. Bainet, representing the French World War 1 veterans. The respective national flags were draped on the monument and were released simultaneously by the two representatives.

The boulevard facing the memorial has been renamed "Avenue de l'Australie" in honour of the Australian Forces.

Australian flags were presented to each of the Peronne and Mont St. Quentin schools and these will be carried by the children at the special ceremonies conducted at the memorial on Armistice Day and, in future, on the 2nd September each year.

22nd Royal Victoria Regiment

With the effluxion of time various changes occur and that applies to the army as well as industry and commerce.

In 1966, The Royal Victoria Regiment, a volunteer force of young men eligible for national service was created in Victoria, whereby those volunteers elected to serve for six years by voluntary parades in their own time and to serve 35 days annually in camp at Puckapunyal. Recruits for this unit were from Victoria and Tasmania. From its inception the battalion has had a remarkable growth both in numbers and prestige, so much so that it has been honoured by Her Majesty with the award of the Queen's and Regimental Colours.

Having acquired the numerical distinction of the "22nd" our record and traditions are in the keeping of the regiment and the battle honours awarded to the 22nd Bn. A.I.F., the 2/22nd and the 22nd Inf. Bn. of the 2nd A.I.F. are emblazoned on the new regiment's colours.

Our original colours are now "laid up" in the Shrine of Remembrance where they will remain for all time and in accordance with procedure will never be displayed in public. The presentation of these colours was made by the Governor-General, Sir Paul Hasluck, in the presence of a large and distinguished assemblage on Sunday, 27th February, 1972.

A special courtesy was extended to us and the 2/22nd and 22nd Inf. Bn. as invited guests to the ceremony and each was represented by a number of its members with their families. A special vantage point at the parade was allotted to us and at the termination of the parade, afternoon tea was provided by the regiment.

Perfect weather prevailed and that enhanced the pleasure shared by all who attended. The battalion, under command of Lt-Col. P. Nattrass, carried out the ceremony in a very creditable manner and the display of parade discipline provided an excellent spectacle for the onlookers. This type of parade requires very cohesive movements of the troops participating and the display of the battalion deserved very high commendation.

The Queen's Colour is the Australian Flag on which is emblazoned the unit badge in the centre and the 10 battle honours awarded to the two 2nd A.I.F. battalions and the Regimental Colour, a green background with unit badge in the centre and XXII in top left hand corner, on which is emblazoned the 11 battle honours awarded to the 22nd Bn. A.I.F. The Red and Purple Diamond is not included on these colours as that was applicable to the three previous 22nd Battalions only, and all such distinguishing colour patches are now defunct.

It is worthy of note to recall a similar parade held in the grounds of Government House, Melbourne, in 1920 when King's and Regimental Colours were presented to 20 Victorian A.I.F. units by the then Governor-General, Sir Ronald Munro-Ferguson. On that occasion Col. Wiltshire was C.O. of the 22nd Bn. C.M.F. then located in Richmond and the two colours were received by Lt. H. W. Smith and Lt. K. Sutherland. They were then placed in the custody of the 22nd Bn. C.M.F. in Richmond where they remained until the reorganisation occasioned by the Second World War, eventually had them deposited in St. Phillip's C. of E. in Hoddle Street, Abbotsford. As a result of very concerted effort on our part these colours were eventually released by that church in 1953 and "laid up" by us in the Shrine of Remembrance on Sunday, 29th November, 1953, with fitting ceremony in the presence of the then Governor, Sir Dallas Brooks.

The following members accompanied by a number of relatives and friends attended the ceremony:

R. Dickins	S. A. Kohn
F. Russell	G. Giroud
J. G. Malloch	C. F. Monk
W. Corbin	W. Starrock
K. E. Moore	J. R. Bennett
D. Lechte	Mrs. H. Hayes
B. J. Vaughan	Mrs. N. Stevens
J. Kohn	

PERSONAL PARS

We must comment on the fact that **G. Giroud** has admitted to having been out-talked on the trip to Puckapunyal in February. He travelled with the 22nd In. Bn. members in their bus. En route **Gerry** was sitting next to one chap who obliterated him in talking and **Gerry** has not recovered yet. Neither have we, for we did not think such an event possible.

That visit to Puckapunyal provided another outstanding incident. On arrival at the rendezvous **Bill Corbin** and **Jock Malloch** found themselves together again after a 53 year interval. Their reunion was very touching in more ways than one.

With regret we record the death in Sydney on 24th May, 1971, of **Fred Stillely** at the age of 92. His wife, aged 88, has predeceased him three weeks previously.

Bob Mallinson of Griffith, N.S.W., died on 5th February at the age of 83. **Bob** was one of those captured at Beau Revoir on 18th August, 1918.

Jack Russell died at his home in Southport, Q'ld on 11th February. He had had a very long period of ill-health and has just returned from a month's stay in Greenslopes R.G.H., Brisbane. **Jack** was a committeeman for many years and was President in 1953.

Geo. Comeadow is a man of many parts in that he can be located at various places, such as Maroochydore, Broken Hill or Footscray. In spite of his nomadic habits his support of the Association is unremitting.

Les Guthrie of Sandstone, W.A., has acquired first hand knowledge of Australia, geographically. For years he has travelled outback in W.A. and other States, dabbling in gold, nickel and sheep. Reckons he has about reached retiring age but we have our doubts.

Jack and **Mrs. Hayes** of Lorne, celebrated their Golden Wedding on 26th February, 1972, at a luncheon party given by their daughter, **Mrs. J. Clarke** of East Malvern for the family and friends. They were married at Christ Church, Geelong on 26th February, 1922, and have two daughters, **Mrs. Moorehouse** and **Mrs. Clarke**. Apart from 50 years of wedded life **Jack** has had other experiences. He joined up again in 1939 but selected a less arduous service, and reached Lt.-Col. rank in the transport field.

More Recollections

In 1917, with the war having gone on for three years, a certain amount of stalemate arose and the "powers that were" became concerned to find methods of relieving the monotony of continuous training when out of the line, and some genius hit on the idea of entertainment of the troops by the troops.

The exigencies of war, as then conducted, precluded any attempt at organised concert parties giving performances in France as there were neither the places nor the facilities available. The pursuance of the war for both troops and civilian population was predominant. But the idea took root and the 2nd Division A.I.F. was the originator of a concert party under direction of Captain Peters.

By devious means and much ingenuity theatrical props and gear were obtained from England and France, and the "artists", some professional but mostly raw amateurs, were assembled and granted transference from their various units to the "Concert Party" set up.

By dint of much concentration and laborious coaching they eventually acquired enough skill and know-how to attempt a performance in a suitable building which had not been totally wrecked by shelling and war usage, but was conditioned to resemble a concert hall.

The other divisions soon "cottoned on" and in due course each of them had at least one concert party.

In the case of the 4th Division, their's acquired the title of the "Smart Set". Included in that party was George Castles, a member of that remarkable family of Australian theatrical artists. The others were his two sisters, Amy and Eileen.

On one occasion in mid 1918 that party gave an afternoon concert in a hall in Amiens. The audience was an international one—as well as the Aussies and Kiwis, there were Canadians, South Africans and British troops, a number of the Chinese Labour Corps and many French troops and civilians.

In one item on the programme, George Castles sang "Swanee River" accompanied by a harp and a violin playing "Humoresque". It was rendered in perfect harmony and so enthralled that mixed audience that at its conclusion the artist received a tumultuous ovation, so much so, that he gave a repeat.

The whole performance demonstrated that music of that calibre is our nearest approach to Esperanto as that very mixed assembly was of one mind on its appreciation.

WAR AT PLOEGSTREERT — 1917

Early in the winter of 1917 the battalion held—very thinly—part of the front line on the river Lys in the Ploegstreert area. The main communication trench was known as Ultimo Avenue and most of the way provided eighteen inches of liquid mud for those who had to use it. The whole area was little better than a huge bog. "B" Coy was in the process of taking over from a Scottish battalion at dusk, and as we approached a space where the duckboards crossed some open ground, we heard loud laughter ahead. Ploegstreert wasn't a very amusing place so we pushed

forward to be in the fun. Coming out of the sap we saw a large mini crater full of mud and in the middle of it an elderly Scottish Q.M.S. in full marching order, who had slipped off the duckboards. His tin hat had fallen off, his white hair shone above his purple face and his kilt had been held up by the mud and lay around his waist. Along the duckboards stood several diggers laughing their heads off. Just as we arrived the old boy's putience gave out. "That's right," he roared, "laugh, you flaming Aussies, why dinna ye give me a hand-oot, da ye think a mon's a bluddy water-lily."

22nd Infantry Battalion

Our contemporaries of the 3rd 22nd Bn. Association function merrily and we maintain close contact. Laurie Joseph continues as Hon. Secretary after 20 years in that office and appears to have become well "dug in". At the last annual meeting his tenure of office was extended (facetiously) for one year, with the possible extension of a repeat at the end of that period. Future contenders are not apparent.

Brian Hickey is President and the committee continues intact.

At that meeting Fred Russell was invited to become the recipient of a gift of two pipes with an inscribed rack as their gesture to him in recognition of his fifty years with our association. Past-President Jim Larman made the presentation to Fred, as he said, in appreciation of the very cordial relations we have had over the years.

"With the Twenty-Second"

Our stock of the battalion history has become exhausted and we are still receiving enquiries for copies.

In 1941 we donated 600 copies to members of the 2/22nd Bn. at Rokeby prior to their departure for overseas service. It is assumed that most of those books would have been left in the custody of those men's families and no doubt are there still. Unfortunately, the majority of them were lost in the action of Rabaul.

Should any member learn of the existence of any of those histories will he please endeavour to obtain its return to the Secretary.

Donations Received at Re-union

The following list of members' donations is published in appreciation:

J. Kohn	T. Hoare	F. Lavender
K. E. Moore	A. Carroll	W. Lyndon
W. K. DeBoos	A. Salmon	F. G. Giroud
C. E. Hildebrand	N. H. Dwoley	A. Pooock
E. Thomas	W. Graham	R. Batten
B. J. Vaughan	R. Thomas	J. R. Bennett
R. Dickins	J. G. Malloch	I. B. Armstrong
L. N. Castle	E. Draper	J. J. O'Beirne
J. A. Hocking	W. Levison	H. Outram

Re-union Absentee Donations

H. Heathcote, Blackburn	N. W. McKinnon, Kew.
H. Craker, Oakleigh	W. Sturrock, Brighton
K. Sutherland, Camberwell.	A. Robertson, Hobart.
A. I. Meakin, Geelong	K. S. Anderson, Portland
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A. Milne, Upwey.	F. Kerrigan, Robinvale.
C. Glascock, Elwood	E. Thompson, Hawthorn.
H. Proud, Windsor.	A. L. Tostevin, Mildura.
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Geo. Carter, Port Welshpool.	S. J. Knee, Cowes.
F. G. Robinson, Shepparton.	K. McRae, Echuca.
F. A. Benn, Balwyn.	J. S. Graham, Tarnagulla.
W. B. Entwisle, Hopetoun.	L. E. Turner, Warnambool.
A. J. Mitchell, Ararat.	J. E. Smith, Geelong West.
E. W. Edwards, Warracknabeal.	A. W. Hinds, Hawthorn.
F. J. Warman, Frankston.	W. M. McLean, Warragul.
L. C. Guthrie, Sandstone, W.A.	C. R. Stanley, E. Brunswick.
E. Seccull, Caulfield.	J. A. Welsh, Warburton.

These donations totalled \$134 and are included in the financial statement with other subscriptions. With the increased admission to the reunion those present covered the cost of the function with a small deficit of \$4.04. The committee expresses its appreciation to our "absentee members" for their very tangible support.

MEMBERS' DONATIONS ANZAC DAY 1971

W. Corbin	W. Martin	Sturrock Family
W. Haddsworth	W. Halstock	R. S. Baker
P. Duffin	W. Dixon	W. Bailey
J. G. Hadden	W. E. Smolke	K. Moore
W. Thomas	C. C. Cleland	J. Bennett
C. Frostlaert	T. Burridge	K. Dickins
C. Dugg	W. J. Saker	E. Smart
T. M. Wilkinson	L. Speak	W. Lyndon
L. R. Kellinwood	H. H. Doolley	E. Dwyer
W. Timms	A. A. Cassell	B. J. Vaughan
W. Wagner	S. Gilchrist	J. B. Armstrong
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W. Graham	C. E. Hildebrand	V. H. Moore
F. Clark	J. B. Sotinger	E. Evans
F. G. Stewart	J. B. Moore	S. A. Fyfe
T. Moore	W. F. Alvanley	H. F. Vawdon
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C. H. Tommer	A. B. Callaghan	J. Kitch
C. F. Stone	A. Wilson	

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A. Salmon, Caulfield.	J. B. Armstrong, Canterbury.
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C. R. Samways, Strathmore.	G. Comeadow, W. Footscray.
D. Lechte, Mount Waverley.	H. L. Jackson, Kew.
L. Binns, Jeparit.	C. W. Hutton, Heidelberg.
T. W. H. Russell, East Malvern.	H. F. Vawdon, Caulfield.

1971 DONATIONS

It is very gratifying to record the donations received from the following relatives of deceased members and other friends. Apart from a personal acknowledgement to each, we publish the list for information of our members.

Mrs. J. Emary, Preston	Mrs. O. Harvey, Toorak.
(daughter of Fred Ansell, deceased)	Mrs. M. Paustic, Camberwell
Mrs. J. Aston, Fairlight, N.S.W.	(daughter of S. White, 2/22nd)
Mrs. T. Strachan, Corowa.	Mrs. L. Macdonald, Glenhondly.
Mrs. L. Howship, Surrey Hills.	Mr. John Mowop, Katherine, N.T.
Mr. J. S. Sherson, Dimboola	(son of Stan Mowop, deceased)
(son of J. Sherson, deceased)	Miss N. Baker, Elsternwick
Mr. S. G. Towler, Kew.	(Ray's daughter)
Mr. T. Jeffs, Won Wron	Mrs. Thomson, Lilydale
(brother of Les Jeffs, deceased)	Mrs. M. McKay, Main Beach, Qld.
Mrs. Sullivan, Carlton.	Mrs. Peter McKay, Geelong
Mrs. R. Hampton, Cadross.	

We Will Remember Them

1952	W. E. LAMBERT	1968	September 10
	W. A. CARNE	1960	January 20
		1970	
129	A. J. ROMERYS		July 23
8567	J. G. BOLTON, Belmont, N.S.W.		October 4
940	F. W. SHERRIN, Dandenong		October 27
	P. H. STUBBINS, Sunshine		
		1971	
199	L. C. MURAT, Bundaberg	February 17	
2016	E. ANDERSON, Dandenong	April 1	
999	C. R. EDZS	May 4	
1276a	M. BERRY, Geelong	May 14	
1286	B. S. BAKER, Eastwood	May 18	
4151	F. B. STILLEY, Geelong, N.S.W.	May 24	
1940	D. W. KAINES, N. Brighton	May 29	
2443	W. M. HILSTOCK, Carrum	June 11	
821	D. GRAHAM, E. Prahran	June 15	
780A	B. P. JENKIN, Box Hill	June 30	
911	H. E. WILKINSON	July 15	
593	A. W. WARREN	August 2	
777	H. W. BAKER, Mordialloc	August 7	
2473	F. TOPUFF, Chadstone	August 9	
469	F. C. W. SPLATT, Colac	August 13	
698	M. TILLY	August 13	
677	P. McLAY, Geelong	August 14	
4218	J. RUTHERLAND, Seymour	August 15	
3013	B. GILLOTT	August 19	
CAPT.	S. W. McDONNELL, Kew	September 19	
4140	E. JENKINS	September 20	
2038	J. M. HOGREN, Ascot Vale	October 4	
98	W. J. SMILEY	October 10	
2487	T. B. McCLUSKEY	October 11	
7887	J. B. PAYNE	October 11	
	C. A. McPHEE, Mortlake	October 20	
	G. BOLTON, Colac	October 23	
772A	W. H. VINCENT, Preston	October 27	
1953	P. J. SIMMONS	October 29	
1967	R. O. TOLMIE, Mornington	October 30	
5969	H. R. SCOWN	November 5	
1056	N. L. FRANCES	November 12	
144	W. C. LAING, Romsey	November 22	
5415	C. R. STANLEY, Brunswick	December 1	
6941	S. L. WILLMOTT, Reservoir	December 4	
2284	H. JACKSON, Upwey	December 23	
		1972	
5941	J. T. R. GREIG, Clayton	January 8	
LT.	R. MALLINSON, Griffiths, N.S.W.	February 5	
5907.	G. J. RUSSELL, Southport, Qld.	February 11	

TWENTY-SECOND BATTALION ASSOCIATION

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1971.

RECEIPTS	EXPENDITURE
Bank Balance S.S.B. 1/1/71	Printing "Echo"
Members - Subscriptions	Postage "Echo"
Members Donations - Anzac Day	Buttons - Anzac Day
Members Absentee Donations - Reunion	General Expenses
Donations	Printing and Stationery
Interest - S.S.B.	Telephones Rent
Sale of Battalion Books	Donations - Legacy
	--- Charity On
	--- B.S.I.
	Humorarium - Hon. Auditors
	Postage
	Debit Balance - Reunion 22/9/71
	Bank Balance - S.S.B. 31/12/71
\$24.41	\$160.63
\$107.60	18.90
92.80	7.50
134.00	12.00
	5.05
	33.00
334.40	
54.20	820.00
1.75	20.00
3.00	20.00
	60.00
	10.00
	15.24
	4.04
	69.40
\$417.76	\$417.76