

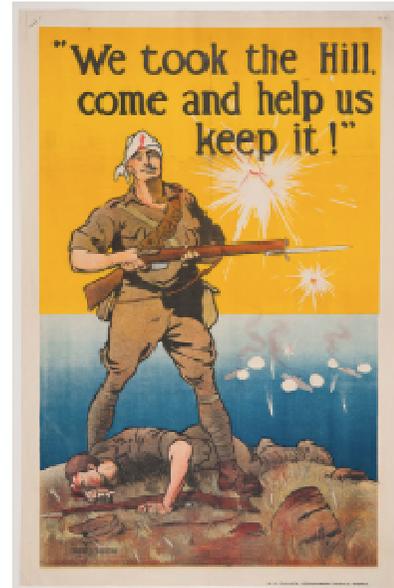
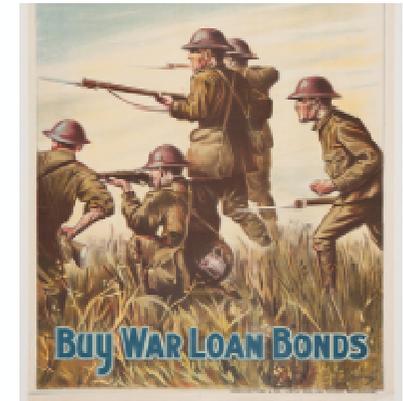


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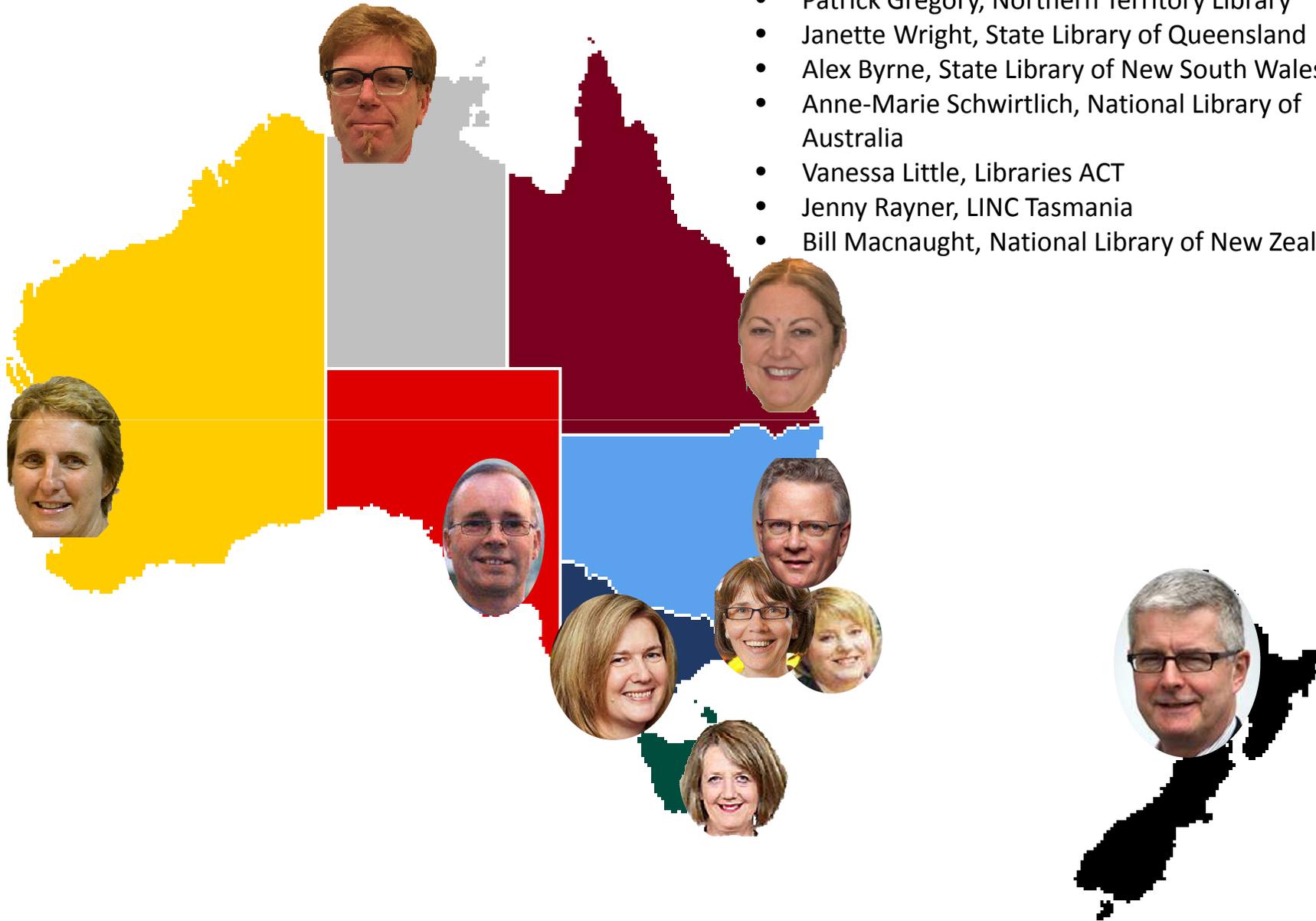
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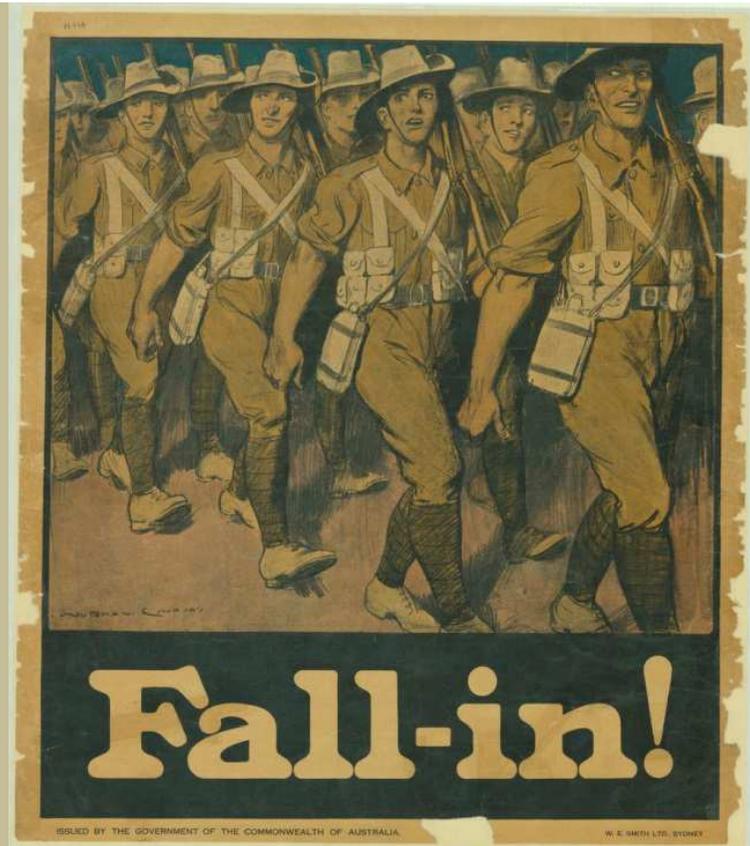
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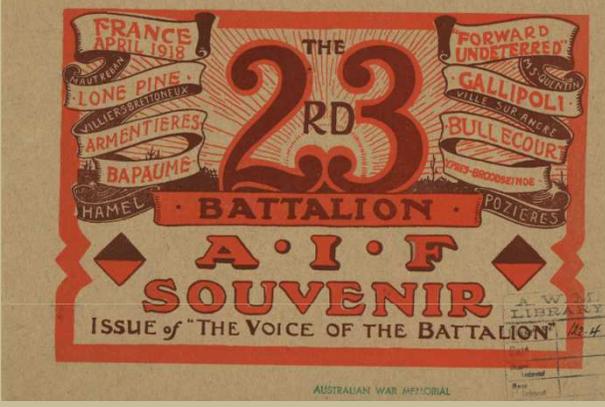
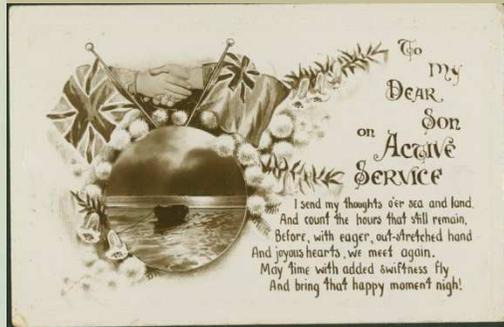
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THE ARARAT ADVERTISER - Saturday, June 12, 1915.

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The Crowther War Diaries



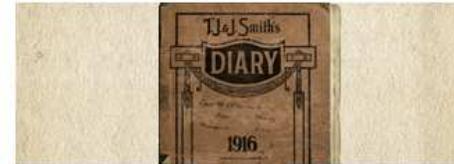
Born in Hobart in 1887 William Edward Lodewyck Hamilton Crowther was a proud fourth-generation Tasmanian. Like his great grandfather, grandfather and father he was a medical practitioner. During World War 1, he served with distinction at Gallipoli and on the Western Front.

His personal papers, donated to the State Library of Tasmania in 1964, include his war diaries, photographs, maps, orders, and despatches.

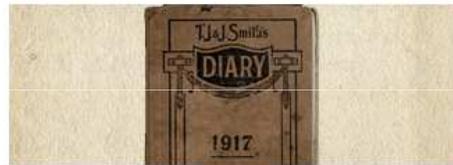
As keen collector Dr Crowther's diaries are filled with found items including poems, newspaper cuttings, postcards and hand-drawn maps. He wrote the diaries for his wife Joyce so that she might have a record of his experiences.



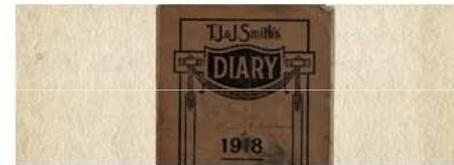
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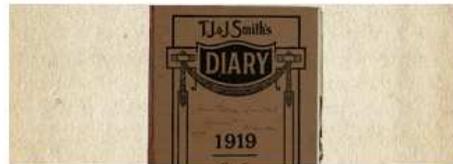
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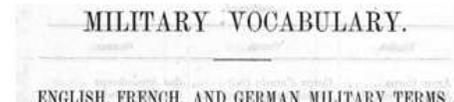
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Personal diaries [edit]

Many soldiers chose to keep a diary to document their personal experiences during the conflict.^[2] Regulations forbade the practice of individual soldiers keeping diaries in front line positions, yet the practice was apparently not uncommon.^[3] Individual diaries were officially forbidden because their capture by the enemy could yield valuable intelligence regarding unit identification, troop movements, etc.^[4] Individual diaries had to be portable and easily hidden. Many were approximately 9.5×15 cm, which made them small enough to fit in a top pocket.^[5] Next of kin were often listed.^[5] While the original diaries were handwritten, many soldiers later rewrote or typed their diary^{[6]:152} with some also publishing their work. Most diaries were kept by the soldier or their family. Military units were required to keep official records.^[7] which are also referred to as War Diaries.^[8] These records cover operations and planning, administration, and personnel.^[9] They were updated on a daily basis.^[9] These records are now at the Australian War Memorial.^[10]



George Grimm, 53rd Battalion, with his diary^[1]

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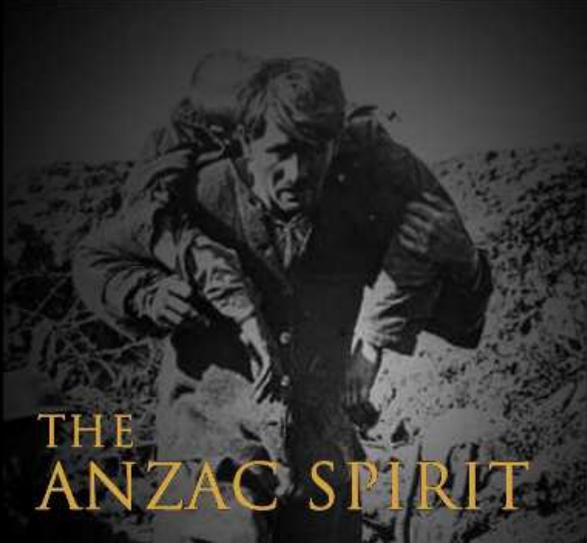
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THE ANZAC SPIRIT

Victoria's 22nd Battalion landed at Anzac Cove in September 1915, after months aboard a troopship and in Egypt. Their chaplain was Reverend TP Bennett, known to the men as 'Padre'. Rev Bennett lived in a dugout in Shrapnel Gully, where he spent his days burying the dead, writing to their loved ones, and conducting services. Every day he went into the trenches, his 'parish', to visit the battalion. He was, wrote Patsy Adam-Smith in *The Anzacs*, 'the paragon among men'. This is a selection of Rev Bennett's collection of hand-coloured and black-and-white glass slides. His son donated the collection to the State Library of Victoria in 1983.

Above: The ground at Gallipoli is steep and stony, so stretcher-bearers carried the dead and wounded out of the trenches. Rev Bennett was stationed nearby to console the wounded, record each death and perform the burial services.



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Marcel Arousseau interviewed by Hazel de Berg for the Hazel de Berg collection

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10th Batt. A.I.F.

Lt. E.W. Talbot-Smith

(Killed)

Landed 25th April with scouts at Anzac went forward with scouts. Returned, reported, took over machine guns and advanced with batt. He was heavily pressed. All his men killed or wounded he continued to work a gun alone. When relief arrived he was found lying across the gun. Thought to be dead, he was not removed for some hours. Later found to be living and embarked on hospital ship. Died on way to Alexandria and was buried at Sea. Captain Herbert of same batt. was with him till he died.

The above information was collected by the informant Capt. Rumball, Adjutant of battalion, with a view to recommendation of Lt. Talbot-Smith for D.S.O.

Lieut Talbot-Smith was subsequently mentioned in despatches for conspicuous gallantry and valuable services (D.O. No. 60)

Ref:--Capt. Rumbell

Adjt. 10th Batt.

2nd Aust. Gener. Hosp.

Cairo.

H. Ward Boys,
Cairo
23/10/15.

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing to you again in my trouble and anxiety. My other son is missing, since Oct. 12. Would you kindly make enquiries for me. His address is - No. 32. Plé. B. S. Hogg
48th Battalion
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Australian Imperial Forces
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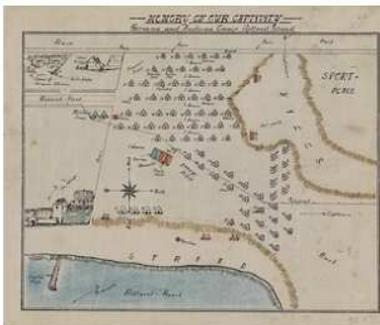
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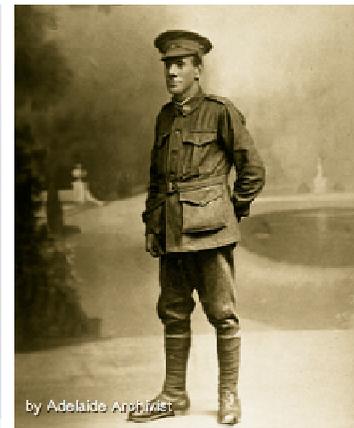
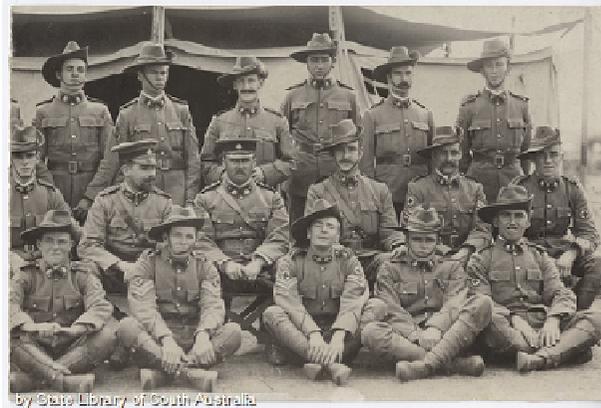
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6 August 1914
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6 August 1914
Big tea of rice, cold mutton, toast, butter, jam, cocoa. [collections.tepapa.govt.nz/Topic/4719](#) [#WW100](#) via [@adkin_diary](#)
- LTCOL MALONE'S DIARY**
6 August 1914
War declared by Britain against Germany [#WW100](#) [ow.ly/zLTyR](#) via [@LTCOLMalone](#)
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6 August 1914
SEVERE EARTHQUAKE - Press, 6 Aug 1914 [ow.ly/zfCc5](#) [#WW100](#) via [@PapersPastNZ](#)
- FRED WELCH'S DIARY**
6 August 1914
Down to office. Very little doing. Everybody excited for War news [#WW100](#) [wp.me/p3cCBk-EK](#) via [@FPWelchdiaries](#)
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5 August 1914
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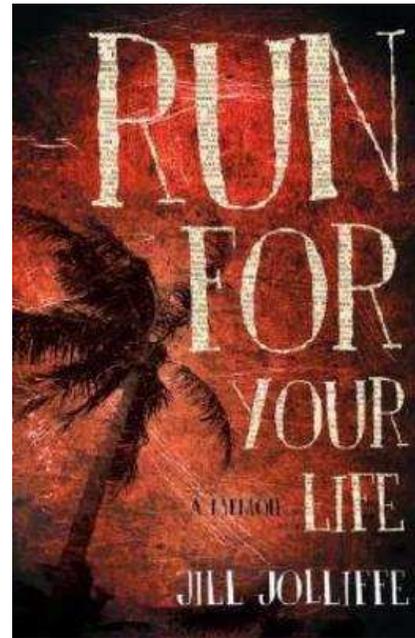
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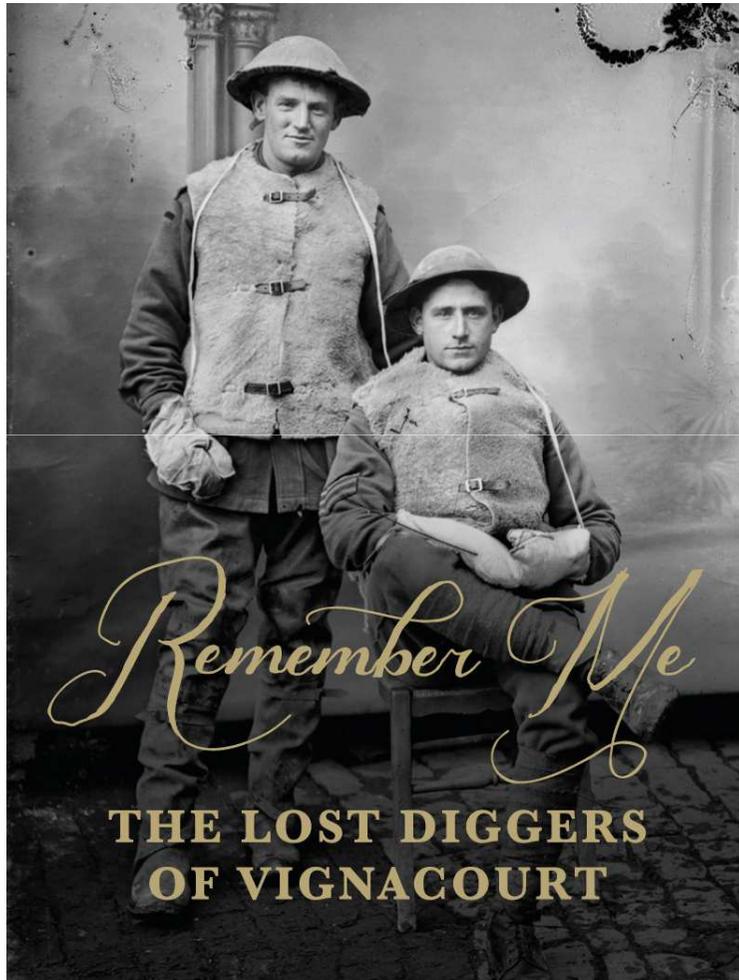


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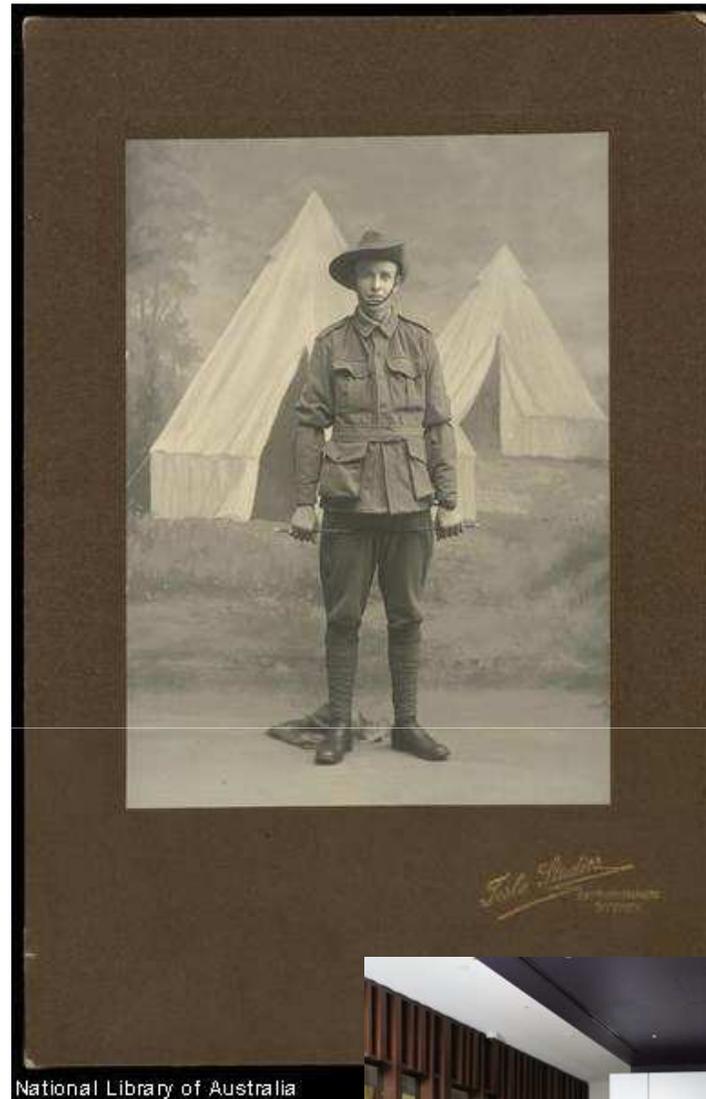
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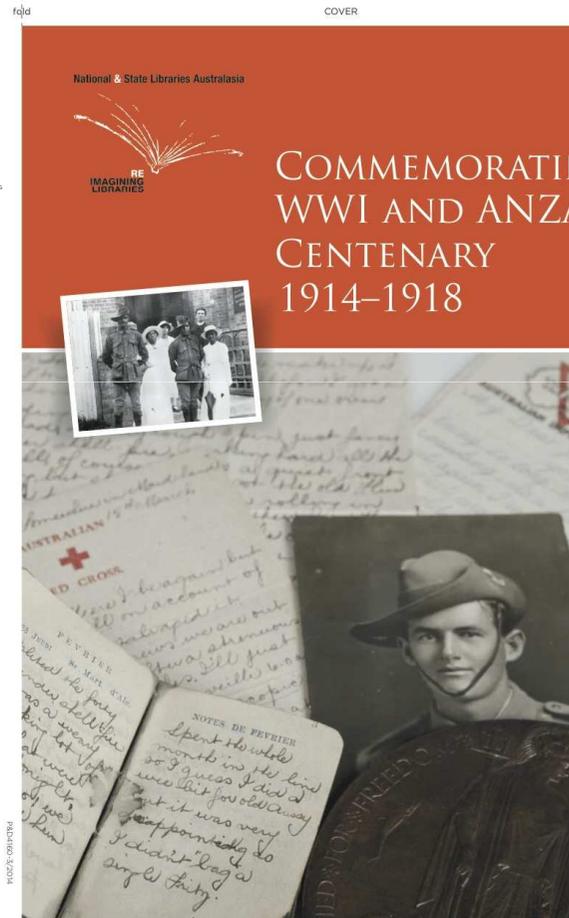
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