Private Henry James Bowie

61509, 2nd Bn,. Wellington Regiment, N.Z.E.F.

Killed in action, Harvincourt, France

29 September 1918 aged 21 years

Henry Bowie was born at Bannockburn, the son of Mr and Mrs H. Bowie. He received the first part of his education in Cromwell and later attende Lawrence High School. Henry was employed by the Education Dept. in Wellington at the time of his enlistment.

Remembered with Honour

Villers Hill British Cemetary, Villers - Guislain

Driver William Henry Burrows

9/500, New Zealand Field Artillary

Died of wounds, France

23 October 1918 aged 26 years

William Burrows came as a small child to Bannockburn with his parents, Mr and Mrs Joseph Burrows. He was educated at the local school and worked at various jobs in the Central area. He had embarked for the war on 16 October 1914.

Remembered with Honour

Solemus Communal Cemetary

Rifleman Andrew Winnick Cooper

53901, 3rd Bn., NZ Rifle Brigade

Killed in action, Havricourt, France

9 September 1918 aged 25 years

Andrew Cooper was the fourth son of Mr and Mrs J Cooper of Bannockburn and was educated at the Bannockburn school. He was a prominent member of the Bannockburn football club. Andrew sailed in 1917. He was survived by a wife and a young child.

Remembered with Honour

Gouzeaucourt New British Cemetary

Private George Begg Cooper

9/1412, 7th Reinforcements, Otago Mounted Rifles also NZ Maori (Pioneer) Battalion

Died of pneumonia, Etaples Hospital, France

8 December 1918 aged 31 years

George Cooper was the third son of Mr and Mrs J Cooper of Bannockburn and was educated at the local school. George had survived the perils of war for four years only to contract influenza and die of pneumonia after the Armistice.

Remembered with Honour

Etaples Military Cemetary

Private James William Gibson

42498, 'D' 8th Coy, 1st Bn., Otago Regiment, N.Z.E.F. Killed in action, Ypres, Belgium 12 October 1917 aged 21 years

Private James Gibson was the only living son of his parentsMr. And Mrs. J L Gibson of Bannockburn. He worked as a miner before enlistment.

Remembered with Honour Tyne Cot Memorial

Sapper Robert James Jones

4/1358, Tunnelling Coy, New Zealand Engineers Killed in action, Ypres, Belgium 15 August 1917 aged 31 years

Sapper Robert Jones was the son of Mrs. Jones of Bannockburn. He had attended the Bannockburn School and worked in the district before leaving to work in Waihi.

Remembered with Honour Fauberg D'amiens Cemetery, Arras



Rifleman William Scott Murray

24/530, 2nd Bn., NZ Rifle Brigade
Died of wounds, France
8 February 1917 aged 21 years

Rifleman W Scott Murray was the son of Mr and Mrs H. Murray of Bannockburn. He excelled at school then went to Dunedin as an apprentice cabinet maker but finding the city not to his liking returned to be a coal miner in Bannockburn. He died of wounds the day before his 21st birthday.

Cemetery

Remembered with Honour Faubourg D'amiens Cemetery, Arras

Private Lawrence Smith

53275, 1st Bn., Otago Regiment, N.Z.E.F.

Killed in actio, Baupame, France

25 August 1918 aged 23 years

Lawrence Smith was youngest son of Mr and Mrs T Smith of Bannockburn. He was educated there and later was farming in the district.

Remembered With Honour

L'homme Mort British Cemetery, Ecoust-Main

Trooper Robert Stanley Smith

(/83, Otago Mounted Rifles, N.Z.E.F.

Killed in action, Gallipoli, Turkey

66/7 August 1915 aged 22 years

Robert Smith came from Ranfurly and was working for Mr W Parcell in Bannockburn when he enlisted. He stated his occupation as a miner and was respected as a good sportsman.

Remembered with Honour

Chunuk Bair (New Zealand) Memorial

Private William Torrance

17/201, Otago Regiment, N.Z.E.F.

Died of war injuries, Cromwell

10 January 1920 aged 29 years

William Torrance was born in Bannockburn. He was posted overseas for service on 21 October 1914 and discharged on 9 February 1919 after four years and thirty days of service overseas in Egypt 1914- 1916 and the Western Front 1916-1919. He suffered several injuries during this time. His death in 1920 was attributable to his war service.

Remembered with Honour

Cromwell Cemetery