

# George Fieldhouse

## Medical Report –

Pte. Fieldhouse was shot in the head by a German Sniper at Third Battle of Ypres (Battle of Passchendaele), (31 July - 10 November 1917).

### Injury Report

- Gunshot wound to face
- Nose destroyed
- 7 teeth lost and damage to jaw
- Dirt in wound

Risk of infection, blood loss and permanent damage.

Prognosis – Severe trauma: potentially fatal



### Suggested Treatment

- Surgery to remove the bullet
- Clean the wound
- Stitch the skin



RAMC Case File  
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Patient –  
George Fieldhouse  
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Rank –  
Private  
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Service Number –  
18097  
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Service History –  
Somme / Ypres  
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Service –  
Machine Gun Corp  
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Enlistment Date –  
05/07/15  
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Height –  
5ft 9 inches  
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Weight –  
165 lbs  
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Classification –  
A1