

Sto J. G. Jacob left Australia in April 1916 with
the 2nd Bn. of the 50th Infantry Battalion. After a few
weeks in Egypt he proceeded to Salisbury Plain in England
& there had about 6 weeks training & then some further
training behind the lines in France where he was
wounded on Sept 3rd during his first engagement.
The wound was only slight & after about 5 weeks in a London
Hospital was when last heard of spending his furlough in
Scotland & elsewhere including a visit to Oxford University
as the guest of Dr Estlin Carpenter ex-principal of Manchester
College.