

Pennington Terrace,
Dec 7th. 1916.

Dear Mrs Hodge.

In answer to your
memo of 4th Dec. I may
say that my son, Gordon
enlisted during the 1st week
of May 1915. He went through
the school for officers & got
his commission as 2nd Lieut.
and left for the front on
Sept 14 of the same year
in the 10th Reinforcements
of the 10th Battalion. In

~~Egypt~~ After being a short time
in Egypt he was sent on to
Seniors where the 10th had
been withdrawn from Gallipoli.
Returning to Egypt he spent
six weeks in a special school
for officers for machine gun
construction. After passing
through the school he was
placed in command of the
machine gun section and
landed in France at the end
of March. He was in
command of his guns
throughout the Battle of
Pozières and on Aug^r 1st at

was promoted to his Captaincy.
Throughout the whole of August
he was engaged in the
continuous offensive on the
Somme.

After a month's rest he is
~~now back~~ again in France
he with his Company is
now back again with this
Battalion.

Yours very truly,
Horence Campbell

Reports from Major Jeffries
& Col Weir returned to M^{rs}
Campbell on 10/1/17.

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