

Frederick was born at Willesden, London in 1895, the son of Harry Mote Currington and Sarah Ann Currington. On the 1911 English Census he is shown as an apprentice engineer.



Studio Portrait taken probably at College in London

He enlisted in G Company, AN&MEF on 11th August 1914 stating that he was a farmer and single, giving his mother at Balmoral Rd, Willesden, as his next of kin. He returned from Rabaul and was discharged, term expired, on 4th March 1915 having completed 206 days service.

On 23rd March 1915 he enlisted in the AIF in C Company, 19th Battalion, regimental number 826, and left Sydney on the CERAMIC on 25th June. He arrived in Alexandria on 23rd July and, prior to landing on Gallipoli was transferred as a sapper to the 4th Field Company of Engineers.

Frederick died of gas poisoning on 29th October 1915 whilst at Gallipoli.



Frederick's Headstone at Shrapnel Valley Cemetery, Gallipoli

Frederick is remembered on Panel 23 at the Australian War Memorial, Canberra.

