

	Name:	2/Lt Ralph FOWLER Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry 6th (S) Bn	
Age			
	Parents:	Francis FOWLER (born about 1830 in Aylesbury, BKM, ENG - died in 1893) and Mary Anne WITNEY (born about 1846 in Chennor, OXF, ENG)	
30	Life Range	4 May 1886-	16 Sep 1916
~-56	Abt 1830	Birth of Father:	Francis FOWLER (born about 1830 in Aylesbury, BKM, ENG - died in 1893). In Aylesbury, BKM, ENG.
~-40	Abt 1846	Birth of Mother:	Mary Anne WITNEY (born about 1846 in Chennor, OXF, ENG). In Chennor, OXF, ENG.
0	4 May 1886	Birth:	Dulwich, SRY, ENG.
5	1891	Census:	Lee, KEN, ENG. 6 Corona Road: FOWLER , Francis, 61, Civil & Mining Engineer, born Aylesbury, Bucks Mary A., 45, born Chennor, Oxon Mary R., 17, born Peckham, Surrey Mildred, 12, Scholar, born Peckham, Surrey Elizabeth, 9, Scholar, born Peckham, Surrey Harry, 7, Scholar, born Dulwich, Surrey Ralph , 4, born Dulwich, Surrey <i>Class: RG13; Piece: 618; Folio: 124; Page: 4.</i>
7	1893	Death of Father:	Francis FOWLER (born about 1830 in Aylesbury, BKM, ENG - died in 1893).
7	1893	Father's Status:	Dead.
6	28 Mar 1893	Probate:	(Father). London, ENG. ... of 6 Corona Road, Lee, Kent ... to Mary Ann Fowler widow. £350.
8	23 Sep 1894	Christening:	Tower Hamlets, LDN, ENG. His brother Harry baptised the same day.
8	24 Mar 1895	Baptism:	(Sister Elizabeth). Southwark, LDN, ENG. Born 16 Aug 1881.
15	1901	Census:	Witley, Surrey. District King Edward's School: FOWLER, Ralph , 14, Tailor, born Dulwich, London <i>Class: RG12; Piece: 519; Folio: 127; Page: 45; GSU roll: 6095629</i> (Mother) 6 Deodar Road, Putney, London: FOWLER , Mary Anne, 56, widow, living on own means, born Chinnor, Oxfordshire Harry, 17, Clerk to Mining Engineer, born Dulwich, London Elizabeth, 19, Typist & Shorthand in copying office, born Dulwich, London <i>Class: RG13; Piece: 489; Folio: 5; Page: 1.</i>
17	13 Aug 1903	Enlistment:	
17	Feb 1904	Child born (#1):	Unkown FOWLER (born in Feb 1904) son of 2/Lt Ralph FOWLER Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry 6th (S) Bn and Unknown.
		Partnership:	
28	1 Jan 1915	Overseas:	
30	1916	Electoral Roll:	Denmark, WA, AUS. Farmer.
30	13 May 1916	Commission:	
30	16 Sep 1916	Death:	
		Burial:	Thiepval Memorial. Pier and Face 6 B

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	Personal File: 339/62840.
	Ranker 1914 +: A/Cpl 7539 Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry #
	School: Surrey. King Edward's School, Witley (CHARITY INDUSTRIAL).
	Brothers: Youngest of 2. Harry FOWLER , born abt 1883 Moved to West Australia and took over Ralph's farm "Chinnor Estate" in Denmark. Was there by 1925 [Electoral Roll] along with Viria Hammond Fowler at the same address. Harry died in Perth WA in 1960. No evidence of service.
	Mother: His mother may have been dead by 1916, given that his brother was executor and medals were sent to him.
	Father's Occupation: ENG: Civil & Mining.
	CWGC Register: Son of the late Francis Fowler, M.I.C.E. and Mary Ann Fowler.
	Decorations: Star. Medals to Clennor Estate, Scotsdale Road, Denmark, West Australia.
	Father: Obituary.
	Siblings: Sisters: 3 (known): Mary R., born abt 1874, Peckham, Surrey Mildred, born abt 1879, Peckham, Surrey Elizabeth, born abt 1882, Peckham, Surrey
	Ranker PreWar: Reservist - Granted Leave to West AUS.
	Memorials: Denmark, WA, AUS.
	Empire/Overseas: GIBRALTAR: Army; WA, AUS: Kalgoorlie - Work 1906/07; Denmark, WA, 1916.
	Occupation: ARMY; CLERK: (On enlistment); FARMER (WA).
General Notes: Gonorrhoea (Gibraltar); Medals to brother Denmark WA; Illegitimate child Feb 1904; No DOD for Mother. Suspect he moved to WA soon after the birth of his illegitimate child. His (reservist) pay was being docked 4 shillings per week to support the child. He stayed on in WA (at least one extension) until such time as he could no longer draw pay as a reservist - and therefore his pay could not be docked to support the child.	