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<p>Volume 12 No.11 Journal of the Western Australian Genealogical Society Inc September 2014</p> <p>FRONT COVER</p> <p>Society member Lisa Francis shared and won the Western Ancestor's 2014 Writing Competition - 'An Ancestor's World War One Experience' - and his wartime story 'A Son of The British' featured in this journal. This photograph, taken in 1914 in Ebenau, Austria, is central to Lisa's story. From left to right: Filip, Valter's youngest son, Anne (1914 - 1972), his wife, Marie (1877 - 1974) and mother-in-law, Beate (1871 - 1943). The photograph marked the occasion when Filip and his widow, Andrija (Andrija), left for Western Australia. Filip earned this photograph in WA and returned with it to Croatia in 1930, leaving Andrija (Andrija) behind to wait in WA.</p> <p>Beate (the author's grandfather) was a physician, orderly in Ebenau Hospital who was reported to be killed in 1914 and later in Dubau, Concentration camp. Along with three others, he escaped from Dubau in January 1943 and made his way to Zagreb, Croatia. On the way, he contracted typhoid and died in July 1945. Back in WA, Andrija married and had eight children. In 1950 he assumed the first of his brother Beate's children to migrate to Western Australia. His wife Tamara who arrived in WA in 1952, is the author's mother. Tolan, Filip and Maria Valter's descendants number over one hundred, with more living in WA, and some in Melbourne, Sydney, the Gold Coast and New Zealand. Photograph used with permission of Lisa Francis.</p> <p>RESEARCH IN SINGAPORE</p> <p>Dani Andrija's Cathedral is an Anglican cathedral in Singapore, and is the country's largest, located near City Hall MRT Interchange on the Downtown Core, within the Central Area in Singapore's central business district. Although not completed until the late 1930s, the church has recently dating back to the 1820s. Nasta Cating's article in this journal about Singapore's 'Old Times' will certainly wear close with research in Singapore. Photograph courtesy of Nasta Cating.</p> <p>'RAGS TO RICHES'</p> <p>'Rags to Riches' the movie home with 17 rooms built originally by Richard Gibson for his wife in Kings Park in Melbourne, near the Zoological Gardens. Sadly it was finished just before his wife Mary Anne died in 1874. It is now the 'Rags to Riches' and is used for weddings and other functions. See the story by Tula Widd called 'The Story of the Rags to Riches' in this journal. Photograph courtesy of Tula Widd. More information about the history of mansions/home can be found at http://rags-to-riches.com.au.</p> <p>SCHOOLCHILDREN VISIT AWAY</p> <p>Some children from Harrow Primary School in Camberwell Victoria, visiting the Australian War Memorial in 2013, and photographed here against a backdrop of a WW1 village scene, with images on museum site and the memorial of Australian servicemen and women worldwide as part of the Australian War Memorial WW1 Centennial Campaign. See the article 'WW1 Centennial Day 2014 - 2018' in this journal to follow events for the Centenary. Photograph PAUL/CC/02/08. Courtesy of Australian War Memorial. Date: Mon. Centenary Commemorative Order, Communications & Marketing at the Australian War Memorial (www.awm.gov.au).</p> <p>EDITOR: Jennifer Lydon 6448 Hay Street Bayswater 6053 WA westernancestor@wags.org.au</p> <p>TYPESETTING: D. 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Part 2 *Researcher: Shannon Lovelady*

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At Last – The List! Gallipoli Dead from Western Australia Project

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370 Walked Away from Death Twice

Researcher: Jennifer Gee

About: Alfred James Daniels (Photo)

Born: 1876 in Kent, England

Parents: Richard and Adeliza Daniels

Husband of daughter Nellie: Frederick Edwin Parker

368 World War Woes

Researcher: Brian Croker

About: Albert Arthur Croker

Parents: John and Amelia Croker

Arrived in Western Australia 1883

Married Margaret Walsh in 1902 in Perth, WA

Brother: George Croker in England

373 The Battle of Waterloo 200th Anniversary 18th June 2015

Researcher: Lyn Coy

About: William Edwards and his wife Eleanor (nee Ayling)

Arrived in the Swan River Colony on the ship Rockingham on 14th May 1830

Battle of Waterloo VETERANS in the Swan River Colony who fought with Wellington

WILLIAM JOHN **ADAMS** 1792-1867 - Wife Elizabeth (nee Martin) in 1830

SERGEANT ELIJAH **DAWSON** 1797-1885 - Wife Ann (nee Wakeham) in 1830. (Photo)

WILLIAM **EDWARDS** 1792-1865 - Wife Eleanor (nee Ayling) in 1830.

CAPTAIN RICHARD **GOLDSMITH-MEARES** 1780-1862 - Wife Eleanor (nee Seymour) in 1829.

CAPTAIN JOHN **MOLLOY** 1786-1867 - Wife Georgiana (nee Kennedy) in 1830.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM **SHAW** 1788-1862 - Wife Eliza (nee Cooper) in 1830.

LIEUTENANT WILLIAM **TRIMMER** 1796-1835 - William arrived on the 'Atwick' in 1831.

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