

George Washington SLOAN

01/04/2026

George Washington SLOAN

AKA George SLOAN

* Nickname: ?

Late of ?

Relations in 'the job' ?

"possible" relation in 'the job': ?

NSW Police Training College – Penrith **Class #** ? ? ?

New South Wales Police Force

Regd. # 6281

Rank: Commenced Training at Penrith Police Academy on Monday
18 October 1948 (aged 28 years, 1 months, 26 days)

Probationary Constable – appointed ? ? ? (aged ? years,
? months, ? days)

Constable – appointed ? ? ?

Constable 1st Class – appointed ? ? ?

Detective – appointed ? ? ?

Senior Constable – appointed ? ? ?

Leading Senior Constable – appointed ? ? ? (N/A)

Sergeant 3rd Class – appointed 26 October 1966

Sergeant 2nd Class – appointed 31 January 1974

Sergeant 1st Class – appointed ? ? ?

Appears in the 1975 'Stud Book' but not the 1977 issue.

Final Rank: = Sergeant 2nd Class

Stations: ?, Missing Person Bureau (O.I.C.)(c1972)

Service (From Training Date) period: From 18 October 1948
to 29 October 1975 = 27 years, 0 months,
11 days Service

Time employed (Paid) with NSW Police: From: 18 October
1948 to 29 October 1975 = 27 years, 0 months,
11 days Service

Time in Retirement from Police: 9 years, 5 months,
30 days

Age at Retirement / Leaving: = 55 years, 2 months,
7 days

World War II

Regiment: Australian Army

Enlisted: 19 June 1942

Service # NX108770 –
/ (N265023)(Enlisted 28 May 1941)(was Single &
living at 9 Wilson St, Wollongong, NSW)

Rank: Sergeant

Embarkation:

Next of kin: Noreen SLOAN –
10 Lancelot St, Enfield, NSW

Religion: Salvation Army

Single / Married: Married

Returned to Australia: ?

Date of Discharge: 9 January 1946

Posting at Discharge: 1 Division Provost Company

WWII Honours & Gallantry: None for display

Awards: Africa Star, 1st
Clasp to Africa Star, Pacific Star, War Medal, Australian
Services Medal

POW: No

Occupation upon joining: " Traveller "

War Service In Au:

Active Service outside Au: PNG 24 July 1945 – 23 December
1945 (153 days)

Active Service in Au: 1214 days in Au. Total of
1487 days Service.

Awards: No Find on Australian Honours system

Born: Sunday 22 August 1920 in Wollongong, NSW

Died on: Sunday 28 April 1985

Age: 64 years, 8 months, 6 days

Organ Donor: Y / N / ?

Cause: ?

Event location: ?

Event / Diagnosis date: ?

Funeral date: ? ? ?

Funeral location: ?

LIVE STREAM N/A

Wake location: ?

Wake date: ???

Funeral Parlour: ?

Buried at: ?

Grave Location: Rookwood Cemetery, Rookwood, NSW

Section: the NSW Garden of Remembrance Row: ?

Plot: ?

Grave GPS: ?, ?

Memorial / Plaque / Monument located at: ?

Dedication date of Memorial / Plaque / Monument: Nil – at this
time (April 2026)

George is NOT mentioned on the Police Wall of Remembrance *
NOT JOB RELATED

***FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED ABOUT THIS PERSON, THEIR LIFE,
THEIR CAREER AND THEIR DEATH.***

**If you have anything further to add to what is recorded here,
please get in touch.**

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May they forever Rest In Peace

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Australian Police YouTube Channel

World War Two Service

**SERGEANT
GEORGE WASHINGTON SLOAN
NX108770**



SERVICE	AUSTRALIAN ARMY
DATE OF BIRTH	22 AUGUST 1920
PLACE OF BIRTH	WOLLONGONG, NSW
DATE OF ENLISTMENT	19 JUNE 1942
LOCALITY ON ENLISTMENT	WOLLONGONG, NSW
PLACE OF ENLISTMENT	STRATHFIELD PK, NSW
NEXT OF KIN	SLOAN, NOREEN
DATE OF DISCHARGE	9 JANUARY 1946
POSTING AT DISCHARGE	1 DIVISION PROVOST COMPANY
ADDITIONAL SERVICE NUMBERS	N265023



Australian Government
Department of Veterans' Affairs

ATTESTATION FORM.

FOR SPECIAL FORCES RAISED FOR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD.

Army No. ~~141500~~ **NX108770**
 Surname **SLOAN** Other Name **George Washington**
 Unit **1 AUSTRALIAN DIV PROVIS Coy**
 Enlisted for service at **STRATHFIELD** (Place)
N.S.W. (State) **19th June 1942** (Date)

A. Questions to be put to persons called out or prospecting themselves for voluntary enlistment.

1. What is your name? **SLOAN**
Full name: **George Washington**

2. What was your last name? **WALTON**

3. Are you a subject from a Protector of British Subjects? **NO**

4. What is your age and date of birth? **21**
 Date of Birth: **22nd August 1920**

5. What is your trade or occupation? **Labourer**

6. Are you married, single or widowed? **Single**

7. Give details of previous Military Service: **None**

8. If ever married, give particulars: **None**

9. Who is your usual next of kin? (Name of relationship, full name, rank, service, address, date of birth, date of enlistment, date of discharge)
Wife: Mrs. W. Walton, 10th Street, Strathfield, N.S.W.

10. What is your present address? **10th Street, Strathfield, N.S.W.**

11. What is your religious denomination? (Name of denomination)
None

12. Have you ever been convicted for a civil offence?
NO

13. State you are of the following Qualifications?
 a. Literate
 b. Speaking English
 c. Trained
 d. Previous Service
 e. Other Qualifications

I, **George Washington Sloan** do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me for the above questions are true and that I am willing to serve in the Australian Military Forces within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.
 Witness my hand and seal this **19th** day of **June** 1942.
 (Signature of Attesting Officer) **R. V. Ashton** (Signature) **George Sloan**

B. MEDICAL EXAMINATION
 I certify the above named person to be fit for Class **1** Temporarily unfit. **None**
 (Signature)

C. OATH OF ENLISTMENT!
George Washington Sloan swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord, the King, in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia until the cessation of the present state of war and unless recalled thereunto or until sooner recalled by discharge or transfer, and that I will render His Majesty's service and obey His Majesty's orders to the best of my power and ability and that I will to all matters appertaining to my service faithfully discharge my duty according to law.
 In Help Me God
 (Signature of Attesting Officer) **R. V. Ashton** in the State of **N.S.W.**
 Attest: **Strathfield** on the **19th** day of **June** 1942.
 (Signature) **R. V. Ashton** (Signature) **George Sloan**
 (Place the seal in the circle and the name of the Attesting Officer in the space provided.)

PROCEEDINGS FOR DISCHARGE.

AA.F. A. 101 (REVISED) Introduced 1945

PART A—Compiled by Unit:

Discharge Authority: 1 Base Ammunition Coy
 Reason for Discharge: AMR G O 253A(1) 11
 State in which discharge desired: N.S.W.
 Normally State in which member's home is situated: N.S.W.

1. AUSTRALIAN PROVOST COY.
 Unit: 1 Base Ammunition Coy Army No. MX 108770 Rank Sgt

Other Names: George Washington Surname: SLOAN
 (Block Letters) (DCCCA50) 28/4/45

PART B—Personal details—compiled by Unit:

1. Home address: 10 ARMISTICE STREET
EMFIELD N.S.W.
 Date commenced F.T.D. 15/11/41 Date of Birth 22/8/20
 State whether: Married, single, divorced, widow
 or widower: MARRIED No. of Dependents in respect of whom dependant's allowance is being paid: 1
 Under 16 yrs. 1 16 yrs. & over 1

2. Present Description of Soldier:—
 Age 25 yrs 2 months
 Height 5 ft 11 in Eyes BROWN
 Complexion BROWN Hair BROWN
 Marks/Scars SEAR & RUCK

Trade Group in which employed: _____ Degree of Disability: _____ %

3. Operational Service:—
 (a) Overseas area of service: NEW GUINEA Embarked from Aust. 28/12/42 Disembarked in Aust. 23/1/45
 Authenticating Signature: _____ Date: 1/1
 For Echelon Use: _____
 (b) N.T. (North of Par. 145° Sth.) or Torres St. Is. _____

Part B compiled by: _____
 Date: 8 OCT 1945 Officer's signature and rank: _____

PART C—Compiled by Ech. and Rec.:

4. Non-effective Service: _____

PART D—Compiled by Ech. & Rec.:

5. Details for Certificate of Discharge No. 391779
 Unit (for discharge purposes) 1 Base Ammunition Coy
 Served on continuous Full Time War Service in the CMP from 15/12/41 to 21/1/43
AIF from 15/12/42 to 21/1/45
 for a Total Effective Period* of 1487 days, which included Active Service in Australia 124 days and Active Service O/S Australia 132 days
 Decorations and Awards† during that Service: _____

War Badge Class and No. A 203781 Entered Badge Register N
 Discharged from the AIF and discharge confirmed vide Schedule No. N 411562 to take effect on and from JAN 9 1946
 Place _____ Signature _____
 Date 1/1 Officer's _____ Ech. and Rec. _____

6. Details compiled by _____ checked by _____
 Entered Discharge Certificate Register _____ Entered "W/L" Register _____
 A.A.F. A. 101 obtained by _____

PART E—To be signed by Soldier on discharge:

7. I hereby acknowledge receipt of:
 (a) Certificate of Discharge No. 391779
 (b) Army Form A.131 purporting to contain my Will. 200351
 (c) War Badge No. A 203781
 Date 8 JAN 1946 Signature of Soldier G. Sloan
 Place Emfield Signature of Witness _____

* "Effective Period" means the period of service, less any consecutive 21 days or more for which the soldier was not entitled to pay.
 † Australia means the mainland of Australia and Tasmania.
 ‡ Does not include War Medals.

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DETERMINATION OF DEMOBILIZATION PRIORITY

DEMOR. INDICATOR

N	N	183
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A. ARMY NO. 108770 RANK Sgt UNIT 1. AUSTRALIAN PROVOST COY.
 SURNAME SLOAN
 OTHER NAMES GEORGE WASHINGTON
 Date of Commencement of Full Time War Service 15/11/41 Age at commencement of Full Time War Service 21 years.

B. ASSESSMENT OF NORMAL PRIORITY.

	Points
1. Length of Service in months <u>47</u> X 2 (males) or X 1 (females)	<u>94</u>
2. Age at enlistment in years <u>21</u> X 2 (males) or X 3 (females)	<u>42</u>
3. Dependency Status (females only)—one point for each month of Service	<u>47</u>
Total (Normal Priority):	
	<u>183</u>

4. Dependency Status (females only)—insert "A" _____ Class _____
 5. Marriage (females only) —insert "B" _____
 6. Records and assessment checked.
 Date OCT 8 1945 Signature of Officer: _____
 T. I desire discharge in the State at NEW SOUTH WALES.
 E. I intend to apply— Date OCT 7 1945 Signature of Member: _____
 *110—For service in the Demob. MURPHY Form.
 *111—For service throughout the Demob. period.

C. DECISION OF COMMANDING OFFICER OR REPRESENTATIVE OF SERVICE ON FORMATION H.Q.†

*Not to be retained
 **To be retained—non-essential.

Signature: [Signature] Date: 12 Dec 45

D. ALLOTMENT OF SPECIAL PRIORITY.

Reason and Authority: _____
 Date: _____ Signature of Commanding Officer or Representative of Service: _____

INSTRUCTIONS.

LENGTH OF SERVICE.—Months of service calculated from the date of commencement of full-time service to the date notified by L.H.Q.
 AGE AT ENLISTMENT.—Completed years of age at date of commencement of full-time war service.
 DEPENDENCY STATUS.—Accorded only to members on whose behalf an allowance is being paid by the Army for one or more dependents.
 MARRIAGE.—Claims by female members for discharge on account of marriage will not be recognised if such marriage has not been reported, and in consequence has not been entered in their personal records.
 †PART C—REASONS FOR RETENTION—To be inserted as appropriate:
 (i) Member of Permanent Military Forces; (ii) Service throughout Demob. period—voluntary.
 (iii) Applicant for Permanent Military Forces; (iv) Services essential—Retained unit.
 Authority: _____

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NAME

SJT
SLOAN, G.W. No. NX108770
10 Hannel St, Springfield NSW

1	1939/45 STAR	
2	AFRICA STAR	10
3	„ with 1st Clasp	8
4	„ with 8th Clasp	
5	ATLANTIC STAR	
6	A.C. EUROPE STAR	
7	ITALY STAR	
8	FRANCE & G. STAR	
9	PACIFIC STAR	✓
10	BURMA STAR	
11	DEFENCE MEDAL	
12	WAR MEDAL	4
13	A.S.M.	
14		

Recorder

Checker

AWARDS WITHHELD

Serials:

REASON:

AUTHORITY:

Packer

Despatcher

TO WHOM DESPATCHED

Reg'd Parcel No. 1763 DATE 21 APR 1959

RECEIPT

Serials Sig

DATE

Warrant of Appointment
No. 1000

40

25^A Edwain St

Croydon NSW 27

✓
✓
✓

11	WAR MEDAL
12	WAR MEDAL
13	WAR MEDAL
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39	WAR MEDAL
40	WAR MEDAL

TO WHOM DESPATCHED

Reg. No. 1000 DATE 27/1/1917

RECEIPT

DATE 27/1/1917

AUSTRALIAN



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MOBILIZATION ATTESTATION FORM

To be filled in for all Persons at the Place of Assembly when called out under Parts III. or IV. of the Defence Act, or when voluntarily enlisted.

Army No. N265020

Surname ELSON Christian Name GEORGE WASHINGTON
(BLOCK LETTERS)

Unit _____

Enlisted for your service at WOLLONGONG (Place)
N.S.W. (State) 28 MAY 1941 (Date)

A

Questions to be put to persons called out or presenting themselves for voluntary enlistment.*

1. What is your name?	1. Name <u>ELSON</u> <small>(BLOCK LETTERS)</small>
	Order name <u>GEORGE WASHINGTON</u>
2. Where were you born?	2. Is or was the town of <u>Wollongong</u> in the state or country of <u>N.S.W.</u>
3. Are you a British Subject?	3. <u>Yes</u>
4. What is your age and date of birth?	4. Age <u>20yrs 3months</u> Date of Birth <u>28/8/20</u>
5. What is your trade or occupation?	5. <u>SHOP ASSISTANT</u>
6. Are you married, single or widower?	6. <u>Single</u>
7. Have you previously served in any Armed Force either in peace or war? If so, where and in what arm?	7. <u>No</u>
8. Who is your actual next of kin? (Order of relationship — wid, eldest son, eldest daughter, father, mother, eldest brother, eldest sister, eldest half-brother, eldest half-sister)	8. Name <u>George Washington Elson</u> Address <u>7 Wilson St., Wollongong</u> Relationship <u>Father</u>
9. What is your permanent address?	9. <u>as above</u>
10. What is your religion denomination? (This question need not be answered if the man has a conscientious objection to doing so)	10. <u>Salvation Army</u>

I George Washington Elson do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true.

Witnessed by [Signature] (Signature of Attesting or Witnessing Officer.) [Signature] (Signature)

* The person will be warned that should he give false answers to any of these questions he will be liable to heavy penalties under the Defence Act.

B
MEDICAL EXAMINATION

I have made full and careful examination of the above-named person, in accordance with the instructions contained in the Standing Orders for Australian Army Medical Services. In my opinion he is—^a

- 1. Fit for Class I.
- 2. Temporarily unfit for Class I.
- 3. Fit for Class II.
- 4. Temporarily unfit for Class II.
- 5. Unfit for military service.

Place WOLLONCONG Date 26 MAY 1911

Signature of Examining Medical Officer [Signature]

^a Classifications which are impossible to be struck out. ^b Reasons for unfitness to be stated.

C
OATH OF ENLISTMENT

For persons voluntarily enlisted or called upon under Part III. or Part IV. of the Defence Act to serve in the Citizen Forces in time of war. Not compulsory for serving members of the Forces or those allotted to the Citizen Forces under Part XIII. of the Act, but unless in any case an objection is raised, the oath should be administered to them as part of the ceremony of attestation.

I, George Washington Sloan swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord, the King, in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia until the cessation of the present time of war or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed, and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained, and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

So Help Me God!

Signature of Person Enlisted [Signature]
Subscribed at WOLLONCONG in the State of NSW
this 26 day of May 1911

Before me—
Signature of Attesting Officer [Signature]

^b Persons who object to take an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Defence Act. In such case the above form will be amended accordingly and initialed by the Attesting Officer.

SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM
Continuation Sheet to A.F. B.32-1.

A.F. B.32-2 (Adapted)

SLOAN
NX108770

Sgt
G. W.

REPORT

Event of all casualties regarding promotions (listing, temporary, final or administrative), appointments, transfers, discharges, etc. (Article 15 of Army Regulations, 1945) and discharge (see Report, Casualty Clearing Station, etc. (Article 15 of Army Regulations and instructions) and a list of the following columns, etc.)

Date	From where received	Report	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority to issue Certificate of Discharge	Station of Officer, Member of Battalion or Regiment
18-12-42	1st Lt	To HQ Sect 112 A.S.H. (Rifles)	20-10-42	England	11205	112
7-1-43	"	To HQ 3rd Battalion in 101st S. Bpt	16-2-43	2nd Lt	11205	112
7-1-43	"	To g. C. HQ. 1st Bpt	16-2-43	"	11205	112
7-1-43	"	Det	16-2-43	"	11205	112
11-7-43	1st Lt	Det	6-7-43	1st Lt	11205	112
28-6-43	"	Det	28-6-43	"	11205	112
18-7-43	"	Det	18-7-43	"	11205	112
12-7-43	"	Det	12-7-43	"	11205	112
2-1-44	1st Lt	Det	2-1-44	"	11205	112
22-2-44	"	Det	22-2-44	"	11205	112
11-3-44	"	Det	11-3-44	"	11205	112
13-9-44	1st Lt	Det	13-9-44	"	11205	112
2-10-44	"	Det	2-10-44	"	11205	112
30-9-44	1st Lt	Det	30-9-44	"	11205	112
12-12-44	1st Lt	Det	12-12-44	"	11205	112
4-3-45	"	Det	4-3-45	"	11205	112
11-1-45	"	Det	11-1-45	"	11205	112
19-2-45	"	Det	19-2-45	"	11205	112

NOTHING TO BE WRITTEN IN THIS SPACE

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A.F. B.32-2 (Adapted)

REPORT

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Date	From where received	Report	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority to issue Certificate of Discharge	Station of Officer, Member of Battalion or Regiment
11-5-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	11-5-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
30-5-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	30-5-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
2-10-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	2-10-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
15-2-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	15-2-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
22-10-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	22-10-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
31-10-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	31-10-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
17-11-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	17-11-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
10-12-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	10-12-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
5-12-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	5-12-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
5-12-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	5-12-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
12-12-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	12-12-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
18-12-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	18-12-45	N.S.W.	11205	112
19-12-45	1st Lt	Detached to 3rd Bpt 1st Coy	19-12-45	N.S.W.	11205	112

NOTHING TO BE WRITTEN IN THIS SPACE

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
DRAFTING/CHECK LIST

SERIAL DETAIL

1. NAME . . . *George Washington SLOAN*

2. RANK *Sergeant*

3. NUMBER *NX 108770*

4. SERVICE: FROM TO

CAMP 15 December 1941 18 June 1942

ATF 19 June 1942 9 January 1946

5. DECORATIONS

5A. COMMENDATIONS

5B. MEDALS: SEE ATTACHED SHEET ✓

6. DATE ISSUED 6 DEC 1977

For (D.S. BALDWIN)
MAJOR GENERAL
Chief of Personnel

CHECK LIST

7. WILL - AAF A131 ATTACHED NOT SEND

8. SERVICE BADGE

9. CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE/WILL/SERVICE BADGE/FORWARDED BY REGISTERED/POSTAL MAIL.

10. ADDRESS *4/19. Nerong Road.*
Cranthorpe NSW 2230.

CERTIFICATE

4/19 Herang Rd
Bronnilla N.S.W.

2230.

25-11-77

The Officer in Charge
Post Discharge Section.

Dear Sir,

Over the years, moving from one place to another my Discharge Papers have been lost & I wish, if possible to obtain a copy. Particulars are as follows: NX 108770 SERGEANT.
GEORGE WASHINGTON SLOAN. BOAN, 22.8.20

WOLLONGONG, N.S.W.

Yours faithfully
G.W. Sloan.

CARO

Nov 28 11 33 AM '77

58. MEDALS (TICKER TICKED ONLY)

- 1914/15 STAR
- BRITISH WAR MEDAL
- VICTORY MEDAL
- 1939/45 STAR
- AFRICA STAR
- PACIFIC STAR
- BURMA STAR
- FRANCE & GERMANY STAR
- DEFENCE MEDAL
- WAR MEDAL
- AUSTRALIA SERVICE MEDAL
- KOREA MEDAL
- UNITED NATIONS SERVICE MEDAL (KOREA)
- *GENERAL SERVICE MEDAL WITH CLASP MALAYA, BORNEO
- *GENERAL SERVICE MEDAL 1962 WITH CLASP BORNEO, MALAYA PENINSULA, SOUTH VIETNAM
- VIETNAM MEDAL
- QUEEN ELIZABETH II COMBATANT MEDAL
- NATIONAL MEDAL
- LONG SERVICE AND GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL
- TERRITORIAL SERVICE MEDAL
- EFFICIENCY DECORATION
- PAPUA-NEW GUINEA INDEPENDENCE MEDAL
- VIETNAMESE CAMPAIGN MEDAL
- DISTINGUISHED UNIT CITATION
- EMBLEM OF THE TERRITORIALS UNIT COMMENDATION
- UNIT CITATION OF THE VIETNAMESE CROSS OF GALLANTRY WITH PALM
- INFANTRY COMBAT BADGE

- Notes:
1. Medals awarded not listed above are to be typed in accordance to the order of precedence in the Dress Manual, Annex C.
 2. * DELETE Clasp/s not applicable.

Illawarra Mercury (Wollongong, NSW : 1856 – 1950),

Friday 17 March 1933, page 3

WATERSIDE WORKERS

FEDERAL ARBITRATION COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The hearing was resumed on Monday in the Federal Arbitration Court of the application of the Commonwealth Steamship Owners' Association and others, requesting two pick-up times, instead of the one pick-up now existing, for maritime labour at Port Kembla and Wollongong. The application was opposed by the South Coast Branch of the Waterwise Workers' Federation.

At the conclusion of argument, Judge Beeby announced that on the facts submitted he would not be justified in granting the application. The members of the union were making a very precarious living, and as most of them were compelled to accept employment outside of their wharf work, he thought it would be unfair to make them attend the pick-up place twice daily.

His Honour considered, however, that the parties should be able to agree on some matters which should be to their mutual advantage – matters outside the scope of the award – and he adjourned the hearing in order to place some suggestions before the parties.

Mr. **George Washington Sloan, secretary of the Union**, informed the Court that few, if any of the watersiders were able to make a living from the wharves alone, and they were forced to supplement their earnings by taking other employment. Some of them sold fish, wood, rabbits and vegetables, and in this way were able to earn a few extra shillings.

The onset of the depression, he said, had caused the aggregate amount of wages to his members to drop from £17,000 in 1928 to £9,000 in 1932. If the men were compelled to walk to the pick-up place twice a day they would not have an opportunity of adding to their meagre wharf earnings, and this, would cause great hardship.

Mr. Darban (for the Oversea Shipping Representatives' Assn.) reminded His Honour that the application was not one that was

concerned with the earnings of the men, but with the inconvenience that arose through the present system of engaging labour. Under the present method, he said, the employers were subjected to avoidable costs and any alteration would not greatly inconvenience the men.

Mr. John Hickey (for the Union) : One of the chief causes in the lesser wages earned by the men has been the installation of machinery. Since 1928 two grabs have been installed for the unloading of phosphate, and these machines , manned by only eight men, do work which it formerly took 27 men to perform. Mr. Darban said that as an alternative to the two pick-ups the Court could apply the Geraldton system to Kembla. Under the Geraldton plan the men would be notified early in the day that there would be work for them, but they would not be paid for waiting time. Such a system would enable the shipowners to meet an emergency when it arose, whereas, at present the parties could not go outside the award even when the Union was willing to do so. The award rigidly bound them down in the same way as it did in the big ports like Sydney and Melbourne.

Despite the depression, said Mr. Darban, there had been little diminution in the number of vessels calling at Kembla. In 1928 the number of vessels that entered the port was 472, and in 1932 the number was 438.

Since 1928, however, circumstances had altered a great deal, and the employers were now forced to cut costs, wherever possible. A second pick-up; would mean a substantial saving.

His Honour said he was quite aware that costs had to be reduced these days, but, at the same time the men had to be considered.

Mr. Hickey said that the reasons for a single pick-up were stronger to-day than ? the court determined the issues ? ?28. W? a charge on the ? companies, but upon the vessels, and many of the delays that had occurred to ships at Kembla could have

been avoided had there been more cooperation between agent and stevedore. A phone call put through to the stevedore at Kembla when a vessel left Sydney would easily remedy the trouble. In the past, however, this had not always been done, and waiting time had to be paid the men.

Two pick-ups, he said, would occupy 5 hours and 20 minutes of the men's time, and if they had to sacrifice that time they would not be able to supplement their earnings.

The application was dismissed.

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Illawarra Mercury (Wollongong, NSW : 1856 – 1950),

Friday 16 September 1927, page 3

Death of Mr. Ted Sloan.

THE INQUEST.

At the Court House Wollongong on Wednesday, the Deputy Coroner (Mr. Kirby) conducted a magisterial inquiry into the death of Mr. **Ted Sloan**.

Dr. W. B. Kerr deposed that about 8.30am. on Monday, Sept. 12, he received a message from deceased's son, I saying that his father had shot himself. Went to the residence in Campbell St., where lie saw deceased unconscious on his bed with two wounds in his head. The doctor described the nature of the wounds, and said dressings were applied, after which the deceased was taken to the hospital in the Ambulance, where he died at 9.30. Death, in his opinion, was caused by lacerations (*sic*) of the brain by a bullet, which travelled

in an upward and forward direction from right to left. Taking into account the character and nature of the wounds, the bullet may have been discharged from a weapon held in the deceased's own right hand.

To **Sgt. Pye**: The revolver produced could have inflicted the wound and the bullet produced could have caused the wound.

To **George Washington Sloan, a brother of deceased**: I visited your home and viewed deceased's body in the coffin and made references to abrasions on the nose and the condition of the eyes. The bullet wound may have caused the condition of the eyes, but the nose abrasions may have been a day or two old previous to death.

The doctor, also stated that the eyelids were livid, but this also may have been due to the bullet wound.

To **Sgt. Pye**: I doubt the possibility of the deceased having spoken after the wound had been inflicted. The lacerations of the nose could have been caused by finger nails, or a fall on the ground.

To **G. W. Sloan**: I don't think the abrasions could have been caused by a blow, or through being hit by a stick. They could have been caused through deceased being pushed onto a hard pavement.

Hilton Edward Sloan, son of the deceased, deposed that on Monday about half past seven his father called out, " Fred, get me a drink of water. " There was no reply from Fred, and then he called, " Daphne, get me a drink of water. " Daphne replied, 'All right.' His father then said, 'It's all right, I'll get up and get it myself.' His mother was in bed in another part of the house. His father went out to the kitchen and was away some time. When he was returning, and passing witness's room, he called out " Good-by, Hixon, " a nick name of witness, who replied, " Good-bye, dad. " Witness thought this was a joke, as his father was in the habit of making

jokes. His father returned to his room, and about four or five minutes later witness heard the report of a firearm, and ran into his room where he saw his father on his bed, his body was twitching, and he called out, 'Oh, Charley,' that was the name of his twin brother. Witness noticed blood running down the right hand side of his father's face onto the pillow. His father's right hand was lying on his chest lightly clasping a revolver. The revolver produced was the one he saw. He called out to his mother and the rest of the family, 'Dad has shot himself.' His mother went to the verandah and called, 'Oh, Roy, come here.' Roy Wilton came in and witness handed him the revolver. Mr. Wilton said he would communicate with the doctor and the Ambulance, which he did. The deceased did not speak again. Witness said his father always treated him both as a comrade and a son.

'About a fortnight ago,' said witness, 'my father had some drink in, and said before my mother and sister, that he intended to do away with himself. My sister told me, about this, she said, 'You had better go home and see if you can calm dad down, he is threatening to shoot himself.' When I went home my Uncle Fred was there sitting on the bedside. I heard my father say he was worrying about something, but he did not say what it was. My uncle asked him to come up to his shop the next morning and see him. My father then said to me, 'You won't have your father long.' ?' I said, 'Why?' He replied, 'I am always worrying about something, life's not worth living, I'll blow my skull in.' I said, 'Don't be silly.' I did not think he meant it, and thought he was only, joking. He also said he would go and say good-bye to Uncle Charley. I accompanied him to Port Kembla, where he had two brandies at a private house. He had his revolver on his hip, which was as usual, as he was a special constable, and a night watchman at Wollongong. While he was drinking I took the revolver which he had taken off, and extracted the bullets. About last Thursday, we were at home, and my father said 'You won't' have me much longer.' I said 'Don't be silly.' He said,

'I'm always in trouble and worrying about something.' So far as I know my father was a healthy man.

To G. W. Sloan: I saw my father on Sunday morning about daylight. His face was cut on the forehead and on the nose, and his eyes were blackened, as if from a blow from something. The last time previous to that that I had seen my father was about quarter past three on the Saturday afternoon. On the Sunday morning he came into my room and said, 'Boy, you and I will get hung. That mongrel Bennett (meaning Constable Bennett) handcuffed me and gave me a hiding.' He asked me if I would go with him to ? Bennett to see that he (the father) would get a fair go. I said ' Right-oh," and he replied, 'Never mind, a man will do his job over this. I'll be summoned on Monday, and you'll have to go up on Tuesday, how'll a man get out of it.'

I had to go to Bulli on Tuesday, and my father said 'Never mind, 'I won't be there.' He showed me his coat, which had a tear in it, and said that Bennett had handcuffed him, and that that was the way he was treated. He then said 'Never mind that. That mong will have his day.' He seemed to have sobered up in the morning, Jack Rolls told me in the Silver Bell Cafe on Saturday night, after I had been to a dance, that my father , was in the lock-up, and asked why didn't I get him out." I said " I have no money, Jack," and went home shortly afterwards. When father came home in the morning he told me exactly what had happened. He seemed quite sensible when he told me about what Bennett had done, but you could see that he had been drinking. My father and I were always joking together, and were always real pals. I never believed him when he said that he would take his life, and he never used to say it when he was sober.

To **Segt. Pye**: I took the bullets out of the revolver at Port Kembla because he was drunk, and said that he would take his life. During the last fortnight he said frequently that he would take his life. He was not quarrelsome, but used to drink

heavily at times.

David Beecham, mining contractor, Wollongong, deposed that he had known the deceased for many years. About midnight on Sunday, September 11th he saw deceased near Parsons' ironmongery shop, in Crown Street, Wollongong. Deceased appeared to be sober, but was in a rage, and nervy. He said, 'I am going to shoot myself. Things are against me.' Witness said 'Don't be silly,' and did not believe that deceased really meant to do so. Constable Bennett came along, and had a conversation with Sloan, and witness walked down to the 'Mercury' corner, and listened. Witness stood and listened because he knew that deceased had been locked up the night before, and thought that there might be an argument. The deceased and Constable Bennett appeared to be friendly. Just before Constable Bennett came upon the scene, the deceased held up his face to show some abrasions and said 'That is what happened to me.' Witness did not notice the eye's, but the face appeared a bit puffed.

To **G.W. Sloan**: Deceased said that he had received the injuries in a brawl on the previous night. I understand that he meant the scuffle during his arrest.

Roy Wilton, plasterer, Wollongong, deposed: On the morning of September 12th I was passing Sloan's house in Campbell Street, Wollongong at about 8.30 a.m. I heard someone scream in deceased's house,' and looked round. Mrs. Sloan called to me 'Roy, Roy, come quick,' and I ran on to the verandah. Mrs. Sloan said 'My man has shot himself,' I ran in to the room where deceased was lying on a bed, and noticed that he was gasping, and breathing heavily. I said 'What's this you've done, Ted?' but he never spoke. Hilton, the son of deceased, then handed me a revolver, saying 'This is the revolver the old man shot himself with. The revolver produced is the revolver that was handed to me, and there is one empty cartridge shell in it. 'I then informed the doctor, ambulance and police, and handed the revolver to **Constable Sawyer**.

At the request of the relatives, the inquest was adjourned until Tuesday, September 20th, at 10 p.m., to permit of calling further evidence.

Segt. Pye intimated that **Constables Sawyer and Bennett** would also attend the adjourned hearing.

<https://trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/article/135885375>

* Story behind any Nickname:

Nothing further, than what is recorded above, is known about this person at the time of publication and further information and photos would be appreciated.

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1 April 2026

James Raymond JORDAN

01/04/2026

James Raymond JORDAN

AKA Jimmy

Late of Niagara Park NSW

Husband to **Betty Ann JORDAN**

who departed this life on 22 June 2020 aged 90.

NSW Penrith Police College Class # 035 – 036

*(there were at least 17 members 'Sworn In' on the same date –
but the date doesn't fall into the Class Groups I have
recorded.*

New South Wales Police Force

Regd. # 7681

Rank: Commenced Training as a Trainee on ? ? 1953?

Probationary Constable- appointed 4 January 1954 (aged 24
years, 1 month, 1 day old)

Constable – appointed ? ? ?

Constable 1st Class – appointed ? ? ?

Detective – appointed ? ? ?

Senior Constable – appointed 7 June 1965

Sergeant 3rd Class – appointed ? ? ?

Sergeant 2nd Class – appointed ? ? ?

Sergeant 1st Class – appointed ? ? ?

Inspector – appointed ? ? ?

Final Rank = ?

Stations: ?, " Orderly (driver)" to the then Commissioner Norman Allan at the old Police HQ – Cnr Phillip & Hunter Sts, Sydney,

?, Gosford – Crash Investigation Unit (in the old house in Georgia Terrace – Gosford, Gosford – Court Staff, Death

Service: From ? ? pre December 1953? to 20 January 1985
= 32 years Service

Awards: No Find on Australian Honours – although

Awarded the NSW Police Medal – with 3rd Clasp

Born: Tuesday 3 December 1929

Died on: Sunday 20 January 1985

Age: 55 years, 1 month, 17 days old

Cause: Heart attack

Event location: Home

Event date: Sunday 20 January 1985

Funeral date: ? ? ?

Funeral location: ?

Funeral Parlour: ?

Buried at: Cremated. Ashes will be Interned with Betty's and a plaque to mark their final resting place will be placed at Palmdale Lawn Cemetery in the future.

Together again and forever.

Memorial / Plaque / Monument located at: ?

Dedication date of Memorial / Plaque / Monument: Nil – at this time (**June 2020**)

JIMMY is NOT mentioned on the Police Wall of Remembrance * NOT JOB RELATED

FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED ABOUT THIS PERSON, THEIR LIFE, THEIR CAREER AND THEIR DEATH.

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May they forever Rest In Peace

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/AustralianPolice.com.au/>

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/NSWFallenPolice/>

Australian Police YouTube Channel

Ernest Roy Clarence WALLWORK

01/04/2026

Ernest Roy Clarence WALLWORK

New South Wales Police Force

Regd. # ?

Rank: Constable

Stations: ? , Louth (1935, 1939) ,
Grenfell (1941) , Dapto (1942)

Service: From ? ? ? to ? ? ? = ?
years Service

Awards: ?

Born: ? ? 1904

Died on: ? ? 1985

Age: 80 – 81

Cause: ?

Funeral date: ?

Funeral location: ?

Buried at: ?

Memorial at: ?

[alert_yellow]**ERNEST** is NOT mentioned on the Police Wall of
Remembrance[/alert_yellow] ***NEED MORE INFO**

Funeral location: ?

**FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED ABOUT THIS PERSON, THEIR LIFE,
THEIR CAREER AND THEIR DEATH.**

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NSWBDM

Born – 33696/1904 Father = Albert Mother =
Emma Born in the MacLean District

Marriage – 8107/1935 Kathleen A HALL – in Marrickville
District

Marriage – 27757/1960 Hazel Marion McGuire – in North Sydney
District. Interred on 4 May 2004 at Macquarie Park Cemetery.
A J Hare Lawn. Row 24 Plot 0018

Death – 1246/1985 Father = Albert Mother = Emma

South Coast Times and Wollongong Argus (NSW : 1900 – 1954),
Friday 13 November 1942, page 10

WEEK BY WEEK

Constable Ernest Wallwork; who has recently taken up duties at Dapto police station, was complimented by the deputy Coroner [Mr. S. R. Musgrave) on Wednesday at the hearing of the inquest concerning the death of Mr David .Mack. The coroner remarked that the Constable had come from a rural area out west, and the excellent manner in which he had secured the necessary evidence and prepared the case was all the more commendable as this was his first experience of a fatal industrial accident.

<http://trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/rendition/nla.news-article142518275.txt>

Government Gazette of the State of New South Wales (Sydney, NSW : 1901 – 2001), **Friday 23 October 1942** (No.141), page 2820

THE undermentioned members of the Police Force to exercise the authority conferred by section 63, subsection 1, of the Liquor Act, 1912, within the Licensing Districts preceding their names, from the dates specified, viz.:—'

Wollongong—Constable **Ernest Roy Clarence Wallwork**, stationed at Dapto,—from 23rd September, 1942.

Glenn William James WALLACE

01/04/2026

Glenn William James WALLACE

(late of Gundagai, formerly of Carlton)

New South Wales Police Force

Uniform # 9024

Regd. # 20360

Rank: Commenced training at Redfern Police Academy with **Class 185** on Monday ? ? 1982 (aged ?

Probationary Constable – appointed Friday 20 August 1982 (aged 22 years, 10 months, 24 days)

Constable – appointed 20 August 1983

Final Rank: Constable

Stations: ?, Cronulla, Gundagai HWP – Death

Service: From ? pre August 1982 to 19 July 1985 = 2+ years
Service

Age at Retirement / Leaving: 25 years, 9 months, 22 days

Time in Retirement: 0

Awards: No Find on Australian Honours system

Born: Sunday 27 September 1959

Died on: Friday 19 July 1985

Age: 25 yrs 9 mths 22 days

Cause: Motor Vehicle Accident – Driver – Off Duty

Funeral date: ?

Funeral location: ?

Buried at: ?

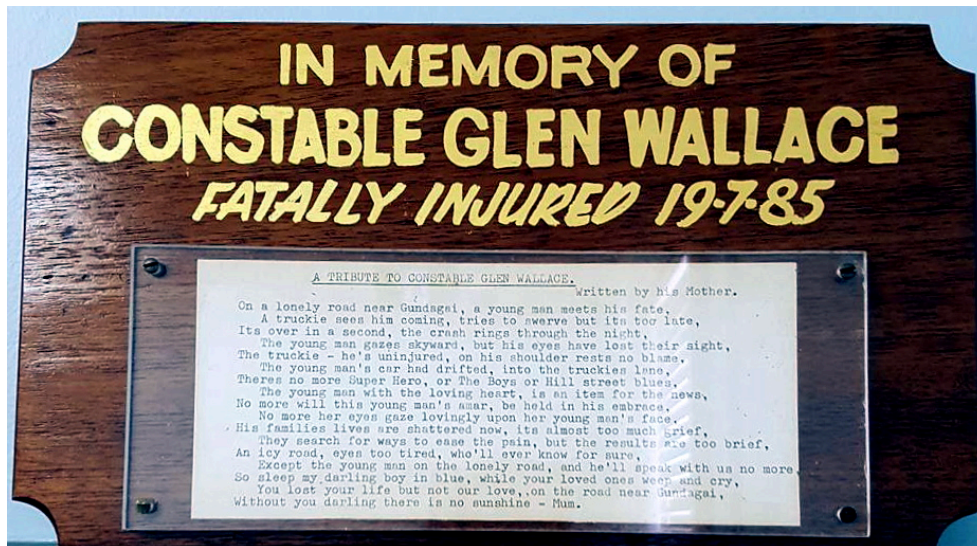
Memorial at: ?



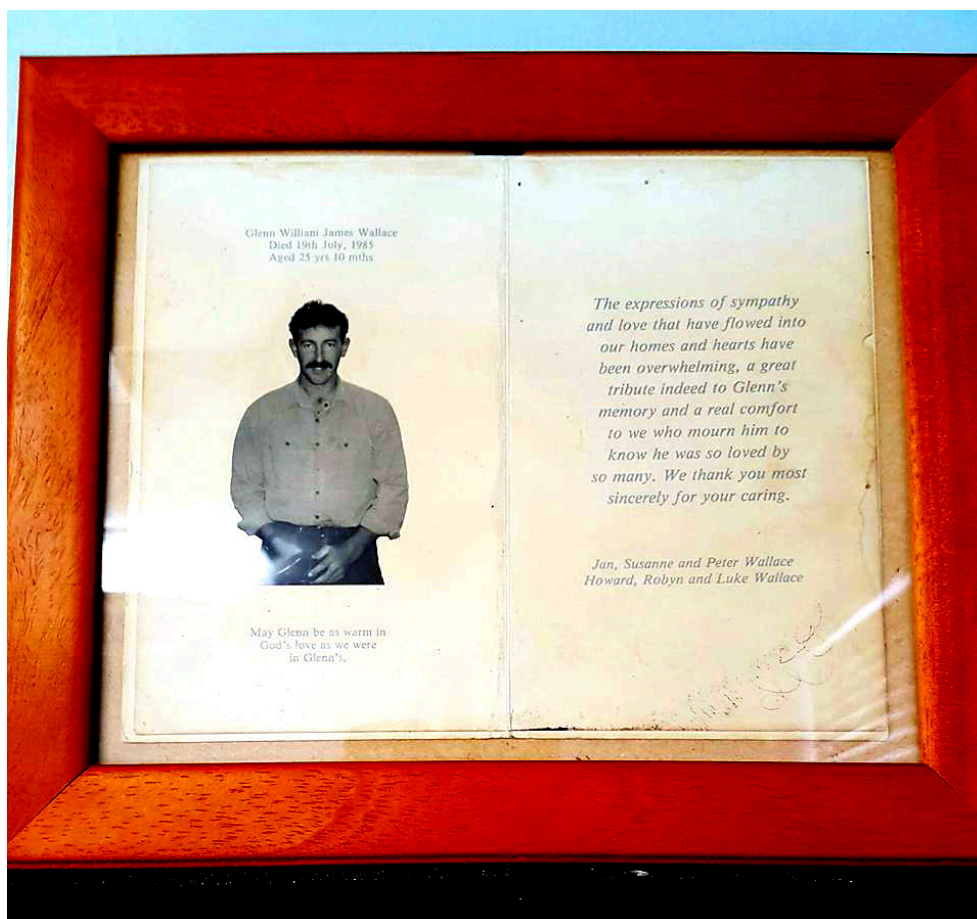








Displayed at the entrance to Gundagai Police Station



Displayed at the entrance to Gundagai Police Station

**GLENN is NOT mentioned on the Police Wall of Remembrance * NOT
JOB RELATED**

**GLENN is NOT mentioned on the NSW Police Memorial Wall, Sydney
Police Centre**

Funeral location: ?

**FURTHER INFORMATION IS NEEDED ABOUT THIS PERSON, THEIR LIFE,
THEIR CAREER AND THEIR DEATH.**

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Constable Glenn Wallace, died in a car accident on Friday 19 July 1985.

It is believed that during his shift he had broken down a colleague's front door to stop the colleague's wife's attempted suicide. I presume she was treated and lived.

After his shift, he went to the local pub with his mates, as was the culture in those days.

No doubt the day's events played a big role in heading to the pub—not that a reason was ever needed.

Some time later that night he drove home intoxicated and had a head on accident with a truck, which killed him instantly.

He died in part uniform, probably with his Cronulla /

Sutherland Police Rugby League team track suit top on.

He hadn't been home, but he was deemed not to be on duty as he hadn't gone straight home from his work place.

He was only 25. He was in the Highway Patrol at Gundagai.

A true man's man with a heart of gold and iron fists. You wouldn't want to take him on.

Two idiots did at Cronulla one night on night shift. He was in the station alone and ran outside to stop an assault on the street. The two idiots attacked him. He left one unconscious and the other with a broken jaw. More fool them.

He was very important to all of his family, and of course his many friends. He was our leader, albeit often unwillingly, and his loss has darkened all of us forever.

Lyncon Robert Dix WILLIAMS

01/04/2026

Lyncon Robert Dix WILLIAMS

aka Lync

(late of Medindie Gardens)

South Australia Police Force

Regd. # ?

Rank: Constable 1st Class

**Stations: ?, Region B, Holden Hill
Police Station**

Service: From ? to ?

Awards: ?

Born: ?

Died on: 29 August 1985

Cause: Murdered in his police car

**Event location: Ross Ave, Blair Athol,
S.A.**

Event location: [codepeople-post-map]

Age: 30

Funeral date: 3 September 1985

Funeral location: ?

**Buried at: Centennial Park Cemetery, 760
Goodwood Rd, Pasadena, S.A.**

**Grave location: Acacia D, Path DM, Grave
537**

Buried with his mother: Margaret Yvonne WILLIAMS who was
buried on 19 January 2012



Lyncon Robert Dix
WILLIAMS

<http://www.npm.org.au/williams-2>

**[alert_green]LYNCON IS mentioned on the Police Wall of
Remembrance[/alert_green]**

South Australian Police Historical Society Inc.

August 29th, 1985, Police Officer Lyncon Robert Dix Williams

from **Holden Hill police** was murdered at **Blair Athol**.
First Class Constable Lyncon (Lync.) Williams Aged 30 years,
of Holden Hill Patrol Base, died **in** his patrol car after he
responded with his junior partner to reports of gunfire at
Ross Avenue Blair Athol. A 17-year-old shot him as he arrived
on the scene. He had not even had the chance to step out of
his car ahead of the fatal shot.

Police arrested and charged the shooter with murder. He was
convicted and sentenced to imprisonment at the Governor's
pleasure. A non-parole period was later fixed at 13-and-a-half
years.

Police Association President **Peter Alexander** reflected on
William's death as he laid a wreath at a Police Remembrance
Day memorial service. "I didn't know Lync Williams personally
but, I'll always remember the circumstances of that murder",
he said.

'I remember the shock of it and the grief for his family and
workmates. It was a tragedy that was reflected right across
the job.'

Noel John THURGOOD

01/04/2026

Noel John THURGOOD

New South Wales Police Force

Started NSW Police Cadets on 14 January 1952

Cadet # 0976

Regd. # 7898

Rank: Police Cadet – commenced 14 January 1952

Probationary Constable – appointed 13 December 1954

Constable 1st Class – appointed 13 December 1960

Senior Constable – appointed 13 December 1965

Sergeant 3rd Class – appointed 1 April 1970

Sergeant 2nd Class – appointed 13 January 1978 –

Retirement – Medical discharged on 17 June 1983

Stations: **As a Cadet**: M.O. Unit (Method of Operation) –
January 1952,

Maroubra (15 Division) May 1952,

Traffic Branch – December 1952,

Parramatta (18 Division) February 1953,

Liverpool (22 Division) June 1953,

Burwood (9 Division) November 1953,

Liverpool (22 Division) June 1954

Sworn in and stationed at: Regent St (2 Division) December
1954,

Metro Supt. Office (20 Division) July 1956,

Liverpool (22 Division GD's) January 1957,

Liverpool (22 Division – Inspectors Clerk) February 1958,

Liverpool (22 Division GD's) December 1960,

Liverpool (22 Division – Outfit Cyclist) November 1961,

Liverpool (22 Division – Licencing) December 1961,

Liverpool (22 Division – Licencing Sgt) September 1970,

Campbelltown (35 Division – Licencing Sgt) May 1974,

Redfern (7 Division GD's) October 1975,

Fairfield (34 Division GD's) April 1978 until retirement on
17 June 1983

Service: From 14 January 1952 to 17 June 1983 = 31+ years
Service

Awards: Police Long Service and Good Conduct Medal – granted
on 1 June 1977

Born: Monday 25 November 1935 @ Kempsey NSW

Died on: Monday 25 November 1985 – England

Cause: Heart attack

Age: 50 years

Funeral date: ? ? ?

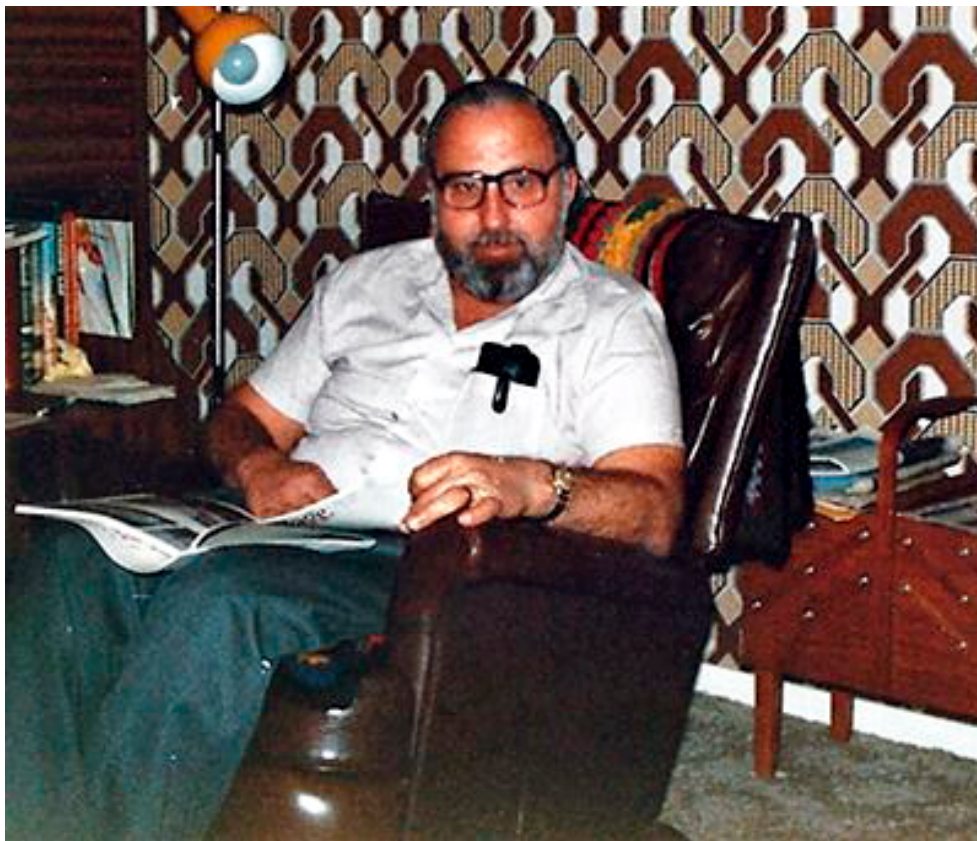
Funeral location: ? ? ?

Buried at: Cremated

Memorial: Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Camden Valley Way,
Leppington, NSW, OPPOSITE THE CAFE'

GPS: -33.9556 150.832

NOEL is NOT mentioned on the Police Wall of Remembrance * [Not work related](#)



Noel in his latter years



Noel is in the centre of the top row. This is part of a group photo of the Sergeant's Course # 2 of 1971.



TUESDAY 21 SEPTEMBER 2010

I FOUND THIS NAME PLATE IN THE GARDENS OF THE FUNERAL HOME AT LEPPINGTON, ON CAMDEN VALLEY WAY. THE MEMORIAL IS OPPOSITE

THE CAFE' .

NOEL THURGOOD WAS A SGT 2nd Class AT FAIRFIELD IN THE LATE 1970's.

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I EVENTUALLY LOOKED UP THE PHONE BOOK AND FOUND THE WIFE OF NOEL THURGOOD, Grace, WHO TOLD ME THAT IT WAS, IN FACT, OUR NOEL THURGOOD AND THAT HE DIED ON HIS 50th BIRTHDAY.

NOEL AND HIS WIFE WERE VISITING FAMILY IN ENGLAND AND NOEL WAS IN THE LAUNDRY OF THE PREMISES THEY WERE VISITING WHEN HE COLLAPSED AND DIED.

I REMEMBER THAT NOEL HAD LIGHT BLUE EYES AND A STY OVER ONE OF HIS EYE LIDS.

HE WAS A NICE AND GENTLE MAN.

MAY HE FOREVER REST IN PEACE MY FRIEND.

Cal

Stephen John TIER

01/04/2026

Stephen John TIER

New South Wales Police Force

Regd. # 18680

Redfern Police Academy Class # 163

Rank: Commenced Training at Redfern Police Academy on Monday 9 April 1979 (aged 18 years, 11 months, 6 days)

Probationary Constable – appointed Monday 25 June 1979 (aged 19 years, 1 month, 2 days)

Constable – appointed 25 June 1980

Detective – appointed ? ? ?

Constable 1st Class – appointed 25 June 1984

Final Rank: Detective Constable 1st Class

Stations: ?, Dapto – Death

Served: From 9 April 1979 **to** 24 July 1985 = 6 years, 3 months, 15 days Service

Born: Tuesday 3 May 1960

Age: 25 years, 2 months, 21 days

Died: Wednesday 24 July 1985

Cause: Motor Vehicle Pursuit – Driver, Princes Hwy, Kembla Grange (Unanderra)

Funeral Date: ? 1985

Funeral location: ?

Grave location: Lakeside Cemetery, Kanahooka Rd, Kanahooka, NSW

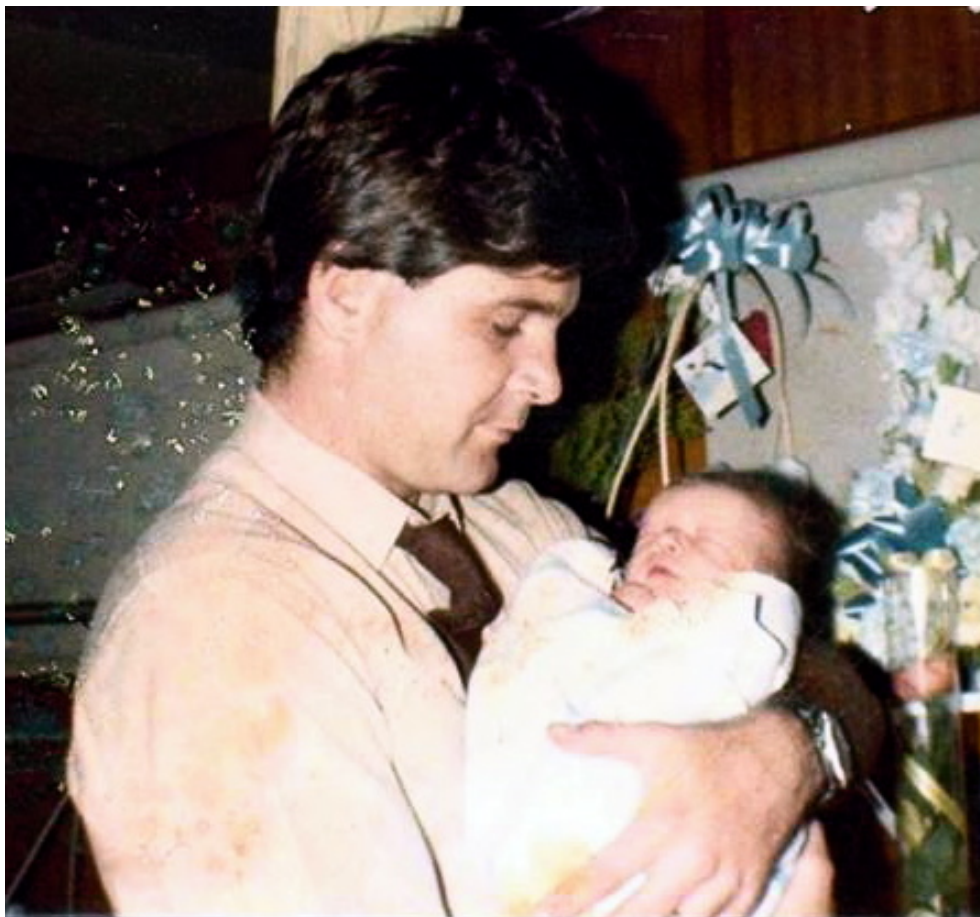
Memorial location: External Wall leading into Lake Illawarra Police Station and photo, on wall, inside Lake Illawarra Police Station

On 24 July, 1985 Detective Constable Tier was the driver, and single occupant, of an unmarked police vehicle engaged in the pursuit of an unknown vehicle on the Princes Highway, Unanderra. During the pursuit the police vehicle left the roadway and collided with a telegraph pole.

The constable was born in 1960 and joined the New South Wales Police Force on 15 January, 1979.

At the time of his death he was stationed at Dapto.

STEPHEN is mentioned on the Police Wall of Remembrance



Stephen Tier holding his son, Joshua Tier.



Det Cst Stephen John Tier – 20 April 1983
playing Police Football for Wollongong.



NSW Police Force

**Detective Constable
Stephen John TIER**

**Died in the line of duty
Unanderra NSW
24 July 1985**





Stephen TIER – Touch pad at the National Police Wall of Remembrance, Canberra.



IN LOVING MEMORY OF

STEPHEN
JOHN
TIER

BORN 3.5.1960
DIED 24.7.1985

LOVED HUSBAND
OF SUE
LOVING DAD TO
ANNE & JOSHUA

OUR LOVE WILL ALWAYS BE

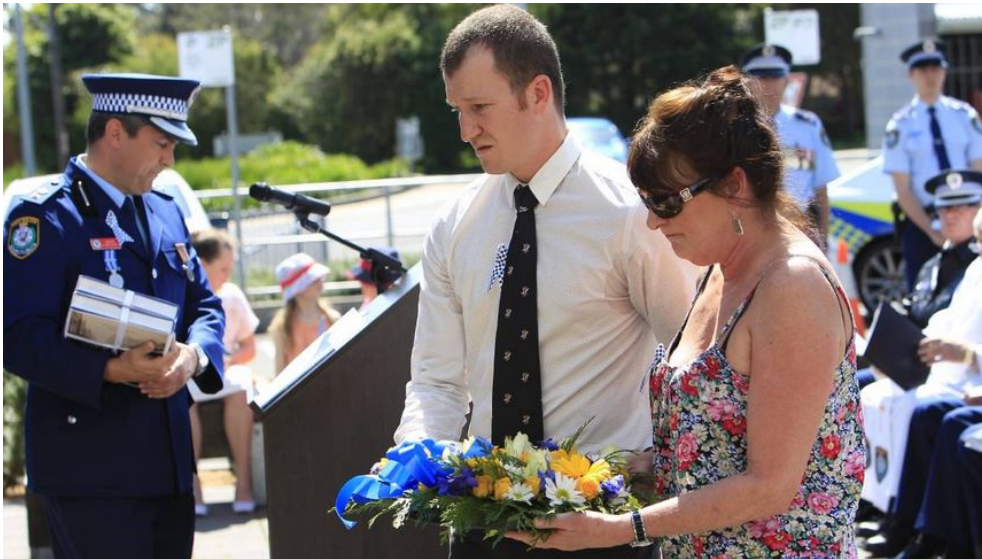


Stephen John TIER Memorial inside Oak Flats Police Station, NSW.

Police Remembrance Day:

JOSHUA BUTLER

29 Sep 2014, 3 p.m.



Family members lay a wreath for Det Const Stephen John Tier. Picture: ANDY ZAKELI Lake Illawarra Commander Acting Superintendent Andrew Koutsoufis to the left.

Almost 60 years on, Kenneth Nash still misses his uncle Allen.

Sergeant Allen William Nash, aged 40, was killed in the line of duty by a gun-wielding offender at Primbee in 1956.

Sgt Nash was one of eight officers stationed in the Lake Illawarra local area command who were recognised with memorial plaques on a wall of honour outside Lake Illawarra police station on Monday, as part of Police Remembrance Day commemorations.

Dozens of current and retired officers, families, friends, politicians, councillors and members of the public gathered at Oak Flats for a ceremony to unveil the memorial wall, and honour past and present officers.

Since 1862, more than 250 NSW Police officers have died in the line of duty.

<http://www.illawarramercury.com.au/story/2591540/lake-illawarra-officers-honoured-on-police-remembrance-day-photos/>

Deadly toll

By Jonathan Pearlman

November 6, 2004

Alone in his patrol car, **Chris Thornton** had the police siren flashing as he chased a white sedan through **Woy Woy**.

Thornton, 35, a highway patrolman, had been in the force for 15 years. He was, his mother says, “the best driver I have ever seen”.

The reason for the chase that night in April 2002 is unknown. Both cars were seen travelling at high speed. Thornton was about 50 metres behind.

Meanwhile, Leonard Rowley, 56, an unlicensed driver, was driving to his local KFC to pick up dinner. He saw the first car flash past and judged – wrongly – that he had time to turn out in front of the patrol car. Thornton tried to avoid Rowley’s car but clipped the back, veered onto the wrong side of the road and hit a power pole.

Thornton died on the spot, which is marked by a permanent stainless-steel cross. Rowley later received a suspended two-year sentence.

“His life from the age of 12 was about helping people,” says Thornton’s mother, **Freda Thornton**. “He was in the surf club and he was there to rescue people and then he went into the

force and he was doing the same thing." His father, **Barry Thornton**, says: "He loved life. He had been in Gosford for 15 years and was so popular with the community there."

Police pursuits are, says Barry, a necessary evil: "If they don't catch the criminals there will be more deaths on the roads. The ones that they're in pursuit of are the idiots that have done the wrong thing to start with."

But pursuits have come at a cost to the NSW Police Department. Fifteen officers have died as a result of high-speed chases, beginning with the death of Constable George Boore in 1937.

Details provided by the NSW Police Association show a steady stream of fatalities involving cars and motorcycles. The full list of casualties is as follows:

April 2, 1937: Constable George Boore;

June 2, 1954: Constable Cecil Sewell;

November 14, 1958: Constable Brian Boaden;

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New South Wales Police Force

Police Academy Class # 158

Probationary Constable # 92154

ProCst # 92154

Regd. # 17???

Rank: Probationary Constable – appointed 3 April 1978

Constable 1st Class – Death

Stations: Mounted Police Unit, 10 Division GDs & 'C' District
(Maroubra) HWP

Service: From 23 January 1978 to 3 January 1985

Awards: No Find n Australian Honours

Born: Tuesday 27 August 1957

Died: Thursday 3 January 1985

Age: 27 yrs 4 mths 7 days

Cause: Motor Vehicle Pursuit – stolen vehicle – Driver –
Urgent Duty

Event location: Hayes St & Dunning Ave, Rosebery

Funeral date: Wednesday 9 January, 1985

Funeral location: ? Church, Bega

Buried at: Bega Cemetery, Princes Hwy, Bega

Memorial location: ?



Constable 1/C Wayne Allen RIXON

Wayne IS mentioned on the Police Wall of Remembrance

About 5pm on **3 January, 1985** Constable Rixon and Probationary Constable **Meredith Ireland** were travelling in a Police Highway Patrol vehicle in **Bannerman Crescent, Rosebery** when they became involved in the high speed pursuit of a **stolen vehicle**. As the pursuit continued along Hayes Street the stolen vehicle sped through stop signs at the intersection of **Dunning Avenue**. The police vehicle slowed at the intersection but unfortunately collided with a **truck** that had been travelling along **Dunning Avenue**. After hitting the truck the police vehicle spun around and slammed into a **brick wall**. Constable Rixon sustained severe head and internal injuries and had to be released from the police vehicle by the **Police Rescue Squad**. He was conveyed to the **Royal South Sydney Hospital** where he was found to be dead on arrival. **Constable Ireland** was treated at the **Prince of Wales Hospital** for lacerations and shock before she was allowed to leave.

The constable was born in **1957** and joined the New South Wales

Police Force on **23 January, 1978**. At the time of his death he was attached to the Maroubra Highway Patrol.



Wayne Allen RIXON – touch pad at the National Police Wall of Remembrance, Canberra

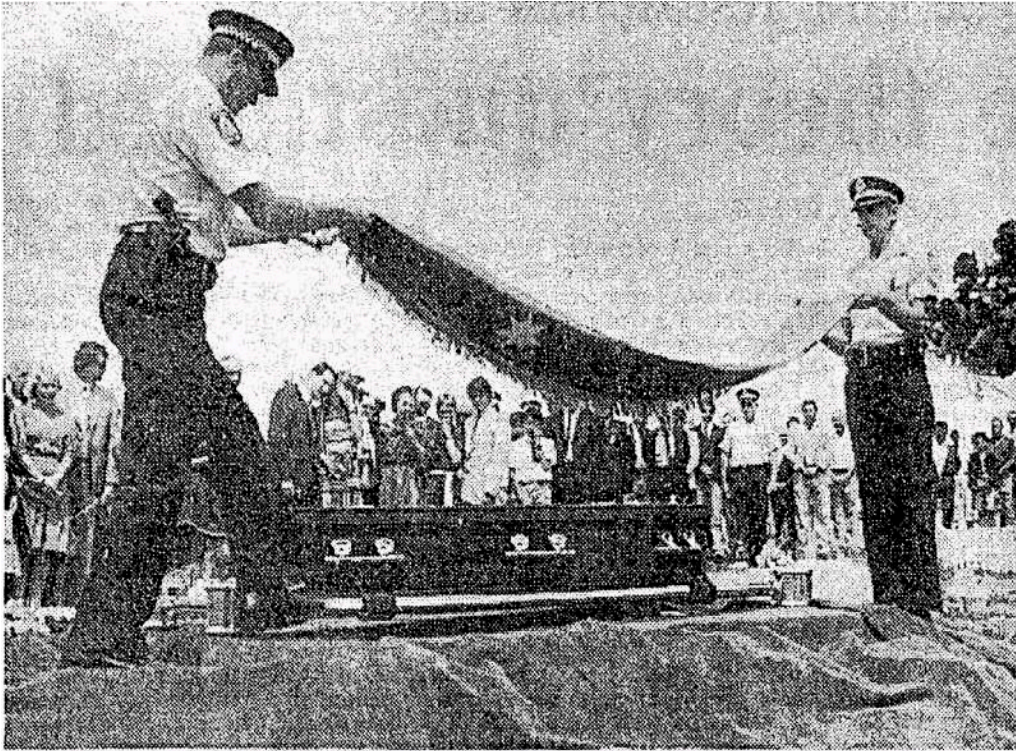


A plaque that Wayne's family had engraved, then placed in position by former members of Maroubra HWP and visited every year. At the intersection of Hayes St & Dunning Ave, Rosebery.

Canberra Times (ACT : 1926 – 1995),

Thursday 10 January 1985, page 9

Hundreds attend funeral of constable at Bega



Picturegram

Sergeant Grahame Langford, left, and Sergeant Len Harris, of the NSW Police Academy, Redfern, fold the flag at the funeral in Bega yesterday of Constable First Class **Wayne Rixon**, of the Maroubra highway patrol.

From BRONWYN YOUNG, in Bega

Hundreds of people packed the church and lined the streets of Bega yesterday for the police funeral of highway patrolman Constable First Class Wayne Rixon, 27, killed in a high-speed car chase in Sydney last Thursday.

About 100 police in uniform and plainclothes had been arriving in Bega for the funeral since Tuesday.

Constable First Class Rixon was working with Maroubra highway patrol when he died on Thursday, but he grew up in Bega. Many of the people in the church and watching from the street had gone to school with

him. Police closed two roads for the funeral procession and its police escort.

The coffin draped with the Australian flag was carried from the church by six police officers.

Some of them had worked with Constable First Class Rixon in

Maroubra. A seventh police officer, Sergeant Grahame Langford, of the NSW Police Academy, Redfern, walked in front of the coffin carrying the constable's cap on a blue cushion. The caps of the six pallbearers lay on the roof of the waiting hearse.

Two mounted highway patrolmen in full ceremonial uniform headed the solemn procession which escorted the hearse from the church. Among those marching were Acting Commissioner Barney Ross, Assistant Commissioner, Traffic, Bill Fleming, and Assistant Commissioner, General, Ted Bunt. The police marched in slow step down the street to the pipes of the NSW Police Pipe Band.

When the procession neared the Bega Courthouse the ranks broke and formed a guard-of honour. The hearse passed between the lines and gathered speed as it turned on to the road to the Bega Cemetery.

<http://trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/rendition/nla.news-article122477525.txt>

The Canberra Times

Wednesday 10 December 1975 p 38

Junior Open title

OUTSHONE

Country boys, although outnumbered, outshone their metropolitan rivals in the Tully Park event.

Another Queanbeyan player, G. Gibson, won the Brian Todkill Memorial trophy in the 36 hole stabelford event for juniors

and school boys.

Wayne Carpenter, of Orange, won the junior country title with an aggregate of 148 and Wayne Rixon, of Bega, the country schoolboy title with 149.

<http://trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/article/102190841>

The Canberra Times

Monday 12 February 1973 p1



Wayne Rixon, 15, and his two sisters, Wendy, 11 (front) and Pam, 12, all of Bega, wait their turn to compete in motor-cycle scramble races at the Pialligo track, near Canberra Airport, yesterday.

Deadly toll

By Jonathan Pearlman

November 6, 2004

Alone in his patrol car, Chris Thornton had the police siren

flashing as he chased a white sedan through **Woy Woy**.

Thornton, 35, a highway patrolman, had been in the force for 15 years. He was, his mother says, "the best driver I have ever seen".

The reason for the chase that night in April 2002 is unknown. Both cars were seen travelling at high speed. Thornton was about 50 metres behind.

Meanwhile, Leonard Rowley, 56, an unlicensed driver, was driving to his local KFC to pick up dinner. He saw the first car flash past and judged – wrongly – that he had time to turn out in front of the patrol car. Thornton tried to avoid Rowley's car but clipped the back, veered onto the wrong side of the road and hit a power pole.

Thornton died on the spot, which is marked by a permanent stainless-steel cross. Rowley later received a suspended two-year sentence.

"His life from the age of 12 was about helping people," says Thornton's mother, **Freada Thornton**. "He was in the surf club and he was there to rescue people and then he went into the force and he was doing the same thing." His father, **Barry Thornton**, says: "He loved life. He had been in Gosford for 15 years and was so popular with the community there."

Police pursuits are, says Barry, a necessary evil: "If they don't catch the criminals there will be more deaths on the roads. The ones that they're in pursuit of are the idiots that have done the wrong thing to start with."

But pursuits have come at a cost to the NSW Police Department. Fifteen officers have died as a result of high-speed chases, beginning with the death of Constable George Boore in 1937.

Details provided by the NSW Police Association show a steady stream of fatalities involving cars and motorcycles. The full

list of casualties is as follows:

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Both **Wayne Rixon** and **Glenn Rampling** formed part of a 3 man team at the Mounties, going around mainly to country fairs performing vault tricks with the draft horse. Tragically both lost their lives in High Speed pursuits after leaving the

Mounties for other duties. RIP, both were good men.
