

Ipswich Hospital Nurses – World War 1

Eva Frances COOTE

- ▶ Born Normanby Hill, Queensland, 25 October 1885
- ▶ 2 June 1917 Enlisted Australian Army Nursing Service (WW1), Staff Nurse, SN Staff Nurse
- ▶ 9 June 1917 Involvement Australian Army Nursing Service, 14th Australian General Hospital
- ▶ 9 June 1917 Embarked Australian Army Nursing Service, 14th Australian Army General Hospital, RMS Mooltan, Sydney
- ▶ Paratyphoid Aug 1918 three months convalescence Influenza January 1919
- ▶ Married George Ellis Doolan in 1953
- ▶ Died Redcliffe, Queensland, 13 March 1974, aged 88 years.

Elsie Jane POLLOCK

- ▶ Born Grantham, Queensland, 6 October 1889
- ▶ 12 June 1915 Enlisted Australian Army Nursing Service (WW1), Staff Nurse, SN Nurse, Victoria Barracks, Brisbane, Queensland
- ▶ 14 July 1915 Involvement Staff Nurse, 2nd Australian General Hospital
- ▶ 14 July 1915 Embarked 2nd Australian General Hospital, HMAT Orsova, Sydney
- ▶ 16 September 1916 Involvement Australian Army Nursing Service, Staff Nurse, 2nd Australian Stationary Hospital
- ▶ 16 September Embarked Australian Army Nursing Service, 2nd Australian Stationary Hospital, RMS Karmala, Sydney
- ▶ 16 August 1919 Discharged Australian Army Nursing Service, Sister
- ▶ 3 April 1925 Presentation of a silver tea service by the residents of Ma Ma Creek, Mt. Whitestone and Fordesdale prior to her marriage to I. McGarva.
- ▶ Died Natural causes, Queensland, 31 May 1973, aged 83 years.



SISTER E. J. POLLOCK

Ruth Maughan ROBSON

- ▶ 15 May 1915 Involvement 1st Australian General Hospital
- ▶ 15 May 1915 Embarked 1st Australian General Hospital, RMS Mooltan, Sydney
- ▶ 19 August 1916 Involvement 14th Australian General Hospital
- ▶ 19 August 1916 Embarked 14th Australian General Hospital, HMAT Karoola, Melbourne.



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FAST FACT

Ruth Maughan Robson was born in the Lockyer Valley and she commenced duty on 1 April 1908.

Rose LANGFORD

- ▶ 21 December 1914 Involvement 1st Australian General Hospital
- ▶ 21 December 1914 Embarked 1st Australian General Hospital, HMAT Kyarra, Brisbane.



Annie SCOTT

- ▶ 21 December 1914 Involvement 1st Australian General Hospital
- ▶ 21 December 1914 Embarked 1st Australian General Hospital, HMAT Kyarra, Brisbane
- ▶ Served Egypt, France, and Bombay
- ▶ Obtained rank "Matron".



Emily Clarice Lilla MARDON

- ▶ 12 June 1915 Involvement 1st Australian General Hospital
- ▶ 12 June 1915 Embarked 1st Australian General Hospital, HMAT Karoola, Brisbane.



Muriel Violet ROGERS

- ▶ 10 May 1917 Involvement Australian Army Nursing Service, 2nd Australian General Hospital
- ▶ 10 May 1917 Embarked Australian Army Nursing Service, 2nd Australian General Hospital, HMAT Marathon, Sydney.



FAST FACT

Rose Langford was mentioned in a despatches by Brigadier-General Frederick Hugh Gordon Cunliffe on March 16, 1916 relaying information about the progress of military operations in Gallipoli which mentioned her outstanding gallantry and distinguished service. She received a certificate signed by Winston Churchill and MiD Medal in 1922.



Flora KAY

- ▶ Born 1886 Petersham, NSW
- ▶ Enlisted 1 May 1917
- ▶ 9 May 1917 Involvement Australian Army Nursing Service, 1st Australian General Hospital
- ▶ 9 May 1917 Embarked Australian Army Nursing Service, 1st Australia General Hospital, HMAT Ulysses, Sydney
- ▶ Served England, France.
- ▶ Died 19 May 1981 NSW.

Jane Selina ROBSON

- ▶ 14 October 1918 Involvement Australian Army Nursing Service (WW1)
- ▶ 14 October 1918 Embarked Australian Army Nursing Service, SS Wyreema, Sydney
- ▶ Disembarked 10 December. While on duty at Quarantine Station Freemantle 5th MD Pneumonic Influenza
- ▶ Service terminated 24 September 1919.

Helen RITCHIE

- ▶ Born 1890 Tweed River, NSW.
- ▶ 26 May 1917 Involvement Australian Army Nursing Service, Army Nursing Service, Victoria War Hospital, Bombay India
- ▶ 26 May 1917 Embarked Australian Army Nursing Service, Victoria War Hospital Bombay India, RMS Khiva, Sydney
- ▶ 30 January 1919 Invalided home relapsing fever Malaria via Abbassa Egypt.

Margaret BOURKE

- ▶ Born Tullabrack, Ireland, 22 July 1891
- ▶ 7 October 1918 Enlisted Australian Army Nursing Service (WW1)
- ▶ 14 October 1918 Involvement Australian Army Nursing Service
- ▶ 14 October 1918 Embarked Australian Army Nursing Service, Quarantine Station Freemantle, SS Wyreema, Sydney
- ▶ 10 November 1918 Disembarked Quarantine Station, Freemantle
- ▶ 23 April 2019 Appointment terminated.