In my letters I let everyone know at home that I am in "champion form" so they don't worry too much. It is raining when I write this card on the 21st April. There is a bit of activity around so something may be happening, but the censor would not let that through.



We left Egypt on HMAT Ionian on the way to Gallopoli via Mudros Harbour. I was woken up about 1am on the 25th April and had a hot meal and drink then climbed down the ladders to the wooden boats to take us ashore just before dawn.

On the 9th of August my brother-in-law Charles wrote to the local Federal MP the Hon L Groom to ask him if he could find out my whereabouts as the "woman folk are exceedingly worried". The Army replied in October telling my family that I was killed in action sometime during that first day and the location of my remains are unknown.

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