



Australian Newspaper Articles

Codford Today

Dear "Non-Com" – During a recent visit to England I paid a visit to Codford, Wilts., where I was able to procure the accompanying snaps. The first is the general war memorial. The memorial is in the cemetery, but it has a hedge all round except for a gate. Around the base is inscribed: "Greater love has no man than this."

The second snap is of the individual New Zealand Graves. The graves are of the men who died while in hospital or camp. Around the graves the grass is well kept and men from the Codford Church keep the cemetery tidy. The third snap is the headstones of the Australian soldiers' graves. The small stone at the back was put there by the soldiers' relations.

While in Codford I climbed the Pimple. I expect many of the returned men will remember it. The Australian badge is still on the slope of the hill, but the coloured glass has been removed.

All the tin huts are gone, but a few brick buildings are still standing. Also there are some cement floors to awaken a memory of days gone by.

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