

Ernest Charles OSBORNE

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Little is known of Ernest Osborne's military service, but we do know that he was born in 1873 in Elsternwick. He attended the Church of England Grammar School, matriculated in 1890, and graduated from Melbourne University with his law Degree in 1894. By 1914, he was a solicitor working at Mallesons when he was one of three vendors in a sale of a package of land to Essendon City Council. This land is now known as Aberfeldie Park.

He enlisted in England with the Black Watch (the Royal Highlanders), which is a unit of the British Army, so very little detail of his war service is known other than the fact that he was a lieutenant.

He returned to Australia and was with Mallesons again by 1919. It appears that he never married.

He died in East Melbourne in 1926 aged 52, leaving a sizeable legacy to various charities.

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