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THE FALLEN AND WOUNDED.

PERSONAL NOTES.

The news of the death of Lance-Corporal Robert Cecil Carter was received with much regret in South Canterbury, where all his previous life had been spent. He was the third son of Mr D. T. Carter, Rockpool, Pleasant Point, and was engaged in farming with his father, when he enlisted in the 9th Reinforcements. About a year ago he was invalided from France to England, suffering from shell shock. He recovered slowly, and took up clerical work at Codford for some months, before returning to France, where he died of wounds on August 27th. Lance-Corporal Carter was most popular in the district, his sterling character and bright, cheery disposition gaining him friends wherever he went, while his example and record as a soldier won him high esteem. Great sympathy is felt for his family, more especially as his younger brother, Roger, had already given his life on Gallipoli.

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Lance-Corporal R. C. Carter, who has died from wounds, was the third son of Mr and Mrs D. T. Carter, of "Rockpool." He left with the 9th Reinforcements as a Sergt. in the Canterbury Mounted Rifles. In Egypt he transferred to the infantry, and went with them to France. He was in hospital for some time suffering from severe shell-shoek. Lance-Corporal Carter is the second member of his family to make the supreme sacrifice.