DAVIES, Mervyn 20 October 1946

Designation	Accident Location	Accident Due to
Shunter	Merredin	Shunting operations

Mervyn Davies, a returned serviceman, was 21 years of age when he died as the result of falling under wagons during shunting operations. Mervyn was single and lived in Merredin. He is interred at the Merredin Pioneers Cemetery. At the time of his death Mervyn was engaged to an english girl who was on her way to WA.

RAILWAY FATALITY.
Shunter Killed at Merredin.
MERREDIN, Oct. 20.
While helping in shunting in the Merredin railway yards about 5.15 p.m. yesterday, Mervyn Davies (21), single, of Hart-street, Merredin, fell under a moving rake of trucks and was killed.

The driver of the shunting engine said subsequently that he saw Davies move towards the trucks and then disappear from view. Suspecting that something had gone wrong, the driver applied the brakes and later found Davies under the trucks. Dr. F. W. Gray was summoned, but when he arrived the man was dead.

Deceased was the youngest son of Capt. and Mrs. C. R. Davies. With two elder brothers and his father, a veteran of World War I, he served with the R.A.AF. in England in World War II.

He was engaged to be married to an English girl, who is now on her way to Western Australia.

Author's Note: *Mervyn Davies is interred at the Merredin Pioneers Cemetery.*

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