LINDSAY, William James 6 September 1917

Designation	Accident Location	Accident Due to
Porter	Golden Gate	Shunting operations

William Lindsay was 57 years of age when he was run over and killed at Golden Gate station. William was married and his wife resided in New South Wales. He was interred at Boulder Cemetery.

DECAPITATED
THE TRAGEDY AT GOLDEN GATE STATION.
About 10 o'clock this morning a goods train at Golden Gate station was backing on to the main line so as to proceed to Boulder, when suddenly there was a signal to stop. The gruesome discovery was then made of a porter named William James Lindsay, lying on the track badly mangled, and the head completely severed from the body. So far as it can be ascertained Lindsay had been taking tickets off the other trucks standing in the yard, and he was immediately before the accident seen standing on the couplings. Evidently he had fallen between the trucks when the train moved. Lindsay, who was 57 years old today was a married man, his wife residing in New South Wales. He lived at the camp opposite the Kalgoorlie railway station.

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FAMILY NOTICES
LINDSAY. The friends of the late William James Lindsay, late porter Golden Gate Station, are respectfully informed that his remains will be removed from I. W. Goss & Co.'s establishment, at 3 o'clock this day (Friday), September 7, 1917, for interment in the Boulder Cemetery. — I. W. Goss & Co., Undertakers, Piesse-street, Boulder. TeL 100.

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