

The Parrish Family

Born in 1860, Thomas Parrish, was one of the oldest residents of the Gerringong District. He fathered eight children, seven to his first wife Susannah who died giving birth to Sidney in 1898, and one to his second wife Amelia.



THOMAS PARRISH



SUSANNAH PARRISH (NEE MOFFITT)



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As a young man, Thomas left Gerringong and was one of the pioneers of the North Coast. For many years he tried his hand at farming at Mullumbimby. In 1923 on his retirement, he returned to Gerringong, where he served for several years as an Alderman on Council.



THOMAS & AMELIA PARRISH



Albert Parrish was born at Foxground in 1888.

Thomas Parrish was also born at Foxground in 1895.

Both boys spent their childhoods in Gerringong, Foxground and Mullumbimby.

Albert and Lindsay enlisted together on 1 September 1915, and went into camp at Brisbane. Both boys embarked on HMAT Kyarra in Brisbane on 3 January 1916.qwerty

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ALBERT PARRISH