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Photo: Private Horace Balcomb of the 54th Battalion, one of the boys from Cranbury who fought at Fromelles and is featured in this issue. Courtesy of Harold Balcomb.

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John Laffin Memorial Lecture Day (Sydney)

This year's John Laffin Memorial Lecture Day will be held on **Sunday 3rd July** at **Ashfield RSL Club, 374 Liverpool Rd, Ashfield.** Please note the venue is on the first floor of the club and access is by stairs only. The speakers will be **John D Cox** and FFFAIF member, **Tony Cunneen**. John delivered the NSW Governor's Inaugural Anzac Oration at Government House on 18th April 2011. He will speak on *'The Last Great Cavalry Charge: The Charge at Beersheba'*. Tony, who has had numerous articles published (including articles in *DIGGER* 32 & on pp3-12 of this *DIGGER*), will be speaking on *'The Legal Profession in the First World War'*. The day will commence at 10.30am and conclude by 3.00pm. **Light lunch** will be provided. There will be an **entry charge of \$15** to help offset costs, which will be collected on the day. To allow for catering to be ordered, please advise the number of persons attending and any special dietary requirements no later than **Monday 27th June**. **RSVP** to **secretary@fffaif.org.au** or by phone (leave a message) to **0448 266 634** or by mail to **FFFAIF, PO Box 4208, OATLEY WEST NSW 2223**.

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