It is an intriguing story of the author, Dr Bean, using ‘omission rather than by commission’.

Ken Crompton will challenge Dr Bean’s treatment of the Official History of the Great War and General Sir John Monash through a determination of that history and the cast of characters involved. Ken will describe the role of Monash in the Great War, and his major contribution based on Monash’s engineering skills to its ending.

A lawyer by profession, Ken Crompton, rose to being CEO of the Victorian Division of the Australian Chamber of Manufacturers, however it was his time as Agent-General for Victoria in London (1993-1996) that kindled his interest in the WW 1 battlefields.

This led to him becoming the founding CEO of the General Sir John Monash Foundation, which now awards Australia’s most prestigious tertiary scholarships. Now in retirement, Ken has returned to his interest and is researching the omissions in the Official History of WWI regarding Monash by Dr Bean.

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