

617/48

No. 3721, Private  
SHUMACK, Bert

56th Battalion  
9.9.18

Died of Wounds

(Uncle) ~~W. J. Shumack~~

*Richard J. Shumack*

### Particulars Required for the Roll of Honour of Australia in the Memorial War Museum.

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier *Bert Shumack*
2. Unit and Number (if known) *56<sup>th</sup> Battalion*
3. With what Town or District in Australia was he chiefly connected (under which his name ought to come on the Memorial)—  
Town (if any) *Sunny Corner* District *Bathurst District* State *New South Wales*
4. What was his Birthplace *Sunny Corner*
5. Date of Death *9. 9. 18.*
6. Place where Killed or Wounded *Peronne*

### Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling *Station Stockman*
2. Age at time of Death *Twenty years & ten months*
3. What was his School *Public School Sunny Corner*
4. What was his other Training \_\_\_\_\_
5. If born in Britain or Abroad, at what age did he come to Australia. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Had he ever served in any Military or Naval Force before Enlisting in the A.I.F. (Please state particulars) \_\_\_\_\_

7. Any other biographical details likely to be of interest to the Historian of the A.I.F., or of his Regiment—

*Bert was a member of the Sportsman's Unit & I am not sure but I understand he was recommended for a commission & also a medal for bravery had he lived. He was serving under Captain Mannister at death.*

8. Was he connected with any other Member of the A.I.F. who died or who distinguished himself. (Please state Relationship) —

9. Name and Address of the Parent or other person giving this information—

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Soldier \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

10. Names and Addresses of any other persons to whom reference could be made by the Historian for further information—

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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