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1703 Cpl

SMITH, Walter Charles

26th Bn

5/8/16

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier: Smith Walter Charles Cpl.
2. Unit and Number (if known): 26th Bn. 1703.
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): Bundaberg District: Queensland State:
4. What was his Birthplace: Padrup, Hartwell, Aylesbury, Bucks.
5. Date of Death: Presumed killed in action on the 5th August, 1916
6. Place where Killed or Wounded: "with 600 Sinkum Diamonds" in one of Pozieres attacks.

FROM H.R. CARD

Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling: Farming
2. Age at time of Death: 29 yrs. 7 mos.
3. What was his School: The Local School at Stone, near Aylesbury.
4. What was his other Training: Baking & Confectionery
5. If born in Britain or Abroad, at what age did he come to Australia: 23½ yrs.
6. Had he ever served in any Military or Naval Force before Enlisting in the A.I.F. (Please state particulars)
   None.
7. Any other biographical details likely to be of interest to the Historian of the A.I.F., or of his Regiment:—
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8. Was he connected with any other Member of the A.I.F. who died or who distinguished himself. (Please state Relationship): He had a number of Australian Cousins in various Regiments.
9. Name and Address of the Parent or other persons giving the information—
   Name: Gordon A. Hames Esq (Brother-in-law) for
   Relation to Soldier: Mrs Susannah Smith, Mother,
   Address: 36 Gondar Gardens, West Hampstead, London, N.W. 6.
10. Names and Addresses of any other persons to whom references could be made by the Historian for further information—
    Name: —
    Address: —

NOTE.—This Folder is addressed to the O.C. Australian Graves Services, London. Please fold in four, and stick down gummed flap so that the addressed portion is outside. The information is required urgently.