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No. 658 Spr.
STEPHENS, Richard,

1st Light Rly Op. Co,.
2/3/19.
Wounds.
(Wife) Mrs J. Stephens.

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier Richard Stephens
2. Unit and Number (if known) 1st Light Rly. Op. Coy. No. 658.
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) Perth. District Subiaco. State W. A.
4. What was his Birthplace Dandenong, Vic.
5. Date of Death March 2nd 1919
6. Place where Killed or Wounded Tincourt. (as far as known)

Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling Striker
2. Age at time of Death 31st year
3. What was his School Unknown by me.
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) No.
7. Any other biographical details likely to be of interest to the Historian of the A.I.F., or of his Regiment—
   He was one of the contingent aboard the Ballarat torpedoed near England, and was severely burned by mustard gas.
8. Was he connected with any other Member of the A.I.F. who died or who distinguished himself. (Please state Relationship)—
   Step-brother to Harry Barber of Boer & Western Aus.
9. Name and Address of the Parent or other person giving this information—
   Name Mrs. J. Stephens
   Relationship to Soldier Wife
   Address c/o Aitkenhead 96 North St. Whitinch. Scotland
10. Names and Addresses of any other persons to whom reference could be made by the Historian for further information—
    Name Sydney Stephens
    Address Subiaco Rd. Subiaco. W. A.

NOTE.—This Folder is Addressed to the Secretary, Department of Defence, Melbourne. Please fold in four, and stick down gummed flap so that the addressed portion is outside. The information is required urgently.

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