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3682 Sapper,
SUMMERS John Francis

A.S.C. & M.M.Unit
23.9.17.
Killed in Action
(Father) Mr. E.H. Summers

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier John Francis Summers
2. Unit and Number (if known) A.E. & M.M. 3682
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) ..... District ..... State .....
4. What was his Birthplace Hong Kong. China
5. Date of Death 23-9-17
6. Place where Killed or Wounded as far as I have been able to find out near Ypres or Messines Ridge

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Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling Marine Engineer
2. Age at time of Death 24
3. What was his School Wei Hai Wei, North China (Wei Hai Wei Brit School)
4. What was his other Training nil
5. If born in Britain or Abroad, at what age did he come to Australia 22
6. Had he ever served in any Military or Naval Force before Enlisting in the A.I.F. (Please state particulars)

   No only Hong Kong Volunteer R.E.
7. Any other biographical details likely to be of interest to the Historian of the A.I.F., or of his Regiment—

   Was serving as 3rd Engineer in the China Navigation Co. Steamer which both he threw up and worked his passage to Australia in order to join up with Australian forces for the Front
8. Was he connected with any other Member of the A.I.F. who died or who distinguished himself. (Please state Relationship)—

   No - elder brother went to England and got commission in R.G.A., who served to end of War and returned to Hong Kong.
9. Name and Address of the Parent or other person giving this information—

   Name E. H. Summers ~~Y. Aimai Villas, Hong Kong, China~~

   Relationship to Soldier Father.

   Address Y. Aimai Villas Kowloon, Hong Kong China
10. Names and Addresses of any other persons to whom reference could be made by the Historian for further information—

    Name .....

    Address .....

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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