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251 Private
TONKIN Charles Russell

Imperial School of Instruction (2nd Battalion)
17/5/17
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(Father) Mr C.S.Tonkin.



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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier *Charles Russell Jackson*
2. Unit and Number (if known) *2nd Battalion Australian Imperial Force No 251*
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) *Sydney* District _____ State _____
4. What was his Birthplace *Leicester England*
5. Date of Death *17th May 1917*
6. Place where ~~Killed or Wounded~~ *School of Instruction Zeitoun Cairo*
Died

Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling *Waiter*
2. Age at time of Death *24 Years*
3. What was his School *St Pauls Church School Birmingham*
4. What was his other Training _____
5. If born in Britain or Abroad, at what age did he come to Australia *20 years*
6. Had he ever served in any Military or Naval Force before Enlisting in the A.I.F. (Please state particulars)
Yes Royal Marines Sheerness England
7. Any other biographical details likely to be of interest to the Historian of the A.I.F., or of his Regiment—

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 *Fred Elberson*
Relationship to Soldier *Brother-in-law*
Address *122 Aubrey Rd Small Heath Birmingham*

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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