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667 Sergeant
VANDENBERG, Abraham Francis

28th Battalion
3/5/17
Killed in Action
(Father) Mr. M. Vandenberg

Next-of-kin
COMMUNICATED WITH
for records and relics
LETTER NO. 12/11/2329
DATE 26 June 1929

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier Abraham Francois Jacobus Vandenberg
2. Unit and Number (if known) 667 Sergeant - 18th 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) Sidney District ..... State Australia
4. What was his Birthplace Cathcartstown Cape South Africa
5. Date of Death 23rd May 1917
6. Place where Killed or Wounded Bullecourt France

Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling Farmer in South Africa Clerk in Sidney Australia
2. Age at time of Death 22 years
3. What was his School ..... St Vs
4. What was his other Training ..... Farming
5. If born in Britain or Abroad, at what age did he come to Australia 18 years from South Africa
6. Had he ever served in any Military or Naval Force before Enlisting in the A.I.F. (Please state particulars) he never served in any force before enlisting in the A.I.F.
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)— His best friends from Sidney Australia Sergeant Harry R. Light - Lieut - Crampton and a couple more who were also killed 5 killed & 2 dies
9. Name and Address of the Parent or other person giving this information—
   Name Martin Jacobus van den Berg
   Relationship to Soldier Father
   Address Martinsdale Hof. Middelburg Cape South Africa
10. Names and Addresses of any other persons to whom reference could be made by the Historian for further information—
    Name A. Light & W. Crampton & Miss G. Crampton
    Address Sidney Australia

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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