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No.7329. Private.

WALKER. John.

16th Battalion.
25/9/17.
Killed in Action.
(Father). Mr.J.Walker.

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier: John Walker
2. Unit and Number (if known): 16th Battalion - 7329
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) Cottesloe. District Perth? State West Australia
4. What was his Birthplace: Dundee Scotland
5. Date of Death: 25th Sept 1914
6. Place where Killed or Wounded: Polygon Wood France

Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling: Engineer
2. Age at time of Death: 24 years 5 Months
3. What was his School: Lay St, & Ann St Public Schools.
4. What was his other Training: ~~Tech~~ — Technical College, 5 Years Apprentice Wallace Foundry Dundee
5. If born in Britain or Abroad, at what age did he come to Australia: 23 years
6. Had he ever served in any Military or Naval Force before Enlisting in the A.I.F. (Please state particulars): Royal Engineers (City of Dundee, Terr.)
7. Any other biographical details likely to be of interest to the Historian of the A.I.F., or of his Regiment—
   Ex from letter of Officer intimating his death:
   "He was a great boy & was well liked by everyone in the Platoon. When there was any hard work be it dangerous or otherwise your son would always Volunteer. He was unfailing in his devotion to duty." A.W. Harrison Harlow Lieut 16th Batt. A.I.F.
8. Was he connected with any other Member of the A.I.F. who died or who distinguished himself. (Please state Relationship)—
   No
9. Name and Address of the Parent or other person giving this information—
   Name: James Walker
   Relationship to Soldier: Father
   Address: 14½ Wellington St Dundee Scotland.
10. Names and Addresses of any other persons to whom reference could be made by the Historian for further information—
    Name: David Latto Esq Town Clerk Depute
    Address: City Chambers Dundee Scotland.

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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