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No. 7124A Motor Transport Driver
WHITHAM Richard West (alias WEST Richard)

4th Motor Transport Company
9/10.11.19
Killed by Civilian
(father) Thomas Whitham

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier Richard West Whetham
2. Unit and Number (if known) 4th Motor Transport Company A.I.F No: 7124A
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) Cairns District — State Queensland
4. What was his Birthplace Dukinfield. Cheshire England
5. Date of Death 9/10/11/19
6. Place where Killed or Wounded Peronne

Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling Civil Engineer
2. Age at time of Death 40 years
3. What was his School Albion Organised Science School Ashton-U-Lyne
4. What was his other Training Apprenticed to McCallum Civil Engineer of Blackburn
5. If born in Britain or Abroad, at what age did he come to Australia 29 years.
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—
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8. Was he connected with any other Member of the A.I.F. who died or who distinguished himself. (Please state Relationship)—
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9. Name and Address of the Parent or other person giving this information—
   Name Mr Thomas Whetham 41, Fountain Rd Edgbaston Birmingham
   Relationship to Soldier Father.
   Address 41 Fountain Rd Edgbaston, 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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