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1729 Private  
SEARLE, John Percival

48th Battalion  
16.10.16

Killed in action  
(mother) Mrs. M. Searle

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier *Searle, John Percival*
2. Unit and Number (if known) *No. 1729. Unit 48th 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) *Cowell* District *Franklin Harbour* State *S. Aus.*
4. What was his Birthplace *Blackrock S. Australia*
5. Date of Death *16.10.16*
6. Place where Killed or Wounded *Belgium*

### Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling *Farmer*
2. Age at time of Death *27 years*
3. What was his School *State School*
4. What was his other Training
5. If born in Britain or Abroad, at what age did he come to Australia
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—

8. Was he connected with any other Member of the A.I.F. who died or who distinguished himself. (Please state Relationship)—*He had 8 Cousins in the A.I.F. 5 of whom were killed & 3 returned who gained promotion*

9. Name and Address of the Parent or other person giving this information—

Name *Mary Searle*  
 Relationship to Soldier *Mother*  
 Address *Cowell Franklin Harbour S. Aus.*

10. Names and Addresses of any other persons to whom reference could be made by the Historian for further information

Name *Rev. W. J. Swan, Mr. J. B. McFarlane, Mr. M. Searle*  
 Address *Cowell, Cowell, — Prospect S. Aus.*

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