

Lieutenant

BENNETT Francis Reginald

19th Battalion

9.10.17

Killed in action

(mother) Mrs. N.M.L. Gillespie

Next-of-kin	
COMMUNICATED WITH	
for records and relics	
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**Particulars Required for the Roll of Honour of Australia in the Memorial War Museum.**

1. Name. (in full) of Fallen Soldier Francis Reginald Bennett
2. Unit and Number (if known) 20th Infantry (5305)
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) Guildford District Near Perth State West Australia
4. What was his Birthplace York West Australia
5. Date of Death October 9<sup>th</sup> 1917 [1917]
6. Place where Killed or Wounded Passchendaele Belgium

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

1. What was his Calling Accountant
2. Age at time of Death 26 years old
3. What was his School Guildford Grammar School West Australia
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 - He enlisted in October 1915 (1915)
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)—  
No.

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

Name Mrs B. L. Gillespie - died Oct 1935  
 Relationship to Soldier Mother - Late of Rose Bay Sydney & S.W. Australia  
 Address 805 Crescent Lane Perth West Australia

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

Name Mrs Fred Dibley 201 St. Francis St. Brisbane Bros Liverpool Australia  
 Address 805 Crescent Lane Perth Hills Co. Western Australia

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