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1879 Gunner
GARBUETT, Joseph

10th Field Artillery Brigade
1/10/17

Died of Wounds
Mr. J. Garbutt (Father)

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier *Joseph Garbutt*
2. Unit and Number (if known) *10th Field Artillery Brigade No 1879*
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) *Moss Vale* District *Berrima* State *New South Wales*
4. What was his Birthplace *Moss Vale*
5. Date of Death *1/10/17*
6. Place where Killed or Wounded *I think near Poperhinghe*

Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling *Signalman on N. S. W. Railways*
2. Age at time of Death *27 years*
3. What was his School *Public School*
4. What was his other Training *Farm Work*
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)—

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

Name *Joseph Garbutt*
 Relationship to Soldier *Father*
 Address *Mongla Moss Vale N. S. W.*

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

Name *—*
 Address *—*

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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Dalton House

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115 Pitt Street

Sydney

4th February 1918

No 1879 - Gunner J. Garbutt - 23rd Field Artillery Brigade

Dear Sir

We send you the following copies of two letters which our Agents have sent to us, and which we thought you would like to see :-

"Garbutt was badly wounded at our second position, He was in a dug-out by himself, when a shell blew it in, and one of the cupolas came down on him. The fellows soon got him out, and we sent him away to the Clearing Station, but we heard he died of his wounds there. He was very game, A splendid fitter too, and will be a great loss to the Battery."

Extract letter from; Lieut. C. H. Rowan,

110th Howitzer Battery A. F. A.
dated 1-11-17.

London 6-12-17.

Summer Garbutt died from severe wounds on 1-10-17, and was buried at Lijssenthoek Cemetery Plot 20. No 6. 6 a 2-10-17.

Officiating Chaplain Chaplain Captain Rev. Clark"

Extract from letter from Officer in Command

No 10 Casualty Clearing Station 11-11-17.

London 20-11-17

Yours faithfully
J Russell

E. E. Rowe Commercial Bank of Sydney
Moss Vale