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3681 Private  
GOSBELL William Francis

8th Battalion

28/7/16

Killed in Action

(Father) Mr F.W. Gosbell

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier *William Francis Gosbell*
2. Unit and Number (if known) *3681 8th 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) *Richmond* District *Carlton* State *Victoria*
4. What was his Birthplace *Carlton Victoria*
5. Date of Death *26/4/16*
6. Place where Killed or Wounded *to officers*

## Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling *Electrician*
2. Age at time of Death *20 years (20)*
3. What was his School *Central (State) School Richmond*
4. What was his other Training *to Protestant Central Methodist Ch. Rich.*
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)  
*Only cadets*
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 *Edmund William Gosbell*

Relationship to Soldier *Father*

Address *Malvern Rd Malvern Near Yarra Road*

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

Name *Mr J. W. Robinson Tocher*

Address *542 Church St - S. Richmond*

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