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3976 Private
HEATON, George Frederick

12th Battalion
10.4.17
Gunshot Wounds
(mother) Mrs. Emily Heaton

Item 8—. Cousins of deceased :—
Sgt Major W. H. Sheedy M.M. 12th batt. France died of wounds May 1918.
Sgt Major K. L. Taylor Vernon M.M. 12th batt.
Pte J. Eustace 15th batt M.M. & bar
Pte H. Eustace 15th batt. died Egypt. Aug 1915.
Pte L. Gould 12th batt died Flesbaix July 1916.
Corp Claude Nibbs Killed in action Sept 1917
Sgt Chas Cox " " Sept 1917

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier: L. Frederick Reaton
2. Unit and Number (if known): 3976. 12th 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) Ulverstone District Leven State Tasmania
4. What was his Birthplace: Glen Wills. Victoria
5. Date of Death: 10. 4. 17.
6. Place where Killed or Wounded: near Bapaume

Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling: Labourer
2. Age at time of Death: 24½ years.
3. What was his School: State School. Ulverstone
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): —
7. Any other biographical details likely to be of interest to the Historian of the A.I.F., or of his Regiment—

   Enlisted Aug 1915. Wounded Fleurbaix June 1916.
   rejoined unit Dec 1916. Died of wounds April 10th 1917
   buried at Achiet Le Grand Public Cemetery.
8. Was he connected with any other Member of the A.I.F. who died or who distinguished himself. (Please state Relationship) 12th Battalion Sergt Major W W Sheedy M M died of wounds May 1918 Cousin
   Sergt Major K.b. Taylor D.C.M. M.M. cousin
   (Cousin) Pte C. Gould died Fleurbaix July 1916.
   Cousin Pte J. Eustace 15th Batt. M.M. & bar.
9. Name and Address of the Parent or other person giving this information—
   Name: C. Reaton
   Relationship to Soldier: Mother
   Address: 46 Federal St North Hobart Tasmania
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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