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No. 1236, Pte.

KEENS, David

4th Bn.

22-27/7/16

K.I.A.

Mrs. M. Keens, (Mother)

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier..... *David Keens*
2. Unit and Number (if known)..... *4th 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) *Lewisham* District..... State *N. S.W.*
4. What was his Birthplace..... *Boncora N. S.W.*
5. Date of Death..... *22-23/7/16*
6. Place where Killed or Wounded..... *Poyeres France*

Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling..... *Letter carrier*
2. Age at time of Death..... *22 years*
3. What was his School..... *Parramatta 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).....
Scottish Rifles, Militia Forces Sgt 4 yrs
7. Any other biographical details likely to be of interest to the Historian of the A.I.F., or of his Regiment.....

No

8. Was he connected with any other Member of the A.I.F. who died or who distinguished himself. (Please state Relationship).....

Yes. Archibald Keens 264. Pte 1st Bn (K.I.A.)

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

Name..... *Mrs. Mary Ann Keens*

Relationship to Soldier..... *Mother*

Address..... *130 Old Canterbury Road, Summer Hill, N. S. Wales*

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

Name..... *Mrs. B. Rowe*

Address..... *of Mrs. McEam, 3 Louisa St., Summer Hill*

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N. S.W.