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3577 Private

PATTERSON, Gordon

8th Battalion

20/9/17

Killed in Action

Mrs. E. Patterson (Step-Mother)

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier *Patterson, Gordon*
2. Unit and Number (if known) *8th Battalion No 3577*
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) *Hawkesdale* District *Western* State *Victoria*
4. What was his Birthplace *Hawkesdale*
5. Date of Death *20/9/17*
6. Place where Killed or Wounded *Polygon Wood*

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

1. What was his Calling *Station Hand*
2. Age at time of Death *21 yrs 6 months*
3. What was his School *Hawkesdale 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) *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)—  
*Plt Arthur Forrest first cousin who died of wounds*

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

Name *Mr Patterson*  
Relationship to Soldier *His mother*  
Address *Hawkesdale*

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

Name *James Madigan (Post master)*  
Address *Hawkesdale*

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