

2383 Private
BOWNESS Robert Oliver

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4th Pioneer Battalion.

5.7.18:

Killed in action

(Mother) Mrs. H. Bowness.

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

1. Name (in full) of Fallen Soldier *Robert Oliver Brown*
2. Unit and Number (if known) *4th Pioneer 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) *Brisbane* District _____ State *Queensland*
4. What was his Birthplace _____
5. Date of Death *5th July*
6. Place where Killed or Wounded *Nemel France*

Particulars Required for the Nation's Histories.

1. What was his Calling *Railway Porter*
2. Age at time of Death *22 years*
3. What was his School *Norman Park*
4. What was his other Training _____
5. If born in Britain or Abroad, at what age did he come to Australia *Australia Born*
6. Had he ever served in any Military or Naval Force before Enlisting in the A.I.F. (Please state particulars)
 cadets & Citizen Force
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 *Henrietta Eugenie Brown*

Relationship to Soldier *Mother*

Address *Galloway Mill Bulimba Rd Brisbane*

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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