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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD.

No. 21099 Name BERRIMAN KENNETH.
 Unit 1st Coy. 3rd Div. SIGNAL COY.
 Joined on 18 JAN 1917

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your name? ... Kenneth Berriman
2. In the Parish of ... in or near the Town of Prospect in the County of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... Natural Born
4. What is your age? ... 18 years.
5. What is your trade or calling? ... Warehouseman.
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... NO
7. Are you married? ... NO
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... (FATHER) BERRIMAN- HARRIE. ROSE ST. PROSPECT. SOUTH AUSTRALIA.
9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? ... NO
10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces with Ignominy, or as Incurable and Worthless, or on account of Conviction of Felony, or of a Sentence of Penal Servitude, or have you been dismissed with disgrace from the Navy? ... NO
11. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, His Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Territorial Force, Royal Navy or Colonial Forces? If so, state which, and if not now serving, state cause of discharge. ... 14 years Senior Cadet 80th Trans to Citizen Forces 1st Div. Sig. Engineers (Sewing)
12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? ... yes
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? ... NO
14. (For married men, widowers with children, and soldiers who are the sole support of widowed mother)— Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued to you in respect of your service beyond an amount which together with pay would reach 8/- per day? ... —
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... yes

Kenneth Berriman do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and I am willing and hereby voluntarily agree to serve in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.

And I further agree to allot not less than two-fifths of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife and children

Date 18 JAN 1917

K. Berriman

Signature of Person Enlisted.

* This clause should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.
 † Two-fifths must be allotted to the wife, and if there are children three-fifths must be allotted.

Description of Kenneth Beriman on Enlistment.

Age 18 years — months
Height 5 feet 10 3/4 inches
Weight 135 lbs.
Chest Measurement 22-35 inches
Complexion medium
Eyes Brown
Hair Dark Brown
Religious Denomination Meth.

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Vision R 4/6 L 6/6
Vacc 3 L

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I HAVE examined the above-named person, and find that he does not present any of the following conditions, viz.:-

Scrofula; phthisis; syphilis; impaired constitution; defective intelligence; defects of vision, voice, or hearing; hernia; hæmorrhoids; varicose veins, beyond a limited extent; marked varicocele with unusually pendent testicle; inveterate cutaneous disease; chronic ulcers; traces of corporal punishment, or evidence of having been marked with the letters D. or B.C.; contracted or deformed chest; abnormal curvature of spine; or any other disease or physical defect calculated to unfit him for the duties of a soldier.

He can see the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs; and he declares he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him fit for active service.

Date 18 JAN 1917

Place ADELAIDE.

Ernest J. ...

Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING OFFICER.

I CERTIFY that this Attestation of the above-named person is correct, and that the required forms have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to Div. Signal Coy.

Date FEB 19 1918

Place Moore BROADMEADOWS CAMP
Sydney.

W. Sturtevant
C.O. Signal School. Major
Sturtevant
Lieut.
O/C Wireless Saints
Commanding

B 10th France, 1st sub
 L 4509 4/6/18

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Statement of Service No. 21099

Name BERRIMAN Kenneth

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank		Remarks
		From	To	
B Coy Mitcham	Pte.	5-2-17	15-2-17	
SIGNAL SCHOOL	Pte.	16-2-17	15-4-17	112/2
A Coy	Pte.	16-4-17	15-5-17	60 87/2
2 nd Mil. District	"	16-5-17		
Articles School	Spr.	18-5-17	6-11-17	34 th Div Sig Coy 3 rd 16/20
SIGNAL SCHOOL A. I. F.	Spr.	7/11/17	15 FEB 1918	B' meadows
SIGNAL SCHOOL A. I. F. B' meadows	Spr.	15 FEB 1918	19/3/18	No. 1 Rft. Coy. DIV. Signalling
Divisional Signalling Coy. No. 1 Rft.	Sapper.	28-2-18		Embarked Melbourne A71 HMAT Anster Cebu No. 16. 13 3 18
Disembarked Liverpool		20/4/18		L 3421
Sig Det	Spr. In 976 203 Camp Pelouse from Aust ex HMAT "Ayi"	Pelouse	20-4-18	707 2 400 2 326 1 25 118
"	Spr. Proceeded of France ex Clifton via	Solihull	1-6-18	7021 2 4509 495 10-6-18
3 rd Div Sig Coy	for 3 rd Div Sig Coy for Aust. Sig Coy before ex 1 st Div France via		5-6-18	6/0 25/45 21/6/18
3 rd Div Sig Coy	for 3 rd Div Sig Coy from H. R. ex Pelouse		1-6-18	20103/925 B.O. 15/688. 17/6/18
RETURN TO AUSTRALIA. Per Wiltshire For.....		Eng.	4/7/19	116397-1111141 1186757 11/7/19

I have examined the above details, and find them correct in every respect.

Original.
Duplicate.

APPLICATION TO ENLIST IN THE AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

To the Recruiting Officer

Adelaide

(OFFICIAL STAMP.)

I, *Kenneth Berriman*

hereby offer myself for Enlistment in the Australian Imperial Force for Active Service Abroad, and undertake to enlist in the manner prescribed, if I am accepted by the Military Authorities, within one month from date hereof.

POSTAL ADDRESS.
*Race Street,
Prospect.*

Signature

K. Berriman

Occupation

Warehouseman

Date

18-1-17

(For Identification purposes the above space should be filled in personally by the Applicant.)

CONSENT OF PARENTS OR GUARDIANS. (For Persons under 21 years of age.)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I approve of the above application, and consent to the enlistment of my ^{SON} _{ward} for Active Service Abroad. *provided he does not embark until his 19th Birthday*

Statement regarding Death or Absence of either or both Parents.

Father's Signature

K. Berriman

Mother's Signature

or

Guardian's Signature

PERSONAL PARTICULARS.

Age— yrs. mos. | Height— ft. ins. | Chest Measurement (fully expanded)— inches.
Married. Widower. Single.

PRELIMINARY MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Decision of Medical Authority { FIT for Active Service.
UNFIT, for the following reasons:—

Place

Date

Signature of Medical Authority.

I Concur

Place

Date

Signature of M.O. at Central Recruiting Depot.

CERTIFICATE OF RECRUITING OFFICER.

I CERTIFY that I have this day provisionally ACCEPTED REJECTED this applicant for enlistment in the Australian Imperial Force.

(Signature)

Place

Recruiting Officer.

Date

A.I.F. 171
 Army Form B103 Part I.
 Service and Casualty
 Form.
 PART I.
 200 a-4/18-12244.

Nothing to be written in this Margin.

(1) PRESENT UNIT	3rd Div Sig Coy		(2) Regtl. No.	21099
(3) Present Rank	Spr		(4) SURNAME	BERRIMAN
(5) Decorations			(6) Christian Names.	Kenneth
<u>Particulars.</u>				
(7) Date of Enlistment	18/1/1917		(8) Place of Enlistment	Adelaide Sth Aust
(9) Age on Enlistment	18 Years	Months	(10) Any subsequent claim as to age after verification of Birth Certificate	Years Months Auth. C.R. / /
(11) Birthplace	Prospect Sth Aust		(12) Religion	Methodist
(14) Trade or Calling	Warehouseman		(13) If Married	No
(16) Date of Embarkation from Australia	13/3/1918		(15) If an Apprentice	No
(18)			(17) Whereabouts of Next of Kin, i.e. Australia or Abroad	AUST
(19)			(21) Special Notification Card No.	
(20)				
(22)				

Report.		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place.	Date.	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date.	From whom Received.				
26.18	103 D.W. Sig. Coy	103 D.W. Sig. Coy	Field	5.6.18	C36/103 20/845
20.2.19	A. G. H. G.	103 Leave w/o France to 11.3.19	London	20.2.19	
1.3.19	103 D.W. Sig. Coy	103 Leave to M.T.	Field	24.2.19	C36/103
12.3.19	D.O. G.	" Granted extension of leave to 14.3.19.	London	12.3.19	10079/2/5
14.3.19	D.O. G.	" Granted extension of leave to 16.3.19	London	14.3.19	10079/2/5
22.3.19	103 D.W. Sig. Coy	" Rejoined unit's leave	Field	18.3.19	C24/21
4/4/19	H. G. G.	" M.O. for demob. limb quota H.5.	"	3/4/19	636/103
6.5.19	A. D. I.	" Sent out to Camp	France	6.5.19	20103/20/1019
		" Disemb	France	9.5.19	128036
9.5.19	S. G. G.	" Sent to France	Colford	9.5.19	
	Adm. H. G. G.	Pa.			

RETURN TO AUSTRALIA
 For Miltshire Eng.
 For.....

WAR GRATUITY SCHEDULE

Transferred to

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 21099

Rank *Sapper* Name BERRIMAN K.

Unit *3rd Div. Sig Coy*

Casualty

*Trav. to Aust. per H. T. "Wiltshire" embarked 2/7/19
C.I.B.L. 3540/6352, dtd. Lon. 8/7/19 Rec. B.H. 15/7/19*

*Returned to Australia per A. "Wiltshire"
Disembarked H. M. D. 16. 8. 19*

DATE Form B 103 received PURPOSE

24.7.19 N.G.K. Adviced. returning to Australia, France

10.9.19 Discharged H. M. D.

24.9.19 "WILL" to *W.A.A.F. M. 4.1.3.60 ew*

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BERRIMAN, Kenneth



Service no 21099
Sapper
3rd Div. Signallers

Born 23 December 1898 at Prospect, SA
Son of Harrie and Lily BERRIMAN of 1 Rose St., Prospect
Occupation prior to enlistment Warehouseman
Enlisted 18 January 1917 at Adelaide, SA
Served in France and Belgium
Returned to Australia 16 August 1919 per 'Wiltshire'

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