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# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

## Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 3109  
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Name PARKER, H. L.  
Unit 10th Reinf. 3rd Batt. 55th Battalion  
Joined on 20-8-15

10th Reinf. Bn.  
3rd Battalion

### Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? *Harold Leslie Parker*
2. In the Parish of *St Leon* in or near the Town of *Albury* in the County of *...*
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) *Yes*
4. What is your age? *21 years 9 months*
5. What is your trade or calling? *Threshing*
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? *C. C. Moller, 2 yrs*
7. Are you married? *No*
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) *John Parker (Father) Nyanggora Road, Balmain (NSW)*
9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? *No Sydney*
10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces, with Ignominy, or as Incurrible 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 *M.I.*
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. Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued in respect of your service beyond an amount which together with Pay would reach eight shillings per day. *Yes*
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? *Yes*

I, *Harold Leslie Parker* 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 three-fifths

Date *20 Sept 1915* Signature of person enlisted. *H. L. Parker*

\* This clause to be amended where necessary and should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.

Description of *Harold Leslie Parham* on Enlistment.

Age *21* years *9* months  
 Height *5* feet *5* inches  
 Weight *126* lbs.  
 Chest Measurement *33* inches  
 Complexion *Fair* *Good*  
 Eyes *Grey*  
 Hair *Brown*  
 Religious Denomination *Catholic*

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

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 *30-8-15*

Place *Sydney*

*H. C. Adams*  
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer.  
*Capt H. C. Adams*

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 .....

*10th Reinf. 3rd Batt.*

Date *20-9-15*

Place *Liverpool*

*V. W. Roberts*  
 Commanding *10th Reinf. 3rd Batt.*



d/8103 Eng 21-6-18  
List 6/154

Embarked 8/10/15

Statement of Service of No. 3109 Name H. L. Parker

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
<p>TAKEN ON STRENGTH FROM 2.2.16 ✓ Pte 2066. 29.2.16 ✓</p> <p>Dis. to duty from 4. aux Hosp No 3416</p> <p>TRANSFERRED TO 10.5.5.5. Pte Admth: 10.4. Aux. Hosp. Thumpo. Discharged to duty xx British Red Cross Club Depot Montagah.</p> <p>Original 15103 Substance</p>				
<p>REJOINED UNIT — as Pfts Formerly 55th Bn. DEF</p> <p>23-9-16 1/0 4993 ✓ 18/10/16</p>				
<p>PROCEEDED OVERSEAS, FRANCE. 28.1.16</p> <p>5/8/16 1/0 425E ✓ 2/2/16.</p>				
<p>Detached for duty at Riv to carry mobile workshop</p> <p>28/12/16 1/0 144 ✓ 10/1/14</p>				
<p>Pte. Rejoined Base detachment to 5th Aust tin Heavy mobile workshops</p> <p>6/1/18 504/252 ✓ 21/1/18</p>				
<p>Pte. Adm: Alexander Hosp CASHAM G.S.H. Leg. Slt: SANTS</p> <p>9/6/18 4R.410 5047/1469E ✓ 17/6/18</p>				
<p>Pte. Adm to 2 of C Hosp from 7th unit wounded. FRANCE</p> <p>4.6.18 2024/2095A ✓ 9/6/18</p>				
<p>Pte: WOUNDED in action</p> <p>30-5-18 2025/2194 ✓ 16/6/18</p>				
<p>Pte. Invalided to Eng. Wounded</p> <p>8-6-18 2026/2255 ✓ 23/6/18</p>				
<p>Pte. Offence - neglect of duty for deserting in that he allowed prisoners to converse with soldiers outside the compound. Award - 4 days S.P. No 2 by Maj. H. Clayton</p> <p>11-8-18 2068 ✓</p> <p>12-8-18 2062/1843E ✓ 29/18</p>				
<p>Pte. Offence - Willon act from m/w. 5-9-18. till 2pm 8.9.18. award 6 days S.P. No 2 by Lt Col. Jackson 3 days pay</p> <p>6-9-18 28388 ✓</p> <p>10-9-18 2065/E 2034 ✓ 14/10/18</p>				

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

RETURN TO AUSTRALIA  
Per Oranva

Eng 8.1.19  
3BR 620 15.1.19  
2X1455  
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Discharged. DMD 12/5/19

C. Ward.

## MEDICAL CASE SHEET

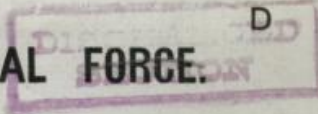
No. in Admission and Discharge Book	Regimental No.	Surname	Christian Name	Age
	3109.	Parker.	H. L.	20
Year	Rank	Unit	Service	
1916	No.	55 <sup>th</sup> Batt.	10/12. Relg. C.E.	
Date and Station	Disease			
	Measles.			
	Left Parotitis. 4 days Swelling.			
	16.6.16. Improving.			
	23.6.16. Improving.			
	To go on Monday.			
	25.6.16. Discharged to Haslet via Carter cart.			





Transferred to

**AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE**



No. 3109

Rank Private Name PARKER, H. L.

Unit 55 Battalion

LIST 413 Casualty WOUNDED DIRL 26041713 dated London 1914 Received B. R. 12/18 R.H.  
S.S. W Left Leg MILD, ADMITTED 9/1/18 at hospital reop. broken  
W.S.M.L 747 11/14 dated London 1914, Received B. R. 25/4/18 E.A.B.  
 Belg. to Aust. per H.F. "Orsova" embarked 8.1.19 } Invalid 18  
 C.F.R.L. 3140/5212 5 dit. London 15.1.19 Rec. P.R. 19.1.19

DATE	PURPORT
	<u>H.F. 103 Rec.</u>

<u>JUN 14 1918</u>	<u>By O. K. Advised Wounded</u>
<u>JUN 26 1918</u>	<u>N. O. K. Advised in Hospital</u>
<u>29 JAN 1919</u>	<u>N. O. K. Advised returning to Australia, Form 7 and Open</u>
	<u>Returned to Australia per A. J. Orsova</u>
	<u>Disembarked <u>20/1/19</u> M. D. There period to 2<sup>nd</sup> ind. Not stated <u>5</u></u>
<u>12.5.19.</u>	<u>Discharged <u>2<sup>nd</sup></u> M.D. P.H.</u>

C.M. Form 7 Returned to 10th 2nd. Med  
1/2/18

1914/1915 Star Issued B.R.M. 43/1229/ 3/82 886

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