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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. *500* Name. ROWAN THOMAS DAVID
 Unit 9th/48th Infy. 9th REPTS 48 BATTN
 3442
 Joined on SEP 27 1916

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestment

1. What is your Name? ... Thomas David Rowan
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... near the Town of Adelaide
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? ... 21 - 1/2 years
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... Boatemakers Assistant
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) (Aunt) ROWAN KATHLEEN MRS
The answer to this question shall not be construed as in the nature of a Will.
MARRIOTT STREET PROSPECT
Victoria Tce. GLENELG, S. A.
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 ... No
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? ... Yes Senior cadets had unfit
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? ... Yes
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... Yes

I, Thomas David Rowan 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 + wife and children

Date SEP 27 1916 S.D. Rowan
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.

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Description of Thomas David Rowan on Enlistment

Age 21 years 10 months
Height 5 feet 3½ inches
Weight 123 lbs.
Chest Measurement 30½-33 inches
Complexion Fresh
Eyes Blue
Hair Brown
Religious Denomination R.C.

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Vis R 6/6 L 6/6
Nose 4 5

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 27/9/16

Place ADELAIDE.

[Signature]
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 9th/48th Infy.

Date 16.12.16

Place Mitcham. S.A.

[Signature]
Commanding [Signature]

[Signature]
S. D. J. Fletcher

O.C. 9th/48th Infy.

Aug 19103
6-12-17
Inf. 151

Statement of Service No. 2442 Name Rowan Y. W.

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank		Remarks
		From	To	
7 Coy 2nd West Bn Melcham Rein	Pte.	10-10-16	26/10/16	
11/32	PRIVATE.	OCT 26 1916	7.11.16	280/2
12/32	PRIVATE.	8.11.16	DEC 15 1916	289/2
"A" COY. BARE INF.	Pte	16 DEC 1916	16-12-16	323-2
9-48	PRIVATE.	DEC 16 1916		326-2
9th REPTC 48 BATTN SEEANG BEE.	Emarked Adelaide	10-2-17		
A48	Disembarked Devonport	2-5-17	H.R. 2175	
Pte. Proceeded H.S. to France 12.12.16 Training Battalion via Southampton 12/8/17.				D/657/1160 2 R 6439 18/1/17
Pte. Taken on strength of 482 Battalion H.I. from 9/2 Rec'd 482 Battalion.			1. 9.17.	D/440/442 20.9.
Pte. Wm Helton 12.10.17.			12.10.17	D/046/5762 1/11/17
Pte. Adm. Military Hospital Bethnal Green H.I. Chest Left Shoulder Severe 22.11.17.			22.11.17.	W.S. 596. 4R. 2032 D/87/5864E 8.12.17
Pte. Transferred to England to General Hospital 11. Stationary Corps. 21.11.17.			21.11.17.	D/57/6302. 29/1/17
Pte. Pte. to Lust-per Lanstephan Leath for Discharge Left Shoulder. England 5/2/18				D/14/555 28/2/18 E. 2/1697

Discharged L.M.D. (W) 14/10/18 BRO 739
I have examined the above details, and find them correct in every respect

ROWAN

Thomas David (Pte) *21*

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9/48th Btn

Surname

Other Names

Regimental No.

Unit.

WAR GRATUITY SCHEDULE

PURPORT.

4th M.D.

AUTHORITY.

Embarked at Adelaide per A 48 "SEANG BEE" 10/2/17.

22.11.17. Adm. Bethnal Green M. Hpl. GSW Chest L/Shouldr. Sev. IE 366.35-17
 13.8.17. Proc. O/s to France via S'hampton x 12th reg. pn
 Codford. LDN 57/4-17
 19.12.17. Tfd. to 3rd Aux. Hpl. Dartford from Bethnal Green M. Hpl
 GSW Frac. L/Scapula. IB 384.72-17
 27.12.17 Dischd. to Weymouth from 3rd Aux. Hospl. GSW LT Sldr IB388/37-18
 1.9.17. T.O.S. 48th Battn. from 9th Reinf. 48th Bn. BEFO.40/2-17
 12.10.17. WOUNDED in Action. BEFO.46/10-17
 22.11.17. Adm. Mil. Hosp. Bethnal Green G.S.W. CHEST Lt. SHR. Sev. LON. 187/2-17

D. 255/236.-C. 202.

PURPORT.

AUTHORITY.

21.11.17 Tfd to England ex 11 Staty Hospital G.S.W. CHEST BEFO. 50/4-17
 15.2.18 Emb LLANSPEPHAN CASTLE from England for return to Aus.
 for discharge G.S.W. L. SHOULDER LON. 17/3-18

14/10/18. Disc. AIF 4th M.D. ex "Llanstephan Castle" M 35/398

4TH MILITARY DISTRICT
G. 42 370

REPLYING PLEASE
NOTE REFERENCE NO.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.
4TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS:	CALDER:
ALL OFFICERS ... C 5420	SYDNEY ... C 4820
R.G.O. ... C 3956	BRISBANE ... C 4254
H.P.M. ... C 4262	JOHANNESBURG ... C 4262
NEERICK HOSPITAL C 5370	

1 6 OCT 1918

Officer in Charge
Base Records,
Victoria Barracks,
MELBOURNE.

CONFIDENTIAL.

The under-mentioned soldier has been handed his Discharge. Medical Board Proceedings and other documents as follows, forwarded herewith:- B.179, D 1, Dental Form X.
No. 3442. Rank - Pte. Name - ROWEN, Thomas David.

Unit. 9/48th Battalion.

Date of Attestation. 27/9/16,

Date of Embarkation. 10/2/17,

Date of Disembarkation. 16/4/18, Ex. "LLANSTEPHAN CASTLE",

Reason for Discharge. **MEDICALLY UNFIT (NOT DUE TO MISCONDUCT)**

Date of Discharge. 14/10/18,

Total Service. 2 years, 18 days,

Service Abroad. 1 year, 66 days.

Account Adjusted in Part
KXII.

W. T. Humphreys

CAPTAIN,
STAFF OFFICER INVALIDS & RETURNED SOLDIERS, 4th M.



Transferred to

DISCHARGED SECTION D

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 3442

Rank Pte. Name ROWAN T. D

Unit 48th Batta

APPLICATING FOR WAR SERVICE LEAVE MATURITY ALLOWANCE
APR 24 1918
No. 3442

LIBR. 369

Casualty

Wounded W.D. in Back 6.9.1917 296 dated London 26.10.17

1st Hospital
Progressing favorably
Convalascent
Returning to Australia per HT Langstephan Castle
Embarked 19/18
Returned to Australia per A. J. Langstephan Castle
Disembarked 31st M.D. 14/4/18 for 4th M.D. (Medical) 24

SEVERE ADMITTED 27/4/17 Rechnal Green
WSML 596 501 dated London 27/4/17 Received B.R. 9/12/17
WSML 604 1544 dated London 7/1/17 Received B.R. 16/1/18
WSML 616 145 dated London 27/2/17 Received B.R. 16/1/18
WSML 23124 1.16.8 dated London 27/2/17 Received B.R. 29/3/18

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DATE	Form B. 108. Received	PURPORT	Form B 108 Received	REF. NO.
DEC 20 1917	N. O. K. Advised	<u>Wounded</u>		
DEC 11 1917	N. O. K. Advised in Hospital			
DEC 17 1917	N. O. K. Advised progressing favorably			
17. 1. 18	N. O. K. Advised convalescent			
MAR 4 1918		Location of "WILL" held by A. I. F. Hqrs. <u>London B.R.M. 30/5/20</u>		
14/10/18		<u>to be DISCHARGED</u> from <u>4th M.D.</u> (with B. record info not to be used) <u>28.11.1918</u>		
14.10.18		<u>Discharged 4th M.D. (W)</u>		<u>A.R.O. 4/39</u>

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