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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD.

No. 102778 Name BAIRD, ALFRED JOHN.

Unit 43rd Battn.

Joined on OCT 4 - 1916

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your name?	1. Alfred John Baird.
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ...	2. In the Parish of ____ in or near the Town of Quoon 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.)	3. Natural Born.
4. What is your age?	4. 18 4/12 years. Consent attached
5. What is your trade or calling?	5. Fitter & Turner.
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ...	6. 2 Years, South Australian Government Islington. 3 years to serve.
7. Are you married?	7. No.
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... The answer to this question shall not be construed as in the nature of a Will.	8. FATHER. BAIRD, JOSEPH. 4. OLIVE St. Prospect. South Australia
9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power?	9. No.
10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces with Ignominy, or as Incorrigible 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?	10. 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. ...	11. No.
12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service?	12. Yes
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? ...	13. Yes. Senior Cadets. Hernia
14. (*For married men, widowers with children, and soldiers who are the sole support of widowed mother*)— ~~Do you understand that no Separation Allowances will be issued to you in respect of your service beyond an amount which together with pay would reach 8/- per day?~~	14.
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever?	15. Yes.

I, Alfred John ~~Albert~~ Baird 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~~ ~~three-fifths~~ of ~~the pay, payable to me from time to time during~~ my ~~service for the support of my~~ ~~wife~~ * † ~~wife and children~~ [redacted]

Date OCT 4 - 1916

A J Baird
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.

W.O. 5960

Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number 2776.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 6/43rd Inf Battalion.

Rank Private Surname BAIRD, Christian Name Alfred John.

Religion ..... Age on Enlistment ..... years ..... months

Enlisted (a) 4/10/16 Terms of Service (a) ..... Service reckons from (a) 17/10/16.

Date of promotion to present rank ..... Date of appointment to lance rank .....

Extended ..... Re-engaged ..... Qualification (b) .....

Occupation ..... or Corps Trade and rate .....

Signature of Officer

Report: Date	Report: From whom received	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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks. Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.
		A 35 "Borrima" Embarked	Adelaide	16.12.16	LR 3.
		Disembarked	Devonport	16.2.17	18/2/17.
19.12.16	HMAT "Borrima"	Admitted ship's Hosp V.D.	At Sea.	17.12.16	B060.
15.1.17	do.	Discharged " " V.D. " "		14.1.17	DO 102/20-3-17. SO 50. AM115/ DO425/21-7-17 10
		Total V. D. Period 129 days.			
18.1.17	do.	Admitted ship's Hosp V.D. " "		16.1.17	SO 50.
26.1.17	do.	Discharged " " V.D. " "		25.1.17	DO 102/20-3-17. SO 50. AM115/ 10
		Total V. D. Period 10 days. "			DO 425/21-7-17.
25.2.17	O.C.-2nd T.B.	Marched in ex Australia	England.	19.2.17	LR 102, B 215.
4.3.17	do.	Sick to Fargo Hospital	"	25.2.17	DO 172/22-3-17. LR 202. DO 172/22-3-17.
8.3.17	Mil Hosp.	Admitted (Influenza)	"	1.3.17	
"	do.	Discharged to Depot,	"	8.3.17	
11.3.17	O.C.2nd T.B.	Marched in from Fargo Hosp	"	8.3.17	LR 550.
					DO 162/22-3-17.

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered in Signaller, Sitting Smith, &c.

W. 1848—312/22 Issued 9/17 (Kirk. C.P. & S., Ltd.) Form 103/22 2/1917. P.T.O.

service, faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

SO HELP ME GOD.

A J Baird

Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at ADELAIDE. in

the State of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

this OCT 4 - 1916 day of

19 , before me—

G. A. Newnham LIEUT

Signature of Attesting Officer.

*A person enlisting who objects to taking an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Act and the above form must be amended accordingly. All amendments must be initialled by the Attesting Officer

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 of Casualty.	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36 or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
.4.17	O.C.Fargo Hosp	Admitted Influenza.	England.	22.4.17	DO 28E/5-6-17.
.4.17	do.	Discharged to Depot,	"	25.4.17	
.4.17	O.C.2nd T.B.	Marched in from Fargo Hosp	"	26.4.17	IR 2240. MD B213.
.6.17	O.C.11th T.B.	Proceeded O/Seas France,	S'ampton.	25.6.17	IR 4563. DO 30E/30-6-17
.6.17	3rd A.W.B.D.	Marched in ex England	Rouelles	26.6.17	AK 1412/14.
.7.17	do.	Marched out to Unit.	"	11.7.17	G 22/33.
.7.17	C.O.-43rd Bn	Taken on Strengh 43rd Bn	Field	12.7.17	G 22/41. DO 32/3190.
.7.17	do.	Detached to School,	"	25.8.17	G 22/47.
.9.17	do.	Rejoined 43rd Bn.	"	15.9.17	G 22/50.
.10.17	3rd D. H. Q.	Wounded in Action,	"	4.10.17	AT 16476. VL 496.
.10.17	C.O.-43rd Bn.	Wounded in Action,	"	4.10.17	G 22/53. DO 44/4830.
.10.17	11th A.F.Amb	Adm (GSW Cheek & Chest)	"	4.10.17	AK 1768/37.
"	do.	to C. C. S.	"	4.10.17	" "
.10.17	44th C.C.S.	Died of Wounds (GSW Cheek and Chest)	" B.E.F.	7.10.17	AK 1768/21 for VL 498. DO 44/4940.

(Sgd) S.T. BENNETT. 2nd Lieutenant.
Officer in Charge Records.

AC SECTION, 3rd Echelon,
G.H.Q. B.E.F.
7th Nov. 1917.

29.1.18 Director of Graves. Buried. Nine Elms British Cemetery just S.W. of Poperinghe

B5 A.D.G. P.C. 364326 326619 B/0 20/12/3108 11-12-18

to Unit ... A J Baird

/11/ 1916.

rior to Embarkation A. J. Baird

/12/ 1916.

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FIELD SERVICE. D33759

Army Form B. 2090A.

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36, or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT OR CORPS: 43rd Infantry Battalion AIF — Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company: -----

Regimental No. 2778 — Rank: Private

Surname: BAIRD, — Christian Names: Alfred John.

Died — Date: 7th October 1917. — Place: 44th Casualty Clearing Station, In the Field, B.E.F.

Cause of Death*: Died of wounds received in Action.

Nature and Date of Report: Hospital report dated 9th October 1917.

By whom made: C. O. 44th Casualty Clearing Station.

* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Burial — Place: Particulars not yet to hand. — Date: -----

By whom reported: -------

Ref. for Burial Report See BIOS

State whether he leaves a Will or not — (a) In Pay Book (Army Book 64): Will not received. — (b) In Small Book (if at Base): -------

(c) as a separate document: --------

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the Deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Station and Date: ANZAC SECTION, 3rd Echelon, GHQ BEF, 7th November 1917.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base: Lyd Bennet 2nd Lieut. Officer in Charge Records

(1*2) W:5317/M 30 500,000 11/16 JFW (1322) Forms/B.2090A/2

Date 17 Nov 1916.

3. On Allotment to Unit ... A J Baird

Date 20/11/1916.

4. A few days prior to Embarkation A. J. Baird

Date 14/12/1916.

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ription of Alfred John Baird. on Enlistment.

18 years 6 months
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ight 114 lbs.
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DISTINCTIVE MARKS.
Eyes. R 6/6 L 6/6
Face. 4 · L

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

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

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

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

I consider him fit for active service.

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Lhiance Capt
Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING OFFICER.

I CERTIFY that this Attestation of the above-named person is correct, and hat the required forms have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and

ppoint him to 6/43rd Bn Inf

Date 20/11/16

Place Mitcham

A. Leafe LIEUT
Commanding O.C. 6/43 INFANTRY

ang
B.03
France
29/6/17

#2778

Statement of Service No. _____ Name Alfred John Baird

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank From	To	Remarks
C Coy	Pte	17.10.16	19.11.16	
2ND DEPOT BATTALION A.I.F.				
Mitch Hill			20/11/16	
		NOV 20 1916	20-11-16	300-2
"A" COY., BASE INF.	PRIVATE.			
6-43	Pte	20-11-16	16-12-16	301/~
Isolation Venereal	"	17-12-16	13-1-17	Ships Order 5/-
6/43	"	14-1-17		" " 15/-
	Embarked. Adelaide	16-12-16		
	" Berrima "		L.R.3	
	Disembarked Devonport	16-2-17	13-2-17	
Pte	M/D to 2nd Eng. Bn Durrington from Quest:	Eng.	19.2.17	LR.1021 CR.4316/27/ DO14/1198E 22/3/17
Pte	Sick to Fargo Hosp. from 2nd Eng. Bn: Durrington	"	1.3.17	LR.399 DO17/1199E 22/3/17
Pte	Adm: Ships Hosp: H.M.A.T. "Berrima" Sick. – V.D	At Sea.	16.1.17.	S.050 DO15/5890E 15/3/17
	Dfr Adm: Ships Hosp H.M.H.T. R.M.S. "Berrima" (N.Y.D) Dis'd from Ships Sick. Total Period 29 days V.D	Eng. "	17.12.16 14.1.17.	(S.O.50) DO16/1056 20.3.17 DO 42E 2778 31/7/17
	M/D to 11th Eng Bn Durrington from Fargo Hosp 8.3.17 L.R. 550			PII 18 1399E 24.3.17
Pte	Adm Fargo Hosp Influenza	Eng.	22.4.	DO28/2143E 5/5/17
Pte.	Proceeded O/seas France. ex 11th Eng Battn via S/Hampton		25/6/17.	DO39/E2603. 30/6/17. (L.R. 4563.)
Pte.	Dischd from Ships Hosp. Total Period 10 days V.D.	At Sea	25-1-17	DO 42E 2444 31/7/17
Pte	D.O.S. of 43rd Bn: ex 4th Bn: from 3rd Aust. Div. Base Depot. Rouelles.	France	12-4-17.	M.4/032/3190. 31-4-17.

43rd Bn DIED OF WOUNDS. rec in Action 4/10/17 CSBR 1923
at 44th Cas: Clear Stat (G.S.W. Chest) PII 44/4940 26/10/17

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

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Statement of Service of No. 2778 **Name** Band A. J.

Unit.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Place.	Date.	Remarks.
43rd Bn	Wounded in Action		4.10.17	Pte 441/4830
	FOR BURIAL REPORT SEE B 103.			
	See body B103 Enclosed			

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 2778 Name BAIRD ALFRED JOHN

Unit 6/43 Infantry

Joined on OCT 4 - 1916

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Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestment

1. What is your Name? ... 1. Alfred John Baird

2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... 2. In the Parish of ... in or near the Town of Quorn in the County of Sth Australia

3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... 3. Natural Born

4. What is your Age? ... 4. 18 6/12 years Consent attached

5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... 5. Fitter & Turner

6. Are you, or have you been an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... 6. 2 yrs S.A. Government Islington 3 yrs do outside

7. Are you married? ... 7. No

8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) 8. (Mother) BAIRD JOSEPH 4 OLIVE ST PROSPECT STH AUSTRALIA

The answer to this question shall not be questioned or inquired into by the Civil Power.

9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? 9. No

10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces, with Ignominy, or as Incorrigible 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? 10. 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 ... 11. No

12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? ... 12. Yes

13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? ... 13. Yes Senior Cadets Heart

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?~~ ... 14. —

15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? 15. Yes

I, Alfred John Baird 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~~ three-fifths

Date OCT 4 - 1916

A J Baird
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 Alfred John Baird *on Enlistment*

Age 18 years 6 months	DISTINCTIVE MARKS.
Height 5 feet 3¼ inches	Vis R 1/6 L 6/6
Weight 114 lbs.	Vacc 4 L
Chest Measurement 30½ - 33 inches	
Complexion Fresh	
Eyes Blue	
Hair Lt Brown	
Religious Denomination Methodist	

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 29.9.16

Place ADELAIDE.

Fetarne Capt

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 6/43 Inf.

Date 20/11/16

Place Mitcham

Commanding A. Taylor LIEUT.

O.C. 6\43 INFANTRY

BAIRD Surname.	Alfred John (Pte) Other Names.	2778. Regimental No.	6/43rd.Btn. Unit.

PURPORT.	AUTHORITY.
Embarked at Adelaide per A 35 "Berrima" on 16/12/16.	
17/12/16 Adm/ship's hosp. H.M.A.T.A35 "Berrima" N.Y.D.	LON. 16/3-17
14/1/17 Absent 29 days (V.D.)	BR 107/15-17
16/1/17 Adm. ship's Hosp. H.M.A.T."Berrima" sick	LON= 19/3-17
8.3.17. Dis. from M Hptl. Fargo to depot Influenza. (MN)	IB.196/28-17
3/3/17 Admitted Fargo Mil Hpl. (Sick) (OL)	IB188/32/7
3/3/17 Adm Fargo Mil Hosp Sick (EH	IB 188/32-17
25-4-17 Disc. from Fargo M.H. to Depot Influenza Bronchitis. (RS)	IB 218/43-17
22/4/17 Adm. to Fargo Mil. Hosp. Influenza (AA)	I.B 216/54-17
19/2/17 Marched into 2nd. Tng.Bn. Durrington from Australia	LON. 17/5-17
1/3/17 Sick to Fargo Hosp, from 2nd, Tng.Bn. Durrington	LON. 17/5-17
Undated. Marched in to 11th ? from Fargo Hos.	LON. 18/2-17
22/4/17. Adm. Fargo Mil. Hosp. INFLEUNZA	LON. 28/1-17
25/6/17. Proed. O/Seas to France ex 11th Tng.Bn. via Southampton	LON. 39/5-17 " "

D.825/2.16.—C.2024.

PURPORT.	AUTHORITY.
16/1/17. Adm. Ships Hosp. A35. V.D. 25/1/17. Disch. from Hosp	LON. 42/2-17
Total Period V.D. 10 days.	" "
17/12/16. Adm. Ships Hosp. A35 V.D. 14/1/17. Disch. from Isol.	" "
Hosp. Total Period V.D. 29 days	" "
4.10.17 Wounded in action	BEFO 44.5.17
12.7/17 T.O.S.OF 43rd BTN. EX RFTS/FROM 3rd AUS.DIVL.BASE DEPOT ETAPLES	BEFO 32/3-17
xx~~7.10.17~~ Buried Nine Elms British Cemetery Just S.W. of Poperinghe	LDN 12.2.18
7.10.17 DIED OF WOUNDS ~~received in action. G.S.W.Chest &~~ Cheek. at 44th Cas. Clg. Stn.	BEFO 44.8.17

August 31st
1916

I hereby give my son Alfred John Baird my consent to join the Australian Imperial forces for home & abroad.

Joseph Baird

Copy of Parents Consent

August 30th 16

I hereby give my son Alfred John Baird my consent to join the Aust Imp Forces for home & Abroad.

(signed) John
Joseph Baird.

OdeG

M.54/921.

22 SEP 1924

Sir,

the late No. 2778 Private A. J. BAIRD, 43rd Battalion, your son, the site of his grave in the Nine Elms British Cemetery, is officially registered as:-

Plot 4. Row A. Grave 12.

Mr. J. Baird,
4 Olive Street,
PROSPECT,
South Australia.

E.L.

Australian Imperial Force.

KIT STORE.

AM172

110, GREYHOUND ROAD,
HAMMERSMITH, LONDON,
W. 6.

TELEPHONES: HAMMERSMITH 1900, 1901.
TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: "AIFKITS."

Inventory of Effects of- The late No 2778 Pte Baird. A.J.43rd Bn.A.I.F.

Forwarded to-

Will lodged with N.O.K. (Father).
Mr J.Baird,
4, Olive Street,
Prospect,
South Australia.

EURIPIDES

Effects.

Ex 3rd Echelon. France. 17.12.17. (7236).

Disc, Diary, Testament,Tobacco pouch, Metal ring, Fountain pen, 2 Gold bands inscribed, Folding scissors, Rosary, Photo.

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No. of Package

Checked by

D/S.

COPY KC/

THIS IS THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT of me Alfred John Baird of Olive Street Prospect in the State of South Australia Apprentice Fitter and Turner

I give devise and bequeath unto My father Joseph Baird Olive St Prospect Boiler Maker all my real and personal estate wheresoever and whatsoever to and for her own use and benefit absolutely.

And I nominate constitute and appoint Josep h Baird Olive Street Prospect to be Executor of this my last Will; and hereby revoking all former or other Wills and Testaments by me at any time heretofore made, I declare this to be my last Will and Testament/

In witness whereof I the above-named Testator have to this my last Will and Testament set my hand the 25th day of November One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixteen.

(Signed) Alfred John Baird.

Signed by the above-named Testator and acknowledged by him to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us present at the same time and subscribed by us as Witnesses in the presence of the said Testator and of each other.

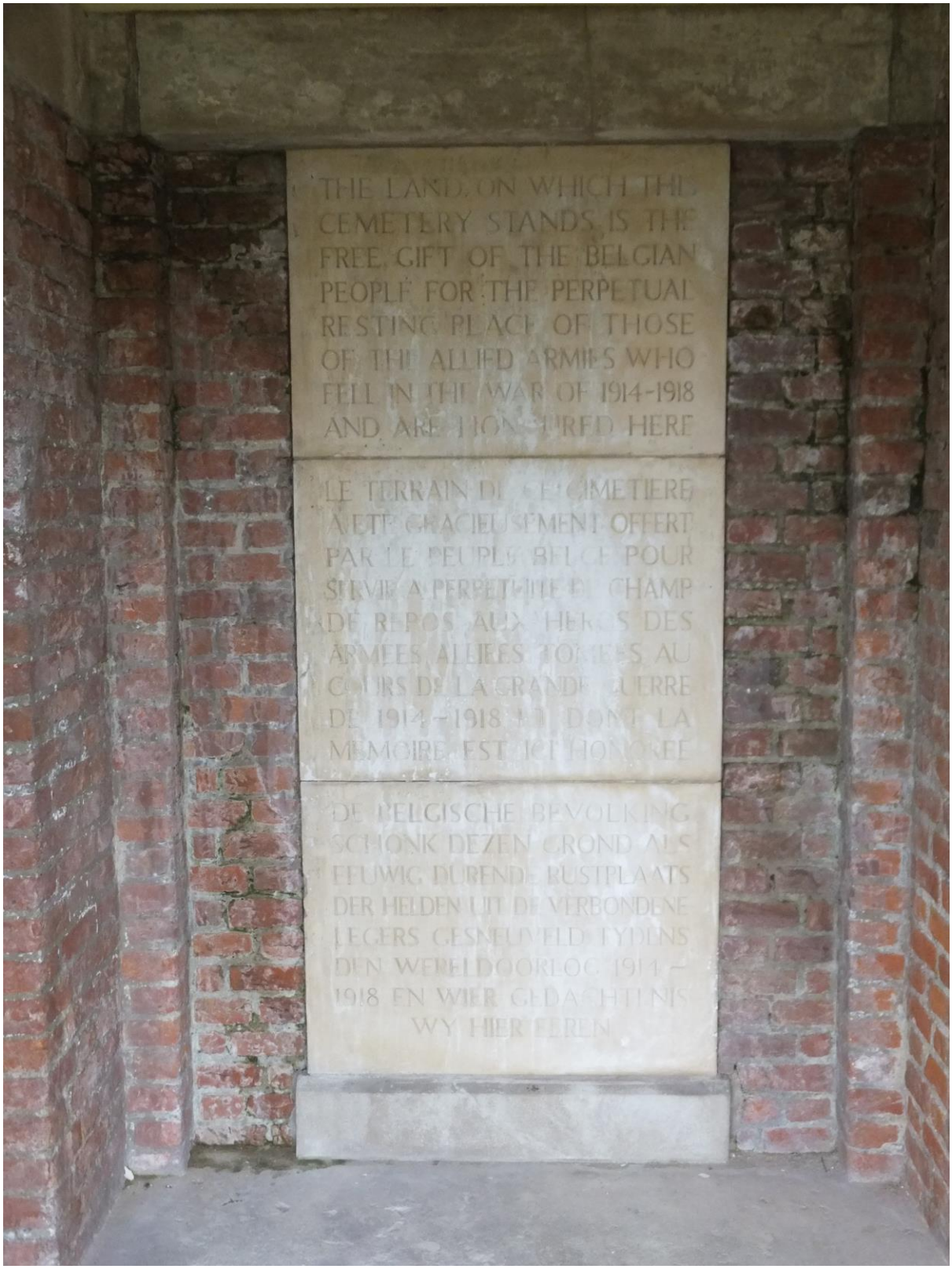
(Signed) W. F. Langlois

(Signed) Lydia J. Dennison.

NINE ELMS BRITISH
CEMETERY 1914-1918

5390 PRIVATE
J. BATON
2778 PRIVATE
A. J. BAIRD
4TH BN. AUSTRALIAN INF.
7TH OCTOBER 1917
30356 PRIVATE
J. P. ELLETT
NEW ZEALAND

2778 PRIVATE
A. J. BAIRD
43RD BN. AUSTRALIAN INF.
7TH OCTOBER 1917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CEMETERY STANDS IS THE
FREE GIFT OF THE BELGIAN
PEOPLE FOR THE PERPETUAL
RESTING PLACE OF THOSE
OF THE ALLIED ARMIES WHO
FELL IN THE WAR OF 1914-1918
AND ARE HONOURED HERE
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PAR LE PEUPLE BELGE POUR
SERVIR A PERPETUITE DE CHAMP
DE REPOS AUX HEROS DES
ARMEES ALLIEES TOMBES AU
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DE 1914-1918 ET DONT LA
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DE BELGISCHE BEVOLKING
SCHONK DEZEN GROND ALS
EEUWIG DURENDE RUSTPLAATS
DER HELDEN UIT DE VERBONDENE
LEGERS GESNEUVELD TYDENS
DEN WERELDOORLOG 1914-
1918 EN WIER GEDACHTENIS
WY HIER EEREN