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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 798. Name Sheney Edgar James Clarence
Unit No. 3 Bde. Coy. A.A.S.C. Divisional Train
Joined on 14-9-14

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... 1. Sheney Edgar James Clarence
2. In the Parish of ... in or near the Town of Islington in the County of S. 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. 21 yrs
5. What is your trade or calling? ... 5. Laborer
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... 6. Painting 3yrs (Wicks)
7. Are you married? ... 7. no
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... 8. Mother e W. P. M. Sheney Islington S. 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. no
14. (For married men and widowers with children)— Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued to you either before or after embarkation during your term of service? ... 14. no

I, Edgar James Clarence Sheney 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 14-9-1914

E. Sheney
Signature of person enlisted.

D. 377/B. 14.—C. 10225. *This clause should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.

son of *Sheney, Edgar James, Clarence* - on Enlistment.

21 years 0 months
 5 feet 9 1/2 inches
 166 lbs.
 Measurement 37 1/2 inches
 Complexion *Fresh*
 Hair *Blue*
 Eyes *Brown*
 Denomination *C of E*

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

nil

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Examined the above-named person, and find that he does not present any of the conditions, viz. :-

Tuberculosis; phthisis; syphilis; impaired constitution; defective intelligence; defects of voice, or hearing; hernia; hæmorrhoids; varicose veins, beyond a limited extent; hydrocele with unusually pendent testicle; inveterate cutaneous disease; chronic sores of corporal punishment, or evidence of having been marked with the letters D. D.; 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 kind.

I therefore consider him fit for active service.

4-9-14

Morphettville

Charles W. Glatman
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING OFFICER.

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

Paul Davis

14-9-14

Morphettville Va

PA Paul Davis

Commanding *4/aasb. Div B.*

CARD CHECKED

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Statement of Service of No. 498 Name Honey, Edgar James

No. 3 Bde Coy. A.A.S.C. Divisional Train

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
	Driver.	19.10.14.		
	For failing to obey the order of an Officer. Awarded 14 Days (Detention) 6/5/15.			PT 24 21/1/15 87
	To Hosp. / Gonorrhoea	29.11.15		494. 17.12.15
	Adm 15 Gen Hosp.	30.11.15		
	Disch. fr. 15 Gen Hosp. to duty class B. (61 Days absent from duty (medical)).	28.1.16		Pt. II 202. 14.2.16
	Disch. fr. 15 Gen Hosp. to Gen. Hosp. reports, 498 Driver changed. E. G. L. died of rheumatism & V. D. H. = valvular disease of heart.	1.3.16		" 304. 8.3.15

Buried Chadby Hill Cem. Alexandria
Rafa Hill. Graves about 2 mls S. by W. of Rafa
D 2088. L.S. 5553.

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

Certified true copy

J. G. Tedder

Major

Comdng. No. 3 Bde. Coy. A.A.S.C.

AUSTRALIAN



MILITARY FORCES.

H.M.D.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

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No. 798

Name Chenev, Edgar James Clarence

Unit No. 3 Bde. Coy. A.A.S.C. Divisional Train

Joined on 14. 9. 14

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... 1. Chenev, Edgar James Clarence
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... 2. In the Parish of _____ in or near the Town of Belington in the County of S. 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. 21 yrs.
5. What is your trade or calling? ... 5. Labourer
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... 6. Painting Pipes (Weeks)
7. Are you married? ... 7. No.
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... 8. (Mother) Mrs M. Chenev, James St Belington, S. 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 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? ... 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. No.
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? ... 13. No.
14. (For married men and widowers with children)—Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued to you either before or after embarkation during your term of service? ... 14. Yes



I, Edgar James Clarence Chenev 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 14. 9. 14

Edgar E. Chenev

Signature of person enlisted.

D. 377/8.14. — C. 10220. * This clause should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 3rd Coy. A.A.S.C.

Regimental No. 798 Rank Driver Name Cheney, Edgar, James, Clarence.

Enlisted (a) 14-9-14 Terms of Service (a) War and 4mths Service reckens from (a) 14-9-14

Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. }

Extended Proceeded to join R.F. Gallipoli. 5-4-15 Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 16, 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. 16, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
17-7-15	O.C. 3rd Coy A.S.C. Mex	For refusing to obey the order of an Officer. Awarded CR 14 days detention.	H.M.T.S. "Novian" Dardanelles.	6-5-15	A.P.B.213- D.O.24/87.
4-12-15	O.C. 3rd A.S.C.	To Hospital	Alexandria	29-11-15	B.213. D.O.47/494
3-12-15	15th Gen Hospital	Admitted with Gonorrhoea	Alexandria	30-11-15	C.4896. D.O.47/494.
29-1-16	do	Dischd to duty. Class "B" to No of days absent from duty. 61 days.	Metras	28-1-16	R.1314
16-2-16	Commandant A.I.F.Hd Qtrs. Cairo	Placed on dangerously ill list. Aortic Mumps and rheumatism.	15th Gen'l Hos. Alexandria	16-2-16	Cable. W.S.M.D. 166 of 16-2-16 A.P. 5915- E.9156 W.S.M.D. 173. 19-2-16.
2-5-16	O.C. 15th Gen Hospital	Died of rheumatism and valvular disease of heart	15th Gen Hos Alexandria	1-3-16	Cable C.E.B. 174. date 3-5-16 E.9794. E.P.C. 352. 7-3-16. D.O. 13/304.
		Original forwarded to A.I.F.Hd. Qtrs.		22-3-16.	
		<i>J.M.M.</i>		Lieut	
		For O.C. Australian Records Section, 3rd Echelon... G.H.Q... M.E.F.			

(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.
 (b) e.g., Signaller, Shoeing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

JE/EG

M.53/734

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5 NOV 1923

5th November, 1923.

Dear Madam,

I have to inform you that in consequence of a re-allotment of grave numbers, etc, in the Chatby War Memorial Cemetery, the former registration of the grave of your son, the late No.798 Driver E.J.C.Cheney, A.A.S.C., has now been altered to read :-

Plot "H", Grave 41,

to conform with the uniform lay-out of this cemetery.

These additional details are furnished by direction, it being the policy of the Department to forward all information received in connexion with the death of members of the Australian Imperial Force.

Yours faithfully,

Officer i/c Base Records.

Captain,

Mrs. E. Cheney,
James St,
MORNINGTON

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MUNICIPALITÉ D'ALEXANDRIE

Services d'Hygiène Publique

CERTIFICAT DE DÉCÈS

Nom de famille CHENEY (N° 798, AASC, N° 3 C°)
Prénom E.
Sexe Male
Age 22 Years.
Religion Church of England
Nationalité Australian
Rank Driver
Hôpital N° 15 General Hospital, Alexandria
Date d'entrée 7th February 1916
Date du décès 1st March 1916
Nature de la maladie Rheumatism, ~~and M.~~
and Y.P.H.

Alexandrie, le 2nd March 1916

Signature du Médecin :

W. Stoddart Cap^t RAMC
for Lieut. Colonel RAMC
Commanding N° 15 General Hospital

7537

A U S T R A L I A .
F I E L D S E R V I C E .

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) ARMY SERVICE CORPS Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } 3rd. COMPANY

Regtl. No. 798 Rank DRIVER

Name CHENEY, Edgar James Clarence.

Died { Date MARCH 1st, 1916.
Place No. 15 GENERAL HOSPITAL, ALEXANDRIA
Cause of Death* RHEUMATISM & VALVULAR DISEASE OF THE HEART.

* 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.

State whether he leaves a will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) NOT YET TO HAND
(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 Paymaster at the Base (see Field Service Regulations, Part II.), 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.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base

Cyril J. Griffiths Major
G.O. Australian Records Section,
3rd. Echelon... G.H.Q... M.E.F.

Station and Date ALEXANDRIA 22-3-16.

E. W. 38865

DM

MRS M. CHENEY
ISLINGTON (S.A.)

AGAIN ~~XXX~~ REPORTED SON DRIVER EDGAR J. CHENEY STILL DANGEROUSLY
ILL WILL FURNISH FURTHER PROGRESS REPORT WHEN RECEIVED

BASE RECORDS

29/2/16



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No. 0 724

TELEGRAM.

E.T. No. 1. COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT, VICTORIA.



A.3107-1A-
C.8593 This Message has been received subject to the Post and Telegraph Act and Regulations.
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STATION FROM, No. OF WORDS, AND CHECK.

REMARKS.

Adelaide 26 free 11 23pm
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Base Records
Melbourne

798 Edgar J Cheney reported dangerously ill rheumatism please
ascertain and advise if any improvement his condition mother
asking

Mrs M Cheney
Islington



25 FEB Rec'd

WAR CONTINUITY SCHEDULE

Transferred to

DEFENCE B.R.

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No.

798

Rank

Dr

Name

Cheney E J C

Unit

103 Regt Coy asst

Casualty

Rheumatism Mild Admitted 15th Gen Hospital Alex

1-3-16 57/5750 B Date 14/2/16

Rheumatism & Septic Mumps. Dangerously ill. W.S.M.D. 168/5231. 20.8.19. 2.16.16

Remaining in dangerously ill list W.S.M.D. 173/5257 20/2/16

Remaining on Dangerously ill list W.S.M.D. 174/5325 21.2.16

1-3-16 Died, Rheumatism & septic mumps. L.C.D. 174/5325 21.2.16

1-3-16 Died Valvular Disease of Heart. E.F.C. Alex. 332/5423. 21.7.3.16

1-3-16 Died at his Regt Hosp, Alexandria, of Rheumatism + valvular disease of the heart.

A, F. B. 2090A Received.

DATE

A. F. B. 103 Received

PURPORT.

BURIAL REPORT RECEIVED

REF. No

16.2.16 took adv/ leave/ 3rd Pl Alex. Sick.

22/2/16 " Dangerously ill.

23/2/16 " Still dangerously ill.

24.2.16 M.C. asking progress

25.2.16 Rept sent to 24.2.16

29.2.16 No adv. Still dangerously ill.

4.3.16 M.C. H adv - Died rheumatism + septic mumps.

COPY MADE FOR WAR PENSIONS

7.3.16 D.M.G. + M.D. adv 9.3.16 not paid in casualty.

Rheumatism Admitted 4-2-16 15th Gen Hosp Alex

L.H.L. M 6/506/25 R Courts 210-16-2-16

28/1/16 Discharged 15th Gen Hosp to 1st Gen Hosp Class B L.H.L. 464/116/116 210-16-2-16

14.8.16 PERSONAL EFFECTS EX. Part Sydney

Circular B.R.M. 46/1368 & Booklet re Graves despatched 8.12.19. G.S. FINAL NOTION 26.1.1920



"WHERE THE AUSTRALIANS REST." Pamphlet sent to Mrs M. Cheney on 6/1/21

WAR HISTORY INDEX

in triplicate

Received 2/3/21

48/595-115

11.6.20

1064/1010 Star 10000 B.R.M. 13/1229/ A.D.C. 15 DP. 3992

4/2/20

BRITISH WAR MEDAL to Comdt 4th. D.B.R.M. 52/1150

JUN 1920

VICTORY MEDAL to 19th. B.R.M. 42

LIST 147 148

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MEMORIAL SCROLL
Mother
Mrs M. Lohney
322347. Pmg
26. 1. 21.

