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MILITARY FORCES.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD

8779 Name GETHING Henry John
 Unit 1st REINF 3rd FLD. AMB.
 Joined on 4-8-15

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

- What is your Name? ... 1. Henry John Gething
- In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... 2. In the Parish of _____ in or near the Town of Prospect in the County of South Aus
- Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... 3. N.B.
- What is your age? ... 4. 31 7/12 yrs
- What is your trade or calling? ... 5. Railway Shunter
- Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... 6. E S Wigg 8 years
- Are you married? ... 7. NO
- Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... 8. (mother) Bridget Gething
11 Tanagan Street W. Gdral
South Aus
- Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? ... 9. NO
- 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
- 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
- Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? ... 12. yes
- Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? ... 13. NO
- (For married men, widowers with children, and soldiers who are the sole support of widows or mother) Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued to you after embarkation during your term of service? ... 14. NO
- Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... 15. yes

I, Henry John Gething do solemnly declare that the above answers made 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}

Date 27-4-15

H J Gething
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 Henry John Gething on Enlistment

Age 31 years 5 months
 Height 5 feet 7 1/4 inches
 Weight 153 lbs.
 Chest Measurement 33 1/2 35 1/2 inches
 Complexion Fresh
 Eyes Blue
 Hair DK Brown
 Religious Denomination Co of E

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Vis R 6/6 L 6/6
 Nacc 2 R Inf

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 27-7-15

Place Adelaide

Robert Pullen
R. D. Bramm

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 Base Depot Btl.

Date 4/8/15.

Place Morphettville.

J. Marchant

Commanding Major
 CAMP COMMANDANT.

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Statement of Service No.

Name

H. J. Gething

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank		Remarks
		From	To	
Morichetrolle.	<i>Enl. from Aust. 10.2.15</i>	4/8/15.	14/9/15	
A.M.C.	Transferred to Mitchell as Private	15/10/15.	15/1/16	See G. O 402/II
14/3 rd Hld Amb	Proceeding to join Miss Kunz per S.S. Wandella Zetoren	16/1/16		
	Struck off strength 2nd Frang. Hatten Zetoren	10/3/16		A.P. 5551
	Struck off strength S.S. Kelvin	29.4.16		A.L. 1315 } B 213 }
	Embarked of sea Leosican Alex.	22/4/16		A.L. 1315
	Embarked of sea to France. Parkhouse	28/5/16		A.P. 8372
	Proceeding overseas to join Unit A.F. B. 213 A.M.C. Detach.	15.8.16		26/34 B213.
	Taken on strength as Pft. France	19.8.16		PXI/83E 15.9.1
	To hosp. sick in the field	30.8.16		PXI 12/1196
	Proceeding overseas to France C.R. 519.	6-11-16	France	PXI 29/128
	Rejoined unit from hospital	15.8.16		PXI 9/16-12-16 199E
	De Top Sect	2/10/16	France	PXI 9/250 13/3/17
	accidentally injured. Synovitis R knee	12/12/14	France	100 54/1375 24.12.14
	Required rest from hospital & sick	8.12.14	France	100 2/93 10-1-18
	C.O.F. Subj. N° 3425	16.1.18	France	100 5/106 24.1.18

3rd Hld Amb Pte Para. 60/14 Aust. Div. " 3.10.18. CO. 36 1365 (19)

I have examined the above details, and find them correct in every respect.
 16th Div. 40th Coy T.O.S. 7th Div. H.Q. " 3.10.18 No 38/145 1/1919.
 No 76/1944/1919

R.T.A per 12.5.19. L + 5330 A 180634
 Soudan 1.3.19. 7/4.19. 5.19.

Discharged 4th Div T.P.E 19/8/19

A.I.F. 165
 Army Form B103 Part I.

Service and Casualty
 Form.

PART I.

230 M - 9/18 - 12244.

Nothing to be written in this Margin.

*W.A.
 R.W.*

(1) PRESENT UNIT <i>3rd Fla. Amb. 1st Div. 8.12</i>		(2) Regt. No. 8779	
(3) Present Rank Pte.	(4) SURNAME GETHING	<i>Copied 19/4/56</i>	
(5) Decorations	(6) Christian Names. Henry John		
<u>Particulars.</u>			
(7) Date of Enlistment 4/8/15	(8) Place of Enlistment Adelaide, S.A.		
(9) Age on Enlistment 31 Years 5 Months	(10) Any subsequent claim as to age after verification of Birth Certificate Auth. C.R. / /		
(11) Birthplace Prospect S.A.	(12) Religion C of E		
(14) Trade or Calling Railway Shunter	(13) If Married No		
(16) Date of Embarkation from Australia 10/2/16	(15) If an Apprentice Yes		
(18)	(17) Whereabouts of Next of Kin, i.e. Australia or Abroad Aust.		
(19)	(21) Special Notification Card No.		
(20)			
(22)			

Casualty Form - Active Service.

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Regimental No. 8779 Regiment or Corps 14/3rd Field Amb
 Rank Pte Name Johning H.P.
 Enlisted (a) 27/7/16 Terms of Service (a) _____ Service reckons from (a) _____
 Date of promotion to _____ Date of appointment _____ Numerical position on _____
 present rank _____ to lance rank _____ roll of N.C.O's. _____
 Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., 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				
19/3/16	OC. B. Details	Proceeding to Mess. Staff. for S.S. Waudella.	Titon	19/3/16	A.P. 5551
27.4.16	3rd Training Bn. Staff	Struck off strength 3rd Training Bn.	do	27.4.16	A.L. 1315 B. 213.
29.4.16	Det. of Kibiri Camp.	Struck off strength	Det. of Kibiri	29.4.16	A.L. 1315
2.5.16	Amb. Detail	Embarked Overseas Corsica	Scardina	2/5/16	A.P. 8372
10.8.16	same Details	Embarked Overseas to France	Parkhouse	10.8.16	A.P. 8372
17.8.16	A.O. B.	Joined Base	Etaples	16.8.16	A.P. 874
1.9.16	OC. 3rd A.H.	Struck off strength of Regt.	France	2.8.16	A.P. 8372 A.O. 11/196
10.11.16	✓	Admitted to Hospital Sick	Southfield	8.11.16	A.P. 10374
12.3.17	✓	Rejoined Unit at Home	—	12.11.16	A.P. 855777/5 for P. 8779

(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.

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Date	From whom received				
15/17/17	9C 3rd Amb	to hospital sick	Field	12/17/17	A53/50 20/54/375
17/17/17	3rd Amb	Synovitis knee R adm			AK1959/62
12/17/17	24th Gen	Syno R knee adm	Etaples	12/12/17	AK1959/50
26/17/17	6th Army	Syno R knee adm	do	26/1/17	AK1959/78
3/1/18	9C 4th Army	Accidentally injured Synovitis R. knee (severe)	France	8/17/17	149/770/204 A7W-2428 2/0 7/23
6/1/18	6th Band Depot	Class. A to M. B. Depot	Etaples	6/1/18	AK2074/27
8/1/18	Alph B Co	M/ in ea Ben Depot	Harro	8/1/18	AK2074/38
14/1/18	do	AM/ Out to 1st A.M.C	"	13/1/18	AK2074/56
19/1/18	9C 3rd Amb	Referred from hospital	Field	16/1/18	A53/55 9/106
26/1/18	"	Proceeded on leave	"	24/1/18	A53/56
9/2/18	"	From leave	"	7/2/18	A53/58
5.10.18	"	Detd. for duty with 7th Div. 1st Aust Div.	"	3.10.18	A.53/92
5.10.18	1st D. H.Q.	He. H.Q. for duty.	"	3.10.18	F.1/92
1.2.19	9C 3rd Amb	He. Transport to 1st Aust. Div. H.Q.	"	3.10.18	A.1/108 60 36/1368 (119)
1-2-19	1st D. H.Q.	He. 405 of 1st D. H.Q. in	do	3-10-18	F.1/108
3-4-19	B.2.13	3rd Amb. m/c on/out for RJA 1915-16	Personnel	3-4-19	60 39/1448
4-4-19	A.7.13	Assembled 3 amp. on 1st Am x 7 ambulance	Long Dr.	4-4-19	4326/42/22 8776/1000/16.4 19 2 x 2227

To be folded on this line.

TELEPHONE 2660.

McC/o.



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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.
4TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

*Expeditionary Force Pay Office,
North Terrace,
Adelaide,*

9th. October, 1916.

The Secretary,
Department of Defence,
MELBOURNE.

Re. No. 8779 Pte. H. J. Gething, 14th. Reinf. 3rd. F. Amb.

Brother of the above Soldier is now his Next-of-Kin-

Mr. William Gething,
9th. Street,
Bowden. S.A.

Mrs. Bridget Gething the Mother of Soldier having died on
12th. September last, as per Documentary evidence in my
possession. Please amend Nominal Roll accordingly.

The Staff Paymaster, London, has been advised.

W. H. Markin
OFFICER IN CHARGE
EXPEDITIONARY FORCE PAY OFFICE.



SMC

*Ed. Gillingham
11/10*

Noted

Died 8/8/49 after discharge w.s. Gov. Gen. List 2-4-49

Transferred to

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 8779

Rank Private Name GETHING H.J.

Unit 1st Div. Hqs. (3rd. Inf. Amb.)

Casualty Relg. to Aust per H. J. "Noudan" embarked 12/5/19 03.

S.B.L. 345816096, and Lon. 16/5/19 Rec. B. R. 26/5/19

Returned to Australia per A. "Noudan"
Disembarked 4th M. D. 26/6/19 Lat 27th AM

DATE

Form B 103 Received

PURPORT

10. 6. 19

N. O. K. Advised Returning to Australia, Form

WAR HISTORY INDEX



19. 8. 19 Discharged 4th M. D.