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**AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.**

**ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD**

No. 2287 Name HASSAM GEORGE  
Unit 2ND DEPOT BATTALION A.I.F.  
Joined on MAY 8 - 1916

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

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| 1. What is your Name ?   | 33 | 1. <u>George Hassam</u>   |
| 2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born ?  |    | 2. In the Parish of _____ in or<br>near the Town of <u>ADELAIDE.</u><br>in the County of <u>SOUTH AUSTRALIA.</u>    |
| 3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.)  |    | 3. <u>Natural Born</u>  |
| 4. What is your age ?  |    | 4. <u>44</u> years  |
| 5. What is your trade or calling ?   |    | 5. <u>Storeman</u>  |
| 6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period?   |    | 6. <u>NO</u>  |
| 7. Are you married ?   |    | 7. <u>Yes 2 children</u>  |
| 8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated)   |    | 8. <u>WIFE, HASSAM - MARGARET M<sup>RS</sup></u><br><u>CHIFFORD STREET PROSPECT PARK</u><br><u>SOUTH AUSTRALIA.</u> |
| 9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power?  |    | 9. <u>NO</u>  |
| 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. <u>NO</u>   |
| 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. <u>Resigned Adelaide L. Horse Vol</u><br><u>resigned</u>  |
| 12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service?   |    | 12. <u>Yes</u>  |
| 13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds?  |    | 13. <u>NO</u>   |
| 14. (For married men, widowers with children, and soldiers who are the sole support of widowed mother)—<br>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. <u>Yes</u>  |
| 15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever?  |    | 15. <u>Yes</u>  |

I, George Hassam 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 MAY 8 - 1916

George Hassam

Signature of Person Enlisted.

Description of George Hassam on EnlistmentAge 44 years - monthsHeight 5 feet 10 $\frac{1}{4}$  inchesWeight 154 lbs.Chest Measurement 34 $\frac{1}{2}$ ·36 $\frac{1}{2}$  inchesComplexion MediumEyes BrownHair Wk BrownReligious Denomination Methodist

## DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

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## 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 1-MAY 1916Place ADELAIDE

*Robert Capri*

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 A boy

2ND DEPOT BATTALION A.I.F.

Date 22-5-16Place Adelaide

*Mr Hancock*  
Lt. COL  
CAMP COMMANDANT

Commanding

2ND DEPOT BATTALION A.I.F.



Aug 13. 102 England.  
27.12.16.

CARD CHECKED J.R.

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Statement of Service No.

Name Hassam G

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank		Remarks
		From	To	
A Coy 2 <sup>nd</sup> Depot Pte. Sydney Mitchell Base Mitcham " 4/48	PRIVATE. PRIVATE.	12/5/16	JUN 15 1916 JUL 16 1916	Co 138/2 Co 186/2
	Retrd to Australia from per R.T. "Barambah" for change. Debility & Chronic Prostatitis.	Plymouth	8-4-17	L.R. 1560. 2025/E. 18/4/17 Adm. Hqrs. from Rott London 204 R.
	by Cmt of No 2 Base Depot for Emb. to Aust. per R.T. Barambah	Seymour	5-4-17	8/027/2768E L.R. 182, 26/4/17
	Marched in to No 2 Aust. Base Depot from, before.		5-3-17	Poll 2/2008/E L.R. 575 5-4-17
48 <sup>th</sup> Bn. Marched out from 12 Training Bn Goodford to No 2 Command Depot Seymour			5-3-17	D/o 20/1603E 24/3/17 L.R. 550
Discharged 4 <sup>th</sup> M.O. (M.U.)		27.7.17	13.12.17	10/28
	Disemb 4 <sup>th</sup> M.D.	5/6/17		
				HA L.G. Passed 15/1/20 apd 156657



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



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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.  
4TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS  
DISTRICT HEADQUARTERS:  
ALL OFFICERS ... C 5820  
S.D.O. ... C 1340  
S.P.M. ... C 4300  
KESWICK HOSPITAL C 6270

CAMPS:  
MITCHAM ... C 6280  
KESWICK ... C 6284  
MORPHETTVILLE ... C 6288

KESWICK BARRACKS,

ADELAIDE,

AUG 14 1917

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Officer in Charge,

Base Records,

Victoria Barracks,

MELBOURNE.

The under-mentioned soldier has been handed his discharge.  
Medical Board Proceedings and other documents, as follows, forwarded herewith:- B.179, B.178, D.1, B.122, A.29, Record Card.

NO. 2287 RANK. Pte. NAME. HASSAM, G.

UNIT 4/48th Batt.

DATE OF ATTESTATION. 8/5/16

DATE OF EMBARKATION. 12/8/16

DATE OF DISEMBARKATION 5/6/17

REASON FOR DISCHARGE. MEDICALLY UNFIT (NOT  
DUE TO MISCONDUCT)

DATE OF DISCHARGE. 27/7/17

TOTAL SERVICE 1 year 81 days

SERVICE ABROAD. 350 days

CHARACTER Good

ACCOUNT ADJUSTED IN PART -



*Nat. Campbell*

LIEUT.

S.O. INVALIDS & RETURNED SOLDIERS. 4th M.D.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 2287

Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Name

Hassam George

Unit \_\_\_\_\_

48 Bn.



**HASSAM, George**



Service no 2287  
Private  
48th Battalion

Born 23 August 1873 at Red Creek, SA  
Husband of Margaret HASSAM of 20 Clifford St., Prospect, SA  
Occupation prior to enlistment Storeman  
Enlisted 08 May 1916 at Adelaide, SA  
Served in England, General Army Work  
Contracted illness and invalided to Australia 05 June 1917 per "Barambah"  
Discharged as medically unfit 27 July 1917 with Chronic Bronchitis

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