

AUSTRALIAN



MILITARY FORCES

# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

## ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD.

No. 17946

Name HODGES ROY GEORGE

Unit 1st Bde May RFL.

Joined on OCT 5 - 1916

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

1. What is your name? Roy George Hodges.
2. In the Parish of Prospect in or near the Town of Prospect 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? 28 1/2 years.
5. What is your trade or calling? Proof Reviser
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) (MRS) HODGES, ELIZABETH ANNIE  
TENNYSOHN ST. MEDINDIE  
SOUTH AUSTRALIA
9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? No  
was medaly re to father  
Mr. Hodges,  
(above qd). 4.16.
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? No  
Major  
Officer the Base Records  
10.6.21  
42 days A.I.F. 5th/32nd. Discharged.
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. 7 months A.I.F. H.S. (still serving)
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. A.I.F. Discharged Med. 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? —
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? Yes

I, Roy George Hodges 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 of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife \* † and children

OCT 5 - 1916

R. G. Hodges  
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 Roy George Hodges. on Enlistment.

Age 23 years 1 months

Height 6 feet - inches

Weight 224 1/2 lbs.

Chest Measurement 32 1/2 inches

Complexion Medium

Eyes Brown

Hair Brown

Religious Denomination Meth

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Vis. R 6/6 L 6/12 <sup>92</sup>

Vacc. 4 L.

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 October 2nd 1916

Place ADELAIDE

E. Johnson  
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 May 1st 1917

Date 16 JUL 1917

Place MITCHAM CAMP.

E. Arnold  
Lieut. Col.  
Commanding  
M. G. BASE.



Statement of Service No. 17946Name Roy George Hodges

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank		Remarks
		From	To	
<u>D. Coy.</u> <u>2nd DEPOT BATTALION, A.I.F.</u>	<u>Pte.</u>	<u>5-10-16</u>	<u>16-10-16</u>	
<u>Am Base</u> <u>Am Base</u> <u>May Rpt. Amc.</u>	<u>Pte</u> <u>P/Sergeant</u> <u>P Cpl</u>	<u>16.10.16</u> <u>16.11.16</u> <u>26 JUL 1917</u>	<u>16 JUL 1917</u>	<u>Cp Regt</u> <u>Cp 308/2</u>
	<u>ENTAINED 1/8/1917</u> <u>3rd Military District</u> <u>for Embarkation</u> <u>Amc Genl Rpt</u> <u>Ady</u>		<u>3.8.17</u>	
<u>A. M. C. Details</u>	<u>Pte</u>	<u>1.8.17</u>	<u>25.8.17</u>	
	<u>a/cpl (Voyage Only)</u>	<u>2.8.17</u>		
	<u>a/sgt</u>	<u>3.10.17</u>	<u>Reverts to 122/45/100</u>	
	<u>Pte</u>	<u>4.10.17</u>	<u>19.11.17</u>	<u>4th BR 125/62</u>
<u>5th L. Amb.</u>		<u>20.11.17</u>		

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

WAR GRATUITY SCHEDULE

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MILITARY FORCES.

## AUSTRALIAN IMPÉRIAL FORCE.

## ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD

No. 9166

Name HODGES Roy George5th Reinf., 32nd Inf. Battalion  
A. I. F.

Unit

BIRMINGHAM DEPOT BATTALION

32 th. Btn

Joined on

JAN 4 1916

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

1. What is your Name? ... 1. Roy George Hodges
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... 2. In the Parish of Prospect in or near the Town of Prospect 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. N.B.
4. What is your age? ... 4. 22 3/4 yrs
5. What is your trade or calling? ... 5. Reviser "Advertiser" Office
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... 6. NO
7. Are you married? ... 7. NO
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... 8. Mother M<sup>rs</sup> Elizabeth Annie Jernyson St (Hodges) Adelaide 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 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. 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, 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 after embarkation during your term of service? ... 14. —
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... 15. yes

I, Roy George Hodges 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

Dec 2 1915  
Jan 4 1916 WTH

Signature of Person Enlisted.

R. G. Hodges.

\* 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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Statement of Service No. \_\_\_\_\_ Name Hodges Roy George

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank		Remarks
		From	To	
B Coy 2ND DEPOT BATTALION A 5/32 Inf	private 16 JAN 1916	4.1.16	15/1/16	CO 15/3/16 16.1.16, 23.2.16
	Discharged	29.2.16		CO. 50.
Having been found medically unfit for further service (not owing to misconduct.)				

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

*[Signature]*  
Major.  
Camp Commandant.

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MILITARY FORCES.

# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

## Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 17946 Name HODGES Roy GEORGE  
Unit 53 7th Recif  
Joined on OCT 5 - 1916

### Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestment

1. What is your Name? Roy George Hodges
2. In the Parish of Prospect in or near the Town of South Australia in the County of Prospect
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? 23 - 1/2 years
5. What is your Trade or Calling? Shoemaker
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) (MOTHER) HODGES ELIZABETH ANNIE 1745 TENNYSON STREET MEDINDIE SOUTH AUSTRALIA  
The answer to this question shall not be construed as in the nature of a Will.
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 42 Days A.P., 5th Recif 7th Batty Discharged Med. Unfit 4 mths A.P. Home Service Still serving
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 A.P. Discharged Med. 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 £6 per day? Yes
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? Yes

Roy George Hodges 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 OCT 5 - 1916

R. Hodges  
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.



G.H.

Army Form 11, 102-11.  
Part II.

## (SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

5th AUST F. AMB.  
Regiment or Corps A.A.M.C. - May-Reinfs. Regimental Number 17946.  
\*Substantive Rank Pte Surname HODGES Christian Names Roy George.

\*Acting Rank  
(\* To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration.)

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Nothing to be written in this margin.

(A) Report		(B) Authority of Part II. of Orders	(C) Record of promotions, appointments, reductions, casualties, transfers, postings, &c. All entries as well as substantive promotions to be shown, for method of entry of which see A.C.I. 1856 of 1917. Corps and rank to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	(D) Place of casualty	(E) Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, casualty, &c.	(F) Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
Date	From whom received					
1	OC. Troop.	Embarked.	A32.	MELBOURNE	4/8/17.	
2	"	Disembarked.	"	GLASGOW	2/10/17.	
3	7/10/17. OC. Amb T. Dep.	M/I from Aust ex "A32"	P'house	"	4/10/17.	73/ 8/11/17. E
4	7/10/17. A.A.M.C. T. Dep.	Vo/Sgt Reverts to ranks on M/I ex Aust.	"	"	4/10/17.	70/ 27/10/17. E
5	8/11/17. OC. A.T.D.	Proc. O/Seas France ex A.M.C. F.D. P'house.	S'ampton.	"	2/11/17.	73/ 8/11/17. E
6	8/11/17. A.G.B.D.	M/I ex England.	Rouelles	"	8/11/17.	
7	24/11/17.	M/O to 2nd Div A.M.C.	"	"	15/11/17.	
8	24/11/17. OC. 5th A.F.A.	T.O.S. from Reinf ex AGBD.	Field	"	20/11/17.	42/1346.
9	11/12/17.	To Hpl Sick.	"	"	9/12/17.	7/211.
10	11/12/17.	Eye Exam. Adm & to Duty.	"	"	11/12/17.	
11	11/12/17.	Rejoined from Hpl.	"	"	11/12/17.	7/212.
12	23/12/18.	Det with 17th bn for Temp Duty.	"	"	18/2/18.	
13	9/3/18.	Rejoined from 17th Bn.	"	"	2/3/18.	
14	9/3/18.	To pl Sick.	"	"	5/3/18.	8/234.
15	5/3/18. 5th A.F.A.	HAEMORRHOIDS. Adm.	"	"	5/3/18.	
16	16/3/18.	To Duty	"	"	16/3/18.	
17	23/3/18. OC.	Rejoined from Hpl.	"	"	16/3/18.	9/259.
18	7/9/18.	Killed in Action.	"	"	1/9/18.	27/787. VL/836.
AUSTRALIAN SECTION.			(Sgd) S.T. BENNETT Lieut.			27
3rd Echelon G.H.Q.			For Officer 1/c Records.			
B.E.F. .... 24/9/18.			2/10/18.			

SO HELP ME GOD.

*R. Hodges*  
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at.....in  
the State of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.  
this OCT 5-1916 day of.....  
19 , before me—

*R. Seary*  
Signature of Attesting Officer.

\* A person 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.

(A) Report		(B) Authority of Part II, of Order	(C) Record of promotion, appointments, reductions, casualties, transfers, postings, &c. All acting as well as substantive promotions to be shown, for method of entry of which see A.C.I. 181st 1917. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	(D) Place of casualty	(E) Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, casualty, &c.	(F) Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
21-19	Director of Graves.		Buried Isolated Grave Between French & Barbed Wire 2 miles N. of Mount St. Quentin & 2 miles N. of Peronne. DGR & LSS 3444			
			Re Buried Peronne Communal Cemetery Extension DGR & LSS 6680			

Nothing to be written in this margin.

He can see the required distance with clear eyes; 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 October 2nd 1916

Place ADELAIDE.

E. Johnson  
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 \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Place \_\_\_\_\_

Commanding \_\_\_\_\_



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8.11.17

Statement of Service No. 17946 Name Hodges R G

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank		Remarks
		From	To	
<u>D Coy</u>				
<u>2ND DEPOT BATTALION A.I.F.</u>	<u>Pte</u>	<u>5-10-16</u>	<u>6-10-16</u>	
<u>22/10 King Mitchell</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>6-10-16</u>	<u>15-10-16</u>	<u>Co 26 1/2</u>
<u>A.M.C.</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>16-10-16</u>	<u>15-11-16</u>	<u>Co 26 9/2</u>
<u>A.M.C.</u>	<u>Pro Sgt</u>	<u>16-11-16</u>	<u>16-7-17</u>	<u>Co 30 1/2</u>
<u>May Rpts A.M.C.</u>	<u>He Pte Sgt</u>	<u>16-7-17</u>		<u>16 2/11</u>
	<u>V.O. Sgt</u>			
	<u>A32. Embarked Melbourne 4.8.17</u>			
	<u>Disembarked Glasgow 2-10-17 LR9231</u>			
	<u>Vo Sgt. Reverts to ranks on</u>			
	<u>trn to A.M.C. Y.D. ex Aust.</u>	<u>Parkes</u>	<u>4-10-17</u>	<u>LR9204</u>
	<u>VO. SGT. MI AMCTO Rhinoc.</u>			<u>He 70/1662 27.11.17</u>
	<u>from Aust ex H32</u>		<u>4-10-17</u>	<u>LR9207</u>
	<u>PIE PROCEEDED OVERSEAS FRANCE</u>			<u>PIE 74/6855 8.11.17</u>
	<u>Via Southampton ex AMCTO</u>		<u>2-11-17</u>	<u>LR10104</u>
	<u>Sgt. Appld H.O. Sgt.</u>	<u>Long</u>	<u>2-8-17</u>	<u>1081 136 1/2</u>
<u>5-4 Amb.</u>	<u>From 20.8.5. Amb. from</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>20.11.17</u>	<u>Do 142 16.12.17</u>
	<u>amb. of 2.2.15. 101</u>			<u>1346</u>
<u>5-4 Amb.</u>	<u>Pte. to Hosp. Sick</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>9.12.17</u>	<u>Do 4. 211 1/3/18</u>
<u>5-4 Amb.</u>	<u>He remained unit from</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>11.12.17</u>	<u>Do 7/212 15/3/18</u>
	<u>Hosp. Sick</u>			
<u>5-4 Amb.</u>	<u>He to Hosp. Sick</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>5.3.18</u>	<u>Do 8/224 22/3/18</u>
<u>5-4 Amb.</u>	<u>He remained unit from</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>16.3.18</u>	<u>Do 9/259 12/4/18</u>
	<u>Hosp. Sick</u>			
<u>5-4. N. Amb.</u>				<u>213570 19.9.18</u>
<u>Late</u>	<b>KILLED IN ACTION</b>	<u>France</u>	<u>1.9.18</u>	<u>62102 2841</u>
<u>May Rpts A.M.C.</u>				<u>1940 27/487 20/4/18</u>
<u>10608/8/3</u>				

FOR BURIAL REPORT SEE B 103.

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

SEE COPY A.F. 1103 ENCLOSED

*Carlisle New Cape*  
*Chouther Clarke*

5/22

C.M. Form D. 2.  
(Revised 1.11.15).

AUSTRALIAN  MILITARY FORCES.

DETAILED MEDICAL HISTORY OF AN INVALID.

Station Mitcham Date 3rd Feb 16  
1. Regiment 5/32 Inf 2. Regimental No. 366  
or Corps  
3. Name HODGES Roy George and Rank  
(Surname to be in block letters)  
4. Age last Birthday 23  
5. (a) Enlisted 2 Dec 15  
(at Adelaide)  
6. Former Trade or Occupation Proof Reader  
(Advertiser)  
(b) If returned from service abroad, date of return  
to Australia

Before making out this Report read the following note carefully:—

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer by whom the soldier is brought forward. As the object of these questions is, in the event of the man being invalided, to put the authorities of the Military Forces of the Commonwealth in possession of the most reliable information grounded upon the opinion of those best capable of judging, so as to guide them in deciding upon the man's claim to compensation, clear and decisive answers must in all cases be given. **ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED.**

7. Disease or Disability Healed + Lack of Support in right foot

In answering the following questions the Medical Officer will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements on his case, and recorded evidence furnished by his documents, military and medical. **He will also carefully discriminate cases entirely due to venereal disease.**

8. Date of Origin of Disability 1906

9. Place of Origin of Disability North Adelaide

10. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet

bearing on the case. As running alongside a loaded trolley, got his foot under wheel which passed over the outer toe since then foot has been weak, but did not notice it. Particularly sore when came into camp. Has in bed for weeks. Has no bones were broken. Has a certain amount of pain after marching. Has had a flat foot since accident.  
11. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the Disability Surgery above noted

(b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it. (See notes on page 3.)

12. What is his present condition?

Little toe hangs limp + asches from Metatarsal phalangeal joint to extremity. Slight tenderness on plantar surface. Head of 4th Metatarsal slightly more prominent than that of left.

(Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)



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C.M. Form D. 2.  
(Revised 1.11.15)

## DETAILED MEDICAL HISTORY OF AN INVALID.

Station Mitcham Date 3rd Feb. 1916

1. Regiment or Corps 5/32 Inf. 2. Regimental No. and Rank 266

3. Name HODGES, Roy George 4. Age last Birthday 22  
(Name to be in Block Letters.)

5. (a) Enlisted 2nd Dec. 1915 6. Former Trade or Occupation Proof reader  
at Adelaide (Advertiser.)

(b) If returned from service abroad, date of return to Australia

Before making out this Report read the following note carefully:—

NOTE.—The answers to the following questions are to be filled in by the Medical Officer by whom the soldier is brought forward. As the object of these questions is, in the event of the man being invalided, to put the authorities of the Military Forces of the Commonwealth in possession of the most reliable information grounded upon the opinion of those best capable of judging, so as to guide them in deciding upon the man's claim to compensation, clear and decisive answers must in all cases be given. **ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED.**

7. Disease or Disability Weakness & Lack of support in right foot.

In answering the following questions the Medical Officer will carefully discriminate between the man's unsupported statements on his own, and recorded evidence furnished by his documents, military and medical. He will also carefully discriminate cases entirely due to venereal disease.

8. Date of Origin of Disability 1906

9. Place of Origin of Disability North Adelaide

10. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet

bearing on the case Was running alongside a loaded bullock, got his foot under wheel which passed over the outer two toes. Since then foot has been weak, but did not notice it particularly until he came into camp. Was in bed for 6 weeks, was told no bones were broken. Was a certain amount of pain after marching. Has had a flat foot since accident.

11. (a) Give your opinion as to the causation of the Disability injury above noted.

(b) If you consider it to have been caused by active service, climate, or ordinary military service, explain the specific conditions to which you attribute it. (See notes on page 3.)

12. What is his present condition? Little toe hangs limp & useless, from Metatarsophalangeal joint to extremity. Slight tenderness on plantar aspect surface. Head of 5th Metatarsal slightly more prominent than that of left.

(Weight should be given in all cases when it is likely to afford evidence of the progress of the disability.)

Ext. from folder of photo. of grave.

No. 17946 Pte. R.G. Hodges, 5th Fld.Amb.

Buried Peronne Comm. Cem. Ext.

Plot 4 Row A. Grave 14.

G.H.

(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

5th AUST F. AMB.

Regiment or Corps ~~A.A.M.C. - May-Reinfs.~~

Regimental Number 17946.

\*Substantive Rank Pte Surname HODGES

Christian Names Roy George.

\*Acting Rank

(\* To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration.)

Army Form B, 103-11.  
Part II.

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(A) Report		(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)
Date.	From whom received	Authority of Part II. of Orders	Record of promotions, appointments, reductions, casualties, transfers, postings, &c. All acting as well as substantive promotions to be shown, for method of entry of which see A.C.I. 1816 of 1917. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	Place of casualty	Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, casualty, &c.	Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
1	OC.Troop.s	Embarked.	A32.	MELBOURNE	4/8/17.	
2	"	Disembarked.	"	GLASGOW	2/10/17.	
3	2/10/17. OC.Amb T.Dep.M/I	from Aust ex "A32"	P'house	"	4/10/17.	73/ 3/11/17. E
4	2/10/17. A.A.M.C. T.Dep.	VO/Sgt Reverts to ranks on M/I ex Aust.	"	"	4/10/17.	70/ 27/10/17. E
5	2/11/17. OC.A.T.D.	Proc. 2/Seas "rance ex A.M.C.T.D. P'house.	S'ampton.	"	2/11/17.	73/ 8/11/17. E
6	2/11/17. A.G.B.D.	M/I ex England.	Rouelles	"	8/11/17.	
7	24/11/17. " "	M/O to 2nd Div A.M.C.	"	"	15/11/17.	
8	24/11/17. OC.5th A.F.A.	T.O.S. from Reinf's ex AGBD.F.eld	"	"	20/11/17.	42/1346.
9	11/12/17. " "	To Hpl Sick.	"	"	9/12/17.	7/211.
10	21/12/17. " "	Eye Exam.Adm & to Duty.	"	"	9/12/17.	
11	11/12/17. " "	Rejoined from Hpl.	"	"	11/12/17.	7/212.
12	23/12/18. " "	Det with 17th bn for Tempy Duty.	"	"	18/2/18.	
13	9/3/18. " "	Rejoined from 17th Bn.	"	"	2/3/18.	
14	9/3/18. " "	To pl Sick.	"	"	5/3/18.	8/234.
15	5/3/18. 5th A.F.A.	HAEMORRHOIDS. Adm.	"	"	5/3/18.	
16	16/3/18. " "	" To Duty	"	"	16/3/18.	
17	23/3/18. OC. " "	Rejoined from Hpl.	"	"	16/3/18.	9/259.
18	7/9/18. " "	Killed in Action.	"	"	1/9/18.	27/787. VI/836.

AUSTRALIAN SECTION.  
3rd Echelon G.H.C.  
B.E.F.....24/9/18.

2/19/18.

(Sgd) S.T. BENNETT Lieut.  
For Officer i/c Records.



KT.

10th September, 1919.

Dear Madam,

With reference to the report of the regrettable loss of your son, the late No. 17946, Private R. G. Hodges, 5th Australian Field Ambulance, I am now in receipt of advice which shows that he was killed in action on 1.9.18 and was buried in an isolated grave between trench and barbed wire, half a mile West of Mont St. Quentin, and one and a half miles North of Peronne.

In all cases where members of the A.I.F. are buried in isolated graves, the remains are to be re-interred in the nearest Military Cemetery. This work is done in the presence of a Chaplain with the greatest care and reverence.

The utmost care and attention is being devoted to the graves of our fallen soldiers, and photographs are being taken as soon as possible for transmission to next-of-kin.

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

Yours faithfully,

Mrs. E. A. Hodges,  
Tennysen Street,  
MEDINDIE, S. A.

Major,  
Officer i/c Base Records.

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# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 17946

Rank Private

Name HODGES

R. G.

Unit

C257<sup>a</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> + Ambulance

LIST.

Casualty

Killed in action 1/9/18

M.B. 841 4517<sup>a</sup> dated London 1/10/18 Received B. R. 2/11/18



MEMORIAL  
SCROLL

Father

Mr. G. H. Hodges

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7/7/51

"WHERE THE AUSTRALIANS REST."

Personal and to Mrs. H. Hodges on 6.7.21

DATE

A.F. B.103 Received

PURPORT

BURIAL REPORT RECEIVED

1. SEP 18

M.O. 4 ADVISED, KILLED IN ACTION 1/9/18

2. SEP 18

M.O. ADVISED, KILLED IN ACTION

1st Oct., 1918

COPY MADE FOR WAR PENSIONS

7/10/18

"Will" to D.P.M. 4 M.D.

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Nat. Mut. Life asking Description

M357464

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F.O.M. Adelaide asking for R/b

M 38/235

CONFIRMATION RECEIVED OF

Cable No. B.2.B.L. 2841 vide 10/10/18 22/9/18

1.5.19

Will Copy of L/Admon. in file M 41/1309

16.7.19

PERSONAL EFFECTS EX "Bulla"

Circular D.P.M. 10/10/18 & D.P.M. 10/10/18

18.6.20

HISTORY INDEX

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BRITISH WAR MEDAL to Comdt 4<sup>th</sup> M.D.B.R.M. 53/772 600

12.8.21

PHOTOGRAPH OF GRAVE (3) TRANSMITTED TO NEXT OF KIN, B.R.M. No. 24/31





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