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Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 57509 Name (Surname) HOBGEN
 in full (Christian Name) ARTHUR GEORGE EDGAR
 Unit 4th Rfts. S. EGYPT
 Joined on 13 MAY 1918



Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

You are hereby warned that if after enlistment it is found that you have given a wilfully false answer to any question set forth in this Attestation Paper, you will be liable to be tried for the offence.

- What is your Name? ... Arthur George Edgar Hobgen
JOSEPH.
- In or near what Town were you born? ... Mounts
 In the State or Country of South Australia
- Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... Natural Born.
- What is your Age? (Date of birth to be stated) ... 19 Years.
23rd April 1898.
- What is your Trade or Calling? ... House painter.
- Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... NO
- Are you married, single, or widower? ... Single.
- Who is your next of kin? (Address and relationship to be stated) ... (Mother) HOBGEN ELIZABETH.
CARTER ST PROSPECT
South Australia
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South Australia
- What is your permanent address in Australia? ... South Australia
- 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 ... NO
Exempt Area.
- Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? ... NO
- Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? ... NO
- (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 in respect of your service beyond an amount which together with pay would reach ten shillings per day? ... NO
- Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against small pox and enteric fever? ... NO

I, Arthur Joseph Edgar Hobgen, 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 three fifths of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife and children.

Date 13 MAY 1918

E. Hobgen
 Signature of Person Enlisted.

* This clause should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 16 years of age.
 † Two-fifths must be allotted to the wife, and if there are children three-fifths must be allotted.

D.540/4.37.—C.2514.—DOM.

I have been informed that if I make any false statement I commit an offence against the Defence Act 1903-1917, and War Precautions Act 1914-1916, 41 (c).

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E. Hoggan

Recruit.

Description of *Arthur Joseph Casar. Hoggan* on Enlistment.

Age *19* years *—* months.

Height *5* feet *9 3/4* inches.

Weight *135* lbs.

Chest Measurement *32/35* inches.

Complexion *Medium.*

Eyes *Blue.*

Hair *Lt. Brown.*

Religious Denomination *Catholic*

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

No R of C of C
Scar. 4 L Infancy.

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; 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 *13 MAY 1918*

Place *ADELAIDE*

E. Hoggan

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

Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number... 57507

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Rank... *Sgt* Surname... *Hogben* Christian Name... *Arthur Joseph Edgar*
 Religion... Age on Enlistment... years... months
 Enlisted (a)... Terms of Service (a)... Service reckons from (a)...
 Date of promotion to present rank... Date of appointment to lance rank...
 Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b)...
 or Corps Trade and rate...
 Occupation... Signature of Officer...

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 103, Army Form A. 34, 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. 103, Army Form A. 34, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
1 17.8.18.	O/c Troops.	"for Sydney." Embarked	Sydney	17.8.18.	649-6-1
2 19.9.18	"	" " Disembarked	Bacon	19.9.18	" "
3 21.9.18	Cm. Sq. Lcp.	Mar in from Australia	Marseilles	"	14.12.93 DO 17/12/17
4 26.10.18	"	" out. to M.G. J. Spence	"	24.10.18	" 13630
5 "	M.G. Sq. Lcp.	" in.	"	"	" 13628
6 23.11.18	"	" to 1 allotted 1st AMES.	"	17.11.18	" 14144 DO 28/1/19
7 "	1st A.M.G.S.	Taken on Strength	Field	15.11.18	" 14163 DO 17/12/17
8		Embark HT "Orari" for Aust 1			
		10.5.19			

(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) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, etc.

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CASUALTY FORM ACTIVE SERVICE.

57509
Army Form B. 103.

Regiment or Corps 4th G.S.B. #4101st Am Lp Sqn
 Regimental No. 57509 Rank Pte Name HOG BEN Arthur Joseph Edgar
 Enlisted (a) 13 May 18 Terms of Service (a) Duration 24 mos Service reckons from (a) joining camp
 Date of Promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N.C.O.'s }
 Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b)

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.	Date.	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date.	From whom Received.				
14/8/18.	O.C. Troops	Embarked Port Sydney	Sydney	14/8/18	
19.9.18	O.C. Troops	Reembarked Port Sydney	Suez.	19.9.18	3649/6/1
21.9.18		Cen T-Dep MB in from Australia			
		ex Port Sydney Moascar	19.9.13 L.H.8093		
26.10.18	Cent Tng Dep	Tpr Mout to MCTG.	Moascar	24.10.18	L.H.8630
5 do	H.C. Tng Sq	Tpr Mout to MCTG.	do	24.10.18	L.H.8628
23.11.18	H.C. Tng Sq	Mout to 1st M.C. Sqn	do	17.11.18	2614144 RO 29/11/18
23.11.18	1st Am Lp	Taken on Strength	Itd	18.11.18	L.H.14165 RO 43/11/18
		To Embark HT "Orari" for Aust			
		15.5.19			

(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, &c., &c., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

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H O G B E N		Arthur Joseph Edgar		57509	4th G.S.
WAR GRAVITY SCHEDULE		Other Names. 38		Regimental No.	Reinfts. for Egypt Unit.
Pte.	P.B. 703434	PURPORT.	32	4th M.D.	AUTHORITY.
Embkd. Sydney per A. 15 "Port Sydney" 17.8.1918.					
18/11/18 Trans from Rfts to 1st M.C. Sqn 5634-6/19					
19.9.18 To Central Tng. Depot Moascar from Aust. (VE)					
18.11.18 Alltd. to 1st M.C. Sqn. (3058-7/19) "					
Embk. Kantara per H.T. Orari for Aust. 16/5/19. for Demobilization. KM.					
REFO 17/5-18					
REFO 28/1918					
REFO 17/3-19					

Transferred to

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 57509

Rank Plt. Name HOBGEN. A.J.E.

Unit 1st L. H. Max Gun. Sqn.

LIST.

Casualty

Relg to Ship from H.F. "Orari" embarked 18/5/19
E.S. STATION at Quinn 22/5/19 Rece d B.R. 27/5/19 Rece d Not stated R. G.
Returned to Australia per Orari
Disembarked at M.D. 16.6.19 list 24524

DATE

Form 8 103, Received

PURPORT.

5 JUN 1919

M.D.K. Advised returning to Australia. Form 8

30.9.19 "WILL" to 24424 M.D. M.4.6.19 24524

12.7.19 Discharged at M.D. 24

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HOGBEN, Arthur Joseph Edgar



Service no 57509

Trooper

1st Machine Gun Squad

Born 23 April 1898 at Mintaro, SA

Son of Elizabeth HOGBEN of 11 Carter Street, Prospect, SA

Occupation prior to enlistment Horse Driver

Enlisted 13 May 1918 at Adelaide, SA

Served in Egypt, Palestine, patrol duty, Egypt.

Returned to Australia 26 June 1919 per "Orari"

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