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IAN MILITARY FORCES.
AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD

No. 1679 Name MA SGT George Edward
Unit ~~4th Regt 3rd Light Horse~~
Joined on Sept. 11 1915

11th. Reim
3rd. Light
Horse

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation

1. What is your Name? ... George Edward Mason
2. In the Parish of ... in or near the Town of Arroona in the County South Australia
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... Yes
4. What is your age? ... 24 1/2 Years
5. What is your trade or calling? ... Farmer
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, Mrs Alice Hyle Mason, South Australia
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 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
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 ... No
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? ... No
14. (For married men, widowers with children, and soldiers who are the sole support of widowed wives)—Do you understand that on Separation Allowance will be granted to you after a certain period during your term of service? ... Yes
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... Yes

George Edward Mason 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 solemnly agree to allow not less than three fifths of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service the support of my wife and children

Date 1.9.15

G. E. Mason
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.

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Description of George Edward Mason on Enlistment

Age <u>27</u> years <u>4</u> months	DISTINCTIVE MARKS. <u>No R 1 E 6</u> <u>Face 4 E</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>6</u> inches	
Weight <u>131</u> lbs.	
Chest Measurement <u>33.35</u> inches	
Complexion <u>Tan</u>	
Eyes <u>Blue</u>	
Hair <u>Dark Brown</u>	
Religious Denomination <u>Method</u>	

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. 9. 15
Place Adelaine

R.D. Bennett
J.P. Burdett CAPTAIN S
Adams
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 Inf Depot

Date Sept 1915 A.H. Harper
Place Mitcham Commanding Sub Co

CHIEF COMMANDANT.

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Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 3rd Light Horse Regt. 1st Regt.
 Regimental No. 1679 Rank Private Name Mason George Edward
 Enlisted (a) _____ Terms of Service (a) _____ Service reckons from (a) _____
 Date of promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os. }
 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					
	Taken on strength.	1st L.H.R.R.	H'opolis.	1.3.16	Nom. Roll	05/1151
21.4.16	1. LHTR	Trans 4th Div. Artillery	Serrapeum	21/4/16	AP7423	015/2946. ¹⁻⁴⁻¹⁶
29/4/16	4th Dab	T.O.S. of 4th Dab posted to N ^o 2. Sect.	"	"	B213. AL 51355	2/626. 25.5.16
27/5/16	"	Wounded in River Tank. O C HMT Proc to Join BEF	"	24/5/16 24/5/16	" AL 2495	DO 4/1540 ^{24/5/16}
		CRIANA Disembark'd	Alexandria	6 6 16	AC1591	
9/7/16	4 Dab	Appt'd Driver	Marseilles	13 6 16	LA 5609	
			I.T.F.	14/5/16	A9992	DO 7/2516 ^{19.7.16}
14/2/17	4 Dab	Trans Field Amb	"	22/2/17	D30/8	DO 10/1219 ^{7.2.17}
28/2/17	H.S. Lt Patrick	Embarked for Eng. I.C.T. foot B	Rouen	28/2/17	AK1011/16	DO 10/1132 ^{7.5.17}

(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, Shoing Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

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No. 1679

Rank Driver Imp Name MASON, G. E.

Unit 4th D.A. Column

Casualty 167 feet, severe Adms 13.7.40 1st Southern Gen Hosp
Wound 407/544SE. London 9/3/17

Transferred to 1st Southern Gen Hosp London 9/3/17
Wound 407/544SE. London 9/3/17
Returned to duty 1/1/18
M.D. 6.6.19

DATE	Form B. 103. Received	PURPORT	REF. NO.
14 MAR 1917	M.O.K. Admitted in Hospital 1/3/17		
9.4.17	M.O.K. Admitted in Hospital		
27 MAY 1919	M.O.K. Admitted returning to Australia from 4/6		
	Discharged 4th M. Det		

WAR HISTORY INDEX

1914/1918 Star issued W.R.M. 43/1229

L. Mason



LIST.

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Date	From whom received				
1/3/17	London Gen	adm. (ICT [rest])	England	1/3/17	DDRE 13/3/17
30.4.17	L. G. Statham	To Turolo 30.4.17 to 15.5.17	"	15.5.17	969
15.5.17	1st Lt Gen	Adm 15.5.17	"	15.5.17	D.O. 21.9.20/17
28.5.17	2nd Lt CD.	Arr on 2 from Turolo Class R. 17.	"	28.5.17	3253 LR 3399
28.5.17	do	Sick to 1st Gen Hook (leave on Turolo)	"	15.5.17	LR 3399
2/7/17	R B A A LARK HILL	PROCEEDED OVERSEAS to FRANCE	FOLKESTON	2/7 17	B231 LR4951 DD. 30E. 16. 7. 17. -555
7.7.17.	A.G.B.D.	Marched out to 4th Div	Rowley	3.7.17.	B. 213 B. 60/28
14.7.17	B. 213 4th Div	Requires unit from hospital	do	6.7.17.	B. 60/28
14.7.17	do	by A. & B. Lt.	Sheel	7.7.17	D. 30/38 10 30/34.21 20.7.17
7/6/18	do	Still with unit	do	7/6/18	55/4219/5
24/8/18	do	On leave to UK	do	20/8/18	55/4219/5
14/9/18	do	Returned from leave	do	6/9/18	A 30/89
5.3.19	"	on/out for return to Aust	"	4.3.19	200/14