

27 FEB 1917 FIT FOR ACTIVE SERVICE.

Raymond

AUSTRALIAN



~~DENTAL "A" CLASS~~

MILITARY FORCES.
A. H. Home Lieut
Railway Unit.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

WAR GRATUITY SCHEDULE 65 / 172 / 3527

ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD.

No. 1574 Name Mc LAREN - WILLIAM HENRY WATSON
S10784 Unit _____
Joined on 26 FEB 1917

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your name? ... William Henry Watson McLaren
2. In the Parish of _____ in or near the Town of Adelaide 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 years
5. What is your trade or calling? ... Driver S.A.R.
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... No
7. Are you married? ... Yes 2 children
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... (wife) MCLAREN MAUDE EVELYN
STANMON PL ADELAIDE
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 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 £1 per day? ... Yes
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against small pox and enteric fever? ... Yes.

William Henry Watson McLaren 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 26 FEB 1917 Wm H. W. McLaren
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 William Henry Watson McGlaser on Enlistment.

Age 28 years _____ months
 Height 5 feet 8 1/2 inches
 Weight 135 lbs.
 Chest Measurement 33.35 inches
 Complexion Medium
 Eyes Brown
 Hair Dark
 Religious Denomination C of Christ

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Vis. R $\frac{4}{6}$ L $\frac{6}{6}$
 Voice. 3h

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 FEB 26 1917

Place ADELAIDE

W. H. Watson
 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 _____

Statement of Service No. 1524 Name McLAREN William Benny Watson

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank		Remarks
		From	To	
<u>B Co 1st Chm</u>	<u>Pvt</u>	<u>26.2.17</u>	<u>28.2.17</u>	
<u>A. S. M</u>	<u>Corporal.</u>	<u>26.2.17</u>	<u>15.5.17</u>	<u>para. 9.</u>
<u>Langwarrin rd</u> <u>M Coy 2nd Bn</u> <u>Broadmeadows</u>		<u>1.5.17</u>	<u>23.7.17</u>	<u>Broadmeadows</u>
		<u>23/17</u>		

DATE OF DISCHARGE :- 27th JULY 1917.
 REASONS FOR DISCHARGE :- "SERVICES NO LONGER RE-
 "REQUIRED."
 CONDUCT :- GOOD.
 SERVICE :- 162 DAYS.
 CERTIFICATE NUMBER :- V/B/1655.
Broadmeadows 924.

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

McAuliffe
 Colonel
 G. O. 2nd Depot Battalion

J. B. Leonard
 MAJOR.
 G. O. 2ND DEPOT BATTALION,
 BROADMEADOWS, VICTORIA.

WM/KP.

12 JAN 1929

Dear Sir,

In reply to your communication dated 5th January, 1929,
I have to advise that you are not eligible for the award of War
Medals, as you did not embark for active service abroad.

Yours faithfully,

Captain,
Officer i/c Base Records.

Mr. W.H.W. McLaren,
Grove Street,
PETERBOROUGH, Sth. Aust.

TELEPHONE—CENTRAL 4780.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.—3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

PLEASE ADDRESS REPLY
TO "HEAD-QUARTERS,
3RD MILITARY DISTRICT."

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE
No. *C.M.F. 3RD MILITARY DISTRICT*

HEAD-QUARTERS.

4017/1/4461

~~XXXXXXXX~~ 2nd Depot Battalion
Broadmeadows
26-7-1917

From U.O. 2nd Depot Battalion.

To U.O. Camp,

BROADMEADOWS
JUL 28 1917
6/33

Herewith attestation Papers (2), Training Card,
Conduct Sheet, and allotment Form of

No. 1659
JUL 26 1917
2nd Depot Batta.

810784 Cpl McLAREN William Henry Watson (late
4th Railway Unit)

Discharge Certificate No V/B/1633 attached for confirmation

Broadmeadows
26-7-1917

J. Bleyard Major.
U.O. 2nd Depot Battalion.

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D.H.Q. 3rd M.D. Herewith completed attestation
papers of Cpl. McLAREN, William Henry Watson, discharged
from A.I.F. (4th Railway Section) on 27th July, 1917.

RECEIVED
90 JUL 1917
D.O.R. 3RD M.D.

Broadmeadows,
27/7/17.

J.H. Oakes Colonel
O.C. Troops, Broadmeadows

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