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MILITARY FORCES.

# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

## ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD.

No. 3683 Name MC MANUS BERNARD  
*512393* Unit 10/50th Inf  
 Joined on 17.17

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

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| 1. What is your name? ...  | 1. <u>Bernard Mc Manus.</u>   |
| 2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ...   | 2. In the Parish of <u>Gilberton</u> in or near the Town of _____ 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>Yes. Admiral Bonn</u>   |
| 4. What is your age? ...   | 4. <u>35 10/12 Years</u>  |
| 5. What is your trade or calling? ...  | 5. <u>Laborer.</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>No.</u>   |
| 8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ...<br><small>The answer to this question shall not be construed as in the nature of a Will.</small>  | 8. <u>SISTER:- MRS LUCY SMITH</u><br><u>VICTORIA ST</u><br><u>PROSPECT, 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>No</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. <del>For married men, widowers with children, and soldiers who are the sole support of widowed mothers)</del><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. _____   |
| 15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ...  | 15. <u>Yes.</u>   |

*3* Bernard Mc Manus 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.

*Sally* 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 18-7-17  
*Sally*

*Mc Manus*  
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 Bernard McManus on Enlistment.

Age 35 years 10 months  
 Height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches  
 Weight 144 lbs.  
 Chest Measurement 36 1/2 inches  
 Complexion fair  
 Eyes blue  
 Hair brun  
 Religious Denomination A.C.

## DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Scar under Left R. wrist  
3. Trace R. arm  
2 1/2 R 6/9 L 1/6

## 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 1-7-17

Place Mural Bay

H. W. Sweetapple  
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer. Capt

## 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 \_\_\_\_\_



1913 Eng  
list 132  
27/5/18

Statement of Service No. 3683 Name M. MAIUS Bernard

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank		Remarks
		From	To	
E. Coy. MITOHAM. 10/50 <sup>th</sup> H.M. Thermistocks	Privates	10-7-17	1-8-17	158/11
	Pte	1-8-17		169/11
	A 32. Embarked Melbourne Disembarked Glasgow 2-10-17 LR SI	4-8-17		
P6	Wain to 13 <sup>th</sup> Coy Dtk Godford from Alst. ex H.M. A.T. "A 32."	3-10-17		LR. 9600 31/17 DO 82/5380E
	Pte. Advance A.W.S. from "A 32" 11 am to 4-30 pm. 5/9/17 Award Forfeits 1 day by Col. G. Dean - 7-8-17	7-9-17		80.51 26-11-17 DO 88/58701 E.
50 <sup>th</sup> Bn	Proceeded from France via Southampton ex 15 <sup>th</sup> Laker Coalport	16/1/18		2628. 204/273 E 24/1/18
	Pte. S.O.S. of 50 <sup>th</sup> Bn. A.I.T. from 10 <sup>th</sup> Reinf. 50 <sup>th</sup> Bn	France 26-1-18		DO 2/1384. 5/2/18
	Pte. Admt 1 <sup>st</sup> Stn Coy HP Monyhull. Sect G.S.W. Hq	Bham. 8-5-18		W 3720 HR 246 DO 58/1332 E 16/5/18
50 <sup>th</sup>	Pte. Wded in action	France 27-4-18		DO 18/1519. 8/5/18
50 <sup>th</sup>	Pte Adm Hsq Lofb. ex 4 m. Unit	France 29-4-18		2019/2112 22/5/18
50 <sup>th</sup>	Pte Invalided to H.Q. S.W. Buttock	7-5-18		2019/2118 22/5/18
	Pte			
	RETURN TO AUSTRALIA Per NESTOR. For B.V.R. High	Eng 12-12-18		Lx 968. J.B. 603 R. 3/12/18. # 90749.
	Discharged H. M.D.	MU. 25.3.21		HJ

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

5669 Pte MC MANUS, B. (4) 50th Btn

Ret "Nestor" 1.2.19 (STILL ON THE STRENGTH OF THE A.I.F. UNDERGOING TREATMENT AT 7TH AGH)

BRM 51/179 //

DISSEMBARKED.....

M.D. ....

POST No. ....

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Service and Casualty  
Form.  
PART I.

300 a-5/18-12244.

Nothing to be written in this Margin.

(1) PRESENT UNIT	50th Battalion		(2) Regtl. No. 3683
(3) Present Rank	Pte.	(4) SURNAME	McMANUS
(5) Decorations		(6) Christian Names.	Bernard

Particulars.

(7) Date of Enlistment	1/7/17	(8) Place of Enlistment:	Murat Bay, S.A.
(9) Age on Enlistment	35 Years 10 Months	(10) Any subsequent claim as to age after verification of Birth Certificate	Auth. C.R. / /
(11) Birthplace	Gilberton S.A.	(12) Religion	R.C.
(14) Trade or Calling	Laborer	(13) If Married	NO
(16) Date of Embarkation from Australia	4-8-17	(15) If an Apprentice	NO
(18)		(17) Whereabouts of Next of Kin, i.e. Australia or Abroad	Aust. ✓
(19)			
(20)		(21) Special Notification Card No.	
(22)			



**CASUALTY FORM - ACTIVE SERVICE.**

Army Form B. 103.

Regiment or Corps 10/50 Batta  
 Regimental No. 3683 Rank Pte Name Mc MANUS Bernard  
 Enlisted (a) 1.7.17 Terms of Service (a) Duration of War Service reckons from (a) 10/7/17  
 Date of Promotion to } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }  
 present rank } to lance rank } 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.					
	O.C.	Embarked	Melbourne	4.8.17	CARD	
	Troops	Disembarked	Glasgow	2.10.17	4.10.17	
3	7.10.17	13 <sup>th</sup> Aug Bn.	Pte M. 1. from Aust. 2x	Codford	5.10.17	D.O. 69/E 8/11/17
	8.9.17	W.M.A.S. A 22	Pte. Offence at Sea "A" 32 <sup>nd</sup> 9/17	At Sea	4.9.17	ER 9600 D.O. 88/2501. 26/11/17
2	16.1.18.	26.13 La 10n	Pte Proceeded from France	Southampton	16.1.18.	S. 628. D.O. 4/273 E 24/1/18.
4	17.1.18	4 <sup>th</sup> A.I.B.D.	Marched in England	do	17.1.18	
5	19.1.18	4 <sup>th</sup> A.I.B.D.	Pro: to Join Unit.	do	19.1.18	
7	3/2/18	CO 50TH BN	TAKEN ON STRENGTH	FIELD	26/1/18	D 21/57 DO 5/384

(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.

[P.T.O.]

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Date.	From whom Received.						
8. 5.5.18.	<b>U. O. En.</b>	<b>Wounded in action In The Field</b>			27/4/18	E.	20 21/70. A.O. 18/1889
9. 27.4.18	28 3rd Amb.	S.M. Buttock	Adm. 2of2	do	11	27.4.18	AK. 2807 <b>U698</b>
10. 4.5.18.	47 C.C.S.	do.	Adm. 1st	do.	8	28.4.18.	AK. 2625.
11. 29.4.18.	11 4th. Hoop	do.	Adm. To England.	Rouen	9	29.4.18	- 2635. <b>DO 19/2112.</b>
12. 7.5.18.	Canstbrook Castle	(No.) Embarked for England.	Adm.	France.	10	7.5.18	do. <b>DO 19/2012.</b>
13. 9.5.18	1st Stn. Gen Hoop.	Pte. Admt. G.S.W. Hip.	Stonykull. Sel. D. Ham	do	12	8.5.18.	28.720. NR. 246. DO 38/1332 E 16/5/18
14. 14.9.18.	1st Aux Hoop	Pte. Trans. 1st Aux. Hoop	Starefield	do	13	14.9.18.	HR 501
15. do.	do.	Pte. Admt. G.S.W. Rt. High. flesh.	do	do	14	14.9.18.	HR. 919
		Dis. to hos. B. Depot. W'mouth	do	do	17	22.10.18.	
16. 24.10.18	N/2. G. D.	Pte. m. 1. fm. 1st. A. D. H. Starefield	Starefield	do	15	10.10.18.	R. B. 8989
13.11.18.	22. N/2. G. D.	Pte. m. 1. fm. Hoop.	do	do	15	12.10.18	R. B. 9688.

RETURN TO AUSTRALIA  
 For "NESTOR"  
 For Officer. 1/c. Records.

31.12.18, J.B. 605 R.

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 12.12.18 **EX 968**  
 7. Holloway

6/1/19  
 Adm. Hd. Qrs. London

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# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 3683

Rank Private Name McMANUS. B.

Unit 50th Battalion

LIST. 1st Casualty WOUNDED OIBL 2500, 1415<sup>B</sup> dated London 4/5/18 received P. 6/5/18 RLS

Left hip Actual condition not stated Adm. 8/5/18 1st Southern Coy  
Capt McSmyth Section WSM 20/1563<sup>B</sup> dated Lond. 12/3/18 received B.R. 22/5/18

Protg. to Aust. per H. T. "Nestor" embarked 12/12/18 Invalid Int  
C.S.R. L. 3096/5075 dated London 31/12/18 Rec. B.R. 2/1/19

*Died 24/3/52 amp'd at Gravesdun No 114 Page 0  
of 16th June 502*

DATE	PURPORT	REF. NO.
MAY 9 1918	W. O. K. Advised Wounded	
MAY 27 1918	W. O. K. Advised in Hospital	
14 JAN 1919	W. O. K. Advised returning to Australia, Form Returned to Australia per A. "Nestor" List 181 Disembarked 1.2.19. <u>W. D.</u> proceeded to B meadow awaiting Transport to <u>4/1/19</u> <u>Row R thigh B</u>	
1-11-19	<u>will to O.A.S. 4 M.D. 457895</u> <u>22620</u> <u>DAAG 4MO queued re disposal</u>	
15-3-21	Discharged ..... <u>M.D.</u>	

WAR HISTORY INDEX

*Still on the strength of the A.I.F. undergoing treatment at 7.1918*

