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ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD

No. ~~B 4200~~ 3216 Name MICHAEL Sydney
Unit 4/24th
Joined on 3rd Aug 1915

7th. Reinfs
27th. Battalion.

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... 1. Sydney Michael
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... 2. In the Parish of Stirling North in or near the Town of Stirling North in the County of South Aust
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. 24 years
5. What is your trade or calling? ... 5. Farmer
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. (Father) Mr John Henry Michael
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) Widow Mrs John Michael and three children 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 mothers)—Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued to you after embarkation during your term of service? ... 14. No
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... 15. Yes

Sydney Michael 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 allow 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 19-7-15

Sydney Michael
Signature of Person Enlisted.

* This clause should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 15 years of age.
† Two-fifths must be allotted to the wife, and if there are children three-fifths must be allotted.

Description of Sydney Michael on Enlistment

Age 29 years 8 months
Height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches
Weight 112 lbs.
Chest Measurement 33 1/2 inches
Complexion Fair
Eyes Brown
Hair Fair
Religious Denomination Methodist

DISTINCTIVE MARKS:

No R. 6 L. 6
Face Nil
Scar on Back

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 normal; he has the free use of his joints and limbs; and he declares he is not afflicted with any of the above conditions.

I consider him fit for active service.

Date 19-7-15
Place REPOW

Robert Bullen CAPTAIN
H. P. Durrell
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 17 Coy 2nd Depot Batt

Date 3 Aug 1915
Place Abertcham

H. Marshall
Commanding Officer
CAMP COMMANDANT.

Certified true copy

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No. 3216 Name MICHAEL Sydney
 Unit 7th REIN 27 BTN
 27 th. Btn Joined on 3 Aug 1915

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... 1. Sydney Michael
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... 2. In the Parish of _____ in of _____
near the Town of Sterling North
in the County of South Aust.
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—if the latter, papers to be shown) ... 3. NB
4. What is your age? ... 4. 29 1/2 yrs
5. What is your trade or calling? ... 5. Farmer
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. (Father) Mr John Henry Michael
HILLTOWN of Sterling North
Via Cape St Aust
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 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? ... 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. Up
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's service? If so, on what grounds? ... 13. No
14. (For married men and widowers with children)—Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued to you either before or after embarkation during your term of service? ... 14. —
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against Smallpox and Enteric Fever? ... 15. Up

I, Sydney Michael 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 19. 7. 15.

S. Michael
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.

4TH MILITARY DISTRICT
 A.G. A. 370 8516

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Officer in Charge,
 Base Records,
 Victoria Barracks,
 MELBOURNE.

The under-mentioned soldier has been handed his discharge, Medical Board Proceedings and other documents, as follows, forwarded herewith: - B179, B178, B122, A29, Record Card.

No. 3216 Rank. Pte. Name. Michael, S.

Unit. 7/27th Battalion.

Date of Attestation. 3/8/15

Date of Embarkation. 12/1/16

Date of Disembarkation. 2/1/17

Loc. Themistocles,

Reason For Discharge. MEDICALLY UNFIT (NOT DUE TO MISCONDUCT)

Date of Discharge. 21/9/17

Total Service. 2 years 50 days

Service Abroad. 1 year 172 days

Character. Good.

Account Adjusted in PART -



W. A. Thompson

LIEUT.

S.O. INVALIDS & STRAYED SOLDIERS. 4th M.D.



3216

MICHAEL. S.

27th Bn





MICHAEL, Sydney



Service no 3216
Private
27th Battalion

Born 03 November 1885 at Stirling North, Port Augusta, SA
Son of Mary & John Henry MICHAEL of Gloucester St., Prospect
Occupation prior to enlistment Farmer
Enlisted 03 August 1915 at Keswick, SA
Served in Egypt, France & Belgium
Contracted heart trouble and invalided to Keyghly Hospital, Yorkshire.
Returned to Australia 02 July 1917 and discharged as medically unfit.

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