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AUSTRALIAN



43 Bn  
MILITARY FORCES  
*Graves Regt*

# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

## ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD.

No. 3101

Name MOSS HAYWARD SEYMOUR

Unit 743rd Inf

GRAVES REGIMENT

Joined on MAR 31 1917

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

1. What is your name? ... Hayward Seymour Moss
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ...  
in the Parish of \_\_\_\_\_ in or  
near the Town of Prospect  
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? ... 18 Years
5. What is your trade or calling? ... Storeman
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) MOSS ELIZABETH  
HARVEY STREET PROSPECT  
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 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? ... 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. ... 18 Months Senior Cadets
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 £4- per day?~~ ... Yes
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... Yes

Hayward Seymour Moss 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 MAR 31 1917

H. S. Moss  
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.

Description of Hayward Seymour Mason on Enlistment.

Age <u>18</u> years - months	DISTINCTIVE MARKS. <u>V. 2 R 40 2 40</u> <u>None in L.</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>5 1/2</u> inches	
Weight <u>148</u> lbs.	
Chest Measurement <u>35 3/4</u> inches	
Complexion <u>Medium</u>	
Eyes <u>Blue</u>	
Hair <u>Brown</u>	
Religious Denomination <u>Meth</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 MARCH 1917

Place ADELAIDE

Eved J. Gray  
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 7/103<sup>rd</sup> Inf.

Date 23/6/17

Place Mitcham A.F. Camp

Commanding

W. J. Smith  
OC 7403 INFANTRY, A.I.F.





Original  
Duplicate.

### APPLICATION TO ENLIST IN THE AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

To the Recruiting Officer

at Town Hall

(OFFICIAL STAMP.)

I, Rayward Seymour Moss

hereby offer myself for Enlistment in the Australian Imperial Force for Active Service Abroad, and undertake to enlist in the manner prescribed, if I am accepted by the Military Authorities, within one month from ~~the~~ the hereof.

POSTAL ADDRESS

Harvey St  
Prospect

Signature

R. S. Moss

Occupation

Storeman

Date

March 30<sup>th</sup> 1917

(For Identification purposes the above space should be filled in personally by the Applicant.)

#### CONSENT OF PARENTS OR GUARDIANS. (For Persons under 21 years of age.)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I approve of the above application, and consent to the enlistment of my <sup>son</sup> ~~daughter~~ for Active Service Abroad.

Statement regarding Death or Absence of either or both Parents.

Samuel Moss, father of the above son, died Jan 14<sup>th</sup> 1916

Father's Signature

Mother's Signature

Eloizabeth Moss

or

Guardian's Signature

#### PERSONAL PARTICULARS.

Age— yrs. mos. Height— ft. ins.

Chest Measurement (fully expanded)—

Married. Widower. Single.

inches.

#### PRELIMINARY MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Decision of Medical Authority { FIT for Active Service.  
UNFIT, for the following reasons:—

Place \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Medical Authority.

I Concur

Place \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of M.O. at Central Recruiting Depot.

#### CERTIFICATE OF RECRUITING OFFICER.

I CERTIFY that I have this day provisionally ACCEPTED ~~REJECTED~~ this applicant for enlistment in the Australian Imperial Force.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Recruiting Officer.

Place \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

A.I.F. 22  
 Form B1 Part I.  
 Casualty  
 Form  
 PART I.  
 4-18-122

Nothing to be written in this Margin.

(1) PRESENT UNIT	<del>43 Bn</del> <i>43 Bn</i>		(2) Regt. No.	3101
(3) Present Rank	<del>Private</del> <i>Private</i>		(4) SURNAME	MOSS
(5) Decorations		(6) Christian Names.	Hayward Seymour	
<u>Particulars.</u> 400433				
(7) Date of Enlistment	<del>1-3-17</del> <i>31-3-17</i>		(8) Place of Enlistment	Adelaide S Aust
(9) Age on Enlistment	18	Years	(10) Any subsequent claim as to age after verification of Birth Certificate	Auth. C.R.    /    / Years    Months
(11) Birthplace	Prospect S Aust		(12) Religion	Meth
(14) Trade or Calling	Storeman		(13) If Married	No
(15) Date of Embarkation from Australia	23-6-17		(15) If an Apprentice	No
(18)		(17) Whereabouts of Next of Kin, i.e. Australia or Abroad	AUST ✓	
(20)		(21) Special Notification Card No.		
(22)				

**CASUALTY FORM - ACTIVE SERVICE.**

3107

Regiment or Corps 4<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion 7<sup>th</sup> Div.  
 Regimental No. 3101 Rank Pte Name Moss, Heywood Seymour  
 Enlisted (a) 31.3.14 Terms of Service (a) 4 months Service reckons from (a) 31.3.14  
 Date of Promotion to present rank } Date of appointment to lance rank } Numerical position on roll of N.C.O.s }  
 Extended and 8-1-18 Re-engaged 11/11/18 Qualification (b) 6/13/51

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.				
6.14	C.O. Troops	Embarked <u>Amat A 30 Borda</u>	Adelaide	23.6.14	LR7314 (1)
		Disembarked	Plymouth	25.8-17 25.8-11	(2)
2.9.17	11 <sup>th</sup> Eng Bn	Pte. M. J. from Aust.	Larkhill	26.8.17	100 635 26.10.17 LR7678 132/3 (3)
11.11.17	10 <sup>th</sup> Eng Bn	Pte. M. J. from 11 <sup>th</sup> Eng Bn	Sutton Mandeville	5.11.17	L.R. 10410. S.O. 2410. 28 (4)
7-12-17	10 <sup>th</sup> Eng Bn	Pte. proceeded Overseas to France via Sutton Mandeville	Wimbor	27-12-17	L.R. 11716. 69/15 1/234 3/12 81 (5) 9
28.2.17	A.L.B.D.	Pte. Marched in Ex. England	Harve	28-12-17	PX 135 33 (6)
30.2.17	A.L.B.D.	" Marched out to unit.	"	30-12-17	PX 135 51 (7)
5-1-18	C.O. 45 <sup>th</sup> Bn	Taken on Strength 45 <sup>th</sup> Bn.	In the Field.	4-1-18	C 23/65 80. 3/38 (8)
		To Hospital Sick		11-2-18	C 23/41 9/98 (9)

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. (P.T.O.)



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Date.	From whom Received.				
14-2-18	10 A.F.A.	Pte Adm Scabies To D.R.I.	In the Field.	14 2 18/A.A. 2236/68	(10)
"	D.R.B.	Adm (Scabies) To duty	"	14 2 18	(11)
22-2-18				14 2 18/A.A. 2236/66	(12)
2-3-18	Le.O.H.B. Km	Rejoined 43 <sup>rd</sup> Bn. Still with Unit.		22 2 18 2356/11.	(13)
				22 2 18 C22/43 1/119	(14)
26-10-18		Pte. Appointed Lt Pte.		15 10 18 C22/107 20.05/1605 '18	(15)
14-12-18		Lt Pte. Eng on Leave Rejoined 43 <sup>rd</sup> Bn.		7 12 18 C22/114	(16)
14-1-19		Det to A'ville Regiment		29 12 18 C22/117	(17)
8-3-19		Rejoined 43 <sup>rd</sup> Bn.		5 3 19 C22/116	(18)
22-3-19		Det to Aust Graves date		15-3-19 C22/128	(19)
12-4-19		Attached to Graves	France	9 4 19 20.06/1919	(20)
10-11-19	Now Done Graves Reg. Detachment	Registration Detachment from 13 Bati.		10.4.19 9952/1177 20.08/1503 30.5/19	(21)
23-6-19	Surcodes.	Repta Hdqrs 22.6.19 ex France duty granted leave & to rep Hdqrs	London.		H.P.45 14.19
9-16-19	L213	App Proceedings Cardiff Show	France	86.19. 279/10	(22)

(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

Regiment or Corps CPAVES REG D, MENT Regimental Number 3101  
\*Substantive Rank *W/Capt* surname *Moss* Christian Names *Hayward A.*

\*Acting Rank  
\*\* To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration.

To be folded on this line.  
Nothing to be written in this margin.

A 1034 W. 10125 P. 1007 3/11/46. 110 125 G. V. W. J. C. 9/7/73

(A) Report		(B) Authority of Part II, of Orders	(C) Record of promotions, appointments, reductions, casualties, transfers, postings, &c. All acting as well as substantive promotions to be shown, for method of entry of which see A.C.I. Bill of 1917. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	(D) Place of casualty	(E) Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, casualty, &c.	(F) Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
Date	From whom received					
<i>24</i> 5.7.19	<i>A.I.F. Headquarters</i>	<i>W/Capt</i>	<i>20th Corps overseas</i>	<i>Aug</i>	<i>5.7.19</i>	<i>W.X. 6279.</i>
<i>25</i> 5.7.19	<i>W/O. Lee</i>	<i>W/Capt</i>	<i>20th Corps overseas</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>5.7.19</i>	<i>W.X. 6207.</i>
<i>26</i> 20.8.19	<i>B213</i>	<i>W/Capt</i>	<i>Went for R.Y.A</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>17.8.19</i>	<i>E 79/17</i>
<i>27</i> -do-	<i>-do-</i>	<i>W/Capt</i>	<i>Detached to #3 Bn</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>17.8.19</i>	<i>E 79/17</i>
<i>28</i> 22-8-19	<i>APQ Group</i>	<i>W/Capt</i>	<i>in front France</i>	<i>do</i>	<i>20/8/19</i>	<i>L E 7015</i>
<i>29</i> 18.9.19	<i>1st AD Coy</i>	<i>W/Capt</i>	<i>down V. 20</i>		<i>18.9.19</i>	<i>VR 177 1B</i>
<b>RETURN TO AUSTRALIA</b>						
<i>Went for Capt <del>Reade</del> Meston.</i>						<i>1/11/19</i>
<i>Total V.D. Period. \$ (entry 29)</i>						<i>\$</i>



Transferred to

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# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 3101

Rank L/Cpl Name Moss, H. S.

Unit 43<sup>rd</sup> Battr.

LIST.

Casualty Rely. in Aust. for H.F. "Niter" embarked 11/11/19  
C.S.B.L. 3650/6751, Mid Lon. 4/11/19 Rec. B.R. 10/11/19 Discharged

Returned to Australia per A. Norton Liner 366  
Discharged 4 M.D. 12/12/19 CH

DATE	Form 100 received	PURPOSE.
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15/11/19 M.O.K. advised Returning to Australia, Form P

20/1/20 Discharged 4 M.D. CH

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