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Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 744 18 Name Osborne, Rupert Lancelot
 Unit North Divⁿ Train 4th Coy. A.S.C.
 Joined on 19 Aug 1914

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

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| 1. What is your Name? | 1. <u>Osborne - Rupert Lancelot</u> |
| 2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? | 2. In the Parish of <u>North Adelaide</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 Naturalised British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) | 3. <u>Nat born</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | 4. <u>Twenty</u> |
| 5. What is your trade or calling? | 5. <u>blank</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) | 8. <u>Ernest Albert Osborne (Father) Bloncourt St. Prospect Pa.</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>20th A.S.C. a.m.d. 3 years as privet.</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. (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. _____ |

I, Rupert Lancelot Osborne 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 Aug 1914

R. L. Osborne
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.

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Description of Osborne Raper Lancelot on Enlistment.

Age 19 years 1 1/2 months
Height 5 feet 10 inches
Weight 150 lbs.
Chest Measurement 37 inches
Complexion Dark
Eyes Brown
Hair Dark Brown
Religious Denomination Anglican

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

No Vacc marks

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 5th 9-14

Place Morpville

Alfred M. M. M. M. M.
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 A. A. S. C.

Date 19-8-14

Place Morpville

H. H. H. H. H.
Commanding 1st Lt. 6. 1st/6. Div. 1st

Embarked from Aust. 19.10.14

Statement of Service of No. 844 Name

W. Stone R.L.

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks
		From	To	
4th A.A.S.C.	Rank on Embarkation	Private	1st Lt. 1st Regt	
	Admitted to H.M.T. Lat 200 with (Synovitis) of knee	18.5.15		Pt II 4/14 18/6/15
	ADMITTED to HOSPITAL with Synovitis	13/5/15		Pt II 6/25 28/5/15
	Disch. from Egypt for H.M.T. to Central Camp	16/5/15		Pt II 6/25 28/5/15
	to 15th to 2nd from Central Camp	27/5/15		Pt II 27 18/7/15
	ADMITTED to HOSPITAL Gallipoli.	12/7/15		Pt II 29/7/15 21/118
	ADMITTED to HOSPITAL with streptococcal	12/7/15 21/7/15		Pt II 23/143 12/8/15
	Adm. 14th Hosp. with N.Y.D.	13.3.16		Pt II 407 22.3.16
	Rejoined unit from Hospital	13.3.16		Pt II 415 22.3.16
	Disch. to light duty on 16.19 from Hospital	2.4.16		Pt II 422 13.4.16
	Adm. 15th Tull. Det. at Hosp. (V.D.)	12.4.16	Cairo	Pt II 424 6.5.16
	* Joined 42nd Base Depot Mustapha 200 Helwan Base Depot.	1.4.16		Pt II 426 12.5.16
	Disch. to duty on 15th Tull. Det. at Hosp. (In Det. at Mustapha) Det. at 23.4.16	23.4.16		Pt II 425 15.5.16
	Total no. of days lost of pay 17.			
	Ref. P.O. 5. Base Depot			
4th A.A.S.C.	To be 2nd Lt. 19.8.16	19.8.16		Pt II 10/198 7/1/16
4th A.A.S.C.	2nd Lt. 19.8.16	19.8.16	London	Pt II 10/198 7/1/16
	Promoted 2nd Lt. with extra duty pay from	19/11/16		Pt II 10/198 27/12/16
	2nd Lt. transferred to 6th Reg. train for A.A.S.C.T.D.	19.11.16	Parkhouse	Pt II 10/198 27/12/16
4/6/17	30th A.A.S.C. Parkhouse	Taken on strength ex 4th A.A.S.C.	England	Pt II 10/198 27/12/16 D.O. 1/8. 13-6-17

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

844 Osborne R L

Ref. 30^E Coy. P. I. C. D. O. 2/80E
dated 7/7/17. which reads
P/Cpl reduced to rank
of Pte. 16/4/17. Amad to
read. Reduced to rank
of Dvr. 16/4/17.
All subsequent entries
affected by this entry
to be read accordingly.

DO 116/ E 6/11/18
LR 2295.

~~Ret. Returns to Aust. for 3 1/2
for 1914 special leave.~~

Eng 3.12.18

L1584
188290
A 8390.

Entitled to 1914/15 Star. *Subsequent*

7502 Fg-117

P.B. No. 152493/7

Statement of Service of No. 844 Name Osborne L. L.

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
30 th Coy. A.S.C.	Left active service at accident of duty forming a platoon to leave guard room after retreat. Award reduced to the rank of Private ^{Private} 1st Lt. at Portland 10.4.17		10.4.17	11.2295 D.O. 20E 7.7.17
30 th Coy. A.S.C.	Ref. D.O. 461 E 6/11/18 Discharged to 4 th Coy. A.S.C. ER 1447661 Do.		17.8.17	2R. 4843. D.O. 402E 18.8.17
4 th Coy. A.P.S.C. checked 2/17	Private) Trans. K. H. 1785 Larkhill (Aust. C.R. 2500(R) Coy. Driver T.O.S. of City Detts from the 4 th Coy. A.S.C. in Larkhill Concert rank 7 to A.S.C. Parkhouse 9.11.17. of B.M.		10.10.17	1R 9425. 1st A. Det. 3rd A.S.C. D.O. 10-11-17 464164 E 6-11-17
	R B A A PROCEEDED O.S.E.s TO FRANCE LARKHILL		2.11.17	DO 11/17 L.R. 10113
	Proc O.S.E.s. France via Hampton 2/11/17		2/11/17	L.R. 10713 and 10714 D.O. 48 5/16E 15.11.17
	Driver 7013 of 3rd Army Bde Aust Field Art (ex Artillery Detts) from Depot Gen B/are depot.		10.11.17	DD49 6.12.17 3505 Rowen 3rd Army Bde
	Charged when on active service, absenting himself without leave from 12.30 pm on 12.11.17 to 6.30 pm on 13.11.17. Finding guilty. Sentence 28 days F.P. No 2. 12.11.18. Confirmation. Confirmed by Brig. Gen W. Ramsay Mc Nicholl. 13.1.18. 17.11.18 awaiting trial. 27.11.17 to 11.1.18.		12.1.18	2/04/393 4.2.18 S.D. 3.2.18.
	Driver 7. 8. 9. m held in the Field B & T.		17.3.18	11/1551 3.5.18 3rd A. Bde

Enlisted to 1914/15 Star...

3 FA Bde Discharged 4MD MU 12.11.17 B.M. 41/367

I have examined the above... 13-10-18 M/1260 Parkhouse for A To Aust. special 10th Army Embarked at Anzac for 1st Army 10.18. P.T.O. 2042/4160 1918.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc. during active service, as reported on Army Form B-23, Army Form A-35, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B-23, Army Form A-35, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
29	4-11-17	A. G. D.	Marched in ex England	Rouelles	3-11-17 B-213 B.607 17X-1247
30	24-11-17	A. G. D.	Marched out to 3AFAB	Rouelles	6-11-17 B.213 B.607 47
31	17/11/17	do	(Det) Taken on Strength	France	11/11/17 B.213 B.607 47 6-12-17
32	24/1/18	do	F.C.C.M.: Held in the Field 12/1/18. When on Active Service, Absent himself without leave from 12:30 PM on 12/1/18 to 3:00 PM on 13/1/18. Finding: Guilty. Award: 28 Days P.P. No. 2. 12/1/18. Confirmation of Confined by Brig. Gen. W. Ramsey McMichael on 13/1/18. Court Martial: 27/1/18 to 1/1/18. S.P. No. 269 19/3	- do	13/1/18 B.213 B.607 47 4-2-18
	30/3/18	do	F.C.C.M.: Held in the Field 17/3/18. Charge: W.O.A.S. Absent himself without leave from 4/3/18 to 10/3/18. Finding: Guilty. Award: 28 Days P.P. No. 2. 17/3/18. Confirmation of Confined by Brig. Gen. W.A. Brown, Col. R. A. Smith, Col. 20/3/18. Court Martial: 23/3/18 to 1/4/18. S.P. B.53831/1	In the Field	30/3/18 P.2069 A.12/1/66 3-5-18

PROCEEDINGS OF COURT MARTIAL
HELD FOR TRIAL OF

Regimental Number.	Rank.	Initials.	Name.	Unit.
844	1 st Lt	R L	Osborne	3 rd AFA Bde

Sentenced to—

28 days TP

Dated 12/1/1918

Filed in Attorney-General's Department and
numbered 11674

PROCEEDINGS OF COURT MARTIAL
HELD FOR TRIAL OF

Regimental Number.	Rank.	Initials.	Name.	Unit.
844	Priv	R L	Osborne	3 rd Bde FA

Sentenced to—

28 days FO

Dated *17, 3, 1918*

Filed in Attorney-General's Department and
numbered *17184*

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A.B.	42	870	10797

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4th Military District.

MELBURN BARRACKS,
MELBURN.

23 APR 1919

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

CONFIDENTIAL.

The undermentioned soldier has been handed his Discharge.
Medical Board Proceedings and other documents as follows, forwarded
herewith:- D.L. D. O. Dental Form "K".

No. 844 Rank. Driver Name. OSBORNE, Rupert Lancelot.
Unit. 3rd Field Art. Brigade.
Date of Attestation. 12/8/18.
Date of Embarkation. 20/10/18.
Date of Disembarkation. 27/1/19 Ex. "Port Hedland".
Reason for Discharge. **MEDICALLY UNFIT (NOT**
Date of Discharge. 18/4/19. **CONDUCT)**
Total Service. 4 years - 248 Days.
Service Abroad. 4 years - 100 Days.
Account Adjusted in Part.
Fullpay

C. Montgomery
CAPTAIN.
Staff Officer Invalids & Retd. Soldiers,
4th MILITARY DISTRICT

DEFENCE
S.R.

W 43173

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

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No. 844

Rank

Name

McKee, R. L.

Unit

3rd H.A.R. (4th Coy A.C.) Air Corps

1. Casualty Operational not eligible 13/2/16 19th 9th General
Services of Force U.S. "Autogen" Medal C.E.F. 240/5536 A 11/2/16
 13.5.15 Agathon for Work Alexandria 27.5.15 Discharged to Unit
 12.7.15 for Galipoli Particulars 27.7.15 Returned Command to 1st Coy 12/16
 22.4.16 Discharged to Duty in 19th Gen. Hosp. 26.2.16 Id again 29.4.16 Id
 28.4.16 Discharged at 1st Aust. Aerom. Hq Abbeville
 H.D. 25.5.16 D'base 30.4.16 Id

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 C.S.D. 3000/1007 F. 11/12/16 Gen. S. R. 11/12/16 1916 London

DATE	FORM 103 - SERVICE	PURPORT.	REF. No.
22.3.16	W.O.K. Advised in Hospital	13/3/16	
2/4/16	Discharged on 19 th Gen. H. to duty	H.D. 18 th D ^o Cairn 19/4/16	
30 DEC 1915	W.O.K. Advised returning to Australia	Returned to Australia per "Port Macking" List 116 Discharged "3rd M.D." 27.1.19 then to 4 th H.A.R. - 1914 leave	
15.10.17	Discharged	1 st M.D. 4th	
5 JUL 1919	C.M. Form 7	Returned to Unit 25.6.19 2 nd M.D. 7/1/20	
4/1/20	"Will" W. ✓	M.D. M. 27.1.20	
		1014/1015 Star Issued C.R.M. 43 1220	
		WAR HISTORY INDEX	
24/6/20		Presentings of Cases, Medical Med in Service 39/16 Specialized and Numbered 11674	

APPLICATION FOR HIGH SERVICE
LEAVE CERTIFICATE ISSUED
MAY 18 1919
No. 40208



LIST
S. 2 500 Pp. 100-100

26/8/20
Proceedings of Court Martial filed in Attorney General's
Chamber and Numbered 17136. *MS*



OSBORNE, Rupert Lancelot



Service no 844
4th Coy Aust Army Service Corps, 30th Aust Service
Corps and 3rd Aust Field Artillery Brigade

Born 1895 at North Adelaide
Son of Ernest Albert OSBORNE and Rose nee LYAS
Of Gloucester Street, Prospect, SA
Occupation prior to enlistment Clerk
Enlisted on 19 August 1914 at Morphetville S.A.
Sailed on HMAT Medic and landed at ANZAC Cove on 25 April 1915.
Evacuated to Alexandria due to illness and then to France in 1916.
Returned to Australia 27 January 1919 per 'Port Hacking'
Discharged 18 April 1919

Courtesy of David Lyas

