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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 3455 Name PINCHES HARRY ROY

Unit 9th Inf 50th Bat

Joined on OCT 27 1916 9th REFTS 50 BATTN

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestment

1.	What is your Name?	1. Harry Roy Pinches
2.	In or near what Parish or Town were you born?	2. 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.)	3. Natural Born
4.	What is your Age?	4. 21 3/12 years
5.	What is your Trade or Calling?	5. Miner
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. GUNBY ake
8.	Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) THE ANSWER TO THIS QUESTION SHALL BE CONSTRUED AS IN THE NATURE OF A WILL.	8. (FATHER) THOMAS ~~GEORGE~~ PINCHES PROSPECT ROAD PROSPECT SOUTH AUSTRALIA
9.	Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power?	9.
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. 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 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 5/- per day?~~	14. — ake
15.	Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever?	15. Yes

I, Harry Roy Pinches 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.

ake And I further agree to allot not less than ~~Two-fifths~~ Three-fifths of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my ~~wife,†~~ wife and children ake

Date JAN 17 1917

H R Pinches
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 Harry Roy Pinches *on Enlistment*

Age 21 years 3. months	DISTINCTIVE MARKS.
Height 6 feet - inches	Ws R 6/6 L 6/6
Weight 152 lbs.	
Chest Measurement 33 - 35 inches	Vacc 4 L
Complexion Fair	
Eyes Blue	
Hair Lt Brown	
Religious Denomination C of E.	

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 17-1-17

Place Mitcham

M Edwin Capt

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 9/50 Inf

Date 1/2/17

Place Mitcham

WMcBryde Lieut.

O.C. 9/50 Inf.

Commanding

B.103.F
L.R.6342
9.8.17.

P.T.M. 9/2599/5

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Statement of Service No. 3455 Name PINCHES Harry Roy

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank From	To	Remarks
B 90 Depot	Private	OCT 27 1916	15-11-16	C/o 907
19/28	"	16-11-16	1-12-16	C/o 922
6/3 Pioneers	"	2-12-16	15-12-16	B/o 131
22 Depot	"	16-12-16	15-1-17	C/o 948.
B Coy Mitcham 9-50 Inf		16-1-17	31-1-17	C/o 14-2
	Private	1-2-17		Co 27-2
SEEANG BEE	Embarked Adelaide 10-2-17			
A48	Disembarked Devonport 2-5-17 L.R.2173			
9th REIFTS 50 BATTN	Mch. 9/8 to 13th Tng Btn Codford Eng from Aust. ex H.M.A.T. Seang Bee		2-5-17	B/84/3417E A/A2-5-61 30-5-17
	Pte Gaming Gambling in Drying Room of Hoy Camp at 10-20pm (2) Leaving his Hut after Tattoo & remaining absent till 11-30pm Award Forfeit 1 days pay by Lt Col. D.A. Lane (OP.)	Codford	14-6-17. " " " 19-6-17	B/43/3630E 20-6-17 LFP8530.
	Pte Adm Ships Isolation Hosp V.D Discharged Total period 9 days (H.M.A.T 48 Seang Bee)		22.3.17 30.3.17	S.O 62. Pt/11 48/3925E 7.7.17.
	Pte. Proceeded Overseas to France via ex 13th Tng. Btn. Codford.	Folkstone.		L.R. 6342 9/8/17 D.G. 58E. 11.8.17.
	Pte T.O.S. 50th Bn A.I.F. from 9th Reinfts 50th Bn A.I.F.	France	25-8-17	DO. 34/4085 13/9/17
	Paid in France	5/9844	4/5/18	
50th	Pte. Rejoined Unit	France	26-7-18	DO 39/4419 14-9-18
				D/O 36/1894 (1918) 50th Bn 139/1644 " " 91/537 1919 "
	Pte RETURN TO AUSTRALIA Per Sivakopmunde Eng		Did not Emb	
	For			
	Pte RETURN TO AUSTRALIA Per Miltiades ex Eng.		19.6.19	L A 6112 D/BR/45 26.6.19
	For			

I have examined the above details, and find them correct in every respect. A/72783

Emb- Adelaide 10/2/17

50 Bn (PTE) Discharged 4 M.D. (TPE) 14/9/19.

A.I.F. 36
Army Form B103 - Part I.

Service and Casualty Form.

PART I.

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Nothing to be written in this Margin.

(1) PRESENT UNIT	50th BATTALION. Copied 20.10.55	(2) Regtl. No.	3455
(3) Present Rank	Pte.	(4) SURNAME	PINCHES
(5) Decorations		(6) Christian Names.	Harry Roy

PBho 240892

Particulars.

(7) Date of Enlistment	17/1/17	(8) Place of Enlistment	Adelaide, S. Aust:
(9) Age on Enlistment	21 Years 3 Months	(10) Any subsequent claim as to age after verification of Birth Certificate	Auth. C.R. Years / Months /
(11) Birthplace	Prospect, S. Aust:	(12) Religion	C of E.
		(13) If Married	No
(14) Trade or Calling	Miner	(15) If an Apprentice	No
(16) Date of Embarkation from Australia	10/2/17	(17) Whereabouts of Next of Kin, i.e. Australia or Abroad	Aust: ✓
(18)			
(19)			
(20)		(21) Special Notification Card No.	
(22)			

Army Form B103.

CASUALTY FORM—ACTIVE SERVICE.

3455

Regiment or Corps 9th/50th Battalion 50th Battalion. A.I.F.

[Regiment]al No. 3455 Rank Private Name PINCHES Harry Roy

[Enlis]ted (a) 7/10/16 Terms of Service (a) War & 4 Months Service reckons from (a) 27/10/16

[Dat]e of Promotion to present rank Date of Appointment to lance rank Numerical position on roll of N.C.O.'s

Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b)

Report Date	Report From Whom Received	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.
		Embarked	Adelaide	10.2.17	
	O C	A48. "Seang bee"			L. R. 2173
	Troops	Disembarked	Devonport	2-5-17	3.5.17
22.3.17	Troopship order No 39. A48	Pte adm Isolation Hosp	"At Sea"	22-3.17	S.O. 62. 14.5.17
31.3.17	No 46 Do	Pte Disc: from Isolation Hosp	Do	30.3.17	S.O. 62. 14.5.17
6.6.17	13th Trg Bn Codford	Pte M/Un from Australia	England	2.5.17	D/O 3 R.R.2062 30/5/17
20.5.17	Do	Pte Offence Codford 18.5.17 1) Gambling in the Drying Room of No 4 Camp at 11.25 p.m. 18.5.17 2) Leaving his hut after Tattoo & remaining absent till 11.30 p.m. 18.5.17. Award forfeits 1 days pay by Lt Col. D.A. Lane. 19.5.17 5/-	Do	19.5.17	Do 43/E 20/6/17 3690 L.R 3550

(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.

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 B 213, Army Form … official documents
Date	From Whom Received				
26.5.17	13th Trng Bn Codford	Pte Sick to Group Hosp (Influenza)	England	21.5.17	LR 3322
3.6.17	Do.	Pte Dis from Group Hosp	Do	28.5.17	LR 3697
26.3.17	H.M.A.T. A48 Seang Bee.	Pte Adm Ships Isolation (DD) Discharged. Total Period at Sea 9 days	Do At Sea	22.3.17 30.3.17	D 48/E 3925 7/7/17 5062
5/8/17	13th Tr Btn	Pte Proceeded O/seas France via Folkestone ~~Southampton~~ ex 13th Tr Bn Codford	Codford.	6/8/17	LR 6342 DO 58/E 4315 11/8/17
AOU 1917	4th A. D. B. D.	Marched in 8 AOU 1917	B. 213	2.8.17 B 213	D59/32
1/9/17	CO 50th	Taken on Strength	25.8.17	25.8.17	D.21/35 DO. 34/1/085
3.6.18	CO. 50 Bn.	Still with Unit.	Field	3.6.18	55/4115/3
4.8.18	do	Pte Sick to Hospital	do	17.7.18	D21/81 DO.
17.7.18	13 A. F.A.	Pyrexia Rejoined to Duty	do	17.7.18 24.7.18	D… D21/87 D…
31.8.18	CO 50 Bn	Rejoined Unit	do	26.7.18	
	~~CO. 50th Bn.~~	~~On Leave to U. Kingdom~~	~~Field~~	~~B213~~	
	~~do~~	~~Rejoined Unit ex Leave~~	~~-do-~~	~~B213~~	
	CO 50 Bn	Detach Lewis Gun Sch	do	27.8.18	D21/87
	do	Rejoined ex Detach	do	8.9.18	D21/90

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Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number 3455

Casualty Form Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 50 Battalion

Rank Pte Surname PINCHES Christian Name Harry Roy

Religion .... Age on Enlistment .... years .... months

Enlisted (a) 17.10.16 Terms of Service (a) .... Service reckons from (a) 27.10.16

Date of promotion to present rank .... Date of appointment to lance rank ....

Extended .... Re-engaged .... Qualification (b) .... or Corps Trade and rate ....

Occupation .... Signature of Officer ....

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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B 213, Army Form A 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...			
		Disembarked ...			
6.10.18	C.O. 50th Bn.	On Leave to U. Kingdom	Field	30.9.18	B.213 D21/92
	-do-	Rejoined Unit ex Leave	-do-		B.213
14.11.18	-do-	F.G.C.M. held on 6.11.18 Charge: AWL from 6 am 16.10.18 to 3 pm 29.10.18 Finding: Guilty Sentence: 42 days F.P. No 2 6.11.18 Confirmed By GOC 13 A.I. Bde. 6.11.18 Promulgated: 8.11.18 Period under charge: 31.10.18 to 8.11.18 " 6.11.18 to 8.11.18 awaiting Total Forfeiture 62 days pay		6.11.18	D121/98 DO 39/1647 F (6918)

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted into … the date of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
(b) Signaller, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

W … F. & S. Ltd. Form B.103 … P.T.O.

Report: Date	Report: From whom received	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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.
21 20.4.19	C O 58th Bn	Pte Evac unit for Aust-	France	13.4.19	D22/120
22 22.4.19	A B D 2	Pte. M/out to Eng	do	22.4.19	D2.91 / 537 P 1919
23		Disemb S'hampton		23.4.19	4326 42 35
24	No 4 Grp.	M/In ex France	Hurdcott	23.4.19	L 64725
25		Pte RETURN TO AUSTRALIA Per ~~Swakopmund~~ Eng For Militiades	Plymouth	19.6.19	

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 3455

Rank Pte Name PINCHES, H.R.

Unit 50th Battalion

Casualty

Rtd. to Aust. per H.T. "Miltiades" embarked 20/6/19
C.I.B.L. 3519/6290 R dtd. Lon. 24/6/19 Rec'd B.R. 1/7/19 Demobilise P.

Returned to Australia per A. Miltiades
Disembarked 3 Fort H. M.D. 5-8-19 List 298 R

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DATE.	PURPORT.
	Form B. 103. Rescind
23 JUL 1919	W.O.K. Advised returning to Australia. Form 7 and Card
	C. M. Form 7 Returned to Unit A O 2 Pa. W C.M. 7/2/3466
9/2/20	"WILL" to 4 M.D. M. 45/58/2
16/3/20	Proceedings of Courts Martial filed in Attorney-General's Department and Numbered 4600
14-9-19	WAR HISTORY INDEX Discharged 4 M.D.

L84/10.16.—C.10000.—SCM.