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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 2243

Name SCUTCHINGS ALBURY CHARLES

Unit

4th Repts 60th Bt

Joined on

15th May 1916

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... Albury Charles Scutchings
2. In the Parish of ... in or near the Town of Clare 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 British Subject
4. What is your Age? ... 27 years 8 months
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... Master mariner.
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... No.
7. Are you married? ... Single
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) Father C. C. Scutchings Maverley Street LARGE BAY 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 ... No.
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 in respect of your service beyond an amount which together with pay would reach eight shillings per day? ... No.
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against small pox and enteric fever? ... Yes.

I, Albury Charles Scutchings 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 29/4/1916

A. C. Scutchings

Signature of person enlisted.

Description of Albury Charles Scutchings on Enlistment.

Age 27 years 8 months.
 Height 5 feet 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches.
 Weight 136 lbs.
 Chest Measurement 34/37 inches.
 Complexion Dark
 Eyes Grey
 Hair Dark Brown
 Religious Denomination C. of E.

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Pedunculated mole lower
 part left side back
 neck.

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.

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Date 29/4/1916

Place Mildura

Sgt R. Henderson Capt. A.A.M.C.
 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 4th Reinf 60th Bat'alion.

Date 10.6.16
Bendigo

Place _____

4th Reinf 60th Bat'alion.
 Commanding

Statement of Service of No. 2243Name Scutchings, Albert Charles

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
<u>Camp Budejov</u>		<u>15/16</u>	<u>9/6/16</u>	<u>Transferred to</u> <u>B. Meadows</u>
<u>4th 60 R. Batt.</u> <u>B. Meadows</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>10/16/16</u>		
<u>Returning to Australia per Herid Transport. A. No. Left England. 21.7.17</u>				
<u>698 D. (668) 95468 dated London 3.8.17/18</u>				
<u>AUG 15 1917</u>	<u>N. O. K. Advised.....</u>	<u>Returning to Australia per Form 8 with</u>		
<u>18/9/17</u>	<u>Retd "Euphides" to 3rd M.D. (Thamesmeads)</u>			
<u>60 R. Batt.</u>	<u>Discharged 3rd M.D. 24/10/17</u>	<u>12/11/20</u>	<u>80 R. S.</u>	<u>W. 1/1/3654</u>

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

Army Form B. 105.

CASUALTY FORM - ACTIVE SERVICE. 1-8-16

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Regiment or Corps. *60th Batt.* Name *SCUTCHINGS, Albury Charles.*

Regimental No. *2243.* Rank *Pte* Enlisted (a) *1/3/16* Terms of Service (a) *A.I.F.* Service reckons from (a) *15/5/16*

Date 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.		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.				
	<i>C.C. Troops. "Orsova"</i>	<i>Embarked.</i>	<i>Melbourne.</i>	<i>1 - Aug 1916</i>	
		<i>Disembarked.</i>	<i>Plymouth.</i>	<i>14-9-15.</i>	
<i>4-3-17</i>	<i>15th Inf Bn.</i>	<i>Classified B1a.</i>	<i>Hurdcoth</i>	<i>25-1-17</i>	<i>L.R. 394.</i>
<i>20-5-17.</i>	<i>No 2 Com Dep.</i>	<i>M. In from Hurdcoth.</i>	<i>Weymouth</i>	<i>14/5/17.</i>	<i>L.R. 3027.</i>
<i>do</i>	<i>15th Inf Bn.</i>	<i>M. Out to Weymouth No 2 Com Dep. P.D. 3426.</i>	<i>Hurdcoth</i>	<i>14/5/17</i>	<i>L.R. 3426</i>
<i>3-8-17.</i>	<i>I.B. 283 R.</i>	RETURN TO AUSTRALIA Per <i>H.S. A. 119</i> For <i>Change (Nomenclature)</i>		<i>England.</i>	<i>21-7-17 L.R. 6144. D.O. 59E. 8-8-17.</i>

(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.]

Statement 486 Victor

1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...	Scutchings, Albury Charles, 2243, Pte. 60th Batt.
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...	Albury Charles Scutchings, Waverly St., Large, Bay, S.A.
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...	Self
4. Result of Claim ...	Rejected: Incapacity not result of employment in warlike operations.
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...	

NO. W17/1/13654

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES 3rd Military District

O.I.C.
Base Records,

Forwarding herewith Medical Board Proceedings

on,
No. 2243, Pte. Albury O. Scutchings, 60th Battn.
for the purpose of filing,-

Discharged. Certificate dated 24.10.17

J. H. Mathew
Captain, Lieut.
S.O.I. & R.S. 3rd L.D.

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