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~~TRANS 15 3rd. L.H.~~
~~RESERVE REGT.~~

F.W.W.

AUSTRALIAN



MILITARY FORCES.

3rd Double Squadron

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

ATTESTATION PAPER OF PERSONS ENLISTED FOR SERVICE ABROAD

No. 2172 Name TURNER John Frederick
 Unit 159th LH ~~2ND DEPOT BATTALION A.I.F.~~ ~~2nd DEPOT BATTALION~~
 Joined on 20-12-15 Pay & Service 4-1-12

15th Reinforce
4th Light Horse

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... John Frederick Turner
2. In the Parish of _____ in or near the Town of Opfeld 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.) ... NB
4. What is your age? ... 22 2/12
5. What is your trade or calling? ... Blacksmith
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 Mrs. Bertha Caroline Turner
Main Road, Opfeld
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 ... Byrs Sea Cadets 1st Batt 24th Dec 1915
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 8/- per day? ...
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... Yes

John Frederick Turner 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 DEC 20 1915 J. F. Turner
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 John Ludenik Turner on Enlistment

Age 22 years 2 months

Height 5 feet 9 inches

Weight 156 lbs.

Chest Measurement 36 1/2 - 38 1/2 inches

Complexion Fresh

Eyes Hazel

Hair Dark Brown

Religious Denomination Methodist

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Vis R $\frac{6}{6}$ L $\frac{6}{6}$

Vac Nil

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 DEC 20 1915

Place ADELAIDE.

R. E. Braumitt

CAPTAIN,

F. W. Waters

CAPTAIN,

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 L H

2ND DEPOT BATTALION A.I.F.

Date 4-1-16

Place Adelaide

Mr Hancock

Lt. COL.
CAMP COMMANDANT

Commanding 2ND DEPOT BATTALION A.I.F.

Statement of Service No. D 142. Name Turner J. J.

Unit in which served	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of Service in each Rank		Remarks
		From	To	
L H 2nd Depot 15/9 Lt Horse Mitcham	as Private.	4-1-16	15-1-16	
TAKEN ON STRENGTH	3rd Double Squadron.	16-1-16		CO. 15/II
	TRANS to 3rd. L. H. RESERVE REGT.	15-4-16		Pl 5/2550. 16-5-16.
		6-7-16		Pl 2. 0. 1/258. 21-7-16.
		23-6-16		Pl 15/2597. 13-7-16
	Sick to hospital off strength.	31-10-16		Pl 5-7 II 2558 21-11-16
	Taken on strength from Trans Regt	29-10-16		Pl 5-7 II 2646 21-11-16
	Headhead sick to hospital	21-9-16		Pl 11- II 671 13-10-16
	Trans to 3rd L H 7th Regt.	19-10-16		Pl 14 II 699 10-11-16
	26th State Hosp. Israelis dis to Unit.	19-10-16		Pl 14 II 703 10-11-16
3rd L. H. J. Regt	Returned from Sup. School of Instruction	16-12-16		D.O. 2 12. 1. 17 220 Egypt.
	Passes as 1st class Machine Gunner.	16-12-16		D.O. 4 26. 1. 17 941 Egypt.
	(Detached) to Sup School of instruction.	26-11-16		D.O. 489 13/12/16 9812
3rd L. H. B. M. G.	Trans to 3rd L. H. B. M. G. Sqn	25-1-17		D.O. 5 2. 2. 17 Egypt. 1140 3rd L. H. G. Regt.
	J. O. S. Lt 3rd Tug Hgt.	27-1-17		5-142 3/1/17
	Trn. To 4th Comp. 4/Smith Pay Adm. No. 235 391.	27-1-17		D.O. 21 7. 6. 17 781 3rd L. H. G. Regt.
10 ALA	S/Smith Discharged 4 MD			TPE 3/10/19 M46/99

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

Notification of Location of Will Already Made.

(Name in full)

I, John Frederick Turner

Regimental Number 2172 serving in 3rd Australian

Machine Gun Squadron of the Australian Imperial Force, do hereby declare

that I have already made a Will, and that the same is lodged with my

uncle Mr. John Turner

(Name and Address of person with whom Will is lodged)

Address Enfield

South Australia

Signature J. F. Turner

(Fill in Date)

Date Seventh 2nd 17th day of March 1918

Witness to Signature E. S. Moore

Address and Occupation Lieutenant

3rd Australian Machine Gun Squadron

Note:— All alterations will be initialed by the soldier notifying, and the witness.

Transferred to

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

6369° - 3172

No. 2172

Rank S. Smith Name TURNER J. F.

Unit 10 Light Horse (3rd B. B. Coy.)

Casualty

Only in Strait per H. J. Oxfordshire embarked 10/7/19 Reason Not Stated W.F.
6369° Ad. Cairo 15/7/19 Res. B.A. 20/7/19

Returned to Australia per A Oxfordshire
Disembarked 4 M. B. 10/8/19 dist 308 M

DATE PURPOSE

28 JUL 1919 N.O.K. Advised returning to Australia. Form W.F.

9/9/19 Location 7 10/18

3/10/19 Discharged 4 M. W.F.

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