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MILITARY FORCES.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

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Name B. BROWN. SYDNEY. CARR
 Unit 4th Coy. 2nd Batt.
 Joined on 20.7.15 41715

32nd, Battalion. D Company

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... Sydney^{Carr} Brown
2. In the Parish of ... in or near the Town of Lincolnshire in the County of Lincolnshire England
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or Naturalised British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) yes Nat born
4. What is your age? ... 35 yrs
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... Dairy hand
6. Are you, or have you been an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... no
7. Are you married? ... yes
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... Wife Elizabeth Brown
Broome St
Cottesloe. West Aust.
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. 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 ... yes
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... yes

I, Sydney Brown 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 support of my ~~wife and children.~~ ~~widowed mother.~~

Date 9/7/15

Sydney Brown
Broome St Cottesloe
 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 or widowed mother, and if there are children three-fifths must be allotted.

Broome St
Cottesloe

specimen signature

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER.

The foregoing questions were read to the person enlisted in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to by him.

I have examined his naturalisation papers and am of opinion that they are correct.

(This to be struck out except in the case of persons who are naturalised British Subjects.)

Date... 9/17/15

W. H. Mason *H. H. H. H.*
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, *Sydney Brown* swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from *ninth day July 1915* until the end of the War, and a further period of four months thereafter unless sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed therefrom; and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained; and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service, faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

So HELP ME, GOD.

Sydney Brown
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at *Perth* in the State of *Western Australia* this *ninth* day of *July* 1915, before me—

W. H. Mason *H. H. H. H.*
Signature of Attesting Officer.

* A person enlisting who objects to taking an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Act, and the above form must be amended accordingly. All amendments must be initialed by the Attesting Officer.

Description of Agincy Brown on Enlistment.

Age... 3.5 years months.
 Height... 5 feet 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches.
 Weight... 143 lbs.
 Chest Measurement 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches.
 Complexion Dark
 Eyes Blue
 Hair Dark
 Religious Denomination Church Eng.

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Scar 4 left
 Tattoo 3 Heads Anchor +
 left forearm
 Scar Back left hand
 Half dressed female Rt
 forearm. S.B. Back of
 Rt Hand

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... 9 July 15

Place... Ft. H.

W. B. Patch Capt. R.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... 'W' Co 32nd Bn

Date... 22/9/15

Place... Blackboy Hill

Commanding... Helena Vale Camp

Blo's France
3.9.18

Embarked at Southampton 24.11.15

Statement of Service of No. 1221 Name Brown P.

Units in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Period of Service in each Rank.		Remarks.
		From	To	
16 Depot Coy. "D" Coy. 32nd Bn Pioneer Battalion 5th Pms Bn	Embarked from Aust Private TRANSFERRED TO 5th Pioneer Battalion 705 of 5th Pms Bn WOUNDED in action REJOINED UNIT FROM Hosp. To Hospital Sick	18/11/15 20/7/15 16/8/15 3/3/16 4/1/14 4/1/14	15/8/15 2.4.16 31/1/14 22/1/14 8.2.14	Do 240 Do 344 P2 19.2.14/7/8/90
	ADMITTED War HOSPITAL (Pneumonia)	24-2-17		P2 90/E 16 12/3/17
	Pte - Embarked on H-S "Princess Elizabeth" at Boulogne for England (Bronc-Pneumonia)	24-2-17		P2 1464 10 10-3-17
	Pte M/into to 2 Bn: Depot from Warefield Hosp	Weymouth 3.5.17		LR 2554 29.5.17 8038/2511E
	Pte crime Westham A w/leave from 3pm till 5pm 29.5.17. Award 7 days 6/3 by Major G G Campbell Folke 2 days pay under PW (PB 26069/12)	28-5-17 31-5-17		P2 46 2782E LR 384
	Pte Proc of seas to France via Sutton Very	S' Hampton 18/12/17		LR 11567 21084/15/431-12-17
	Rejoined unit & embarked Eng	23-12-17		Do 2/110. 7-1-18.
	Pte Adm: 1st Sthun Gen hosp. PVO. serv. WS. 710 BR	Edginston B'ham 28.4.18.		Do 10 18E/1035 6.5.18.
	Pte Sick to hosp:	France 23.4.18.		Do 19/1408. 4.5.18.
	Pte Adm: L of 6 hosp. from FM Unit sick	" 25.4.18		Do 19/1434 4.5.18.
	Pte Invalided to UK PVO	" 27.4.18.		Do 19/1474 4.5.18.
	Pte Proc of seas to France via Folkestone of seas Eng B'dge ex long B'dge Dev.	29.8.18		Do 1636 9.9.18 L 7280
	Pte M/into to 2 Bn from 1st France - sick (whilst on furlough)	1.9.18		Do 34/1945/12.9.18

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

STATEMENT OF SERVICE OF No. 1221 NAME Brown Sydney Lou

Unit.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Place.	Date.	Remarks. 302
<i>5th Para Bde</i>	<i>Pte Rejoined unit</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>6.9.18</i>	<i>Do 38/3159/19.9.18</i>
<i>Do 45F/1264 (1919)</i>				
RETURN TO AUSTRALIA Per <i>WYREEMH</i> ex <i>England</i> For.....				
		<i>England</i>	<i>13/4/19</i>	<i>LX4652 1BR689 A132721</i>

*2nd Battalion
D-Company*

.....in or

England

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Service and Casualty
Form.

PART I.

200 N-8/78-12244.

Nothing to be written in this Margin.

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PRESENT
UNIT

5th Pioneers Battn

(2) *Regtl. No.

1221

(3) Present Rank	(4) SURNAME
Private	BROWN
(5) Decorations	(6) Christian Names.
	Sydney CARR

Checked by *[Signature]*
Private
Overseas Section.

Particulars. 260667

(7) Date of Enlistment	9. 7. 15	(8) Place of Enlistment	Perth W. Aust
(9) Age on Enlistment	35 Years	(10) Any subsequent claim as to age after verification of Birth Certificate	Auth. C.R. / /
(11) Birthplace	Lincolnshire England	(12) Religion	C of E
(14) Trade or Calling	Dairy Hand	(13) If Married	Yes
(16) Date of Embarkation from Australia	18. 11. 15	(15) If an Apprentice	NO
(18)		(17) Whereabouts of Next of Kin, i.e. Australia or Abroad	Australia
(19)		(21) Special Notification Card No.	
(20)			
(22)			

5MD Army Form B. 103.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

1221
5th Pioneer Batt

D Coy 32, Bn. A.I.F.

Serial No. 1221 Rank Sivats, Name BROWN Sydney bar
 Date of promotion to present rank 20-7-15 Terms of Service (a) To End Of War & 4 months after
 Date of appointment to lance rank 20-7-15 Service reckons from (a) 20-7-15
 Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b) Numerical position on roll of N.C.Os.

Date	From whom received	Report	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service in Army Reserve 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.
				X 18.11.15	3	
				Suez	15/12/15	
4	CO Battalio A.F.B. 213	Transferred to Pioneer Battalio			3/3/16	A.P. 5063 R 15 NO 13 189 4-4-16
5	25/3/16 CO Pioneer Bn	Bin Baker on strength			3/3/16	A.P. 5063 R 15 NO 13 189 12-4-16
6	O.C. Tspt "Canada"	Embarked to join B.E.F. Disembarked.		ALEXANDRIA MARSEILLES	19.6.16 25.1.16	AP 9092 LR 5912
7	50 S/L Pioneer	Wounded to hospital Adm to hosp W/A			4.1.17	E 21 No 2/240/18.1.17 VL 196 13.1.17
8	"	Rejoined from invalid			7.1.17	E 22. No 3/374 22.1.17

(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, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties.

(P.T.O.)

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 A. 36, official documents
Date	From whom received				
9 10.2.17	CO 3w	See A to Hospital	Field	8.2.17	E2/6 Do 7/89011 A.2.11
9 10.2.17	1 S M D C C S I n	advised P. U. O trans to Amb Train	"	X 9.2.17 10.2.17	AK 903/18 13
9 11.2.17	32 Stath	admn Bronchitis	Numerous	X 11.2.17	AK 903/17
10 18.2.17	32 Stath	Dangerously ill Pneumonia	Numerous	X 18.2.17	AK 903/20 15
11 18/7/17	32 Stath	to England to Bred Pneumonia	do.	22/1/17 16	AK 903/2 Do 16/901E H.3.17
12 24/7/17	H. I. Binns Elizabeth	Embarked for England Broncho Pneumonia	Boulogne	X 24/7/17	AK 1076/8 10-317- Do 10/1484
13 24.2.17	War Hosp rept	admit Hospital Pneumonia	Loisfeld	X 24.2.17	20.16 12.3.17 901E
14 16.4.17	1st Amb A.	Trans to 1st Amb Hosp	Starefield	X 16.4.17	-
15 2.5.17	1st Amb Hosp (ALE)	Discharged to Dept Hampstead	do	X 2.5.17	4 P. L. R. 2554. 38/29.5.17. 2511
16 6.5.17.	No 2 Com Dep	P. B. No 260669.	Weymouth.	3.5.17	Do 46/27/6-17. L. R. 3841.
17 1.6.17.	No 3 Com Dep Weymouth	P. B. Conference. Amb. from 3 p.m. 28.5.17 till 5 p.m. 29.5.17. Award 7 days b. B. by Major J. B. Campbell 31.5.17. for 2 days pay. P. M. P. B. No 260669. 10/1-	Neston	X 28.5.17	
18 24.6.17.	No 2 Com Dep	P. B. in/out to of seats Long Dep Perham Downs.	Weymouth.	X 20.6.17	L. R. 4677. 23
19 24.6.17.	of seats Long Dep	Perham Downs. P. B. in/out from No 2 Com. Dept. Weymouth.	Perham Downs.	20.6.17	L. R. 4650 24

Form B. 103.

Regimental Number 1221

Casualty Form Active Service.

Rank Pte. Surname BROWN Christian Name Sydney Hart
 Regiment or Corps 5th Pioneer Bn. Age on Enlistment years months
 Religion Service reckons from (a)
 Enlisted (a) Date of appointment to lance rank
 Date of promotion to present rank
 Extended { } Qualification (b)
 Re-engaged { } or Corps Trade and Rate
 Occupation Signature of Officer.

Date	Report		Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
	From whom received	Embarked ... Disembarked...			
30-6-17	Pvt Ing Bn.	Pte. M/ser from O seas Ing Dept. Perhem Downs	Front.	X 25	25-6-17 L.R. 4978.
1-7-17	O seas Ing Dept.	Pte. M/out to No 3 Com Dept. Hurdett	Berk. Downs	25-6-17	L.R. 4984
22-9-17	O seas Pvt Ing Bn	Pte. M/out to No 3 Camp Durrington	Front.	X 17-9-17	LR 8050.
10-11-17	do	Pte. M/ser from Durrington Detached party	Sutton Veng.	X 28	LR 10424.
18/12/17	do	Pte. Pros's Seas to France via Sutton Veng via	S' Hampton	X 29	MR 11567
19-12-17	A S B D	Marched at home England	S' Hampton	X 30	MR 11567 18/12/17. No 84/E 31/12/17

(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) Signaller, Shooting-Smith, &c.

W.13865-Mr 477 10000 1/17 (27612) S.P. & Co., Ltd. Perth B. 103/4 E. 1/354. (P.T.O.)

Base Records Office,
Victoria Barracks,
MELBOURNE. S.C.1.

The Deputy Commissioner,
Department of Repatriation,

Perth

27/4/1933.

REFERENCE :- *R14137*

DATE *21/4/1933.*

Herewith documents indicated relative
to the service of the undermentioned ex-member of the A.I.F. :-

Reg. No.	Rank	Name	Documents attached
<i>1221</i>	<i>S.</i>	<i>J. W. Carr's' Purton</i>	<u>FOR EARLY RETURN :-</u> A.F. B.103 -

TO BE RETAINED :-

B.R. Card ✓

Attestation Paper -

A.F. :- ~~B.103~~

" B.178

" B.179

" B.181

" D.1

" D.2

" I.1277

No further medical records

T. ROBINSON *Robinson*
Officer i/c Base Records.

PARTICULARS OF SERVICE IN THE A.I.F. IN CONNECTION WITH

ex-No. 1221. Pte. Sydney GARR BROWN - 5th Pnr. Btn.,

ISSUED TO DEPARTMENT OF REPATRIATION, ESPLANADE EAST, PERTH, W.A.

Reference: C/14621 dated 15th October, 1925. *Born Lincoln England*

✓ 9. 7.15.	Enlisted in the A.I.F. <i>Perth</i>
✓ 18.11.15.	Embarked for active service abroad.
✓ 18.12.15.	Disembarked at Suez.
✓ 3. 3.16.	Trans. to 5th Pnr. Btn.
✓ 19. 8.16.	Embarked to join B.E.F.
✓ 25. 6.16.	Disembarked at Marseilles.
✓ 4. 1.17.	WOUNDED IN ACTION.
✓ 7. 1.17.	Rejoined from Hospital (Admission to Hospital not available).
✓ 9. 2.17.	Admitted 1st S.M.D.C.C.Stn.,
✓ 11. 2.17.	Trans. 32nd Stat. Hosp. - Bronchitis.
✓ 18. 2.17.	Dangerously ill - Pneumonia.
✓ 24. 2.17.	Embarked for England.
✓ 24. 2.17.	Admitted to Norfolk War Hospital - Pneumonia.
✓ 16. 4.17.	Trans. to 1st Aux. Hospital.
✓ 2. 5.17.	Discharged to Depot, Weymouth.
✓ 31. 5.17.	<u>OFFENCE:</u> A.W.L. from 28.5.17 to 29.5.17.
✓ 20. 6.17.	<u>AWARD:</u> 7 days C.B. Total forfeiture 2 days pay.
✓ 25. 6.17.	Marched out to O/Seas Tng.Bde. Perham Downs.
✓ 17. 9.17.	Marched into Pnr. Tng.Btn. from O/Seas Tng.Bde.
✓ 5.11.17.	Marched out to No.3. Camp, Durrington.
✓ 18.12.17.	Marched in from Durrington, to Pnr.Tng.Btn.
✓ 19.12.17.	Proceeded overseas to France.
✓ 23.12.17.	Marched into A.I.B.D.
✓ 23. 4.18.	Rejoined Unit.
✓ 25. 4.18.	Admitted 14th Fld.Amb. - Abscess Jaw.
✓ 28. 4.18.	Trans. 10th Genl. Hospital - P.U.O. 27.4.18. To Eng.
✓ 3. 6.18.	Trans. 1st Sthn. Genl. Hosp. - P.U.O. severe.
✓ 18. 6.18.	Proceeded on furlough and to report to No.1.C.D.
✓ 3. 8.18.	Sutton Veny on 17.6.18.
✓ 29. 8.18.	M/I to No.1. Com.Dpot ex furlough.
✓ 1. 9.18.	M/Out to Overseas Tng. Bde.
✓ 6. 9.18.	Proceeded overseas to France.
✓ 4. 2.19.	Marched into A.I.B.D. ex England.
✓ 15. 2.19.	Rejoined Unit.
✓ 13. 4.19.	M/O for return to Australia.
✓ 24. 5.19.	Disembarked at Weymouth and M/I No.2. T.B.Con.Camp.
✓ 16. 7.19.	Left England for return to Australia per "WYRESMA".
	Disembarked at Perth.
	Discharged from the A.I.F. at Perth - Termination of period of enlistment.

Army Form B.178, Army Form I.1237 (3), Army Form B.181, A.H. Form D.2, C.H. Form D.1 and Pathological Sheet attached.

Captain.
Officer i/c Base Records.

Melbourne.
23rd October, 1925.

Transferred to

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 1221

Rank Private Name Brown Sydney

Unit 5th Pioneer (late 4th Pioneer)

Casualty Wounded 661/8090 D London 19/1/17

270 Pneumonia Dangerous Adm 32nd Staly Hosp N/2/17 605.4.2 392/8306^a D London 18.2.17
276 Pneumonia condition not stated Adm 24/2/17 Norfolk War Hpl
* went + 06/8425k St Lond 6/3/17
discharged hospital W.S.M. 462/8940^a dated London 12.5.17

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P.M.O SEVERE, ADMITTED 29/4/18 1st Sth Gen Hosp. Edgbast
Section W.S.M. 710/1491 B dated London 2/5/18 Received B.R. 19/5/18
W.S.M. 721/1654^a dated London 27/7/18 Received B.R. 4/6/18 63

DATE.	Form B 103 received	PURPORT.	REF. NO.
23 JAN 1917	N. O. K. Advised Wounded		
22 FEB 1917	N. O. K. Advised in Hospital	18.2.17 Dangerously ill pneumonia	
13 MAR 1917	N. O. K. Advised in Hospital	wounded. 24/2/17	
20 MAY 1917	N. O. K. Advised Convalescent	discharged from Hospital.	
29 MAY 1917	" " "	as above at new address.	
MAY 19 1918	N. O. K. Advised in Hospital		
JUN 9 1918	N. O. K. Advised Convalescent		
10 MAY 1919	Relg. to Aust. per H. P. "Myreema" embarked 18.4.19 C.F.P.L. 3391/5950 ^a dtd. London 16/4/19 Rec. B. 2/5/19	} Demobilised Adm 6/5/19	
16.2.20	N. O. K. Advised Returning to Australia. Form Returned to Australia per A. "Myreema" Disembarked..... M. D. 24/5/19	} BS	
16/7/19	"WILL" to..... M. D. M. 18/5/19		
	Discharged..... M. D. BS		

WAR HISTORY INDEX III

1914/1916 Star issued B.R.M. 43/1229/..32/4



LIST. D.971/8.16.-C.9442.-10a.