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MILITARY FORCES.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. ~~12750~~Name MORTIMER, Lenard Howard

Unit

47 Depot Artillery

Joined on

13/1/16 26.1.16 8TH Div.

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name?

...

1. Lenard Howard Mortimer

3. In or near what Parish or Town were you born?

2. In the Parish of Gin Gin in or

near the Town of

in the County of W. Australia

3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.)

3. Yes

4. What is your age?

4. 18-3/4

5. What is your trade or calling?

5. Labourer

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

8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated)

8. Father Joseph MortimerGin Gin W. Australia

9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power?

9. No

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. Regt. 88AReg 88A13-1-16

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 in respect of your service beyond an amount which together with pay would reach eight shillings per day?

14. Yes

15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against small pox and enteric fever?

15. Yes

I, Lenard Howard Mortimer, 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 13/1/16L. H. Mortimer

Signature of person enlisted.

D. 877/13.—C. 602.

* 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.

SPECIMEN SIGNATURE

13/1/16

L. H. Mortimer

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER.

X

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

Date 13/1/16

Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

3. L. H. Mortimer swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 13/1/16 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.

L. H. Mortimer

Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Dorrigo in

the State of N. S. W. Australia

this 13 day January of

1916, before me—

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.

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 naturalization papers and am of opinion that they are correct.

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

Date 13/1/16

H. T. Quest
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

3. L. H. Mortimer swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 13/1/16 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.

L. H. Mortimer
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Don M in
the State of W. Australia
this 13 day January of
19 16, before me—

H. T. Quest
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.

D34264 FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090a.

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36, or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT OR CORPS 14th FIELD ARTILLERY BRIGADE Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company

Regimental No. 16110 Rank Gunner

Surname MORTIMER Christian Names Leonard Howari

Died: Date 29th September 1917 Place In the Field B.E.F.

Cause of Death Killed in Action

Nature and Date of Report Army Form B213 dated 4.10.17

By whom made C.O 14th Field Artillery Brigade

* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Burial: Place Particulars not yet to hand Date

By whom reported

State whether he leaves (a) in Pay Book (Army ~~Will~~ not received) in Small Book (if at Base)

a Will or not (c) as a separate document

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G. Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the Deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the Deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

ANZAC 5th Division 5th Battalion G.H.Q. British Expeditionary Force

Station and Date 1.11.17 Signature of Officer in charge of Section Captain Adjutant-General's Office at the Base

O/c Records

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marks, scars or other physical blemishes, or striations or baring upon his face 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 12-1-16

Place Perth

John Cuthbert
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 12th F.A.B. 2nd Bn. 5th Div. 5th Bn.

Date 12-2-16 27.5.16.

Place Maribyrnong

D.577/4.15.-C.4697.

Commanding

318th Battery

COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES.

5TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

Unit

CERTIFICATE OF RETURN OF EQUIPMENT.

This is to certify that No. Leonard H. Mortimer, quota of this Command, is not in possession of any arms or equipment on charge to this Unit, and is free to enlist in the Australian Imperial Force.

Place Ferth

Date 13. 1. 16

Commanding Brigade Major, 22nd Brigade.

Complexion *swarthy*
Eyes *Gray*
Hair *L Brown*
Religious Denomination *Ch of Eng*

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 12-1-16

Place Perth

John Cuthbert
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 12th Feb. 2nd 1960

Date ~~7-2-16~~ 27.5.16

Place Karibynong

Commanding

D.377/4.15.—C.46X?

318th Battery

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Description of L. A. Montmarry on Enlistment.

Age 18 years 3 months.
 Height 5 feet 5 1/2 inches.
 Weight 106 lbs.
 Chest Measurement 33 1/2 inches.
 Complexion Fair
 Eyes Grey
 Hair Light Brown
 Religious Denomination Ch. of Eng.

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

1 scar left.
moles back
moles 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.

Date 12-1-16

Place Leith

John Cuthbert
 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 12th F.F.B. 2nd Regt. 5th Bn.

Date 12-2-16 27.5.16.

Place Maribyrnong

D. 577/A. 15.—C. 4897.

Commanding

L. C. Dyke Lieut.
James Capt.
8th F. A. B.
31st Battery

P.103 ENGLAND

FRANCE 1-5-17

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Statement of Service of No. ~~19930~~

Name

L. H. Mortimer

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
47. depot.	Private	26/1/16		Co B. 77.
Artillery Bn	Gunner	1-2-16		
Field Artillery	Gunner	12-2-16		
<i>P. A. B.</i> <i>31st Bty.</i> <i>12 Jan 16</i> <i>2nd Bty.</i>	<i>Dr</i>	1. 4. 16	26.5.16	
	<i>Lt</i>	27.5.16		
	Marched in to duty. Training Depot. (12th (F. & B. P. S.))	London	10.9.16	22.10.16
	in/out to 12th F. A. B.	Bayton	26.10.16	13-1-17
	<i>in/out to 119th How. Bty.</i> <i>(4th Div) 2nd A. A. T. D.</i>	Eng.	26.10.16	13-1-17
	<i>Taken to strength A. A. T. D.</i> <i>from 12th F. A. B.</i>		26.10.16	13-1-17
	absent from 6-30. am parade. 3 days B. to 9/cpl Mackenzie Sn		23-6-16	13-1-17
	<i>in. C. Hence at Sea. A. 11</i> <i>Drunk on parade 19/6/16</i> <i>award fined 5/- 4</i> <i>days detn by Lt. Col</i> <i>Rankin O/c F. A. 11</i>		23-6-16	13-1-17
	Boys n. Camp proceeding Overseas		17/24/17	13-1-17
26/3/17	Witts	to FRANCE	Southampton	26/3/17

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

Statement of Service of No. 15

Name _____

Unit.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Place.	Date.	Remarks.
AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE				
Memorandum Paper of Progress, Estimated by the Department of War				
NOVEMBER 1918				
72				
KILLED IN ACTION				

B103 France
England

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Statement of Service of No.

16110

Name

Doan, L. S.

Unit.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Place.	Date.	Remarks.
14 th 7. A. B.	<i>continued</i> P.O.S. 14 th 7. A. B. ex France		31-3-17	19/1/74. 20-5-17 14 th 7. A. B.
	12 th 7. A. B.			
	En. to Hosp. sick.		31/3/17	23/4/17. 20/6/17
	En. rejoined unit from hosp.		7/6/17	24/5/17. 27/6/17
	En. to Hosp. sick.		14/6/17	25/5/17. 31/5/17
	En. rejoined unit from Hospital	"	27/6/17	26/6/17. 12/7/17
14 th 7. A. B.	KILLED IN ACTION.	France	29.9.14	6232 1930 8529/2688 10/10/17
See copy Bros Enrolled.				

26th

Franklin Howard
3rd R.

12th. F.A.B.



AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 19932 Name MORTIMER, Leonard Howard
16110 Unit 47 Depot Ammunition
3rd R. 12th. F.A.B. Joined on 13/1/16 26-1-16

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

- | | | |
|---|-----|---|
| 1. What is your Name? | ... | 1. <u>Leonard Howard Mortimer</u> |
| 2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? | ... | 2. In the Parish of _____ in or
near the Town of <u>Que Sri</u>
in the County of <u>W Australia</u> |
| 3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) | ... | 3. <u>yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age? | ... | 4. <u>18 1/2 years</u> |
| 5. What is your trade or calling? | ... | 5. <u>Cabman</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>Father Joseph Mortimer</u>
<u>Que Sri P O</u>
<u>W Australia</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>Enlist 88A Regd 13-1-16</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, 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? | ... | 14. <u>✓</u> |
| 15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against small pox and enteric fever? | ... | 15. <u>yes</u> |

Leonard Howard Mortimer 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 $\frac{2}{5}$ of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife.*† wife and children.

Date 13-1-16

Leonard H Mortimer
Signature of person enlisted.

D. 377/1.15.—C. 602.

*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.

SPECIMEN SIGNATURE

D L H Mortimer 15-1-16

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 statement and am of opinion that they are correct.

(There is no need to sign this certificate if the person is an enlisted Agent or Soldier.)

Date *15-1-16*

H F & Guest Lt.

Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, *Edward Arnold Mortimer* swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from *15-1-16* 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.

D L H Mortimer

Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at *Perth* in the State of *West Australia* this *15th* day of

January 1916, before me—

H F & Guest Lt.

D L H Taylor Capt

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.

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 naturalization papers and am of opinion that they are correct.~~

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

Date 15-7-16

H F Guest Lt.

Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

3, Edward Arnold Mortimer swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 15-7-16 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.

E A Mortimer

Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Perth in
the State of West Australia
this 15 day _____ of

January 1916, before me—

H F Guest Lt.

D L Taylor Capt

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 L. H. ³ ~~Long~~ ^{Shaw} on Enlistment.

Age 18 years 3 months.
Height 5 feet 4 1/2 inches.
Weight 106 lbs.
Chest Measurement 52-55 inches.
Complexion Fair
Eyes Blue
Hair Light Brown
Religious Denomination C. of E.

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Sc. scar left
Scars back
Scars on 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.

Date 13-1-16

Place Perth

D. J. Cuthbert

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 12th L.A.S. & 8th Bty

Date 12-2-16 27.5.16

Place Harbington

D. 377/A. 15.-C. 4987.

Commanding 8th F. A. B.

31st Bty

16110 4

Statement of Service of No. ~~1993~~ Name L. H. Mortimer

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
47. Depot.	Private	16/1/16.		C/o 672.
Artillery Regt	Gunner	1-2-16		
Field Artillery	Gunner	12-2-16		
8th F.A.B.	Dr.	1-4-16		
12th F.A.B.	Gunner	27-5-16		
3rd Rfls			30-5-17	Transf. 8th F.A.B.
14th F.A. Bde		3-3-17.		

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

L. D. Lawrence

Col. 8th F.A.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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
26/3/17	Bcvt n. Camp WILTS	proceeding Overseas to FRANCE	southampton	13/3/17	B231 LR1824 PO 17E8/5/17
5.4.17	G.O 14th FAB	Taken on strength & posted to 114th Bty	Field	31.3.17	B213 E 27/14 PO 19/1/174
10/4/17	3rd CCols	Adm Influenza	"	3/5/17	AK1364/21
11/4.6.17	"	Recht duty	"	6/6/17	AK1364/25
9/6/17	G.O 14 FAB	to Hospital sick	"	3/5/17	B213 E 27/23 PO 23/1/113
12/4/17	"	Rejoined on Corp	"	7/6/17	B213 E 27/24 PO 24/1/504
14/6.6.17	8th 7ams	Adm Gastritis &	"	16/6/17	AK1364/22
13/4/17	5th 22222	Transf to 5th 22222	"	14.6.17	AK1364/93
24/6/17	G.O 14 FAB	Agent march & duty to Hospital sick	"	16/6/17	B213 E 27/25 PO 15/1/541
15/7/17	"	Rejoined on Corp	"	17/6/17	B213 E 27/26 PO 26/1/596
16/4/17	"	Killed in Action	B.E.F	24/4/17	B213 E 27/27 PO 27/1/541 VL 495 10/10/17
Original, copies forwarded to Adm & Sup. Sec. Defence					
Chief Quartermaster					

Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number 16110

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps. 2nd-84th-14th-FAB 14th FIELD ARTILLERY BRIGADE

Rank. Gunner Surname. MORTIMER Christian Name. Leonard Howard

Religion. C of E

Age on Enlistment. years months

Enlisted (a) 13.1.16 Terms of Service (a) Service reckons from (a)

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.

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	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.			
23.6.16	HMAT All "Ascanius"	HMT "Ascanius" Embarked ... Disembarked ... Offence Drunk on parade Award Fined 5/ and 14 days detention by Lt Col Rankin C.O. "All" 23.6.16	Devonport	27.5.16	126628 order D/09224.3.17
10.9.16	O.C AATD	Marched in to A.A.T.D	England	10.9.16	B213 D/016 BR 1439
26.10.16	-do-	Marched out to 12th F.A.B	Boyton	26.10.16	BR189 D/01 13.1.17
23.10.16	-do-	Trans to 119th How Bty ex A.A.T.D	England	26.10.16	BR216 D/O 16 13.1.17
23.10.16	-do-	Taken on strength 12th FAB	"	26.10.16	BR216 D/O 16 13.1.17
9.11.16	No 2 Boyton	Absent from 6.30AM Parade Awarded 3 days C.C.	"	9.11.16	BR 2500 D/012 13.1.17

(4) 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.
(5) Signaller, Shooting Smith, A.S. W. 6337-M205 1000m 7/17 (35588) C. P. & S. Ltd. Forms B. 103 2/1924. [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 of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
26.3.17	Bottom Camp	Proceeding Overseas France	Southampton	26.3.17	B213 LRL824 D/017E U.5.17
5.4.17	C.O 14th FAB	Taken on strength & posted to 114th Battery	Field	31.3.17	B213 B27/14 D/019/1174
9.6.17	-do-	To Hospital sick	"	31.5.17	B213 B27/23 D/023/1413
2.6.17	3rd Cas Clg	Admitted Influenza	"	31.5.17	AKL364/21
9.6.17	-do-	Discharged to duty	"	6.6.17	AKL364/45
14.6.17	C.O 14th FAB	Rejoined ex sick	"	7.6.17	B213 B27/24 D/024/1504
21.6.17	-do-	To Hospital sick	"	16.6.17	B213 B27/25 D/025/1541
16.6.17	8th Aus Fld A	Admitted Gastritis and trans to 5th A.D.R.Stn	"	16.6.17	AKL364/B2
16.6.17	5th A.D.R.Stn	Admitted Gastritis and discharged to duty	"	16.6.17	A.K 1364/93
27.6.17	C.O 14th FAB	Rejoined ex Sick	"	26.6.17	
4.10.17	-do-	Killed in Action	In the Field B.E.F.	27.6.17	B213 B27/26 D/026/1596
				29.9.17	B213 B27/40 D/039/2688
					V.L 495 10.10.17
			(S.G.D) H. L. FERNS		
	ANZAC SECTION 3rd Echelon G.H.Q				Captain
	British Expeditionary Force				O 1/c Records

Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number 16110

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 2nd Rfts-12th FAB 14th FIELD ARTILLERY BRIGADE

Rank...Gunner Surname...MORTIMER

Christian Name...Leonard Howard

Religion...C of E

Age on Enlistment... years

Enlisted (a) 13.1.16 Terms of Service (a) Service reckons from (a) months

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, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 38, 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. 38, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
23.6.16	HMT "Ascanius"	Embarked ... Disembarked ...	Devonport	27.5.16	
	HMT All "Ascanius"	Offence Drunk on parade Award Fined 5/ and 14 days detention by Lt Col Rankin C.O "All" 23.6.16	At Sea	19.6.16	ER6628 order 8 D/09E24.3.17
10.9.16	O.C AATD	Marched in to A.A.T.D	England	10.9.16	B213 D/016 ER 1838
26.10.16	-do-	Marched out to 12th F.A.B	Boyton	26.10.16	ER8189 D/01 13.1.17
23.10.16	-do-	Trans to 119th How Bty ex A.A.T.D	England	26.10.16	ER8216 D/0.1G 13.1.17
23.10.16	-do-	Taken on strength 12th FAB	"	26.10.16	ER8216 D/0 1E 13.1.17
9.11.16	No 2 Boyton	Absent from 6.30AM Parade Awarded 3 days C.C.	"	9.11.16	ER 2500 D/01E 13.1.17

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged (or, as enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
(b) Signalier, Sholing-Smith, Rev. W. 4337-4338 15/008 7/17 (3488) C. F. & S. Ltd. Forms B. 103 B. 104. (P.T.O.)

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, & other services, as recorded on Army Form B213, Army Form 88, in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks
Date	From whom received				
26.3.17	Boyton Camp	Proceeding Overseas France	Southampton	26.3.17	B213 LR1824 D/017E 8.5.17
5.4.17	C.O 14th FAB	Taken on strength & posted to 114th Battery	Field	31.3.17	B213 E27/14 D/019/1174
9.6.17	-do-	To Hospital sick	"	31.5.17	B213 E27/23 D/023/1413
2.6.17	3rd Cas Clg S	Admitted Influenza	"	31.5.17	AK1364/21
9.6.17	-do-	Discharged to duty	"	6.6.17	AK1364/45
14.6.17	C.O 14th FAB	Rejoined ex sick	"	7.6.17	B213 E27/24 D/024/1504
21.6.17	-do-	To Hospital sick	"	16.6.17	B213 E27/25 D/025/1541
16.6.17	8th Aus Fld A	Admitted Gastritis and trans to 5th A.D.R.Stn	"	16.6.17	AK1364/82
16.6.17	5th A.D.R.Stn	Admitted Gastritis and discharged to duty	"	16.6.17	A.K 1364/93
27.6.17	C.O 14th FAB	Rejoined ex Sick	"	27.6.17	B213 E27/26 D/026/1596
4.10.17	-do-	Killed in Action	In the Field	29.9.17	B213 E27/40 D/039/2688
			B.E.F		V.L 495 10.10.17
	ANZAC SECTION 3rd Echelon G.H.Q British Expeditionary Force				<i>1st Lt</i> Captain O 1/c Records

A.B:UM.

22nd February, 1946.

The Securities Officer,
The West Australian Trustee
Executor and Agency Co. Ltd.,
135 St. George's Terrace,
PERTH. W.A.


Dear Sir :

Estate of E. E. MORTIMER, Deceased.
Re: No. 16110 Gunner Leonard Howard MORTIMER, 14th Field
Artillery Brigade, A.I.F. 1914-18.

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter NO/MS dated 12th February, 1946, in the above connection, and as requested I am forwarding herewith a Certificate of report of Death of the abovesaid deceased member of the Australian Imperial Force, 1914-18.

Our official receipt for 2/6 is enclosed.

Yours faithfully,


(A. J. BOWMAN)
OFFICER I/C A.I.F. BASE RECORDS.

No. 16110

Gunner Lenard Howard MORTIMER

14th Field Artillery Brigade,

Australian Imperial Force,

1914 - 18

XXXXXX was killed in action

29th September, 1917.

Cable No. C.I.B.L. 1930,

from the Commandant, A.I.F. Headquarters, dated London, 18th October, 1917,
confirmed by Mail from the Commandant, A.I.F. Headquarters, dated London,
23rd October, 1917, also Army Forms B.2080A and B.103.

22nd February, 1949.

(A. J. BOWMAN.)

RECEIPT FOR VICTORY MEDAL.

Received from the Officer i/c Base Records, Army Headquarters, one Victory Medal in connexion with the late

No. 16110 Gunner L.H. MORTIMER,

14th F.A.B.

Signature

Joseph Mortimer

Date

17/3/23

This slip to be returned to the Officer in Charge, Base Records, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, Victoria, within seven (7) days.

D. 3049/4.32—C.5135.

The West Australian Trustee

Executor and Agency Company Limited

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BASE RECORDS
21 FEB 1949
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135 St. George's Terrace,
Perth, W.A.

12th February, 1949

The Officer in Charge,
Base War Records,
CANBERRA.

A.C.T.

Dear Sir,

re: Est. E.E. Mortimer (D)

Would you kindly
forward to this office a copy of
your entry of death of Howard
Lennard Mortimer who died on the 29th
of December 1917 in France.

We enclose herewith
postal note for 2/6d. to cover your
costs.

Yours faithfully,

W. H. H. H.
SECURITIES OFFICER.

P. 16039/198 2/6
an
F3774 (ENC)
ACKNOWLEDGED
22 FEB 1949
General Financial Services

BASE RECORDS
21 FEB
RECEIVED

Glasgow March 19th 1925

Dear Sir

Please forward me
Pamphlet entitled, Graves
of the Fallen, Enclosed please
find sixpence in stamps

Yours faithfully

Joseph Douthett

Thank you

Glasgow

All

Booked
Despatched
28/3/25



D. J. Ellis in Action Sept 29 1918

4446 8 387
Lynn July 15th 1918

To the
Minister for Defence
Sir

I should esteem it a great
favour, if you would kindly
let me know, in what part of
of Bruce Jay Fox Gunner
Howard Leonard Mortimer
No. 16110 14th Field Artillery
Brigade was killed. We have
had no letters concerning his
death and do not know any
one in his Brigade to make
inquiries from. I have been informed
that the parents get his belongings
up to date we have had nothing
between (say his death certificate)
You will greatly oblige by giving
me all the information possible
Your Humble Servant Ellen Mortimer

FORMAL ACKL
SENT JUL 22 1918



BR 4/7/18

30th, July 1918

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Dear Madam,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 15th. inst., and regret to state no information other than he was killed in action on 29/9/17. has been received regarding the regrettable loss of your son the late No.16110 Gunner L.H.Mortimer 14th.Field Artillery Brigade, but any further particulars coming to hand at a later date will of course be promptly transmitted. In the meantime should you desire to make independent inquiries you might address a communication to:-

Commanding Officer,
14th.Field Artillery Brigade
Aust.Imperial Force,
Abroad.

No personal effects of your son have been returned to this office to date but anything coming to hand will be promptly transmitted to next-of-kin shown as (father) in the absence of any testamentary direction prescribing otherwise.

It is pointed out that considerable delay is experienced in transmitting soldiers effects to Australia owing to lack of shipping space.

Yours faithfully,

Major,
Officer i/c Base Records, *John*
Mrs. E.Mortimer,
Gin Gin,
W.A.

Mrs. F. Mortimer,
Gin Gin,
W.A.

Good described as

Leonard. Howard. Mortimer

See Cypresch

in file 110K

from.

MD

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Receipt for Consignment from Defence Department.

I hereby acknowledge having received from the Officer in Charge of Base Records the undermentioned (1) Package , being the effects of the late No. 16110, Gunner L. H. Mortimer, 14th Fld. Artly. Bde., consigned to me. ex "Gilgai" D/S 28553.

No.	Description.
1	Package

Signature *Joseph Mortimer*

Date *Sep 23 1918*

NOTE.—This Receipt should be Posted to—

**The Officer in Charge,
Base Records,
Victoria Barracks,
Melbourne, Victoria.**

D.1062/7.17.—C.8723.—10M.

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RECEIPT FOR MEMORIAL PLAQUE.

Received from the Officer i/c Base Records, Army Head-quarters,
one Memorial Plaque in connexion with the late

16110 Gnr. L.H. MORTIMER,

14/F.A.B., A.I.F.

Signature

Joseph Mortimer

Date *6 October 1922*

This slip to be returned to the Officer in Charge, Base Records, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, Victoria,
within seven (7) days.

D.5033/9.22—C.13580—5M.



RECEIPT SLIP FOR MEMORIAL SCROLL.

Received from the Officer i/c Base Records, Department of
Defence, one Memorial Scroll and King's Message, in connexion
with the late *No. 16110. Gnr. Mortimer L: H*

14th & A Bde

(Signature)

J. Mortimer

(Date)

April 26th 1922

This slip to be returned to the Officer in Charge Base Records, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, Victoria,
within seven (7) days.

D.1976/12.21.-C.19391.



M.S.

30th January 1918.

Dear Madam,

I have to/acknowledge receipt of your communication
of the 14th November last, and enclose herewith, as requested,
a certificate of report of death of the late No. 16110, Gunner L.
H. Mortimer, 14th Field Artillery Brigade.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs. E. Mortimer,
Gingin, W. A.

Major
Officer i/c Base Records.

M O R T I M E R		Lenard Howard	16110 Gnr.	3/R. 12/F.A.B.
Surname.		Other Names.	Regimental No.	Unit.
WAR GRATUITY SCHEDULE D		12 1/2		
PURPORT.				
Embarked at Melbourne per H.M.A.T..A11 Ascanius 27/5/16.				
CRIME At Sea Troopship A11. 23/6/16 Drunk on parade. 19/6/16 LON 9/3-17				
AWARD F ned 5/- & 14 days Detn. 23/6/16.				
26/3/17 Proc O'gens to France via Southampton ex A.A.T.D. (sts L) LON 17/11-17				
31/5/17. To Hosp SICK. (sts 14th F.A.B.)				
27/6/17 Rej Unit from Hosp. (sts 14th F.A.B.)				
16/6/17. To GHosp. Sick				
29/9/17. Killed in action				
31/3/17 T.O.S. of 14th Fld Art Bgde from 2nd Rfts 12th Fld Art Bgde befo 19/1-17				

D 824/2.16.-C.2024.

AR

No. 16110,

Gunner Lenard Howard Mortimer,
14th Field Artillery Brigade,
Australian Imperial Force.

XXXX was killed in action -----

XX in France 29th September 17

Cable No. C.I.B.L.

1930, from the Commandant A.I.F. Headquarters, dated London,
Near October 1917, confirmed by Mail from the Commandant A.I.F.
Headquarters, dated London, 23rd October, A917, and Army Medical
B 2090A. -----
30th January 18

FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36, or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT } 14th FIELD ARTILLERY BRIGADE Squadron, Troop, }
OR CORPS } Battery or Company }

Regimental No. 16110 Rank Gunner

Surname MORTIMER Christian Names Leonard Howard

Died { Date 29th September 1917 Place In the Field B.E.F.

{ Cause of Death* Killed in Action

Nature and Date of Report Army Form B213 dated 4.10.17

By whom made C.O 14th Field Artillery Brigade

* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Burial { Place Particulars not yet to hand Date -

{ By whom reported -

State whether he leaves { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Will not received in Small Book (if at Base) -
a Will or not { (c) as a separate document -

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the Deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

British Expeditionary Force

Station and { 1.11.17 Signature of Officer in charge of Section }
Date { Adjutant-General's Office at the Base }

0 1/c Records Captain

5 Transferred to
WAR GRATUITY SCHEDULE D3/M 39/16
AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

D 10100

No. 16110 ✓

Rank Sergeant Name MORTIMER, L. H.

Unit 14th FA Brigade, 12th FA Bde

Casualty Killed in Action 29/9/17 C.F.B. P. 1930/805 issued London 14/11/17

LIST.
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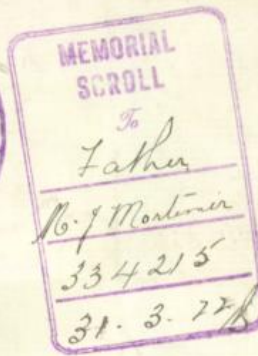
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12/16

DATE.	PURPORT.	REF. NO.
28 1917	A.F. B. 103 Received	A.F. B. 2090A Received,
19/11/17	M.O. 5 ADVISED, KILLED IN ACTION 29 9 17 COPY MADE FOR WAR PENSIONS	
	CONFIRMATION RECEIVED OF Cable No. C.D.B. 1930 vide 9/1/91 D. 23/10/17	
17 9 18	PERSONAL EFFECTS EX. 21/10/17	
12.2.19	C. M. Form 8 Returned to Unit A.D. 897 M No personal effects in his B. R. M. No. 24/11/97	"Received & acknowledged by printed card 24/11/97"
3/3/22	ular B.R.M. 46/1368 & Booklet re Graves despatched 21 2 22 BRITISH WAR MEDAL to Comdt 5th M.D.C.M. 53/658	

WAR HISTORY INDEX

D.34/10.15.—C.12075.—50M.



10 MAR 1923

VICTORY MEDAL to Father B.R.P.F.
Registered Post No. 31 B.P.O. Melbourne

13/11/28 REGISTER ORDER FORM dispatched

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