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CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER

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I have examined his naturalization papers, and am of opinion that they are correct. Phis to be struck out except in the case of persons who are naturalized British Subjects.)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

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.

(Sa) John Mackles Signature of Person Enlisted

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	t; abnormal curvature of spine; or any other disease or
physical defect calculated to unfit him for the duties of	
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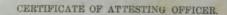
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REGIMENT OR CORPS 17th. Battalion A.I.F.	Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company
Pank -	ergeant.
Surname McPHERSON. Christian Nam	
. Date Place	FRANCE.
Cause of Death*	General Hospital ROUEN. FIRMOS.
Nature and Date of Report	
Death Report.	8th.May 1917.
* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, military duty, or from in	General Hospital ROUEN. FRANCE. or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on jury while on military duty.
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a Will or not (c) as a separate document	
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4.	What is your age?	4. 26 Jests 9 months.
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6.	Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period?	6
7.	Are you married?	7. 913
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8.	Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated)	Candot Ritushite Sattland
9.	Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power?	9
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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	2 years stivel in Junitarial 11. time expired
12.	Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service?	12 ges
13.	Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds?	13
14.	(For Married Men and Widowers with children)— Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued to you either before or after embarkation during your term of service?	14
1	by me the above questions are true, and I am willing	do solemnly declare that the above answers made and hereby voluntarily agree to serve in the Military

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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... 2.2/1/15.....

Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, John Machhetson serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Im	, swear that I will well and truly
serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Im	perial Force from . 22. Lanuaty. 19.1.5.
	our months thereafter unless sooner lawfully discharged,
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be kept and maintained; and that I will in all matter	ers appertaining to my service, faithfully discharge my
duty according to law.	

SO HELP ME, GOD.

John Mchheto.
Signature of Person Enlisted.

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.

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5th November, 1917.

Dear Sir,

23rd ultimo, and emplose herewith, as requested, certificate, in duplicate, of report of death of the late No. 746, Sgt. J. MacPherson, 17th Battalion. I have to soknowledge receipt of your communication of

The address of the deceased prior to enlistment is Mrs. Isabella MacPherson, (Mother, Broomhill Cawder, Wairnshire. not recorded, that of next-of-kin being,

Yours faithfully

Officer 1/c Base Records. Major.

> The Public Trustee, By dney,

COPY OF WILL.

In the event of my meath I give £20 pounds to my str Sister Jessie Macpherson Address 2 The College Glasgow Scotland and the rest of property and effects to my Mother

address Mrs. Isabella Mac Pherson

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No.746

John MacPherson Sgt.

B.Coy. 17th.Batt.A.I.F.

June 11th. 1915.

J.Mac Pherson, extracted by me from A.B.64 on 20th.

June 1917.

ORS.17th.Battalion A.I.F.

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No. 746, Sgt. MacPherson, 17th pattalion, A.I. Force, deceased.

From the PUBLIC TRUSTEE

67 Castlereagh Street

Sydney,

New South Wales

THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE

SYDNEY.

To The Officer in Charge,

Base Records,

Dept. of Defence,

Melbourne.

Melbourne,

Sydney, 15th October 1917

25th October 17.

Sir,

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estate of the above named soldier In reply to your comand I understand from the Officer In reply to your comin Charge, Records, Administrat my sication of 15th instant, I
in Charge, Records, Administrat my sication of 15th instant, I
Headquarters, London that deceased to inform you no Will of the
Will was forwarded to you. Willbove named soldier has been reyou kindly send same to me
Should same be received it will

Yours obediently be promptly forwarded to the District Paymaster 2nd M.D.

(SGD) T.W. GARRETT. for transmission to legatee.
Yours faithfully

Public Trustee

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The Public Trust Office,

Culwulla Chambers, 67, Castleragh Street,

Sydney, N.S.W. B. Felder 191)

Sir,

Re Vo 746, Set Was Pherson, for 146 Battakin a Storce, deceded I shall be obliged if you will furnish me

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- Certificate in duplicate relating to the death of the abovenamed deceased soldier.
- 2. The address of the deceased prior to enlistment.
- 3. The name and address of the person nominated as his next of kin.

Yours obediently,

y W Garrett

Public Trustee.

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Major J. M. LEAN,
Officer in Charge,
Base Records,
Dept. of Defence,
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cortified to be a true Copy of the Will of No.746 Sgt. J.Bac Phorson, extracted by me from A.B.66 on Both. Alylo Checked. June 1917.

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SERVICE FIELD

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 netification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36, or from other official documentary sources.

* 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. "B"Company. Place 12th.General Hospital ROUEN By whom made Commanding Officer 12th. General Hospital ROUEN. 8th. May 1917. Cause of Death. DIED OF WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company Sergeent. 7 Christian Names. Nature and Date of Report Death Report. REGIMENT 17th. Battalion A.I.F. Rank 8th.May 1917. MCPHERSON. 746 Regimental No. Surname

Date Particulars not yet to hand. By whom reported Place

State whether he leaves (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) 1111 not recept nestan Book (if at Base) (c) as a separate document. a Will or not

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 SECTION 3RD? ECHELON G.H.Q. Signature of Officer in charge of Section Station and B.E.F. 15th.June 1919. (1452) We587/M 30 500,000 10/16 JFW [E328] Form (B2090A/2

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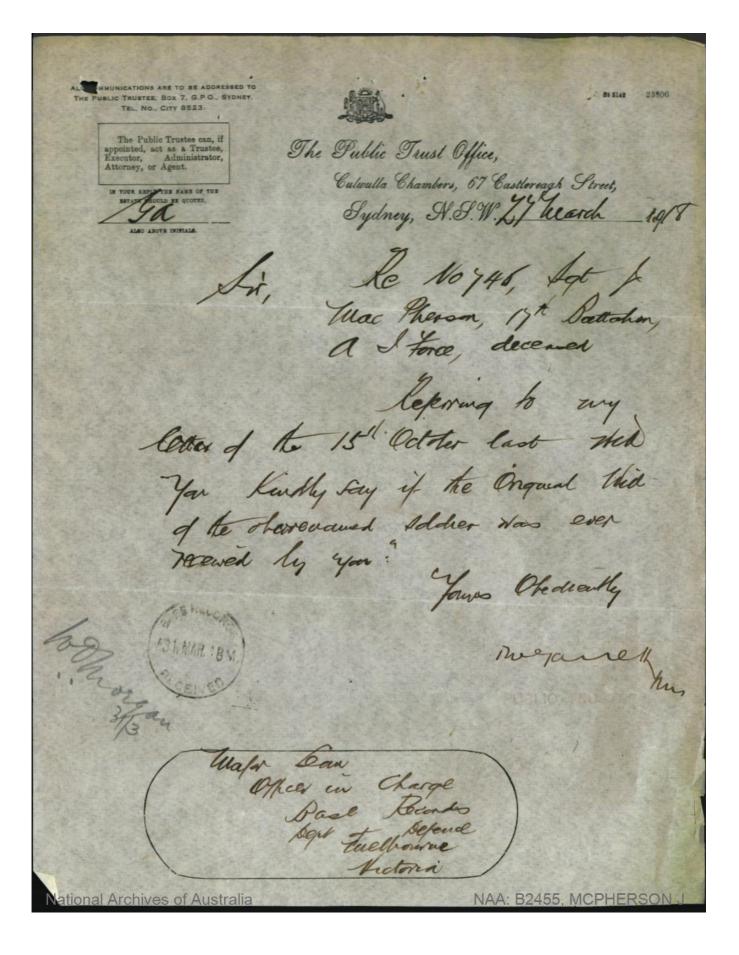
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E.MoK.

8th April, 1918.

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Dear Sir.

In reply to your communication of the 27th ultimo, I have to inform you that the original Will of the late No. 746, Sergeant J. McPherson, 17th Battalion, was forwarded by this Office to the District Paymaster, Victoria Marracks, Paddington, New South Wales, on 27th November, 1917, for notation and return to the legatees.

Wours Eithfully.

Officer i/o Base Records.

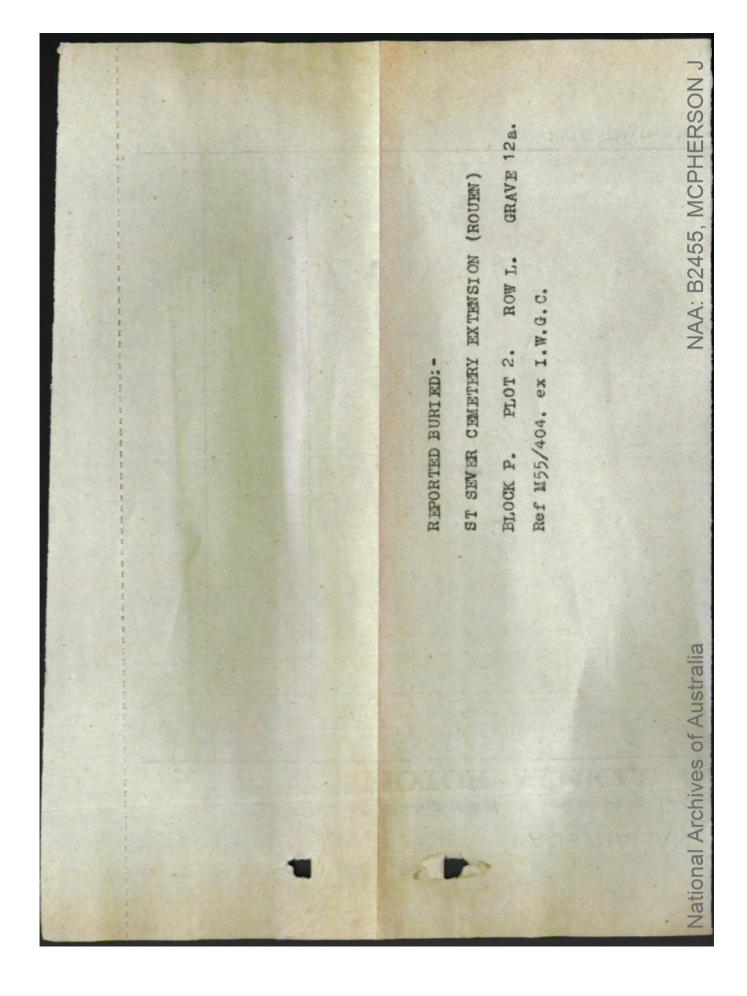
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Box 7. G.P.O..

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