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MILITARY FORCES.

**OFFICER AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.**

**Z 1436**

**Form Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.**

No. *Lieut* Name *OWEN P.I.H*  
*7/58" Bk* Unit *8 - 11 - 15*  
Joined on *28 12 15*

**Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.**

- Z 1436*
1. *Percy Irvine Haylock Owen*
  2. In the Parish of ..... in or near the Town of *Gettaria* in the County of *Spain*
  3. *Natural born*
  4. *25 years*
  5. *Planter*
  6. *no*
  7. *father no*
  8. *Colonel R.H. Owen Bellambi W.S.W.*
  9. *no*
  10. *no*
  11. *no*
  12. *yes*
  13. *no*
  14. ....
  15. *yes*

I, *Percy Irvine Haylock Owen* 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 three-fifths wife and children

Date *8<sup>th</sup> Jan 1915* *Percy I.H. Owen*  
Signature of person enlisted.

\*This clause to be amended where necessary and should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.

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... 8<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1915...

Signed... C. E. Grant...  
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.\*

I, Percy Irvine Haylock Owen... swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 8<sup>th</sup> Nov. 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.

Signed Percy Irvine Owen...  
Signature of Person Enlisted

Taken and subscribed at Hollwath in the State of New South Wales this Eight day of November of 1915, before me—

Signed C. E. Grant...  
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 St. Owen P. I. H. on Enlistment.

Age 25 years 11 months  
 Height 5 feet 8.5 inches  
 Weight 144 lbs.  
 Chest Measurement 35 inches  
 Complexion Dark  
 Eyes Dark brown  
 Hair Dark  
 Religious Denomination Cath.

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I have examined the above-named person, and find that he does not present any of the following conditions: 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.O.; 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 is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him fit for active service.

Date 13. 10. 10.  
 Place Sydney.

Signia H. F. Alsop  
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer.  
Capt. name.

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 19<sup>th</sup> Battalion

Date 29<sup>th</sup> July 1916.  
 Place Liverpool.

[Signature]  
 G. O. 19th. BATTN.  
 Commanding

Statement of Service of No.....

Name.....

St.  
Owen P. J. H.

Unit in which served,	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
Holdeworthy	Pte.	8/11/15		
"E" Coy. Casula	Cpl.	30/11/15		
No. 8 Depot N.C.O. Co.	Cpl.	20/3/16		
Dunroon	Cpl.	26/4/16		
"C" Coy 19 <sup>th</sup> Bn. Lpool	Cpl.	26/6/16		
B. Coy 19 <sup>th</sup> Batt <sup>n</sup> Lpool	Cpl.	8/7/16	30/7/16	
Dubbo	1 Lt.	31/7/16	25 AUG 1916	Transferred
Manila	1 Lieut	26.8.16	31.8.16	Trif. Bn.
along Depot Bn Buckhurst	do	1.9.16		
7/58 Batt. Bathurst		5.10.16		To 7/58 Batt.
7/58 Batt. Liverpool		7.10.16		

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

AUSTRALIAN



MILITARY FORCES.

# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

## Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 1596  
Leit.

Name OWEN P.I.H.  
Unit 7/58Bn  
Joined on 13-10-15

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### Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

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|--|--|
| 1. What is your Name? . . . . .  | 1. <u>Percy Irvine Haylock Owen</u>  |
| 2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? . . . . .   | 2. In the Parish of . . . . . in or<br>near the Town of <u>Gibraltar</u><br>in the County of <u>Spain</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>Natural born</u>   |
| 4. What is your age? . . . . .   | 4. <u>25 year</u>  |
| 5. What is your trade or calling? . . . . .  | 5. <u>Planter</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>Colonel R.H. Owen</u><br><u>(Father)</u> <u>in will</u>  |
| 9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? . . . . .  | 9. <u>No</u> <u>Supervisor</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> <u>Colonel</u><br><u>of Commercial Banking Co.</u><br><u>18, Birchen Lane,</u><br><u>London.</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>No</u> <u>(see file Lt. Col Owen R.H. "C.M.G."</u><br><u>2/20.)</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. 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 smallpox and enteric fever? . . . . .  | 15. <u>Yes</u>   |

I, Percy Irvine Haylock Owen 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 three-fifths wife and children

Date 21 Nov. 1915

Percy I. Owen  
Signature of person enlisted.

\*This clause to be amended where necessary and should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.

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. 8th Nov. 1915

*[Signature]*  
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.\*

I, *Percy Irvine Haylock Owen* swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from *8th Nov. 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.

*Percy I. Owen*  
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at *Holeworth* in the State of *New South Wales* this *Eighth* day of *November* of 19 *15* before me—

*[Signature]*  
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.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

RECORD OF OFFICERS' SERVICES.

*2nd Lieut*  
Rank and Name OWEN P.I.H.  
Staff or Unit 7<sup>th</sup> Bn. 58 Bata. MO 558/16.  
Date of Appointment and Gazette 25. 7. 16 eaf 9/16  
Promotion (date and Gazette) \_\_\_\_\_  
Left Australia in Transport 19 Africa on 3/11/16 1916.

Record subsequent to embarkation:—

*25. 3. 17*  
*also B.R. 103/34*  
14/3/17 3 Bata Transd from 58 Bn. MO 376/17 BR. 103/34  
10/5/17 3 " " Taken on strength MO 497/17

Returned to Australia (Date, Transport, and any other details):—

Gazetted from A.I.F. \_\_\_\_\_



Description of *Lt. Owen P. I. H.* on Enlistment.

Age *25* years *11* months  
 Height *5* feet *8 1/2* inches  
 Weight *144* lbs.  
 Chest Measurement *35* inches  
 Complexion *Dark*  
 Eyes *Dark brown Good*  
 Hair *Dark*  
 Religious Denomination *BoE*

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

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 *13-10-15*  
 Place *Sydney*

*H. J. Alsop*  
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer.  
*Capt. H. J. Alsop*

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 .....

*19<sup>th</sup> Battalion*  
 Date *29<sup>th</sup> July 1916*  
 Place *Liverpool*

*H. J. Alsop*  
 O. C. 19th. BATTN.  
 Commanding .....

Lt.

Statement of Service of No. .... Name Owen P. H.

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
Holdsworth	Pte.	8/11/15		
E Coy. Casula	Cpl.	30/11/15		
No. 8. Depot N.C.O.S.	Cpl.	20/3/16		
Duntroon	Cpl.	26/4/16		
"C" Coy. 19 <sup>th</sup> Bn.	Cpl.	26/6/16		
B Coy 19 <sup>th</sup> Bn.	Cpl.	8/4/16	30/7/16	
Lipool	Cpl.			
Dubbo	Lt.	31/7/16	5 AUG 1918	Wounded
7/58 Bn		28-9-16	-7-10-16	To Europe
Bathurst				
4/58 Battalion		8.10.16		
Liverpool				
<b>7/58 Bn</b>	<b>A. 19 'Afric' Sydney</b>	<b>3.11.16</b>		

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

## FIELD SERVICE.

REPORT of Death of an Officer 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 ) **3rd. BATTALION A.I.F.** Squadron, } (late 7th. Refts. 58th. Bn.)  
or  
CORPS ) Troop, Battery }  
or Company }

Rank **2/LIEUTENANT**

Name **OWEN, Percy Irvine Haylock.**

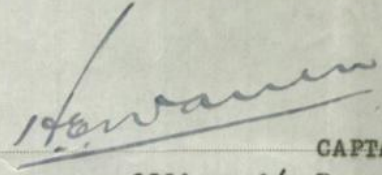
DIED { By whom reported **Commanding Officer, 3rd. BATTALION A.I.F.**  
Date of Death **22nd. September 1917.**  
Place or Hospital **BELGIUM.**  
Cause of Death **KILLED IN ACTION.**  
Place of Burial **Particulars not yet to hand.**

State whether he leaves a will or not. } **Will not Received.**

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, 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 Officer of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

Signature of Officer in charge  
of Section Adjutant-General's  
Office at the Base.



**CAPTAIN.**  
**Officer i/c Records.**

Station and Date **ANZAC SECTION, 3rd. Echelon G.H.Q., B.E.F.**  
**4th. October 1917.**

Certified to be a true copy of the Will of No2/Lieut. OWEN, Percy  
Irvine Haylock. 3rd Battalion.

WILL.

*[Signature]* 5553 AM97  
Testator's Branch,  
Add. Hqrs., London.

Checked.  
Name in full.

*J. Williams chl*

I, Percy Irvine Haylock Owen 3/Lieut

Unit. Regimental Number..... serving in 3rd Batta A.I.F.

21436

of the Australian Imperial Force do hereby revoke all former Wills  
made by me and declare this to be my last Will.

Name and Address of  
person or persons  
to whom it is to go

I DEVISE and BEQUEATH all my real estate unto.....

Hilda Owen

C/o Commonwealth Bank of Australia

Hollongong N.S.W. Australia

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to.....

Name and Address of  
person or persons  
to receive personal  
estate. (See Note)

Hilda Owen

C/o Commonwealth Bank of Australia

Hollongong NSW Australia

Fill in Date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 20th

day of June A.D. 1917.

Percy I. H. Owen (Signature).

All alterations  
to be initialled  
by Testator and  
Witnesses.

Signed by the said Testator as his last Will and Testament the same  
having been read over and explained to him, in the presence of us  
both present at the same time who at his request and in his presence  
and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names  
as witnesses.

FIRST WITNESS.

Signature of Witness..... C. H. Leslie Lieut.

Address and Occupation..... 3rd Bn A.I.F. On active Service  
Abroad

SECOND WITNESS.

Signature of Witness..... A. E. Smith Lieut.

Address and Occupation..... 3rd Bn A.I.F. On active Service  
Abroad.

N.B.-Personal Estate includes Pay, Effects, Money in Bank,  
Insurance Policy, in fact everything except Real Estate.

Australian



Military Forces.

Application for a Commission in the A.I.E.F.

Church of England.

No.	Particulars.	
1.	Surname ... } Other names (in full) }	... } To be in block letters. ... }
	OWEN Percy Irvine Haylock.	
2.	Educational Qualifications ... <small>(Certificate to be attached for notation at District Head-quarters.)</small>	Felstead College, England.
3.	Military Qualifications (previous Military Service, if any, to be stated) <small>(Attention is directed to third sub-para. of C.M. Regulation 66. Present rank and corps to be stated.)</small>	Captain A.I.F. Liverpool N.S.W 19 <sup>th</sup> Batt. A.I.F Officers Training School Dunedin Comd as pallid 26/4/16 20/6/16
4.	Date on which applicant qualified at a competitive examination for first appointment as 2nd Lieutenant (U.T. Regulation 132) ...	20 June 1916
5.	Present Civil Employment ...	Planter
6.	Date of Birth and Age ... <small>(Certificate of Birth or Statutory Declaration to be attached for notation at District Head-quarters.)</small>	Date of Birth: 18 <sup>th</sup> Nov 1890 Age: 25 Years 9 Months.
7.	If a British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject ... <small>(In the case of the latter, date and place of Naturalization to be stated.)</small>	British Subject
8.	Married or Single ...	Single
9.	Postal Address ...	B Coy 19 <sup>th</sup> Batt Liverpool N.S.W C/o E. Owen School Wollongong N.S.W Battalion Area 2 <sup>nd</sup> M.D.
10.	Next of Kin ...	Father Lt Col. R. H. Owen, C.M.G.

Date 10 July 1916 (Signature of Applicant) Percy I.H. Owen

NOTE.—Candidates for Commissions in the Permanent Forces are required to attach a satisfactory certificate of moral character, or, if they are serving in the Permanent or Citizen Forces, to be recommended by their Commanding Officer. They are also to state on the back of this form the subjects in which they desire to be examined in Part II., and where exemptions are claimed for educational subjects, the authority for same is to be stated, and where necessary to be supported by certificate.

**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE**

In the cases of Candidates for Commissions in the Permanent Forces, Proceedings of Medical Board, in accordance with instructions contained in "Standing Orders for the Army Medical Services," will be substituted for this Certificate; such Board, however, will not be assembled until after the nomination of the candidate to undergo examination has been approved by the Military Board of Administration.

I, W. H. Holt do hereby certify to the correctness of the following particulars respecting the above-named applicant. I further certify that the applicant is not ruptured, has not been operated on for Hernia, and is capable of bearing the fatigue incident to the performance of military duty.

Height 5 ft 10 in Weight 10 st 10 lb  
Chest Measurement 34-37 Eyesight Good

Signature of the Examining Medical Officer } W. H. Holt

**RECOMMENDATION AND CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING OFFICER**  
(Not required in the cases of Candidates for Commissions in the Permanent Forces)

I recommend that the candidate above-named be appointed a ...  
in the Corps under my command, and I certify:—

1. That such appointment will be within the authorized establishment for the current year.
2. (a) That the provisions of U.T. Reg. 33 have been fully complied with, or  
(b) That the provisions of U.T. Reg. 132 have been fully complied with.  
(c) That all candidates higher in order of merit, by competitive examination, have been absorbed.

On appointment the candidate will be posted to Squadron, Battery, or Coy., &c.

Date ..... Commanding ..... Regt. or Corps.

**RECOMMENDATION OF DISTRICT COMMANDANT**  
*Recommended, Candidate considered suitable*

Date ..... Commandant 2nd Military District.

† Sub-para. not applicable to be struck out.

N.B.—Record of War Service (if any) to be shown on back of Form.

Seniority of Candidates as determined by competitive examination to be stated when two or more applications are forwarded on the same date.

**Australian Military Forces.**



Application for a Commission in the A. I. F

Child of England.

No.	Particulars.	
1.	Surname ... Other names (in full) ...	... } To be in block letters. <b>OWEN</b> <b>Percy Irvine Haylock</b>
2.	Educational Qualifications ... <small>(Certificate to be attached for notation at District Head-quarters.)</small>	<b>Felsted</b> <b>Essex England</b>
3.	Military Qualifications (previous Military Service, if any, to be stated) <small>(Attention is directed to third sub-para. of C.M. Regulation 65. Present rank and corps to be stated.)</small>	<b>4022 Trench Warfare School Liverpool</b> <b>AO 105</b>
4.	Date on which applicant qualified at a competitive examination for first appointment as 2nd Lieutenant (U.T. Regulation 132) ...	<b>Gazette no 91</b> <b>27<sup>th</sup> July 1916</b>
5.	Present Civil Employment ...	
6.	Date of Birth and Age ... <small>(Certificate of Birth or Statutory Declaration to be attached for notation at District Head-quarters.)</small>	Date of Birth: <b>18<sup>th</sup> Nov 1890</b> Age: <b>25</b> Years. <b>11</b> Months.
7.	If a British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject ... <small>(In the case of the latter, date and place of Naturalization to be stated.)</small>	<b>British Subject</b>
8.	Married or Single ...	<b>Single</b>
9.	Postal Address ...	<b>Bellambi</b> <b>Wollungahilly</b> <b>Lynnhorpe</b> <b>Bonural NSW</b>
10.	Next of Kin ...	<b>Col. Rowan Capt Bonural</b>

**GAZETTED**  
C. of A. GAZETTE.  
No. 91 of 27. 7. 16

Date 20/10/16 (Signature of Applicant) Percy Owen

NOTE.—Candidates for Commissions in the Permanent Forces are required to attach a satisfactory certificate of moral character, or, if they are serving in the Permanent or Citizen Forces, to be recommended by their Commanding Officer. They are also to state on the back of this form the subjects in which they desire to be examined in Part II., and where exemptions are claimed for educational subjects, the authority for same is to be stated, and where necessary to be supported by certificate.

**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE**

In the cases of Candidates for Commissions in the Permanent Forces, Proceedings of Medical Board, in accordance with instructions contained in "Standing Orders for the Army Medical Services," will be substituted for this Certificate; such Board, however, will not be assembled until after the nomination of the Candidate to undergo examination has been approved by the Military Board of Administration.

I, Leon Quessy do hereby certify to the correctness of the following particulars respecting the above-named applicant. I further certify that the applicant is not ruptured, has not been operated on for Hernia, and is capable of bearing the fatigue incident to the performance of military duty.

Height 5ft 8ins Weight 140 lbs  
Chest Measurement 33/35 Eyesight Good  
Signature of the Examining Medical Officer: L. Quessy Capt AMC

**RECOMMENDATION AND CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING OFFICER**  
(Not required in the cases of Candidates for Commissions in the Permanent Forces)

I recommend that the candidate above-named be appointed a \_\_\_\_\_ in the Corps under my command, and I certify:—

1. That such appointment will be within the authorized establishment for the current year.
2. †(a) That the provisions of U.T. Reg. 33 have been fully complied with, or
- †(b) That the provisions of U.T. Reg. 132 have been fully complied with.
- (c) That all candidates higher in order of merit, by competitive examination, have been absorbed.

On appointment the candidate will be posted to 7/55<sup>th</sup> Squadron, Battery, or Coy., &c.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Commanding \_\_\_\_\_ Regt. or Corps.

**RECOMMENDATION OF DISTRICT COMMANDANT**  
Recommended, Candidate considered suitable

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Commandant 2nd Military District.

† Sub-para. not applicable to be struck out.  
N.B.—Record of War Service (if any) to be shown on back of Form.  
Seniority of Candidates as determined by competitive examination to be stated when two or more applications are forwarded on the same date.

Certified to be a true copy of the Will of No2/Lieut. OWEN, Percy  
Irvine Hayloch, 3rd Battalion.

WILL.

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
5553  
AM97  
Estate Branch,  
Adm. Hqrs., London.

Checked. *[Handwritten Signature]*  
Name in full. I, Percy Irvine Hayloch Owen 2/Lieut

Unit. Regimental Number ----- serving in 3rd Battn A I F

of the Australian Imperial Force do hereby revoke all former Wills  
made by me and declare this to be my last Will.

Name and Address of person or persons to whom it is to go I DEVISE and BEQUEATH all my real estate unto Hilda Owen

C/o Commonwealth Bank of Australia  
Wollongong N.S.W. Australia

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to Hilda Owen

Name and Address of person or persons to receive personal estate. (See Note) Hilda Owen  
C/o Commonwealth Bank of Australia  
Wollongong NSW Australia

Fill in Date. IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 20th  
day of June A.D. 1917.

Percy I.H.Owen (Signature).

All alterations to be initialled by Testator and Witnesses. Signed by the said Testator as his last Will and Testament the same having been read over and explained to him, in the presence of us both present at the same time who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses.

FIRST WITNESS. Signature of Witness G.H.Leslie Lieut.  
Address and Occupation 3rd Bn A.I.F. On active Service  
Abroad

SECOND WITNESS. Signature of Witness A.E.Smith Lieut.  
Address and Occupation 3rd Bn A.I.F. On Active Service  
Abroad.

N.B.-Personal Estate includes Pay, Effects, Money in Bank, Insurance Policy, in fact everything except Real Estate.

# FIELD SERVICE.

REPORT of Death of an Officer 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 ) 3rd. BATTALION A.I.F. Squadron, (late 7th. Refts. 58th. Bn.)  
or ) Troop, Battery  
CORPS ) or Company

Rank 2/LIEUTENANT

Name OWEN, Percy Irvine Haylock.

DIED { By whom reported Commanding Officer, 3rd. BATTALION A.I.F.  
Date of Death 22nd. September 1917.  
Place or Hospital BELGIUM.  
Cause of Death KILLED IN ACTION.  
Place of Burial Particulars not yet to hand.

State whether he leaves a will or not. } Will not Received.

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, 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 Officer of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base.

*H. Wainman*

CAPTAIN.  
Officer i/c Records.

Station and Date ANZAC SECTION, 3rd. Echelon G.H.Q., B.E.F.  
4th. October 1917.



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WILL

In the event of my death I give the whole  
of my property & effects  
to (mother)

Hilda Grace Owen,  
Bellembi  
South Coast  
Australia

Signed Percy I H Owen 2/Lt  
58th Battn  
21st January 1917.

Certified to be a true copy of Will extracted from the pay-book  
of Lieutenant OWEN Percy Irvine Haylock, 58th Battalion, A.I.F.

Checked. Cpl.

*[Signature]*

*[Signature]*  
Cpl.  
Estates Branch.  
Adm. Hdqtrs. Ldn.  
12.4.18.

Army Form B. 103.

3rd. Battalion.

Regimental Number.....

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps..... **7th. Reinfts-56th Battalion**

Rank **Lieut.** Surname... **OWEN** Christian Name... **Percy Irvine Haylock**

Religion..... Age on Enlistment ..... years ..... months

Enlisted (a) **15.10.15** 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		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.
	From whom received					
30.1.17	O.C. Troops A19	"Afric"	Embarked ...	Sydney	3.11.16	ER. 7323
			Disembarked	Plymouth	9.1.17	(11.1.17)
	15th. Tng. Bn. No. 7 B213		Marched in from A19 "Afric"	Hurdcott	10.1.17	ER. 7391 DO. 7 29.1.17
25.3.17	"		Trans to 3rd. Bn. from 58 Bn.	Durrington	25.3.17	DO. 24E. 12.4.1
25.3.17	1st. Tng. Bn. B213		Taken on strength ex 58 Bn	"	21.3.17	LR. 974 DO. 30E. 5.4.17
7.5.17	A. I. F. Depots		Proceeded O/Seas France	Tidworth	2.5.17	DO. 40E. 9.5.17
4.5.17	1st. A. D. B. D.		<del>M/O to join unit</del> from Eng.	Etaples	4.5.17	AK. 1142/7
5.5.17	"		M/O to join Unit	"	5.5.17	AX. 7478
18.5.17	3rd. Bn. B213		Taken on strength	France	10.5.17	AS/20 DO. 38/3525 A. I. F. List-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, Shoelag-Smith, &c.  
 W. 4327-M203 1909m 717 (2688) C. F. & S., Ltd. Forms B.103 E/155.

Date	Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c. during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A. 58, 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				
23.9.17	C.O. 3rd. Bn.		KILLED IN ACTION	Belgium <del>France</del>	22.9.17	AT. 15637 P. 129 25.9.17 D0.70/5605 <sup>25/</sup> <sub>17</sub> .
				(Sgd) H.E. WAWN		Captain.
		ANZAC SECTION, 3rd. Echelon, G.H.Q. British Expeditionary Force.		Officer i/c Records.		

**CASUALTY FORM ACTIVE SERVICE.**

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3 D/L

Regiment or Corps 7th Rein. 58th Batt. Name OWEN Percy Irvine Antist.

Regimental No. \_\_\_\_\_

Enlisted (a) 13/10/15

Date of Promotion to present rank \_\_\_\_\_

Terms of Service (a) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of appointment to lance rank \_\_\_\_\_

Service reckons from (a) \_\_\_\_\_

Numerical position on roll of N.C.O.'s \_\_\_\_\_

Extended D. 902/0.10—C. 7518—50M.

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.				
/	O.C. Troops	A19 "Affric" (Embarked Disembkd)	Sydney Plymouth	3/11/16 9/1/17	(SR 7323) (11/1/17)
30/1/17	15th Eng Bde No 7. AF 8. 213	Marched in from A. 19 Africa.	Wardcote.	10-1-17	E.R. 7391. Do. 7. 29/1/17
25.3.17	15th Eng Bde No 7. AF 8. 213	Transferred to 3rd An Co 88th Bde	Quinnyton	25.3.17	Do 24E 12-4-17
25.3.14	B. 213. 126 Wing. Bde.	Yaken on strength from 58th Bde	Quinnyton	21.3.14	V. R. 914 D. O. 30E 5.4.17
17.5.17	AIF Detos	Proceeded O/Seas France	Tidworth III	2.5.17	Do 40E 9.5.17
6.5.17	1st AIF Bde	M/Os join unit	Gapes	5.5.17	AF 478
7.5.17	1st AIF Bde	M/Os from England	"	4.5.17	AF 1427

(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., also special qualifications in Technical Corps duties.

Report.		Place.	Date.	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date.	From whom Received.			
16/17	300 Bn	France	19/5/17	98/20 50 28/3525 (A. 37. Post 179)
23/9/17	910 3rd Bn	France Belgium.	22/9/17	A.T. 15637 #E. 129 dt. 25/9/17 D/O. 70/5608
		Originals: Copies sent to C.P.M. Adm.		H.Q. 5th Division on 4/10/17
9/10/17	A.S.F. Lost 243.	Reporting K. in S. Field is struck off strength	22/9/17	(Sgt) H.F. WAWN Officer's Records AKT 17/12

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APP.

COPY OF OFFICIAL REPORT D.16.

2nd Lieut. P.J.H. OWEN, 3rd Battalion, A.I.F.  
Killed in Action 22.9.17.

This Officer was killed in action on 22.9.17 by a shell which penetrated his steel helmet and entered his forehead. He fell unconscious and died a few minutes later.

He was buried where he fell in his Platoon Post in the front line and small cross erected. Map Ref. 51.15.3.2.2. in the vicinity of BARKLY SPRING about 28.11.17 - approximately 1000 yards south east of WESSING.

(3rd)

Major,  
3rd Australian Battalion.

- (a) "Y" FARM MILITARY CEMETERY, TOUQUET DES  
MAGNES-FRIMERS, near BOIS GRENIER, 3 miles  
S. of ARMENTIERES.
- (b) TYNE COT BRITISH CEMETERY, PASSCHENDAELE,  
5½ miles E.N.E. of YPRES.
- (c) PERTH (CHINA WALL) MILITARY CEMETERY,  
ZILLEBEKE, 1¼ miles E. of YPRES.
- (d) QUEANT ROAD BRITISH CEMETERY, BUISSY,  
9¼ miles N.E. of BAPAUME.
- (e) BRAY VALE BRITISH CEMETERY, ¼ of a mile  
N. of BRAY-sur-SOMME.

GRAVES REGISTRATION UNITS.  
EXHUMATIONS.

24th F.A.B.	--	THOMPSON	Capt. G.K.	19.7.16
(a)		(Report Bois Grenier 4.17/C).		
		Plot 2. Row "B".	Grave 22.	
1/F. Co. Aus. Engrs.	43.	BALDWIN	Sgt. A.A.B.	21.9.17
(b)		(Report Passchendaele 51.772/E).		
		Plot 42. Row "F".	Grave 21.	
3rd Bn. A.I.F.	--	OWEN	2/Lt. P.I.H.	22.9.17
(b)		(Report Passchendaele 51.1029/E).		
		Plot 61. Row "B".	Grave 9.	
2nd F.A.B.		4234 HANSEN	Gnr. F.	1.8.17
(c)		(Report Zillebeke 50.29/C).		
		Plot 2. Row "B".	Grave 30.	
58th Bn.	2611	ALLEN	Pte. W.E.F.	26.3.17
(d)		(Report Buissy 1.225/E).		
		Plot 8. Row "D".	Grave 30.	
3/Aust. Fld. Amb.	13859	WHITE	Pte. P.C.	4.5.17
(d)		(Report Buissy 1.85/E).		
		Plot 3. Row "G".	Grave 39.	
38th Bn. A.I.F.	5974	BURKE "MM"	Sgt. J.	24.8.18
(e)		(Report Bray-sur-Somme 30.1/C).		
		Plot 1. Row "B".	Grave 3.	

Original in file of Capt. G.K. Thompson.

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# A.I.F. DEMOBILIZATION, 1919.

## Application for Railway Tickets to proceed to Sydney to meet Soldier returning for Demobilization.

The New South Wales Government will issue free railway tickets (first-class) to enable the officially registered next of kin and one other relative (or near friend) to meet each soldier upon arrival in Sydney for demobilization.

This form should be filled in, signed by the applicant, and witnessed by a J.P., or Postmaster, or Schoolmaster, and then forwarded, without delay, to **THE N.S.W. GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVE, FURLOUGH BUREAU, RAWSON CHAMBERS, PITT STREET, SYDNEY.**

### PARTICULARS OF SOLDIER.

Regtl. No.	Rank.	Name.	Unit.

### PARTICULARS OF APPLICANT.

Name of Applicant.....  
(Next-of-kin)  
 Full Postal Address.....  
 Name and Address of other }  
 relative, or near friend, }  
 requiring ticket.

Tickets required from.....  
 Ship by which Soldier is expected..... to Sydney and Return.

Witness.....  
(A J.P., or Postmaster, or Schoolmaster.)  
*Signature of Next-of-kin*.....

**NOTE.**—The above-mentioned free tickets will be granted upon the distinct condition that no obligation nor responsibility, **WHATEVER** otherwise, is undertaken by the Government in connection with the visit of the recipients to Sydney.  
**THE N.S.W. GOVERNMENT CANNOT SUPPLY ANY INFORMATION AS TO THE MOVEMENTS OF SHIPS, PROBABLE DATE OF ARRIVAL, &c.**

This Application MUST be accompanied by the Notice received from the Defence Department.



KYS.

Tel. No. 1740. Ext. \_\_\_\_\_

Telegraphic Address: "CROTON, E. STRAND, LONDON,"



## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

Any further communication should  
be addressed to  
OFFICER IN CHARGE,  
AUSTRALIAN GRAVES SERVICES,  
and the following No. quoted:

A.G.S. 69/1/12.

COMMONWEALTH OFFICES,

AUSTRALIA HOUSE,

STRAND,

LONDON, W.C.2

16th March, 1921.

Officer i/c Base Records,  
Department of Defence,  
Melbourne.

2nd Lieut. P.I.H. OWEN, 3rd Bn.A.I.F.  
Killed in action 22.9.1917.

You are advised that the above named officer is  
buried in Grave 9 Row B Plot 61 Tyne Cot British Cemetery.  
Location Sheet confirming that burial will be despatched to  
you as soon as same is received from the Imperial War Graves  
Commission.

Lieut. Col. Owen, former Commanding Officer of the  
3rd Battalion was recently in this country and making  
enquiries regarding his son's place of burial and it was  
only after exhaustive search that the grave was located.

As communications addressed to Col. Owen at the  
address left by him in England have recently been returned  
as undeliverable it is presumed that he has returned to  
Australia.



*H. Coleman*  
Major.  
C.O. Australian Graves Services.

*Jm*

APP.

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He was buried where he fell in his Platoon Post in the front line and small cross erected. Map Ref ZONNEBEKE J.15.B.2.2. in the vicinity of CARLISLE FARM Sheet 28 NE - approximately 1900 yards South East of WESTHONK.

(Sgd) Majot.  
Cmdg 3rd Australian Battalion.

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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 Lieut. P. I. H. Owen, 3rd Batt., consigned to me.

No.	Description,	Signature	Date
1	Form of Commission.	<i>R. H. Owen</i>	<i>20th Dec. 1918</i>

NOTE.—This Receipt should be Posted to—

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

*Stewart Haylock*  
*25/12/18*  
*1072/8.17*

D.1072/8.17.—C.10118.—50M.

National Archives of Australia

NAA: B2455, OWEN PERCY IRVINE HAYLOCK

10073

WILL

In the event of my death I give the whole  
of my property & effects  
to (mother)

Hilda Grace Owen,  
Bellembi  
South Coast  
Australia

Signed Percy I H Owen 2/Lt  
58th Battn  
21st January.1917.

Certified to be a true copy of Will extracted from the pay-book  
of Lieutenant OWEN Percy Irvine Haylock, 58th Battalion, A.I.F.

Checked. Cpl.

*P. Jones*

*J. B. Hunter*  
Cpl.  
Estates Branch,  
Adm. Hdqtrs. Idn.  
12.4.18.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

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I hereby acknowledge having received from the Officer in Charge of Base Records the undermentioned ( 1 ) Package , being the effects of the late 2nd Lieut. P. I. H. Owen, 3rd Battalion, ex "Boonah" consigned to me.

No. Description.

1 package  


Signature

*H. Y. Owen*

Date

*May 14 45*

NOTE.—This Receipt should be Posted to—

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

D. 1062/7.17.—C. 5723.—10M

National Archives of Australia

NAA: B2455, OWEN PERCY IRVINE HAYLOCK

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

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No.	Description,
1	package
1	tabial

Signature *P. H. Owen*  
Date *May 1st 1918*

NOTE.—This Receipt should be Posted to—

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



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Australian Imperial Force.

KIT STORE.



110. GREYHOUND ROAD,  
HAMMERSMITH, LONDON,  
W. 6.

TELEPHONES: HAMMERSMITH 1900, 1901.

The Late. 2/Lieut. P.I.H. OWEN, 3rd Battalion, A.I.F.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS: "AIFKITS."

Inventory of Effects of-

Forwarded to- LEGATES.

-- Hilda Owen,  
C/o Commonwealth Bank of Australia,  
Wollongong,  
New South Wales.

~~BOONAHKE~~

EX. 3rd Echelon. (6508) 5/12/17.

ONE PARCEL (Sealed) Containing:-

Disc, Metal Cigarette Case, Gold Ring, Metal Watch (Damaged),  
Metal Chain, Letters, Silver Watch & Strap.

*Completed 12/13/18*

No. of Package *W/2448 in Case 808*

National Archives of Australia

Checked by *[Signature]*  
NAA: B2455, OWEN PERCY IRVINE HAYLOCK

W I L L

8323

In the event of my death I give the whole of my  
property & effects to --

Mrs R.H. OWEN

C/o - Commercial Bank  
C/o Lt Col. R.H. Owen C.M.G.  
Wollongong  
N.S.W.

Australia

*Sydney N.S.W.  
Bowral N.S.W.*

Signature  
Rank and Unit  
Date

Percy I.H. Owen  
2/Lt 3rd Battn A.I.F.  
19/8/17

Certified to be a true copy of the Will extracted  
from the Pay Book of 2/Lt. OWEN. Percy Ivan Haylock,  
3rd Bn.

*[Signature]* S/Sgt..

Estates Branch,  
Adm. Hqrs.,  
London.  
13.12.17.

Checked by *[Signature]* Cpl.



FC. 6.

Australian Imperial Force.

KIT STORE.



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HAMMERSMITH. LONDON.  
W. 6.

TELEPHONES: HAMMERSMITH 1900, 1901.

Inventory of Effects of-

Forwarded to-

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LEGATEE

Hilda Owen,

c/o Commonwealth Bank of Australia,  
Wollongong,  
New South Wales.

**BOON AIA**

Ex. C.S.A. 10-10-17.

ONE BROWN VALISE (Sealed) containing:-

- Badges, Buttons, 1 Whistle, Letters, Books, 1 Holdall,
- 1 Shaving Brush, 1 pr small Scissors, Portion Safety Razor,
- 1 Hair Brush, 2 Linen Bags, 8 prs Socks, 1 Air Pillow,
- 1 Cap, 1 "Sam Browne" Belt, 1 Singlet, 1 Shirt, 1 pr Puttees,
- 7 Handkerchiefs, 2 prs Gloves, 6 Collars, 3 Ties, 1 S.D. Tunic,
- 1 Trench Coat.

*Received 11/3/17*

D/S. 23111 in case No. 743.

No. of Package

Checked by *J.P.*

National Archives of Australia

NAA: B2455, OWEN PERCY IRVINE HAYLOCK

W I L L

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C/o Lt Col. R.H. Owen C.M.G.

Wollongong

N.S.W.

Australia

*New South Wales*  
*Swampy Note*

Signature

Rank and Unit

Date

Percy I.H. Owen

2/Lieut 3rd Battn A.I.F.

19/8/17

Certified to be a true copy of the Will extracted from the Pay Book of 2/Lt. OWEN, Percy Ivan Haylock, 3rd Bn.

Estates Branch  
Adm. Hqs.,  
London.

Checked  
*b. Mansford* Cpl.

13.12.17.

Army Form B. 103. 3rd. Battalion. Regimental Number..... **W**

**Casualty Form—Active Service.**

Regiment or Corps..... **7th. Reinfts. 58th. Battalion**

Rank **Lieut.** Surname... **OWEN** Christian Name... **Percy. Irvine. Haylock**

Religion..... Age on Enlistment ..... years ..... months

Enlisted (a)..... **13.10.15** 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.....

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8.5.17		1st. A. D. B. D.	M/II <del>xxxxxx</del> from Eng.	Etaples	4.5.17	AK. 1142/7
5.5.17		"	M/O to join Unit	"	5.5.17	AX. 7478
18.5.17		3rd. Bn. B213	Taken on strength	France	10.5.17	AS/20 DO. 38/3525 A. I. F. List 179

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(b) Signaller, Shoeling-Smith, & Co. W. 5527—M2033 1800m 7/17 (26048) C. P. & S., Ltd. Forms B. 103 E/1558.

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	ANZAC SECTION, 3rd. Echelon, British Expeditionary Force.		<i>Belgium</i>	Officer i/c Records.	Captain.

Certified to be a true copy of the Will of No2/Lieut. OWEN, Percy  
Irvine Hayloch. 3rd Battalion.

WILL.

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Ogt.,  
Estates Branch,  
Adm. Hqrs., London.

AM97

Checked. *[Handwritten Signature]*  
Name in full.

I, Percy Irvine Hayloch Owen 2/Lieut

Unit. Regimental Number ----- serving in 3rd Batta A I F

of the Australian Imperial Force do hereby revoke all former Wills  
made by me and declare this to be my last Will.

Name and Address of person or persons to whom it is to go I DEVISE and BEQUEATH all my real estate unto  
Hilda Owen

C/o Commonwealth Bank of Australia  
Wollongong N.S.W. Australia

absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to

Name and Address of person or persons to receive personal estate. (See Note) Hilda Owen  
C/o Commonwealth Bank of Australia  
Wollongong NSW Australia

Fill in Date. IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 20th  
day of June A.D. 1917.

Percy I. H. Owen (Signature).

All alterations to be initialled by Testator and Witnesses. Signed by the said Testator as his last Will and Testament the same having been read over and explained to him, in the presence of us both present at the same time who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses.

FIRST WITNESS. Signature of Witness G. H. Leslie Lieut.  
Address and Occupation 3rd Bn A.I.F. On active Service Abroad

SECOND WITNESS. Signature of Witness A. E. Smith Lieut.  
Address and Occupation 3rd Bn A.I.F. On Active Service Abroad.

N.B.-Personal Estate includes Pay, Effects, Money in Bank, Insurance Policy, in fact everything except Real Estate.

EHH.

Lieutenant,

Percy Irvine Haylock Owen,

3rd Battalion,

Australian Imperial Force.

XXXXXX Was killed in action.

(No record available).

22nd September

17.

Cable No. C.I.B.L.

1869, from the Commandant, A.I.F. Headquarters, dated London

28th September 1917, confirmed by Mail, from the Commandant,

A.I.F. Headquarters, dated London, 1st October 1917.

10th December

17.

Major.

**AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.**

Surname OWEN

Christian Names Percy Irvine Haylock

**STATEMENT OF SERVICE.**

Rank.	Unit.	Date of Appointment to A.I.F.	Date of Subsequent Promotion.	Reference to Commonwealth Gazette and Other Authority.	Remarks.
<i>2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut</i>	<i>7/58<sup>th</sup></i> <i>3<sup>rd</sup> Bn.</i>	<i>25/7/16</i> <i>8/11/16</i> <i>14.3.17.</i>	<i>29/7/16</i>	<i>Gazette N° 91 27/7/16</i> <i>A.I.F. List 158. From 58<sup>th</sup> Bn. to 3<sup>rd</sup> Bn.</i>	<i>2.M.D. D.O. 116.</i> <i>3<sup>rd</sup> Bn. Refs.</i>

**CASUALTIES.**

DECEASED.			SICK OR WOUNDED.				RETIRED.		
Date.	Place.	Cause.	Date.	Place.	Nature.	Returned to Duty.	Date.	Cause.	Authority.
<i>22. 9. 17.</i>	<i>Killed in Action</i>	<i></i>							
		<i>MBL 1869.</i>							
No. of Grave.	Cemetery.	Name of Clergyman.							
<i>Buried</i>	<i>B 557</i>	<i>B1276.</i>	<i>CoR 10874/10/1</i>						

**PERSONAL.**

Civil Occupation.	Date and Place of Birth.	Married or Single.	Relationship, Name, and Address of Next of Kin.	Remarks.
<i>Planter</i>	<i>Gibbston 18/11/1890 S</i>		<i>Father</i> <i>Col R.H. Owen, Bellambi, S. Coast</i> <i>U.S.W. Australia</i>	<i>Special Notification to</i> <i>D. J. J. Powell C.M.S.</i> <i>Norman House</i> <i>Sturstead</i> <i>Essex</i>

D.702/12.15.-C.17023.

Record of Service in the Field, also Reference to Decorations, etc., granted, and dates showing the period in each case.

PARTICULARS.	Reference to Orders or Other Authority.
3 7/1/16 Left Sydney	N.R.
9/1/17 Disembarked Devonport	N.R. "Afrie"
13/3/17 L. G. C. desires transfer to ranks of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Bn.	C.R. <del>2474/5/14</del>
10.1.17. Marched in to 15 <sup>th</sup> Inf. Bn. from Aust. ex Afrie ER 7291	ST <sup>E</sup> 7/943E
25.3.17. Taken on strength 1 <sup>st</sup> Bn. from 58 <sup>th</sup> M.	M. 24/2523E 17/4/17
21.7.17. Taken on strength 1 <sup>st</sup> Bn. from 58 <sup>th</sup> M.	" 20/2558E 7/17
2.5.17 PROCEEDED OVERSEAS FRANCE. CR 4230/25/1	DO H of 35130. 9/5/17
10.5.17. L.O.S. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Bn. from 1 <sup>st</sup> Bn.	O.D. & List 179. Par. 39/3525.
22.9.17. Killed in action struck off strength.	P.129. A.I.F. List 243 9/10/17



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*7th/58th Bn N 4087.*

Australian Imperial Force.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. *2nd Lieut*

Name----- OWEN . P. I. H.  
Unit-----  
Joined on--- 8-11-15

Questions to be put to Persons Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? *1 Percy Irvine Haylock Owen.*
2. In or near what Parish were you born? *2 IN Parish of near town of Gibraltar.*
3. Are you a Natural born British Subject or a Naturalised British Subject? *3 IN Country of Spain.*
4. What is your age? *4 25 year.*
5. What is your trade or calling? *5 Planter.*
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? *8 Father Col R.H. Owen Bellambi. NSW.*
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 Ignomy, 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 no*
11. Do you belong to, or have you ever served in His Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Territorial Forces, Royal Navy, or Colonial Forces? if so state which, and if not now serving state cause of discharge. *11 no*
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. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? *14 yes.*

I, *Percy Irvine Haylock Owen* 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~~ <sup>three</sup> fifths of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife

and children.

*Percy I.H. Owen*  
Signature of person enlisted.

Date. *8th Nov 1915*

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER

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The following questions were read to the person enlisting in my presence.

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

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

Date..... 8<sup>th</sup> Nov 1915

Signia... C. E. Graie W

Signature of Attesting Officer

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED

I, ... Percy Irvine Haylock Owen well swear that I will and truly serve our Sovereign lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 8<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1915. until the end of the war, and for a further period of four months thereafter unless sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed therefrom; and that I will resist His Majesty's enemys and cause His Majesty's pease 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

Signia... Percy Owen W

Signature of person enlisted.

Taked and subscribed at... Holdsworth... in

the state of... N.S.W

this... Eighth day of November of the year

..... 1915. before me----

Signia... C. E. Graie W

Signature of Attesting Officer.

Transferred to C

PROVISIONAL B.R. D 36083

# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 2<sup>ND</sup>  
 Rank ~~Lieut~~ 2<sup>ND</sup> Lieut Name Owen P. I. H  
 Unit 3<sup>rd</sup> Bn late 58<sup>th</sup> Bn  
 Casualty Killed in Action 22.9.17 C.P.B. L. 1869, 9963<sup>A</sup> dated London 28.9.17



VICTORY MEDAL inscribed and issued by Australia House, B.R.M. 53/216

~~Victory Medal retained for award~~  
~~held in special case~~

DATE. **A. F. B. 103 Received** PURPORT. **A. F. B. 2090A Received,** REF. NO.

~~Killed in Action 22.9.17 C.P.B. L. 1869, 9963<sup>A</sup> dated London 28.9.17~~  
 OCT 1 1917 **M.O. 2 ADVISED, KILLED IN ACTION, 22.9.17**  
 1.10.17 **Gov. Gen advised**  
 15.10.17 **COPY MADE FOR WAR PENSIONS**  
 COMMISSION RECEIVED OF  
 Cable No. **C.P.B. 1869 vide of 360 D<sup>d</sup> 1/10/17**  
 18.12.17 **"WII" to D.P.M. 2<sup>nd</sup> M.D. 23/555**  
 4.3.18 **"WII" to D.P.M. 2<sup>nd</sup> M.D. M 26/282**  
 11.4.18 **PERSONAL EFFECTS EX. Boonah**  
 8.6.18 **PERSONAL EFFECTS EX. Boonah**  
 15/6/18 **"WII" to D.P.M. 2<sup>nd</sup> M.D. 30/506**  
 2-12-18 **Form of bonum Received 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. E. R. M. No. 75/334 6.5.21**  
 Circular B.R.M. 46/1868 & Booklet re Graves despatched 12/12/19 08  
**BRITISH WAR MEDAL to Comdt A. J. H. H. B. E. R. M. 53/518**

**"WHERE THE AUSTRALIANS REST."**  
 Pamphlet sent to Lt. Col. R. H. Owen on 23.6.17