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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

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Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No.

4926

Name

Patterson Albert Patrick

Unit

54th Bn New 2nd Hvy

Joined on

12 Dec 1915 12.12.15

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? *Patterson Albert Patrick*
2. In the Parish of in or near the Town of *High Road* in the County of *Cumberland*
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) *British born*
4. What is your age? *36 11 24 Dec 1879*
5. What is your trade or calling? *None*
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? *No*
7. Are you married? *No*
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) *(Brother) Francis Henry Patterson, Gaunterburn Road Work, Belfast*
9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? *No*
10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces, with Ignominy, or as 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? *No*
11. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, His Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Territorial Force, Royal Navy, or Colonial Forces? If so, state which, and if not now serving, state cause of discharge *No*
12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? *Yes*
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? *No*
14. Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued in respect of your service beyond an amount which together with Pay would reach eight shillings per day. *Yes*
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? *Yes*

I, *Albert Patrick Patterson* 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 three-fifths

Date *12 Dec 1915*

Albert Patrick Patterson
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. 12 Dec 1915

E. A. Blaw Captain
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, Albert Patrick Patterson swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 12/12/15 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.

A. P. Patterson
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Murrumbidgee in the State of New South Wales this 12th day of December 1915, before me—

E. A. Blaw Captain
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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Description of Albert Patrick Patterson on Enlistment.

Age 26 years 11 months
Height 5 feet 2 inches
Weight 120 lbs.
Chest Measurement 31 inches
Complexion Fair
Eyes Blue
Hair Light Brown
Religious Denomination Rb

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 15 Dec 1915

Place Murrumbidgee

John Kerr Major
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

Date

Place

Commanding

B103 Franca

7/12/17

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Embarked. 5-2-16

Statement of Service of No. 4926

Name

Patterson, Albert Patrick

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
Waratahs B. Co. 1st Batt.	Private	13.12.15	17.12.15	
	"	17.12.15	24.1.16	
2 15th Reinforcement 2nd Bn		24.1.16		
54th Bn.	Adm. No. 2. Aust. Cas. Cpl Stat. Serry Post. Obit Media	3/5/16		Pt 10 12/25/19 20/5/16
	Rejoined Unit at Serry Post from Hosp.	12/5/16		Pt 10 13/15/17 24/5/16
	Taken on strength	20/4/16		Pt 2/0 9/22/16 1/5/16
	Discharged from No. 2 Cas. Cpl. Sta. Serry Post to Unit for duty	10/5/16		Pt 2/0 15/29/16 1/6/16
	Transfd to 57th Bn sent to Hd Amb.	13/5/16		Pt 2/0 15/29/16 1/6/16
	Transfd to 54th Bn	20/4/16		Pt 16/ 3/5/17 16 20/6/ 16580 8/5/16
	ADMITTED Sick to HOSPITAL	22.11.16		Pt. 35/6528 6/12/16
	Rejoined Bn from Hosp.	20/12/16		Pt. 2/139 10/1/17
	TAKEN ON STRENGTH 5th A.D. B. D. ex Hospital	7.12.16		Pt. 2/164 10/1/17
	Sick to Hosp.	28/2/17		Pt. 11/1678 14/3/17
	Embarked on H.S. "Western Aust." at Boulogne for Eng. P.V.O.	7/3/17		Pt. 13/2151 28/3/17
	Adm. Northampton War Hosp. Duxton P.V.L. S.R. Sur.	9/3/17		Pt. 20/2135 26/3/17
	Adm to 1st A.D. H. B.D. Bullford Dis from 1st A.D. H. Bullford	5.5.17		Pt 10 56/4092 E 4-8-17
	Total Period of V.D. 71 days V.R 5	14.7.17		
	Ple on Command. at HQ 5 Div Sigs School.			AR 10428 9090E.5623 3/12/17

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

W. Prosser, Major, General
22 15 Trystl Coxford, and Strampton 14/12/17.

DP 92E5695 10/12/17
L R 11144

Statement of Service of No. *A 1182026*

Name *Patterson Albert Patrick*

Unit	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Place	Date	Remarks
AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE				
Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.				
No. <i>1182026</i>	Name <i>Patterson Albert Patrick</i>	Unit <i>A 1182026</i>	Joined on <i>11-21-1915</i>	

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

What is your Name? *Patterson Albert Patrick*

In or near what Parish or Town were you born? *St. Peter's, Newcastle*

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

What is your age? *24*

What is your trade or calling? *None*

Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? *No*

Are you married? *No*

What is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) *None*

Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? *No*

Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces with Ignominy, or as Insubordinate and Worthless, or on account of Conviction of Felony, or of a Sentence of Penal Servitude, or have you been dismissed with Disgrace from the Navy? *No*

Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, His Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Territorial Force, Royal Navy or Colonial Forces? If so, state which, and if not now serving, state cause of discharge *No*

Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? *No*

Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? *No*

Do you understand that on Separation Allowance will be paid in respect of your service beyond the amount which together with Pay would be about 40 shillings per day? *Yes*

Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox? *Yes*

Albert Patrick do solemnly declare that the above answers made to the above questions are true, and I do hereby voluntarily agree to serve in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth within the limits of the Commonwealth.

I do further agree to admit my wife to the support of my wife.

R 10,000. 10/17. 7506.

(1) PRESENT UNIT	57th BATTALION. <i>Aust Corp 1st Regt</i>	(2) Regtl. No. 4926
(3) Present Rank	Pte.	(4) SURNAME PATTERSON.
(5) Decorations		(6) Christian Names. Albert Patrick.

Particulars. *PB No 07500*

(7) Date of Enlistment	12/12/15	(8) Place of Enlistment	N.S.W	Years	1	Months	1
(9) Age on Enlistment	26	(10) Any subsequent claim as to age after verification of Birth Certificate		Auth. C.R.			
(11) Birthplace	Leichardt. N.S.W LEICHARDT	(12) Religion	R.C.				
(14) Trade or Calling	Miner.	(13) If Married		NO.			
(16) Date of Embarkation from Australia	8/3/16	(15) If an Apprentice		NO.			
(18)		(17) Whereabouts of Next of Kin, i.e. Australia or Abroad		AUST.			
(19)		(21) Special Notification Card No.					
(20)							
(22)							

Nothing to be written in this Margin.

Casualty Form **Active Service.** 57th BATTALION AIF 4926

Regiment of Corps *B. Coy. 2nd Div.*

Rank *Private* Name *Patterson Albert James*

Service reckons from (a) *Mar 16/15*

Regimental No. *4926*

Enlisted (a) *2-12-15*

Date of promotion to present rank

Extended Re-engaged

Terms of Service (a)

Date of appointment to lance rank

Re-engaged

Qualification (b)

Service reckons from (a)

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

Qualification (b)

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
<i>21-4-16</i>	<i>16. H. 16</i>	<i>Joined 54th. Battalion.</i>	<i>Ferry Post.</i>	<i>8/13/16</i>	<i>09.2.216</i>
<i>16. H. 16</i>	<i>Go. Hosp.</i>	<i>Ad. to No. 4 A.C.C.S. "OTITIS MEDIA"</i>	<i>FERRY POST.</i>	<i>31.5.16</i>	<i>20.10.2019</i>
"	"	<i>Ad. to No. 14. F.A. and trans to No. 2 A.C.C.S. "OTITIS MEDIA"</i>	"	<i>30.4.16</i>	<i>20.10.2019</i>
<i>12.5.16</i>	<i>B. 213.</i>	<i>Reyd Unit from Strath.</i>	<i>MT. HAT.</i>	<i>12.5.16</i>	<i>20/10/2019</i>
<i>24.5.16</i>	<i>Go. Hosp.</i>	<i>Dis to Duty.</i>	<i>Ferry Post.</i>	<i>10.5.16</i>	<i>24.5.16</i>
<i>13.5.16</i>	<i>B. 213.</i>	<i>Trans to 57th Bn.</i>	"	<i>13.5.16</i>	<i>20.10.2019</i>
<i>17/6/16</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>Taken on strength 57th Bn.</i>	<i>Alexandria</i>	<i>18/7/16</i>	<i>20.10.2019</i>
<i>17/6/16</i>	<i>Battn</i>	<i>Embkd to join B.E.F. per HT TRANSYLVANIA.</i>	<i>Alexandria</i>	<i>17-6-16</i>	<i>20.10.2019</i>

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

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From which received				
23/16/16	O.C.	Disembarked ex HT'PENNSYLVANIA' at do stop	Marseilles	-6-16	LA 5903
24.11.16	COB	do stop	Juda	22.11.16	B243 HQ 12.11.16 B243 HQ 12.11.16
25.11.16	3CC	Adm Influenza to 24 Amb ton	"	28.11.16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
do	69 stop	adm surp	Rouen	24.11.16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
28.11.16	"	to 2 CD.	"	25.11.16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
28.11.16	2CD.	admitted	"	28.11.16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
5/12/16	do	to base depot	"	28.11.16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
4/12/16	5000	Infantry	Etaples	5/12/16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
28/12/16	"	to active service	"	7/12/16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
23/12/16	5700	to 5700	Juda	18/12/16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
9 2/3/17	do	to stop	"	20/12/16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
3/3/17	3000	adm surp	"	20/12/16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
10/3/17	do	to 2 CD.	"	20/12/16	B243 HQ 12.11.16
		to 2 CD.	"	20/12/16	B243 HQ 12.11.16

Form B. 103. Regimental Number. 4926
Casualty Form - Active Service.
 Regiment of Corps 57th Battalion
 Surname Patterson Christian Name Albert

Age on Enlistment years months.
 Service reckons from (a)
 Date of appointment to lance rank
 Date of promotion to present rank
 Terms of Service (a)
 Date of appointment to lance rank
 Re-engaged { } Qualification (b)
 or Corps Trade and Rate

Signature of Officer. Albert Patterson

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.		Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
		Embarked	Disembarked			
22 5/3/17	Liverpool Merchant's Shop	Adm. Inprocess	No.	Egypt	5/3/17	AK1022/32
23 7/3/17	do	To England		"	7/3/17	AK5022/42
24 7.3.17	West Aust.	Embarked for England		Boulogne	7.3.17	AK4022/48
25 9/3/17	Northampton War Shop	Adm. P.U.O.		Station	9.3.17	Do 20/E 26/3/17 2136
26 19/4/17	do	Swanborough from		do	19.4.17	Stop Report
27 8/5/17	Post from depot	Report to Tng Depot		Berhampton	4.5.17	ERRORS
28 14/5/17	Post from depot	Adm. from		do	4/5/17	ERRORS
29 5/5/17	1st ADK	Post to Bulford		do	5/5/17	ERRORS
		Pls. Adm. Vg		Bulford	5/5/17	Stop Report

(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, Shipping-Smith, etc.
 [M1.02] W4133, M768 1000m 8/16 13 G & S Forms (B.103/4) E.354. P.T.O.

Report		Record of promotions, relocations, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
14.4.14	1st A.D.N.	Rk: adm VR 20 Discharged Total VR Period 71 days	Bulford	5.5.14	VR 5
15.4.14	Nei Com: Dep.	The m/in from Bulford 4th Base (B.I.A)	P. Davis	14.4.14	AD 66E 4.8.17 14092
29.7.17	Okkas Trng Det	The m/in from 701 Com. Depot	Perham Downs	23.7.17	L.R. 6158
30.4.14	4th Comd Sgt	Rk: m/jo to 4th P.D. Perham Downs	Perham Downs	23.4.14	VR 6264
16.9.17	75 Trng Det	The m/in from Okkas Trng Depot	Hurdscott		
16.9.17	Okkas Trng Det	Rk: m/jcut to 705 Group	Perham Downs	14.9.17	L.R. 8317
11.11.17	15 Trng Det	Rk: On command of 705 Group	Hurdscott	10/11/17	VR 902E 3.1.21 L.R. 10428
4.12.17	15 Trng Det	The Proceeding Officers to France			
5.12.17	5th A.D.D.	see 15 Trng Det Bulford vol 4th/17	Perham Downs	4/12/17	L.R. 11144
8.12.17	- do	M.O. to Munk	Perham Downs	5.12.17	AX 13109
14.12.17	205th Bn	Rk: from 205th Bn	Perham Downs	8.12.17	AX 13160
				11.12.17	B213 Exp 40 100 526909

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(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

Regtl. No.
4926

Regiment or Corps 57th Bn Aust Coy (A.S.) Regimental Number 1926

*Substantive Rank PL Surname Patterson Christian Names A.P.

*Acting Rank _____
(* To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration.)

(A) Report		(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)
Date.	From whom received	Authority of Part II. of Orders	Record of promotions, appointments, reductions, casualties, transfers, postings, &c. All acting as well as substantive promotions to be shown, for method of entry of which see A.C.I. 1816 of 1917. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	Place of casualty	Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, casualty, &c.	Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
<u>40. 28. 10/18</u>	<u>Cos 87 Bn</u>	<u>W/O to be on leave</u>			<u>21.10.18</u>	<u>E 20/95</u>
<u>41. 15. 11/18</u>		<u>Returned from leave</u>			<u>8.11.18</u>	<u>E 20/98</u>
<u>42. 13. 12. 18</u>	<u>Cos 57 Bn</u>	<u>Pte. Transferred to Aust. Corps Headquarters</u>			<u>10.12.18</u>	<u>E 20/102</u>
<u>14. 12. 18</u>	<u>Aust. Cpn</u>	<u>Pte. P.O.S. ex 57th Bn. to be Absorbed in Echab. as vacancies occur.</u>		<u>France.</u>	<u>10.12.18</u>	<u>A 60/102</u>
<u>2/13/19</u>	<u>-do-</u>	<u>Pte. Offence. transferred to the Field</u>		<u>Field</u>	<u>9/3/19</u>	<u>B 20/69</u>
		<u>- syndics of good order in military discipline - in that he appeared in line as officers of them - have improperly received.</u>				<u>A. 160/114</u>
		<u>Award. 3 days F.P. No 2 by Capt. Major Lane 9/3/19.</u>				<u>D.O.</u>
<u>29/3/19</u>	<u>Aust. Coy H.Q.</u>	<u>Elb Out for R.T.A.</u>			<u>25/3/19</u>	<u>A 60/119</u>
						<u>PTO</u>

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G.W.P.C. (3490)

Card No.

SERVICES AND CASUALTY FORM (PART II)

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(A) Report		(B) Authority of Orders Part II, of Orders	(C) Record of promotions, appointments, reductions, casualties, transfers, postings, &c. All acting as well as substantive promotions to be shown, for method of entry in which see A.C.I. 1816 of 1917. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	(D) Place of casualty	(E) Date of promotion, reduction, transfer, or casualty, &c.	(F) Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
Date.	From whom received.					
2-11-19	ABD.	Rte	Not sent to England Assembled New 603 Group.	Haage S. 1 on Cordford	2-11-19 2-11-19 3-11-19	M326/02511 AD/84 2291 LY 11126 do

RETURN TO AUSTRALIA
 Per *Borda*
 For

Receipt No. 271

RECEIVED FROM the Officer-in-Charge, A.I.F. Base Records, Department of the Army, in connexion with the service of—

4926 Lt Patterson
Duplicate of A.I.F. Base Records Medal
& Certificate of Merit



O.R. No. B84190 Date of Despatch 13-9-54

Signature L. Patterson Date 22.9.54

This Receipt must be returned to the Officer-in-Charge, A.I.F. Base Records, Canberra, A.C.T., within seven days.

By Authority: L. F. JOHNSTON, Commonwealth Government Printer, Canberra.

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National Archives of Australia

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P. J. PATTERSON
13 COUNCIL ST.
SPEERS POINT 2 N.
12. JUNE 63

G. BRANCH.

Dear Sir

I wish to apply for replacement of my fathers medals which were destroyed by fire in Cessnock a short time ago.

The particulars of my fathers service are as follows -

1914 - 1919 RANK PTE. NO 4926

NAME PATTERSON

CHRISTIAN NAMES ALBERT PATRICK

UNIT A.C. HQRS (I have also lost Discharge

ENLISTED 12 DEC. 1915 No. 2 Hav

DISCHARGED 12 APRIL 1919

RETURNED SOLDIERS BADGE NO. 15523

1939 - 45 NO 102117 RANK PTE.

UNIT 2 AUST. GARRISON BDE. (SIG. SEC.)

National Archives of Australia NAA: B2455, PATTERSON ALBERT PATRICK

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14 AUG 1964

Dear Sir,

Estate of the late 4926 Albert Patrick PATTERSON

Your letter JT.EJ of 7th August 1964 is acknowledged.

No record is held at this office of the abovenamed
having made a Will whilst a member of the Australian Imperial
Force (1914-18).

Yours faithfully


Colonel
OIC Central Army Records Office

The Public Trustee Branch Manager,
Box 660 P.O.
NEWCASTLE, N.S.W.

THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE
OF N.S.W.

POSTAL ADDRESS
BOX 660, P.O.
NEWCASTLE



BRANCH OFFICE
RURAL BANK CHAMBERS
CNR. BOLTON AND HUNTER STREETS, NEWCASTLE

TELEPHONE: B 3208

OFFICE HOURS:
10 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

In your reply quote the Estate
and the initials below:

JT.EJ

For Oral Enquiries ask for
Mr. THURLOW

7TH AUGUST, 1964.

* THE OFFICER-IN-CHARGE
CENTRAL ARMY RECORDS OFFICE
BLOCK "A"
ALBERT PARK BARRACKS
MELBOURNE

A Corps HQ

DEAR SIR

ESTATE OF THE LATE ALBERT PATRICK PATTERSON

The estate of the abovenamed, late of Aberdare, who died on 27th May, 1964, has been referred to the Public Trustee with a view to administration.

The abovenamed was a Private No. 4926 in the 1914/18 War, and it would be appreciated if you would advise this Office whether a Will is held for the abovenamed deceased, at your Office and also if you have any knowledge of any relative of the deceased, and if so, please forward the addresses of same to this Office at your earliest convenience.

YOURS FAITHFULLY

H.S. Wagner
BRANCH MANAGER

Per: *[Signature]*



NAA: B2455, PATTERSON ALBERT PATRICK

National Archives of Australia

Application to Enlist in the Australian Imperial Force

To the Recruiting Officer

(OFFICIAL STAMP)

at Therroul

I, Albert Patrick Patterson

hereby offer myself for Enlistment in the Australian Imperial Force for Active Service Abroad, and undertake to enlist in the manner prescribed, if I am accepted by the Military Authorities, within one month from date hereof.

POSTAL ADDRESS
Boaldale
N.S.W.

Signature _____
Occupation Miner
Date 12 Dec 1915

(For Identification purposes the above space should be filled in personally by the Applicant.)

CONSENT OF PARENTS OR GUARDIANS (For Persons under 21 years of Age)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I approve of the above application, and consent to the enlistment of my ^{son} _{ward} for Active Service Abroad.

Statement regarding Death or Absence of either or both Parents.

Father's Signature _____
Mother's Signature _____
OR
Guardian's Signature _____

PERSONAL PARTICULARS

Age— 26 yrs. 11 mos. Height— 5 ft. 2 ins Chest Measurement (fully expanded)—
34 inches
Married Widower Single

PRELIMINARY MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Decision of Medical Authority FIT for Active Service
 UNFIT, for the following reasons:—

Place _____
Date _____ Signature of Medical Authority _____

I Concur

Place Therroul
Date 12/1/15 Signature of M.O. at Central Recruiting Depot _____

CERTIFICATE OF RECRUITING OFFICER

I CERTIFY that I have this day provisionally **Accepted** **Rejected** this applicant for enlistment in the Australian Imperial Force.

Signature _____
Place _____ Recruiting Officer
Date _____ [OVER

INSTRUCTIONS.

(1) Application forms received by Recruiting Officers will not be handed back again to applicants but will be passed direct to the Medical Practitioner, who will similarly return them to the Recruiting Officer, who will then forward them by post to the Officer in Charge of the Central Recruiting Depot to which recruits are instructed by them to Report.

(2) If an Applicant who has been rejected desires a copy of this certificate, it must be completed in duplicate at the time of Medical Examination, and the word "original" or "duplicate," as the case may be, will appear on top of the respective forms. Both copies will be forwarded to the Officer in Charge of the Central Recruiting Depot, where the duplicate will be impressed with the official stamp and then returned to the applicant.

(3) Copies will NOT be made of any certificates of acceptance. The word "Duplicate" will be struck out of such certificates, and they will be sent to the Officer in Charge of the Central Recruiting Depot by post.

(4) Names of accepted applicants who do not report at Central Recruiting Depot within the prescribed time will be forwarded to the Local Recruiting Officer for information.

(5) When alternatives are shown on the front of the form such as :—

Fit Unit	Son Ward	Married Widower Single	Original Duplicate
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 strike out the words which are not applicable.

(6) Only those persons who fulfil the requirements in all other respects will be examined regarding medical fitness. These requirements may be ascertained by reference to daily newspapers and official posters.

(7) The Central Recruiting Depot to which accepted applicants from various places will be sent for final medical examination will be determined by District Commandants. Recruiting Officers at outlying places will require to issue clear instructions to such applicants informing them where and when to report, and will forward the application forms in time to ensure that they will be in the hands of the Officer in Charge of the Central Recruiting Depot when the recruit reports for enlistment.

	Spaces for identification by means of handwriting.
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4926

Pte.

PATTERSON A P

(2) AAHQ

Retd. "Borda"

28/6/19.

(TPE)

Disc. 12/8/19.

BRM 43/873



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1st MILITARY DISTRICT

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No	Rank	Name	Unit	Born	Attested	Embarked	Age	Trade	Relgn.
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Hon-Mjr		WEDON, Cyril James	DesertMtd Cps H.Q.	Brisbane	CAG 129/17	18. 8. 17	31. 8. 17	33/3	MedPract.	Pres.
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staff/Nurse		HENRY, Margaret	AANS	Chirchilla	1st M.D.	1. 9. 17	15. 9. 17	36	Nurse	R.C.
"	"	O'BRIEN, Mary Ann	"	Rockhampton	"	1. 9. 17	15. 9. 17	37	Nurse	R.C.

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS ARE ALSO REPORTED TO BE RETURNING TO AUSTRALIA BUT OWING TO MUTILATIONS IN CABLEING, AND OTHER CAUSES, NO FURTHER PARTICULARS ARE AT PRESENT AVAILABLE.

Lieut		COTTER, J.	4th LHR	--	5410	ROSE	G.W.	4th LHR
3036		GRANBAIT, O.W.	"	--	38775	SHAW,	A.F.	"

NON-MEMBER	--	Hon/Lieut	ROBERTSON, A.G.
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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE,
Base Records Office,
CANBERRA, A.C.T.

The Deputy Commissioner,
Repatriation Commission,

17/4/1947

REFERENCE:

Sydney
List 3359.

14.4.47

Herewith documents indicated relative to the service of the undermentioned ex-member of the AIF—

Reg. No.	Name & Unit	Documents attached
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4926 Patterson A P

FOR EARLY RETURN—

AF B103 ✓

9 Bn

TO BE RETAINED—

BR Card ✓

Attestation Paper ✓

~~AF B103~~

~~„ B178~~

~~„ B179~~

~~„ B181~~ ✓

~~„ D1~~

~~„ D1a~~

~~„ D2~~ ✓

~~„ I 1237~~ ✓

~~A & D Cards~~

W. 3212 ✓

4.1 F. 536 ✓

Personal chart ✓

A. J. Brannon
Officer i/c AIF Base Records.

CARO All/E1/JD

TELEPHONES

JM 1544 MXY 130
MXY 440 EXT 587



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ARMY HEADQUARTERS
VICTORIA BARRACKS

Central Army Records Office
Albert Park Barracks
Melbourne, SCX 3

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 17th August, 1954, concerning the loss of 1914-18 Service Awards, it is advised that these awards may be replaced on completion of the enclosed Statutory Declaration and payment of the sum of £1-4-0 being the cost of replacement as set out hereunder:-

Victory Medal	6 - 6
General Service Medal	16 - 6
Postage	1 - 0
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£1-4 - 0

5-3
16-11
1-2-2

This amount together with the completed declaration should be forwarded direct to the Officer in Charge, A.I.F. Base Records Office, Canberra. A.C.T. who will advise you accordingly.

To assist in assessing your awards for the 1939/45 War, you are requested to forward your regimental number to this office. Upon receipt of which you will be advised of your entitlement.

Yours faithfully,

Mr P.Patterson,
145 Congawal Street,
ABERDARE. N.S.W.

Colonel
OIC Central Army Records Office

STATUTORY DECLARATION

(1) Here insert name, address, and occupation of person making the declaration.

I, (1) Albert Patrick Patterson
145 Congwaist Aberdare Retired Miner

do solemnly and sincerely

(2) Here insert matter declared to. Where the matter is long it should be set out in numbered paragraphs.

declare (2) That the statements I have recently made
Re my lost Medals of World War 1914-1918
are true in every respect and I also make
this statement knowing if it is false I am liable
to Prosecution and Fine.

A. P. Patterson
145 Congwaist Aberdare D.S.A. also
P.S. My Regimental address was 4926 C. Coy
5th Bde 15th Div A.I.F.

And I make this solemn declaration by virtue of the Statutory Declarations Act 1911-1950 conscientiously believing the statements contained therein to be true in every particular.

(3) Signature of person making the declaration.

A. P. Patterson

Declared at

Aberdare

the

day of

September 1954, before me,

(4) Signature of person before whom the declaration is made.

J. H. Keefe, J.P.

(5) Here insert title of person before whom the declaration is made.

Refused PNC 58338/11
stamps 10
1/10



NOTE.—Any person who wilfully makes a false statement in a Statutory Declaration is guilty of an indictable offence, and is liable to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for four years.

Date

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STATUTORY DECLARATION

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, Albert Patrick Patterson
(Name in full)
of 6 Morgan St Islington x Newcastle N.S.Wales
(Address in full)

do solemnly and sincerely declare:—

1. THAT I served (am serving) in the Australian Military Forces and my particulars were (are) as follows:—

Regimental Army No. 4926 Rank Signaller Unit C Coy 54th Bn 15 Bde AVF

2. THAT I have lost the Medals
issued to me by the Department of Defence
The Army

3. THAT the circumstances under which the said loss occurred are as under:—

HOW on the 30th July 1958 my house was burnt down and I lost everything

WHERE 137 Congerai St Aberdeen WHEN About twenty past twelve night

4. THAT to the best of my knowledge and belief the said Loss of Medals Etc.
are Definitely Destroyed By Fire

is/are not in the hands of any other person on my behalf or with my consent.

AND I make this solemn declaration by virtue of the Statutory Declarations Act 1959, and subject to the penalties provided by that Act for the making of false statements in statutory declarations, conscientiously believing the statement contained in this declaration to be true in every particular.

Signature of person making declaration. A. P. Patterson

DECLARED AT Islington the Thirteenth
day of July 19 63 before me:—

Signature of J.P. or Commissioner for Declarations. R. J. Bowditch J.P.

HERE INSERT:—

- 1. Date and place of enlistment 12.12.1915-Thirroul.
- 2. Date and place of birth 16.4.1885
- 3. Name and address and relationship of recorded next-of-kin on enlistment. Jean Cross. 1915

Required for Military identification purposes only.

N.B.—This form should be completed in all respects, otherwise unavoidable delay may arise in dealing with applicant's request.

O/N. ND880

*Posted per Registry
24-7-63*

Transferred to

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 4926

Rank Pte Name PATTERSON. A.P.



Unit ^{6073^{AE}} A.Cps Hqrs (57 Batta)

²⁸⁵ Casualty P.M.O (severe) Adm 9.3.17 Northampton War Hsp

¹⁴²² 19.4.17 Disch. ex Northampton War Hosp. (M.D. Sick) to forward
rep. Per. Downs 4.5.17. LB. 215158 Dd Lond. 28.4.17. 2P
14.7.17 Discharged from 1st A.D. Posts, to Duty 1B281/4 Dd Lond 1.8.17

Relg. to Aust. per H.T. "Borda" embarked 11/5/19
'C.S.B.L. 3453/6073' ^{AE} dtd. Lon. 16.5.19 Rec'd B.N. 22/5/19

Demobilised *GA*

DATE.	PURPORT.	REF. NO.
27-3-17 10 JUN 1919	N.O.K. advised in hosp 9-3-17. R. N.O.K. advised returning to Australia. Form 7 and Card <i>Ch</i>	
	Returned to Australia per A. <i>Borda</i> Disembarked 28/6/19. M.D. 2nd <i>A</i>	
	Discharged 2nd M.D. <i>I.P.E. A</i>	
	<p>WAR HISTORY INDEX</p> <p><i>Original issue of Replacement of plume 24/7/63</i></p>  	
13-9-54	<i>Dup. B.W.M & V.M. issued per Reg for the</i>	
	<i>Mr A.P. Patterson 6 Morgan St Lisians ton Newcastle Reg 3439 NSW.</i>	

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