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Title: STANDEN Robert Henry: Service Number - 5228: Place of Birth - Helensburgh NSW: Place of

Enlistment - Liverpool NSW: Next of Kin - (Father) STANDEN George

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IMPERIAL Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad. tanden Robert Hun No. 5228 Name 16th. Reinfs., 3rd. Battn. Unit 3. 1.16 Joined on Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation. 1. Robert Henry & tas 1. What is your Name? PAY BOOK NO. 2. In the Parish of Allensburgh 2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? 3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) 4. What is your age? 5. What is your trade or calling? ... 6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? where, to whom, and for what period, 7. Are you married? ... 9. Have you ever been convicted by the vivil Bower !-10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces, with Ignominy or as Incorrigible and Worthless, of on account of Conviction of Felony, or of a Sentence of Penal Servictude, or have you been dismissed with Disgrace from the Navy? 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 12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? 13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? 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? 15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever ! I, Robert Henry Otander.... 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

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

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 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.

Signature of Person Enlisted.

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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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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.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 . 3. 1. 16

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Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

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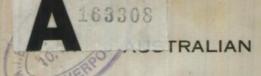
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Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

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	Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power?	390
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	be issued in respect of your service beyond an amount which together with Pay would reach eight shillings per day.	14
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		fifths of the pay payable to me from time to time during
	Date . I.O. The Music . I. 9/16	K Standen Signature of person enlisted.
	*This clause to be amended where necessary and should be struck out in the	e case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.

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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. 10 th Jan 1916

Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

SO HELP ME, GOD.

Robert Henry Standen Signature of Person Enlisted.

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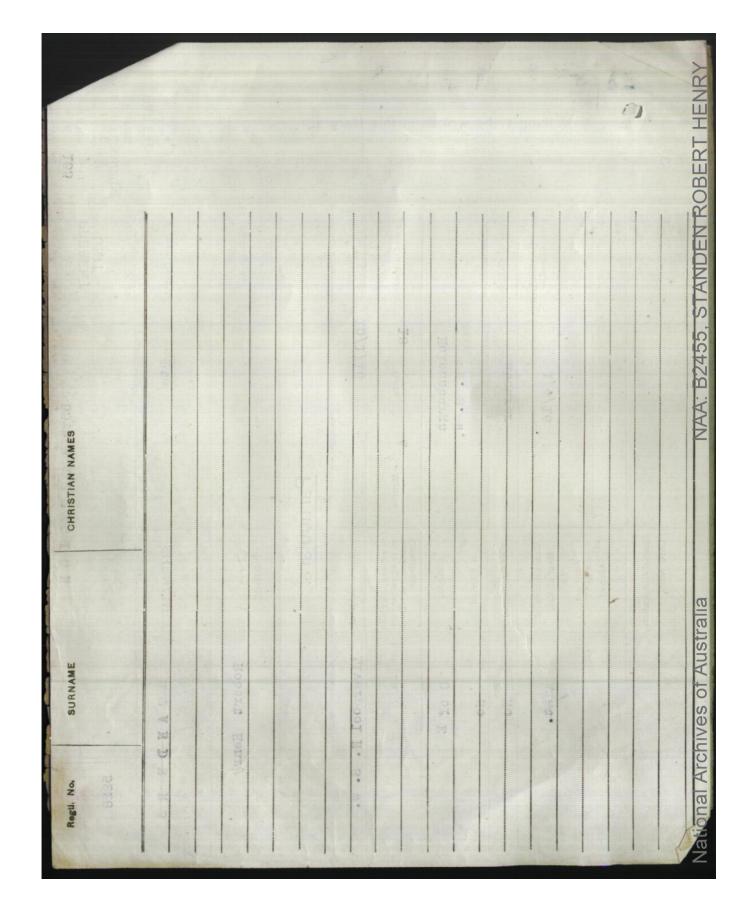
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31st March 1919.

Dear Sir,

In acknowledging receipt of your letter I have to state that, before your name and address can be noted on the records of your brother, No.5228 Private R. H. Standen, 55th Battalion, it will be necessary for you to state whether your mother is also deceased. If so, whether you are the eldest member of the family.

Yours faithfully,

Officer i/s Base Records.

Mr.W.T.Standen,
19 Eton Street,
Camperdown,
SYDNEY, N.S.W.

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GKS.

11th April,1919.

Dear Sir.

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 6th instant, and thank you for furnishing the name and address of the next-of-kin to your brother, No. 5228 Private R. H. Standen, 55th Battalion. Upon receipt of advice that the soldier has embarked for Australia, or any other cabled report respecting him, next-of-kin will be promptly notified.

Yours fai thfully,

Officer i/c Pase Record

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Mr. W. T. Standen,

19 Eton Street,

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The Department of Defence on behalf of 30 5228 Die R. N. Standen to arrange for holification of his return to australia, (which he says will be soon) beforwarded me (his Brother) as his next of Kin ather (mr George Standen) has since deceased Trusting you will arrange this change as boon as possible as may have already left ongo MAR 28 1919 VD94 31/3 National Archives of Australia NAA: B2455, STANDEN ROBERT HENRY



Beltana MILITARY FORCES. A.M. Form D2. (For use in Australia.) Revised 1.4.19.

MEDICAL REPORT ON AN INVALID.

			STANDEN R.H.
4.	Unit 55 Btn. 5. Age 18	. Trade	or Occupation Laborer
7.	Place of Enlistment L'peel	7	A. Date of Enlistment IO/1/16
8	Disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed		

MEDICAL OFFICER'S STATEMENT OF CASE. (Soldier's own statement must be carefully recorded as such, and signed by him.)

9. Date and place of origin of disability Date of arrival from overseas 20 July 1919

10. Date and place where disability first caused man to become a Casualty

11. Essential facts of Medical History (including causation)...



States no disability.

A. Rhodes.

- 12. State whether disability was (a) Due to Military Service, (b) Aggravated by Military Service, or (c) Independent of Military Service; (d) Due to, or aggravated by, want of proper care on man's part, intemperance, misconduct, &c.
- 13. What is his present condition and progress?
- 14. If the disability is an injury, state whether it was caused (a) in action, (b) on field service, (c) on duty, (d) off duty
- 15. If a Court of Inquiry was held, state place, date, and opinion
- 16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?
- 17. Was an operation advised, and declined ?..
- 18. In the case of loss or decay of teeth—Was it due to, aggravated by, or independent of, Military Service ?..
- 19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing........
- 20. Do you recommend discharge as permanently sufit for general coving. Yes.

A. Rhedes

Medical Officer in charge of case.

I, having satisfied myself of the general accuracy of this report, concur therewith, except

D.M.B. Anzac Buffet

A. Rhodes

Station D.A.B. SYDNEY

Date 22 July 1919

Officer in charge of Hospital.

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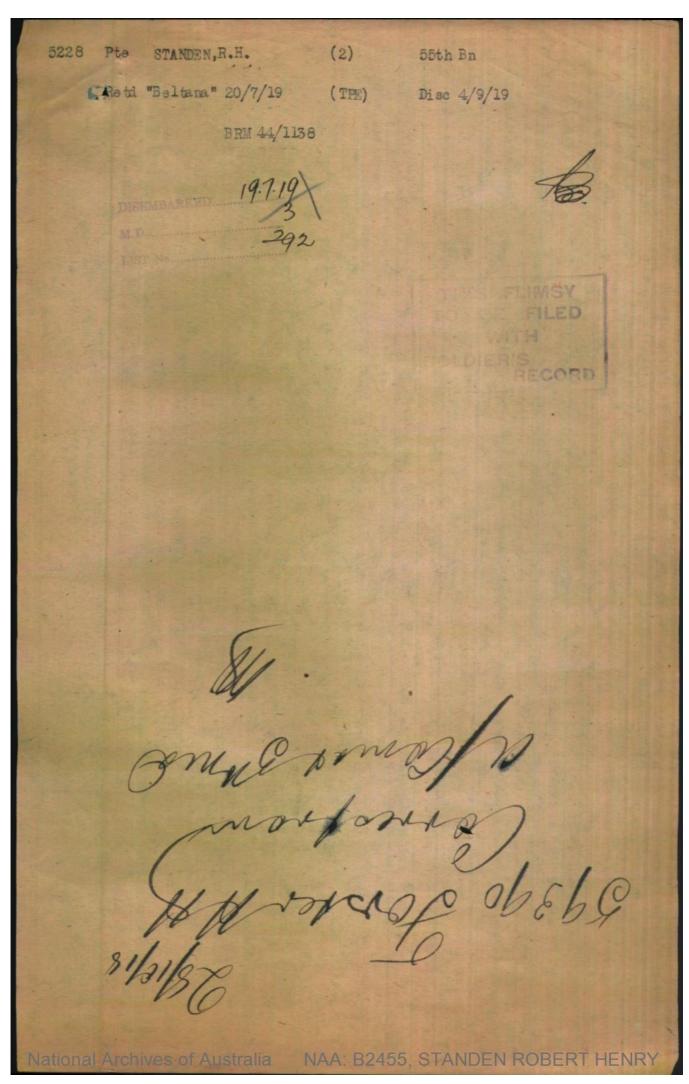
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OPINION OF MEDICAL BOA	ARD ON FINALIZATION
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No disability	
2. Is the present degree of disability permanent?	
3. If not, at what rate and to what degree do you anticipate impre	
4. To what extent is his working capacity at present affected by l	
(b) In the general labour market? (Estimate as a percent	
5. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unrea	
6. Do the Board recommend discharge as permanently unfit for Ge	noral Serviced Yes.
 If discharge is recommended, it should be stated whether further Institution, (c) Convalescent Home, (d) Asylum, or (e) oth 	er treatment is desirable in a (a) Sanatorium, (b) Orthopæer institution. 'State whether further treatment should
an in-patient or an out-patient, and for what period	ō
3. Is any surgical appliance recommended ?	
. Is the man fit for work or for vocational training? If not, st	
Yes.	
Station D.A.B. SYDNEY Signatures	President
Date 22 July 1919	W. Simmons Lt. Cel. Members.
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DISCHARGED 4 9-19 Ro 166 113 This form will be used for the finalization of all invalids in Australia, and will embody (Question 11) all information contained on the papers of invalids returned from overseas. Question 13 will include in its Answer a detailed careful account of the medical condition of the patient on finalization. On completion of the Board, it will be forwarded to the P.M.O. by hand, for confirmation, Single copies only need be forwarded to Head-Quarters.

For discharge of members of services other than the permanent forces the District P.M.O. may approve for the D.G.M.S.

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