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MILITARY FORCES

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. *FN 706*
5332

Name *EVANS J. B.*
Unit *A. Coy. 20 Batt*
Joined on *7.3.16*

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Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... *John Barnes Evans*
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... *Corryong* in or near the Town of *Corryong* in the County of *Benambra, Victoria*
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... *Natural Born*
4. What is your age? ... *32 years 6 months*
5. What is your trade or calling? ... *Butler*
6. Are you, or have you been, an apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period, ... *No*
7. Are you married? ... *Yes*
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... *Wife, Audrey V. G. Evans*
Berringers "Levensville" via Tallangatta, Victoria
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 small-pox and enteric fever? ... *Yes*

I, *John Barnes Evans* 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 *13th March 1916*

(Sgd) J. B. Barnes Evans
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 13th March 1916

(Sgd) Warren W Paine

Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, John Barnes Evans swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 13th March 1916 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,

(Sgd) John Barnes Evans

Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at R. A. S. Grounds in
the State of N. S. W.
this 13th day March of
1916 19, before me—

(Sgd) Warren W Paine

Signature of Attesting Officer.

*A person enlisting who objects to take 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 initialled by the Attesting Officer.

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Description of Evans J B on Enlistment.

Age 32 years 6 months.
Height 5 feet 4 inches.
Weight 130 lbs.
Chest Measurement 31 37 1/2 inches.
Complexion Fair
Eyes Hazel 6/6 6/6
Hair Brown
Religious Denomination Meth

DISTINCTIVE MARKS

No previous illness

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 7.3.16

Teeth require attention

Place Lynsey

(Sgd) Noel H. Franki

Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

Capt H.H.M. 6

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.....

C Coy 46th Batt

Date 24 3 16

Wm. Key Capt

Place Duabo

Commanding 46th Batt

N 32184

5332

[Handwritten signature]

J. Evans

Statement of Service of No. Name

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
<i>Infantry</i>				
<i>C. Coy Dubbo</i>		<i>24.3.16</i>	<i>17.4.16</i>	
<i>A Coy 20th Bn</i>		<i>18.4.16</i>		
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I have examined the above details and find them correct in every respect.

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MILITARY FORCES

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. FN 406
5332

Name EVANS, J.B.
Unit A Coy 20 Batts
Joined on 7-3-16

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... John Barnes Evans
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ...
In the Parish of Corryong in or
near the Town of Corryong
in the County of Benambra
Victoria
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... Natural Born
4. What is your age? ... 32 years 6 months
5. What is your trade or calling? ... Fitter
6. Are you, or have you been, an apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period, ... no.
7. Are you married? ... yes
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ...
Wife, Audrey V. G. Evans
Berrungama "Canaanville"
Via Tallangatta
Victoria
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 small-pox and enteric fever? ... yes.

I, John Barnes Evans 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

Date 13th March 1916

John Barnes Evans
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.

Report	From whom received	Date
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
Taken in B.213, A.36, or in other official documents.		

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 13th March 1916

Warren W. Paine Lt
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, John Barnes Evans swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 13th March 1916 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,

John Barnes Evans
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at R. A. S. Ground in the State of P. S. W. this 13th day of March 1916, before me—

Warren W. Paine Lt
Signature of Attesting Officer.

*A person enlisting who objects to take 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 initialled by the Attesting Officer.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 20TH BATTALION A. I. F. 14th Reinforcements.

Rank Private Surname E V A N S Christian Name John Barnes

Religion Age on Enlistment years months

Enlisted (7.3.16.) Terms of Service (a) War & 4 months Service reckons from (a) 13.3.16.

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	From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
	O.C. Troops	A 18 "WILTSHIRE" Embarked ...	SYDNEY	22.3.16.	
		Disembarked...	PLYMOUTH	13.10.16.	
13.10.16.	No 3 Command	Taken on Strength	WOOL	13.10.16.	30.12.16. ER 8032 DO 60/
4.11.16.	Depot	Marched out to 5th Trn Bn	"	4.11.16.	ER 8796
7.11.16.	5th Trn Bn	Marched in from 3 Ccmd Dep	ENGLAND	4.11.16.	FR 822 DO 1
16.1.17.	"	Proceeded O/Seas France Per "Princess Clementine"	FOLKESTONE	16.1.17.	ER 9145 DO 6/ 20.1.17.
17.1.17.	2nd Aust Div	Marched in from England.	ETAPLES	17.1.17.	AX 3917
2.3.17.	Base Depot	To Segregation Camp	"	12.2.17.	AK 943/583 B 213

(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, Shoeing-Smith, &c.
(6228) W 13563/M1477 2,400,000 1/17 McA & W Ltd Forms B.7103/4 (E. 856) [P.T.O.]

SO HELP ME, GOD,

John Barnes Evans
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at R. A. S. Ground in
the State of P. S. W.
this 13th day of
March 19 16, before me—

Harold W. Paine
Signature of Attesting Officer.

*A person enlisting who objects to take 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 initialled by the Attesting Officer.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
17.2.17.	Segregation	Admitted	ETAPLES	12.2.17.	M 238
10.3.17.	Camp	Marched out to 2nd A.D.B.D.	"	3.3.17.	M 442
12.5.17.	2 Aust Div Base Depot	Marched out to join Unit	"	12.5.17.	AM 5340
17.3.17.	C.O. 20th Bn	Taken on Strength of In	FRANCE	13.3.17.	B 213 B.9/11 D.O. 36/2795
21.4.17.	"	KILLED IN ACTION	"	15.4.17.	B 213 B.9/16 VL 331 D.O. 46/3538
ANZAC SECTION 3RD ECHELON. G. H. Q. British Expeditionary Force					(Sgt) P. T. LUKIN Lieut. Officer i/c Records.

Date..... *see request*

Place..... *Sydney*

Noel W. ...
Signature of Examining Medical Officer.
 Capt A. ...

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.....

C. Coy 46 - Battr

Date..... *24. 2. 16*

Place..... *Dubbo*

W. ... Capt.
Commanding *46 Battr*

Age 32 years 6 months.
 Height 5 feet 4 inches.
 Weight 130 lbs.
 Chest Measurement 34 - 3 1/2 inches.
 Complexion Fair
 Eyes Hazel 4/6 6/11
 Hair Brown
 Religious Denomination Meth

DISTINCTIVE MARKS

no previous illness

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 7 3-16

Teeth require attention

Place Sydney

Maellth...
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer.
Capt A. A. A.

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.....

C. Coy 46 - Battr

Date 24 2.16

W. W. W. Coy

Place Dubbo

Commanding 46 + Battr

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J B Evans

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Statement of Service of No. Name

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
<i>Infin</i> <i>C Coy Dubbo</i>		<i>24.3.16</i>	<i>17.11.16</i>	
<i>CA Coy 20 Batts</i> <i>Lpool</i>		<i>18.11.16</i>		
	<i>me in to no 3 bomb Depot</i> <i>Woolwich from aus (CR 8032)</i>	<i>13.10.16.</i>		<i>PT II 60/2288E</i> <i>30.12.16</i>
	<i>marched in 5th Tng Bta 20 Bta</i> <i>from aus</i>	<i>4.11.16</i>		<i>PT II 1/224E</i> <i>3.1.17</i>
	<i>Taken on strength from 14</i> <i>Rpts.</i>		<i>13.3.17</i>	<i>PT II 36/2495</i> <i>24/1/17</i>
	<i>Proceeded overseas to join</i> <i>unit at 5 Tng Bta per</i> <i>Princess Clementine from</i> <i>Solihull.</i>		<i>16.1.17</i>	<i>6/1361E</i> <i>20/1/17</i> <i>CR 9136</i>
<i>20th Bn</i>	KILLED IN ACTION. <i>Buried</i>	<i>France</i>	<i>15-4-17</i>	<i>PT II 44/3588</i> <i>21/1/17</i> <i>CR 1346</i> <i>Buried</i>

CR 2012/13/120

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

SEE COPY A.F. B103 ENCLOSED

Report.		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 243, 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.				
ORIGINAL:	Copies forwarded to Defence Melbourne, Headquarters A.I.F. & Staff Pay Master A.I.F. with A.F.b2090a on the 15/5/47.....				<p><i>[Signature]</i> Lieut. Officer i/c Records.</p>

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 20TH BATTALION, A. I. F., 14th Reinforcements.

Rank Private.....Surname E. V. A. N. S......Christian Name John Barnes.....

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

Enlisted (a) 7.3.16..... Terms of Service (a) War & 4 months Service reckons from (a) 13.3.16.....

Date of promotion to present rank..... Date of appointment to lance rank.....

Extended { } Re-engaged { } Qualification (b).....
or Corps Trade and Rate.....

Occupation..... Signature of Officer.....

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
	O.C. Troops	A 18 "WILTSHIRE" Embarked ...	SYDNEY	22.8.16.	
		Disembarked...	PLYMOUTH	13.10.16.	
13.10.16.	No 3 Command	Taken on Strength	WOOL	13.10.16.	30.12.16. ER 8032 DO 60/
4.11.16.	Depot	Marched out to 5th Trn Bn	"	4.11.16.	ER 6796
7.11.16.	5th Trn Bn	Marched in from 3 Cmmnd Dep	ENGLAND	4.11.16.	3.1.17. FR 822 DO 1
16.1.17.	"	Proceeded O/Seas France Per "Princess Clementine"	FOLKESTONE	16.1.17.	ER 9145 DO 6/ 20.1.17.
17.1.17.	2nd Aust Div	Marched in from England	ETAPLES	17.1.17.	AX 3917
2.3.17.	Base Depot	To Segregation Camp	"	12.2.17.	AK 943/583 B 213

(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, Shoeing-Smith, &c.

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36. or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36. or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
17.2.17.	Segregation	Admitted	ETAPLES	12.2.17.	AM 288
10.3.17.	Camp	Marched out to 2nd A.D.B.D.	"	3.3.17.	M 442
12.3.17.	2 Aust Div	Marched out to join Unit	"	12.3.17.	AX 5340
	Base Depot				
17.3.17.	C.O. 20th Bn	Taken on Strength of Bn	FRANCE	13.3.17.	B 213 B.9/11 D.O. 36/2795
21.4.17.	"	KILLED IN ACTION	"	15.4.17.	B 213 B.9/16 VL 331 D.O. 46/3588
ANZAC SECTION. 3RD ECHELON. G. H. Q.					
British Expeditionary Force					

J. J. Turner Lieut.
Officer i/c Records.

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DAILY STATEMENT (MILITARY)

Statement No. 415
Containing 20 sheets
Date 9/8/1917

Showing Grants, Alterations, and Cancellations of Pensions (together with date from which such action took effect); also Rejections of Claims and Deaths of Pensioners.

State of VICTORIA

1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...	Evans, John Barnes, 5332, Pte, 20th Battln
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...	Eileen Valetta M. Barnes, Cravensville, via Tallangatta
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...	Daughter
4. Result of Claim ...	Granted 10/- p.f. as from 9/7/17
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...	Audrey V. G. Evans, Cravensville

1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...	Evans, John Barnes, 5332, Pte, 20th Battln
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...	Audrey Valetta Grace Evans, Cravensville, via Tallangatta
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...	Widow
4. Result of Claim ...	Granted £2 p.f. as from 9/7/17
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...	

1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...	Evans, John Barnes, 5332, Pte, 20th Battln
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...	Ivor John Horace Evans, Cravensville, via Tallangatta
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...	Son
4. Result of Claim ...	Granted £1 p.f. as from 9/7/17
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...	Audrey V. G. Evans, Cravensville

1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed ...	Evans, John Barnes, 5332, Pte, 20th Battln
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed ...	Victor Henry Evans, Cravensville, via Tallangatta
3. Relationship of such person to Member ...	Son
4. Result of Claim ...	Granted 15/- p.f. as from 9/7/17
5. Name and address of Trustee (if any) ...	Audrey V. G. Evans, Cravensville

Deputy Commissioner of Pensions at MELBOURNE

EVANS

Surname.

John Barnes

Other Names.

5332 Pte

Regimental No.

14/20th Btn

Unit.

PURPORT.

AUTHORITY.

Emb. at Sydney per A18 "Wiltshire" 22.8.16

13/10/16 Marched in to No 3 Com Depot Wool from Aust. ML Dts LON 60/4-16

4/11/16 marched into 5th Tng. Bn. (20th Bn) from Aust. LON 1/5-17

16/1/17 Proceeded 0/Seas to France to join Unit ex 5th Tng.
Bn. per "Princess Clementine" Folkestone LON 6/15-17

13/3/17 TAKEN ON STR. OF 20TH BN AIF. FROM 14TH RFTS 20TH BN BEFO. 36/2-17

15/4/17 KILLED IN ACTION BEFO 46/2-17

PURPORT.

AUTHORITY.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES—3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

BRITISH WAR MEDAL

Received One

MEDAL for No. 5332

Rank

Lt

Name

Evans J B

Unit

20 Btn

Schedule No.

45930^D

(Signature)

X A. V. G. Evans

(Witness)

Place

VICTORIA BARRACKS

Date

15 12 21

History Card completed

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES - 3RD MILITARY DISTRICT

PLEASE RETURN THIS RECEIPT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE,
duly signed and witnessed, to—

**Medal Distributing Officer,
Victoria Barracks,**

Melbourne.

1/11/2015.
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RECEIPT SLIP FOR MEMORIAL SCROLL.

Received from the Officer i/c Base Records, Department of
Defence, one Memorial Scroll and King's Message, in connexion
with the late No. 5332. Private J. B. Evans,

20th Battalion.

(Signature)

A. G. Evans

(Date)

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

FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

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

REGIMENT OR CORPS } 20TH BATTALION. A. I. F. Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company } 14th Reinforcements

Regimental No. 5332 Rank Private

Surname E V A N S Christian Names John Barnes

Died { Date 15th April 1917. Place F R A N C E

Cause of Death* KILLED IN ACTION.

Nature and Date of Report Army Form B 213 dated 21st April 1917.

By whom made Commanding Officer 20th Battalion. A. I. F.

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

Burial { Place Particulars not yet to hand Date _____

By whom reported _____

State whether he leaves a Will or not { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 6th) Will not received (b) in Small Book (if at Base) _____ (c) as a separate document _____

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

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

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

Station and Date } ANZAC SECTION 3RD ECHELON. G. H. Q. B.E.F. 15th May 1917. Signature of Officer in Charge of Section } [Signature] Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } Lieut. Officer i/c Records.

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KIT STORE.**



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W. 6.**

Telephone:—HAMMERSMITH 1899.

Inventory of Effects of—

The late, No. 5332 Pte. Evans, J. B. 20th Batt'n. A.I.F.

Forwarded to—

(Wife).

Mrs. A. V. G. Evans,
Berrington,
Via. Tallangatta,
Victoria.

Euripidies

Effects:—

3rd Echelon.)
No. 10639.)

Wristlet Watch & Strap, Money Belt, Purse,
2 Pencil Cases, (Metal), Steel Mirror, Diary,
Leather Match Box, Key, Testament, Note Book,
Letter, 2 Badges, Pair of Scissors, 50 Cent-
imes Note (Damaged), Religious Medallion,
Bullet, 3 Coins, Souvenir Coin,

No. of Package

D/S.

13663

Checked by

NAA: B2455, EVANS J B

B.R. Form No. 2.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

In all communications regimental number,
rank, full name, and unit of Soldier referred
to are to be stated.

AR

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,
VICTORIA BARRACKS,
MELBOURNE, 31st October, 1917.

Dear Madam,

Forwarded herewith, per separate registered post, ^{is one} package
the late No. 5332 Pte. J. B. Evans,
containing personal effects of
20th Battalion, received ex "Euripides."

as per inventory attached.

(Enclosure.) I shall be much obliged if you will kindly let me know whether ^{same}
come ^s safely to hand, by signing and returning the enclosed printed receipt slip.

Yours faithfully,

Registered Packet No. 2687 G. P. O. Melbourne.

J. M. LEAN, Major,

Officer in Charge, Base Records.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Receipt for Consignment from Defence Department.

I hereby acknowledge having received from the Officer in Charge of Base Records the undermentioned (1) Package , being the effects of the late No. 5332 Pte. J. B. Evans, 20th Bn. ex "Euripides." consigned to me.

No.

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Description,

Package

Signature

A. V. G. Evans

Date

20/12/1917

NOTE.—This Receipt should be Posted to—

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

Application to Enlist in the Australian Imperial Force.

To the Recruiting Officer

at Victoria Barracks

(OFFICIAL STAMP)

I, John Barnes Evans

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

Cannelly St
Penshurst
Sydney

Signature John B Evans

Occupation Fitter

Date 7th March 1916

(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 $\left\{ \begin{matrix} \text{son} \\ \text{ward} \end{matrix} \right\}$ 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—32 yrs. 6 mos. Height—5 ft. 1 ins.

Chest Measurement (fully expanded)

Married. ~~Widower.~~ Single.

34 1/2 - 37 1/2 inches.

PRELIMINARY MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Decision of Medical Authority $\left\{ \begin{matrix} \text{FIT for Active Service} \\ \text{UNFIT, for the following reasons:} \end{matrix} \right.$

Place Victoria Barracks

Date _____

Signature of Medical Authority. _____

I Concur

Place Sydney

Date 7.3.16

Noel H Franki
Signature of M.O. at Central Recruiting Depot

CERTIFICATE OF RECRUITING OFFICER.

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

Place Victoria Barracks

Date 7.3.16

Signature L. M. Muckleston
Recruiting Officer. MO.

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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	Son	Married	Original
Unfit	Ward	Widower	Duplicate
		Single	

 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 insure that they will be in the hands of the Officer in Charge of the Central Recruiting Depot when the recruit reports for enlistment.

	<i>Spaces for identification by means of hand-writing.</i>
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No. 5332 Name EVANS J.B. Sqn., Batty., or Company } Corps 20th Battalion A.I.F. Date of Enlistment } G.C. Badges } Service or Proficiency Pay }

Date of last Entry in Company Conduct Sheet } No. and date of last drunk } Sheet No. } Signature O.C. Company, etc. } Character

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness.	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment Awarded	Date of Award or of Order Dispensing with Trial	By Whom Awarded	Remarks

D 1/5 36

Army Form B 122.

P.T.O.

Killed in Action



Military Forces of the Commonwealth

Medical History of

Surname

EVANS.

Christian Name

John Barnes.

Examined { on 7th day of March 1916
 at Sydney
 Parish Colyton.
 Birthplace { Country Benambra Victoria
 Declared Age 32 years - 6 months
 Trade or Occupation Fitter
 Height 5 feet 4 inches
 Weight 130 lbs.
 Chest Measurements { Minimum 34 inches
 Maximum Expansion 37 1/2 inches
 Physical Development Good
 Small Pox Marks No
 Vaccination Marks { Arm Right Left
 Number One
 When Vaccinated 7 3 16
 (a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection—

Approved by—

Johnman Wood
 (Rank) Capt. Amb.
 Medical Officer.

Examined for re-enlistment—

day of 19

* Considered

(Signature)

Medical Officer.

* If unfit, state disability.

Re-vaccinated on day of 19

Arm Number

Result

(Signature)

Medical Officer.

Enlisted on

7th

day of

March

1916

at

Sydney

	Corps.	Reg. Number.	Date.
On Enlistment joined	14/20 th Bde.		
Transferred to		5332	

Appeared Before a Medical Board.

Station.	Date.	Disease.	Result.

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N.B.—This sheet to be disposed of in accordance with instructions in Regulations, Australian Army Medical Services, on the man becoming non-effective; the date and cause being stated at the foot of the next page.

Christian Name

Surname

Station or Troop Ship	Date of Arrival at the Station, or of Embarkation	Dates of						Disease.	Number of Days in Hospital	Remarks on nature of the disease; how induced; if mild or severe; if completely recovered from; whether any particular treatment was adopted. In venereal cases state nature of primary disease, and whether mercury has been given. If any accident, state whether it occurred on duty.	Signature of Medical Officer.
		Admission into Hospital.			Discharged from Hospital.						
		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
<i>Pellestone</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>16</i>			<i>Inoculation</i>		<i>TAR</i>	<i>medically & dentally fit</i> <i>Smith</i> <i>Smith</i>	<i>14/1/16.</i> <i>Smith</i>
	<i>3</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>10</i>					<i>TAR</i>			
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Transferred to

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 5332

Rank Private Name EVANS J.B.

Unit 20th

LIST.

Casualty Killed in Action

15/4/17

C.I.B. 1346 8853^a dated London 5/5/17

MEMORIAL SCROLL

Widow
Mrs. A. V. G. Evans

311435

15/7/21



R&H

DATE

A. F. B. 103 Received PURPORT.

A. F. B. 2090A Received,

REF. NO.

18 MAY 1917

M.O. 2 ADVISED, KILLED IN ACTION. 15. 4. 17

9 MAY 1917

M.O. 3 ADVISED, KILLED IN ACTION. 15. 4. 17

25. 5. 17

COPY MADE FOR WAR PENSIONS

CONFIRMATION RECEIVED OF

Cable No. C.I.B. 1346 Note 6/188. D.L. 7. 5. 17

30. 10. 17

PERSONAL EFFECTS EX. Curipides

No personal effects in kit B. R. M. No. 18/783

WAR HISTORY INDEX



Regular B.R.M. 40/1000 & Booklet re Graves despatched 9. 12. 19 1917 114-5-20

11/3/21

BRITISH WAR MEDAL to Comdt 3rd M.D.B.R.M. 52/1461

"WILL THE AUSTRALIANS REST."
Portrait sent to Mrs. A. V. G. Evans on 21. 3. 21

MEMORIAL
PLAQUE
To
Widow Direct
M^{rs} A. G. Evans
311535
28/4/22

2/5/22

MEMORIAL
SCROLL
To
See
Front
Cover

24 MAR 1923

VICTORY MEDAL to Widow B. R. P. F. 42.
Registered Post No. 3006 G. P. O. Melbourne.

20 JUN 1933

REGISTER ORDER FORM despatched
to MR 26