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MILITARY FORCES.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No 4 Section

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 7568

Name { Surname TAINTON

in full { Christian Name Percy William

V 65825

Unit "Sports Unit" 25.R.F. 7.B.T.

Joined on 16-7-17

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? PAY BOOK NO. 602154 TAINTON Percy William
2. In the Parish of _____ in or near the Town of Georesby in the County of Various
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) Natural Born British Subject
4. What is your Age? 27 years
5. What is your Trade or Calling? Orchardist
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? No
7. Are you married? No single
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address and relationship to be stated) Mrs. ^{James} Amelia Broich, Williamson Road, DONCASTER, VICTORIA
9. What is your permanent address in Australia? Doncaster Various
10. 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
11. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? Yes
12. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? No
13. (For married men, widowers with children, and soldiers who are the sole support of widowed mother)— 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? No
14. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against small pox and enteric fever? Yes

I, Percy William Tainton 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.

Date 21-5-17

P. W. Tainton
Signature of person enlisted.

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* This clause should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age. † Two-fifths must be allotted to the wife, and if there are children three-fifths must be allotted.

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 21-5-17

[Signature]
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, Percy William Tainton swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 21-5-17 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]
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Melbourne in the State of Victoria this Twenty first day of May 1917, 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.

Description of TAINTON, Percy William on Enlistment.

Age 37 years — months.
 Height 5 feet 5 1/4 inches.
 Weight 158 lbs.
 Chest Measurement 37-39 1/2 inches.
 Complexion Rose
 Eyes Hazel
 Hair Dark Brown
 Religious Denomination Christ

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.
Scars of any
Scars under Guard
on R Thumb
on L thigh

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; 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 21-5-17
 Place Melbourne

A. H. ...
 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 25. RFTS 7. BTN.

Date —

Place BROADMEADOWS

Commanding 25. RFTS 7. BTN.

Statement of Service of No. 7568

Name TAINTON Percy William

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
RECRUIT DEPOT Broadmeadows.	Private	25/5/17	19/6/17 24/6/17	Spork 1000 Ascot Vale. Isolation
Isolation Camp, Ascot Vale	Pvt	24.6.17	9 JUL 17	B'dws
Recruits Depot Broadmeadows	Pvt	9.7.17	16/7/17	(Spork 1000)
"Spork Unit" 2nd D. Bally. B'nd	"	16-7-17.		
25. RTIS 7. BT. ... PRIVATE				
Embkd. at Melbourne, Vic. per H.M.A.T.		A32 "Themistocles" 5/8/17		

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

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.



AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 7568 Name (Surname TAINTON)
 in full (Christian Name Percy William)
 Unit "Sports Unit" 25.R.F.S 7.B.T.
 Joined on 16-7-17

~~V 65825~~

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... TAINTON Percy William
2. In the Parish of ... in or near the Town of Seerby in the County of 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 British Subject.
4. What is your Age? ... 37 yrs.
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... Bookbinder
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... No.
7. Are you married? ... No. Single
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address and relationship to be stated) ... Mrs. ^{Married} Amelia Crouch DONCASTER VICTORIA
9. What is your permanent address in Australia? ... Doncaster Victoria
10. 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.
11. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? ... Yes
12. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? ... No.
13. (For married men, widowers with children, and soldiers who are the sole support of widowed mother) 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
14. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against small pox and enteric fever? ... Yes

The answer to this question shall not be construed as in the nature of a will.

Percy William Tainton 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 allow 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.

Date 21-5-17 Signature of person enlisted. P. W. Tainton

* This clause should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.
 † Two-fifths must be allotted to the wife, and if there are children three-fifths must be allotted.

2 Pages *Pages 1 & 2*
CASUALTY FORM—ACTIVE SERVICE.

Army Form B. 103.

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Regiment or Corps *25 7th Battalion Australian Imperial Forces*
 7568 Rank *PLC* Name *Tainton Percy William*
 21/5/17 Terms of Service (a) *Period of War 4 mths.* Service reckons from (a) _____
 Date of appointment to lance rank _____ Numerical position on roll of N.C.O.'s _____
 Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____

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.
<i>Embarked</i>	<i>Melbourn</i>	<i>8.17</i>	
<i>Disembarked</i>	<i>Glasgow</i>	<i>2.10-17</i>	<i>4.10-11</i>
<i>M.G. from Australia</i>	<i>Durrington</i>	<i>2.10.17</i>	<i>L.R. 9208 D.O. 85/602.3-117</i>
<i>Pte. Sick to Bde Hoopl.</i>	<i>Sutton Veng</i>	<i>6.12.17</i>	<i>B. 11258</i>
<i>Pte in 9 from Sutton Veng Hoopl</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>28.12.17</i>	<i>L.R. 18/27</i>
<i>Pte Adm Vincent Angina</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>1.2.18</i>	<i>H.R. 14</i>
<i>Pi. Discl to Ing. Depot.</i>	<i>As.</i>	<i>27.2.18</i>	<i>4R. 1071</i>
<i>Pi. 1st 9 from Sutton Veng Hoopl</i>	<i>As.</i>	<i>28.2.18</i>	<i>L.O. 1828</i>
<i>Pi. Proc: akias to 1st hank at Longbridge Dev. via</i>	<i>Silampton</i>	<i>19.3.18</i>	<i>L. 2504 Do 24/E AF 2850</i>

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.
 er, Shoeing Smith, &c., &c., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. [P.T.O.]

Tainton
Enlisted.

Ashwin Russell
Signature of Examining Medical Officer

COMMANDING OFFICER.

of the above-named person is correct, and that with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him

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ating Officer.

chedule of the Act, and ng Officer.

Commanding *RFTS 7. B.T.N.*

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.					
9	20/3/18	A. J. B. D.	Pl th Marched in Ex. England	Havre	20/3/18	AK 2304/72
10	21/3/18	do	Pl th PROCEEDED TO UNIT	do	21/3/18	AK 2304/78
11	6/4/18	CO 7 th Bn B213	Pl th Taken on Strength	Field	31/3/18	A15/66 BO 19/1893
12	13/4/18	do	Pl th To Hospital	do	5/4/18	A15/67 BO 20/2054
13	13/4/18	do	Pl th Rejoined Unit	do	5/4/18	A15/67 BO 20/2054
14	27/4/18	do	Pl th To Hospital	Field	20/4/18	A15/69 BO 23/2351
15	20/4/18	307 th A.	Admitted Vincento ^{Angina} & Aram to 13 CCS	do	20/4/18	AK 24 27/113
16	20/4/18	13 CCS	Admitted Vincento ^{Angina}	do.	20/4/18	AK 24 27/27
17	29/4/18	do	Pl th Disch. to Unit	do.	29/4/18	AK 2551/21 BO 23/2381
18	11/5/18	CO 7 th Bn B213	Pl th Rejoined Unit	do.	4/5/18	A15/71
19	21/9/18	do	Pl th Killed in Action.	France	16/9/18	AT 25458. VL 838. BO 50/5965 (1918) A15/90.

Quart. SECTION, 3rd ECHELON, G.H.Q.
British Expeditionary Force

[Signature]
Captain
For. Officer for Records.

Percy William Tainton
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at W Melbourne in
the State of Victoria
this Twenty First day of May 1917, 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.

Army Form B. 103.

2 Pages.

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Regimental Number 75-68

Casualty Form - Active Service

Regiment or Corps 25/7 Battalion

Rank Pte Surname TAINTON Christian Name Percy William

Religion Age on Enlistment years months

Enlisted (a) 21.5.17 Terms of Service (a) 1 year 4 months 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

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				
		Embarked ...			
		Disembarked...			
DO	85E/6102 (1917)		DO	20/2054 (1918)	
DO	24E/ (1918)		DO	23/2351 (1918)	
DO	19/1893 (1918)		DO	33/2381 (1918)	
DO	20/2054 (1918)		DO	50/5965 (1918)	
Original copy forwarded to Adm. Agcy on 5.11.18 List 189141					
Quart. SECTION, 3rd ECHELO, ... British Expeditionary Force			Captain For Officer's Records		

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for, or enlisted in Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered. (17501.) Wt. W 1887-P 1124, 1,000,000, 6/18, D & S, Form B/103, (E. 1256.)

[P.T.O.]

Signature of Person Enlisted.

Signature of Examining Medical Officer

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ove, and appoint him

Signature of Attesting Officer.

with the Third Schedule of the Act, and
dialled by the Attesting Officer.

FTS 7.B.TN.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER

The foregoing questions were read to the person enlisted in ... I have taken care that he understands each question, and question has been duly entered as replied to by him.

I have examined his naturalization papers and am of opinion ... (This to be struck out except in the case of persons who are naturalized)

Date 21-5-14

Signature

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED

I, Percy William Tinton, do hereby swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Army from 21-5-14 until the end of the War, and ... months thereafter unless sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's arms to be kept and maintained; and that I will in all matters appertaining to my duty faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

So HELP ME, GOD.

Signature of Percy William Tinton

Taken and subscribed at Melbourne in the State of Victoria this Twenty First day of May 1914, before me—

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.

Army Form B. 103. 2 Pages. Case ... Rank Pte Surname T.A. Religion ... Enlisted (a) 21-5-14 Terms of S ... Date of promotion to present rank ... Extended ... Re-engaged ... Occupation ... Report ... Record of ...

(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM FOR 1917)

(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
19 21/9/18	CO. 7th	Bn.	KILLED IN ACTION.	France	16/9/18	VLB.38. DOSO/5965.
			(signed) D.R. CROOKS, Captain. For Officer i/c Records.			
Aust. Section, 3rd Echelon, G.H.Q. British Expeditionary Force, 2/12/18.						

Nothing to be written in this margin.

Each re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
1917, D. 18. D & S. Form B.103. (E. 1256.)

[P.T.O.]

Percy William Tainton
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Melbourne in
the State of Victoria
this Twenty First day of May
1917, before me—

M. Byatt
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 TAINTON, Percy William on Enlistment.

Age <u>37</u> years <u>—</u> months.	DISTINCTIVE MARKS. <u>Scar on L arm,</u> <u>Scar under R Breast</u> <u>" on R thumb</u> <u>" on L thigh</u>
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>5 7/8</u> inches.	
Weight <u>152</u> lbs.	
Chest Measurement <u>37/39 1/2</u> inches.	
Complexion <u>Rosy</u>	
Eyes <u>Blue</u>	
Hair <u>Blk Brown Hazel</u>	
Religious Denomination <u>C of C</u>	

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; 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.

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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 21 - 6 - 17

Place Melbourne

Ashwin Russell
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 25. R.F.T.S 7. B.T.N.

Date _____

Place BROADMEADOWS

Commanding 25. R.F.T.S 7. B.T.N.

B 103. France 7.9.18

Statement of Service of No. 7568 Name TAINTON Percy William

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
RECRUIT DEPOT Broadmeadows.	Private	29/5/17	19/6/17 24/6/17	Sportsmans 1st Ascot Vale. Isolation
Isolation Camp, Ascot Vale	Pte.	24.6.17	9 JUL 17	B'dw
Recruits Depot Broadmeadows	Pte	9.7.17	16/7/14	(Sports 1/100)
"Sports Unit" 2nd D. Bath. B'ndw	"	16-7-17		
25. R.F.S 7. B.T.N.				
				Embarked at Port Melbourne & 3rd "Hans" "The mobile" 4/8/17
	A32. E Barked Melbourne	4.3.17		
	Disse ba k. a Glasgow	2-10-17	LR3931	
1st Bn	Pte. m/2 for Aust.	Dumfri	3.10.17	1 R 020 Dof 5/6102E 3.11.17
"	Pte Proc. of seas to France ex Longbridge Dec. via Southampton		19.3.18.	L2504 19024/E-1108 25.3.18.
"	Pte. 2nd Lt. of 1st Bn AIF from 25th Reimp: 1st Bn	France.	3.3.18.	DD 19/1893. 17.4.18.
"	Pte. To Hospital sick (Reg. Unit 5.4.18.)	do.	5.4.18.	19020/2054. 21.4.18.
"	Pte. To Hosp. Sick	do.	20.4.18.	19023/2351. 7.5.18.
do	Pte. Disch. to unit from from 1st Bn unit et sick Period in Hosp. over 4 Pte days	do.	29.4.18.	19023/2381. 7.5.18.
1st Bn	KILLED IN ACTION	France.	16.9.18	6213 L 2846 913 542 23.9.18 19050/5965-25/9/18

I have examined the above details, and find them correct in every respect.
SEE COPY A.F. B103 ENCLOSED

Original.
Duplicate.

APPLICATION TO ENLIST IN THE AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

To the Recruiting Officer _____

(OFFICIAL STAMP.)

at _____

I, Percy William Tainton

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,

Doncaster
Victoria

Signature P. W. Tainton

Occupation Prekidist

Date 21.5.17

(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— 37 yrs. _____ mos. | Height— _____ ft. _____ ins. | Chest Measurement (fully expanded)— _____ 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 _____

Date _____

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 _____

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 ensure 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 handwriting.</i>

T A I N T O N

Percy William

7568

25/7 En

Surname

Other Names

Regimental No.

Unit

AUTHORITY.

PURPORT.

WAR ORAFTYTY SCHEDULE D3/1/15

Embkd. at Melbourne, Vic. per H.MAA.T.A32 "Themistocles" 4/8/17

Pte.

27.2.18 Disc to Tng Dpt Tonsillitis.

3/10/17. Mchd into 2nd Tng Btn Durrington from Aust.

19/3/18. Proc O/s to France via S'ham ex 2nd Tng Btn Sutton Veny, LDN 24/3-18

1.2.18 Adm to Sutton Veny Mil.Hosp.Vincent Angina (HH)

5.4.18 To Hosp. sick (Rejd Unit 5.4.18)

20.4.18 To Hosp. sick

29.4.18 Dischd to unit from F.M. Unit ex Sick Per.in Hosp

over 7 days

16.9.18 KILLED IN ACTION.

16/9-18. Killed in action

31/3-18. T.O.S. of 7th Btn from 25/7th Btn

IB 432/5-18

LDN 85/7-17

IB 412/5-18

BEFO 20/9-18

BEFO 23/3-18

BEFO 23/5-18

IB 572/13-18

BEFO 50/7-18

BEFO 19/4-18.

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Regiment or Corps -25/7th Bn. Regimental Number 7568

*Substantive Rank Pte. Surname TAINTON Christian Names Percy William

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

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	From whom received.						
1		O.C. Troops.	A32. Embarked		Melbourne	4/8/17	
2	7/10/17	2nd T. Bn	M/I from Australia		Glasgow	2/10/17	
3	59/12/17	do.	Sick to Bde. Hos.		Durrington	2/10/17	D085/6102E
4	30/12/17	do.	M/I from Sutton Veny Hos.		Sutton	6/12/17	
5	1/2/18	Mil. Hos.	Adm. Vincent Angina		Veny.	28/12/17	
6	27/2/18	do.	Disch. to Tng. Dep.		do.	1/2/18	
7	28/2/18	2nd Tng. Bn.	M/I from Sutton Veny Hos.		do.	27/2/18	
8	19/3/18	2 & 5 Camps, S/Veny.	Pro. O/Seas to France, ex Longbridge, Deverill via		do.	28/2/18	
9	20/3/18	A. I. B. D.	M/I ex England		S'ampton	19/3/18	D024/E 25/3/18
10	21/3/18	do.	Pro. to Unit		Havre	20/3/18	
11	6/4/18	CO. 7th Bn.	T.O.S.		do.	21/3/18	
12	13/4/18	do.	To Hos.		Field	31/3/18	D019/1893
13	13/4/18	do.	Rejoined Unit		do.	5/4/18	D020/2054
14	27/4/18	do.	To Hos.		do.	5/4/18	D020/2054
15	20/4/18	3 A.F.A.	Adm. Vincents Angina & tfd. to 13 C.C.S.		do.	20/4/18	D023/2351
16	20/4/18	13 C.C.S.	Adm. Vincents Angina		do.	20/4/18	
17	29/4/18	do.	Dis. to Unit		do.	29/4/18	D023/2381
18	11/5/18	CO. 7th Bn.	Rejoined Unit		do.	4/5/18	

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1921/9/18 CO.7th Bn. KILLED IN ACTION.

France 16/9/18 VI838.
D050/5965.

Aust. Section, 3rd Echelon, G.H.Q.
British Expeditionary Force,
2/12/18.

(Signed) D.R.CROOKS, Captain.
For Officer i/c Records.

(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

Regiment or Corps -35/7th Bn. Regimental Number 7568

*Substantive Rank Pte. Surname TAINTON Christian Name PERCY WILLIAM

*Acting Rank _____
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13/18	CO. 7th Bn.	T.O.S.	Pield	31/3/18		D019/1893
13/18	do.	To Hos.	do.	5/4/18		D020/2054
13/18	do.	Rejoined Unit	do.	5/4/18		D020/2054
14/18	do.	To Hos.	do.	20/4/18		D023/2351
15/18	3 A.F.A.	Adm. Vincents Angina	do.	20/4/18		
16/18	13 C.C.S.	& tfd. to 13 C.O.S.				
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18/18	do.	Rejoined Unit	do.	4/5/18		

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 G.P.O. 1915
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 G.W.P. Co. (3490)

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19 21/9/18 CO. 7th Bn. KILLED IN ACTION. France 16/9/18 VL838. DO50/5965.

(Signed) D.R. CROOKS, Captain.
For Officer i/c Records.

Aust. Section, 3rd Echelon, G.H.Q.
British Expeditionary Force,
2/12/18.

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W I L L

In the event of my death, I give the whole of my
property and effects to To my mother Harriet Amelia
Crouch

Williamsons Rd. Doncaster

Percy William Tainton

No. 7568 Pte.

Dated July 24th 1917 25th Reinforcements
Broadmeadows. 7th Battalion.

Australian Imperial Force.

Certified to be a true copy of the Will of No. 7568
Private P.W. Tainton, 7th Battalion, lodged with
the Officer in Charge, Base Records, upon
embarkation for Active Service Abroad.

Checked by: -

J. O. Shannassy.

P. W. Tainton

W.O.

RECEIPT FOR VICTORY MEDAL.

Received from the Officer i/c Base Records, Army Headquarters, one Victory Medal in connexion with the late

No. 7568 Private P.W. TANTON, 7th Battalion.

Signature

Garret Auchin Bronch

Date

12-5-1923

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

D.9049/4.22.—C.5128.

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NAA: B2455, TANTON PERCY WILLIAM

RECEIPT FOR MEMORIAL PLAQUE.

Received from the Officer i/c Base Records, Army Head-quarters,
one Memorial Plaque in connexion with the late

No. 7568 Pte. P.W. Tainton,

7th Battalion.



Signature *Harriet Amelia Crouch*

Date *2.12.22*

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

D. 2703/9.22.—C.13580.—5M.

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Dear Madam,

22nd May, 1922.

With reference to the regrettable loss of your son, the late No. 7568 Private P. W. Tainton, 7th Battalion, I am now in receipt of further advice from the overseas authorities showing his grave to be :-

No. 2, Hesbecourt Communal Cemetery,
8 $\frac{1}{4}$ miles east of Peronne.

These additional details are furnished by direction, it being the policy of the Department to forward all information received in connection with the deaths of members of the Australian Imperial Force.

Mrs. H.A. Crouch,
Williamson Road,
Doncaster, Vic.

Yours faithfully,

Major,

Officer i/c Base Records.

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B.R. Form No. 12.

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

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,
VICTORIA BARRACKS,
MELBOURNE,

To

Kindly forward to the Officer in Charge, Base Records, with as little delay as possible (*vide* instructions issued in M.O. 573/1914), Record Book C.M. Form M 7 relating to Australian Imperial Force, formerly of your who is reported

C.M. Form M 8 is already in this office.

Major,
Officer in Charge, Base Records.

D 157/3.17.—C.3419.

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Defence

- (a) HESBECOURT COMMUNAL CEMETERY. 8½ miles E. of Peronne.
 (b) BELLICOURT BRITISH CEMETERY. 7½ miles N.N.W. of St. Quentin.
 (c) PERONNE COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION.
 (d) LANCASHIRE COTTAGE MILITARY CEMETERY. PLOEGSTEERT. 2½ miles N. of Armentieres.
 (e) MERICOURT L'ABBE COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION. 4½ miles S.W. of Albert.
 (f) RIBEMONT COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION. 4¼ miles S.W. of Albert.

GRAVES REGISTRATION UNITS.

7/Bn. AIF. ✓	(a)	7568 ✓	TAINTON ✓ (Report Hesbecourt 1.1/C.) Grave 2.	Pte. P.W. 16.9.18. <i>austr!</i>
58/A.I.F. <i>M</i>	(b)	2756 ✓	TALBOT ✓ (Report Bellicourt 1.4/C.) Plot 1. Row D. Grave 7.	Pte. G.H. 29.9.18. <i>austr!</i>
47/A.I.F. <i>On</i>	(c)	882 ✓	TAPSON ✓ (Report Peronne 1.10/C.) Plot 2. Row B. Grave 41.	Pte. F.N. 23.12.17. <i>M- UK!</i>
38/Bn. AIF. ✓	(d)	188 ✓	TAYLOR ✓ (Report Ploegsteert 3.11/C.) Plot 3. Row C. Grave 1.	Pte. A. 1.12.17. <i>austr!</i>
39/Bn. AIF. ✓	(e)	1921 ✓	TAYLOR ✓ (Report Mericourt L'Abbe 1.9/C.) Plot 2. Row G. Grave 19.	Pte. A.W. 6.5.18. <i>4 austr</i>
31/A.I.F. <i>M</i>	(f)	3639 ✓	TAYLOR ✓ (Report Ribemont -sur- L'Ancre 6.2/C.) Plot 1. Row C. Grave 2.	Pte. E. 22.7.18. <i>austr!</i>

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 7568 Private P.W. Tainton,.....

7th Battalion. A.I.F.

DECEASED SECTION

(Signature)

Robert Andrew Crook

JUL 9 1921

(Date) 5-7-1921

RECEIVED

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

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RD

No. 7568,

-----Private Percy William Tainton,
7th Battalion,
Australian Imperial Force.

mxmxx was killed in action, -----

mm in France, 16th September, 18.

Cable No. C.I.B.L.

2846, from the Commandant, A.I.F. Headquarters, dated London,

21st September, 1918, confirmed by Mail from the Commandant, A.I.F.

Headquarters, dated London, 22nd September, 1918, and Army Form B.103.

15th December, 19. Major,

BASE RECORDS INQUIRY.

INQUIRER'S TELEPHONE No. TIME RECEIVED

DATE 18. 12. 19 .. TIME RETURNED 12. 10 ..

REQTL. No. 1408 .. RANK ..

NAME Tainton .. UNIT ..

INQUIRY ..

REPLY ..

Do not destroy this—bring it with you if you call again.

INITIALED—SECTION CLERK .. SECTION LEADER ..

D.1440/10.18.—C.16303.

(Other side to be used for subsequent inquiry.)

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. 7568 Private P.W. Tainton, 7th Battalion, consigned to me. ex "Gaika" D/S 44343

No. 1
Description, Package

Signature

Harrib Amchi Sperech

Date

April 30th 1919

NOTE.—This Receipt should be Posted to—

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

D.1072/S.17.—C.10113.—50M.

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AUSTRALIAN-IMPERIAL FORCE.

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

Don't forget to advise any change of address to—
BASE RECORDS,
MELBOURNE.

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,
VICTORIA BARRACKS,
MELBOURNE.

PAL

29th April, 1919

Dear

Forwarded this day, per separate parcels registered post, package containing personal effects of ~~XXXXXXXX~~ is one

the Late No. 7568 Private P.W. Tainton, ~~As per inventory, attached by goods despatched from this office are securely fastened and sealed. BEFORE OPENING, KINDLY INSURE THAT SEALS ARE INTACT AND PACKAGE HAS NOT BEEN TAMPERED WITH. Any discrepancies to be immediately brought to notice, accompanied by the packer's note enclosed in the parcel.~~

I shall be much obliged if you will kindly let me know whether come safely to hand, by signing and returning the enclosed printed receipt slip.

Yours faithfully,

J. Mean Major,

PARCEL POST

Officer in Charge, Base Records.

D. 1178/S. 14.—C 1178.

IMPERIAL FORCE

Mrs. H.A. Crouch,
Williamson Road,
DONCASTER, VIC.

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Australian Imperial Force.



A.I.F. KIT STORE,
110, GREYHOUND ROAD,
HAMMERSMITH,
LONDON, W. 6.

Inventory of Effects of - 7568 Tainton, P.W. 7th Btn. A.I.F.

Forwarded to - N.O.K. Mother,
Mrs Harriett.A. Crouch,
Doncester,
Victoria.

CAIKA

Effects received from the field (3/7655) 9.10.18
1 parcel (sealed) containing:-

YMCA Wallet, Leather Cigarette Case, Photo, Cards.

D/S.

44343

No. of Package

National Archives of Australia

Checked by

NAA: B2455, TAINTON PERCY WILLIAM

CERTIFICATE OF WILL.

No. 7568. RANK Private

NAMES (Surname) TAINTON

(Christian) Percy William

UNIT 25/7th Inf. Battr A.I.F

My Will is attached hereto. lodged with

(Verified) Percy William Tainton (Signature of Soldier.) F & Stafford J.H. C.O.

C.7451.

Extract from folder covering photograph of grave -

Buried in Hesbecourt British Cemetery.

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A.M. Form D. 1.

To be used for Enlistment in the Permanent Military Forces only.

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MEDICAL HISTORY of

Surname TAINTON

Christian Name Percy William

TABLE I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace ... Secorby Victoria

Examined ... { on 21 day of May 1917.
at Melbourne

Declared Age ... Thirty Seven years

Trade or Occupation ... Orchardist

Height ... 5 feet 5 1/4 inches.

Weight ... 158 lbs.

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully Expanded 39 1/2 inches.

Range of Expansion 2 1/2 inches.

Physical Development and Pulse rate Good 88 PM

Vaccination Marks { Arm Right. Left.
Number nil 2 arm

When Vaccinated ... Infancy

Vision ... { R.E.—V=0 6
L.E.—V=0 6

(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease

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

Approved by ... (Signature) [Signature]
(Rank) Lieut Col
Medical Officer

ORDER 60321, ATTENDED TO

Enlisted ... { at Melbourne Victoria
on 21 day of May 1917.

Corps.	Regtl. No.
<u>R</u> <u>2577 Rtw</u>	<u>7568</u>
<u>B</u> <u>2T.B</u>	


Became non-effective by... 17/16/18 CIBL 2846 1B572
on _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signature) _____
(Rank) _____

D.255/1.16.—C.18009

P.T.O.

Table II.—Only for Admissions to Hospital or to the

Name of Hospital.	Admitted to Hospital.			Discharged from Hospital.			Disease.	Number of days in Hospital.
	Day.	Month.	Year.	Day.	Month.	Year.		
Broadmeadows	25	6	17				Postwe throat	
Isolation Camp, Ascot Vale	25	6	17	9	7	19	" "	
	5	12	17	28	12	17	neur of intest	24
MILITARY HOSPITAL, SUTTON VENY.	1	2	18	2	18	17	Tonsillitis	27

Sick List in the case of Warrant Officers treated in Quarters.

Remarks bearing on the Cause, Nature, or Treatment of the Case, likely to be of interest or of future use. In cases of Syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospital will be shown. If an accident, state whether it occurred on duty.

Signature of Medical Officer.

To Ascot Isolation
THROAT NEGATIVE R.T.L.

[Signature]
S. Atkinson A.M.D.
S.M.O. Ascot Vale Camp

Small indolent ulcers very slow to heal.
25/12/14 Healed but tender. 29/11/17 Discharged
to Lines.

[Signature] CAPT.
A.F. GROUP, CLEARING HOSPITAL.

Recovered

[Signature]

Table III.—Boards; Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.; Examinations for Transfer or Service Abroad, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c.

Date.	Brief Details, and Signature.	
BROADMEADOWS	28 MAY 1917	1st Typhoid Inoc. 250 Mil. <i>[Signature]</i> Capt. A.A.M.C.
BROADMEADOWS	5 JUN 1917	2nd Typhoid Inoc. 500 Mil. <i>[Signature]</i> Capt. A.A.M.C.
BROADMEADOWS	12 JUN 1917	Vaccination Marks <i>[Signature]</i> Capt. A.A.M.C.
BROADMEADOWS	2 AUG 1917	FINAL EXAMINATION <i>[Signature]</i> Capt. A.A.M.C.
17. 10. 17 26. 10. 17	TAB 2 <i>[Signature]</i>	

Table IV.—Service Table.

Station.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Departure.	Station.	Date of Arrival.	Date of Departure.
BROADMEADOWS	28 MAY 1917				
BROADMEADOWS	JUL 1917				
BROADMEADOWS					

Transferred to

60528

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 7568 ✓

Rank Private Name TAINTON J. W.

Unit 7th Bn

LIST 1389 Casualty Killed in action 16/9/18 NBL2846 12568⁰⁰ dated London 21/9/18 Received B.R. 23/9/18

WAR GRATUITY SCHEDULE D 13 1 1/5

"WHERE THE AUSTRALIANS REST."
Permitted by M^{rs} H. A. Crouch on 23.6.21

MEMORIAL SCROLL
To
Mother
M^{rs} H. A. Crouch
352276

DATE

A. F. B. 103 Received PURPORT

28/6/21

24 SEPT 1918
Brd. Oct. 1918
7/10/18
30.4.19

M.C. 3 ADVISED. KILLED IN ACTION. 16/9/18

COPY MADE FOR WAR PENSIONS

WILL to D.P.M. 3 M.D.
REG. AL EFFECTS EX. Haika

Circular B.R.M. 48/1302 & Booklet re Graves despatched 20 "Receipts acknowledged" by printed card 12/12/18

CONFIRMATION RECEIVED OF

Cable No. B9B L 2846 dtd 15/55 dd. 22/9/18

HISTORY INDEX
29.9.20
10/21

PHOTOGRAPH OF GRAVE TRANSMITTED TO NEXT OF KIN. B.R.M. No. 51/1129. Guick.
BRITISH WAR MEDAL to Comdt 314 M.D.B.R.M. 53/600



D.34/10.10.—C.18275.—80W.



11 MAY 1923

VICTORY MEDAL to Mother B. R. P. F. 42
Registered Post No. 1806 G. P. O. Melbourne.

8 NOV 1932 REGISTER ORDER FORM despatched

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