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MILITARY FORCES.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

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True Name FIELDING. James CR 10494/6/9.
Name GLEESON James
Unit 28th B. 61. Depot
Joined on 8. 4. 16

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... **45** ... 1. James Gleeson
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... 2. In the Parish of ... in or near the Town of Melbourne in the County of Victoria
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalised }
British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) } 3. Yes
- What is your age? ... 4. 28
- What is your Trade or Calling? ... 5. Labourer
- Are you, or have you been an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... 6. No
- Are you married? ... 7. No
8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... 8. Cousin: Miss Winifred Maddison
Albert Post
Melbourne Victoria
9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? ... 9. No
10. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces with 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? ... 10. 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 ... 11. No
- Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? ... 12. Yes
- Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? ... 13. No
- (For married men and 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 ... 14. No
- Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... 15. Yes

James Gleeson 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 $\frac{2}{5}$ of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife.* † and children.

Date 7. 4. 16 Signature of Person Enlisted. J. Gleeson

* 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.

(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

Regiment or Corps 15/28th Battalion Regimental Number 5596

*Substantive Rank Private Surname GILBERTON Christian Names James

*Acting Rank same name FIELDING med.

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

CR 10494/6/9.

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W.889-PP1130 500,000 5/18 G.W.P.Co.(3400)

(A) Report		(B) Authority of 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 of 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, reversion, casualty, &c.	(F) Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
13/12/16	O.C. 6th T.B.		Proc. O/Seas France SS Victoria	F Stone	13/12/16	
			Embarked Fremantle		22/9/16	
23/10/16	C. Tps Surada		Disembarked Plymouth S.S. Surada	At Sea	21/11/16	DO.1/28E
			Admitted to ships hospital V.D.		11/8/16	DO.32/2541
23/10/16	"		Discharged 7 days	"	17/8/16	
14/12/16	2nd ADEP		Admitted from England	Etaples	14/12/16	
16/22/16	"		Proceeded to join unit	"	16/12/16	
23/12/16	O 28th Bn.		Taken on strength	France	18/12/16	DO.101/8120
9/8/17	C/O "		CRIME Being a soldier in billets was found beyond the limits fixed by D.R.O. without a pass, in that he at about 9.30 p.m. without a pass or written authority from his C.O. AWARD 168 hours P.P.No.2. by CO. 28th Bn 6/8/17. Total forfeiture 7 days pay.	"	3/8/17	DO.64/5343
20/9/17	O 28th Bn		Wounded in action	Belgium	20/9/17	DO.74/5880 VL.433
20/9/17	6th AFA		S.W. Shoulder To C.C.S.	"	20/9/17	
21/9/17	3rd CCS		" " To Train	"	21/9/17	
22/9/17	16th USA		Admitted S.W. Shoulder	Le Treport	22/9/17	
4/10/17	B.H.		Tfd to England	"	4/10/17	
5/10/17	Essiguito		Embarked for England	France	5/10/17	DO.80/6444
7/10/17	O.C. Rpl		Admitted 1st S.G.H. Fract Darvicles;	Monyhull	17/10/17	DO.76/6008

So HELP ME, God.

J. Gilberton
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Perth in
the State of West Australia
this 7 day of April
1916, before me—

Arthur Lewis
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.

23/10/17 O.C.Hpl	Trans to 1st Aux	Harefield	23/10/17
3/11/17 "	Furlo and report to Depot		3/11/17 to
18/11/17 No.2.CD	Weymouth		17/11/17
13/1/18 No.2.CD	Marched in from A.H.Q.London	Weymouth	17/11/17
13/1/18 No.4.CD	ex Furlo		7/1/18
1/2/18 "	M/O to No.4.C.D.	Hurdcott	7/1/18
12/2/18 1st ADH	M/I from No.2.C.D	"	1/2/18
8/2/18 No.4.CD	Sick to Camp Isol.Hpl.Scabies	Bulford	11/2/18
	Admitted Eczema	Hurdcott	8/2/18
	M/I from Isol.Camp. Hpl.		

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Date.	From whom received.					
10/2/18	No.4.CD	Sick to group C1g.Hpl.I.C.T.		Hurdcott	10/2/18	
22/2/18	1st ADH	Admitted 11/2/18.EczemaDischarged		Bulford	11/2/18	
21/2/18	No.4.CD	M/I from 1st A.D.H.		Hurdcott	21/2/18	
23/3/18	"	A.W.L. Returned		"	19/3/18	
23/3/18	No.4.CD	CRIME Hurdcott 29/3/18.A.W.L.from 10.p.m.19/3/18.to 12.45.p.m.21/3/18.AWARD 6 days P.P.No.2.by Lt.Col.D.S Wanliss.22/3/18 Total forfeiture 9 days pay.			21/3/18	
26/3/18	O/Seas T.B.	M/I from No.4.C.D.Hurdcott		L.Dev11	26/3/18	D9.27/1065E
26/3/18	No.4.CD	M/O to O/Seas Tng Bgde		Hurdcott	26/3/18	
1/4/18	O/Seas T.B.	M/O to 2nd Tng.Bde		L.Dv11	1/4/18	
2/4/18	6th T.B.	M/I from O/Seas Tng Bgde		Fovant	1/4/18	
23/4/18	5th T.B.	M/I from 6th Tng Battalion		Fovant	22/4/18	
5/5/18	"	Proceeded o/Seas to France ex Fovant via		F/Stone	6/5/18	DO.36/E 9/5/18
7/5/18	NZ.I.B.D.	Admitted from England		E Staples	7/5/18	DO.35/1626
9/5/18	"	Proceeded to join unit		"	9/5/18	
18/5/18	C/O 23th attn	Rejoined Battalion		France	15/5/18	
8/8/18	"	Wounded in action 2nd Occ.		"	8/8/18	DO.57/3292 VL.801. Corr.DO.60/3658

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Date..... 7. 4 18

Place..... Perth

John Cantabur
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..... *John Campbell*

Place..... Commanding.....

(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

Regiment or Corps 15/28th Battalion Regimental Number 5596

*Substantive Rank Private Surname ELKESON Christian Names James

*Acting Rank James name FIELDING. Med. CR.10494/6/9.
(* To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration.)

(A) Report	(B) Authority of 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 of 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, reversion, casualty, &c.	(F) Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
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17/8/15 C/O 28th Battn Previously reported wounded in France 8/8/18 VL.813
action now reported killed in action DO. 60/3659

AUSTRALIAN SECTION 3rd ECHELON G.H.Q.
BRITISH EXPEDITIONARY FORCE
3/9/18 Signed S.T. Bennett Lieut.
For officer i/c records.
KW.9.9.18

Buried 3200 yds. W. S.W. of Nafasée
ch. 62 d SE. P. 32. a. 52.

U.R. 18 (Sh. 24)

Documentary evidence
produced showing
correct name to be
FIELDING. Med. CR.10494/6/9.

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So HELP ME, GOD.

J. Elkesson
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at... Perth ...in
the State of... West Australia ...
this... 7 ...day of... April ...
1916, before me—

C. Curran Lieut.
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.

(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

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I consider him to be.....
 Date..... *7. 4. 16*
 Place..... *Perth*

John Cuthbert
 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.....

John Campbell
 Commanding.....

Place.....

49683 28th BATTALION A.I.F. 4 pages
 in B. 103. **Casualty Form—Active Service.**
 Regiment or Corps 15/28 Batt. Regimental Number 5596
 Rank PM Surname GLEESON Christian Name James
 Religion R.C. Age on Enlistment 28 years _____ months.
 Enlisted (a) 7-4-16 Terms of Service (a) Empdman Service reckons from (a) 7-11-16
 Date of promotion to present rank _____ Date of appointment to lance rank _____
 Extended _____ Re-engaged _____ Qualification (b) _____
 or Corps Trade and Rate _____
 Signature of Officer i/c Records _____

Date	Report 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
		Embarked ...	<u>Framantle</u>	<u>22-9-16</u>	<u>S. Surada</u>
		Disembarked...	<u>Chymouth</u>	<u>21-11-16</u>	<u>✓</u>
	<u>U.C. Troops</u>	<u>Proceeding Overseas Home</u>			<u>✓</u>
	<u>684.9.Engl Bn</u>	<u>S.S. Victoria</u>	<u>Halbeston</u>	<u>13-12-16</u>	<u>✓</u>
<u>13-12-16</u>	<u>2 A.S.B.</u>	<u>ADMITTED FROM ENGLAND</u>	<u>Staple</u>	<u>14-12-16</u>	<u>ax 3299</u>
<u>14-12-16</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>PROCEEDED TO JOIN UNIT</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>16-12-16</u>	<u>ax 3300</u>
<u>16-12-16</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>TAKEN ON STRENGTH</u>	<u>France</u>	<u>18-12-16</u>	<u>ax 13162</u>
<u>28-12-16</u>	<u>C.O. 28th Bn</u>				<u>31-12-16</u>
<u>28.10.16</u>	<u>C.C. Troops "SURADA"</u>	Adm to Ship's Hosp V.D.	<u>"AT SEA"</u>	<u>11-8-16</u>	<u>ax 13162</u>
<u>28.10.16</u>	<u>do</u>	Discharged 7 & days	<u>do</u>	<u>17.8.16</u>	<u>HR 3904</u>
<u>9/8/17</u>	<u>C.O. 28th Bn</u>	CRIME. Being a soldier in billets was found beyond the limits fixed by D.R.O. without a pass, in that he was in the village of ARQUES at about 9-30 p.m. without a pass or written authority	<u>France</u>	<u>3/8/17.</u>	<u>B 2069</u> <u>B 123/32</u>

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged in the D. Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.
 (b) Signaller, Shoeing-smith, &c.
 AWARD. 168 hours P.P. No 2
 by C.O. 28th Bn 6/8/17.
 J. J. 7 days pay.

Date.....
 Place..... Perth

John Cuthbert
 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..... John Campbell
 Place..... Commanding.....

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Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., during active service, as reported on Army Form B, 21b, Army Form A, 25, 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, 21b, Army Form A, 25, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
9	20.9.17	Col. 29 Bn	Belgium	20.9.17	WOUNDED IN ACTION AT 15706 ON 15880 28.9.17.
10	20.9.17	W. A. Hamb		20.9.17	AK 1626/68
11	21.9.17	3rd Lt. CBS		21.9.17	AK 1626/72
12	22.9.17	16th USA	Le Treport	22.9.17	AK 1626/50
13	4.10.17	G. M. W. H.		4.10.17	AK 1745/32
14	5.10.17	Essequibo	France	5.10.17	AK 1705/51 (800644) 13.11.17
15	7.10.17	C. C. Hoop	Mongkull	7.10.17	WS560 160082 D076E 17.10.17
16					(Transf. certificate (See))
17	22.10.17	C. C. Hoop	Stonefield	22.10.17	H. R. 1322
18	3.11.17	Do	Do	3.11.17	
				17.11.17	
19	18.11.17	No 2 Com. Dep.	Weymouth	17.11.17	LC 10625. Pte. W. J. 2 from G. H. 2. London, ex furlo.
	1.11.17	6x back from B 122.			Pte. G. J. France 3.8.17. Permit found beyond O. F. 180 The limits fixed by D. R. 1. without a pass on 809. E written authority from his C. O. Award 4 days 11.12.17 70th 2 by C. O. 28th Bn. 6.8.17.
20	13.1.18	No 2 Com. Dep.	Weymouth	7.1.18	L 571
21	13.1.18	No 4 Com. Dep.	Hurdcott	7.1.18	L 10/444
22	1.2.18	"	"	1.2.18	L 8 1052. Pte. Sick to Camp. 2nd Lt. Hoop. 11 (Scabico)

So HELP ME, GOD.

J. Gibson
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Perth in
the State of West Australia
this 7 day of April
1916, before me—

C. Gibson Lieut
Signature of Attesting Officer.

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Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 28th BATTALION A.I.F.

Rank Pte Surname GLEESON Christian Name James
Religion Age on Enlistment years months
Enlisted (a) Terms of Service (a) Service reckons from (a)
Date of promotion to present rank Date of appointment to lance rank
Extended Re-engaged Qualification (b) or Corps Trade and rate
Occupation Signature of Officer

Table with 5 columns: Date, From whom received, Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc., Place of Casualty, Date of Casualty, Remarks. Includes entries for 12.2.18, 8.2.18, 10.2.18, 22.2.18, 21.2.18, 23.3.18, and 26.3.18.

Handwritten numbers in red ink: 25, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 30

Date 7.4.16

Place Perth

Signature of Examining Medical Officer: John Cantelero

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

Signature of Commanding Officer: Jno Campbell

Place

Commanding

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Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, Ac., 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.
23.3.18	No. 4 Com. Dep.	Pte. Offence. Hurdcott. 19.3.18. A.W.L. from 10 p.m. 19.3.18 to 12.45 p.m. 21.3.18. Award. 6 days F.P. no. 2 by Lt. Col. D.S. Wallis 22.3.18. Total forfeiture 9 days pay.			L2758 D027/1065E 8.4.18.
26.3.18	"	Pte. W/out. to 1st Ass. Eng. Bde. Hurdcott		26.3.18	L.B. 2693
1.4.18	1st Ass. Eng. Bde.	Pte. W/out. to 2nd Eng. Bde. Long, Deverill		1.4.18	L.A. 2882.
2.4.18	6th Eng. Bn.	Pte. W/out. from 1st Ass. Eng. Bde. Fovant.		1.4.18	L.B. 2805.
28.4.18	5th Eng. Bn.	Pte. W/out. from 6th Eng. Bn. Fovant.		22.4.18	LX. 3457
5.5.18	"	Pte. W/out. from 1st Ass. Eng. Bde. Fovant		6.5.18	L. 3778
7.5.18	N2 9820	ADMITTED FROM ENGLAND	Etapes	7.5.18	AK2579/59
9.5.18	"	PROCEEDED TO JOIN UNIT		9.5.18	AK2579/60
18.5.18	CO 28 Bn	REJOINED BATTALION	France	15.5.18	B213 B23/72
28.8.18	CO 28 Bn	WOUNDED IN ACTION 2nd Class		28.8.18	via 801 19/10/18 20.5/12/18 B213 B23/2336 AK 60/5659
17.8.18	CO 28 Bn	Previously reported Wounded in Action		28.8.18	B213 B23/85
		Now reported KILLED IN ACTION	France	28.8.18	via 813 29/12/18
AUSTRALIAN SECTION 3rd ECHELON G.H.Q. British Expeditionary Force - 3 SEP 1918			Hurdcott for officer i/c Records.		Lieut. 05

So HELP ME, GOD.

J. Gibson
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at... *Perth* ... in
 the State of... *West Australia* ...
 this... *7* ... day of... *April* ...
 191*6*, before me—

C. Curran Lieut.
Signature of Attesting Officer.

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Specimen Signature.

Signatures

J. Gleeson

Date

7/4/16

i 8671/16*

Date *7. 4. 16*

Cresswell Lieut

Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, *James Gleeson* swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from *7. 4. 16* 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.

J. Gleeson
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at *Perth* in

the State of *West Australia*

this *7* day of *April*

191*6*, before me—

Cresswell Lieut
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.

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 naturalisation papers and am of opinion that they are correct.

(This to be struck out except in the case of persons who are naturalised British Subjects.)

Date *7. 4. 16*

Cresswell Lieut
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, *James Elson* swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from *7. 4. 16* 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.

J. Elson
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at *Pent* in
the State of *West Australia*
this *7* day of *April*
191*6*, before me—

Cresswell Lieut
Signature of Attesting Officer.

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True name **FIELDING³** Med. CR. 10494/6/9.

Description of **James Gleeson** on Enlistment.

Age..... <u>26</u> years..... months.	DISTINCTIVE MARKS. <u>3 warts</u> <u>peev nose</u>
Height..... <u>5</u> feet <u>7</u> inches.	
Weight..... <u>138</u> lbs.	
Chest Measurement..... <u>55.37</u> inches.	
Complexion..... <u>Fresh</u>	
Eyes..... <u>Grey</u>	
Hair..... <u>DBrown</u>	
Religious Denomination..... <u>R.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, 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. 4 16

Place..... Perth

John Cantelero
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.....

Prof Campbell

Place.....

Commanding.....

Statement of Service of No. 5596 Name Gleeson James

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Period of Service in each Rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
61 Depot	Pte	8.4.16		Sp 736
15/28	"	1.5.16		Sp. 753
	Embarked Surada, Fremantle	22.9.16		
	Disembarked Plymouth	20.11.18		E-R-8681
AKEN ON STRENGTH	24 Bn. from Reimp of 285	France.	12/12/16.	Pa 101/8120. 31/12/16.
	(No) Adm Ship Hoop. Surada. Dis to duty total period 7 days.	at sea.	11.8.16. 17 8 16	Pa 82/2541. 14.4.17.
	Proceeding of seas to France Feb 8.8. Victoria from Folkestone F.R. 2540.		13-12-16	Pa II Do. 1.281E 6-1-17
	(No) Crime Being a soldier in billets was found beyond the limits fixed by POWB without a pass in that he was in the village of Argues at about 9.30 pm without a pass written Auth. from his CO 3-8.17 Award 7 days pay by CO. 28 Bn Confectionery 7 days pay 5/- 1.15. 10 Bn 28049/13		7-8.17	64/5343 17.8.17
	Pte Wounded in Action	France	20.9.17.	6074/5880 28.9.17
	Pte Adm. 1st Strk Open Hoop Moneymill (Trac. Clarice. Rev.)		7.10.17.	W. 3560 AR 215 8076/6008E 17.10.17.
286.	(No) Emb. on H.S. Essequibo from France for England SW. Sharden.		5.10.17.	5080/6444 16.10.17.
	Pte. Offence France 3.8.17 Being found beyond			
	Pte. Kulo 3-11-17 to 17-11-17 report to Depot Plymouth.		17-11-17.	
	Pte. Offence Dur Col.		19-3-18.	Q 2753.
	A.W. I from 10 p.m. 19.3-18 to 12.45 p.m. 21-3-18. Award 6 days F.P. 9102 by Lt. Col D. S. Williams			Do 27/1065 E. 8.4-18.
	22-3-18. Total Folkestone 9 days pay			

Letter report reg'd 9.11.17. 28.1 (Pte)

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

Bios BEP.
8.5.18 L3778.

STATEMENT OF SERVICE OF No. 5596 NAME GLEESON. James.

Unit.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Place.	Date.	Remarks.
<u>28th Bn.</u>	Pte Proc: Operato France ex Fovant (5th Inf. Bn)	2nd - Folkestone	6.5.18.	L3778 D036/1296 E9.5.18
	Pte M/m to 99. Inf Bn Depd - from 2nd Bn Wounded.		7.5.18	D035/1626. 18.5.18
Pte X	Pte Wounded in action	(2nd occas)	8.8.18	D/057/3292 10.8.18
X	Ref D/057/3292 (1918) which reads: - wounded in Action Delete complete entry		8.8.18	D/060/3658 25.8.18

CR. 10494/6/9.

True name FIELDING, Fred.

STATEMENT OF SERVICE OF No. 5596

NAME Robert James

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Unit.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Place.	Date.	Remarks.
	<p>Documentary evidence produced showing correct name to be FIELDING, Fred. CR. 10494/6/9.</p>			
	<p>Pt Previously reported Wounded. Now.</p>			
28 th Bm	KILLED IN ACTION	France	8.8.18	62131 2486
	Buried			10/060/3659 25.8.18 B. 3554.

SEE COPY A.F. B 103 ENCLOSED.

8. 14. 16
CERTIFIED TRUE COPY
delivered by 2nd. LIEUT. ...

W 6100

AUSTRALIAN



MILITARY FORCES.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 5596 Name GLEESON James
Unit 101 Depot
Joined on 8. 4. 16

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... James Gleeson
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? ... Melbourne Victoria
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalised British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... Yes
4. What is your age? ... 28
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... Labourer
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) ... Parents dead. Sister: Miss Wimpsey, 11 Maddox St, Albert Park, 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 101 Broom St Bendigo, V
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. (For married men and 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
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... Yes

PAY BOOK No. 28039

James Gleeson 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 7. 4. 16

James Gleeson
Signature of Person Enlisted.

* 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.

Specimen Signature.

Sgt J. Gleeson

Signatures

Date

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Date... *7. 11. 16*
Sgt J. Gleeson
 Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

James (Fielding Treth.) Gleeson
 I, *James Gleeson*

.....swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from *7. 11. 16* 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.

Sgt J. Gleeson
 Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at *Perth* in the State of *West Australia* this *7* day of *April* 191*6*, before me—

Sgt S. Weaver
 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.

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 naturalisation papers and am of opinion that they are correct.

(This to be struck out except in the case of persons who are naturalised British Subjects.)

Date 7. 11. 16

Sgt. S. Weaver Lt
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

James Gleason (Fielding Treth.)

I, James Gleason swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 7. 11. 16 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.

Sgt. J. Gleason
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Perth in

the State of West Australia

this 7 day of April

1916, before me—

Sgt. S. Weaver Lt
Signature of Attesting Officer.

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R. E. G.
L. E. G.

Original.
Duplicate.

APPLICATION TO ENLIST IN THE AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

To the Recruiting Officer

(OFFICIAL STAMP.)

at Perth

I, James Gleson
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.
Perth Post Office

Signature James Gleson
Occupation Sabotier
Date 7th 4/1916

(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 ^{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 20 yrs.....mos. Height 5 ft. 7 ins.

Chest Measurement (fully expanded) 37 inches.

Married. Widower. Single.

PRELIMINARY MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

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

Place Perth

Date 7. 4. 16

John Curthbert
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.

Place Perth

Date 7. 4. 16

(Signature) James Gleson
Recruiting Officer.

i 9631/15

[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	Married	Original
Unfit	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.

Evack
Scas nose
138.

Spaces for identification by means of handwritings.

James Gibson

Description of James Gleeson on Enlistment.

Age..... <u>28</u> years.....months.	DISTINCTIVE MARKS. <u>3. Scar R.</u> <u>Scar on nose</u>
Height..... <u>5</u> feet..... <u>7</u> inches.	
Weight..... <u>138</u> lbs.	
Chest Measurement..... <u>35 37</u> inches.	
Complexion..... <u>Fresh</u>	
Eyes..... <u>Grey</u>	
Hair..... <u>D. Brown</u>	
Religious Denomination..... <u>R. 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, 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. 4. 16

Place.....Perth

Geo. John Southbert
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... 15th Regt 28th Bde

Date.....1. 9. 16

Place.....Blackboy Hill

Geo. Campbell
Commanding Hebeva Vale Camp.

Statement of Service of No. 5596 Name J. Gleason

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, etc.	Period of Service in each Rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
61 Depot 15/28	Ote	8.4.16		No 736
		1.5.16		No. 753
15/28				
28 th Bn	bornd. name. FRED FIELDING			Att. Dec 9-11-1916

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

4 pages
Army Form B. 103.

D49683

Regimental Number 5596

Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps 15th. Refs. 28th. BATTALION. A.I.F.

Rank Pte Surname GLEESON Christian Name James months

Religion R.C. Age on Enlistment 28 years

Enlisted (a) 7.4.16 Terms of Service (a) Max. & 4. mths. Service reckons from (a) 7.4.16

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	Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
	From whom received					
			Embarked ...			
			Disembarked...			
			D.O. 1/261 E 1917. ✓			
			D.O. 101/8720 1916 ✓			
			D.O. 32/2541 1917. ✓			
			D.O. 64/5343 1917. ✓			
			D.O. 74/5880 1917. ✓			
			D.O. 80/6444 1917. ✓			
			D.O. 76/6008 E 1917 ✓			
			D.O. 27/1065 E 1918. ✓			
			D.O. 36/ E 1918. ✓			
			D.O. 35/1626 1918 ✓			
			D.O. 57/3292 1918 ✓			

(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.
(b) Signaller, Shooting-Smith, &c
(17591.) Wt. W 1887-P 1124, 1,000,000, 018, D & S. Form B.103. (E. 1956.)

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				
		D.O.60/3658 1918. ✓			
		D.O.60/3659 1918. ✓			
	Original forwarded to England	3/9/1918.			Lieut. for Officer i/c Records.

Telephone message received from Mr Bentley
re little roundel sheet, stating that Mr W.

Fielding was now resident at
161 Queen Street, Bendigo.

Collected by
G. J. ...

24/1/22

16.11/4/23

Melbo
Adelaide Street
Lakewood
Sydney N.S.W.

Book kept attached
74/4/23

Dear Sir
Please send pamphlets entitled Graves
of the Fallen,
I remain Yours Sincerely
Walter Tilling

BASE RECORDS
APR 21 1993
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Stamp 6

RECEIPT FOR MEMORIAL PLAQUE.

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

No. 5596 Pte. J. Gleeson,

28th Battalion.



DECEASED SECTION
DEC 7
RECEIVED

Signature *Winfred Fielding*

Date *8/11/22*

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

D.2083/9.22.—C.13580.—5M.

*Wolfe New Adder No 7 Fielding
Glebe
Stillecove Street
Lake NAAAB2455*

Added by
National Archives of Australia

REEDING F

W. B. 11/22

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 *he. 5376 Pte F. Gleson.*

28th. Dalhousie

(Signature) *Walter Fielding*

(Date) *30/1/22*



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

D.1070/12.21.-C.10601.

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RECEIPT FOR VICTORY MEDAL.

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

No. 5596, Pta. J. GLEESON, 28th Bn.

(Stated to be F. FIELDING.)

Signature

Frederic Fielding

Date 18. 1. 1928

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

D. 3040/4.32.—C.5128.

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17023

ALIAS GLEESON, J.

FIELDING.

F.

596 .

28th Bn.

Surname.

Other Names.

Regimental No.

Unit.

Identical with 2353/7th PORPORT.

AUTHORITY.

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FOR ALL REPORTS SEE: - GLEESON, J. 596. 28th Bn.

AUTHORITY.

PURPORT.

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Identical with 2353. of the 7th Bn.

ALIAS FIELDING, F.
Gleeson

James

5596 Pte

15/28th Btn

Surname.

Other Names.

Regimental No.

Unit.

PBN 28039/27

PURPORT.

5th MD

AUTHORITY.

Emb. at Fremantle per A52 "Surada" 16.9.16

13.12.16 Proc O/Seas to France per S/S Princess Victoria
from Folkestone MW

L'DN 1/9.17

Admt. Ship's Hosp Surada at Sea 11.8.16 Disc to duty 17.8.16
Total Period 7 days

BEFO 32/1.17

IB 332/32.17

7.10.17 Admt. 1st Sth Gen Hosp Monyhull

3/17.11.17 Disc. from 1st Aux. Hosp to Fur & Rep Weymouth

GSW Frac clavicle

IB 350/37.17

23.10.17 TFD FROM 1st STH GEN HOSP TO 1st AUX. HOSP HAREFIELD

GSW Rt clavicle

IB 344/31.17

CRIME. Found out without a pass 3.8.17 Awd. 7 days F.P. No 2

7.8.17 Total Forf 7 days pay

BEFO 64/3.17

20.9.17 Wounded in Action

BEFO 74/3.17

21.2.18 Disc from Hosp to Depot Eczema

IB 425/21.18

11.2.18 Admt. 1st A.D.H. Eczema

IB 417/22.18

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PURPORT.

AUTHORITY.

7/10/17 Adm to 1st. Sthrn Gen Hosp Monyhull Frac Clavicle Sev. Lon 76/3/17

8-8-18 Wounded (2nd occ) JMc IB 545/29-18 (2)

6-5-18 proc V/S to France Via F'stone x 5th Tng Bn
F'ant Lon 36-1-18

19-3-18 Crime. H'cott/ AWL 19-3-18 till 21-3-18/ AWD 22-3-18

6 dys F.P. No.2. Tot. Forf 9 dys pay/ PBN 28039/27 JMc Lon 27-2-18

8-8-18 KILLED IN ACTION (Prev Rep. Wounded) " IB 552/41+8

8/8/18 Wounded-(2nd-occ)-(Del) BEFO 60/3/18 JMc " --BEFO-57/3/48

8/8/18 Killed In Action " BEFO60/3/18

7/5/18 M/I to N.Z.R.D. x Wd. " BEFO 35/1/18

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

B.R. Form No. 6.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

KT.

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,
VICTORIA BARRACKS,
MELBOURNE.

25th June, 1919.

DEAR

Madam,

As requested in your communication of **16th instant**

I beg to enclose herewith certificate of report of death of the late
No. 5596, Private F. Fielding, 28th Battalion.

**Mrs. W. Fielding,
11 Madden Street,
ALBERT PARK, VIC.**

Yours faithfully,

J. M. LEAN, Major,

Officer in Charge Base Records.

Do not forget to advise any change of address to Officer i/c Base Records, Melbourne.

D.11128/218.—C.1950.—108.

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Roll

A.B.

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"D" Cards

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24.28/6/19

Correspondence and
advice to District
concerned and London

24.28/6/19

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E.G.

28th June, 1919.

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A.A.G.
5th M.D.

re the late No.5596 Private James GLEESON, 28th Battalion.

A Statutory Declaration, and evidence in support of same, has been furnished to this office by Mrs. Winifred Fielding, residing at 11 Madden Street, Albert Park, Victoria, (mother of the above mentioned deceased soldier) which shows that he enlisted under an assumed name - his correct name being FIELDING Fred, and that the Miss Winifred Fielding (cousin) shown on Attestation Sheet as next-of-kin is his sister

The records have been amended in accordance with King's Regulations, para 1901.

Kindly inform the D.P.M.

Capt.,
for Officer i/c Base Records.

O. H. M. S.

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To

I certify that this Telegram is sent on the service of the

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

DEFENCE

MELBOURNE

CONFIRMATION COPY
Colonel,
Commandant, Administrative Headquarters,
AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.

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 vj esob i 054 MELBOURNE Henry 3688 WILLIAMS Joseph
 vj esob 0556 HILLS Thomas Nothby 6894 BURNER TOSMAN
 Francis vj etelci 14685 BONDEN George Thomas 5537 HEFFERMAN
 Roger Joseph 7160 HANSH Henry George vj ever ton 7452
 MELBOURNE William vj etelci 5110 KING Roy vj agonese Details
 3160 HANSON Thomas August 21793 HURPHYS Thomas William
 22317 BUNNY John Collin 22150 RYAN Daniel Thomas 20010
 10119 Henry vj etelci 16729 BRUNING Thomas William

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J.G.

28th June, 1919.

Officer i/c Records,
A.I.F. Headquarters,
130 Horseferry Road,
Westminster,
LONDON. S.W. 1.

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Capt.,

for Officer i/c Base Records.

NAA: B2455, FIELDING F

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O. H. M. S.

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DEFENCE

MELBOURNE

I certify that this Telegram is sent on the service of the

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

CONFIRM

Colonel,
Commandant, Administrative Headquarters,
AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.

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message takeoff ARGYLLSHIRE SILVERGOD

vugoben 27978 DAVIES Leecroft St Paul 1583 LEWIS Olive

William vugodobell 846 BRADNEY Donald Walter 2040 HIGLETT

Stanley Norman 39023 McCONVILL Edward John 31104 ROSE Albert

Edward 15070 SAIBSON Eric James 3210 SMITH Albert Robert

vugrikils 346 BOND George William 28167 BYRNES Daniel Terence

31520 CHRISTENSEN John Gilbert 369 KELLY Thomas Joseph

30764 NEWNHAM George Frederick 330 PITTMAN George Harold

exagonite Details 54194 FROST Alexander James 14494 GULLAN

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NAA: B2455 FIELDING F

E. McK.

21st May, 1920.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your communication of
14th May, relative to the late No. 5596,
Private F. Fielding, 28th Battalion, I have to
inform you that he enlisted at Perth, Western
Australia.

E. McK.

21st May, 1920:

Handwritten initials or mark

Dear Sir,

In reply to your communication of 14th May, relative to the late No. 5596, Private F. Fielding, 28th Battalion, I have to inform you that he enlisted as a member of the Australian Imperial Force at Perth, Western Australia, on 7th April, 1916.

It will be necessary to show the name under which he enlisted.

Yours faithfully,

Major.
Officer i/c Base Records.

Handwritten signature

Mr. H. Bentley,
295 Little Lonsdale Street,
MELBOURNE.

STAMPING & PIERCING WORKS.
295 LITTLE LONSDALE STREET,

Melbourne May 14th 1920

Officer in Charge
Base Records

Re No 5596 Pte F. Fielding (Deceased)

Dear Sir

I have been requested by Mr. W. Fielding to enquire for the purpose of filling in Enquiry form. If you would please advise me. The date the above soldier enlisted in W.A. also if it is necessary to put in the name he enlisted under viz: Pte James Gleason, which was an assumed name, or his covert name Fred Fielding

Thanking you for an early reply.

I am

Yours faithfully

J. Bentley

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EMPH. 20/5

P.S. Please reply to the above address.

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F/KT

10th December, 1918.

72130

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 13th instant, and to state your request (on behalf of his mother) for a photograph of the grave of the late No. 5596, Private F. Fielding (enlisted as J. Gleason), 28th Battalion, has been referred to Australian Imperial Force Headquarters, London, for compliance if possible.

It is customary to forward copies of photographs to next-of-kin only, and as you are desirous of obtaining an extra copy in this instance it is suggested that you communicate direct with Australian Imperial Force Headquarters, London, who may be able to comply with your request.

Yours faithfully,

Major,
Officer i/c Base Records.

Mr. S. E. Horner,
"Kelsco",
Hillard Street,
LAKEMBA, N. S. W.



Australian Imperial Force.



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

IWD.

Inventory of Effects of - 5596 Gleeson: J. 28th Btn. A.I.F.

Forwarded to - Legatee, Cousin,
Miss Winnie Fielding,
11, Madden Street,
Albert Park,
Melbourne.
Victoria.

Effects received from the field. 4.9.18. (3/6196).
1 Parcel (sealed) containing:-

1 Prayer book, 1 YMCA wallet, Photos, Cards, 1 Letter.

SARDINIA

No. of Package D/S. 41560

National Archives of Australia

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No. 5596.

----- Private Fred Fielding,
(served as James Gleeson)
28th Battalion,

Australian Imperial Force,

XXXXX was killed in action, -----

x in France 8th August, 18.

Cable No. C. I. B. L.
2788, from the Commandant, A. I. F. Headquarters, dated London,
26th August, 1918, confirmed by Mail from the Commandant, A. I. F.
Headquarters, dated London, 3rd September, 1918, and Army Form
B. 103. 25th June, 19. Major,

silvergod vufacade 3897 MALLEEN Robert vufaint 3502 CALLAGHAN
Richard vudoport 3283 LEWIS Theodore vudefere-5558-KERRY
John stationary silvergod vudifolk 4235 MCCARTHY Bertram
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TUCKER Charles vufaint-2968-241-1118-John vugrinus
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silvergod vudaduffer 5977 BUCHANAN Hugh vudafear 6058
MORAN Harold vudagege 7082 WOODCOCK Alfred vudamand 4166
CADGER William 3062 MILLER Alfred vudarepret 7350 SENIOR
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FROM

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Do not forget to advise any change of address to—
BASE RECORDS,
MELBOURNE.

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

BASE RECORDS OFFICE.
VICTORIA BARRACKS.

MELBOURNE 26th February, 1919.

AVR.

Dear Madam,

Forwarded this day, per separate parcels registered post, is one package containing personal effects of the late No. 5596 Private J. Gleeson, 28th Battalion, received ex Sardinia " D/5 41560 as per inventory attached. All 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 (Enclosure.) come safely to hand, by signing and returning the enclosed printed receipt slip.

Yours faithfully,

PARCEL POST

J. McLean Major,

Officer in Charge, Base Records.

D.1378/5.18.—C 13178.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE

RECORDS
SERIALS

Miss. W. Fielding,

11 Madden Street,

ALBERT Park,
Victoria.



AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

B.R. Form No. 2a.

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, 1919.
MELBOURNE.

AVR.

Madam,

Dear

3 Identity Discos
Forwarded this day per separate parcels is one
to Mr. F. J. Barrett, private J. Gleeson's estate
of the 1st Battalion, received ex "Barambah" No. 3/7964

as per inventory attached. All 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.

(Enclosure.)

Yours faithfully,

J. Mean Major,

Officer in Charge, Base Records.

D. 1378/5. 18. - C 13178.

Miss. Winnie Fielding,
11 Madden Street,
ALBERT PARK,
Victoria.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Receipt for Consignment from Defence Department.

I hereby acknowledge having received from the Officer in Charge of Base Records the undermentioned (11) Package, ³ Identity Discs, being the effects of

the late No. 5596 Private J. Gleeson (Stated to be consigned to me. ex "Barambah" No. 3/7964 F. Fielding) 28th Battn.

No. 3 Description, Identity Discs

Signature Winnie Fielding

Date 24/6/1919



NOTE.—This Receipt should be Posted to—

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

D.1072/8.17.—C.10713.—50M.

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Chief Clerk
Base Records
Melbourne

11 Badden Street
Albert Park

16/5/19

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Dear Sir

Re No 5596 Re James Steer. 15/25th Bar (Deed)

on application to the Common
wealth Savings Bank in connection
with the above late Soldier's Account,
I have been advised to obtain from
the Defence Department a certificate
of Debt. Will you kindly forward
same to me

I am

Yours faithfully
Ninnie Fielding



Name in Full. I, James GLEESON.

Unit. 23 Batts Regimental Number 5596 serving in France,
A.I.F. of the Australian Imperial Force do hereby revoke all former Wills made by me and declare this to be my last Will.

Name and Address of person or person to whom it is to go. I DEVISE and BEQUEATH all my real estate unto (Cousin).
Miss Winnie Fielding.

Name and Address of person or persons to receive personal estate (see Note). No: 11 Madden Street Albert Park. Melbourne Victoria. Australia.
absolutely, and my personal estate I bequeath to (Cousin).
Miss Winnie Fielding.

No: 11 Madden Street Albert Park. Melbourne Victoria. Australia.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 15th day of July A.D. 1917.

Fill in Date. James GLEESON. (Signature).

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

FIRST WITNESS. Signature of Witness H. W. A. Woods.

Address and Occupation Kennedy St. Maylands. Timber Hewer.

SECOND WITNESS. Signature of Witness J. M. Collins.

Address and Occupation G. P. O. Perth. Teamster.

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

Certified to be a true copy of Will of No: 5596, Pte. GLEESON James, 28th Bn., (Deod.) Original forwarded to D.P.M., 5th th.D.

Checked G.H. L. Holmes

[Signature]
Estates Branch,
Adm. Hdqrs., London.
9.9.18.

~~11/25/05~~
Hillard St.
Lakemba.
N.S.W.
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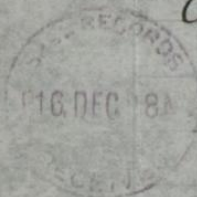
Sir

I have been trying to get a Photo of the
Grave of Pte James, Gleeson who was
killed in Action on the 8th of August last
as he was a great friend of mine also chum
I would very much like to get one not
only for myself but for his Mother as
I have been advised by the red cross
people to write to you as you are the only
one that could give me up I might say
that Pte of Gleeson enlisted in Western
Australia & his last address was

no 5596 Pte of Gleeson 28 Battalion cd 44
hoping this will meet with your kind
favors I am sir

yours Respectfully
S. E. Horner

Mulligan
19/12



W.B.

Army Form B, 103-II,
Part II.

(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

Regiment or Corps 15/28th Battalion Regimental Number 5596

*Substantiated Rank Private Surname GLEESON Christian Names James

*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, casualties, transfers, etc. All acting as well as substantive promotions to be shown of entry of which see A.C.I. 1816 of 1917. Casualties to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	Place of casualty	Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, casualty, etc.	Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
13/12/16	G.G. 6th	Proc. of Seas	France SS Victoria	Stone	13/12/16	
28/10/16	C. Tps	Emarked	Freemantle	At Sea	22/9/16	
28/10/16	Surada	Disembarked	Plymouth	"	21/11/16	DO.1/28E
14/12/16	2nd	Admitted to	ships hospital	"	11/8/16	DO.32/2541
16/12/16	"	Discharged	7 days	"	17/1/16	
23/12/16	C/O 28th Bn.	Admitted from	England	Etaples	14/12/16	
9/8/17	C/O " "	Proceeded to	join unit	"	16/12/16	
		Taken on	strength	France	18/12/16	DO.101/8120
		CRIME	Being a soldier in billets. was found beyond the limits fixed by D.R.9. without a pass, in that he at about 9.30 p.m. without a pass or written authority from his C.O.			
20/9/17	C/O 28th Bn.	Wounded in	action	Belgium	3/8/17	DO.64/5343
20/9/17	6th AFA	S.W. Shoulder	To C.C.S.	"	20/9/17	VL.483
21/9/17	3rd CCS	"	To Train	"	21/9/17	
22/9/17	16th USA	Admitted	S.W. Shoulder	Le Treport	22/9/17	
4/10/17	H.H.	Tfd to	England	"	4/10/17	
5/10/17	Essiguito	Emarked for	England	France	5/10/17	DO.80/5444
7/10/17	O.C. Hpl	Admitted	1st S.G.H. Fract Darvicles	Monyhull	7/10/17	DO.76/6008

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23/10/17 O.C.Hpl
 3/11/18 " "
 18/11/17 No.2.CD
 13/1/18 No.2.CD
 13/1/18 No.4.CD
 1/2/18 " "
 12/2/18 1st ADH
 8/2/18 No.4.CD

Trans to 1st Aux
 Furlo and report to Depot
 Weymouth
 Marched in from A.H.Q.London
 ex furlo
 M/O to No.4.C.D.
 M/I from No.2.C.D
 Sick to Camp Isol.Hpl.Scabies
 Admitted Eczema
 M/I from Isol.Camp. Hpl.

Harefield 23/10/17
 3/11/17 to
 17/11/17
 Weymouth 17/11/17
 " 7/1/18
 Hurdcott 7/1/18
 " 1/2/18
 Bulford 11/2/18
 Hurdcott 8/2/18

Date.	(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 acting in the capacity of a soldier, for method of entry of which see A.C.I. 1810 of 1917. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	(D) Place of casualty	(E) Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, casualty, &c.	(F) Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
	From whom received						
10/2/18	No.4.CD		Sick to group Clg.Hpl.I.C.T.		Hurdcott	10/2/18	
22/2/18	1st ADH		Admitted	11/2/18.EczemaDischarged	Bulford	11/2/18	
21/2/18	No.4.CD		M/I from	1st A.D.H.	Hurdcott	21/2/18	
23/3/18	"		A.W.L. Returned		"	21/3/18	
23/3/18	No.4.CD		CRIME Hurdcott	19/3/18.A.W.L.from			
10.p.m.	19/3/18		to	12.45.p.m.21/3/18.AWARD			
6 days	F.P.No.2.		by	Lt.Col.D.S Wanliss.22/3/18			
Total	forfeiture		9	days pay.			
26/3/18	O/Seas		M/I from	No.4.C.D.Hurdcott	L.Devll	26/3/18	DP.27/1065E
T.B.							
26/3/18	No.4.CD		M/O to	O/Seas Tng Bgde	Hurdcott	26/3/18	
1/4/18	O/Seas		M/O to	2nd Tng.Bde	L.Devll	1/4/18	
T.B.							
2/4/18	6th T.B.		M/I from	O/Seas Tng. Bgde.	Fovant	1/4/18	
28/4/18	5th T.B		M/I from	6th Tng Battalion	Fovant	22/4/18	
5/5/18	"		Proceeded	o/Seas to France ex			
			Fovant	via			
7/5/18	NZ.I.B.D.		Admitted	from England	F/Stone	6/5/18	DO.36/E 9/5/18
9/5/18	"		Proceeded	to join unit	E taples	7/5/18	DO.35/1626
18/5/18	C/O 28th D attn		Rejoined	Battalion	"	9/5/18	
8/8/18	"		Wounded	in action 2nd Occ.	France	15/5/18	

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(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

Regiment or Corps 15/28th Battalion Regimental Number 5596

*Substantive Rank Private Surname CLEESON Christian Names JAMES

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

(A) Report	(B) Authority of 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 medals and entry of which see A.C.I. 1810 of 1947. Corps and unit to which transferred and posted to be invariably named.	(D) Place of casualty	(E) Date of promotion, reduction, reversion, &c.	(F) Remarks, and initials and rank of an officer
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17/8/15 C/O 28th Battn Previously reported wounded in action now reported killed in action

France 8/8/18 VL.813

AUSTRALIAN SECTION 3rd ECHELON G.H.Q.
BRITISH EXPEDITIONARY FORCE
3/9/18

Signed. S.T. Bennett Lieut
For officer i/c records.

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(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

Regiment or Corps **15/23th Battalion** Regimental Number **5596**

Substantive Rank **Private** Surname **CLEESON** Christian Names **James**

*Acting Rank _____

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13/12/16	P.C. 6th	Proc. of Seas France SS Victoria	R'Stone	13/12/16	
28/10/16	C.Tps	Embarked Freemantle		22/9/16	
28/10/16	Surada	Disembarked Plymouth	S.S. Surada	21/11/16	DO.1/28E
14/12/16	2nd ADEN	Admitted to ships hospital V.D.	At Sea	11/8/16	DO.32/2541
16/22/16	"	Discharged 7 days	"	17/8/16	
23/12/16	0 28th Bn.	Admitted from England	Etaples	14/12/16	
		Proceeded to join unit	"	16/12/16	
9/8/17	0/0	Taken on strength	France	18/12/16	DO.101/3120
20/9/17	g/o 28th Bn	CRIME Being a soldier in billets was found beyond the limits fixed by D.R.9. without a pass, in that he at about 9.30 p.m. without a pass or written authority from his C.O. AWARD 168 hours F.P.No.2. by CO.28th Bn 6/3/17. Total forfeiture 7 days pay.	"	3/8/17	DO.64/5343
20/9/17	6th AFA	Wounded in action	Belgium	20/9/17	DO.74/5880
21/9/17	3rd COS	S.W. Shoulder To C.O.S.	"	20/9/17	VL.483
22/9/17	16th USA	" To Train	"	21/9/17	
4/10/17	B.H.	Admitted S.W. Shoulder Tfd to England	Le Treport	22/9/17	
5/10/17	Esiguit	Embarked for England	"	4/10/17	
7/10/17	0.C. Rpl	Admitted 1st S.G.H. Fract Dervicles	France	5/10/17	DO.80/6444
			Monyhu	17/10/17	DO.76/6008

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23/10/17 3/11/17	O.C. Hpl " "		Trans to 1st Aux Furlo and report to Depot Weymouth Marched in from A.H.Q. London ex furlo			Harefield 23/10/17 3/11/17 to 17/11/17
18/11/17	No. 2. CD					Weymouth 17/11/17
13/1/18	No. 2. CD		M/O to No. 4. C.D.			7/1/18
13/1/18	No. 4. CD		M/I from No. 2. C.D.			7/1/18
1/2/18	" "		Sick to Camp Isol. Hpl. Scabies			1/2/18
12/2/18	1st ADH		Admitted Eczema			11/2/18
8/2/18	No. 4. CD		M/I from Isol. Camp. Hpl.			8/2/18
10/2/18	No. 4. CD		Sick to group Clg. Hpl. I.C.F.			
22/2/18	1st ADH		Admitted 11/2/18. Eczema Discharged	Hurdcott	10/2/18	
21/2/18	No. 4. CD		M/I from 1st A.D.H.	Bulford	11/2/18	
23/3/18	No. " "		A. L. Returned	Hurdcott	21/2/18	
23/3/18	No. 4. CD		CRIME Hurdcott 19/3/18. A.W.L. from 10 p.m. 19/3/18. to 12.45 p.m. 21/3/18. AWARD 6 days F.P. No. 2. by Lt. Col. D.S. Wanliss. 22/3/18 Total forfeiture 9 days pay.	Hurdcott	21/2/18	
26/3/18	O/Seas T.B.		M/I from No. 4. C.D. Hurdcott	" "	19/3/18	
26/3/18	No. 4. CD		M/O to O/Seas Tng Bgde	L. Devll	26/3/18	Dr. 27/1065E
1/4/18	O/Seas T.B.		M/O to 2nd Tng. Ede	Hurdcott	26/3/18	
2/4/18	6th T.B.		M/I from O/Seas Tng Bgde	L. Devll	1/4/18	
28/4/18	5th T.B.		M/I from 6th Tng Battalion	Povant	1/4/18	
5/5/18	" "		Proceeded O/Seas to France ex Povant via	Povant	22/4/18	
7/5/18	NZ. I. B. D.		Admitted from England	F/Stone	6/5/18	DO. 36/E 9/5/18
9/5/18	" "		Proceeded to join unit	E tapes	7/5/18	DO. 35/1626
19/5/18	C/O 28th Pattn		Rejoined Battalion	" "	9/5/18	
8/8/18	" "		Wounded in action 2nd Occ.	France	15/5/18	
				" "	8/8/18	
						DO. 57/3292 VL. 301.

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(SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM Part II).

Regiment or Corps 15/28th Battalion Regimental Number 5596

*Substantive Rank Private Surname GLEESON Christian Names James

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

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17/8/15 C/O 28th Battalion
 Previously reported wounded in action now reported killed in action
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AUSTRALIAN SECTION 3rd ECHELON G.H.Q.
 BRITISH EXPEDITIONARY FORCE
 3/9/18

Signed S.T. Bennett Lieut.
 For officer i/c records.

Sw. 9.9.18

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(II) SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM PART II

(A)	Report	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

E.P.

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,
VICTORIA BARRACKS,

MELBOURNE, 22nd Nov. 1917

Dear Madam,

I now beg to advise you that Private J. Gleeson, has been reported convalescent.

His postal address will be:—

No 5596, Private J. Gleeson,
28th Battalion,

Australian Imperial Force,
Abroad.

In the absence of further reports it is to be assumed that satisfactory progress is being maintained, but anything later received will be promptly transmitted, it being clearly understood that if no further advice is forwarded this department has no more information to supply.

Yours faithfully,

J. M. LEAN, Major,
Officer in Charge, Base Records.

D.104/3.17.—C.3416.

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Miss W. Fielding,
Maddon Street,
Albert Park,
VIC.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

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

GMP.

BASE RECORDS OFFICE.

VICTORIA BARRACKS.

MELBOURNE. 19th August, 1918.

Dear Madam, I now beg to advise you that Private J. Gleeson, has been reported wounded, second occasion.

His postal address will be—

No. 5596 Private J. Gleeson,

28th Battalion,
Australian Imperial Force,
Abroad.

Don't fail to send change of your address to Base Records, Melbourne.

In the absence of further reports it is to be assumed that satisfactory progress is being maintained, but anything later received will be promptly transmitted, it being clearly understood that if no further advice is forwarded this department has no more information to supply.

Yours faithfully,

J. Mean Major,

Miss W. Fielding,
Maddon Street,
ALBERT PARK.
VICTORIA.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

FMP

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,
VICTORIA BARRACKS,

MELBOURNE, 25th October, 1917.

Dear Madam,

I now beg

to advise you that Private J. Gleeson

has been reported admitted to 1st Southern General Hospital, Birmingham, England, 7/10/17, suffering from fractured clavicle, severe.

His postal address will be:—

J.P.C.

No. 5596, Private J. Gleeson,
28th Battalion,

Australian Imperial Force,
Abroad.

In the absence of further reports it is to be assumed that satisfactory progress is being maintained, but anything later received will be promptly transmitted, it being clearly understood that if no further advice is forwarded this department has no more information to supply.

Yours faithfully,
J.W.M. LEAN, Major,
(Sgd.) OSBORNE.
Officer in Charge, Base Records.

D.104/3.17.—C.3416.

Miss W. Fielding,
Maddon Street,
ALBERT PARK, VIC.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

WB

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,
VICTORIA BARRACKS,

MELBOURNE, 8th Oct., 1917.

Dear Madam,

I regret to advise you that Private J. Gleeson,
has been reported wounded.

His postal address will be:—

No. 5596 Private J. Gleeson,
28th Battalion,

Australian Imperial Force,
Abroad.

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MISS W. FIELDING

MADDEN STREET,

ALBERT PARK. VIC.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

STATUTORY DECLARATION.

I, Winifred Fielding, widow, residing at 101, Breen Street, Quarryhill, Bendigo, Victoria, declare that I am the Mother and next-of-kin to this soldier who enlisted as No. 5596, Private James Gleeson, 28th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force, and who is now deceased. He enlisted under an assumed name, his correct name being Fred Fielding. I produce herewith letters from him in support of my statements, the signature thereon agrees with the signature on his Application to Enlist Form attached to his attestation papers. The next-of-kin shown on his attestation ~~sheet~~, Miss Winifred Fielding, is his sister, and is not his cousin. I desire my name to be recorded on his attestation papers, and also make claim to any pay due to him or personal effects belonging to him in the absence of any Will to the contrary.

AND I MAKE THIS SOLEMN DECLARATION BY VIRTUE OF THE STATUTORY DECLARATIONS ACT 1911 CONSCIENTIOUSLY BELIEVING THE STATEMENTS THEREIN TO BE TRUE IN EVERY PARTICULAR.

Winifred Fielding

DECLARED AT VICTORIA BARRACKS, MELBOURNE the 9th day of November 1918.

Before me *W. J. Kenton*
Captain
Chief Clerk Base Records.
Commissioner for Declarations.

March 31st
191

5596 GLESON, J. 15/28 Bn. 28/2/21

F. FIELDING

May

Date
No.
of
Voucher
Issued to

4
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of
1918

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Total Issues ...

Butters Wire Small
Spanners Adjustable
Hammer Claw
Chisel Firmer 2
Planes Smoothing
Brushes Flat
Rules Folding 4 8
Saws Hand.
Knives Putty
Compass Magnetic
Gordage Manilla

Section 7

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ISSUES.



RECEIPTS.

Date	No. of Voucher	Received from	Chop Yellow Bors.	Pods crystals lbs.	Boxes Soap	Drums Oil	Wine Bottles to exp.	Bottles To Pan.	" 5 gall.	Chain iron for mech.	Flaps Padlock large	Padlock iron 3 in	" 1 1/2 in	Nails Steel lbs.	Hinges for 12 in	Basket D.B.	Tins of Soots	Kegs Grease	Rain Oxide Red	Sacks Jute of Soots	Flannel like yds	Boots Gaiters	
1918																							
Jan'y																							
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June	7		100	56	2																		
"	21																						
March 31st		Total Receipts ...	712	392	23	2	2	3	24	1	2	12	1	12	1 1/2	1	14	1	14	7	50	14	
"		Deduct Total Issues ..	612	336	8	2			9		1			6						14	5		
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No. 5896 Name <i>Eberon J.</i>		Sigs. Batty, or Company		Corps		Date of Enlistment		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.		G.C. Badges	
Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	Offence	Names of Witnesses	Punishment Awarded	Date of Award of Order Dispensing with Trial	By Whom Awarded	Character
<i>in the field</i>	<i>5/9/17</i>	<i>pt.</i>		<i>Drunk & soldier in barracks was found by the sentry fined by DRO without appeal</i>		<i>108 hrs. F.P. no. 2</i>	<i>6/9/17</i>	<i>Lieut. Col. Ruse</i>	
<i>Thunderbolt</i>	<i>19/3/18</i>	<i>Pte.</i>		<i>Drunk from 107. M. 19/3/18. to 12.48 P.M. 21/3/18. (3 days)</i>	<i>Administrative Hd Qtrs. A.L.F.</i>	<i>18 NOV 1917</i> <i>6 days F.P. 2</i> <i>3 " paylev.</i>	<i>21/3/18</i>	<i>(Pvt.) D.L. Wendergo. Lt. Col.</i>	

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NOTICE FOR PRESS PREPARED

Notice for Press prepared


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21/11/21

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Dear

With reference to your communication 

concerning

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DEFENCE
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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 5596 ✓ *Stated to be - FRED FIELDING.*

Rank Pte ~~Name~~ GLEESON J. ✓ *ident. wt. 2353 of 7th Bn*

Unit 28th Bn *Depot.*

1st. 349 Casualty Wounded *C.S.B. P. 1887. 10006 P dated London 2/10/17 Com*

Fractured Clavicle *Persons Adv 7/17 to 1st Southern Gen. H. Oct*

Convalescent *W.S. 46 560/116 11.10.17 2h*

WOUNDED 2nd Occasion *W.S. 112 573.132 AF London 30/10/17*

Wounded *Red 20/1/17 Jh*

Wounded *1812761 12160 dated London 15/11 Received B.R. 21/1/18*

Wounded *11812761 12160 dated London 15/11 Received B.R. 21/1/18*

Wounded *31812761 12160 dated London 15/11 Received B.R. 21/1/18*



MEMORIAL
SERIAL

DATE.	A.F. B.103 Received	PURPORT.	REF. NO.
OCT 10 1917	M.O.K. Advised wounded		
OCT 25 1917	M.O.K. Advised in Hospital		Mother
NOV 1917	M.O.K. Advised Convalescent		
AUG 20 1918	M.O.K. Advised Wounded..... 2 nd Occasion		ex Mrs W Fielding
29. Aug 18	M.O. 5 ADVISED, KILLED IN ACTION.		349730
3. Aug 18	M.O. 3 ADVISED, KILLED IN ACTION.		22/1/20 188
7. 9. 18	COPY MADE FOR WAR PENSIONS		Red. Released 26/1/20 Jp
5. 12. 18	* WILL COPY FROM A.I.F. M.O. FILED B.R.M. 34/118		
28. 2. 19	PERSONAL EFFECTS EX Sardinia		
3. 6. 19	Identity discs ex "Barumbah"		
	CONFIRMATION RECEIVED OF		
	Cable No. 6912 P 2786 vide 14/206 Dd. 3/9/18		
	NO P.EFFECTS IN KIT No 37/9		
	BRITISH WAR MEDAL to Comdt 3rd M.D.B.R.M. 53/155		Received & acknowledged by printed card Jm J
	Treatise B.R.M. 46/1368 & Booklet re Graves despatched 8. 12. 19 18		

WAR HISTORY INDEX
1/1/20

"WHERE THE AUSTRALIANS REST."
Pamphlet sent to Mrs W Fielding on 14. 12. 21. 18

D.34/10.16.—C.12978.—80K.

MEMORIAL
PLAQUE
To
Mother direct
M^{rs} W. Fielding
349730
27.9.22
Bill

VICTORY MEDAL No. Mather B.R.V. id

30 MAR 1923 Registered Post No. 4362 G.P.O. Melbourne.

27 JUN 1933

REGISTER ORDER FORM despatched

FO T.P.R. 21

1 CEMETERY REGISTER
L.A. 74 DESPATCHED. 147-33