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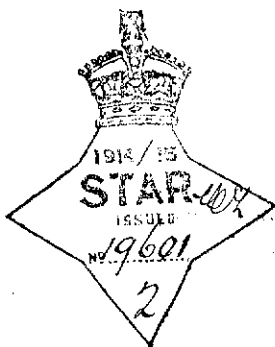
No. 934  
 Rank Private Name MITCHELL A. E.  
 Unit 20<sup>th</sup> Battalion

Casualty Wounded and remaining on duty till 13/9/01  
at London on 9.16

*Rely. to Aust. for H. T. "Nestor" embarked 20/5/19* Demobilised  
*C. I. B. L. 3471/6120 dtd Lon. 22/5/19 Recd. B. P. 29/5/19* *See*

Returned to Australia per A. Newham  
 Disembarked 2<sup>nd</sup> M. D. 4.7.19 List 280 m

DATE.	PURPORT.	REF. NO.
Discharged	2 <sup>nd</sup> M. D. m	
1814/1916 Star issued B.R.M. 48/1229/	WAR HISTORY INDEX	



LIST.

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..... 25-3-15.....

*Arnold E. Gaus*

Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.\*

I, *Albert Edward Mitchell*, swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from *24-3-15* until the end of the War, and a further period of four months thereafter unless sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed therefrom; and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained; and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service, faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

SO HELP ME, GOD.

*A. E. Mitchell*

Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at *Liverpool* in the State of *N.S.W.* this *25<sup>th</sup>* day *Thursday* of *March* 19 *15*, before me—

*Reside in England*

*Arnold E. Gaus*

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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I CERTIFY that this Attestation of the above-named person is correct, and that the required forms have been compiled with, I accordingly approve, and appoint him to \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date 16/11/15  
 Place 1st Lt. 1st Lt. 1st Lt.  
 Commanding 1st Lt. 1st Lt. 1st Lt.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING OFFICER.

Signature of Examining Medical Officer  
Capl. M. C.

[Signature]

Date 22-3-15  
 Place 1st Lt.

I consider him fit for active service.

I have examined the above-named person, and find that he does not present any of the following conditions, viz.:-  
 Serotina; phthisis; syphilis; impaired constitution; defective intelligence; defects of vision, voice, or hearing; hernia; hæmorrhoids; varicose veins, beyond a limited extent; marked varicocele with unusually pendulous testicle; inverted 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.

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

DISTINCTIVE MARKS	Age	19 years 6 months
	Height	5 feet 5 inches
	Weight	127 lbs
	Chest Measurement	29-33 inches
	Complexion	Light
	Eyes	Blue
	Hair	Light brown
Religious Denomination	C of E	

Description of Private Albert Edward on Enlistment.

Embarked 26.6.15 Ref. ~~height~~ board

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1915

Statement of Service of No. 934 attached to 1915 Star Name Mitchell Albert Edward

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
20 <sup>th</sup> Br	Wounded in Action Remaining on duty	France	4.8.16	Pt 1/54/528/2/9/16
20 <sup>th</sup> Br	V. SORE Adm 1 <sup>st</sup> New Zealand Stationary Hosp. Amiens		16.12.16	P2-1/16-3.1-17
	To Field Amb Sack		15/12/16	1/509 18/1/17
	V.D.S.C Adm 1 <sup>st</sup> Str Hosp	France	22/1/16	Pt 5/406 14/1/17
	V.D.G. Adm 8 <sup>th</sup> R.A. Ambulance.	France	15/12/16	Pt 1/922
	(Pte) V.D.S.C. Disch to duty from 5 <sup>th</sup> Gen Hosp V.D.G. adm 8 <sup>th</sup> cust field amb. on 15.12.16 Ref. D.O. 11/922. Total period 77 days	Etaples	1-3-17	" 3/2300 15/3/17
	(Pte) Rept Rn from Hosp Sack.	France	22/1/16	Pt 48/3674 6/5/17
20 <sup>th</sup> Br	Pte Detached from 20 <sup>th</sup> Br A.S.F. for duty with 2 <sup>nd</sup> Div Sig. Coy. A.S.F. 10.8.14.		10.8.14	D.O. 42/5894 19.8.14
2 Div Sig Coy	Pte Permanently Attached to 2 <sup>nd</sup> Div Sig Coy. A.S.F. Sig Coy. 20 <sup>th</sup> Br		12.8.17	D.O. 34/635 24/8/17
	To Field Ambulance, sick.	"	8.2.18	D.O. 13/934 17/2.18.
	Pte based to be detached to 2 <sup>nd</sup> Div Sig Coy.	"	8.2.18	D.O. 15/1047 14.3.18
	Pte Rept Rn from Hosp (France) Sick	"	17.2.18	D.O. 15/1068 14.3.18
2 Div Sig Coy	Pte based to be permanently attached as signaller on replacing 20 <sup>th</sup> Br.	"	8.2.18	D.O. 9/155 14.3.18
20 <sup>th</sup> Br	Pte apptd Sglt.	"	26.6.18	D.O. 34/4222 10-7-18-
"	Sglt Reverts to Pte at own request	"	18.9.18	D.O. 51/6769 9-10-18.
				D.O. 78/360 (199)

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

RETURNED TO AUSTRALIA via England.  
per "Hector"

1.B.R. 702. 23/5/19  
L.X. 5430  
A. 156414

OFFICER.

presence.

his answer to each question has been duly

They are correct.  
(naturalized British Subjects.)

*Arnold Evans*  
Signature of Attesting Officer.

ENLISTED \*

swear that I will well and truly  
24-3-15

after unless sooner lawfully discharged,  
enemies and cause His Majesty's peace, to  
to my service, faithfully discharge my

RELINQUISHMENT OF RANK IN TERMS OF  
A.I.F. ORDER No. 1111 of 12.2.18.

I, No. 934 I/Cpl. MITCHELL, A.F., 20th. Battalion, A.I.F., request  
permission to relinquish the appointment of Lance Corporal and to  
revert to the rank of Private.

Dated. 18th. September, 1918.

*W. Mitchell*

APPROVED.

*Do. 51/6770 (1915)*

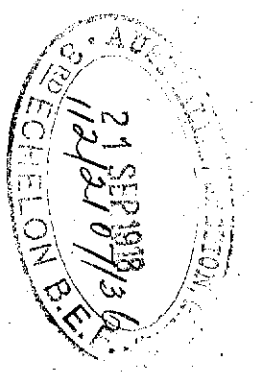
*Arnold Evans*  
Major, A.I.F.

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 22-3-15



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# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

## Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 934

Name MITCHELL Albert Edward

Unit 6 Coy South Battalion

Joined on 22/3/15

### Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? Albert Edward Mitchell
2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born? 205/186  
Warrden in or near the Town of Manchester in the County of Lancashire
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) British Subject
4. What is your age? 19 Yrs
5. What is your trade or calling? Traveller
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) Father 16 Knowlesley St. Bolton Manchester Eng
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 Incurable and Worthless, or on account of Conviction of Felony, or of a Sentence of Penal Servitude, or have you been dismissed with Disgrace from the Navy? No
11. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, His Majesty's Army, the Marines, the Militia, the Militia Reserve, the Territorial Force, Royal Navy, or Colonial Forces? If so, state which, and if not now serving, state cause of discharge No
12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? Yes
13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? No
14. (For Married Men and Widowers with children)—Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued to you either before or after embarkation during your term of service? No
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? No

I, Albert Edward Mitchell do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and I am willing and hereby voluntarily agree to serve in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.

\* And I further agree to allot not less than two-fifths of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service for the support of my wife three-fifths wife and children

Date 25/3/15 Signature of person enlisted Alb. Mitchell

\* This clause to be amended where necessary and should be struck out in the case of unmarried men or widowers without children under 18 years of age.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER.

The foregoing questions were read to the person enlisted in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to by him.

I have examined his naturalization papers, and am of opinion that they are correct.

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

Date. 25/3/15

Sgt Arnold Evans L12

Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.\*

I, Albert Edward Mitchem, swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 24/3/15 until the end of the War, and a further period of four months thereafter unless sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed therefrom; and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained; and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service, faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

SO HELP ME, GOD.

Sgt A. E. Mitchem

Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Liverpool in the State of NSW this 25th day of Thursday of March 1915, before me—

Parent to in England

Sgt Arnold Evans L12

Signature of Attesting Officer.

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MM/

20th October, 1920.

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Dear Sir,

Forwarded under separate cover is Certificate issued by the Universite du Travail, Charleroi, Belgium.

Will you kindly let me know whether same comes safely to hand by signing and returning the attached receipt form ?

Yours faithfully,

Major.  
Officer i/c Base Records.

Mr. A.E. Mitchell,  
90 Serania Street,  
LISMORE, N.S.W.

# MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

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TELEPHONE—

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

Please quote this Number when replying.

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*Mitchell*

DISTRICT ACCOUNTS OFFICE,  
VICTORIA BARRACKS, SYDNEY,

(Date) 12th October, 1920.

The Officer i/c Base Records,  
Victoria Barracks,  
MELBOURNE.

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re No. 934. Pte. MITCHELL, A.E. 20th Battalion.

With reference to your communication of the 27th September, I have to inform you that according to records held here the abovenamed soldier's present address is :-



No. 90 Serania Street,  
Lismore, N.S.W.

*Ames*

Lt. Col.,  
District Finance Officer,  
2nd Military District.

*Address Noted  
Mr Bertoli  
18.9.20*

CHANGE OF ADDRESS  
NOTED FOR *Hinton Index  
Cards 19/10/20*

MM/

*[Handwritten initials]*

27th September, 1920.

28 SEP 1920

D.F.O.  
2nd M.D.

If you are aware of the present address of Ex No.  
934 Private A.E. MITCHELL, 20th Battalion, I shall be obliged if  
you will advise this branch of same.

Captain.  
for Officer i/c Base Records.

TELEPHONE:  
CENTRAL 4741

# AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,  
VICTORIA BARRACKS.

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

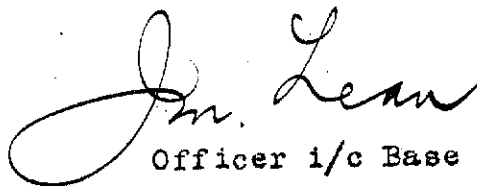
Melbourne, 20th July, 1920,

Dear Sir,

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Universite du Travail, Charleroi, Belgium.

Will you kindly let me know whether same comes  
safely to hand by signing and returning the attached receipt form?

Yours faithfully,



Major  
Officer i/c Base Records

Mr. A.E. Mitchell,  
C/o Staff Officer for Invalid &  
Returned Soldiers,  
Victoria Barracks,  
SYDNEY, N.S.W.....

*not to be signed*

MM/

20th July, 1920,

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C/o Staff Officer for Invalid &  
Returned Soldiers,  
Victoria Barracks,  
SYDNEY, N.S.W.....

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MITCHELL, A E

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20th Btn

Retd Nestor 1/7/19 (T.P.E) Disc. 3/9/19  
BRM 44/388

LIST No. ....  
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*[Handwritten Signature]*

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SOLDIER'S  
RECORD

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
1/10/19

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
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Service and Casualty Form.

PART I.

200 M-9/18-12244.

Nothing to be written in this Margin.

(1) PRESENT UNIT		20th BATTALION.		(2) Regt. No.		934
(3) Present Rank		<del>Major</del> . Private		(4) SURNAME		NICHOLL
(5) Decorations				(6) Christian Names.		Albert Edward
<u>Particulars.</u>				<i>P.B. no. 205186</i>		
(7) Date of Enlistment	25/3/15	(8) Place of Enlistment	Liverpool, N.S.W.			
(9) Age on Enlistment	19 Years 6 Months	(10) Any subsequent claim as to age after verification of Birth Certificate	Auth. C.R.	Years	Months	/ /
(11) Birthplace	Widford, Manchester, Lancashire, England.	(12) Religion	C of E.			
(14) Trade or Calling	Farm Hand	(13) If Married	NO			
(16) Date of Embarkation from Australia	26/6/15	(15) If an Apprentice	NO			
(18)		(17) Whereabouts of Next of Kin, i.e. Australia or Abroad	Abroad.			
(19)		(21) Special Notification Card No.				
(20)						
(22)						

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Casualty Form - Active Service.

Army Form B. 103.

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Regiment or Corps *5<sup>th</sup> Coy, 20th Battalion A.I.F. (A) 15 1915*

Regimental No. *934*

Rank *Private*

Name *Pitchell, Albert Edward*

Enlisted (a) *23/3/15* Terms of Service (a) *Private*

Service rekons from (a) *23/3/15*

Date of promotion to present rank

Date of appointment to lance rank

Extended

Re-engaged

Qualification (b) *205186*

Report	Record of service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 39, 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. 39, or other official documents.
	EMBARKED FROM AUSTRALIA	128-401-21	26/1/15	
	DISMISSED FROM AUSTRALIA		26/1/15	
	DISMISSED FROM AUSTRALIA		26/1/15	
	DISMISSED FROM AUSTRALIA		26/1/15	

Date	From whom received	Record of service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 39, 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. 39, or other official documents.
4/12/15	C.O. 307	Wounded in action. Private. D. Coy. 20th Bn. A.I.F. (A) 15 1915	FRANCE	26/1/16	2513 HQ 5211 M.L. 5/16
7/17.12.16	1st Lt. Sgt. Hpl.	Serious eye admitted	do	16.12.16	AK566/402
9/21/15	Mor. Sgt. Adams	M. Hpl. Admitted	do	16.12.16	AK566/402
12/1/15	do	V.D.S.C. 9th Coy. 1st Bn. 1st Div. 1st A.I.F. (A) 15 1915	do	23/1/16	AK566/402
28/1/16	1. N. 7. Sgt. Adams	Wounded in action. Private. D. Coy. 20th Bn. A.I.F. (A) 15 1915	do	19/1/16	AK566/402
23/12/11	CO 20th	70 Field Ambulance	do	15/12/16	AK566/402
16/12/16	802 A. F. Hpl.	Admitted to 1st 7. Coy Hpl. No. 1	do	16/12/16	AK566/415

(a) In the case of a man who has re-engaged for or enlisted into Section D, Army Reserve, particulars of such re-engagement or enlistment will be entered.

(b) e.g., Signaller, Shoelace Smith, etc., etc., also special qualifications in technical corps duties.

Army Form B-103

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc. during active service, as reported on Army Form B-213, Army Form A-36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B-213, Army Form A-36, or other official documents.
11-25-12.16	57th Bn kept	Adm. U. S. C.	Staples	24/12.16	47-566/417
12/12/17		To Base Dept. V. O. S. C.		1/3/17	47-942/58/0-3/12300
2/3/17	3005 D.	Moved in from 57th Bn. H.		1/3/17	" 1372 8/23
14/24/17	311 DDD	Marched out to Unit	Staples	24/4/17	Ax. #7252
15/25/17	C. O. 20th	Rejoined Bn. From Hospital	In the field	27/4/17	B/213 8-9/17
16-11-8-17	2nd Bn. Signal Coy. 20th	Rejoined from 30th Battalion to 2nd Bn. Signal Coy.	France	19/8/17	B/213 8-36/38, 205C, D072, 5509
17-29/12/17	C. O. 20th	LEAVE - Rejoined Bn.	Belgium	25/11/17	B/213 8-9/47
18/2/18	C. O. 20th	To Field Ambulance.	Belgium	13/12/17	" 1/52
19/14/2/18	5A Squad	MWO. to Duties	"	8-2-18	B/213 B, 9/53
23/2/18	C. O. 20th	Rejoined Bn. From Hospital	Belgium	17/2/18	B/213 B, 9/60
24/2/18	C. O. 20th	Rejoined from 20th to 2nd Bn. Signal Coy.	"	17/2/18	" 8-36/61 505C 26-9/153
18/3/18	C. O. 20th	Rejoined School	Belgium	18/3/18	B/213 B, 9/63
31/3/18	C. O. 20th	Rejoined School	Belgium	26/3/18	B/213 B, 9/65
29/7/18	C. O. 20th	Rejoined from 20th to 2nd Bn. Signal Coy.	France	24/6/18	B/213, B9/75
31/7/18	C. O. 20th	Rejoined from 20th to 2nd Bn. Signal Coy.	France	5-7-17	B/213, B9/79
18/7/18	C. O. 20th	Rejoined from 20th to 2nd Bn. Signal Coy.	France	8-7-18	B/213, B9/80
20/7/18	C. O. 20th	Rejoined from 20th to 2nd Bn. Signal Coy.	France	14/7/18	B/213, B9/81
28/9/18	C. O. 20th	Rejoined from 20th to 2nd Bn. Signal Coy.	France	18/9/18	B/213, B9/91

Date	From whom	Occupation	Report
28-9-11/18	CO. 20th	Signal	
29-9-11/18	CO. 20th	Signal	
30-11-18			
32-15-2-19	CO. 20th	Signal	
33-15-2-19	CO. 20th	Signal	
31-1-2-19	CO. 20th	Signal	
34-2-2-19			
35-2-2-19			
36-5-4-19			
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(a) In the case of a man who is (b) Signaller, Signaller, Signaller, &c. C.O. 20th

Casualty Form - Active Service  
 Regiment or Corps 20th Battalion A.I.F.

Rank Private Surname MITCHELL Christian Name Albert Edward

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

Enlisted (a) 23/3/18 Terms of Service (a) ... Service reckons from (a) 23/3/18

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 582/205786

Date	Report From whom received	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, etc. during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Embarked Disembarked	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
28 9/11/18	CO. 20. Bn	Ret. from School	France	3/1/18	B213, B9/97	
27 21/9/18	CO. 20. Bn	Ret. to School	France	19/9/18	B213, B9/90	
26 9/11/18	CO. 20. Bn	Ret. Leave to U.K.	France	6/11/18	B213, B9/97	
30 30.11.18	..	Returned Unit from leave	"	23.11.18	B213, B9/100	
32 15.2.19	CP 20th Am	Ret. from Education Reserve	France	8.2.19	B213, B9/111	
33 15.2.19	CP 20th Am	Ret. proceeded on leave to Paris	Field	8.2.19	B213, B9/111	
31 2.2.19	G.O. 20th A	Ret. to Education Reserve	France	4.2.19	B213, B9/100	
34 22/2/19	"	from Paris leave	"	20/2/19	"	
33 25/4/19	"	from Paris leave	"	30/3/19	"	
36	H.G.B.D.	W/out for R. & C.	"	"	"	
37	"	Ret. Mut to UK for R & A	France	4/4/19	LC 4335	
38	"	Discharged Southampton	England	0/4/19	Da. 45860 (1919)	
38	"	W/in from France	England	0/4/19	"	

(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, Shoeless Supt. Co. 20th



DISCHARGE FORM.

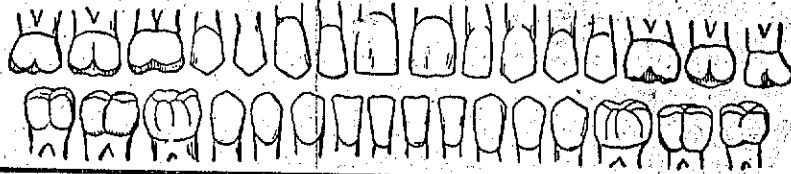
*Restor.*  
**DENTAL RECORD CHART.**

Dental Form "X."

(To be filled in by Medical Board prior to discharge.)

Hospital No.	Name.	Rank.	Regimental No.	Unit.
	<i>W. C. ...</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>9301</i>	

DENTAL CONDITION ON DISCHARGE.



Date of	Admission	Dental Class.
	Examination	

*5 JUL 1918*

D.M.U.	Remarks.
<i>90</i>	<i>Teeths Req.</i>

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# MEDICAL REPORT ON AN INVALID Edward

- 1. Number 934
- 2. Rank SG
- 3. Name MITCHELL Albert
- 4. Unit 20th
- 5. Age 1917
- 6. Trade or Occupation Farm Hand
- 7. Place of Enlistment Doon
- 7A. Date of Enlistment 24-3-17
- 8. Disability in respect of which invaliding is proposed

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

- 9. Date and place of origin of disability
- Date of arrival from overseas } 5 JUL 1919
- 10. Date and place where disability first caused man to become a Casualty
- 11. Essential facts of Medical History (including causation)

*States no disability  
feels well & fit*

*Alldredge*

- 12. State whether disability was (a) Due to Military Service, (b) Aggravated by Military Service, or (c) Independent of Military Service; (d) Due to, or aggravated by, want of proper care on man's part, intemperance, misconduct, &c.
- 13. What is his present condition and progress?

Circulatory System
Respiratory System
Alimentary System
Nervous System
Special Senses

*no scan*

- 14. If the disability is an injury, state whether it was caused (a) in action, (b) on field service, (c) on duty, (d) off duty
- 15. If a Court of Inquiry was held, state place, date, and opinion
- 16. Was an operation performed? If so, what?
- 17. Was an operation advised, and declined?
- 18. In the case of loss or decay of teeth—Was it due to, aggravated by, or independent of, Military Service?
- 19. Give particulars of any other disabilities existing
- 20. Do you recommend discharge as permanently unfit for general service?

*Yes*  
*Alldredge*  
Medical Officer in charge of case

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

*Domain Anzac Buffet, Sydney.*

Station

Date

7 JUL 1919

OFFICIAL SECRETARY OF THE MEDICAL BOARD,  
ANZAC BUFFET - C. 5736 - 2001.  
2nd. MILITARY DISTRICT.

Entries will be made here when an invalid is brought before a Medical Board and deferred for treatment.

Date and Station ..... Date and Station .....

Result ..... Result .....

Signatures ..... Signatures .....

**OPINION OF MEDICAL BOARD ON FINALIZATION.**

NOTE.—Clear and definite answers to the following questions are to be carefully filled in by the Board, as, in the event of the man being invalided, it is essential that the Deputy Commissioner of Pensions should be in possession of the most reliable information to enable him to decide upon the man's claim for pension, and the Deputy Comptroller of Repatriation, of information to enable him to decide questions of assistance and vocational training.

- 21. State whether the disability is clearly (a) Due to Military Service, (b) Aggravated by Military Service, (c) Independent of Military Service; (d) Due to, or aggravated by, want of proper care on man's part, intemperance, misconduct, &c.
- 22. Is the present degree of disability permanent?
- 23. If not, at what rate and to what degree do you anticipate improvement?
- 24. To what extent is his working capacity at present affected by his disability? (a) In his pre-enlistment trade or occupation?  
(b) In the general labour market? (Estimate as a percentage of full capacity) *100*
- 25. If an operation was advised and declined, was the refusal unreasonable?
- 26. Do the Board recommend discharge as permanently unfit for General Service? *Yes*
- 27. If discharge is recommended, it should be stated whether further treatment is desirable in a (a) Sanatorium, (b) Orthopaedic Institution, (c) Convalescent Home, (d) Asylum, or (e) other institution. State whether further treatment should be an in-patient or an out-patient, and for what period
- 28. Is any surgical appliance recommended?
- 29. Is the man fit for work or for vocational training? If not, state reasons for recommendation for discharge from A.I.F.

*Dosman Anzac Buffet, Sydney*

Date *7 JUL 1919*

Signatures

*[Signature]* President.

Members.

*[Signature]*

CONFIRMED FOR DISCHARGE

JUL 7 1919

*W.R. Clay*

REPATRIATION MEDICAL BOARD ANZAC BUFFET, 2nd, MILITARY DISTRICT

Director General Medical Services.

CONFIRMED.

Station

Date

This form will be used for the finalization of all invalids in Australia, and will embody (Question 11) all information contained on the papers of invalids returned from overseas. Question 13 will include in its Answer a detailed careful account of the medical condition of the patient on finalization. On completion of the Board, it will be forwarded to the P.M.O. by hand, for confirmation, thence to the S.O.I. and R.S., who will make necessary copies. This report is confidential. Single copies only need be forwarded to Head-Quarters. For discharge of members of services other than the permanent forces the District P.M.O. may approve for the D.G.M.S.

Description of Mitchell Albert Edward on Enlistment.

Age 19 years 6 months  
 Height 5 feet 5 inches.  
 Weight 127 lbs.  
 Chest Measurement 29 - 33 inches.  
 Complexion Light  
 Eyes good grey  
 Hair light Brown  
 Religious Denomination C of E

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I have examined the above-named person, and find that he does not present any of the following conditions, viz.:-

Scrofula; phthisis; syphilis; impaired constitution; defective intelligence; defects of vision, voice, or hearing; hernia; hæmorrhoids; varicose veins, beyond a limited extent; marked varicocele with unusually pendent testicle; inveterate cutaneous disease; chronic ulcers; traces of corporal punishment, or evidence of having been marked with the letters D. or B.C.; contracted or deformed chest; abnormal curvature of spine; or any other disease or physical defect calculated to unfit him for the duties of a soldier.

He can see the required distance with either eye; his heart and lungs are healthy; he has the free use of his joints and limbs; and he declares he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him fit for active service.

Date 22/3/15  
 Place Sydney

Igo Adam  
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer.  
Capr. Adam

CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING OFFICER.

I CERTIFY that this Attestation of the above-named person is correct, and that the required forms have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to C Coy

Tom Baine SM Baine  
 Date 16/4/15  
 Place Liverpool

J O Halloran Major  
 Commanding Coy  
Tom Baine

Statement of Service of No.

934

Name

Michael Albert Edwards

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
<b>20th. BATTALION</b>				
"	L. Cpl.	26.6.18	25.6.18	app. BRL 139/2
20th Btn	Private	18.9.18	17.9.18	Rank 3270 5/15 200
20th Btn	Discharged	2 <sup>nd</sup> M. D.	J. O. E. 3.9.19	M 44/888M

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