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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL



EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Certificate of Discharge of No. 8328 (Rank) Sapper

(Name) Gilbert HOLT.

(Regiment or Corps) 1st Div. Sig. Coy.

born at or near the Town of High Wycombe Bucks

in the State or County of England.

Attested at Sydney, New South Wales. on the

24th January 1916 for the Australian Imperial

Force Regiment or Corps at the age of 22 7/12 years.

He is discharged in consequence of taking up employment as an Australian Munition Worker, being medically unfit, with effect from 13th May 1918. (SERVICE COMMENCED 10.1.16)

Service towards completion of engagement 2 years 124 days

in A.I.F. Service Abroad 2 years 124 days

Medals

and

Decorations

Entitled to following Chevrons for overseas service: Red Nil Blue Three

Signature of Officer Commanding Regiment or Corps

[Signature]

Lt. Col for Brig. Genl. Commandant.

Administrative Hdqrs. A.I.F.

Place London, England.

Date 13th May 1918.

Discharge confirmed at London, England.

Signature

[Signature]

Lt. Col for Brig. Genl. Commandant.

Date Administrative Hdqrs. A.I.F. 13th May 1918.

SILVER WAR BADGE

No. 13469 Issued.

SHOULD THIS PARCHMENT BE LOST OR MISLAID, NO DUPLICATE OF IT CAN BE OBTAINED.

WOUND DISTINCTIONS Nil

N.B.—ANY PERSON FINDING THIS CERTIFICATE IS REQUESTED TO FORWARD IT, IN AN UNSTAMPED ENVELOPE, TO THE MILITARY COMMANDANT,
DISTRICT HEAD-QUARTERS.

Certificate of Character on discharge of No. 8328 (Rank) Sapper

(Name) Gilbert HOLT.

(Regiment or Corps) 1st Div. Sig. Coy.

His Conduct and Character while serving in the

The practice of including a statement of character or special qualifications has been, according to the Records :—
Special Qualifications. special qualifications on the certificate has been discontinued from 1st Jan. 18

Place London. England.

Date 13th May 1918.

Signature of Officer
Commanding Regiment
or Corps.

S. Bruggs
(Sgt)

Lt. Col for Brig. Genl.
Commandant.
Administrative Hdqrs. A.I.F.

Description of the above-named Soldier on discharge :—

Age 24yrs 11 mos. Height 5ft 5½ins.
Complexion Fair Eyes Blue
Hair Fair Trade Wood Carver.

Marks or scars, whether
on face or other parts
of body.

Intended place of Residence 49, Upper Green Street.
High Wycombe. Bucks.

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Proceedings on Discharge.

No. <u>8328.</u>	Army Rank <u>Sapper</u>	
Name <u>Gilbert HOLT.</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>		
Corps <u>1st Div. Sig. Coy.</u>		
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <u>Australian Imperial Force.</u>		
Date of discharge <u>13th May 1918.</u>		Place of discharge <u>London. England.</u>
1. <i>Description at the time of discharge.</i>		
Age <u>24</u> years <u>11</u> months Height <u>5</u> feet <u>5$\frac{1}{4}$</u> inches Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded <u>34</u> ins. { range of expansion <u>3</u> ins. Complexion <u>Fair</u> Eyes <u>Blue</u> Hair <u>Fair</u> Trade <u>Wood carver</u> Intended place of residence { <u>49, Upper Green St</u> (To be given as fully as practicable.) { <u>High Wycombe</u> { <u>Bucks.</u>	Descriptive marks.	
(The measurements and description should be carefully taken on the day the man leaves his unit, but in the case of men sent home from abroad for discharge, the age and intended place of residence should be left blank to be filled in by the Officer who confirms the discharge at home.)		
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>Taking up employment as an Australian Muniton Worker, being medically unfit, with effect from 13th May 1918.</u>		
(The cause of discharge must be worded as prescribed in the King's Regulations and be identical with that on the discharge certificate. If discharged by superior authority, the No. and date of the letter to be quoted.)		
3. Military character		
4. <i>Statement of service in Australian Imperial Force.</i>		<i>Medals and Decorations.</i>
Service towards completion of engagement <u>2</u> years <u>124</u> days		
Service as <u>A.I.F.</u> <u>2</u> years <u>124</u> days		
Total <u>2</u> years <u>124</u> days		
5. <i>Certificate to be signed by the soldier on discharge.</i>		
I hereby acknowledge that I have received all my pay and allowances (including clothing allowance), and all just demands up to the present date, subject to the reservations of the claims noted on the 2nd page.		
(Place) <u>London.</u>	<u>G. Holt.</u>	<i>(Signature of Soldier.)</i>
(Date) <u>13th May 1918.</u>	<u>H. C. Tappin.</u>	<i>(Signature of Witness.)</i>
(When a soldier is absent through illness or any other cause, and it is not desirable to forward these proceedings to him for signature, a manuscript copy should be sent for the man to sign, and when returned should be attached here.)		

6. I, the undersigned No. 8328. Sapper. Gilbert HOLT. 1st Div. Sig. Coy.
in His Majesty's Australian Forces and a Member of the Australian Imperial Force, having been granted my
discharge by the Commonwealth Government, as and from the thirteenth
day of May one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.
owing to taking up employment as an Australian Munition Worker.
and such discharge having been granted to me in England at my own request, being med unfit. DO HEREBY DECLARE that
I have no further claim upon the Commonwealth Government for or in respect of a free passage from England
to Australia now or at any time hereafter And do hereby release the Commonwealth Government from all
further claims and demands of any kind whatsoever except as regards any Pension to which I may be legally
entitled under the War Pensions Act.

Dated in London, England, this thirteenth day of May
one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

Signature G. Holt

Witness:— L. C. Tapp 2/pl.

7. *Confirmation of Discharge.*

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for 13th May (date) 1918
(Place) London. England. Signature [Signature] Lt. Col for Brig. Genrl.
Commandant.
(Date) 13th May 1918. Administrative Hdqrs. A. I. F.

Commanding officers (or the Paymaster, if at Netley) will issue to every discharged soldier whose claim
to pension, either on account of service or disability, is to be brought under the consideration of the Chelsea
Board, a memorandum for his guidance on Army Form D. 401, and will at the same time transmit to the
Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, a descriptive return of the man on Army Form D. 400.

RESERVATIONS REFERRED TO AT PARA. 5.

(To be signed by the soldier. When there are none, it is to be so stated, and signed by the soldier.)

All my active and deferred pay over and above the sum of
thirteen pounds (£13) sterling received by me this thirteenth
day of May one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SIGNATURE G. Holt

WITNESS L. C. Tapp 2/pl.

Received Parchment Certificate
of Discharge No. 992. G. Holt. 13-5-18