

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Proceedings on Discharge.

War Badge No 13425.

No. <u>233</u>	Army Rank <u>Private, alien.</u>
Name <u>Henry Heyworth OPIE.</u> <small>(The name must agree strictly with that on enlistment, unless changed subsequently by authority.)</small>	
Corps <u>10th Battalion.</u>	
Battalion, Battery, Company, Depot, &c. <u>Australian Imperial Force.</u>	
Date of discharge <u>14th November 1917</u> Place of discharge _____	
1. <i>Description at the time of discharge.</i>	
Age <u>40</u> years <u>1</u> months Height <u>5</u> feet <u>5½</u> inches Chest measurement { girth when fully expanded <u>35½</u> ins. range of expansion _____ ins. Complexion <u>Fresh</u> Eyes <u>Blue</u> Hair <u>Brown</u> Trade <u>Engineering.</u> Intended place of residence { <u>37 Lennox St</u> (To be given as fully as practicable.) <u>Weymouth</u>	Descriptive marks. Vacc.
<p><small>(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.)</small></p>	
2. The above-named man is discharged in consequence of <u>taking up employment as</u> <u>an Australian Munition Worker, being permanently unfit for</u> <u>general service, with effect from 14th November 1917.</u>	
<p><small>(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.)</small></p>	
3. Military character <u>VERY GOOD</u>	
4. <i>Statement of service in Australian Imperial Force.</i> Service towards completion of engagement <u>3</u> years <u>88</u> days in A.I.F. Service abroad " " <u>3</u> years <u>88</u> days Total <u>3</u> years <u>88</u> days	<i>Medals and Decorations.</i>
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>	<i>H. Heyworth</i> (Signature of Soldier.)
(Date) <u>14th November 1917.</u>	<i>W. H. G. P. S. G.</i> (Signature of Witness.)
<p><small>(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.)</small></p>	

6. I, the undersigned No. 233. Pte. Henry Heyworth OPIE. 10th Battn. 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 fourteenth day of November one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. owing to taking up employment as an Australian Munition Worker. and such discharge having been granted to me in England at my own request, 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 fourteenth day of November one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Witness: — *Paul*

Signature *H. A. Opie*

7. Confirmation of Discharge.

The discharge of the above-named man is hereby confirmed for 14th November (date) 1917.

(Place) London, England.

Signature *W. A. C. ...* Lt. Col for Colonel. Commandant. Administrative Headqrs. A.I.F.

(Date) 14th November 1917.

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 nineteen pounds (£19) sterling received by me this fourteenth day of November one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

WITNESS *Paul* SIGNATURE *H. A. Opie*

Received parchment certificate of discharge W^c 415 H. A. Opie, 14/11/17



Certificate of Discharge of No. 233 (Rank) Private.

(Name) Henry Heyworth OPPE

(Regiment or Corps) 10th Battalion.

born at or near the Town of Wallaroo Mines.

in the State or County of South Australia.

Attested at Morphettville, South Australia, on the

22nd August 1914 for the Australian Imperial

Force Regiment or Corps at the age of 37 years.

He is discharged in consequence of taking up employment as an Australian Munition Worker, being permanently unfit for General Service, with effect from 14th November 1917.

Service commenced 19/8/14

Service towards completion of engagement } 3 years 88 days. Medals _____
and _____

in A.I.F. } 3 years 88 days. Decorations _____

Signature of Officer Commanding Regiment or Corps. (sgd) J. Neale Major for Lt. Col. for Colonel. Commandant. Administrative Hdqrs. A.I.F.

Place London, England.

Date 14th November 1917.

Discharge confirmed at London, England.

Signature (sgd) J. Neale Major for Lt. Col. for Colonel. Commandant. Administrative Hdqrs. A.I.F.
Date 14th November 1917.

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

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. 233 (Rank) Pte.

(Name) Henry Heyworth OPIE.

(Regiment or Corps) 10th Battalion.

His Conduct and Character while serving in the Australian Imperial Force. has been, according to the Records:—

VERY GOOD

Special Qualifications

Place London. England.

Date 14th November 1917.

Signature of Officer
Commanding Regiment
or Corps.

(sgd) J. Neale
Major for

Lt. Col. for Colonel.
Commandant.
Administrative Hdqrs. A.I.F.

Description of the above-named Soldier on discharge:—

Age 40yrs 1month. Height 5ft 5½ins.

Complexion Fresh. Eyes Blue.

Hair Brown. Trade Engineering.

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

Vacc. ✓
✓
✓
✓

Intended place of Residence 37 Lennox St Weymouth