

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No. 3367 Name OUTLAW W L Unit 11th Rnfts. 2nd Batt. Joined on 18/8/15

11th, Reinf's
2nd, Battalion

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? 3367

2. In or near what Parish or Town were you born?

3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.)

4. What is your age?

5. What is your trade or calling?

6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period?

7. Are you married?

8. Who is your next of kin? (Address to be stated)

9. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power?

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?

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

12. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous service?

13. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds?

14. 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.

15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever?
1. OUTLAW William Samuel

2. In the Parish of Newtown in or near the Town of Sydney in the County of Cumberland

3. Natural Born

4. 21 years 8 months

5. Carter

6. No

7. No

8. (Father) William Outlaw Bedford Richmond St Canterbury N.S.W.

9. No

10. No

11. 1 year Senior Cadet 3 years Militia Force 39 Batt 4 Coy Infantry (39th Batt)

12. Yes

13. No

14. Yes

15. Yes

I, William Samuel Outlaw 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 three-fifths

Date 30 Aug 1915 Signature of person enlisted. W Outlaw

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 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. 30 Aug 1915

Signature of Attesting Officer

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, William Samuel Outlaw swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 29 Aug until the end of the War, and a further period of four months thereafter unless sooner lawfully dismissed, or removed therefrom; and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's 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.

W S Outlaw
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Wardrooth in the State of New South Wales this 30th day of August 1915, before me—

W S Outlaw
Signature of Attesting Officer.

*A person enlisting who objects to taking an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Act, and the above form must be amended accordingly. All amendments must be initialed by the Attesting Officer.

Army

Rank

Religion

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(b) Signaller

53rd INFANTRY BATTALION A.I.F.

Army Form B. 103.

Regimental Number **3367**.

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps **11th Reinforcements to 2nd Battalion A.I.F.**

Rank **Private** Surname **OUTLAW**, Christian Name **W.S.**

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

Enlisted (a) **15/8/15.** 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.....

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...			
		Disembarked...			
2/16. C.O. 1st Tng En		Allotted to and proceeding to join 53rd Inf.Bn A.I.F. ex Zeitoun 16/2/16. A.P.4078.			
2/16. C.O. 53rd Bn	AFB 213.	Taken on Strength of 53rd Battalion at	Tel-el-Kebir	16/2/16. A.P.4455.	D.O.1/584.
O.C. "Royal George"& En		Embarked to join B.E.F. Disembarked at	Alexandria Marseilles	19/6/16. A.P.9106. 28/6/16.	
7/16. C.O. 53rd Bn	AFB 213.	Wounded in action	France	19/7/16. A.Q.1806. VL (CIBL 306) of 8/8/16 D.O.38/4374.	
11/16 A.A.G., Anzac Section	3rd Echelon G.H.Q.	Reported Wounded & Missing do		19/7/16. 55/566/5 VL 150 of 26/11/1 D.O.58/6807.	

(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) Signaller, Shipping Smith, &c.

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FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36, or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT } **53rd INFANTRY BATTALION A.I.F.** }
OR CORPS } Squadron, Troop, }
Battery or Company } - - -

Regimental No. **3367** Rank **Private.**

Surname **OUTLAW,** Christian Names **W.S.**

Died { Date **19th July, 1916.** Place **In the Field, FRANCE.**
Cause of Death* **KILLED IN ACTION.**

Nature and Date of Report **(Court of Enquiry convened by C.O., 53rd Battalion, A.I.F.
(held "In the Field" on 2nd September, 1917.**

By whom made _____

* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

State whether he leaves { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) **Will not received** (b) in Small Book (if at Base) - - -
a Will or not { (c) as a separate document - - -

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the Deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Station and Date } **ANZAC SECTION 3rd ECHELON C.H.O.** }
Signature of Officer in charge of Section }
British Expeditionary Force, Office at the Base } **Captain.**
13th September, 1917. } **O. i/c Records..**

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of William Samuel Outlaw on Enlistment.

..... years months. <u>5</u> feet <u>6 $\frac{1}{4}$</u> inches. <u>134</u> lbs. Measurement <u>37</u> inches. <u>Dark</u> <u>Hazel</u> <u>Dark</u> Denomination <u>Methodist</u>	DISTINCTIVE MARKS.
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CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

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

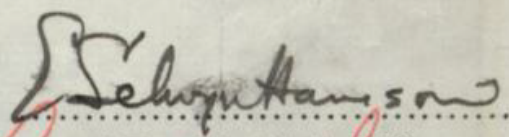
profusa; phthisis; syphilis; impaired constitution; defective intelligence; defects of vision, voice, or hearing; hemorrhoids; varicose veins, beyond a limited extent; marked varicocele with unusually pendent testicle; any cutaneous disease; chronic ulcers; traces of corporal punishment, or evidence of having been marked with letters D. or B.C.; contracted or deformed chest; abnormal curvature of spine; or any other disease or 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 hands and limbs; and he declares he is not subject to fits of any description.

I consider him fit for active service.

Date 15 8 15

Place Sydney

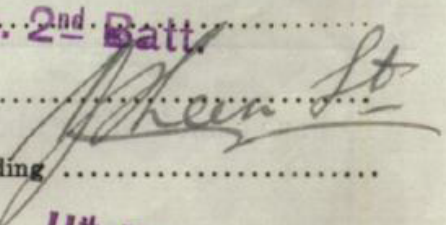

 Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

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 19 OCT 1915

Place Liverpool

11th Rnfts. 2nd Batt.

 Commanding
11th Rnfts. 2nd Batt.

Statement of Service of No.

3367

Name

William Samuel Patton

Unit in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
TRANSFERRED TO 53 rd Battalion WOUNDED in Action, France		14/2/16	19/7/16	Pt 1584 B24374 15/1
MISSING	Ref A.D. 20/4374 Delete particulars of casualty. p. 40 1907. In lieu thereof read normal and attending			
53 rd Bn.	Prev. rep. Missing & Wounded 19-7-16. Now rep. KILLED IN ACTION. Auth: Janes 19-7-16 Court of Enquiry held in the Field 2-9-17			Dr 73 5406 B24374 1809. 17-9-17 6 of 6. 25238. Subject Missing

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



AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.

No.

3367

Name _____

OUTLAW. W.S.

Unit

Joined on

15. 8. 15

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... *Cuttaw William Samuel* ...
2. In the Parish of ... *Newtown* ... in or near the Town of ... *Sydney* ... in the County of ... *Shropshire* ...
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... *Natural Born* ...
4. What is your age? ... *21 years 8 months* ...
5. What is your trade or calling? ... *Clerk* ...
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) ... *Widowed mother* ... *State to be deceased* ... *Richard Cuttaw* ... *Canterbury N. S. W.* ...
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? ... *Detritblan* ... *Tringmble St.* ... *No* ... *Canterbury NSW* ... *(corres. 22/10-8/1/22 M.)* ...
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 ... *1 year Senior cadets* ... *3 years Militia Forces* ... *39 Batt 7 Coy Transf to Signallers 39 Batt* ...
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. Do you understand that no Separation Allowance will be issued in respect of your service beyond an amount which together with Pay would reach eight shillings per day. ... *Yes* ...
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against smallpox and enteric fever? ... *Yes* ...

I, William Samuel Callan 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

Date _____

30th Aug 1915

(copy) G. O. Patton

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..... 30th Aug. 1915

(sgd) H. F. Bone, Cdr.
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, William Samuel Outlaw....., swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 29 Aug. 1915..... 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.

(sgd) W. S. Outlaw..
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at Goldsworthy..... in the State of New South Wales..... this Thirtieth..... day of August..... 1915, before me—

(sgd) H. F. Bone, Cdr.
Signature of Attesting Officer.

*A person enlisting who objects to taking an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Act, and the above form must be amended accordingly. All amendments must be initialed by the Attesting Officer.

Description of William Samuel Outlaw on Enlistment.

Age 21 years 8 months.
 Height 5 feet 6 1/4 inches.
 Weight 134 lbs.
 Chest Measurement 37 inches.
 Complexion Dark
 Eyes Hazel Good
 Hair Dark
 Religious Denomination Method

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 15. 8. 15

Place Sydney

(sgt) E. Selwyn Hanson
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

Capt. A. A. M. C.

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

11th Rnfts. 2nd Batt.

Date 17/10/15

Place Liverpool

Commanding W. H. St.

11th B.C.

53rd INF. ALLEGION-AIF
Casualty Form - Active Service.

Army Form B. 103.

Regiment or Corps *2nd Battalion* *D 30244*
 Regimental No. *3367* Rank *Private* Name *Outlaw W S*
 Enlisted (a) *15/8/15* Terms of Service (a) Service reckons from (a)
 Date of promotion to } Date of appointment } Numerical position on }
 present rank } to lance rank } roll of N.C.O's. }
 Extended *x x x* Re-engaged Qualification (b)

REPORT	Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36 or other official documents.
1916 C.O. 1st Tng Bn	ALLOTTED TO AND PROCEED- ING TO JOIN 53 INF. BATTALION A.I.F.	ZEITOUN	FEB 16 1916	A.P. 4078
-16 C.C.Bn B 213	Taken on strength of 53rd Bn.	at Tol-el-Kobir	16-2-16	A.P. 4455
O.C. Bn & "Royal George"	Embarked to join B.E.F.	Alexandria.	19/3/16.	AP/9106.
	Disembarked at	Marseilles.	25/3/16.	
	28.7.16 CO Bn B 213 Wounded France 19-7-16 AO 806		38/11/16 V.L. 150	
11/16 A.A.G.	Reported Wounded & Missing	FRANCE	19/7/16	55/566/5 D.O. 58/26 V.L. 150 26/11/16

- (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, Shoing Smith, &c., &c., also special qualifications in technical Corps duties. (P.T.O.)

REPORT		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place	Date	Remarks taken from Army Form B. 213, Army Form A. 36, or other official documents.
Date	From whom received				
CO 53 BN COURT OF ENQUIRY		KILLED IN ACTION	FRANCE	18/7/17	DO 73/5406 VL 464 of 9/9/17 19/506/
ORIGINAL		COPIES TO DEFENCE MELB HDQS AIF & CHIEF PAYMASTER WITH A.F.B. 2090 A		13/9/17 CAPTAIN D VC RECORDS	

Army Form B. 103.

53rd INFANTRY BATTALION A.I.F.

Regimental Number **336**

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps **11th Reinforcements to 2nd Battalion A.I.F.**

Rank **Private** Surname **O U T L A W**, Christian Name **W. S.**

Religion Age on Enlistment years.....

Enlisted (a) **15/8/15.** 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 C

Report		Record of promotions, reductions, transfers, casualties, &c., during active service, as reported on Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or in other official documents. The authority to be quoted in each case.	Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.36, or other official documents
Date	From whom received				
		Embarked ...			
		Disembarked...			
16/2/16.	C.O. 1st Tng Bn	Allotted to and proceed-			
		ing to join 53rd Inf. Bn A.I.F. ex Zeitoun		16/2/16.	A.P.
19/2/16.	C.O. 53rd Bn	Taken on Strength of			
	AFB 213.	53rd Battalion at	Tel-el-Kebir	16/2/16.	A.P.
	O.C. "Royal	Embarked to join B.E.F.	Alexandria	19/6/16.	A.P. 9.
	George" & Bn	Disembarked at	Marseilles	28/6/16.	
28/7/16.	C.O. 53rd Bn	Wounded in action	France	19/7/16.	A.Q. 1.
	AFB 213.				(CIBL 306) of 8
					D.O. 38/4374.
23/11/16	A.A.G., Anzac Section	Reported Wounded & Missing do		19/7/16.	55/56
	3rd Echelon G.H.Q.				VL 150 of 26
					D.O. 58/6807.

(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) Signaller, Shering-Smith, &c.

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Report		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			
17/1	C.O. 53rd Bn Court of Enquiry	KILLED IN ACTION France	19/7/16.	19/566/11. D.O. 73/ 5406. V.L. 464 of 9/9/17.
ANZAC SECTION 3rd ECHELON G.H.Q. British Expeditionary Force.		<i>[Signature]</i> Captain. O. i/c Records.....		

Bertrilblan
Tincombe St
Canterbury
23 Oct 1922

The of A.I.F. Branch
2nd District Base

Sir

In connection with Memorial Plaque
No 330243 issued in respect of my son
the late No 3367 Pte W. J. Outlaw 53rd
Bn, I beg to state that my husband
Mr. W. Outlaw the father of the
soldier died on the 16th May 1922.
The late soldier was not married.

Yours faithfully

Blanche Outlaw.

Witnesses



O. of A.I.F. Branch, 2nd M.D.

J. W. Sew

Noted 8/11/22 H

DECEASED
SECTION

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

KIT STORE.



110, GREYHOUND ROAD,

FULHAM, LONDON.

Telephone:—HAMMERSMITH 1899, W.6.

S.W.

Property
Inventory of ~~XXXX~~ of—

No. 3367 Pte. Outlaw, W.S. 53rd Batt'n. A.I.F.
(Reported Missing).

Forwarded to— (Father).

Mr. Williams Outlaw,
Bedford Street,
Canterbury,
New South Wales.

Property:—

3rd Echelon.
No. 7716.

)
)

Wallet.

No. of Package

M. 1016

Checked by

Headquarters 39th Infantry.

Quill Hall Ashfield.

November 30th 1918.

The D.C.

Base Records.

Melbourne.



Your No 60284 is hereby
acknowledged, forwarding C.M. Forms 17708
of No 3367 Private William Samuel Outlaw,
53 Battalion, reported as killed in action on
19th July 1918.



To Major
3/12

Atas Stevens Li. Adpt.
39th Infy Old Organisation.
for C.O.

Pa

Headquarters 39th Infantry.

Quill Hall Ashfield.

November 30th 1918.

The D.C.

Base Records.

Melbourne.



Form No 60284 is herewith
acknowledged, forwarding C.M. Form 11728
of No 3367 Private William Samuel Oulston,
53 Battalion, reported as killed in action on
19th July 1918.

Attest Laurens W. Adgt.
39th Infy. Old Organisation.
for C.O.

W. Marks
3/12

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8th November, 1916.

Dear Madam,

In acknowledging receipt of your communication which is undated, concerning No. 3367 Private W. S. Cutlaw, 53rd Battalion, reported as having been wounded, I have to inform you no further particulars are yet available regarding this soldier.

His postal address is :-

WOUNDED -

No. 3367 Private W. S. Cutlaw,
53rd Australian Infantry,
C/o A.I.F. Headquarters,
130 Horseferry Road,
London, S.W.

Mrs. Cutlaw has been notified to the effect that should no information be forthcoming before the 21st November, a cable message will be despatched enquiring as to this soldier's whereabouts and condition; and upon receipt of reply, the information contained therein will be promptly transmitted to next-of-kin, shown as father.

Yours faithfully,

Major
Officer i/c Base Records.

Miss E. Walshaw,
"Evaville",
Smidmore Street,
MARRICKVILLE, N.S.W.

"Evanville"
Midmore St
Marionville

To Major Lean.

Dear Sir

Could you inform
me of the whereabouts of
No 3364. Private H. S. Guntlaw
D boy. 53rd Battalion 14th Brigade
Australian Imperial Forces. He has
been reported wounded nearly
3 months and no more can be
heard

I am
Yours Sincerely
(Miss) Elsie Walshaw



for short
6/11

NOV 7 1919
RECEIVED
AIR MAIL

RANDWICK

SECTY DEFENCE MELBOURNE

3367 W S OUTLAW 63 BATT R-PORTED WOUNDED CANNOT GET
SATISFACTION FROM BASE RECORDS OR LONDON URGENT REPLY
PAID

MRS OUTLAW
CANTERBURY

JML/RC

*Noted for Cable
21-11-1916*

[Signature]

11108

MRS OUTLAW X

RICHMOND STREET

CANTERBURY

NSW

WILL CABLE TWENTYFIRST NOVEMBER IF YOU HAVE

NOT HEARD

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23rd September, 6

Dear Madam,

In acknowledging receipt of your telegram dated 19th instant, concerning your son No. 3367 Private W. S. Outlaw, 53rd Battalion, I have to inform you the only advice received here was contained in a brief cable message reporting this soldier as having been wounded. He is not reported as seriously wounded however, and in the absence of further particulars favorable progress may be assumed, it being the practice of the overseas Authorities to notify this Department of any material change in condition.

It is regretted that the name of the hospital to which he was admitted is not at present known here, but when communicating with him it is suggested that you address his letters as under :-

WOUNDED -

No. 3367 Private W. S. Outlaw,
53rd Australian Infantry,
C/o A.I.F. Headquarters,
130 Horseferry Road,
London, S.W.

Next-of-kin will be promptly advised upon receipt of any later information.

Yours faithfully,

Major
Officer i/c Base Records.

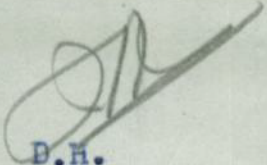
Mrs. Outlaw,
Richmond Street,
CANTERBURY, N.S.W.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Base Records Office, A.I.F.F.,
Victoria Barracks.

MELBOURNE.

28th August 1916


D.H.

Dear Sir,

I regret to advise you that No. 3367 Private W.S.
has been reported wounded.

Outlaw, 53rd Battalion,

It is not stated as being serious and in the absence of further reports it is to be assumed that all wounded are progressing satisfactorily.

In the event of further information coming to hand you will be promptly notified.

It should be clearly understood that if no further advice is received this Department has no later information to give.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. W. Outlaw,
Richmond Street
CANTERBURY N.S.W.

J. M. LEAN.

Major,
Officer i/c Base Records.

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E.T. No. 1.

TELEGRAM.
COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT, VICTORIA.

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C.500A.

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REMARKS.

cf 959 Canterbury 26 1/10 Collect 5p

CHECKING SECTION
SEP 28 1918
RECEIVED.

Base Records Melbourne.

What hospital my son no 3367 W Outlaw 53rd battln in and what
progress is he making.

Mrs Outlaw Richmond St Canterbury.

Mr Shore
19/9

SEP 19 1918

5-59p



Recd 22/9 11
8.1. 9am 23/9

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Randwick NSW 27 2/11 rp 2 24pm

Secty Defence Dept

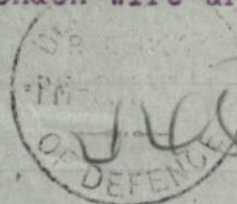
Melbourne

33067 W S ~~Outlaw~~ 53 ~~bank~~ batt reported wounded cannot
get satisfaction from base records or london wire urgent
reply ~~paid~~ paid

Mrs Outlaw

Canterbury

2.30pm



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rank, full name, and unit of Soldier referred
to are to be stated.

B.R. Form No. 11.

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,

VICTORIA BARRACKS,

MELBOURNE.

18th November, 1918.

Commanding Officer,

39th Infantry

60284

Drill Hall.

ASHFIELD, NSW.

Forwarded under separate cover Record Book (A.M. Form M&7) with A.I.F.

service entered, relating to

No. 3367. Private William Samuel OUTLAW.

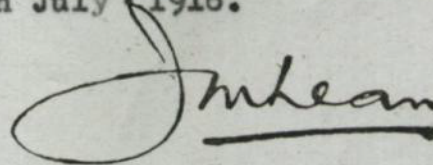
Australian Imperial Force, formerly of your

53rd Battalion,

Command,

reported as Killed in Action, 19th July 1916.

Please acknowledge receipt hereon.



Major,

Officer in Charge, Base Records.

TO OFFICER IN CHARGE, BASE RECORDS.

Received.

Date—

WAR PENSION STATEMENT No. 572 DATED 6/3/18
177 SOUTH WALLS.

1. Full name, number, rank, and unit of Member of Forces in respect of whose death or incapacity pension was claimed.	Outlaw, Wm. Samuel, 3367, Pte., 53rd Bn.
2. Full name and address of person for whom pension was claimed.	Outlaw, Blanche Sophia Easter, "Thiness," Richmond St., Canterbury.
3. Relationship of such person to Member	Mother
4. Result of Claim	Pension of £1-10-0 p.f. granted from 27/2/18.
5. Name and Address of Trustee (if any)	

Dead

FIELD SERVICE.

Army Form B. 2090A.

REPORT of Death of a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of death on Army Form B. 213 or Army Form A. 36, or from other official documentary sources.

REGIMENT OR CORPS } 53rd INFANTRY BATTALION A.I.F. Squadron, Troop, } - - -
Battery or Company }

Regimental No. 3367 Rank Private.

Surname O U T L A W, Christian Names W.S.

Died { Date 19th July, 1916. Place In the Field, FRANCE.
Cause of Death* KILLED IN ACTION.

Nature and Date of Report (Court of Enquiry convened by C.O., 53rd Battalion, A.I.F.
(held "In the Field" on 2nd September, 1917.

By whom made _____

* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

State whether he leaves { (a) in Pay Book (Army Book 64) Will not (b) in Small Book (if at Base) - - -
a Will or not { received
(c) as a separate document - - -

All private documents and effects received from the front or hospital, as well as the Pay Book, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any information received as to verbal expressions by a deceased soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be reported to the War Office as soon as possible.

A duplicate of this Report is to be sent to the Fixed Centre Paymaster at Home, or to the D.F.A.G., Indian Expeditionary Force, or Field Disbursing Officer, as the case may require, together with the Deceased's Pay Book (after withdrawal of any will from the latter). If the deceased's Small Book is at the Base, it should be forwarded to the War Office with this Report.

Station and Date } ANZAC SECTION 3rd ECHELON A.H.S. Signature of Officer in charge of Section } Captain.
} British Expeditionary Force. Adjutant-General's Office at the Base } O. i/c Records..
13th September, 1917.

EFW/GKS.
53/3367

7th August, 1917.

1249

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter, concerning your son, No. 3367 Private W.S. Outlaw, 53rd Battalion, I have to state the wallet for which you enclose receipt, was forwarded to this office from the A.I.F. Kit Store, London, where personal effects are left by members of the Force prior to their going into action.

No further news has come to hand respecting your son since he was reported missing, 19/7/16, but it is understood Courts of Inquiry are now being held abroad to collect all available evidence regarding those posted missing about that time, and to record an opinion as to what may reasonably be supposed has been their fate.

Immediately any cable message is received in connection with Private Outlaw you will be communicated with.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. W. Outlaw,
"Thiness",

Richmond Street,
Canterbury, N.S.W.

Major
Officer i/c Base Records.

[Handwritten signature]

"Thiness" Richmond S. "Cautibury"

To the. Officer in Charge. Base. Records. Sir I would

be very much obliged to you if you would kindly
let me know. where the. Wicket. which has been
forwarded to me was found. and under what
conditions it came in your possession has my
Son has been reported missing since July 19th
1916 for any news concerning him I would be
very much obliged. I am yours.

W. Outlaw.

CORRESPONDENCE
SECTION

AUG 4 1917

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B.R. Form No. 2.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

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

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,
VICTORIA BARRACKS,

MELBOURNE, 25/7/17

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Dear Sir,

Forwarded herewith, per separate registered post, is one package
containing personal effects of No 3367 Pte Outlaw W.S. 53rd Bn.,
received ex "Miltiades"
as per inventory attached.

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

Yours faithfully,

Registered Packet No 2958 G. P. O. Melbourne.

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

Mr W. Outlaw
Richmond St
Canterbury
N.S.W.

DMH.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.
KIT STORE.



110, GREYHOUND ROAD,
FULHAM, LONDON.

Telephone:—HAMMERSMITH 1899. W.6.

SW.

Property
Inventory of ~~XXXXX~~ of—

No. 3367 Pte. Outlaw, W.S. 53rd Batt'n. A.I.F.
(Reported Missing).

Forwarded to— (Father).

Mr. Williams Outlaw,
Bedford Street,
Canterbury,
New South Wales.

Miltiades

Property:—

3rd Echelon.
No. 7716.

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)

Wallet.

No. of Package

M.

1016

Checked by

EPM.

24th November,

16415

Dear Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram dated 23rd instant, and to inform you a cable, enquiring the present condition and whereabouts of your son, No. 3367 Private W. S. Outlaw, 53rd Battalion, who was reported wounded, was despatched to London on 21st instant. The reply when to hand will be promptly transmitted to his father.

Yours faithfully,

Major,
Officer i/c Base Records.

Mrs. W. Outlaw,
Richmond Street,
Canterbury, N.S.W.

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TELEGRAM.

No. 0-208

E.T. No. 1

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT, VICTORIA.

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B.316/5.16.—
C.6308.

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Canterbury n s w 28 2/ collect 10 15

REMARKS.

Base Records

Melbourne

CORRESPONDENCE
SECTION.

NOV 23 1916

RECEIVED.

8/11. 9.2 29/11

Have heard nothing re my son number 3367 Pte W Outlaw
information as per request of november seventh

Mrs Outlaw

Richmond St

Canterbury n s w collect 10 55

Mr Shore
23/11



RECEIPT SLIP FOR MEMORIAL SCROLL.

(AS)

Received from the Officer i/c Base Records, Department of
Defence, one Memorial Scroll and King's Message, in connexion
with the late No. 3367, Private, W. S. Outlaw,

53rd Battalion



(Signature)

William Outlaw

(Date)

October 19th 1921

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

Outlaw
AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Receipt for Consignment from Defence Department.

I hereby acknowledge having received from the Officer in Charge of Base Records the undermentioned (1) Package , being the effects of ~~the~~ No 3367 Pte Outlaw W.S. 53rd Btn., ex "Miltiades" consigned to me.

No.	Description.
<u>1</u>	<u>package</u>

Signature William Outlaw
Date July 28th 1917.

NOTE.—This Receipt should be Posted to—

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

RECEIPT FOR MEMORIAL PLAQUE.

I hereby acknowledge having received Memorial Plaque No. 330243

Signature *Blanche C. Haw.*

Date *23 Oct 1922*

Witness *J. W. Gen*

D. 9034/1.22.—C. 1034.—B.M.

DECEASED
SECTION
NOV 1 1922
RECEIVED
When both these forms are used

No 3367 Ste W. J. Outlaw 53 Bk

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 3367

Rank Private Name Outlaw W. J.

Unit 53rd Battalion Late 2nd I.B.C.

Casualty ^{209.} Wounded & I.B.L 306/6862 AM. No Lond. 21.8.16

regt^l wounded now regt^l wounded & missing 19.7.16. C18C793/7722: D^g London 6.12.16
 regt^l wounded 19.7.16 now regt^l wounded & missing 19.7.16.
 went 263/7724 & D^g London 7.12.16 B.B.A.

³¹⁴ Previously reported Wounded. ~~Missing~~ now reported Killed in Action 19.7.16
 C.18C793/7722: D^g London 12.7.17

DATE.	A. F. B. 103 Received PURPORT. A. F. B. 2090A Received.	REF. NO.
AUG 1916	N. O. K. Advised Wounded	
21.1.16	Cabled Stralis progress	miss 200
10.12.16	M. C. 2 ADVISED. WOUNDED & MISSING. 19/7/16	
11/12/1916	COPY MADE FOR PENSIONERS	
25.7.17	PERSONAL EFFECTS EX. in trade	
SEP 15 1917	M. O. 2 ADVISED, KILLED IN ACTION. 19-7-16	
5.11.17	C.A.C. Pensions advised re casualty in the Statement No 104	
18.11.18	C. M. Forms 7 & 8 Returned to Unit C.O. 39. Inf	
5.3.19	Court of Inquiry proceedings received - B. R. M. 40/470	
	Circular B.R.M. 46/1368 & Booklet re Graves despatched 12/12/19 86	
	1814/1810 star issued B.R.M. 43/1229/... 2/45-ly 9517	
	BRITISH WAR MEDAL to Comdt 2nd M.D.B.R.M. 53/1275	
	To Comdt 2 M.D. B.R.M. 50/	
	  	
	WHERE THE AUS. ALLIANS REST.	

4.5.20
 3/9/21

WAR HISTOR.

MEMORIAL
SCROLL

To
Father

Mr. W. Outlaw

330243

11.10.21 J.P.

MEMORIAL
PLAQUE

To
Father 2nd JB

Mr. W. Outlaw

330243

11/9/21 J.P.
@ 29/11

VICTORY MEDAL to Mother B.R.P.F. 42.

Registered Post No. 7241 G.P.O. Melbourne.

26-6-26 REGISTER ORDER FORM despatched

to T.C. Spencer Esq. G.W.