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Korumburra VIC: Next of Kin - (Son) SPEED A G

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Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.
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in full (Christian Name Albert Herbert
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Joined on 1817
Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.
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2. In or near what Parish or Town were not born? near the Town of
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6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period?
7. Are you married? and extent 7. Man All Languages
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8. Who is your next of kin! (Address and relationship to be stated)
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in the nature of a will.
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9. What is your permanent address in Australia?
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10. 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. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's)
Service? If so, on what grounds?
13. (For married men, 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. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against small pox
and enteric fever?
3. Albert Her bert speed 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 three-fifths of the pay payable to me from time to time during my service
for the support of my wife and children.
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Date 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. D340/5.16—C.3397. † Two-fifths must be allotted to the wife, and if there are children three-fifths must be allotted.
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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 took leads to be a superior to the superior to be a 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.)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

3, Albert Herbert Speech swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from 25 th may 1917 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.

Albert Hoerbert &

Taken and subscribed at Korumburra in

the State of Victoria

this Leventy Sift day

May 19/4, before me-

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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following conditions, viz. :-

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

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.

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> A Green MBCAB 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

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for the support of my wife.*† wife and children.

Date

Signature of person enlisted.

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Albert Yberbert Aprece

Taken and subscribed at Korumburra in

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this Iwenty Lifth day of

may 19/7, before me-

Signature of Attesting Officer.

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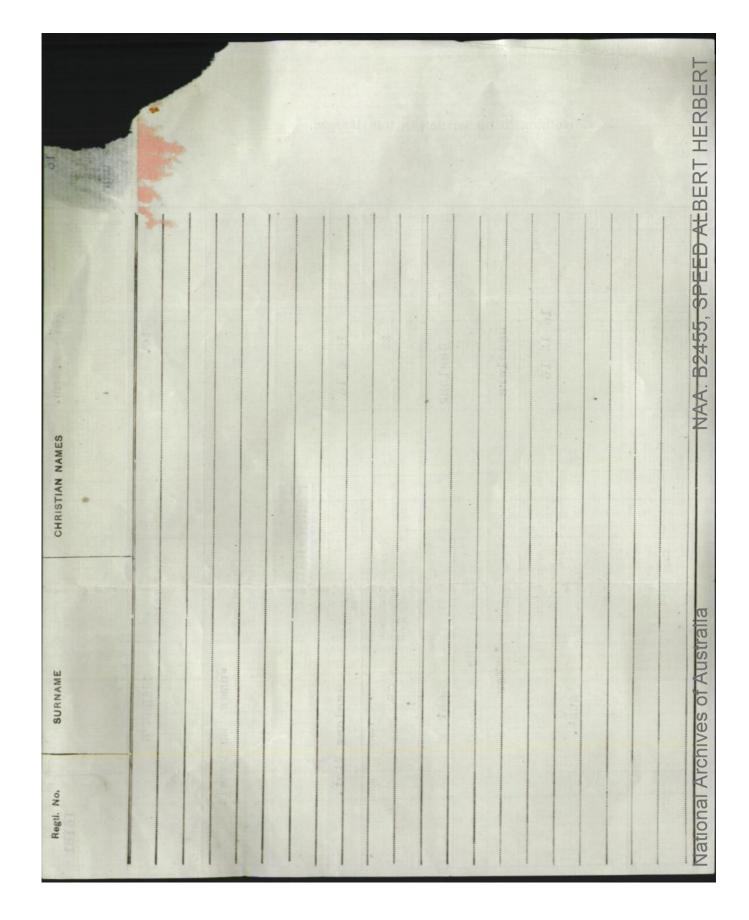
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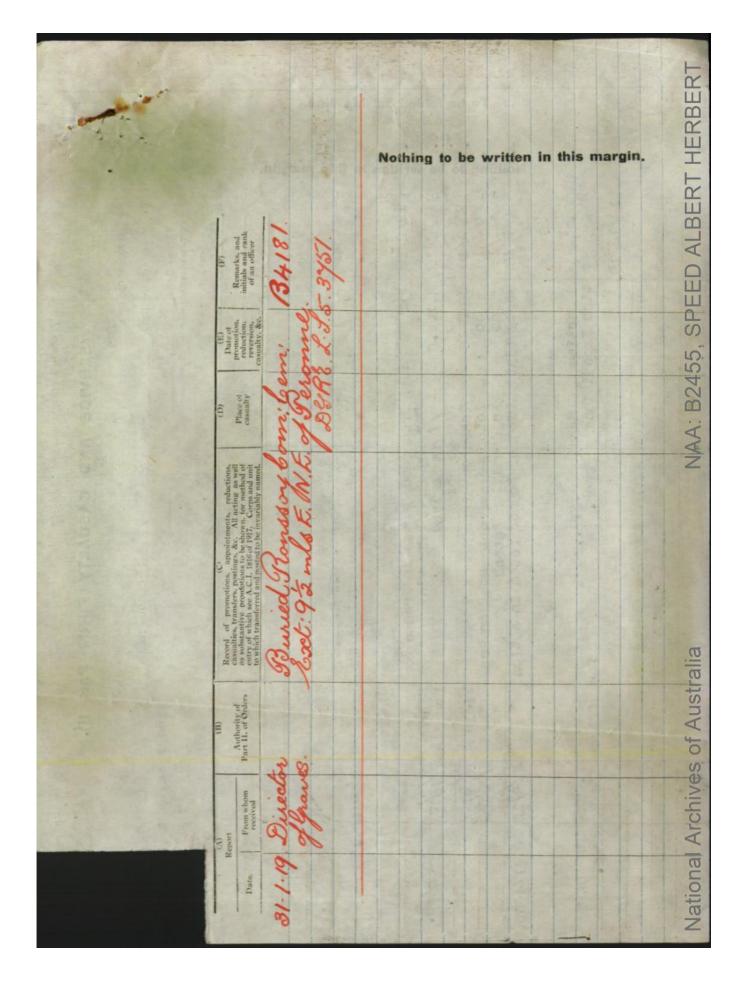
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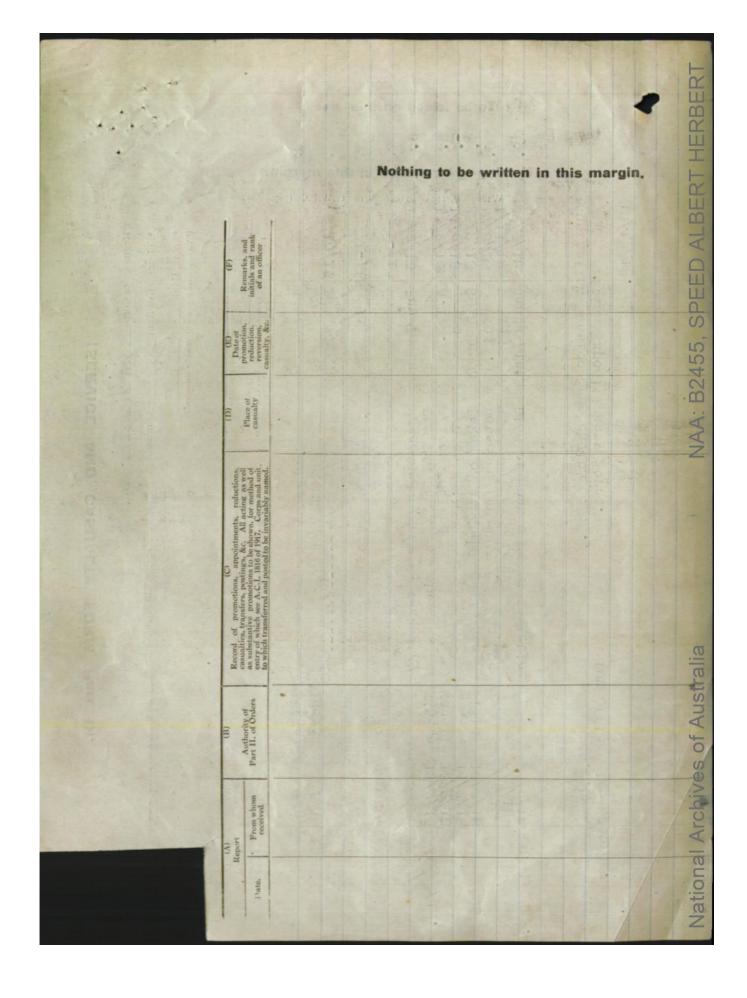
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Table III .- Boards; Courts of Inquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, &c.; Examinations for Transfer or Service Abroad, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, &c. Brief Details, and Signature. BROADMEADOW ROADMEADOWS 15'le 17 TAB CAPI AMO Table IV.—Service Table. Date of Date of Station. Date of Date of Station. Arrival. Departure. Arrival. Departure. EMBARKED 4.8.17 National Archives of Australia NAA: B2455, SPEED ALBERT HERBERT

RECEIPT SLIP FOR MEMORIAL SCROLL.	
Received from the Officer i/c Base Records, Department of E Defence, one Memorial Scroll and King's Message, in connexion	
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(Signature) O of Breed	
(Date) 31-1-23	
This slip to be returned to the Officer in Charge Base Records, Victoria Barracks. Melbourne, Victoria, D.1976/12.21.—C.19591.	
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ILL

In the event of my death I give the whole of my civil and military property and effects to my Daughter

> (Miss) Winifred Annie Speed Kardalla Road Korumburra South Gippsland

And I herby appoint my sister Mrs Gertidue Parry as sole trustee

> Mrs G. Parry Victoria St

(S) Albert Herbert Speed.) 22/6/17

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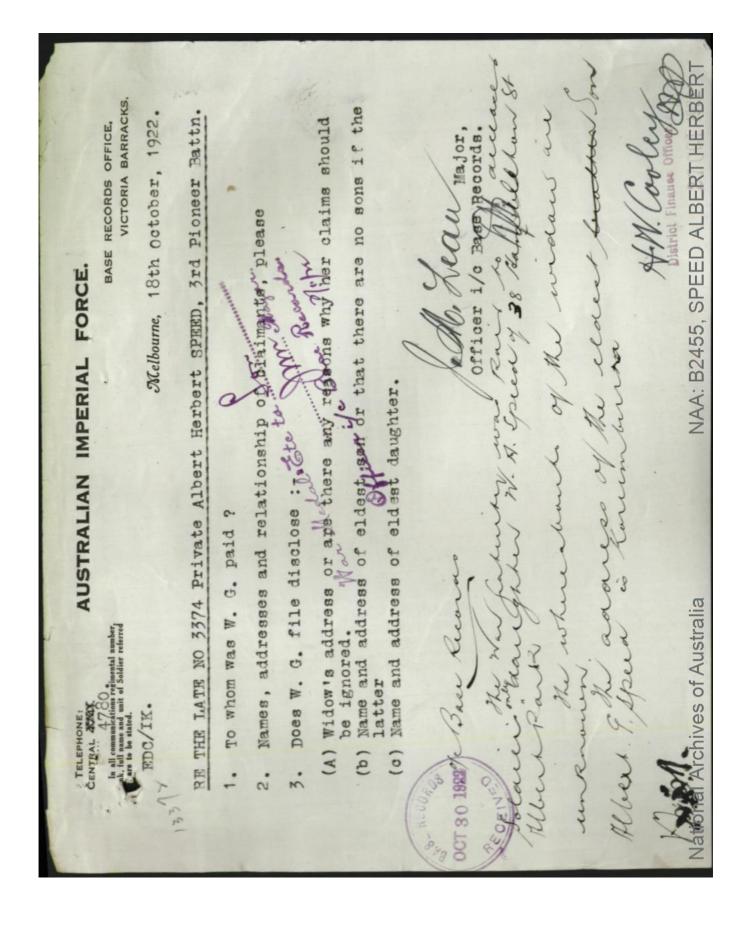
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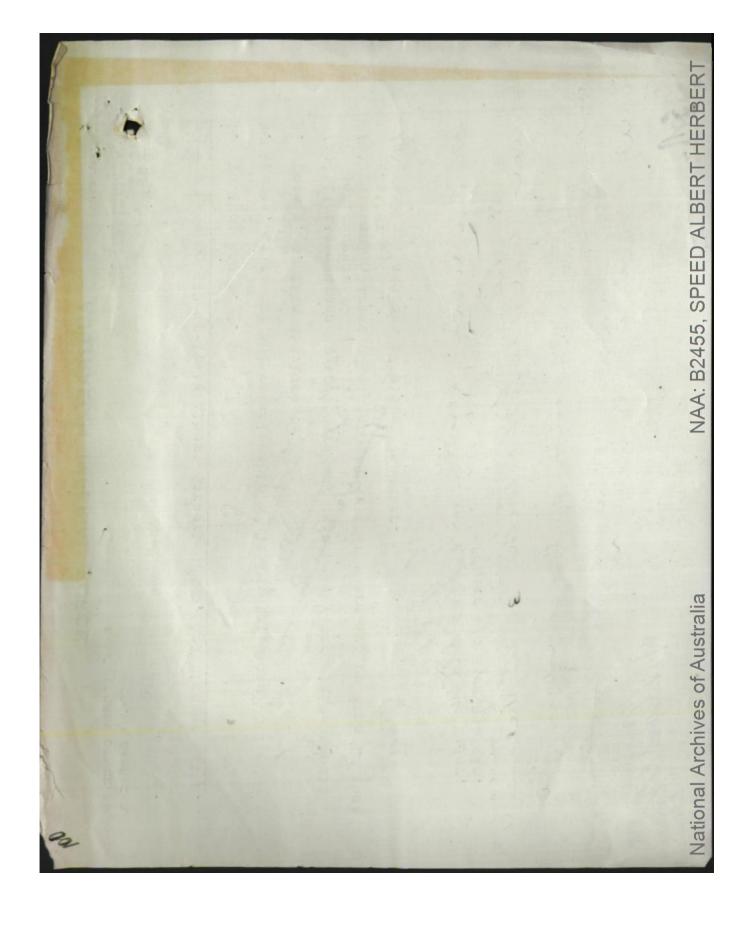
Certified to be a true copy of the Will of the late No. 3374 Private A. H. Speed, 3rd Pioneer Battalion, lodged with the Officer in Charge Base Records, upon embarkation for Active Service Abroad

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	DESPATIONSED 4th November, 1922 8 NOV 1972	Dear Sir. I shall be obliged if you will let me know wheth communications addressed as this is will reach you, in order that so shall be in a position to dispose of the War Medals, etc. of you may be in a position to dispose of the War Medals, etc. of you father, the late No. 3774 Private A.H. SPKED, 3rd pioneer Battal to hand these items over to your sister. Miss winnie Speed, who to hand these items over to your sister. Miss winnie Speed, who was nominated as next-of-kin. Thanking you in anticipation of the favour of an Thanking you in anticipation of the favour of an aste. Yours faithfully. Wajor. Wajor. Wajor.	NAA: B2455, SPEED ALBERT HERBERT
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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

BASE RECORDS OFFICE.

VICTORIA BARRACKS.

3rd June 1921. MELBOURNE.

Always state Regimental Number, Rank, Full Name, and Unit of Soldier in your Communication.

Next of Kin should always notify Change of Address to Base Records, Melbourne. 7 JUN 1921

Dear Madam.

DESPATCHED It is noted that you are registered on the records the late No. 3374 Private A. H. Speed.

3rd Pioneer Battalion. as next of kin, but, in order that the instructions under the "Deceased Soldiers Estates Act 1918" may be properly complied with when disposing of War Medals. &c., I shall be glad to learn whether there are any nearer blood relations than yourself to the abovenamed, for instance, has he any sons, (stating the eldest) and any daughters older than yourself, (stating the eldest)

still alive. if so I shall be much obliged for their names and address es at your earliest convenience.

The provisions of a Will have no bearing upon the distribution of Medals unless they are specifically mentioned therein, such mementos being handed over in the following order of relationship, unless good and sufficient reasons for varying the procedure are stated: -

Widow, eldest surviving son, eldest surviving daughter, father, mother, eldest surviving brother, eldest surviving sister, eldest surviving half-brother, eldest surviving halfsister.

Thanking you in anticipation of the favour of an early reply.

Yours faithfully,

Miss W. Speed,

C/o Mrs E. G. Parry. Victoria St.,

KORUMBURRA.

Major,

D.1802/10.20,- C.18078 -5M.

Officer in Charge, Base Records.

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W. B. A.

9th October, 1919.

Dear Madam,

With reference to the report of the regrettable loss of your father, the late No.3374, Private A. H. Speed, 3rd Pioneer Battalion, I am now in receipt of advice that he died of wounds received in action, on 29th September, 1918, and was buried in Ronssoy Communal Cemetery Extension, 9% miles East The utmost care and attention is being devoted to the graves of our fallen soldiers, and photographs are being taken as soon as possible for transmission to maxt-of-kin.

it being the policy of the Department to forward all information These additional details are furnished by direction, received in connection with the deaths of members of the Australian Imperial Force.

Miss W. Speed, C/- Hrs. E.G. Parry, Victoria Street, KORUMBURRA, Vio

Yours faithfully,

Officer 1/o Base Records.

NAA: B2455, SPEED ALBERT HERBERT Officer in Charge, Base Records. B.R. Form No. 5. VICTORIA BARRACKS, J. M. LEAN, Major, BASE RECORDS OFFICE, MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE. According to the records the following particulars apply to :-Colour of hair Height Age, at date of enlistment National Archives of Australia Distinctive marks In all communications regimental number, rank, full name, and unit of Soldier referred to are to be stated. Colour of eyes Place of birth Next of kin Complexion

-INFORMATION AS TO LOCATION OF GRAVES ------

Ronssoy Communal Cemetery Extension, 9% miles East North East of Peronne. Place of Graves

Reported by GRAVES REGISTRATION UNITS.

Regiment	No.	Name	Rank & Initials	Date of Death.	
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3/Pnr.5.M.G. Bn.	3374	(Report Ronssoy	Pue-A.H. 23-1-1	29.9.18.	

(Original copy in sheet of No. 430 L/Cpk. W. GALLOWAY.)

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1st November, 1918.

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Dear Madam.

I have to futther acknowledge receipt of your communication of 15th ultimo, regarding your brother, the late No. 3374 Pte. A. H. Speed, 3rd Pioneer Battalion, and to state his Will, under which his daughter, Miss W. A. Speed, is the sole legates, and Mrs. G. Parry, the trustee (presumably you are identical with that person), was forwarded to the Military Paymaster, Melbourne, Vic., on 21-10-18 for necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

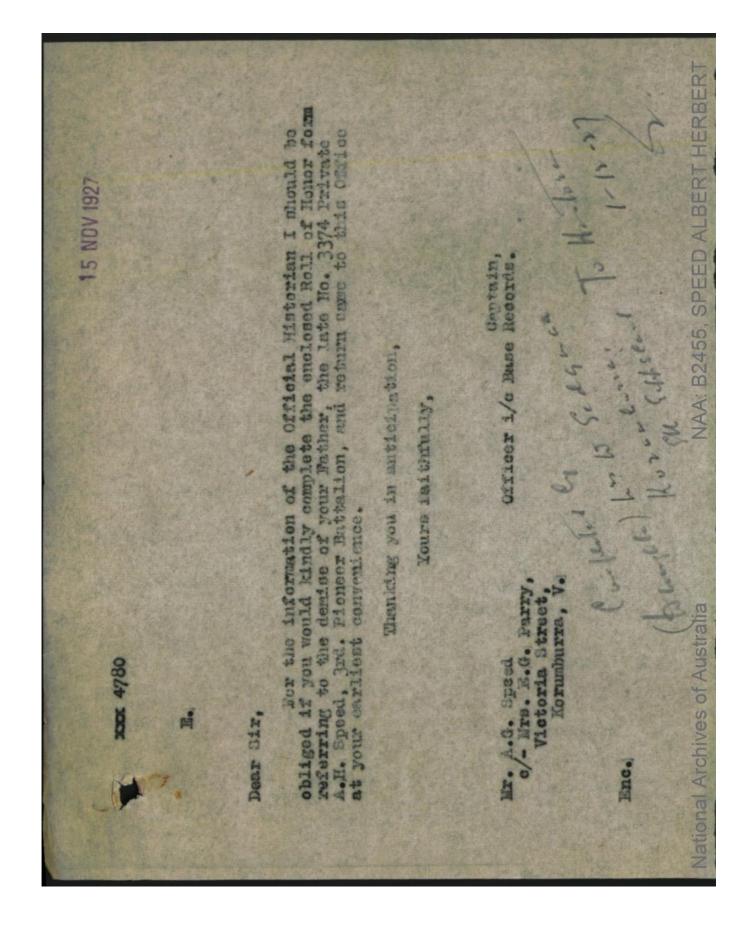
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Mrs. E. G. Parry, Korumburra, VICTORIA.

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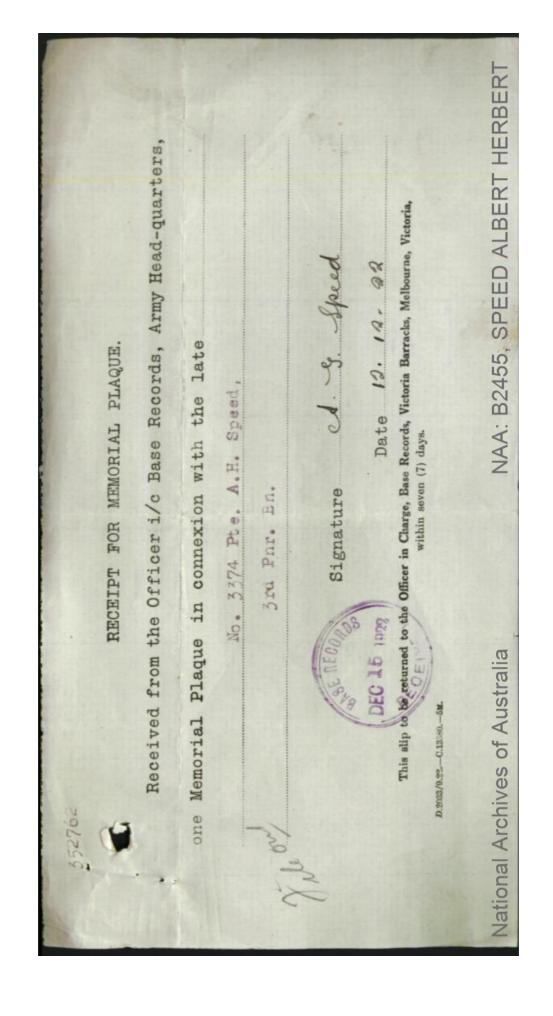
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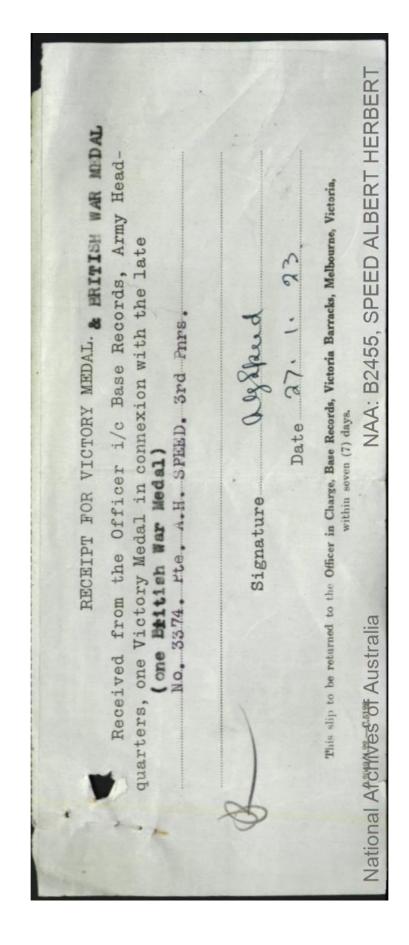






NAA: B2455, SPEED ALBERT HERBERT VICTORIA BARRACKS be obliged if you would kindly complete the enclosed Roll of Honour form referring to the demise of your brother, the late No. 3374 Private A.H. Speed, 3rd. Pioneer Battalion, and return same to this Office at your earliest convenience. M. 46/1368 BASE RECORDS OFFICE. 25 OCT 1927 Officer i/c Base Records. AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE. Melbourne, Thanking you in anticipation, Wmackentoch Yours faithfully, c/- M. Abrahams Esq., National Archives of Australia Brunswick, John Street, In all communications regimental number, rank, tull name and unit of Soldier referred to, are to be stated. CENTRAL XXX. 4780 Mrs. G. Parry Dear Madam. E. Enc.





APPLICATION TO ENLIST IN THE AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE

	(Official Stamp.)
at KORUMBURRA	et all out to senate
I, collect Heart Heart House hereby offer myself for Enlistment in the Australian Imperial For Abroad, and undertake to enlist in the manner prescribed, if	orce for Active Service I am accepted by the
Military Authorities, within one month from date hereof. POSTAL ADDRESS. Signature Occupation Thomselver Date 25/5/	to food.
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(For Identification purposes the above space should be filled in personally	by the Applicant.)
CONSENT OF PARENTS OR GUARDIANS. (For Persons un I HEREBY CERTIFY that I approve of the above application, and cor of my son for Active Service Abroad.	
Statement regarding Death or Absence of Father's Signature	
either or both Parents. Mother's Signature	
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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 Unfit | Son Ward Widower | Original Duplicate Strike
- (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.

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Houmburra. 10: 11. 22 Officer 1/0 Base Records Sir, I am in receipt of your letter re my father's medals. I would be very pleased i you would joost them on to me as I wish to have Hem framed to give to my sister. Lould you also give me imformation regarding the memorial Plaque. and oblige ely speed Horumburra The U. H. Speed Victoria 3rd Proneer Bln MOV 11 1922 War Made Etc to Major 14/11 es of Australia NAA: B2455, SPEED ALBE

