

59th Bn

RETURN TO AUSTRALIA
Per *log*
FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE PERSONS OF THE

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.
AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Attestation Paper of Persons Enlisted for Service Abroad.
No. *10574*
Name *DENGATE Arthur Archibald (M.S.M.)*
Unit *59th Bn*
Joined on *26/1/16*

Questions to be put to the Person Enlisting before Attestation.

1. What is your Name? ... *Arthur Archibald Dengate*
2. In the Parish of ... in or near the Town of *Brookhurst* in the County of *Sussex Eng.*
3. Are you a natural born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) ... *Not born*
4. What is your Age? ... *24 yrs 4 mths*
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... *Revier*
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? ... *No*
7. Are you married? ... *Yes (child)*
8. What is your next of kin? (Address to be stated) ... *Wife Caroline Dengate 3 Terrace St. ~~Brookhurst~~ ~~WOLVERHAMPTON~~ VIC.*
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, 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? ... *Yes*
15. Are you prepared to undergo inoculation against small pox and enteric fever? ... *Yes*

I, *Arthur Archibald Dengate* 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.~~

Date **JAN 26 1916**

A. Dengate
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.
† Two-fifths must be allotted to the wife, and if there are children three-fifths must be allotted.

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 JAN 26 1916

A. S. Frey Major
Signature of Attesting Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY PERSON BEING ENLISTED.*

I, Archibald Walter Langate swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Australian Imperial Force from JAN 26 1916 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 Langate
Signature of Person Enlisted.

Taken and subscribed at PRAHRAN in

the State of Victoria

this Wednesday day twenty-sixth of

January 1916, before me—

A. S. Frey Major
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 Arthur Archibald Hingale on Enlistment.

Age 24 years 24 months.
 Height 5 feet 5³/₄ inches.
 Weight 9 24³/₄ lbs.
 Chest Measurement 33¹/₂ inches.
 Complexion Fair
 Eyes Gray
 Hair Dark Brown
 Religious Denomination C of E.

DISTINCTIVE MARKS.
 Vac nil.
 Scar on L. Shoulder
 7 - 2 lines on jawline

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; hemorrhoids; 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 JAN 26 1916

Place FRAHRAN

Wally Salomon MD
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer R.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 21/14 W/O

Date 3/8/16

Place Broadmeadows

D. 87/111-C. 4877.

Postdaye 1st Lt.
 O.C., 21st R.F.S. 14th BATTN.
 Commanding

10/1303 Eng 11/9/18

1157 E/221

6495

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Statement of Service of No. 6574

Name: Benjamin Arthur Archibald

Units in which served.	Promotions, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Period of service in each rank.		Remarks.
		From—	To—	
'D' Coy 10 th Batta ^{ry}	Private	10-2-16	3-3-16	Transferred to Permanent Guard Camp Domain
Per. Guard Domain		3-3-16	1/9/16	21/14 P/pts
	Pte	1/9/16		
Embarked...Nestor...				
Melbourne... 2.10.16				
Disembarked... 16.11.16				
PROCEEDING TO SEASIDE TRAVEL DEP S.S. PRINCESS CLARE VIA OLGESTON F.R. 4716 21.12.16				
				✓ 331E 12.1.17
				✓ 4/695 13.2.17
				✓ 26.2.17 Pte 2025. 16.3.17.
				✓ 22.10.17 Pte 24/703A. 2.11.17
				✓ 15.3.18 Pte 14/032. 5.4.18
				✓ 21.3.18 Pte 14/1174 3.4.18.
				✓ 18.6.18 Pte 24/2858 5.7.18.
				✓ 29.8.18 W.S. 116. 11.11.18.
				✓ 14.7.18 Pte 35/3931 28.8.18.
				✓ 23.9.18 Pte 26/4124 4.9.18.
				✓ 28.8.18 Pte 36/4145 4.9.18.

BROADBENEDDOWS

1st Lt. Rank
59th B. Coy

1/51

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

England 23.3.19 A.12229
3.6.18 29/18 13.6.19 21/19
Discharged 3rd M.D. 6.2.20 (M.C.)

ML/
Ext 94-0101

6495 14/18

E2/ 025015

Central Army Records Office
'A' Block,
Albert Park Barracks,
Melbourne. Victoria. 3004

21 NOV 1967

Dear Sir,

RE- 6495 CORPORAL Arthur Archibald DENGATE
59th BATTALION - AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE

Your letter 6263 of 10th November 1967, is acknowledged.

According to records held at this Office, the subject of your enquiry would appear to be the abovenamed who enlisted at Prahran, Victoria, on 26th January 1916.

Corporal DENGATE served overseas in France from 2nd October 1916 to 16th May 1919, and was discharged medically unfit, on 6th February 1920.

He stated on enlistment that he was born at Crowhurst, Sussex, England, and his next of kin his wife, Mrs. Caroline DENGATE, of "Sydenham" Spring Road, Malvern, Victoria.

No information is held at this Office, of his present whereabouts or death, and you are advised to direct further enquiries on this matter to the Repatriation Department, 151-169 Kingsway, South Melbourne, Victoria.

Yours faithfully,


Colonel
OIC Central Army Records Office

Men's Social Secretary,
The Salvation Army
P.O. Box 6.
BRICKFIELD HILL, N.S.W. 2000

BF-E2/3



The Salvation Army

EASTERN AUSTRALIA

WILLIAM BOOTH, FOUNDER

FREDERICK COUTTS
GENERAL

BRAMWELL COOK
TERRITORIAL COMMANDER

TELEPHONE: 26 1711

P.O. BOX 6, BRICKFIELD HILL

Territorial Headquarters,

140 Elizabeth Street,

Sydney, N.S.W.

/frb.

10th November. 1967

O.I.C.
Army Records Office
Albert Park Barracks
MELBOURNE..VICTORIA.

Dear Sir,

6495 Arthur Aitchison 59 BN
re:-DENGATE Lance Corporal A.A. ref No.6263.

We have this strange request from our office in Winnipeg, Canada, on behalf of Mr Frank J Dengate of Crescent Street, Teulon, Manitoba, who wants to find out the resting place of his last known relative.

We have a memorial card, or book with 'Remembrance' on the cover, and on the first page inside, an Australian Soldier in uniform with Lance Corporal A.A. Dengate 59th Battalion, Serving in France, written underneath, with a touching little verse which seems to indicate that L/Cpl Dengate was killed in France. This of course was during World War 1.

We have written back to see if more information can be obtained, regarding the date and place of birth, and the last known address here in Australia.

But in the meanwhile, if you can help this obviously old man to know of his brother's last resting place, we shall be very grateful to you.

Thank you for your interest.

Yours sincerely

Norman H. Pacey
(Colonel)
MEN'S SOCIAL SECRETARY

Missing Persons' Bureau

D.L.B.

6th June, 1919.

No. 6495, Corporal Arthur Archibald Dengate, 59th Battalion, Australian Imperial Force, was:-

15/3/18 Wounded (Gas Poisoning) in action, and admitted to Hospital.
 21/3/18 Rejoined Unit.
 23/8/18 Wounded, 2nd occasion, in action.
 24/8/18 Admitted to 12th General Hospital.
 28/8/18 Transferred to England.
 29/8/18 Admitted to Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, suffering with Gun Shot Wound Left Ankle.
 22/11/18 Transferred to 3rd Auxiliary Hospital.
 23/3/19 Left England for return to Australia per Hospital Transport "Czar."
 16/5/19 Reached Melbourne per Hospital Transport "Dongola" ex Hospital Transport "Czar."
 No further record available.

No. 6495, Corporal A. A. Dengate,
 High Street,
 Ashburton,
 V I C T O R I A.

DISPATCHED
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O. H. M. S.

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I certify that this Telegram is sent on the
 service of the
AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

Colonel,
 Commandant, Administrative Headquarters,
 AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.

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BASE RECORDS INQUIRY.

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JUN 4 1919
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INQUIRER'S TELEPHONE No. _____ TIME RECEIVED _____

DATE *4/6/19* _____ TIME RETURNED _____

REGTL. No. *6495* RANK _____

NAME *Wengate* UNIT *A*

INQUIRY *59 PW*

*Please post
Lodge Certificate*

REPLY *to above*

*High St
Ashburton*

Do not destroy this—bring it with you if you call again.

*W. Morgan
4/6*

INITIALED—SECTION CLERK _____ SECTION LEADER _____

Dengate

High Street
Ashburton

30-11-18

To Base Records.

Dear Sir

I wish to notify you of my
change of address from
Sydenham
Spring Road
Malvern.

To
High Street
Ashburton

ADDRESS CHANGE
SECTION
DEC 4 1918

The Soldier's address is

No 6495

Lance Corporal A.A. Dengate
59th Battalion
Australian Imperial Force
abroad.

*M. Smith
31/1/18*

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and oblige

yours Sincerely
Barclay Ache Dengate

4/10/21/18

Noted

TELEPHONE: FW
CENTRAL 3606.

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

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

BASE RECORDS OFFICE.
VICTORIA BARRACKS

Melbourne, 25th November, 1918.

DESPATCHED

Dear Madam,

I have much pleasure in forwarding hereunder copy of extract from Second Supplement, No. 30716, to the "London Gazette," dated 3rd June, 1918, relating to the conspicuous services rendered by the undermentioned member of the Australian Imperial Force.

AWARDED THE DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL.

"HIS MAJESTY THE KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of His Majesty's birthday, to approve of the above award to the undermentioned, in recognition of his valuable service in the field:—

No. 6495 Private (Lance-corporal) A. A. DENGATE . "

The above has been promulgated in "Commonwealth of Australia Gazette," No. 173, dated 7th November, 1918.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs. C. Dengate,
"Sydenham",
Spring Road,
Malvern, VIC.

Major,

Officer i/c Base Records.

G.17921.

Dengate
Lydenham
Spring Road
Malvern.
12. 10. 18

Dear Sirs

I am writing to ask you if you have received any farther word of my Husband.

6495 Lance Corporal A. A. Dengate
59th Battalion
Australian Imperial Forces
abroad.

I was notified that he was suffering from gun shot wound in left Ankle. but his condition was not stated and it is now 4 weeks since I received word and I would be very pleased if you could tell me if his wound is serious and if he his getting on well and obhidge.

yours sincerely
Ada Dengate.

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OCT 24 1918

Mr. Heltgen
14/10

CORRESPONDENCE
SECTION

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Casualty Form - Active Service.

Regiment or Corps *3rd M.D. 59th Bn* Regimental Number *6495*
 Rank *2nd Lt* Surname *DENGATE* Christian Name *Charles Charles*
 Religion *Angl* Age on Enlistment *19* years *3* months
 Enlisted (a) _____ 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 _____
 Signature of Officer i/c Records _____

Date	Report From whom received	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
	O.C. Troops.	A71. "Nestor" Embarked... Disembarked...	Melbourne. Plymouth.	2/10/16. 16/11/16.	(ER. 85 40) 907531 E 12/17.
20/12/16	Of 4th Eng Bn	Proceeding to Princess Blanche	Talbotstone	21/12/16	819 2716
23/12/16	Of 4th A.S.B. Bn	Marched in Eng Bn	Etaples	22/12/16	A 8 1320
4/1/17	Of 26th Gen	Adm Influenza	do	3/1/17	HK 716/23
6/1/17	Of 4th A.S.B. Bn	To To. Hoop	do	3/1/17	AK 736/58
13/1/17	Of 66th Det	Adm Influenza	do	12/1/17	AK 736/70
18/1/17	do	Trans to 56th Det	do	17/1/17	AK 736/81
13/1/17	Of 56th Det	Adm Influenza	Cayenne	17/1/17	do
13/1/17	26th Gen Hoop	Influenza To 66th	Etaples	13/1/17	HK 866/32
18/2/17	15th Gen Hoop	To Base Etaples	Cayenne	17/2/17	HK 866/90
24/2/17	4th A.S.B. Bn	Proceeded to 59th Bn	Etaples	24/2/17	HK 866/97
2/3/17	6059th Bn	208. of 59th Bn	France	26/3/17	E 32 19

(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, Shoeing-smith, &c.
 (280135) W 12012-2136 J. P. & Co., Ltd. Forms D1033. [P.T.O.]

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24/1/17	1st A.S.B. Bn	Appointed 1st A.S.B. Bn	Etaples	27/1/17	AK 866/77
26/10/17	6059th Bn	Appointed 1st A.S.B. Bn	Etaples	22/10/17	B273 822/123
15/1/18	do	To 50th Bn in UK	do	17/1/18	B273 822/155
8/2/18	do	Appointed 1st A.S.B. Bn	do	5/2/18	B273 822/158
22/3/18	do	1st A.S.B. Bn in action	do	15/3/18	B273 822/164
16/3/18	1st A.S.B. Bn	Adm Gassed	do	15/3/18	AK 716/70
15/3/18	1st A.S.B. Bn	Adm Gassed	do	15/3/18	AK 716/55 VL 656.
21/3/18	do	Returned to Duty	do	21/3/18	AK 716/89
22/3/18	6059th Bn	1st A.S.B. Bn	do	21/3/18	B273 822/170 3/4/18
19/6/18	1st A.S.B. Bn	Contract Supply Laundry Coy	do	17/6/18	AK 716/92 B273 822/178
29/6/18	6059th Bn	Awarded Meritorious Service Medal	do	2/7/18	M 10 27/2858 3/7/18
20/7/18	do	1st A.S.B. Bn promoted Corporal	do	14/7/18	B273 822/181 822/185
17/8/18	do	1st A.S.B. Bn promoted to Sergeant	do	8/8/18	8/8/18 357392/1919
23/8/18	1st A.S.B. Bn	1st A.S.B. Bn promoted to Sergeant	do	23/8/18	AK 3005/142
24/8/18	5th C.C.I.	1st A.S.B. Bn promoted to Sergeant	do	23/8/18	AK 3005/139
24/8/18	12th Gen Hoop	1st A.S.B. Bn promoted to Sergeant	Etaples	24/8/18	AK 3005/150 VL 57
24/8/18	6059th Bn	1st A.S.B. Bn promoted to Sergeant	Etaples	23/8/18	B273 822/186
25/8/18	12th Gen Hoop	1st A.S.B. Bn promoted to Sergeant	Etaples	25/8/18	AK 3005/157 2/36/1919
28/8/18	1st A.S.B. Bn	1st A.S.B. Bn promoted to Sergeant	Etaples	28/8/18	AK 3005/157

Casualty Form—Active Service.

Regiment or Corps L.G.T. B.T.N.

Rank C.P.L. Surname DENGATE Christian Name CA. CA.

Religion _____ Age on Enlistment _____ years _____ months

Enlisted (a) _____ 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 _____

Date	Report		Place of Casualty	Date of Casualty	Remarks Taken from Army Form B.213, Army Form A.16, or other official documents
	From whom received	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.			
			Embarked ...		
			Disembarked...		
<u>28</u> 31.8.18	<u>Royal Victoria Hospital</u>	<u>h/hl from Bandstand Lt asst</u>	<u>Selly</u>	<u>29.8.18</u>	<u>W.S. 816 H. P. 1158</u>
<u>29</u> 22.11.18	<u>3rd class host</u>	<u>h/h 4/4 from Royal Victoria Hospital Selly</u>	<u>Darford</u>	<u>22.11.18</u>	<u>H.P. 796 I.B. 618 27/11/18</u>
<u>30</u> 15.1.19	<u>do</u>	<u>h/h to No 2 bandstand Regimental do</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>15.1.19</u>	<u>H.P. 328 I.B. 651 21/1/19</u>
<u>31</u> 16.1.19	<u>do 2 class host</u>	<u>h/h 4/4 from 3rd B.B.N Darford</u>	<u>Regimental</u>	<u>15.1.19</u>	<u>H.D. 1491</u>
<u>32</u> 20.1.19	<u>do</u>	<u>h/h sick to host</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>17.1.19</u>	<u>H.X. 1454</u>
<u>33</u> 27.2.19	<u>do</u>	<u>h/h 4/4 from host</u>	<u>do</u>	<u>24.2.19</u>	<u>H.D. 3120</u>
<u>34</u>	<u>H. No. 1. 1. 19. from Roll</u>	<u>do RETURN TO AUSTRALIA Per <u>27/11/18</u> FOR <u>21/1/19</u></u>	<u>Live post.</u>	<u>24.3.19</u>	

(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, Shooting-Smith, &c (17591.) W/L W 1887-P 1124. 1,000,000. 6/18. D & S. Form B.103. (E. 7/20.)

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	From whom received	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.			

Transhipped from 1st Bz to 2nd Bz. Alexandria 10/4/19

Disembarked No 3 Military District

5/11
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REGISTRATION, ALTERATION, OR CHANGE OF ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN.

Reg. No. 6495 Rank Pr Unit 59th Bde 14th R/Btm

Name Dengak A.A

N-O-K previously registered as (Relationship) _____

Name _____

Address _____

To be now recorded as (Relationship) wife

Name Carolene Dengak

Full postal Address Mayfield House, St Vincent St

Remarks East Malvern, Vic

Signature or Authority 4327/3/1 16/2/17

"Special notification of casualty" Cards are provided for notification purposes. Legal N-O-K only can be registered on Attestation Papers. In cases where an alteration of N-O-K is involved the reason therefore should be stated in Remarks column.

To be referred to "A" Records Section for recording on card and notification of all concerned.

Entered on Index Card 19/4/17
Notifications Made _____

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Entered on Index Card shill
Notification made _____

REGISTRATION ALTERATION OR CHANGE OF ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

Reg. No. 6495 Rank _____ Unit 59th Bde

Name Dengate A.A late 14th Btm

N-O-K previously registered as (Relationship) wife

Name _____

Address _____

To be now recorded as (Relationship) wife

Name C. Dengate

Full Postal Address "Thorne" Church St Malvern Vic

Remarks _____

Signature or Authority 4327/22/1 31/7/17

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To be referred to "A" Records Section for recording on card and notification of all concerned.

L.O'R.

October 15th, 1918.

50118

Dear Madam,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 12th instant and to state, since the report of his admission to hospital on 29.8.18, no further information has been received regarding your husband, No.6495 Lance-Corporal A.A. Dengate, 59th Battalion. The absence of same however, indicates that satisfactory progress has been made, it being the usual practice of the authorities overseas to advise the Department should any soldier's condition change for the worse.

Any further cable reports coming to hand will be promptly transmitted.

Yours faithfully,

Major,
Officer i/c Base Records.

Mrs. A. Dengate,
"Sydenham",
Spring Road,
MALVERN, Vic.

D. T.

B.R. Form No. 9.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

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

BASE RECORDS OFFICE 918.

VICTORIA BARRACKS.

Madam,

now beg

admitted to Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, England, on 29/8/18, suffering from a wound Left Ankle. Actual date has been reported.

MELBOURNE

Lance Corporal A. A. Dengate,

No. 6495, Lance Corporal A. A. Dengate,
His postal address will be 59th Battalion,

Australian Imperial Force,
Abroad.

Don't fail to send change of your address to Base Records, Melbourne.

In the absence of further reports it is to be assumed that satisfactory progress is being maintained, but anything later received will be promptly transmitted, **it being clearly understood that if no further advice is forwarded this department has no more information to supply.**

Yours faithfully,

J. McLean Major,

Officer in Charge, Base Records.

D 1830/7.18.—G.10052.—404.

Mrs. C. Dengate,
"Sydenham"

Spring Road,
Malvern. Vic.

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.

MAS
MELBOURNE, 5th September 1918.

Dear Madam,
has been reported ^{now beg} to advise you that L.Cpl A.A. Dengate
wounded 2nd occasion

His postal address will be—

No 6495 Lance-Corporal A.A. Dengate,
59th Battalion,
Australian Imperial Force,
Abroad.

Don't fail to send change of your address to Base Records, Melbourne.

In the absence of further reports it is to be assumed that satisfactory progress is being maintained, but anything later received will be promptly transmitted, **it being clearly understood that if no further advice is forwarded this department has no more information to supply.**

Yours faithfully,

J. McLean Major,

Officer in Charge, Base Records.

D 1335/7.18.—G.10087.—18A.

✓
Mrs. C. Dengate,
Sydenham
Spring Road,
Malvern. VIC/

Dengate

Sydenham
Spring Road
Malvern.
8.8.18.

Dear Sir

I wish to notify you of my change
of address from

"Thorne"
100 Arthur Street
Malvern

To
"Sydenham"
Spring Road
Malvern.

in connection with

No 6495

Private A. A. Dengate
59th Battalion
Australian Imperial Force
abroad

yours Faithfully
ada Dengate



CHANGE OF ADDRESS
NOTED FOR MAIL
13-8-18

Mr. Gilligan
9/8

CORRESPONDENCE
SECTION
AUG 9 1918

Acknowledged by Printed Card

110/10

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

MK

BASE RECORDS OFFICE,
VICTORIA BARRACKS,

MELBOURNE, 25th March., 1918.

Dear Madam,
I regret

to advise you that
has been reported

Pte. A. A. Dengate
wounded - effects of Gas.

His postal address will be:—

No. 6495 Private A. A. Dengate,
59th Battalion,
Australian Imperial Force,
Abroad.

In the absence of further reports it is to be assumed that satisfactory progress is being maintained, but anything later received will be promptly transmitted, it being clearly understood that if no further advice is forwarded this department has no more information to supply.

Yours faithfully,

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

D.194/3.17.—C.3416.

Mrs. C. Dengate,
"Thorne",
McArthur Street,
MALVERN. VIC.

D.L.E.
59th/6495

AK
Alr.

18th January, 1918.

No. 6495, Private Arthur
Archibald Dengate, 59th (late 14th) Battalion, Australian Imperial
Force, was admitted to Hospital, sick, on 3rd January, 1917; no
further record available.

WD

The Secretary,
M.U.I.O.O.F.,
45 Canterbury Road,
Toorak,
V I C T O R I A.

VFB/HNB
59/6495

13th August 1917.

L.C.

Dear Madam,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 6th instant, and to state no advice has been received at this Office to the effect that your husband has been transferred from the 14th to the 59th Battalion. If you have received information from him that such is the case, it is suggested you address letters as under:-

3244

No.6495 Private R.A.Dengate,
59th (late 14th) Battalion,
Australian Imperial Force,
ABROAD.

Yours faithfully,

Major.
Officer i/c Base Records.

mp

Mrs. C.A. Dengate,
Thorne,
McArthur Street,
Malvern, VIC.

S

Shorne
Mr Arthur Strat
Malvern.
6.8.1917.

8 AUG 17

To
Officer in Charge

Dear Sir

I am writing to ask if you would kindly let me know the correct address of my husband, Private Archibald Dengate. He left Australia for active service October 2nd 1916 in the 14th Battalion and as since has transferred to the 59th Battalion as he has not had many letters I thought I would write to see if you would kindly let me know which address to write to
yours sincerely
C. A. Dengate

P.S. I have had 2 letters returned from the 14th Battalion with unable to trace on them



11/20/17
11/20/17
CORRESPONDENCE SECTION
AUG 9 1917
C.A. Dengate
Miles
Miles
Miles

Shorne
No. Arthur Street
Malvern
23. 7. 1917

Dear Sir

I am writing to inform you of
my change of address from "Mayfield House"
"St Vincent Street" East Malvern. to
"Shorne," No. Arthur Street Malvern.
The Soldier name is



25 JUL 17

Private Archibald Dengate

6495.

59th Battalion

15th Brigade

5th Division

abroad. Australian Imperial Force

Mr Corby
24/17

and oblige
yours faithfully
Caroline Ada Dengate

noted
Archibald
25/7/17
J

CORRESPONDENCE
SECTION.

JUL 25 1917

CHANGE OF ADDRESS
NOTED FOR CALLS & D.P. No.
2/26/17

Acknowledged by Printed Card

Cover 3/17
AB

Mayfield House
St Vincent Street
East Malvern
1. 2. 1917

2 FEB.

Dear Sir

I desire to notify my change of address
From 22 Isabella Street
Malvern.

RECORDS
12-FEB-17
RECEIVED

To Mayfield House
St Vincent Street
Malvern East.

Cop A noted for
A. J. H. H.
2/2/17

In connection with the records of.

No 6495 Private Archibald Dengate
16th Cobey 14th Battalion
21st reinforcements
4th Brigade Infantry

By doing so you will
gratefully oblige
Caroline Ada Dengate

CORRESPONDENCE
SECTION
FEB 8 1917
RECEIVED.

Acknowledged by Printed Card

2/2/17

No. 1 (INFANTRY) Section.

W. O. COBBY.

CORRESPONDENCE FORM.

Reg'tl No. *67795* Rank *Plt* Name *A. W. Dergate*
 Unit *14th P.M.* District enlisted in *3rd*
 Next of kin and address *Mr. G. A. Dergate*
22 Sabella Street Malvern
 NEW ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN *Mayfield House,*
St. Vincent St. Malvern East
 Change of address noted on sheet and roll (Intls) *MA* Date *3/27/17*
 Change of address noted by Checker (Intls) *MA* Date *4/1/17*
 Last report

No. 1 (INFANTRY) Section.

W. O. COBBY.

CORRESPONDENCE FORM.

Reg'tl No. Rank Name
 Unit District enlisted in
 Next of kin and address
 NEW ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
 Change of address noted on sheet and roll (Intls) Date
 Change of address noted by Checker (Intls) Date
 Last report

No. 1 (Infantry) SECTION.

W. O. COBBY.

CORRESPONDENCE FORM.

16311

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES—3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

BRITISH WAR MEDAL

Received One MEDAL for No. 6495

Rank Cpl Name Dengate A.A.

Unit 59 Bn

Schedule No. 55977 (Signature) A. Dengate

(Witness) [Signature]

Place VB

Date 5 8 21 History Card completed [Signature]

D.1802/7.20.—C.12015.—100M.

Please return this receipt as soon as possible,
duly signed and witnessed, to—

**Medal Distributing Officer,
Victoria Barracks,
Melbourne.**

C.12015.

RECEIPT FOR VICTORY MEDAL.

201 Received from the Officer i/c Base Records, Army Head-
quarters, one Victory Medal in connexion with ~~6495~~
ex-No. 6495 Cpl. A.A. DENGATE, 59th Bn.

Signature A. Dengate

Date 10th Sept 1923

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

D.3049/1.22.—C.512M.

Regtl. No. 6495 Rank Gpl

Name DENGATE A. A. Unit 59th. En.

Embarked 2nd Oct 1916 Discharged 6th Feb 1920

I desire the undermentioned medal or medals, awarded for service in the A. I. F., to be forwarded to me at the following address:—

*Asburn Grove
Asburnton*

~~1914-15 Star~~
~~British War Medal, 1914-18~~
Victory Medal, 1914-19.



Signature *A A Dengate*

Date *26/8/23*

6495 Cpl TENGATE, A. "MSM" 59th Batt (3)
Retd "Dergala" 16/5/19 Disch 6/2/20 MU
BRM 48/45

DISMBALED
M.D.
LIST No.

101

TO BE FILED
WITH
SOLDIER'S
ACCOUNT



WOUNDED

1415	L/Cpl	HARRISON	J.		15.2.17.	CIBL.1121.
1440	T/Cpl	RICHARDS	A.L.		15.2.17.	CIBL.1121.
6087	Pte	SIGGINS	S.C.		15.2.17.	CIBL.1121.
152	Pte	HALL	R.		15.2.17.	CIBL.1121.
4811	Pte	HALL	J.T.		15.2.17.	CIBL.1121.
3287	Pte	GRACE	M.F.		15.2.17.	CIBL.1121.
4314	Pte	GMEYER	G.F.		14.2.17.	CIBL.1121.
8727	Pte	DEMNIS	P.		15.2.17.	CIBL.1121.
4294	Pte	CASEY	B.		15.2.17.	CIBL.1121.

ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITALS.

306	Pte	COVEN	T.	Wareham Mil.Hosp.	Mumps	23.2.17.
4977	Pte	ROGERS	A.H.	5th Lon.Gen.Hosp.	I.C.T.L.Ankle	19.2.17.
5378	Pte	ENGLISH	N.	Edmonton Mil.Hosp.	Trench Foot R.(Slt)	25.2.17.
4327	Pte	LEWIS	F.M.	Reading War.Hosp.	Enteric	24.2.17.
5421	Pte	MILLETT	W.G.	Norfolk War.Hosp.	Pneumonia Slt	24.2.17.
6551	Pte	CHILCOTT	R.	Mil.Hosp.Fargo		21.2.17.
6868	Pte	PECKETT	A.W.	Fargo.Mil.Hosp.	F.U.O.	19.2.17.

DISCHARGES FROM HOSPITALS.

6261	Pte	CHRISTOPHERS	C	Disch.to Duty	Scabies	21.2.17.	Fargo.M.Hosp.
6822	Pte	COSSOM	J.W.	Disch.to Duty	Scabies	21.2.17.	Fargo.M.Hosp.

6495 Dergate AA
59R

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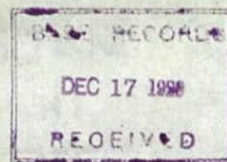
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2078
2712
1. Medical History Sheet
2. Attestation Papers

RECEIVED

Please furnish in duplicate:-

1. B103
2. B178
3. Medical History Sheet
4. Attestation Papers



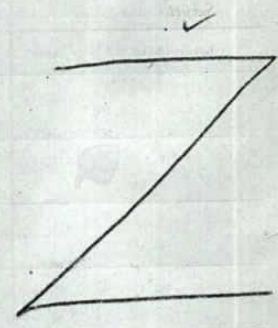
J. K. [Signature]
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

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M9340.

6495 Hengate. O. O. 59.16v.

Other documents were forwarded to
your department on 23-12-27.

R 940 - 689582



Oppenheimer
JW

Base Records Office,
Victoria Barracks,
MELBOURNE. V.
S.C.I.

23.12.29.

The Deputy Commissioner,
Department of Repatriation,
St. Kilda Road,
MELBOURNE.

R 9840 6:39582

REFERENCE:-

Herewith documents indicated relative to
the service of the undermentioned ex-member of the A.I.F.

Reg. No.	Rank	Name & Unit.	Documents attached.
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6496	4th Lt	Dungate	FOR EARLY RETURN:- B.P. Land 1/103
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TO BE RETAINED:-

1178
1179
1181
1182 (3)
1184
1187

med. History

W. Mackintosh
Captain,
Officer i/c Base Records.

3/11/17 To Hosp. sick ex # 4th class.
D.V. Base Depot at 6/1/18
24/2/17 H.O. S. of 59th CBn (Befo 4/7/17
(ex 3rd class 14th CBn)
from 4th class D.V. Base Dept
6/1/18 Befo 4/2-17

WAR PRIORITY CORRECTION 31D 134

Transferred to

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

No. 6495 *ape*
 Rank Private Name DENGATE, A.A. (M.S.M.)
 Unit 59th Battalion

Casualty WOUNDED - GAS *C.I.B.L. 2372, 1100^E dated London 7/2/1918 Received B.R. 14/1/1918*
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DATE	Form B. 103, Received	PURPORT.	REF. NO.
MAR 2 1918	N.O.K. Advised Wounded		
SEP 5 1918	N.O.K. Advised Wounded <i>and</i> Occasion		
SEP 19 1918	N.O.K. Advised in Hospital		
16 APR 1919	N.O.K. Advised returning to Australia, Form 7 and <i>and B.</i>		
2.7.19	Returned to Australia per A. H. T. <i>Donoghue</i> (see copy) <i>Disembarked 14/7/19 3rd M.D. List 240 215</i>		
19-9-19	<i>Mr. P.</i> Medal received; Sent to Comd <i>3rd M.D. M.S.M. - 43/354.</i>		
6/2/20	"WILL" to <i>Mr. P.</i> M.D. <i>M. 46, 222</i>		
26-2-20	Discharged 3 M.D. <i>Feb.</i> B.R.P.F. 41 DESPACHED <i>Sept 10. 1. 23</i>		
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5 SEP 1920 VICTORY MEDAL to *Soldier* B.R.P.F. 41

Registered Post No. *4710*