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DISCHARGED

VS 26617

NAME REED H.M.

81 8018

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[illegible]

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

SERVICE CONDUCT SHEET.

Sheet Destroyed
Date of Last Entry
Number of Cases of Drunkenness
Date of Last Instance of Drunkenness
† Certified Correct
Official No. 26617 Name REED Date 28.5.40
(In full.)

ADJUTANT,
No. 4 S.F.T.S.,
Rank of O. CADELAIDE.
Signature and Rank of O. CADELAIDE.
Date 6.7.40

Sheet No. 28.5.40
(In letters.)

Unit and Place.	Date of Offence.	Rank.	Cases of Drunkenness (in red ink)	Offence.	Witnesses.	Punishment Awarded.	Date of Award or of Award dispensing with Trial.	By whom Awarded.	Initials and Rank of Officer making Entry and Remarks, with Date.
		Certified No Entry		Signature of Flying Officer, Adjutant No. 4 S.F.T.S., Adelaide. 6.7.40					
				CERTIFIED NO ENTRY NO. 1 ENGINEERING SCHOOL, ASCOT VALE					
				Certified No Entry					
				Signature of Adjutant No. 2 A.O.S. Mt. Gambier 28.11.41					
				CERTIFIED NO ENTRY					
				Signature of Adjutant No. 6 S.F.T.S., MALLALA					

* "General" or "Service" to be inserted here with suitable rubber stamp.
† To be signed by Adjutant.

RECORD OF LEAVE

No. 24617 Rank of 1st Lt Name David H. C. M. Mustering FE Joined 20.5.40

Period	ANNUAL RECREATION LEAVE				SPECIAL LEAVE				LEAVE IN LIEU				Balance Due	
	Leave Granted			Routine Order	Leave Granted			Routine Order	Due on Account of	Days Due in Lieu	Days Taken			
	From	To	Days Du*		From	To	Days with Pay				Days without Pay	Date		Number
					Certified that No. <u>26617</u>									
					(Surname) <u>REED</u>									
					is as the date of his discharge, namely, the									
					day of <u>October</u> , 194 <u>5</u> ,									
					credits, in accordance with the provisions of A.B.O. A.277/45:—									
					Recreation Leave									
					Tropical Leave <u>REST</u>									
					War Service Leave									
					Total									
					Authority for payment in lieu of the above leave entitlement was									
					promulgated in No. Four Personnel Depot's Personnel Occurrence									
					Report No. <u>1031</u> / 194 <u>5</u>									
					(Signed) <u>[Signature]</u>									
					(Rank) <u>Lieut</u>									
					(Unit) No. Four Personnel Depot									
					<u>Certified checked for correct</u>									
					<u>26/10/45</u>									
					Accountant Officer									
					— DISCHARGE SQUADRON —									

50M -3 -45

NOTE.—At the close of each leave period the card is to be ruled No. 4 P.D. - R.A.A.F. - ADELAIDE, S.A.

Joined.

50M-3-45

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RECORD OF LEAVE.

No. 26617 Rank A.C. 1st Name Reed H. M. Mustering Para II E Joined 18.5.40

Period.	ANNUAL RECREATION LEAVE.				SPECIAL LEAVE.				LEAVE IN LIEU.			
	Days Due.	Leave Granted.		Routine Order.	Leave Granted.		Routine Order.	Days due in Lieu.	Due on Account of.	Days Taken.		Balance Due.
		From.	To.		From.	To.				Date.	Number.	
1940												
28.5.41	4	24/12/40	4	24/12/40								
28.5.41	4	5.4.41	4	8.4.41								
28.5.41	NIL											
28.5.41	4	5.8.41	4	8.8.41								
28.5.41	NIL											
28.5.41	4	16.9.41	4	19.9.41								
28.5.41	4	19.1.42	4	22.1.42								
28.5.41	4	16.3.42	4	19.3.42								
28.5.41	4	8/5/42	3	10/5/42								
28.5.41	1	16.7.42	4	26.7.42								
28.5.41	-3											
28.5.41	1											
28.5.41	5	7/11/42	3	13/11/42								
28.5.41	2	15/1/43	4	18/1/43								
28.5.41	-2											
28.5.41	2											

Leaving time
19.9.41 19.9.41 1
5.2 AOS.

NOTE.—At the close of each leave period the card is to be ruled off

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RECORD OF LEAVE.

Form F/P. 28.
(Revised July, 1933)

No. 26617 Rank Capt Name R.F.D. H.M. Mustering II E Joined 28.5.40

Period.	ANNUAL RECREATION LEAVE.				SPECIAL LEAVE.				LEAVE IN LIEU.		
	Leave Granted.		Routine Order.	Days Due.	Leave Granted.		Routine Order.	Days without Pay.	Due on Account of.	Days due in Lieu.	Balance Due.
	From.	To.			From.	To.					
<u>28.2.43</u> <u>B/F</u>											
<u>28.5.43</u>	<u>28.4.43</u>	<u>3.5.43</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>379</u> <u>43</u>	<u>4.5.43</u>	<u>T.T.</u>	<u>1</u>				
<u>BAL.</u>			<u>1</u>								
<u>28.8.43</u>	<u>5.9.43</u>	<u>8.9.43</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>289</u> <u>43</u>	<u>9.9.43</u>	<u>T.T.</u>	<u>1</u>				
<u>BAL.</u>			<u>1</u>								
<u>28.11.43</u>			<u>5</u>								
<u>28.2.44</u>			<u>9</u>								
<u>28.5.44</u>	<u>28.12.43</u>	<u>1.1.44</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1243</u> <u>43</u>	<u>3.1.44</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>1</u>		<u>H.L. 2 Issued</u>		
<u>28.8.44</u>			<u>7</u>								
<u>28.11.44</u>	<u>24.7.44</u>	<u>2.8.44</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>2011</u> <u>44</u>	<u>H.L. 2 Issued.</u>						
<u>28.2.45</u>	<u>26.1.44</u>	<u>1.1.45</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1693</u> <u>44</u>							
<u>28.5.45</u>	<u>1.1.45</u>	<u>10.1.45</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>15.7.45</u>							
<u>BAL.</u>			<u>14</u>								
<u>BAL.</u>			<u>62</u>								

H.L. 2 Issued. Dec. 44.
180 days of TECHNICAL TRAINING
ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE
EXHIBITION BUILDINGS

Official No. 26617 Name REED HARTLEY MAXWELL Rank Captain (T)
(In full in block capitals, surname first.) (Or acting appointment.)

Mustering Fitter 2E Special Qualifications _____
(e.g., Gas Instructor, Fire Fighter, Boxing Instructor.)

Date of Birth 1/6/1909 Religion C of E. Occupation in Civil Life Mechanic

Last Enlisted 28.5.40 Current Engagement Duration x 1 year

If Reservist, which Class ("E," 1-5) _____ Whether Married, Single or Widower M.

NEXT of KIN	Enter in Pencil.	Name	Kilda Matilda Reed	Person to be Informed of Casualties	Enter in Pencil.	Name	
		Relationship	Wife			Relationship	Wife
		Address	Stratbyn Rd Aldgate S/A.			Address	

Any alteration to above (e.g., Promotions) to be made by crossing out and writing above.

SECTION 2.—
PROMOTIONS, ACTING APPOINTMENTS (PAID OR UNPAID),
REDUCTIONS, REMUSTERINGS.

Unit FROM which.	Unit TO which.	Date of effect.	*Authority.	Description.	Date of Effect.
2 AOS	6 SFTS	26.11.41	POW 132/41	Corporal (T)	1.10.41
6 SFTS	4 I.A.P.	12.4.42	POW 215/42	Sgt.	1.11.42.
I.A.P.	A.F.H.Q. (D.A.I.)	30.10.43	POW 132/41	Corporal (T)	1.10.41
A.F.H.Q. (D.A.I.)	ATT. I.A.P.	30.10.43			
I.A.P.	ATTACHED I.S.T.T.	21.8.44			
I.S.T.T.	attached I.S.T.	9.7.45			
NO.1 STORE DEPOT, R.A.A.F. PORT MELBOURNE	A.F.H.Q. (D.A.I.)	16.9.45			
A.F.H.Q. (D.A.I.)	S.C.R.D.	17.9.45			
S.C.R.D.	4. P.D. (Pouch Sect)	21.10.45			
DISCHARGED	Under AFR 115/T				
On Demand AUTH: PD (A) 64-11/10					
Serial No. A/30109. WEF. 46/10/45					

* When on active service overseas, the authority to be quoted will be the serial number of the B.P.S.O.'s Casualty Form.

SECTION 3.—CHARACTER AND TRADE PROFICIENCY.

(To be assessed on every occasion on which an airman is struck off the strength of the unit, e.g., on posting, admission to hospital, death, &c.)

Rank.	Character.	Mustering.	Proficiency.*			Whether specially recommended, recommended, or not recommended for promotion or reclassification.	Date.	Signature and Rank of Commanding Officer.
			A	B	C			
Corporal ⁽¹⁾	V.G.	Fitter 2E	SAT.				31.12.41	M Forrest S/L.
Sgt.	V.G.	Fitter 2E		Sat	Mod	N.R. - N.S.	12.6.43	Homer S/L
								Group Captain Commanding No. 6 G.F.T.S. Mallala.
SGT	V.G.	FITTER. IIE		Sat	Mod	Recommended	23-8-44	W. Lab. S/L
								Commanding Officer 1 Aircraft Park, GEELONG
Sgt.	V.G.	Fitter. IIE	-	Sat	Sat	Recommended	13/9/45	Homer S/L
Sgt.	Ex.	Fitter IIE	-	Sat	Sat	Rec.	16/10/45	H. S. PRESTON
Sgt	EX	Fitter IIE	-	SAT	SAT	Rec	16.10.45	WING COMMANDER, COMMANDING No. 4 PERSONNEL DEPOT

SECTION 4.—DECORATIONS, MENTIONS, SPECIAL COMMENDATIONS BY A.Os.C., ETC.

Nature.	Date of Effect.	Authority.
RED WAR SERVICE CHEVRONS ISSUED		

NOTES.—This form is to be forwarded immediately, together with Form P/P.8 to the Commanding Officer of the Unit (if within the Command) to which the airman is posted whilst effective.

It is to be forwarded immediately, together with Form P/P.8 to the B.P.S.O. in all other cases where the airman is struck off strength of his Unit, e.g., killed, died, admitted to hospital, transferred to Home Establishment, posted outside the Command, etc.

* The trade proficiency headings "A," "B," and "C" signify—"A" (1) Skill in his trade (applicable to airmen up to rank of Corporal (inclusive)). (1) Proficiency as Pilot, Air Gunner, or Air Observer (if so mustered or appointed). "B" Ability as technical warrant, or non-commissioned officer, i.e., as foreman manager, foreman or supervisor in his trade. "C" Ability as a warrant, or non-commissioned officer, in Administration, drill discipline, etc. To be assessed in accordance with A.B.O. A 66/40.—"Ex"—(Exceptional); "Supr."—(Superior); "Sat."—(Satisfactory); "Mod."—(Moderate); "Inf."—(Inferior).

26,617
Reed Hm



PERMANENT FORCES.

War Service only.
When used for
attestation
other than
duration of
War, this
strip must
be cut
off.

Attestation of No. VS. 26617 Name REED, Hartley Maxwell.

FARINA, S.A.

Joined at No. 5 Recruiting Centre, ADELAIDE
on 28th May, 1940.

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- | | |
|---|--|
| 1. What is your Name? ... | 1. <u>Hartley Maxwell REED.</u> |
| 2. In or near what Town were you born? ... | 2. At or near the Town of <u>Burra,</u>
in the State of <u>South Australia.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject of pure European descent? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) | 3. <u>Yes. British subject.</u> |
| 4. What is your Age? (You are warned that if you give a false answer to this question you are liable to be severely punished) | 4. <u>30</u> <u>11/12</u> <u>17/6/1909</u> <i>fmh</i> |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... | 5. <u>Mechanic.</u> ✓ |
| 6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? | 6. <u>No.</u> |
| 7. Are you married? ... | 7. <u>Yes. - 2 children.</u> |
| 8. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? ... | 8. <u>Yes - Traffic Offence.</u> |
| 9. 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? (You are warned that you are liable to heavy punishment if you make a false answer to this question) | 9. <u>No.</u> |
| 10. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, His Majesty's Royal Navy, Marines, Army, Militia, Militia Reserve, Air Force, or Colonial Forces? If so, state which, and cause of discharge | 10. <u>No.</u> |
| 11. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? | 11. <u>Yes.</u> |
| 12. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? | 12. <u>No.</u> |
| 13. Are you willing to be enlisted under the conditions stated in the regulations for the Air Force of the Commonwealth of Australia? | 13. <u>Yes.</u> |

DECLARATION.

3. Hartley Maxwell REED do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Signature of Recruit H M Reed

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Air Force of the Commonwealth of Australia for the term of ~~*Six years~~ the duration of the war and twelve months thereafter or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed or removed; 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 recruit who objects to take an oath may "affirm." (see Air Force Regulations.)

* Strike out whichever is applicable.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER.

The recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Air Force Act and Air Force Regulations of the Commonwealth of Australia.

The questions were then read to the recruit 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 the opinion they are correct. (In the case of a British Subject, this is to be struck out.)

The said recruit has made and signed the Declaration and taken the Oath at Adelaide
in the State of South Australia, this twenty-eighth day of May,
19 40, before me.

D.3610/11.39.—C.15087.

Signature [Signature] F/O.
Enlistment Officer (A Justice of the Peace or Attesting Officer.)
No. 5 Recruiting Centre.

Description of Hartley Maxwell REED. on Enlistment.

Age <u>30</u> years <u>11</u> months.	WOUNDS, SCARS, OR DISTINCTIVE MARKS. Marks of ulcers on shins 4" square.
Height <u>5</u> feet <u>9½</u> inches.	
Weight <u>153</u> lbs.	
Chest Measurement <u>37</u> inches.	
Complexion <u>Dark</u>	
Eyes <u>Hazel</u>	
Hair <u>Brown</u>	
Religious Denomination <u>Church of England.</u>	

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I HAVE examined the above-named recruit, 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 pendant 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 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 service in the Permanent Air Force of the Commonwealth of Australia.

Date 28th May, 1940.

Place ADELAIDE.

G. H. Hayne. F/Lt.
(Signature of Examining Medical Officer.)

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I CERTIFY that this Attestation of the above-named recruit is correct, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to

No. 4 School Technical Training, ADELAIDE. S.A.

If enlisted by special authority, number and date to be here quoted Air Board
Signal P.M. 439 - 23/5/40.

Date 28th May, 1940.

Place ADELAIDE.

W. Macchi F/O.
Enlistment Officer,
No. 5 Recruiting Centre, ADELAIDE, S.A.

D.3610.

RE-ENGAGEMENT PAPER.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

I CERTIFY that I have carefully examined (No.) _____
(Rank) _____ (Name) _____
and in my opinion he does not suffer from any disability or ailment likely to interfere
with the efficient performance of his duties.

Signature of Medical Officer _____

Place _____

Date _____

AUTHORITY FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT.

Re-engagement approved *vide* _____

AGREEMENT ON RE-ENGAGEMENT.

AIR FORCE REGULATION 107, (FORM 2).

I, (No.) _____ (Rank) _____
(Name) _____
enlisted on the _____ day of _____ 19____
for a period of _____ years, hereby agree to re-engage for
service in the Royal Australian Air Force, under the conditions prescribed in the Air
Force Regulations and in accordance with the terms of my oath of enlistment for the
term of _____ years, or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or
removed.

Signature of Airman _____

Signed before me this _____ day of _____,
19____.

Signature _____

Commanding Officer.

Place _____

RE-ENGAGEMENT PAPER.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

I CERTIFY that I have carefully examined (No.) _____
(Rank) _____ (Name) _____
and in my opinion he does not suffer from any disability or ailment likely to interfere
with the efficient performance of his duties.

Signature of Medical Officer _____

Place _____

Date _____

AUTHORITY FOR RE-ENGAGEMENT.

Re-engagement approved *vide* _____

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(Name) _____
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service in the Royal Australian Air Force, under the conditions prescribed in the Air
Force Regulations and in accordance with the terms of my oath of enlistment for the
term of _____ years, or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or
removed.

Signature of Airman _____

Signed before me this _____ day of _____,
19____.

Signature _____

Commanding Officer.

Place _____

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ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

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ENROLMENT OF PERSON IN THE RESERVE.

No. R. _____ Name REED, Hartley Maxwell.
Joined at No.5 Recruiting Centre, Adelaide.
Joined on 13th May, 1940.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ENROLMENT.

What is your Name? Hartley Maxwell Reed.
What is your Age? 30 years 11 months.
What is the Date of your Birth? 1st June, 1909.
Are you Married or Single? Married.
Are you a British Subject? Yes. British.
Where were you Born? { Town Burra.
State South Australia.
What is your Religion? Church of England.
Have you previously served in Australia or elsewhere? If so, state Regiment or Corps,
Service, &c. No.
Do you now belong to any Service, Regiment, or Corps? No.
What is your Trade or Profession? Mechanic.
Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? Yes. Traffic.
Have you ever been dismissed from any part of His Majesty's Service? No.
What is your { Place of Residence? Farina, South Australia.
Business Address? _____

I, Hartley Maxwell Reed declare that the above
answers made by me to the above questions are true.

H. M. Reed.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

I HAVE examined the above-named, and Certify that he is medically suitable for the
Air Force Reserve. cannot Certify

Height _____ ft. _____ in. Vaccination Marks _____
Chest _____ in. When Vaccinated _____
Weight _____ st. _____ lb. Marks or Scars _____
Vision _____ R. Eye 6/ _____ L. Eye 6/ _____
Colour Vision _____
Hearing _____ R. Ear _____ L. Ear _____
Physical Development _____
Complexion _____
Eyes (colour) _____
Hair (colour) _____

(Signature of Examining Medical Officer.)

Date _____

C.1556/40.

OATH OR AFFIRMATION.*

OATH.

I, Hartley Maxwell Reed swear that I will well and truly serve Our Sovereign Lord the King as a member of the Air Force Reserve of the Commonwealth of Australia, 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!

AFFIRMATION.

I, _____, solemnly and sincerely affirm and declare that I will well and truly serve Our Sovereign Lord the King as a member of the Air Force Reserve of the Commonwealth of Australia, 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.

Sworn ^{Declared} before me at ADELAIDE.

in the State of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

this Thirteenth day of May One

thousand nine hundred and forty

Name J. Macle F/O.
† (Signature of Officer or Justice of the Peace administering the oath or taking the declaration.)

Address No. 5 Recruiting Centre, Adelaide.

H. M. Reed.
(Signature of Person enrolled.)

Hartley Maxwell Reed has been passed by me this day and posted to Class E5 of the Reserve.

Official Number R. _____

Date 13th May, 1940.

J. Macle F/O.
for WING COMMANDER **
for AIR MEMBER FOR PERSONNEL.

RE-ENROLMENT.

I, No. R. _____ (Rank) _____ (Name) _____
at present serving in the Reserve enrolled on (date) _____
desiring to re-enroll in the Air Force Reserve for a period of four years from _____
do hereby declare that I agree to re-enroll and to well and truly serve Our Sovereign Lord the King in the Air Force Reserve of the Commonwealth of Australia for the term of four years from _____ (date), or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed; 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.

Signature of Reservist _____

Signed at _____

in the State of _____ this

_____ day of _____ 19

before me. (Signature) _____

* A person who objects to taking the oath may make the affirmation. Cross out form not used. All amendments must be initialed by the Officer or J.P. witnessing the Affirmation.

† "Justice of the Peace" means a Stipendiary or Police or Special Magistrate, or some Magistrate of the State who is specially authorized by the Governor-General to administer the oath.

** Rank and appointment.

RE-ENROLMENT.

I, No. R. (Rank) (Name)

at present serving in the Reserve enrolled on (date)

desiring to re-enroll in the Air Force Reserve for a period of four years from

..... do hereby declare that I agree to re-enroll and to well and truly serve
Our Sovereign Lord the King in the Air Force Reserve of the Commonwealth of Australia
for the term of four years from (date), or until sooner lawfully
discharged, dismissed, or removed; 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.

Signature of Reservist

Signed at

in the State of this

..... day of 19

before me.

(Signature)

.....

4

* Here insert Official Number and Name.

IN LIEU OF P/P 35.

Police records have been searched at Adelaide and disclose
no offence which would be considered as a bar to the enlistment
of.....*REF. Hartley Maxwell*.....(Vide P/21/40)

Instructions to Recruiting Officers dated 20/2/'40).

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

Conditions Governing Enlistment, Promotion,
Re-Muster, Transfer and Discharge.

The following information has been conveyed to the applicant, whose signature is appended:—

1. On enlistment, airmen become subject to the Air Force Act and Air Force Regulations as amended from time to time and Orders promulgated under the authority of that Act and Regulations.

2. Enlistment will be for the duration of the war and for a period of not more than twelve months thereafter.

3. Enlistment is for service anywhere, and no guarantee can be given as to location at any time, but the wishes of personnel will be considered as far as the exigencies of the Service permit. Airmen must be prepared to serve overseas or in Australia.

4. Promotion to higher ranks, re-muster to other trades, and transfer to other units are governed by the following factors:—

- (a) the requirements of the Service;
- (b) the existence of vacancies;
- (c) the special qualifications of an airman for holding any position other than that to which he has been appointed.

5. Promotion, re-muster, or transfer is always by selection and cannot be claimed as a right by any airman.

6. Re-muster to another trade is subject to the applicant having passed the prescribed trade test, and subject to vacancies occurring in approved establishments.

7. The passing of an examination for promotion, or a trade test for re-muster, does not entitle the airman to immediate promotion or re-muster, as promotion is always governed by the conditions set out in paragraphs 4, 5, and 6 above.

8. An airman may be discharged at any time for any of the reasons laid down in Air Force Regulations.

9. An airman's fare is paid from his place of residence to his place of enlistment. A married man, who desires to bring his wife and children to his place of enlistment may do so at his own expense.

10. If an airman after enlistment desires to change the location of his household, the cost of removal of furniture from his place of residence to his place of enlistment or to any place of subsequent posting must be borne by the airman. No portion of this expense is payable by the Department.

11. Airmen receive free medical and prescribed free dental treatment. Their wives and children will not receive free medical or dental attention.

12. The rates of pay for airmen enlisted for the period mentioned in paragraph 2 above have been explained to me.

13. I thoroughly understand and accept the conditions set out above.

Date 10/5/40

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H. M. Reed

Signature of Applicant.

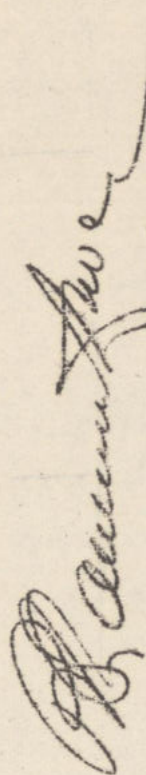
NAME Hartley Maswell REED

INTERVIEW	MEDICAL CATEGORY	DENTAL CATEGORY	TRADE TEST	R.M.P.O.	ENROLLED RESERVE
<i>Q18</i>			<i>Repaired back</i>	<i>WJ16</i>	

In acknowledging the receipt of your recent letter offering your services to the Royal Australian Air Force, I am to inform you that your offer is greatly appreciated.

Your name has been recorded as being available for duty and, should the necessity arise in the near future, a further communication will be addressed to you.

Yours faithfully,



F.O.

RECRUITING OFFICER.

REED H. M.

Form P. P. 48.
(Revised Dec. 1939.)

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

Application for Enlistment as an Airman.

TRAINEE TECHNICAL

PART I.

1. Surname (block letters) REED
2. Christian Names (in full) Hartley Maxwell
3. Address FARINA. Farina. L. A.
5
4. Date of Birth June 1st 1909. (E.B.E. Sighted)
5. Married or Single Married.
6. Are you a British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject of pure European descent? British Subject
7. What was the Nationality of your Parents at their birth? Australian
8. Trade in which it is desired to enlist Ground staff.
9. Particulars of experience (to be supported by copies of references)—

(a) at trade in which it is desired to enlist:

Unemployed.
H.M. Reed.

Mechanical work.

(b) at any other occupation:

10. Did you serve an apprenticeship? (Give full particulars):

No.

11. Educational Qualifications (including technical education):

None.

12. Details of Naval, Military, or Air Service (if any):

No. _____ Rank _____ If still serving _____
If not, reason for discharge _____

13. Physical Particulars:

Height 5 ft 10. Weight 11-9.
Chest measurement: Normal 36 Expanded 39.
If incapacitated in any way (give reasons): No
If in possession of false dentures: No

14. Have you submitted an application before; if so, when? No

15. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? No

CERTIFICATE.

16. I hereby certify that the replies set out to the above questions are, to the best of my knowledge and belief true and correct.

Date 10/5/40. H. M. Reed.
Signature of Applicant.

17. **CERTIFICATE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN.***

I am agreeable that my ^{son} ward joins the Royal Australian Air Force for service at home or overseas.

Date _____ Signature of Parent or Guardian.

* To be filled in if Applicant is under 21 years of age.

18. Number of References attached (copies only required) 2 G.P.

PART II.

A.A. 64% G.P.

REPORT.

(For Official Use Only).

TRADE TEST. Failed 40%.

HEARD FIRST? Radio.
KNOWS? A.C.I. Bell.
KN? Yes.
USE? Experience. New country.
ANYWHERE? Yes.
L: FITNESS: SPORT: Tennis.
IN BARRACK ROOM? Yes.

Test for Father
Knowledge of Precision Inst. - Poor.
" " Trade Process - Fairly Good.
" " X.C. Engine - Fairly Good.
Proc T.T. - Marking & setting out - Fairly Acc.
Filing & Finish - just Average
Suitable for enlistment as Trainee Tech
Good gpl.
Date 10/5/40 Examining Officer.

ROUGH IT? Yes.
ICE? Traffic offence (25/-)
AR NOTICE. 2 WEEKS?
PERS. O.K.

DESCRIPTION. Suitable type.
Rather dull & slow in answering
probably through living in country.
Eager to serve. G.P.

MEDICAL.	DENTAL.
<u>Nil ill</u>	<u>(Fit)</u> <u>will require</u> <u>treatment of pneumonia</u>
<u>Bryan J. H.</u>	<u>G. H. J.</u>
Date <u>10/5/40</u> Examining Officer.	Date <u>10/5/40</u> Examining Officer.

CONTENTS.

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O.N. vs 26617

REED

Christian Names Hartley Maxwell

Conf: file opened (date)_____

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

DEFENCE CORPORATE SUPPORT

Reference : DISPREC-AF/26617
Contact : Jill Haidon
Telephone : 02 6266 5857

RAAF Discharged Personnel
Records Queanbeyan
Department of Defence
CANBERRA ACT 2600

Your Reference: X13793 dated 2 June 2000 (SA)
ATTN: Dianne Zilm-Thorpe

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE
RECORDS OF SERVICE
EXTRACT FROM EX-MEMBER'S SERVICE DOCUMENTS

NUMBER: 26617
RANK: Sergeant
NAME: Hartley Maxwell REED
DATE OF BIRTH: 01 June 1909

ENLISTMENT IN THE ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE: 28 May 1940
For the duration of the War and for Twelve months thereafter.

MUSTERING: Fitter II E

DATE AND REASON FOR DISCHARGE: 26 October 1945 "On Demobilisation"

OPERATIONAL SERVICE: Nil

The Veteran did not serve outside the mainland of Australia, and did not serve in the Northern Territory, north of parallel 14.5° south latitude during World War II.

Certified that the above is a true and correct Statement of Service of the abovenamed ex-member of the Royal Australian Air Force.

REMARKS: Nil

Jenny Turner
RAAF Records
22 June 2000

Request for Documents

DVA file number **x13793**

ADF Health Records Use Only - Registered No.

Applicant's details - This department is considering an application for Repatriation Benefits for this applicant.

Service number **26617**

Rank

Unit or ship **RAAF.**

Surname (include AKA/Maiden name) **REED.**

Given names **HARTLEY M**

Date of birth **11/6/09**

Sorry no details given Vet is deceased.

Date of enlistment **1/7/**

Serving ☐ Discharged ☒ - Date of discharge **1/1/?**

Required documentation - Please assist by providing the following documentation. The authority for this request is contained under Section 128 of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*.

Medical documents ☐	Microfilms (enlistment and discharge) ☐
Updated medical documents ☐	Dental records ☐
Statement of service ☒	Attestation paper ☐
Updated statement of service ☐	DPA, DPO, DGPS records ☐
X-rays (enlistment and discharge) ☐	

Please send these documents to:

Postal address **Department of Veterans' Affairs**
DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS
BLACKBURN HOUSE
100 GRENFELL STREET
ADELAIDE SA 5000 **VS13.**

Phone for enquiries **(08) 82900518**

Signature of delegated officer **Diane Zehn-Thoma 21/6/00**

Returned documentation - The following documents are forwarded to Veterans' Affairs

Medical documents CMR ☐ P/C CMR ☐ FMB ☐	DPA, DPO, DGPS records ☐ Statement of service ☐ Updated statement of service ☐	X-rays (enlistment and discharge) ☐ Microfilms (enlistment and discharge) ☐ Dental records ☐ Attestation paper ☐
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Releasing Officer's details

Name

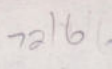
Phone for enquiries **()**

Date **/ /**

Receipt Officer's details

Name

Date **/ /**



DVA file number X13793

Service number 26617

Rank	Country	Share of GDP
1	United States	20.3%
2	Germany	12.5%
3	France	11.8%
4	Japan	11.2%
5	United Kingdom	10.5%
6	Italy	9.8%
7	Canada	9.2%
8	Spain	8.5%
9	Sweden	7.8%
10	South Korea	7.2%
11	India	6.5%
12	China	5.8%
13	Brazil	5.2%
14	Russia	4.5%
15	Mexico	3.8%
16	Argentina	3.2%
17	South Africa	2.5%
18	Australia	2.0%
19	Indonesia	1.5%
20	India	1.0%

Unit or ship RIDE

Surname (include AKA/Maiden name) REED

Given names Habteyesus M

Date of birth	11/6/09
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Date of enlistment / /

Serving ☐ Discharged ☒ - Date of discharge

Sorry no details given Vet is deceased

Medical documents ☐Microfilms (enlistment and discharge) ☐Updated medical documents ☐Dental records ☐

Statement of service

Attestation paper ☐

Updated statement of service

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Postal address	Department of Veterans' Affairs DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS BLACKBURN HOUSE 100 GRENFELL STREET ADELAIDE SA 5000 Attention:
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Phone for enquiries (08) 82900518

Signature of delegated officer *Diana John-Thorpe 21/6/0*

Medical documents

CMR ☐

P/C CMR ☐

FMB ☐

DPA, DPO, DGPS records ☐X-rays (enlistment and discharge) ☐Statement of service ☐Microfilms (enlistment and discharge) ☐

Updated statement of service

Dental records ☐

Attestation paper

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Phone for enquiries ()

Date / /

Name	
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Date / /

CERTIFIED THAT NAME AND DATE
OF BIRTH HAVE BEEN CHECKED
WITH BIRTH CERTIFICATE.

RECORD OF SERVICE.—AIRMEN
PERSONAL. (PERMANENT).
(CITIZEN FORCE).

RAAF. FORM P/P 25.
(Revised May, 1940.)

AIR FORCE No. 266

No. 26617 Name REED		Christian Name		Hagley Macwell		Address		STANTALBIN RD ALCHIE SA	
Date of Birth 1-6-1909		Married. Single. Widower.		M 2		Name		Mrs. Mrs. J. J. J.	
Religion Ep. S. B.		Next of Kin		Relationship		Name		Relationship	
PREVIOUS TRADE AND TRADE QUALIFICATIONS		PREVIOUS NAVAL, MILITARY, OR AIR SERVICE		Discharge		Decorations, &c.		Decorations, MEDALS, MENTIONS	
mechanic								WAR MEDAL 1939-45	
DEPENDENTS		EXAMINATIONS PASSED FOR PROMOTION		Rank passed for		Subject		Date	
FULL NAME		Relationship		Date of Birth		Verified from		Remarks	
Hilda Matilda Reed		Wife		9-5-30		M.F.S.			
Anna Mary		Daughter		17-12-37		"			
Gust John		"		2-5-42		"			
Eileen Marion		"		2-5-42		"			
Eileen Marion		Aunt		1-12-42		"			
RE-CLASSIFICATIONS, PROMOTIONS, AND APPOINTMENTS		Classification or Rank		Date		Authority			
A.C.T.		28 MAY 1940		1-11-42		"			
L.P.B.		12-5-41		1-11-42		"			
B.N.(T)		1/10/41		1-11-42		"			
2. Sgt.		1-11-42		1-11-42		"			
MOVEMENTS		Rank passed for		Subject		Date		Remarks	
Plunkage mfg 26.10.45									
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H.M. Reed (26617)

I of *Wooltana Str* *Via Colley* *4th Aust*
(address if changed)

hereby acknowledge receipt of General Service Badge.

No, A.F. 1603

Signature *Hartley M. Reed*

Date *28-1-50*

(PD60/49)Z



COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

Telephone
TELEPHONE: MXY 550
TELETYPE: MXY 700
ADDRESS:
"AIRFORCE MELBOURNE."
231/14/3057
IN REPLY QUOTE

AB. 205,572

DEPARTMENT OF AIR.

MELBOURNE, S.C.1.

24 NOV 1947

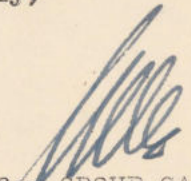
Dear Sir,

With reference to your recent application for entry into the Royal Australian Air Force, I have to inform you that your offer of service is appreciated by the Air Board.

However, under the new conditions of service the age limit is thirty-three (33) years.

It is regretted therefore that your age precludes your acceptance for further service in the Royal Australian Air Force.

Yours faithfully,


F/LT.
for GROUP CAPTAIN,
OFFICER IN CHARGE OF RECORDS.

Mr. H.M. Roed,
Motor Garage,
HAMILTON, S.A.

(Resident Air Force Officer, South Australia)
for information.

DEPARTMENT OF AIR

MINUTE PAPER

(This side only to be written on)

SUBJECT: EX NO. 26617 - SGT. - REED, H.M. - FITTER IIE

STAFF OFFICER RECRUITING

The abovenamed ex-member who has applied for enlistment in the Permanent Air Force is over the maximum age limit, and the application is therefore referred for your comments and recommendation, please.

[Signature]
F/LT.
for GROUP CAPTAIN,
OFFICER IN CHARGE OF RECORDS.

18 F. 647 do 4 P.D.
17TH NOVEMBER, 1947.
BK.

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OFFICER IN CHARGE OF RECORDS.

17TH NOVEMBER. 1947.
BK.

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HARTLEY M. REED
MOTOR GARAGE
HAWKER, S.A.Nov 6th 1947.

Recruiting Officer
Victoria Barracks
Melbourne

Dear Sir.

I hereby apply for enlistment in
the R.A.A.F. as a Fitter I/E, or as a Fitter-driver
on the Motor Transports.

I was in the R.A.A.F. for 5 years and 5 months.

My No. 26617

No doubt you will be able to find my records.

The garage business is ruined through spare parts
and tyres being in such short supply.

Yours sincerely
Hartley M. Reed.

REFERRED	DATE	SIG.
Re	11/11	
overage Mfr to SO Recruiting		



Received from the Royal Australian Air Force
Form F/P83A (Certificate of Service and Discharge)
in respect of my Service with the R.A.A.F.

DATED 12-11-45

.....SGD..... *H.M. Reed*

EX NO. 26617 SGT REED H.M.

Thank you.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

26617

4. PERSONNEL DEPOT - DEMOBILISATION WING - CLEARANCE E/A.32.

No. 26617 Rank SGT Name REED H.M. Mustering 2E,
A.F.R.115 (PT) ON DEMOB
AUTHORITY PD @ 647 11/10 A/30/09

RECEPTION SQUADRON

1. INTAKE 22/10/45
Card registered M.E. Bowen
2. DOCUMENTS INWARD REGISTER.
P/P.28 P/P.75 P/P.64 P/P.8
P/P.156 E/A.30A Med. Paybook
Action Doc 05/10/45
O'seas Stat dec N/A
Accrd. Rec & Trop leave days

3. (a) MEDICAL RECORDS.
Docs recvd 22/10/45 M.E. Bowen
(b) DENTAL
(c) MEDICAL OFFICER.
T.M.U.
Med. Board
Med. Fit subj X-ray

4. REHABILITATION.
Form 2 M.E. Bowen
Action
TECH LIB
VOC. GUID.

5. CLOTHING CARDS.
Recd 22/10/45 Not Recd
R.Kit listed

6. EQUIPMENT
Rep. Voucher No.
Pub. Money Recpt
E/A.30A checked
D.R. Required

7. ACCOUNTING.
D.R. Raised NIL
E/A.30A checked
Pay Book recvd
Hat suit voucher
Clothing Coupons
WAAF Cloth. Allow

8. CHAPLAIN 18/10/45

9. CONTROL IN.
May date 24/10/45 Date clear
Recall Address Aldgate
Liv. Out from 23/10 to 25/10 incl.
Rec. Leave from to incl
Leave Register Card
Recall sent on 25/10/45
Report at 0800 hrs on 26/10/45

10. CONTROL OUT
Reported in 26/10/45
Barracks clear
Docs. to Discharge Sqdn
Card entered

11. DATE REPORTING DISCHARGE SQDN.
26/10/45 hours.

O.i/c. Control
for G.C. DEMOBILISATION WING.

M.P. 11/10

DISCHARGE SQUADRON.

1. INTAKE.
Reported on 26/10/45
Docs Ident Card
M/F131 Leave Pass
2. LEAVE.
Re-estab : 30 P/P.28
War Service : NIL certif.
Rec & Trop : 9 led.
TOTAL PAY. 39 CYS.
IN LIEU

3. MEDICAL.
Transfer) DATE: 26/10/45
Discharge)
P.O.R. No. 1031
Travel Warrant No.

4. REHABILITATION & RE-ESTABLISH-
MENT
First RAAF Rehab Interview. F.R.
Vocational Guidance:
(Member then to proceed to
civil Wing on re-establishment
action clearance card)
Second RAAF Rehab Interview:-

5. ACCOUNTING.
Deficiency & / / RRV No.
P.O.R. No.
Cleared
6. PAY
Pay : 4-0-0
Pay in lieu : 9-15-0
Subsistence : 5-17-0
WAAF Cash All: 2
TOTAL : 419-12-0

7. FINALISATION.
w/c 1. completed
Interim cert. issued
Will return
R.A.S. Badge issued
Docs completed

8. RECORDS
Card completed
Finance Docs to AFHQ
Serdocs to AFHQ

O.i/c Discharge,
Squadron
for G.C. DEMOBILISATION WING.

DATE 26/10/45

OCT 22 1945

RECEPTION & DISPOSAL SQUADRON.

(This form to be completed by all discharges)

No. 26614 Rank Sgt Full Name REED, Hartley Maxwell
(Surname in Block Letters)
Mustering 2 E Religion C of E Date of Birth 1-6-09
Address (Permanent) Aldgate Ld
Address (Temporary)
(If Applicable)
Enlisted at No. 45 Recruit Centre. Date Enlisted 28-5-40
Will made at (Unit) 6 S.F.T.S. Month & Year Made
OVERSEAS SERVICE (R.A.A.F.).

Units NIL
Locality Date Embarked
Date Dis-embarked
Units
Locality Date Embarked
Date Dis-embarked

PREVIOUS WARTIME SERVICE.

Branch Where Served
(Army or Navy)
Period of Service from to
Next of Kin Milds Matilda Reed Wife
(Full Name & Relationship)
Address Aldgate Ld

For Reception & Disposal Squadron Use Only.

~~Transferred to Reserve~~
~~Discharge~~
~~Termination of Appointment~~

Reason On demob
Authority PD 647 11/10

A/30109
5 RCD
31/10/45

R.A.A.F. EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

EDUCATIONAL RECORD CARD

1. This form is to be raised when a member applies for an Attendance Course or a Correspondence Course under the general education scheme of the R.A.A.F. Educational Services.
2. Entries are to be made by the Unit Education Officer, or Officer in charge of Educational Facilities.
3. On posting of the member, the card is to be sent to the Education Officer of the gaining unit.

Number 26617 Rank Sgt Name REED H. M.

Date of Birth 1/6/1909 Mustering Pitter 2 F.

Civil Occupation Mechanic Intended Post-War Occupation Undecided

Educational Standard: In the space below, enter the particulars of Education, Secondary, University, Technical, Commercial, Agricultural.

INSTITUTION	AGE ON LEAVING	SUBJECTS OF STUDY
<u>Bura Primary School S.A.</u>	<u>15 years.</u>	

PLEASE NOTIFY R.A.A.F. HEADQUARTERS OF ANY CHANGE OF ADDRESS

PARTICULARS OF COURSES UNDERTAKEN

COURSE	INSTITUTION	DATE BEGUN	DATE COMPLETED	REMARKS
Oxy Welding	M.T.C.	13.6.45.		

GENERAL REMARKS: (Here set down any information likely to help the Education Officer of the Unit to which the member is posted.)

No. 4 Personnel Depot,
R.A.A.F., SPRINGBANK, S.A.

CERTIFICATE OF DESTRUCTION OF PERSONAL IDENTITY CARD.

This is to certify that the Personal Identity

Card, Number of No. *26617* Rank *Sgt*

Name *Reed H* Mustering *1/E*

was destroyed under my personal supervision on the

day of 194 .

*Ident. Card to be
destroyed on arrival
London. H. M. Reed.*

[Signature]

Officer-in-Charge
DISCHARGE SQUADRON,
NO. 4 PERSONNEL DEPOT.

PERSONNEL OCCURRENCE REPORT OF DISCHARGE SQUADRON (DEMOBILISATION WING)
OF NO.4 PERSONNEL DEPOT, RAAF, SPRINGBANK, S.A.

PART "B" - AIRMEN

Serial No.1031/45
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 Dated....29/10/45
 PARTS "C"&"D" NIL

DISCHARGE SQUADRON (DEMOBILISATION WING)

Number	Rank	Trade & Group	Name	Nature of Casualty, Date of Effect and Authority.
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(q) DISCHARGES AND TRANSFERS TO RESERVE (Cont'd)

				Discharged wef 26/10/45 under AFR115(t) "On Demobilisation."
26415	SGT	DRILL INST (5)	McLEOD N.D.	S/N A/30414. AUTH : PD(D)854, 16/10. (Payment in lieu 30 days leave).
27026	LAC	MOT/CYCLIST(3)	MARRA L.B.	S/N A/29999. AUTH : PD(C)549, 9/10. (Payment in lieu 45 days leave).
27233	SGT	FITTER IIE (1)	MARRIOTT E.	S/N A/29892. AUTH : PD(A)542, 6/10. (Payment in lieu 35 days leave).
154294	AC1	TR/TECH (5)	MUTTON R.W.	S/N A/28683. AUTH : D1(B)184, 30/8. (Payment in lieu 30 days leave).
46334	LAC	D.M.T. (3)	PRIOR S.	S/N A/30026. AUTH : PD(C)334, 10/10. (Payment in lieu 53 days leave).
26617	SGT	FITTER IIE (1)	REED H.M.	S/N A/30109. AUTH : PD(A)647, 11/10. (Payment in lieu 39 days leave).
5033	CPL	GEN HAND (5)	RICE W.R.J.	S/N A/29782. AUTH : PD(C)238, 5/10. (Payment in lieu 57 days leave).
27615	CPL	INST MKR (1)	SMITH R.J.	S/N A/29416. AUTH : D1(B)62, 19/9. (Payment in lieu 98 days leave).
27343	F/SGT	FITTER IIA (1)	SWEETLAND H.E.	S/N A/29850. AUTH : PD(A)365, 8/10. (Payment in lieu 42 days leave).
26211	F/SGT	FITTER IIA (1)	TRENOUTH C.A.R.	S/N A/30255. AUTH : PD(A)311, 15/10. (Payment in lieu 38 days leave).
8404	SGT	GEN HAND (5)	TRUSSEL J.H.D.	S/N A/29728. AUTH : PD(C)142, 4/10. (Payment in lieu 44 days leave).

F. R. Wall
 (F.R.WALL) F/LT.,
 O/I/C Discharge Squadron,
 NO.4 PERSONNEL DEPOT.

...../5.

PERSONNEL OCCURRENCE REPORT OF DISCHARGE SQUADRON (DEMOBILISATION WING)
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(q) DISCHARGES AND TRANSFERS TO RESERVE (Cont'd)

Discharged wef 26/10/45
under AFR115(t) "On Demobilisation."

8123	W/O	EQUIP ASST (3)	BARONS C.E.	S/N A/29766. AUTH : PD(E)206, 5/10. (Payment in lieu 45 days leave).
5451	SGT	FITTER IIE (1)	BOASE C.A.	S/N A/30113. AUTH : PD(A)633, 11/10. (Payment in lieu 50 days leave).
27490	CPL	CARP RIGGER (1)	BROWN H.A.L.	S/N A/30143. AUTH : PD(A)723, 11/10. (Payment in lieu 40 days leave).
417561	LAC	CLERK (4)	BROWNE R.V.	S/N A/30271. AUTH : PD(E)693, 15/10. (Payment in lieu 30 days leave).
28197	SGT	DENT MECH (2)	BUYRN V.H.	S/N A/29604. AUTH : D1(D)391/45, 27/9. (Payment in lieu 30 days leave).
115289	LAC	TELEG (2)	CARR L.A.	S/N A/29559. AUTH : PD347, 26/9. (Payment in lieu 69 days leave).
5583	CPL	COOK (3)	DREW R.G.	S/N A/30016. AUTH : PD(D)317, 9/10. (Payment in lieu 31 days leave).
48149	LAC	GUARD (5)	GRAETZ A.L.	S/N A/29177. AUTH : PD692, 12/9. (Payment in lieu 75 days leave).
407290	W/O	W.O.AIR G (2)	HOARE V.H.	S/N A/29712. AUTH : P398, 2/10. (Payment in lieu 75 days leave).
8839	CPL	CARP RIGGER (1)	HOGAN E.A.	S/N A/30144. AUTH : PD(A)722, 11/10. (Payment in lieu 30 days leave).
28955	SGT	GUARD (5)	JAMES F.R.	S/N A/30383. AUTH : PD(C)692, 17/10. (Payment in lieu 34 days leave).
5585	SGT	CARP RIGGER (1)	MACINTYRE N.J.	S/N A/30156. AUTH : PD(A)753, 11/10. (Payment in lieu 32 days leave).

(F.R.WALL) F/LT.,
O/i/C Discharge Squadron,
NO.4 PERSONNEL DEPOT.

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26617

26617 SGT REED H.M.

Sir,

145443188

26th October, 1945,

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D.P.S. Dis. Sec.

G. O. R.

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"P" File

Mr. H.M. Reed,
ALDGATE S.A.

REGISTERED

31/10

26617 SGT REED H.M.

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26617 REED

PROMOTIONS, RE-EQUIPPING.

Pvt	28/5/40	TR. TECH	✓
Pvt	1/10/40	FITTER I E	✓
LAC	12/5/41	"	"
T/CL	1/10/41	"	"
T/SGT	1/11/42	"	"

NAME... HARTLEY MAXWELL ✓

DATE ENLISTED... 28/5/40 ✓

DATE OF BIRTH... 1/6/09 ✓

CIVIL OCCUPATION... MECHANIC ✓

QUALIFICATIONS SPECIAL COURSES.

16 DRILL CSE 24/9/40 4STT 25/40 ✓
WARD ENGINES MAINT. CSE 18/10/40 P356/40 ✓
85 FITTER I E CSE 28/2/41 P148/41 ✓

MEDALS DECORATIONS COMMEMORATIONS.

CHECKED BY... Robert.....

GENERAL 24/11/41 6SFTS
CRIMES AND PUNISHMENT. 12/4/40 1AP
30/10/43 AFHQ
31/9/45 5CRD

MESSAGE FORM

SIGNALS FILE No. **GR 65**

CALL AND PREFACE.

No. of Groups.

Office Date Stamp.

GR

A.F. HEADQUARTERS
TELECOMMUNICATION UNIT

27 OCT 1945

SIGNAL OFFICE

(Above this line is for Signals use only.)

FROM **FOUR PERDEP (DEMOB WING)**

TO **AFHQ**

FOR INFORMATION TO **SOUTHAFHQ.**

M98 26 OCT PD(A)647 11 OCT UNCLASS ATTENTION OIC RA3 A30109
(.) 26617 SGT REED H M FIT2E DISCHARGED WEF 26 OCT (.)
EXEMPLARY (.) B AND C SATISFACTORY (.) ALDGATE SA

Initials
Date

Discharge Advice No. **385**

83A.

29 OCT 1945



COPIED TO **1153Z**

Security & Signature

Priority.

System In.

System In.

Reader.

Sender.

D.T.G.

T.H.I.

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T.O.R.

System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.

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D1(A)RC.M2.

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5 CENREDEP 4 MCH 4 FENDEP APO ADELALIDE
RAAFI. PD(A)547 11 OCT

UNCLASSIFIED SERIAL NO. A/50109 (.) 26617 EGT REED
H.M. FITTER RE 5 CENREDEP POSTED 4 FENDEP(M/E) WEF
21 OCT FOR DISCHARGE UNDER APR115(t) "ON DEMOBILISATION"

for DES D 11/12 030

11/12/12

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

MOVEMENT ORDER.

Number *26617* Rank *Sgt* Name *Reed A.M.*
 You are hereby instructed to proceed to *A.F.H.Q. (D.A.) Melbourne*
 by train leaving *Footscray* at *12.30* hours on *29-10-43*
 ADGZ *D1/576/43* 25710

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

Proceed to Melbourne and report to Camp.
Commandant A.F.H.Q. (D.A.) Melbourne Hall
Anderson St, South Yarra at
1400 hours on 30-10-43 for instruction

On arrival at you will report to the Adjutant, and
 hand in this order by hours on

Date, ... **PROMULGATED IN** *298143*
A.F.H.Q. - P.O.R. No.

RECEIVED
 One copy of this order
 Rail Warrant
 Meal Warrants
 Coach & Steamer Warrants.

(T.J.P. WOOD) Squadron Leader,
 Commanding, No. 1 Aircraft Park,
 GEELONG
 VICTORIA.

A.M. Reed *Adj.*
 (Signature of Recipient)

30/10

26617 DRILL TRAINING CARD.

No. 26617 Rank. A.C.I. Name. READ. H.M. Trade.....

	Drill without arms	Drill with arms	Close order Drill	Guards & Sentries	Manual Exercises	Fire Drill Training.	Musketry Training.	Hygiene and Sanitation.	Standing Orders	Customs of the Service.	Handling of Aircraft	Aircrew swinging.	Barracks Routine	Anti-gas Training.	Parachute Fitting	Total.
1.	7	5				1 1/2		1	1	1			1	1		17 1/2
2.	5	10	8	4	4	1/2		1/2	1/2				1/2	1		34
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Total.																93 1/2

PASSED TO THE RANKS AT NO. 4 S.T.T. 27.9.40

EXCEPT FOR MUSKETRY; AIRCREW SWINGING; PARACHUTE FITTING...

TRAINING COMMENCED 4.9.40 TRAINING COMPLETED 27.9.40...

[Signature]
Flying Officer

[Signature] Squadron Ldr.
Commanding
No.4 School of Technical Training
R.A.A.F. ADRLADE.

Nº 29346

SOUTH



AUSTRALIA.

26617

The Office of the Principal Registrar

of Births, Deaths, and Marriages,

Adelaide, S.A.,

13 MAY 1941

FEE: 3s.

EXTRACT FROM BIRTH REGISTRATION, Book No. 247^A, Page 515

Name *Jakette Patricia Rosemary Tergusson*

Date of Birth

9th May 1930 how batted

Donna Mary Reed, Step-father Hartley Maxwell Reed.

NOTE.—A certified complete copy under seal is obtainable for 5s.

A. W. BOWDEN, Principal Registrar,

per *Joan*

A b 1 Reed.

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ROUTE



ADDRESS

The (Hon) of the Principal Secretary

of Public Works and Industries

WATERLOO ROAD

WATERLOO ROAD, CANBERRA, A.C.T.

A. W. BOWDISH, Principal Secretary

Box

MEDICAL HISTORY

NO. 26617 RANK A.C.I. NAME REED. H.M. UNIT No. 4 S.T.T.
STATION. ADELAIDE.

1. Height, in inches (e) 1	69 1/2
2. Weight, in lbs. (f) x	153
3. Chest measurements, in inches 1 (e) ..	
Fully expanded	39
Range of expansion	2
4. Medical classification + (a)	FIT (II)
5. Vision { Right..... 6/9 }	
{ Left..... 6/9 }	
6. Dental classification.. .. .	Will require treatment for pyorrhea.

Am. Langley
F-111

- + (a) On enlistment.
- : (e) State to nearest 1/4 inch
- x (f) State to nearest pound.

R. A. A. F. RECORDS SECTION.

DENTAL CLASSIFICATION

NO. 26617 NAME: ... *Reed H.*

Unit Examined, at: ... *1. E.S.*

Date of Examination ... *10/40* ... CLASS ... *8*

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ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE

TRADE TEST REPORT

NO.26617..... RANK ...A.C.1. NAME.....REED, H. M.....
MUSTERING ...Trainee Technical..... UNIT ...No.4 SCHOOL OF TECHNICAL
TRAINING.

The President, TRADE TEST BOARD.

Air Board approval has been given for the abovenamed
airman to be trade tested for

Fitter II E
.....

(MUSTERING)in accordance with the provisions
of A.F.O. 8/F/2 and appendix.

DATE.....*5/9/40*.....

[Signature]
Officer Commanding,
No. 4 School of Technical Trng.,
R.A.A.F., ADLAIDE.

REMARKS - TRADE TEST BOARD

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Result *PASS*.....*81*.....%

Fail.....%

For (RANK)A.C.1.....

(MUSTERING)

[Signature] *F/O*
.....President

[Signature] *Sgt.*
.....Member

DATE.....*1/10/40*.....

(PD78/40)

PROMULGATED IN
AIR BOARD ORDER
26740
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INSTRUCTIONS.

1. The description of the course or other training is to be the title of the syllabus in " Syllabuses of Training " (R.A.A.F. Publication No. 20) which has been used.

If the training does not follow a syllabus contained in " Syllabus of Training " then the description is to be the title used by the authority originating the training.

2. " Assessment of Pass " is to be governed by A.F.O. 24/A/8, except that an assessment is not to be made when this report refers to courses for the promotion of airmen.

3. This Report is to be rendered in duplicate to Air Force Headquarters, where the two copies will be completed by the additions of the recommendation of the Director of Training and the decision of the Air Member for Personnel.

4. One completed copy will be despatched to the unit to which the officer or airman concerned is posted and the other copy will be filed in the officer's or airman's personal file at Air Force Headquarters.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

FORM P.P. 78/35.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE
RECRUITING CENTRE

OLD LEGISLATIVE BLGS.
NORTH TERRACE
ADELAIDE, S.A.

Mr. H. M. Reed,

PARINA
S.A.

15th May, 1940

Dear Sir,

With reference to your recent application for admission to the Royal Australian Air Force, it is requested that you report to the above address with your luggage at 9.00 a.m. or as soon as possible thereafter. on Tuesday 28th May, 1940 for enlistment as a Trainee Technical in Group 5, with the rank and pay of Aircraftsman, Class I.

Please bring with you the following certificates applicable to you:—

- (i) Birth Certificate or Extract of Birth Entry.
- (ii) Marriage Certificate.
- (iii) Birth Certificates of any children.
- (iv) Naturalization papers.
- (v) Militia, Army, or Naval discharge.

PROMULGATED
H.Q. DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
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SERIAL NO. DATE

Enlistment is for the duration of the war and up to a period of twelve months thereafter.

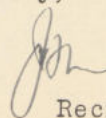
The daily pay applicable to your appointment is five shillings per day. Married men are paid a separation allowance of 3 shillings per day, and 1 shilling per day for each child under the age of 16 years. The payment of separation allowance is subject to the airman making an allotment of at least 3 shillings per day.

All airmen are provided with free messing and accommodation. Uniforms and necessaries are also provided at Departmental expense. The full scale of uniform, however, is not issued immediately on enlistment.

Airmen are liable for service either within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.

Rail warrant is enclosed herewith to enable you to report to ADELAIDE, and should you not avail yourself of this offer, it is requested that you advise me immediately, returning the warrant at the same time.

Yours faithfully,



Recruiting Officer.

D.2081/140—C.S.L.

P.S. If claiming separation allowance for your wife, please have enclosed Allottee's Identification Form completed where marked "X", and signed by your wife in three places. Remainder of form will be completed on enlistment.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

FORM P.P. 78/30

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE,
RECRUITING CENTRE,
OLD LEGISLATIVE BLDGS.
NORTH TERRACE
ADELAIDE, S.A.
15 MAY 1940

Dear Sir,

With reference to your recent application for enlistment in the Royal Australian Air Force, I am to advise that you were successful in passing all tests.

Your name has been recorded, and you will be informed at a later date when ^{are} ~~be~~ your services ~~be~~ required.

Yours faithfully,

J. M. Gordon
Recruiting Officer.

D. 38653/1.40—C.76

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ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

Mr. H. M. Reed.

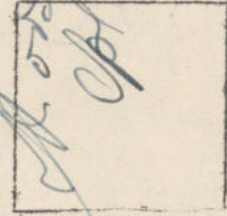
PARINA.
S.A.

CERTIFICATE IN RESPECT OF TRADE TEST (FITTER)

STATION NO. 5 RECRUITING DEPOT, ADELAIDE.

I hereby certify that on
the *Eleventh* day of *May* 1940,
W. H. Reed was set
a practical Trade Test as *Given* which
resulted in his gaining *40*% (Airboard Signal 1/3/40)

Date *11/5/40*



L. J. M. Allen
OFFICER COMMANDING.

James Dyer

copy Only

Wentaloona Str
Via copy
March 28 /1939

To Whom it may concern

This is to certify that the bearer
Hartley Reed has been in my employ for
about 4 years from April 19 34 to 1938
as motor mechanic

I always found him reliable
and thorough, and he always gave
satisfaction

I can thoroughly recommend him
to any body needing a good allround
mechanic

A W Wilson

Manager Owner Wentaloona Str

H. M. Reed.

copy. ~~leaves~~, Only

To Whom it concern,

The bearer. Hartley Maswell Reed.
I have know for many years' and can
thoroughly recommend him as a trust-
worthy reliable man of a sober habits
and a willing worker.

Geo. J. Davis
Store keeper & Agent
Copley. S.A.
26 / 1 / 39

H.M. Reed.

References

A. D. Reed

Copy Only

To Whom it may concern

This is to certify that Harry Prasewell
Reed was employed by me for the past
9 months as motor driver & mechanic
He gave me every satisfaction was
dismissed thru no fault of his own.
He is an abstainer and very reliable

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J T Yates

Lyndhurst, S.A.

H. M. Reed.

H.M. REED.

Copy Only.

Depot Springs

Copy.

January 7th 1939

To Whom it may concern,

The bearer Mr. H. M. Reed has
been well known to me for several years
and I confidently recommend him as a
thoroughly ~~steady~~ reliable and able man
in any mechanical work

Always willing & conscientious.
I wish him well where ever may go.

Wm. L. Whyte

H. M. Reed.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

FORM P.P. 78/32.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE,
RECRUITING CENTRE

Mr. H. M. Reed,
Farina
S.F.

OLD LEGISLATIVE BLDG.
NORTH TERRACE
ADELAIDE, S.A.
30 APR 1940

Dear Sir,

With reference to your application to join the Royal Australian Air Force, will you please attend for interview and, if required, medical examination at the above address at

9.00 am
on *Wednesday 8 May 1940*

You should come prepared to undergo Trade Test, should that be considered necessary after your interview.

Please complete and bring with you the enclosed application form, together with this notice.

It is requested that when attending for interview, you bring with you the following documents—

Birth Certificate (or Extract of Birth Entry).

Original copies of references.

Educational Certificates.

Indentures.

and any other evidence of qualifications and experience.

You should bring your lunch.

It must be clearly understood that all travelling expenses in connection with this interview and examination must be borne by you.

Yours faithfully,

W. Dawson-Lave

Recruiting Officer.

D.3650/1.40—C.78.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

R. A. A. Recruiting Centre, 705

OLD LEGISLATIVE BLDGS.
NORTH TERRACE
ADELAIDE S.A.

24 JAN 1940

Form R.P.73/31.

R. ... *H. M. Reed*
... *Farina*
... *S.A.* ...

Dear Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your recent letter offering your services to the Royal Australian Air Force, I am to inform you that your offer is greatly appreciated.

Your name has been recorded as being available for duty and, should the necessity arise in the near future, a further communication will be addressed to you.

Yours faithfully,

W. H. H. H. H. H.

Recruiting Officer.

Kates
pay
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REED. H. M.

Farina 9th Aust.
Dec 24th 1939.

Dear Sir.

I heard a call on the wire-
less ~~ye~~ today for airforce mechanics.

I wish to apply for a position
as a ground mechanic. I am a born
mechanic and have done mechanical work
nearly all my life, I am always a
quick learner and will be ready to prove
myself as a mechanic.

Yours faithfully
Hartley M. Reed

P. Y. I am married, two in family, age
30 ~~years,~~ height 5 ft 10" weight
11 stone 12 lbs.

H. R.

