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PERSONAL FILE

424230

IMPORTANT

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PERSONAL FILE

~~#~~ 710

AC2. TANNER. W.R.

MINUTE SHEET

Reference

4/10/43

Appt. to comm. in prob. with rank P/O
w.e.f. 29/4/43

Gaz. 130/43

Prob. appl. confirmed and promoted to F/O

w.e.f. 29.10.43. Gaz. 71 1314.44.

* Strike out Force not applicable.

PERSONAL RECORD OF SERVICE—AIRMEN

1. *PERMANENT FORCE

2.

3. No. **424230** 4. SURNAME **TANNER** 5. CHRISTIAN NAMES **Walter Richard**
 7. DATE OF BIRTH **27-8-1916** 8. SINGLE MARRIED *M.* 9. NEXT OF KIN
 Certified that name and date of birth have been checked. (Signature). **CHECKED AT UNIT** DIVORCED
 Name **Lillian Ruby Tanner**
 Relationship **Wife**
 Address **9 Yarven Street, Maroubra, NSW**

11. RELIGION **C. of E.** 12. NATIONALITY **BRITISH**

13. PREV. TRADE & TRADE QUALIFICATIONS. 14. ENLISTMENTS & RE-ENGAGEMENTS. 15. PREV. NAVAL, MILITARY or AIR

13. PREV. TRADE & TRADE QUALIFICATIONS.		14. ENLISTMENTS & RE-ENGAGEMENTS.		15. PREV. NAVAL, MILITARY or AIR		
<i>Clerk</i>		ENLISTED at NO. 2 REC. CENTRE for the duration of the War and a period of twelve months thereafter on 5 AUG 1942 Age in Years 25 Authority ROR 266/42		Unit	From	To
		RE-ENGAGED				
for		years on	/ /			
"		" "	/ /			
"		" "	/ /			
"		" "	/ /			

17. MUSTERINGS.		Date	Classification for Pay	Authority	20. Posted to	
On Enlistment	AIR CREW V	15 AUG 1942	V	ROR 266/42	2 I.T.S.	
Remustered to	(0)	5.10.42	V	2. I.T.S. 87/42.	No. 1. A.O.S.	
	11 (0)	7.11.42	11	1. A.O.S. 188/42	3 B.A.G.S.	
					1 A.N.S. P.	

18. PROMOTIONS, RECLASSIFICATIONS, REDUCTIONS AND REVERSIONS. 21. Attached

Description	Date	Authority	Attached
A.C. 2 ON ENLISTMENT	15 AUG 1942	ROR 266/42	No.
L.O.B.	7.11.42.	1. A.O.S. 188/42.	

19. SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS. 22. MOVEMENT

Nil

Discharged from RAAF granted a commission.

PERSONAL RECORD OF SERVICE—AIRMEN

R.A.A.F. Form P/P.25
(Revised Sept., 1940.)

PERMANENT FORCE

2. *CITIZEN FORCE.

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5. CHRISTIAN NAMES *Walter Richard*

6. No. *424230*

8. SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWER DIVORCED	Enter in pencil. m.	9. NEXT OF KIN	Name <i>Lillian Ruby Lanner</i>	10. PERSON TO BE INFORMED	Name <i>Wife</i>
			Relationship <i>Wife</i>		Relationship <i>Wife</i>
			Address <i>9 Yarven Street</i>		Address
			<i>Maroubra Junction NSW</i>		

12. NATIONALITY **BRITISH**

14. ENLISTMENTS & RE-ENGAGEMENTS.			15. PREV. NAVAL, MILITARY or AIR SERVICE.				16. Decorations, Medals, Mentions & Badges.	
ENLISTED at	<i>NO. 2 REC. CENTRE</i>	for the duration	Unit	From	To	Rank on Discharge	Decorations, etc.	Authority
of the War and a period of twelve months thereafter								
on	<i>5 AUG 1942</i>	Age in Years. <i>25</i>					<i>Absolutive Badge - 1.4.43</i>	<i>3 BARS 3/43</i>
RE-ENGAGED		Authority <i>ROR 266/42</i>						
for	years on	/ /						
"	" "	/ /						
"	" "	/ /						
"	" "	/ /						

14. ENLISTMENTS & RE-ENGAGEMENTS.			20. POSTINGS.			
Date	Classification for Pay	Authority	Posted to		Date	Authority
<i>15 AUG 1942</i>	<i>V</i>	<i>ROR 266/42</i>	<i>2 I.T.S.</i>		<i>15 AUG 1942</i>	<i>2 I.T.S. ROR 266/42</i>
<i>5.10.42</i>	<i>✓</i>	<i>2. I.T.S. 87/42.</i>	<i>No. 1. A. O. S. Cootamundra.</i>		<i>12.11.42</i>	<i>1. A. O. S. 188/42.</i>
<i>7.11.42</i>	<i>II</i>	<i>1. A. O. S. 188/42</i>	<i>3 B.A.G.S. West Sale</i>		<i>8.2.43</i>	<i>3 BARS 19/43.</i>
			<i>1 A.N.S. Parkes</i>		<i>5-4-43</i>	<i>1 A.N.S. 19/43.</i>

19. PROMOTIONS, REDUCTIONS AND REVERSIONS.			21. ATTACHMENTS.			
Date	Authority		Attached	From	To	Authority
<i>15 AUG 1942</i>	<i>ROR 266/42</i>					
<i>7.11.42.</i>	<i>1. A. O. S. 188/42.</i>					

22. MOVEMENTS AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.
Discharged from RAAF on 29.4.43 under AFR 115(m) "on being granted a commission." 1 A.N.S. 22/43

QUALIFICATIONS.

23. CHARACTER AND TRADE PROFICIENCY.							26. PAY AND ALLOWANCES.	
Rank	Character	Trade Classification	PROFICIENCY			Date		
			A	B	C			
L.A.B.	V.S.	A/B. 11 (C)	4/1	-	-	31-12-42		

27. DEPENDANTS	
Name in Full	Relation
Sillian Ruby Lanner	Wife
David Walter	Daughter
Wendy Lois	Daughter

28. CASUALTIES, ADMISSIONS TO AND FROM HOSPITALS	
Nature of Casualty or Disability	Hospital

24. COURSES OF INSTRUCTION.				
Type of Course	From	To	Result	Authority
No 31 (O) at 2 JJS.		6-11-42	Pass.	2 JJS. 9/42
No 31 (O) Course	13-11-42	4-2-43	Pass	1 P.O.S. 15/43
No 31 (NB) Course at I.A.N.S.	5-4-43	29-4-43	Pass	1 P.A.N.S. 28/43
No. 31. (O) " 3 B.A.G.S.	8-2-43	1-4-43	Pass	3 B.A.G.S. 35/43.
Modified Basketball " 3 B.A.G.S.			Pass.	3 B.A.G.S. 39/43.

25. EXAMINATIONS PASSED FOR PROMOTION.					29. CRIMES AND PUNISHMENTS	
Rank Passed For	Subject	Date	Remarks	Authority	Act or Regulation	Award or Sentence

PROFICIENCY			Date		26. PAY AND ALLOWANCES.				Authority
B	C								
-	-		31-12-42.						
					27. DEPENDANTS.				
Name in Full			Relationship	Date of Birth	Authority				
William Ruby Lanner			Wife	11-15-14-39	MFS				
David Walter			son	24-12-40					
Wendy Lois			daughter	19-5-43	MFS				
					28. CASUALTIES, ADMISSIONS TO AND DISCHARGES FROM HOSPITAL.				
Nature of Casualty or Disability			Hospital	From	To	Authority			
Result		Authority							
Pass.	2 S.S.	97/42							
Pass	1 P.O.S.	15/43							
Pass	1 A.N.S.	22/43							
Pass	3 B.A.G.S.	35/43							
Pass.	3 B.A.G.S.	39/43							
					29. CRIMES AND PUNISHMENTS.				
marks	Authority	Act or Regulation	Award or Sentence	Location	Date	Authority			

PERSONAL RECORD OF SERVICE — OFFICER

CHRISTIAN NAMES *Walter Richard*

SURNAME *C*

C.A.F.	Date of Birth	Name	<i>Lillian Ruby Tanner</i>
Reserve	Marital State <i>M.</i>	Relationship	<i>Wife</i>
Hon. Commission	Religion <i>C of E.</i>	Address	<i>2 Gordon St Manamoa Junction N.S.W.</i>
W.A.A.A.F.	Previous Occupation <i>Clerk</i>	Next of Kin	
R.A.A.F.N.S.	Town of Residence prior to Enlistment		

RANK	Date	Branch	AUTHORITY		POSTED TO
			Gaz.	P.O.R.	
<i>P/O. F/O.</i>	<i>29.4.43</i>	<i>S.D. (N)</i>	<i>130/143</i>		<i>1 A.N.S.</i>
	<i>29.10.43</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>71/44</i>	<i>P.47/43 4(2) Acc. 6/43</i>	<i>2 F.O. M.K. 11. P.D.R.C. 4(9) A.F.U. 26. O.T.U. 31 Base. 622 Sqd. Missing. <i>let. killed</i></i>

DETAILS OF APPOINTMENTS

Appointment	From	To	Authority

PREV. NAVAL, MILITARY, OR AIR SERVICE

DECORATIONS, ORDERS, MEDALS, MENTIONS

ATTACHED

Unit	From	To	Rank on Discharge	Decoration, etc.	Date	Auth.	Attached To
							<i>To A.C.O.S. Edmondson w.e.f.</i>

EDUCATIONAL AND SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

Intermediate + Final Accountancy + Law Exams

PERSONAL RECORD OF SERVICE — OFFICERS

No. 424230

R.A.A.F. Form P/P.24.

MES Walter Richard

SURNAME Jamner

Birth

State M.

Co E.

Occupation Clerk

Residence prior to Enlistment

Name Lillian Ruby Jamner

Relationship Wife

Person to be

Next of Kin

Address 2 Gordon St

Notified

Manambray Junction

of

N.S.W.

Casualties

Date	Branch	AUTHORITY		POSTINGS			AUTHORITY	
		Gaz.	P.O.R.	Posted To	Date	Duties	Signal	Gaining Unit P.O.R.
29. 4. 43	9. 10. (V)	130/143		1. A. N. S.				
29. 10. 43.	" "	71/44	P. 14/43 4(9) A.F.U.	2. F. O.	30. 4. 43			2. F. O. 26/43
				M. K.				
				11. P. D. R. C.	8. 7. 43			11. P. D. R. C. 12/43
				4(9) A. F. U.	21. 9. 43.			4(9) A. F. U. 32/43
				26. O. T. U.	2. 11. 43.			26. O. T. U. 28/43
				31 Base.	7. 4. 44			
				622 Sqd	4. 6. 44			622 Sqd 11/44
				Missing. lat. Killed.				

DETAILS OF APPOINTMENTS

From	To	Authority

SERVICE	DECORATIONS, ORDERS, MEDALS, MENTIONS		
	Rank on Discharge	Decoration, etc.	Date

ATTACHMENTS	AUTHORITY	
	Attached To	From
To. A. C. O. A. Sedmouch w.s.f.	9. 8. 43.	

AND SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

Accountancy + Law Exams

MOVEMENTS, TRANSFERS, AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS		COURSES OF INST	
		Type of Course	From
Embarked at Sydney on 25.5.43 on posting to overseas headquarters w.a.f. 25.5.43. 2.P.D337/43		A.A.C.O.S. Course	9.8.
Embarked Sydney 25.5.43 Disemb. U.K. 7.7.43. In 11.P.D.R.C. 12/43.			
13.6.44 Missing air ops. Target Genselkuchen Germany D.C.R. 169/44			
13.6.44 Missing believed killed air operations target Genselkuchen Germany (P/R) D.C.R. 44/45			
Presumed dead by air miss. 13-6-44. (P/R) U.K. D.C.R. 94/45.			
		ADMISSIONS TO AND DISCHA	
		Hospital	From
		PAY AND ALL	
		DEPENDAN	
		Name in Full	Rel
		Wendy Gae	Da

CRIMES AND PUNISHMENTS				
Act or Reg.	Date Offence	Award or Sentence	By Whom Awarded	Date

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

COURSES OF INSTRUCTION

Type of Course	From	To	Result	Auth.
<i>A. A. C. O. S. Course</i>	<i>9-8-43</i>	<i>4-9-43</i>	<i>72%</i>	<i>11-P.D.R.C. 11/43</i>
<i>on posting to overseas headquarters 2.P.-D337/43</i>				
<i>U.K. 7-7-43. In 11.P.D.R.C. 12/43</i>				
<i>Senzelbuchen Germany D.C.R. 169/44</i>				
<i>operations target Senzelbuchen D.C.R. 44/45</i>				

ADMISSIONS TO AND DISCHARGES FROM HOSPITAL

Hospital	From	To	Authority
<i>44. (P/R) U.K. D.C.R. 96/45.</i>			

PAY AND ALLOWANCES

DEPENDANTS

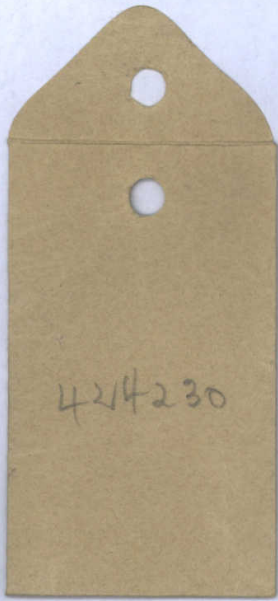
Name in Full	Relationship	Date of Birth	Authority
<i>Wendy Gae</i>	<i>Daughter</i>	<i>19-5-43</i>	

CRIMES AND PUNISHMENTS

Award or Sentence	By Whom Awarded	Date of Award	File Reference

Comm
Janney WR
424230





424230



CASUALTY NOTIFICATION FOR "P" FILE

NAME: F/O. W.R. TANNER (424230)

ATT. RAF. UK.

NATURE OF CASUALTY: Presumed dead by Air Min, w.e.f. 13.6.44. (P/R.) UK.

CASUALTY REPORT NO: 96/45.

DATE:

(PD75/1944)

CASUALTY NOTIFICATION FOR "p" FILE

NAME: F/O. W.R. TANNER (424230) Att. RAF. U.K.

NATURE OF CASUALTY: Missing air ops. target Gelsankirchen, Germany.

CASUALTY REPORT NO.: 169

DATE: 13.6.44

CASUALTY NOTIFICATION FOR "P" FILE

NAME: F/O. W.R. TANNER (424230)

ATT. RAF. UK.
Missing believed killed, air operations, target
Gelsenkirchen, Germany. (P/R.).

NATURE OF CASUALTY:

CASUALTY REPORT NO: 44/45.

DATE: 13.6.44.

(PD75/1944)

CITIZEN AIR FORCE

Form P/11.
(Revised, October, 1939.)

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

PERMANENT FORCES.

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

Attestation of No. 424230 Name TANNER

Walter Richard.

Joined at No. 2 Recruiting Centre, SYDNEY

on 15TH AUGUST, 1942

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- | | |
|--|--|
| 1. What is your name ? | 1. <u>Walter Richard TANNER.</u> |
| 2. In or near what Town were you born ? | 2. At or near the Town of <u>Waverley</u>
in the State of <u>New South Wales.</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>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>25 years 11 months (27/8/1916).</u> |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling ? | 5. <u>Clerk.</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.</u> |
| 8. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power ? | 8. <u>No.</u> |
| 9. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces with Ignominy, or for Misconduct, 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 any of His Majesty's Naval Forces? (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 any of His Majesty's Naval, Military or Air Forces? | 10. <u>No.</u> |
| 11. Have you ever served in any of His Majesty's Naval, Military or Air Forces? If so, state which, and the cause of your Discharge or Dismissal, or other termination of service. | 11. <u>No.</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> |

Act of the Commonwealth? no DECLARATION.

Walter Richard TANNER.

I, Walter Richard TANNER. 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 Walter R. Tanner

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 inapplicable.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER.

The recruit abovenamed 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 Sydney in the State of New South Wales., this FIFTEENTH day of AUGUST

1942, before me.

Signature [Signature]
(A Justice of the Peace or Attesting Officer.)

Flight Lieutenant
Attesting Officer

Description of Walter Richard TANNER.

on Enlistment

Age 25 years 11 months.

Height 5 feet 8 inches.

Weight 156. lb.

Chest Measurement 32½/36½. inches.

Complexion Fair.

Eyes Hazel.

Hair Brown.

Religious Denomination Church of England.

WOUNDS, SCARS, OR DISTINCTIVE MARKS.

Deformed left toe nail.

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I HAVE examined the abovenamed 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 ; haemorrhoids ; 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 15 AUG 1942

Place No. 2 Recruiting Centre, SYDNEY

A1B) Fit Full Flying Duties
A3B)


(Signature of Examining Medical Officer.)

CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.


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

NO. 2 I.T.S. LINDFIELD

If enlisted by special authority, number and date to be here quoted.....

Date 15 AUG 1942

Place No. 2 Recruiting Centre, SYDNEY


Flight Lieutenant
Attesting Officer
For Squadron Leader Commanding No. 2
Commanding Recruiting Centre.....

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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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.....

DEPARTMENT OF AIR
MINUTE PAPER

SUBJECT F/O W.R. TANNER 424230 DECEASED.

The undermentioned change of address has been notified.

Please adjust your records accordingly: - LETTER DATED 14-6-49
N.O.K. MRS. L. BEVAN (LATE MRS L.R. TANNER)

53 GARDEN STREET
MAROUBRA N.S.W.

Distribution
Initials Date
ad 22/6

1. Campaign Stars
2. Certificates of Service
3. P/P24 & 25
4. Area Finance
5. Reserve
6. "W" Files

Date: 22-6-49

for D.P.S. P.3. (C)
P. Johnston

FD/51/49Z

Before compiling this form read the Notes to R.A.A.F. Supplement to Appendix III (Part II) War Manual Part II.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

AIRMAN'S RECORD SHEET (Active Service—Overseas).

Official No. 424230 Name TANNER, WALTER RICHARD Rank AC II
(In full in block capitals, surname first.) (Or acting appointment.)

Mustering AIRCREW V Special Qualifications _____
(e.g., Gas Instructor, Fire Fighter, Boxing Instructor.)

Date of Birth 27.8.1916 Religion COE Occupation in Civil Life ACCOUNTANT

Last Enlisted 15.8.1942 Current Engagement DURATION 9 12 MONTHS

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

NEXT of KIN.	Enter in Pencil.	<u>(Mrs) TANNER, LILLIAN RUBY</u>	Person to be Informed of Casualties.	Enter in Pencil.	<u>(Mrs) TANNER, AS OPPOSITE</u>
		<u>Relationship WIFE</u>			<u>Relationship _____</u>
		<u>Address 9 GARDEN STREET, MAROUBRA JUNCTION NSW</u>			<u>Address _____</u>

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

SECTION 1.—MOVEMENTS AND CASUALTIES.

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

Unit FROM which.	Unit TO which.	Date of effect.	*Authority.	Description.	Date of Effect.
<u>2 ITS</u>	<u>1 A.O.S.</u>	<u>12.11.42</u>		<u>ACT II ON ENLISTMENT</u>	<u>15.8.1942.</u>
<u>1 F.O.S.</u>	<u>3 BAGS</u>	<u>8.2.43.</u>	<u>2 L.T.S. POR 87/42</u>	<u>Remust. Aircrew V(O)</u>	<u>5.10.42</u>
<u>2 B.F.G.S</u>	<u>1 ANS</u>	<u>5.4.43</u>	<u>1 P.O.S. POR 152/42</u>	<u>A/C. Aircrew II (C).</u>	<u>7/11/42.</u>

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

T. H. TENNANT, GOVERNMENT PRINTER.

SECTION 3.—CHARACTER AND TRADE PROFICIENCY.

(To be assessed on every occasion on which an airman is struck off the strength of a 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			
ACT LAC	V.G. V.G.	AIRCREW V(O) AIRCREW 11(O)	U/T U/T	- -	- -	NOT APPLICABLE	11 NOV 1942 2/4/43	<i>[Signature]</i> w/cor R. F. M DALTON

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

Nature.	Date of Effect.	Authority.
Awarded Air Observer Badge.	1.4.43	35/43

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" (i) Skill in his trade (applicable to airmen up to rank of Corporal (inclusive)). (i) 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).

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Form P/P. 49.
(Sept., 1933.)

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

ENROLMENT OF PERSON IN THE RESERVE.

No. R. Name Walter Richard TANNER
Joined at No. 2 Recruiting Centre, SYDNEY
Joined on 4th February, 1942.

QUESTIONS TO BE PUT BEFORE ENROLMENT.

What is your Name? Walter Richard TANNER.
What is your Age? 25 years 5 months.
What is the date of your Birth? 27th August, 1916.
Are you Married or Single? Married.
Are you a British Subject? Yes.
Where were you Born? { Town Waverley.
State New South Wales.
What is your Religion? Church of England.
Have you previously served in Australia or elsewhere? If so, state Regiment or Corps, Service, etc. Period of Service NIL.
Do you now belong to any Service, Regiment, or Corps? No.
What is your Trade or Profession? Clerk.
Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? No.
Have you ever been dismissed from any part of His Majesty's Service? No.
What is your { Place of Residence? Royal Hotel, Sydney N.S.W. 9. Garden Street, MAROUBRA JUNCTION.
Business Address? Australian Gas Light Coy., 377-387 Pitt St., SYDNEY.

I, Walter Richard TANNER declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true.
Walter R. Tanner

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

I HAVE examined the abovenamed, and Certify that he is medically suitable for the Air Force Reserve. ~~cannot Certify~~
Height 5 ft. 8 in. Vaccination Marks
Chest 32 1/2 / 36 1/2 (Exp. 4"). in. When Vaccinated
Weight 11 st. 2 lb. Marks or Scars
Vision N R. Eye 6/6 L. Eye 6/6
Colour Vision ISH. N. Deformed left toe nail.
Hearing 20' N R. Ear 20' N L. Ear
Physical Development A1B/A3B.
Complexion Fair.
Eyes (colour) Hazel.
Hair (colour) Brown.

Date 4th February, 1942. (Signature of Examining Medical Officer.)

OATH OR AFFIRMATION.*

OATH.

I, Walter Richard TANNER 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 before me at Sydney in the State of New South Wales. this fourth day of February, One thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

Walter R. Tanner (Signature of Person enrolled.)

Name B. G. Williams J.P. (Signature of Officer or Justice of the Peace administering the oath or taking the declaration.)

Address No. 2 Recruiting Centre, SYDNEY.

Walter Richard TANNER has been passed by me this day and posted to Class enrolled on of the Reserve.

Official Number R. Date 4th February, 1942. ENROLLING OFFICER B. G. Williams J.P. No. 2 Recruiting Centre, SYDNEY.

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.

Signed at in the State of this day of 19 before me. (Signature) Signature of Reservist

* A person who objects to taking the oath may make the affirmation. Cross out form not used. All amendments must be initialled 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.

What is the date of your Birth?.....
Are you Married or Single? Married.
Are you a British Subject? Yes. Signature of Reservist.....

Signed at.....

in the State of..... this

day of..... 19.....

before me.

Do you now belong to any Service, Regiment, or Corps? No.
What is your Trade or Profession? Clerk.
Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? (Signature).....
Have you ever been dismissed from any part of His Majesty's Service? No.
What is your Place of Residence? 2 Gordon Street, WARRIMBA JUNCTION.
Business Address? Australian Day Light Coy., 377-387 Pitt St., SYDNEY.

I, Walter Richard TANNER declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true.

Walter R. Tanner

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

I HAVE examined the abovenamed, and Certify that he is medically suitable for the Air Force Reserve.

Height 5 6 8 in. Vaccination Marks
Chest 38 1/2 (Exp. 4*) in. When Vaccinated
Weight 11 2 lb. Marks or Scars
Vision R. Eye 6/ 6 L. Eye 6/ 6
Colour Vision IRR. R. Deformed left toe nail.
Hearing 20' N R. Ear 20' N L. Ear.
Physiological Development A1B/A3B.
Complexion Fair.
Eyes (colour) Hazel.
Hair (colour) Brown.

Walter R. Tanner

Date 14 February, 19.....

RE-ENROLMENT
OATH OF AFFIRMATION

RECORD OF THE SERVICES OF * R.

Walter Richard TANTER

Promotion or Reduction in Rank	Period		Length of Service		Efficient Service	
	From	To	Years	Days	Years	Days
<p style="font-size: small;">AFFIRMATION</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">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.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Signature of Reservist _____</p> <p>Signed at _____ in the State of _____ this _____ day of _____ 19____ before me _____ (Signature)</p> <p style="font-size: x-small;">* 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 Specially or Police or Special Magistrate, or some Magistrate of the State who is specially authorized by the Governor-General to administer the oath at Rank and appointment.</p>						

Name _____
 (Signature of Officer or Justice of the Peace administering the oath by taking the affirmation)
 Address _____
 Walter Richard TANTER
 Official Number _____
 Date 4th February, 1942
 (Signature of Officer) _____
 RECRUITING DEPARTMENT
 No. 2 Recruiting Centre, SYDNEY

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)

* Here insert Official Number and Name.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

FORM P
(Revised Decr. 1939),
R.A.F. Forms 121
& 121.

GENERAL CONDUCT SHEET

Signature and Rank of O.C. *Wellman* Flying Officer
R.A.F. Station, BRADFELD PARK, N.S.W.
Date **15 AUG 1942**

Sheet Destroyed _____
Date of Last Entry _____
Number of Cases of Drunkenness _____
Date of Last Instance of Drunkenness _____
† Certified Correct _____
Official No. **424230** Name **TANNER, WALTER RICHARD** Rank **TANNER** Date of Enlistment **15. 8. 1942** Sheet No. **ONE**
(in full.)

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 <i>Wellman</i> Adjutant, No. 2 I.T.S., R.A.A.F. Station, BRADFELD PARK, N.S.W.					11 NOV 1942
				CERTIFIED NO ENTRY	<i>W. Brown</i> Station Adjutant No. 1 Air Observers School R.A.A.F., COOTAMUNDRA, N.S.W.				14 FEB 1943
				CERTIFIED NO ENTRY.	<i>W. Brown</i> F/O Adjutant, R.A.A.F. Station, SALE				2 APR 1943
				Certified no entry	<i>G. Chapman</i> Adjutant, No. 1 Air Navigation School R.A.A.F. Station, Parkes, N.S.W.				28 APR 1943

* "General" or "Service" to be inserted here with suitable rubber stamp.
For method of making entries see Appendix 8/1/1.
† To be signed by the Adjutant.

RECORD OF LEAVE.

No. 42423 Rank A.C. II Fl. Name TANNER, W.R. Mustering OFFICER Joined 15.8.42.

ANNUAL RECREATION LEAVE.

Period.	Leave Granted.		Routine Order.
	From.	To.	

SPECIAL LEAVE.

Leave Granted.		Routine Order.	Days without Pay.
From.	To.		
1800HRS/1300HRS			
3/11/42	11/11/42	INT STAI	8
29/12/42	29/12/42	1903/43	4
3/11/43	8/2/43	1-19.0.5. 37/43	9

LEAVE IN LIEU.

Due on Account of.	Days Due in Lien.	Days Taken.		Balance Due.
		Date.	Number.	

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

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RECORD OF LEAVE.

No. _____

Rank _____

Name _____

Mustered _____

Joined _____

Period.	ANNUAL RECREATION LEAVE.				SPECIAL LEAVE.				LEAVE IN LIEU.				Balance Due.	
	Leave Granted.		Routine Order.	Days Due.	Leave Granted.		Routine Order.	Days Due in Lieu.	Days Taken.	Date.	Number.			
From.	To.	From.			To.	From.						To.	From.	To.

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

Aus. 424230.
RECORD of LEAVE of (Rank) P/O (Name) TANNER, W.R.

Year	From (Both days inclusive)	To (Both days inclusive)	No. of Days			Unit	Authority (Casualty Form No. and date)
			Ordinary	Accumulated	Privilege		
1943	22.7.43	28.7.43	F.1690	issued	7	11 PDRG	POR 129/43
do	16.9.43.	17.9.43.	-	-	-	do	do 179/43
1944	16.2.44.	25.2.44.	-	-	10	26000	3/44.
	29.3.44.	6.3.44.	-	-	7	"	4/44.
	31.3.44.	6.4.44.	RUI AA	206345.	7	"	9/44.
12th.	July 1943	Maintenance		AMOUNT			
do	do	Emergency		81			
				70			
			ISSUING OFFICER				
			} <i>Albert</i>				
							F/O 11 PDRG

When the officer is posted to a new unit, this card is to be transmitted in accordance with para. 2335 K.R's. At the end of a leave year, a line should be drawn, and entries continued for successive leave years until both sides of the card are completed.

(6291) Wt.38194 100m (2) 12/42 Gp.697 C&SLtd

RECORD of LEAVE of (Rank) (Name)

Year	From (Both days inclusive)	To	No. of Days			Unit	Authority (Casualty Form No. and date)
			Ordinary	Accumulated	Privilege		

When the officer is posted to a new unit, this card is to be transmitted in accordance with para. 2335 K. R's. At the end of a leave year, a line should be drawn, and entries continued for successive leave years until both sides of the card are completed

6291) Wt.-38194 10.0. (9) 12/42 Gp. 697 C&S Ltd

RECORD of LEAVE of (Rank) Y/O (Name) Tanner WR.

Year	From (Both days inclusive)	To (Both days inclusive)	No. of Days				Unit	Authority (Casualty Form No. and date)
			Ordinary	Accumulated	Privilege	Local		
	29/2/44	6/2/44			7		2600	PAR 4/44
	31/3/44	6/4/44			7		"	" 9/44

When the officer is posted to a new unit, this card is to be transmitted in accordance with para. 2335 K. R's. At the end of a leave year, a line should be drawn, and entries continued for successive leave years until both sides of the card are completed.

(664) 39907 Wt.23678/O.1316 100,000 7/43 T.B.H.,Ltd.,K. Gp.38

RECORD of LEAVE of (Rank) (Name)

Year	From (Both days inclusive)	To	No. of Days				Unit	Authority (Casualty Form No. and date)
			Ordinary	Accumulated	Privilege	Local		

When the officer is posted to a new unit, this card is to be transmitted in accordance with para. 2335 K. R's. At the end of a leave year, a line should be drawn, and entries continued for successive leave years until both sides of the card are completed.

(664) 39907 Wt. 23578/O.1316 100,000 7/43 T.B.H., Ltd., K. Gp. 38

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

Number. 424230		2. Christian Names. Walter Richard		3. Surname (block letters). TANNER		4. Decorations. Navigators (B) Badge	
1. Rank (in pencil). 3/0						3 B.A.G.S. P.O.R.35/43	
5. Type and date of commission or engagement, if Airman Pilot. C.A.F. General Duties. 29.4.43. R.A.A.F. HQ. SIG. P994-24APR.'43 Date of expiry. Duration of the war & 12 months thereafter.		7. Qualifications, including Flying Instructors' grading whether allotted symbols, whether passed Promotion Exam. (with date) and whether passed Staff College Qualifying Exam. Successfully completed No.31 Navigators (B) Course from 5.4.43 to 29.4.43. Recommended Astro Navigation.		8. Types of service aircraft flown.			
6. Branch or Trade. General Duties.				9. Type on which most proficient. (If under instruction state total number of hours flown on each type and tests passed.)			
10. Date of birth. 27.8.1916		12. If married: Date. M.					
11. Religion. C of E		15.4.39					
13. Medical classfn. A/B, 1938.		14. Date and place of last medical Exam. 29.6. Sydney 15.8.42.		15. *Date of last vaccination. 26.8.42.		16. *Date of last inoculation. 1. T.A.B. 26.8.42. 2. Cholera. 3. Plague. 4. T.T. 16.3.43.	
						16A. *Blood Group. BB	

9 and 13-19 to be kept in pencil.

*To be inserted in unit copy only.

17. Permanent Address. 9. Garden Street Casuarina Junct.		18. Next of kin. Relationship and address. (Wife) Mrs. Lillian Ruby Tanner 9 Garden Street Casuarina Junct.		19. Name and address of person to be notified in case of casualty. * Instead of the next of kin. Next of Kin.	
20. Periods in hospital, or sick quarters, or sick at home.		21. Christian names of wife, and Christian names and dates of birth of dependent children. Lillian Ruby (Wife) Children: David Walter 24.12.40 Wendy Kai 19.5.43.			

22. Courses of instruction: Subject.	Unit	From	To	Result	Authy.
No.31 Navigators (B) Course No. 8 ACOS. Course	1 ANS PARKES Sidmouth	5.4.43 9.8.43	29.4.43 4.9.43	PASS ASTRO 72% IIPDRG. P.R.	1 ANS P.O.R. 22/43 177/43.

23. Postings and Attachments.				
To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.
2 C.D. RAF (Canada)	S.D.	P	30.4.43	PD869-2/4
11 PDRC.		P	24.5.43	SHS 8630 20/5
4(O)AFU.		P	8.7.43	RAF 264
26 OTU.		P	21.9.43	RAF 32/43
31 Base		P	2.11.43	RAF 47/43
622 Squadron		P	7.12.44	RAF 32/44
Missing		P	3.6.44	RAF 10/44
W.C.A.D.		P	13.6.44	RAF 21/44

23. Postings and Attachments.				
To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.

24. Promotions.		
Rank	Date	Authority
Pilot Officer	29.4.43	
Flying Officer	29.10.43	4(O)AFU. P.R. 69/43.

25. Record of Attendances at Courts-martial.			
Date	Place	General or District	For Instruction or Member

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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Ans. 424230

Form 373.

1. Rank <i>P/O</i>		2. Christian Names <i>Walter Richard</i>		3. Surname <i>Tanner</i>		4. Decorations.	
5. Type and date of commission or promotion, if Airman Pilot. <i>R.A.A.F 29.4.43</i> Date of expiry.		7. Date of award of flying badge. <i>29-4-1943</i> Date of qualification as service pilot, % marks, and whether failed, and re-examined.		8. Types of service aircraft flown.			
6. Branch or Trade. <i>Nav. B</i>		7a. Qualifications, including any symbols; whether passed Promotion Exam. (with date) and whether passed Staff College Qualifying Exam.		9. Type on which most proficient: (If under instruction state total number of hours flown on each type and tests passed).			
10. Date of birth. <i>27-8-1916</i>		12. If married: Date. <i>15.5.39.</i>		11. Religion <i>C of E</i>		13. Medical classn. <i>A1B A3B</i>	
14. Date and place of last medical Exam. <i>3.2.42</i>		15. *Date of last vaccination.		16. *Date of last inoculation. 1. T.A.B. 2. Cholera. 3. Plague.			

*9, 13-19 and 21 to be kept in pencil.

*To be inserted in unit copy only.

17. Permanent Address.		18. Next of kin. Relationship and address. <i>WIFE Mrs L.R. Tanner 9 Garden St Maroubra Junction N.S.W. Australia</i>		19. Name and address of person to be notified in case of casualty. Instead of _____ the Next of kin. *In addition to _____	
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*Delete as necessary.

20. Periods in hospital, or sick quarters, or sick at home.		21. Whether completed Annual Musketry Course and Annual Gunnery and Signalling Training; If not, what tests still require to be passed.	
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Wt. 44507/3061 380M. 2/42 KJ 51-4307

22. Courses of instruction : Subject. Unit. From To. Result and percentage of marks.

Subject	Unit	From	To	Result and percentage of marks
No. 31	No. 1 A.O.S.	Coalamundra (Aus)		
" "	" A.O.S.	Parhes		
No. 8 ACOS Course	" 3 B. P. G. S.	Sally Sidmouth		72.5

23. Postings and Attachments.					Postings and Attachments.				
To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.	To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.
Sgt. Sydney			24-5-43						
ACOS Sidmouth			7-7-43						
No. 11 P.D.R.C.		P	8-7-43						
ACOS Sidmouth		A	9-8-43						
Ceased attachment			8-9-43						
No. 40 P.F. 71	West Force	P	21-9-43	R.M.D.P.					
26 O.T.U.	Trng.	P	2-11-43	29/43					
31 Base		P	31-4-44	92.0					
1651 Can Unit		A	14-4-44						
672 Sq. O.C.	Flying	P	3-6-44						
War Cas/sects Depot	Missing	P	13-6-44	FOR 21/45					
	Presumed Dead		13-6-44	10000/008					
			15-6-44	WCHD/008					
				7/45					

24. Attendances at Courts Martial.

Date	Under Instrn.	As P. or M.	Date	Under Instrn.	As P. or M.

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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Form 373.

Ans. 424230

1. Rank. P/O	2. Christian Names. Walter Richard	3. Surname. Tanner	4. Decorations.
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5. Type and date of commission or engagement, if Airman Pilot. N.A.A.F 29.4.43. Date of expiry.	7. Date of award of flying badge. 29-4-1943 Date of qualification as service pilot, % marks, and whether failed, and re-examined.	8. Types of service aircraft flown.
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6. Branch or Trade. Nav. B	7a. Qualifications, including any symbols; whether passed Promotion Exam. (with date) and whether passed Staff College Qualifying Exam.
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10. Date of birth. 27-8-1916	12. If married: Date.	9. Type on which most proficient. (If under instruction state total number of hours flown on each type and tests passed).
11. Religion. C of E		

13. Medical classn.	14. Date and place of last medical Exam.	15. *Date of last vaccination.	16. *Date of last inoculation. 1. T.A.B. 2. Cholera. 3. Plague.
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9, 13-19 and 21 to be kept in pencil. *To be inserted in unit copy only.

17. Permanent Address.	18. Next of kin. Relationship and address. WIFE Mrs L.R. Tanner 9 Garden St Maroubra Junction N.S.W. Australia	19. Name and address of person to be notified in case of casualty. Instead of _____ the Next of kin. *In addition to _____ *Delete as necessary.
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20. Periods in hospital, or sick quarters, or sick at home.	21. Whether completed Annual Musketry Course and Annual Gunnery and Signalling Training; If not, what tests still require to be passed.
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22. Courses of instruction : Subject.	Unit.	From	To.	Result and percentage of marks.
No. 31	M1 F.O.S	Coolamundra (Rus)		
" "	" 1 F.O.S	Parkes	"	
" " ACOS Course	" 3 B.A.G.S	Sale Sidmouth	"	72%

23. Postings and Attachments.					Postings and Attachments.				
To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.	To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.
Emb. Sydney			24-5-43						
Emb. 71. H.			7-7-43						
No. 11 P.D.R.C.		P	8-7-43						
ACOS Sidmouth		A	9-8-43						
Ceased attachment			6-9-43						
904(0) E.F. 11.	West through	P	21-9-43	M.D.P					
26 onr.	Eng.	P	2-11-43	(HO) AFU pd 1/43					
31 Base	"	P	31-4-44	22 exp.					
451 On Boat		A	14-7-44						
622 Sqd.	Eng.	P	3-6-44						
Warburton's Workshop	Messing	P	13-6-44	PER 21/44					
					1. Date of commencement of whole time service. 2. Date of termination of service prior to commissioning in the RAF its reserved status. 3. Periods of release of service without pay.				
					FROM 29. 4. 43. TO				

24. Attendances at Courts Martial.					
Date	Under Instrn.	As P. or M.	Date	Under Instrn.	As P. or M.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE.

Number
424230

1. Rank (in pencil). 3/0.	2. Christian Names. Walter Richard	3. Surname (block letters). TANNER	4. Decorations. Navigators (B) Badge 3 B.A.G.S35/43
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5. Type and date of commission or engagement, if Airman Pilot. C F. General Duties 29/4/43 RAAF HQ Sig. P994-24APR'43. Date of expiry. Duration of war and 12 months thereafter	7. Qualifications, including Flying Instructors' grading whether allotted symbols, whether passed Promotion Exam. (with date) and whether passed Staff College Qualifying Exam. Successfully completed No.31 Navigators (B) Course from 5.4.43 to 29.4.43. Recommended Astro Navigation	8. Types of service aircraft flown.
6. Branch or Trade. General Duties	9. Type on which most proficient. (If under instruction state total number of hours flown on each type and tests passed.)	
10. Date of birth. 27.8.1916	12. If married: Date. M. 15.4.39	
11. Religion. C of E	15. *Date of last vaccination. 26-8-42	16. *Date of last inoculation. 1. T.A.B. 26.8.42 2. Cholera. 3. Plague. 4. T.T. 16.3.43
13. Medical classfn. A1B P3B	14. Date and place of last medical Exam. 29.8. Sydney 15.8.42	16A. *Blood Group. B3

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17. Permanent Address. 9 Garden Street, Marsfield Junction	18. Next of kin. Relationship and address. (wife) Mrs Lillian Ruby Tanner 9 Garden Street, Marsfield Junction	19. Name and address of person to be notified in case of casualty. * Instead of In addition to the next of kin. Next of Kin
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*Delete as necessary.

20. Periods in hospital, or sick quarters, or sick at home.	21. Christian names of wife, and Christian names and dates of birth of dependent children. Wife: Lillian Ruby Children: David Walter 24.12.40 Wendy Kai 19.5.43
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22. Courses of instruction: Subject.	Unit	From	To	Result	Authy.
No.31 Navigators (B) Course	1 ANS PARKES	5.4.43	29.4.43	PASS APPRO	1 ANS
No.8 ACOS. Course	Sidmouth	9.8.43	4.9.43	72% 11 PDRG. POR	177/43

23. Postings and Attachments.					23. Postings and Attachments.				
To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.	To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.
2 E.P.	S.D	P	30.4.43	PD869-27/4					
RFF (Canada)		A	24.6.43	SMR 830 6/5					
11 PDRG.		P	8.7.43	Canada 26/4					
4(O) AFU.		P	21.9.43	4 AFU. POR 32/43					
26 OTU.		P	2.11.43	4 AFU. POR 47/43					
31 Base		P	7.4.44	31 Base. POR 32/44					
622 Squadron		P	3.6.44	622 Sq. POR. 18/44					
Missing		P	17/3.6.44	622 Sq. JCL 793 14/44					
WCAD		P	13.6.44	622 Sq. POR. 21/44					

24. Promotions.		
Rank	Date	Authority
Pilot Officer	29.4.43	
Flying Officer	29.10.43	4(O) AFU. POR. 65/43

25. Record of Attendances at Courts-martial.			
Date	Place	General or District	For Instruction or Member

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1. Rank. P/O	2. Christian Names. Walter Richard	3. Surname. Tanner	4. Decorations.
5. Type and date of commission or engagement, if Airman Pilot. R.A.A.F. 29.4.43 Date of expiry.	7. Date of award of flying badge. 29-4-1943 Date of qualification as service pilot, % marks, and whether failed, and re-examined.	8. Types of service aircraft flown.	
6. Branch or Trade. R.A.T.B.	7a. Qualifications, including any symbols; whether passed Promotion Exam. (with date) and whether passed Staff College Qualifying Exam.	9. Type on which most proficient. (If under instruction state total number of hours flown on each type and tests passed).	
10. Date of birth. 27-8-1916	12. If married: Date.	16. *Date of last inoculation. 1. T.A.B. 2. Cholera. 3. Plague.	
11. Religion. C of E	13. Medical classn.	14. Date and place of last medical Exam.	15. *Date of last vaccination.

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17. Permanent Address.	18. Next of kin. Relationship and address. WIFE Mrs L.R. Tanner 9 Garden St Maroubra Junction N.S.W. Australia	19. Name and address of person to be notified in case of casualty. Instead of _____ *In addition to the Next of kin. *Delete as necessary.
20. Periods in hospital, or sick quarters, or sick at home.	21. Whether completed Annual Musketry Course and Annual Gunnery and Signalling Training; If not, what tests still require to be passed.	

22. Courses of instruction : Subject. Unit. From To. Result and percentage of marks.

No. 31	No. 1 A.O.S.	Coolammina (RIS)		
" "	" 1 A.O.S.	Parbes		
" "	" 3 B.A.S.	Sale		
No. 8 ACOS Course		Sidmouth		72%

23. Postings and Attachments. Postings and Attachments.

To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.	To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.
Sand. Sydney			24.5.43						
Wentworth			27.43						
No. 11 P.D.R.C.		P	6.7.43						
ACOS Sidmouth		A	9.8.43						
Ceased attachment			6.9.43						
No. 4(6) A.F. 21	Wentworth	P	21.9.43	W.D.P.					
26.07.43			P. 2.11.43	Port					
31.13.44		P	31.3.44						
622	Ops	P	3.6.44	3Gp					
Musang			13.6.44						

24. Attendances at Courts Martial.

Date	Under Instrn.	As P. or M.	Date	Under Instrn.	As P. or M.