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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES



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ATTESTATION FORM

FOR SPECIAL FORCES RAISED FOR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD.

Army No. 19998
Surname STEWART. Other Names AKVO. BENJAMIN
Unit
Enlisted for service at Brisbane 30 JUN 1941 (Place)
Queensland (State) 8 JUN 1941 (Date)

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Questions to be put to persons called out or presenting themselves for voluntary enlistment.*

- 1. What is your name? STEWART. (BLOCK LETTERS) Other names AKVO. BENJAMIN
2. Where were you born? Grafton New South Wales
3. Are you a natural born or a naturalized British Subject? Natural Born
4. What is your age and date of birth? 27 years 11 months Date of Birth 5 July 1913
5. What is your trade or occupation? Truck Driver
6. Are you married, single or widower? Married
7. Have you previously served on active service? If so, where and in what arm? No
8. Who is your actual next of kin? (Order of relationship:—wife, eldest son, eldest daughter, father, mother, eldest brother, eldest sister, eldest half-brother, eldest half-sister) Ethel Catherine Stewart C/o Mrs J. Green North Speerick Rd. Relationship wife
9. What is your permanent address? North Street North Speerick Rd.
10. What is your religious denomination? (This question need not be answered if the man has a conscientious objection to doing so) R.C.
Have you been convicted by a civil court? No

I, Also Benjamin Stewart do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true and that I am willing to serve in the Australian Military Forces within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.

Witnessed by W.A. Clifford (Signature of Attesting or Witnessing Officer) City Hall Recruiting Depot. A.B. Stewart (Signature)

* The person will be warned that should he give false answers to any of these questions he will be liable to heavy penalties under the Defence Act.

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B

MEDICAL EXAMINATION

I have made full and careful examination of the abovenamed person in accordance with the instructions contained in the Standing Orders for Australian Army Medical Services. In my opinion he is—*

- 1. Fit for Class I.
- 2. Temporarily unfit for Class I†
- 3. Unfit for military service†

Place City Hall Recruiting Depot, Date 28th June 1941

Signature of Examining Medical Officer [Signature]

* Classifications which are inapplicable to be struck out. † Reasons for unfitness to be stated.

C

OATH OF ENLISTMENT†

J. Alvo Benjamin Stewart swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord, the King, in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia until the cessation of the present time of 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.

Signature of Person Enlisted A B Stewart

Subscribed at Burbank in the State of Queensland
this Thirtieth day of June 1941

Before me—

Signature of Attesting Officer [Signature]

† Persons who object to take an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Defence Act. In such case the above form will be amended accordingly and initialed by the Attesting Officer.

N.O.R.O.
[Stamp]

APPROVED
[Signature]
Recruiting Man Power Officer.

SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

Army No. QX.19998.
Unit Det 2000 Som Co. A.I.F.

Rank Pte. (On Enlistment) Christian Names Alvo Benjamin Surname STEWART
 Date of Enlistment 30.6.41. Married Yes
 Place BRISBANE, Q. Next of Kin Ethel Catherine STEWART.
 Date of Birth 5th, July 1913. Address of Next of Kin HIGH ST.
 Place of Birth GRAFTON, N.S.W. NORTH ST.,
 Trade or Occupation Truck Driver. MILTON, BA'S.
 Religion R.C. Relationship Wife.

Medical Classification - Class 1 Identification - Colour of Hair Dk Brown Eyes Blue
Cyberk Distinctive Marks Patch of grey hair on top of head, scar on right foot (over Tibialis anterior Tendon)

Date	From whom received	Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, both), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, etc., forfeiture of pay, wounds, conditions, and other matters affecting the status of the soldier (including furlough, etc.).	Date of Casualty	Casualty Document	Certifying Officer or other Document
1 30.6.41	N/C Rec Camp		30.6.41	Enlist Inds	1/3011
2 3.7.41	Tech Recd	MARCHED IN X Recd Depot	1.7.41	Redband	1/3011
3 16.7.41	Hold Wing	MARCHED IN to Tech A.H. Wing	16.7.41		1/3011
4 5.8.41	ASSIGNED	Sick Leave 30.7.41 to 5.8.41	30.7.41		1/3011
5 8.8.41		Sick to Camp Hoop (V.R.T.I.) Returned from Hoop 8.8.41	7.8.41		1/3011
6 8.8.41		Sick Leave 8.8.41 to 10.8.41	8.8.41	Goodby	1/3011
7 21.8.41	5 A.M. Recd	TAKEN ON STRENGTH	21.8.41		1/3011
8 30.8.41		Sick to Camp Hoop, Enoggera (V.R. Depot)	28.8.41		1/3011
9 3.9.41		Returned from Camp Hoop, Enoggera	2.9.41		1/3011
10 12.9.41	APSC Ind	TRANSFERRED from 5 A.M. Recd	16.9.41	Redband	1/3011
11 2.8.41	D.F.O. Hold Army	Change of Address West of Kin	1.8.41	Brisbane	DFO 6179
12 3.10.41		TRANSFERRED from APSC Ind	3.10.41	Redband	1/3011
13 7.10.41		Pre-Emb. Leave from, 27.9.41 to 2.10.41	27.9.41		1/3011
14 OCT 1941		MARCHED OUT TO EAST COMMAND	OCT 1941		A2278

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 Lieutenant-in-Charge District Records Office,
 Northern Command

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REPORT		Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, etc. (including wounds, disabilities, etc.) and other details of service, and of administration and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, &c.).	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W 2011, B 2069, or other Document	Signature of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entries
Date	From whom received					
27.10.41		Embarked H.M.A.T. "Z"	29.10.41	Sydney	A 206	[Signature]
27.11.41	Malacca	DISEMBARKED H.M.A.T. "Z" DO. 34/501	26.11.41	Port of Spain	W 2011	[Signature]
28.11.41	Malacca	adm. & X boat. NYD Penang DO. 34/60	21.11.41	Malacca	W 2034	[Signature]
28.11.41	"	D/O Unit Cempaka DO. 35/720	27.11.41	"	"	[Signature]
28.11.41	33rd Coy	Regimental unit & also in 1st Coy	27.11.41	"	W 2011	[Signature]
		PRISONER OF WAR	13 FEB 1942			
27.6.42	"	EVAE TO A.B.H. (N.Y.D.N.)	25.6.42	Port of Spain	W 2011	[Signature]
28.6.42	A.B.H.	Discharged to Unit (Vanguard)	25.6.42	"	W 2034	[Signature]
28.6.42	3.0.5 Coy	Rejoined Unit ex A.B.H.	28.6.42	"	W 2011	[Signature]
11.7.42	"	Det to B. Joyce, 2/10th Regt. sent'd. Singapore	8.7.42	"	Pop. Order by	[Signature]
13.11.45	Messing PM Rec. Area.	Receased while P.O. W. Sandakan on the March. Cause not stated	4.2.45	"	2 Ed. Cert. P.W.S. No. 99/640/45.	[Signature]

Receased 1.8.46 Stewart

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SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

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Unit *Det 73 Cav Regt Co A.I.F*
Army No. *QX.19998.*
Surname *STEWART.*
(Blue Captain)

Rank *Pte.* (On Enlistment)
Christian Names *Alvo Benjamin*
Married *Yes*
Next of Kin *Ethel Catherine STEWART.*
Address of Next of Kin *47 Mrs J. Stack North St., Macarua NORTH IPSWICH, Q.*
Relationship *Wife.*

Medical Classification—Class 1 *XXXX*
(On Enlistment)
Identification—Colour of Hair *Dk Brown* Eye *Blue*
Distinctive Mark *Patch of grey hair on top of head. Scar on right foot (over).*

Date	From whom received	REPORT	Medical Classification	Medical Notes	Remarks	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Certificate of Office Correctness or other Document
30.6.41	Mc Rie	MC RIE	MARCHED IN			30.6.41	Exhib 500	A300/1943
3.7.41	TECH BENT	TECH BENT	MARCHED IN EX RECEPTION DEPT			1.9.41	Redbank	A300/14013
16.7.41	HOLD WINE	HOLD WINE	MARCHED IN			15.9.41		A300/18025
5.8.41			Sick leave 30/7/41 to 5/8/41	Returned 9/8/41		30.7.41		W300/16925
8.8.41			Left to Cant Wood (was) Returned for Cant Wood 8/8/41			7.8.41		A300/16915
1.1.41			Taken on sick leave by H.A.S.C. Sgt. Bent			8.8.41		A300/16915
30.8.41			Over to Cant Wood (was) (VACATIONED Re-joined 29.8.41)			31.8.41		A300/19123
3.9.41			Relieved from Cant Wood (was)			2.9.41		A300/19481
12.9.41	ARRIVED	ARRIVED	TRANSFERRED from 5 Platoon Recs			16.9.41	Redbank	W300/16915
7.8.41	D.F.O	D.F.O	Change of Address	Met of kin		7.8.41	Budone	D.F.O 6729
3.10.41	TECH. KEMP	TECH. KEMP	Marched in Transferred X	AAAS, TD		3.10.41	Redbank.	W300/1935

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Checker *Stewart*

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REPORT		Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substitute), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, etc., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, administration of and discharge from hospital, capture or surrender, and other administrative and embarking from & return to theatre of war (including burials, etc.).	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W 200, B 200, or other Document	Signature of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entries
Date	From whom received					
13.10.41	AAS B. TNG DEPT	Re-Embarkation Leave. 27.9.41 to 2.10.41	27.9.41	Redbank	Q 200/2320.	16.1960 <i>MB</i>
14.OCT 1941	213 0nd-516y	MARCHED OUT TO EAST COMMAND	19.9.41	-	A 206	58
29.10.41	4	EMBARKED H.M.A.T. Z	29.10.41	Rydney	A 206	MY
22.11.41	213 0nd-516y	DISSEMBARKED - Spore	20.11.41	Spore	Q 223 34/531 EDY	
22.11.41	4	Admitted RACEX-MIA-605 (NYD. PIRENIA)	26.11.41	-	Q 223 34/610 EDY	
29.11.41	4	Despatch to Unit EX Alca (see list above) (COY 22)	27.11.41	-	Q 604 35/730 EDY	
29.11.41	4	Rejoined Unit EX Alca (see list above) (COY 22)	27.11.41	-	Q 604 34/735 EDY	
27.6.42	A.G.H	Trans to A.G.H. (NYD. P)	25.6.42	Spore	W 3054	
28.6.42	4	Back to Unit (Rangoon)	28.6.42	-	W 3011	
30.6.42	13 O.S. 6y	Rejoined Unit in A.G.H.	28.6.42	-	Gap Order	
11.7.42	4	Det to B Force 2/10th Regt. Emb. Spore	18.7.42	-		
15.7.42	3RD RIF BATTAL	Missing	15.7.42	O. Alca	Q 3054	19/573 MY
17.7.43	2.12.43	Previously reported missing "now reported as present at War" interned Borneo Camp no date		Alca	Q 2596 13/90 Q	
18.11.45	4	Rejoined Unit in A.G.H. (see list above) (COY 22)	4.11.45	"	Q 2596 13/90 Q P. 604 35/730 EDY Q 604 34/735 EDY	

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