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STATEMENT OF REASONS UNDER SECTION 40(5) OF THE ARCHIVES ACT 1983 - INCLUDING DECISION ON ACCESS

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1. Decision

After examining this record I have decided to partially exempt it from public access.

2. Basis for decision

I have taken into account:

- the content of the record requested
- the relevant provisions of the *Archives Act 1983 (the Act)*
- policy and guidelines of National Archives of Australia that relate to the access examination of Commonwealth records

3. Material withheld

Category of material withheld	Number of total folios per category
Partially exempted folios (certain parts of the text have been expunged)	2
Wholly exempted folios	0
Folios not within the open access period as defined in s3 (7) of the Act	0

4. Findings of fact and reasons for decision

A. Findings of fact

In Table A in Annexure 1, I have provided a summary of my findings of fact where I have invoked specific provisions under s 33 of the Act. By invoking these provisions, I have relied on material listed in part 2 above in order to arrive at my decision.

B. Reasons for decision

In Table A in Annexure 1, I have provided the reasons for my decision for each folio exempted and those reasons are derived from the findings of fact.

5. Appeal rights

National Archives undertakes careful examination of a record before making a decision to exempt any part of a record. As part of that process we may consult with other agencies which have expertise on specific national and international matters.

If you do not agree with my decision to exempt information under a provision of s 33 of the Act, you can contact a reference officer in National Archives and seek a further explanation.

If you are still not happy with the decision and within 28 days of receiving it, you can formally appeal by:

- 1) first applying to Archives for an internal reconsideration of my decision; and
- 2) if you still do not agree with the decision, you can apply to the Administrative Appeals Tribunal for a review.

For more information please read the **National Archives Fact Sheet 12- What to do if we refuse you access**. You can also lodge a complaint with the Commonwealth Ombudsman in relation to the decision.

Decision maker

Name: L. Thorpe

Designation: APS4

Date: 18 March 2015

Annexure 1

Table A: Material exempted by folio number and grouped by the application of exemption provisions

Relevant legislative provision invoked under s33 of the Act	Folio numbers	Finding of facts	Reasons for decision
S 33(1) (g) - information or matter the disclosure of which under this Act would involve the unreasonable disclosure of information relating to the personal affairs of any person (including a deceased person).	6 & 10	<p>These folios are partially exempt as they contain:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • medical information about certain persons. 	<p>Disclosure of the information would involve unreasonable disclosure of medical information.</p> <p>The information withheld is of a nature such that its disclosure would be an unreasonable intrusion on the personal affairs of a person named in the record and could cause distress to the subject.</p> <p>There is no evidence available that the subject expected the information to be made publicly known in the intervening years.</p> <p>It is not likely that, if given the opportunity, the subject would consent to the release of such personal information about themselves.</p> <p>The information is of a kind that most members of the community would not want disclosed about themselves if placed in a similar position</p> <p>If publicly disclosed, the information could reasonably be expected to cause distress or embarrassment to the person concerned and to family members</p>

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S.X.M.

ATTESTATION FORM.

FOR SPECIAL FORCES RAISED FOR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD.

Army No. 50657
Surname MARSSON (Block Capitals) Other Names VINCENT ALOYSIUS
Unit H.A.P.C.
Enlisted for service at Wayville (Place)
Stk. Aus. (State) 8th July 1942 (Date)

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

- 1. What is your name? ... { 1. Surname MARSSON
(Block Capitals)
Other names VINCENT ALOYSIUS
- 2. Where were you born? ... { 2. In or near the town of CLARE
in the State or country of S. AUS.
- 3. Are you a natural born or a naturalized British Subject? ... { 3. NATURAL
If the latter, papers are to be produced ... }
- 4. What is your age and date of birth? ... { 4. Age 23 YEARS
Date of Birth 8th July 1919
- 5. What is your trade or occupation? ... { 5. Tailor
- 6. Are you married, single, or widower? ... { 6. Single
- 7. Give details of previous Military Service ... { 7. A.M.F. No. 50657 Rank Private Unit H.A.P.C.
OTHER MILITARY SERVICE
No. 416395 Rank ACT. Unit R.A.A.F.
- 8. If now serving, give particulars ... { 8. No. 50657 Rank Private Unit H.A.P.C.
- 9. 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) ... { 9. Name Josiah Spencer Marsson
Address Clare
Relationship Father
- 10. What is your permanent address? ... { 10. 30 Fourth Ao. St Peters
- 11. What is your religious denomination? (Answer optional.) ... { 11. Roman Catholic
- 12. Have you ever been convicted by a civil court? ... { 12. NO
- 13. Have you any of the following Educational Qualifications?
If so, which? ... { 1. Certificate for Entry to Secondary School
2. Intermediate
3. Leaving
4. Leaving Honours
5. Technical
6. University Degrees
7. Other Diplomas

I, Vincent Aloysius Marsson 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 A.M. Moore Lt (Signature of Attesting or Witnessing Officer) V.A. Marsson (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.

B. MEDICAL EXAMINATION.
I certify the abovenamed person to be fit for Class CLASS A1 Temporarily unfit/Unfit.
VIDE D1 (Signature)

C. OATH OF ENLISTMENT.†
I, Vincent Aloysius Marsson 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 V.A. Marsson
Subscribed at Wayville in the State of South Australia
this Eighth day of July 1942
Before me—
Signature of Attesting Officer A.M. Moore Lt

† 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 initialled by the Attesting Officer.
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PROCEEDINGS FOR DISCHARGE.

PART A—Compiled by Unit:

Discharge Authority <i>MR. G. L. DE ARCA, OSA 56</i>	AMR & O 253A(1) (—)
Reason for Discharge	
State in which discharge desired—Normally State in which member's home is situated.	<i>S</i>

AI

Unit No. 5 PI 31 Aust Works Coy

Army No. SX 21364 Rank SGT

Other Names VINCENT ALEXIS'S

Surname MARSSON

(Block Letters)

PART B—Personal details—compiled by Unit:

1. Home address *30 FOURTH AVENUE ST. PETERS S.A.*

Date commenced F.T.D. *23/2/42* Date of Birth *8/7/19*

State whether:—

Married, single, divorced, widow *SINGLE*
or widower

No. of Dependents in respect of whom dependant's allowance is being paid:—
Under 16 yrs. *—* 16 yrs. & over *—*

2. Present Description of Soldier:—

Age *26* yrs. *23* months
Height *5* ft. *7* ins. Eyes *GREY*
Complexion *MED* Hair *BLACK*
Marks/Scars *APPENDIX SCAR*

Trade Group in which employed *1. G. 3 CLERK.*

3. Operational Service:—

(a) Overseas area of service	Embarked from Aust.	Disembarked in Aust.
<i>NIL</i>	<i>- / - / -</i>	<i>- / - / -</i>
	<i>- / - / -</i>	<i>- / - / -</i>
	<i>- / - / -</i>	<i>- / - / -</i>
	<i>- / - / -</i>	<i>- / - / -</i>
	<i>- / - / -</i>	<i>- / - / -</i>

(b) N.T. (North of Par. 14½° Sth.) or Torres St. Is.:—
From *DARWIN* To *DARWIN*
Date *9/9/43* *20/11/44*

Part B compiled by:—

Date *1/10/45*

R. H. MARSSON Lt
(Officer's signature and rank)

PART C—Compiled by Ech. and Rec.:

4. Non-effective Service:*

NIL

PART D—Compiled by Ech. & Rec.:

5. Details for Certificate of Discharge No. *319811*

Unit (for discharge purposes) *NO 5 PI 31 Aust Works Coy*

Served on continuous Full Time War Service in the *C.M.F.* from *25/2/42* to *7/7/42*

P.I.F. from *8/7/42* to *23/11/45* for a Total Effective Period* of *1368* days, which included

Active Service in Australiat *1320* days and Active Service O/S Australiat *—* days

Decorations and Awards† during that Service:—

War Badge Entered *—*
Class and No. *173509* Badge Register *Oburnings*
Discharged from the *A.P.S.* and discharge confirmed vide Schedule No. *SSMITZ* to take effect on *23/11/45*
Place *Hampstead* Signature *J. A. Madunaito.*
Date *23/11/45* Officer *Major* checked by *W. H. ...*
Details compiled by *—* Ech. and Rec.
A.A.F. A.101 written by *—*
Entered Discharge Certificate Register *—* Entered *—* Register *—*
A.A.F. A.131 obtained by *—*

PART E—To be signed by Soldier on discharge:

7. I hereby acknowledge receipt of:
(a) Certificate of Discharge No. *319811*
(b) Army Form A.131 purporting to contain my Will.
(c) War Badge No. *173509*

Date *23/11/45* Signature of Soldier *V. H. ...*
Place *Hampstead* Signature of Witness *—*

* "Effective Period" means the period of service, less any consecutive 21 days or more for which the soldier was not entitled to pay.
† Australia means the mainland of Australia and Tasmania
‡ Does not include War Medals

Part B checked R. H. Rosenberg Rec

DRR

DETERMINATION OF DEMOBILIZATION PRIORITY

DEMOB. INDICATOR	
S	M
132	S

A. ARMY NO. SX 21364 RANK Sgt UNIT No. 5 Pl. 31. Aust. Works Coy

SURNAME MARSSON

OTHER NAMES VINCENT ALOYSIUS

Date of Commencement of Full War Time Service 28/2/42 Age at commencement of Full Time War Service 22 years.

B. ASSESSMENT OF NORMAL PRIORITY.

- 1. Length of Service in months 44 X 2 (males) or X 1 (females) Points 88
- 2. Age at enlistment in years 22 X 2 (males) or X 3 (females) Points 44
- 3. Dependency Status (males only)—one point for each month of Service Total (Normal Priority) 132
- 4. Dependency Status (females only)—insert "A" } Class
- 5. Marriage (females only) } —insert "B" } Class
- 6. Records and assessment checked.

Date 1/10/45 Signature of Officer R. Harrison

7. I desire discharge in the State of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

8. I intend to apply—

- * (i) For service in the Permanent Military Forces.
- * (ii) For service throughout the Demob. period.

Date 1. 11. 45. Signature of Member V. A. Marston

C. DECISION OF COMMANDING OFFICER OR REPRESENTATIVE OF SERVICE ON FORMATION H.Q.†

*Not to be retained _____

*To be retained—(see instructions). _____

D. ALLOTMENT OF SPECIAL PRIORITY.

Reason and Authority Ex A.S.H. H.Q. R. 194 Area 05456 18/765/45. Signature of Commanding Officer or Representative of Service R. B. Smith

Date 29. 10. 45.

INSTRUCTIONS.

- LENGTH OF SERVICE.—Months of service calculated from the date of commencement of full-time service to the date notified by L.H.Q.
- AGE AT ENLISTMENT.—Completed years of age at date of commencement of full-time war service.
- DEPENDANCY STATUS.—Accorded only to members on whose behalf an allowance is being paid by the Army for one or more dependants.
- MARRIAGE.—Claims by female members for discharge on account of marriage will not be recognised if such marriage has not been reported, and in consequence has not been entered in their personal records.
- †PART C.—REASONS FOR RETENTION—to be inserted as appropriate
 - (i) Member of Permanent Military Forces;
 - (ii) Applicant for Permanent Military Forces.
 - (iii) Service throughout Demob. period—voluntary.
 - (iv) Services essential—Retained until _____ Authority _____

*Strike out where appropriate.

AUSTRALIAN



MILITARY FORCES.

MOBILIZATION ATTESTATION FORM

To be filled in for all Persons at the Place of Assembly when called out under Parts III. or IV. of the Defence Act, or when voluntarily enlisted.

Army No. S 50657
 Surname MARSSON (BLOCK CAPITALS) Christian Names Vincent Floypius
 Unit AAPC
 Enlisted for war service at TORRENS HALL (Place)
SOUTH AUSTRALIA (State) 20. 10. 41 (Date)

A

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

- | | |
|--|--|
| 1. What is your name? ... | 1. Surname <u>MARSSON</u>
(BLOCK CAPITALS)
Other names <u>Vincent Floypius</u> |
| 2. Where were you born? | 2. In or near the town of <u>Clare</u>
In the state or country of <u>South Aus</u> |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age and date of birth? | 4. Age <u>22 3/4</u>
Date of Birth <u>8.7.1919</u> |
| 5. (a) What is your normal trade or occupation? Grade if any? | 5. (a) <u>Sailor</u> |
| (b) Present occupation? | (b) <u>Shop Assistant</u> |
| 6. (a) Are you married, single or widower? | 6. (a) <u>Single</u> |
| (b) If married state date of marriage? | (b) _____ |
| 7. (a) Have you had previous naval, military or Air Force service either in peace or war? If so, where and in what arm? | 7. (a) <u>4 Month R.A.A.F.</u> |
| (b) What was the reason for your discharge? | (b) _____ |
| 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) | 8. Name <u>MARSSON</u>
Address <u>Josiah Spencer</u>
Relationship <u>Father</u> |
| 9. What is your permanent address? | 9. <u>20 Fourth Avenue</u>
<u>St. Peters</u> |
| 10. What is your religious denomination? (This question need not be answered if the man has a conscientious objection to doing so) | 10. _____ |
| Which, if any, of the following Educational Qualifications do you possess? | 1. Certificate for entry to Secondary School
2. Intermediate
3. Leaving
4. Leaving Honours
5. Technical
6. University Degree
7. Other Diplomas |
| 12. Have you ever been convicted by a Civil Court? | 12. _____ |
| If so—(a) What Court? | (a) _____ |
| (b) for what offence? | (b) _____ |

I Vincent Floypius Marsson do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true.
 Witnessed by Geo. King Captain Area 48b Adelaide V. A. Marsson
 (Signature of Attending or Witnessing Officer.) 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 Acts.

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 † Pleurisy in Hospital. L. My Hernia
 - 3. Fit for Class II.
 - 4. Temporarily unfit for Class II † T.B. History of Pleurisy. Aug 1941. L.I. Hernia
 - 5. Unfit for military service † 10.2.42. CV. Hernia
- Place TORRENS HALL Date 28/1/42
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer G. N. Johnson, Captn

* Classifications which are inapplicable to be struck out.

† Reasons for unfitness to be stated.

C

OATH OF ENLISTMENT †

For persons voluntarily enlisted or called upon under Part III. or Part IV. of the Defence Act, and not being members of the Active Citizen Military Forces to serve in the Citizen Forces in time of war. Not compulsory for serving members of the Forces or those allotted to the Citizen Forces under Part XII. of the Act, but unless in any case an objection is raised, the oath should be administered to them as part of the ceremony of attestation.

I, Vincent Aloysius Masson swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord, the King, in the Citizen Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia for the duration of the present time of war, and for a period of 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 V. A. Masson

Subscribed at TORRENS HALL in the State of SOUTH AUSTRALIA

this 10th day of February 1942

Before me—

Signature of Attesting Officer Geo King, Captn Area Officer
Area 48b Adelaide

† 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 initialled by the Attesting Officer.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS
MUST BE NOTIFIED TO
AREA OFFICER.

V.A.A.

Enl Certificate A.A.P.C. 2500 COMPLETED

Army Form B.103-1 (Adapted)
(Reprinted February 1941)

CENSUS SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM.

A.A.B. 83 ISSUED

Unit A.A.P.C. HQ 100 Comp 41
Army No. 5527
Surname MARRISON
(Block Capitals.)

Christian Names Vincent Alcyusius
Rank Pvt
(On Enlistment.)

Date of Enlistment 20th February 1941
Place Torrrens Hall S.A.
Date of Birth 5th July 1919
Place of Birth Clare S.A.
Trade or Occupation Tailor
Religion
Marital Condition Single
Next of Kin Josiah Spencer Marison
Address of Next of Kin 30 Fourth Avenue Clare S.A. (Clarke 412)
Relationship Father

Medical Classification X Class I
(On Enlistment.)
Distinctive Marks Black Eyes

REPORT.		Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local, or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, etc., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, etc. Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, etc.).	Date of Casualty.	Place of Casualty.	Authority W.3011, B.2069, or other Document.	Signature of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entry.
Date.	From whom Received.					
27.2.42	A.A.P.C.	CALLED UP AND COMMENCED F.T.D.	25.2.42	4 M.D.	M6B 42	JG.
5.3.42	"	Granted furlough as per.	25.2.42	"	M 504	JG.
8.7.42	A.A.P.C.	Transferred to A.I.F. & allotted Army N.S.X. M. 50657	8.7.42	A.A. LoFC.	M 3011 122/42 L.T. 264	JG.
24.7.42	"	Granted sick leave (11 days)	16.7.42	"	M 3011 122/42 L.T. 264	JG.
25.8.42	"	S.X.M. Army No cancelled & allotted No.S.X. 21364.	"	"	R.O. 3342 L.T.	JG.
3.10.42	"	Re-leave not pay & Subs. 5 to 10.10.42. (6 days)	5.10.42	"	M 3011 266/42 L.T.	JG.
17.10.42	"	Transferred to R.R.D. Dayville & Subs. based.	19.10.42	"	M 3011 292/42 L.T.	JG.
19.10.42	G.D.D.	Transferred to R.R.D. from A.A.P.C. for Disposal	19.10.42	"	M 3011 1240/42 R	JG.
20.10.42	G.D.D.	Transferred to R.R.D. from G.O.D. per Re Allotment Form A1	19.10.42	S.A.L.C.F.	M 3011 1244/42 R	JG.
21.10.42	R.R.D.	Transferred S.A.L.C.F. for 2 Aus AAZing Reg NSW LoFC Area	21.10.42	S.A.L.C.F.	M 3011 98/42 R	JG.
21.10.42	108 4/42 R.R.D.	Transferred to 108 4/42 R.R.D. as per 108 4/42 R.R.D. Form	21.10.42	"	M 3011 108/42 R	JG.
28.11.42	108 4/42 R.R.D.	Transferred to 108 4/42 R.R.D. as per 108 4/42 R.R.D. Form	7.11.42	"	M 3011 108/42 R	JG.
3.2.43	"	Transferred to 108 4/42 R.R.D. as per 108 4/42 R.R.D. Form	30.12.42	"	M 3011 108/42 R	JG.
6.3.43	N.S.W. Records.	Transferred to N.S.W. Records as per 108 4/42 R.R.D. Form	23.10.42	"	M 3011 108/42 R	JG.

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Q) SX 21364 MARSSON. V.A.

REPORT.		Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local, or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, etc., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, etc. Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, etc.).	Date of Casualty.	Place of Casualty.	Authority W 3011, B. 2069, or other Document.	Signature of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entries.
Date.	From whom Received.					
7.4.43	10851. P/A. Sgt.	Genea July 20. Spec. Gp. III.	23.3.43	N.S.W. 1st Cav.	R035/43/1076	AP
7.4.43	"	Promoted P/Sgt. to complete W.P.E.	23.3.43	"	R037/43/1073	AP
21.5.43	"	Trans to H.Q. 101 Aust Camp. A.A. Coy.	3.5.43	"	R/6 33/43	W.T.
6.8.43	"	T.O.S. ex 108 Lt. A/D Regt.	20.7.43	"	R/6 52/43	AC
21.8.43	"	Appt to P.T. Coy. 6. Area.	20.7.43	"	R/6 1/43/6	AT
5.10.43	"	Detained N.T. Hoops area	21.8.43	"	R/6 4/43/57	R.J.
27.10.43	"	Detached for duty to No 3 Sect. Officers Shop.	9.9.43	P.T. Coy.	R/6 7/43/194	gk.
7.12.43	"	Rank of Sgt. confirmed	6.10.43	"	R/6 1/43/535	R.J.
26.4.44	101. Aust. P/A. Regt.	Min from No 3 Officers Shop H.A.C. on cessation of attach	19.11.43	S.H.C.	R/6 7/43 1036	HE
12.5.44	"	Acting. 107 A.G.H. (C.I.H.) & trans. to X Unit.	16.11.43	"	" " 1039	MB
28.6.44	"	17/44. Ence. 107 A.G.H. to 108 A.C. Depot.	3.4.44	"	R/6 15/44/5	
28.6.44	"	22/44. Disch. 108 Aust. Cav Depot. to unit	21.4.44	"	S.A.C. 2038	MB
28.6.44	"	23/44. Rejoined unit from P.S. Aust. Cav. Depot.	12.6.44	"	" " 2437	MB
					" " 3531	MB
					" " 3531	MB
					" " 3531	MB

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SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

Continuation Sheet to A.F. B.103-1

Initials **VA**

Army No. **Sx213617** Surname **Marrison**

P. F. L. 502 (4/4/30) W

Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, etc., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, etc., Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, etc.).

REPORT		Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W 3011, B 2099, or other Document	Part II, R.O. No.	Authenticating Signature or Initials
Date	From whom received					
7-11-45	31 Ultra Coy	7-11-45	Q	3011/5/31	33/45	KA
16-11-45	LTD (H.S)	16-11-45	S.A. left	Mem 3	D 4 003/45	NOY
22-11-45	"	22-11-45	"	"	DD 290/45	NOY
22-11-45	DIS DEPT	22-11-45	"	"	"	NOY
23-11-45	DIS DEPT	23-11-45	S.A.	"	"	NOY

NOTHING TO BE WRITTEN IN THIS SPACE

DISCHARGED

AMR 184A (1) (N)

DATE 23-11-45

AUTHORITY LIST No. D307

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SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

Continuation Sheet to A.F. B.103-1

Army No. _____ Surname _____ Initials _____

P.F.L. 3608 4/15/200M

Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, etc., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, etc., Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, etc.).

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REPORT		Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W.3011, B.2069, or Document	Part II, R.O. No.	Authen- tication Signature or Initials
Date	From whom received					
1945-01-17	...					
1945-01-18	...					
1945-01-19	...					
1945-01-20	...					
1945-01-21	...					
1945-01-22	...					
1945-01-23	...					
1945-01-24	...					
1945-01-25	...					
1945-01-26	...					
1945-01-27	...					
1945-01-28	...					
1945-01-29	...					
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Christian Names **Vincent Aloysius**

Rank **Private**

Trade **Tailor**

Religion **R.C.**

Marital Condition **Single**

Next of Kin **Josiah Spencer Harsson,**

Address of Next of Kin **60 Fourth Avenue,
 St. Peters,
 S.A.**

Identification—Colour of Hair **Black** Eyes **Grey.**
 Distinctive Marks **—**

Medical Classification—Class I. **2 M.X.**
 (On Enlistment) **W. Ufs.**

Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantial), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, etc., forfeitures of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, &c. Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including through, &c.).

REPORT

Date	From whom received
27.2.42	A.A.P.C.
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8.7.42	A.A.P.C.
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19.10.42	GDD
20.10.42	GDD
21.10.42	RRD
27.10.42	2 AAARTY
19.11.42	108 Lt. A/A Rest.
31.12.42	"
26.3.43	"
4.5.43	"

Called UP AND COMMENCED F.T.D.
 Granted subsistence as from
 Trans. to A.I.F. & allotted no SXM 50557
 Granted sick leave (1 day)
 S.A.M. Army no cancelled and allotted No. SX21364
 Rec. leave w/pay and subs 5 to 10.10.42 (6 days.)
 Trans. to R.R.D. Wayville & subs ceased.
 Moving to GDD from AAAPC by Dispatch
 Report to RRD from GDD for Re-Allotment Status A1
 Retrained S.A.L. of C. For 2 Qns A/A Jtg Reg N.S.W. of C.
 Taken on strength in GDD.

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 or other
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Date	From whom received					
27 JUL 1943	108 AAC Regt.	TRANSFERRED TO H.Q. 101 Aust. Comp. A.A. Regt.	20 JUL 1943	N.S.W. L. of C.	W3011/99 Ro 57/103	Ao
30 JUL 1943	H.Q. 101 Aust. Comp. A.A. Regt.	TAKEN ON STRENGTH ex 103 Lt. A/A Regt.	20 JUL 1943	"	" 1 Ro 1/102/6	B
24.8.43	✓	Marched Out to N.T. L. of C. Area	21.8.43	"	55/5/2004 Ro 4/43	B
22 SEP 1943	✓	Marched IN to N.T. L. of C. Area	9 SEP 1943	N.T. L. of C.	MoB 3. Ro 7/190	B
14.10.43	✓	Detached to No 3 Officers Shop. AAC.	6.10.43	✓	W3011/14 Ro 2/535	B
19.11.43	✓	Rejoined etc. " "	16.11.43	✓	W3011/19. 17/1039	B
19.11.43	✓	Rank of Sgt Conferred (Regt Tailor)	19.11.43	✓	✓ 19 14/1036	B
0.2.44	✓	Nk Address Mtd: Colne, S.A.	9.2.44	✓	✓ 8 4/12	B
3.4.44	✓	Admitted (via 2nd Amb) (R.I. Minia) & Told to X list.	3.4.44	✓	W3011/98 15/1035	B
21.4.44	✓	Evac. 107 Ab.H. to 108 Recon. Depot.	21.4.44	✓	✓ 109 17/191	B
22.6.44	✓	Disch. to Unit: (Apprenticeship V.R.I.H.)	12.6.44	✓	✓ 106 22/2151	B
13.6.44	✓	Rejoined ex 108 AC Depot & Struck off X list.	12.6.44	✓	W3011/38 22/2002	B
4 DEC 1944	✓	UNIT MARKED OUT TO N.S.W. L. OF C. AREA	4 DEC 1944	N.T. L. of C. Area	MoB 3.	B
17.4.45	101 AA Regt.	Told to Advanced L.H.Q. (Rein. Order N/2066)	17.4.45	NSW L of C.	A232. Ro 13/1762	B
26.7.45	1 AA Regt.	Wp in ex 101 AA Regt.	19.4.45	Q.	3011/255	B
26.7.45	102 AGH	Wp to 102 Aust. Sqn. Hoop (Kameron hoops)	20.4.45	.	3034/110/45	B

UNIT MARKED OUT TO N.S.W. L. OF C. AREA
[Signature] MAJOR
 O.I. G. S.A. ECHELON & RECORDS.

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Army No. 5X 21364 Surname MARSON Initials V.A.

P.P.L. 808 4/10 204

REPORT		Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, etc., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from hospitals, casualty classification, etc., Date of discharge, etc., Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, etc.).	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W.3011, B.2069, or other Document	Part II, R.O. No.	Authenticating Signature or Initials
Date	From whom received						
24.12.45	31 Aug. 45	Medical classification assessed as B1	18.6.45	Qld.	837184/4099		ab
6.12.45	31 Aug. 45	Stream out to SA LTD for disch.	7.11.45	SA	8326193/3813		ab
23.11.45	LTD H/S	m/in from 31 Oct. Warho Coy	16.11.45	SA	34995/1737		RL
29.11.45	Dis Dept	m/in from LTD H/S	22.11.45	SA	35412/5781		RL
29.11.45	LTD H/S	M/out to S.A.L of C. Discharge Depot	22.11.45	SA	62-35413/13970		
29.11.45	Dis Dept	Discharged Am Red 253 A. (1) (N)	23.11.45	S.A.	35216/6313	056/12	RBP

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Army No. _____ Surname _____

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Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, etc., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, discharges, hospitalizations, etc., by military or naval authorities, and date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, etc.).

Date of Casualty

Place of Casualty

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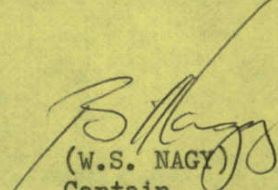
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Mr V.A. Marsson
2 Leichhardt
WAVERLEY NSW 2024

Dear Sir,

1. Your recent letter is acknowledged.
2. According to our records, you served in the prescribed operational area of the Northern Territory, North of parallel 14.5°, South latitude, in the Darwin area, from 9 September 1943 to 4 December 1944.
3. This information is released pursuant to Australian Military Regulation 770 (1) (d).

Yours faithfully,


 (W.S. NAGY)
 Captain
 Authorising Officer
 for Commanding Officer

This information is a true extract from
 the records taken by Bush
 Release recommended under MPA Vol 3 Chap 101
 Annex B Serial No 1

9/9/43 - 4/12/44

2. LEICHHARDT ST
WAVERLEY
N.S.W. 2024

ARMY RECORDS OFFICE
ST KILDA RD
MELBOURNE.

Dear Sirs

Please find enclosed a Photo Stat
of my discharge certificate, as I have now
reached Sixty Years of Age and have been made
redundant would like to apply for Service Pension.

As I served in Darwin during the War would
like to know if the dates you would have on
Record show my duration dates and if they
are in period that was applicable for Active
Service. Trusting you would give this matter your
consideration and await your reply.

I am

Yours Sincerely,

V.A. Masson

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Certificate No 319811

Australian Military Forces Certificate of Discharge

This is to Certify that

SX21364 SERGEANT VINCENT ALOYSIUS MARSSON
NO. 5 PLATOON 31 AUSTRALIAN WORKS COMPANY

Served on Continuous Full Time War Service in the

CITIZEN MILITARY FORCES FROM 25 FEB 42 TO 7 JUL 42

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES FROM 8 JUL 42 TO 23 NOV 45

for a Total Effective Period*

of ONE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHT Days

which included Active Service

In Australia[†] for 1320 days Outside Australia[†] for days

Decorations and Awards* during that Service

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War Badge A173596

This Soldier has been discharged from the AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES
taking effect on and from

the TWENTY-THIRD day of NOVEMBER 19 45

Place HAMPSTEAD *Maurman*

Date 23 NOV 45 Officer in Charge STH. AUST. Ech. & Rec.

Description of the Soldier on Discharge

Height 5 ft. 9 ins. Eyes GREY Complexion MEDIUM Hair BLACK

Marks or Scars APPENDIX SCAR.

Trade Group in which employed during Army Service TG 3 CLERK

Specimen Signature of Soldier *V. A. Marsson*

EFFECTIVE PERIOD MEANS THE PERIOD OF SERVICE, LESS ANY CONSECUTIVE 21 DAYS OR MORE FOR WHICH THE SOLDIER WAS NOT ENTITLED TO PAY.
† AUSTRALIA MEANS THE MAINLAND OF AUSTRALIA AND TASMANIA. * DOES NOT INCLUDE WAR MEDALS.