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OFFICER'S RECORD OF SERVICE

Continuation Sheet to A.F. B.199 (a) (Adapted).

Personal Number
✓ X 85284

Regt. or Corps.....

Other Names *Thomas Frank Roe*

Surname *BETHAM*

(BLOCK CAPITALS)

A.H.M.-4/44-B6122

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.3010 B.2069 or other document	Initials of Officer certifying to correctness of entries
Date	From whom received					
12.6.45	<i>2 sheets unit</i>	<i>Debarrier for service outside Australia mandated Territory</i>	<i>13.5.45</i>	<i>AUST</i>	<i>6275/45 00/509/45</i>	<i>337 RW</i>
31.7.45	<i>G.O</i>	<i>Widow of the late W.P. 271 T/40 T-1 Betham (AIF) (Lt T/capt AIF) granted Pay in Review of Service ^{Private} 2 months</i>	<i>n.d.a</i>		<i>60.62/45 6/2/1321/45</i>	<i>R</i>
1.1.46	<i>Missing - Dow - Pacific area</i>	<i><u>KILLED IN ACTION</u> Now reported killed in action Location not stated</i>	<i>21.5.45</i>		<i>60.247 V. 30 101/10/46</i>	<i>JM</i>

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2/7 2nd Coy

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VX 85284

Personal Number
 VP 4271

2/7 2nd Coy

PLT 49971/4

Regt. or Corps... A.I.C.

Other Names... Thomas Ivanhoe Surname... ELTHAM
 A.H.M.—3/42—B2024 (BLOCK CAPITALS)

Personal Particulars—

Address... 7 Bn. sec G.V. School Foster
 Date of Birth... 5/2/09 Place... Bendigo
 Civilian Employment... Soldier Religion... C of E

Name, Relationship and Address of next of kin	Children		Previous Military Service		
	Date of birth	Sex	Unit	From	To
Mrs Ruth Eltham Flat 1.52 Barty St, St. Kilda 10 Wymond St, Caulfield Vic wife			P.M.F.	17/3/39	25/6/42

Examinations and Promotions—

Rank	Subject	Date	Authority	Promoted	Date	Authority
Lieutenant				A/Lieut	26/6/42	7.9's appt. order AP150
				T/Lieut	26/6/42	6.9 207/42
				Lieut	26/6/42	CAG 258/A/42
				PLT	22.8.45	AMF list 78

Schools, Courses, &c.—

Nature of Course	Place	From	To	Certificate	Authority

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Special Qualifications or Experience—

for previous service see B3103

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2/7/42	AG	To be Act. Lieut and allotted for duty as Instructor 7 Bn. Sec Guar. Warfare School	26/6/42	Shoal	A.G. Offr order N150	
3.8.42	CofA.S.	To be A.Lieut.	26/6/42		RO. 32/42/46 RO. 36/2/46 G.I. 207/42	
10.7.42	7A.Sd.G.	Has volunteered for a ben acct for service in the A.I.F. and allotted personal no VX 55284	6.8.42		W3010 203/42 RO. 45/42/46	
18/1/42	211 Pns. Ind. Coy	To be Lieut. and is off from the permanent Military Forces	20/7/42		A.G. Lieut. 28/4.2	
		Resumes duty in Aust. Ind. Coy	17/7/42			
		Ceases to be seconded for service with the active citizens Military Forces	19/7/42		A.G. Lieut. 28/4.2	
		Seconded for service with A.I.F.	20/7/42			
11.2.43	C.P.S.	T.P.S. from Permanent Military Force Aust Instructional Corps with Regt Seminary motorcade VX5529 Lt. Fowler J	3/5/43	20.7.42	C.P.S. 3A-11.2.43	B
29.3.43	7 A.C.	Birth plover	3/13/43	26.3.43	W3010	A
31.8.43	DDMS (MC)	Base 212, Aust Amb (I.D.K. Lt)	31/8/43	31.3.43	N.G.	W3034
1.4.43	"	" 2/2 " " " " 102/9 A&H The X Unit	1/4/43	1.4.43		
		" 2/9 A&H to Aust Hosp ship "Centaur" for embark to New Lf Case whilst on X Unit	18.4.43		RO 3/21/43	TP.
18.4.43		Disembark Brisbane over 2 Aust Amb train for despatch to 102 Aust Gen Hosp NSW Lf Case whilst X Unit	18.4.43	Aust.	RO 3/21/43	A
20.4.43	217 Aust Indpt Coy	Evacuated 2 Aust. Amb. Train to 102 Aust. Gen. Hosp.	20.4.43	Aust.	W3034 6/94/43	KB
20.5.43		Evacuated 102 Aust. Gen. Hosp. to 115 Aust. Gen. Hosp.	20.5.43	Aust.	W3034 6/94/43	KB
2.6.43	217 Comm SPN.	Discharged from 115 Aust. Gen. Hosp.	2.6.43	Aust.	W3034 Vic. Ext. W3034 2/46/44	KB
12.7.43	217 Aust Indpt Coy	Embarked Townsville on "Katoomba"	12.7.43	Aust.	A206 6/75/43	KB
14.7.43		Disembarked New Guinea	14.7.43	N.G.	A206 6/75/43	KB
1.8.43		Marched in from 1 Aust. Corp. to Camp	1.8.43	N.G.	W3010 6/103/43	KB

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Personal Number
VX 85284

Regt. or Corps 27 Aust. Infan. Coy.

Other Names Thomas Frankoe Surname ELTHAM
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Date	From whom received					
2.9.43	27 (Comm) SpW.	Trans to Permanent Supernumerary List	16.4.43	Aust. 176/43	8/1/43	RB
17.6.43	19dc) Eng Regt	Attached from 27 Aust. Inf. Coy	17.6.43	"	3012	RB
1.7.43	"	Ceased to be attached	1.7.43	"	1/20/44	RB
14.11.43	27 Comm SpW.	Rejoined unit from Buna Force	11.11.43	N.G.	W3010/404/43	RB
27.11.43	"	Embarked at Honesty on "Katoomba"	27.11.43	N.G.	A206	RB
29.11.43	"	Disembarked Cairns	29.11.43	Aust.	2/22/44	RB
31.1.44	"	MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES As having rendered Gallant and Distinguished Service in the S/W. Pacific Area.	31.1.44	"	3/9/44	RB
24/9/42	27 Com Regt	To be Lieut	26/6/42	"	CAG-2528/42	RB
30/9/43	"	Y.O.S. from P.S.L.	31/7/43	"	3/11/44	RB
17/10/42	27 Aust. Comd SpW.	Embarked ANHUI Townsville	14/10/42	"	5/6/44	RB
22/4/44	"	Disembarked New Guinea	17/10/42	NG	A206	RB
1/7/44	"	Attending Troop Busb to Army Junior Staff School War Course No 9 and lpd to X list	21/4/44	Aust	5/10/44	RB
20/7/44	"	Qualified as above lpd from 23/4/44	1/7/44	"	5/20/44	RB
29.6.44	"	Y.O.S. of Busb commands Vinto	1/5/44	"	5/23/44	RB
11.7.44	"	Emb to 112 Bris Mil Hosp (POTS. FRACTURE L. ANKLE). Ex. First Aust Army Junior Staff School War Course No 9.	29.6.44	"	6/29/44	RB
5.10.44	"	Discharged 112 Bris Mil Hosp (Severe Sprain L. Ankle) to Blvd h of C Area GDD.	11.7.44	"	W 3034	RB
	"	Seconded for duty with "Z" Special unit. (AIF)	7.9.44	"	6/313/44	RB

Officer in Charge
[Signature] Lt. Col.

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Date	From whom received					
7-11-44	Z. Speck	Mo/1 on secondment from 2/7 Aust Cdo Sqn	7-9-44	Aust	014/321 W3010/19	RD
13-3-45	"	Mo/1 to 1 Aust Para Trg Centre	2-3-45	"	014/254	R/B
3-4-45	"	Rejoined unit from 1 Aust Para Trg Centre	30-3-45	"	W3010/25 05/326	R/B
3-4-45	"	Qualified parachutist	27-3-45	"	W3010/25 05/214	R/B
24-4-45	"	To be 21 days whilst seconded for special duties (AMFLIST 78)	22-3-45	"	W3010/35 06/395	R/B
10-5-45	"	Departed for service outside Australian Mandated Territory	16-4-45	"	W3010/39 07/472	R/B
10-5-45	"	Returned from service outside Australian Mandated Territory	22-4-45	"	W3010/39 07/477	R/B
24-5-45	"	Missing believed killed	21-5-45	"	W3010/44 08/507	R/B
26-5-45	"	Departed for service outside Australian Mandated Territory	13-5-45	"	W3010/48 08/509	R/B
31-5-45	"	Previously reported missing believed killed now reported killed in action	21-5-45	"	W3010/49 08/508	R/B
31-5-45	MEMO	KILLED IN ACTION	21-5-45	N/S	1192	RD

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Date	From whom received					
20.7.44	262 LHQ	Disced from 112A94 to 9DD Severe				
30.8.44	2/5 Aust Comm Sqd	Sprain L. Ankle	11.9.44	Aust	MS 172/4/44	Rea
		Embarked per "Anhui" at Townsville	14.10.44	"	R 0	
		Disembarked New Guinea	17.10.44	"	5/164/44	L
		Attending Staff Aust Army for Staff Sch. War course No. 9 and transferred to "X" List	21.1.45	"	R 0 P15/44 5/216/44	L
5.10.44	AMF	Qualified as Staff School War course No. 9 from 28.1.44 to 1.7.44	1.7.44			
5.10.44	AMF	Seconded (A.L.H. Aust. Cdo. Units. 2/7 Aust. Cdo. Sqns) to "2" Special Unit (AIF)	7.9.44	✓	AMF 50/879/44	
25.12.44	2/5 Aust Comd. Sqn	allotted Regt. Duties "Z" Special Unit (A-1-F)	7.9.44		AMF 50/949/44	
19.4.45	AMF	Evac. to 112 (Bris) Mil Hosp. ex. FIF. Junior Staff Sch No 9 Coad. 29.6.44				
		Disced. 112 (Bris) Mil Hosp. to Old Hof Carea. GDD	11.7.44		No 293/44	Rea
19.4.45	AMF	promoted temporary Captain (Aust. Light Horse. Aust. Commando Units. 2/7 Aust. Cdo. Sqns)	22.8.45		AMF 78/190/45	
28.3.45	2/5 SPEC. UNIT (2ECH. LHS)	W/o 101 Aust para Reg. V. Centre.	2.3.45		D.O. 04/250/45 2ECH. LHS. EXT. VICT. 1/45	
25.4.45	2/5 Special Units	Parachutist Pay Qualified Parachutist	27.8.45		R/D 05/34/45	Rea
25.5.45	2/5 Special Units	Preparative units from 1 Aust Para Reg. Centre	30.3.45		R/D 05/326/45	Rea
		Missing Believed Killed	21.5.45	MS	122/5/45	Rea
1.6.45	-	Prev. Missing Bel. Killed	21.5.45		D/O 08/305/45 MS 2/31/45	Rea
29.5.45	2/5 Special Units	Now Killed in Action (unknown)	21.5.45		MS 129/4/45	Rea
-	-	Disced for Service out side Australia			EXTSLUT-V.213 D/O 07/472/45	Rea
		Mandated Lintony	16.4.45			
-	-	Returns from Service outside Australia			D/O EXTSLUT-V.213 07/477/45	
-	-	Mandated Lintony	25.4.45			

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Personal Number
VX 85284

Other Names *Thomas Ivanhoe* Surname **ELTHAM**
Regt. or Corps *2/7 Aust Cav (Comd) Rgt SQN*
(BLOCK CAPITALS) A.H.M.—8/42—B3048

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25.8.43	AGMS	Transferred from P.S. Lt to 2/7 Aust Cav. (Commando) Rgt.	31.7.43	Aust. AGMS	160	CR!
9.10.43	2/7 Aust Cav	Embarked Bournemouth for "Lambton"	12.7.43	Aust.	RO 6/75/43	CR!
		Disembarked at Guinea	14.7.43			
"	"	Evac 2 Aust. Amb. Train to 102 A.S.H.	20.4.43	"	RO 6/94/43	CR!
		Evacuated 102 A.S.H. to 115 AGH	20.5.43			
		M/I from 1 Aust. Cps. Rec. Camp.	1.8.43	"	RO 103/43	CR!
23.12.43	C.A.G	<u>Invention in Hospital</u>	23.12.43	"	241/2800/43	CR!
13.12.43	R.V.P.	Disemb. Cairns on "Katoomba"	29.11.43	"	M.S. 202/10/43	JH
		from Port Moresby				
7.2.44	(Aust Cav. Commando) Sgt	Attached from 2/7 Aust Cav. Rgt.	17.6.43	"	RO 1/20/44	CR
7.2.44	"	Recd to be attached	1.7.43			
3.3.44	2/7 Aust Cav	Embarked at Port Moresby in "Katoomba"	27.11.43	"	RO 2/22/44	CR
		Disembarked at Cairns	29.11.43			
"	"	Discharged from 115 A.G.H.	2.6.43	"	RO 2/46/44	CR
"	"	Rejoined unit from Buna zone	11.11.43	"	RO 2/40/44	CR
13.4.44	AMF	Reported from 2/7 Aust Cav (Comd) Coy to 2/7 Aust Cav (Commando) Rgt. (Redesignation of Unit)	25.10.43	"	AMF	25/402/44
"	"	Reported from 2/7 Aust Cav (Commando) Rgt to 2/7 Commando Sgt	21.11.43			
7.6.44	2 Ecl	Employed Cairns for Buna	22.4.44	"	152/15/44	CR
8.7.44	2 Ecl	Trans from 106 AGH to 115 AGH	29.6.44	"	M.S. 162/3767/44	CR
		Staged 106 AGH	29.6.44			
8.7.44	2 Ecl	Adult 112 AGH, (Potts fact for Aubrey)	29.6.44	"	AMF	39/750/44
20.7.44	AMF	Transferred to 2nd H. Aust Commando Unit as from (posting - 2/7 Aust Commando Sgt) as at	1.5.44			
			1.5.44			

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21.5.45

VX 85284

Personal Number
VP 4841

Regt. or Corps... *2/7. Comm. Sqdn*

Other Names... *Thomas Ivanhoe*

Surname... *ELTHAM*
(BLOCK CAPITALS)

Personal Particulars—

Address... *4 Ben Sec G W School Foster.*

Date of Birth... *5/2/09* Place... *Bendigo*

Civilian Employment... *Soldier* Religion... *CoP.C.*

Name, Relationship and Address of next of kin	Children		Previous Military Service		
	Date of birth	Sex	Unit	From	To
<i>Mrs Ruth Eltham (wife)</i> <i>20 BAMBARRA RD FIAT. 1, 52 BARKLY ST</i> <i>Creswick ST. KILDA.</i> <i>(VX 1700)</i>	<i>26.3.43</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>PMF</i>	<i>17/3/39</i>	<i>25/6/42</i>

Examinations and Promotions—

Med. class. (A.I.)

Rank	Subject	Date	Authority	Promoted	Date	Authority
<i>Lieutenant</i>				<i>LIEUT.</i>	<i>26/6/42</i>	<i>Pl. off. order No 150</i>
				<i>Lieut</i>	<i>26.6.42</i>	<i>log 207/182/42</i>
				<i>Lieut</i>		
				<i>T/Captain</i>	<i>22.3.45</i>	<i>PMF 78/490/45</i>

Schools, Courses, &c.—

Nature of Course	Place	From	To	Certificate	Authority
<i>FIRST AUST. ARMY TRNG. STAFF SCHOOL</i> <i>WAR. COURSE No 9</i>		<i>23.1.44</i>	<i>1.7.44</i>	<i>Q</i>	<i>No 5/216/44</i> <i>2/7 Aust Comm. Sqdn</i>

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Special Qualifications or Experience—

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Date	From whom received					
2/7/42	A.G.	To be Acting Lieutenant and allotted for duty as Instructor 7 Bn Sec. Guer. Warfare School	26/6/42	Chelt.	W.C. 32/44/42 P.M.F. 32/42 A.G. 5 affl. Order N° 150	208.
11.8.42	M.P.F. 2000	To be 1/5.	26.6.42		W.C. 32/514/42	f
10.9.42		Vol for and accepted for service with A.I.F. allotted personal N° VX 85284.	6.8.42		P.M.F. 32/41/42	f
24.9.42	S.A.G.	To be transferred from Special List to 46 Aust. Inf. Bn. and so seconded.	1.7.42	Aust.	C.A.G. 2500/10/42	f
12.11.42	A.G.	Resumes duty in A.I.F. from 46 Bn. bears to be seconded for service with A.C.M.F. (P.M.F. A.I.C.)	20 19.7.42		VIDE CORR. LIST 13- A.G. List 28 C.A.G. 32/1/6/43	f
		Is seconded (P.M.F. A.I.C.) for service with A.I.F.	20.7.42		A.G. List 28 C.A.G. 32/1/6/43	f
		App'd Lieut 2/7 Aust. Inf. Coy in apt as Adj. & Q.M. from the P.M.F. (A.I.C.) with reg'tl seniority next after Lieut G. Foster	20.7.42		A.G. List 28 C.A.G. 32/1/4/43	f
4.5.43	L.H. 9 28th	Embarked H.M.S. Porpoise for Captain's Cook Ship	N.O.C.		Ext MS 192	27
		Disembarked Brisbane (Med Unfit.)	18.4.43			
19.5.43	27th Coy.	Adm'd 115 AGH? Malaya	15.5.43		EXT MS 125	27
16.6.43		Low bow.	21.3.43		RO 3/13/43	f
		Was 2/27d Amb. 1DK left	31.3.43			
		to 2/9d Amb. 1DK left	1.4.43			
		2/9d Amb. to 2/5d Amb. 1DK left	6.4.43			
		2/5d Amb. to A.I.F. (Captain) for embarkation	13.4.43		RO 3/21/43	f
		M.S.W. L.C. Area whilst on X List				
		Disembarked Brisbane evac. 2 Amb. Train for 102d Amb. M.S.W. L.C. whilst on X List	18.4.43			
8.6.43	L.H. 2 Records	Discharged from 115 AGH to unit. Malaya	26.4.43		EXT MS 141	f
27.7.43	A.G. 0 M.D.	Transferred to the P.D.L (27th Ind Coy)	16.4.43		AG 0 MS 47/43/131	f
25.5.43	L.H. 2 Records	1st to 115d Amb. for 102d AGH I.D.K.	15.5.43		EXT MS 129	f
20.7.43	L.H. 9 Rec	Embarked Townsville for KATOOMBEA for PAPLE	12.7.43		MS 177	208
20.7.43	L.H. 9 Rec	M/O from 115 H.M. Ho.	2.6.43		RO 55/1/9/43	208
21.7.43		M/O to LTD Brisbane	13.6.43		RO 56/12692/43	208

42/LCD/;706 Lost when a B24 crashed on 21 May 45, on land in Lagkon-Bandau area, at head of Marudu Bay, 6 deg 30 min N, 116 deg 45 min E. No trace was found of crew or passengers. Unit is "2nd Special Unit. Officers are:- "Missing believed deceased, as at 21 May 45."

The aircraft crashed and caught fire 2 miles W of Melobong Village 06 deg 58'N 117 deg 07'E. The area where the crash occurred was in open country. Major Combe AIF witnessed the crash and as soon as possible made a thorough search and identified remains of 8 or 9 bodies. The remains recovered were burnt beyond recognition and buried in the vicinity of the crash. The graves were marked and can be easily found.

In Crew were Flt. Lt. K.R.N. Emmett

Flt. Lt. J.O. Graham

F.O. R.N. Walker

W.O. P.H. Normack

Sgt. L.J. Starr

Flt. Sgt J.C.W. Anderson

Passengers were

VX85284 Capt. T. I. Eltham

VX4326 Lieut. L.A. McLaren

Location Report VX201540 Pte. K.I. Hardie

From Malubang village (B.N.B) proceed by train up the Malubang River for approx 8 miles until you

come to a cleared area on the left bank. Leading from this area is a track; proceed along this

track, which is mostly overgrown, for approx 3/4 mile until you come to the top of a hill on which

are 3 dead trees with the tops broken off. On the left hand side of the trees about 50 yds down-

right at the edge of the forest. Serial 1 is buried 10 yds North West of the crash, Serial 2 is

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VICTORIA L OF C AREA

Local Form A1,

PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

PART I:

To be compiled by Vic. Ech. & Rec.

1. Army No. VP4271 Rank WO1 Unit Australian Instructional Corps (P)
Name: ELTHAM Thomas Ivanhoe
(In full, Surname in BLOCK letters)

Vic. L of C Auth: 014343 Date 16.1.45 AMR&O 253A (1) 1000 (A)

REASON FOR DISCHARGE: (in words)
On appointment to commissioned rank

2. TRADE GROUP: in which employed at time of DISCHARGE:

3. MARITAL CONDITION: Married DATE OF BIRTH 5-2-09

4. PERIOD OF SERVICE: (Showing CMF AIF etc Separately) COMPUTED AS AT: 25-6-42

(a) Enlisted for the PMF on 17.3.39 and who served on CONTINUOUS FULL TIME WAR SERVICE with the PMF from 17/3/39 to and from to and from to

Total Eff. Service	
<u>3yrs</u>	<u>101</u> days.
(which included)	
A/S IN Australia	
	<u>73</u> days.
A/S O/S Australia	
	<u>NIL</u> days.

(b) NON EFFECTIVE SERVICE: (Consecutive periods of 21 days or over for which member NOT entitled to receive pay, to be shown ONLY)
C.F.T.W.S 3/9/39 To 25/6/42 = 1027

A.W.L. NOT involving DETENTION		DAYS	DETENTION etc. including automatic forfeitures		DAYS	LEAVE WITHOUT PAY		DAYS
FROM	TO		FROM	TO		FROM	TO	

5. SERVICE QUALIFYING WAR BADGE:

Overseas Destination Inc.	Emb. FROM Aust.	Disembarked IN Aust.	Days	Northern Territory	
				Stationed at	from to
Torres Strait Is	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
(a)	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
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6. DECORATION & AWARDS:

7. DISABILITY:

MEDICAL CLASSIFICATION: A1 Degree of Disability: NIL %.

"x" COMPILED BY: V12068 Sgt Roy Nichols Pers. Records Sect

"x" COMPUTATIONS BY: VX1212410 Disch. & R/S Sect.

"x" CHECKED BY: Disch. & R/S Sect.

"x" FINAL COMPUTATIONS BY: Disch. Sect. Det.

"x" (State Army Number Rank and Name) ROYAL PARK

VICTORIA L OF G AREA
PROCEEDINGS ON DISCHARGE

Local Form A1,

PART II: - To be compiled by R.R. & G.D.D. Royal Park

1. INTENDED PLACE OF RESIDENCE:

2. DESCRIPTION ON DISCHARGE: (To be compiled by Examining M.O.)

Age: 33 1/2 Height: 5' 7 1/4"

Eyes: Brown Hair: LK Brown Complexion: Dark

Distinctive Marks: Scar on left knee
Scar on inside right thigh

Date: _____

(Signature of Examining M.O.)

3. CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY MEMBERS ON DISCHARGE:

I acknowledge receipt of CERTIFICATE OF DISCHARGE NO. _____

~~"x" Army Form, A. 131, (purporting to contain my will)~~

~~"x" War Badge No. _____~~

"x" (Delete if inapplicable)

} TO BE ISSUED
ON DISCHARGE
FROM A.I.F

(Signature of MEMBER)

Army No. _____

(Signature of Witness)

4. The DISCHARGE of the abovenamed soldier is confirmed to take effect as on and from 25/6/1942

Date: _____

Lt.Col.,

(.C.O. ~~G.D.D. Royal Park~~)
VIC. ECH. + REC.

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

ACTION SHEET

1. Wilfred Leighton HANN Being etc.

HEREBY CERTIFY that VX 85284, Captain Thomas Graham ELTHAM
"Z" Australian Special Unit.

Died on the twenty first day of May

One thousand nine hundred and forty five

Dated the _____ day of _____ 19____

.....
Name of applicant The Public Trustee

Address of applicant 601 Little Collins Street
Melbourne, C.I.

Particulars verified as above WAB

Certificate of Death No 2667 prepared WAB

Covering letter prepared WAB

Entered in Certificate Register WAB

~~Certificate of Death (presumption) No _____ prepared _____~~

RECOMMENDATION for the PROMOTION of *VX 85285. Lieut J. I. ELTHAM.*

Army No.	Rank	Surname (Block Capitals)	Other Names (Block Capitals)
<i>VX 85285</i>	<i>Lieut</i>	<i>ELTHAM.</i>	<i>Thomas Frank</i>

To the Rank of *Captain.* *Temporary
 in the *2/6 Aust Cav (Command) Regt* *Substantive
 Unit, Corps or Service

1.	Date of Appointment or Promotion to present Rank	<i>26 June 42.</i>
2.	Date of Birth	<i>5 Feb '09.</i>
3.	Has he served on Active Service Abroad (including New Guinea)? (If "Yes," brief particulars including operational areas to be stated).	<i>Yes.</i> <i>N. Guinea 1943-44.</i>
4.	Is the promotion within the Authorised Establishment?	<i>Yes.</i>
5.	Company or Appointment— (a) to which he is now posted and date of such posting	(a) <i>2 Special Unit, Nephlog</i> since W/E
	(b) to which he will be posted on promotion	(b) <i>do.</i> W/E
6.	Will the promotion involve the supersession of any other officers of the Unit?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES The names of Senior Officers being superseded and the reasons <input type="checkbox"/> NO therefore, are shown on back of form.
7.	Standard of Medical Fitness and Date of Board	<i>A. I.</i>

RECOMMENDATION OF COMMANDING OFFICER

I recommend the above-named officer for **Temporary** promotion to fill the vacancy caused by
 Substantive
 The date the vacancy occurred was

Date.....
Signature of Commanding Officer

(Any recommendation to prescribe Regimental Seniority on promotion should be made in an accompanying memo giving full reasons.)

Recommendation of Bde., etc., Commander

have observed this officer performing his duties.
 have not observed this officer performing his duties.
 have interviewed this officer.
 have not interviewed this officer.
 do recommend his promotion.
 do not recommend his promotion.

Date.....
Signature

Recommendation of Divisional Commander

Date.....
Signature

Recommendation of Army, Corps, etc., Commander

Date.....
Signature

Decision

Date.....
Signature

NOTE.—This form will be prepared in duplicate.
 Original will be forwarded through successive formation, etc., Headquarters, and be signed by Commander.
 Duplicate copy will be retained by Unit.
 *Strike out where not applicable.

RECOMMENDATION FOR THE PROMOTION OF SENIOR OFFICERS BEING SUPERSEDED

Rank	Name	Date of Appointment to Present Rank	Whether served on Active Service Abroad (incl. New Guinea)	Why supersession recommended

Will the promotion involve the supersession of any other officers of the rank? Yes No

The reason for Senior Officer being superseded and the reasons therefore are given on back of form.

Company of Attachment: (a) 2nd Coy (b) in which he will be posted on promotion

Date of Appointment: (a) 1/15/44 (b) not having

If the promotion will be within the Australian Establishment: Yes

If the officer served on Active Service Abroad (including New Guinea): Yes (If "Yes", brief particulars including operational areas to be stated.)

Date of Birth: 1/15/04

Date of Appointment to Present Rank: 1/15/44

To the Rank of: Major in the 2nd Coy

RECOMMENDATION OF COMMANDING OFFICER

Recommended the above-named officer for promotion to fill the vacancy caused by 2nd Coy

Date: 1/15/44

Signature of Commanding Officer: [Signature]

RECOMMENDATION OF ARMS CORPS, ETC. COMMANDER

Recommended the above-named officer for promotion to fill the vacancy caused by 2nd Coy

Date: 1/15/44

Signature: [Signature]

RECOMMENDATION OF DIVISIONAL COMMANDER

Recommended the above-named officer for promotion to fill the vacancy caused by 2nd Coy

Date: 1/15/44

Signature: [Signature]

PERMANENT FORCES.

Attestation of No. VP4271 *Name* ELTHAM Thomas Ivanhoe
Corps Australian Instructional Corps.

*Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.**

- | | |
|--|--|
| <p>1. What is your Name? ...
(To be inserted in block letters.)</p> <p>2. Where were you born? ...</p> <p>3. Are you a Natural-born British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject? ...
(N.B.—If the latter, papers to be viewed.)</p> <p>4. What is your age and date of birth? ...
(N.B.—To be verified from Birth Certificate, if produced.)</p> <p>5. What is your Trade or Occupation? ...</p> <p>6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period, and when did or will the period of your apprenticeship expire? ...</p> <p>7. Are you Single, Married, or a Widower? ...</p> <p>8. Have you ever been convicted by Civil Court?
(N.B.—If answer is in affirmative, particulars to be stated.)</p> <p>9. Have you ever served in the Naval, Military, or Air Forces? If so, state date of enlistment, Regiment, Regimental No., Rank, date and cause of discharge, and any medals or decorations which you have been awarded</p> <p>10. Do you now belong to any Naval, Military, or Air Forces, including the Reserve of such Forces? ...</p> <p>11. Have you stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service?</p> <p>12. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service?
(N.B.—If answer is in affirmative, particulars to be stated.)</p> <p>13. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? ...</p> <p>14. Are you willing to be enlisted under the conditions contained in the Defence Act and Regulations made thereunder? ...</p> | <p>1. Surname <u>ELTHAM</u></p> <p>Other Names <u>Thomas Ivanhoe</u></p> <p>2. <u>Bendigo.</u></p> <p>in the State (Country) of <u>Victoria.</u></p> <p>3. Natural-born <u>Naturalized</u> British Subject.</p> <p>4. Present Age <u>30</u> years <u>1</u> months
Date of Birth <u>5th Feb. 1909</u></p> <p>5. <u>Traveller.</u></p> <p>6. <u>no</u></p> <p>7. <u>Married</u></p> <p>8. <u>no</u></p> <p>9. <u>Yes, 10. Ed. Bde. R.A.A. Cnr. 6.8.27</u>
<u>R.O. 6/27. Bdr. 1.3.28 R.O. 21/28.</u>
<u>L/Sgt. 6/11/28. R.O. 1/29, Sgt. 1/1/29</u>
<u>R.O. 1/30. Lieut. 26.3.30 C.Gaz. 56/33</u>
<u>(Left for country)</u></p> <p>10. <u>no</u></p> <p>11. <u>yes</u></p> <p>12. <u>no</u></p> <p>13. <u>yes</u></p> <p>14. <u>yes</u></p> |
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3. Thomas Ivanhoe Eltham do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to serve for a period of five years in the Permanent Military Forces, and, in the event of my services being at any time forfeited in accordance with the provisions of the Australian Military Regulations, for an additional term not exceeding in duration the term of service so forfeited.

† I hereby give an assurance that I shall submit to my Commanding Officer, within six months after my enlistment, a copy of the entry of registration of my birth certified by the proper official.

Signature of Recruit (Sgd.) T. Eltham

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The above questions have been read to the above-named 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 opinion they are correct.~~ (In case of a Natural-born British Subject, this is to be struck out.)

Signature of Officer or Justice of the Peace (Sgd.) J.E. Newland Major. A.I.C.

Place Melbourne

Date 17th March 1939.

Regiment or Corps

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

3. Thomas Ivanhoe Eltham § that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Permanent Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia for the term of five years or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed therefrom, and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained, and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

So HELP ME, GOD.¶

Signature of Recruit (Sgd.) T. Eltham.

Taken and subscribed at Melbourne in the State of Victoria., this 17th. day of

March 1939 before me—

Signature of Officer or Justice of the Peace (Sgd.) J. E. Newland Major.

* The recruit will be previously warned that if he makes false answers to the questions he renders himself liable to heavy penalties.
 † Strike out whichever is not applicable.
 ‡ To be struck out if birth certificate is viewed on attestation.
 § When an oath is taken insert here the word "swear." When an affirmation is made insert here the words "solemnly and sincerely affirm and declare."
 ¶ These words to be struck out when an affirmation only is made.

Description of ELTHAM Thomas Ivanhoe on Enlistment

Apparent Age	30	years	1	months.	Distinctive marks, and marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease.
(To be determined according to the instructions given in Standing Orders for the Australian Army Medical Services.)					
Height	5	ft.	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	in.	
Weight	151	lb.			
Chest measurement	Girth when fully expanded		38	in.	
	Range of expansion		2 $\frac{1}{2}$	in.	
Complexion	dark				
Eyes	brown				
Hair	Dk. brown				
Religious Denomination	C. of E.				Scar on L. knee. Scar on inside R. thigh.

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

I HAVE examined the above-named Recruit, and find that he does not present any of the causes of rejection specified in Standing Orders for the Australian Army Medical Services.

He has signed in my presence the A.A.F. required to be completed by recruits for the Permanent Forces prior to medical examination, and appears to be substantially of European origin or descent.

I consider him fit for service in the Permanent Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia.

Date 10th March, 1939.

Place Melbourne.

(Sgd.) C. Gordon Shaw. Colonel

(Signature of Examining Medical Officer.)

D.D.M.S. 3 M.D.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMANDING 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

A.I.C. Cadre.

If enlisted by special authority, number and date to be here quoted Def. Memo 6318 of 28.2.39.

Date 17th March 1939.

Place Melbourne.

(Sgd.) J. H. RENSELL. Lt.-Col.

Commanding A.A. & Q.M.G. 4th Division.

RE-ENGAGEMENT.—PERMANENT FORCES.

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

at present serving in (Corps) _____, having enlisted on (date) _____

and desiring to re-engage, do hereby declare that I agree to re-engage and will well and truly serve Our Sovereign Lord the King in the Permanent Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia for the term of _____ years from _____ (date), or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed therefrom; and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained; and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

Signature of Soldier _____

Signed at _____
in the State of _____ this _____ (Signature) _____
day of _____ 19 _____ Commanding Officer.
before me.

Medically fit.

Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

RE-ENGAGEMENT.—PERMANENT FORCES.

I, No. (Rank) (Name)
at present serving in (Corps), having previously re-engaged
on (date) and again desiring to re-engage, do hereby declare that
I agree to re-engage and will well and truly serve Our Sovereign Lord the King in the Permanent Military Forces of the
Commonwealth of Australia for the term of years from (date),
or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed therefrom; and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and
cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained; and that I will in all matters appertaining to my
service faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

Signature of Soldier

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

Medically fit.

Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

RE-ENGAGEMENT.—PERMANENT FORCES.

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Medically fit.

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service faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

Signature of Soldier

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

Medically fit.

Signature of Examining Medical Officer.

Statement of the Services of No. VP 4271 Name ELTHAM Thomas Ivanhoe.

Unit or Corps.	Promotions, Reductions, Transfers, Casualties, &c. (Where absence without leave exceeds 21 days the entry will be made in red ink.)	Date.	Authority.	Initials of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entry.
A.I.C. (Cadre)	Enlisted in A.I.C. Cadre vide Def.Memo 63/8 of 28/2/39 4 Div.R.O. Pt.II	17.3.39		
"	No.1/1939 Temp.Rank of Sgt. To No.8 Special Course C.T.D. Liverpool.	1.8.39	4 Dis.RO No.4 Pt.II (P.F.)	"HW"
	D/O II Prob. "Q" No. 8 A.I.C.Course Appointment Confirmed	18.12.39	AAO 46/40 S.C.Memo 46816 of 4/9/40	JN.
	Taken on strength Royal Military College (O.T.W.)	14.10.40	AAO 232/40 RO 16/40	
	Appointed S.S.M., 2nd Cl.(Temp.) & Promoted T/WO.I.	31.10.40	AAO 63/41	RAH.
Total Service ..	Years.	Days.		
Total Service Allowed to reckon to the day of Final Discharge				

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

Signature of Officer Confirming Discharge.

(1) Full name, surname last. I, (1)

(2) Private address. No. Unit of (2)

(3) Name of person holding will. hereby certify that I have already made a valid will which is held by (3)

(4) Address of person holding will. of (4)

Dated the day of 19

(5) Signature of member. (5)

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A.A.F. A130.



AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

Dated 2 Sep. 19 42.

WILL

of

Mount. R.T. ELSHAM.

8/7 Aust Ind Coy.

Under Standing Orders for Mobilization, 1924, para. 37 (e), and Standing Orders, A.I.F., para. 89.

NOTES

- (a) Each member of the Military Forces and the A.A.N.S. must make a will on the prescribed form unless he or she already has a valid one in existence, in which case the relevant certificate on the form of will must be rendered. See A.I.F. Standing Orders, Australian Imperial Force 1940, para. 89, and Standing Orders for Mobilization 1924, para. 37 (e).
- (b) When a member is in actual military service (that is when a state of war exists and the member has taken some step towards joining the field forces) —
 - (i) he may, whether over or under the age of 21 years, dispose of all his property (including land) by will;
 - (ii) such will need not be witnessed, except where there is a disposition of land situated in South Australia;
 - (iii) alterations made before signing a will should be initialed by the member making the will and the witnesses (if any). If it is desired to alter a will which has been signed a new will must be made and the instructions contained in these Notes followed.
- (c)
 - (i) a witness to a will must not be a beneficiary or the husband or wife of a beneficiary;
 - (ii) any person whether mentioned as a beneficiary in the will or not can be appointed an executor of a will. The duty of the executor when probate is granted by the Court is to distribute the property of a deceased member in accordance with the instructions given in the will;
 - (iii) should the member desire to leave his or her property to one person the following can be written in the appropriate place "I give all my property to
 - and if the member desires to leave a legacy as well, the following words can be used "I give £ to and the remainder of my property to
 - (iv) normally a will is revoked by marriage and hence a member who marries after making his or her will is required to make a new will. Note, however, that where a member, whose permanent home is in N.S.W., Victoria or Tasmania, has made a valid will which sets out that it is made in contemplation of marriage to a named person and the member marries that person, such marriage will not revoke the will.
- (d) Free legal advice and services are available to members of the Military Forces through the Law Institutes in all capital cities. For addresses of such Institutes see paragraph 5 of M.B.I. A92 of 1941.

YX 85284

Lieut

(The Notes and Certificate on the back should be read before the will form is filled in.)

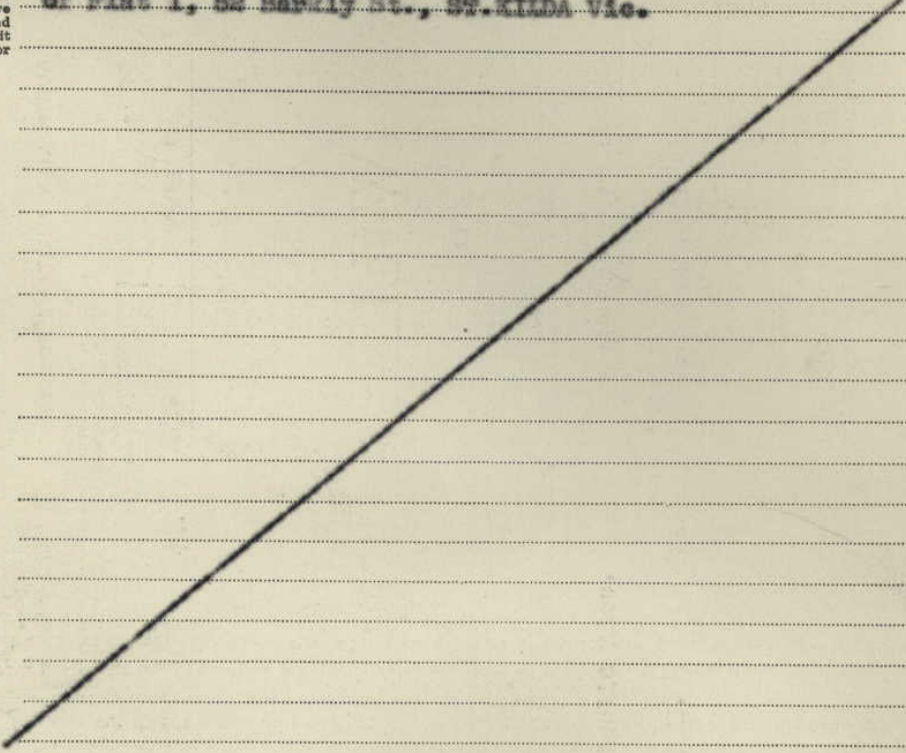
(1) Full name, surname last. THIS IS THE LAST WILL of me⁽¹⁾ Thomas Ivanhoe ELZHAN.

(2) Private address. No. VP.4271 Unit 2/7 Aust Ind Coy. of⁽²⁾ Flat 1 52 Barkly St., ST. KILDA VIC.

I HEREBY REVOKE all former wills and other testamentary dispositions heretofore made by me. I APPOINT⁽³⁾

(3) Full name and address of executor or executors. Ruth ELZHAN
Flat 1 52 Barkly St.,
ST. KILDA VIC.

(4) Set out here the names and addresses of the persons to whom you wish to leave your property and how you wish it to be divided or dealt with. executor(s) of this my will⁽⁴⁾ I give all my property to Ruth Elzhan, of Flat 1, 52 Barkly St., ST. KILDA VIC.



(5) Fill in date. (5) As witness my hand this Second day of September 1942.

(6) Usual signature of person making will. SIGNED by the above-named Testator as and for his (her) last will and testament in the presence of us both present at the same time who at his (her) request in his (her) presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses. (6) T.I. ELZHAN.

(7) Usual signature and address of 1st witness (if necessary). (7) Fred J. LOMAS, Lieut.
7 Aust Ind Coy A.I.F.

(8) Usual signature and address of 2nd witness (if necessary). (8)

CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY OF THE ORIGINAL OF WHICH IS SUPPORTED TO BE A COPY OF THE ORIGINAL



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AUSTRALIAN



MILITARY FORCES.

RAP

REPORT OF AN INJURY.

Number, Rank, Name, and Unit of Injured Person— 427I W.O. (II) T.I. ELTHAM. A.I.C. Att. R.M.C.	Date of Casualty— 13/1/41. Place— Canberra.
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STATEMENT AND DECLARATION OF INJURED PERSON.

The circumstances of the injury were as follows:— Whilst returning from the Murrumbidgee River to Canberra on 13/1/41, I was bitten on the right eyelid by an insect. The eye was very swollen on the next day, 14/1/41 and I reported sick. The injury was sustained at approximately 2000hrs. There were no witnesses to the occurrence.

I declare that the injury sustained by me on 13th January 1941 ^{* did} ~~* did not~~ occur while I was in the performance of military duty.

Place Duntroon.

Eltham W.O. (II) A.I.C.
Signature of Injured Person.

Date 14/1/41.

G. J. Coghlan. Sgt. A.A.M.C.
Witness to Signature.

*Strike out and initial whichever is not applicable.

REPORT OF MEDICAL OFFICER.

(a) Description of the injury

Swollen R. Peri-orbital tissues.

(b) In your opinion, will it, or is it likely to, cause permanent ill-effects?

no.

(c) In your opinion, will it, or is it likely to, impair his future efficiency as an officer or soldier?

no.

(d) Probable period, if any, during which member will be incapacitated from resuming duty or civil avocation.

Three days.

(e) Remarks

*minor injury only.
The injury is consistent with the statement of this warrant officer.*

Date 20-1-41.

J. Deakin ^{right lieutenant}
acting Medical Officer.

Names of witnesses whose statements, if no Court of Inquiry be held, will be attached to form.

OPINION OF COMMANDING OFFICER.

(a) Was the injured person on duty within the meaning of A.M.R. & O. 698(5)?

Yes

(b) Was the injury due to negligence?

No.

(c) Was the injury due to misconduct?

No.

(d) Was anyone else to blame?

No.

(e) Will a Court of Inquiry be assembled by the Commanding Officer?

No.

(f) Remarks

Place *RMC Dartmoor*
Date *23 Jan '41*

W. H. ...
for I.C. Signature.

REMARKS OF DEPUTY-DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES.

REMARKS OF FORMATION, ETC., COMMANDER.

I concur
Hawson

1322.41

Brigadier
Commandant Royal Military College
12 FEB 1941

Description of the Soldier on discharge:

Age.....33 yrs. 1. mth..

Height.....5' 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ ".....

Complexion.....Dark.....

Eyes.....Brown.....

Hair.....Dark Brown.....

Distinctive marks or scars.....Scar on left knee. Scar on inside right thigh.....

Trade.....----- Traveller. -----

NOTE

This Certificate is to be issued free from erasures, corrections, and interlineations, and blank spaces are to be ruled through.

No duplication of a Certificate of Discharge will be issued except on surrender of the original and payment of the prescribed fee.

Any person who may find this Certificate is requested to return it in an unstamped envelope to Headquarters,.....

Victoria L. of C. Area
339 Swanston Street
Melbourne

AUSTRALIAN  MILITARY FORCES
PERMANENT FORCES

Certificate of Discharge

P948

Lieut. Colonel
Officer in Charge
VICTORIA ECHELON & RECORDS

Certificate No. P. 948

(No.) VP 4271 (Rank) TEMPORARY WARRANT OFFICER 1

(Name) Thomas Ivanhoe ELTHAM
 (Regiment or Corps) AUSTRALIAN INSTRUCTIONAL CORPS (P)
 born in or near the Town of BENDIGO in the State or Country
 of VICTORIA on 5 / FEB. / 1909.
 Enlisted at MELBOURNE on 17 / MAR. / 1939, for
 the PERMANENT MILITARY FORCES (Regiment or Corps).
 He is discharged in consequence of being Appointed to Commissioned Rank

Period of } 3 years 101 days.
 Service }
 including
 Active Service 73 days.

Medals and Decorations

This discharge was authorized by (a) Vic L of C Authy 014343 of
 16 Jan 45.
 and confirmed by (a) OC A.M.F. Discharge Depot
 to take effect on (b) 25 JUNE 1942
 (Place) MELBOURNE
 Date. 23 / 3 / 1946. Signature Commanding Officer
 Officer-in-Charge, VIC ECH AND RECORD

1027 days
Continuous Full Time War Service
which included:- Active Service in Australia 73 days
Active Service outside Australia days

(a) Insert the appropriate authority under A.M.R. & O. 255
(b) See A.M.R. & O. 262 and 263.

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(E2/5) 09248

5 JUL 1961

Dear Sir,

Re : Estate of Mary Virginia ELTHAM, dec'd

Your letter C.3684 of 3rd July 1961 is acknowledged.

Enclosed please find Certificate of Death No. 2668
in respect of the death on service of VX85284, Captain Thomas
Ivanhoe Eltham.

Yours faithfully,

Of Colonel,
OIC Central Army Records Office.

The Public Trustee,
601 Little Collins Street,
Melbourne, C.1.

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1961*

Telephone 61 3451 (10 lines)

When telephoning or calling ask for

Mr. Harper

Please address letters to The Public Trustee and quote No. C. 3684 and name of estate.

BW/MJH



Office of the Public Trustee

7th Floor, 601 LITTLE COLLINS STREET

MELBOURNE, C.I. 3rd July, 1961.

P.T. 29

The Officer-in-Charge,
Central Army Records Office,
Block A, Albert Park Barracks,
ALBERT PARK.

Dear Sir,

re: Estate of MARY VIRGINIA ELTHAM, dec'd.

Would you please furnish the Public Trustee with a Certificate of Death of Thomas Ivanhoe Eltham who was killed on active service in British East Borneo on the 22nd May, 1945.

Yours faithfully,

TRUST OFFICER.

OFFICE OPEN TO PUBLIC - 9.30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. - 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.
MONDAY to FRIDAY



T.1

No. VX 85284 Surname ELTHAM Christian Names Thomas Ivanhoe
 (In Blocks)
 Rank Lt Date of Birth 5-2-09 Place of Birth Bendigo, Vic. Aust
 Married Yes Former Unit 27 Aust Commando Sqn
 Date of enlistment 19 July 42
 Next of Kin (Full Name) Miss Ruth Eltham (Wife)
90 Alameda St Banfield St 8 Vic
 Nationality _____ of Father Australian of Mother Australian
 Civil experience _____

Service History (incl. promotions) Enlisted CMF 1927, 10th Bde
1927, Lt 1928, Commissioned 1929 - Resigned 1933. Enlisted
PMF 18 Mar 39. Rejoined A.I.F. 19 Jul 42.

Schools Attended:

School	Course	Date	Duration	Qualification
<u>Aviation Dept. C.T.D.</u>	<u>N^o 8</u>	<u>1939</u>	<u>5 months</u>	<u>Pass</u>
<u>General Warfare School</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1942</u>	<u>Instructor</u>	<u>Apr 42 to July 42</u>
<u>First Aust Army Junior Staff School</u>	<u>N^o 9</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>10 weeks</u>	<u>'C'</u>

Hobbies Photography - Football - cricket - Golf.

General Willing to take anything on

Schools Attended:

School

SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

Radio experience

Theory
Set Maintenance
Morse operating speed

Nil
Nil
5 words

Experience with machinery

4 cycle internal combustion
2 " " "
Diesel
Outboards

Owned motor cycles & cars,
do running repairs.

Experience handling boats

Canoes
Outboard Motors
Launches
Larger vessels

Experience handling natives

Jungle experience

New Guinea natives
speaks Pidgin.

Languages

Written
Fluent

Navigation qualifications

Medical experience

Knowledge of enemy held territory

Date 21 Sep 44

Sgd.

Betham 24

Dist. Trg. (2)
Admn. (2)
Cp. Sec. (1)

Army No. *19P 4241*

SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

VX 85284 Officer

Unit *A & C.*

Christian Names *Thomas Samba*

Surname *L. T. H. 177*
(Block Capitals)

Rank *Lieut. Col.*
(On Enlistment)

Marital Condition *Married*
Next of Kin *Paul Bellan*
Address of Next of Kin *Belleme Ave. Griffon, Amberra P.C.T.*
Relationship *Wife*

Date of Enlistment *17.08.1939*
Place *Mullanne*
Date of Birth *22 Feb. 1909*
Place of Birth *Bordigo Victoria*
Trade or Occupation *Cybernetician*
Religion *C of E.*

Identification — Colour of Hair *Dark Brunette* Eyes *Blue-grey*
Distinctive Marks *Scar on L. knee. Scar on side of thigh*

Medical Classification — Class I.
Class II.
(On Enlistment)

REPORT		Date	From whom received	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, &c., Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, &c.).	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W.3011, B.2069, or other Document	Signature of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entries
				<i>Promoted to 1st Lieut. 710 & A.I.C. Course 1940/41</i>	<i>18.12.39</i>	<i>Mullanne</i>	<i>RA</i>	<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 4687</i>	<i>4.9.40</i>	<i>Sydney</i>	<i>1770.23240</i>	<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>14.10.40</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>RAO 63/41</i>	<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>31.10.40</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>9.9.41</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>27.11.41</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>24.11.41</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>27.11.41</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>20.1.42</i>	<i>Sydney</i>		<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>15.4.42</i>	<i>Fooding</i>		<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>16.4.42</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>29.12.41</i>	<i>Mull.</i>		<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>29.12.41</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>RA</i>
				<i>1st Lt. 16/40</i>	<i>29.12.41</i>	<i>"</i>		<i>RA</i>

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REPORT		Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, &c., forfeiture 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 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					
29.4.45	A.M.C.	Major to Major. Awarded M.D. Medal for Bravery to DTS Bangoralla	5.4.45	Amtrac.	W 30 11/10/1005 KAR	
16.1.45	A.C. P.M.S. P.M.S.	Direct Award to D.S.S. (V.M.M.) 10/15/74/19337 #137 25.6.45 Substantial Increase to (Sob) £208 18.12.45	25.6.45 18.12.45	Mellin	To 23/45-218 Wells F.A.C. 9908 F.Wells	
		Officer K.A. 20/5/45.				

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY
 I CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE COPY OF THE ORIGINAL OF WHICH IT PURPORTS TO BE A COPY AND THAT I AM THE OFFICER HAVING THE CUSTODY OF THE ORIGINAL.

SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

A.F. B.103-1 (Adapted)
 Army No. VP. 4271

Unit: **A. I. C.**
 Surname: **ELTHAM**
 (Block Capitals)

Rank: **Private** **Thomas Ivanhoe**
 (On Enlistment) Christian Names

Date of Enlistment: **17.3.1939**
 Place: **Melbourne VICTORIA**
 Date and Place of Birth: **5.2.1909 BENDIGO VICTORIA**
 Trade or Occupation: **Traveller**
 Religion: **C of E**
 Marital Condition: **Married**
 Next of Kin: **Ruth Eltham**
 Address of Next of Kin: **Bellevue Crescent Griffiths Canberra A. C. T.**
 Relationship: **Wife**

Identification—Colour of Hair: **Dk. Brown** Eyes: **Brown**
 Distinctive Marks: **Scar on L knee Scar on inside of R thigh**

REPORT		Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, &c., forfeiture 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 furlough, &c.).	Place of Casualty	Authority of Uncer W.3011, B.2069, or other Document	Initials Certifying Correctness of Entries
Date	From whom received				
28.10.41	R. M. C.	Occupied single quarters	Duntroon	W.3011R018/1407 H.S.	
28.10.41	"	Vacated single quarters	"	W.3011R018/1403 H.S.	
13.11.41	"	Advancement of increment to 2nd Sub division for W.O.I as from	"	W.3011R017/1400 H.S.	
1.12.41	"	N/Kin Change of address as above	"	A. A. F. A. 12	OOS
26.11.41	Nom. Roll	DUTY WITH R.M.C. as at 30.10.41 attached	"	ECRO 47/1	WL
3.1.42	13 Garr. Bn	Temp duty 13 Garr Bn	"	W.3011R02/122 HS	
11.4.42	R. M. C.	Granted 1 day sick leave	"	W.3011	RAR
12.4.42	COli/cAdm	Approval for transfer from R.M.C. to I.O.T.S.	Sydney	Reg 87/4/165 RAR	
29.4.42	R. M. C.	3 M.D. Marched out to Vic L of C area (G W School for transfer to O.T.S. Bonegilla)	Duntroon	RO 22/1185	RAR

NOTHING TO BE WRITTEN IN THIS SPACE.

See serial B/103

REPORT		Record of all casualties, including promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, hospitalizations, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Station, and disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including enroute, &c.).	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W.3011, B.2069, or other Document	Initials of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entries
Date	From whom received					
16.1.45	Acc Prof	Brack AmRto 530 (VIII) R.0175A/49552/45/1033 Increment increase to (306) 2328 Open Records KIP 215745	25.6.43 18.12.43	Mech RAF 9908	W.3011 B.2069 Document	Wells Sweets

NOTHING TO BE WRITTEN IN THIS SPACE.

NOTICE OF DEATH

No. 3983

M.
or
S.

Authority E1192

~~VX 4271~~ Rank

Name (in full)

Unit Place Date Age

85284 T/capt. ELTHAM Momas Z Nov 21 5 2 09

Cause

Iranhoe.

Special known 45 17

N.O.K. wife Advised D/A

Enlisted F.T.D. 17-3-39

Planned by 16/1/45

See B199. G. 16/1/45.

30 A.I.F.

PERSONAL RECORD CARD.—PERMANENT FORCES.

A.A.F. A. 97.
(Reprinted Jan., 1939).

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CORPS A.I.C.

Record of VP 4271 Name

ELTHAM THOMAS Ganhol Trade Traveller

Name and Relation
Address

Enlisted on 17-3-39

UX85284 B.C. 858/4/71

Date of Birth 5-2-09

Marital Condition M.

Children, showing Sex and Date of Birth.

Religion C. of E.

Services under present Enlistment.

Unit.	From.	To.	Remarks.
<u>A.I.C. Cadre. (Inf.)</u>	<u>17-3-39</u>	<u>✓</u>	<u>R.O. 1/39.</u>
<u>4 DIV. 6 Bn.</u>	<u>28-12-39</u>		<u>R.O. 1/40.</u>
<u>7 Bn. 4 Div.</u>	<u>41-10-40</u>		<u>(R.O. 16/40</u> <u>AAA-266/40</u>

O.T.S. S/C.

G.W.S.

27 Aust. Cav (Comd) 29-1-44

8 av.

7th Spec Unit 23-11-44

Class.	Date Completed.	Authority.
Third	<u>323/702/286</u>	
Second	<u>148/701/136</u>	
First	<u>W1008</u>	

Passed for Promotion.

Rank.	Subjects.	Remarks.
		<u>file</u>

Certificates of Education.

Class.	Date Completed.	Authority.	Medals, &c.	Authority.
Third				
Second				
First				

Re-engaged for

Years.	Date.	Reference.	Years.	Date.	Reference.

Previous Service.

<u>6-8-27</u>	<u>29-2-28</u>	<u>Resig'd</u>
<u>1-3-28</u>	<u>25-11-28</u>	<u>Com'n</u>
<u>26-11-28</u>	<u>31-12-28</u>	<u>Business</u>
<u>1-1-29</u>	<u>25-3-30</u>	<u>Resig'd</u>
<u>26-3-30</u>	<u>12-10-33</u>	<u>Resig'd</u>

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PROMOTIONS, ETC.

COURSES, ETC.

Rank.	Date.	Authority.	Nature.	Duration.		Qualification.	Authority.
				From.	To.		
Temp / Sgt.	17.3.39	R.O. 139	Special AC Course (Inf)	1.8.39	18.12.39	Qual	APP. 47/40.
WARRANT OFFICER CLASS II (OP)	18.12.39	APP 47/40					
CONFIRMED	31.10.40	APP 63/41					
1WO I	26.6.42	CAG 207/42					
T/Lt.	30.6.42	EX.M.M. 194/42					
LIEUT.	20.7.42	CAG 328/42					
T/CAPT. 2/7 AVST IND COY.							

GENERAL.

Has had operational service. } CP. 17.11.12
 Has volunteered for }
 Is within age limits of Med Class }
 Released to R.F. 6.8.42 }
 Discharged 25.6.42 at 1600 25.30 with GO 33/45 }
 Pay and lieu of gratuity granted to Widow 2 mths 90 62/45.

Records Office,
Victoria L. of C. Area,
281 Lonsdale Street,
MELBOURNE, C.I.

A.D.F.O.,
Vic. L. of C. Area.

1. Please acknowledge receipt of A.A. Form 131 purporting to contain the Will of the undermentioned deceased member of the A.I.F.

No.	<u>V.R. 83284</u>	Rank	<u>Plt.</u>
NAME	<u>P. L. Hyam, P.I.</u>		
UNIT	<u>2. Special</u>		

M

Date JUN 2 - 1945

Joseph J. ...
- 2 JUN 1945

ATTESTATION FORM.

FOR SPECIAL FORCES RAISED FOR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD.

Army No. ~~YP #271~~ VX. 85284

Surname ELTHAM

Other Names THOMAS IVANHOE

Unit 2/7 Aust Ind Coy A.I.F.

Enlisted for service at No. 2 Camp. Camp. Darby

Victoria (State)

6th August 1942 (Date)

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

1. What is your name? 1. Surname ELTHAM (BLOCK CAPITALS) Other names THOMAS IVANHOE
2. Where were you born? 2. In or near the town of BLENDIGO in the State or country of VICTORIA
3. Are you a natural born or a naturalized British Subject? If 3. NATURAL BORN.
4. What is your age and date of birth? 4. Age 23 years 6 months Date of Birth 5.2.1909.
5. What is your trade or occupation? 5. Soldier
6. Are you married, single or widower? 6. Married
7. Give details of previous Military Service 7. A.M.F.— No. Rank Unit OTHER MILITARY SERVICE 1927-1935 No. Rank Unit 10 Ade Gae
8. If now serving, give particulars 8. No. YP #271 Rank Private Unit Australian Instructional Corps
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 Mrs Ruth Eltham Address Blat. 1. 52 Barkley Street. St Kilda Victoria Relationship wife
10. What is your permanent address? 10. Blat. 1. 52 Barkley St. St Kilda Vic
11. What is your religious denomination? (Answer optional.) 11. C. of E.
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 Yes. 3. Leaving 4. Leaving Honours Senior 5. Technical 6. University Degrees 7. Other Diplomas

I, Thomas Ivanhoe Eltham 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 [Signature] (Signature of Attesting or Witnessing Officer) [Signature] (Signature)

B MEDICAL EXAMINATION I certify the above-named person to be fit for Class 1 Temporarily unfit. Unit [Signature]

C OATH OF ENLISTMENT I, Thomas Ivanhoe Eltham 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.

Signature of Person Enlisted [Signature] Subscribed at Darby in the State of Victoria this 6th day of August 1942. Before me [Signature] (Signature of Attesting Officer)

† 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.

ATTESTATION FORM.

FOR MEMBERS OF THE AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES SERVING IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD.

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten text in the upper and middle sections of the form, including names and service details.]

DECEASED

DATE 21.5.45

PLACE

NATURE OF DEATH M.I.A.

[Handwritten signature]
 per Lieut. Col.
 Officer in Charge
 Victoria Echelon and Records

ELTHAM T. I.

DATE	RANK	UNIT	DETAIL	AUTHORITIES	C. OF A. GAZETTE NO.	PAGE
26-3-30	Asst Prob	4 Div. Army		736-87-1		
26-6-42	Lieut	A.I.C.	Instr. Guerrilla Warfare Sch. (Weapons Wing)	Ex. P. 194/42		
20-6-42	Lieut		sem. fr. 26/6/42	AS/F		
30-6-42		Special List	Sec. CMF - Instr. Guerrilla Warfare Sch. (Weapon Trg)	Ex. P. 194/42		
1-4-42		46 Inf. Bn.	Trans - sec	Ex. P. 194/42		
19-4-42	Lieut	A.I.C.	Leaves to be sec. A.C.M.F. & resumes duty A.I.C. as Trng	AG-28	31/9/43	G
20-4-42	Lieut	2/4 Ind. Coy	Sec. A.I.F. & Trans - with A.S.		31/9/43	G
16-4-43		PSL	Trans			
31-4-43		2/4 Cav (Comd) Regt	Trans - (2/4 Ind. Coy)	AGMS. 119		
26-6-43			Reed 1 Aust. Comdo. Trg. Bn. (3rd Fr. 2/4 Ind. Coy)	AGMS. 160		
26-6-43			On strength (RS) 2/4 Ind. Coy. NG Coy C	W 3008		
29-12-43			on strength in Depot	W 3008		
13-6-43			In transit GDD Vic. to Comdo. Trg. Bn.	W 3008	27/43	2800
26-10-43			2/4 Aust. Indpt. Coy. now 2/4 Aust. Cav. Comdo. Sqdn New Guinea			
2-6-43	Pl. from 1st A.C.H. for O.N.	Heath Pl.				
13-6-43	M.D. GDD to Comdo. Trg. Bn.					
27-1-43	Cav (Comd) Sqdn		Auth. Vic. to C. GDD. 19/1/43			
			Auth. Vic. to C. GDD. 19/1/43			
			Auth. Vic. to C. GDD. 19/1/43			

SERVICE, ETC.
 MEDALS
 CHRISTIAN NAMES
 ARMY NO. VX85284

THOMAS IVANHOE
 NAME AND INITIALS
 ELTHAM T. I.

DECORATIONS
 DATE OF BIRTH 5.2.09
 REG. LIST CODE NO. 6-3443

A.I.F. CLASS.
 R.S.L.
 C.M.F.
 R.O.F.O.
 U.L.
 RETIRED LIST
 P.O.W.
 MISSING
 RETIRED
 DECEASED
 TYPING

DATE	RANK	UNIT	DETAIL	AUTHORITIES	G. OF A. GAZETTE	
					NO.	PAGE
31-1-44			217 Huss Coy. Commando. Sep. 2004 211 Huss Commando 5th Airborne Div. (217 Huss Commando 5th Airborne Div.)			
1-5-44			IS RECORDED			
7-9-44			REGD. DUTIES "Z" SPECIAL UNIT (AIF) Not recorded for spec. duties	AMF 50/879 ✓ " 949 ✓		
22-3-45	1 Capt.		Missing. Believed Killed, place unknown.	RMF 78/490 ✓		
31-5-45		K. I. A	Pres. advancing, he killed a few killed in action	Gen. MS 122/125 ✓ Gen. MS 123/125 ✓		
21-5-45						

VX85284

A. A. Form A. 131.



AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

WILL

SEP 1942
4/9

VX 85284

OF

No. VP 4271

Rank Lieut

Full Name

Thomas Frankoe
Eltham

Unit

2/7 Aust Ind Coy

Dated

2 Sep '42.

(Not to be opened except on decease or
by written order of the member.)

James O'Connell
- 2 JUN 1945

