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WILLIAMS FRANCIS EDGAR : Service Number - VX136033 : Date of birth - 09 Feb 1893 : Place of birth -  
ADELAIDE SA : Place of enlistment - QLD : Next of Kin - WILLIAMS CONSTANCE

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

A.A. Form A.200. (Revised April, 1941.)

ATTESTATION FORM.

FOR SPECIAL FORCES RAISED FOR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD.

Army No. V146974 VX 136033  
 Surname WILLIAMS (BLOCK CAPITALS) Other Names Francis Edgar  
 Unit Allied Geographical Section.  
 Enlisted for service at Melbourne (Place)  
VIC. Q'LAND. (State) 8/3/43. ~~18 Feb 44~~ (Date)

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

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|--|---|
| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. Surname <u>WILLIAMS</u><br>(BLOCK CAPITALS)  |
| 2. Where were you born? .....  | Other names <u>Francis Edgar</u>  |
| 3. Are you a natural born or a naturalized British Subject? If the latter, papers are to be produced .....   | 2. In or near the town of <u>Adelaide</u><br>in the State or country of <u>S.A.</u>   |
| 4. What is your age and date of birth? .....   | 3. <u>British</u>   |
| 5. What is your trade or occupation? .....   | 4. Age <u>50</u><br>Date of Birth <u>9 Feb 1893</u>   |
| 6. Are you married, single or widower? .....   | 5. <u>Civil Servant</u>   |
| 7. Give details of previous Military Service .....   | 6. <u>Married</u>   |
| 8. If now serving, give particulars .....  | 7. A.M.F.—<br>No. .... Rank .... Unit ....<br>OTHER MILITARY SERVICE <u>Last War</u><br>No. .... Rank <u>Capt</u> Unit <u>32nd Bn; Dunstons</u>     |
| 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.) ..... | 8. No. <u>V146974</u> Rank <u>Capt</u> Unit <u>P.G.S.</u>   |
| 10. What is your permanent address? .....  | 9. Name <u>Esther Laura Alford Williams</u><br>Address <u>70 Bank NSW. HO. Sydney</u><br>Relationship <u>Wife</u><br><u>70 Bank NSW. HO. Sydney</u> |
| 11. What is your religious denomination? (Answer optional.) .....  | 10. <u>C.O.F.</u>   |
| 12. Have you ever been convicted by a civil court? .....   | 11. <u>No</u>   |
| 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 <u>M.A., D.Sc.</u>  |
|  | 7. Other Diplomas <u>Anthropology</u>   |

P.M.G.  
23.5.43  
The Womens College  
Kangaroo Point Brisbane Q'land

Francis Edgar Williams 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 F. Kolthammer Lt. 3/59t (Signature of Attesting or Witnessing Officer) [Signature] (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 above-named person to be fit for Class A II Temporarily unfit. Unfit  
Robert Grey (Signature)

C OATH OF ENLISTMENT †  
 I, Francis Edgar Williams 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subscribed at \_\_\_\_\_ in the State of \_\_\_\_\_  
 this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_  
 Before me—  
 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.

ATTENTION

DECEASED

DATE 12.5.43

PLACE NG

NATURE OF DEATH Killed accidentally

J. Legant Capt  
for Lt. Col. Officer-in-Charge  
District Records Office  
Southern Command, 3rd M. D.

11/6/43





A. Form B.199 (a).  
(Adapted).  
(Reprinted Oct., 1941).

*A-32*  
*Accidentally Killed.*  
*17081 filed*  
*A200*

*N/E*

OFFICER'S RECORD OF SERVICE

*A200 filed with Mob 1.*

*VX 136033*  
Personal Number  
~~V146976~~

Regt. or Corps *7. H. Q. S. Bch*

Other Names *Francis Edgar*  
A.H.M.—10/41—B903

Surname *WILLIAMS*  
(BLOCK CAPITALS)

Personal Particulars—

Address *9 High Street, Unley Park, South Australia*  
*9/2/1893* Date of Birth *Adelaide, S.A.* Place  
Civilian Employment *Govt. Officer* Religion *U. of E.*

Name, Relationship and Address of next of kin	Children		Previous Military Service		
	Date of birth	Sex	Unit	From	To
<i>Constance Laura Williams (Wife)</i> <i>9 High Street, Unley Park, S.A.</i>					

Examinations and Promotions—

Rank	Subject	Date	Authority	Promoted	Date	Authority
Lieutenant				<i>LIEUT.</i>		
				<i>(Temp) Captain</i>	<i>19.11.42</i>	<i>29/12/42</i>

Schools, Courses, &c.—

Nature of Course	Place	From	To	Certificate	Authority

NOTHING TO BE WRITTEN IN THIS SPACE.

Special Qualifications or Experience—

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 correctness of entries
Date	From whom received					
9.3.42	A.H.Q.	Taken on Strength A.H.Q. 'G' Bch Diate of Mic Intel. In appnt as I.O.	18.2.42	3rd D	RO 9/2030/42	B.
20.3.42		Appointed from RAF. 14.11.40	18.2.42		A.H.Q. 19/65/42 R.O. 11/2622/42	MB
20.7.42	L.H.Q.	Sick Leave from	27.6.42		RO 36/8908/42	B
20.7.42		Rejoined unit from sick leave	6.7.42		RO 36/8902/42	B
12.8.42		Rationed & Quarters at Officers mess "Greycoat" 18.2.42 to 14.6.42	18.2.42		RO 45/1069/42 10693/42	B
4.9.42	"	M/I from Area Staffs. Vic of C Area & T.O.S. L.H.Q. 'G' Bch. in appnt as G.P.O. III.	31.8.42	Aux	RO 12016/42 30/	MB
19.11.42	M/Lieut	Transferred from Aust Intel Corps 3.M.D. to Aust Intel Corps L.H.Q.	30.4.42	"	A.H.Q. 29/17/42 CAG 31/1000/42	MB
19.11.42	M/Lieut	Promoted (Temp) Captain attached Allied Geog Sec.	19.11.42	"	A.H.Q. 29/12/42	MB
31.3.43	A.G. 45	Is trans from Aust Intel Corps L.H.Q. to Aust New Guinea Admin. Unit.	10.3.43	Aust	A.H.Q. 1/3/43 A.G. 45 12/17/43 A.G. 45 1/14/43	MB
23.9.42	L.H.Q.	SOS, L.H.Q. 'G' Bch Diate of Mic Intel & M/O to Adv. L.H.Q. (A.I.A.C.)	16.8.42		RO 56/13765/42	MB
22.3.43	L.H.Q. Records	Deplaned at Townsville from New Guinea	11.3.43		MS 16/1/43	MB
12.6.43	L.H.Q. 2 Echelon	Crew rep. Missing now rep'd killed accidentally result of plane crash <sup>area</sup> Moraby	12.5.43		MS 115/4855/43	MB
1.6.43	v	Missing in action in flight from Wards Dome to Do Bodura while travelling under order	12.5.43		MS 135/2976/43	MB
25.5.43	A.N.G.A.	Rep. Missing in action (Passenger on plane rep. missing) & trans to X List	12.5.43		RO 4/4/43	MB
21.4.43	2d Lt of Records	<u>Voltd &amp; accepted for service in AIF</u> <u> allotted New P.O. No. VX 136033</u>	8.3.43		RO 9/856/43	MB
	ANGAU	REF RO/4/4/43 NOW REPORTED ACCIDENTALLY KILLED AS RESULT OF AIR CRASH 12/5/43	12/5/43		RO 6/192/43	MB
	"	M/I FROM ALLIED GEOGRAPHIC SECTION	15/3/43		RO 6/349/43	MB

MB

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Central Army Records Office  
Albert Park Barracks  
MELBOURNE Vic. 3004.

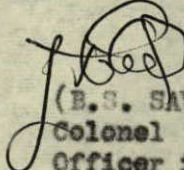
E Medals/

Dear Sir,

In answer to your letter of the 27th June 1970, campaign awards are replaced only to the original recipient.

Accordingly, this Office is not in a position to assist you further in this matter. (Letter from this Office dated 9th January 1968 also refers).

Yours faithfully,

  
(B.S. SAVAGE)  
Colonel  
Officer in Charge

Mr J. WILLIAMS  
57 Junction Road,  
WAHROONGA N.S.W. 2076.



YX136033

Officer

Received 1/2/43

Records Office,  
VICTORIA L. OF C. AREA.

A.D.F.O.,  
Victoria L. of C. Area,  
MELBOURNE.

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. 136089</u>	Rank	<u>Capt.</u>
	<u>V. 146974</u>		
NAME	<u>J. E. Williams</u>		
UNIT	<u>AMCAC</u>		

Date 21/6/43.

*as per for* Capt.  
O.C. Deceased Members Section

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*A. Grant*

M. F.

A.A. Form Mob. 1  
(Revised July, 1940).

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. V146974

Surname WILLIAMS (BLOCK CAPITALS) Christian Names Francis Edgar

Unit M. I. A.H.O.

Enlisted for war service at Royal Park (Place)  
Victoria (State) 18/2/42 (Date)

**A**

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

1. What is your name ? ...	1. Surname <u>WILLIAMS</u> (BLOCK LETTERS)
	Other names <u>Francis Edgar</u>
2. Where were you born ? ...	2. In or near the town of <u>Adelaide</u> in the state or country of <u>S.A. Australia</u>
3. Are you a British Subject ? ...	3. <u>Yes.</u>
4. What is your age and date of birth ? ...	4. Age <u>49 years.</u> Date of Birth <u>9-2-1893</u>
5. What is your trade or occupation ? ...	5. <u>Account Officer</u>
6. Are you married, single or widower ? ...	6. <u>Married</u>
7. Have you previously served in any Armed Force either in peace or war ? If so, where and in what arm ? ...	7. <u>32<sup>nd</sup> Btn 1<sup>st</sup> AIF Overseas &amp; Dunster Force</u>
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>Constance Laura Williams</u> Address <u>9 High St Unley Park</u> <u>South Australia</u> Relationship <u>Wife</u>
9. What is your permanent address ? ...	9. <u>as above</u>
10. What is your religious denomination ? (This question need not be answered if the man has a conscientious objection to doing so) ...	10. <u>C/E.</u>

I, Francis Edgar Williams do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true.

Witnessed by Philip A Hockenbury x [Signature]  
(Signature of Attesting 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 Act.

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. Fit for Class II. *A. Duties out of tropical zone only - because*
- 4. Temporarily unfit for Class II †
- 5. Unfit for military service †

Place *Red Royal Oak* Date *18.2.42*

Signature of Examining Medical Officer *Khawar Meja*

\* 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 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, ..... 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 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

Subscribed at ..... in the State of .....

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

Before me—

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 initialled by the Attesting Officer.

DECEASED

DATE *12.5.43*

PLACE *N G*

NATURE OF DEATH *Killed accidentally*

*J. Legant Capt*  
for Lt. Col. Officer-in-Charge  
District Records Office  
Southern Command, 3rd M. D.

*15/6/43*

NAME WILLIAMS F.E No. W 136033

Address .....

1	<del>1939/45 STAR</del>	<del>X</del>
2	AFRICA STAR	
3	<del>with 1st Clasp</del>	
4	<del>with 8th Clasp</del>	
5	ATLANTIC STAR	
6	A.C. EUROPE STAR	
7	ITALY STAR	
8	FRANCE & G. STAR	
9	<del>PACIFIC STAR</del>	<del>X</del>
10	BURMA STAR	
11	DEFENCE MEDAL	
12	<del>WAR MEDAL</del>	<del>X</del>
13	<del>A.S.M.</del>	<del>X</del>
14	<u>Deceased</u>	

Recorder .....  
Checker .....

AWARDS WITHHELD

Serials: .....

REASON: .....

Small Parcel  
List 185

AUTHORITY: .....

Packer .....  
Despatcher .....

TO WHOM DESPATCHED all awards posted 22-11-51

Reg'd Parcel No. .... DATE .....

RECEIPT

Serials Eng MP Sig 1-11-51

AHQ Press-3443-9/46-710m DATE .....