RECORD OF SERVICE. (PETTY OFFICERS AND MEN.)

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NAME **SYMES** Arthur Gordon OFFICIAL NUMBER 23571

Date of Birth 2 Aug '17 Place of Birth Adelaide S.A. Religion Meth Port Division Melbourne

Next of Kin (relationship and address) Father Gordon H.J. 76 Jules Road South Payneham adelaide S.A. L 10/8/48

1911 TO 1920 INC. Addressor Vice Rose (19/3/47) Trade Fitter

ENGAGEMENTS. Date of Commencement.	Period.	Date of 1st Entry in R.A.N.	MEDALS, CLASPS, ETC. Date Received.	Nature of Decoration.	SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT (inclusive dates). From.	To.	From.	To.
13 Sept 39	12 yrs	13-9-39 R.N. Service.						

TIME FORFEITED.

Date.	No. of Days.	P., C., C.P., W.T., or D.	Date.	No. of Days.	P., C., C.P., W.T., or D.

DESCRIPTION OF PERSON.

Occasion.	Height. Ft.	Ins.	Colour of Hair.	Eyes.	Complexion.	Marks, Wounds, and Scars.
On Entry as Boy	6	1	Black	Grey	Fresh	Scar L Knee, Offend scar L anti Cubital Fossa
On Advancement to Man's Rating or on Entry under age 22						
On Re-entry or on Entry after age 22						
Further description, if necessary						

EXAMINATIONS AND NOTATIONS.

Date.	Particulars.	Date.	Particulars.
1-11-39	Qual. A.G. 1 Days 14983	17 JUL 1946	Deferred Pay Paid
22-3-40	Hospitalised Naval by Invalid Cert 1062	Paid £54/1/3	in Lieu of 50 Days Accrued
4 Oct 40	Granted Good Conduct WK/c Anchor	H.S. And W.S. Leave—A/c No.....	Dated .....
15 Feb 41	Passed for confirm E.R.A.4.		
31 Oct 41	Granted Special Certificate		
30-6-40	LIFEBELT ISSUED Hobart		

WAR GRATUITY
CL. 1 No. 33165
AMOUNT £222-15-0
INITIALS (CH)

GOOD CONDUCT BADGES.

Date.	1st, 2nd, 3rd.	Granted, Deprived, Restored.	Date.	1st, 2nd, 3rd.	Granted, Deprived, Restored.
4/4/42	1st	Granted			

Wounds received in Action, and Hurt Certificate; also, any Meritorious Service, Special Recommendations, Prize, or other Grants.

Date.

25-1-45 £3775 (Cash £13-0 6d Kuala £16-6-11) Last Portion of £1 in Imprest P/A 6353 45/Payments

Paid £22 89 in Lieu of ... Days Special Leave

Paid £161-11-9 in Lieu of 84 Days Leave

Disch A/C 1506 3/8/46 349/43/3447

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Name of Ship.	Rating.	From.	To.	Character.	Efficiency.	Date Assessed.	
							Joined Cerberus Sept 1939
						6th Xmas	Joined 1/1/40
Cerberus	A/E.R.A. IV	13-9-39	13-1-40	V.G.	SAT.	31-12-39	Envelope said to contain WT lodged on file 45/205/1005
Hobart	— " —	14-1-40	14-1-41	V.G.	Sat.	31.12.40	trained E.R.A.4. (CRO) 21 Oct 41. Hobart R561. 15788 W.
— " —	E.R.A. III	15-1-41	20-4-41	Superior		31-12-41	Rated E.R.A III 13.9.41. Abraham Jonasson 503071A
— " —	E.R.A. III (CPO)	21-4-41	29-5-41	Superior		31-12-41	Surveyor at Colombo, and recommended 3 months
Cerberus	— " —	30-5-41	28-9-41	VS	Sat.	31.12.43	Shore service disposal Anxiety State.
Vyner [Vampire]	— " —	29-9-41	28-2-42	VS	Sat.	31.12.44	present in Ceylon awaiting passage to Australia
VAMPIRE	— " —	1-3-42	9.4.42	V.G	Sat	31.12.45	349/120/39 2nd 17/8/44
Torrens	— " —	10-4-42	29.9.42	VG	Sat	18.6.46	In Service Med. Survey Anxiety State 15/5/45
Lansdale (?) [5B CRINISSEN]	ERA III (19.9.42)	30.9.42	31.10.42				Approve of Rating being retained for shore service. S/C 408 Adel. 349/120/1407 12/6/45
Penguin (?)	— " —	1.11.42	31.12.42				Report Statement No. 6025 forwarded
Kuttabul (?) [— " —]	— " —	1.1.43	30.4.43	not credited arrears of ERA's on Kuttabul Pay Ledger 3/43.			to D N M S 25.5.46
Lansdale	— " —	1.6.43	12.5.43				DEMOB. 18.6.46 AS10317 / 23924
LANKA	— " —	13-5-43	30-9-43.				Torrens 9.9.44 [HMS 1944] Jan. 62714
Napier	— " —	1-10-43	4.10.43.				105th B.G.H. 3-5-45 Torrens 62864
		5.10.43.		Seemingly Lanka. 11/9/44 (see white card).			Torrens for Demob 11-5-45 Torrs 62864 141-
							Demob 8-6-46 Torrs 38278.
							Shore - 18-6-46 Torrs 134133.
				Ferry for Torrens 7/6/44			ex Wm. Monarch (see white card.) Dispatched from Leuwin 9 Sept 44. 522 Mg Survey report dated 16/9/45 to be dealt with as Anxiety State
							Pays 3-4-47 120/407 17/6
							N.B. Furlough Statement that Expand 7/6/50

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