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Attestation of No. 4240 Name BAILEY

John Pretty

NO. 4 R.A.A.F. RECRUITING CENTRE

Joined at PERTH, W.A.

on 28th April 1941

Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

1. What is your Name? ... 1. John Pretty BAILEY
2. In or near what Town were you born? ... 2. At or near the Town of Boulder
in the State of Western Australia
3. Are you a British Subject or a Naturalized British Subject of pure European descent? (N.B.—If the latter, papers to be shown.) 3. British Subject
4. What is your Age? (You are warned that if you give a false answer to this question you are liable to be severely punished) 4. 29 years - months 29/3/1912
5. What is your Trade or Calling? ... 5. Clerk
6. Are you, or have you been, an Apprentice? If so, where, to whom, and for what period? 6. No.
7. Are you married? ... 7. Yes.
8. Have you ever been convicted by the Civil Power? ... 8. No.
9. Have you ever been discharged from any part of His Majesty's Forces with Ignominy, or as Incurable and Worthless, or on account of Conviction of Felony, or of a Sentence of Penal Servitude, or have you been dismissed with Disgrace from the Navy? (You are warned that you are liable to heavy punishment if you make a false answer to this question) 9. No.
10. Do you now belong to, or have you ever served in, His Majesty's Royal Navy, Marines, Army, Militia, Militia Reserve, Air Force, or Colonial Forces? If so, state which, and cause of discharge 10. R.A.A.F. Ground Staff. Remuster to Air Crew, R.A.A.F.
11. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous Service? 11. Yes.
12. Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's Service? If so, on what grounds? 12. No.
13. Are you willing to be enlisted under the conditions stated in the regulations for the Air Force of the Commonwealth of Australia? 13. Yes.

DECLARATION.

I, John Pretty BAILEY do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Signature of Recruit J. Bailey.

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord the King in the Air Force of the Commonwealth of Australia for the term of * Six years 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.

(A recruit who objects to take an oath may "affirm." (see Air Force Regulations.)

* Strike out whichever inapplicable.

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER.

The recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Air Force Act and Air Force Regulations of the Commonwealth of Australia.

The questions were then read to the 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 the opinion they are correct. (In the case of a British Subject, this is to be struck out.)

The said recruit has made and signed the Declaration and taken the Oath at PERTH
in the State of WESTERN AUSTRALIA, this 28th day of APRIL
1941, before me.

Signature

(A Justice of the Peace or Attesting Officer.)