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ATTESTATION FORM

FOR OFFICERS OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

(A) DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT

SURNAME.....RUMPEL.....	PERMANENT ADDRESS
CHRISTIAN NAME.....Oscar Hedley.....	39 Cameron Street South.....
RELIGION.....C. of E.....	Kitchener, Ontario.....

DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
31 October 1911	Town Kitchener County Waterloo Province Ontario Country	Mrs. Ada Rumpel (Mother) 39 Cameron Street South KITCHENER, Ontario.

PERSONAL DESCRIPTION

HEIGHT	CHEST MEASUREMENT	HAIR	EYES	COM- PLEXION	WOUNDS, SCARS, MARKS
Feet.....5.....	Inflated.....39.....	Brown	Brown	Med.	Scar on forehead
Inches.....5½.....	Deflated.....37.....				
161	Mean.....38.....				

DATE OF ENROLMENT	RANK IN WHICH ENROLLED	MARRIED, SINGLE, OR WIDOWER	TRADE OR CALLING AND IN WHOSE EMPLOY
Divisional Strength 11 May, 1942	Probationary Sub-Lieutenant R.C.N.V.R. (T)	Single	Estates Officer - Waterloo Trust and Savings Co.

(B) DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT

I hereby declare as follows:—

- (1) That I am a British Subject, domiciled in Canada.
- (2) That I am desirous of being enrolled as an Officer of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, and that I accept and will abide by the rules of the said Force.
- (3) That* (a) I have never served, and am not serving in any Naval, Military, Reserve or Territorial Force.

* (b) I served in for the period shown, and attach my record of service.

* Cross out Clause not applicable.

SERVED IN	RANK	FROM	TO
	NIL.		

(c) I have never been rejected for any of His Majesty's Forces on account of unfitness.

(4) That the particulars contained above are correct, and true according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

OVER

Noted in Service
Records by A.B..
27/5/42

(5) On being enrolled as an Officer of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, I understand and bind myself:—

(a) To serve from the date thereof for as long as my services may be required, being subject to the provisions of the Naval Service Act, and of the regulations made in pursuance thereof for the governing of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, and to the customs and usages of His Majesty's Canadian Naval Service.

(b) To report for active service if called upon in time of war or emergency, and, if called into active service, to serve ashore or afloat as may be directed, according to where my services are required.

(c) To provide myself with the necessary uniform as laid down in R.C.N.V.R. Regulations.

Dated this.....11th.....day of.....May,.....1942

P. N. Ferguson
Signature of Applicant.

The above declaration was made and signed in my presence this.....11th.....

day of.....May.....1942.

R. E. Malke
Signature of Enrolling Officer.

(C)

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

Oscar Hedley RUMPEL.....do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Britannic Majesty, His heirs and successors according to law.

Signature of Applicant.....

P. N. Ferguson

Signature of Officer administering the Oath.....

R. E. Malke

Rank.....^Dub-Lieutenant, R.C.N.V.R.

Date.....11th May, 1942.....

The Oath of Allegiance may be administered by any commissioned officer of the Naval Service.

NOTE.—This form when completed is to be forwarded to Naval Service Headquarters, Ottawa, together with Certificate of medical examination B-207, and record of any previous service.

The record of previous service will be returned after examination at Naval Service Headquarters.

Unemployment Insurance Book - Yes.

OFFICIAL NUMBER

FILE NUMBER

103-R-147

0-64250

OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME

RUMPEL

(Surname)

Oscar Hedley

(Given Names)

DATE OF BIRTH

31 October, 1911

PLACE OF BIRTH

Kitchener, Waterloo, Ont.

OCCUPATION

Estates Officer

RELIGION

Church of England

EDUCATION

RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No.

39 Cameron St. South

Town

Kitchener

Province, etc

Ont.

ENGAGEMENTS

Date (in figures)			Period
Day	Month	Year	
11	5	42	H.O.

DESCRIPTION

Height	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Marks or Scars
5'5½"	Brown	Brown	Medium	Scar on forehead

PREVIOUS SERVICE

Served in	Rank or Rating	Dates	
		From	To

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil)

NAME (in pencil)

ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No.

Town

Province, etc.

MEDALS, CLASPS, HURT CERTIFICATES, PRIZE MONEY

Date (in figures)			Particulars
Day	Month	Year	
4	9	44	C.V.S.M. Ribbon & Clasp

EXAMINATIONS, CERTIFICATES, ETC.

Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			PARTICULARS
Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	
17	5	44	Awarded Watchkeeping Certificate				
10	2	45	Watchkeeping Certificate				

BADGES, G.C. OR G.S.

Date (in figures)			1st, 2nd or 3rd G.C. or G.S.	Granted Deprived Restored
Day	Month	Year		

BRIEF PARTICULARS OF WARRANT OR C.M. PUNISHMENTS AND C.P. CHARGES

SHIP OR ESTABLISHMENT	Wt. No.	Date (in figures)			BRIEF PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE	PUNISHMENT
		Day	Month	Year		

Date (in figures)

DAYS FORFEITED

Day	Month	Year	Prison	Det'n	Cells	C. Power	W. Trial	In diff. Char.
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O.H.F. Received

FILM
NO. 4407-3
DATE

SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT

From

To



O P Y

c/o C.F.M.O., London, E.C.2,
April 3rd, 1945.

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Dear Mrs. Rumpel:

It is with deep regret that I write this letter. I am the former Commanding Officer of H.M.C.S. "GUYSBOROUGH" in which your son was serving as Executive Officer.

I know there is nothing I can say that will take away the grief you are suffering, but I do want you to know how extremely sorry I am.

Oscar was only on the ship for a short while but we had become good friends and I can truthfully say there was never a better First Lieutenant under my command. He was well liked by all on board and his loss is deeply felt by those of us who survived.

Regulations prevent me from giving a detailed description of what happened, but I can say that I was talking to Oscar at the time and gave him the order to have the ship abandoned, which duty he went away to perform and was not seen again by any of the survivors. I can only presume that having fulfilled his duties and leaving in his turn he struck some wreckage when jumping over, knocked himself unconscious and was drowned immediately. Several others injured themselves badly in this manner.

If I am ever in your vicinity, I hope you will allow me to call on you to express my condolences in person and in the meantime if there is anything I can do please let me know and I will be only too pleased to oblige.

Yours sincerely,

"B.R. Russell"

Lieutenant, R.C.N.R.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS

(NAVY)

D.D.

WAR SERVICE RECORDS

RUMPEL Oscar Hedley		0-64250	Lt.	FILE No.
SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS)	CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. No.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT

WAR SERVICE

BADGE

(CLASS) No. DATE DESPATCHED:

ADDRESS:

CAMPAIGN MEDALS	REGISTRATION NUMBER AN DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star,	6438 22-5-50
Fr. Ger. Star & Clasp,	
C.V.S.M. & Clasp,	
War Medal.	

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

RCNVR Dec. 45 "GUYSBOROUGH"

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS
PERSON
ENTITLED TO The Waterloo Trust & Savings Co. (Exec.)
ADDRESS: Waterloo, Ont.
Kitchener,

Memorial Bar to:
Mrs. Oscar Rumpel,
125 Queen St. North,
Kitchener, Ont.

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS
WIDOW
ADDRESS:

MEMORIAL BAR
(2)
DATE DESP.....
REGN. NO. 4485

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS
MOTHER Mrs. Ada Rumpel
ADDRESS: 39 Cameron St., S., Kitchener, Ont.

(3)
5-6-45