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ATTESTATION FORM

FOR MEN OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

SURNAME GILBOE OFFICIAL NO.

CHRISTIAN NAMES ARTHUR F MARRIED, SINGLE or WIDOWER SINGLE

PERMANENT ADDRESS <u>647 HALW AVE, WINDSOR, ONT.</u>	RELIGION <u>R. C.</u>
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DATE OF BIRTH <u>FEB 15, 1920</u>	PLACE OF BIRTH Town <u>WINDSOR</u> County <u>ESSEX</u> Province <u>ONT.</u>	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN <u>ARTHUR J. GILBOE - FATHER</u> <u>647 HALW, WINDSOR.</u>
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PERSONAL DESCRIPTION ON ENROLMENT

HEIGHT	CHEST MEASUREMENT	HAIR	EYES	COM- PLEXION	WOUNDS, SCARS, MARKS
Feet <u>8 5/8</u>	Inflated <u>40 36 1/2</u>	<u>Blond</u>	<u>Blue</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Scars on right eyelid</u> <u>left legs.</u> <u>Scar on right eye brow</u>
Inches <u>9 1/2</u>	Deflated <u>34 33</u>				
Mean <u>36 34 1/2</u>					

DATE OF ENROLMENT <u>JUL 10 1940</u>	RATING ENROLLING FOR <u>O. 5.</u>	TRADE OR CALLING AND IN WHOSE EMPLOY <u>GROCERY CLERK.</u>
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(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 a member of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, and that I accept and agree to 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.

* I served in for the period shown, and attach my record of service, in corroboration of this statement.

* Cross out Clause not applicable.

SERVED IN	RANK	FROM	TO

- (c) I have never been rejected from 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.

(5) On being enrolled as a member of the Windsor Division of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, I undertake and bind myself:—

(a) To serve from the date thereof for three consecutive years, being subject to the provisions of the Naval Service Act, and of the Regulations made in pursuance thereof for the government 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 keep in good repair and condition the articles of uniform and any articles of outfit which may be issued to me and to return them to the nearest Divisional Commanding Officer or to Training Headquarters prior to my discharge or when required so to do by any authorized person, or to pay compensation for any loss or damage thereto other than fair wear and tear; and also not to wear such uniform or outfit (which is and remains the property of the Crown) except when on naval duty.

Dated this JULY 10 1940 day of July, 1940.

Signature of applicant Arthur F. Gilboe jr

(C) CERTIFICATE OF DIVISIONAL COMMANDING OFFICER

I hereby certify that all the foregoing statements were made by the volunteer above named, in my presence, and that he has made and signed the above declaration in my presence on this 3rd day of JULY 10 1940

A Marshall
LIEUT. R.C.N.V.R.
Commanding Officer

(D) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I, Arthur F. Gilboe 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 Arthur F. Gilboe jr

Witness James Chrest

Date JULY 10 1940 Rank Lieut.

The Oath of Allegiance may be administered by a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service.

(E) CERTIFICATE OF DIVISIONAL COMMANDING OFFICER

Arthur F. Gilboe having been duly enrolled to serve in the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, I have caused his name and every prescribed particular to be recorded in the Record Book of the Windsor Division of the R.C.N.V.R.

A Marshall
LIEUT. R.C.N.V.R.
Commanding Officer

NOTE.—This form when completed and when the particulars on it have been noted in the Divisional Commanding Officer's Record Book, is to be forwarded to Headquarters, Ottawa, for custody.

The Certificate of medical examination, B-207, and certificates of previous service are to be sent to Headquarters, Ottawa, with this form.

Certificates of previous service will be returned after they have been examined at Headquarters, Ottawa.

CERTIFICATE of the SERVICE of

..... Gilboe Arthur F.

in the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve

Training Headquarters	R.C.N.V.R. Division	Official Number..... <u>V-19071</u>
	Windsor, Ontario.	"..... <u>V-19071</u>
		".....

Date of Birth..... <u>Feb. 15th. 1920</u>	Name and Address of Nearest Relative or Friend
Place of Birth..... <u>Windsor, Ontario.</u>	<u>Arthur J. Gilboe (Father)</u>
Place of Residence..... <u>647 Hall Avenue, Windsor, Ontario.</u>	<u>647 Hall Avenue</u>
Trade brought up to.....	<u>Windsor, Ontario</u>
Religion..... <u>R.C.</u>	

Can Swim:—P.P.T. () Date..... 19..... Signature.....

P.S.T. () Date..... 19..... Signature.....

PARTICULARS OF SERVICE				MEDALS, DECORATIONS, etc.		
Date of Actual Volunteering	Date of Enrolment	Period Volunteered for	Rating on Enrolment or Re-enrolment	Date of		Nature of Decoration
				Award	Presentation	
<u>May, 28 1940</u>	<u>July 10, 1940</u>	<u>Duration of war</u>	<u>Ord. Seaman</u>			

PERSONAL DESCRIPTION								MARKS, WOUNDS, SCARS
	Height		Chest (mean)	Weight	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	
	Feet	Inches						
On Entry.....	<u>5</u>	<u>9½</u>	<u>34½</u>	<u>135</u>	<u>Blond</u>	<u>Blue</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Scar on R. & L. Legs</u> <u>Scar on R. Brow</u>
On re-enrolment—6 years' Service.....								
On re-enrolment—12 years' Service.....								
Further Description if necessary.....								

TRANSFER BETWEEN DIVISIONS			TRANSFER—LISTS A AND B		
From	To	Date	List	Date	Authority
<u>Windsor, Ontario</u>	<u>Halifax, N.S.</u>	<u>Aug. 20 1940</u>			

V19071

OFFICIAL NUMBER

FILE NUMBER 113-G-498

OFFICIAL NUMBER

V19071

NAME GILBOE (Surname) Arthur Francis (Given Names) DATE OF BIRTH 15th February, 1920PLACE OF BIRTH Windsor, Ont. OCCUPATION Grocery ClerkRELIGION R. C. EDUCATION _____RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. 647 Hall Ave. Town Windsor Province, etc. Ont.

ENGAGEMENTS				DESCRIPTION					PREVIOUS SERVICE			
Date (in figures)			Period	Height	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Marks or Scars	Served in	Rank or Rating	Dates	
Day	Month	Year									From	To
10	7	40	H.O.	5'9 $\frac{1}{2}$	Blond	Blue	Fair	Scar on right & left legs & on right brow.				

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) _____ NAME (in pencil) Mr. Arthur C. GilboeADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. 647 Hall Ave. Town Windsor Province, etc. Ont.

MEDALS, CLASPS, HURT CERTIFICATES, PRIZE MONEY				EXAMINATIONS, CERTIFICATES, ETC.							
Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			PARTICULARS
Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	
				28	9	40	Marked Tr.				

BADGES, G.C. OR G.S.				BRIEF PARTICULARS OF WARRANT OR C.M. PUNISHMENTS AND C.P. CHARGES							
Date (in figures)			1st, 2nd or 3rd G.C. or G.S.	Granted Deprived Restored	SHIP OR ESTABLISHMENT	Wt. No.	Date (in figures)			BRIEF PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE	PUNISHMENT
Day	Month	Year					Day	Month	Year		

Date (in figures)			DAYS FORFEITED					
Day	Month	Year	Prison	Det'n	Cells	C. Power	W. Trial	In diff. Char.

SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT
From _____ To _____

FILM
NO. W.S.R. 5436-7
DATE _____

V19071

OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME GILBOE
(Surname)

Arthur Francis
(Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER

V19071

Ship or Establishment	Rating	From			Remarks	Character	Efficiency	Date			Non-Sub. Rating	Qualified			Qualified		
		Day	Month	Year				Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
Windsor Div. Str.	Ord. Smn.	10	7	40		V.G.		10	2	42	Q.R. 111	2	11	40			
Duty Div. Hdqts.	" "	12	8	40		V.G.	Sat.	19	8	40							
Stadacona	" "	20	8	40		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	40							
Spikenard	" "	4	12	40		V.G.	Supr.	31	12	41							
"	Able Smn.	5	3	41	Rated. (249A/227 66)	V.G.	Supr.	10	2	42							
<u>DISCHARGED</u>	" "	10	2	42	"Spikenard" casualty.												

GENERAL REMARKS

X-Ray # 23704 Approved.
 Memorial Cross to:
 Mother: Mrs. A. Gilboe,
 647 Hall Ave.
 Windsor, Ont.

DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE	CIVIL	OCAS	RELI	RES	RESIDENCE	PREM	ENL	RANK OR RATE ON ENLISTMENT			
BY MO. YR.	BIRTH	MAIN	SUB	MON	STN	TOWNSHIP	SERIAL	DIV.	A	BB	RANK	
15	2	11	6	6	0	10	X/1	12/12	0	11	0 0895	
ENLIST. DATE	ACT. SERV. DATE	ESTAB.	SHIP OR RATE		SHIP OR RATE		SHIP OR RATE	SHIP OR RATE		SHIP OR RATE		
BY MO. YR.	BY MO. YR.	ESTAB.	A		BB		RANK	A		BB		
10	07	40	12/08/40		26/15		0 0894					
SENIORITY		STR.	NON-STR.	M		CODED		CHECKED		FR		
BY MO. YR.	EST.	A	B	C								
05	03	41	09/12		20		10.02.42		OK			

19th February, 1942.

AIR MAIL

Dear Sir,-

It is with deepest regret that I must confirm the telegram of the 18th February from the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services informing you that your son, Arthur Francis Gilboe, Able Seaman, R.C.N.V.R., O.N. V.19071, is missing and must be presumed lost on Active Service.

Your son was serving in H.M.C.S. "SPIKENARD" which was torpedoed and sunk by enemy action on the 10th February, 1942. Details of the action are not, however, available at this time.

The possibility of your son having been rescued by other ships cannot be estimated but it has been established that he was not among the survivors landed at a United Kingdom port and very little hope is held out for the survival of the remainder. You will be informed immediately should any further information be received.

I wish to express the sincere sympathy of the Chief of the Naval Staff, Officers and men of the Royal Canadian Navy the high traditions of which your son has helped to maintain.

Yours sincerely,

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Secretary, Naval Board.

Aut.
Mr. Arthur J. Gilboe,
647 Hall Avenue,
WINDSOR, Ontario.

VERIFICATION FORM
 DEFENCE MEDAL, WAR MEDAL, C.V.S.M. and CLASP.
 GENERAL SERVICE MEDAL (1915).

RATING .. *A.B.* OFF.NO. *✓-19071* ADDRESS

QUALIFYING PERIODS IN DAYS							STARS MEDALS	✓ 1 2	ELIGIBLE FOR AWARDS OF
FROM	TO	1939-45	ATLANTIC	DEFENCE	CLASP C.V.S.M.	1915 MEDAL			
							1939-45	1	<i>Star</i>
							ATLANTIC	1	<i>Star</i>
							FRANCE G.		
							AFRICA		
							PACIFIC		
							BURMA		
							ITALY		
							DEFENCE		
							C.V.S.M.	2	<i>+ Clasp</i>
							" CLASP		
							WAR 1945	1	<i>Medal</i>
							WAR 1915		

VERIFIED BY *L. S. S. S. S. S.*.....

BY DIR. OF PERSONNEL RECORDS.

W DECEASED 10 February 1942

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D.D.

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS

WAR SERVICE RECORDS

GILBOE	Arthur Francis	V-19071	A.B.	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	
Atlantic Star	
C.V.S.M. & Clasp	
War Medal	
	8841

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

RCNVR Aug.42 "SPIKENARD"
MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

MEMORIAL BAR

(1) MEDALS
PERSON
ENTITLED TO Mr. Arthur J. Gilboe - Father

DATE DESP.....
(1)

ADDRESS: 647 Hall Ave.,
WINDSOR, Ont.

REGN. NO. 2236.....

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS
WIDOW

(2)

ADDRESS:

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS
MOTHER Mrs A. Gilboe

(3)

ADDRESS: 647 Hall Avenue
WINDSOR, Ontario

1 April 1942