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ATTESTATION FORM

FOR MEN OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

SURNAME SENNETT OFFICIAL NO.

CHRISTIAN NAMES John Peter MARRIED, SINGLE OR WIDOWER Single

PERMANENT ADDRESS	RELIGION
<u>3267 Edison Street, Windsor, Ontario</u>	<u>R. C.</u>

DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
<u>Sept. 3, 1919</u>	Town <u>PENCE</u> County <u>SASK.</u> Province	<u>Mrs H. P. Sennett</u> <u>3267 Edison St</u> <u>Windsor</u>

PERSONAL DESCRIPTION ON ENROLMENT

HEIGHT	CHEST MEASUREMENT	HAIR	EYES	COM- PLEXION	WOUNDS, SCARS, MARKS
Feet <u>5</u>	Inflated <u>36</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Blue</u>	<u>Fresh</u>	<u>Scar on</u> <u>left side</u> <u>of head</u>
Inches <u>5 1/2</u>	Deflated <u>34</u>				
	Mean <u>35</u>				

DATE OF ENROLMENT	RATING ENROLLING FOR	TRADE OR CALLING AND IN WHOSE EMPLOY
<u>JUL 10 1940</u>	<u>Stoker II</u>	<u>Labourer---L. A. Young,</u> <u>Windsor, Ontario</u>

(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.

* (b) 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, **and or for the duration of war** 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 JUL 10 1940 day of

Signature of applicant Jack Bennett

(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

day of JUL 10 1940

[Signature] LIEUT. R.C.N.V.R.
Commanding Officer
Signature of Commanding Officer.

(D) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I John P. Bennett 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 Jack Bennett

Witness [Signature] LIEUT. R.C.N.V.R.
Commanding Officer

Date JUL 10 1940 Rank

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

(E) CERTIFICATE OF DIVISIONAL COMMANDING OFFICER

John P. Bennett 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.

[Signature] 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.

3-Sept-19 V-19061

TRUE COPY
OF THE
CERTIFICATE of the Service of

The corner of this Certificate is to be cut off if the man is discharged with a "Bad" character or with disgrace, or if specially directed by the Department of National Defence (Naval Service). If the corner is cut off, the fact is to be noted in the Ledger.

SENNETT, John Peter
Naval Volunteer Reserve
IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

Post Division *Halifax N.S.* Official Number *V-19061*

Date of birth *3 September 1919*
Where born { Province *Saskatchewan* Name: *Mrs. P. Sennett*
Town or county *Pence* Relationship: *Mother*
Trade brought up to *Not known* Address: *Windsor Ont.*
Religious denomination *R.C.*
Date passed swimming test *P.P.T. (Good) 18/10/40*
Man's signature on discharge to pension }

All Engagements, including N.C.S., to be noted in these Columns

Date of actually volunteering	Commencement of time	Period volunteered for	Date of actually volunteering	Commencement of time	Period volunteered for
1.	<i>10 July '40</i>	<i>Duration of Hostilities</i>	5.		
2.			6.		
3.			7.		
4.			8.		

Medals, Clasps, Etc.

Date received or forfeited	Nature of decoration	Date received or forfeited	Nature of decoration

Description of Person	Stature		Chest, In.	Colour of			Marks, Wounds and Scars
	Feet	In.		Hair	Eyes	Complexion	
On entry as a boy	<i>5</i>	<i>5 1/2</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>Fair</i>	<i>Blue</i>	<i>Fresh</i>	<i>Scar on left side of head.</i>
On advancement to man's rating or on entry under 28 years.....							
On re-entry for C.S. or for Non-C.S. after attaining 28 years.....							
Further description if necessary.....							

V19061

OFFICIAL NUMBER

FILE NUMBER

113-S-863

OFFICIAL NUMBER

V19061

NAME SENNETT (Surname) John Peter (Given Names) DATE OF BIRTH 3rd September, 1919

PLACE OF BIRTH Pence, Sask OCCUPATION Labourer

RELIGION R.C. EDUCATION

RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. 3267 Edison St. 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.	5'5 $\frac{1}{2}$	Fair	Blue	Fresh	Scar on left side of head.				

NEXT OF KIN. RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) Mother NAME (in pencil) Mrs. P. Sennett

ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. 3267 Edison St. 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	

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			

FILM NO WSR 5436-6 DATE

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

W.S.G. APPLICATION 11545 RECEIVED 5/6/45

V19061

OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME **SENNETT**
(Surname)

John Peter
(Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER

V19061

Ship or Establishment	Rating	From			Remarks	Character	Efficiency	Date			Non-Sub. Rating	Qualified			Re-Qualified		
		Day	Month	Year				Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
Windsor Div. Str.	Stoker 11	10	7	40		V.G.		10	2	42							
Duty Div. Hdqts.	" "	16	9	40		V.G.	Sat.	30	9	40							
Stadacona	" "	1	10	40		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	40							
Spikenard	" "	4	12	40		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	41							
"	Stoker 1	16	6	41													
<u>DISCHARGED</u>	" "	10	2	42	"Spikenard" casualty.												

GENERAL REMARKS

Memorial Cross to:
 Mother: Mrs. Lillian Sennett,
 3267 Edison St.,
 Windsor, Ont.

DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH	CIVIL STATUS	DECU. (DECEASED)	ED (ENLISTED)	PERM RESIDENCE	PREV. ENL.	RANK OR RATE
03 19 19	900	0	10 X 1	12 12 0	11	0	V5 93
ENLIST. DATE	ACT. SERVL. DATE	ACT. SERVL. DATE	ACT. SERVL. DATE	ACT. SERVL. DATE	ACT. SERVL. DATE	ACT. SERVL. DATE	ACT. SERVL. DATE
10 07 40	16 09 40						2615 0 15 94
SENIORITY	STR.	STR.	STR.	STR.	STR.	STR.	CHECKED
16 06 41	09						EP

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

NAME IN FULL SANNETT, John Peter RANK/RATING Sub Lt OFF. NO. 16-19061 ADDRESS

SHIP	SERVICE			AREA	QUALIFYING PERIODS IN DAYS					STARS MEDALS	✓ 1 2	ELIGIBLE FOR AWARDS OF		
	FROM	TO	DAYS		FROM	TO	1939-45	ATLANTIC	DEFENCE				CLASP C.V.S.M.	1915 MEDAL
	16-9-40											1939-45	✓	Star
<u>Spithead</u>	<u>4-12-40</u>	<u>10-2-42</u>	<u>434</u>	<u>Atl.</u>								ATLANTIC	✓	Star
												FRANCE G.		
												AFRICA		
<u>"Dick" <u>Dead</u> "Saboteur"</u>												PACIFIC		
	<u>10-2-42</u>											BURMA		
												ITALY		
												DEFENCE		
												C.V.S.M.	2	Clasp
												" CLASP		
												WAR 1945	✓	Medal
												WAR 1915		

VERIFIED BY [Signature]

VERIFIED BY [Signature] VERIFIED BY DIR. OF PERSONNEL RECORDS.

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
- Naval Service -

Ottawa, Canada,

February 23, 1942.

(Date)

Sir:

The following casualty has been reported -

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK or RATING</u>	<u>NAVAL NO.</u>
SENNETT, John Peter,	Stoker 1,	V19061, R.C.N.V.R.
<u>DATE OF ENLISTMENT</u>	10th July, 1940, (Active Service 16th September, 1940)	
<u>DATE OF DISCHARGE</u>	10th February, 1942.	
<u>HOSPITAL</u>	(If discharged in hospital under jurisdiction of D.P. & N.H.)	
	Canada & the High Seas.	
<u>SERVICE</u>	(Indicate whether in Canada only; or in Canada and on high seas or elsewhere).	
Reason for discharge and when and where any disability was incurred, or where death occurred.	Missing, presumed lost on Active Service. He was serving in H.M.C.S. "SPIKENARD" which was torpedoed and sunk by enemy action on the 10th February, 1942.	

(Show clearly whether death or disability due to enemy action, accident or disease, and whether it occurred in Canada, or on the high seas or elsewhere outside Canada).

NEXT OF KIN & RELATIONSHIP -

RELATIONSHIP Mother, NAME Mrs. Lillian Sennett,

ADDRESS 3267 Edison Street, WINDSOR, Ontario.

NOTE: If records indicate that rating was separated from his wife, legally or otherwise, details to be furnished and copy of any Court Order, the Separation Agreement, etc., to be furnished.

OFFICER'S OR RATING'S MONTHLY PAY ALLOTTED TO WIFE AND/ OR DEPENDENT -

\$ 10.00 PAID TO Mother

MARRIAGE ALLOWANCE AT \$ Nil PER DIEM PAID TO - Nil

DEPENDENTS ALLOWANCE AT \$ Nil PAID TO Nil

TOTAL MONTHLY PAYMENT TO - WIFE \$ Nil

Computed by mbj
Checked by scj

DEPENDENTS \$ 10.00

R. A. Sennett
SECRETARY,
NAVAL BOARD.

The Secretary,
The Canadian Pension Commission,

(See reverse side for further instructions.)

19th February, 1942. 7

Dear Madam:

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, John Peter Sennett, Stoker 1st Class, R.C.N.V.R., O.N. V.19061, 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,

CWD Secretary, Naval Board.

Mrs. Lillian Sennett,
3267 Edison Street,
WINDSOR, Ontario.

AWARDS NAVY

D.D.

SENNETT	John Peter	V-19061	Sto.1	FILE No.
SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS)	CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. No.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT

WAR SERVICE

BADGE

(CLASS)

No. Nil

DATE DESPATCHED:

ADDRESS:

CAMPAIGN MEDALS	REGISTRATION NUMBER AND DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star	
Atlantic Star	
C.V.S.M. & Clasp	
War Medal	3976. 1-16-50

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

RCNVR Aug. 42 "SPIKENARD"

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS
PERSON

ENTITLED TO

Mr. Peter S. Sennett - Father

3267 Edison Street,

ADDRESS: Windsor, Ont.

MEMORIAL BAR

DATE DESP

REGN. NO. 656

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW

ADDRESS:

(2)

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER

Mrs. Lillian Sennett

3267 Edison St., Windsor, Ont.

ADDRESS:

(3)

1-4-42