

DEPT. NATIONAL DEFENCE
 JAN 23 1926
 113-M-183
 CANADA

**ATTESTATION FORM FOR MEN OF THE
 ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE**

P 1293
 15022

SURNAME MacDonald OFFICIAL No. 15022

CHRISTIAN NAMES Hubert Colquhain MARRIED, SINGLE OR WIDOWER Single

Permanent Address <u>947 1st Avenue West Prince Rupert. B.C.</u>	Religion <u>Methodist</u>
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Date of Birth <u>June 21st 1904</u>	Place of Birth Town <u>Gosport.</u> County <u>Hampshire</u> Province <u>England</u>	Name and Address of Next of Kin <u>Mrs MacDonald. Mother 2399 Florence Rd. Victoria</u>
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PERSONAL DESCRIPTION ON ENROLMENT

Height		Chest Measurement		Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Wounds, Scars or Marks
Feet	<u>5</u>	Inflated					
Inches	<u>6</u>	Deflated	<u>35"</u>	<u>Dk Bro</u>	<u>Brown</u>	<u>Ruddy</u>	
		Mean					

Date of enrolment <u>Jan 21st 1926</u>	Rating enrolling for <u>Ordinary Seaman.</u>	Trade or calling, and in whose employ <u>Machinist Apprentice C.N. Railway</u>
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DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT

Entered on History Card by B. Feb 24/26

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 R.C.N.V.R. 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) ~~XXXXXX~~ 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 No. _____ Battalion 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 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 keep in good repair the kit and any articles of outfit which may be issued to me, and, when required to do so by the Commanding Officer of my Company, or any other authorized person, or, in the event of my leaving the Reserve Force before completing three years service, to return them to Headquarters and to pay compensation for any loss or damage thereto other than due to fair wear and tear.

Dated this ^{Twenty first} ~~Twenty second~~ day of January, 1926.

H. C. Macdonald
Signature of Applicant

(C) CERTIFICATE OF COMPANY 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 ^{Twenty first} ~~Twenty second~~ day of January, 1926.

R. P. Ponder
Signature of Applicant
Lieutenant R.C.N.V.R.
Company Commanding Officer

(D) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I Hubert Colquhin MacDonald do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Britannic Majesty.

SIGNATURE H. C. Macdonald

Witness R. P. Ponder

Date Jany 21st. 1926

Rank Lieutenant R.C.N.V.R.
Company Commanding Officer

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

(E) CERTIFICATE OF COMPANY COMMANDING OFFICER

Hubert C. MacDonald. having been duly enrolled to serve in the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Force, I have caused his name and every prescribed particular, to be recorded in the Record Book of Company of No. Battalion.

R. P. Ponder
Company Commanding Officer



NOTE, - When this form has been completed and the particulars in it have been noted in the Company Commanding Officer's Record Book, the form 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.

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR CANDIDATES FOR ENTRY IN THE
CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

DEPT.
NATIONAL DEFENCE
JAN 29 1926
NO. 113-M.182
CANADA

Name (in full) Hubert Colquhain MacDonald.

Date and Place of Birth June 21st. 1907. Gosport. Eng.
(Birth Certificate, declaration
by parents or affidavit as to
date of birth must be attached).

Permanent Place of Residence Prince Rupert B.C.

Nearest Town to Residence
(If living in country).....

Are you a British Subject? Yes

Are you single, married or
a widower? Single.

In what capacity do you wish
to enrol? Ordinary Seaman.
(See standards of qualifications in
attached pamphlet).

At what time of the Year do you wish
to do Naval Training at a Naval Port? Annual Vacation.

Present occupation or Trade Machinist Apprentice.
(attach any testimonials or recommendations)

Have you served in, or do you
belong to any Naval, Military,
Reserve or Territorial Force?
If so, give full particulars No.

Have you ever been discharged
from any of H.M. Forces as
Medically unfit? No.

Have you ever offered to serve in
any of H.M. Forces and been re-
jected? No.

What is your weight? 134 lbs

" " " height? 5' 7"

" " " chest measurement (Not inflated)?.....

Are you free from all physical defects or
malformation, and not subject to fits? Yes

I hereby declare that the above answers are true
in every respect.

H. C. MacDonald Signature

January 21st. 1926 Date

Prince Rupert Address

R. Ponder
Lieutenant R.C.N.V.R.
Company Commanding Officer
Witness to Signature.

Place of Enlistment, Esquimalt, B.C.

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CANADA

H. M. C. S. N A D E N / 3
Noted in Service
Records by *fitg*
OFFICIAL No. IF KNOWN
Space to be left vacant
if not known 5237

Continuous Service Engagement, or Re-engagement

To be forwarded to the Naval Secretary, Department of National Defence, with Form S. 59

CHRISTIAN AND SURNAME IN FULL <i>Hubert C. Macdonald</i>		NEXT OF KIN <i>Mother,</i>	PRESENT RATING <i>Stoker 2/c</i>
HUBERT COLQUHOUN MACDONALD <i>Hubert C. Macdonald</i>		Margaret Macdonald <i>Margaret Macdonald</i>	
		1114 Comox St <i>1114 Comox St</i>	
		Vancouver B.C. <i>Vancouver B.C.</i>	
DATE OF BIRTH * <i>21 June 1907</i>	PLACE OF BIRTH † Town..... <i>Sorport</i> County..... Province..... <i>England</i>		NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER <i>Comdr. P.W. Nelles, RC</i> <i>S.N.O. Esquimalt,</i> <i>B.C.</i>

Personal Description at the Date of this Document

Height	Chest	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	WOUNDS, SCARS OR MARKS	Religious Demonination	TRADE OR OCCUPATION
<i>5-6 1/2</i>	<i>35</i> <i>36</i> <i>37</i>	<i>Brown</i>	<i>Brown</i>	<i>Dark</i>		<i>C. of E.</i>	<i>Machinist.</i>

Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement	<i>15th August 1928.</i>	Period of Engagement or Re-engagement	<i>Seven Years.</i>
Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage	<i>15th August 1928.</i>	Date of entering present ship	<i>15th August 1928.</i>

Particulars of former Continuous Service Engagements, if any; but, if none, and the person engaging has had previous Service, the date of his First Entry should be given. If the person has not previously served, write the words "First Entry" here.

First Entry.

If an Engagement is ante-dated for any period, the man's services for such period should be forwarded into office, with the Engagement, on Form S.—1243.

Declaration of Entry or Re-entry from Shore for Continuous Service

The following questions are to be put by the Commanding Officer to the person about to engage for Continuous Service, whose answers are to be recorded hereon:—

- Are the particulars given above of your name and date and place of birth correct? **Yes.**
- Are you a British subject? † **Yes.**
- Nationality of parents—Father..... **Scotch.** Mother..... **English.**
- Have you ever served in the Navy, Royal Fleet Reserve, Royal Naval Reserve, Army, Army Reserve, Marines, Militia, Volunteers (Naval or Military), Territorial Force, or in His Majesty's Indian or Colonial Military Forces, or in the R.C. Mounted Police? ‡ **Two R.C.N.V.R. Three Years. 7 months**
- Do you now belong to the Militia, Volunteers (Naval or Military), Territorial Force or any Regiment or Corps in His Majesty's Army, or to any established Naval or Army Reserve Force, or to the R.C. Mounted Police? ‡ **No.**
- Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's service, or discharged from it on that account? If so, state reason of rejection or discharge, and date **No.**
- Have you ever been discharged from the Navy, Marines, Army or R.C. Mounted Police on account of misconduct? **No.**
- Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? **Yes.**
- Can you swim? **No.**

* When evidence of age is obtained on First Entry, it should be attached to this Form.
† Foreigners are not to be entered. On the entry of a person born out of the British Empire, it should be ascertained that he is (and in the case of a boy, that his father is) a British Subject and evidence of the fact should be attached to the "Entry Papers."
‡ Particulars of service in the Army, Army Reserve, Naval Reserve, Marines, Militia, or H. M. Indian or Colonial Military forces, or in the Merchant Service should be forwarded in to office with this Engagement. If a member of the Royal Fleet Reserve, the man's Registrar is to be immediately informed of his entry (Royal Fleet Reserve Instructions). If an R. N. R. man, state number of R. V. 2.

(OVER)

I—Declaration and Certificate for Men newly entered and Men who have been out of the Service since the expiration of their previous C S. Engagement

I, **Hubert Colquhoun Macdonald**, do solemnly declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the answers to the questions overleaf are true, and I do hereby agree to serve honestly and faithfully in the Naval Service of Canada **for the term of Seven Years** from **15th August** 192**8**, provided my service should be so long required. And I do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty. As witness my hand this **15th** day of **August** 192**8**

Hubert Colquhoun Macdonald Man's Signature in full

Witness to Signature *J. ...*

Attested before me this **15th** day of **August** 192**8**

CPN Taylor { Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

Date **15th August** 192**8**

This is to certify, that we have examined the person named on the other side hereof, as to his fitness for the Naval Service of Canada, and we find as follows:—He is of perfectly sound and healthy constitution, free from all physical malformation, active and intelligent; and we consider him in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.

CPN Taylor Commanding Officer

R. L. Miller Medical Officer

II—Certificate and Declaration for Boys

Date.....192.....

This is to certify, that we have examined the boy named on the other side hereof, as to his fitness for the Naval Service of Canada, and we find as follows:—He is a well grown, stout, intelligent lad; of perfectly sound and healthy constitution, and free from all physical malformation; and we consider him in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.

‡ The consent of his parents or guardian has been obtained in writing, and they are willing and desirous that the boy should be entered for..... years' continuous and general service from the age of 18, in addition to whatever period may be necessary till he attains that age.

..... Commanding Officer

..... Lieutenant

..... Medical Officer

I declare that to the best of my knowledge or belief the answers to the questions on the other side of this form are true, and that I am not indentured as an apprentice.

I am willing to enter and serve in the Naval Service in Canada for..... years' continuous and general service from the age of 18, provided my service should be so long required, in addition to whatever period may be necessary till I attain that age. And I do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

..... Boy's Signature in full

Witness to Signature.....

Attested before me this..... day of..... 192.....

{ Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

III—Re-engagement for Continuous Service

To be executed by men who have not been out of the Service since the expiration of their first engagement

The particulars indicated on the other side are also required when this Form is used.

I,....., now serving as a.....

on board H.M.C.S....., who on the..... of..... 192.....

engage to serve in the Naval Service of Canada for a period of §..... years, do hereby

engage to serve for a further period ||..... from ¶..... 192..... provided my services should be so long required.

..... Man's Signature in full

Witness,..... Commanding Officer

* Insert "for the term of (number in words) years," or "to complete (number) years for pension," or "until I attain the age of years."
† Insert the date from which the engagement actually commences.
‡ The document conveying the consent to be attached to this paper. (N.B.—Not required in the case of youths over 17 years of age.)
§ To be written in words.
¶ Insert as follows:—"Of (number) years," or "to complete time for pension," or "until I attain the age of years," as the case may be.
|| Insert the date of commencement of the re-engagement, which must either be coincident with, or (when the re-engagement is ante-dated) earlier than the date of execution.

H. M. C. S. "VANCOUVER"

Noted in Service Records by 12/4/35

OFFICIAL No. IF KNOWN Space to be left vacant if not known

21237

CONTINUOUS SERVICE ENGAGEMENT, OR RE-ENGAGEMENT

To be forwarded to the Naval Secretary, Department of National Defence, with Form S. 59

62-11-174

CHRISTIAN AND SURNAME IN FULL MacDONALD, Herbert Colquhain		NEXT OF KIN Wife. Name Agnes Address Grafton St. Esquimalt.	PRESENT RATING P7021 Leading Stoker.
DATE OF BIRTH* 21st. June, 1907	PLACE OF BIRTH† Town Gesport County England. Province	NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER Lt. Cdr. C. D. Donald, RCN. - Commanding Officer, HMCS. "VANCOUVER".	

Personal Description at the Date of this Document

Height	Chest	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	WOUNDS, SCARS OR MARKS	Religious Denomination	TRADE OR OCCUPATION
5' 7"	34 35 1/2 37 1/2	Brown	Hazel	Medium	Scar rt. forearm 2" diam disc.	United Church.	Leading Stoker.

Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement	15th. August 1935	Period of Engagement or Re-engagement	7 Years C.S.
Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage	26th. June, 1935.	Date of entering present ship	15th. May, 1935.

Particulars of former Continuous Service Engagements, if any; but, if none, and the person engaging has had previous Service, the date of his First Entry should be given. If the person has not previously served, write the words "First Entry" here.

Royal Canadian Navy from 15th August, 1928, to date.

If an Engagement is ante-dated for any period, the man's services for such period should be forwarded in to office, with the Engagement, on Form S.—1243.

Declaration of Entry or Re-Entry from Shore for Continuous Service

The following questions are to be put by the Commanding Officer to the person about to engage for Continuous Service, whose answers are to be recorded hereon:—

- Are the particulars given above of your name and date and place of birth correct?.....
- Are you a British subject? †.....
- Nationality of parents—Father..... Mother.....
- Have you ever served in the Navy, Royal Fleet Reserve, Royal Naval Reserve, Army, Army Reserve, Marines, Militia, Volunteers (Naval or Military), Territorial Force, or in His Majesty's Indian or Colonial Military Forces, or in the R.C. Mounted Police? ‡.....
- Do you now belong to the Militia, Volunteers (Naval or Military), Territorial Force or any Regiment or Corps in His Majesty's Army, or to any established Naval or Army Reserve Force, or to the R.C. Mounted Police? ‡.....
- Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's service, or discharged from it on that account? If so, state reason of rejection or discharge, and date.....
- Have you ever been discharged from the Navy, Marines, Army or R.C. Mounted Police on account of misconduct?.....
- Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?.....
- Can you swim?.....

NOTED.
J.P. for Posten
8825

* When evidence of age is obtained on First Entry, it should be attached to this Form. † Foreigners are not to be entered. On the entry of a person born out of the British Empire, it should be ascertained that he is (and in the case of a boy, that his father is) a British Subject, and evidence of the fact should be attached to the "Entry Papers." ‡ Particulars of service in the Army, Army Reserve, Naval Reserve, Marines, Militia, or H. M. Indian or Colonial Military Forces, or in the Merchant Service should be forwarded in to office with this Engagement. If a member of the Royal Fleet Reserve, the man's Registrar is to be immediately informed of his entry (Royal Fleet Reserve Instructions). If an R.N.R. man, state number of R.V. 2.

(OVER)

C.N.S. 55

2M-3-32 N.S. 815-9-55

I—Declaration and Certificate for Men newly entered and Men who have been out of the Service since the expiration of their previous C. S. Engagement

I,, do solemnly declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the answers to the questions overleaf are true, and I do hereby agree to serve honestly and faithfully in the Naval Service of Canada*.....from†.....193....., provided my service should be so long required. And I do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty. As witness my hand this.....day of.....193.....

Man's Signature in full

Witness to Signature.....

Attested before me this.....day of.....193.....

} Signature of a Commissioned
} Officer of the Naval Service

Date.....193.....

This is to certify that we have examined the person named on the other side hereof as to his fitness for the Naval Service of Canada, and we find as follows:—He is of perfectly sound and healthy constitution, free from all physical malformation, active and intelligent; and we consider him in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.

.....Commanding Officer

.....Medical Officer

II—Certificate and Declaration for Boys

Date.....193.....

This is to certify that we have examined the boy named on the other side hereof as to his fitness for the Naval Service of Canada, and we find as follows:—He is a well grown, stout, intelligent lad, of perfectly sound and healthy constitution, and free from all physical malformation, and we consider him in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.

The consent of his parents or guardian has been obtained in writing, and they are willing and desirous that the

boy should be entered for.....years' continuous and general service from the age of 18, in addition to whatever period may be necessary till he attains that age.

.....Commanding Officer

.....Lieutenant

.....Medical Officer

I declare that to the best of my knowledge or belief the answers to the questions on the other side of this form are true and that I am not indentured as an apprentice.

I am willing to enter and serve in the Naval Service of Canada for.....years' continuous and general service from the age of 18, provided my service should be so long required, in addition to whatever period may be necessary till I attain that age. And I do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

.....Boy's Signature in full

Witness to Signature.....

Attested before me this.....day of.....193.....

} Signature of a Commissioned
} Officer of the Naval Service

III—Re-engagement for Continuous Service

To be executed by men who have not been out of the Service since the expiration of their first engagement

The particulars indicated on the other side are also required when this Form is used.

I, **Hubert Colquhoun MACDONALD**....., now serving as a **Leading Stoker**

on board H.M.C.S. **"VANCOUVER"**....., who on the **15th** of **August, 1928**,.....193.....

engaged to serve in the Naval Service of Canada for a period of § **SEVEN Years**.....years, do hereby

engage to serve for a further period || **of SEVEN Years**.....from ¶ **15th August, 1935**.....193..... provided my services should be so long required.

Hubert Colquhoun Macdonald Man's Signature in full

26th June, 1935.....193.....

Witness, *Donald McCar*.....Commanding Officer

* Insert "for the term of (number in words) years," or "to complete (number) years for pension," or "until I attain the age of years."

† Insert the date from which the engagement actually commences.

‡ The document conveying the consent to be attached to this paper. (N.B.—Not required in the case of youths over 17 years of age.)

§ To be written in words.

|| Insert as follows:—"Of (number) years," or "to complete time for pension," or "until I attain the age of years," as the case may be.

¶ Insert the date of commencement of the re-engagement, which must either be coincident with, or (when the re-engagement is ante-dated) earlier than the date of execution.

*5-6-35 Medically examined for Re-engagement and found Fit.
L. A. P. Lacey Capt. R.C.A.M.C.*

DUPLICATE - Prepared in "M.C.S. Niobe"

If a copy of this Form is required, Form S. 1243 is to be used.

S. (Revised—August, 1939). Checked with N.S.H.Q.'s Records and file No. N.S. 62-M-174. 27 Aug. '41.

CERTIFICATE of the Service of

SURNAME (In Block Letters)	CHRISTIAN NAME OR NAMES
MAC DONALD.	Herbert Colquhoun

in the Royal Navy: Canadian Navy

NOTE.—The corner of this Certificate is to be cut off where indicated if the man is discharged with a "Bad" character or with disgrace, or if specially directed by the Admiralty. If the corner is cut off, the fact is to be noted in the Ledger.

Port Division	Esquimaux, B.C.	Man's Signature on discharge to Pension
Official No.	21287	
Date of Birth	21 June 1901	Nearest known Relative or Friend. (To be noted in pencil).
Where born	Town or Village (Bosport) <u>Georgetown</u>	Relationship: <u>Wife</u>
	County <u>Hants England</u>	Name: <u>Agnes McMillan</u>
Trade brought up to	<u>Machinist</u>	Address: <u>1221 Rimmypede Ave</u> <u>Victoria, B.C.</u>
Religious Denomination	<u>United</u>	<u>30-10-41</u> <u>11950</u>

All Engagements, including Non-C.S., to be noted in these Columns.			Swimming Qualifications.		
Date of actually volunteering	Commencement of time	Period volunteered for	Date.	Qualification.	Signature.
1. 15 Aug. 28.	15 Aug. 28.	Seven years	1. 20-10-33	P.R.T. (Fair)	
2.	15 Aug. 25.	Seven years	2. 20 July 34.	P.S.T. (Fair)	
3.			3.		
4.			4.		
5.			5.		
6.			6.		

Medals, Clasps, &c., L.S. and G.C. Gratuity (see also Page 4).

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.....							
On advancement to man's rating, or on entry under 28 years.....	5	6 1/2		Dark Brn.	Brn.	Dark	Nil
On re-engagement or re-entry for C.S. or for Non-C.S. after attaining 28 years	5	7		---	---	---	---
Further description if necessary							

CAUTION: This is an Official document. Any alteration made to it without proper authority will render the offender liable to severe penalties.

DECEASED 13 September 1942

NAVY

D.D.

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS

WAR SERVICE RECORDS

MacDONALD	Hubert Colquhoun	N-21237	Ch. Sto.	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:
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ADDRESS:

CAMPAIGN MEDALS	REGISTRATION NUMBER AN DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star	2424
Atlantic Star	
C.V.S.M. & Clasp	
War Medal	

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

HMCS "OTTAWA" Apr. /43. - R.C.N.
MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS

PERSON

ENTITLED TO Mrs. Agnes McMillan MacDonald - Widow

ADDRESS: ~~1221 Sunnyside Ave.,~~ 2755 Scott St.,
Victoria, B.C.

27-8-48

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW

Mrs. A. M. MacDonald

ADDRESS: 1221 Sunnyside Avenue
VICTORIA, B.C.

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER

Mrs. Margaret MacDonald
1209 Jarvis Street

ADDRESS: Suite 209
VANCOUVER, B.C.

MEMORIAL B R

(1)

DATE DESP

REGN. NO.

380

(2) 25 November 1942

(3) 5 January 1943

DJM/RM

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19th September, 1942.

AIR MAIL


Dear Madam:

It is with deep regret that I must confirm the telegram of the 18th September from the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services informing you that your husband, Hubert Colquhoun MacDonald, Chief Stoker, R.C.N., O.N. 21237, is missing believed killed in action.

It is in the public interest that the name of his ship and the fact that she has been in action should not find its way to the enemy until such time as it is decided to publish the fact in a Naval Casualty List. It is therefore requested that this news, other than the fact that your husband is missing, may be treated as confidential.

Please allow me to express sincere sympathy with you in your bereavement on behalf of the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services, Chief of the Naval Staff, and the Officers and men of the Royal Canadian Navy, the high traditions of which your husband has helped to maintain.

Yours sincerely,


Deputy SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

Mrs. Agnes McMillan MacDonald,
1221 Sunnyside Avenue,
VICTORIA, B.C.



21237

OFFICIAL NUMBER

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62-M.174

OFFICIAL NUMBER 21237

NAME MacDONALD (Surname) Hubert Colquhoun (Given Names) DATE OF BIRTH 21st June, 1907.PLACE OF BIRTH Gosport, Hants, England. OCCUPATION Machinist.RELIGION Church of England EDUCATIONRESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. 947 1st Ave. West. Town Prince Rupert Province, etc. B.C.

ENGAGEMENTS			Period	DESCRIPTION					PREVIOUS SERVICE		
Date (in figures)				Height	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Marks or Scars	Served in	Rank or Rating	Dates
Day	Month	Year								From	To
15	8	28	Seven Years.	5' 6½"	Dk. Brn.	Brn.	Dark.		RCNVR. V15022 -	21/1/26	14/8/28.
15	8	35	Seven Years.	5' 7"	"	"	"				

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) Wife NAME (in pencil) Mrs. Agnes McMillan Macdonald
ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. 1221 Sunnyside Ave Town Victoria B.C. Province, etc. B.C.

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	
				5	11	29	Passed Educ. Test Pt. I.				
				7	9	32	Granted Aux. W/K Cert.				
				24	4	33	Qual. for S.P.O.				
				20	10	33	Passed P.P.T. (Fair).				
				30	4	38	Awarded B.R. Cert.				
				20	7	39	Passed P.S.T. (Fair)				
				21	2	40	Passed for Ch. Stoker.				

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		
15	8	31	1st	Granted.							
15	8	36	2nd	Granted.							
15	8	41	3rd	Granted.							

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. WAR 4903-8
DATE

21237

OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME **MacDONALD**
(Surname)

Hubert Colquhoun
(Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER

21237

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
Naden	Sto.2.	15	8	28		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	28							
Vancouver	"	17	9	28		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	29							
Naden	"	10	11	28		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	30							
Thiepval	"	27	11	28		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	31							
"	Sto.I.	15	8	29		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	32							
Vancouver	"	1	10	29		V.G.	Supr.	31	12	33							
Naden	"	17	1	31		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	34							
HMS. Victory II.	"	1	4	31		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	35							
Skeena	"	9	6	31		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	36							
Naden	"	30	7	32		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	37							
Skeena	"	16	8	32		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	38							
HMS. Victory	"	24	12	32		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	39							
Naden	"	13	5	33		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	40							
Vancouver	"	1	7	33	R.M.	V.G.	Sat.	31	12	41							
"	A/Ldg.Sto.	1	1	34		V.G.		13	9	42							
Naden	Ldg.Sto.	1	1	35													
Vancouver	"	15	5	35													
Armentieres	"	13	5	36													
"	A/Sto.P.O.	1	4	37													
Naden	"	6	4	37													
Fraser	"	28	7	37													
Naden	"	7	6	38													
Restigouche	"	2	7	38													
Ottawa	"	12	5	40													
"	Ch.Sto.(Ty)	1	10	40													
"	Ch.Sto.	1	12	40													
Discharged	"	13	9	42	DEAD-Missing-Believed Killed in Action.												

GENERAL REMARKS

24/11/42 - Canadian Memorial Cross issued to Wife:
Mrs. Agnew McMillan MacDonald.
1221 Sunnyside Ave.,
VICTORIA, B.C.

-and-

5/1/43 - Canadian Memorial Cross issued to Mother:
Mrs. Margaret MacDonald,
1209 Jervis Street,
Suite 209,
VANCOUVER, B.C.

DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE	CIVIL	OCCU	RELIG	RESIDENCE	DATE	RANK	GRADE
21/6/07	22	270	10	Box 9	09/01/39	015	43	
ENLIST. DATE	ACT. SERV. DATE	STR.	ESTAB.	A	SR	RANK		
15/08/28	15/08/51							
SENIORITY	STR.	NON-SUB	MI	CODED	CHECKED			
01/12/40	09	20/13-09-42	msm					