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**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		NEXT OF KIN	PRESENT RATING
Gordon Keith Campbell,		Mrs. Annie Name..... (Mother) Address..... Eston Sask.	Boy 1st Class.
DATE OF BIRTH*	PLACE OF BIRTH†		NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER
30th March, 1924.	Town..... Eston, County..... Province..... Saskatchewan.	W.B. Holms, COMMANDER, R.C.N. Barracks, ESQUIMALT, B. C.	

Personal Description at the Date of this Document

Height	Chest	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	WOUNDS, SCARS OR MARKS	Religious Denomination	TRADE OR OCCUPATION
5' 5 1/4"	3 7 1/2 34 36	Brown	Hazel	Medium	Nil	United Church	Farmer.

Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement	30th March, 1942.	Period of Engagement or Re-engagement	Seven years.
Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage	2nd June, 1941.	Date of entering present ship	2nd June, 1941.

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 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?..... Yes.
- Are you a British subject?..... Yes.
- Nationality of Parents—Father..... Scottish Mother..... Scottish
- 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?..... No.
- 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 and inoculated?..... Yes.
- Can you swim?..... Yes.

\* 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  
10M-3-40 (4252)  
N.S. 815-9-55

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I.—Declaration and Certificate for Men newly entered and Men who have been out of the Service since the expiration of the 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 † ..... 19....., 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 ..... 19.....

..... Man's Signature in full  
Witness to Signature.....

Attested before me this ..... day of ..... 19.....

Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

Date..... 19.....

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..... 5th June, ..... 1941.

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 term of seven years' continuous and general service from the age of 18, in addition to whatever period may be necessary till he attains that age

W. B. HOLMS COMMANDER ..... Commanding Officer

G. R. DeBlais SUB - Lieutenant RCNVR

C. J. Johnston SURG. COMMANDER 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 term of seven 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.

Gordon Keith Campbell Boy's Signature in full

Witness to Signature..... P. Led Writer.

Attested before me this 5th day of June, 1941.

G. R. DeBlais Sub. Lieut. R.C.N.V.R. } 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 ..... 19.....

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

engage to serve for a further period\*\* ..... from †† ..... 19..... provided my services should be so long required.

..... Man's Signature in full  
..... 19.....

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 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.



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# CONSENT PAPER

(This paper is required in all cases where the Candidate is under the age of 18 years, in addition to the Certificate of Birth or Declaration.)

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\*Strike out "son" or "ward" as the case may be.

I hereby certify that my ~~ward~~<sup>son\*</sup> Gordon Keith Campbell has my full consent (being himself willing) to enter the Naval Service of Canada for a period of seven years' continuous and general service, from the age of 18, in addition to whatever period may be necessary until he attains that age, agreeably to the King's Regulations.

He has not been in a Reformatory, nor has he been sentenced to imprisonment.

I declare that he has never had fits.

† No alteration or erasure is to be made in the date of birth given.

The date of the boy's birth is March 30<sup>th</sup> 1924

His Religious persuasion is Protestant

Witness my hand at Eston Sask

5 day of August 1940

†† Strike out "Parent's" or "Guardian's" as the case may be.

Parent's ~~Guardian's~~ Signature in full Kenneth Hughbert Campbell

‡ Must be signed by the Father, if alive, or satisfactory explanation made.

Parent's ~~Guardian's~~ Address Eston Sask

In the case of a Guardian see other side.

I, the above named Gordon Campbell do consent to enter the Naval Service of Canada.

§ The Boy and Parent or Guardian must sign in the presence of the witness to their signatures.

§ Boy's signature in full Gordon Keith Campbell

Signed by the said [Here write boy's name] Gordon Campbell

And [Here write Parent's or Guardian's name] Kenneth H. Campbell

In the presence of { Jean Campbell  
Eston, Sask Address. [OVER]



CERTIFICATE

§ Strike out "Parent" or "Guardian" as the case may be.

\*\*Strike out "he" or "she" according to sex of Parent or Guardian.

† The assertion of the boy himself should not be taken as sufficient warrant for this statement.

I certify that I am personally acquainted with this Boy's § Parent, and am† aware\*\* he she has consented to the Boy's entry as above, and I believe the particulars stated herein to be true.

.....Clergyman of the Parish.

or *M. Carter* .....Resident Householder }

*Farmer* .....Occupation }

*6 Elm St* .....Address

*August 11th* 19*40*

Particulars to be stated, if possible, in the case of a Boy whose Father is dead

Date of Father's death.....

Place of death.....

Signed.....Mother.

Particulars to be stated, if possible, in the case of a Boy whose Parents are both dead

Date of Father's death.....

Place of death.....

Date of Mother's death.....

Place of Mother's death.....

Signed.....Guardian.



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

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.

## CERTIFICATE of the Service of

*Gordon Keith CAMPBELL*

IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

<i>Esquimaux</i>	I.C. N.S. 27438 Official Number <i>4345</i>
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Date of birth <i>30 March 1924</i>	Nearest known Relative or Friend (To be noted in pencil)
Where born { Province <i>Saskatchewan</i>	Name: <i>Mrs. Annie</i>
{ Town or county <i>Eston</i>	Relationship: <i>mother</i>
Trade brought up to <i>Farmer</i>	Address: <i>Eston, Sask</i>
Religious denomination <i>United Church</i>	
Date passed swimming test	
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>2 June '41</i>	<i>30 March '42</i>	<i>Seven Years</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 7/8</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>Brown</i>	<i>Hazel</i>	<i>Med</i>	<i>Nil</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.....							



Name Gordon Keith CAMPBELL

Ship's Name (Tenders to be inserted in brackets)	List and No.	Rating	From	To	Cause of Discharge
<u>Naden</u>		<u>Boy 1/2</u>	<u>2 June '41</u>	<u>21 Sep '41</u>	
<u>Stadacona</u>		<u>Ord Sea</u>	<u>25 Sep '41</u>	<u>8 Nov '41</u>	
<u>Avalon (Alberni)</u>		<u>"</u>	<u>9 Nov '41</u>	<u>21 Dec '41</u>	
<u>Avalon</u>	-	<u>"</u>	<u>22 Dec '41</u>	<u>31 Mar '42</u>	
<u>Ottawa</u>	-	<u>over 6 mos</u>	<u>1 Apr '42</u>	<u>30 May '42</u>	
			<u>31 May '42</u>	<u>13 Sep '42</u>	<u>D. D.</u>

Date	Wounds received in Action and Hurt Certificate; also any Meritorious Service, Special Recommendations, Prize or other Grants	Captain's Signature
<u>31-3-42</u>	<u>Issued SCW. # B 14 628</u>	

7 Oct.  
18 Dec











4345

OFFICIAL NUMBER

FILE NUMBER

62-G.512

OFFICIAL NUMBER 4345

NAME

CAMPBELL  
(Surname)

Gordon Keith  
(Given Names)

DATE OF BIRTH

30th March, 1924.

PLACE OF BIRTH

Eston, Sask.

OCCUPATION

Farmer.

RELIGION

United Church

EDUCATION

Grade 8 completed.

RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No.

Town

Eston

Province, etc.

Sask.

Date (in figures)			Period	DESCRIPTION					PREVIOUS SERVICE		
Day	Month	Year		Height	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Marks or Scars	Served in	Rank or Rating	Dates From To
2	6	41	As Boy.								
30	3	42	Seven Years.	5' 5 1/4"	Brown	Hazel	Medium	Nil.			

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil)

Mother (file 7/12/44)

NAME (in pencil)

Mrs Annie Campbell

ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No.

Town

Cremona

Province, etc.

Sask.

Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			PARTICULARS
Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	
				7	10	41	"Tr."				

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. 60412-4717-9  
DATE

SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT	
From	To

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

O.H.F. Received.









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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE  
(Naval Service)

C.N.S. 2417  
10M-938  
N.S. 815-9-2417

APPLICATION FOR ENTRY IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

The Naval Secretary,  
Department of National Defence,  
OTTAWA.

Eaton Sask.  
(Place)  
June 24, 1940.  
(Date)

62-21-416  
JUN 24 1940  
N.S.

SIR:-  
I hereby make formal application for entry in the Royal Canadian Navy, under a seven years' continuous service engagement as a Bay Seaman.  
(Insert rating chosen)

I certify that the following particulars are in my own handwriting and are true in every respect:

- Name (to be given in full in Block Letters) GORDON CAMPBELL
- Date of Birth (Birth Certificate or sworn declaration by parent or guardian must be attached) March 30, 1924
- Place of Birth. Town Eaton, Province Saskatchewan
- Permanent Place of Residence. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_  
Town Eaton, Province Sask.
- Are you a British Subject? yes
- How long have you resided in Canada? 16 1/2 years.
- What is your Mother Tongue? English
- What other language do you speak? none
- Are you of the White Race? yes
- Are you Single, Married or a Widower? single
- How far advanced educationally are you? Grade 8

(Certificates of School Authorities must be attached)

12. What practical experience have you had?  
(Details and certificates from employers, trade credentials, etc., must be attached to substantiate employment reported.)

- Do you belong to any Naval, Military, Air or Police Force? no
- If so, give details.
- Have you ever served in such forces? no
- If so, give dates and details.
- Have you ever been discharged from His Majesty's Forces as medically unfit? no
- Have you ever offered to serve in His Majesty's Forces and been rejected? no

Why? .....

19. Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence? no  
(Enclose two character references, one of which must confirm your answer to Question 19)

20. What is your weight? 140 lbs Height 5'6" Chest Measurement (Not inflated) 36 in

- Have you ever had fits? no
- Do you suffer from any deformity? no
- Have you suffered the loss of any fingers, toes, etc.? no
- Do you suffer from any disease? no
- Do you wear glasses? no

26. Are you subject to any disability which might cause your rejection?  
no

27. Give details.

28. Are you willing to be vaccinated and inoculated as considered necessary by the appropriate authorities? yes

Margaret Campbell Signature of Witness      Gordon Campbell Signature of Applicant

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN OF CANDIDATES UNDER 21 YEARS OLD

I agree to refund to the Department of National Defence the expenses incurred by that Department for transportation to a Naval Base of the above applicant, should he, on arrival at such Base, fail to enrol for seven years' continuous Naval Service for reasons which in the opinion of the Department are within his own control. Signed and Sealed at Eaton, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1940, in the presence of

Margaret Campbell Signature of Witness      Kenneth H Campbell Signature of Parent or Guardian

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY CANDIDATES OVER 21 YEARS OF AGE

I agree to refund to the Department of National Defence the expenses incurred by that Department for my transportation to a Naval Base, should I, on arrival at such Base, fail to enrol for seven years' continuous Naval Service for reasons which in the opinion of the Department are within my own control.

Signed and Sealed at \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, in the presence of \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Witness      \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Candidate



LA:MK

File: 62-C-512

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE  
- Naval Service -

Ottawa, Canada,

..... 5 October, 1942. ....  
(Date)

Sir:

The following casualty has been reported -

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK or RATING</u>	<u>NAVAL NO.</u>
<u>CAMPBELL, Gordon Keith</u>	<u>Ordinary Seaman</u>	<u>4345 R.C.N.</u>
<u>DATE OF ENLISTMENT</u> -	<u>2 June, 1941.</u>	
<u>DATE OF DISCHARGE</u> -	<u>13 September, 1942.</u>	
<u>HOSPITAL</u> -	<u>(If discharged in hospital under jurisdiction of D.P. &amp; N.H.)</u>	
<u>SERVICE</u> -	<u>Canada and High Seas.</u>	
	<u>(Indicate whether in Canada only; or in Canada and on high seas or elsewhere).</u>	

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Reason for discharge and -  
when and where any disability  
was incurred; or where death  
occurred.

"DEAD". Missing, believed killed in action.  
He was on board H.M.C.S. "OTTAWA".

(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. Annie Campbell,

ADDRESS ESTON, Sask.

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 Stopped end Sept. PAID TO 10.00 Stopped paid end Sept. 1942

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

DEPENDENTS ALLOWANCE AT \$ Nil PAID TO Nil

TOTAL MONTHLY PAYMENT TO - WIFE \$ Nil

Computed by [Signature] DEPENDENTS \$ Nil  
Checked by [Signature]

[Signature]  
SECRETARY,  
NAVAL BOARD.

The Secretary,  
The Canadian Pension Commission,  
Copy to: D.P. & N.H.  
No Dependent's Allowance

(See reverse side for further  
instructions.)



# CONDUCT SHEET

NAME Gordon Keith CAMPBELL

RATING Old Smn

{ PORT DIVISION AND OFFICIAL NUMBER Esquimalt 4345

NAME OF SHIP	Date of Entry	No. of G.C. Badges held	Date of Commencement of "very good" conduct. (Art. 527, cl. 4 and 5) If conduct is not "very good" insert "Nil"	Class for Conduct		Class for Leave			Character since last assessment on Service Certificate or Conduct Sheet (Art. 605, cl. 5 and 8)			Efficiency (Art. 607)	For Art. 413 ratings only. (See Notes 5, 6 and 7)		Ship Discharged to (Giving date, if it differs from date of assessment of character, and, in the case of an N.C.S. Steward or Cook discharged to Shore, the cause of discharge)	In red ink—Whether recommended for (a) Boys' Training Service. (b) Other Instructional Duties. (See Note 9)	R.M.G. or R.R. (where applicable)	Commanding Officer's Signature
				If in 2nd class, insert (1) Date of reduction. (2) Date of proposed restoration.	If in 2nd class, insert date from which entitled to restoration to 1st class (Art. 573, cl. 2)	From	To	Character Assessment	Whether recommended for advancement (Must be fit for immediate advancement and fully qualified)	Whether recommended with a view to accelerated advancement (Must also be fit for immediate advancement but not necessarily fully qualified)								
<u>Madon</u>	<u>2 June 41</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>2 June 41</u>	<u>N.C.</u>	<u>N.C.</u>	<u>2 June 1941</u>	<u>9 Nov</u>	<u>V.G.</u>	<u>Mod.</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>Stadacona</u>						<u>W. P. 5/4 RCNVR</u>
<u>Stadacona</u>	<u>9 Nov 41</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>9 Nov 41</u>	<u>21 Dec 41</u>	<u>V.B.</u>	<u>Mod.</u>	<u>NY (N.Q.)</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>Alberni</u>						<u>A. Adams</u>

## NOTES

- Destruction of Conduct Sheet.**—Attention is directed to Art. 603, cl. 3, K.R., which provides for the destruction, after the next assessment of character, of a Conduct Sheet shewing the record of offences in a previous ship. But the Conduct Sheet of a man joining a shore or harbour establishment may (and for Leading Seamen, Leading Signalmen, Able Seamen and Signalmen *must*) be kept in use and accompany him to his next sea-going ship.
- Date of Commencement of "very good" Conduct.**—When the date of commencement of "very good" conduct differs from that which would normally appear from the Service Certificate, the date is to be inserted in red.
- Class for Conduct.**—The date of proposed restoration may be any date not less than 3 months and not more than 6 calendar months from date of reduction. See Art. 567, K.R.
- Good Conduct Medal and Gratuity.**—Recommendations are to be made according to the instructions in Arts. 534, cl. 3, and 606, cl. 4, K.R. If the recommendation is intentionally withheld, a statement to that effect should be inserted. (See Art. 534, cl. 15.)
- Whether Recommended for Advancement.**—To be completed in respect of all Art. 413 ratings by inserting "Yes," "Not Yet" or "No" (but see notes (1), (2) and (3) below):
  - "Yes"—Recommended for advancement. To be followed by (N.Q.) if not fully qualified; this, if awarded in a sea-going ship, will count as a sea-going recommendation for men who require this qualification, although such men are not qualified for recommendation on Form S. 507.
  - "Not Yet"—To be used for ratings not yet recommended for advancement owing to their inexperience. To be followed by (N.Q.) if not fully qualified.
  - "No"—Not recommended, whether qualified or not.
 For Leading Seamen, Leading Signalmen, Able Seamen and Signalmen insert also "S.G.R." or "H.R." according as the ship is or is not a "sea-going" ship (Appendix XVII, Part 1, para. 10) in relation to the individual rating concerned.
- Whether Recommended for Confirmation.**—Notations, in red ink, are to be made across both the "Recommendation for Advancement" columns, after completion of a minimum period of three months' acting time, as to whether or not a rating is recommended for confirmation in the ordinary course. The abbreviations to be used are "R.C.O.C." or "N.R.C.O.C."
- Accelerated Advancement.**—Recommendations are not to be made in this column unless the rating was likely to have been recommended for accelerated advancement on the next return S. 507 had he remained in the ship. This column is intended merely to assist the Captain of the ship to which the rating is discharged in rendering S. 507 at the end of the half-year, by bringing to his notice ratings of more than ordinary merit, who should be specially considered when making the special recommendations on S. 507 for the accelerated advancement of a limited proportion of the ship's company. When recommending Leading Seamen, Leading Signalmen, Able Seamen and Signalmen add "S.G.R." or "H.R." as directed for previous column.
- Offences and Punishments.**—To be recorded on page 2.
- Training Service.**—This column is always to be completed for E.R.As, E.As, O.As, C.P.Os, P.Os and Leading Ratings of the Seamen, Signal W/T and Stoker branches, irrespective of whether or not the rating is a volunteer for the Training Service. If recommended, the word "Yes" should be inserted; if not recommended, the word "No".



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Estim., Sask.,  
Aug. 11, 1939.

Mr. J. O. Cassette,  
Naval Secretary,  
Department of National Defence,  
Ottawa Canada.

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DEFENCE

AUG 16 1939  
N.S. 62-21-46  
CANADA

Dear Sir:

I am interested in joining your Navy. Please send me the necessary application forms that are applicable for the following qualifications

- Age - 15 years.
- Height - 5 ft. 6 in.
- Weight - 135 lbs.
- Education - Grade 8.

Yours truly  
Jordan Campbell.





DRAFTED BY: NPR PER IDL  
62-0-512

NAVAL MESSAGE

10 MIN.  
N.S. 81

To:

MRS. ANN CAMPBELL,  
ESTON, SASKATCHEWAN.

From:

NSHQ OTTAWA

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CMF  
NPR  
PDG  
MINISTER

THE MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENCE FOR NAVAL SERVICES  
DEEPLY REGRETS TO INFORM YOU THAT YOUR SON, GORDON  
KEITH CAMPBELL, ORDINARY SEAMAN, ROYAL CANADIAN  
NAVY, OFFICIAL NO. 4345, IS MISSING, BELIEVED KILLED  
IN ACTION.

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(DELIVERY CONFIRMED)

R/T

P/L

19/9/42

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19th September, 1942.

AIR MAIL

Dear Madam:

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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 son, Gordon Keith Campbell, Ordinary Seaman, R.C.N., O.N.4345, 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 son 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 son has helped to maintain.

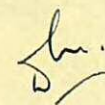
Yours sincerely,



D. J. M.

Deputy SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

Mrs. Annie Campbell,  
ESTON, Sask.





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CAMPBELL	Gordon Keith	N-4345	O.Smn.	FILE No.
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CAMPAIGN MEDALS	REGISTRATION NUMBER AN DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star	7933
Atlantic Star	
C.V.S.M. & Clasp	
War Medal	

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MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS  
PERSON  
ENTITLED TO Mrs. Annie Campbell - Mother

ADDRESS: ESTON, Sask.

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS  
WIDOW

ADDRESS:

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS  
MOTHER Mrs. Annie Campbell

ADDRESS: Cremona, Alta.

MEMORIAL BAR  
(1) DATE DESP .....  
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