

KIRKWOOD
THOMAS ANDREWS
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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
(Naval Service)

C.N.S. 2417
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N.S. 815-9-2417

APPLICATION FOR ENTRY IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

Outremont, Quebec
(Place)

Sept. 10, 1938
(Date)

The Naval Secretary,
Department of National Defence,
OTTAWA.

Sir:— I hereby make formal application for entry in the Royal Canadian Navy, under a seven years' continuous service engagement as a Boy 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) THOMAS ANDREWS KIRKWOOD
- Date of Birth (Birth Certificate or sworn declaration by parent or guardian *must* be attached) July 8 1922
- Place of Birth. Town Cartierville, Province Quebec
- Permanent Place of Residence. No. 926 Street Harland ave.
Town Outremont, Province Quebec
- Are you a ~~British~~ Subject? Yes
- How long have you resided in Canada? since Birth
- What is your Mother Tongue? English
- What other language do you speak? a little French
- Are you of the White Race? Yes
- Are you Single, Married or a Widower? single
- How far advanced educationally are you? Passed second year high school.

(Certificates of School Authorities *must* be attached)

- What practical experience have you had?
(Details and certificates from employers, trade credentials, etc., *must* be attached to substantiate employment reported.)
a Temporary job in radio

- Do you belong to any Naval, Military, Air or Police Force? Navy League of Canada.
- If so, give details. Sea Cadet, Montreal division.

- 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?.....

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

- What is your weight? 124 lbs. Height 5' 9" Chest Measurement (Not inflated) 33 1/2"

- 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

- Are you subject to *any* disability which might cause your rejection?
No

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- Give details.....

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

Tom Kirkwood
Signature of Witness

Thomas A. Kirkwood
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 Montreal,

this 17th day of September, 1938, in the presence of

E. B. Jones
Signature of Witness

Tom Kirkwood (Father)
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

Entered From Outremont, Que.

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H. M. C. S. "STADACONA".

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

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 Thomas Andrews KIRKWOOD		NEXT OF KIN Mother: Elinor Name: Mrs. Elinor Kirkwood Address: 965 Dunlop Ave.	PRESENT RATING Boy Seaman.
DATE OF BIRTH* 8th. July, 1922	PLACE OF BIRTH† Town: Outremont, Que. County: Cartierville, Que. Province: Quebec.	NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER Commander W.J.R. Beech, R.C.N. HMCS "STADACONA".	

Personal Description at the Date of this Document

Height	Chest	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	WOUNDS, SCARS OR MARKS	Religious Denomination	TRADE OR OCCUPATION
5' 7 3/4"	34. 31. 32 1/2.	BLACK.	BROWN.	DARK.	NIL.	Roman Catholic	Radio apprentice.
Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement		8th. July, 1940		Period of Engagement or Re-engagement		Seven Years.	
Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage		31st. July, 1939		Date of entering present ship		31st. July, 1939	

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..... **English**..... 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?..... **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)

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..... 31st. July, 1939..... 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..... Seven..... 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
..... Commander, R.C.N.
..... Lieutenant R.C.N.
..... Lieutenant Colonel, R.C.A.M.C. 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..... 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.

..... Thomas Andrew Kirkwood Boy's Signature in full

Witness to Signature..... R. E. Leal a/p.o.....

Attested before me this 31st. day of July, 1939 193.....

..... { Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service
Lieutenant, R.C.N.

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..... 193.....

engaged to serve in the Naval Service of Canada for a period of §..... years, do hereby engage to serve for a further period**..... from ††..... 193..... provided my services should be so long required.

..... Man's Signature in full
..... 193.....

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.



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CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION FOR THE ENTRY OF OFFICERS, MEN AND BOYS FOR THE NAVAL SERVICE OF CANADA

(R.C.N. OR RESERVE FORCES)

NOTE—This Certificate is to be completed by the Examining Medical Officer and forwarded to the Naval Secretary, Department of National Defence, Ottawa.

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I, the undersigned, have examined KIRKWOOD, Thomas Andrews candidate for entry as Boy Seaman Rec. final exam. and I believe him to be in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service. He has signed the Certificate given below in my presence.

Dated at Halifax N.S. the 1st of August 1939.
X-ray Montreal 23/6/39 Satisfactory
of white race.

[Signature]
Examining Medical Officer
(Rank) Dr. Col. Ream

This examination has been made in accordance with the Instructions for Recruiting.

Age	Years Months	Weight without Clothes	Height with Bare Feet	General Development	Chest Girth	Vision by— (i) Snellen's Types (ii) Colour Vision	Vaccinated or re-vaccinated for Small Pox (Date)	Lungs, Heart, etc.	Abdomen, Hernia, etc.	Limbs and Joints	Skin	Ears and Hearing	Testes, Varicocele, etc.	Mouth, Teeth (No. deficient and No. defective, if any), Nose, Tonsils, etc.	Anus, Haemorrhoids, etc.
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)	(m)	(n)	(o)	(p)
	lbs.	ft. ins.			inches (a) maximum (b) minimum (c) mean	right eye (i) left eye (ii) colour vision									
19 yrs	127	5' 7 3/4"		Good	34 31 32 1/2	right eye 6/6 left eye 6/6 colour vision N (Gr)	Vacc 1936.	Normal	Normal	Normal	Clear	Normal	Normal	0. defective 3 0. deficient 2 Tonsils: normal	Normal

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY THE CANDIDATE

I hereby certify that to the best of my belief I have never suffered from Fits, *Incontinence of Urine, Discharge from the Ears, or any other disease likely to render me unfit for His Majesty's Service. I am willing to undergo, after entry, such dental treatment as may be authorized.

Thomas A. Kirkwood
Signature of Candidate

When a Candidate is passed, notwithstanding a slight defect or disability, the following Certificate is to be filled up

This Candidate is the subject of Slight stiffness back

not considered of sufficient importance to cause his rejection, he being desirable in other respects.

[Signature]
Examining Medical Officer
(Rank) Dr. Col. Ream

* The exact meaning of this is to be clearly explained to the Candidate by the Examining Medical Officer.

[Signature]

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NAME KIRKWOOD (Surname) Thomas Andrew (Given Names) DATE OF BIRTH 8th July, 1922PLACE OF BIRTH Cartierville, Que. OCCUPATION Radio ApprenticeRELIGION Roman Catholic EDUCATION Second year High SchoolRESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. 926 Hartland Ave. Town Outremont Province, etc. Quebec

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
31	7	39	as Boy	5' 7 ³ / ₄ "	Black	Brown	Dark					
8	7	40	Seven years									

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) Mother NAME (in pencil) Mrs. E. Chapman KirkwoodADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. 965 Dunlop Ave Town Outremont Province, etc. Quebec

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	
				11	39	Passed E.T. one					

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. 4645-2
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



3499 OFFICIAL NUMBER NAME KIRKWOOD Thomas Andrew OFFICIAL NUMBER 3499
 (Surname) (Given Names)

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
Stadacona	Boy Smn.	31	7	39		V.G.	Supr.	22	10	40							
Fraser	"	6	3	40													
Margaree	Ord. Smn.	8	7	40													
	"	6	9	40													
	DISCHARGED	22	10	40	DEAD--Missing, presumed dead												

GENERAL REMARKS

28-4-41 Memorial Cross issued to
 Mother: Mrs. Elinor Kirkwood
 965 Dunlop Ave.
 Outremont, P.Q.

DATE OF BIRTH		PLACE		CIVIL		OCCU		RELIED		PERM. RESIDENCE		PREV. ENL.		RANK ON ENLISTMENT	
DY	MO.	YR.	BIRTH	MAIN	SUB	CIVIL	STR.	NON-SUB	M	R	CIV.	TOWNSHIP	SERV.	DIV.	RANK
08	7	22	12	900	0	10	3	2	54	09	0	19	0	08	96
ENLIST. DATE		ACT. SERV. DATE		STR.		NON-SUB		M		PERM. RESIDENCE		PREV. ENL.		RANK ON DATE	
DY	MO.	YR.	DY	MO.	YR.	CAT.	STR.	NON-SUB	M	R	CIV.	TOWNSHIP	SERV.	DIV.	RANK
31	07	39	31	07	39									03	15
SEN. ORITY		STR.		NON-SUB		M		PERM. RESIDENCE		PREV. ENL.		RANK ON DATE			
DY	MO.	YR.	CAT.	STR.	NON-SUB	M	R	CIV.	TOWNSHIP	SERV.	DIV.	RANK			
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MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS
PERSON Mrs. Elinor A. Kirkwood, (Mother)
ENTITLED TO Mr. Thomas Robert Kirkwood - Father/Deceased

ADDRESS: ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~, 20285 Lakeshore Road,
~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Baie D'Urfe, Que.

(1)

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS
WIDOW

ADDRESS:

(2)

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS
MOTHER

Mrs. E. Kirkwood

ADDRESS: 965 Dunlop Avenue
OUTREMONT, Que. (Issued 27 April 1941)

MEMORIAL BAR

DATE DESP

REGN. NO

CANCELLED
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DECEASED 22 October 1940

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS *NAVY*

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WAR SERVICE RECORDS

KIRKWOOD	Thomas Andrews	N-3499	O.Smn.	FILE No.
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SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS)	CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. No.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT
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WAR SERVICE


BADGE

(CLASS) No. DATE DESPATCHED:

ADDRESS:

CAMPAIGN MEDALS	REGISTRATION NUMBER	AN DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star	<i>Medals Ret'd. Under No. 1012</i>	
Atlantic Star	<i>CANCELLED 7036 Ret'd to Stock.</i>	
C.V.S.M. & Clasp	5679	12.7.50
War Medal		

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STATEMENT of the Names, Ages and Addresses, or Dates of Death, of all the relatives that the deceased ever had in each of the degrees specified below.

Degrees of Relationship	RELATIVES required to be accounted for	INFORMANT'S STATEMENT		
		NAME IN FULL of any Relative, if any, in each degree inquired for	Age	ADDRESS IN FULL of each surviving Relative, opposite his or her name, and date of death of each deceased relative
1	Widow of the Deceased.....	- - -		
2	Children of the Deceased and dates of their Births.....	- - -		
3	Father of the Deceased.....	Thomas Robert Kirkwood	51	Baie D'Urfe, Que.
4	Mother of the Deceased.....	Elinor Kirkwood		Baie D'Urfe, Que.
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Full Blood	Francis Lussier Kirkwood	20 (In Royal Can. Navy) Baie D'Urfe, Que.
		Half Blood	- - -	
6	Sisters of the Deceased	Full Blood	Rosemary Kirkwood Sheila Kirkwood	22 Baie D'Urfe, Que. 14 Baie D'Urfe, Que.
		Half Blood	- - -	
7	Names of brothers or sisters (whether of the full or the half blood) of the Deceased, who are dead, and date of death of each.	Names and ages of their children (if any)	Address of their children	
		- - -		

ONLY IF NO RELATIVES IN THE DEGREES ABOVE ARE NOW LIVING, THE FOLLOWING PARTICULARS SHOULD BE GIVEN

		NAMES OF THOSE LIVING	Age	ADDRESS IN FULL
8	Grand-Parents of the Deceased.....			
9	Uncles and Aunts by blood of the Deceased (not Uncles and Aunts by marriage).....		Age	

FULL PARTICULARS AS TO IDENTITY

10	What is the full name of the deceased?	Thomas Andrews Kirkwood
11	Give the month and year of his birth.	July, 1922
12	Where and when were his parents married?	May, 1917 Collingwood, Ontario,
13	Was he ever married? If so, state exact place and date of marriage.	no
14	Did he leave a (later) Will? If so, it should be forwarded.	no
15	Is there any other estate which will necessitate application being made for Probate or Letters of Administration?	no

PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

16	Where was deceased born?	Cartierville (Montreal,) Que.
17	In what Province, Country or State did he reside, and in which last?	Quebec only
18	How long in each?	From birth until enlistment in R. C. N. - July 1939
19	What was the nature of his employment?	High School student until enlistment.
20	Did he own the house or homestead in which he lived? If so, where?	no, lived at home with parents
21	Did he ever state verbally, or in writing, where he intended to make his permanent home?	no
22	State your postal address in full.	20,285 Lake Shore Road, Baie D'Urfe, Quebec.

PARTICULARS AS TO CLAIMS

23	Have the funeral expenses been paid? If so, by whom?	none - lost at sea in H.M.C.S. Margaree
24	Are there any outstanding claims against the estate? If so, furnish full name and address of each Creditor in this space and enclose his Bill of Account. (See Note Below).	none

NOTE.—Paragraph 24 refers to debts incurred for board and lodging, medical and funeral expenses, money borrowed, goods purchased, etc.; the following information to be embodied in all accounts submitted:—

1. Name and address of Creditor.
2. Detailed statement of particulars of claim with date or dates incurred.
3. At the end of his statement the creditor should certify that the account is just and reasonable, that no payments save as shown, have been made thereon and that he holds no security therefor; the creditor should then sign same, and if you admit that the claim is correct, then you "O.K." the bill and sign same.

DECLARATION

*Insert degree of relationship, for example "Widow," "Father," "Brother," etc.

I hereby declare that the foregoing particulars are correct, and a true and complete statement of all the relatives that the deceased ever had in the degrees inquired for; and that I am the

*.....Mother of the deceased.

N.B. To be signed in full in the presence of a Clergyman, Priest or Local Magistrate

Elinor Kirkwood

{Signature of Informant

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief.....Elinor Kirkwood.....

*See above { Name of Informant } is the *mother..... of the Deceased above described, and I believe the above Declaration and the Statement of Relatives made by the Informant and signed in my presence to be complete and correct.

Dated at.....Montreal, Que. this.....6th..... day of.....August..... 19.41

Signature of Clergyman, Priest or Magistrate }

Rev. James P. O'Looh

Qualification.....

R.P. Clergyman

Address.....St. Raphael's Roman Catholic Church
Lajoie Avenue, Montreal, Que.

NOTE—Before granting the above Certificate, care should be taken to see that the Informant gives particulars concerning the death of any Relative stated by him or her to have died, and that the full name and address of each surviving Relative enquired after is stated in its proper place in the Statement opposite.

KIRKWOOD, Thomas A.

Boy.

O. N. 3499

1	Burberry.	15.00	X
1	Grenfell sport jacket.	19.00	X
1	Habitant sport shirt.	5.00	X
1	pair. shoes.	6.50	✓
1	wrist watch (Elgin).	5. 22.50	✓
1	pr. Bathing trunks.	3.50	✓
1	fountain pen.	7.50	✓
1	pr leather gloves.	3.00	✓
1	Leather wallett.	9.00	✓

91.00

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The articles described above were all lost by me
whilst on service in HMCS "FRASER".

Thomas Kirkwood

DISTRIBUTION OF SERVICE ESTATES

Naval - Military - Air Force

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Name KIRKWOOD, Thos. Andrew No. 3499.
Surname Christian Names

Ord. Sep. : R.M.C.S. "MARQUETTE" 22/10/40
Rank Unit Date of Death

AMOUNT
L. P. C. \$ 78.40
Other Credits _____
Total 78.40
Shares Retained _____
NET TOTAL ... 78.40

Date September 2, 1941.

SHARE	RELATIONSHIP	NAME AND ADDRESS	AMOUNT
$\frac{1}{4}$	Father	Thomas Robert Kirkwood 20,285 Lake Shore Road, Baie D'Urfe, Quebec.	19.60
$\frac{1}{4}$	Mother	Kliner Kirkwood 20,275 Lake Shore Road, Baie D'Urfe, Quebec.	19.60
$\frac{1}{6}$	Sisters	Rosemary Kirkwood 20285 Lake Shore Road, Baie D'Urfe, Quebec.	13.05
$\frac{1}{3}$	Father	Thomas Robert Kirkwood, 20285 Lake Shore Road, Baie D'Urfe, Quebec. (for benefit of 2 minors)	26.14

AUTHORITY								
HO F.E. No.	DIV	EST	VOTE	PRI	DA OR HO SUB	OBJ	AMOUNT	
			P31	00	00	001	78 40	
SHARES RETAINED		9999						
None		-----						
		APPROVED BY		EXAMINED BY				78 40
		<i>L.M. Firth</i>		<i>YJ</i>				TOTAL

Distribution approved and authorized

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT

(Signature)

For Chief Treasury Officer

(Signature)

(L.M. Firth) Major,
Administrator of Estates.

DISTRIBUTION OF SERVICE ESTATES

Estates Form "P. 4"

Name KIRKWOOD Surname Thomas A. Christian Names No. N. 3499
 Rank O/Smn Unit R.C.N. Date of Death 22-10-48

AMOUNT
 W.S.G. 175.24
 L.P.C. \$ 78.40

Date 9th December, 1948.

Other Credits.....
 Total..... 253.64
 Prev. Dist. 78.40
 This Dist. 175.24

SHARE	RELATIONSHIP	NAME AND ADDRESS	AMOUNT
$\frac{1}{4}$	SISTER	Mrs. Sheila J. Martin, 5442 Decarie Blvd., Apt 3, Montreal, Que. (As creditor of the estate of Thomas R. Kirkwood, deceased n/k)	43.81
$\frac{1}{4}$	MOTHER	Mrs. Elinor A. Kirkwood, 1288 Wellington St., Ottawa, Ont.	43.81
1/6	SISTER	Mrs. Sheila J. Martin, 5442 Decarie Blvd., Apt 3, Montreal, Que.	29.21
1/6	SISTER	Mrs. Rosemary E. Fotheringham, 1288 Wellington St., Ottawa, Ont.	29.21
1/6		Receiver-General of Canada for Director of Estates, Dept. of National Defence (For credit of estate of F/O Francis L. Kirkwood (J.20918) R.C.A.F. deceased) (As next of kin entitled)	29.20

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AUTHORITY					
H.Q. F.E. No.	VOTE	PRI	H.Q. SUB.	OBJ.	AMOUNT
9999	549	00	22	000	175.24
CLASSIFIED BY <i>OB</i>			EXAMINED BY For Chief Treasury Officer		

DISTRIBUTION APPROVED AND AUTHORIZED

(R.J. Orde) Brigadier.
 (L. M. FIRTH) Colonel
 Director of Estates
Judge Advocate General.

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT

DISTRIBUTION OF SERVICE ESTATES

Estates Form "P. 4"

Name **KIRKWOOD** Surname **Thomas A.** Christian Names No. **N.3499**
 Rank **O/Smn** Unit **R.C.N.** Date of Death **22-10-40**

AMOUNT
 W.S.G..... 175.24
 L.P.C.....\$ 78.40


Date **3rd January, 1949**

Other Credits.....
 Total..... 253.64
 Prev. Dist. 209.83
 This Dist. 43.81

SHARE	RELATIONSHIP	NAME AND ADDRESS	AMOUNT
ALL	MOTHER	Mrs. Elinor A. Kirkwood, 1288 Wellington St., Ottawa, Ont. (As next of kin entitled)	43.81

AUTHORITY					
H.Q. F.E. No.	VOTE	PRI	H.Q. SUB.	OBJ.	AMOUNT
9999	549	00	22	000	43.81
CLASSIFIED BY <i>AB</i>			EXAMINED BY For Chief Treasury Officer		

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 (H.J. Orde) Brigadier,
 Director of Estates
Judge Advocate General.
 AUDITED FOR PAYMENT

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 For Chief Treasury Officer

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PRECIS

This is to certify that Thomas Andrews KIRKWOOD
was born at Cartierville, P.Q., on July 8th, 1922.

(Sgd) D. Toupin,
parish priest.

Cartierville, P.Q.,
September 16th, 1938.

ASCENSION PARISH
Westmount, P.Q.

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE

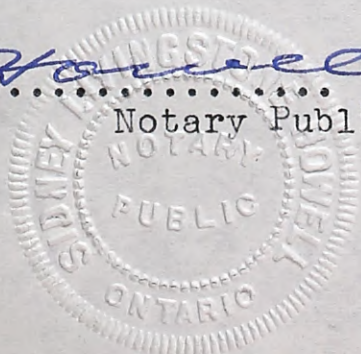
On the fourteenth day of August, nineteen hundred and forty-six, James Brant Fotheringham and Rosemary Elinor Kirkwood were married according to the rites and the laws of the Roman Catholic Church in the presence of Donald William Knox and Sheila J. Kirkwood. The officiating priest was the Reverend Donald J. Feron.

The above is certified to be a true extract taken from the Marriage Register of the Church of the Ascension of Our Lord, Westmount, Quebec, and given in Westmount on this tenth day of September, nineteen hundred and forty-six.

Sgd) George F Thoms
Priest

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

A. Z. Fotheringham
.....
Notary Public.



VERIFICATION FORM

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

RANK/RATING OFF.NO. *N-3499* ADDRESS

AREA	QUALIFYING PERIODS IN DAYS						STARS MEDALS	✓ 1 2	ELIGIBLE FOR AWARDS OF
	FROM	TO	1939-45	ATLANTIC	DEFENCE	CLASP C.V.S.M.			
							1939-45	✓	<i>5/2</i>
							ATLANTIC	✓	<i>5/2</i>
<i>att</i>							FRANCE G.		
<i>att</i>							AFRICA		
							PACIFIC		
<i>Dead</i>							BURMA		
<i>22/10/40</i>							ITALY		
							DEFENCE		
							C.V.S.M.	✓	<i>2 Clasp</i>
							" CLASP		
							WAR 1945	✓	<i>Medal</i>
							WAR 1915		

VERIFIED BY *[Signature]*

VERIFIED BY DIR. OF PERSONNEL RECORDS.

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

Thomas Andrew **KIRKWOOD**

IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

Port Division Halifax, N.S.

Official Number *3499*

Date of birth <i>8th July 1922</i>	Nearest known Relative or Friend (To be noted in pencil)
Where born { Province <i>Quebec</i>	Name: <i>Mrs. Clinov</i>
{ Town or county <i>Carterville</i>	Relationship: <i>Mother</i>
Trade brought up to <i>Radio Apprentice</i>	Address: <i>965 Dunlop Ave</i>
Religious denomination <i>Roman Catholic</i>	<i>Outremont Que</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
<i>31 July 1939</i>	<i>8 July 1940</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>7³/₄</i>	<i>32¹/₂</i>	<i>Black</i>	<i>Brown</i>	<i>Dark</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 *Thomas Andrews KIRKWOOD*

Conduct

Second Class for Conduct
(inclusive dates)

Efficiency in Rating—ARTICLE 607—K. R.

From

To

3. **Definition of Terms**—As a guide to Commanding Officers when making their award the following definitions are given of the terms to be used:—

Superior.....A man who performs his duties with more than average efficiency.
to be written Supr.

Satisfactory.....A man who performs his duties with average efficiency.
“ Sat.

Moderate.....A man who performs his duties in an efficient manner
“ Mod. but with less than average efficiency.

Inferior.....A man who performs his duties in an inefficient manner.
“ Inferior.

Note.—In these definitions “duties” means the general duties of the substantive rating held, and “average efficiency” means the average efficiency of all men in the Service holding the same substantive rating.

The substantive rating held by the man at the time is to be noted in brackets after each assessment thus: Supr. (A.B.).

Good Conduct Badges

Character

Efficiency in Rating,
noting substantive rating
in brackets

Whether
R.M.G.
or not

Date

Captain's Signature

Date

1st, 2nd,
3rd

Granted,
Deprived,
Restored

V.G.

Supr. (of Smn)

22 Oct '40

J. B. Edwards

Time forfeited

Date

P., D.,
C.,
C.P.,
W.T.

Number of
days

Award-
ed

Served

NH

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
 NAVY ARMY AIR FORCE
STATEMENT OF WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

4
 NAVY

DECEASED
MEMBER'S
NAME

Thomas Andrews KIRKWOOD
 (CHRISTIAN NAMES) (SURNAME)

REGISTER NO. 204239
 FILE NO. NS.N-3499
 DATE 30-10-48
 SERVICE NO. N-3499
 FINAL RANK OR RATING O/Smn.
 DATE OF DISCHARGE 22 Oct/40

PAYEE
ADDRESS

Director of Estates,
 National Defence Bldg.,
 Slater Street,
 OTTAWA, Ont.

(for service
 estate of T.A.
 Kirkwood, N-3499)

DATE OF TERMINATION OF OVERSEAS SERVICE

22 Oct/40

DATE OF DISCHARGE

22 Oct/40

A. TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE

NO. OF DAYS 409 EQUAL TO 13 COMPLETE PERIODS AT \$7.50

97.50

B. QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE

NO. OF DAYS 231 LESS 19 INELIGIBLE DAYS, EQUAL TO 212 DAYS @ 25C. PER DAY

53.00

C. SUPPLEMENT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE

DAILY RATES AT DISCHARGE

PAY	\$		
SUBSISTENCE OR LODGING AND PROVISION ALLOWANCE	\$	1.25	
ADDITIONAL PAY	\$	1.45	
	\$.10	
	\$		
DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE 1/30 OF \$	\$	<u>nil</u>	
TOTAL	\$	2.80	X7 = \$ 19.60
NO. OF DAYS		<u>231</u>	X\$ 19.60

24.74

D. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

175.24

E. DEDUCTIONS

OVERPAYMENT OF

PAY AND ALLOWANCES \$
DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE \$

nil

OTHER DEDUCTIONS \$

F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE

Journal Voucher # 3076 dated 10/11/48

91.41
17/11/48 175.24

G. YOUR PORTION OF GRATUITY IS—

DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE TO YOU \$ _____ OF \$ _____ = \$ _____
 TOTAL DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE \$ ////////////////////

175.24

CERTIFICATE I CERTIFY THAT THE AMOUNT HAS BEEN CORRECTLY COMPUTED AND IS PAYABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF THE WAR SERVICE GRANTS ACT, 1944 AND THE REGULATIONS ISSUED THEREUNDER.

PREPARED BY
MEE

CHECKED BY

TREASURY
 CHECKED BY *Lee Peacey* DATE *3/11/48*

SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE

for DIRECTOR OF NAVAL PAY ACCOUNTING

AT



Passing Certificate

Stad

This is to Certify

that.....Thomas KIRKWOOD.....

Rating.....Boy.....Official Number.....3499.....

has passed

THE EDUCATIONAL TEST, I

held on.....7th November, 1939.....

For advancement to Petty Officer

J. O. Cossette

(J.O.Cossette).

Naval Secretary

Department of National Defence,

Ottawa, this.....14th.....day of.....December.....1939.....

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926 Hartland Ave.
Montreal, Feb. 26th 1938

Secretary, Naval Department
Ottawa, Ontario.

DEPT. OF
NATIONAL DEFENCE
MAR -1 1938
N.S. 1-15-1/15
CANADA

Dear Sir;

I am a Canadian, in my sixteenth year,
wishing to join the navy, and hoping to gain
the rank of midshipman. I am a cadet in the
Navy League of Canada, Sea Cadet Corps, (Montreal division)

Upon asking my commander, Captain S.B. Graves
R.N.R., he suggested that I write to you.

I should be very grateful if you would
send me full particulars concerning both navies,
British and Canadian, and especially concerning
the possibility of my becoming a midshipman.

yours truly,

Thomas A. Kirkwood

6 copy on
53-15-3

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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.)

NATIONAL OFFICE
OCT 19 1938
N.S. 622/4K
7w 86

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

I hereby certify that my ^{son,*}~~ward~~ Thomas Andrew Kirkwood 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.

M26571

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† July 8th 1922

His Religious persuasion is Roman Catholic

Witness my hand at Outremont, Quebec

19th day of October 1938

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

Parent's ~~Guardian's~~ Signature in full Thomas Robert Kirkwood

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

Parent's ~~Guardian's~~ Address 926 Hartland Ave,

In the case of a Guardian see other side.

Outremont, Que.

I, the above named Thomas Andrew Kirkwood 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 Thomas Andrew Kirkwood

Signed by the said [Here write boy's name] Thomas Andrew Kirkwood

And [Here write Parent's or Guardian's name] Thomas Robert Kirkwood

In the presence of

Chris Kirkwood
Witness to signature of Boy, and Parent or Guardian.

926 Hartland Ave. 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 § ~~Guardian~~ Parent, and am aware** ~~she~~ he has consented to the Boy's entry as above, and I believe the particulars stated herein to be true.

Rev. John L. O'Rourke Clergyman of the Parish.

or Resident Householder

Catholic Priest Occupation

2001 Lavoie Ave. Outremont, P. Que. Address

October 17th 193*8*

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.

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1938
REGISTRY
PREPARED TO
MAY 19 1938
REC'D
SINCE
CHAR.

- Naval Service -

July 11, 1939.

Sir,-

I am directed to advise you that you are now under consideration for entry into the Royal Canadian Navy as a Boy (Seaman Class) under a Seven Years' Continuous and General Service Engagement, to date 31st July, 1939.

Before your entry can be approved it will be necessary for you to undergo final medical examination. You are to report to the District Medical Officer of Military District No. 4, 1254 Bishop Street, Montreal, P.Q., at Nine A.M., on Saturday, 29th July, 1939, and request him to examine you, showing him this letter as your authority. You should hand him the enclosed Forms DS07 in triplicate (Medical Examination Form) and DS07A (Physical Qualifications Required).

Provided you are found physically fit, the Military Authorities will supply you with the following transportation from Montreal, P.Q. to Halifax, N.S.:-

1 Second Class Railway Ticket - Montreal, P.Q. to Halifax, N.S.

You are to report to the Commander, R.C.N. Barracks, Halifax, N.S., on Monday, 31st July, 1939.

If you are not physically fit, the Military Authorities will so advise you, in which case your entry cannot be approved.

You should acknowledge receipt of this letter: enclosed addressed envelope is for this purpose.

Yours truly,

Mr. Thomas A. Kirkwood,
665 Dunlop Ave.,
MONTREAL,
P.Q.

(D) The Commander/
R.C.N. Barracks,
HALIFAX, N.S.

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(J. O. Cossetto)
Naval Secretary.

- Forwarded for information. Provided Kirkwood reports and is suitable in all respects, he is to be entered in the R.C.N. as a Boy (Seaman Class) to date 31st July, 1939.

X-Ray Report and certificate attached thereto are enclosed. Date of Birth - 8th July, 1922, certified by Certificate of Birth.

Copy of Continuous Service Engagement Form is to be forwarded to Headquarters in due course.

BY ORDER.

COPY DOC.

Naval Secretary.

Records.

OFFICIAL COPY
NAVAL MESSAGE

S. 1320D
10 Mil.-5-40 (5005)
N.S. 815-9-1320D

To:

MRS. ELINOR KIRKWOOD
965 DUNLOP AVE
OUTREMONT P. Q.

From:

62K/16

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THE MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENCE DEEPLY REGRETS TO
INFORM YOU THAT YOUR SON THOMAS A. KIRKWOOD ORDINARY SEAMAN
R C N O.N. 3499 IS MISSING, BELIEVED KILLED.

-/26

L/T P/L REC'D SDC AB 27-10-40 5462
1540/26

62-K116

1st November, 1940.

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Dear Madam:

It is with deep regret that I must confirm the telegram sent out by the Minister of National Defence, reporting that your son, Thomas A. Kirkwood, Ordinary Seaman, O.N. 3499, R.C.N., was missing, believed killed.

Few details are available, but it is known that H.M.C.S. "MARGAREE" was sunk in collision in the North Atlantic whilst steaming without lights, on convoy duty, and in the submarine zone. 142 Officers and ratings are missing and must be presumed lost at sea.

I am requested to express to you the sincere sympathy of the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services and the Chief of the Naval Staff in your bereavement.

Any further information, which is received, will be at once communicated to you.

Yours very truly,



(J. O. Cossette),
Naval Secretary.

Mrs. Eliner Kirkwood,
965 Dunlop Avenue,
OUTREMONT, Que.

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October 20, 1941.

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J.O. Cossette, Esq.,
Naval Secretary,
Department of National Defence,
Naval Service,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

In a cable received from our London Office we have been requested to secure information from Royal Canadian Naval Headquarters, Ottawa, regarding

3499 O/S Thomas Kirkwood

last heard of October 7th, 1940.

Any information you are able to give us regarding this man will be greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

A. M. Plumptre
per se.

Mrs. H.P. Plumptre,
Vice-Chairman, Executive Committee.

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JOC/RJW

Inclosing Letter to be returned

62-K-116


21st October, 1941

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of 20th October, 1941, regarding one Thomas Kirkwood, Ordinary Seaman, O.N. 3499, I regret to inform you that the above named lost his life in the sinking of H.M.C.S. MARGAREE on the 22nd October, 1940.

His Mother, Mrs. Elinor Kirkwood, 965 Dunlop Avenue, Outremont, Quebec, was named as next of kin.

Yours sincerely,


(J.O. Cossette)
NAVAL SECRETARY.

Mrs. H.P. Plumptre,
Vice-Chairman, Executive Committee,
The Canadian Red Cross Society,
95 Wellesley Street,
TORONTO, Ont.