

PEPPLER
STANLEY
4299

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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
(Naval Service)C.N.S. 2417
10M-9-39
N.S. 815-9-2417

APPLICATION FOR ENTRY IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

The Naval Secretary,
Department of National Defence,
OTTAWA.Listowel Ontario
(Place)
June 18 1940
(Date)

SIR:—

I hereby make formal application for entry in the Royal Canadian Navy, under a seven years' continuous service engagement as a Ordinary Seaman

(Insert rating chosen)

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

1. Name (to be given in full in Block Letters) STANLEY PEPLER
2. Date of Birth (Birth Certificate or sworn declaration by parent or guardian must be attached) 27 January, 1922
3. Place of Birth. Town Listowel, Province Ontario
4. Permanent Place of Residence. No. Adams Street Listowel, Province Ontario
5. Are you a British Subject? Yes
6. How long have you resided in Canada? 18 years
7. What is your Mother Tongue? English
8. What other language do you speak? None
9. Are you of the White Race? Yes
10. Are you Single, Married or a Widower? Single
11. How far advanced educationally are you? Passed entrance to High School

(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.)
Clerked in Grocery store for 2 years
13. Do you belong to any Naval, Military, Air or Police Force? No
14. If so, give details.
15. Have you ever served in such forces? No
16. If so, give dates and details.
17. Have you ever been discharged from His Majesty's Forces as medically unfit? No
18. 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?
(Enclose two character references, one of which must confirm your answer to Question 19) No
20. What is your weight? 160 lbs Height 5 ft 11 in Chest Measurement (Not inflated) 37 in
21. Have you ever had fits? No
22. Do you suffer from any deformity? No
23. Have you suffered the loss of any fingers, toes, etc.? No
24. Do you suffer from any disease? No
25. 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
- Mrs. Alberta Pepler
Signature of Witness
- Stanley Pepler
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 Listowel, this 18th day of June, 1940, in the presence of

Mrs. Alberta Pepler
Signature of Witness

Mrs. Alberta Pepler
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 Listowel, this 18th day of June, 1940, in the presence of

Signature of Witness

Stanley Pepler
Signature of Candidate

H. M. C. S.

" NADEN "

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

CANADA

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
Stanley PEPPLER		Mrs. Alberta (mother) Name: Alma Street, Address: Listowel, Ont.	Ordinary Seaman
DATE OF BIRTH*	PLACE OF BIRTH†		NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER
27th January, 1922.	Town..... County..... Province.....	Listowel Ontario.	(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
5'9½"	37 34½ 36	Black	Brown	Medium	Nil.	Lutheran	Clerk

Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement	24th March, 1941.	Period of Engage- ment or Re- engagement	Seven Years.
Date of actually vol- unteering to en- gage or re-engage	24th March, 1941.	Date of entering present ship	24th March, 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..... Canadian (German) Mother..... Canadian (German)
- 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. 2nd Perth Machine Gun Batt. June, 1940. to February, 1941.
- 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.

NOTED ON ESTIMATE CARD
Date 22.4.41
Initial J.M.

Personnel Record Division	
1. Noted in Records	Yes
2. Index Card	Yes
3. Non-Sub. Card	Yes
4. Statistical Card	Yes
5. Roneo Strip	Yes
6. Pension Card	Yes
7. Estimate Card	Yes
8. DATE	21.4.41

* 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

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N.S. 815—9-55

Noted
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Recruits
4/4/41.

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, Stanley PEPPLER, 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 term of seven years. from 24th March, 19 41, 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 25th day of March, 19 41.

Witness to Signature P. Lad Writer. Stanley Peppler Man's Signature in full

Attested before me this 25th day of March, 19 41.

John Wood

Lieutenant, R.C.N.V.R.

{ Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

Date 25th March, 19 41.

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.

John Wood

COMMANDER

Commanding Officer

SURG. COMMANDER

Medical Officer

II.—Certificate and Declaration for Boys

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

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.....19.....

.....{ 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 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.

O.H.F.

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

Stanley PEPPER

IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

I.C.N.S. 26733

Official Number 4299

Esquimalt

Date of birth 27 January 1922

Where born { Province Ontario

Town or county Listowel

Trade brought up to Clerk

O.H.F.

Religious denomination Lutheran

Date passed swimming test P.P.T. (Good) 20 May '41

Man's signature on discharge to pension }

Nearest known Relative or Friend
(To be noted in pencil)

Name: Alberto

Relationship: mother

Address:

Alma, St

Listowel Ont

30/10/41

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. 24 March '41		Seven years	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.....							
On advancement to man's rating or on entry under 28 years.....	5	9½	36	Black	Brown	Med	Nil
On re-entry for C.S. or for Non-C.S. after attaining 28 years.....							
Further description if necessary.....							

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Name Stanley PEPPER

[illegible]

Stanley PEPPER

Conduct

Second Class for Conduct
(inclusive dates)

Efficiency in Rating—ARTICLE 607—K.R.

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
to be written Supr. efficiency.

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.

“ Mod.

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

“ 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

YG

Sat (O. Sunday)

31 Dec '41

VG

- Able Sm.

13 Sep 42.

Subaru's

Time forfeited

Date _____

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

Number of
daysAward-
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Served

4299

OFFICIAL NUMBER

FILE NUMBER

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OFFICIAL NUMBER 4299

NAME

PEPPLER
(Surname)Stanley
(Given Names)

DATE OF BIRTH 27th January, 1922.

PLACE OF BIRTH

Listowel, Ont.

OCCUPATION

Clerk.

RELIGION

Lutheran

EDUCATION

High School Entrance.

RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No.

Alma Street

Town

Listowel

Province, etc.

Ont.

ENGAGEMENTS

DESCRIPTION

PREVIOUS SERVICE

Date (in figures)			Period	Height	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Marks or Scars	Served in	Rank or Rating	Dates	
Day	Month	Year									From	To
24	3	41	Seven Years.	5' 9 1/2"	Black	Brown	Medium	Nil.				

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil)

Mother

27/10/41

NAME (in pencil)

Mrs. Alberta Peppler

ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No.

Alma Street

Town

Listowel

Province, etc.

Ont.

MEDALS, CLASPS, HURT CERTIFICATES, PRIZE MONEY

EXAMINATIONS, CERTIFICATES, ETC.

Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			PARTICULARS
Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	
				20	5	41	Passed P.P.T. (Good).				
				22	7	41	Qual. A/G - 2 days.				
				6	8	41	Passed P.S.T. (Good)				
				12	12	41	Marked "Tr"				

BADGES, G.C. OR G.S.

BRIEF PARTICULARS OF WARRANT OR C.M. PUNISHMENTS AND C.P. CHARGES

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

FILM

NO. 442-4717-2

DATE

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

O.H.F. Received.

SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT

From

To

DATE OF BIRTH						PLACE OF BIRTH						RESIDENCE PRESENT						RANK ON DATE OF ENLISTMENT																	
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DECEASED 13 September 1942

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS

NAVY

D.D.

WAR SERVICE RECORDS

PEPPLER	Stanley	N-4299	A.B.	FILE No.
SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS)	CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. No.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT

WAR SERVICE

BADGE

(CLASS)

No.

DATE DESPATCHED:

ADDRESS:

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

8307 16-1-50

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

RCN "OTTAWA" Apr/43.
MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) <u>MEDALS</u> <u>PERSON</u> ENTITLED TO Mrs. A.L. Peppler - Mother	(1)
ADDRESS: Alma St., Listowel, Ont.	
(2) <u>MEMORIAL CROSS</u> WIDOW	(2)
ADDRESS:	
(3) <u>MEMORIAL CROSS</u> MOTHER Mrs. Alberta Peppler	(3)
ADDRESS: Alma Street LISTOWEL, Ontario	9 November 1942
	MEMORIAL BAR
	DATE DESP.....
	REGN. NO. 2114

MEMORANDUM FOR

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Mrs. Alberta Peppler,

Alma Street,

LISTOWEL, Ontario.

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to:—

THE ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATES,
DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE,
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

and the following number quoted:—

H.Q. N.S. 62-P-326 FD. 139

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
OTTAWA, ONT.

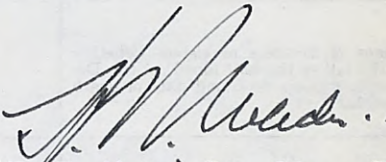
October 8, 1942.

For the purpose of record and in the event of there being any balance of pay, medals or memorials available for distribution (according to law) on account of the late

PEPPLER, Stanley, A.B.

O.N. 4299, R. C. N.

it is necessary that the requisite information regarding the deceased and his relatives should be furnished on the inside of this form in strict accordance with the printed instructions. The particulars required are to be carefully filled in and the Declaration on the back should then be signed in the presence of a Clergyman, Priest, Local Magistrate, Commissioner for Oaths or Notary Public, who should be asked to complete and sign the Certificate. This form should then be returned to the above address.


(H. R. Wade) Lt.-Cdr., RCNVR
for (L. M. Firth) Lt.-Col.,
Administrator of Estates.



ANSWER IN FULL ALL APPLICABLE QUESTIONS

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.....	Wm Henry Pepler	34	deceased. Apr. 19. 1924.
4	Mother of the Deceased.....	Mrs. Alberta L. Pepler	51	Kistowel, Ont.
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Full Blood Stewart Wm. G. Pepler	27	Kitchener Ont.
		May L. Pepler	23	Canadian Army Overseas.
6	Sisters of the Deceased	Full Blood Alice Luella Pepler	19	Kistowel, Ont.
		Half Blood		
7	Names of brothers or sisters (whether of the full or the half blood) of the De- ceased, 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?	Stanley John Poppler
11	Give the month and year of his birth.	Jan. 27. 1922.
12	Where and when were his parents married?	Hanover, Ont.
13	If deceased was married, state place and date of marriage.	
14	Did he leave a Will? If so, a copy should be attached hereto.	Not to my knowledge.
15	Did he leave a bank account? If so, give full particulars.	Yes. Canadian Bank of Commerce - Lestowel. ✓
16	Is there any other estate which will necessitate application being made for Probate of the Will or Letters of Administration of the estate?	
17	State your own postal address in full.	Lestowel, Ont.

PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

18	Where was deceased born?	Elma Swamp, Co. Perth Ontario.
19	State, in order, the Province (or State) and country in which the deceased resided and the period of time in each, and in which last.	Ontario Canada
20	What was the nature of his employment?	Clerk - The Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.
21	Did he own the premises in which he lived? If so, where?	
22	Did he ever state verbally, or in writing, where he intended to make his permanent home?	

OTHER PARTICULARS

23	Did the deceased after enlistment incur any debts for:— (a) His own separate board and lodging while on service. (b) Service clothing and equipment. An itemized account for each such debt should be attached hereto, and if same is correct you should mark the bill "approved" and sign same. If believed incorrect, give particulars.	not to my knowledge.
24	Have you or any other relative paid the funeral expenses or any part thereof? If so, attach itemized accounts showing amount paid, and by whom. (NOTE:—The Government pays funeral expenses within the amounts authorized in the Regulations, where death occurs and burial is made Overseas as well as where death occurs and burial is made in Canada, and if a relative has already paid those expenses the Government will reimburse such relative to the extent of the amount authorized in the Regulations. Any amount of such expenses in excess of those authorized in the Regulations is not payable by the Government nor is it chargeable against the service estate of the deceased.)	

(PLEASE TURN OVER)

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, Local Magistrate, Commissioner or Notary Public.

Mrs. Alberta L. Peppler Signature of Informant

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief Mrs. Alberta

*See above L. Peppler { 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 Listowel, Ont. this 14 day of October 1942

Signature of Clergyman, Priest, Magistrate, Commissioner or Notary Public

R. B. Giesche Qualification Clergyman

Address P.O. Box 338, Listowel, Ont.

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 and age of each surviving Relative enquired after is stated in its proper place in the Statement opposite.

USE SPACE BELOW FOR ANY ADDITIONAL REMARKS YOU MAY WISH TO MAKE

OCCUPATIONAL HISTORY FORM

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THIS FORM IS TO BE COMPLETED FOR EACH MEMBER OF THE ARMED FORCES. THE INFORMATION SOUGHT IS FOR THE USE OF GENERAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON DEMOBILIZATION AND REHABILITATION, A COMMITTEE SET UP BY THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA TO STUDY PLANS FOR ESTABLISHING IN INDUSTRIAL LIFE THE MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES, AFTER DISCHARGE. ACCURACY AND COMPLETENESS IN ANSWERING WILL BE OF MUCH HELP TO THE COMMITTEE.

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY THE INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN ON THE INSIDE OF COVER BEFORE COMPLETING FORM

Section A—GENERAL INFORMATION

1. (a) Print name in full PEPPLER, Stanley John (b) Reg'l. No. H.K. 4299
2. (a) Arm of service NAVAL (b) Unit R.C.N. (c) Rank Ord. Sea.
3. (a) Date of birth 27 Jan. 1922 (b) Have you any dependents? Yes (c) Place of residence at time of enlistment Listowel, Ont.
4. (a) Place of enlistment Esquimalt, B. C. (b) Date of enlistment 24 Mch. 1941

PLEASE
LEAVE
BLANK

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Section B—EDUCATION AND TRAINING

5. (a) State age on finally leaving school 15 yrs. (b) Were you attending school or college up to the time of enlistment? No.
6. State definitely highest standing reached at public, technical or high school (for instance—"4 years, Public School", "two years, High School", "Junior Matriculation", or "4 years technical course in printing", etc.) Grade 8.
7. If you attended a university, give name of university and standing or degree secured
8. (a) Did you ever enter upon a trade apprenticeship? No (b) If so, for what occupation?
9. (a) What languages do you speak fluently? English (c) Did you finish it? (d) If you did not finish it, how long did you serve at it?
(b) What languages do you read well? English

Section C—EMPLOYMENT CONDITION AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT

10. (a) State whether you were WORKING or NOT WORKING at time of enlistment. (Enter here only "Working" or "Not Working", as case may be; particulars are asked for below) Working (b) At time of enlistment of what trade union or professional society were you a member? None

Section D—PARTICULARS CONCERNING THOSE WHO WERE UNEMPLOYED AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT

QUESTIONS 11 TO 17 REFER ONLY TO THOSE WHO ANSWER "NOT WORKING" IN QUESTION 10 (a)

11. Had you ever been employed fairly regularly since leaving school?
12. (a) If answer to 11 be "Yes", state exact trade or occupation at which you actually worked (b) State how long you had worked at this trade or occupation
13. If answer to 11 be "No", state exact trade or occupation for which you feel qualified
14. If you had been employed after leaving school, state when you last worked fairly regularly before enlistment
15. Give details of last employer, if any: Name Address
16. Nature of employer's business (for instance, "farmer", or "building contractor", or "boot factory", or "iron foundry", or "retail store", etc.)
17. (a) If your last employment was in a business of your own, state nature and address of business (b) Date of discontinuing it

Section E—PARTICULARS CONCERNING THOSE WHO WERE EMPLOYED AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT

QUESTIONS 18 TO 23 REFER ONLY TO THOSE WHO ANSWER "WORKING" IN QUESTION 10 (a). PLEASE READ THESE QUESTIONS AND REPLY TO THOSE APPLYING TO YOU AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT

IF YOU WERE AN EMPLOYEE WORKING FOR AN EMPLOYER UP TO THE TIME OF ENLISTMENT, PLEASE ANSWER QUESTIONS 18 TO 21

18. Name of employer Great Atlantic Pacific Tea Co. Address Toronto, Ont.
19. Nature of employer's business (for instance, "farmer", or "building contractor", or "boot factory", or "iron foundry", or "retail store", etc.) Grocery.
20. (a) Your specific occupation Clerk (b) Number of years' experience at this occupation with any employer 3 yrs.
21. (a) Did your employer promise definitely to give you employment on discharge? Yes (b) Did your employer refuse to promise you employment on discharge? No (c) Do you wish to return to your former employment? No

IF YOU WERE WORKING ON YOUR OWN UP TO THE TIME OF ENLISTMENT, THAT IS TO SAY, OPERATING A FARM, A STORE, AN AGENCY, OR IN PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE, OR AS A PARTNER IN ANY SUCH LINE, PLEASE ANSWER QUESTIONS 22 AND 23

22. (a) State nature of business, or professional practice (b) Where was it located?
23. (a) Number of years engaged in this business (b) Have you made, or will you make plans to return to the same or a similar business on discharge?

Section F—PARTICULARS OF FARMING EXPERIENCE

24. (a) Do you wish to engage in farming after the war? No (b) Do you feel competent to operate a farm? No (c) If so, in what kind of farming?
25. (a) Were you born on a farm? No (b) How many years' actual farming experience have you had? Nil (c) In what provinces did you have experience?

Section G—MISCELLANEOUS

26. Have you made any arrangements other than indicated above, for re-establishment in civil life after discharge? No
27. If so, state nature of your plans (for example, do you plan to return to school, or have you been assured of a job, etc.)
28. State any employment preference or ambition you may have, other than indicated elsewhere in this form Re-engagement in Navy.

DATE 15th May, 1941 SIGNATURE



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Recheck & Order 25-3-41
Slight obstruction to nasal passage
Teeth - 2 defective
nail of right thumb removed
Horny nail present
B.P. 120/78 F1T
Signed W.W.

Can. B. 207
100 M-11-40 (7881)
N.S. 815-2-207

Certificate of Medical Examination of Officers, Men and Boys
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.

I, the undersigned, have examined S. Poppler
‡ candidate for entry as Ord. Gun. R.C.N.
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. White Race Urine: - Negative
‡ Strike out if inapplicable. * Delete one.

This examination has been made in accordance with the current Instructions as to Medical Standards.

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, Hemorrhoids, etc.
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)	(m)	(n)	(o)
19-2	157 lbs.	5'9 1/2" ins.	Good.	inches (a) maximum 37 (b) minimum 34 1/2 (c) mean 36	right eye 6/6 left eye 6/6 *colour vision N.	None	Normal	Normal	Normal	Normal	Normal	Normal	Normal	Normal

If colour vision is not normal by Ishihara test, degree of colour blindness to be indicated.

X-ray { Not taken. Approved. Positive. Doubtful. Mar 19/41

Write in the appropriate notation, and any remarks necessary.

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY 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, vaccination, or inoculations as may be authorized.

Stanley Poppler
Signature of Candidate

† The exact meaning of this is to be clearly explained to the Candidate by the Examining Medical Officer.
‡ Strike out if inapplicable.

When a Candidate is subject to a defect or disability, the following information is to be inserted:

This Candidate is the subject of.....

* which renders him medically unfit for service,
(not considered of sufficient importance to cause his rejection, he being desirable in other respects.
* Delete one.

IF REJECTED
insert here
UNFIT
in block letters



Dated at London, Ont. the 19th of March 19 41

B. Campbell
Examining Medical Officer
(Rank) Surgeon-Lieutenant

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PEPPLER Stanley 4299

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AMOUNT

L. P. C. \$

Date _____
March 24, 1943.

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SHARE	RELATIONSHIP	NAME AND ADDRESS	AMOUNT
part	mother	Mrs. Alberta L. Peppler, Alma Street, Listowel, Ont. ($\frac{1}{2}$ as next of kin entitled) ($\frac{1}{2}$ for benefit of 1 minor)	51.01
balance	brother	Stewart W. J. Peppler, Kitchener, Ont.	25.50

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Listowel, Ontario
June 4, 1940

Dept. Nat. Defence
Royal Canadian Navy
% Naval Secretary
Ottawa, Ontario

Dear Sir:

I am interested in joining the Royal Canadian Navy, and am writing this letter to secure information regarding it.

What qualifications as to education does one require, a Junior Matriculation or High School Entrance? Also what are the various positions which one may secure in the Navy?

If there are any other particulars regarding enlistment, could you kindly let me know at your earliest convenience.

I thank you for your attention on my behalf,

Very truly yours,

Stanley Peppler

Stanley Peppler
Listowel, Ontario

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Sir.

On June 10th I applied for
enlistment in The Royal
Canadian Navy as an Ordinary
Seaman and on June 26th I
received a letter from you stating
that my application had been
accepted and that I would be
called when my turn came,
and a vacancy occurs.

Since then, a lifelong friend
of mine, Kenneth Weeth of Listowel
has also applied and has been

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accepted as a stoker second and
has been told that he will be
sent to Naval Training Station
Esquimalt British Columbia.

It would certainly appreciate
it greatly and I'm sure my
chum will if you would change
my application to that of a
stoker second class and that
you would do all in your power
so as to enable us to go to-gether.

Thanking you in advance

I remain

Yours sincerely,
Stanley Pepler.

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19th September, 1942.


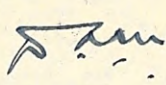
Dear Madam:

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 son, Stanley Pepler, Able Seaman, O.N. 4299, R.C.N., 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,

 
Deputy Secretary, Naval Board.

Mrs. Alberta Pepler,
Alma Street,
LISTOWEL, Ont.

