

STANDING
THOMAS
N2415

MORANDUM FOR

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Mrs. Alice Standing,

724 Yates Street,

Victoria, B.C.

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

THE SECRETARY,
DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE,
OTTAWA, ONTARIO
ATTENTION: ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATES

and the following number quoted:—
H.Q. 113-M-722 FD. 213

**DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
OTTAWA, ONT.**

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July 1, 1941

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

STANDING, Thomas, Ldg. Smn.

No. 2415, 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 or Local Magistrate, who should be asked to complete and sign the Certificate. This form should then be returned to the above address.

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

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..... | Alice Standing | 28 | 2527 Dundas St Vanouver B.C. |
| 2 | Children of the Deceased and dates of their Births..... | none | | |
| 3 | Father of the Deceased..... | Jacob Thomas Standing | 63 | England |
| 4 | Mother of the Deceased..... | Agnes | 48 | " " |
| 5 | Brothers of the Deceased | Full Blood | none | |
| | | Half Blood | | |
| 6 | Sisters of the Deceased | Full Blood | Mrs Mona Robins | 25 England |
| | | 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 |
| | | Half blood Sister | Mrs Marjorie Rogers | England 4 Heaton Avenue Discon Lane Worley Leeds 12 Yorkshire England |

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..... | | England |
| 9 | Uncles and Aunts by blood of the Deceased (not Uncles and Aunts by marriage)..... | Age | |
| | | | not known |

FULL PARTICULARS AS TO IDENTITY

| | | |
|----|---|-----------------|
| 10 | What is the full name of the deceased? | Thomas Standing |
| 11 | Give the month and year of his birth. | January 1913. |
| 12 | Where and when were his parents married? | England. P. |
| 13 | Was he ever married? If so, state exact place and date of marriage. | no. ? OK. 4 |
| 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? | none |

PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

| | | |
|----|--|--|
| 16 | Where was deceased born? | Leeds, England |
| 17 | In what Province, Country or State did he reside, and in which last? | Yorkshire |
| 18 | How long in each? | 12 months |
| 19 | What was the nature of his employment? | Seaman - Navy |
| 20 | Did he own the house or homestead in which he lived? If so, where? | no |
| 21 | Did he ever state verbally, or in writing, where he intended to make his permanent home? | Canada |
| 22 | State your postal address in full. | 2527 Dundas Street Van Couer, B. C. |

PARTICULARS AS TO CLAIMS

| | | |
|----|---|------|
| 23 | Have the funeral expenses been paid? If so, by whom? | |
| 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

* Widow of the deceased.

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

Mrs. Alice Standing

{Signature of Informant

CERTIFICATE

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

*See above Mrs. Alice Standing {Name of Informant} is the * Widow 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 Van Courie B.C. this 11th day of July 1941.

Signature of Clergyman, Priest or Magistrate } John Mulgrew Qualification Notary Public
Address 2477 E. Hastings St. Van Courie B.C.

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.

H. M. S. NADEN.

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

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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

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|--|---|---|---|
| CHRISTIAN AND SURNAME IN FULL Thomas Standing, | | (Next of Kin) Name Father, Address 821 Avenue F. North, Saskatoon. | PRESENT RATING Boy OCT 14 1929 |
| DATE OF BIRTH* 6th. January 1913. | PLACE OF BIRTH† Town Leeds. County Yorkshire. Province England. | NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER Comdr. L.W. Murray, R.C.N. 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 |
|----------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 5'4 1/2 | 28. 31. | Dark Brown | Brown | Med. | Scar 2" Rt. Hip. | C. & E. | Farm Labourer. |

| | | | |
|--|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement | 6th. January 1931. | Period of Engagement or Re-engagement | Seven Years. |
| Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage | 23rd. September 1929. | Date of entering present ship | 23rd. September 1929. |

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.
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.

First Entry.

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? **Yes
The Saskatoon Light Infantry.**
- 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
Date **16/10/29.**

* 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.

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, Thomas Standing, 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 a period of ten years from 23rd 192....., 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..... 192.....

..... Man's Signature in full

Witness to Signature.....

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

} Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

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

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..... 23rd. September..... 1929.....

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.

..... CPM Taylor Commanding Officer

..... Lieutenant

..... J.E. Hunter capt Roame Medical Officer

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

I am willing to enter and serve in the Naval Service in Canada for..... 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.

..... Tom Standing Boy's Signature in full

Witness to Signature..... Henry J. Finch

Attested before me this..... 23rd...... day of..... September..... 192..... 9.

} Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

III—Re-engagement for Continuous Service

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

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

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

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

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

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

..... Man's Signature in full

..... 192.....

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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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~~ ^{son,*} Tom Standing 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, † 6th January 1913 England

His Religious persuasion is, Church of England

Witness my hand at Saskatoon Sask

6th day of Sept 1929

† ~~Guardian's~~ ^{Parent's} Signature in full Tom Jacob Standing

† ~~Guardian's~~ ^{Parent's} Address 821 Ave 7. North, Saskatoon, Sask

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

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

In the case of a Guardian see other side.

I, the above named Tom Standing do consent to enter the Naval Service of Canada.

§ Boy's signature in full Tom Standing

Signed by the said [Here write boy's name] Tom Standing

And [Here write Parent or Guardian's name] Tom Jacob Standing

Roy Melville

Witness to signatures of Boy, and Parent or Guardian.

In the presence of { Saskatoon 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 || ~~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.

Roy Melville

Clergyman of the Parish.

or Resident Householder

Occupation.

Christ Church Rectory

Address.

Saskatoon, Sask. Sept 6th 1929.

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

Date of the 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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H. C. S. "N.A.D.E.N."

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if not known }

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CONTINUOUS SERVICE ENGAGEMENT, OR RE-ENGAGEMENT

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| CHRISTIAN AND SURNAME IN FULL Thomas STANDING. | | NEXT OF KIN Wife - Alice Name 111 Beverley Apts. Address Yates St. Victoria. | PRESENT RATING Able Seaman. |
| DATE OF BIRTH* 6th January, 1913 | PLACE OF BIRTH† Town Leeds County Yorkshire, Province England. | NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER Commander J.E.W. Oland, DSC. RCN. RCN. 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 |
|--------|----------------|-------|-------|------------|------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| 5ft 5" | 35 31 33 | Brown | Brown | Medium | Tatoo's both forearms. | C. of E. | Able Seaman. |

| | | | |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement | 6th January, 1938 | Period of Engagement or Re-engagement | Seven Years. |
| Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage | 1st October, 1937. | Date of entering present ship | 27th November, 1937. |

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.

Seven Years R.C.N. from 6th January, 1931.

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:—

1. Are the particulars given above of your name and date and place of birth correct?.....
2. Are you a British subject?†.....
3. Nationality of parents—Father..... Mother.....
4. 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?†.....
5. 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?†.....
6. 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.....
7. Have you ever been discharged from the Navy, Marines, Army or R. C. Mounted Police on account of misconduct?.....
8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?.....
9. Can you swim?.....

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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 their previous C. S. Engagement

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

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

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

..... } Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

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

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

..... Commanding Officer

..... Medical Officer

II.—Certificate and Declaration for Boys

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

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

..... Commanding Officer

..... Lieutenant

..... Medical Officer

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

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

..... Boy's Signature in full

Witness to Signature.....

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

..... } Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

III.—Re-engagement for Continuous Service

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

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

I, **Thomas STANDING**, now serving as an **Able Seaman**, on board H. M. C. S. "**NADEN**", who on the **6th** of **January**, 193**1**, engaged to serve in the Naval Service of Canada for a period of § **Seven Years** years, do hereby engage to serve for a further period** **of Seven Years** from †† **6th January**, 193**8**, provided my services should be so long required.

Thomas Standing Man's Signature in full

6th January, 1938 193.....

Witness, *J. G. Edwards*

Lieut. Cm'dr. R.C.N.
for Commander, R.O.N. Commanding Officer

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 § To be written in words.
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 †† 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.

S. 55 Medically fit for Re-engagement

J. Watson
CAPTAIN, R.C.A.M.C., M.O.

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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.

I, the undersigned, have examined Thomas Standing
candidate for entry as Boy Seaman
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 Esquimalt B.C. the 23rd of September 1929.

J.C. Hunter
Examining Medical Officer
(Rank) Captain R.C.N.
M.O. R.C.N.

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

| Age (a) | Weight without Clothes (b) | Height with Bare Feet (c) | General Development (d) | Chest Girth (e) | Vision by— (i) Snellen's Types (ii) Colour Vision (f) | Vaccinated or re- vaccinated for Small Pox (Date) (g) | Lungs, Heart, etc. (h) | Abdomen, Hernia, etc. (i) | Limbs and Joints (k) | Skin (l) | Ears and Hearing (m) | Testes, Varicocele, etc. (n) | Mouth, Teeth (No. def- icient and No. defective, if any), Nose, Tonsils, etc. (o) | Anus, Hæmorrhoids, etc. (p) |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|---|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| 16 ⁸ / ₁₂ | 115. | 5 ⁴ / ₄ | Good | inches (a) maximum 31. (b) minimum 26. (c) mean 28 | 70/20 | Infancy. | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x |

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.

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

.....
Examining Medical Officer
(Rank).....

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

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OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME STANDING
(Surname)

Thomas.
(Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER

2415

| Ship or Establishment | Rating | From | | | Remarks | Character | Efficiency | Date | | | Non-Sub. Rating | Qualified | | | Re-qualified | | |
|-----------------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|------------|------|-------|------|-----------------|-----------|-------|------|--------------|-------|------|
| | | Day | Month | Year | | | | Day | Month | Year | | Day | Month | Year | Day | Month | Year |
| Naden | Boy | 23 | 9 | 29 | | V.G. | Sat | 31 | 12 | 31 | S.T. | 13 | 4 | 33 | | | |
| " | Ldg.Boy. | 6 | 5 | 30 | | V.G. | Sat | 31 | 12 | 32 | L.T.O. | 18 | 11 | 39 | | | |
| HMS. Victory | " | 3 | 7 | 30 | | V.G.* | Mod | 31 | 12 | 33 | | | | | | | |
| " Nelson | Boy | 23 | 7 | 30 | | V.G. | Sat | 31 | 12 | 34 | | | | | | | |
| " " | Ord. Smn. | 6 | 1 | 31 | | V.G. | Sat | 31 | 12 | 35 | | | | | | | |
| " Victory I. | " | 15 | 4 | 31 | | V.G. | Sat | 31 | 12 | 36 | | | | | | | |
| Skeena | " | 10 | 6 | 31 | | V.G. | Supr. | 31 | 12 | 37 | | | | | | | |
| " | A.B. | 6 | 6 | 32 | | V.G. | Supr. | 31 | 12 | 38 | | | | | | | |
| Naden | " | 2 | 8 | 32 | | V.G. | Sat | 31 | 12 | 39 | | | | | | | |
| HMS. Vernon | " | 7 | 1 | 33 | | V.G. | Supr. | 22 | 10 | 40 | | | | | | | |
| Naden | " | 13 | 5 | 33 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Skeena | " | 1 | 7 | 33 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Naden | " | 1 | 1 | 35 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Armentieres | " | 7 | 2 | 35 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Naden | " | 16 | 5 | 36 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Skeena | " | 2 | 9 | 37 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Naden | " | 27 | 11 | 37 | Lent Comox 20-21/4/39. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | A/Ldg. Smn. | 20 | 6 | 39 | Lent Fraser 21-30/6/39. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fraser | " | 1 | 7 | 39 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stadacona | " | 14 | 10 | 39 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fraser | Ldg. Smn. | 23 | 11 | 39 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Margaree | " | 6 | 9 | 40 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Discharged | | 22 | 10 | 40 | Dead-Missing-Presumed Dead | | | | | | | | | | | | |

GENERAL REMARKS

14.5.41 - Canadian Memorial Cross issued to wife:
 Mrs. Alice Standing,
 720 Yates Street,
 VICTORIA, B.C.
 -and-
 Mother:
 Mrs. Tom Standing,
 c/o Mrs. Rogers,
 4 Heaton Ave.,
 Dixon Lane,
 Worthey, Leeds - 12,
 YORKSHIRE, England.

| | | | | | | | |
|---------------|-----------------|--------------|------|--------|-----------------|------------|----------------------------|
| DATE OF BIRTH | PLACE | CIVIL | SCCM | DEILED | PERM. RESIDENCE | PREV. ENL. | RANK OR RATE ON ENLISTMENT |
| 06/1/13 | 22 | 0966 | 3007 | 1129 | 013 | 00896 | A BR TRAMP |
| ENLIST. DATE | ACT. SERV. DATE | SHIP OR RATE | | ESTAB. | | RANK | |
| 03/09/23 | 09/29 | 03/15/08/93 | | CODED | | CHECKED | |
| SEN. CAT. | STR. | NON-SUB | P. | | | | |
| 03/11/39 | 09 | 2400 | 20 | | 22.10.40 | | |

2415

OFFICIAL NUMBER

FILE NUMBER

62-S.154

OFFICIAL NUMBER 2415

NAME

STANDING
(Surname)Thomas
(Given Names)

DATE OF BIRTH

6th January, 1913.

PLACE OF BIRTH LEEDS, YORKSHIRE, England.

OCCUPATION Farm Labourer.

RELIGION Church of England.

EDUCATION Grade VII.

RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No.

906 Victoria Ave.,

Town

Saskatoon,

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 |
| 23 | 9 | 29 | As Boy. | 5' 4½" | Dk. Brn. | Brown | Medium. | 2" scar right hip. | | | |
| 6 | 1 | 31 | Seven Years' C.S. | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 1 | 38 | Seven Years' C.S. | 5' 5" | " | " | " | | | | |

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil)

Wife
720 Gates St.

NAME (in pencil)

Mrs. Alice Standing
Victoria

ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No.

Town

Province, etc.

B.C.

| Date (in figures) | | | Particulars | Date (in figures) | | | Particulars | Date (in figures) | | | PARTICULARS |
|-------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------------------|-------|------|------------------------------------|-------------------|-------|------|-------------|
| Day | Month | Year | | Day | Month | Year | | Day | Month | Year | |
| | | | | 6 | 7 | 37 | Passed Educ. Test Pt. I. | | | | |
| | | | | 21 | 4 | 38 | Passed Prof. for Ldg. Smn. "Good". | | | | |
| | | | | 2 | 9 | 38 | Passed P.P.T. (Good). | | | | |

| 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 | | |
| 26 | 3 | 35 | 1st | Granted. | | | | | | | |
| 11 | 1 | 39 | 2nd | Granted. | | | | | | | |

FILM
NO. *4042-4624-3*
DATE

| Date (in figures) | | | DAYS FORFEITED | | | | | |
|-------------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|-------|----------|----------|----------------|
| Day | Month | Year | Prison | Det'n | Cells | C. Power | W. Trial | In diff. Char. |
| 22 | 3 | 33 | | | 5 | | | |

SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT

From

To



RCN Aug. 41 "MARGAREE"

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS

PERSON

ENTITLED TO Mrs. Alice ~~Standing~~ Farquhar (re-married) - Widow

ADDRESS: ~~720 Yates Street,~~ 2700 Main St.,
~~Victoria, B.C.~~ VANCOUVER, B.C.

Held pending application 16-6-50.

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW

Mrs. Alice Farquhar

1707 East 4th Ave., Vancouver, B.C.

ADDRESS:

(2)

14-5-41

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER

Mrs. Tom Standing

c/o Mrs. Rogers, 4 Heaton Ave., Dixon Lane,
Wortley, Leeds 12, Yorkshire, England.

ADDRESS:

(3)

14-6-41

D OF D 22-10-40

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS

NAVY

D.D.
WAR SERVICE RECORDS


| | | | | |
|----------------------------|-----------------|----------|-------------------|---------------|
| STANDING | Thomas | N-2415 | L.Smn. | 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 |
|------------------|--|
| 1939-45 Star | <div data-bbox="1013 699 1622 900" data-label="Complex-Block"> <p>03-70163 M</p>  <p>P</p> </div> |
| Atlantic Star | |
| C.V.S.M. & Clasp | |
| War Medal | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

*Medals Ret'd. Underward
RET'D TO STOCK.
26/8*
CANCELLED

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

14 PCN
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The corner of this certificate is to be cut off whenever it is considered that the man's antecedents and character are such as to render his re-entry at any future time undesirable. Whenever the corner is cut off the fact is to be noted in the Ledger.

CERTIFICATE of the Service of

Thomas Standing
In the Naval Service of Canada

| | | |
|---------------|------------------|----------------------------------|
| PORT DIVISION | <i>Esquimalt</i> | OFFICIAL NUMBER..... <i>2415</i> |
|---------------|------------------|----------------------------------|

Date of Birth.....*6th January, 1913.*

Where born { Town.....*Leeds,*
County and Province.....*Yorkshire, England.*

Usual place of residence.....*111 Beverley Apts. Yates St. Victoria B.C.*

Trade brought up to.....*Iron Labourer.*

Religious denomination.....*Church of England.*

Next of kin.....*Wife - Alice*

Can swim *P.P.T. (Good) 25 Sep 39. P.P.T. (Fair) 2 Dec. 30. P.S.T. (Good) 26 Apr 34.*

Man's signature on discharge to pension.....

| CONTINUOUS SERVICE ENGAGEMENTS | | | MEDALS, CLASPS, etc. | |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Date of actually volunteering | Commencement of time | Period volunteering for | Date Received | Nature of Decoration |
| <i>23rd Sep. 1929.</i> | <i>6th Jan. 1931</i> | <i>Seven Years.</i> | | |
| <i>1st Oct. 1937</i> | <i>6th Jan '38</i> | <i>Seven yrs.</i> | | |

| DESCRIPTION OF PERSON | STATURE | | COLOUR OF | | | MARKS, WOUNDS AND SCARS |
|---|----------|--------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------|---------------------------|
| | Feet | In. | Complexion | Hair | Eyes | |
| On entry as a boy..... | <i>5</i> | <i>4 1/2</i> | <i>med.</i> | <i>Dark Brown</i> | <i>Brown</i> | <i>Scar 2" Right Hip.</i> |
| On advancement to man's rating, or on entry under 28 years..... | <i>5</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>Fresh.</i> | <i>Brown</i> | <i>Brown</i> | <i>None.</i> |
| On re-entry for C.S. or for Non-C.S. after attaining 28 years.... | | | | | | |
| Further description if necessary.... | | | | | | |

This is an Official Document. Any alteration made to it without proper authority render the offender liable to severe penalties.

Name Thomas Standing

| SHIP'S NAME | LIST AND No. | RATING | FROM | TO | CAUSE OF DISCHARGE |
|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|---|
| "Haden" | 5 ¹¹ 467 | Boy. | 23 Sep '29 | 5 May '30 | h. Boy lost rating. Re-rated to Boy a King displaced. |
| --- | 5 ² 467 | Ldy Boy | 6 May '30 | 2 July '30 | |
| Victory. | 14 ^{RCN} 280 | " | 3 July '30 | 22 July '30 | |
| "Nelson" | 14 ^{RCN} 27 | Boy. | 23 July '30 | 5 Jan '31 | |
| --- | " " | Ord. Seaman | 6 Jan '31 | 14 Apr '31 | |
| Victory | 4 ⁵ 18 | --- | 13 Sept '31 | 24 June '31 | |
| cl. in Skeena | " " | --- | 10 June '31 | 5 June '32 | |
| Skeena | 5 ¹¹ 18 | --- | 25 June '31 | 5 June '32 | |
| Skeena | " " | ATB | 6 June '32 | 1 Aug '32 | |
| Naden | " " | ATB | 2 Aug '32 | 6 Jan '33 | |
| "VERNON" | 14 ^{RCN} 211 | --- | 7 Jan '33 | 12 May '33 | |
| Haden | 5 ¹¹ 429 | Able Seaman | 13 May '33 | 30 June '33 | |
| Skeena | " 164 | --- | 1 July '33 | 2 Jan '35 | |
| Haden | 5 ¹¹ 942 | --- | 3 Jan '35 | 6 Feb '35 | |
| Haden (Armentures) | 14 ¹¹ 189 | --- | 7 Feb '35 | 15 May '36 | |
| Haden | | --- | 16 May '36 | 1 Sep '37 | |
| Skeena | | --- | 2 Sep '37 | 26 Nov '37 | |
| Haden | | --- | 27 Nov '37 | 19 June '39 | |
| Haden | | Act. Ldy. Seaman | 20 June '39 | 20 June '39 | |
| Fraser | | --- | 21 June '39 | 13 Oct '39 | |
| "Stadacona" | - - | --- | 14 Oct '39 | 22/11/39 | |
| Fraser | | --- | 23/11/39 | 5 Sep '40 | |
| Margaret | - - | --- | 6 Sep '40 | 22 Oct '40 | "L.S." |

| DATE | Wounds received in Action and Hurt Certificate; also any meritorious Service, Special recommendations, Prize or other grants | CAPTAIN'S SIGNATURE | DATE |
|------|--|---------------------|------------|
| | | | 5 Sep. 30 |
| | | | 23 Mch. 31 |
| | | | 19 May 31 |
| | | | 6 July 31 |
| | | | 21 Apr 31 |
| | | | 12 Dec 31 |

Name Thomas Standing

Conduct.

| SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT INCLUSIVE DATES | | CHARACTER, ABILITY IN RATING, RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MEDAL AND GRATUITY (R.M.G.) ON 31st DECEMBER EACH YEAR AND ON DISCHARGE FROM THE SERVICE. | | | | |
|--|----|--|---|--------|-----------|---------------------|
| From | To | Character | Ability in Rating noting Seaman's duty, e.g., Coxswain, etc., | R.M.G. | Date | Captain's Signature |
| <p>"Efficiency" in substantive rating replaced "ability" on 31st May, 1926, and the terms used now have the following meanings:— Superior—above average efficiency . Satisfactory—average efficiency Moderate—efficient but below average efficiency Inferior—inefficient The "Exceptional" notation is abolished. 500-2-29 (2526)</p> | | | | | | |
| | | V.G. | Sat (Boy) | | 5 Jan 31 | J.H. Watson |
| | | V.G. | Sat. (O. Sea) | | 31 Dec 31 | V.W. Anderson |
| | | V.G. | Sat. (ab.) | | 31 Dec 32 | V.W. Anderson |
| | | V.G. (f.c.) | Mod. (ab.) | | 30 Jan 33 | F.C. Jones |
| | | V.G. | Sat (ab) | | 31 Dec 34 | J.E.W. Oland |
| | | V.G. | Sat. (ab.) | | 31 Dec 35 | F.C. Jones |
| | | V.G. | Sat. (ab.) | | 31 Dec 36 | J.E.W. Oland |
| | | V.G. | Supr. (ab) | | 31 Dec 37 | J.E.W. Oland |
| | | V.G. | Supr. (A.B.) | | 31 Dec 38 | J.H. Watson |
| | | V.G. | Sat. (A.B.) | | 31 Dec 39 | J.H. Watson |
| | | V.G. | Supr. (A.B.) | | 22 Oct 40 | J.H. Watson |

GOOD CONDUCT BADGES

| Date | 1st, 2nd 3rd | Granted, Deprived Restored |
|-----------|-----------------|-------------------------------|
| 26 Feb 33 | 1st | Granted |
| 11 Jan 39 | 2nd | Granted |

| Date | P., D.C., C.P., or W.T. | Days | Date | P., D.C., C.P., or W.T. | Days | Date | P., D.C., C.P., or W.T. | Days | Date | P., D.C., C.P., or W.T. | Days |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|------|------|----------------------------------|------|------|----------------------------------|------|------|----------------------------------|------|
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| 2 nd Feb 33 | C | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
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Time
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Six copies to be rendered to Naval Service Headquarters

REPORT OF THE DEATH OF AN OFFICER, MAN OR BOY

H.M.C.S. STADACONA at HALIFAX, N. S.

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Name Thomas STANDING (Christian names in full)

Rank of Rating Acting Leading Seaman Official No. 2415 (If unknown, date of first entry)

Place of Birth Leeds, Yorkshire, England Date of Birth 6th January, 1913

Occupation in Civil Life Farm Labourer Religion Church of England

Number of years service in the Navy (Long Service R.C.N., or mobilized service in case of R.C.N. (Temporary) or Reserve ratings) 9 Years 9 Months

Date of Death 22nd October, 1940 Place of Death At Sea

Cause of Death Lost in collision of H.M.C.S. MARGAREE (If due to accident, violence, or enemy action, particulars to be stated briefly)

Nearest known relative or friend { Name Alice STANDING Relationship Wife Address 111 Beverley Apts., Yates Street, Victoria, BC

Date on which the above was informed by Ship Informed by N.S.H.Q.

Date on which death was registered with local Officials NK

In the case of Imperial Service men, whether Active Service, Pensioner or Reserve, date on which the prescribed return was rendered to the Registrar General in London, Edinburgh or Dublin, according to Nationality

Place of Burial (if known) Date of Burial (if known)

Location, Number, etc., of grave (if known)

Undertaker employed (if any)

If borne for discipline only, date D.S.Q. or invalidated

[Signature]
COMMANDER R.C.N.,
Commanding Officer,

8th November, 1940

The NAVAL SECRETARY,
Department of National Defence,
Ottawa, Canada.

In all cases this Form is to be sent in addition to the Report by Telegraph required by the Regulations.

Distribution: File, Imp. W. G. Com., Dom. Stat., Register.

10. PUNISHMENTS. - (1) Was out of the rig of the day. (2) Did not immediately obey the order of a P.O. to report to Ch. Vict.P.O. - 7 dys. #11. 29/3/32. Absent over leave 1 hr. 15 min. - 1 day Nos. 12 and 14. 28/9/32. Absent over leave - 1 dy. Nos. 12 & 14: 24/10/32. Did improperly leave R.C.N. Barracks, Esquimalt, remaining absent about 27 hrs. 30 min. - 14 dys. #11, 10 dys. # 12 & # 14: 15/11/32. Absent over leave 1 hr. 10 min. - 7 dys. #11, 1 dy. #12 & # 14: 11/10/33. Absent over leave 1 hr. - 1 dy. # 11 & # 14: 8/12/33. Absent over leave 4 hrs. 30 min 2 dys. # 12 & # 14: 5/3/34. Absent over leave 7 hrs. 30 min. - 3 dys. # 12 & # 14: 4/5/34. Absent over leave 24 hrs. 25 min. - 9 dys. # 12 & # 14: 7/7/34. Absent over leave 6 hrs. - 2 dys. #11 & # 13: 21/8/34. Was talking in the ranks whilst leaving harbour - 2 dys. #11: 1/10/34. Absent over leave 3 min. - 1 dy. # 11 & # 13: 13/11/34. Absent over leave 8 min. - 7 dys. #11, 1 dy. #12 & #14:



Department of National Defence
Naval Service

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

No. H-4-10-1

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13th March

1941

FROM: The Commanding Officer,
R.C.N. Barracks,
Halifax, Nova Scotia.

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NATIONAL DEFENCE

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T O : The Naval Secretary,
Department of National Defence,
Ottawa, Ontario.

N.S. 628154
CANADA

Thomas STANDING, Leading Smn., O.N. 2415.

Submitted for the consideration of the Department that the widow of the late Leading Seaman Thomas STANDING ("Margaree" Casualty) has written to Lieutenant P.F.X. RUSSELL, R.C.N., Senior Surviving Officer, inquiring as to whether she is entitled to recover cost of her transportation between Halifax and Victoria.

2. Mrs. Standing came from Victoria and resided in Halifax from October, 1939 until the 15th of April, 1940, when she returned to Victoria when her husband was sent to the United Kingdom. In view of the fact that the wives of the other "Margaree" casualties were granted transportation to the homes at public expense and that she could presumably have claimed reimbursement under N.M.O. 1016/40 had her husband still been alive, it is recommended that reimbursement of the cost of transportation may be made by the Department.

3. Mrs. Standing is presently residing at 724 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C.

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J. Edwards
ACTING CAPTAIN R.C.N.,
COMMANDING OFFICER.

724 Yates St.,
Victoria, B.C.,
Dec. 13/40.

To Paymaster Wright:

Dear Sir:

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My husband was lost on the "Margaree". I spent seven months in Halifax and I paid full fare going and returning. I was wondering if I should have some of the fare returned to me. I also have a packing case in Halifax. I left it there, as I had full intentions of going back when my husband, "Thomas Standing" had arrived. Could you give me full instructions what to do in my case. Hoping you will oblige me by letter or phone.

Thanking you again,

Yours truly,

Mrs. Alice Standing.

I arrived in Halifax October 1939, left April 1940.

Phone No. G0276.

SEAMAN BRANCH

DEPT. OF
NATIONAL DEFENCE

MAY 17 1938

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Application for, and report of result of, PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATION

for the rating of LEADING SEAMAN

P6527

I.—APPLICATION FOR EXAMINATION

H.M.C.S. "NADEN", Esquimalt, B.C.

Name of Candidate (in full) Thomas STANDING.

Present Rating Able Seaman O.N. 2415

Port Division Esquimalt, B.C.

Date of Application for Examination 9th February, 1938.

Date and Particulars of Previous Failures:—

19th July, 1937 - Failed in Section I.
Rigging, Anchor Work,
Rule of the Road, General Duties.

- (i). The Candidate has served the requisite period of time, he is fully eligible for examination, and has the necessary recommendations required by the Regulations.
- (ii). He has carried out the duties of helmsman satisfactorily.
- (iii). I am satisfied that he possesses the necessary qualities which with further experience will fit him to make an efficient ~~helmsman~~/Leading Seaman, and I consider that he has a reasonable chance of passing.

To Commander H.E. Reid, RCN.
President of Examination Board,
HMCS. FRASER",
Esquimalt, B.C.

J.A.W. Oland
COMMANDER, RCN. Captain

NOTES—

(a) This application is to be submitted (in duplicate) to the Administrative Authority, together with the Service Certificate, history sheet and Form S. 264 written up specially for the examination and signed by the Commanding Officer;

(b) On completion of the examination, Form S. 441, in duplicate, is to be forwarded to the candidate's ship, the Commanding Officer of which is to insert the basic date of passing the examination. One copy of the Form is then to be forwarded to the Administrative Authority, the other being forwarded to the Depot. In the case of failure, one copy is to be forwarded to the Administrative Authority, the other being retained with the candidate's papers for future reference. Failures are to be noted on Form S. 264 (Divisional Record Sheet).

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NOTED.
Don

II.—RESULT OF EXAMINATION

SECTION I.

Whether "Passed" or "Failed" PASSED - Good.
 (State whether "V.G.", "Good" or "Fair".)
 (See A.F.O. 729/36.)

SECTION II.

| Subject | Maximum Marks | | Percentage Required to Pass | | Percentage obtained | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|---------------------|-------------------|
| | P.O. | L. Sea. | P.O. | L. Sea. | On Examination | On re-Examination |
| Rigging..... | 60 | 80 | 50 | 50 | 63 | |
| Anchor Work..... | 50 | 60-50 | 50 | 50 | 60 | |
| Rule of the Road..... | 30 | 30 | 50 | 50 | 33 | 80 <i>10-5-38</i> |
| Boat Work..... | 80 | 80 | 60 | 60 | 60 | |
| General Duties..... | 60 | 40 | 50 | 50 | 75 | |
| Organization..... | 40 | | 50 | | - | |
| Signals..... | 30 | 30 | 50 | 50 | 80 | |
| Watertight Fittings..... | 10 | | 50 | | - | |
| Duties in Part of Ship and Mess..... | | 30 | | 50 | 83 | |

REMARKS—

The Candidate has:—

- (i). ~~Passed a V.G./Good/Fair Examination.~~
- (ii). Failed as indicated above.

He is recommended for re-examination by his own Ship's Officers in the subjects indicated above in accordance with K.R. Appendix XII, Part 22A, Clause 8 (b).

Date.....21st April, 1938.....

[Signature]
 COMMANDER, R.C.N. President of Board

Candidate's Signature (in full).....

Thomas G. Standing

Basic date of passing professionally for..... Leading Seaman
 (K.R. and A.I. Appendix XII, Part 22A, Clauses 7 and 8)

is.....21st April, 1938.....

Re-examined by Ship's Officers in relevant subjects of Section II on board

H.M.C.S. " *Naden* " on *10th May* 1938.

Date.....*10-5-38*.....

Forwarded, the necessary notation has been made on the Service Certificate.

The ~~Commanding Officer,~~
 R.C.N. Barracks,

Naval Secretary,
 Dept. of National Defence,
 Ottawa, Ontario.

[Signature]
 COMMANDER, RCN. Captain

H.M.C.S. "NADEN", Esquimalt, BC

Date.....11th May, 1938.....

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Passing Certificate

This is to Certify

that Thomas STANDING,

Rating Able Seaman, Official Number 2415

has passed

THE EDUCATIONAL TEST, PART I

held on 6th July, 1937.

For advancement to Petty Officer


(J.O. Cossette).

Naval Secretary

Department of National Defence,

Ottawa, this 31st day of July, 1937.

Noted in Service
Records by E.W.
13. 8. 37

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NATIONAL DEFENCE

Can. S. 2041 (Recd. Dec. 1919)

ORIGINAL

APR -1 1935
NLS. 62-854
CANADA

Number 57

APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT OF MARRIAGE ALLOWANCE

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| List and Number in Ledger | NAME | Rank or Rating | Official No. | Daily Rate of Pay |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Armentieres 12-2 189 | Surname..... STANDING | AB | 2415 | \$1.95 |
| | Christian Names..... Thomas | | | |

| NAME OF WIFE OR GUARDIAN | ADDRESS |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Surname..... STANDING | Fairfield Hotel, |
| Christian Names..... Mrs Alice | GAKONA |
| | Cormorant St, |
| | Victoria, BC |

| CHILD OR CHILDREN | | | | |
|-------------------|-----|---------------|------------------------|------------------|
| Name | Sex | Date of Birth | Date | Attains majority |
| (1)..... | | | <i>M. M. M.</i> 2/1/35 | |
| (2)..... | | | <i>John</i> 3/4/35 | |
| (3)..... | | | | |
| (4)..... | | | | |

MARRIAGE APPLICATIONS
 Ent'd in Record Ledger
 Ent'd in Allotment Ledger

I do hereby solemnly declare that the above particulars are correct.

Signed in the presence of:

[Signature]
PO. Writer

Signature *[Signature]*
Rank or Rating **AB**

Marriage Allowance in force per diem..... **nil.**
Marriage Allowance claimed per diem..... **.50¢** } 3/4/35 *hal*

Claim has been supported with the necessary documentary evidence and the above amount has been approved for payment. **Marriage Certificate has been produced and examined.**

[Signature]
Commander-in-Charge Commanding Officer.

This amount per day has been credited from..... **15th March, 1935** 19.....
at List **12-2** No. **189** Ledger ending..... **31st March,** 19.....

Allotment of \$ **25.00** in force from the month of **March,** 19 **35** in accordance
with regulations, **Fair...** **Ledgers** **Rough...**
Paymaster Lieut. Commande Accountant Officer.

THE CHIEF ACCOUNTANT,
Department of the Naval Service,
Ottawa, Ont.

H. M. C. S. **"Naden"**

Forwarded..... **Mch' 35**

*Done & dated
B. C. O. & dated
noted
J. B. 3/4/35*

NOTE

- (1) All applications for Marriage Allowance must be supported by Certificate of Marriage, Birth Certificates in the case of children, or other unimpeachable evidences as to marriage, birth or guardianship.
- (2) The Allotment should be equivalent to the nearest dollar of 15 days' pay of rank or rating, and the Marriage Allowance based on a thirty day month.

| FOR USE AT HEADQUARTERS ONLY | INITIALS | DATE |
|--|----------|------|
| Application received..... | | |
| Application examined and found correct | | |
| Children entered in Birth Record Ledger..... | | |

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 CHARGE M. Lee
 SINCE 30-3-35
 REC'D. CENTRAL
 APR 1 1935
 REFERRED TO
 1/8

Previous Correspondence { R.C.N. Barracks File NR 3-8-30
 H.Q. File NO 21-5-3
 Admiralty.....

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PARTICULARS REGARDING R.C.N. RATINGS
 PROCEEDING TO R.N.

P. 318

RECEIVED
 JAN - 9 1933
 62-8154
 CANADA

Name STANDISH Thomas J. Official No. 2415
Surname Christian Names
 Rating Able Seaman Seniority 6th June 1932

The above named rating is proceeding overseas from Canada for approximately
 months service in one of H.M. Ships for sea experience and subsequently to qualify for

{ substantive } Rating of S.T.
 { ~~XXXXXXXX~~ }
 { non-substantive }

provided he is recommended, on conclusion of service afloat.

Date of leaving Canada S.S. Ascania Sailing on 7th January, 1933
 from Halifax, NS to Plymouth, Eng.

Pay adjusted to 6th January, 1933 Documents forwarded to Victory
 On 1st January, 1933 to join R.N. Barracks, Portsmouth

approximately on arrival day of 19.....
 Approximate date of Commencing Course on arrival

Approximate date due back in Canada.....

Ship or Establishment he should join on completion of Foreign Service Leave (if any).....
R.C.N. Barracks, Esquimalt, B.C., Canada

Remarks.....

5-3-33

[Signature]
 Commander-in-Charge
 Esquimalt, B.C.
 Commanding Officer

- Copy to be sent to:—
 Secretary of the Admiralty—For retention.
 R.N. Training Establishment—For information and retention.
 — H.Q. Ottawa—For retention. —
 One copy to be attached to Service Certificate.
 One copy to be retained at R.C.N. Barracks.

NOTED
[Signature]
[Signature]

Previous Correspondence { R.C.N. Barracks File NR. 3-1
 H.Q. File Telegram 861B
 Admiralty..... DEPT NATIONAL DEFENCE

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62-8184
 CANADA

PARTICULARS REGARDING R.C.N. RATINGS
 PROCEEDING TO R.N.

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Name Thomas STANDING Official No. 2415
Surname Christian Names
 Rating Boy Seniority 23rd September, 1929

The above named rating is proceeding overseas from Canada for approximately.....
 months service in one of H.M. Ships for sea experience and subsequently to qualify for

{ substantive } Rating of Non-substantive course on being rated
 { non-substantive } Able Seaman if recommended.

provided he is recommended, on conclusion of service afloat.

Date of leaving Canada S.S. "Metagama" Sailing on 3rd July, 1930
 from Montreal to Southampton

Pay adjusted to 2nd July, 1930 Documents forwarded to H.M.S. "VICTORY"

On 2nd July, 1930 to join H.M.S. "VICTORY"

approximately on 11th day of July, 1930 19.....

Approximate date of Commencing Course..... N.K.

Approximate date due back in Canada..... N.K.

Ship or Establishment he should join on completion of Foreign Service Leave (if any).....

H.M.C.S. "NADEN"

Remarks Was Leading Boy in Naden.

Noted in Service
 Records by..... 12/7/30

J. Edwards
 COMMANDER, R.C.N. Commanding Officer
 Senior Naval Officer.

- Copy to be sent to:—
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10/7/30

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C. JUL 8 1930 R.
SECTION

PROCEEDING TO ...

INVESTIGATION REGARDING ...

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QUESTIONNAIRE FOR CANDIDATES FOR ENTRY

ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

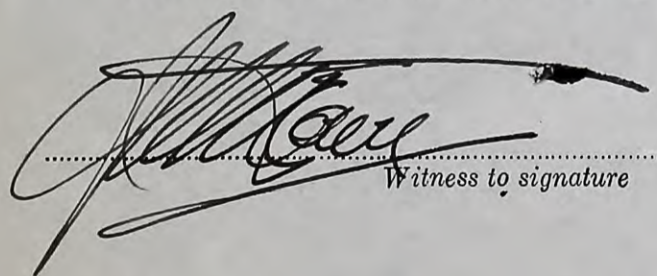
(NOTE—All answers should be in the handwriting of the candidate)

DEPT OF DEFENCE
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1. Name (in full) TOM STANDING
2. Date and Place of Birth 6TH JANUARY 1914 LEEDS, ENGLAND
* Birth Certificate, declaration by parents or affidavit as to date of birth must be attached
3. Permanent place of residence 906 VICTORIA AVENUE, SASKATOON, SASK.
Address in full
4. How long resident in Canada? 14 YEARS
5. Are you a British Subject? YES
6. Are you single, married or a widower? SINGLE
7. In what capacity do you wish to engage? BOY
8. How far advanced educationally are you? GRADE VII PUBLIC SCHOOL
*Attach certificates, diplomas, etc., if any
9. Present occupation or trade MESSENGER, C. P. TELEGRAPHS
*Attach any testimonials or recommendations
10. Do you belong to any Naval, Military, Reserve or Territorial Force? YES
11. Have you ever served in such forces? Give dates and details 1ST BAT SASKATOON LIGHT INFANTRY FROM OCT 1924 TO OCT 4TH 1928
12. Have you ever been discharged from any of His Majesty's Forces as medically unfit? NO
13. Have you ever offered to serve in any of His Majesty's Forces and been rejected? NO
14. What is your weight? 130 LBS
15. What is your height? 5 FT 5 INCHES
16. What is your chest measurement? (Not inflated) 34 INCHES
17. Are you free from all physical defects or malformation, and not subject to fits? YES NO
18. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated as considered necessary by the appropriate authorities? YES

I HEREBY DECLARE that the above answers are true in every respect.


Witness to signature

Signature Tom Standing
Address 906 VICTORIA AVE SASKATOON SASK
Date OCTOBER 4TH 1928

* NOTE—The Certificates, Recommendations, etc., called for in questions 2, 8 and 9 must be attached, otherwise your application can NOT be considered.

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

4
 NAVY

DECEASED MEMBER'S NAME

Thomas

STANDING

(CHRISTIAN NAMES)

(SURNAME)

REGISTER NO.

12355

FILE NO.

NS.N-2415

DATE

16th Aug '45.

SERVICE NO.

A-2415

FINAL RANK OR RATING

A/Ldg. Smn.

DATE OF DISCHARGE

22nd Oct '40.

PAYEE ADDRESS

Mrs. Alice Farquhar,
 1707 East 4th Ave.,
 Vancouver, B.C.

DATE OF TERMINATION OF OVERSEAS SERVICE

22nd 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 369 LESS 19 INELIGIBLE DAYS, EQUAL TO 350 DAYS @ 25c. PER DAY

\$87.50

C. SUPPLEMENT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE

DAILY RATES AT DISCHARGE

PAY \$ 2.10
 SUBSISTENCE OR LODGING AND PROVISION ALLOWANCE \$ 1.45
 ADDITIONAL PAY \$ 0.15

2 C.C.B. \$.15L.T.O. \$.15H.S.M. \$.10M.A. \$.75DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE 1/30 OF \$ 4.83TOTAL \$ 4.83 X7 = \$ 33.81NO. OF DAYS 369 X \$ 33.81

183

\$68.18

D. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

\$253.18

E. DEDUCTIONS

OVERPAYMENT OF

PAY AND ALLOWANCES \$
 DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE AND ASSIGNED PAY \$

N11

OTHER DEDUCTIONS \$

F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE

\$253.18

G. YOUR PORTION OF GRATUITY IS—

DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE TO YOU \$ _____ OF \$

=\$ 253.18

TOTAL DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE \$

Cheque 59662 - Aug. 23/45

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 DM CHECKED BY [Signature]

TREASURY
 CHECKED BY H. L. [Signature] DATE 19/11/45

[Signature]
 For Dir. Naval Pay Accounting. SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE

PARTICULARS OF DEAD OR MISSING PERSONNEL
WITH REGARD TO PAYMENT OF WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

NAME of Deceased Member Thomas STANDING Rank or Rating A/LOG-SMN O.No. N2415

1. Dependents' Allowance and Assigned Pay in force at date of death:
- | | | |
|----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| M. | <u>75</u> | <u>Mrs Alice STANDING - wife</u> |
| D.A. | <u>89.00</u> | <u>724 Yates Street</u> |
| <small>ALLOT</small> | | <u>Victoria B.C.</u> |
| A.P. | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> |
| D.A. | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> |
| A.P. | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> |
2. Pension awarded or being awarded to: wife - as above
3. War Service Gratuity Application(s) received from: Mrs Alice FARQUHAR ^{wife} ~~STANDING~~ ^{re-married}
(formerly STANDING)
1707 East 4th Avenue,
Vancouver B.C.

In accordance with the War Service Grants Act, 1944 (Part I, Clause 4) and Directive dated 16th December, 1944 issued under authority of the Minister of Veterans Affairs, application(s) for War Service Gratuity in respect of the service of the above named deceased member may be dealt with as follows:

(X) To be paid to:

Mrs. Alice FARQUHAR
1707 East 4th Avenue
Vancouver, B.C.

In the full
proportion of:

- and -

to:

In the
proportion of:

() To be referred to the Dependents' Allowance Board for decision as to dependency within the spirit and intent of the War Service Grants Act, 1944, observing this application(s) is classed under:

Group "B" (ii)

Group "C" of the above mentioned Directive.

Date 26 July 45

[Signature]
for D.N.P.A. (G) DNJ

W.S.G. Application No. 12355

TO: D.N.P.A. "G"

FILE NO. N.S. N-2415

"WAR SERVICE GRATUITY"

COMPUTATION OF SERVICE

| | | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <u>STANDING, Thomas</u> | <u>N-2415</u> | <u>A/Ldg/SW</u> |
| SURNAME | CHRISTIAN NAMES IN FULL | OFFICIAL NUMBER |
| | | RANK OR RATING ON DISCHARGE |

CAUSE OF DISCHARGE: DEAD (Margaret)

... Applicant... widow... in receipt of pension... remarried.

TOTAL SERVICE

Date of Active Service 10 Sept 39

Date of Discharge 22 Oct 40

Total No. of Days 409

Less non qualifying service Nil

Total Days 409

| |
|-----|
| 418 |
| 10 |
| 408 |
| 1 |
| 409 |

OVERSEAS SERVICE

% Total No. of Days 366 369

Less non Qualifying service Nil

Total Days 369

Record of Service in other Forces (per Naval Records)

Branch of Service N

Date of Active Service i

Date of Discharge L

& % Overleaf

Computed By Dorothy Proctor

Checked By [Signature]

for (R.W. Underhill)
A/Captain (s) R.C.N.V.R.
Director of Naval Pay Accounting

DATE: JUL 12 1945

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NON QUALIFYING SERVICE

| (#) | Date | Reason | No. of Days | TOTAL SERVICE | OVERSEAS SERVICE |
|-----|-------|--------|-------------|---------------|------------------|
| " | _____ | " | " | _____ | _____ |
| " | _____ | " | " | _____ | _____ |
| " | _____ | " | " | _____ | _____ |
| " | _____ | " | " | _____ | _____ |
| " | _____ | " | " | _____ | _____ |
| " | _____ | " | " | _____ | _____ |
| | | | Total days | ===== | ===== |

(%)
OVERSEAS SERVICE:

| Where Serving | From | To | No. of Days |
|------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| Fraser | 10 Sept '39 | 13 Oct '39 | 34 |
| Fraser } Margaree } | 23 Nov '39 | 22 Oct '40 | 335 |
| | | | <u>369</u> |

| | |
|-----------|------------|
| Fraser | Fraser |
| 43 | 418 |
| 10 | 84 |
| <u>33</u> | <u>334</u> |
| 1 | 1 |
| <u>34</u> | <u>335</u> |

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

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True extract from the ledger of H.M.C.S. "MARGAREE" ending 31st October 19 40

List 5-2 No. 24 (Name) STANDING, Thomas Rank Rating L/Smn. No. 245

When entered 1st October Date of appearance 6th Sep. Whither discharged "DD"

| | | \$ | c. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|----------------|---------------|-------|-----|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|------------|------|
| CREDIT from former account..... | | NIL | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pay as | <u>L/Smn.</u> from <u>1st Oct.</u> to <u>31st Oct.</u> 31 days at \$ <u>2.10</u> a day) | 65 | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | (Rank Rating) <u>2 GCB</u> " " " " (31 " <u>.15</u>) | 4 | 65 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | <u>L.T.O.</u> " " " " (31 " <u>.15</u>) | 4 | 65 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | <u>S.T.</u> " " " " (31 " <u>.10</u>) | 3 | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | <u>M.A.</u> " " " " (31 " <u>.75</u>) | 23 | 25 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kit Upkeep Allowance..... | | 3 | 33 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OTHER CREDITS: <u>H.L.M.</u> | | 2 | 60 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>GROG MONEY</u> | | 1 | 32 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>ADJ. OF CHARGE "DRAKE"</u> | | 31 | 81 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total credits..... | | 139 | 81 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DEBT from former account..... | | 11 | 19 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PAYMENTS:— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | 5th | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| \$ c. | \$ c. | \$ c. | \$ c. | \$ c. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4.47 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1st month..... | | Total..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2nd month..... | | Total..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3rd month..... | | Total..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Allotment..... | <u>OCTOBER</u> | 89 | 00 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pension deduction (Officers) charged to..... | <u>NIL</u> of..... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hospital stoppages..... | <u>NIL</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mulcts..... | <u>NIL</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OTHER CHARGES: <u>"DEFIANCE"</u> | | 36 | 09 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total debits | | 140 | 75 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Balance Cr. Dr. | | 140 | 75 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Balance Dr. to be shown in red) | | 94 | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

*noted
for para (6)
for 17/1/45*

False
Rough
[Signature]

Number of days actually victualled during period mentioned above..... 20

| NOT VICTUALLED | LENT, SICK OR LEAVE | INCLUSIVE DATE | | No. OF DAYS | SHIP, HOSPITAL, etc., IN WHICH BORNE |
|----------------|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| | | FROM | TO | | |
| | <u>LENT</u> | <u>6th Sep.</u> | <u>6th Sep.</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>DRAKE</u> |
| | <u>"</u> | <u>12th Sep.</u> | <u>7th Oct.</u> | <u>26</u> | <u>"</u> |

Date..... 1st April, 19 41

Bmsatfield
for ACCOUNTANT OFFICER
PAYMASTER SUB.LIEUTENANT, RCNVR.

OFFICIAL COPY
NAVAL MESSAGE

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

To:

MRS. ALICE STANDING,
111 BEVERLEY APTS.,
734 YATES STREET,
VICTORIA, B.C.

From:

65-8-154

NAVAL SERVICE HEADQUARTERS

OTTAWA.

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THE MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENCE REGRETS
TO INFORM YOU THAT YOUR SON

(HUSBAND) T. STANDING, A/LEADING
SEAMAN

(SERVED)

OFFICIAL NUMBER 2415 IS SERIOUSLY INJURED IN
ROYAL NAVAL HOSPITAL, PLYMOUTH, ENGLAND.

28.6.40

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CANADIAN NATIONAL TELEGRAPH

Mrs Alice Standing
724 Yates St
Victoria B.C.

MINISTERS OFFICE
JUL 9 1940
DEPT. OF DEFENCE
OTTAWA

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JUL 11 1940
CANADA

To - The Minister of National Defence
Dear Sir:

I'm writing you to see if you
could help me and let me know
just what injuries my husband
received in the recent accident of
W. M. C. S. Frase. He is in Plymouth
Hospital. The name T. Standing
Ldg. Sea. O.N. 2415. Hoping you can
oblidge me, and thanking you

Sincerely
Mrs Standing

C.R.
To register and
pass to
CNS
A

NAVAL SERVICE

13th July, 1940.

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Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter undated, the last report from Royal Naval Hospital, Plymouth, stated that your husband, Thomas Standing, Leading Seaman, O:N. 2415, was progressing favourably and that his injuries were not of a serious nature and further reports of progress were unnecessary.

Yours truly,



W. O. Cossette),
NAVAL SECRETARY.

CM
Mrs. Alice Standing,
Beverley Apartments,
724 Yates Street,
VICTORIA, B.C.

Commander, R. J. ...
Director of Naval Personnel

OFFICIAL COPY

NAVAL MESSAGE

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

To: MRS. ALICE STANDING
720 YATES STREET
VICTORIA B.C.

From:

62-3-15-4 142

THE MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENCE DEEPLY REGRETS TO INFORM YOU
THAT YOUR HUSBAND THOMAS STANDING LEADING SEAMAN R.C.N. OFFICIAL
NO. 2415 IS MISSING, BELIEVED KILLED.

-/26

L/T

P/L

REC'D SDO
1711/26

GB

27-10-40

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1st November, 1940.

Dear Madam,

It is with deep regret that I must confirm the telegram sent out by the Minister of National Defence, reporting that your husband, Thomas Standing, Ldg. Smn., O.N.2415, 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. Alice Standing,
720 Yates St.,
VICTORIA, B.C.

DEPARTMENT OF
VETERANS' AFFAIRS

JUL 15 1948

WAR SERVICE RECORDS
OTTAWA - CANADA

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| REFERRED TO R3A |
| N-2415 |

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MRS. P.J. FOUCHE,
37, BRITANNIA ROAD,
FULHAM, S.W.6.
9/5/48. *London,
Eng.*

DEAR SIR,

I AM WRITING ON BEHALF OF MY MOTHER, (MRS. A. STANDING). MY BROTHER, LEADING HAND, TOM STANDING WAS LOST ABOARD "H.M.C.S. MARGAREE" IN 1942. HE WAS MARRIED AND WE ARE TRYING TO TRACE HIS WIFE, (ALICE STANDING).

THE LAST WE EVER HEARD WAS IN 1943. ALL OUR LETTERS WERE RETURNED NOT KNOWN, INCLUDING A REGISTERED PACKET. IS IT POSSIBLE FOR YOU TO LET KNOW IF SHE REMARRIED AND HER PRESENT ADDRESS. WE WOULD LIKE TO GET IN TOUCH WITH HER IF POSSIBLE AND AM AFRAID WE HAVE EXHAUSTED ALL OTHER ANGLES.

I SINCERELY HOPE YOU WILL BE ABLE TO HELP US IN THIS MATTER.

THANKING YOU,
YOURS FAITHFULLY,

Mons Fouché

MY BROTHERS NO. WAS

O.N 2415

*when he was on the "Defiance"
here in training*

DEPARTMENT
VETERANS' AFFAIRS

JUL 15 1948

WAR SERVICE RECORDS
OTTAWA -