



P/O Lee, Carl Thomas Edward RCAF  
 Tpr Lee, Clarence Douglas 12 D  
P/O Lee, Donald Fletcher RCNVR  
 Lt Lee, Donald Kenneth RS  
 AB Lee, Frank Edward RCNVR  
 Gnr Lee, Gerald Melvin RCA  
 Pte Lee, Harry Robert RHLI  
 L/Cpl Lee, Herbert Albert Francis RC Sigs  
 Pte Lee, Ivan Guy SSask R  
 F/L Lee, Jack Griffin, DFC RCAF  
 Ldg Smm Lee, Jack Morden RCNVR  
 Pte Lee, John Alfred Perth R  
 Sgt Lee, John Joseph RCAF  
 P/O Lee, John Robert RCAF  
 Cpl Lee, Joseph Reno N Shore R  
 L/Cpl Lee, Lawrence Joseph RCASC  
 Sgt Lee, Percival Douglas RHC  
 F/O Lee, Robert Edward RCAF  
 Pte Lee, Roy Daniel Calg Highrs  
 Tpr Lee, Terrence Frank 4 PLDG  
 Pte Lee, Thomas Charles RHC  
 P/O Lee, Thomas Edwin RCAF  
 F/O Lee, William John RCAF  
 WO1 Leech, Francis James RCAF  
 P/O Leech, Frederick Sydney RCAF  
 P/O Leech, John Peter RCAF  
 Sgt Leeco, Malcolm Sutherland RCASC  
 F/O Leeds, Phil RCAF  
 Pte Leek, Albert John Linc & Well Ld R  
 Gnr Leek, William Charles RCA  
 Pte Lees, Alexander Murdoch RCAMC  
 Cpl Lees, Donald Wesley RCAC  
 Pte Lees, Eli Arthur R Regt C  
 Sgt Lees, George Douglas RCAF  
 F/O Lees, John Clive RCAF  
 Pte Lees, William 4 PLDG  
 P/O Leese, William Hewison RCAF  
 Pte LeFaiye, Eli Norman Carl & York R  
 L/Sgt Lefebvre, Clifford RHLI  
 Pte Lefebvre, Jacques Jean-Paul Rde Chaud  
 O/P Lefebvre, John Walter Raymond RCAF  
 S-Lt/A Lefebvre, Joseph Donat Camille RCAF  
 Pte Lefebvre, Marcel Rde Chaud

Sgt Lefebvre, Martin Sher Fus R  
 Pte Lefekus, Michael SSask R  
 Rfn Lefort, Elmer Joseph RWpg Rif  
 Pte Lefort, Joseph Albert West NSR  
 Tir Lefrancois, Albert RWpg Rif  
 Pte Lefurgéy, Allan James A & SH of C  
 F/O Legace, Lawrence Firge RCAF  
 Pte Legacy, Charles Joseph Hast & PER  
 Pte Legare, Raymond Rde Chaud  
 P/O Legary, Harvey Albert RCAF  
 Pte Legary, James Bernard SD & G Highrs  
 Rfn Legassey, Vincent Joseph Regina Rif  
 Tpr Legassick, David Maurice 1 H  
 O/P Legault, Joseph Henri Charles RCAF  
 L/Cpl Legault, Joseph Wilfred Alg R  
 Pte Legault, Robert RHC  
 Pte Legault, Robert Fus MR  
 F/O LeGear, Frederick Stanley RCAF  
 Pte Legendre, Roger Rde Chaud  
 Pte Léger, Aurèle Joseph Rde Mais  
 Cfn Legere, Edward Raymond RCME  
 Pte Legere, Joseph Frank Essex Scot  
 Pte Legere, Linton Nth NS Highrs  
 Sigmn Legg, George Albert RC Sigs  
 Cpl Legg, James Frederick Fort Garry's  
 L/Cpl Legge, Albert James RCASC  
 Tpr Legge, Gordon Gilbert Sher Fus R  
 P/O Legge, Preston St. Clare RCAF  
 Pte Legroulx, Rodolphe Clayton SD & G Highrs  
 F/O LeGrow, Ronald Hudson RCAF  
 Pte Legue, Anthony David HLI of C  
 Sgt Leguee, Frederick Joseph PPCLI  
 Pte LeGuilloux, Louis Frank Armand LEdmn R  
 Sgt Lehman, Bruce Edward RCAF  
 L/Cpl Lehman, Carl Martin RCAC  
 P/O Lehman, Edgar Clarence RCAF  
 Rfn Leibel, William KOR of C  
 P/O Leigh, Kenneth RCAF  
 Pte Leighton, Murray Earl CB Highrs  
 Gnr Leighton, Roy William RCA  
 Gnr Leishman, Lee RCA  
 F/O Leitch, Archibald Havill RCAF

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LEE

DONALD

FLETC

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

RCNVR "ALBERNI" May/46

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS  
PERSON

ENTITLED TO

Mr. George F. Lee - Father

ADDRESS:

~~2665 Masson Street,~~ 4716 Bordeaux,  
~~Rosemount,~~ Montreal, Que. 1-3-50.

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW

ADDRESS:

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER

Mrs. E. Lee  
2665 Masson Street  
Rosemount, MONTREAL, Que.

ADDRESS:

MEMORIAL BAR

DATE DESP.

REGN. NO.

S. 26

(2)

(3) 17 January 1945

~~DECEASED~~ 21 August 1944

LEE	Donald Fletcher	V-5761	P.O.	FILE No.
SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS)	CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. No.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT

## WAR SERVICE

## BADGE

CLASS)

No. Nil

DATE DESPATCHED:

ADDRESS:

CAMPAIGN MEDALS	REGISTRATION NUMBER AND DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star	
Atlantic Star & Clasp	5748 8/3/50
Africa Star & Clasp	3812 15/10/49
C.V.S.M. & Clasp	
War Medal	
	<p>↑</p> <p>MEDALS RET'D. UNDELIV'D</p> <p>RET'D TO STOCK.</p>

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

THE CANADIAN PENSION COMMISSION

MEMORANDUM

To.....Pension Medical Examiner,.....Montreal.

.....Ottawa,.....March 9th, 1945.

From.....Head Office.....

RE: V-5761 - P.O. LEE, Donald Fletcher.

P. & N. H. 1083-D.

The Department of National Defence, Naval Service,  
officially reports that the marginally named was reported -  
"Missing, presumed dead.

on the 21 - Aug- 44. on service Canada & High Seas!

His next of kin is reported as - Mother -  
Mrs. Evelyn Lee,  
2665 Masson St., Rosemount,  
Montreal, P.Q.

The Addressograph Stencil shows payment of Assigned Pay of

\$ 33.00 a month to - Mrs. Evelyn Lee,  
2665 Masson St.,  
Rosemount,  
Montreal, P.Q.

As no D.A. was payable the Commission will not take  
any action unless a claim is filed.

E. Clewes,  
for  
Canadian Pension Commission.

/TP  
Central Registry will arrange to transfer the file  
from Halifax District Office.

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OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME **LEE**  
(Surname)

**Donald Fletcher**  
(Given Names)

**P.L.B**

OFFICIAL NUMBER

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Ship or Establishment	Rating	From			Remarks	Character	Efficiency	Date			Non-Sub. Rating	Qualified			Qualified		
		Day	Month	Year				Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
Montreal Div. Str.	Ord. Smn.	16	5	40		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	40	Q.R. 111.	14	8	40			
HMCS Stadacona	"	29	5	40		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	41	Q.R. 11.	29	9	41			
St Francis	"	25	9	40		V.G.	Supr.	31	12	42							
" "	Able Smn.	1	3	41	Memo of 24.4.42.	V.G.	Supr.	31	12	43							
Stadacona	"	18	9	41		V.G.	Supr.	21	8	44							
Rosthern	"	1	10	41													
Stadacona	"	4	10	41													
Thunder	"	14	10	41													
Stadacona	"	20	3	42													
Prescott	"	10	4	42													
" "	A/Ldg. Smn.	1	4	42	Memo of 24.4.42. Back dated.												
Avalon	"	7	8	42													
Stadacona	"	12	9	42													
Alberni	"	19	9	42													
" "	A/P.O.	1	8	43	249A #-14939.												
" "	P.O.	1	8	44	249A #A23035.												
DISCHARGED	"	21	8	44	Missing. per Casualty List.												
		21	8	44	Presumed Dead. per Casualty List. #-114.												

GENERAL REMARKS

AWARDED: Canadian Memorial Cross,  
MOTHER: Mrs. Evelyn LEE,  
2665 Masson St.,  
ROSEMONT, Montreal, Que.

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OFFICIAL NUMBER V5761

NAME **LEE** (Surname) **Donald Fletcher** (Given Names) DATE OF BIRTH **23rd December, 1919.**

PLACE OF BIRTH **Montreal, Que.** OCCUPATION **Chemists' Assistant.**

RELIGION **Presbyterian.** EDUCATION \_\_\_\_\_

RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. **3222 Rosemount Blvd.** Town **Rosemount Montreal** Province, etc. **Quebec.**

ENGAGEMENTS				DESCRIPTION					PREVIOUS SERVICE			
Date (in figures)			Period	Height	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Marks or Scars	Served in	Rank or Rating	Dates	
Day	Month	Year									From	To
16	5	40	H.O.	5' 9 1/4	Brown	Blue	Fair	Slight scar on chin and knee.				

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) *Wife* NAME (in pencil) *Mrs. Mollie Lee*  
ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. *St. Albans St.* Town *Quebec* Province, etc. *Que.*

MEDALS, CLASPS, HURT CERTIFICATES, PRIZE MONEY				EXAMINATIONS, CERTIFICATES, ETC.			
Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			Particulars
Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	
3	2	44	C.V.S.M.(R&C)1939-43 Star.(8515).	20	3	42	Passed prof. for Ldg. Snn.
				23	7	43	Passed prof. for P.O.

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		
30	4	43	1st. GCB(S.C)	Granted.							

**FILM**  
NO. *1042-5774-8*  
**DATE**

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



N<sup>o</sup> 17  
COM-9-22 (5943)  
N.S. 815-11-17

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

*Donald Fletcher LEE*

in the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve

Training Headquarters	R.C.N.V.R. Division	Official Number <i>V 5761</i>
	<i>Montreal, Quebec.</i>	"
		"

Date of Birth <i>23 December 1919</i>	Name and Address of Nearest Relative or Friend (in pencil)
Place of Birth <i>Montreal, Quebec.</i>	<i>Wife</i>
Place of Residence <i>3222 Rosemount Blvd., Rosemount, Montreal, Quebec.</i>	<i>Mrs. Nell Lee</i>
Trade brought up to <i>Chemist's Assistant</i>	<i>24 Bellerive</i>
Religion <i>Presbyterian</i>	<i>Halifax, N.S.</i>
Can Swim:—P.P.T. Date..... 19..... Signature..... Rank.....	
P.S.T. Date..... 19..... Signature..... Rank.....	

PARTICULARS OF SERVICE				MEDALS, DECORATIONS, etc.		
Date of Actual Volunteering	Date of Enrolment or re-enrolment	Period Volunteered for	Rating on Enrolment or Re-enrolment	Date of		Nature of Decoration
				Award	Presentation	
	<i>16 May '40</i>	<i>Duration Hostilities</i>	<i>Ord. Sqn</i>		<i>3 Feb 44</i>	<i>Canadian Volunteer Service Medal + clas. Provisional Award.</i>
					<i>3 Feb 44</i>	<i>1939-43 Star. Provisional Award</i>

PERSONAL DESCRIPTION								MARKS, WOUNDS, SCARS
	Height		Chest (mean)	Weight	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	
	Feet	Inches						
On Entry.....	<i>5</i>	<i>9 1/4</i>	<i>36 1/2</i>	<i>140</i>	<i>Brown</i>	<i>Blue</i>	<i>Fair</i>	<i>Slight scar on chin &amp; knee</i>
On re-enrolment—6 years' Service.....								
On re-enrolment—12 years' Service.....								
Further Description if necessary.....								

TRANSFER BETWEEN DIVISIONS			TRANSFER—LISTS A AND B		
From	To	Date	List	Date	Authority



# NAVAL TRAINING and ACTIVE SERVICE

Year	SHIP OR ESTABLISHMENT	NON-SUB. RATE	RATING	FROM	TO	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE
	<i>Montreal Div.</i>		<i>Ord. Sm.</i>	<i>16 May '40</i>	<i>28 May '40</i>	
	<i>Stadacona</i>		"	<i>29 May '40</i>	<i>24 Sep '40</i>	
	<i>St. Francis</i>		"	<i>25 Sep '40</i>	<i>28 Feb '41</i>	
	"		<i>A.B.</i>	<i>1 Mar '41</i>	<i>17 Sep '41</i>	
	<i>Stadacona</i>		"	<i>18 Sep '41</i>	<i>30 Sep '41</i>	
	<i>Rosheron</i>		"	<i>1 Oct '41</i>	<i>3 Oct '41</i>	
	<i>Stadacona</i>		"	<i>4 Oct '41</i>	<i>13 Oct '41</i>	
	<i>Thunder</i>		"	<i>14 Oct '41</i>	<i>19 Feb '42</i>	
	<i>Stadacona</i>		"	<i>20 Feb '42</i>	<i>31 Mar '42</i>	
	<i>Prescott</i>		<i>Adly. Swat</i>	<i>1 Apr '42</i>	<i>9 Apr '42</i>	
	"		"	<i>10 Apr '42</i>	<i>6 Aug '42</i>	
	<i>Sussex</i>		"	<i>7 Aug '42</i>	<i>11 Sep '42</i>	
	<i>Stadacona</i>		"	<i>12 Sep '42</i>	<i>18 Sep '42</i>	
	<i>Alberni</i>		"	<i>19 Sep '42</i>	<i>31 Oct '42</i>	
	<i>Niobe (Alberni)</i>		"	<i>1 Nov '42</i>	<i>15 Feb '43</i>	
	<i>Stadacona (- -)</i>		"	<i>16 Feb '43</i>	<i>20 May '43</i>	
	<i>Chaleur II (- -)</i>		"	<i>21 May '43</i>	<i>5 Nov '43</i>	
	<i>Stadacona (- -)</i>		<i>A/P.O.</i>	<i>1 Aug '43</i>	<i>6 Nov '43</i>	
	<i>Niobe (- -)</i>		"	<i>22 Oct '43</i>	<i>31 July '44</i>	
	"	<i>(A-23035)</i>	<i>P.O. (Ty)</i>	<i>1 Aug '44</i>	<i>21 Aug '44</i>	<i>Reported Missing A-59557 Presumed Dead S.N.M.O.'s Sig. 271839 Dec 1944</i>

**Wounds Received in Action, Hurt Certificates, Meritorious Service, Special Recommendations, Prizes or other Grants**

Date	Details	Captain's Signature

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# ATTESTATION FORM

## FOR MEN OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

SURNAME..... **Lee** ..... OFFICIAL NO.....

CHRISTIAN NAMES..... **Donald Fletcher** ..... MARRIED, SINGLE or WIDOWER..... **single** .....

PERMANENT ADDRESS		RELIGION
<b>3222 Rosemount Blvd., Rosemount, Montreal.</b>		<b>Presbyterian.</b>
DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
<b>Dec. 23rd, 1919.</b>	Town County Province <b>Montreal, Quebec.</b>	<b>Father: Frank Lee, Same address as above;</b>

### PERSONAL DESCRIPTION ON ENROLMENT

HEIGHT	CHEST MEASUREMENT	HAIR	EYES	COM- PLEXION	WOUNDS, SCARS, MARKS
Feet..... <b>5</b> .....	Inflated..... <b>38</b> .....	<b>Brown</b>	<b>Blue</b>	<b>Fair</b>	<b>Slight Scar on chin and Knees.</b>
Inches..... <b>9 1/4</b> .....	Deflated..... <b>35</b> .....				
<b>140</b> .....	Mean..... <b>36 1/2</b> .....				
DATE OF ENROLMENT	RATING ENROLLING FOR	TRADE OR CALLING AND IN WHOSE EMPLOY			
<b>28/5/40</b>	<b>Ord. Sea.</b>	<b>Chemists Assistant, Stuart Brothers, 203 Youville Square, Montreal, Quebec.</b>			

### (B) DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT

I hereby declare as follows:—

- (1) That I am a British Subject domiciled in Canada.
- (2) That I am desirous of being enrolled as a member of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, and that I accept and agree to abide by the rules of the said Force.
- (3) That \* (a) I have never served, and am not serving in any Naval, Military, Reserve, or Territorial Force.

\* (b) I served in ..... for the period shown, and attach my record of service, in corroboration of this statement.

\* Cross out Clause not applicable.

SERVED IN	RANK	FROM	TO

- (c) I have never been rejected from any of His Majesty's Forces on account of unfitness.
- (4) That the particulars contained above are correct and true according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Recruiting Office  
 MAY 30 1940  
 R. C. N. BARRACKS  
 MONTREAL, N. S.

(5) On being enrolled as a member of the Montreal Division of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, I undertake and bind myself:—

(a) To serve from the date thereof for three consecutive years, being subject to the provisions of the Naval Service Act, and of the Regulations made in pursuance thereof for the government of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, and to the customs and usages of His Majesty's Canadian Naval Service.

(b) To report for active service if called upon in time of war or emergency, and, if called into active service, to serve ashore or afloat as may be directed, according to where my services are required.

(c) To keep in good repair and condition the articles of uniform and any articles of outfit which may be issued to me and to return them to the nearest Divisional Commanding Officer or to Training Headquarters prior to my discharge or when required so to do by any authorized person, or to pay compensation for any loss or damage thereto other than fair wear and tear; and also not to wear such uniform or outfit (which is and remains the property of the Crown) except when on naval duty.

Dated this ..... day of .....

Signature of applicant Donald Lee

(C) CERTIFICATE OF DIVISIONAL COMMANDING OFFICER

I hereby certify that all the foregoing statements were made by the volunteer above named, in my presence, and that he has made and signed the above declaration in my presence on this ..... day of .....

Signature of Commanding Officer.

(D) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I, Donald Fletcher Lee do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Britannic Majesty, His heirs and successors according to law.

Signature of Applicant Donald Lee

Witness [Signature]

Date ..... Rank Sub. Lieut. R.C.N.V.R.

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

(E) CERTIFICATE OF DIVISIONAL COMMANDING OFFICER

Donald Fletcher Lee having been duly enrolled to serve in the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, I have caused his name and every prescribed particular to be recorded in the Record Book of the Montreal Division of the R.C.N.V.R.

Lieut. R.C.N.V.R. for Commanding Officer.

NOTE.—This form when completed and when the particulars on it have been noted in the Divisional Commanding Officer's Record Book, is to be forwarded to Headquarters, Ottawa, for custody.

The Certificate of medical examination, B-207, and certificates of previous service are to be sent to Headquarters, Ottawa, with this form.

Certificates of previous service will be returned after they have been examined at Headquarters, Ottawa.



# Certificate for Wounds and Hurts

These are to Certify the Honourable the Minister of National Defence of the Dominion of Canada that

(Name in full) DONALD FLETCHER LEE (Rank or Rating) A. B. (Official No.) V. 5761

belonging to His Majesty's Canadian Ship "St. Francis" being then actually upon His Majesty's Canadian Naval Service in being closed up to A.A. defence stations.

Here describe the particular duty.

"Injured" or "Wounded." †Date.

was\* injured on April 13 1941 by a fall against a four inch gun on the midship gun deck due to a heavy roll. He sustained a marked contusion of the lower

Here describe minutely the nature of the injury sustained and the manner in which it occurred—as required by articles 1207, 1318, 1354 of the King's Regulations.

lip, a three-quarter inch laceration in the mid-line of the lower lip extending through to the mucosal surface. The upper central incisors and the right upper lateral incisor were displaced three mm. necessitating their removal.

†"Sober" or "not sober."

He was sober at the time

Age about 21 years. Born at or near Montreal. Height 5 ft. 10 ins.

Personal Description.

Hair brown Eyes blue Complexion medium.

Particular marks or scars.

- 1. One and one half in. scar on rt. mental region.
2. One in. circular scar on ant. surface rt. knee.
3. Two in. irregular scar above lt. elbow.

Date 6th May 1941.

Signature of Commanding Officer of Ship. [Signature]

Rank Lieut-Commander R. C. N.

Signature of person who witnessed the accident. [Signature]

Rank

Signature of Medical Officer. [Signature]

Rank Surg-Lieut. R. C. N. V. R.

NOTE:—The grant of a Hurt Certificate to a Petty Officer or Man is to be noted on his Service Certificate.



Can. B. 207

20M-11-39 (3063)  
N.S. 815-2-207

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JUN 1 1940  
NS 1132459  
CANADA

# 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..... *Donald Lee*

candidate for entry as..... *List No 1*

and I believe him to be \*{in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.  
unfit for His Majesty's Service, for the reason stated below.} He has signed  
the Certificate given below in my presence.

Dated at..... *Montreal* the *16* of *May* 19*40*.

*D. P. W. [Signature]*  
Examining Medical Officer  
(Rank)..... *Surgeon R.C.N.V.R.*

\*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 revac- cinated 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)	(k)	(l)	(m)	(n)	(o)	(p)
<i>20 5/2</i>	<i>140</i>	<i>5'5 1/2</i>	<i>Good</i>	inches (a) maximum <i>38</i> (b) minimum <i>35</i> (c) mean <i>36 1/2</i>	right eye <i>6/6</i> left eye <i>6/6</i> colour vision <i>N</i>	<i>1-5-4-A Child</i>	<i>Normal</i>	<i>Normal</i>	<i>Some opening left leg</i>	<i>Normal</i>	<i>Normal</i>	<i>Normal</i>	<i>0 deficient 0 defective</i>	<i>Normal</i>

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

## 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 as may be authorized.

*Donald Lee*  
Signature of Candidate

When a Candidate is subject to a defect or disability, the following Certificate is to be filled up

This Candidate is the subject of.....

\* {which renders him medically unfit for entry,  
not considered of sufficient importance to cause his rejection, he being desirable in other respects.

\*Delete one

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

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

VERIFICATION  
 CAMPAIGN STARS, DEFENCE MEDAL, WAR M  
 NAVAL GENERAL SERVICE ME

NAME IN FULL *H.E.E. Donald Fletcher* RANK/RATING ..... *P.O.C.*

SHIP	SERVICE			AREA	Q	
	FROM	TO	DAYS		FROM	TO
<i>S. Labrador</i>	<i>29-5-40</i>	<i>24-9-40</i>	<i>119</i>			
<i>St. Francis</i>	<i>25-9-40</i>	<i>17-9-41</i>	<i>358</i>	<i>atlantic</i>		
<i>Roseland</i>	<i>1-10-41</i>	<i>3-10-41</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>atlantic</i>		
<i>Thunder</i>	<i>14-10-41</i>	<i>19-3-42</i>	<i>157</i>	<i>atlantic</i>		
<i>Prescott</i>	<i>10-4-42</i>	<i>6-8-42</i>	<i>119</i>	<i>atlantic</i>		
<i>Arcton</i>	<i>7-8-42</i>	<i>11-9-42</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>N.F.</i>		
<i>Allerui</i>	<i>23-10-42</i>	<i>21-8-44</i>	<i>669</i>	<i>Africa</i>	<i>5-1-43</i>	<i>26-2-43</i>
				<i>France - Germany</i>	<i>6-6-44</i>	
<i>Discharged: Dead: Solude</i>						
		<i>21-8-44</i>				

VERIFIED BY *[Signature]*

VERIFIED BY .....



VERIFICATION FORM

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

*John* RANK/RATING ..... *P.O. (Ty)* ..... OFF. NO. *V-5761* ..... ADDRESS .....

AREA	QUALIFYING PERIODS IN DAYS						STARS MEDALS	✓ 1 2	ELIGIBLE FOR AWARDS OF
	FROM	TO	1939-45	ATLANTIC	DEFENCE	CLASP C.V.S.M.			
							1939-45	1	<i>Star</i>
<i>atlantic</i>							ATLANTIC	1	<i>@ clasp</i>
<i>atlantic</i>							FRANCE G.	2	
<i>atlantic</i>							AFRICA	2	<i>@ clasp</i>
<i>atlantic</i>							PACIFIC		
<i>N.F.</i>							BURMA		
<i>Africa</i>	<i>5-1-43</i>	<i>26-2-43</i>					ITALY		
<i>France Germany</i>	<i>6-6-44</i>						DEFENCE		
<i>Inde</i>							C.V.S.M.	2	<i>@ clasp</i>
							" CLASP		
							WAR 1945	1	<i>Medal</i>
							WAR 1915		

VERIFIED BY *L. Robert* .....

VERIFIED BY ..... DIR. OF PERSONNEL RECORDS.



W/15  
W/15

~~Navy~~

4716 Bordeaux<sup>St</sup>

Montreal  
Que.

May 15<sup>th</sup> 46



Dear Sir

Please find enclosed the

letter you sent me dated May 9<sup>th</sup>  
for you to refer to regarding  
my late sons. will P.O. Donald J. Lee  
5761 R.C.N.V.R. It seems you have  
done your best to try & locate  
a service will without any  
success. therefore I would like  
the estate settled as soon  
as possible I see no point in  
me holding it up any longer  
as I feel sure I would not  
have any more success than  
you have in locating a will

Your truly  
Fuelyn J. Lee

4716 - Bordeaux St  
Montreal - P.Q.

Feb 19, 1946



Dear Sir

Regarding my deceased son P.O. Donald F Lee  
R.E.N.V.R.,

I had promised to give you an answer within a week. I guess you know by now, I was waiting for a answer from Lt. Cmd. Jan Bell. which I have received he feels sure like me that me that my son made a will, but he cannot figure why it never got as far a Ottawa, he is a very fine man, & he said he had written you also. Did you have any will he might have made out while with the H.M.C.S St Francis as he was with her from nine to twelve months on the English coastal patrol in 1940 & then for a while with the H.M.C.S Thunder & then the H.M.C.S Prescott & I think one other before to joined the H.M.C.S. Albeoni. I thank you for all your trouble & now it is in your hands to do what you think fit with it. I remain Yours. Sincerely,  
Evelyn L. Lee

7. Feb.

47.16, Boulevard St-  
Hyontréal  
P. Q.

To. Lt. Cdr. J. Bell.

Dear. Sir

I am taking the liberty of writing you; for some information regarding my late son. P. O. Donald Lee.,

Ottawa claims they can find no records of a will that my son made, therefore his gratuity must be divided among his three brothers my husband & my self.

I know my son made a will, as a matter of fact he told me. he had made several while in the service, as the usually made a fresh one when they were transferred to another ship, & I know the will was in my favour, as my Don. made over an allotment to me each month while he was in the service.

I know it would be his wish that the money should come to me.

We all loved him so dearly, that I feel this money, must be spent to his memory. & not thrown to the winds in one night's fun. & frankly I am

afraid that's what would happen, if it was shared among them all.

Of course I can claim my oldest-sons share as he has been mental for a number of years. owing to a brain illness, but Denis is only 14 years & Gerald 19 yrs. & the law states a person dying without a will in the (Province of Quebec). the money must be divided.

also Don had his last hundred dollar V. Bond paid up. all but Sep. & Oct. also a small balance of money left in his account at ~~Bonds~~ Bonds Tailors in Halifax, but they informed me they returned it to Ottawa. I have written Ottawa several times about these two matters but they ignore my letters regarding same. I also wonder if Don drew his full pay during his last trip over the other side, as he <sup>had</sup> a habit of leaving so much back. so that he would have quite a bit to come home on

leave with.

I would appreciate it very much if you would enlighten me to these things as Ottawa want an answer from me by return as they want to distribute his gratuity right away -

I hope I am not intruding & thanking Sir for the grand letter I received from you after the sinking of H.M.C.S. Alberni. This is my second son I have lost in this war.

I shall never forget them for a minute for the rest of my life, no one had better sons than these two & few have half as good in my mind  
hoping you will answer this soon  
Sincerely yours.

(Lrs) Evelyn L. Lee

4716. Bordeaux St  
Montreal  
P.Q.



Feb 8th

Dear Sir

Regarding my late son Donald F Lee  
P.O. V5761. R.C.N.V.R. seeing that his service  
will apparently seems to have been mislaid  
or lost. I think I can have some definite  
news for you that I am his only next of  
kin. if you will kindly hold this  
matter over for at least another week.  
I think I can give you a most satis-  
factory answer. in all events I will  
give you my answer by the middle of  
this month. trusting you will  
find this convenient to wait till  
then.

yours. sincerely.

Evelyn F Lee





Dec 10<sup>th</sup>

4716. Bordeaux. St-  
Montreal

Sir

Regarding your letter of the 10<sup>th</sup> Dec. of course Douglas my son is not capable of handling his own affairs being his mother I think I am perfectly capable & the right person to handle all matters regarding my family this is the third letter regarding this matter that I have had from you. (Regarding my deceased son Donald) Gletcher Lee you will find his will was made out to me also. I received his allotment (or assigned pay) which makes me & me alone. ~~his son~~ his benefactor therefore I expect the whole amount to be sent in my name. As you can see that was my deceased sons wish & you have no right to try & change it. Trusting you you will give this urgent attention  
Yours sincerely Evelyn L. Lee.

**DISTRIBUTION OF SERVICE ESTATES**

Estates Form "P. 4"

NAVY

HQ

Name LEE Donald F. No. V.5761  
 Surname Christian Names

Rank P/O. Unit R.C.N.V.R.O/S Date of Death 21-8-8-44

Date 3-12-45

<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>W.S.G.</u>	<u>922.31</u>
	<u>L.P.C.</u>	<u>\$195.01</u>
	<u>Other Credits</u>	<u>11.15</u>
	<u>Total</u>	<u>1128.47</u>

SHARE	RELATIONSHIP	NAME AND ADDRESS	AMOUNT
7/12	Father	George F. Lee, 4716 Bordeaux St., MONTREAL, P.Q.  (1/4 as next of kin entitled) (1/3 benefit of 2 minors)	658.28
1/4	Mother	Mrs. Evelyn L. Lee, (as above)	232.11
1/6	Brother	Douglas Lee, (as above)  (as next of kin entitled)	188.08

P4. TO TREAS.

23-4-46 (P4)

AUTHORITY					
H.Q. F.E. No.	VOTE	PRI	H.Q. SUB.	OBJ.	AMOUNT
<del>10000</del> 9999	831	00	50	000	\$1128.47
CLASSIFIED BY <i>John Paul 590</i>			EXAMINED BY For Chief Treasury Officer		

DISTRIBUTION APPROVED AND AUTHORIZED

*[Signature]*  
 (L. M. FIRTH) Colonel  
 Director of Estates

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT

For Chief Treasury Officer



4716 Bordeaux St  
Montreal P. Q.  
Nov. 9th

Dear Sir

Regarding my son. who is a mental case. namely. Douglas. Lee. to whom you say I failed to mention in the completed form P. 64. never the less. he is my responsibility living at home with us. at the above mentioned address. & we have no intentions of entering him in any institution.

Yours Sincerely

Evelyn L. Lee

Lee, D. F.

**STATEMENT OF WAR SERVICE GRATUITY**

DECEASED MEMBER'S NAME

Donald Fletcher

LEE

REGISTER NO. 7616

(CHRISTIAN NAMES)

(SURNAME)

FILE NO. NS.V-5761

PAYEE ADDRESS

Director of Estates,  
308 Sparks St.,  
Ottawa, Ont.

for Service Estate of  
Donald F. Lee,  
NS.V-5761

DATE 3rd July '45.

SERVICE NO. V-5761

FINAL RANK OR RATING P.O.

DATE OF TERMINATION OF OVERSEAS SERVICE 21st Aug '44.

DATE OF DISCHARGE 21st Aug '44.

**A. TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE**

NO. OF DAYS 1546 EQUAL TO 51 COMPLETE PERIODS AT \$7.50  
30

\$ 382.50

**B. QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE**

NO. OF DAYS 1306 LESS 16 INELIGIBLE DAYS, EQUAL TO 1290 DAYS @ 25C. PER DAY

322.50

**C. SUPPLEMENT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE**

DAILY RATES AT DISCHARGE

PAY \$ 2.40  
SUBSISTENCE OR LODGING AND PROVISION ALLOWANCE \$ 1.45  
ADDITIONAL PAY Q.R.II \$ .15  
1 G.C.B. \$ .05  
H.L.M. \$ .30

DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE 1/30 OF \$

TOTAL \$ 4.35 x 7 = \$ 30.45  
NO. OF DAYS 1306 x \$ 30.45  
183

217.31

**D. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY**

922.31

**E. DEDUCTIONS**

OVERPAYMENT OF

PAY AND ALLOWANCES \$  
DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE

OTHER DEDUCTIONS

\$ N11

\$

**F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE**

922.31

**G. YOUR PORTION OF GRATUITY IS—**

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

TOTAL DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE \$

= \$ 922.31

**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		CHECKED BY		TREASURY	
YN	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>	DATE	<i>[Signature]</i>
				July 6/45	

SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE

for Dir. Naval Pay Acctg.

New address.  
4716. Bordeaux. St  
Montreal P.Q.  
Oct 22nd.



Dear Sir

Please find the names of my  
deceased son. (P.O. Donald F. Lee V5761.) <sup>brothers</sup>  
as follows. Denis Lee, age 14 yrs. Born 1931. <sub>(4716 Bordeaux St)</sub>  
4716. Bordeaux St. Gerald Lee. " 18 " " 1927.  
" " (Douglas Lee " 22 " " 1923)  
" " Douglas is a mental case

Please take note that my deceased son  
has a \$100 bond with the exception  
of Sep. & Oct payment not payed owing  
to ~~to~~ his ~~deat~~ death on Aug 21st  
also you have a <sup>sum</sup> of money returned  
to you from Bonds Tailors ~~to~~ in  
Halifax these are all amount out-  
side of his war service gratuity money.  
Please note my change of address.

Sincerely yours.

Luelyn L. Lee.

old address  
2665 Masson St.  
Montreal P.Q.

Four copies to be rendered to Naval Service Headquarters

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REPORT OF THE DEATH OF AN OFFICER, MAN OR BOY

H.M.C.S. NAVAL SERVICE HEADQUARTERS at OTTAWA, Ont.

Name LEE Donald Fletcher (Christian names in full)

Rank of Rating Petty Officer Official No. V-5761, R.C.N.V.R. (If unknown, date of first entry)

Place of Birth Montreal, Que. Date of Birth 23rd December, 1919

Occupation in Civil Life Chemists Assistant Religion Presbyterian

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) 4 years and 3 months

Date of Death 21 August, 1944 Place of Death AT SEA

Cause of Death Missing, presumed killed when the ship in which he was serving, H.M.C.S. "ALBERNI", was lost in the English Channel due to enemy action. (If due to accident, violence, or enemy action, particulars to be stated briefly)

Nearest known relative or friend. Name Mrs. Evelyn Lee Relationship Mother Address 2665 Masson St., ROSEMOUNT, Montreal, Que.

Date on which the above was informed by Ship Naval Service Headquarters: 23rd Aug. 1944

Date on which death was registered with local Officials

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 No 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 invalided

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

Commanding Officer, OTTAWA, Ont. 26 February 1944 H.B. Money SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

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.

Noted D. J. M. 17/3/45

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 specified	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.....	George Frank Lee.		4716 Broadway St.
4	Mother of the Deceased.....	Evelyn Helen Lee		Memphis TN
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Full Blood	Douglas Lee.	22 - <sup>at home</sup> <u>Memphis Case.</u>
			Gerald. Senter, Lee	18 4716 - Broadway St
			Dennis, Robert, Lee	14 " " Memphis TN
6	Sisters of the Deceased	Full Blood		
		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	
	Tim Terrence F LEE			
	D3356 Dec 30, 1944			

Mrs. Evelyn Lee,  
 2665 Masson Street,  
 Rosemount, Montreal P.Q.

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

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

and the following number quoted:—

H.Q. NS V-5761 FD 779

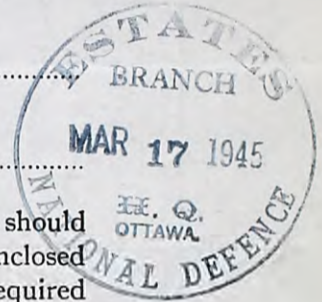
DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE  
 ESTATES BRANCH  
 OTTAWA, ONT.

March 9 1945

For the purpose of record and in the event of there being any Service estate  
 available for distribution (according to law) on account of the late

LEE, Donald Fletcher, P/O V-5761

R.C.N.V.R.



it is necessary that certain information regarding the deceased and his relatives should  
 be furnished the Estates Branch. You are asked therefore to read the enclosed  
 memorandum before completing pages 2 and 3 of this form. The particulars required  
 are to be carefully filled in and the Declaration on page 4 should then be signed in the  
 presence of a Clergyman, Priest, Local Magistrate, Commissioner for Oaths, Notary  
 Public or a Commissioned Officer of any of His Majesty's Forces who should be asked  
 to complete and sign the Certificate. This form should then be returned to the above  
 address.

If there is insufficient space for complete particulars to be given opposite any  
 question on pages 2 and 3 of this form, the space under "additional remarks" on  
 page 4 should be used.

*J. H. Wachs*  
 Commander Reserve  
 Director of Estates.

HRW/HO



ANSWER FULLY EACH QUESTION ON THIS PAGE  
PARTICULARS AS TO IDENTITY

8	Full names of the deceased.	Donald Fletcher Lee
9	Date of his birth.	Dec. 23. 1921.
10	Place and date of his marriage.	
11	Place and date of his parents' marriage.	Brighton England. April 21. 1919.

## PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

12	Place where deceased was born.	Montreal Can.
13	State, in order, the Province, State and/or County in which he resided before enlistment and the period of time in each.	(a) (b) (c) (d)
14	Nature of employment before enlistment.	office work.
15	State whether he owned the premises in which he lived, and, if so, where situated.	—
16	Name place where deceased stated he intended to make his permanent home.	Montreal

## PARTICULARS OF ESTATE

17	Did he leave a Will? If in your custody, please forward.	
18	If married, and domiciled in the Province of Quebec or in a State in the U.S.A. or in a Country under the laws of which there is community of property between spouses,—was there a marriage contract dealing with property?	
19	Did he have a Bank, Post Office or other deposit account? If so, give name and address of bank, etc., and the amount on deposit. Do you wish it administered with the pay account?	
20	Amount of War Savings Certificates held by deceased. Indicate where located.	not quite completed 1 bond. in your keeping for a \$100
21	Amount of Victory Loan Bonds held by deceased. Indicate whether registered or bearer and where located.	
22	If deceased had life insurance, name companies and amount payable under each policy and the person named as beneficiary therein.	—
23	Describe other assets, if any, and estimated value thereof. Use space on page 4 if necessary.	

## OTHER PARTICULARS

24	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.	
25	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 or elsewhere in the North American zone, 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 all the particulars shown on this form are correct, and a true and complete statement of all the relatives that the deceased ever had in the degrees specified; 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 or Commissioned Officer of any of His Majesty's Forces.

*Evelyn L. Lee*

{ Signature  
of  
Informant

*3665 Masson St. Montreal P.Q.*

Address

## CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief.....Mrs Evelyn L. Lee.....

\*See above. .... { Name of informant } is the\*.....mother.....of the Deceased above described. The above Declaration was made by the Informant and signed in my presence.

Dated at.....Montreal.....this.....14th.....day of.....March.....1945..

Signature of Clergyman, Priest, Magistrate, Commissioner or Notary Public or Commissioned Officer of any of His Majesty's Forces.

*Paul Guillet*

Qualification.....Notary.....

Address.....3002 Masson Street Rosemont Montreal......

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 specified is stated in its proper place in the Statement opposite.

(If the deceased has no living relatives of the degrees shown on page 2, the names and addresses and relationship of other relatives should be set out below.)

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

*I understand my son had a small monthly allowance with the Bonds Tailors Halifax I understand they returned the balance left to your department also I would like you to look into the \$100. bond you are holding that is not quite completed*



Department of National Defence

Naval Service

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

No. N.S. V-5761 PERS. (N)

OTTAWA, Ont. DEC 10 1944 194

39375



Sir:

In accordance with Naval Order No. 839, it is notified for your information that the following casualty in the Naval Forces of Canada has been reported:

<u>NAME, RANK/RATING NO.</u>	<u>PLACE, DATE &amp; CAUSE of DEATH</u>	<u>NEXT OF KIN</u>
LEE, Donald Fletcher Petty Officer, V-5761, R.C.N.V.R.	Missing, presumed dead on 21 August, 1944, from H.M.C.S. "ALBERNI".	Mother: Mrs. Evelyn Lee, 2665 Masson Street, ROSEMOUNT, MONTREAL, P.Q.

ALLOTMENTS IN FORCE

<u>In favor of</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Initials</u>
Mrs. Evelyn Lee 2665 Masson St. Rosemount Montreal, Que.	\$ 33.	J.P.
Bond clothes, 434 Barrington St. Halifax, N.S.	\$ 4.	
Rec. General 6th Victory Loan (May-June-July-Aug.)	\$ 67.20	
allots. stopped Aug 31/44		

WILL: No record.

Yours truly,

*J. G. Neard*

for  
SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

Administrator of Estates,  
Estates Branch,  
Department of National Defence,  
O T T A W A.

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

4  
NAVY

DECEASED  
MEMBER'S  
NAME

Donald Fletcher

LEE

(25)

REGISTER NO.

7616

(CHRISTIAN NAMES)

(SURNAME)

FILE NO.

NS.V-5761

PAYEE

Director of Estates,  
308 Sparks St.,  
Ottawa, Ont.

for Service Estate of  
Donald F. Lee,  
NS.V-5761

DATE

3rd July '45.

ADDRESS

SERVICE NO.

V-5761

FINAL RANK OR RATING

P.O.

DATE OF TERMINATION OF OVERSEAS SERVICE

21st Aug '44.

DATE OF DISCHARGE

21st Aug '44.

A. TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE

NO. OF DAYS 1546 EQUAL TO 51 COMPLETE PERIODS AT \$7.50

\$ 382.50

B. QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE

NO. OF DAYS 1306 LESS 16 INELIGIBLE DAYS, EQUAL TO 1290 DAYS @ 25c. PER DAY

322.50

C. SUPPLEMENT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE

DAILY RATES AT DISCHARGE

PAY \$ 2.40  
SUBSISTENCE OR LODGING  
AND PROVISION ALLOWANCE \$ 1.45  
ADDITIONAL PAY

Q.R.II \$ .15  
G.C.B. \$ .05  
H.L.M. \$ .30

DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE 1/30 OF \$

TOTAL \$ 4.35 X 7 = \$ 30.45  
NO. OF DAYS 1306 X \$ 30.45

217.31

D. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

922.31

E. DEDUCTIONS

OVERPAYMENT OF

PAY AND ALLOWANCES \$  
DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE

AND ASSIGNED PAY \$ N11

OTHER DEDUCTIONS \$

F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE

922.31

G. YOUR PORTION OF GRATUITY IS—

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

= \$ 922.31

TOTAL DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE \$

*Voucher cheque 1070 - 12/7 - 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		CHECKED BY		TREASURY	
YN		<i>[Signature]</i>		CHECKED BY	
		<i>[Signature]</i>		DATE	
		<i>[Signature]</i>		<i>July 6/45</i>	

SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE

for Dir. Naval Pay Acctg.

STATEMENT OF WAR SERVICE GRATUITY - NAVY

*typed*

Deceased Member's Name

*Donald Fletchur LEE*  
(Christian Names) (Surname)

Payee

*Director of Estates for Service Estate of*

Register No. *7616*

Address

*308 Sparks St. Donald F. LEE  
Ottawa, Ont. N.S. V5761*

File No. *V-5761*

Date *28/3/45*

Service No. *V-5761*

Final Rank or Rating *P.O.*

Date of termination of overseas service *21 Aug '44*

Date of Discharge *21 Aug '44*

**A. TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE**

No. of days *154* equal to  $\frac{5}{30}$  complete periods at \$7.50

\$ *382.50*

**B. QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE**

No. of days *130* (less *10* ineligible days equal to *290* days @ 25¢ per day

\$ *322.50*

**C. SUPPLEMENT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE**

**DAILY RATES AT DISCHARGE**

Pay	\$	<i>2.40</i>
Subsistence or Lodging and Provision Allowance	\$	<i>1.45</i>
Additional Pay <i>R.R.I.</i>	\$	<i>.15</i>
<i>I.G.C.B.</i>	\$	<i>.05</i>
<i>H.L.M.</i>	\$	<i>.30</i>

Dependents' Allowance 1/30 of \$ *NIL*

Total  $4.35 \times 7 =$  \$ *30.45*

\$ *217.31*

No. of days  $\frac{2m \ 1306}{183} \times$  \$ *30.45*

\$ *214.65*

**D. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY**

\$ *919.65*

**E. DEDUCTIONS** OVERPAYMENT OF PAY AND ALLOWANCES \$  
DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE AND ASSIGNED PAY \$

\$ *922.31*

OTHER DEDUCTIONS \$ *nil*

**F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE**

\$ *922.31*

**G. YOUR PORTION OF GRATUITY IS**

Dependents' Allowance in issue to you \$ \_\_\_\_\_ of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ *922.31*  
Total Dependents' Allowance in issue \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**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.

		Treasury	
Prepared by	Checked by	Checked by	Date

Service Representative

**D.N.P.A. CHECK**

- |             |    |  |
|-------------|----|--|
| 1 <i>up</i> | \$ |  |
| 2 <i>up</i> | \$ |  |
| 3 <i>up</i> | \$ |  |
| 4 <i>up</i> | \$ |  |
| 5 <i>up</i> | \$ |  |

7616

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

Name of Deceased Member Donald Flecker LEE Rank or Rating P.O O.No. V5761

1. Dependents' Allowance and Assigned Pay in force at date of death:

D.A. —

A.P. 33.00

D.A. —

A.P. —

Mrs Evelyn Lillian LEE  
2665 Masson St.  
Montreal P.Q.

(MOTHER)

2. Pension awarded or being awarded to:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. War Service Gratuity Application(s) received from:

Mrs Evelyn Lillian LEE  
2665 Masson Street,  
Montreal, P.Q.

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:

(✓) To be paid to:

In the proportion of: /

26-6-45. Director of Estates

- and -

to:

In the proportion of: /

(X) 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:

X Group "B" (ii)

~~Group "C"~~ of the above mentioned Directive.

Date 29 mch' 45.

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

DECEASED

513

M.F.M. 441  
1 Mil. 9-44 (5449)  
H.Q. 1772-39-2326

Navy  
 Army  
 Air Force

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

(Mark X opposite Force in which you last served.)

NAVAL PERSONNEL RECORDS  
7616  
MAR 19 1945  
WAR SERVICE GRATUITY SECTION

### Application for War Service Gratuity (Canadian Armed Forces)

A complete reply must be given to every question in this application. If any question is not applicable, "N.A." is to be inserted.

- 1. Surname on termination of service LEE, DONALD, FLETCHER  
(Print)
- 2. Christian Names DONALD, FLETCHER  
(Print)
- 3. Service No. V5761      4. Paid rank or rating at date of termination of Service PO-NAVY-P

5. Address, in full, to which payments of gratuity are to be forwarded.....  
EVELYN, LEE  
2665 MASSON ST.  
MONTREAL, P.Q.

6. State below your period or periods of service in the Armed Forces of Canada during the present war.

Service (Navy, Army or Air Force)	Service No.	Final Rank or Rating	Date of Commencement of Service	Date of Termination of Service
<u>NAVY</u>		<u>P.O.</u>	<u>APRIL 1940.</u>	<u>AUG 21-1944</u>

7. Have you during the present War, while a member of the Canadian Forces, been attached, loaned or seconded to any of the Naval, Military, or Air Forces of His Majesty or of any power allied or associated with His Majesty? No..... If so, state name of Force or Forces..... No

8. Have you during the present War, while *not* a member of the Canadian Armed Forces, been appointed to or enlisted in any of the Naval, Military or Air Forces of His Majesty (other than the Canadian Armed Forces)? No..... If so, state the Force or Forces, with dates of commencement and termination of service.

Having now ceased to serve on Active Service, I hereby apply for payment of the War Service Gratuity.

Feb March 6/45  
(Date)

Evelyn Lillian Lee Walker  
(Signature of Applicant)

If name signed in space above represents a change from name given in question 1, insert here the name at termination of service. As cheques will be prepared in the name given in question 1, a specific address in question 5 is particularly essential.

NOTE: When completed this form is to be mailed to the Headquarters of the Service in which you last served. Viz: Navy—The Secretary, Naval Board, Naval Service Headquarters, Ottawa. (To be accompanied by Certificate of Service in the case of ratings.)  
Army—The Secretary, Department of National Defence (Army), Ottawa. Attention: Paymaster-General.  
Air Force—The Secretary, Department of National Defence for Air, Ottawa. Attention: Records Officer.

NON QUALIFYING SERVICE

(#)	Date	Reason	No. of Days
"		"	"
"		"	"
"		"	"
"		"	"
"		"	"
"		"	"
			<u>Total Days</u>

DATE OF DISCHARGE \_\_\_\_\_  
 DATE OF VETERAN STATUS \_\_\_\_\_  
 NUMBER OF DEPENDENTS \_\_\_\_\_

(%)  
OVERSEAS SERVICE:

Where Serving	From	To	No. of Days
St. Francis	25 Sep '40	17 Sep '41 ✓	358 ✓
Rosthern	1 Oct '41	3 Oct '41 ✓	3 ✓
Thunder	14 Oct '41	19 Nov '42 ✓	157 ✓
Prescott	10 Apr '42	6 Aug '42 ✓	119 ✓
Behrens	23 Oct '42	21 Aug '44 ✓	669 ✓

365	18	21	731
7	30	31	.62
<u>358</u>	31	30	<u>669</u>
	28	31	
	<u>19</u>	6	
	157	119	

1306 ✓

COMBINED SERVICE

NON QUALIFYING SERVICE



T.D.N.P.A. "G"

W.S.G. Application No. 7616 ✓

FILE NO. N.S. V-5761 ✓

"WAR SERVICE GRATUITY"

COMPUTATION OF SERVICE

<u>LEE</u>	<u>Donald Fletcher</u>	<u>V-5761</u>	<u>P.O.</u>
SURNAME	CHRISTIAN NAMES IN FULL	OFFICIAL NUMBER	RANK OR RATING ON DISCHARGE

CAUSE OF DISCHARGE: Dead / Accidental Casualty  
..... Applicant, Mother - ..... A.P. of 22 per mo. no. D.A.

1461
3
20
31
21
<hr/> 1546

TOTAL SERVICE

Date of Active Service 29 May '40 ✓  
 Date of Discharge 21 Aug '44 ✓  
 Total No. of Days 1546 ✓  
 # Less non qualifying service NIL ✓

Total Days 1546

OVERSEAS SERVICE

% Total No. of Days 1306 ✓  
 # Less non qualifying service NIL ✓

Total Days 1306 ✓

Record of Service in other Forces (per Naval Records)

Branch of Service \_\_\_\_\_ ✓  
 Date of Active Service \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Discharge \_\_\_\_\_

# & % Overleaf

Computed By [Signature]  
 Checked By [Signature]

DATE: MAR 19 1945

[Signature]  
 for (H.B. Money)  
 Payr. Cmdr. R.C.N.R.  
 Director of Personnel Records

C.F.H.C.

# SEAMAN BRANCH

## Application for, and report of result of, PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATION

for the rating of PETTY OFFICER

### I.—APPLICATION FOR EXAMINATION

H.M.C.S. ALBERNI

Name of Candidate (in full) LEE, DONALD FLETCHER

Present Rating LEADING SEAMAN O.N. V - 5761

Port Division

Date of Application for Examination 23 rd July, 1943.

Date and Particulars of Previous Failures:— NIL.

- (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 Petty Officer/~~Leading Seaman~~, and I consider that he has a reasonable chance of passing.

To Commanding Officer,

H.M.C.S. Chaleur 11

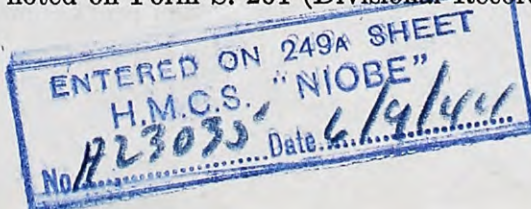
Jan G. Bell  
Captain  
Lieut./RCNVR

#### 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).

G.N.S. 441  
20M-9-42 (6368)  
N.S. 815-9-441



II.—RESULT OF EXAMINATION.

SECTION I

Whether "Passed" or "Failed" ..... PASSED VERY GOOD

(If passed state whether "V.G." (85% and above), "Good" (70% to 85%), or "Fair" (below 70%) )

(See A.F.O. 9/39)

SECTION II

Subject	Maximum Marks		Marks Required to Pass		Marks obtained	
	P.O.	L. Sea.	P.O.	L. Sea.	On Examination	On re-examination
Rigging.....	50	60	25	30	40	44
Anchor Work.....	60	50	30	25	30	45
Rule of the Road.....	30	30	15	15	15	
Boat Work.....	80	80	40	48	48	40
General Duties.....	80	60	40	30	20	64
Organization.....	40		20			30
Signals.....	30	30	15	15	15	18
Watertight Fittings.....	20	10	10	5-	5	17
Duties in Part of Ship and Mess.....		30			15	
	360					258

REMARKS—

The Candidate has:—

- (i) Passed a V.G. / Good / Fair Examination.  
(V.G.—85% and above, Good—70% to 85%, Fair—below 70%)
- (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... July 29th, 1943.

*E. Donald*  
President of Board

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

*Donald Fletcher Lee U.S.N.*

Basic date of passing professionally for.....

(K.R. and A.I. Appendix XII, Part 22A, Clauses 7 and 8)

*Petty Officer*

is.....

*23rd July 1943.*

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

H.M.C.S. "....." on..... 194.....

Date.....

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

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

.....  
Captain

H.M.C.S. ....

Date.....

D. F. LEE

NAME (Print)

A.I.P.O.

RANK OR RATING

V-5761

O.N.

ALBERNI

SHIP

# QUALIFICATIONS FOR AWARD

## CANADIAN VOLUNTEER MEDAL AND CLASP (N.O. 3275)

- (a) **MEDAL** Persons of any rank or rating who have voluntarily served on Active Service and have honourably completed eighteen months' total voluntary Service, whether in the Navy, Army or Air Forces of CANADA and whether continuous or not. *Time for which pay is not allowed will not be reckonable.*
- (b) **CLASP** A minimum of sixty days voluntary Service on duty beyond the territorial boundaries of Canada. Such period need not be continuous. Duty outside the boundaries of Canada in transit from one Canadian point to another Canadian point will not count as qualifying Service.

# QUALIFICATIONS FOR AWARD

## 1939-1943 STAR (N.O. 3287)

1. Six months' service afloat in areas of active operations during the period from the 3rd of September, 1939, to the 31st of December, 1943, inclusive. Service after the 31st of December, 1943, will not be reckoned.

These areas are:

- (a) From the 3rd of September, 1939, the Atlantic Ocean, including the United Kingdom waters and the North Sea; the Baltic; the Arctic Ocean between Greenland and longitude 70° E., and that part of the Indian Ocean lying South of 15° S., and West of 55° E.
- (b) From the 1st of June, 1940, as in (1) above with the addition of the Pacific Ocean and the rest of the Indian Ocean.
- (c) From the 10th of June, 1940, anywhere at sea.

2. Personnel granted an Honour, Decoration or Mention in Despatches for Service afloat prior to the 31st of December, 1943, will be eligible for the 1939-43 Star irrespective of the length of sea service.

I Hereby Declare That I Qualify For:

- (a) Canadian Volunteer Service Medal Ribbon.  
 (b) Canadian Volunteer Service Medal Clasp.  
 (c) 1939-1943 Star.

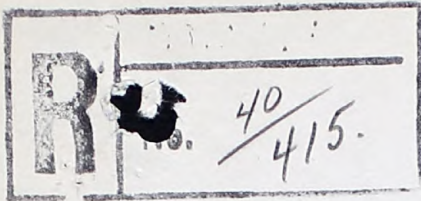
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Details of my qualifications are as follows:

SHIP OR PLACE	DAY, MONTH, YEAR						AREA
	FROM			TO			
Stadacona	30	May	40	33	Sept	40	NORTH ATLANTIC
St. Francis	24	Sept	40	10	Sept	41	
Thunder	5	Oct.	41	18	March	42	
Prescott	10	April	42	16	Oct	42	
Alberni	31	Oct.	42	31	Dec	43	
							MEDITERRANEAN
							NORTH ATLANTIC

Signature of Officer or Rating making Declaration

Noted on "STADACONA" 249a  
folio No. 18575 dated 3-2-44



2665 Hyarson St

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Hyoutreal P. Q.

Thursday

15. March

1945

15761

423678

Dear Sir

I am the mother & next of kin of my deceased sons I have applied by letter before for there gratuity money but have been refused. Is this what my sons gave there <sup>lives</sup> to Canada in vain for, they believed there officers when at lectures they were told in event of death there gratuity would go to ther next of kin. Do you believe all the money in the world can make up. ~~can make up~~ they were so willing to give. my husband also being in the army you must be made to understand that my means are nearly an exsetama. I have just returned from hospital due to broken health

with extreme shock & heart-  
~~to~~ trouble the cause being the  
death of my sons; they would  
have received this money had  
they lived but they are unim-  
portant to you now they are  
dead.

After this war is over I am  
going to try to visit one of my  
sons' grave. You are giving ~~you~~  
~~are giving~~ me their own money  
to go. There gratuity money  
if I have to organize all  
mothers throughout Canada  
who have lost a son to  
do this. Hoping to receive  
a favorable reply.

Yrs. truly

Lucy Lillian Lee

~~Mr. J. P. ...~~  
~~...~~  
~~...~~  
~~...~~

RECEIVED		Remarks
3	3	Routing
		Index
3	3	Mail
NO. 3	SECTION 3	
ENCLOSURES CHECKED IN N.C.R.		

RECEIVED  
 MAR 18 1945  
 N. S. H. Q.  
 Central Registry  
 Main Opening  
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RECEIVED  
 MAR 17 1945  
 F. M. O.  
 N. S. H. Q.

## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS—QUEBEC DEATH TRANSCRIPT

1. PLACE OF DEATH		Municipal county <b>AT SEA</b>		Official name of civil municipality or township		Place an X over the word which applies to this municipality or this territory City   Town   Village   Parish   Township																																																			
2. LENGTH OF STAY		(a) In hospital or institution		Years		Months		Days		(b) In municipality where death occurred		Years		Months		Days		(c) In Province		(d) In Canada (if immigrant)		Years		Months		Days																															
3. NAME OF DECEASED		Surname <b>LEE</b> (Block letters)		Given names <b>Donald Fletcher</b>		Street <b>Rosemount Blvd.</b>		No. <b>3222</b>		Official name of civil municipality or township <b>ROSEMOUNT</b>		Municipal county <b>MONTREAL</b>		Province <b>P.Q.</b>		5. SEX <b>Male</b>		6. NATIONALITY (Citizenship) <b>Canadian</b>		7. RACIAL ORIGIN <b>Single</b>		8. Single, Married, Widowed or Divorced (Write the word) <b>Single</b>		9. If married give name of wife or husband of deceased		10. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country) <b>Montreal, P. Q.</b>		11. DATE OF BIRTH <b>December 23 1919</b> (Month) (Day) (Year)		12. AGE OF DECEASED <b>24 8</b> Years Months Days If less than one day old .....hrs. or.....min.		13. Trade, profession or kind of work, as spinner, teamster, office clerk, etc. <b>Chemists Assistant</b>		14. Kind of industry or business, as cotton-mill, lumbering, bank, etc. <b>Stuart Brothers</b>		15. Date deceased last worked at this occupation		16. Total years spent in this occupation		17. NAME		18. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country)		19. Place of burial, cremation or removal <b>No</b>		20. Date of burial <b>Burial</b> 19.....		21. PLACE OF REGISTRATION OF THIS BURIAL		(a) Name of parish or church		(b) Civil municipality of		(c) Municipal county		(d) Date 19..... (Month) (Day) (Year)	
CONFIDENTIAL MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH																																																									
22. Date of death <b>August 21 1944</b> (Month) (Day) (Year)																																																									
23. I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from ..... 19..... to..... 19..... and last saw him..... alive on..... 19.....																																																									
24. CAUSE OF DEATH																																																									
I Immediate cause Give disease, injury or complication which caused death, not the mode of dying, such as heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. (a) <b>Missing, presumed dead.</b> due to (b) <b>He was serving in H.M.C.S.</b> due to (c) <b>"ALBERNI" which was sunk in the English Channel.</b>																																																									
II Other morbid conditions (if important) contributing to death but not causally related to immediate cause. (a) Date of appearance..... 19..... (b) Duration of disease..... days																																																									
III If a communicable disease is mentioned on this certificate, give																																																									
25. If a woman, was there a puerperal condition?.....																																																									
26. Was there a surgical operation?..... Date of..... 19..... State findings..... Was there an autopsy?.....																																																									
27. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following:— Accident, suicide or homicide..... Date..... 19..... (State which) Manner of injury..... (How sustained) Nature of injury..... Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place.....																																																									
Signed..... M.D. Address..... Date..... 19.....																																																									
28. Signature of person who fills in the form (curate, coroner, hospital authority, etc.) <b>Payar, Commander, R.C.N.R.</b> This signature authorizes the collector to accept this form as authentic.																																																									
29. Name of clergyman in charge of Register of Civil Status in which registration of this burial was made. (Voir l'autre côté pour le français)																																																									

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File No... N.S. V-5761 Pers. (N)...

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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE  
- Naval Service -

WAR MEMORIAL CROSS



Issued to:+

Wife:-

Mother:-

Mrs. Evelyn Lee,  
2665 Masson Street,  
Rosemount, Montreal, P.Q.

Date forwarded:-

JAN 17 1945

Registered Mail No: 3492

P.A.'S CHECKED IN  
C.R. BY.....

REMARKS: .....

THIS PORTION OF FORM COMPLETED BY CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER, DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE, NAVAL SERVICE.

<u>Names of Dependents</u>	<u>Relationship</u>	<u>Maiden name of wife</u>	<u>Date of marriage and/or date of birth of children</u>
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	<u>D. A.</u>	<u>A. P.</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>Monthly rate:</u>	Nil	\$33.00	\$33.00

To Whom Paid: Mrs. Evelyn Lee      Address 2665 Masson St.,  
Rosemont, Montreal, Quebec.

Date of Enlistment: See other side

Date of Discharge: See other side

Inclusive date to which D.A. and/or A.P. was Paid: August 31, 1944

The final deduction of Assigned Pay for \$33.00 has been made for the period from 1st to 31st. of August 1944.

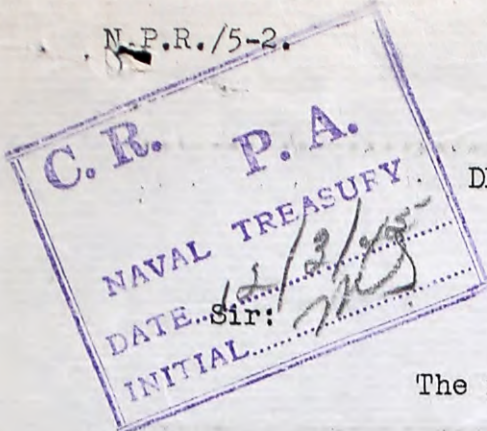
Remarks:

Computed by.....  
Checked by.....

*Alec J. Roswell*

for  
Chief Treasury Officer,  
DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE,  
(Naval Service).

The Secretary, The Canadian Pension Commission,  
Room 228, Daly Building, OTTAWA, Ontario.



DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE  
- Naval Service -  
Ottawa, Canada.

..... DEC. 16 1944 .....  
(Date) 26

The following casualty has been reported -

NAME	RANK or RATING	NAVAL NO.
LEE, Donald Fletcher	Petty Officer	V-5761 R.C.N.V.R.

DATE OF ENLISTMENT - 16 May, 1940

DATE OF DISCHARGE - 21 August, 1944

HOSPITAL -

(If discharged in hospital under jurisdiction of D.P. & M.H.)

SERVICE - CANADA & HIGH SEAS

(Indicate whether in Canada only; or in Canada and the high seas or elsewhere.)

Reason for discharge and - Missing, presumed dead. He was serving in H.M.C.S.  
when and where any disability "ALBERNI" which was sunk in the English Channel.  
was incurred, or where death "ALBERNI" which was sunk in the English Channel.  
occurred.

(Show clearly whether death or disability due to enemy action, accident or disease, and whether it occurred in Canada, or on the high seas or elsewhere outside Canada.)

NEXT OF KIN & RELATIONSHIP -

RELATIONSHIP - Mother

NAME - Mrs. Evelyn Lee,

ADDRESS - 2665 Masson Street, ROSEMOUNT, Montreal, P. Q.

NOTE: If records indicate that rating was separated from his wife, legally or otherwise, details to be furnished and copy of any Court Order, the Separation Agreement, etc., to be furnished.

FORM "A" RESPECTING THE ABOVE NAMED HAS BEEN PREVIOUSLY FORWARDED. PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR DETAILS OF MARRIAGE ALLOWANCE, DEPENDENT'S ALLOWANCE, etc.

LETTER dispatched by  
PERSONNEL NAVAL  
AUG 30 1944

V-5761 PERS. (N)

123582

29 August, 1944.

Dear Mrs. Lee:

Further to my letter of the 23rd August, details of the disaster in which your son has been reported missing are now being released.

H.M.C.S. "ALBERNI" was sunk while on invasion duties in the English Channel. Four officers and fifty-five ratings are missing, with three officers and twenty-eight ratings having survived.

It is regretted that the position of the loss cannot be given, but it is considered unlikely that prisoners of war will be taken.

It is requested that you will keep this information in confidence until an official announcement is made.

May I again express sincere sympathy with you in your anxiety.

Yours sincerely,

LOOKED IN  
C.R. BY.....  
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SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

FILE  
ACTION TAKEN

Mrs. Evelyn Lee,  
2665 Masson St.,  
ROSEMONT, Montreal, Que.

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F.M.O., Halifax, N.S.,  
August 26th, 1944.

N.S. V-5761. ~~PERS.~~(N)

My dear Mrs. Lee:

I was the captain of H.M.C.S. "Alberni" and I know there is nothing I can say that will help you in your great loss. I just wanted you to know that you have my sincerest sympathy. Don has been with me for two years and we have become more friends than officer and petty officer so I feel his loss terribly. He was an excellent chief bosun's mate both efficient and reliable and was very well liked by all the officers and men. He appeared to be very happy aboard.

The only minor comfort I can give you is that he was down below at the time the ship was hit and as the ship sank instantly I am sure he did not suffer any pain.

I hope that if I am ever in Montreal you will give me the pleasure of allowing me to call on you.

If there is any way in which I can help you, do not hesitate to write me.

Yours sincerely,

"Ian Bell"  
Lieutenant Commander, R.C.N.V.R.

Mrs. Evelyn Lee,  
2665 Masson St.,  
Rosemont, Montreal, Que.

P.A.'S CHECKED IN  
C.R. BY *R*

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OTTAWA, Ontario 26 August, 1944  
N.S. V-5761 PERS. (N)

Dear Sir:

The undermentioned Canadian Naval Casualty is forwarded to you for transmission to the Inspector of Income Tax concerned:

Name..... LEE..... Donald Fletcher.....  
(Surname) (Christian Names)

Rank/Rating . Petty Officer.....

Official No., V-5761 R.C.N.V.R.....

Nature of Casualty . Missing at sea when ship in which serving was lost by enemy action in English Channel.

Date of Casualty Will be reported later.....

Address at time of Enlistment . 3222 Rosemount Blvd., Rosemount, Montreal.....

Marital Status at time of Enlistment.. Single.....

Occupation.. Chemists Assistant.....

Name & Address of Next of Kin Mother: Mrs. Evelyn Lee.....  
2665 Masson St., Rosemont, Montreal, Quebec.....

Yours truly,

*H.B. Money*

for

SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD. *e*

The Deputy Minister (Taxation),  
Department of National Revenue,  
Ottawa, Ont.

*B.D.* 30/11/44  
NPRS  
*e*

LA/DL

R E G I S T E R E D

NAVAL SERVICE

AIR MAIL

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N.S. V-5761 (Pers. N)

23 August, 1944.

Dear Mrs. Lee:

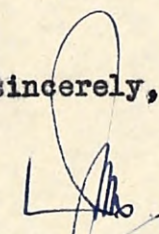
It is with deepest regret that I must confirm the telegram of the 23rd August, 1944, from the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services, informing you that your son, Donald Fletcher Lee, Petty Officer, Official Number V.5761, Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, is missing at sea.

The only information that can be given at this time is that your son is missing at sea when the ship in which he was serving was lost by enemy action in the English Channel. As soon as further particulars can be released, you will be informed.

Should you know the name of the ship in which he was serving, it is requested, for security reasons, you will regard this information as confidential until such time as an official announcement is made.

Please accept the sincere sympathy of the Department in your anxiety.

Yours sincerely,

  
SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

Mrs. Evelyn Lee,  
2665 Masson St.,  
Rosemont, Montreal,  
Quebec.



ORIGINAL *D 729*  
P 46259

NATIONAL LEDGER  
*13-459*  
H.Q. File No. ....  
CANADA *10*

## DECLARATION OF ALLOTMENT

List and Number in Ledger	ALLOTOR	Rank or Rating	Official No.	Daily Rate of Pay
S. FRANCIS  <b>SII-11</b>	Surname..... <b>LEE</b>  Christian Names } <b>Donald Fletcher</b>	<b>A.B. RCNVR</b>	<b>V:N.K.</b>	<b>\$1.85</b>

**Section A** **ALLOTMENT NOW DECLARED** *262031*

FULL NAME OF ALLOTTEE	Relationship	ADDRESS	Rate per Month to be charged on ledger	Month to commence. Payable on last working day
Surname..... <b>LEE</b> Christian Names } <b>Mrs. Evelyn</b>	<b>Mother</b>	<b>3222 Rosemount Blvd. Montreal, P.Q.</b>	<b>\$33.00 (INC)</b>	<b>May</b>

**Section B** **DISPOSAL OF EXISTING ALLOTMENTS** (See Note 1 below)

The following allotments are in force:—

Rate	NAME OF ALLOTTEE	ADDRESS	These allotments are to be disposed of as indicated below. (See Note 2):—
<i>(increased May)</i> \$18.00	<b>Mrs. Evelyn Lee</b>	<b>Montreal, P. Q.</b>	<b>Increased as Section A.</b>
\$4.00	<b>Bond Cloths Shop</b>	<b>Halifax, N. S.</b>	<b>To be continued.</b>



Note 1:—If there be no existing Allotment, the word "NIL" should be written across Section B.  
Note 2:—Write "Increased or reduced as Section A"; "To be stopped (charged to.....)"; "To be continued," etc.

Allotter's Signature authorizing charges..... *D. Lee*  
**A.B.** Rank or Rating

ENTERED IN FAIR LEDGER  <i>[Signature]</i>	ENTERED IN ROUGH LEDGER  <i>[Signature]</i>
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The allotment now declared has been duly entered in the Fair and Rough Ledgers with effect from the appropriate date. The reduction or transfer has been duly approved by the Commanding Officer and the reasons for the alteration are:—



THE NAVAL SECRETARY,  
Department of National Defence,  
(Naval Service)  
Ottawa, Ont.

*[Signature]*  
Accountant Officer

H.M.C.S. "NIOBE"

Forwarded.....

**S. 63**  
40M-4-40 (4787)  
N.S. 816-9-63

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Object	111	\$
	113	\$
	116	\$
	119	\$
	128	\$
Total	33	00



# DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE — NAVAL SERVICE

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

OTTAWA, CANADA

To Enclosed find Official Cheque in payment of Naval Allotment(s) as shown below

*12 allotted \$ 51.40*  
MRS EVELYN LEE  
3222 ROSEMOUNT BLVD  
MONTREAL P Q

APR 1941 CHEQUE NO. 13197

ALLOTTER'S NAME	REFERENCE NO.	AMOUNT
LEE DONALD F		1800
		1800 *

Please note any change in your Address  
on reverse side and return

Please send my next cheque to

byrs Evelyn Lee

54 12 Iberville St

P 47409

262021

Ent'd. on Index Card	Montreal	P. Q.
Ent'd. on Allotment Ledgers	<i>M. Lee</i>	7/57 /41

MAY - 2 1941  
N.S. 1137-459  
CANADA

old address

3222 Blvd

Rosemount Montreal P.Q.

Noted in Service  
Records by: *J.P.D.*

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C.N.S.—537

30M—3-40 (4218)  
N.S.—15-9-537

113-2459

This information is to be completed and handed in at the pay table before receiving next payment.

**THIS IS NOT A WILL\***

No. on Ship's Books *5<sup>th</sup> Eleven* *5<sup>th</sup> 11*

NAME *Donald Fletcher Lee*

Port Division and Official No. (Ratings) { *R.C.N.V.R. Montreal*  
*V 5761*

Rank or Rating *Ordinary Seaman GR III*

Ship *H.M.C.S. St. Francis*

Nearest known Relative or Friend (in block letters):—

Relationship (Wife, Mother, etc.) *MOTHER*

Christian Names in full of Relative or Friend } *EVELYN LILIAN*

Surname of Relative or Friend } *LEE*

Full Address of Relative or Friend { *3222 Rosemount  
Boulevard,  
Montreal, Que.*

\*NOTE 1.—The nomination on this form does not in any way control the disposal of effects in the event of death, for which purpose ratings should make a Will, duly witnessed by two disinterested witnesses. (See Form of Will, S.—545.)

2.—Should any alteration occur in the name, address, or relationship given above, the Ship's Office must be informed immediately in order that the Service Certificate may be brought up to date, and the form forwarded to the appropriate S. Depôt.

*Jmcd.*

JUN 11 1940

N.S. 113 2459

This form is for the use of applicants for entry as Officer, Engine-Room Artificer or Engineman, in the R.C.N.R. or R.C.N.V.R. It may also be sent in by Seamen and Stokers of the Mercantile Marine who wish to enter the R.C.N.R. in those ratings. Other ratings will only be entered through R.C.N.V.R. Divisions where they must present themselves in person, and applications forwarded on this form will not be considered.

OFFER OF SERVICE FOR HOSTILITIES (NAVAL)

NAME:- *Donald Lee* Address and *3222 Rosemount Blvd.*  
 Surname Christian Names Telephone No. *FR. 7911*

Date of birth:- *1919* Rank or rating last held (if any) *1*

Class and No. of any Mercantile Marine Certificate held:- *None*  
 (Masters, Mates or Engineers)

Class and No. of any Stationary Engineer's Certificate held:- *None 029024*

Brief summary of Naval and/or Mercantile Marine experience:- *None*

Any other special qualifications likely to be of value to the Navy:- *None*

Any physical defects (especially eyesight):- *None*

Languages spoken:-  
 (other than English or French). *None*

Profession, Trade or Occupation in Civil Life:-  
*Clerk*

Are you (1) Actively pursuing your profession or trade on your own account:- *yes*

or (2) In employment, if so in what capacity and under what employer:- *Stuart Bros.*

Are you applying for entry as an Officer or as a rating (i.e. in the ranks)? *Rating*

If you cannot be accepted as an Officer (or not immediately) are you willing to enter as a rating? *yes*

PLEASE DO NOT WRITE ANY FURTHER WITH REGARD TO THIS APPLICATION, AND DO NOT CALL IN PERSON, UNLESS REQUESTED TO DO SO.

THE COMPLETION OF THIS FORM DOES NOT BIND THE APPLICANT TO ACCEPT ANY POSITION OFFERED IN THE NAVAL SERVICE, AND DOES NOT DEBAR HIM FROM SEEKING A POSITION IN THE OTHER DEFENCE FORCES.

CERTIFICATES, TESTIMONIALS, PHOTOGRAPHS, ETC. SHOULD NOT BE FORWARDED WITH THIS FORM. IF REQUIRED THEY WILL BE ASKED FOR LATER.

*Donald Lee.*

To be sent, when completed, to:

The Naval Secretary,  
 The Department of National Defence,  
 OTTAWA, Ontario.

Proof of Birth Sighted