

PADDON
JAMES WEYMUTH
2730

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR CANDIDATES FOR ENTRY ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

(NOTE.—Reply to question 1 to be in Block Letters. Replies to other questions to be in the handwriting of the Candidate)

1. Name (in full) JAMES WEYMOUTH PADDOX
2. Date and Place of Birth Sept 16, 1917 Windsor Ont.
*Birth Certificate, declaration by parents or affidavit as to date of birth must be attached.
3. Permanent place of residence Sandwich Ont. 363 California Ave.
(Address in full)
4. How long resident in Canada? 16 1/2 yrs.
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? Ordinary Seaman.
8. How far advanced educationally are you? Second year High School
*Attach certificate, diploma, etc, if any.
9. Statement of present and previous employment. (Details of all previous employment should be given)
Have always attended school.
*Attach any testimonials or recommendations from employers.
10. Do you belong to any Naval, Military Reserve or Territorial Force? #1316 Sea Cadet.
MD #1.
11. Have you ever served in such forces? Give dates and details.
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? 159 lbs.
15. What is your height? 6' 1"
16. What is your chest measurement? (Not inflated) 36 in.
17. Are you free from all physical defects and malformation, and not subject to fits? Yes.
18. Are you willing to be vaccinated and inoculated as considered necessary by the appropriate authorities? Yes.
19. If accepted and sent at Government expense to a Naval Base, do you agree to join the Royal Canadian Navy for seven years' continuous and general service? Should you fail to do so for any reason within your own control, do you agree to refund to the Department of National Defence the expenses incurred by that Department for your transportation to the Naval Base? Yes.

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

Signature

Address

Date

Witness to Signature

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

C.N.S. 2417.

3m-3-32-M752

N.S. 815-9-2417

M 7172

MAY 22 1934

U.S. 62-21-4 P.
CANADA

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.)

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

I hereby certify that my ^{son,*}
~~ward~~

James Weymuth Paddon

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, † *Sept. 16 - 1917*

His Religious persuasion is, *Roman Catholic*

Witness my hand at *Sandwich, Ont.*

20 day of *May* 193*4*

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

†† Parent's
Guardian's Signature in full

George Henry Paddon

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

† Parent's
Guardian's Address

*363 California Ave.
Sandwich, Ont.*

In the case of a Guardian see other side.

I, the above named *James Weymuth Paddon* do consent to enter the Naval Service of Canada.

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

§ Boy's signature in full *James Weymuth Paddon*

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

James Weymuth Paddon

And [Here write Parent or Guardian's name]

George Henry Paddon
E. Wallor

In the presence of

Sandwich, Ontario Address.

[OVER]

MAIN FILE
CHARGED TO *Kennedy*
SINCE
REC'D. CENTRAL REGISTER
22 1934
REFERRED TO *Kennedy*
CNS. 2418
1M-12-30
H.Q. 815-9-2418

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 Boys § Parent, and Guardian, am † aware** ~~she~~ he has consented to the Boy's entry as above, and I believe the particulars

stated herein to be true.

E. Willcox C.S.B. Clergyman of the Parish.

or.....Resident Householder }

Pastor ~~Pastor~~ Occupation.

Assumption Church, Sandwich address.

May 14 1934

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.....

SignedMother.

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.....

SignedGuardian.

Entered from SANDWICH, ONT.

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

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

2730

CONTINUOUS SERVICE ENGAGEMENT, OR RE-ENGAGEMENT

To be forwarded to the Naval Secretary, Department of National Defence, with Form S. 59

CHRISTIAN AND SURNAME IN FULL James Weymuth PADDON.		NEXT OF KIN Mother, Delena. Name..... 363, California, Address..... SANDWICH, ONT.		PRESENT RATING Boy Seaman.
DATE OF BIRTH* 16th. September, 1917.	PLACE OF BIRTH† Town..... Windsor. County..... Province..... Ontario.		NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER Commander C.R.H. Taylor, RCN, Commanding Officer HMCS "STADACONA".	

Personal Description at the Date of this Document

Height	Chest	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	WOUNDS, SCARS OR MARKS	Religious Denomination	TRADE OR OCCUPATION
6'2½"	34"	Fair	Blue	Medium	Scar Left Shin	Roman Catholic.	Clerk.

Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement	16th. September, 1935.	Period of Engage- ment or Re- engagement	Seven Years CS.
Date of actually vol- unteering to en- gage or re-engage	9th. September, 1935.	Date of entering present ship	9th. September, 1935.

Particulars of former Continuous Service Engagements, if any; but, if none, and the person engaging has had previous Service, the date of his First Entry should be given. If the person has not previously served, write the words "First Entry" here.

First Entry.

If an Engagement is ante-dated for any period, the man's services for such period should be forwarded in to office, with the Engagement, on Form S.—1243.

Declaration of Entry or Re-Entry from Shore for Continuous Service

The following questions are to be put by the Commanding Officer to the person about to engage for Continuous Service, whose answers are to be recorded hereon:—

- Are the particulars given above of your name and date and place of birth correct?.....**Yes.**
- Are you a British subject? †.....**Yes.**
- Nationality of parents—Father.....**English.** Mother.....**French-Canadian.**
- 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? ‡.....**Border Cities Sea Cadets.
1931-1934.**
- Do you now belong to the Militia, Volunteers (Naval or Military), Territorial Force or any Regiment or Corps in His Majesty's Army, or to any established Naval or Army Reserve Force, or to the R.C. Mounted Police? ‡.....**No.**
- Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's service, or discharged from it on that account? If so, state reason of rejection or discharge, and date.....**No.**
- Have you ever been discharged from the Navy, Marines, Army or R.C. Mounted Police on account of misconduct?.....**No.**
- Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?.....**Yes.**
- Can you swim?.....**Yes.**

* When evidence of age is obtained on First Entry, it should be attached to this Form.

† Foreigners are not to be entered. On the entry of a person born out of the British Empire, it should be ascertained that he is (and in the case of a boy, that his father is) a British Subject, and evidence of the fact should be attached to the "Entry Papers."

‡ Particulars of service in the Army, Army Reserve, Naval Reserve, Marines, Militia, or H. M. Indian or Colonial Military Forces, or in the Merchant Service should be forwarded in to office with this Engagement. If a member of the Royal Fleet Reserve, the man's Registrar is to be immediately informed of his entry (Royal Fleet Reserve Instructions). If an R.N.R. man, state number of R.V. 2.

(OVER)

C.N.S. 55

2M—3-32
N.S. 815—9-55

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 **9th. September, 1935.** 193.....

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

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

..... **COMMANDER** Commanding Officer
..... **Lt Adams** Lieutenant
..... **Major, RCAMC** Medical Officer

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

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

..... **James Weymouth Paddock** Boy's Signature in full
Witness to Signature..... **PP-Writer**

Attested before me this **9th.** day of **September, 1935.** 193.....

..... **Lt Adams** } Signature of a Commissioned
..... **Lieutenant.** } 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
....., who on the of 193.....
engaged to serve in the Naval Service of Canada for a period of § years, do hereby
engage to serve for a further period || from ¶ 193.....
provided my services should be so long required.

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

Witness, Commanding Officer

* Insert "for the term of (number in words) years," or "to complete (number) years for pension," or "until I attain the age of years."
† Insert the date from which the engagement actually commences.
‡ The document conveying the consent to be attached to this paper. (N.B.—Not required in the case of youths over 17 years of age.)
§ To be written in words.
|| Insert as follows:—"Of (number) years," or "to complete time for pension," or "until I attain the age of years," as the case may be.
¶ Insert the date of commencement of the re-engagement, which must either be coincident with, or (when the re-engagement is ante-dated) earlier than the date of execution.

New Can. S. 459.

Late. S. 421. Established, 1910.
Imp.: S. 459.

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

James Weymouth **PADDON.**
in the Naval Service of Canada.

PORT DIVISION

Halifax, N.S.

OFFICIAL NUMBER

2730

Date of Birth

16th September, 1917.

Where born

Town

Windsor,

County and Province

Ontario

Usual place of residence

Trade brought up to

Clerk

Religious denomination

Roman Catholic

Next of kin

Mother - Delina - 692 California Ave, Windsor

Can swim

15 Oct '35 - P.P.T. (V.L.) 22 Aug '36 - P.S.T. (V.L.) 1st Class

Man's signature on discharge to pension

CONTINUOUS SERVICE ENGAGEMENTS.

MEDALS, CLASPS, &c.

Date of actually volunteering.

Commencement of time.

Period volunteering for.

Date Received.

Nature of Decoration.

9th September, 1935

16 Sep. 1935

Seven years.

DESCRIPTION OF PERSON.

STATURE

COLOUR OF

MARKS, WOUNDS AND SCARS.

Feet.

In.

Complexion.

Hair.

Eyes.

On entry as a boy.....

6 2 1/4

Medium

Thin

Blue

Scar, Left shin

On advancement to man's rating, or on entry under 28 years...

6 2 1/4

Medium

Fair

Blue

Scar, Left shin

On re-entry for C.S. or for Non-C.S. after attaining 28 years..

Further description if necessary..

Name

James Weymouth PADDON.

SHIP'S NAME	LIST AND No.	RATING	FROM	TO	CAUSE OF DISCHARGE.
"Stadacona"	5 ² 265	Bay Seaman	9 Sep. 1935	15 Sep. '35	
" - " -	" "	Ord. Smn.	16 Sep. '35	15 June '36	
"Saguenay"	- -	- " -	16 June '36	16 Feb. '37	
"Stadacona"	- -	- " -	17 Feb. '37	23 Apr. '37	
"Saguenay"	- -	- " -	24 Apr. '37	20 May '37	
" - " -	- -	A.B.	21 May '37	3 Jan. '38	
"St. Laurent"	- -	- " -	4 Jan. '38	20 Apr. '38	
"Skeena"	- -	- " -	21 Apr. '38	10 FEB '39	
"Stadacona" ("Inture")	- -	- " -	11 FEB '39	11 Apr. '39	
Stadacona	- -	- " -	12 Apr. '39	22 June '39	
"Osprey"	- -	- " -	23 June '39	3 Oct. '39	
Nelby	- -	- " -	4 Oct. '39	14 Oct. '39	
Stadacona	- -	- " -	18 Oct. '39	12 Nov. '39	
Fraser	- -	- " -	13 Nov. '39	30 June '40	DD

DATE	Wounds received in Action and Hurt Certificate; also any meritorious Service, Special recommendations, Prize or other grants	CAPTAIN'S SIGNATURE

DATE

5 Nov.

11 Aug.

14 July

29 Sept.

DISCHARGE.

IN'S URE

GOOD CONDUCT BADGES		
Date	1st, 2nd, 3rd	Granted, Deprived Restored.
16 Aug 38	1st.	Granted.

[illegible]

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OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME PADDON
(Surname)

James Weymuth
(Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER 2730

Ship or Establishment	Rating	From			Remarks	Character	Efficiency	Date			Non-Sub. Rating	Qualified			Re-Qualified		
		Day	Month	Year				Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
Stadacona	Boy	9	9	35		V.G.	Sat	31	12	35							
"	Ord. Smn.	16	9	35	Lent Saguenay 16/6/36.	V.G.	Sat	31	12	36	S.D.	22	9	39			
Saguenay	"	1	7	36		V.G.	Mod	31	12	37							
Stadacona	"	17	2	37		V.G.	Sat	31	12	38							
Saguenay	"	24	4	37		V.G.	Sat	31	12	39							
"	A.B.	21	5	37		V.G.	Supr.	30	6	40							
St. Laurent	"	4	1	38													
Skeena	"	21	4	38													
Venture	"	11	2	39													
Stadacona	"	12	4	39	Lent Stadacona 10-12/11/39.												
HMS. Osprey	"	23	6	39	Lent Saguenay 3/3/40-4/3/40.												
Assiniboine	"	18	10	39	Lent Saguenay 10/3/40-11/3/40.												
Fraser	"	25	10	39													
Discharged		25	6	40	Dead-Killed in Action.												

GENERAL REMARKS

17.4.41.- Canadian Memorial Crosses
issued to Wife:
Mrs. Betty Ann Paddon,
703 Partington Ave.,
WINDSOR, Ont.
and
Mother:
Mrs. Delina E. Paddon,
692 California Ave.,
WINDSOR, Ont.

DATE OF BIRTH	16	9	17	11	830	0	10	3	1	12	12	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0
DATE OF BIRTH	16	9	17	11	830	0	10	3	1	12	12	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0
BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS
ENLIST. DATE	09	09	35	09	09	35	09	09	35	09	09	35	09	09	35	09	09	35	09
BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS
SENIORITY	STR	NON-SUB	STR	NON-SUB	STR	NON-SUB	STR	NON-SUB	STR	NON-SUB	STR	NON-SUB	STR	NON-SUB	STR	NON-SUB	STR	NON-SUB	STR
BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS	BY	MO	1	VS
18	10	39	09	32	00	20	25	06	40	7	15	11							

DECEASED 25 June 1940

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS

NAVY

D.D.
WAR SERVICE RECORDS

PADDON	James W.	N-2730	A.B.	FILE No.
SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS)	CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. No.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT

WAR SERVICE

BADGE

(CLASS)

No.

DATE DESPATCHED:

ADDRESS:

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

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(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

RCN "FRASER"

July/41

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALSPERSONENTITLED TO Mrs. E. Ann ^{Beggs} Paddon - Widow*Medals
(to mother, with widows consent)*

(1)

ADDRESS:

~~703 Partington Ave.,
Windsor, Ont.~~ (6-1-50)(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW

Mrs. George H. Paddon, (mother)
692 California Avenue,
Windsor, Ontario.(2) MEMORIAL CROSS Issued
17 April 1941

ADDRESS:

Mrs. Betty Anne Paddon (Widow)
703 Partington Avenue
WINDSOR, Ontario(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER

Mrs. Delina E. Paddon

692 California Avenue
WINDSOR, Ontario

ADDRESS:

(Issued 17 April 1941)

MEMORIAL BAR

DATE DESP

REGN. NO. 2241

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MEMORANDUM FOR

Mrs. E. Ann Paddon.

703 Partington Ave.,

Windsor, Ont.

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. N.S. 62-P. 185 FD. 34

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
OTTAWA, ONT.

APRIL 15th, 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

PADDON, James W., A.B.,

No. 2730, 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.....	Elizabeth Anne Laddan	23	visiting St. Sebastian Pl., Halifax, Nova Scotia	
2	Children of the Deceased and dates of their Births.....	None.		Permanent address 703 Hartington Ave Shindler, Ont.	
3	Father of the Deceased.....	George Henry Laddan	49	692 California Ave., Shindler, Ontario.	
4	Mother of the Deceased.....	Delina Elizabeth Laddan	48	692 California Ave., Shindler, Ontario.	
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Full Blood	George Howard Laddan Bernard Morris Laddan John Neil Laddan	15 13 5	692 California Ave Shindler, Ontario.
		Half Blood			
6	Sisters of the Deceased	Full Blood	Marie Sarah Bondy	21	692 California Ave., Shindler, Ontario.
		Half Blood			
	Names of brothers or sisters (whether of the full or the half blood) of the De- ceased, who are dead, and date of death of each.	Names and ages of their children (if any)	Address of their children		
7	Steynuth James Laddan Died - July 14, 1916. Catherine Jean Laddan Died - March 9, 1923.				

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

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

FULL PARTICULARS AS TO IDENTITY

10	What is the full name of the deceased?	
11	Give the month and year of his birth.	
12	Where and when were his parents married?	
13	Was he ever married? If so, state exact place and date of marriage.	
14	Did he leave a (later) Will? If so, it should be forwarded.	
15	Is there any other estate which will necessitate application being made for Probate or Letters of Administration?	

PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

16	Where was deceased born?	<i>Windsor Ontario.</i>
17	In what Province, Country or State did he reside, and in which last?	<i>Ontario, and resided last in Nova Scotia.</i>
18	How long in each?	<i>Ontario - 22 yrs. Nova Scotia - 6 months.</i>
19	What was the nature of his employment?	<i>attended school until enlisted in R.C.N.</i>
20	Did he own the house or homestead in which he lived? If so, where?	<i>No.</i>
21	Did he ever state verbally, or in writing, where he intended to make his permanent home?	<i>In Halifax, Nova Scotia while in Service.</i>
22	State <u>your</u> postal address in full.	<i>703 Dartington Ave., Windsor Ontario.</i>

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).	<i>I have since paid: Robert Simpson & Eastern Ltd. Dr. A.M. Marshall.</i>

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.

(PLEASE TURN OVER)

DECLARATION

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

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

* widow of the deceased.

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

Elizabeth Anne Ladden

{ Signature of Informant

CERTIFICATE

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

*See above

Padden { 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 Halifax this 15th day of May 1941

Signature of Clergyman, }
Priest or Magistrate

C. F. Llewellyn

Qualification

R. C. Clergyman

Address St. Joseph's Rectory, Halifax N.S.

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.

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REPORT OF THE DEATH OF AN OFFICER, MAN OR BOY

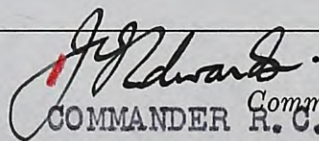
H.M.C.S. Stadacona at Halifax, N.S. 62 P 185 11 S
JUL 25 1940
N.S. CANADAName PADDON, James Weymuth
(Christian names in full)Rank of Rating Able Seaman Official No. 2730
(If unknown, date of first entry)Place of Birth Windsor, Ontario Date of Birth 16th September, 1917Occupation in Civil Life Clerk Religion Roman CatholicNumber of years service in the Navy (Long Service R.C.N., or mobilized service in case of R.C.N.
(Temporary) or Reserve ratings) Four years and nine monthsDate of Death 25th June, 1940 Place of Death At SeaCause of Death Loss of H.M.C.S. "FRASER" by collision
(If due to accident, violence, or enemy action, particulars to be stated briefly)Nearest known relative or friend { Name Delina Paddon Relationship Mother
Address 692 California Avenue,
Windsor, OntarioDate on which the above was informed by Ship Informed by N.S.H.Q.

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 Not Known Date of Burial Not Known
(if known) (if known)Location, Number, etc., of grave
(if known)Undertaker employed
(if any)

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


Commanding Officer,
COMMANDER R.C.N.
30th June 1940The 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.

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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 Officer and forwarded to the Naval Secretary, Department of National Defence, Ottawa.

I, the undersigned, have examined JAMES WEYMOUTH PADDON
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 London the 15 of July 1935

[Signature]
Examining Medical Officer
(Rank) Major B.A.M.C.

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

Age { Years Months (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- ect and No. defective, if any), Nose, Tonsils, etc. (o)	Anus, Hæmorrhoids, etc. (p)
17 yrs. 10 mos.	152 lbs.	6 ft. 2 in.	Good	inches (a) maximum 37 1/2 (b) minimum 34 1/2 (c) mean 35 1/2	right eye 20/20 left eye 20/20 colour vision Good	rec 4 yrs ago	Heart 72 lungs neg	neg no hernia	Good	neg	neg	neg	Just good all the quinta but filling	neg

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.

James W. Paddon
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.

[Signature]
Examining Medical Officer
(Rank) Major B.A.M.C.

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

Passing Certificate

This is to Certify

that James Weymouth PADDON

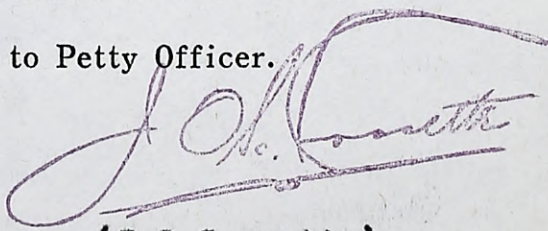
Rating Ordinary Seaman Official Number 2730

has passed

THE EDUCATIONAL TEST, PART I

held on 5th November, 1935.

For advancement to Petty Officer.


(J.O. Cossette)

Naval Secretary.

Department of National Defence,

Ottawa, this 16th day of December, 1935.

SEAMAN BRANCH

Application for, and report of result of,

PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATION

62-P-185

for the rating of LEADING SEAMAN

I.—APPLICATION FOR EXAMINATION

H.M.C.S. "SKEENA"

Name of Candidate (in full) James Weymuth PADDON

Present Rating Able Seaman O.N. 2730

Port Division Halifax.

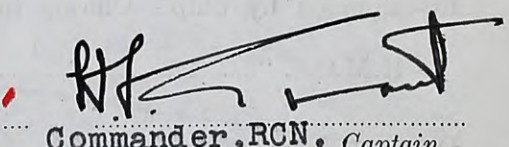
Date of Application for Examination 14th July, 1938.

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 The Commanding Officer,

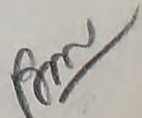
H.M.C.S. "STADACONA"


 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).



II.—RESULT OF EXAMINATION

SECTION I.

Whether "Passed" or "Failed"..... **Passed (Fair)**
 (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	65	
Anchor Work.....	50	50	50	50	68	
Rule of the Road.....	30	30	50	50	70	
Boat Work.....	80	80	60	60	76	
General Duties.....	60	40	50	50	63	
Organization.....	40		50		-	
Signals.....	30	30	50	50	83	
Watertight Fittings.....	10	10	50	50	70	
Duties in Part of Ship and Mess.....		30		50	73	

REMARKS—

The Candidate has:—

- Passed a ~~V.G./Good~~ Fair Examination.
- ~~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 **2nd September, 1938.**

[Signature]
 Commander, RCN.
 President of Board

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

James Weymouth Padden.

Basic date of passing professionally for..... **Leading Seaman.**

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

is..... **14th July, 1938.**

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

H.M.C.S. "....." on..... 193.....

Date.....

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

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

Halifax, N.S.

[Signature]
 Commander, RCN. Captain

H.M.C.S. **"SKEENA"**

Date..... **8th September, 1938.**

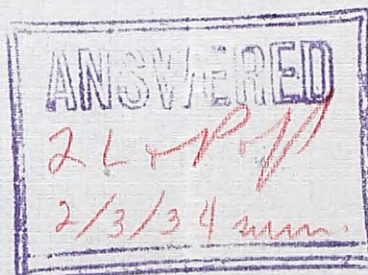
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Naval Secretary,
Dept. National Defense,
Ottawa, Ont..



Dear Sir:

I am interested in the Canadian Navy
and if possible, would like to join.

I am sixteen and a half and a Leading
Hand in the Border Cities Sea Cadet Corps.

Will you kindly send me details and
papers for my application.

Respectfully yours,
J. Weymouth Paddon.

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Sandwich Ont.

Naval Secretary
Dept. National Defence.
Ottawa, Ont.

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Dear Sir:

On careful examination of the reply
which I received, I believe I am able
to qualify for the Royal Canadian Navy.
Please forward the necessary papers
for application.

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SINCE
REC'D. CENTRAL REGISTRY.
MAR 13 1934
REFERRED TO <i>Recruits</i>

Yours respectfully
J. W. Paddon.

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Windsor July 7. 1940

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Minister of National Defence.

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Naval Lt. Ottawa Ont.

S.M.A 28/8/39

Dear Sir.

May we, the parents of the late,
James Weymouth Paddon, official #2730,
reported killed in action, near Bordeaux,
France, ask, that you will send us,
any information, regarding same, that
you are allowed to give?

For our own peace of mind, as well,
as to help clear up, legal matters,

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This information, will be greatly
appreciated.

Thanking you,

Sincerely

His Mother

Mrs. Elvina G. Paddon.

P.S.

Please also send me an official
notification of his death addressed
to The London Life Insurance
Company for insurance claim
purposes. The company requires
such a letter as in lieu of other proof
of death. Thanks.

London Life Insurance Company
25 Abchurch Lane
London E.C. 4
England

Dept. of Veterans Affairs
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1023 Hattungen St.
 Halifax N.S.
 Nov. 30, 1949.

Department War Service Records. (awards)
 Department of Veterans Affairs,
 Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed with this letter, please
 find card, in application for
 medals of my late husband
 James H. Paddon, A.B. D.N. - 2730
 lost in the sinking of H.M.C.S.
 Greaser, in June, 1940.

Since then I have re-married,
 but would like to present medals
 to his mother.

Thanking you
 I am

Elizabeth A. Rogers
 formerly (Elizabeth A. Paddon).