C1462
FARRELL
DESMOND WILLIA

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OCCUPATIONAL HISTORY FORM

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

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

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Section A—GENERAL INFORMATION

1. (a) Print name in full Desmond William Farrell (b) Reg'l. No. C1462
2. (a) Arm of service RCAF (b) Unit G.L (c) Rank F/O
3. (a) Date of birth 21/9/15 (b) Have you any dependents? yes (c) Place of residence at time of enlistment Montreal
4. (a) Place of enlistment Montreal (b) Date of enlistment 2/1/40

Section B—EDUCATION AND TRAINING

5. (a) State age on finally leaving school 18 School 22 College (b) Were you attending school or college up to the time of enlistment? About to return
6. State definitely highest standing reached at public, technical or high school (for instance—"4 years, Public School", "two years, High School", "Junior Matriculation", or "4 years technical course in printing", etc.) Upper Public School - England
7. If you attended a university, give name of university and standing or degree secured McGill - matriculation.
8. (a) Did you ever enter upon a trade apprenticeship? / (b) If so, for what occupation? / (c) Did you finish it? / (d) If you did not finish it, how long did you serve at it? /
9. (a) What languages do you speak fluently? English (b) What languages do you read well? English

Section C—EMPLOYMENT CONDITION AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT

10. (a) State whether you were WORKING or NOT WORKING at time of enlistment. (Enter here only "Working" or "Not Working", as case may be; particulars are asked for below) No (b) At time of enlistment of what trade union or professional society were you a member? No

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

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

11. Had you ever been employed fairly regularly since leaving school? During Univ. by C-1-L
12. (a) If answer to 11 be "Yes", state exact trade or occupation at which you actually worked Chem. Eng. (b) State how long you had worked at this trade or occupation 1 yr.
13. If answer to 11 be "No", state exact trade or occupation for which you feel qualified
14. If you had been employed after leaving school, state when you last worked fairly regularly before enlistment
15. Give details of last employer, if any: Name C-1-L Address Montreal
16. Nature of employer's business (for instance, "farmer", or "building contractor", or "boot factory", or "iron foundry", or "retail store", etc.) C-1-L
17. (a) If your last employment was in a business of your own, state nature and address of business (b) Date of discontinuing it

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

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

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

18. Name of employer Address
19. Nature of employer's business (for instance, "farmer", or "building contractor", or "boot factory", or "iron foundry", or "retail store", etc.)
20. (a) Your specific occupation (b) Number of years' experience at this occupation with any employer
21. (a) Did your employer promise definitely to give you employment on discharge? (b) Did your employer refuse to promise you employment on discharge? (c) Do you wish to return to your former employment?

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

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

Section F—PARTICULARS OF FARMING EXPERIENCE

24. (a) Do you wish to engage in farming after the war? (b) Do you feel competent to operate a farm? (c) If so, in what kind of farming?
25. (a) Were you born on a farm? (b) How many years' actual farming experience have you had? (c) In what provinces did you have experience?

Section G—MISCELLANEOUS

26. Have you made any arrangements other than indicated above, for re-establishment in civil life after discharge?
27. If so, state nature of your plans (for example, do you plan to return to school, or have you been assured of a job, etc.)
28. State any employment preference or ambition you may have, other than indicated elsewhere in this form

DATE 24/6/41 194..... SIGNATURE D. Farrell F/O.

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ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

Medical Board held at Montreal, Que. *Date* Oct.29, 1939.

FILE NUMBER C 1462

Surname Farrell *Chr. Names* Desmond William
Nature of Commission P.O. *Date of Birth* Sept.22/15 *Married or Single* Single
Branch Permanent Force *Hours Flown* 26
Address 1321 Sherbrooke St.W.

HAVE YOU ANY HISTORY OF:—

(i)	NERVOUS TROUBLE or Nervous Breakdown	No
	Severe or "Sick" Headaches, Migraine	No
	Fits or Convulsions of any kind	No
	Sun or Heat Stroke	No
	Head Injury or Concussion (including "knock-out")	No
	Insomnia, Nightmares, Sleep-walking, or Bed-wetting	No
(ii)	LUNG TROUBLE or Consumption	No
	Bronchitis, Pneumonia or Pleurisy	No
	Asthma or Hay Fever	No
(iii)	HEART DISEASE, "Weak or Strained Heart"	No
	Fainting Attacks or Giddiness	No
	Rheumatism, Rheumatic Fever or "Growing Pains"	No
	Frequent Sore Throats or Tonsillitis	No
	Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever or Scarlatina	Scarlet Fever, age 12
(iv)	STOMACH or BOWEL TROUBLE	No
	Chronic Indigestion or Pain after Food	No
(v)	KIDNEY or BLADDER TROUBLE	No
	Syphilis or Gonorrhœa	No
(vi)	TROPICAL DISEASE	No
	Malaria	No
	Dysentry	No
(vii)	EYE TROUBLE or Inflammation of Eyelids	No
	Wearing of Glasses	No
	Colour or Night Blindness	No
(viii)	EAR TROUBLE, Earache or Discharge from Ears	No
	Deafness, Noises in the Ears, or Dizziness	No
	Frequent Colds in Head, Catarrh or Obstruction	No
	Prolonged Hoarseness or Loss of Voice	No
	Sea, Car or Train Sickness	No
	Discomfort on Swings, Roundabouts, Switchbacks	No
(ix)	OPERATIONS	Tonsillectomy., age 12
(x)	Any Illness or Injury not mentioned above	Infantile paralysis age 4. No residual paralysis at present.

Education 3 years engineering McGill University
Present Occupation None Hobbies collecting fire arms.
Previous Service Certificate A.O.T.C. Ampleforth College Eng.
Athletics Squash Skiing.
Habits—Smoking 10 cig per day Alcohol occasional glass beer or spirits.
FAMILY HISTORY—Consumption None
Nervous Ailments, Mental Trouble, or "Fits" None
Father Alive—Health Dead—Cause Menin gitis.
Mother Alive—Health good Dead—Cause
Brothers (3.) Alive—Health good (....) Dead—Cause
Sisters (....) Alive—Health (....) Dead—Cause

I hereby declare that I have carefully considered the statements made above, that to the best of my belief they are complete and correct, and that I have not withheld any relevant information or made any misleading statement. I am fully aware that by wilfully suppressing any information I shall incur the risk of not being granted a Commission, or if it is granted, of being required to relinquish it and forfeit any claim to gratuity or other award.

Date Oct. 29/39 *Signature* Desmond Farrell *Witness* [signature]

GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL EXAMINATION

Impression given by *(a)* Physique GOOD MUSCULAR *(b)* Mentality good
Body Marks, Scars, Deformities as below
Size of Thyroid Gland Normal
Surgical Abnormalities Varicocoele left moderate size
Results of Wounds, Injuries, Operations good

	Date	Assessing Room	Date	Assessing Room	Date	Assessing Room	Remarks on any Abnormalities Found
Height (ins.)	73½						
Weight (lbs.)	167						*Date*
Chest Circumference (ins.)	37						
Body Build (lbs.)	162						
Leg Length (ins.)	46½						
Pulse Rate — Sitting	72						
Pulse Rate — Standing 1st	96						
Pulse Rate — Standing 2nd	84						
Pulse Rate — After Exercise	108						
Pulse Rate — Time to Normal.	30						
Arterial Walls	N						
Blood Pressure — Systolic	140						
Blood Pressure — Diastolic	88						
Heart — Size	N						
Heart — Sounds	N						
Heart — Rhythm	N						
Lungs	N						
Breath held	125						
Expiratory Force	128						
Vital Capacity (Best of 5)	265						
Reflexes — Knee left	N right abs.						*Date*
Reflexes — Ankle	N						
Reflexes — Triceps	N						
Reflexes — Abdominal	N						
Reflexes — Plantar	Flexor						
Cranial Nerves	N						
Balancing Rod	R. L. S S	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	
Self Balancing	R. L. 2FS 1FS	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	
Tremors — Fingers	None						
Tremors — Eyelids	None						*Date*
Abdomen — Liver	N						
Abdomen — Spleen	N						
Abdomen — Muscular Tone	good						
Urine — Albumen	No						
Urine — Sugar	No						
Initials of M.O.							

40 mm. Hg. Test 75 7/8910, 89 7½, 88 1½8, 888, 878
Date
Date
Date
Date
Date

Remarks by Consultant.

EYE EXAMINATION

History	nil		
Visual Acuity	R. 6/5, c̄ 25 = 6/6		
	L. 6/5, c̄ — = "		
Colour Vision	N		
Red, Green	N		
Diaphragm Test (P.D. = 6.5)			
Convergence	C. = 6 cms.		
	S. C. = 8 cms.		
Accommodation	R. 8 D		
	L. 8 D		
Cover Test	Exophoria, slight		
Fundi and Media	N		
Fields	N		
Remarks:			
	Initials of M.O. GPR	*Initials of M.O.*	*Initials of M.O.*
	Date Oct 25/37	*Date*	*Date*

EXAMINATION OF EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

History: Tonsillectomy age 12

Hearing	R. Ear	W V 20	
	L. Ear	W V 20	
External Ear, Meatus Membranes	R. Ear	N	
	L. Ear	N	
Middle Ear, Eustachian Tubes	R. Ear	Pat	
	L. Ear	Pat	
Cochlear Apparatus	R. Ear	N	
	L. Ear	N	
Vestibular Apparatus	R. Ear	N	
	L. Ear	N	
Buccal Cavity		N	
Teeth		12 filled healthy.	
Gums		N	
Pharynx		Tonsils cleanly removed.	
Nasopharynx		N	
Nose		N	
Larynx		N	
Remarks:			
		Initials of M.O. [illegible]	*Initials of M.O.*
		Date	*Date*

HISTORY OF PRESENT CONDITION

Date October 29/39

ALTITUDE TOLERANCE TEST. DATE 22/3/43

No. of 2 hrs. tests at 35.000 feet: 1. 2. (3.)

Symptoms

nil on 1 runs
mild on ..... "
moderate on 2 "
severe on ..... "

RECOMMENDED FOR:

~~A. Flying to 35.000 ft. or more.~~
B. ~~Limited flying to 35.000 ft.~~
(C) Flying only to 25.000 feet.

NIGHT VISUAL CAPACITY

Exceptional
Above Average
Average
Below Average
Poor
Score 14

Date 25/3/43

Tt

A1B		N.V.C.	
~~A3B~~	~~Turret~~	~~N.V.C.~~	14
A3B		N.V.C.	
A3B	Vision	V. good	
A3B	Radio		
Sig:			
Date	21	4 43	

This candidate has a history of anterior poliomyelitis as above.

The muscular tone on the affected side is good. There is considerable atrophy. Measurements as below -- legs.

	Right	left.
Mid thigh	19½	21½
above knee	13	14¾
Below knee	11½	13½
calf	10½	14

This atrophy does not appear to impair the junction of the right leg to any degree which might affect flying ability.

OBSERVATIONS AND FINDINGS BY PRESIDENT OF BOARD

Date October 29., 1939.

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Category A1B.

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DATE 21-11-39
R. Morgan Smith Capt.
for D.G.M.S.

Edwin Luke
Stuart Ramsey
D. Luke

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(ii) LUNG TROUBLE or Consumption — No
Bronchitis, Pneumonia or Pleurisy — No
Asthma or Hay Fever — No
(iii) HEART DISEASE, "Weak or Strained Heart" — No
Fainting Attacks or Giddiness — No
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Frequent Sore Throats or Tonsillitis — No
Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever or Scarlatina — Scarlet fever, age 12.
(iv) STOMACH or BOWEL TROUBLE — No
Chronic Indigestion or Pain after Food — No
(v) KIDNEY or BLADDER TROUBLE — No
Syphilis or Gonorrhœa — No
(vi) TROPICAL DISEASE — No
Malaria — No
Dysentry — No
(vii) EYE TROUBLE or Inflammation of Eyelids — No
Wearing of Glasses — No
Colour or Night Blindness — No
(viii) EAR TROUBLE, Earache or Discharge from Ears — No
Deafness, Noises in the Ears, or Dizziness — No
Frequent Colds in Head, Catarrh or Obstruction — No
Prolonged Hoarseness or Loss of Voice — No
Sea, Car or Train Sickness — No
Discomfort on Swings, Roundabouts, Switchbacks — No
(ix) OPERATIONS — Tonsillectomy, age 12.
(x) Any Illness or Injury not mentioned above — Infantile Paralysis age 4 no residual paralysis at present.

Education — 3 years Engineering McGill University
Present Occupation — None *Hobbies* — collecting fire arms.
Previous Service — Certificate A. O.T.C. Completed 4th College Exy.
Athletics — Lacrosse, Skating
Habits—Smoking — 10 cig/day *Alcohol* — Occasional glass beer or shandy
FAMILY HISTORY—Consumption — None
Nervous Ailments, Mental Trouble, or "Fits" — None
Father Alive—Health — Good *Dead—Cause* — Pneumonia
Mother Alive—Health — Good *Dead—Cause*
Brothers (3) Alive—Health — Good (....) *Dead—Cause*
Sisters (2) Alive—Health — Good (....) *Dead—Cause*

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Date Oct 29/39 *Signature* Desmond Farrell *Witness* [illegible]

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Impression given by *(a)* Physique Good, muscular *(b)* Mentality Good
Body Marks, Scars, Deformities As below
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Surgical Abnormalities Varicocele left moderate size
Results of Wounds, Injuries, Operations Good

	Date / Assessing Room	Date / Assessing Room	Date / Assessing Room	Remarks on any Abnormalities Found
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Weight (lbs.)	167			Date
Chest Circumference (ins.)	37			
Body Build (lbs.)	162			
Leg Length (ins.)	46½			
Pulse Rate — Sitting	72			
Pulse Rate — Standing 1st	96			
Pulse Rate — Standing 2nd	84			
Pulse Rate — After Exercise	108			
Pulse Rate — Time to Normal	30			
Arterial Walls	N			
Blood Pressure — Systolic	140			
Blood Pressure — Diastolic	88			
Heart — Size	N			
Heart — Sounds	N			
Heart — Rhythm	N			
Lungs	N			
Breath held	125			
Expiratory Force	128			
Vital Capacity (Best of 5)	265			
Reflexes — Knee	Left. N Right Abs.			Date
Reflexes — Ankle	N			
Reflexes — Triceps	N			
Reflexes — Abdominal	N			
Reflexes — Plantar	Flexor			
Cranial Nerves	N			
Balancing Rod	R. L. / S S	R. L.	R. L.	R. L. R. L. R. L.
Self Balancing	R. L. / 225 175	R. L.	R. L.	R. L. R. L. R. L.
Tremors — Fingers	None			
Tremors — Eyelids	None			Date
Abdomen — Liver	N			
Abdomen — Spleen	N			
Abdomen — Muscular Tone	Good			
Urine — Albumen	No			
Urine — Sugar	No			
Initials of M.O.				

40 mm. Hg. Test 75 7/89 10, 89 7½, 88 28, 88, 88 78
Date
Date
Date
Date
Date

Remarks by Consultant.

EYE EXAMINATION

History	No eye disease or injuries.		
Visual Acuity	R. 6/5 $\frac{+2.25}{c}$ = 6/6		
	L. 6/9 $\frac{+2.25}{c}$ = 6/6		
Colour Vision	N		
Red, Green	N.		
Diaphragm Test (P.D. = 6.5)			
Convergence	C. = 6 cms.		
	S. C. = 8 cms.		
Accommodation	R. 8 D		
	L. 8 D		
Cover Test	Esophoria, slight		
Fundi and Media	N.		
Fields	N.		
Remarks:			
	Initials of M.O. GSR	*Initials of M.O.*	*Initials of M.O.*
	Date Oct 25/39	*Date*	*Date*

EXAMINATION OF EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

History Tonsillectomy age 12

Hearing	R. Ear	W V 20	
	L. Ear	W V 20	
External Ear, Meatus Membranes	R. Ear	N	
	L. Ear	N	
Middle Ear, Eustachian Tubes	R. Ear	Pat	
	L. Ear	Pat	
Cochlear Apparatus	R. Ear	N	
	L. Ear	N	
Vestibular Apparatus	R. Ear	N	
	L. Ear	N	
Buccal Cavity		N	
Teeth		12 filled healthy.	
Gums		N	
Pharynx		Tonsils cleanly removed	
Nasopharynx		N	
Nose		N	
Larynx		N	
Remarks:			
		Initials of M.O.	*Initials of M.O.*
		Date	*Date*

HISTORY OF PRESENT CONDITION

Date October 29, 1939.

This candidate has a history of anterior poliomyelitis as above.
The muscular tone on the affected side is good. There is considerable atrophy. Measurements as below — Legs.

	Right	Left
Mid thigh	19 1/2	21 1/2
above knee	13	14 3/4
below knee	11 1/2	13 1/2
Calf	10 1/2	14.

This atrophy does not appear to impair the function of the right leg to any degree which might affect flying ability.

OBSERVATIONS AND FINDINGS BY PRESIDENT OF BOARD

Date October 29, 1939.

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APPROVED
CATEGORY A1B
DATE 21-11-39
H. Morgan Smith Capt
for D.C.M.S.

Edward Ramsey
Thomas Ramsey
L. Lokeault

FOR COMPLETION AND RETURN BY

Form P. 64

Mrs. Desmond William Farrell,
3449 Ontario Ave.,
Montreal, Que.

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. C1462 FD 154

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

ESTATES BRANCH

OTTAWA, ONT.

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ESTATES BRANCH AUG 6 1945 H.Q. OTTAWA NATIONAL DEFENCE

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

FARRELL Desmond William S/LDR.

C1462 R. C. A. . O/S

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.

R. Mur Smith Col.

MG/VS

Director of Estates.

M.F.W. 77
6M—4-45 (7053)
H.Q. 1772-39-972

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.....		Raymonde Chevalier Farrell	26	3449 Ontario Ave. Montreal.
2	Children of the Deceased and dates of their Births.....		Dominic Louis Farrell born March 16 1942	3	3449 Ontario Ave. Montreal.
3	Father of the Deceased.....		Gerald William Farrell	—	~~Died~~ 1919.
4	Mother of the Deceased.....		Eileen Farrell	57	1321 Sherbrooke St. W. Montreal. Que.
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Full Blood	Gerald Edward Farrell	34	1321 Sherbrooke St. W. Montreal. Que.
			Dominic Mark Farrell	32	44 Summit Circle Montreal. Que.
			~~Major~~ Charles O'Meara Farrell (Major)		3rd Battn. Scots Guards British liberation Army.
		Half Blood	NiL.	—	—
6	Sisters of the Deceased	Full Blood	NiL	—	—
		Half Blood	NiL	—	—

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
	NiL	—	—

ANSWER FULLY EACH QUESTION ON THIS PAGE

PARTICULARS AS TO IDENTITY

8	Full names of the deceased.	Desmond William Farrell
9	Date of his birth.	Sept 21 1915
10	Place and date of his marriage.	Aug 13, 1940 Senneville, Que.
11	Place and date of his parents' marriage.	Quebec City. June 22 1910.

PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

12	Place where deceased was born.	Montreal. Que.
13	State, in order, the Province, State and/or County in which he resided before enlistment and the period of time in each.	(a) Montreal Que 6 years. 1933-1939 (b) London England. 10 years. 1923-1933 (c) Montreal. Que. 8 years 1915-1923 (d)
14	Nature of employment before enlistment.	None - student at McGill University
15	State whether he owned the premises in which he lived, and, if so, where situated.	None
16	Name place where deceased stated he intended to make his permanent home.	Montreal, Que.

PARTICULARS OF ESTATE

17	Did the deceased leave a Will other than a Service Will? If in your custody, please forward. If not, can you state where it is?	No.
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?	Yes, a marriage contract making parties separate as to property.
19	(a) Did he have a Bank, Post Office or other deposit account? (b) Give name and address of bank, etc., and the amount on deposit. (c) Do you wish it administered with the pay account? (d) If it is a joint account, state the survivor's name and relationship to the deceased.	Yes Bank of Montreal, Peel St. Branch. Montreal. $758.53 No No.
20	Amount of War Savings Certificates purchased by the deceased and registered in his name. State where located.	None
21	(a) Amount of Victory Loan Bonds left by deceased. (b) State whether bearer or registered. (c) State in whose name they are registered. (d) During what loan were they purchased? (1st, 2nd, 3rd, etc.) (e) In whose possession, and address, are they?	See statement attached
22	If deceased had life insurance, name companies and amount payable under each policy and the person named as beneficiary therein.	None
23	Describe other assets, if any, and estimated value thereof. Use space on page 4 if necessary.	See statement attached.

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.	No.

(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

* Brother of the deceased.

Mark Farrell Jr. {Signature of Informant}

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.

44 Summit Circle Montreal Address

CERTIFICATE

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

See above. MARK FARRELL. {Name of informant} is the BROTHER. of the Deceased above described. The above Declaration was made by the Informant and signed in my presence.

Dated at Montreal this 3rd day of August 19 15

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

Qualification Justice of the Peace District of Montreal

Address 6523 Delaunay Ave 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

See statement attached for other assets.

No.

R.C.A.F. R. 47
10M-9-39 (1995)
H.Q. 1062-3-32

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

OFFICER'S APPLICATION AND RECORD SHEET

Date 16th Oct. 1939

I have the honour to apply for an appointment to the:
(a) ~~Permanent Active Air Force (General List)~~;
(b) ~~Auxiliary Active Air Force (General List) (Non-Flying List)~~;
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(d) Reserve of Officers, R.C.A.F. (General List) (~~Non-Flying List~~) R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

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1. Surname (in capitals)	FARRELL
2. Christian names (in full, in capitals)	DESMOND WILLIAM
3. Date and Place of Birth	Sept. 21st, 1915. Montreal, P.Q.
4. Permanent Address	1321 Sherbrooke St. West. Montreal.
5. Present address for correspondence, stating date until which it holds good	1321 Sherbrooke St. West. Montreal.
6. Nationality (Full particulars of any change of nationality must be given.)	British
7. Religion	Catholic
8. Are you married? (NOTE—Candidates must be unmarried at date of entry except where otherwise expressly provided.)	No

9. (i) Father's name, in full

Name	Residence	Profession
Farrell, Gerald William	Montreal	Banker
		Birthplace
		Halifax N.S.

(ii) Mother's maiden name in full and birthplace

Name	Birthplace
Eileen O'Meara	Quebec, P.Q.

10. (i) Nationality of parents at their birth	Father	Mother
(ii) Has either parent acquired any other nationality? (If so, full particulars must be given.)	British No	British No

11. Particulars of Marriage (if applicable)	
Age of Officer at date of Marriage	Not applicable.
Maiden name of Wife	
Date and place of Marriage	

12. Particulars of children (if applicable)

Names	Date of Birth	Place of Birth
Not applicable		

13. Civil Education

Schools	Dates in Attendance	Courses	Diplomas and Degrees
Selwyn House. Montreal	1923-1924	General	None
Ampleforth College. York. England.	1924-1933	General and Science	School Certificate
Universities			
McGill University Montreal.	1934-1938	Science and Engineering	None

14. Special Civil Courses or Examinations other than in 13 above, Correspondence Courses, etc. None

15. Civil Employment, and reason, if any, for leaving

Employer or Business	Years	Duties	Cause of leaving
Canadian Industries Limited.	1½	Technical and office	Continuance of studies

16. Previous Service with Navy, Army, Air Force or Non-Permanent Militia

Unit	From	To	Rank Held	Duties
None				

17. Reason for Termination of last Service Engagement.

Not applicable

18. Particulars of Pension being received.

Not applicable

19. Honours and Awards. (Quote authority—London or Canada Gazette).

None

20. Service Courses Undertaken.

Course	From	To	Date of Graduation
Certificate "A" (Infantry) Officers Training Corps			1933

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9. (i) Father's name, in full	Name: Farrell, Gerald William; Residence: Montreal; Profession: Banker; Birthplace: Halifax N.S.
(ii) Mother's maiden name in full and birthplace	Name: Eileen O'Meara; Birthplace: Quebec P.Q.
10. (i) Nationality of parents at their birth	Father: British; Mother: British
(ii) Has either parent acquired any other nationality? (If so, full particulars must be given.)	Father: No; Mother: No
11. Particulars of Marriage (if applicable)	Not applicable
Age of Officer at date of Marriage	
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I. I AGREE to accept a ~~Permanent~~ / ~~Short Service (A.A.A.F.)~~ Commission, if selected, in the Services mentioned; and with priority indicated:—

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~~A.A.A.F.—(General List) (Short Service) (Special List)~~		
~~Royal Air Force—General Duties Branch~~		

II. I FURTHER AGREE to serve for a period of five continuous years if granted a Permanent Commission (or four continuous years if granted a Short Service Commission in the Auxiliary Active Air Force) in the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Desmond Fauell
(Signature of Applicant)

R. D. Marshall F/O Witness

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23. Have you ever flown either as a pilot, pupil, or passenger (a short flight should be mentioned)? If so, give general details, including flying hours, "solo" and "dual", also name and address of flying club or school where trained.	Passenger 5 hrs. Dual 12 hrs. Solo 11 hrs Montreal Light Aeroplane Club. Private Air Pilot's Certificate

24. Experience as an Instructor (Flying and Ground)

Subject	From	To	Unit	Place
Not applicable				

25. Details of Ground Officer's Duties Performed.

Not applicable

26. Types of Aircraft Flown (Service and Civilian)

Types	Hours	Duties
Fairchild "22"	11	1ST Pilot
	12	2nd Pilot

27. Total Flying Time as at (date)..... Hrs. 28 Mins.....

28. Sports and games played. State whether ever a member of a first team at school, college or university, also games at present played, with particulars of clubs, etc.	Rugby Football (College team) athletics (College team) Squash Rackets (Montreal Racket Club) Skiing . Swimming
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ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

APR

Name FARRELL DESMOND WILLIAM C 1462

Rank FLIGHT LIEUTENANT R.C.A.F.

Age 25 Height 6'2 Weight 170

Hair Brown Eyes Gray Hair on face Dark

Marks, scars, etc. None visible

Desmond Farrell (Signature of holder)

A. McKenney Fl/Lt. (Signature of issuer)

Place # 2 E.F.T.S., Fort William, Ont. Date 21-10-41

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Name FARRELL DESMOND WILLIAM

Classification

No *Sex* MALE *Reference*

RIGHT HAND

1. Thumb	2. Index finger	3. Middle finger	4. Ring finger	5. Little finger

LEFT HAND

6. Thumb	7. Index finger	8. Middle finger	9. Ring finger	10. Little finger

Impressions taken by: G. F. Puett

(Signature of person taking prints)

Date impressions taken 21-10-41

Note amputations

Signature of printed person: Desmond Farrell F/L

Four fingers taken simultaneously

Left Hand

Left thumb	Right thumb

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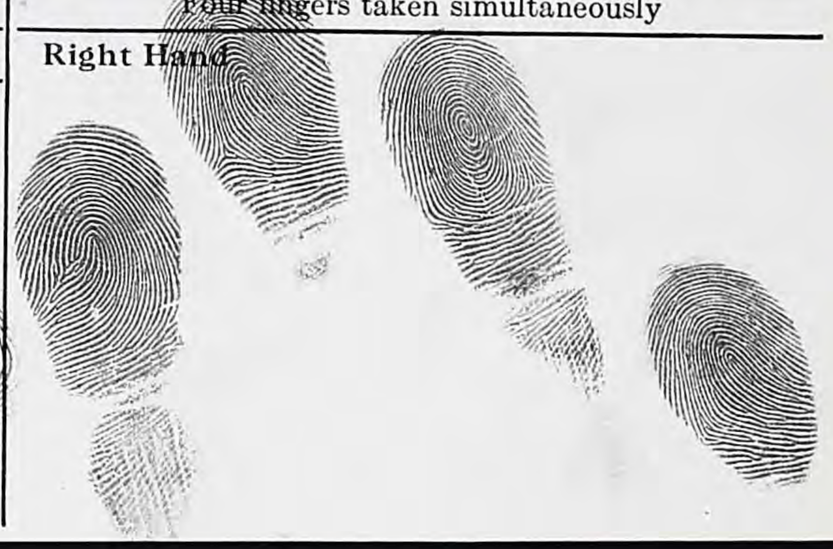
Right Hand



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ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY - PARTICULARS OF SERVICE

NUMBER	FINAL PAID RANK	GROUP	CHRISTIAN NAMES	SURNAME
C1462	T/Sgt GB.1245	Plt Off	Desmond William	Fassell

Reason for termination of service: Reported Dead 7-6-44
D.B.L. 1042d 17-6-45

TOTAL SERVICE:

T.O.S. 2-1-40 S.O.S. 7-6-44 1619 DAYS

T.O.S. _____ S.O.S. _____ _____ DAYS _____

TOTAL 1619 DAYS

LESS NON-QUALIFYING SERVICE:

From: Nil _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS

From: _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS

From: _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS Nil

TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE 1619 DAYS

OVERSEAS SERVICE:

From: 25-3-43 To: 7-6-44 441 DAYS

From: _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS

From: _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS _____

TOTAL 441 DAYS

LESS NON-QUALIFYING SERVICE:

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TOTAL QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE 441 DAYS

1733
114
1619
1292
441

E/25/10

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COMPUTER'S INITIALS	DL
CHECKER'S INITIALS	ant.
DATE 7-8-45	

Certified that entitlement to benefits under The War Service Grants Act, 1944 has been established, based on service shown herein.

R.C.A.F. RECORDS OFFICER

R.C.A.F.-R.310

AIR FORCE No. C.1462

FARRELL — SURNAME

DESMOND WILLIAM — FULL CHRISTIAN NAME

~~ENLISTMENT~~/APPOINTMENT

PLACE

DATE 2-1-40

RELIGION: ROMAN CATHOLIC

R.C.A.F. FORM R230

TYPE OF LEAVE

FROM	TO	No. DAYS	DESCRIPTION	AUTH.
12-8-40	14-8-40	2	ANNUAL	DRO. 161/40
2-12-40	14-12-40	12	"	DRO. 241/40
4-8-41	18-8-41	14	"	DRO. 103/41
Deemed	S.L.I.W.	#C8151		
15-12-41	29-12-41	14	ANNUAL + XMAS.	DRO.
9-2-42	14-2-42	5	ANNUAL	DRO. 17/42
1-4-42	12-4-42	12	"	DRO. 78/42
Deemed	S.L.I.W.	#C90975 d/30-3-42		DRO. 85/42
29-9-42	30-9-42	2	ANNUAL	DRO. 234/42
6-3-43	20-3-43	14	Pre Embarkation	DRO 57/43

HONOURS, AWARDS AND MENTIONS

DATE	AWARD	AUTHORITY

TYPE OF AIRCRAFT ON WHICH MOST PROFICIENT

(IF UNDER INSTRUCTION STATE NUMBER OF HOURS ON EACH TYPE AND TESTS PASSED)

Tiger Moth
Fleet.
Anson
Yale

SERVICE MACHINES FLOWN

Fairchild
Tiger Moth
Airspeed Oxford
Avro Anson
Fleet
Harvard
Lockheed 12
Yale
Lockheed 10

CHARACTER AND TRADE ASSESSMENT

DATE	CHARACTER	TRADE ASSESSMENT
6 3 43	Categorized P.G.	DRO 57/43

POSTINGS, ATTACHMENTS & TEMPORARY DUTY

SOS	TOS	FROM	TO	DATE	AUTHORITY
		Appointment	A.T.C. HQ	2 1 40	DRO. 1/40
		A.T.C. HQ.	Border Cities Aero Club	2 1 40	DRO. 1/40
		B.C.A.C.	Trenton	25 3 40	DRO. 72/40
		Trenton	#1 I.T.S. Toronto	15 4 40	DRO. 88/40
		#1 I.T.S.	Camp Borden		
		Toronto		23 4 40	DRO. 94/40
		Camp Borden	Trenton	13 8 40	DRO. 162/40
		Trenton	#12 E.F.T.S. Goderich.	21 9 40	
		#12 E.F.T.S.	C. Borden	11 10 40	DRO. 207/40
		#1 S.F.T.S	#2 E.F.T.S.		
		C. Borden	Ft. William	11 2 41	DRO. 28/41
		#2 E.F.T.S.	#10 S.F.T.S		
		Ft. William	Dauphin	14 3 42	DRO. 31/42
		Reporting to #3 T.C. H.Q. Montreal, on expiration of leave		17 12 42	DRO 292
		Ceases to be on T.D. at No. 3 T.C. H.Q. Montreal on posting to No 1 GRS, Summerside, P.E.I.		30 12 42	D.RO 296
S.O.S.		#1 G.R.S.	#1 "Y" Depot	20 3 43	DRO 57/43
S O S		#1 Y Depot	RAF T.P	25 3 43	DRO 86.

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ALL OTHER CASUALTIES

CASUALTY AND DATE	AUTHORITY
Proceeded on T.D. from Camp Borden to Trenton eff. 13-7-40.	DRO. 143/40
Return from Trenton to C. Borden 29-7-40	DRO. 153/40
Entitled to Ration Allowance 1-10-42 to 19-10-42 & 27-10 to 31-10-42 (24 days)	DRO. 257/42
Proceeded on T.D. to Wapella, Sask. by Air, 26-10-42	DRO. 258/42
Returned by Air, 27-10-42	DRO. 258/42
Issued S.L.I.W. C 210208 d/4-3-43	DRO 57/43

AIR FORCE No. C.1462

SURNAME: FARRELL

FULL CHRISTIAN NAME: DESMOND WILLIAM

~~ENLISTMENT~~/APPOINTMENT — PLACE: — DATE: 2-1-40

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ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE
RECORD OF SERVICE
OFFICERS, AIRMEN AND AIRWOMEN

R.C.A.F. FORM R230
150M-7-42 (2446)
H.Q. 885-R-230

BIRTH DATE	PLACE	COUNTRY	CITIZENSHIP	RACIAL ORIGIN
21-9-15	MONTREAL P.Q.	CANADA.	CANADIAN.	BRITISH.

CIVIL EDUCATION

PUBLIC SCHOOL 1923 to	JUNIOR MATRICULATION
HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE to 1933	SENIOR MATRICULATION ✓
TECHNICAL SCHOOL	UNIVERSITY McGill ~ 1934-38 ~ SCIENCE & ENG.
CORR./BUSINESS COURSES	LANGUAGES SPOKEN English

CIVIL OCCUPATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

C.I.L. ~ 1½ yrs. ~ Technical & Office.

PREVIOUS SERVICE

N.R.

PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY	PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY
DAUPHIN, MAN., MARCH, 1942.	A.1.B.		

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY

SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWER, DIVORCED: MARRIED

WIFE (FULL MAIDEN NAME) ~~OR HUSBAND~~:

PRESENT ADDRESS (IN PENCIL): #2 Edgar Block, Dauphin, Man.

PLACE OF MARRIAGE — DATE:

AUTHORITY (IF AFTER APPOINTMENT/ENLISTMENT):

CHILDREN

NAMES	PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH	NAMES	PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH

NAME(S), ADDRESS(ES), RELATIONSHIP OF PERSON(S) TO BE INFORMED OF CASUALTIES (IN PENCIL)

Mrs. D. W. Farrell, (Wife)
#2 Edgar Block,
Dauphin, Man.

EMPLOYMENT AS INSTRUCTOR OFFICER AIRMAN/AIRWOMAN

TYPE	FROM	TO	TYPE	FROM	TO
Flying Instructor Flight Commander	10 8 40				

OFFICERS

RANK, BRANCH AND CATEGORY	DATE	AUTH.	DUTIES PERFORMED DURING SERVICE, E.G. ADJ.
P.O. G.L. (SR) "C"			Flying Instructor Flight Commander
F.O. G.L. (SR) "C"	10 8 40		
F.L. G.L. (SR) "B"	1 6 42		

COURTS-MARTIAL ATTENDED WITH DATES
(STATE IF UNDER INSTRUCTION OR AS MEMBER)

AIRMEN AND AIRWOMEN

RANK	DATE	AUTH.	TRADE	DATE	AUTH.

OCCUPIED Archives CANADA

OFFICERS, AIRMEN/AIRWOMEN

COURSE OR TRADE	GRP.	%	PF	DATE
Certificate "A" (Infantry)				33
Officers Training Corps				33
Advanced Training Course	72	P		10 8 40
Refresher Drill Course	DRO. 133	P		4 6 42
G.R. Cse #/G.R.S.	72	P		6 3 43

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ENLISTMENT/APPOINTMENT
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DATE 2/1/40

RELIGION
Catholic.

R.C.A.F. FORM R230

TYPE OF LEAVE

FROM	TO	No. DAYS	DESCRIPTION	AUTH.
5/3/43	20/3/43	14	Embarkation	

TYPE OF AIRCRAFT ON WHICH MOST PROFICIENT

(IF UNDER INSTRUCTION STATE NUMBER OF HOURS ON EACH TYPE AND TESTS PASSED)

SERVICE MACHINES FLOWN

Tiger Moth.
Fleet (Finch & Civet)
Harvard (MK 1 & 2)
Yale.
Oxford
Anson
Crane.
Lockheed (10 & 12)
Boeing

CHARACTER AND TRADE ASSESSMENT

DATE	CHARACTER	TRADE ASSESSMENT

POSTINGS, ATTACHMENTS & TEMPORARY DUTY

SOS TOS	FROM	TO	DATE	AUTHORITY

ALL OTHER CASUALTIES

CASUALTY AND DATE	AUTHORITY

HONOURS, AWARDS AND MENTIONS

DATE	AWARD	AUTHORITY

AIR FORCE No. C-1462

SURNAME: Farrell, FULL CHRISTIAN NAME: Desmond William

ENLISTMENT/APPOINTMENT — PLACE: Montreal. DATE: 2/1/40

RELIGION: Catholic

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

RECORD OF SERVICE

OFFICERS, AIRMEN AND AIRWOMEN

R.C.A.F. FORM R230
150M-7-42 (2446)
H.Q. 885-R-230

BIRTH DATE	PLACE	COUNTRY	CITIZENSHIP	RACIAL ORIGIN
22/9/15	Montreal	Canada	Canadian	Irish

CIVIL EDUCATION

PUBLIC SCHOOL (England)	✓	JUNIOR MATRICULATION	✓
HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE	✓	SENIOR MATRICULATION	✓
TECHNICAL SCHOOL	NO	UNIVERSITY	✓
CORR./BUSINESS COURSES	NO	LANGUAGES SPOKEN	

CIVIL OCCUPATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

Canadian Industries Limited. Montreal Toronto Windsor	Research Engineer

PREVIOUS SERVICE

O.T.C. (Cert. A.) England.

PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY	PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY
#1 C.R.S. Summerside 4/3/43			

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY

SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWER, DIVORCED: Married

WIFE (FULL MAIDEN NAME) OR HUSBAND: Raymonde M. Chevalier

PRESENT ADDRESS (IN PENCIL): 3449 Ontario Avenue. Montreal. P.Q.

PLACE OF MARRIAGE: St. Anne de Bellevue. P.Q. DATE: 13/10/40

AUTHORITY (IF AFTER APPOINTMENT/ENLISTMENT):

CHILDREN

NAMES	PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH	NAMES	PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH
Dominic Louis	Montreal. 16/3/42		

NAME(S), ADDRESS(ES), RELATIONSHIP OF PERSON(S) TO BE INFORMED OF CASUALTIES (IN PENCIL)

Mrs Desmond Farrell.
3449 Ontario Avenue.
Montreal P.Q.

EMPLOYMENT AS INSTRUCTOR OFFICER AIRMAN/AIRWOMAN

TYPE	FROM	TO	TYPE	FROM	TO
Flying Instructor.					

OFFICERS

RANK, BRANCH AND CATEGORY	DATE	AUTH.	DUTIES PERFORMED DURING SERVICE, E.G. ADJ.
F/L G.D. S.R. (Pilot) (Temp.)	1 9 41	acting	
	1 7 42	Temp	

COURTS-MARTIAL ATTENDED WITH DATES
(STATE IF UNDER INSTRUCTION OR AS MEMBER)

AIRMEN AND AIRWOMEN

RANK	DATE	AUTH.	TRADE	DATE	AUTH.

OFFICERS, AIRMEN/AIRWOMEN

COURSE OR TRADE	GRP.	%	PF	DATE

May 7/45 Ade

RECEIVED
MAY 2 1945
CASUALTY
BRANCH

MAY 1 PM 4:16

Montreal,
29th April/45

To: The Secretary,
Department of National Defence for Air,
Ottawa, Ont.

R04 9-6-44

Dear Sir,

In answer to your letter dated April 9th-45, I wish to confirm that I have heard no further word or evidence concerning my husband, Squadron Leader Desmond Wm. Farrell (C-1462).

Yours sincerely,

Raymonde Farrell
(Mrs. D.W. Farrell)
3449 Ontario Ave.
Montreal
P.Q.

Arthur B. Purvis
Montreal

October 11, 1939

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I have known Desmond Farrell since he was quite young and am happy to say that I would consider him suitable for training in the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Yours very truly,

(SIGNED) Arthur B. Purvis.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY
December 26, 1939

H.R. Thomas F/O

for Officer (T.C. Macfarlane)
Flying Officer
i/c Officers' Records.

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Advocates, Barristers etc.

P.A.
866-F-77

DEPT. OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
JAN 12 1940
CANADA

Alfred Building
507 Place d'Armes
Montreal October 16th, 1939

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This will introduce Mr. Desmond Farrell, whom I have known intimately for over twenty years and can recommend highly for a Commission in the R.C.A.F.

He possesses an O.T.C., Certificate A, Infantry, and has recently obtained a Pilot's License with the Montreal Light Aeroplane Club.

Further, Mr. Farrell has spent three years in the Engineering Faculty of McGill University.

He is of excellent character and, if accepted, would, I am sure, make a good Officer.

Yours faithfully,

(SIGNED) A.A. Magee

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY
December 26, 1939

H.B. Morris F/O

for (T.C. Macfarlane)
Flying Officer
Officer i/c Officers' Records.

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To be made out in duplicate.

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400M—8-39 (1702)
H.Q. 1772-45-18

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY OF AN OFFICER OR SOLDIER OF THE CANADIAN FIELD FORCE

INSTRUCTIONS.

(*a*) This form is to be completed immediately an officer or soldier is appointed to, or enlisted in, the C.F.F.

(*b*) All questions, etc., must be completed.

(*c*) Both copies of the form are to be forwarded by the Officer Commanding the unit for each officer and soldier, to the Paymaster, or Officer acting as such. The latter will transmit one copy, through the District or Camp Paymaster, to the Chief Paymaster, N.D.H.Q., Ottawa. The other copy will be retained by the Paymaster until the unit arrives Overseas, when it will be forwarded to the Chief Paymaster, Canadian Overseas Intermediate Base.

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(1) Name of Officer or Soldier FARRELL, DESMOND WILLIAM
(Surname first—Christian names in full—Block capitals)

(2) Regimental Number C-1462

(3) Unit R.C.A.F. Station. Trenton. Ont.

(4) Are you married? NO

(5) If married, state,

(*a*) Full name of your wife N.A.

(*b*) Present postal address of wife N.A.

(6) If married, have you been regularly supporting your wife? If not—state reasons N.A.

(7) Are you a widower? NO.

(8) Have you any children? NO

If so, give number of boys and girls N.A.

Also their names and ages N.A.

(9) If Separation Allowance is claimed in respect of children—state whether you have been regularly supporting them N.A.

Give particulars of Guardian to whom Separation Allowance should be paid—if authorized—

Name N.A.

Postal Address N.A.

(SEE OTHER SIDE).

(10) Have you a common-law wife—whom you have been regularly supporting and publicly representing as your wife? NO

If so, state her full name and Postal Address N.A.

(11) Is your father alive? NO

If so, state name and address N.A.

(12) If your father is a widower and is totally incapacitated from earning a living—are you his sole support? N.A.

(13) If sole support of father who is a widower—state what amount per month you have given him prior to joining C.F.F. N.A.

Also state reason he has no other means of support N.A.

(14) Is your mother alive? YES

If so, state name and address Mrs G.W. FARRELL 1321 Sherbrooke Street, West Montreal P.Q.

(15) If your mother is a widow, are you her sole support? NO

(16) If sole support of widowed mother—state what amount per month you have given her prior to joining C.F.F. N.A.

Also state reason why she has no other means of support N.A.

(17) Are you insured? NO.

If so, in what Company? N.A.

Have you made arrangements for payment of your Insurance Premium? N.A.

If not, and it is a monthly premium, you may assign the amount in addition to any other assignment you wish to make, provided the total assignment is not in excess of the maximum monthly amount which may be assigned.

I hereby certify that the information given by me on this form is correct in each and every particular.

Desmond Farrell.
(Signature of officer or man)

Date 15th March April 1940

G Dodds Jr
Officer Commanding for Commanding Officer,
R.C.A.F. Stn., TRENTON.

Date APR 27 1940

ENTERED IN RECORDS
MAY 7 1940

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MAGEE, NICHOLSON & O'DONNELL

Advocates, Barristers etc.

Allan A. Magee, K.C.

Aldred Building,
507 Place d'Armes,
Montreal, November 27th, 1939.

My dear Bill:

I enclose herewith particulars of Mr. Desmond William Farrell, who is most anxious to get into the R.C.A.F., and if there is anything you can do to help, it would be greatly appreciated.

Farrell is a particularly fine young boy and will, I am sure, do well in the Flying Corps. In addition, he is the son of one of my oldest friends.

I believe that there is a letter on file from Mr. A. B. Purvis recommending him.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours faithfully,

Sgd.
(A.A. Magee)

Encls.

Air Vice-Marshal W.A. Bishop, V.C.,D.S.O.,M.C., D.F.C.,
3980 Cote des Neiges Road,
Montreal, P.Q.

Magee, Nicholson & O'Donnell
Advocates, Barristers etc.

ALLAN A. MAGEE, K.C.
WM. C. NICHOLSON, K.C.
HUGH E. O'DONNELL, K.C.
DONALD N. BYERS

COUNSEL
LOUIS S. ST. LAURENT, LL.D., K.C.

Cable Address "MAGEE"
Western Union Code

Aldred Building
507 Place d'Armes

Montreal October 16th, 1939

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MONTREAL

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Estates Form "P. 4"

R.C.A.F. LL

Name FARRELL. Desmond. W. No. C.1462
Surname Christian Names

S/Ldr. R.C.A.F. O/S 7-6-44
Rank Unit Date of Death

AMOUNT

L.P.C. $ 164.80

Date 29 Nov 45

Other Credits.....

Total..... 164.80

SHARE	RELATIONSHIP	NAME AND ADDRESS	AMOUNT
All	Executor	Dominic Mark Farrell, Executor of the will of, Desmond W. Farrell (deceased), c/o The Standard, Montreal, Que.	164.80

P4. TO TREAS. 14-1-46, QMS M

AUTHORITY

H.Q. F.E. No.	VOTE	PRI	H.Q. SUB.	OBJ.	AMOUNT
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For Chief Treasury Officer

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(L. M. FIRTH) Colonel
Director of Estates

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT

For Chief Treasury Officer

40M—8-45 (7876)
H.Q.1772-45-27

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IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

FILE No. C.1

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

Fort William, Ontario, January 26, 1942.

CONFIDENTIAL

Chief Supervisory Officer,
No. 2 E.F.T.S., RCAF,
Fort William, Ontario.

Sir:

I respectfully request that I be posted. It is, in my opinion, in the best interests of the Service that I be moved to another Station. My reasons for this request and my preferences are as follows.

I would prefer to be posted Overseas or to an Operational area as I have been engaged in training since July 1940. If this is impossible and my posting is to be to another Training Unit, I would wish to be posted to a Service Flying Training School.

I have been at Fort William testing elementary pupils in Tiger Moths since February 1941. During this time, except for a few flights in Airspeed Oxfords and Cessna Crane aircraft, I have not had the opportunity to fly Service type aircraft. The types of advanced aircraft which I have flown are Airspeed Oxford, Avra Anson, Harvard MK I and II, Yale, Lockheed X and XII, and Cessna Crane. On account of the character of the surrounding country, I have not been able to perform cross country or navigational practice flights.

Since coming to Fort William I have had much valuable experience in administrative work and in the general running of a Station and the handling of men, but under the new system which is about to come into effect in which the Thunder Bay Air Training School intends to run their own School, I feel that the knowledge and experience gained will no longer be of service.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(Signed) "D. Farrell" F/L

(D. W. Farrell) Flight Lieutenant,
Assistant Supervisory Officer,
No. 2 E.F.T.S., RCAF,
Fort William, Ontario.

R.C.A.F. G. 32A
1000M-8-40 (6370)
H.Q. 1062-9-36

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(G.L.) FARRELL, Desmond William (SR) CAN. C. 1462

MONTREAL, Quebec. Married.

GENERAL INFORMATION

EDUCATION
1923-24 - Selwyn House, Montreal.
1924-33 - Ampleforth College, York, England - General & Sci. Crse.
1934-38 - McGill University, Montreal - Science & Engineering.

CIVIL EXPERIENCE
1½ yrs. - Canadian Industries Ltd. - Technical and office duties.

SPORTS
Squash, skiing, swimming, rugby.

HOBBIES
Collecting and shooting firearms; automobiles and i.c. engines.

OTHER INFORMATION
To 1939 - 23 hrs. - flying medium types. (Fleet, Anson, Harvard).
Private Pilot's Certificate.
TYPES OF AIRCRAFT QUALIFIED TO FLY
Anson, Fleet 7C, Harvard, Lockheed, Moth 60 Land, Oxford, Tiger Moth 82A,

COURSES
"A" Infantry Officer Trng. Corps. - 1933. Cert. "A".
Elementary Flying - 26-3-40. Passed.
Intermed. Fly. Trng. 15-6-40 - Passed 14th. in cl. of 40. Average.
Advanced Trng. - 10-8-40. Passed 8th. in cl. of 35.
Flying Instructor's Crse. - 22-9-40. Passed. Cat. "C".
Recat. Report - 20-9-41 - Cat "B".
4-1-43 - 6-3-43 - Navigation crse. Passed 11 in 23. 72%. Average.

Mention in Despatches, 1-1-45. AFRO #721, d/27-4-45.

SERVICE EXPERIENCE
- 1933 - C.O.T.C.

Command Card O/S 4-1-44.
F[illegible]y - O'Seas - 26-8-43

21-9-15 Birth Date | 24 Age on Appointment | D | 2-1-40 Date of Appointment

POSTINGS

Rank	Date	Station	Date	Duty	Rank	Prom.
P/O	2-1-40	#1 SFTS, Camp Borden	11-10-40			
TFO	10-8-40	#1 SFTS, Camp Borden	11-10-40			
TFO	10-8-40	#2 EFTS, Ft.William	11-2-41			
AFL	15-9-41	#2 EFTS, Ft.William	11-2-41			
AFL	15-9-41	# 10 SFTS Dauphin	16-3-42	(F.I.) FL		
TFL	1-6-42	#10 SFTS, Dauphin	16-3-42	DRO 165-13-7-42		
TFL	1-6-42	1 GRS, Summerside	31-12-42	Crse. Post. #647, 7-12-42.		
TFL	1-6-42	# 1 "Y" Depot, Halifax	20-3-43	Auth. D.R.O. No. 57, 6-3-43.		
		Overseas				
ASL	19.12.43					
		MISSING after Flying Operations	7-6-44	Cas. List #742		
		Presumed DEAD	7-6-44	Cas.List #1042		

Remarks on Postings

Date	CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS
4-12-40	A willing instructor but as yet he lacks the experience to properly organize and control the training of his pupils. Professional and all other; relatively below average.
11-6-41	A thoroughly reliable officer doing a good job and keen on his work, is careful in his administrative work. Is inclined to be shy giving an erroneous impression of lacking aggression. He is developing a more forceful personality as his scope is increased by responsibility. (54) (F/L H.A. Johnson, #2 EFTS).
30-8-41	Doing excellent work. Recommended by C.S.O. for immediate appointment to acting rank F/L.
15-12-41	Has sound knowledge of flying and training matters. Extremely loyal. Conscientious and reliable. Executes his duties with thorough method. Inclined to make hasty decisions on seemingly unimportantimatters, Takes his work seriously. (55) (S/L H.Johnson,#2 EFTS)
2-3-42	EXTRACT - Recommended for Time Promotion in accordance with letter C2A-5(P2) dated 26-2-42 from No. 2 T.C. (F/L W.N.F. MacLean, DPR3)
13-8-42	Form R.211 - 2,6,3,4,4,4,4,4,2 indifferent - keeps to himslef- has very little interest,5,6,4,5,6, Total score 59. Comments - This officer has been a Flight Commander since his arrival 5 months ago from an EFTS. He has learned the work at an SFTS well and is considered a faluable Flight Commander.(S/L F.W.Ball)no criticism(G/C H.H.Wilson no. 10 SFTS)
6-12-42	On Posting from No. 10 SFTS Dauphin to No. 1 G.R.S. Summerside. R.211...Score 71. A sound instructor and good organizer. Has done an excellent job as a Flight Commander and Examining Officer. (F.W. Ball S/L. No. 10 SFTS. Dauphin.) Has completed 27 months of diligent instructing and requests an overseas posting which is recommended.A very Sound officer. (A.H. Wilson G/C. No. 10 SFTS, Dauphin.)

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUTURE EMPLOYMENT

15-12-41	Is capable of handling greater responsiblity and would become a reliable C.F.I.

Date	A. M. P. Liaison Reports

Recommendations for Promotion

4-12-40	Confid. Report - Ordinary.
11-6-41	Confid. Report - Accelerated.
30-8-41	Report.....
15-12-41	Confid. Report - Accelerated.
2-3-42	Extract - Time Promotion
13-8-42	R.211 - - Ordinary
6-12-42	R.211.....Ordiaary.

Remarks of Promotion Board

18-9-41	Bd. approves granting rank A/FL eff. 15-9-41.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

Right Index Fingerprint

Name FARRELL DESMOND WILLIAM C 1462

Rank FLIGHT LIEUTENANT R.C.A.F.

Age 25 Height 6'2 Weight 170

Hair Brown Eyes Gray Hair on face Dark

Marks, scars, etc. None visible

Desmond Farrell (Signature of holder)

A M Kennedy F.L.L. (Signature of issuer)

Place 2 E.F.T.S., Fort William, Ont Date 21-10-41

Card serial number 101966

NAME FARRELL, Desmond William FILE NO. ~~XXXXX~~ C1462

RANK ~~X~~/S/L CATEGORY ~~MISSING~~ PRES. DEAD REG. NO. C1462

DATE OF DEATH: 7 June. /44 MOTHER LIVING: YES WIFE: YES

MINISTERIAL CARD: 20-6-44 ROYAL MESSAGE: AUG 24 1945 MEMORIAL CROSS TO CHAPLAIN:

To Wife-
To Wife-23-6-45

DEL'D TO MOTHER: AUG 23 1945

DEL'D TO WIFE:

Mrs. D. W. Farrell,
3449 Ontario Avenue,
Montreal, Quebec.

Mother,
Mrs. G.W. Farrell,
1321 Sherbrooke St., W.,
Montreal, Quebec.

COMMAND: MB

RELIGION:

AIR FORCE No. C.1462 R89771

FARRELL, DESMOND WILLIAM

SURNAME — FULL CHRISTIAN NAME

ENLISTMENT/APPOINTMENT
PLACE Montreal, P.Q.
DATE 2-1-40

RELIGION R.C. C.

R.C.A.F. FORM R230

TYPE OF LEAVE

FROM	TO	No. DAYS	DESCRIPTION	AUTH.
22-4-43	28-4-43	7D	P. Leave	3PRC 87/43
20-8-43	16-8-43	7	Prov. Leave	407S 87/43
21.9.43	27.9.43	7	P. Leave	407 Sqn 79/43
19.10.43	26.10.43	10	Sick Leave	407 Sqn 79/43
7.12.43	14.12.43	8	P. L.	407S. 92.
17.1.44	23.1.44	7	Prov Lv.	407 Sqn. 4/44.
24.1.44	5.2.44			407 S. 8/44
8.4.44	14.4.44	7#	2T.T. P.	407 Sqn. 26/44
24.5.44	30.5.44	7	P.L.	407 Sqn. 38/44.
*22.6.43	29.6.43	8	Prov Leave.	3(C)OTU 9/43

TYPE OF AIRCRAFT ON WHICH MOST PROFICIENT

(IF UNDER INSTRUCTION STATE NUMBER OF HOURS ON EACH TYPE AND TESTS PASSED)

SERVICE MACHINES FLOWN

Navy.
Fairchild 1043.
Tiger Moth.
Ajrispeed Oxford.
Anbo Anson
Fleet
Harvard
Lockheed 12
Yale
Lockheed 10.

CHARACTER AND TRADE ASSESSMENT

DATE	CHARACTER	TRADE ASSESSMENT

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HONOURS, AWARDS AND MENTIONS

DATE	AWARD	AUTHORITY
	Ribbon 1939/43 Star	407 Sqdn 100.
Vol Leave	Ribbon Maple Leaf	407 Sqdn 11
1 1 45	Mention in Despatches	1638666 d/29.12.44

POSTINGS, ATTACHMENTS & TEMPORARY DUTY

SOS TOS	FROM TO	DATE	AUTHORITY
10S	1 Y.R.S Summerside	21 12 43	1388 16.
SOS	to Overseas	25 3 43	E649
	Disem. U.K.	11 4 43	E649
	RAF Lumsmandy	4 5 43	Lumsmandy 12/43
SOS to # 3 C(O) T.U.		22 5 43	Lumsmandy 15/43.
S.O.S.	to 407 Sqn.	30 6 43	3(C)OTU 8/43
att to Cyclaney		3 12 43	407S. 91.
Proceeded Overseas	to Lumsmandy	7 2 44	407S. 8.
T.L.L.	407 Sqdn to Castle Archdale	14/3 44	407S 17.
T.D.	from Highgate fw 60/2.00	5/7 4 44	Highgate 2/144
Det.	RAF Highgate	3/9 4 44	407 Sqn. 26/44
F/13	Missing from 407 Sqd.	4/7 6 44	AFRO 1536/44 CR484
Posted	to RCAF(U/K) NE Unit.	8 6 44	407 Sqn. 74/144. 46/44
	PRES. DEAD	7 6 44	CR784 SUPP AFRO 1127.
SOS. RCAF. UK. NE U.K.	Presump. Death.	7 6 44	RCAF. UK NE U 125

ALL OTHER CASUALTIES

CASUALTY AND DATE	AUTHORITY
Admitted S.S.Q. & Trans. to	
RAF. Hospital, Halton 8.7.43	407 Sqdn. 45/43
Discharged Hospital Halton 12-7-43	407S. 47/43
Sick on Leave 24.1.44 to 5.2.44	407S. 8/44.

ADVISE ENTRIES
UNIT RECORDS RETURNED
TO CANADA

Lmk. 16.3.43.

AIR FORCE No. C.1462 R89771

SURNAME: FARRELL, FULL CHRISTIAN NAME: DESMOND WILLIAM

ENLISTMENT/APPOINTMENT — PLACE Montreal Que. — DATE 2-1-40

RELIGION: Roman Catholic.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE
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100M-3-43 (3137)
H.Q. 885-R-230

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CIVIL EDUCATION

PUBLIC SCHOOL	JUNIOR MATRICULATION X
HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE	SENIOR MATRICULATION
TECHNICAL SCHOOL	UNIVERSITY McGill 1st yr. Arts. 3 yrs. Engineering
CORR./BUSINESS COURSES	LANGUAGES SPOKEN

CIVIL OCCUPATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

1490

C.I.L.

PREVIOUS SERVICE

nil.

PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY	PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY

SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWER, DIVORCED: single Married.

WIFE (FULL MAIDEN NAME) OR HUSBAND:

PRESENT ADDRESS (IN PENCIL):

PLACE OF MARRIAGE — DATE 13-8-40

AUTHORITY (IF AFTER APPOINTMENT/ENLISTMENT):

CHILDREN

NAMES	PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH	NAMES	PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH
Dominick Louis.	16-3-43		

NAME(S), ADDRESS(ES), RELATIONSHIP OF PERSON(S) TO BE INFORMED OF CASUALTIES (IN PENCIL)

Mrs. Raymonde Marie Farrell wife 3449 Ontario Ave, Montreal P.Q.

Mrs G. W. Farrell - mother - 1321 Sherbrooke St. W. Montreal P.Q.

EMPLOYMENT AS INSTRUCTOR OFFICER AIRMAN/AIRWOMEN

TYPE	FROM	TO	TYPE	FROM	TO

OFFICERS

RANK, BRANCH AND CATEGORY	DATE	AUTH.	DUTIES PERFORMED DURING SERVICE, E.G. ADJ.
A/F.L.(S/R) 15-9-41			
T/F.L. 1-6-42 (ARR 13)(105 F/165)			
A.S.L.	19/12/43	4075 1/44.	
T/S/L	19/12/43	00 124 5/44	
A/C (S/R) 21-40 Pilot			

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OFFICERS, AIRMEN/AIRWOMEN

COURSE OR TRADE	GRP.	%	PF	DATE
I.S.F.T.S. 4A.	8/25			7/6/8/40
I.G.R.S.	4/23			4/6/1/3/43

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UNIT RECORDS RETURNED
TO CANADA

AIR FORCE No.	SURNAME / FULL CHRISTIAN NAMES	APPOINTED	RE-APPO	TYPE OF COMMISSION
C1462	FARRELL, DESMOND WILLIAM	PLACE Montreal Que DATE 2-1-40 13	PLACE DATE	

RECORD OF SERVICE OFFICERS

R.C.A.F. R.47A (REVISED) 10M-2-42 (1768) H.Q. 1062-3-32 D

1. POSTING (INDICATE S.O.S. OR T.O.S.) TEMPORARY DUTY (IN RED INK)

S.O.S. OR T.O.S.	UNIT AND PLACE	EFFECTIVE			D.R.O.
W.A.G.		7	8	45	
	Presumed Dead - 7 June 44. DCL 1042 d/ 7 June 45.				
	Missing	6	6	44	
	PC x 679	8	6	44	
	W.S.G. Camp	10	10	44	
W.S.G.	COMPLETED	7	8	45	

POSTING (INDICATE S.O.S. OR T.O.S.) TEMPORARY DUTY (IN RED INK)

S.O.S. OR T.O.S.	UNIT AND PLACE	EFFECTIVE			D.R.O.
SOS	to Overseas	25	3	43	E649
	RAF Trainees Pool.				
SOS	1 Y Depot, Halifax N.S.	25	3	43	1Y 83.
TOS	1 Y Depot Halifax	21	3	43	1Y 71
SOS	1 GRS Summerside	20	3	43	1GRS 57
TOS	1 GRS Summerside	1	1	43	1GRS 16
TOS	1 GRS Summerside amended	31	12	42	1GRS 5 / 1GRS 16
SOS	10 SF Dauphin	31	12	42	10SF 296
T.D. Canc	10SF 292 / 10SF 296				
T.D.	10SF 258				
	2EF & 10SF 16-3-42 (2EF 3)				

3. MEDICAL HISTORY-HOSPITALIZATION

EXAMINATIONS (IN RED INK) HOSP. (IN BLACK INK)

DATE / HOSPITAL / QUARTERS	FORM / ADMITTED / CONFINED	CATEGORY / DISCHARGED / RET'N. DUTY	REMARKS / D.R.O.

4. TYPE OF SERVICE AIRCRAFT QUALIFIED TO FLY

TYPE	D.R.O.

2. QUARTERS-RATIONS-SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE-PAY ENTRIES

	FROM			TO			D.R.O.
Qtrs allce 13 days	1	8	42	13	8	42	10SF 193
Qtrs allce (12 da)	1	7	42	12	7	42	10SF 178
Qtrs allce (12 da)	20	7	42	31	7	42	10SF 178
Qts All'ce	22	6	42	30	6	42	10SF 148, 154
Qtrs allce	25	5	42	14	6	42	10SF 126, 143
Qtrs allce	27	4	42	17	5	42	10SF 100, 126

5. FLYING TIME

DATE	SINGLE-ENG. DAY	SINGLE-ENG. NIGHT	MULTI-ENG. DAY	MULTI-ENG. NIGHT	CREW DUTIES OBSERVER	CREW DUTIES GUNNER	CREW DUTIES OTHER	PASS.	TOTAL
30-6-42	283:40	14:05	182:15	8:45			8:00		496:45

AIR FORCE No. C1462

Farrell, Desmond William
SURNAME — FULL CHRISTIAN NAMES

APPOINTED
PLACE Montreal Que
DATE 2-1-40

RE-APPOINTED
PLACE
DATE

TYPE OF COMMISSION

DC

RECORD OF SERVICE OFFICERS

6. BIRTH DATE 21-9-15 — CITIZENSHIP British 2
PLACE Montreal (CITY, TOWN) Que (PROV.) Canada (COUNTRY)
FATHER (FULL NAME)
ADDRESS
BIRTHPLACE
MOTHER (FULL MAIDEN NAME)
ADDRESS
BIRTHPLACE

7 EDUCATIONAL STANDING (GRADUATED-YES OR NO)
HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE 1yr Selwyn House Sch Montreal
JUNIOR MATRICULATION (YRS.) 9yrs Ampleforth Coll England GRAD.
SENIOR MATRICULATION (YRS.) GRAD.
TECHNICAL SCHOOL (No. YRS.) GRAD.
UNIVERSITY (No. YRS) McGill DEGREE 1st yr Arts 3yr Engineering
CORRESPONDENCE COURSES
OTHER 8

8. CIVIL OCCUPATIONS OR EXPERIENCE
Canadian Industries Ltd 1938-39 Technical & Office
7490

9. PREVIOUS ARMY, NAVY OR AIR FORCE SERVICE
Nil
0

10 HONOURS-AWARDS, MENTIONS	AUTH.	DATE
ribbon of 1939-43 Star	DIA-23	
6 U.S. Medal & Maple Leaf	D48A 87	15-1-44
M.I.D.	AFRO 721/45	1-1-45

11. FLYING EXPERIENCE ON APPOINTMENT (HOURS)
SOLO — DUAL — PASSENGER

12. RELIGION Roman Catholic 1

13. LANGUAGES 1

14. SPORTS OR HOBBIES

15. PERMANENT HOME ADDRESS PRIOR TO APPOINTMENT 22302
1321 Sherbrooke St. West, Montreal, Que.

16. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWER, SEPARATED, DIVORCED: Single
WIFE (FULL MAIDEN NAME)
PLACE OF MARRIAGE Married DATE 13-8-40
AUTHORITY (IF AFTER APPOINTMENT) 2

17. MARRIED ESTABLISHMENT

REMARKS	RANK	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.

18. CHILDREN

CHRISTIAN NAMES	BIRTH DATE	D.R.O.	CHRISTIAN NAMES	BIRTH DATE	D.R.O.
Dominick Louis	16-3-42	10SF91			

19. NEXT-OF-KIN (ADDRESS AND D.R.O. IN PENCIL)
FULL NAME Mrs. Raymonde M. Farrell RELATIONSHIP wife
ADDRESS 3449 Ont. Ave. Montreal, P.Q. D.R.O.
FULL NAME Mrs. G.W. Farrell RELATIONSHIP mother
ADDRESS 1321 Sherbrooke St. W. Montreal D.R.O.

20. ADDITIONAL PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF CASUALTY
FULL NAME — RELATIONSHIP
ADDRESS — D.R.O.

21. RANK, PROMOTION, AND APPOINTMENT (STATE IF COMM. FROM RANKS)
A6

ASL 19-12-43 (D9A-20) GB 12 45-
T.F.L. 1-6-42 10SF165 (APIR 113d/24-6-42)(CG7d/15-8-42)
AIFL 15-9-41

22. CLASSIFICATION (G.L. N.F.L. ETC.)
1—

Gen L. (SR) 2-1-40

23. DATE AND PLACE OF SIGNING R.C.A.F. R.40 SERVICE ROLL

24. COURSES OF INSTRUCTION (STATE COURSE AND RESULT)

25. STANDING BOARDS

BOARD	PLACED ON	TAKEN OFF

26. LEAVE

FROM	TO	DAYS	TYPE	D.R.O.	T.W. AND D.P.O
6-3-43	20-3-43	14	emb	10RS57	SNTWC216 208 10RS57
3-12-42	16-12-42	14		10SF286	
29-9-42	30-9-42	2		10SF234	

27. COURTS MARTIAL

28. GROUND DUTIES PERFORMED

29. MISDEMEANORS (SUMMARY AWARDS COURTS MARTIAL, ETC.)

30. MISCELLANEOUS

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE CASUALTY NOTIFICATION

NUMBER C1462 RANK S/LDR. UNIT 407 SQDN OVERSEAS

TRADE PILOT (O.L.)

NAME FARRELL, DESMOND WILLIAM

R.C.A.F.	R.A.F.	R.A.A.F.	R.N.Z.A.F.	OTHER
X				

PRESENT MARITAL STATUS MARRIED RELIGION R.C. CANADIAN YES

FRENCH CANADIAN OTHER

NEXT OF KIN MRS DESMOND WILLIAM FARRELL

RELATIONSHIP WIFE

ADDRESS 3449 ONTARIO AVE. MONTREAL. QUE.

FATHER'S NAME DECEASED

ADDRESS LIVING ON ENLISTMENT NO

MOTHER'S NAME MRS GERALD WILLIAM FARRELL

ADDRESS 1321 SHERBROOKE ST. W. MONTREAL. QUE. LIVING ON ENLISTMENT YES

ADDRESS AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT 1321 SHERBROOKE ST. W. MONTREAL. QUE. MARITAL STATUS AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT SINGLE

OCCUPATION ENGINEER

WAS MEMBER ATTACHED TO R.A.F. AT ANY TIME? YES/NO N/K BEING OBTAINED

IF CASUALTY OCCURRED IN CANADA DID MEMBER HAVE SERVICE OUTSIDE CANADA DURING WAR WITH THE GERMAN REICH? YES/NO

IF ON LEAVE, STATE DATE LEAVE COMMENCED AND WHETHER ON LEAVE WITH OR WITHOUT PAY?

CASUALTY DETAILS:

AUTHORITY CAS. SIG. NO.

BOMBERMAIL LETTER----------d-16-MAY-45

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED "MISSING" 7-JUNE-44 AFTER AIR OPERATIONS (OVERSEAS) (ANTI SUBMARINE PATROL)

NOW "PRESUMED DEAD" 7-JUNE-44 FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES

LAST WILL ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.? YES/NO (2)

M.F.M. 5 ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.? YES/NO

DATE 12-JUNE-45

CERTIFICATE P. OF D. ATTACHED TO A. OF E. COPY YES/NO

ALSO (2) VICTORY BOND LETTERS

FOR CHIEF OF THE

R.C.A.F. R217
30M-6-44 (4664)
H.Q. 885-R217
△TS-RT

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COPY FOR DOCUMENT FILE

FORM 6

DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS—QUEBEC DEATH TRANSCRIPT

1. PLACE OF DEATH — Municipal county: OVERSEAS; Official name of civil municipality or township:; Street:; No.:; Hospital or Institution:

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 ... Years ... Months ... Days ... (d) In Canada (if immigrant) ... Years ... Months ... Days

3. NAME OF DECEASED
Surname: FARRELL
(Block letters)
Given names: DESMOND WILLIAM

Do not write in this space

4. RESIDENCE
Street: Sherbrooke St. West No. 1321
Official name of civil municipality or township: Montreal
Municipal county: Province: Quebec

5. SEX	6. NATIONALITY (Citizenship)	7. RACIAL ORIGIN	8. Single, Married, Widowed or Divorced (*Write the word*)
Male	Canadian		Married

9. If married give name of wife or husband of deceased: Chevalier, Raymonde

10. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country): Quebec

11. DATE OF BIRTH: September (Month) 21st (Day) 1915 (Year)

12. AGE OF DECEASED	Years	Months	Days	If less than one day old
	28			....hrs. or....min.

OCCUPATION

13. Trade, profession or kind of work, as **spinner, teamster, office clerk,** etc.: Pilot

14. Kind of industry or business, as **cotton-mill, lumbering, bank,** etc.: R.C.A.F.

15. Date deceased last worked at this occupation: June 7/44

16. Total years spent in this occupation: Five

	17. NAME	18. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country)
FATHER	Farrell, Gerald William	Nova Scotia
MOTHER (Maiden Name)	O'Meara, Eileen	Quebec

19. Place of burial, cremation or removal:

20. Date of burial: ....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: June (Month) 7th (Day) 19 44 (Year)

23. I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from ....19.... to ....19....
and last saw h.... 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) Previously reported missing after air operations, now due to for official purposes, presumed dead.

Morbid conditions, if any, giving rise to immediate cause (stated in order proceeding backwards from immediate cause).
(b)
due to
(c)

II
Other morbid conditions (if important) contributing to death but **not causally related to immediate cause.**

III If a communicable disease is mentioned on this certificate, give
(a) Date of appearance ....19....
(b) Duration of disease ....days

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: Accident (State which) Date: June 7th 19 44
Manner of injury: Presumed killed during air operations (How sustained)
Nature of injury: (anti-submarine patrol)
Specify whether injury occurred in **industry, in home, or in public place:** public place

Signed ....**M.D.**
Address: Date: ....19....

28. Signature of person who fills in the form (curate, coroner, hospital authority, etc.)
For (R.C.A.F. Records Officer)
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)

C001462 FARRELL DESMOND W SL5

1 NUMBER 9 NAME 29 RANK

V 14,774

SERVICE AWARD CARD

39-45 STAR	ATL. STAR	A/C EUR STAR	AFRICA STAR	PACIFIC STAR	BURMA STAR	ITALY STAR	FR. AND GER. STAR	DEFENCE MEDAL	GEN. SER. MEDAL	C.V.S.M.	M.I.D.		OP WGS	
✓	✓								✓	✓	✓			AWARD
										✓				AWARD AND CLASP
														APPLICATION DISPATCHED
														RIBBON ISSUED
													14/1/47	MEDAL ISSUED

00-69237

NUMBER NAME RANK

PREFIX CODE

FORM NO. R. 325

R.C.A.F.

IBM 83961

LICENSED FOR USE UNDER CANADIAN PATENT NUMBER 315306

Roy
Pay.

Mrs. Raymonde C. ~~Farrell~~ (Widow)

~~3449 Ontario ave.,~~

~~Montreal,~~ Lemmeville P.Q.

~~Que.~~

~~Feb.-76.~~ 25/10/49.

MEMORIAL B R
DATE DESP
REGN. NO 3156

4581 22-4-50

DECORATION DIGEST FOR PRESS RELEASE

NO. C1462 NAME FARRELL, Desmond William

RANK A/S/L TRADE G.I.(S.E.)

DATE & PLACE OF BIRTH 21-9-15; Montreal, Que. NATIONALITY Canadian

PARENTS (Father deceased) Mrs. O.W. Farrell

ADDRESS 1521 Sherbrooke St. W., Montreal

WIFE Mrs. D.W. Farrell

CHILDREN Dominick Louis

ADDRESS 3449 Ont. Ave., Montreal, P.Q.

DATE & PLACE OF ENLISTMENT 2-1-40; Montreal

UNIT

STRENGTH CLASSIFICATION

CLASS OF AWARD Operational

DECORATION M.I.D. DATE 1-1-45

CITATION

DATE & PLACE OF GRADUATION: I.T.S. E.F.T.S.

S.F.T.S. A.N.S. A.O.S.

B. & G. W.S. F.E.S.

EDUCATION BACKGROUND (Schools attended, etc.)

Ampleforth College, York. England

LAST EMPLOYER Canadian Industries Ltd. (Technical & Office)

GENERAL BACKGROUND (Outstanding achievements, etc.)

AUTHORITY FOR DECORATION London Gazette d/1-1-45

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

C1462

IDENTIFICATION

PASS

Issued to F/O. D.W. Farrell

Of RCAF. TRENTON.

This pass must be produced on demand. Failure to do so will cause the owner to be detained for investigation.

Owner's signature Desmond Farrell

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

R.C.A.F. R. 45
8M—9-39 (1834)
H.Q. 1062-2-186

Individual Record of Flying

RANK..... NO..... NAME.....

WEEKLY FLYING RETURN OF			SINGLE-ENGINE AIRCRAFT										MULTI-ENGINE AIRCRAFT																			
			DAY						NIGHT				DAY						NIGHT						CREW-DUTIES				Passenger		TOTAL	
UNIT	Week ending	Serial No.	Captain of Aircraft		2nd Pilot		Dual		Captain of Aircraft		2nd Pilot		Dual		Captain of Aircraft		2nd Pilot		Dual		Captain of Aircraft		2nd Pilot		Dual		Observer		Air Gunner		~~2nd~~ ~~Other~~					
			(A)		(B)		(C)		(D)		(E)		(F)		(G)		(H)		(J)		(K)		(L)		(M)		(N)		(O)		(P)		(Q)		(R)	
			Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins
C.F.S.	14-8-40 To 22-9-40		34	40			18	20	1	—			2	—	2	20	2	45	3	10											7	05	7	20
#1 SFTS. I.T.S.	10-12-40 To 27-12-40		14	25					6	45																							15	10
#1 SFTS I.T.S	24-1-41 To 7-2-41		37	25					4	20																							192	55
#2 EFTS Fort William	28-2-41		23	20	✓																												23	20
	31-3-41		42	35	✓										7	00																	72	55
	30-4-41		8	00	✓																												80	55
	31-5-41		30	45	✓																										35		112	15
	30-6-41		31	55	✓																												144	10
	31-7-41		45	55	✓																												190	05
	31-8-41		35	05																													225	10
	30-9-41		38	05											1	40	1	25															266	20
	31-10-41		54	05											2	40																	323	05
	30-11-41		40	30	350	15										35																	364	10
	31-12-41		17	10					3	15				30																			375	15
	31-1-42		17	30																													392	35
	12-3-42		28	30																													421	05
#1 S.F.T.S Dauphin, Man.	31-3-42															50	1	00	2	00													3	50
	29-4-42														14	00	1	45	2	50									1	50			22	25
	31-5-42														21	40				40	6	45							3	50			31	30
	30-6-42														18	15					2	00							2	00			71	45
	31-7-42														~~32~~ 31	~~00~~ 50			2	00	2	45							2	00			107	20
	31-8-42														37	10			1	00									1	00			145	30
			654	50	44	20	15	20	2	30	198	10	15	05	56	10	15	00															1001	25
	30-9-42														13	40													2	05				
	31-10-42														42	20													2	10				
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W/C G.R.S. Laid
5/3/43.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

R.C.A.F. R. 45
8M—9-39 (1834)
H.Q. 1062-2-126

Individual Record of Flying

RANK Flt/Lt P/O NO. C 14627 NAME Farrell D. W. 72 F.T. Wpn.

WEEKLY FLYING RETURN OF			SINGLE-ENGINE AIRCRAFT										MULTI-ENGINE AIRCRAFT										CREW-DUTIES			Passenger	TOTAL	
			DAY						NIGHT				DAY						NIGHT									
UNIT	Week ending	Serial No.	Captain of Aircraft		2nd Pilot		Dual		Captain of Aircraft		2nd Pilot		Dual		Captain of Aircraft		2nd Pilot		Dual		Captain of Aircraft		2nd Pilot		Dual		Observer		Air Gunner		Other			
			(A)		(B)		(C)		(D)		(E)		(F)		(G)		(H)		(J)		(K)		(L)		(M)		(N)		(O)		(P)		(Q)	(R)	
			Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins
BCAC	6-1-40	12					1	50																									1	50
	13-1-40	13					5	15																									7	05
	20-1-40	14					2	20																									9	10
	27-1-40	15	1	55			2	25																									13	55
	2-2-40	16	1	10				45																									15	50
	3-2-40	16		45				(25)																									16	35
	10-2-40	17	3	15				35																									20	50
	17-2-40	18	4	35				50																									30	45
	24-2-40	19	3	40				45																									38	30
	2-3-40	20	4	50			1	40																									45	00
	9-3-40	21	4	15				45																									50	00
	16-3-40	22		30				(100) 40																									52	10
	31-3-40		24	55			~~27 15~~ 26	00																									~~52 10~~	
I.T.S.	4.5.40.	5															3	55															3	55
	4.5.40.	5													25	1 05	4	05															9	30
	11.5.40	6													5 30		4	30															19	30
	18.5.40	7													25			20															20	15
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	1.6.40	9													4 25		9	30															45	30
	8.6.40.	10													3 50		1	50															51	00
	15.6.40	11													2 50		3	50	35		25												58	40
A.T.S.	22.6.40.	12													1 35	1 35																	61	50
	22.6.40.	12													25																		62	40
	22.6.40.	12													1 05	30	1	25															66	30
	22.6.40.	12													1 15	1 10																	68	55
	29-6-40														5 30		20																	
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	10-8-40														~~59 45~~ 60 00	8 10	~~39 15~~ 43 30		~~3 30~~		~~1 30~~								40 30				~~163 50~~	

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Marriage Certificate

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Le treize aout mil-neuf-cent quarate, en la chapelle de Madame L.J. Forget, Son Excellence Mgr. Georges Gauthier Archevieque de Montreal, a beni le mariage de Desmond-William Farrell, officier d'aviation, fils majeur de feu Gerald-William Farrell et de Eileen O'Meara; et de Raymond Chevalier, fille majeure de Armand Chevalier et de Marguerite Forget, de Senneville, paroisse de Ste. Anne-de-Bellevue.-

Donne a Ste. Anne -de-Bellevue, ce
18 aout 1940.

Em. Charlebois, cure, ptre.
par R.H. Laforture, ptre.

Certified true copy

(E.A.Kenny)F/O,
Adjutant,
Central Flying School,
Trenton, Ont.

ENTERED IN RECORDS
SEP 10 1940

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, MONTREAL

CERTIFICATE OF BAPTISM

Child's Name	Desmond William Farrell
Date of Birth	September 21st 1915
Date of Baptism	September 27th 1915
Father's Name	Gerald William Farrell
Mother's Maiden Name	Eileen O'Meara
Sponsors	William James Shaughnessy
	Willa O'Meara--Cook

Ceremony Performed by Rev. Gerald J. McShane, Priest.

I certify that the foregoing has been correctly copied from the Baptismal Register of the above Church this twelfth day of November 1937.

(SIGNED) Francis T. Moyle, Priest.

(SEAL)

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY
January 5th, 1940

T. C. Macfarlane

(T. C. Macfarlane)
Flying Officer
Officer i/c Officers' Records.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

SERVICE

AND

PAY BOOK

THIS BOOK IS THE PROPERTY OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE, AND MUST BE SURRENDERED ON DEMAND

R.C.A.F. A.47
Part 1.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE SERVICE BOOK

INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFICERS AND AIRMEN

1. You will be held responsible for the safe custody of the book.

2. You will always carry the book on your person both at home and abroad.

3. You must produce the book whenever called upon to do so by a competent authority, civil, naval, military or air.

4. You must not alter or make any entry in this Book (except as regards short form of Will on page 16, see instructions on pages 12 to 15), and disobedience of this order will be treated as a serious offence.

5. Should you consider that any entry in the book is lacking or incorrect, or should you lose the book, you will report the matter to your immediate superior in the Royal Canadian Air Force. Any change in name or address of person to be informed of casualties must be reported immediately to your Commanding Officer.

IDENTITY CARD No 1783515
Parachute A188796
" Harness .. H5055
Bicyle. N 17378

Solely for use on Active Service. This Will page must NOT be used until you have been placed under orders for Active Service.

WILL

(For use if the Officer or Airman has not already made a will or wishes to alter one already made. See instructions on page 15.)

In the event of my death I give

I appoint.....

Residing at.....

to be my executor.

Signature.....

Rank, Air Force No.....

Unit.....

Date.....

Air Force No. C-1462 Surname Farrell

Christian Names (in full) Desmond William

Date of Birth 21-9-15 Religion R.C.

Date of ~~Enlistmen~~t/Appointment 2-1-40

Married (M), Widower (W) or Single (S) M

Occupation in Civil Life Technical

.....

Signature of Holder.....

Name and Address of Next-of-Kin.....

.....

.....

Name, Address, and Relationship of Person to be informed of Casualties—

.....

Mrs. D W Farrell (Wife)

1321 Sherbrooke St. West

Montreal P.Q.

Certified Correct.....

Date..... Place.....

RANK, GROUP AND R.C.A.F. TRADE OR BRANCH

Branch or Trade and Group	Date of Effect	Authority	Signature and Rank of Officer making Entry
G.D. Pilot	1-6-42		

Rank	Date of Effect	Authority	Signature and Rank of Officer making Entry
F/L (S.R.)	1-6-42	A/O 1245/44	L. Nuttall WO2
S/L	19.12.43		

To Whom sent.....

Unit.....

Date Will extracted.....

Signature of Officer.....

Solely for use on Active Service. The Will, on page 16, must NOT be used until you have been placed under orders for Active Service.

SHORT FORM OF WILL

(Write Will on next page)

If an Officer or Airman on active service, or under orders, for active service, who has not previously made a Will, or who having previously made one, wishes to cancel it in its entirety or make some change in the disposal of his property, he may do so on the next page. **It must be entirely in his own handwriting and must be signed by him and dated.** The full names and addresses of the persons whom he desires to benefit, and the sum of money or the articles of property which he desires to leave to them, must be clearly stated. **The writing of the name of a person on the next page without stating what he or she is to receive is of no legal value.**

The following is a specimen of a Will leaving all to one person:—

In the event of my death I give all my estate to my mother, Mrs. Sheila Griffin, 711 Victory Street, Toronto, and appoint her my executrix.

(Signature) GEORGE GRIFFIN,
Sgt., R. 12345,
Date October 10th, 1942. R.C.A.F.

The following is a specimen of a Will leaving gifts to more than one person:—

In the event of my death, I give $10.00 to my friend, Miss Rose Smith, of No. 1, High Street, London, and I give $5.00 to my sister, Miss Margaret Griffin, 711 Victory Street, Toronto, and I give the remainder of my estate to my mother, Mrs. Sheila Griffin, 711 Victory Street, Toronto, and appoint my mother my executrix.

(Signature) GEORGE GRIFFIN,
Sgt., R. 12345,
Date October 10th, 1942. R.C.A.F.

LEAVE RECORD
(With Free Railway Warrant)

From (date)	To (date)	Signature of Officer

LEAVE RECORD
(With Special Leave Warrant A.24)

From (date)	To (date)	Authority and Signature of Officer
6-3-43	20-3-43	T.W.#
		T.W.#
		T.W.#
		T.W.#
		T.W.#

to understand it and made his mark hereto in our presence as aforesaid". In such cases, however, it is recommended that the guidance of the Officer's or Airman's immediate superior Officer be obtained.

3. The Short Form of Will (see pages 15 and 16 of this Book) may be used by an Officer or Airman on Active Service but it must be entirely in his own handwriting. It is pointed out, however, that under the laws of some of the Provinces of Canada, such a Will is ineffective as to real estate. Therefore an Officer or Airman having a Canadian domicile and owning real estate should use the Will Form R.C.A.F. R. 60 or R. 60A., and appoint therein a responsible executor. An Officer or Airman having a domicile out of Canada should not use the Short Form on page 16 because it may not comply with the law of such domicile.

4. No person who receives any benefit under a Will can be a witness. If a person to whom an Officer or Airman intends to give any part of his estate is a witness of the Will, he will not be allowed to receive the intended gift. He may, however, be appointed an executor.

5. When making a Will it is not desirable that alterations be made in it. If, however, alterations are made by the Officer or Airman in his Will, he and the two witnesses must write their initials in the margin opposite the alterations. Any changes in the provisions of a previously made Will can always be made by a new document called a Codicil which should refer to the previously made Will and then state the changes desired, and be dated and signed and witnessed in the same manner as the Will itself.

6. A completely new Will can at any time be made and in such case it revokes, or cancels, any Will of earlier date. The laws of all the Provinces of Canada except one, and of most English speaking countries provide that marriage after the date of a Will revokes that Will. Therefore, an Officer or Airman, immediately upon his marriage, should make a new Will in order that, in the event of his death, his estate may be distributed in accordance with his wishes as shown in his Will.

7. The Will of an Officer or Airman on Active Service is not invalid by reason that at the date it was made he was under the age of 21 years.

WILLS

1. The particulars of the next-of-kin should always be carefully inserted in the Form on page 1 of this Book, but the Officer or Airman must understand that the entries made there have no legal effect with respect to the disposition of his estate in the event of his death and therefore do not relieve him from the necessity of making a Will. Unless an Officer or Airman duly makes a Will, his estate is dealt with in the same manner as that of any other person who dies without leaving a Will, and not only may the relative or person desired or intended to be benefited receive little or no share of the estate but the distribution thereof is delayed until such of the next-of-kin as may be legally entitled can be located. Therefore, though his estate may consist of no assets other than the amount of pay and allowances at credit and the belongings he has on his person or in camp, it is urgent that he make a Will which, when completed, is left with his Commanding Officer for transmission to the Records Office for safe custody and in the event of his death is forwarded firstly, to the Estates Branch, Department of National Defence, Ottawa, for administration and distribution of the Service estate, and secondly, if other assets (including real estate) make it necessary, to the Executor named in the Will.

2. The Officer's or Airman's Will should preferably be made out on the Will Form—R.C.A.F. R. 60 (English) or R.C.A.F. R. 60A. (French)—provided for that purpose and on which are also printed a number of helpful instructions. These Forms are obtained through the Commanding Officer of each Unit. A separate sheet of paper may be used but in such case the general form of the Will as shown in the Form R.C.A.F. R. 60 or R. 60A. should be carefully followed. The Officer or Airman will date the Will and at the bottom of it sign his name in the presence of two witnesses who at the same time in the presence of each other and of the Officer or Airman will also sign their respective names. If the Officer or Airman cannot write, he will make his mark in the place in the Will where his signature would ordinarily appear, and immediately above their signatures on the Will the witnesses will write a memorandum as follows:—"The above Will has been first duly and audibly read over to this Officer or Airman when he appeared

MEDICAL CLASSIFICATION

Date	Category	Medical Board or Medical Exam. (Form No.)	Unit	Initials of M.O.

BLOOD GROUP

Date	International	Initials of M.O.
	BLOOD GROUP B	

NIGHT VISUAL CAPACITY

Date	Score	Group	Initials of M.O.
25/3	14	Recheck	G

IMMUNIZATION PROCEDURES
VACCINATION

Date	Result	Initials of M.O.
.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....

Susceptibility Test	Date	Result	
Schick Test.....	.....	.....	.....
Dick Test.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....

PROTECTIVE INOCULATIONS*

Nature of Inoculation	Date	Dose	Initials of M.O.
Annual ATT	6:3:44	1cc	WJM 7/44
Annual TABC	6:3:44	0.25cc	
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MEDICAL INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSONNEL ON LEAVE IN CANADA

1. Personnel on leave or pass or otherwise absent from their parent unit who require medical attention are to report to the nearest R.C.A.F. Medical Officer. In cases of urgency when the services of an R.C.A.F. Medical Officer are not available, report to:

(a) An R.C.A.M.C. Medical Officer,

(b) A Medical Officer of the Dept. of Pensions and National Health, or

(c) A civilian medical practitioner,

in that order.

2. When it is necessary to call in other than an R.C.A.F. Medical Officer, arrangements are to be made to notify the R.C.A.F. Medical Officer, if one is located in the vicinity, in order that he may assume charge of the case. Immediate action is also to be taken to notify the individual's Commanding Officer in the event that the illness is of serious nature and likely to delay reporting to the unit on termination of leave.

3. All accounts for attendance upon personnel on leave rendered by civilian hospitals or civilian practitioners are to be forwarded in triplicate to the nearest administrative centre of the Dept. of Pensions and National Health for payment.

4. Personnel who, while on leave, are in contact with a case of infectious disease are, on the termination of their leave, to report to their Station Medical Officer before they enter any barrack block, mess or other building on the station.

R.C.A.F. R. 60
10M—9—39 (2042)
H.Q. 1062-3-45

WILL

This is the last Will and Testament of me, Desmond William Farrell

a member of the Royal Canadian Air Force, presently residing at Camp Borden

in the Province of Ontario, Canada, and I do hereby revoke all former Wills, codicils, dispositions, appointments and testamentary writings whatsoever by me at any time heretofore made.

I appoint Mark Fanell of Montreal to be the executor of this my Will, and direct Him to pay all my just debts, funeral and testamentary expenses as soon after my decease as may be conveniently possible.

I give, devise and bequeath all the residue of my estate, both real and personal, of which I shall be possessed or to which I shall be entitled at the time of my decease, or over which I may then have the power of appointment and disposal, unto Mrs J. W. Farrell now residing at 1321 Sherbrooke ST. West. Montreal. P.Q in the City of Montreal in the Province of Quebec, for her own use and benefit absolutely and forever.

In Witness Whereof I, the said Desmond Farrell the testator, have to this my last Will and Testament, set my hand this 22nd day of April 1940

Signed, Published and Declared by the said testator, as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, both present at the same time, who, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

Desmond Farrell
(Desmond William Farrell)

Witness: M. L Grant,
Address: 24. Blackburn. ave.
Occupation: Ottawa Ont.

Witness: C. G. Gray
Address: RCAF. Camp. Borden. Ont.
Occupation: Pilot RCAF.

C1462

9/27

OFFICERS' STATEMENT AT EMBARKATION

1. Next of Kin (give full Christian names) ~~Che~~ MRS Desmond Farrell

   Address 3449 Ontario Avenue Relationship Wife
   Montreal P.Q.

2. Name of Person to be Notified in Case of Casualty

   MRS. Desmond Farrell

   Address 3449 Ontario Avenue Montreal P.Q.

3. Single, Married, Widower, Divorced, Separated? Married

   Full Christian names of wife Raymonde Marie

   Address 3449 Ontario Avenue Montreal P.Q.

4. Parent's name (If living. Give full Christian names)

   Mother Mrs. Eileen Farrell

   Address 1321 Sherbrooke Street West Montreal

   Father Dead

   Address

5. Permanent home address 3449 Ontario Ave. Montreal.

6. Religion (State denomination, eg. C. of E., R.C., U.C., etc.) R.C.

7. Commission Script to be sent to:/

   (a) Overseas N.A.

   (b) Next - of - Kin or other person in Canada (state name and address of person to whom sent)

D. Farrell Lt

Signature and Rank of Officer

Date 22/3/43

R. ... Office
Rec'd APR 9 1943
O. K. ... C.I.B. ...
R. C. ... N. I. ...
S. L. ... P. A. ...

REPORT ON PERSONNEL - GENERAL RECONNAISSANCE SCHOOL T.22(GR)

NAME FARRELL D.W. C1462 RANK F/Lt. STATION Summerside.PEI.

COURSE NO. 72B DATE COMMENCED Jan. 4/43 DATE TERMINATED March 6/43

NAVIGATION - FLYING TIMES.

AIRCRAFT TYPE	DAY	NIGHT	TOTAL
ANSON	41:35		41:35

RESULTS

PILOTS COURSE

SUBJECTS	MARKS	MAXIMUM	PERCENT
D.R. Navigation Intermediate	57	100	57
D.R. Navigation Final	217	300	72
D.R. Navigation Airwork	202	300	67
Reconnaissance	174	200	87
Reconnaissance Airwork	74	100	74
Astro Navigation	52	100	52
Compasses and instruments	154	200	77
Meteorology	114	200	57
Signals	74	100	74
Coding	71	100	71
Ship Recognition	172	200	86
Photography	75	100	75
Visual Signals	Pass	Pass	Pass
TOTAL	1436	2000	72

Order of merit 11/23

Size of Class

Pass Pass

Fail No

INSTRUCTOR'S REMARKS:- Keen, reliable and works hard. Should do well in G.R. work. Averagge in airwork.

F/O
Course Instructor.

RECOMMENDATION FOR FUTURE EMPLOYMENT:-

1. Land Based Recco 2. Boats 3. Torpedo Bombers

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR'S REMARKS:- Hard working. Should do very well in a G.R. Squadron.

R.C. Rec'd. MAY 21 1943 O.K. R.C. JB N.I. S.I. JB P.A.

Capt
W/C
Chief Instructor

O.C. STATION'S REMARKS:- I concur.

March 5/43

D.C.2 MAY 3 1943

G/C
Commanding Officer,
No. 1 G.R.S. Summerside P.E.I.

COURSE	FROM	TO	RESULT
Elementary Flying Training	2-1-40	26-3-40	Passed.
Intermediate Flying Training	22-4-40	15-6-40	Average 68.96%
			Wings 15-6-40
Advanced Flying Training, Camp Borden.	17-6-40	10-8-40	Average, 72%
Flying Instructor's Course, Trenton, Ont.	14-8-40	22-9-40	Cat. "C"
Flying Instructor's Course, Fort William	20-9-41	Recat.	Cat. "B"
Nav. Reconn. Crse. Summerside	4-1-43	5-3-43	Average 72.% Passed 11th.

NAME FARRELL, D.W. No. C1462

Form No. M.76 — cut and punched to be used in the "NU-STYL" Binder,
VISIBLE RECORDS LTD., TORONTO, CANADA

61,000 4/40 W.H.&S. 668/55

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

SERVICE CONDUCT SHEET.

Form 120.

No. C1462 Name and Initials FARRELL, D.W. (IN BLOCK CAPITALS). Date of Enlistment ..... Sheet No. ONE (IN WORDS). Signature [signature] S/O and Rank. FOR: (D.F. RITCHIE W/C) Date 24 JAN 45

AND CE.	Date of Offence.	Rank.	Cases of Drunkenness (IN RED INK)	OFFENCE.	Witnesses.	Punishment Awarded.	Date of Award or of Order dispensing with trial.	By whom Awarded.	INITIALS AND RANK OF OFFICER MAKING ENTRY AND REMARKS, WITH DATE.
		A/S/L		Mentioned in Despatches: Auth: London Gazette no 36866 d/1.1.45					[signature] S/O 24.1.45

C1462.

GROUP ~~UNIT~~ Copy

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Form 373.

1. Rank.	2. Christian Names.	3. Surname.	4. Decorations.
F/L. A/S/L 19/12/43	DESMOND. WILLIAM.	FARRELL.	

5. Type and date of commission or engagement, if Airman Pilot.
RCAF SR. 2.1.40.

Date of expiry.

6. Branch or Trade.
PILOT.

7. Date of award of flying badge. 4.40.

Date of qualification as service pilot, % marks, and whether failed, and re-examined.

7a. Qualifications, including any symbols; whether passed Promotion Exam. (with date) and whether passed Staff College Qualifying Exam.

8. Types of service aircraft flown.
YALE.
HARVARD
CRANE.
ANSON.

9. Type on which most proficient. (If under instruction state total number of hours flown on each type and tests passed).

10. Date of birth.
22.9.15.

11. Religion.
R.C.

12. If married: Date.
M.

13. Medical classfn.
At BE. 11 days
thru AB A3B

14. Date and place of last medical Exam.
Chirnor
17.10.43

15. *Date of last vaccination.

16. *Date of last inoculation.
1. T.A.B.
2. Cholera.
3. Plague.

9, 13-19 and 21 to be kept in pencil. *To be inserted in unit copy only.

17. Permanent Address.
as 18

18. Next of kin. Relationship and address.
Mrs D Farrell (wife)
3449, Ontario ave,
Montreal
Canada.

19. Name and address of person to be notified in case of casualty.
Instead of
*In addition to the Next of kin.
Mrs G.W. Farrell
1,321 Sherbrooke St W,
Montreal.
Canada.

*Delete as necessary.

20. Periods in hospital, or sick quarters, or sick at home.

21. Whether completed Annual Musketry Course and Annual Gunnery and Signalling Training; If not, what tests still require to be passed.

Wt. 44507/3061 380M. 2/42 KJ 51-4307

22. Courses of instruction : Subject.	Unit.	From	To.	Result and percentage of marks.
~~Course~~ 72 B.	SOMMERSIDE.			
No 15 "D" INTELL COURSE	HIGHGATE.	5-4-44	8-4-44	

23. Postings and Attachments.					Postings and Attachments.				
To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.	To	Duty	"P" or "A"	Date	Authy.
EMBARKED CANADA.			26.3.43						
Dis — UK.			11.4.43						
3 PRC.			11.4.43.						
7(C) OTU	Op. Trng	P.	4.5.43	ACMOR					
3 (C) O.T.U.	22 Course	P.	22.May.43	P.O.R. 4/43					
407 Sqdn.		P	30.6.43						
REAF U/K N/E Unit	N/E Missing	P.	7.6.44	196/769/44					
" " " "	Missing	TOS	8.6.44	NEU 74/44					
" " " "	Prld. Dedd	SOS	7.6.44	NEU 125/45					

24. Attendances at Courts Martial.					
Date	Under Instrn.	As P. or M.	Date	Under Instrn.	As P. or M.

ential R.A.F.—TRAINING REPORT R.A.F. Form 5015.

PILOT

No. 3(C) OPERATION TRAINING UNIT

1. Surname FARRELL. Christian Names D.W.

2. Number [illegible] 1462 3. Rank F/Lt: 4. Course No. 22

5. Posted to: 7.(C).O.T.U. 6. Date course commenced 28.4.43 7. Date course ended 22.6.43 8. Posted to 407 Sqdn:

9. Ground Examinations			10. Flying Tests		
Subject	Marks Allotted	Marks Obtained	Subject	Marks Allotted	Marks Obtained
(a) Airmanship	300	240	(a) General Flying	400	350
(b) Armament	300	Not examined.	(b) Applied Flying	200	180
(c) Meteorology	100	"	(c) Instrument Flying ...	250	230
(d) Navigation	200	"	(d) Night Flying	100	80
(e) Signals	100	"	(e) Link Trainer	50	35
Total	1,000	"	Total	1,000	875
PER CENT.		---	PER CENT.		87.50

11. Assessment of qualities of Character and Leadership	Marks Allotted	Marks Obtained
	100	80

12. **Remarks :** An above average pilot. Will make a good captain with more practice.

Date 11th July 1943 Signed [signature] W/Cmdr:
Officer Commanding.

(N.B.—Flying Times and Accident Record shown overleaf.)

13. **Flying Times** (At this Unit) :

Type of Aircraft	Time	Dual to 1st Solo	Total dual	Solo	Passenger	Formation	Instrument
Wellington.	Day ...	2.10	4.25	37.50	—	—	12.10
	Night...	3.30	3.45	14.35			

14. **Flying Accidents.—All** flying accidents in which this pupil was concerned while at t unit are to be noted below, whether serious or trivial, whether otherwise reported or no If there were no such accidents, write in " None."

(1) Type of Aircraft	(2) Date of Accident	(3) Day or Night	(4) Previous Reports	(5) Nature of Accident	(6) Amount of Damage	(7) Degree of pupil's responsibility	
(Name)	Day Month Year	" D " or " N "	e.g. 765c Number or other reports (if any)	Use one or two words (e.g. " Taxying ", " Heavy Landing " " Over-shooting " etc.)	" R.U." " R.X.U." or " W.O."*	" None " " Partial " " Full " or " Unknown "	Comment e.g. " Engine Failure " " Inexperience " " Carelessness," etc.

* Column (6) above : " R.U." —Repairable at Unit.
" R.X.U." —Repairable away from Unit.
"W.O." —Write off.

(*10275) Wt. 22833—1285 20,000 8/42 T.S. 700
(*11248—10275 Wt. 41727—2646 25,000 1/43 T.S. 700

OFFICIAL ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE CASUALTY NOTIFICATION

NUMBER C1462 RANK S/LDR. UNIT 407 SQDN OVERSEAS

TRADE PILOT (G.L.)

R.C.A.F.	R.A.F.	R.A.A.F.	R.N.Z.A.F.	OTHER
X				

NAME FARRELL, DESMOND WILLIAM

PRESENT MARITAL STATUS MARRIED RELIGION R.C. CANADIAN YES

FRENCH CANADIAN OTHER

NEXT OF KIN MRS DESMOND WILLIAM FARRELL

RELATIONSHIP WIFE

ADDRESS 3449 ONTARIO AVE. MONTREAL. QUE.

FATHER'S NAME DECEASED

ADDRESS LIVING ON ENLISTMENT NO

MOTHER'S NAME MRS GERALD WILLIAM FARRELL

ADDRESS 1321 SHERBROOKE ST. W. MONTREAL. QUE. LIVING ON ENLISTMENT YES

ADDRESS AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT 1321 SHERBROOKE ST. W. MONTREAL. QUE. MARITAL STATUS AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT SINGLE

OCCUPATION ENGINEER

WAS MEMBER ATTACHED TO R.A.F. AT ANY TIME? YES/NO N/K BEING OBTAINED

IF CASUALTY OCCURRED IN CANADA DID MEMBER HAVE SERVICE OUTSIDE CANADA DURING WAR WITH THE GERMAN REICH? YES/NO

IF ON LEAVE, STATE DATE LEAVE COMMENCED AND WHETHER ON LEAVE WITH OR WITHOUT PAY?

CASUALTY DETAILS:

AUTHORITY CAS. SIG. NO.

BOMBERMAIL LETTER----------d-15-MAY-45

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED "MISSING" 7-JUNE-44 AFTER AIR OPERATIONS (OVERSEAS) (ANTI SUBMARINE PATROL)

8/6
13/6.

NOW "PRESUMED DEAD" 7-JUNE-44 FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES

LAST WILL ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.? YES/NO (2)

M.F.M. 5 ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.? YES/NO

DATE 12-JUNE-45

CERTIFICATE P. OF D. ATTACHED TO A. OF E. COPY YES/NO

ALSO (2) VICTORY BOND LETTERS

FOR CHIEF OF THE AIR STAFF

R.C.A.F. R217
30M-6-44 (4664)
H.Q. 885-R217
△TS-RT

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