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MYATT
HOWARD REGINA

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750M-5-42 (4398)
H.Q. 1772-39-1645

(To be completed in triplicate. Copy designation to be shown by striking out terms not applicable.)

Unit ~~G.A.C. (G) GA~~ INF Regimental Number D-131732

N.T. ACTIVE FORMATIONS AND UNITS OF THE CANADIAN ARMY

ATTESTATION PAPER

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1. Surname MYATT
2. Christian Names HOWARD REGINALD
3. Present address 2042 Oxford Ave., N.D.G. Montreal, Que., Canada.
4. Date of birth 14th May 1924
5. Place of birth Canada Quebec Montreal
(Country) (County or Province) (Town or Township)
6. Citizenship Canada
(Of What Country are You Now a Citizen)
7. Religion (state denomination) Church of England
8. Trade or Calling Office Clerk
9. Married, Widower or Single Single
10. Name of next of kin Mr. Reginald Myatt
11. Relationship Father
12. Address of next of kin 2042 Oxford Ave., N.D.G. Montreal, Que., Canada.
13. Do you belong to, or have you served in a Reserve Formation or Unit of The Canadian Army? No
(If Yes, Give Unit and Dates of Service)
14. Have you served in (a) an Active Formation or Unit of The Canadian Army? No
(Yes or No)
(b) Any other Naval, Military, or Air Force? No
(If Yes, Give Regimental No. and Unit)
(Yes or No) (If Yes, specify Unit and Period of Service)
15. Did you serve during the Great War 1914-1918? No
(If Yes, specify Regimental No., Unit and Dates of Service)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION

I, Howard Reginald MYATT, do solemnly declare that the above particulars are true, and I hereby engage to serve in any Active Formation or Unit of The Canadian Army so long as an emergency, i.e., war, invasion, riot or insurrection, real or apprehended, exists, and for the period of demobilization after said emergency ceases to exist, and in any event for a period of not less than one year, provided His Majesty should so require my services.

Date 28 avril 43.

(Signature of recruit)

OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION

I, Howard Reginald MYATT, do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

Witness

(Name)

(Rank)

(Signature of Recruit)

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE OR ATTESTING OFFICER

The Recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answers to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided by law.

The above questions and answers were then read to the recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me,

at MONTREAL SOUTH this 28e day of avril 1943.

(Signature of Magistrate, Justice or Attesting Officer.)

(Officer or Rank and Unit of appointment.)

NO. 4-DISTRICT DEPOT A.F.

N.B.—ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO THE FACT THAT ANY PERSON MAKING A FALSE ANSWER TO ANY OF THE ABOVE QUESTIONS IS LIABLE TO A PENALTY OF SIX MONTHS' IMPRISONMENT

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Record of Service of

MYATT

(Surname)

HOWARD REGINALD

(Christian Names)

Regimental Number D-131732

QUALIFICATIONS

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Military

NIL

High School

1 AN

Graduation

NIL

Business or Professional

NIL

or
Collegiate

(years completed)

or
Matriculation

(specify)

Trade or Civil

OFFICE CLERK

*College

NON

Technical

NON

*University

NON

Languages

ENGLISH

7e EC PUBLIQUE

*(Name of institution, courses or years completed, and degrees obtained to be shown)

All enlisted personnel will be taken on as Private soldiers, appointments and promotions to higher rank to be shown as provided in the space below.

Record of Promotions, Reductions, Transfers, Casualties, Reports, etc., from date taken on Strength of Field Force	Rank Shown	Effective Date	Unit	Place	Authority	
					Part II D.O. No. Cas. List, etc.	Dated
Joined on appointment 28-4-43 DRO TOS No 4 DISTRICT DEPOT CA	TPR	28-4-43	4 DD	MTL STH	4 DD PT II 101	28-4-43
SOS ON TRANS TO G. (2) T.O. 48 St. Johns Que	"	13-5-43	"	"	" " " 114	13-5-43
13 May 43 4DD SOS on trans to No. 4 V.T.S. Motordrome Bks Montreal, Que.	"	14 May 43	"	"	" " 115	14 May 43
T.O.S. on transfer from No. 4 DD and is att'd for all purposes including pay while undergoing Basic and Trades Training	"	15 May 43	4 VTS	MONTREAL	4 VTS PT II 116	17 May 43
Posted to Young Soldiers Wing Claremont Brks, Westmount, Que. f for duty and discipline, while on leave.	TPR	7 Sep 43	"	"	D.O. 217	11 Sep 43
Granted (6) days leave from 3 Sep 43 to 2200 hrs 8 Sep 43 and (50)¢ p.d. in lieu of Rations for the period shown, Art 196	"		"	"	D.O. 221	16 Sep 43
(4) F.R. & I Can.	"		"	"	D.O. 225	21 Sep 43
Having completed (40) months service and having met with the requirements of R.O. 3461 is entitled to draw Regimental Rates of Pay of \$1.20 p.d. Art 144 F.R. & I Can	"	28 Aug 43	"	"	D.O.	

use M.F.M. 1 and 2 (a)

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Date of Medical Examination _____

me in full.....**MYATT HOWARD REGINALD.**

Place....~~Mt1~~.

21 April 1943

Part 1. Information obtained from the recruit.

1. Age.....18..... 2. Have you ever suffered from any of the following diseases?
- a. Rheumatism.....no.....
- b. Tuberculosis or pleurisy.....no.....
- c. Bronchitis or asthma.....no.....
- d. Heart disease.....no.....
- e. Kidney or bladder disease.....no.....
- f. Stomach or bowel trouble.....no.....
- g. Rupture.....no.....
- h. Varicose veins.....no.....
- i. Foot trouble.....yes.....
- j. Nasal trouble.....no.....
- k. Ear disease.....no.....
- l. Eye disease.....no.....
- m. Fits.....no.....
- n. Nervous or mental disease.....no.....
- o. Syphilis.....no.....
- p. Gonorrhoea.....no.....
- q. Have you ever worn glasses?.....no.....
- r. Are you now or have you in the past received disability pension or compensation? If so, give details.....no.....

I hereby declare that I have not suffered from any diseases whatsoever except as stated above.

Signature of Applicant

Part 2. Information obtained by medical examination. THE RECRUIT MUST BE STRIPPED.

Medical Officer's Remarks on information as stated in Part 1

1. Identification marks or scars..... **1 vac. left arm. Scar on left side.**
2. Height..... **5**..... feet..... **9**..... inches. 3. Weight..... **130**..... pounds. Good
4. Complexion..... **Med.**..... Eyes..... **Hazel**..... 5. Development..... **Fair**..... Fair
Hair..... **Brown**..... Poor
6. Chest measurement—Girth on full expansion..... **34**..... inches. Range of expansion..... **2**..... inches.
7. Vision, right..... **20/120**..... left..... **20/80**.....
With Glasses— right..... left..... 8. Hearing, right..... **cv 20**..... left..... **cv 20**.....
9. Condition of mouth and teeth..... **four**.....
10. Blood Pressure:— S..... D..... (Required if recruit is over 35 years of age, or if otherwise indicated)
11. Urinalysis..... **N**.....
12. The abnormalities (congenital and pathological) found on examination are as follows:—
COLOR VISION ISHIHARA (CN) EARS NOSE THROAT NEGATIVE.
underweight distorted left big toe nail J.C. CALHOUN, Major.
following operation for ingrowing toe nail.
Heart & Lungs negative, no hernia, extremities and joints negative
Reflexes normal. no psychiatric disability. T.E.D.
13. Chest X-Ray..... No. **62-602**..... Laboratory at which taken..... **U.S. Army Medical Center, Washington, D.C.**

Part 3. We, the examiners, find no evidence of the diseases mentioned in question 2, Part 1, except as reported in the remarks. We have examined the Recruit in accordance with the pamphlet "Physical Standards and Instructions for the medical examination of Recruits" and he is found fit for Category.....

Special remarks when category lower than A... ~~UNDERWEIGHT FOR HEIGHT.~~ VISION DEFECTIVE.

President ARTHUR VINEBERG CAPT. F. STRAIN CAPT. G. WALSH LIEUT.

Date.....**21 April 1943.**

VACCINATIONS, INOCULATIONS, BOARDS, RECLASSIFICATION OF MEDICAL CATEGORY

[illegible]

NOTE: Any corrections to entries made must be initialed by the Officer making them. Such Officer will indicate his rank and corps. Corrections are not to be written over the original entry.

Regtl. No.

Rank

Surname

MYATT

Christian Name.

HOWARD REGINALD

STATIONDate of
Arrival at
the Station

DATES OF

Admission
into HospitalDischarge
from Hospital

DISEASE

Number of
days in
Hospital

Remarks on nature of the disease; how induced; if mild or severe; if completely recovered from; whether any particular treatment was adopted. In venereal cases state nature of primary disease, and whether mercury has been given. If an accident, state whether it occurred on duty and whether a Court of Inquiry was held. Date of issue and particulars of artificial teeth or surgical appliances supplied.

Signature of
Medical
Officer

Statement of the Service of No. D-131732

Rank TFR

Sheet No. 1

Name MYATT Howard Reginald

M.F.M. 1 & 2 (a)
700 M-8-39 (1697)
H.Q. 1772-45-18

REPORT		Record of Promotions, Reductions, Transfers, Casualties, Reports, etc. (Continuation of Folio 2, M.F.M. 1 or M.F.M. 2)	Rank Shown	Effective Date	Unit	Place	Authority	
Date	From whom received						Part II D.O. No. Cas. List, etc.	Dated
Completed 6 months service		is entitled to draw \$ 1.50 p.d.	TFR	28 Oct 43	4 VTS	Montreal	D.O. 262	2 Nov 43.
Ceases to be		Posted to Young Soldiers Wing, Claremont Brks. Westm. Que.	"	8 Nov 43	"	"	D.O. 268	9 Nov 43.
Was on 12 Nov 43		awarded 14 days detention for "Conduct to the						
Prejudice of Good Order and Milt. Disc.		"Forf: 14 days pay.	"		"	"	D.O. 272	13 Nov 43.
Granted 5 days Christ. Leave		22 to 26 Dec incl. & (50)¢ p.d.	"		"	"	D.O. 300	15 Dec 43.
Ceases to be att'd f.a.p. & is SOS		to # 4 DD Mtl. South, Que.	"	9 Feb 44	"	"	D.O. 33	9 Feb 44.
T.O.S; from No. 4 V.T.S. Montreal Que			Tpr	10 Feb 44	4 DD Mtl Sth	4 DD	41	14 Feb 44
REALLOCATED TO C.INF.C CA			Inf Tpr	16 Feb 44	"	"	" 45	18 Feb 44
Admitted to St Luke's Hospital Mtl Que			"	17 feb 44	4	D. Mtl Sth	47	21 feb 44.
		SOS to CI(B)TC 48 St. Johns, Que.	"	2 Mar 44	"	"	" 56	2 Mar 44.
		f.a.p. except pay & for pay purposes		29-2-44				
6 MAR 44	BTC48	TOS on transf. from No. 4 D.D. f.a.p. except pay & for pay purposes.	Pte.	3 MAR 44				
			"	1 MAR 44	BTC48	St. Johns	D. O. #54	4 MAR 44
10 MAR 44	"	Re-allocated to INF (FOR RECORD PURPOSES)	"	14 JAN 44	"	"	" #59	10 MAR 44
29 Apr 44	"	SOS on trans. to A-12 Farnham	"	29 Apr 44	"	"	" #102	29 Apr 44.
		T.O.S. from T.C. 48 St. Johns, Que.	"	30-4-44	A-12	Farnham	103	1-5-44
		4 days emb. leave with T.W. A-645059	"	28 Jun 44	"	"	155	28 Jun 44.
		S.O.S. to Serial No. 294	"	10 Jul 44	"	"	165	10 Jul 44.

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M.F.M. 1 & 2 (a)
700 M-8-39 (1697)
H.O. 1772-45-18

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		Was on 12 Nov 43 awarded 14 days detention for "Conduct to the Prejudice of Good Order and Milt. Disc." Forf: 14 days pay.	"		"	"	D.O.	272 13 Nov 43.
		Granted 5 days Christ. Leave 22 to 26 Dec incl. & (50)¢ p.d.	"		"	"	D.O.	300 15 Dec 43.
		Ceases to be att'd f.a.p. & is SOS to # 4 DD Mtl. South, Que.	"	9 Feb 44	"	"	D.O.	33 9 Feb 44.
		T.O.S; from No.4 V.T.S. Montreal Que	Tpr	10 Feb 44	4 DD Mtl Stn	4 DD		41 14 Feb 44.
		REALLOCATED TO C.INF.C CA	Inf Tpr	16 Feb 44	"	"	"	45 18 Feb 44.
		Admitted to St Luke's Hospital Mtl Que	"	17 feb 44	4	D. Mtl Stn		47 21 feb 44.
		SOS to JI(B)TC 48 St. Johns, Que.	"	2 Mar 44	"	"	"	56 2 Mar 44.
		f.a.p. except pay & for pay purposes		29-2-44				
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		S.O.S. to Serial No. 294	"	10 Jul 44	"	"		165 10 Jul
		S.O.S., C.A. Canada 11 July 44						
		T.O.S., C.A. Overseas 12 July 44	Pte	20 Jul 44	ICTRU	UK		162 21 Jul 44
		Disembarked 19 July 44						
		T.O.S.						

Statement of the Service of No..... Rank.....

Sheet No.....

Name.....

M.F.M. 1 & 2 (a)
700 M-8-39 (1607)
H.Q. 1772-45-18

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Date	From whom received						Part II D.O. No. Cas. List, etc.	Dated
ev SOS	✓	SOS to SSR x 4 list	Pte	10 Aug 44	1 PIRU	UK	176	11 Aug 44
	ev	Embarked at... UK on 12 Aug 44 Disembarked at... France on 13 Aug 44						
		TOS x 4 list	Pte	14 Aug 44	x list SSR	21 AB	32	26 Aug 44
ev SOS		SOS x 4 list (11 Bn) to RR of C	Pte	14 Aug 44	x list SSR	21 AB	33	2 Sept 44
CH	TOS	TOS from x 4 list S Sant R (11 Bn)	Pte	15 Aug 44	1 Bn RR of C	21 AS	42	30 Aug 44
CH		To be L/cpl	The	17 Oct 44	RR of C	21 AS	54	1 Nov 44
CIS1		Missing	L/cpl	23 Jan 45	RR of C		PL A 538	2 Feb 45
CIS1 21194	Do 92/167 Feb 45	S.O.S to x 6 R. Regt of C (missing)	Pte L/cpl	23 Jan 45	RR of C	21 AC	8	9 Feb 45
		Killed	L/cpl	23 Jan 45	RR of C		bas L A 574	6 May 45

Sheet No.....

POSTINGS FROM O/S CASUALTY LISTS

To be attached to M.F.M. 1 or M.F.M. 2

Regt'l No. D-131732 Rank Lt Cpl Surname Myatt Christian Name Howard B.

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SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

PART I (For all ranks)

M.F.M. 4 (Part I)

A.F.B. 103 (Part I)
200M-8-42
H.Q. 1772-

Unit C/A.E. (C) - G.A. INF

Regimental Number D-131732

1. Surname MYATT
2. Christian Names Howard, Reginald
3. *Substantive Rank and Appointment Lepl
*Acting Temporary or Local Rank giving date
4. Place of birth Mtl., Que., Can.
5. Date of birth as declared on attestation 14-May-24
(A)
6. Date of enlistment 28-4-43
7. Place of enlistment Montreal South, Que., Can.
8. Residence at time of enlistment 2042 Oxford Ave., N.D.G. Mtl., Que., Can.
9. (B) Special conditions (if any) of enlistment or rate of pay
10. (C) Any subsequent variations of conditions of service
11. Religion Church of England
12. If married, state date Single
13. Trade on enlistment Office Clerk
14. Corps, trade and grade
15. (D) Qualifications
16. (E) Miscellaneous entries Single

(17) Regiment or Corps

Unit (Battn., etc.)

(18) Medical

Category

Date

Authority

"A-2"

21-4-43

M.F.M. 2

Y.O.B. - PUL HEMS
27 11/1/22

13/1/44

M. F. M. 2

27-11-11-21-1

26-6-44

27-7-44

(19) Next of kin (entries to be made in pencil)

(20) E

(21) E

(22) E

NOTES—

- (A) Here enter particulars of any subsequent claim as to actual age after verification of birth certificate.
- (B) Whether for home service only, enlisted at special rates of pay, etc.
- (C) If to be retained on home service, period if specified to be stated; also authority and on what grounds; see (A) above.
- (D) Signaller, Farrier, etc.
- (E) Instructions regarding allotment of these sub-heads will be made as may be necessary after mobilization.

23-1-45

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AWARDS—CANADIAN ARMY (ACTIVE)

(1955)

500M—1-44 (3467)
H.Q. 1772-45-8

MYATT, Howard Reginald		D-131732	L/Cpl.	FILE NO. 405- 11 29854
SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS)	CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. No.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT

WAR SERVICEBADGE

(CLASS)

No.

DATE DESPATCHED:

ADDRESS:

CAMPAIGN MEDALS	REGISTRATION NUMBER AND DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star	4266 4/4/50
France & Germany Star	
War Medal, 1939-45	
CVSM & Clasp	

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION NO. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS

PERSON

Mr. Reginald Myatt Father Benef.
ENTITLED TO 2042 Oxford Ave.,
Montreal 28, Que.

ADDRESS:

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW

ADDRESS:

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER

Mrs. Winnifred M. MYATT, (ENGLISH)

(1955)

ADDRESS: 2042 Oxford Ave., MONTREAL 28, Que.

MEMORIAL B. K.

(1) DATE DESP

REGN NO

3/6

(2)

(3)

DESP. JUN 5 1945

REGN No. 19893

(10) Have you a common-law wife—whom you have been regularly supporting and publicly representing as your wife for at least 2 years immediately prior to appointment or enlistment?.....no

If so, state her full name and Postal Address.....nil

(11) Is your father alive?.....Yes

If so, state name and address, occupation Mr. Reginald MYATT - Master Mechanic
2042 Oxford Ave., N.D.G., Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

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

(13) If sole or partial support of father who is a widower, totally incapacitated from earning a living—state what amount per month you have given him prior to appointment or enlistment.....

nil

Also state reason he has no other means of support; if partially supported by you, what is your reason for not providing full support?.....nil

(14) Is your mother alive?.....Yes

If so, state name and address.....Mrs. Winnifrid-May MYATT (Gilbert)
2042 Oxford Ave., N.D.G., Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

(15) If your mother is a widow, are you her sole or partial support?.....nil

(16) If sole or partial support of widowed mother—state what amount per month you have given her prior to appointment or enlistment.....nil

Also state reason why she has no other means of support; if partially supported by you, what is your reason for not providing full support?.....nil

(17) Are you contributing to the support of any dependents, other than those shown above?no.....
This may include any brothers 16 years of age or under, or any sisters 17 years of age or under, solely supported and maintained as bona fide members of your household before your appointment or enlistment.

If so, state the following particulars:—

Relationship.....nil

Full Name.....

Postal Address.....

Amount contributed monthly during the past six months.....

(18) Are you insured?.....Yes

If so, in what Company?.....Does not remember

(Give number of policy)

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

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.

Date April 28th 1943.

(Signature of officer or man)

Date April 28th 1943.

Officer Commanding

N.B. (If parent(s) of the officer or other rank concerned has (have) been replaced by foster parent(s), questions relating to fathers and/or mothers above should be altered and answered as applicable.)

NO. 4-DISTRICT DEPOT A.F.

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY OF AN OFFICER OR OTHER RANK OF THE CANADIAN
ARMY (AF) OR R.C.A.F. (ON ACTIVE SERVICE)

INSTRUCTIONS.

- (a) This form is to be completed immediately an officer or other rank is appointed to, or enlisted in, the Canadian Army (AF) or R.C.A.F. ON ACTIVE SERVICE.
- (b) All questions, etc., must be completed.
- (c) Upon completion, the form will, in the case of Army personnel, be forwarded to the District Records Officer for transmission to Officer i/c Records (Army) N.D.H.Q., Ottawa. In the case of R.C.A.F. personnel the form will be forwarded to R.C.A.F. Records Officer, Dept. of National Defence for Air, Ottawa.

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- (1) Name of Officer or Other Rank..... MYATT
(Surname first—Christian names in full—Block capitals)
..... Howard Reginald
- (2) Regimental or Official Number and Rank..... D-131732..... Tpr
- (3) Unit..... C.A.C. (O) CA
- (4) Are you married?..... No
- (5) If married, state,
(a) Full name of your wife..... nil
.....
(b) Present postal address of wife..... nil
- (6) If married, have you been regularly supporting your wife? If not—state reasons..... nil
.....
- (7) Are you a widower?..... no
- (8) Have you any children?..... no..... Number of boys..... Girls.....
Names and ages..... nil
.....
- (9) If Dependents' Allowance is claimed in respect of children—state whether you have been
regularly supporting them..... nil
.....
- Give particulars of Guardians to whom Dependents' Allowance should be paid—if authorized.
- Name..... nil
- Postal Address.....
.....

[SEE OTHER SIDE]

FORMULE D'ANTÉCÉDENTS PROFESSIONNELS

LA PRÉSENTE FORMULE DOIT ÊTRE REMPLIE POUR CHAQUE MEMBRE DES FORCES ARMÉES. LES RENSEIGNEMENTS DEMANDÉS SONT DESTINÉS À L'USAGE DU COMITÉ CONSULTATIF GÉNÉRAL DE DÉMOBILISATION ET DE RÉTABLISSEMENT, INSTITUÉ PAR LE GOUVERNEMENT CANADIEN POUR ÉTUDIER DES PLANS DE RÉTABLISSEMENT DANS LA VIE INDUSTRIELLE DES MEMBRES DES FORCES ARMÉES APRÈS LEUR LICENCIEMENT. L'EXACTITUDE ET L'INTÉGRITÉ DES RÉPONSES SERONT TRÈS UTILES AU COMITÉ.

PRIÈRE DE LIRE ATTENTIVEMENT LES INSTRUCTIONS AU VERSO DE LA COUVERTURE DU FORMULAIRE AVANT DE REMPLIR LA FORMULE

Partie A—RENSEIGNEMENTS GÉNÉRAUX

LAISSEZ
EN BLANC

1. (a) Nom et prénoms (lettres moulées) HYATT Howard Reynolds (b) N° matricule PA-137732
2. (a) Arme Army (b) Unité C.A.C. (1) CA (c) Rang Sgt
3. (a) Date de naissance 1924 May 14 (b) Avez-vous des personnes à votre charge? No (c) Domicile au moment de l'enrôlement Montreal, Quebec.
4. (a) Lieu d'enrôlement Montreal South, Quebec. (b) Date d'enrôlement April 25th 1945

Partie B—INSTRUCTION ET FORMATION

5. (a) Âge à la sortie définitive de l'école 23 yrs old (b) Fréquentiez-vous l'école ou le collège au moment de l'enrôlement? No
6. Indiquez exactement où vous en étiez dans vos études à l'école publique, technique ou secondaire (par exemple—"école publique, 4 ans," "école secondaire, 2 ans;" "immatriculation junior" ou "cours technique en imprimerie, 4 ans", etc.) 7 yrs public school 1 yr. high school
7. Si vous avez fréquenté une université, indiquez-en le nom ainsi que la classe atteinte ou le grade obtenu no
8. (a) Êtes-vous déjà entré en apprentissage? No (b) Si oui, dans quel métier? Nil (c) Avez-vous complété votre apprentissage? Nil (d) Si vous ne l'avez pas complété, combien de temps y avez-vous passé? Nil
9. (a) Quelles langues parlez-vous couramment? English (b) Quelles langues lisez-vous facilement? English

Partie C—SITUATION AU MOMENT DE L'ENRÔLEMENT

10. (a) Indiquez si vous étiez EN EMPLOI ou EN CHÔMAGE au moment de l'enrôlement. (Inscrivez simplement "En emploi" ou "En chômage", selon le cas; les détails sont demandés plus bas) Working (b) Au moment de l'enrôlement de quel syndicat ouvrier ou société professionnelle étiez-vous membre? No

Partie D—DÉTAILS CONCERNANT CEUX QUI CHÔMAIENT AU MOMENT DE L'ENRÔLEMENT

LES QUESTIONS 11 À 17 NE S'APPLIQUENT QU'À CEUX DONT LA RÉPONSE À LA QUESTION 10 (a) INDIQUE QU'ILS ÉTAIENT EN CHÔMAGE

11. Aviez-vous déjà été employé assez régulièrement depuis votre sortie de l'école?.....
12. (a) Si la réponse à (11) est "oui", indiquez exactement l'occupation ou le métier effectivement exercé..... (b) Durée d'emploi dans cette occupation ou métier?.....
13. Si la réponse à (11) est "non", indiquez exactement l'occupation ou le métier pour lequel vous vous estimez compétent.....
14. Si vous avez été employé après votre sortie de l'école, indiquez quand vous avez travaillé assez régulièrement pour la dernière fois avant l'enrôlement.....
15. Donnez des détails concernant votre dernier patron, le cas échéant: Nom..... Adresse.....
16. Genre d'affaires du patron (par exemple, "culture" ou "construction de bâtiments" ou "fabrique de chaussures" ou "fonderie de fonte" ou "magasin de détail", etc.).....
17. (a) Si vous travailliez à votre propre compte lors de votre dernier emploi, indiquez la nature et l'adresse de votre entreprise..... (b) Quand l'avez-vous abandonnée?.....

Partie E—DÉTAILS CONCERNANT CEUX QUI TRAVAILLAIENT AU MOMENT DE L'ENRÔLEMENT

LES QUESTIONS 18 À 23 NE S'APPLIQUENT QU'À CEUX DONT LA RÉPONSE À LA QUESTION 10 (a) INDIQUE QU'ILS ÉTAIENT EN EMPLOI. VOUS ÊTES PRIÉ DE LIRE EN ENTIER CES QUESTIONS ET DE NE RÉPONDRE QU'À CELLES QUI S'APPLIQUENT À VOTRE CAS AU MOMENT DE L'ENRÔLEMENT

SI VOUS ÉTIEZ À L'EMPLOI D'UN PATRON AU MOMENT DE L'ENRÔLEMENT, PRIÈRE DE RÉPONDRE AUX QUESTIONS 18 À 21

18. Nom du patron H. H. W. Kyle Co. Ltd. Adresse Montreal, Quebec.
19. Genre d'affaires du patron (par exemple, "culture" ou "construction de bâtiments" ou "fabrique de chaussures" ou "fonderies de fonte" ou "magasin de détail", etc.) Customs brokers
20. (a) Genre précis de votre occupation office clerk (b) Nombre d'années d'expérience dans ce travail pour le compte de tout patron 23 yrs
21. (a) Votre patron vous a-t-il formellement promis de vous reprendre à son service à votre licenciement? No (b) Votre patron a-t-il refusé de promettre de vous reprendre à son service à votre licenciement? No (c) Désirez-vous retourner à votre ancien emploi? Nil

SI VOUS TRAVAILLIEZ À VOTRE PROPRE COMPTE AU MOMENT DE L'ENRÔLEMENT, C'EST-À-DIRE, SI VOUS EXPLOITIEZ UNE FERME, UN MAGASIN, UNE AGENCE, OU SI VOUS EXERCIEZ UNE PROFESSION, OU SI VOUS ÉTIEZ ASSOCIÉ DANS L'UNE DE CES ENTREPRISES, PRIÈRE DE RÉPONDRE AUX QUESTIONS 22 ET 23

22. (a) Indiquez la nature du commerce ou la profession..... (b) Où était-il situé?.....
23. (a) Nombre d'années dans ce commerce?..... (b) Avez-vous fait ou vous proposez-vous de faire des plans pour reprendre à votre licenciement votre commerce ou un commerce d'une nature semblable?.....

Partie F—DÉTAILS DE L'EXPÉRIENCE EN AGRICULTURE

24. (a) Désirez-vous vous livrer à la culture de la terre après la guerre? No (b) Vous croyez-vous apte à exploiter une ferme? No (c) Si oui, dans quel genre de culture? Nil
25. (a) Êtes-vous né sur une ferme? No (b) Nombre d'années d'expérience effective dans la culture? Nil (c) Dans quelles provinces avez-vous acquis votre expérience? Nil

Partie G—DIVERS

26. Avez-vous pris des arrangements autres que ceux indiqués ci-dessus au sujet de votre rétablissement dans la vie civile après votre licenciement? No
27. Si oui, indiquez la nature de vos projets (par exemple, vous proposez-vous de reprendre vos études, ou vous a-t-on assuré une position, etc.) Nil
28. Indiquez toute préférence pour un certain emploi ou toute ambition que vous pourriez avoir, autres que celles indiquées ailleurs sur la présente formule. No stay in the Army if possible.

DATE April 24th T94 3. SIGNATURE [Signature]

OFFICIAL CANADIAN ARMY OVERSEAS CASUALTY NOTIFICATION (DEATH)

NUMBER **D-131732** RANK **Lance Corporal** SERVICE UNIT **The Royal Regiment of Canada (C.A.)**
 NAME **MYATT, Howard Reginald**

DATE OF BIRTH **14-5-24** DATE OF ENLISTMENT **28-4-43**

MARITAL STATUS **Single** RELIGION **Church of England**

NEXT OF KIN AS SHOWN ON M.F.M. 1, 2 & 5 RELATIONSHIP **Father** NAME **Mr. Reginald Myatt,**
 ADDRESS **2042 Oxford Avenue, D.A.B.**
Montreal 28, Quebec.

ADDITIONAL PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED ADDRESS

PARENTS NAME

ADDRESS
 (IF SOLDIER
 MARRIED OVERSEAS)

AUTHORITY CAS. SIG. NO. **Canrecords - 8986A** **H.Q.405-M-29,854** DATE **23-1-45**
 CASUALTY DETAILS **Previously reported missing in action**
23-1-45 now officially reported killed
in action

WESTERN EUROPEAN THEATRE OF WAR

LAST WILL ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.?

YES/NO

M.F.M.5. ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.?

YES/NO

DATE

FORM NO. CAS. 6
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DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS—QUEBEC DEATH TRANSCRIPT

Do not
write in
this space

1. PLACE OF DEATH		Municipal county IN THE FIELD (GERMANY)		Official name of civil municipality or township		Place an X over the word which applies to this municipality or this territory City Town Village Parish Township	
2. LENGTH OF STAY		(a) In hospital or institution		(b) In municipality where death occurred		(c) In Province	
3. NAME OF DECEASED		Surname MYATT		Given names Howard Reginald		Do not write in this space	
4. RESIDENCE		Street Oxford Avenue,		No. 2042		City Montreal,	
5. SEX		6. NATIONALITY (Citizenship)		7. RACIAL ORIGIN		8. Single, Married, Widowed or Divorced (Write the word)	
M						Single	
9. If married give name of wife or husband of deceased							
10. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country) Quebec							
11. DATE OF BIRTH May 14th, 1924.							
12. AGE OF DECEASED 20 Years Months Days If less than one day old							
13. Trade, profession or kind of work, as spinner, teamster, office clerk, etc.							
14. Kind of industry or business, as cotton-mill, lumbering, bank, etc.							
15. Date deceased last worked at this occupation							
16. Total years spent in this occupation							
17. NAME							
18. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country)							
FATHER MYATT, Reginald							
MOTHER (Maiden Name)							
19. Place of burial, cremation or removal Germany							
20. Date of burial							
(a) Name of parish or church							
(b) Civil municipality of							
(c) Municipal county							
21. Date of burial							
22. Date of death January 23rd, 1945.							
23. I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from							
and last saw him alive on							
24. CAUSE OF DEATH							
I Immediate cause Killed in action.							
Give disease, injury or complication which caused death, not the mode of dying, such as heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc.							
Morbidity conditions, if any, giving rise to immediate cause (stated in order proceeding backwards from immediate cause).							
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							
(b) Duration of disease							
25. If a woman, was there a puerperal condition?							
26. Was there a surgical operation? Date of							
State findings							
27. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following:—							
Accident, suicide or homicide							
Manner of injury							
Nature of injury							
Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place							
Signed							
Address							
Date							
28. Signature of person who fills in the form (curate, coroner, hospital authority, etc.)							
29. Name of clergyman in charge of Registration Civil Status in which registration of this burial was made.							
This signature authorizes the collector to accept this form as authentic.							
(Voir l'autre côté pour le français)							

Director of Records, Dept. of National Defence.

Mr. Reginald Myatt,

2042 Oxford Avenue,

Montreal 28, Quebec

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. 405-M-29854 FD 434

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
ESTATES BRANCH
OTTAWA, ONT.

May 28 1945

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

MYATT, Howard Reginald, L/Cpl.

D.131732

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.

W. L. Smith
Col.

EDM/JL

Director of Estates.

ANSWER IN FULL ALL APPLICABLE QUESTIONS

STATEMENT of the Names, Ages and Addresses or Dates of Death, of all the relatives that the deceased ever had in each of the degrees specified below:

Degrees of Relationship	RELATIVES required to be accounted for	INFORMANT'S STATEMENT		
		NAME IN FULL of any Relative, if any, in each degree specified	Age	ADDRESS IN FULL of each surviving Relative, opposite his or her name, and date of death of each deceased relative
1	Widow of the Deceased.....			
2	Children of the Deceased and dates of their Births.....			
3	Father of the Deceased.....	Reginald James Myatt		2042 Oxford
4	Mother of the Deceased.....	Minnie Myatt		2042 Oxford
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Kenneth Myatt		In Army
		James Myatt		In Navy
		Raymond Myatt		2042 Oxford
6	Sisters of the Deceased	Jessie Myatt		2042 Oxford
		Shirley Myatt		2042 Oxford
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	

ANSWER FULLY EACH QUESTION ON THIS PAGE
PARTICULARS AS TO IDENTITY

8	Full names of the deceased.	Howard Reginald Mayatt.
9	Date of his birth.	May 14 th 1924.
10	Place and date of his marriage.	
11	Place and date of his parents' marriage.	Montreal, Que. March 9-1924

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) Quebec (b) Montreal 28. (c) (d) 2042 Oxford Ave.
14	Nature of employment before enlistment.	Customs Clerk.
15	State whether he owned the premises in which he lived, and, if so, where situated.	
16	Name place where deceased stated he intended to make his permanent home.	Montreal, Que.

PARTICULARS OF ESTATE

17	Did he leave a Will? If in your custody, please forward.	Left with the Army.
18	If married, and domiciled in the Province of Quebec or in a State in the U.S.A. or in a Country under the laws of which there is community of property between spouses,—was there a marriage contract dealing with property?	
19	Did he have a Bank, Post Office or other deposit account? If so, give name and address of bank, etc., and the amount on deposit. Do you wish it administered with the pay account?	None.
20	Amount of War Savings Certificates held by deceased. Indicate where located.	
21	Amount of Victory Loan Bonds held by deceased. Indicate whether registered or bearer and where located.	
22	If deceased had life insurance, name companies and amount payable under each policy and the person named as beneficiary therein.	Prudential Ins. Winifred Mayatt (Mother)
23	Describe other assets, if any, and estimated value thereof. Use space on page 4 if necessary.	

OTHER PARTICULARS

24	Did the deceased after enlistment incur any debts for:— (a) His own separate board and lodging while on service. (b) Service clothing and equipment. An itemized account for each such debt should be attached hereto, and if same is correct you should mark the bill "approved" and sign same. If believed incorrect, give particulars.	No.
25	Have you or any other relative paid the funeral expenses or any part thereof? If so, attach itemized accounts showing amount paid, and by whom.	No.
<p>(NOTE:—The government pays funeral expenses within the amounts authorized in the Regulations, where death occurs and burial is made Overseas as well as where death occurs and burial is made in Canada or elsewhere in the North American zone, and if a relative has already paid those expenses the Government will reimburse such relative to the extent of the amount authorized in the Regulations. Any amount of such expenses in excess of those authorized in the Regulations is not payable by the Government nor is it chargeable against the service estate of the deceased.)</p>		

(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

* Father of the deceased.

N.B.—To be signed in full in the presence of a Clergyman, Priest, Local Magistrate, Commissioner or Notary Public or Commissioned Officer of any of His Majesty's Forces.

Reginald James Myatt { Signature of Informant
2042 Oxford Ave Montreal N.D.G. Address

CERTIFICATE

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

*See above.

Reginald James Myatt { Name of Informant } is the Father of the Deceased above described. The above Declaration was made by the Informant and signed in my presence.

Dated at Montreal this Fourth day of June 1945

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

(Rev.) Wm. J. White Qualification Priest (C.P.E.)
 Address 2631 Regent Ave. Montreal P.Q.

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

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FIELD SERVICE

In lieu of Army Form B. 2090a

REPORT of Death of an Officer or a Soldier to be forwarded to the War Office with the least possible delay after receipt of notification of Death. See Table II, Appendix III, Field Service Regulations, Vol I.

REGIMENT Royal Regt of Canada Squadron, Troop 6
or CORPS Battery or Company

Officer's Personal No (if known) D 131732 Rank L/Cpl
Soldier's Army No

Surname MYATT Christian Names H.R.

Date 23 Jan 45 Place Germany

Died X
Cause of Death Killed

Nature and Date of Report TPM 8 May 45

By whom made Can Rec.

X
Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Bedburg-Hau Civilian Cemetery

Burial Place Germany MR: 932523 (Sheet 6) 1/50000 Date 28 Aug 45
GSGS 4507 GRAVE 34

By whom reported 33 Graves Reg Unit.

(a) in Army Book 64 NO

State whether he leaves
a Will or not

(B) as a separate document NOT REC'D

All private documents and effects from the front or hospital, as well as A.B. 64, should be examined, and if any will is found it should be at once forwarded to the War Office.

Any report as to verbal expressions by deceased officer or soldier of his wishes as to the disposal of his estate should be forwarded to the War Office at once, supported by a certified statement of the person who actually received the information.

In the case of a soldier a duplicate of this report is to be sent to the Paymaster at Base, together with the deceased's A.B. 64 (after withdrawal of any will from the latter), for transmission to the Paymaster who compiles the soldier's account.

Station and Germany
Date 18 Sep 45

Signature of Officer [Signature] Capt Lieut
in charge of Section
Adjutant-General's for Officer i/c
Office at the Base Cdn Sec 2 Ech HQ XXXXXX
BAOR.

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21 FEBRUARY, 1945.

Appendix "A".

To: Officer i/c
Canadian Section G.H.Q.
2nd Echelon.

Unit.
Date.

QUESTIONNAIRE ON A MISSING OFFICER OR SOLDIER

No. D-131732 Rank. L/Cpl. Name. MYATT, H.R.

1. Information now on file at Canadian Section G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon is as follows:

2. Circumstances leading to his disappearance.

(a) Where was he last seen? (see footnote of this form)

In enemy territory HOLLAND, GROESBEEK, sheet 12 N.W. 774552

(b) He was last seen by B-103175 Pte. STEVENS, E.R.

12 Platoon "C" Coy., Royal Regiment of Canada.

who was/were then engaged in with L/Cpl. MYATT on a fighting patrol

(c) Where seen from? directly behind

Approx. Distance. 20-feet visibility. Poor

About what time? 0300-hours Date. 23 January 45.

(d) Who was with him? H-4795 Pte. ROSS, W.S. B-103175 Pte. STEVENS, E.R.
(Give names of personnel, if known)

(e) To what task was he assigned? Taking a prisoner

(f) What was he doing? Approaching an enemy position

(g) Give details of what happened. L/Cpl. MYATT was leading Pte. ROSS W.S. and myself along a hedge to an enemy position when there was a flash and a bag, and I saw them both outlined very distinctly. They were both still standing and neither one cried out or groaned but it is my opinion that he stepped on a mine.

...../p

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3. Physical Condition.

- (a) Was he alive at the time?..... Yes If dead, was any attempt made to recover the body?.....
- (b) If wounded, how seriously?..... not known
- (c) Nature of medical attention given..... nil
-
- by whom.....
- (d) Was he being otherwise assisted by anyone?..... No
- If so, by whom?.....

4. Information re the Enemy.

- (a) How far away were the enemy?..... 25-feet
- (b) What sort of fire was he up against?..... none
- (c) What cover from this fire available?.....
- (d) Was he in danger of being taken prisoner?..... Yes
- If so, why..... The patrol penetrated to the centre of the enemy position.

5. Summary.

- (a) Were any items of personal effects obtained?..... Yes
- If so, by whom?..... Capt. Stothers (all effects were left behind before the Patrol started out)
- What disposition was made?..... given to Padre (Capt. Appleyard)
- (b) Number of witnesses' signed statements attached..... one
- (c) Rank, names in full, and unit of witnesses and/or other sources of information from which the above was obtained:
- B-103175 Pte. STEVENS, E.R. Royal Regt. of Canada.
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-
-
-

Missing 23 January 45.

Sgn. Undecipherable.
Officer Commanding.

Footnote

1. Reference 2 (a). The information shown here should be such as to establish as accurately as possible, the last place he was seen by anyone, whether on land before or after embarking, (if on enemy territory give the approx. location), or on a landing craft, the type and/or name of craft, or if in the water the approximate distance from shore.

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(D.R. 2(C))

2nd August, 1946.

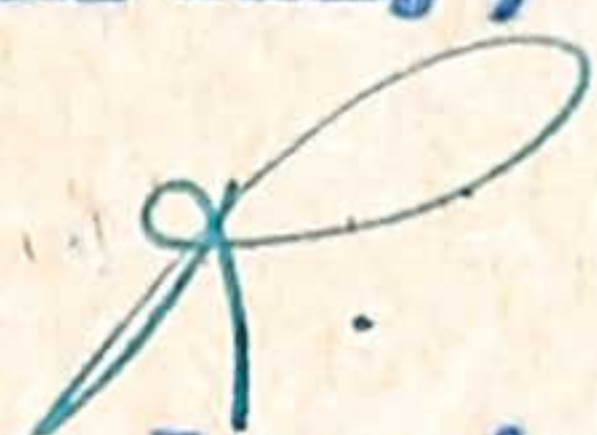
Mr. Reginald Myatt,
2042 Oxford Avenue,
Montreal 28, Quebec.

Dear Sir:

Information has just been received from overseas that the remains of your son, D131732 Lance Corporal Howard Reginald Myatt, have been carefully exhumed from the original place of interment and reverently reburied in grave 2, row D, plot 11, of Nijmegen Canadian Military Cemetery, four miles South-East of Nijmegen, Holland. Marked map is enclosed. This is a recognized military burial ground and will receive care and maintenance in perpetuity.

The grave will have been marked with a temporary cross which will be replaced in due course by a permanent headstone suitably inscribed. While it cannot now be stated when this work of permanent commemoration will begin, before any action is taken you will be communicated with and an opportunity will be given you to submit a short personal inscription of your own choice for engraving on the headstone. Therefore if you should change your address would you be good enough to inform the undersigned.

Yours faithfully,


for C.L. Laurin, Colonel,
Director of Records,
for Adjutant-General.

/EMA



13th March, 1945.

Mr. Reginald Myatt,
2042 Oxford Avenue,
Montreal 28, Quebec.

Dear Mr. Myatt:

Further to our telegram of 30th January, in which your son, D-131732, Lance Corporal Howard Reginald Myatt, was reported missing in action, I am to advise that the following information has been received from your son's Unit in the Field.

"L/Cpl. Myatt was last seen by another member of the fighting patrol, of which he was in command; the time was about 0300 hours, 23rd January. At this time L/Cpl. Myatt was leading two other soldiers along a hedge toward an enemy position, which they penetrated. The interval between these men was approximately twenty feet. The soldier in the rear suddenly heard a bang and saw a flash up front, and although he heard no sound in the way of a cry or groan, nothing more was seen of L/Cpl. Myatt and the other soldier closest to him. If alive, these men were definitely in danger of being taken prisoner as the patrol had penetrated to the centre of the enemy position."

From the above report it would appear that there is a good possibility of your son's being a prisoner of war; however this cannot be regarded as official.

It is the policy of this Office to forward any word received regarding Missing Personnel to their next of kin. It is regretted that there is nothing more definite to report on the whereabouts of your son, but you may be assured that when we are in receipt of official notification in this regard, you will be informed without delay.

Yours truly,

W. A.
fn (R.T.E. Hicks-Lyne) Colonel,
Acting Director of Records,
for Adjutant-General.

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Statement made by K-4795 PTE
ROSS, W.S. R.R.ofC. concerning missing personnel of
the a/m unit. A liberated PW admitted 4 Can General
Nos ital 27 APR 45.

now Killed
Believed KILLED D-131732 L/Cpl MYATT, H.R. Missing 23 Jan 45.
R.R. of Can.

On the morning of the 23 Jan 45 we went
on patrol with Myatt and an officer. After a short while we
ran into heavy fire and decided to turn back to our own
lines. Myatt was the first out of the trench and was hit by
MG fire which wounded him badly and later the Germans finished
him off as he was very badly wounded around the lower part
of the body. The Germans informed me later that Myatt
was killed, but I have no idea what they did with his body.
I was only 12 feet away in a trench and every time I tried
to reach him the Germans would open up and it was impossible.
After a 1/2 hr the Germans came out and looked at Myatt as there
was no hope of recovery they finished him off. When I was
capture the Germans had his Pay Book along with his jacket
which they gave me, as mine was never ~~xxx~~ which I presumed
they wanted. I know ~~xxxxxxxx~~ definitely that Myatt was
killed 23 JAN 45.

Interviewed this date by C-96169
Sgt Maddock, T.R.

Signed by W.S. Ross

TRM/-

Date 3 May 45.

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Name

Sqn., Battery, }
or Company }

Corps of

Date of enlistment } 1862

28-4-43

G.C.)
Badges)

Tradesmen's }
Rates of Pay }

M.F.M. 6
(A.F.B. 122)
500M—11-41 (2498)
H.Q. 1772-39-1652

D-131732

MYATT, Howard, Reginald

No. and date
of last drunk

Period not reckoning towards }
freedom from extra fine }

Sheet No.

Signature O.C.
Company, etc.

Character

[illegible]

(P.T

M.F.M. 14A
200M-9-43 (2069)
H.Q. 1772-39-1662
K.P. 90813

CARD SEQUENCE No. _____

No.

RANK

NAME

CASUALTIES, ETC.

PART II D. O.

No.

DATE

NATURE AND PARTICULARS

IF IN HOSPITAL NOTE NAME

155 28-6-44 Granted 4 days emb leave with r.a. from
28 Jun to 1 Jul 44 (Warrant)

165-10-7-44 SOS TO Serial 294 wef 10 Jul 44 D.O.

S.O.S., C.A. Canada 11.7.44

T.O.S., C.A. Overseas 12.7.44

162 21.7.44

Disembarked 19.7.44

T.O.S., I.C.I.R.U. 20.7.44

176 11-8-44

SOS I CIRU wef 10 Aug 44 to SSR x 4 list.

TOS x 4 11 Aug wef 11 Aug 44

SOS SSR " 14 "

54 1-11-

To be L/Capt wef 17-10-44

SOS (Reported Missing) wef 23-1-45 CR 974

CASUALTIES, ETC.

Part II. D.O.		Nature and particulars	If in Hospital note name
No.	Date		
33	92-2 44	Ceases to be attached for all purposes to No 4 VTS.CA. and is SOS to No 4 DD. Montreal South, Que. wef. 9-2-44.	
41	14-2-44	TOS DD 4 from N 4 VTS Mtl posted to D Wing we	10-2-44
45	18-2-44	Reall. to the C. INF C. CA wef w 16-2-44.	
47	31-2-44	admitted sick to St-Luke hosp wef 17-2-44	
49	23-2-44	POSTED to B Wing wef 23-2-44	
56	2-3-44	SOS DD4 to C.I.(B) T.C. 48 St Johns, Que. wef 2-3-44. Pay purp eff 29-2-44	
54	4-3-44	TOS T.C.#48 St Johns Que on transfer from DD4 Montreal South Que f.a.p. except pay eff 3 MAR 44 and for pay eff 1 MAR 44.	
59	10-3-44	Re-allocated to INF eff 14 JAN 44.	
102	29-4-44	SOS on Trans to A-12 C.I.T.C. Farnham, P.Q. wef 29-4-44	
103	1-5-44	TOS A.12 Farnham wef 30 Apr 44.	

No. 131732

RANK TPR

NAME MYATT Howard Reginald

*Married
*Widower
*SinglePlace of { *Appointment
*Enlistment

Montreal South Que.

Date of { *Appointment
*Enlistment

28-4-43

RATE OF PAY

NR 75

D.O. No.	Date of D.O.	Rank	Group	P.F. or A.S.	Daily Rate	Effective Date	If liable Pen. Ded.	REMARKS
					1.30			
225	21-9-43				1.40			28-8-43
262	2-11-43				1.50			28-10-43.

P. & A. LED. AGREES JUL 12 1943

ASSIGNMENTS

DEPENDENTS' ALLCES.

No. Deps.....

Name and Address of Assignees	Effective Date	Amount	Date Application Forwarded	Relationship	Amount Awarded	Effective Date
Mrs. Winnifred MYATT		20.00	Stop Payment w.e.f.			
2042 Oxford Ave.	1-1-44	20.00	Nominal Roll No.			
Montreal Que. MFM 19						
(Mother)	1-1-43	8.40				
5th Victory Par	1-1-43	8.40				
Total		20.00				

*Outfit

*Clothing

Allice. \$..... Paid on.....

Rehabilitation Grant \$..... Paid on.....

*Delete words which are inapplicable.

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M. F. M. 14

200M-10-42 (6723)

H.Q. 1772-39-1662

In Receipt of Pension under Pension

Act or Militia Pension Act (1910) \$..... P.A.

Occupational Form Completed.....

Yes

CASUALTIES, ETC.

Part II. D.O.		Nature and particulars	If in Hospital note name
No.	Date		
101	28-4-43	TOS DD4 & Posted to B Wing wef 28-4-43	
115	14-5-43	SOS DD4 to #4VTS Motordrome Brks Montreal, wef 14-5-43	
116	17-5-43	TOS No.4, VTS. on transfer from No. 4, D.D. Mtl. South, Que. w.e.f 15th May, 1943.	
217	11-9-43	Posted to Young Soldiers Wing. Westmount. w.e.f. 7-9-43	
221	16-9-43	Granted 6 days leave fr. 3-9-43 to 8-9-43 inc. and to draw .50 per diem w.e.f. for period shown.	
225	21-9-43	Entitled to draw 1.40 per diem wef. 28-8-43.	
262	2-11-43	Entitled to draw 1.50 per diem wef. 28-10-43.	
268	9-11-43	Ceases to be posted to Young Soldiers Wing. Clarendon t Bar w.e.f. 8-11-43.	
		P. & A. L. E. D. AGREES NOV 11 1943	
272	13-11-43	Was on 12th Nov. 43 awarded 14 days detention for conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline.	
		Total forf. 14 days pay.	
300	15.12.43	LEAVE: 5 days CHRISTMAS LEAVE w/50¢ p.d. Rat. All. 22 DEC 43 to 26 DEC 43 incl.	

AUG 2 1946

BURIAL REPORT TO N.K.

RETURN TO BUR. OF STAT. OCT 18 1945

ROYAL MESSAGE DESP'D. JUN 8 1945

CAN. MESSAGE DESP'D. MAY 29 1945

Temp BR sent to NK & Map

REBURIAL

ery

Nijmegen Canadian Military Cemet
4 miles S.E. of Nijmegen, Holland

Grave 2, row D, plot 11.

HI & CR Form Despc

JAN 2

1947

Photographs

Despatched

JAN 9 - 1948

NO.D.131732 Rank L/Corporal Name MYATT, Howard Reginald

Unit ~~42~~ Royal Regt. of Can. Date of death 23rd Jan., 1945.

Died at Germany

Cause Killed in action.

Death occurred on strength of Forces H.Q. 405-M-29854

N/K Mr. Reginald Myatt, Relationship Father

Address 2042 Oxford Avenue, Montreal 28, Quebec.

Remains buried in Bedburg-Hau civ. Cem. Germany MR Cemetery

CHK ✓ 932523 (sheet 6) 1/50,000 GSGS 4507b Grave 34

Grave location

OVER-

Read this whole Form and Instructions
on other side before commencing to
complete.

WILL

M.F.M. 10
150M-2-43 (8280)
H.Q. 1772-39-1656

Address in
civil life.

(1) I, Howard Reginald MYATT, of the city
(Name in Full) (City, Town, Village, Township)

of Montreal, in the County of Jacques Cartier
District

Province of Quebec, Office clerk
(Civil Occupation)

Regimental No. D-131732, Unit C.A.C.(O) CA, do hereby revoke
all former Wills by me made and declare this to be my LAST WILL.

Relationship,
names and
address of
beneficiaries,
and what
each is to
receive.

(2) I GIVE, DEVISE AND BEQUEATH unto "MY FATHER" Mr. Reginald MYATT.

Residing at: 2042 Oxford Ave., N.D.G., Montreal, Quebec,
Canada.

JRM.
All my estate both real and personal.

Relationship,
names and
address of
residuary
beneficiaries.

(3) I GIVE, DEVISE AND BEQUEATH all the rest and residue of my estate, both real and personal,
of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate unto

(4) I appoint.....
(Name) (Address)

....., to be the Executor of this my Last Will.
(Civil Occupation) Executrix

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 28th day of April
1943.

Signed and acknowledged by the Tes-
tator, in the presence of us present at
the same time who in his presence, at
his request, and in the presence of
each other have hereunto subscribed
our names as witnesses.

JRM.
(Signature of soldier)

First witness
sign here.

(5) Signature

Civil Address

Civil Occupation

Second witness
sign here.

Signature

Civil Address

Civil Occupation

(Witnesses are not to be beneficiaries.)

[OVER]

NOTE

If you have already made your Will, do not fill in this Will, but mark on the front where your Will can be located or with whom it is deposited.

- (1) Example: I, John Charles Jones, of the City of Marlowe, in the County of Carleton, Province of Ontario, Mechanic, Regimental No. 1234, Royal Blankshire Regiment.
- (2) If only *one* beneficiary for all your estate, complete as example: "my wife, Mary Jones of 26 Cherry Ave., Ottawa, Ont., all my estate," in which event, strike out clause (3) entirely.
If *more than one* beneficiary, set out in clause (2) what each is to receive, such as
"my wife, Mary Jones, 26 Cherry Ave., Ottawa, Ont., \$.....00, and my household goods and effects,"
"my brother, Thomas Jones, 80 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., \$.....00,"
"my sister, Margaret Jones, 80 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., \$.....00,"
"my friend, John Smith, 60 LaSalle St., Winnipeg, Man., \$.....00,"
and any personal gift, if desired. Then complete clause (3) as to the balance of your estate.
- (3) If balance of estate is to one person, complete as example: "my wife, Mary Jones, 26 Cherry Ave., Ottawa, Ont." Another example: "my father, Jack Jones, and mother, Jessie Jones, 80 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., equally," or as desired.
- (4) Fill in name of Executor or Executrix, example: "John Doe, 24 Smith Street, Blankville, Ontario, Salesman," or, if Executrix, "Jane Doe" and address. A beneficiary under the Will may be appointed Executor or Executrix. It is preferable that the person appointed as Executor should not be on, or likely to be on, Active Service.
- (5) The soldier will date the Will and sign same. Two witnesses must sign in the presence of the soldier, and each witness should fill in his or her full civil address and occupation. No one who is a beneficiary shall act as a witness. It is preferable, though not essential, that the witnesses be persons not on Active Service.
When completed, leave Will with Commanding Officer for transmission to the Records Office for safe custody.

GENERAL

The laws of all but one of the Provinces of Canada provide that marriage subsequent to the date of the Will revokes that Will. Therefore, a soldier immediately upon his marriage must make a new Will in order that, in the event of his death, his estate may be distributed in accordance with his wishes as set out in such new Will.

JAN 24 1946
D. R. 10



19th May, 1945.

Mr. Reginald Myatt,
2042 Oxford Avenue,
Montreal 28, Quebec.

Dear Mr. Myatt:

It was with deep regret that I learned of the death of your son, D131732 Lance Corporal Howard Reginald Myatt, who gave his life in the Service of his Country in the Western European Theatre of War on the 23rd day of January, 1945.

From official information we have received, your son was killed in action against the enemy. You may be assured that any additional information received will be communicated to you without delay.

The Minister of National Defence and the Members of the Army Council have asked me to express to you and your family their sincere sympathy in your bereavement.

We pay tribute to the sacrifice he so bravely made.

Yours sincerely,

(A.E. Walford),
Major-General,
Adjutant-General.

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

4
ARMY

DECEASED
MEMBER'S
NAME

Howard Reginald MYATT
(CHRISTIAN NAMES) (SURNAME)

PAYEE Director of Estates

ADDRESS

REGISTER NO.

FILE NO.

DATE

SERVICE NO.

FINAL RANK OR RATING

DATE OF DISCHARGE

D-16141
405-M-29854
19-12-45
D-131732
L/Cpl.
23-1-45

DATE OF TERMINATION OF OVERSEAS SERVICE

23-1-45

A. TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE

NO. OF DAYS 623 EQUAL TO 20 COMPLETE PERIODS AT \$7.50

\$ 150.00

B. QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE

NO. OF DAYS 196 LESS 23 INELIGIBLE DAYS, EQUAL TO 173 DAYS @ 25c. PER DAY
SEE PAR. 2 OVERLEAF FOR EXPLANATION

43.25

193.25

C. SUPPLEMENT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE

DAILY RATES AT DISCHARGE

PAY \$ 1.60
SUBSISTENCE OR LODGING
AND PROVISION ALLOWANCE \$ 1.25
ADDITIONAL PAY \$

DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE 1/30 OF \$

TOTAL \$ 2.85 X 7 = \$ 19.95
NO. OF DAYS 196 X \$ 19.95
183

21.37

D. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

214.62

E. DEDUCTIONS

OVERPAYMENT OF

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

OTHER DEDUCTIONS \$

F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE

214.62

G. YOUR PORTION OF GRATUITY IS—

100%

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

TOTAL DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE \$

CERTIFICATE I CERTIFY THAT THE AMOUNT HAS BEEN CORRECTLY COMPUTED AND IS PAYABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF THE WAR SERVICE GRANTS ACT, 1944 AND THE REGULATIONS ISSUED THEREUNDER.

PREPARED BY
KRM

CHECKED BY
mjk

CHECKED BY
Dupuis

DATE
28/12/45

SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE
Kushner Capt

File No 405-M-29854

R E B U R I A L

NO 4-131732

RANK Lance Corporal

NAME Myatt - R.R.

NAME OF CEMETERY Nijmegen Canadian Military Cemetery,

LOCATION OF CEMETERY 4 miles S.E. of Nijmegen, Holland.

GRAVE LOCATION Grave 2 Row 4 Plot 11

AUTHORITY 54-27-88-2 Vol. 21

Reburial list.

ARMY

2042 Oxford Ave.

Montreal 28, Que.

Oct 22/45.

H.Q. 405-M-29854

Re. D. 131732 L/Cpl. Myatt. H.R.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter re. War Service Gratuity. I cannot understand why the Dependents Allowance & Assigned Pay Branch should advise you that I was receiving neither. I had received assigned pay of \$20⁰⁰ per month from the time my son joined the Army until ~~the~~ he was reported missing on Jan 23rd 1945. I had my assigned pay cheque for January. I feel there must be a
(over)

¹¹
mistake somewhere
and would appreciate
you calling this to
their attention. My son
gave his life for his
country and letters like
this are very distressing.
Anyone would think that
the department would
have an accurate record
of Assigned Pay to Mothers.

Yours truly,

(Mrs.) Winifred Myatt.
3042 Oxford Ave.
Montreal 28.
Que.



CANADIAN MILITARY HEADQUARTERS

ESTATES BRANCH
INVENTORY

*of personal effects received by
Casualty Section, No. 1 CKSD*

No., RANK and NAME D-131732 L/Cpl MYATT H.R. (Missing)

RECEIVED FROM 2nd echelon 21 Army Group

CHECKED BY C-5591 Pte Patterson L.K. DATE 10 March 45

AND M-16018 Pte Murdoch W.J.

1	Letters	
1	Snaps	
	Wallet	
	Photo In Case	

ORIGINAL } To Officer i/c Estates with
DUPLICATE } original inventory, if any.
TRIPLICATE }

QUADRUPLICATE—with effects.

J.K. Patterson P/L

for OC 1 Cdn KSD

DISTRIBUTION OF SERVICE ESTATES

Estates Form "P. 4"

ARMY

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Name.....MYATT......Howard. E......No.....D.131732
SurnameChristian Names

.....L/Cpl......C.A. O/S.....23-1-45.....
RankUnitDate of Death

AMOUNT

L.P.C.....\$ 84.06
Other Credits.....
Total.....84.06

Date.....16 Nov 45.....

SHARE	RELATIONSHIP	NAME AND ADDRESS	AMOUNT
All	Father	Reginald Myatt. 2042 Oxford Ave., H.D.G., Montreal, Que. (Sole beneficiary under will)	84.06

P4. TO TREAS.

8-12-45, 9. W.

AUTHORITY					
H.Q. F.E. No.	VOTE	PRI	H.Q. SUB.	OBJ.	AMOUNT
9999	731	00	00	001	84.06
CLASSIFIED BY			EXAMINED BY		
<u>10</u>			For Chief Treasury Officer		

DISTRIBUTION APPROVED AND AUTHORIZED

P.
(L. M. FIRTH) Colonel
Director of Estates

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT

For Chief Treasury Officer

File No. 405-M-29854

VERIFICATION FORM

WAR SERVICE MEDALS 1939-45

No. D/31732 Name MYATT-Howard Reginald
Rank on Discharge L/Cpl Date of Discharge 23-1-45
Authority for Discharge or Retirement _____

Deceased

Served in:

Non-qualifying
service

Canada from 28.4.43 to 11.7.44
from _____ to _____

United Kingdom from 12.7.44 to 12.8.44
from _____ to _____

Italy from _____ to _____

Northwest Europe from 13.8.44 to 23-1-45 KIA

-----from _____ to _____

-----from _____ to _____

Eligible for award of:

1939 - 45 Star O.K.

Italy Star _____

France-Germany Star O.K.

Defence Medal N.E.

War Medal 1939-45 O.K.

Canadian Volunteer Service Medal O.K.

with clasp O.K.



SH

Verified by P. Jolly

Date 18-10-46

Carded OCT 10 1946

HA 165

NO RIBBON DESPATCH

3/45A MFM 510
40/P&S/254 (8550)

CANADIAN ACTIVE SERVICE FORCE

District.....

Dispersal
Area.....

OVERSEAS LAST PAY CERTIFICATE

(All Ranks)

Regt No. **D131732** Rank and Name **MYATT H.R. L/CPL.**

of (Unit)..... on.....

(Transfer or Discharge)..... to on 23rd Jan 45 19.....

Reason.....**Death**.....Authority: **C.C.L. "A" 574 d/6. May. 45.**

The following is a statement of the account of the above-named from 1st Jan: to 31st Jan: ✓ 19 45.
the inclusive date of transfer or discharge.

$$D_{\Gamma}$$

Cr

Particulars		Amount	
Balance Dr from last account.....			
First Monthly Payment AR62/5.1.45.	12	57	
Casual Payments.....			
Payments on Transfer or Discharge.....			
Assigned Pay.....	20	00	
Regimental Charges.....			
Public Stoppages (give particulars) :			
.....			
.....			
.....			
To Balance Cr { Free.....	84	06	
{ Deferred.....			
Total.....	116	63	

Particulars		Amount	
Balance Cr from last account.....		67	03
Regimental Pay 31 days at \$ 1.60		49	60
Tradesmen's Pay..... days at..... \$.....			
Additional Pay (Give Particulars).....			
..... days at..... \$.....			
Allowances (give particulars)..... days			
at..... \$.....			
By Balance Dr			
Total.....		116	63

BALANCE GIVEN IS SUBJECT TO ANY CHARGES
AND/OR CREDITS ENDORSED ON THE REVERSE HEREOF

Remarks

A.P. \$20.00 (M Stopped eff Feb. 45.

A.P. \$8.40 (7th V.L.) Can: eff Nov.44.

The above statement has been compiled entirely from Treasury

Records. no paybooks being available.

Compiled by.....**F. Trenouth.**.....

Checked by.....*L. Broughton*

Date.....20 Sep. 45.....19.....

Certified correct.....
for Chief Treasury Officer, Overseas