D3892
FRENCH
GEORGE ELLIOT

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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'INTÉGRALITÉ 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

LAISSEZ EN BLANC

Partie A—RENSEIGNEMENTS GÉNÉRAUX

1. (a) Nom et prénoms (lettres moulées) ✓ FRENCH GEORGE ELLIOTT (b) N° matricule D-3892
2. (a) Arme Military (b) Unité 7th.Recrue Bn.(17h) AF. (c) Rang Tpr.
3. (a) Date de naissance 11 Nov.1911 (b) Avez-vous des personnes à votre charge? yes (c) Domicile au moment de l'enrôlement Athelstan,Que.Can.
4. (a) Lieu d'enrôlement Montreal South,Que. (b) Date d'enrôlement 30 April 1941

Partie B—INSTRUCTION ET FORMATION

5. (a) Âge à la sortie définitive de l'école 15 (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 years public school
7. Si vous avez fréquenté une université, indiquez-en le nom ainsi que la classe atteinte ou le grade obtenu nil
8. (a) Êtes-vous déjà entré en apprentissage? yes (b) Si oui, dans quel métier? Carpenter (c) Avez-vous complété votre apprentissage? yes (d) Si vous ne l'avez pas complété, combien de temps y avez-vous passé? N/A
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? nil

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? N/A
12. (a) Si la réponse à (11) est "oui", indiquez exactement l'occupation ou le métier effectivement exercé N/A (b) Durée d'emploi dans cette occupation ou métier? N/A
13. Si la réponse à (11) est "non", indiquez exactement l'occupation ou le métier pour lequel vous vous estimez compétent N/A
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 N/A
15. Donnez des détails concernant votre dernier patron, le cas échéant: Nom N/A Adresse N/A
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.) N/A
17. (a) Si vous travailliez à votre propre compte lors de votre dernier emploi, indiquez la nature et l'adresse de votre entreprise N/A (b) Quand l'avez-vous abandonnée? N/A

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 CIE. IMMOBILIERE STE MARGUERITE Adresse Ste-Marguerite
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.) SPORTING CLUB BUS.
20. (a) Genre précis de votre occupation GROOM (b) Nombre d'années d'expérience dans ce travail pour le compte de tout patron 6 years
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? no

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 N/A (b) Où était-il situé? N/A
23. (a) Nombre d'années dans ce commerce? N/A (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? N/A

Partie F—DÉTAILS DE L'EXPÉRIENCE EN AGRICULTURE

24. (a) Désirez-vous vous livrer à la culture de la terre après la guerre? yes (b) Vous croyez-vous apte à exploiter une ferme? yes (c) Si oui, dans quel genre de culture? General farming
25. (a) Êtes-vous né sur une ferme? yes (b) Nombre d'années d'expérience effective dans la culture? 10 years (c) Dans quelles provinces avez-vous acquis votre expérience? Quebec

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.) N/A
28. Indiquez toute préférence pour un certain emploi ou toute ambition que vous pourriez avoir, autres que celles indiquées ailleurs sur la présente formule Carpenter work

DATE 30 April 1941 194.... SIGNATURE Geo. French.

CARDS PUNCHED

CONFIDENTIAL. att H.Q. 5 Cdn DW Support Group

Soldiers Qualification Card

CODED

Regt'l Number D3892 | Last Name FRENCH | First Name GEORGE | ELLIOTTE Middle Names

Unit 7th Recce Btn. ~~17th Hussars~~ A Squad

2 Nationality Canadian 08 | By Birth ✓ | By Naturalization | Country of Birth Canada.

3 1 Racial Origin British | 4 1 Language spoken in home: French ..... Other ..... English ✓

5 Age 30 6/12 | 6 Height 5'-7" | 7 Weight 140 | 8 Silhouette 1 2 3 4

1912 Eyes: 9 4 Colour of Brown | 10 1 Acuity 1 2 3 | 10 Glasses ..... | 11 Colour Vision 1 2 3 4

12 Hearing: Acuity 1 2 3 | 13 Speech Defects .....

14 Handedness R L A | 15 1 Med Category A

Cause .....

Attitude to own health Reasonable To Medical attention Reasonable.

Health History Clear.

16 Education Level: Illiterate ..... E 7 (15.) S ..... (Grade completed)

Conduct during school life Normal.

17 University or 18 Professional	Course Taken	Years Completed	Degree

19 Post Graduate	Course	From—To	Degree

Specialized Training:

20 1. Electricity (Correspondence) (Course)

362. At Cooks Schools Chicago From—To 1928. Completed No.

21 2 ..... (Course)

At ..... From—To ..... Completed .....

22 3. ..... (Course)

At ..... From—To ..... Completed .....

Other trades papers. Diplomas Certificates or Qualifications .....

23 Languages: Spoken fluently English.

02 Written well English.

24 Main occupation: Description Farmland.

3016. Estimate of skill Fair

Duration (from—to) 9 years. Until Enlistment Weekly Wage $15.00

Employer's Name and Address Various Employers Quebec Province

50 "M" Test | Score R | SM

Test	Score	SM	
1	15		S. Tot. 40
2	12		SM
3	13		
4	27		S. Tot. 54
5	27		SM
6	11		S. Tot. 58
7	18		SM
8	29		
Tot	152	SM	Grade C
9			

51 OTHER MENTAL

Test .....

Score ..... L. Grade .....

Date .....

52 MECHANICAL

Test .....

Score ..... Grade .....

Date .....

52 CLERICAL APT.

Test .....

Score ..... Grade .....

Date .....

53 TRADE TEST

1 Score .... G. .... Date ....

2. Score .... G. .... Date ....

3. Score .... G. .... Date ....

4 Score .... G. .... Date ....

54 OTHER

Test .....

Score ..... Grade .....

Date .....

1 Corps CAC

25 Second Most Important Occupation: Description:

1528. Carpenter. Estimate of skill .....

Duration (from—to) 1927-1930. Weekly Wage $18.00

Employer's Name and Address Arthur Elliotte. Huntingdon P.Q.

26 Third Most Important Occupation:

..... Estimate of skill .....

Duration (from—to) ..... Weekly Wage .....

Employer's Name and Address .....

Trade Union or Professional Society .....

Vehicles 27 4 Heavy Truck W.R. 28 4 Light Truck W.R. 29 4 Auto W.R. 30 Motorcycle .....

31 4 Farm Tractor W.R. 32 3 Tracked Vehicle D.R. 33 Power Launch ..... 34 Aeroplane .....

35 Accident Prone No.

Farming Experience: Wide ✓ Limited .....

District Laurentian Mts. Type Mixed

Job promised after discharge ..... By whom? Name .....

Address .....

Other provision for post-discharge occupation .....

..... Type of work desired Mechanics.

Occupational history Ambitious ..... Accidental .....

Stable ..... Erratic ✓

36 1 Material Status: M ✓ S ..... W ..... D ..... Sep. .....

Marital Problems ..... (Remarks)

Age of wife 34. Wife's attitude to Service Reasonable Wife's Health Good.

37 No. of Children ..... No. Brothers 3. No. Sisters .....

Position in family 3. 38 No. Dependents 1 (1 Partial)

Relationship of Dependents Wife + mother.

Status of home in childhood Father deceased. 1933- Normal.

39 Hobbies: Photography M ..... S ..... Radio ..... Engines .....

Mechanics ..... Other .....

40 5 Sports: (1) Hunting (2) ..... (3) .....

Team Games and Position (1) .....

(2) ..... (3) .....

41 1 3 Ability to Entertain: Music String Violin Brass .....

Woodwind ✓ Percussion ..... Piano ..... Vocal ✓

Theatrical ..... Other .....

22 JAN 1943

42 Previous Experience in Armed Forces

ARM or CORPS	Type (C.E.F., N.P., etc.)	Years Highest Rank	Last Discharge (Yr.)	Special Training Received

43 CURRENT SERVICE: Date Enlisted 30-4-41 Place Enlisted Montreal P.Q.

Date From—to	Country	Corps	Unit and Sub-unit	Rank 44	Principal Duty	Performance
30-4-41-25-8-41	CAN	CAC	7th Recce	Tpr.	Training	
1-9-41-	ENG	CAC	7th Recce	"	Driver Mechanic	Sat.
13/11/42	Req	CAC	" "	A/Cpl		307
				D		

45 COURSES ATTENDED

	PLACE	Date From—to	Qualified as	Rating

46 Crime: Number Courts Martial Convictions ..... Hospitalization .....
Number Civil Convictions ..... Minor Offender ..... Occasional Offender .....
Chronic Major Offender ..... Chronic Minor Offender ..... Occasional Offender .....

49 Psychiatric ☐☐☐☐☐

47 Classification: Military Specialties and Trades

Designation	Degree of Proficiency	Date	Authority
Driver Mechanic	Group C.	31-7-41	L/Sergt.
Driver Mech: (T)	167 Qual.	3/9/42.	149.

55 Type of Service Desired (1) Fitter MT. CAC. 216 (2) Driver Mech. C.A.C.

Remarks re Outstanding or Limiting Factors I Casual II Neat III Average
IV Sober V Lacking VI Lacking - VII Considerable
No outstanding features.

PR

Attitude to Interview: Antagonistic ..... Overanxious ..... Co-operative ✓ ..... Indifferent .....
Reason for Joining Cdn. Army (if ascertainable) ..... Duty. .....

48 Suggested Possibilities for Employment (1) Dvr Mech.
(2) Fitter's Course

Tests Indicated: 2nd Mental ..... Mech. Apt. ..... Clerical Apt. .....
Other Apt. ..... Pers. ..... Trade Test as .....

Interviewed by J.M. Stewart, Lt Date 5/5/42
Reviewed by ..... Date .....

C.M.H.Q. 1000:115
40/P & S/1246

FOR COMPLETION AND RETURN BY

Form P. 64

Mrs. Carrie French,
730 Labelle Street,
St.Jerome, 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-F-13,581 FD 410

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
ESTATES BRANCH
OTTAWA, ONT.

February 6 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

FRENCH, George Elliotte, Sgt. D-3892

Canadian Army

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.

ESTATES BRANCH
MAR 2 1945
H.Q.
OTTAWA.
DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

Copy of Will & Inventory

G.E. Baird Capt

Director of Estates.

GEB/HO

Also copy Inv. &c.

M.F.W. 77
16M-10-44 (5854)
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		Carrie Macfarlane French	39	730 Labelle St., St. Jerome Que.
2	Children of the Deceased and dates of their Births		none		
3	Father of the Deceased		Hugh French	75	death: Oct. 14, 1932.
4	Mother of the Deceased		Jane Elizabeth Elliott French	67	Athelstan, Que.
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Full Blood	William John French	37	Athelstan, Que.
			Clarence Angus French.	29	Athelstan, Que.
			Clifford Hugh French	35	Athelstan, Que.
		Half Blood			
6	Sisters of the Deceased	Full Blood			
		Half Blood			

7	Names of brothers or sisters (whether of the full or the half blood) of the Deceased, *who are dead*, and date of death of each.	Names and ages of their children (if any)	Address of their children
	Violet French Grant. death: Dec. 7, 1935.	none	

ANSWER FULLY EACH QUESTION ON THIS PAGE

PARTICULARS AS TO IDENTITY

8	Full names of the deceased.	George Elliotte French.
9	Date of his birth.	Nov. 11, 1911.
10	Place and date of his marriage.	Athelstan Que Mar 31, 1940.
11	Place and date of his parents' marriage.	Huntingdon Que. May 29, 1901.

PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

12	Place where deceased was born.	Glendon, 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) Glendon, Que 20 yr (b) Athelstan, Que. 15 yr. (c) Shawbridge Que. 4 yr. (d) St. Marguerite, Que. 1 yr.
14	Nature of employment before enlistment.	farm work.
15	State whether he owned the premises in which he lived, and, if so, where situated.	no
16	Name place where deceased stated he intended to make his permanent home.	Ids not known

PARTICULARS OF ESTATE

17	Did he leave a Will? If in your custody, please forward.	If a will was made it was when my husband joined the army. (Apr 1941) - If there is one would you please send me a photostatic copy of it.
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? X	marriage contract. - separate as to property. - a copy of the contract is in my keeping
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?	no.
20	Amount of War Savings Certificates held by deceased. Indicate where located. X	3 - five dollar certificates (in my keeping)
21	Amount of Victory Loan Bonds held by deceased. Indicate whether registered or bearer and where located.	none
22	If deceased had life insurance, name companies and amount payable under each policy and the person named as beneficiary therein.	$1,000 Manufacturer's Life } I am the $1,000 North American Life } beneficiary - I have drawn one of these and have left the other on deposit
23	Describe other assets, if any, and estimated value thereof. Use space on page 4 if necessary.	none.

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

(NOTE:—The government pays funeral expenses within the amounts authorized in the Regulations, where death occurs and burial is made Overseas as well as where death occurs and burial is made in Canada or elsewhere in the North American zone, and if a relative has already paid those expenses the Government will reimburse such relative to the extent of the amount authorized in the Regulations. Any amount of such expenses in excess of those authorized in the Regulations is not payable by the Government nor is it chargeable against the service estate of the deceased.)

(PLEASE TURN OVER)

DECLARATION

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

I hereby declare that all the particulars shown on this form are correct, and a true and complete statement of all the relatives that the deceased ever had in the degrees specified; and that I am the

*.....widow.....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.

.....Carrie French..... {Signature of Informant}

.....730 Labelle St., St. Jerome, Que..... Address

CERTIFICATE

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

See above. .....Carrie French..... {Name of informant} is the.....Widow.....of the Deceased above described. The above Declaration was made by the Informant and signed in my presence.

Dated at.....St Jerome.....this.....27.....day of.....February.....1945.

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

.....L H Bell..... Qualification.....J.P. Co. Terrebonne Que

Address.....229 Gunnell St St Jerome.....

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

Received SEP 25 1941 Checked ..... Card ..... Observations .....

OCC.HIS.FWD

~~ORIGINAL~~
DUPLICATE
~~TRIPLICATE~~

M.F.M. 2
A.F.B. 271
200M—10-40 (7370)
H.Q. 1772-39-1645

WSG COMPLETED

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

Unit 7 REC'CE Bn (17H) AF Regimental Number D-3892

CANADIAN ACTIVE SERVICE FORCE

ATTESTATION PAPER

1. Surname FRENCH
2. Christian Names GEORGE ELLIOTTE
3. Present address Athelstan, P. Que., Canada
4. Date of birth 11 November 1911
5. Place of birth Canada (Country) Quebec (County or Province) Athelstan (Town or Township)
6. Religion (state denomination) Presbyterian
7. Trade or Calling Driver.
8. Married, Widower or Single Married
9. Name of next of kin Mrs. Carrie French
10. Relationship Wife
11. Address of next of kin ~~Athelstan, P. Que., Canada~~ SEE CHANGE
12. Do you belong to, or have you served in the Active Militia of Canada? NO.
    (If Yes, Give Unit and Dates of Service)
13. Have you served in (a) The Canadian Active Service Force? NO (Yes or No)
    (If Yes, Give Regimental No. and Unit) (b) Any other Naval, Military, or Air Force? NO. (Yes or No) (If Yes, specify Unit and Period of Service)
14. 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, GEORGE ELLIOTTE FRENCH. do solemnly declare that the above particulars are true, and I hereby engage to serve in the Canadian Active Service Force 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 30 April 1941 X Geo. French (Signature of recruit)

Witness J.W. Bowman Lt

~~OATH TO BE TAKEN~~ BY MAN ON ATTESTATION

I, GEORGE ~~OATH TO BE TAKEN~~ do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

X Geo. French. (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 Montre al South Que this 30th day of April 19 41

A.B. Thompson Maj. {Signature of Magistrate, Justice or Attesting Officer.

{Office or Rank and Unit or 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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M.E.A.II

Record of Service of FRENCH (Surname) GEORGE ELLIOTTE. (Christian Names) Regimental Number D-3892

Qualifications		Educational Qualifications			
Military	NIL. Dr Mech. C. 6Jul42.	High School or Collegiate	NIL. (years completed)	Graduation or Matriculation	NIL. (specify)
Business or Professional	NIL.				
Trade or Civil	Driver.	*College	NIL.		
Technical	NIL.	*University	NIL.		
Languages	English.		7 Yrs Public Schooling.		

*(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.

Report Date	Report From whom received	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.	Authority Dated
130 30Apr41	DRO	Joined on appointment NO 4 District Depot AF.	Tpr.	30Apr41	4 DD	Mont So	4DDPtII No 101	30Apr41
23-MAY-41		POSTED TO HIS UNIT DEBERT N.S.	"	23-MA 41	"	"	" " 121	23-MAY-41
14-6-41	17DyRCH	T.O.S. on transfer from No. 4 Dist.Depot	"	24-5-41	17DyRCH	Debert	17H Pt. 11-120	26-5-41
622 5-9-41	"	Embarked for Overseas, S.O.S Canada	"	23-8-41	"	Halifax	" " 199	6-9-41
	"	T.O.S. Can. Army Overseas	"	24-8-41	"		" " 199	6-9-41
	"	Disembarked	"	2-9-41	"	Glasgow	" " 199	6-9-41
	"	Granted 5 days landing leave (Warrant)	"	8-9-41	"	Aldershot	" " 201	12-9-41
		Leave (P) ETW to 9 Dec41	Tpr	3Dec41	7Recce	unc	16	12Dec41
		Qual. Dr Mech. C.	Tpr	30jan42	7Recce	unc	8 Sch. Repr.	13Feb42
		Leave (P) to ETW to 19Feb42	Tpr	13Feb42	7Recce	unc	10	28Feb42
		Trade pay Dr Mech C.	Tpr	31jul41	7Recce	unc	19.	14Aug42
		Leave to 1June42 P3	Tpr	25June	7Recce	unc	37	19June42

For additional entries use M.F.M. 1 and 2 (a)

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Name in full FRENCH, GEORGE ELLIOTTE

Place ..... Date MARCH 31st, 1941

Part 1. Information obtained from the recruit.

1. Age 29 2. Have you ever suffered from any of the following diseases?

a. Rheumatism	NO	k. Ear disease	NO
b. Tuberculosis	NO	l. Eye disease	NO
c. Bronchitis or asthma	NO	m. Epilepsy	NO
d. Heart disease	NO	n. Nervous or mental disease	NO
e. Kidney or bladder disease	NO	o. Syphilis	NO
f. Gastro-intestinal	NO	p. Gonorrhoea	NO
g. Rupture	NO	q. Have you ever worn glasses?	NO
h. Varicose veins	NO	r Are you now or have you in the past received disability pension or compensation? If so, give details	NO
i. Flat or deformed feet	NO		
j. Nasal trouble	NO		

Geo French
Signature of Applicant

COLOR VISION ISHIHARA (C.D.U)
DEFLECTED SEPTUM
EARS & REFLEXES NORMAL. A. L. DELAHAYE (CAPT)

Part 2. Information obtained by medical examination. The recruit must be stripped.

1. Identification marks or scars. (If operative obtain history).
Vaccn left arm. Terminal phalanx right thumb missing.

2. Height 5 feet 5½ inches. 3. Weight 130 pounds.

4. Complexion Medium Eyes Hazel Hair L-Brown 5. Development Fair (Good / Fair / Poor)

6. Chest measurement—Girth on full expansion 35½ inches.
Range of expansion 2½ inches.

URINE N APR 1 1941
X-RAY 74570 N

7. Vision, right 20-20 left 20-20 8. Hearing, right CV 20 left CV 20

9. Condition of mouth and teeth Good. Enlarged tonsils

10. The abnormalities (congenital and pathological) found on examination are as follows
Nil

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 "A"

Special remarks when category lower than A .....

H. AUBRY (MAJOR) President — J. M. ROUSSEL (CAPT) Member — PAUL CHOQUETTE (LIEUT) Member

VACCINATIONS, INOCULATIONS, BOARDS, RECLASSIFICATION OF MEDICAL CATEGORY

Date	Brief details and signature	Date	Brief details and signature
MAY 1 '41	TAB 1 c.c. L. Rutherford Capt.		
12.5.41	T. Beechcroft Maj. Montreal		
3-6-41	3		
MAY 1 '41	VACCINATION L.A.R.		
MAY 1 '41	TETANUS TOX 1cc L.A.R.		
26-6-41	TETANUS TOX 1cc		
27.5.41	Revacc. Cert A yes.		
16.4.43	TABT ½ CC.		

Regtl. No. D-3892 Rank Tpr. Surname FRENCH Christian Name George Elliott

STATION	Date of Arrival at the Station	Dates of Admission into Hospital			Dates of Discharge 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
		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
30-4-41	DRO[B]										

For additional entries use M.F.M. 1 and 2 (b)

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

M.F.M. 1 & 2A
40/P & S/119

Name.....

REPORT Date	REPORT From whom received	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 Part II D.O. No. Cas. List, etc.	Authority Dated
		To be A/L/Cpl.	A/L/Cpl	31 Aug 42	7 Recce	UK	48	12 Sep 42
		Qual Dr Mech. 'C' Tracked.	A/L/Cpl	3 Sep 42	7 Recce	UK	49.	18 Sep 42
	Notice for rank →	Qual. Mr. Mech 'B'	Cpl	8 Sep 42	7 Recce	UK	50.	26 Sep 42
		Trade pay Motor Mech 'B'	A/L/Cpl	8 Sep 42	7 Recce	UK	51.	3 Oct 42
		Ceases trade pay Dr Mech. 'C'	A/L/Cpl	7 Sep 42	7 Recce	UK	51.	3 Oct 42
		Ceases trade pay Mr. Mech B.	A/L/Cpl	15 Oct 42	7 Recce	UK	56	28 Oct 42
		Trade pay Dr Mech 'C'	A/L/Cpl	16 Oct 42	7 Recce	UK	56	28 Oct 42
		Leave to 17 Nov 42 Mrs.	A/L/Cpl	11 Nov 42	7 Recce	UK	62.	5 Dec 42
		App A/Cpl	A/Cpl	13 Nov 42	7 Recce	UK	62.	5 Dec 42
see change. Change of Address N of K.		Mrs. Carrie French (W), 516 Bourgeois St., Montreal, P.Q., Canada				UK.	4	18 Jan 43.
		Confirmed Cpl	Cpl	13 Feb 43	7 Recce	UK	19	26 Mar 43
		Revert to regt'l rate of pay (Dr. Mech. "C")	Cpl.	26 Mar 43	7 Recce Rgt.	UK	23	16 Apr. 43
		Att. to H.Q. 3 Cdn. Div. Support Bn. f.a.p.	Cpl.	10 May 43	7 Recce Rgt.	UK	31	18 May 43.
change of Address N of K. Mrs.		Carrie French (wife) Athelston, Quebec, Canada			7 Recce	UK.	38	15 June 43.
		C/att to H.Q. 3 Cdn Div Supp Bn. f.a.p.	Cpl.	7 June 43	7 Recce R	UK	40	25 June 43
		Being Qual. Dr. Mech. "C" re. mustered						
		Qual Dr. Mech. Mv. "C" Granted T. Pay.	Cpl.	24 Aug 43	7 Recce R	UK	54	10 Sep. 43
		AWARDED THE CANADIAN VOLUNTEER SERVICE MEDAL AND CLASP						
	x64	att D & M School Crse 101 Ser 492 C	Cpl	12/26 Apr	7 Recce	UK	31	26 May 44

Statement of the Service of No. D 3892 Rank ..... Sheet No. .....

M.F.M. 1 & 2A
40/P & S/119

Name. French J. Co.

REPORT Date	REPORT From whom received	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 Part II D.O. No. Cas. List, etc.	Authority Dated
		Embarked at. UK .....on. 17 June 44						
		Disembarked at. France .....on. 18 June 44	Cpl		7 Recce	21 A Gp	47	14 July 44
M147		To be L/Sgt.	L/Cpl	20 Aug 44	7 Recce	21 A Gp.	66	8 Sep 44
M147	Change of Address	N/K changed to MRS CARRIE FRENCH (WIFE)	730 LABELLE ST.		ST JEROME	P.Q	75	28 Septem
M147		To be A/Sgt.	L/Sgt.	27 Sep 44	7 Recce	21 A Gp	78	9 Oct 44
		DIED 25 DEC 44						
		Died of Wounds.	Sgt.	25 Dec 44	7 Recce R.	AEF.	A. 529.	31 Dec 44.
SOS.		SOS. deceased.	A/S/Sgt.	25 Dec 44	7 Recce Regt	21 A Gp	1	4 Jan 45

CASUALTIES, ETC.

PART II D. O. NO.	DATE	
62	5/12/42	RAT. ALLCE. 11/11/42 - 17/11/42
4	18/1/43	CHANGE IN ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
19	26/3/43	RANK CONFIRMED CPL. W.E.F. 13/2/43
23	16/4/43	T/P. GP. "G" DR. MECH. CEASES. WEF. 26/3/43
29	7/5/43	RAT. ALLCE. 21/4/43 - 27/4/43
38	15/6/43	CHANGE OF ADDRESS OF N OF K.
54	10Sep43	Remustered Dr mech M.V. "C" w/e 24 Aug 43
6	21/1/44	AWARDED C.V.S. MEDAL + CLASP W.E.F. 15/1/44
16	10/3/44	Cat allce 22/2/44 - 28/2/44
47	14-7-44	Emb UK 17-6-44 DiSE...b FR 18-6-44
66	8/9/44	TO BE L/BOMBR. wef 20/8/44
75	28Sep44	Change of add. N of K.
78	9/9/44	APP. A/SGT. wef 27/8/44
1	Jan45	SOS DECEASED (DIED OF ALL WOUNDS) wef 25/12/44

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7 Rec'ce Bn.(17h) A.F.

NAME FRENCH · GEORGE ELLIOTTE ~~Pte/Cpl.~~

REGIMENTAL No. D-3892 RANK ~~Pte.~~ ~~A/L/Cpl. 31/8/42~~

ENLISTED AT Montreal South, Que PROMOTIONS, ETC. AND DATE ~~L/Sgt. 20/8/XX~~ A/Sgt. wef 27/9/44

DATE 30 April 1941

IF SERVED PREVIOUSLY, STATE UNIT, ETC. N/A

MARRIED, WIDOWER OR SINGLE Married

NEXT OF KIN Carrie French RELATIONSHIP Wife

ADDRESS OF ~~Athelstan, Que. Can.~~ ~~516 BOURGEOIS ST. PT. ST. CHARLES MONTREAL P.Q.~~ ~~ATHELSTON, QUE.~~ 730 LABELLE ST ST. JEROME, QUE.

ASSIGNMENT OF PAY, $ ~~20 00 / Eff. May 1941~~ C ~~30.00 / Eff 25.43~~ 35.00 / Nov. 44

ADDRESS as above

DEPENDENT'S ALLOWANCE, ENTITLED OR NOT yes AMOUNT OF AWARD

DATE APPLICATION FORWARDED TO DISTRICT PAYMASTER 1st. May 1941

IN WHOSE FAVOUR Wife $35.00

M. F. M. 14
120M - 7-40 (6128-9)
H. Q. 1772-39-1662

11. Occ.hist.forms filled.

CASUALTIES, ETC.

NATURE E. G. ABSENCE, PROMOTION, ETC.	PART 11. D. O. NO.	PART 11. D. O. DATE	REMARKS IF IN HOSPITAL, NOTE NAME, ETC.
TOS DD 4 "E" Wing	101	30-4-41	eff 30-4-41
Pst to his unit Debert Military Camp	121	23-5-41	eff 23-5-41
T.O.S. 17th. DYRCH.	120	26-5-41	eff. 24-5-41
S.O.S.Cdn.Army Canada	199	6-9-41	w.e.f. 23/8/41
T.O.S. " " Overseas	199	6-9-41	w.e.f. 24/8/41
TRADES CLASS. DR. MECH. GR. "C"	8	13/2/42	W.E.F. 30/1/42
AWARDED TRADES PAY GR. "C"	19	14/4/42	W.E.F. 31/7/41
PROMOTED A/L/CPL.	48	12/9/42	W.E.F. 31/8/42
TRADES QUALIFICATION DR. MECH.	49	18/9/42	GR. "C" TRACKED W.E.F. 3/9/42
TRADES QUALIFICATION M. MECH.	50	26/9/42	GR. "B" W.E.F. 8/9/42
GRANTED TRADES PAY M. MECH.	51	3/10/42	GR. "B" W.E.F. 8/9/42
CEASES TO DRAW TRADES PAY	51	3/10/42	GR. "C" W.E.F. 7/9/42
RAT. ALL'CE (one day R.A.)	37/54	16/10/42	25/6/42 TO 1/7/42
T/P M.M. GP. "B" CEASES	56	28/10/42	W.E.F. 15/10/42
REGRANTED T/P D.M. GR. "C"	56	28/10/42	W.E.F. 16/10/42
PROMOTED A/CPL.	62	5/12/42	W.E.F. 13/11/42

Additional Notes by Unit M.O. and Field Ambulance.

Morphia—	A.T. Serum—
Dose. Time and date given—	Dose and date given—
Date of Wound or onset of illness Age 33	Religion— PRES

Sulphanilamide. Dose in grammes. Time and date given.

Disease*	Microscopic Diagnosis*			
Malaria	B.T.	M.T.	Q.	Clin.
Dysentry	B. Ex.	Ehyst.	Indef. Ex.	

Malaria Treatment							
Days	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ateb. grms.							
Quin. grs.							

NOTES.

5 CDN FDS
25 Dec 44 0200 hrs.
Admitted deeply unconscious
see Head card
Evac - To 88. Brit Gen. Hosp.
PBERNSTEIN
Capt

* Strike out where inapplicable.

Army Form W3118
R.A.F. Form 3118.
Naval Form M204.

FIELD MEDICAL CARD.

* No. D3892 Rank SGT
Name FRENCH, G.E.
Unit 7TH CDN RECCE REGT
* In cases of Enemy Prisoners of War serial number allotted by A.F.W. 3000.

Battle Casualty. Accidentally Wounded. Sick.
(Strike out description which does not apply.)

Diagnosis of Unit M.O.—

Date seen by him—

No. of Field Ambulance— 18 Cdn Fd Amb.
Date of admission— 25 Dec 44
Field Ambulance diagnosis— M.S.W. Head. G. SABOURIN CAPT.
Evac 5 Cdn FDS.

F.D.S., C.C.S. or M.C.S. diagnosis (if altered from above)— G.S.W. Head Compd # Skull (D) ex above PBERNSTEIN Capt

General or other Hospital diagnosis (alterations or additions)—
?W. Cpd depressed frac vault of Skull

Wt. 53183/1306. 1,000m. 4/43. D.P.W. 51-6600.

(R. Parietal Region) EA.

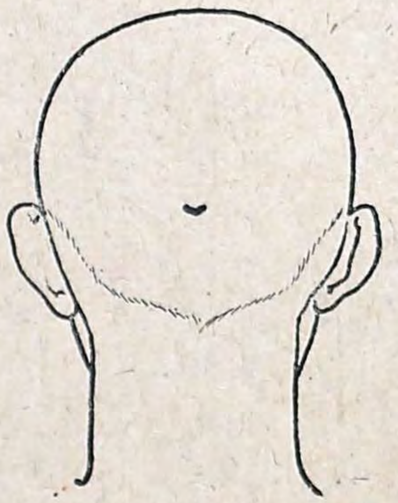
Date of Admission to F.D.S., C.C.S., M.C.S., or General or other Hospital and designation of medical unit to which admitted must be recorded hereunder immediately on admission. Brief clinical notes should be added later, dated and signed by the M.O.

DIED en route to 88 (Br) Gen Hosp from 5 Coy F.D.S.

A.F. I. 1220 completed.

No. 88 GENERAL HOSPITAL
25 DEC 1944
Ref. _____
R. A. M. C.

This F.M. Card must not be destroyed. It must be transmitted with the patient if he is evacuated to U.K. Temperature charts or additional clinical notes may be sent with it, either in the same or in another envelope attached to the patient.



Army Form W 3118B.

HEAD INJURY CARD.

For use in Field Ambulances, Casualty Clearing Stations and Stationary Hospitals.

At each station or Hospital a new card must be filled in and placed with the other cards in the patient's envelope ..... A.F.W.3118A.

NAME (BLOCK CAPITALS) FRENC, G.E. No. D3892

Rank SGT. Unit 7 Cdn RECCE

Date and time of injury Dec 1130A 24 Dec.

Date and time of examination Dec 0045A 25 Dec 44.

External injury ? Yes If fracture seen ? Yes

Fissured ? ..... Depressed ? Summit Scalp

(Site of external wounds to be marked on diagrams on back of this card.)

(24921) Wt.19773/800 6,000 7/43 A.& E.W.Ltd. Gp.698
(25651) Wt.33754/1622 32,000 10/43 „ „

All questions marked with interrogation mark to be answered with :— + = Yes.
O = No.

MENTAL STATE.

Alert ? ..... Drowsy ? ..... Comatose ? +

Lucid ? ..... Confused ? .....

Quiet ? ..... Excited ? ..... Irritable ? .....

PUPILS.

Dilated ? ..... Pin-point ? ..... Equal ? +

R. Larger ? 0 L. Larger ? 0

WEAKNESS OR PARALYSIS ?

Right limbs ? ..... Left limbs ? .....

PULSE RATE 70 Fits ? 0

RESPIRATION RATE 16

TREATMENT GIVEN.

Morphia given 0 Dose .....

Sulphonamide given ? .....

A.T.S. given ? .....

PROGRESS UNDER OBSERVATION.

Improved ? ..... Stationary ? ..... Worse ? +

REMARKS :— Admitted 5 Cdn FDS
0200 hrs - 25 Dec 44
No history on 3118
To 8 ~~Cdn~~ Brit Gen Hosp.
P BERNSTEIN
Capt

Signature of M.O.

(a) Report: Date	(a) Report: From whom received	(b) Unit	(c) Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, &c., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, &c. Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, &c.) in accordance with para. 2 of Note to Table I of Appendix III of Field Service Regulations, Volume I	(d) Place of Casualty	(e) Date of Casualty	Army rank as at (e)	(g) Army Form or other authority for entry to be shown
13-9-41	O.C.	17H	Embarked for Overseas & S.O.S. Canada	Halifax	23-8-41	Tpr.	Pt II #199, d/6-9-41.
			T.O.S. Can. Army Overseas		24-8-41	"	" " "
			Disembarked	Glasgow	2-9-41	"	" " "
13-9-41	O.C.	17H	Granted 5 days landing leave (Warrant)	Aldershot	8-9-41	"	" 201, d/12-9-41
8-12-41	"	"	7 days leave (P1) F.W.	Field	3-12-41	"	#16 d/12-12-41
	"	"	Qualified Driv Mech Gp. C (W)	"	30-1-42	"	#8 d/13-2-42
19-2-42	"	"	7 days leave (P2) No FTW	"	13-2-42	"	#10 d/28-2-42
8-4-42	"	"	T.P. - Driv Mech - Gp "C"	"	31-7-41	"	#19 d/14-4-42
12-7-42	"	"	7 days P.L. P-3	"	25-6-42	"	37 d/19-7-42
2-9-42	"	"	Appointed A/L/Cpl	"	31-8-42	A/L/Cpl	48 d/12-9-42
10-9-42	"	"	Qualified Dvr Mech (T.)	"	3-9-42	"	49 d/18-9-42.
17-9-42	"	"	Qualified Motor Mech "B"	"	8-9-42	"	50 d/26-9-42.
19-9-42	"	"	To draw T.P. Mtr Mech "B"	"	8-9-42	"	51 d/7-10-42
26-9-42	"	"	Ceases T.P. Group "C" Dr Mech	"	7-9-42	"	51 "
		"	To draw T.P. Gp "B" Motor Mech	"	8 Sep 42	"	Pt II 51 d/8 Oct 42
21-10-42	"	"	Ceases T.P. Gp "B" motor Mech &	"	15-10-42	"	" " 56 d/28-10-42.
	"	"	To draw T.P. "C" Driv Mech	"	16-10-42	"	" 56 d/28-10-42.
	"	"	7 days P.L. rat allce	"	11 Nov 42	"	" 62 5 Dec 42
27-11-42	"	"	Appointed A/Cpl.	"	13 Nov 42	"	" 62 5 Dec 42
11 Jan 43	"	"	Change of address G. of K.	"	11 Jan 43	A/Cpl	4 d/18 Jan 43
17 Mar 43	"	"	Confirmed Cpl.	"	13 Feb 43	Cpl.	19 d/26 Mar 43
10 Apr 43	"	"	Ceases trades pay Driv Mech "C"	"	26 Mar 43	"	23 d/16 Apr 43
Certified satisfactory as Motor Mech "B" by OC 7				Recce			
Certified satisfactory as Driv Mech "C" by OC 7				Recce			
24 Apr 43	OC	7 Recce	7 days PL	Field	21 Apr 43	"	29 d/7 May 43
7 May 43	"	"	Ath to HQ 3 Cdn Div Supp Bn 7 days	"	10 May 43	"	31 d/18 May 43
15 Jun 43	"	"	Ceases ath to HQ 3 Cdn Div Sp Bn 7 ap	"	7 Jun 43	"	40 Jun 43
6 Sep 43	"	"	Remustered Dr Mech MV "C"	"	24 Aug 43	"	54 Sep 43
			Awarded Canadian Volunteer Service Medal and Clasp		JAN 15 1944		6-1944
19 May 44	"	"	Proc on CMHQ Case 701 Ser 492C		12 Apr 44		
			D&M Instrs Refresher Number MKIV		to		
			4 ath to D&M Wing AFV School	"	26 Apr 44	"	31 May 44
	"	"	Embarked U.K. 7 Jun. Disembarked France.		18 Jun 44	"	47 Jul 44
	CA	"	To be LSGT	"	20 Aug 44	LSJT	66 Sep 44
	"	"	To be A/SGT	"	27 Sep 44	A/SGT	78 Oct 44
28 Dec 44	AFW 3014	"	SOS Deceased (Died of Wounds)	"	25 Dec 44	"	1 Jan 45

D 3892 G.E. French

SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

PART I (For all ranks)

M.F.M. 4 (Part I)
A.F.B. 103 (Part I)
500M—8-39 (1700)
H.Q. 1772-45-18

Unit 7th Rec'ce Bn (17H) AF. Regimental Number D-3892

1. Surname FRENCH
2. Christian Names George Elliotte,
3. *Substantive Rank and Appointment LS IT 20 Aug 44
   *Acting Temporary or Local Rank A/SGT 27 Aug 44
   giving date
   *To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration.
4. Place of birth Athelstan Que. Can.
5. Date of birth as declared on attestation 11 Nov. 1911
   (A)
6. Date of enlistment 30 April 1941
7. Place of enlistment Montreal South Que. Can.
8. Residence at time of enlistment Athelstan 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 Presbyterian
12. If married, state date 30 March 1930
13. Trade on enlistment Driver,
14. Corps, trade and grade
15. (D) Qualifications
16. (E) Miscellaneous entries Driv. Mech. (MV) (TW)
    Motor Mech. "B"

(17) Regiment or Corps	Unit (Battn., etc)

(18) Medical

Category	Date	Authority
A		Med Bd

(19) Next of kin (entries to be made in pencil) Wife
Mrs. Carrie French
730 Labelle Street
(20) E St Jerome Que Canada
(21) E
(22) E 7 Reve Do #75 / Sep 44

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.

MILITIA BOOK M. I.
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CANADIAN MILITIA

SOLDIER'S SERVICE

AND

PAY BOOK

(XIV) PARTICULARS OF DENTAL TREATMENT

Date	Required	Completed	Specification Use authorized Abbreviations and Symbols	Signature of Dental Officer
23 DEC 43	✓		1X, 2F PR.	R Silverstone Capt
27 July 44	✓		2F.	J. A. Trant Tiger
28 July 44		✓		J. A. Trant Tiger

(1) SOLDIER'S NAME AND DESCRIPTION ON ATTESTATION

Regtl. No. D-3892

Surname (in capitals) FRENCH

Christian Names (in full) George Elliote

Date of Birth 11 Nov 1911

Place of Birth Athelstan Que

Trade on Enlistment Driver

Nationality of Father at birth Canadian

Nationality of Mother at birth Canadian

Religion Presbyterian

Enlisted at Montreal South Quebec

Date 30 Apr 1941

Particulars of former service (if any) i.e. Regtl. No., Corps and period.

Signature of Soldier Geo French.

Signature of Officer A. E. Dorg Lieut

Place Field Date 10/4/43

(II) NEXT OF KIN

Any change becoming known is to be duly noted with date of such change and reported by O.C. Unit to the Officer i/c Records.

NOTE.—No entry in these pages has any legal effect as a Will (see pages 20 to 23)

Nearest degree of relationship		Names	Date
1st	Wife	M.D. Carrie French	16/9/44 ~~10/4/43~~
	Children		
2nd	Father		
	Mother	Jane Elizabeth French	10/4/43
3rd	*Brothers and Sisters	William French (O)	10/4/43
		Clifford French (O)	"
		Clarence French (Y)	"
4th	Other Relations (stating) relationship)		

*State whether brothers are older or younger.

NOW LIVING

Latest known Address in full
730 Labelle St, St. Jerome, Que. Can. ~~Athelstan Quebec~~
Athelstan Quebec
" "
" "
" "

(III) RANK and APPOINTMENT

Date	Rank and Appointment	Substantive, Temporary, Acting or Local (with or without pay)	Authority of Part II Orders	Signature of Officer
13-11-42	A/CPL		#62 6/12/42	FROM PREV BOOK
13-2-43	CPL.	Subst.		A.E. Dodds.
20 Aug 44	L/SGT	with Pay	#66/44	A.E. Dodds. Capt.
27 Sept 44	A/SGT	with Pay	#78/44.	A.E. Dodds. Capt.

(IV) Certificate Applicable to all Arms, to be completed and signed by the C.O. Bn., etc., before a Soldier proceeds Overseas

TRAINED (passed Recruit's Course as laid down for his arm of the Service) *except that he requires further training in:—**

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Qualified in addition as under :—

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Date.....

* If no further training required, strike out words in italics and initial.

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(V) PARTICULARS OF TRAINING

Courses and Schools. Specialist Qualifications. Swimming, etc., show'g result	Date	Signature of Officer
QUAL D.M. (WHEELED) GRC	30/1/42	FROM
ENGLAND D.M. COURSE	15/11/41	PREV
QUAL MM (SP'B')	8/9/42	BOOK
Lance Gunner	28/7/43	

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(VI) SMALL ARMS RANGE COURSES

Year	Classification	If Table not completed, state parts fired	Signature of Officer
1941	RIFLE FIELD		FROM PREV
1942	L.M.G. 2ND		BOOK
1944	Rifle-2nd	1-2-7	A.E. Wright.

(VII) EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Certificate, Specialist Qualifications, etc.	Place	Date	Signature of Officer
7 YRS PUBLIC SCHOOL	ATHELSTAN QUE	10/4/43	FROM PREV BOOK

(VIII) TRADE RECORD

(For men in receipt of tradesmen's rates of pay only)

Trade	Group	Class	Remarks, e.g., On enlistment; Re-classified; Re-mustered, etc.	Date	Signature of Officer
D.M.	C			31/7/41	FROM PREV BOOK
M.M.	B			8/9/42	

(IX) EMPLOYMENT WHILST SERVING

Period		Nature of Employment	Remarks and Signature of O.C. Coy., etc.
From	To		
		Crew Cmdr Carrier Det.	

To include (1) Regimental, (2) as Skilled Tradesmen, (3) as Specialist, e.g., Signaller or M. Gunner.

(X) MEDICAL CLASSIFICATION

Date	Category or Grade	Medical Examiner of Recruits, or other Medical Authority	Signature of Medical Officer
31-3-41	A	Montreal Que M.B.	FROM PREV BOOK
2 Aug 43	Blood Gp Q	mossy janskyl.	G S Saunders Capt

(XIV) PROTECTIVE INOCULATIONS

Nature of Vaccine, "T.A.B." Cholera, Plague, etc.	Date	Signature of Medical Officer
TAB	1-5-41	FROM
	12-5-41	
3	3-6-41	PREV
TETANUS TOX 1CC	1-5-41	
" " 1CC	26-6-41	BOOK
TABT 1/2 CC	6-5-42	
T.A.B.T. 1/2 C.C.	16-4-43	[illegible]
Typh Vac 1cc	8 Jan 44	[illegible]
Typh. Vac 1cc	1 Jan 44	E. Tabah Capt.
" " 1cc	22 " 44	E. Tabah Capt
" " 1cc	13 Apr 44	E. Tabah Capt
TABT 1/2 CC	2 May 44	E. Tabah Capt
TYPH 1CC	4 Dec 44	E. Tabah Capt

(XV) VACCINATION

Date Vaccinated	Signature of Medical Officer
MAY 1 1941	FROM PREV BOOK
26 Jan 44 Immidiate	E. Tabah Capt.

(XVI) MISCELLANEOUS ENTRIES

(For entries for which space is not otherwise provided)

NOTE.—No entry on this page has any legal effect as a WILL

Particulars	Date	Signature of Officer
X RAY 74570	1-4-41	
PRIV. LV (1) FREE WAR	5-12-41	FROM
" " (2) NO "	12-2-42	
"M" TEST (REV) COMPLETE		PREV
"Q" CARD COMPLETE	5-5-42	
PRIV. LV (3) FREE WAR	25/6/42	BOOK
" " (4) " "	11/11/42	
FINGERPRINTED - CAIB		
Priv. Lv. (5)	21.4.43	[illegible]
Awarded Cdn. Volunteer Service Medal + Clasp	15-1-44	[illegible]
Part II Order # 6		
Priv Leave (6) F.T.W.	22-2-44	[illegible]
On 30 Apr 1944 entitled to 3 Red Service Chevrons		26 May 44 [illegible]
Embarked United Kingdom 17 June 44 and disembarked France 18 June 44		[illegible]

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 soldier has not already made a Will or wishes to alter one already made. See instructions on page 23).

Signature.....

Rank, Regt'l Number.....

Date.....

A.F.W3084

Number D3892

Name FRENCH G.E.

Rank A/Cpl Religion P.

Arm C. A. C.

Branch if R.A.; Regt. if Foot Guards or Infantry

NOT to be filled in by Soldier

Diagnosis ....

Disposal ....

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Date..........

25-12-44

AWARDS—CANADIAN ARMY (ACTIVE)

1873 M

C.B.
500M—1-44 (3467)
H.Q. 1772-45-8

FILE NO. 405-F-13,581

SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS) / CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. NO.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT
FRENCH George Elliotte	D-3892	Sgt.	C.A.C.

WAR SERVICE BADGE (CLASS) NO. DATE DESPATCHED:

ADDRESS:

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

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(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION NO. DATE OF DESPATCH

MEMORIAL BAR
DATE DESP.
REGN NO (1) 238 22-6-49

(1) MEDALS

PERSON ENTITLED TO Mrs. Carrie FRENCH (WIDOW)

ADDRESS: ~~730 Labelle St.~~, St. Jerome, Que., 516 Bourgeois St. MONTREAL 22, Que.

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW Mrs. Carrie French, (ENGLISH)

1873

ADDRESS: 730 Labelle St., ST. JEROME, Que.

(2) DESP. MAR 10 1945
REGN No. 16082

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER Mrs. Jane Elizabeth French, (MFM5) (ENGLISH)

1873

ADDRESS: ATHELSTAN, Que.

(3) DESP. MAR 10 1945
REGN No. 16083

File No 405-I-13581

VERIFICATION FORM

WAR SERVICE MEDALS 1939-45

No. A-3892 Name French, George Elliotte

Rank on Discharge Sgt. Date of Discharge 25 Dec. 44

Authority for Discharge or Retirement Deceased

Served in:

			Non-qualifying service
Canada	from 30 Sept. 41	to 23 Aug 44	
	from	to	
United Kingdom	from 24 Aug. 41	to 17 June 44	
	from	to	
Italy	from	to	
Northwest Europe	from 18 June 44 (died of wounds)	to 25 Dec. 44	
---------	from	to	
---------	from	to	

Eligible for award of:

1939 - 45 Star	ok

~~Italy Star~~	
France-Germany Star	ok
Defence Medal	ok
War Medal	ok
Canadian Volunteer Service Medal	ok
with clasp	ok

NO RIBBON DESPATCH

Verified by Georgette Labrie

Date 11 July 46

Carded

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OFFICIAL CANADIAN ARMY OVERSEAS CASUALTY NOTIFICATION

NUMBER D.3892 RANK Sergeant SERVICE UNIT 7th Recce. Regt. (17 Duke of York's RC (C.A.).

NAME FRENCH, George Elliotte

DATE OF BIRTH
DAY 11th MONTH November YEAR 1911 Enlisted: 30-4-41

MARITAL STATUS Married 8 RELIGION--Presbyterian

NEXT OF KIN AS SHOWN ON M.F.M. 1, 2 & 5 RELATIONSHIP Wife NAME Mrs. Carrie French,

ADDRESS 730 Labelle St., St. Jerome, Que. ADDRESS D.A.B.

ADDITIONAL PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED ADDRESS

PARENTS NAME

ADDRESS (IF SOLDIER MARRIED OVERSEAS)

AUTHORITY CAS. SIG. NO. 5041A H.Q. 405-F-13,581

CASUALTY DETAILS Died of accidental injuries DATE 25-12-44

(ORD. CAS).

O/S with 7th RECCE. Bn.
S/L 810

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 12-1-45

BTC

Macabbie Lieut

OFFICER I/C RECORDS

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COPY FOR DOCUMENT FILE

24th January, 1945.

Mrs. Carrie French,
730 Labelle Street,
St. Jerome, Quebec.

Dear Mrs. French:

It was with deep regret that I learned of the death of your husband, D5892 Sergeant George Elliotte French, who gave his life in the Service of his Country in the Western European Theatre of War on the 25th day of December, 1944.

From official information we have received, your husband died as the result of wounds received 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

JAN 23 1945

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

mem x - wife - mother
30-1-45

/HLA

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H.Q. 405-F-13,581
D. R. 2 (B).

19 January 1945

Mrs. Carrie French,
730 Labelle Street,
St. Jerome, Quebec.

Dear Mrs. French:

With reference to my letter of the 8th instant, I am directed to inform you that official information now received from Overseas, states that it has been definitely ascertained that the regretted death of your husband D3892 Sergeant George Elliotte French, was due to enemy action. He was wounded in action on the 24th December 1944, sustaining a bullet wound to the head, with a compound depressed fracture, of the vault of the skull, and the right parietal region, which caused his death on the following day.

May I again express my sincere and heartfelt sympathy for the irreparable loss you have suffered.

Yours sincerely,

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

ND:NB

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405-7-13581

FIELD SERVICE

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 OR CORPS: 7 Cdn Recce Regt — Squadron, Troop, Battery or Company:

Officer's Personal No. (if known) / Soldier's Army No.: D 3892 — Rank: A/Sgt

Surname: French — Christian Names: G.E.

Died — Date: 25 Dec 44 — Place: Holland

Cause of Death*: D of Wds

Nature and Date of Report: TPM 25 Dec 44

By whom made: 88 (Br) General Hospital.

* Specially state if killed in action, or died from wounds received in action, or from illness due to field operations or to fatigue, privation or exposure while on military duty, or from injury while on military duty.

Burial — Place: Holland Tilburg (Bilzerbaan) — Date: 26 Dec 44

By whom reported: Chaplain. A.E. Calvertx Clrican Moore CF (Meth) 88(Br) Gen Hosp.

State whether he leaves a Will or not — (a) in Army Book 64: No.

(b) as a separate document: Not Received

All private documents and effects received 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 received as to verbal expressions by a 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 the 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 Date: Belgium, 13 Jan 45

Signature of Officer in charge of Section Adjutant-General's Office at the Base: Eric G Roberts Capt. for Officer i/c Cdn Sec GHQ 2nd Ech 21,A Gp.

Wt. 46939/917 500M. 3/40 M. & S., Ltd. 51-6239

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666 Carillon Ave.,
St. Jerome, Que.
Sept. 4, 1945.

ESTATES
BRANCH
SEP 6 Recd
H. Q.
OTTAWA
NATIONAL DEFENCE

Director of Estates,
Estates Branch.
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir.

In reply to your letter of July 20.
HQ 405-F-13,581/FD 410
Re: Estate of D3892
George Elliotte French / 17th D.Y. R.C.H.
who died of injuries Dec. 25, 1944.

I am enclosing my marriage contract as requested by your Department.

I have three war savings certificates in my husband's name. Please advise me

as to whether these are taken care of
by your department, or if I should
get in touch with the Bank of Canada Ottawa.

and oblige,

(Mrs) Carrie French.

P.S. Please note the change in my
address – Old address 730 Labelle St. St. Jerome.
new - 666 Carillon ave
St. Jerome.

e a l.

On the ninth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty.

Before MTRE LUCIEN BAILLARGEON, Notary for the Province of Quebec, residing and practising at the town of Huntingdon, district of Beauharnois.

CAME AND APPEARED:-

1.-Mr. GEORGE ELLIOTT FRENCH, laborer, residing at Shawbridge, Terrebonne County, of lawful age, issue of the marriage of the late HUGH FRENCH, in his lifetime of the village of Athelstan, laborer, with DAME JANE ELIZABETH ELLIOTT, acting in his own name, OF THE ONE PART.

2.-And MISS CAROLINE BURT McFARLANE, of the Village of Athelstan, a spinster issue of the marriage of MR. THOMAS S. MACFARLANE, of the same place, farmer, with the late HELEN HENDERSON, acting in her own name, OF THE OTHER PART.

Who have settled as follows, the civil conditions of their intended marriage:

1.- The future consorts shall be separated as to property, and they shall not be responsible for each other's debts contracted previously to or during their marriage.

2.- MISS CAROLINE BURT MACFARLANE, the party of the second part, shall have, hold, use and enjoy the moveable and immoveable property, which she now owns, as her own separate property, whereof - she shall have during the said marriage, the entire administration, with the free enjoyment, of her revenues, and the right of disposing of her moveable property. She shall have the power, under her own signature, and without the concurrence of her husband, to receive the reimbursements of all sums to her due, to make all transfers, grant all subrogations with or without guarantee, pass and renew all leases, grant all acquittals, discharges and main-levee, agree to all transactions and compositions, in relation of her moveable property and rights.

3.- The said GEORGE ELLIOTT FRENCH, the party of the first part, shall bear and pay all the household expenses.

4.- MISS CAROLINE BURT MACFARLANE, the party of the second part, hereby renounces for herself and her children, to all and any dower, either customary or prefix.

REGISTRY OFFICE COUNTY OF HUNTINGDON.
I the undersigned, do hereby certify that this document was registered at full length in this office at three o'clock --- minutes --- in the afternoon, on the twenty-fourth day of the month of April nineteen hundred and forty in Register B Volume 51 Folio 29 under the number forty six thousand and seventy-six.

R.C. Cooper
Registrar.

5.- MISS CAROLINE BURT MACFARLANE, the party of the second part, hereby declares that the moveable property and effects, which she now owns, consisting of her wearing apparel, jewels, silverware, marked with her initials or crest, as also some stocks, shares or bonds, are by their nature sufficiently distinguished from those of her future husband, and consequently no further statement or description has been made thereof.

6.- Inconsideration of the said marriage, and on account of there being no dower, the party of the first part hereby donates, by donation intervivos and irrevocable, to his said future wife, accepting thereof:

A)-Of all the household furniture, which he now owns, which he will acquire during the said marriage, and which will belong to him at the time of his decease.

B)-Of a sum of five thousand dollars ($5000.00), which will be payable to her personally, out of the most available assets of the estate and succession of the said GEORGE ELLIOTT FRENCH And to secure and guarantee the payment of the said sum of five thousand dollars ($5000.00), the future husband hereby promises, to transfer as soon as the marriage is solemnized, unto his said future wife, the benefits of two life insurances, taken on his lifetime, one for the amount of one thousand dollars ($1000.00), with THE MANUFACTURERS LIFE INSURANCE, bearing No. 422907, and the other for the amount of one thousand dollars ($1000.00), taken with the NORTH AMERICA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, bearing No. 285001.

7.- These donations shall however only be available to MISS CAROLINE BURT MACFARLANE, the party of the second part, in case of her surviving her said future husband, AS GAIN DE SURVIE, and shall be considered as null and void, if her said future husband survives her.

The whole has thus been convenanted and agreed between the parties hereto, in the presence of the undersigned Notary.

Done and passed at the town of Huntingdon, undersigned Notary's office, under the number nine thousand six hundred and thirty-eight of my minutes.

And after reading hereof, the parties have signed with me, Notary.

(SIGNED) GEO. FRENCH

"" CAROLINE B. MACFARLANE

"" LUCIEN BAILLARGEON, N.P.

TRUE COPY OF THE ORIGINAL MINUTE REMAINING ON RECORD IN MY OFFICE.

(signature) Lucien Baillargeon, N.P.

I, Samuel German, do hereby certify that I have compared the within document with the original documents submitted to this Office by the widow, Mrs. Carrie French, which purports to be the original Marriage Contract between herself and her late husband, D.3892 George Elliott French, and state that it is a true and correct copy thereof.

Dated at Ottawa this 30th day of October, 1945.

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(Samuel German) Captain
A Notary Public in and for
the Province of Ontario.

DISTRIBUTION OF SERVICE ESTATES

Estates Form "P. 4"

ARMY LL

Name FRENCH, George, E. No. D.3892
Surname Christian Names

Sgt. C.A. D/S 25-12-44
Rank Unit Date of Death

AMOUNT

L.P.C. $ 165.04

Date 7 Nov 45

Other Credits ———

Total 165.04

SHARE	RELATIONSHIP	NAME AND ADDRESS	AMOUNT
All	Widow	Mrs. Carrie French, 666 Carillon Ave., St.Jerome, Que. (Sole beneficiary under will)	165.04 K

P4. TO TREAS. 20-11-45, a.m.

AUTHORITY

H.Q. F.E. No.	VOTE	PRI	H.Q. SUB.	OBJ.	AMOUNT
9999	731	00	00	001	165.04

CLASSIFIED BY

J.H.L. Jeffrey

EXAMINED BY

For Chief Treasury Officer

DISTRIBUTION APPROVED AND AUTHORIZED

(L. M. FIRTH) Colonel
Director of Estates

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT

For Chief Treasury Officer

40M—8-45 (7876)
H.Q.1772-45-27

730 Labelle St.,
St. Jerome, Que.
Feb. 26, 1945.

The Secretary,
Dept. of National Defence (Army)
Ottawa, Ont.

D.9469

Dear Sir,

- Re Gratuity. -

My husband - D3892 - Lgt. G.E. French,
(in the 17th Hussars regiment), died of injuries
on Dec. 25, 1944 and I am, I understand,
entitled to a War Services Gratuity granted
to dependants of deceased.

Would you please send me an
application form (if one is needed!)

and oblige,

(Mrs. Geo.) Carrie M. French.

B CFA 187
0/P & S/2180 (7060)

CANADIAN MILITARY HEADQUARTERS

ESTATES BRANCH
INVENTORY

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

No., RANK and NAME ....D-3892 Sgt. French C.E. (Dec'd)

RECEIVED FROM ....Cdn Sec G.H.Q. 2nd Ech 2 A Gp

CHECKED BY B-69920 Tpr Browning W M DATE 16 Feb 45

AND M-16018 Pte Murdoch W J

1	Note book		
3	Combs		
1	Lighter		
1	Gold signet ring		
	Letters		
1	~~Photos~~ Snapshot		
1	Identity disc (Silver)		
1	Chain (Steel)		
1	Cuff link		
	Souvenir coins		
1	Pr Div patches		
	Misc. cards		

ESTATES BRANCH NOV 9 1945 O. OTTAWA NATIONAL DEFENCE

all articles received
(Mrs) Carrie French

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

QUADRUPLICATE—with effects.

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for OC 1 Cdn KSD

5/7P CFA 187
40/P & S/2180 (7060)

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RECEIVED FROM ....Cdn..Sec..G.H.Q...2nd..Ech....21...A..Gp.....

CHECKED BY ..B-69920.....Tpr....Browning..W..M..... DATE 16..Feb..45.....

AND .....M-16018....Pte..Murdoch..W..J.....

1	Wrist watch		
1	Key chain & ring	W/2 keys	
1	Cigarette case		
1	Wallet		
	Photos		
5	Souvenir bills		
2	Souvenir coins		
	Souvenir stamps		

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Presidents and Members of Courts of Inquiry or Boards of Officers will familiarize themselves with the Overseas ROs dealing with the subject of Courts of Inquiry and Boards of Officers.

2. The rank, name, appointment and unit of the Convening Officer must be given.

3. The unit of all Members of the Court must be indicated.

4. The signature of each officer composing the Court or Board must be affixed at the end of these Proceedings, together with the date and place of the sitting of the Court.

5. Unless otherwise required by the Convening Order, only one copy of these Proceedings will be prepared.

PROCEEDINGS of a COURT OF INQUIRY

assembled at IN THE FIELD

on the 5 JANUARY 1945

by order of OFFICER COMMANDING, 7 CDN RECCE REGT (17 DYRCH)
(Part I Order # 1, d/1 Jan 45)

for the purpose of inquiring into the circumstances leading to the death

of D 3892 A/SGT. FRENCH, G.E.

Ref. 18/Pers/2 Folio 185.
1 Mar 45
for A.G.4.

PRESIDENT

CAPT. L.D. JOHNSON ... 7 Canadian Reconnaissance Regiment (17 DYRCH)

MEMBERS

LIEUT. J.T. PULLAM — 7 Canadian Reconnaissance Regiment (17 DYRCH)

LIEUT. C.V.H. YOUNG — 7 Canadian Reconnaissance Regiment (17 DYRCH)

The COURT having assembled pursuant to order, proceed to call the first witness:-

D 3080 Sgt. Baker, H.T. having been duly sworn states:-

"On the night of the 24th Dec 44 I was in charge of the troop. Sgt. Woodburn and myself were at Sgt.French's post, we heard firing, and explosions which sounded like grenades, coming from the right of Sgt.French's post. One of the sentries came in and said it sounded like trouble at the Dutch Post #5. Sgt. French had the dyke manned by his men in his position. I asked Sgt. Woodburn to come along with me to the Dutch Post #5. Sgt. French said that he would come along with us as he knew the way through

the orchard. We ent through the orchard, Sgt.French leading, followed by Sgt. Woodburn and myself. We came to within 15 yards of the house where the Dutch Post #5 is situated, when, a Sten Gun opened fire on us. The three of us hit the ground and we shouted the pass-word then we were challenged again, and we shouted the pass-word again. Then Sgt. Woodburn and myself got up off the ground, but we noticed that Sgt. French did not get up. We went over and looked at him, then opened his tunic looking for wounds, finding none on his body we noticed blood running down his face. One of the Dutch sentries and myself lifted Sgt. French upand carried him to the house while Sgt. Woodburn tried to phone for a doctor from the house. He found no phone there so I left Sgt. Woodburn with Sgt. French and ran down to the next post to phone. The phone in that post was not working so continued on down to Squadron Hq taking Tpr. Cunningham with me. Tpr. Cunningham reached Sqn HQ first, telling them about the accident. I met L/Cpl. Barnes(Medical Orderly) and took him up to where Sgt.French was. Then I went up to the Dutch Commander of #5 post and checked with him to find out the trouble, after I saw the Dutch Commander I came down and found that L/Cpl.Barnes had Sgt. French moved down to the road to await the arrival of the ambulance.

Q: What time did you set out to contact the Dutch Post?
A: Approximately 2245 hours.

Q: Was the route taken a layed down route between Dutch Post #5 and Sgt. French's Post?
A: There is no layed down route.

Q: Was the route taken to contact the Dutch the normal route?
A: Yes.

Q: What was the pass-word on that night?
A: Silent Night

Q: Did you make any attempt to approach the Dutch Post in a stealthy manner?
A: No we walked straight toward it.

Q: What were your reasons for contacting the Dutch?
A: There had been a lot of firing and we had orders to check to see what the firing was about.

Q: Is there a phone between Sgt.French's post and the Dutch Post #5?
A: No, as it was removed that day for repairs.

Q: As you approached the Dutch position did you see their sentry?
A: No, the first indication was a burst of Sten fire from the corner of the house where they are billeted.

Q: What are you orders regarding challenging?
A: We halt the oncomers as follows: Halt who goes there, if friend, ask for pass-word then advance friend and be recognized, then check their identity.

Q: What is the map reference of Sgt. French's post?
A: Tiel Sheet - 44356737 is Sgt. French's night post.

Q: What are you orders regarding movement on the winter dyke?
A: Orders are, that there is no one allowed on the winter dyke at all times.

Q: Did the route between Sgt. French's post and the Dutch post take you on the Winter Dyke?
A: No, at all times we were at least 25 yards on our side of the winter dyke.

Q: Were you challenged by the Dutch Post #5 before they fired on you?
A: I did not hear a challenge.

Q: Did they call out to you previous to you calling out the pass-word?
A: Not that I heard.

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Q: After you called the pass-word what action did they take?
A: They challenged us and we repeated the pass-word.

Q: How did they challenge you?
A: They called out "Pass-Word".

Q: Were Sgt. French, Sgt. Woodburn and yourself on duty that night?
A: Yes we are on duty every night.

Q: Did you speak to the man that fired the Sten immediately? after?
A: No, after they challenged us some of their men came forward to help us with Sgt. French.

Q: Was it a clear night?
A: Yes, the visibility was good as the moon was shining.

Q: How close were you to the Dutch Post #5 when they opened fire?
A: About 15 to 20 yards.

Q: Did you see the man that fired the shots?
A: No, he was in the shadows of the building.

Q: To the best of your knowledge had Sgt. French used this route previously on other nights?
A: I am not certain but I know he used it always during the daylight.

Q: C an you tell the Court anything more that might help the Court in its findings?
A: No.

SECOND WITNESS

D 3051 Sgt. WOODBURN, C.W. having been duly sworn states:-

" On the night in question I visited Sgt. French's post and while there Tpr. Anderson came into the billets and said turn out, I turned out with his section, got to the top of the dyke but could not see anything that looked like the enemy. Then somebody said how about some more mortar H.E. I went down to Sgt. French's billets to get the H.E., Sgt. Baker and Sgt. French came in at that time when I was looking for the H.E. and said we are going over to the Dutch Post to see what is going on, Are you coming with us? We started out for the Dutch Post, Sgt. French leading, myself second and Sgt. Baker third. When we got within approximately 15 yards of the Dutch Post a Sten gun opened up, the flashes coming towards us made us drop to the ground. We called the pass-word and the Dutch sentry said "Pass-Word" so we called it out again. Then we stood up, but Sgt. French did not get up. We immediately went to him and found out that he was wounded. I went to get a phone inside, Sgt. Baker and one of the Dutch sentries carried Sgt. French into the Dutch billets. I found that the phone had been removed and returned downstairs to Sgt. French and Sgt. B aker. I remained with Sgt. French while Sgt. B aker went for help. L/Cpl. Barnes then came and placed dressings on Sgt. French, then, Sgt. French was taken away on a stretcher, Then I returned to the post, finding nothing wrong I returned to my billets.

Q: Previous to your setting out for the Dutch Post #5 were there any shots originating from that post?
A: Yes, there was Bren Gun and rifle shots also grenades

Q: Were you on duty?
A: I am on duty every night.

Q: What is your order regarding movement on the winter Dyke?
A: My orders are that there will be no movement on the Winter Dyke at any time.

Q: Did the route between Sgt. French's post and the Dutch Post take you on the winter dyke?
A: No, the entire route is approximately 25 to 30 yards from the dyke.

Q: Had you used this route to contact the Dutch Post #5 previous nights?
A: Not personally, but, Sgt. French had used it.

Q: What was the pass-word on the night in question?
A: Silent Night

Q: What time did you set out to contact the Dutch Post #5?
A: Approximately 2245 hours.

Q: Did the Dutch sentry challenge your patrol before firing?
A: I did not hear the Dutch sentry challenge.

Q: After you went to ground and called out the pass-word what action did the Dutch sentry take?
A: The Dutch sentry called out what sounded like "Pass-Word".

Q: Did you then after giving him the pass-word approach his position?
A: N o, we went to Sgt. French and some of the Dutch came forward to join us.

Q: Was Sgt. French in charge of command post map reference Tiel sheet 44356737?
A: Y es.

Q: Was Sgt. French on duty?
A: Yes

Q: What time elapsed between Sgt. French being wounded and arrival of the medical orderly?
A: Approximatley 15 minutes.

Q: Did you render first-aid before arrival of medical orderly?
A: Yes, I applied first field dressings, washed the blood away from his forehead with warn water and wrapped Sgt. French in blankets.

Q: What time elapsed between the time of the medical orderly's arriv al and the departure of the medical truck for the hospital?
A: Approximately 15 minutes, as the medical truck became ditched and it was necessary to evacuate the casualty by jeep.

Q: After being shot what was Sgt. French's condition?
A: Breathing heavily, unconscious and bleeding from a head wound.

Q: Can you tell anything more that might help the Court in its findings?
A: No.

THIRD WITNESS

CHRISTIANUS-THEODORUS M. WENNEKES - Civilian Identity Card No. 068731 member of the Dutch K.P. (Royal Patrol) having been duly sworn states:- (The following witness does not speak English and was questioned by interpreter William De Lange, duly sworn in by this C ourt)

Q: Were you on duty in Dutch Post #5 on the night of Dec 24,1944 between 2200 and 2300 hours?
A: Yes.

Q: What was the pass-word?
A: Silent Night.

Q: What are your orders regarding challenging?
A: My orders are I shout halt, and ask for pass-word.

Q: How long have you been with the Dutch K.P.?
A: From the 25th Nov 1944.

Q: Were you aware that there was a Canadian post on your left?
A: Yes.

Q: Did you know the position of the Canadian post?
A: Yes, I have been there.

Q: While you were on duty at Dutch Post #5 did/ever you/see a Canadian patrol approach your post at night?
A: No.

Q: How long have you been with Dutch Post #5 previous to the 24th Dec. 1944?
A: I arrived in Wamel on the 20 Dec 1944 and was assigned to Dutch Post #5 on that date.

Q: What are you orders in regard to movement on top of the Dyke?
A: No one is allowed on top of the Dyke.

Q: Were you aware that Canadian patrols from the post on your left did on occassions contact your post #5?
A: Yes.

Q: On the night in question were any men in your post firing or throwing grenades?
A: Yes.

Q: Was your post standing to?
A: Yes.

Q: Did you think an enemy patrol was approaching your post?
A: Yes, I thought I saw a man on the enemy side of the dyke walking in the water and approaching my position.

Q: Was the Post Commander at the Post at the time?
A: Yes, he was at the post.

Q: Did you hear the Canadian patrol approaching your post?
A: Yes, I saw them also heard talking and footsteps.

Q: How far was the patrol away when you opened fire?
A: About ten meters.

Q: Was it a clear night?
A: It was fairly light but the patrol was approaching in the shadows of the orchard.

Q: Could you hear the voices of the Patrol clearly?
A: No.

Q: Could you distinguish the uniforms?
A: N o, I could only see the forms.

Q: How many did you see?
A: I saw only one man.

Q: Did you shout halt before firing?
A: No.

Q: Why did you not shout H alt?
A: Because I was too nervous.

Q: How old are you?
A; 20 years old

Q: Have you had any front line experience?
A: Only four days.

Q: Did you think that the patrol approaching your position was a German one?
A: Yes.

Q: Why did you think it was a German Patrol?
A: I don't remember as I was too nervous.

Q: What did you do after opening fire?
A: I was very upset, I do not remember what I did afterwards.

Q: Why were you upset?
A: Because it was a Canadian Patrol.

Q: How do you know that it was a Canadian Patrol?
A: Because the patrol shouted the pass-word in English and my sec. Commander repeated the pass-word.

Q: Where was the Sec. Comdr. at the time you fired?
A: He was with the other chaps on the dyke.

Q: How far away from your position?
A: About six meters.

Q: Can you add anything that might help the Court in its findings?
A: No.

FOURTH WITNESS

B 570 Sec. Cmdr. HERMAN CHR. HUIJPERS, Identity Card No. M7/0011684, having been duly sworn states:-

Q: What is your status? M .R. 445675
A: I am the section commander and Dutch Post #5/is one of my positions.

Q: Were you on duty on the night of Dec 24 1944 between the hours of 2200 and 2359.hours?
A: I was not on duty, I was at HQ writing letters.

Q: Who was in charge of Post #5?
A: Group Commander Kruikemeyier was in charge.

Q: When did you first learn that the accident had occurred?
A: At 2359 hours at "A" Sqn HQ where I had gone to check on check on communications between my positions.

Q: Who informed you of the accident?
A: A Canadian soldier I don't remember who.

Q: At approximately 2230 hours did you hear firing from Post #5?
A: I did not hear any firing between 2200 and 2300 hrs due to the wireless going in my room.

Q: Did the Dutch Post#5 report the accident to you?
A: Yes they did.

Q: At what time?
A: At 0630 hours Dec 25,1944.

Q: There had b een considerable firing around post #5 and it was thought that a man was seen approaching through the water from the enamy side. Do your positions not report such important information to you immediately?
A: They usually do but this time there was no phone there at the time and the Sgt. of the post was in charge completely.

Q: What are the orders regarding movement on the Winter Dyke?
A: There is no one allowed on the winter dyke.

Q: What are your orders regarding challenging?
A: Halt, who goes there, friend, pass-word, advance and be recognized.

Q: Can you tell the Court anything further that would aid in its findings?
A: I can give no information because I was not there.

Q: Was Post #5 aware that the Canadians from the post on their left might liase with their post at any time of the day or night?
A: Yes.

FIFTH WITNESS

B 1327 Group Commander ADRIANUS V.C. BURGT, Identity Card No. 856/000518 Dutch K.P.(Royal Patrol) having been duly sworn states:-

Q: Were you on duty on the night of Dec 24th,1944 between 2200 and 2359 hrs?
A: Yes I was.

Q: Were you a Group Commander ath the time?
A: I was second in command at the Post #5.

Q: Was there any firing from Post #5? between 2200 and 2300 hrs?
A: Yes.

Q: What were they firing at?
A: We were firing at three Germans, two on the summer dyke and one in the water approximately five hundred yards in front of our position.

Q: Was the order given to the post to stand to action stations?
A: Yes we went to action stations.

Q: Did you receive an order to fire when you saw anything moving?
A: Yes, but only if we saw anything approaching from the enmy side of the dyke.

Q: Was your position close to Wennekes?
A: About 25 meters away.

Q: Was there any other member of you r post closer to Wennekes position?
A: Only the Group Commander.

Q: Did you hear the Canadian patrol approaching.
A: No.

SEVENTH WITNESS

D 3955 L/CPL. BARNES, G.E. :- having been duly sworn: states:-

Q: Will you tell the Court in your own words what action you took on being notified that Sgt. French was injured?

A: At the time it was reported to me, I was on guard. One of the chaps, I am not sure who relieved me, saying that one of the chaps had been injured. I took my first-aid kit and proceeded down to First Troop on foot after telling Tpr. Kayler to follow with transport. On arrival I found Sgt. French in a house near Dutch Post in an unconscious condition apparently suffering from concussion and a fractured skull. Applied a shell dressing and put him on a stretcher and carried him out to the main road where he was picked up and taken to the 18th Field Ambulance. When I arrived there the Medical Officer gave him one to four hours to live. I then returned to our Squadron H.Q.

Q: What time elapsed from the time you received the notification that Sgt. French was injured till you started first-aid?
A: Five minutes at the most.

Q: After rendering the first-aid necessary was the vehicle on hand to evacuate the casualty?
A: No it was available in about five minutes.

Q: Is there anything further that you could tell the Court to aid them in their findings?
A: No.

FINDINGS OF THE COURT ::-

(1) The death of A/Sgt. French, G.E. was not caused by the commission by him of some offence under the Army Act.

(2) There was no improper conduct on the part of A/Sgt. French, G.E.

(3) A/Sgt. French, G.E. was killed by a member of the Dutch K.P. (Royal Patrol)

(4) A/Sgt.French, G.E. was on duty at the time of his death.

(5) There were no other civil or other proceedings in this case.

NOTE:-

The Commander of Dutch Post #5, Group Commander KRUIKEMEYIER, mentioned in the evidence, was not available for questioning. At the time the Court was held Kruikemeyier was on unofficial leave. K.P. representatives went to his home in S'Hertogenbosch, but found it destroyed. They checked with the civil police who knew nothing of his whereabouts. Further efforts were made to locate him but without success. Although Kruikemeyier's statement might add slightly to the case history, it would in no way alter the findings of the Court.

L. D. Johnson CAPT.
(L.D. JOHNSON)

John T. Pullam LIEUT.
(J.T. PULLAM)

C. V. H. Young LIEUT.
(C.V.H. YOUNG)

FIELD
17 JAN 45

I Concur

W.C. Bowen Major
A/ Officer Commanding
7 Canadian Reconnaissance Regiment
(17 DYRCH)

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Q: Did you hear Wennekes shout Halt?
A: No.

Q: Did you hear the Canadian patrol call out the pass-word?
A: I first heard the shooting then I heard the Group Commander shout "Pass-Word" then the Canadians answered.

Q: Did you see at any time previous a Canadian patrol approach post#5 from the same direction as it came from on Dec 24th,1944?
A: No.

Q: Did you know that there was a C anadian post on your left?
A: Y es.

Q: How long have you served with post #5 before the 24th Dec, 1944?
A: About four days.

Q: Did you know that the Canadians on your left might at any time liase with your post if the situation called f or it?
A: No.

Q: Can you tell the Court anything further that might aid in its findings?
A: Nothing except that Wennekes is a very nerveus chap.

SIXT H WITNESS

B 1271 THEODORUS G. DE KORTE, Identity Card No. V. 062290, Dutch K.P. (Royal Patrol) Having been duly sworn states:-

Q: How long had you served with Dutch Post #5 before Dec. 24th,1944 ?
A: Three days only.

Q: Did you know that there was a Canadian post on your left?
A: Yes.

Q: Did you know the exact location of the Canadian post?
A: N o.

Q: Do you know how far the Candian post is from your post?
A: I knew that it was about 100 meters.

Q: While you were on duty at night did a Canadian patrol ever approach your position from the left previous to Dec 24,1944?
A: N o.

Q: Had you been informed that a Canadian patrol might be expected to approach your position from the left at night?
A: Yes.

Q: Did you see any Germans on the summer dyke and in the water between 2200 and 2300 hrs on the night in question?
A: Yes.

Q: How did you know that they were G ermans?
A: Because unless we are informed that patrols are out we suspect any movement .on the enmmy side of the winter dyke to be the enemy.

Q: Were you informed that any of our patrols were out on the night of Dec 24th,1944?
A: No we were not informed.

Q: Did you hear Wennekes shout Halt when the Canadian patrol approached?
A: No.

Q: In what sequence did you hear the burst of the Sten gun and the challenge and the pass-word?
A: I first heard the shooting, then the Dutch Commander shouted Halt and asked for the pass-word then the Canadians gave the pass-word "Silent Night".

Q: Can you tell the C ourt anything further that might aid the Court in its findings?
A: No.

From evidence contained herein, it is evident that Sgt French was in no way responsible through misconduct or negligence for the injury resulting in his death.

(WN Wickwire) Major
DAAG 3 Cdn Inf Div
for and by direction of
(DC Spry) Maj-Gen
GOC 3 Cdn Inf Div

In the field
31 Jan 45

MFM 510
40/P & S/254 (3444)

CANADIAN ACTIVE SERVICE FORCE
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LAST PAY CERTIFICATE
(All Ranks)

District.....

Dispersal Area.....

Regtl No. D.3892. Rank and Name French. G.E. A/Sgt.

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

(~~Transfer~~ or Discharge)..... to..... on 25th. Dec. 19 44.

Reason Death. Authority : C.C.L. "A" 534 d/19th. Jan. 45.

The following is a statement of the account of the above-named from 1st. Dec. to 31st. Dec. 19 44. the inclusive date of transfer or discharge.

Dr				Cr		
Particulars		Amount		Particulars	Amount	
Balance Dr from last account				Balance Cr from last account	129	39
First Monthly Payment				Regimental Pay 31 days @ $ 2.20	68	20
Casual Payments				Tradesmen's Pay .....days at .....$		
Payments on Transfer or Discharge				Additional Pay (Give particulars) ....days at .....$		
Assigned Pay		35	00			
Regimental Charges				Allowances (Give particulars) .....days at .....$		
Public Stoppages (Give particulars) :						
.....				Cash effects SOCR 43124		84
.....				Def. Pay Interest.	1	61
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To Balance Cr	Free	140	04			
	Deferred	25	00	By Balance Dr		
	Total	200	04	Total	200	04

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

Remarks :

Assnd. Pay of $35.00 (W) stopped eff. Jan. 45.

Compiled by E.G. Ripley.

Checked by J.W. Burns

Date 27th. June. 1945.

PH.

Certified correct D. A. Crowley
for Chief Treasury Officer, Overseas

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

WILL

M.F.M. 10
100M-8-40 (6538)
H.Q. 1772-39-1656

(1) I, GEORGE ELLIOTTE FRENCH., of the Town
(Name in Full) (City, Town, Village, Township)

Address civil life.

of Athelstan, in the County District of Huntingdon.,

Province of Quebec., Driver.
(Civil Occupation)

Regimental No. D-3892, Unit 7th Rec'ce Bn (17H) 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 Wife Mrs Carrie French residing at Athelstan Que, Canada, all of My Estate Both Real and Personal

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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

8'7

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

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 30 day of April 1941

Signed and acknowledged by the Testator, 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.

Geo. French
(Signature of soldier)

First witness sign here.

(5) Signature George Bryson Pte.

Civil Address 3563 Durocher St Montreal Que

Civil Occupation Actor

Second witness sign here.

Signature David Sinclair Pte.

Civil Address 3218 Rosemount Blvd. Montreal.

Civil Occupation Mail clerk.

(Witnesses are not to be beneficiaries.)

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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 and 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.

FORM 6

DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS—QUEBEC DEATH TRANSCRIPT

Do not write in this space

1. PLACE OF DEATH

Municipal county: IN THE FIELD (HOLLAND)

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

Street: No.: Hospital or Institution:

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: FRENCH (Block letters)

Given names: George Elliotte

Do not write in this space

4. RESIDENCE

Street: No.:

Official name of civil municipality or township: Athelstan

Municipal county: Province: Que.

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

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

10. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country): Que.

11. DATE OF BIRTH: Nov. (Month) 11th (Day) 1911 (Year)

12. AGE OF DECEASED: Years 33 | Months | Days | If less than one day old ....hrs. or ....min.

OCCUPATION

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

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		
MOTHER (Maiden Name)		

19. Place of burial, cremation or removal: Holland

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: (Month) (Day) 19 (Year)

CONFIDENTIAL MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

22. Date of death: Dec. (Month) 25th (Day) 1944 (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) Died of wounds rec'd in action.

due to

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 (State which) Date ....19....

Manner of injury (How sustained)

Nature of injury

Specify whether injury occurred in **industry, in home, or in public place**

Signed ....**M.D.**

Address ....**Date** ....19....

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P.A.

28. Signature of person who fills in the form (curate, coroner, hospital authority, etc.)

[signature] C.S.

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)

Director of Records, Dept. of Natl. Defence

465-A-1358

No D.3892 Rank Sergeant Name FRENCH, George Elliotte

Unit C.A.C. Date of death 25th Dec., 1944

Died at ~~France~~ Holland

Cause Died of ~~accidental injuries~~ wounds

Death occurred on strength of Forces H.Q. 405-F-13,581

N/K Mrs. ~~Carrie~~ French Relationship Widow

Address ~~666 Carillon Avenue,~~ ~~730 Labelle St., St. Jerome, Quebec.~~ 516 Bourgeois St., Montreal 22, Qu.

Remains buried in Holland Tilburg (Gilzerbaan) Cemetery

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Grave location

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BURIAL REPORT TO N.K. FEB 21 1946

RETURN TO BUR. OF STAT. AUG 30 1945

ROYAL MESSAGE DESP'D. JAN 31 1945

CAN. MESSAGE DESP'D. FEB 14 1945

Temp BR sent to NK & Ma.

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Bergen-op-Zoom Cdn. Military Cem.
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Holland.

Grave 4, row H, plot 5.

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