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BISHOP
JAMES DOUGL

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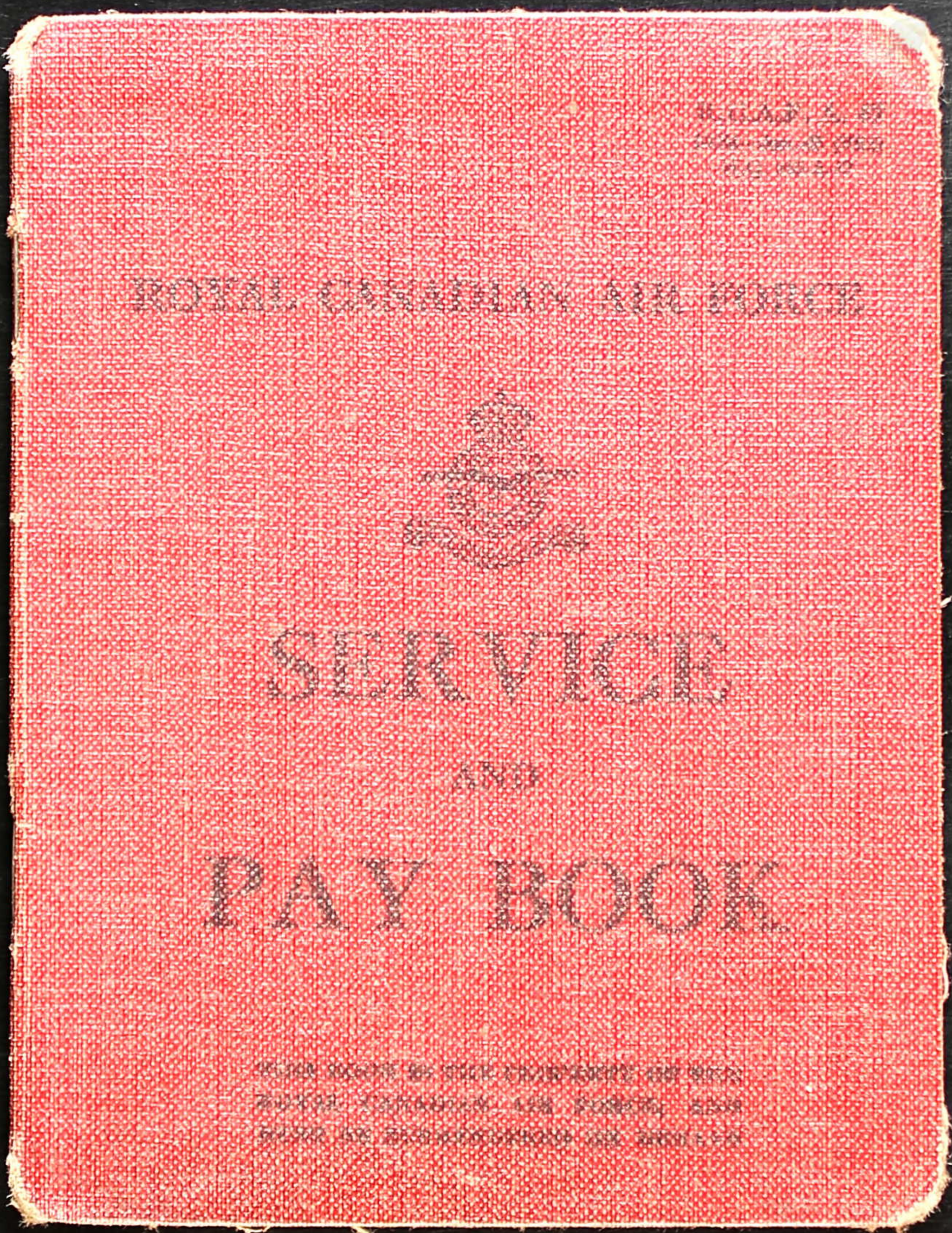
SERVICE
PAY BOOK

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Part 1.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE SERVICE BOOK

INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFICERS AND AIRMEN

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

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

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

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

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

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Air Force No. R104578 Surname BISHOP

Christian Names (in full) JAMES DOUGLAS

Date of Birth 3-2-23 Religion C of E

Date of Enlistment/Appointment 14-5-41

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

Occupation in Civil Life Farming

Signature of Holder J D Bishop.

Name and Address of Next-of-Kin

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

Mrs J. D. T. Bishop (wife)
1243 Bloor St.
Toronto Ont.

Certified Correct K Gadelard F/O

Date 13.8.43 Place Y Depot
Halifax

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

Branch or Trade and Group	Date of Effect	Authority	Signature and Rank of Officer making Entry
A G. sp	9-10-42	DR0240	EK Goddard FO

Rank	Date of Effect	Authority	Signature and Rank of Officer making Entry
Sgt.	9-10-42	DR0240	EK Goddard FO
F/SGT	9-4-43	OS779-783	Bruce Smith a/sb
WO II	9-10-43	OS779-783	UK Ban
WO. I	9-4-44	POR 19/44	H Green F/LT.
PO	6-7-44	O/01092/44	

MEDALS, DECORATIONS, MENTIONS, ETC.

Particulars	Date and Authority	Signature and Rank of Officer

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 and Authority	Signature and Rank of Officer
1250(R)	301848	H Green F/LT.

LEAVE RECORD
(With Free Railway Warrant)

From (date)	To (date)	Signature of Officer

LEAVE RECORD
(With Special Leave Warrant A.24)

From (date)	To (date)	Authority and Signature of Officer
		T.W.#
		T.W.#
		T.W.#
		T.W.#
		T.W.#

MEDICAL CLASSIFICATION

Date	Category	Medical Board or Medical Exam. (Form No.)	Unit	Initials of M.O.
25-3-41	AHB	M13		
15-6-42	A1B-A3B	M2		
19-12-42	A3B(Y)	MFB 227		J. F. HOPKIRK
30-7-43	A3B(T)	227A		

BLOOD GROUP

Date	International	Initials of M.O.
	BLOOD GROUP O	

NIGHT VISUAL CAPACITY

Date	Score	Group	Initials of M.O.
3-9-43	11		P6.

IMMUNIZATION PROCEDURES
VACCINATION

Date	Result	Initials of M.O.
19-5-41	— J. F. HOPKIRK	

Susceptibility Test	Date	Result	
Schick Test	23-7-41	Pos.	
Dick Test	23-7-41	Neg.	

PROTECTIVE INOCULATIONS*

Nature of Inoculation	Date	Dose	Initials of M.O.
Diph. Tox. – 1st.	13-8-41	1 cc	
" " – 2nd	1-10-41	1 cc	
T. A. B. T. – 1st	19-5-41	1 cc	
" – 2nd	14-1-42	1 cc	
" – 3rd	26-3-42	1 cc	
" – Ann	14-8-43	½ cc	
Wass. Test – Neg	1-12-42	—	J. F. HOPKIRK
Wass Test – Neg	26-1-43	—	

IMMUNIZATION PROCEDURES—Con.

Nature of Inoculation	Date	Dose	Initials of M.O.

* To include diphtheria toxoid, scarlet fever toxin, cholera, plague and yellow fever vaccines, etc.

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

WILL

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

In the event of my death I give

I appoint.....

Residing at.....

to be my executor.

Signature.....

Rank, Air Force No.....

Unit.....

Date.....

Olde Dog and Partridge
Parliament
Notts

1642 MAYFAIR
Geof Wedy Fleet
Donnington 24-7-42

OCCUPATIONAL HISTORY FORM

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

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

PLEASE LEAVE BLANK

Section A—GENERAL INFORMATION

1. (a) Print name in full *Bishop James Douglas* (b) Reg'l. No. *R104578* 104578
2. (a) Arm of service *Air Force* (b) Unit *No 1 S.F.T.S.* (c) Rank *F/C*
3. (a) Date of birth *Dec 5 1912* (b) Have you any dependents? *No* (c) Place of residence at time of enlistment *Cornwall Ont.*
4. (a) Place of enlistment *Montreal Quebec* (b) Date of enlistment *May 13 1941*

Section B—EDUCATION AND TRAINING

5. (a) State age on finally leaving school *14 years* (b) Were you attending school or college up to the time of enlistment? *No*
6. State definitely highest standing reached at public, technical or high school (for instance—"4 years, Public School", "two years, High School", "Junior Matriculation", or "4 years technical course in printing", etc.) *Upper Main Schools*
7. If you attended a university, give name of university and standing or degree secured *No*
8. (a) Did you ever enter upon a trade apprenticeship? *No* (b) If so, for what occupation? *No* (c) Did you finish it? *No* (d) If you did not finish it, how long did you serve at it? *No*
9. (a) What languages do you speak fluently? *English French* (b) What languages do you read well? *English, French*

Section C—EMPLOYMENT CONDITION AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

18. Name of employer *F.T. Bishop* Address *Cornwall Ont Boot*
19. Nature of employer's business (for instance, "farmer", or "building contractor", or "boot factory", or "iron foundry", or "retail store", etc.) *Farmer*
20. (a) Your specific occupation *General Farming* (b) Number of years' experience at this occupation with any employer *10 years*
21. (a) Did your employer promise definitely to give you employment on discharge? *Yes* (b) Did your employer refuse to promise you employment on discharge? *No* (c) Do you wish to return to your former employment? *No*

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

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

Section F—PARTICULARS OF FARMING EXPERIENCE

24. (a) Do you wish to engage in farming after the war? *No* (b) Do you feel competent to operate a farm? *Yes* (c) If so, in what kind of farming? *Mixed Farming*
25. (a) Were you born on a farm? *Yes* (b) How many years' actual farming experience have you had? *10* (c) In what provinces did you have experience? *Quebec*

Section G—MISCELLANEOUS

26. Have you made any arrangements other than indicated above, for re-establishment in civil life after discharge? *No*
27. If so, state nature of your plans (for example, do you plan to return to school, or have you been assured of a job, etc.) *N.A.*
28. State any employment preference or ambition you may have, other than indicated elsewhere in this form *Mining Engineering*

DATE *28-5* 194*1* SIGNATURE *J. D. Bishop*

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ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

Medical Board held at Camp Borden *Date* 15-6-42 FILE NUMBER

Surname BISHOP *Chr. Names* JAMES DOUGLAS
Nature of Commission ..... *Date of Birth* 3-2-23 *Married or Single* Single
Branch ..... *Hours Flown* 40 hrs. (Private Ticket)
Address Coaticook, Quebec

HAVE YOU ANY HISTORY OF:—

(i) NERVOUS TROUBLE or Nervous Breakdown — No
Severe or "Sick" Headaches, Migraine — No
Fits or Convulsions of any kind — No
Sun or Heat Stroke — No
Head Injury or Concussion (including "knock-out") — No
Insomnia, Nightmares, Sleep-walking, or Bed-wetting — No
(ii) LUNG TROUBLE or Consumption — No
Bronchitis, Pneumonia or Pleurisy — No
Asthma or Hay Fever — No
(iii) HEART DISEASE, "Weak or Strained Heart" — No
Fainting Attacks or Giddiness — No
Rheumatism, Rheumatic Fever or "Growing Pains" — No
Frequent Sore Throats or Tonsillitis — No
Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever or Scarlatina — No
(iv) STOMACH or BOWEL TROUBLE — No
Chronic Indigestion or Pain after Food — No
(v) KIDNEY or BLADDER TROUBLE — No
Syphilis or Gonorrhœa — No
(vi) TROPICAL DISEASE — No
Malaria — No
Dysentery — No
(vii) EYE TROUBLE or Inflammation of Eyelids — No
Wearing of Glasses — (Yes— (3 mths. at 8 yrs.
Colour or Night Blindness — No
(viii) EAR TROUBLE, Earache or Discharge from Ears — No
Deafness, Noises in the Ears, or Dizziness — No
Frequent Colds in Head, Catarrh or Obstruction — No
Prolonged Hoarseness or Loss of Voice — No
Sea, Car or Train Sickness — No
Discomfort on Swings, Roundabouts, Switchbacks — No
(ix) OPERATIONS — No
(x) Any Illness or Injury not mentioned above — Chicken Pox and Measles and Jandice (3 days) (Jaundice)

Education 1 yr. High School. Quebec
Present Occupation General Duties Hobbies Model Aircraft
Previous Service From May 13 to present--R.C.A.F.
Athletics Skiing (Much better than average) Average other sports.
Habits—Smoking 10-15 cigs. a day Alcohol 3 quarts weekly beer
FAMILY HISTORY—Consumption No (Adppted son)
Nervous Ailments, Mental Trouble, or "Fits" No
Father Alive*—Health Heart trouble Dead—Cause .....
Mother Alive—Health ..... Dead*—Cause Pericarditis
Brothers (2) Alive—Health Good (....) Dead—Cause .....
Sisters (2) Alive—Health Good (....) *Dead—Cause .....

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

Date 15-6-42 *Signature* James D Bishop *Witness* Gordon D. Sprague F/O

GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL EXAMINATION

Impression given by *(a)* Physique ... Athletic ... *(b)* Mentality ... Standard ...
Body Marks, Scars, Deformities ... Very dry skin ...
Size of Thyroid Gland ... N ...
Surgical Abnormalities ... Nil ...
Results of Wounds, Injuries, Operations ... Nil ...

	Date 15-6-42	Assessing Room	Date	Assessing Room	Date	Assessing Room	Remarks on any Abnormalities Found
Height (ins.)	69						
Weight (lbs.)	146						*Date*
Chest Circumference (ins.)	35						
Body Build (lbs.)							
Leg Length (ins.)	42						
Pulse Rate — Sitting	72						
Pulse Rate — Standing 1st	84						
Pulse Rate — Standing 2nd	84						
Pulse Rate — After Exercise	120						
Pulse Rate — Time to Normal	15 secs.						
Arterial Walls	N						
Blood Pressure — Systolic	134						
Blood Pressure — Diastolic	70						
Heart — Size	8½ Cms.						
Heart — Sounds	N						
Heart — Rhythm	N						
Lungs	N						
Breath held	-						
Expiratory Force	-						
Vital Capacity (Best of 5)	-						
Reflexes — Knee	N						*Date*
Reflexes — Ankle	N						
Reflexes — Triceps	N						
Reflexes — Abdominal	N						
Reflexes — Plantar	✓						
Cranial Nerves	N						
Balancing Rod	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	
Self Balancing	R. L. S.S.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	R. L.	
Tremors — Fingers	Nil Nil						
Tremors — Eyelids	Nil Nil						*Date*
Abdomen — Liver	N						
Abdomen — Spleen	N						
Abdomen — Muscular Tone	N						
Urine — Albumen	Neg.						
Urine — Sugar	Neg						
Initials of M.O.	GAS						

40 mm. Hg. Test ... 7*876*666*555*566* 62 secs. ...
Date ...
Date ...
Date ...
Date ...

Remarks by Consultant.

EYE EXAMINATION

History	Glasses for poor light--for	3 months only at age of	eight years.
Visual Acuity	R. 20/ 20 , $\bar{c}$ 2.50 = Blur		
	L. 20/ 20 , $\bar{c}$ 2.50 =		
Colour Vision	N (Ish)		
Maddox red ~~Red, Green~~	-Ortho -Eso Tendency		
Diaphragm Test (P.D. =	66 (Bar at 3		
Convergence	C. = 8 cms.		
	S. C. = 12 cms.		
Accommodation	R 9		
	L 9		
Cover Test	Sl. Hat Div-R & L RR		
Fundi and Media	N		
Fields	N		
Remarks:			
	Initials of M.O. BMS	*Initials of M.O.*	*Initials of M.O.*
	Date 15-6-42	*Date*	*Date*

EXAMINATION OF EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

History	Nil			
Hearing	R. Ear	W.V. 20		
	L. Ear	W.V. 20		
External Ear, Meatus Membranes	R. Ear	N		
	L. Ear	N		
Middle Ear, Eustachian Tubes	R. Ear	N		
	L. Ear	N		
Cochlear Apparatus	R. Ear	N		
	L. Ear	N		
Vestibular Apparatus	R. Ear	---		
	L. Ear	---		
Buccal Cavity		Good Health		
Teeth		Several cavities		
Gums		N		
Pharynx		N		
Nasopharynx		N		
Nose		Adequate airway		
Larynx		N		
Remarks:				
		Initials of M.O. BMS	*Initials of M.O.*	*Initials of M.O.*
		Date 15-6-42	*Date*	*Date*

HISTORY OF PRESENT CONDITION

Date 15-6-42

This man should do well--is athletic(was a skiing instructor for 2 years) and keen to become aircrew

Category A_1B--A_3B

G.H. Gregson Flt

OBSERVATIONS AND FINDINGS BY PRESIDENT OF BOARD

Date.....

FOR COMPLETION AND RETURN BY

Form P. 64

Mrs. James Douglas BISHOP
14 Fuller Ave.,
TORONTO, ONTARIO

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. J88538 FD 349

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
ESTATES BRANCH
OTTAWA, ONT.

March 9th 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

BISHOP, James Douglas F/O

J88538 R.C.A.F.

ESTATES BRANCH MAR 23 1945 H.Q. OTTAWA NATIONAL DEFENCE

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.

FEM/MJ

Director of Estates.

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	INFORMANT'S STATEMENT: 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		Alma Lillian Bishop	22	14 Fuller Ave Toronto, Ontario.
2	Children of the Deceased and dates of their Births		James Ronald Bishop Sept. 16, 1943		Died - Dec. 7, 1943
3	Father of the Deceased		Mr. Frank. J. Bishop	76	Coaticook, Que R.R.4.
4	Mother of the Deceased		Mrs. F. J. Bishop.		Dead.
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Full Blood			
		Half Blood	Mr. William Bishop ~~Pte~~ Howard Bishop.	46	Coaticook, Que R.R.4 Army (overseas)
6	Sisters of the Deceased	Full Blood			
		Half Blood	Miss Hazel Bishop Mrs. Archie Bailey	44 41	Coaticook, Que R.R.4 Stanstead, Que R.R.1.

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.	James Douglas Bishop
9	Date of his birth.	Feb. 3. 1923
10	Place and date of his marriage.	Oct 31, 1942 Trinity Church, St. Thomas, Ont.
11	Place and date of his parents' marriage.	

PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

12	Place where deceased was born.	Coaticook, Quebec
13	State, in order, the Province, State and/or County in which he resided before enlistment and the period of time in each.	(a) Coaticook, Que. (b) (c) (d)
14	Nature of employment before enlistment.	Worked on his Dads farm
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.	Toronto, Ontario.

PARTICULARS OF ESTATE

17	Did he leave a Will? If in your custody, please forward.	No.
18	If married, and domiciled in the Province of Quebec or in a State in the U.S.A. or in a Country under the laws of which there is community of property between spouses,—was there a marriage contract dealing with property?	No.
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.	None
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.	None
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)

nil

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.

Alma Lillian Bishop (Signature of Informant)

14 Fuller Ave, Toronto, Ont. (Address)

Temp. addess W.6647 H.M.C.S. Cornwallis Cornwallis, Nova Scotia.

CERTIFICATE

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

See above. { 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 ~~Twantieth Bay~~ Cornwallis this 20th day of March 1945

Signature of Clergyman, Priest, Magistrate, Commissioner or Notary Public or Commissioned Officer of any of His Majesty's Forces. R B Salter Qualification Chaplain R. C. N.

Address H. M. C. S. Cornwallis, Cornwallis N. S.

NOTE.—Before granting the above Certificate, care should be taken to see that the informant gives particulars concerning the death of any Relative stated by him or her to have died, and that the full name and address 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

OFFICIAL ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE CASUALTY NOTIFICATION

NUMBER J88538 (R10[illegible]78) RANK PILOT OFFICER UNIT 50 SQDN

TRADE A/G (GL)

NAME BISHOP, JAMES DOUGLAS

OVERSEAS

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

PRESENT MARITAL STATUS MARRIED RELIGION ANGLICAN CANADIAN ES

FRENCH CANADIAN OTHER

NEXT OF KIN MRS. JAMES DOUGLAS BISHOP

RELATIONSHIP WIFE

ADDRESS 14 FULLER AVENUE, TORONTO, ONTARIO.

FATHER'S NAME MR FRANCIS JOSEPH BISHOP

ADDRESS COATICOOK P.Q. LIVING ON ENLISTMENT YES

MOTHER'S NAME

ADDRESS DECEASED LIVING ON ENLISTMENT NO

ADDRESS AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT COATICOOK. P.Q. MARITAL STATUS AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT SINGLE

OCCUPATION FARMING

WAS MEMBER ATTACHED TO R.A.F. AT ANY TIME? YES/NO YES

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

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

ESTATES BRANCH MAR 8 1945 D. OTTAWA. NATIONAL DEFENCE

CASUALTY DETAILS:

AUTHORITY CAS. SIG. NO. AIR MIN KWY PCX9854--8---JULY--44 NR

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED "MISSING" 8-JULY--44 AFTER AIR OPERATIONS (OVERSEAS) (OVER ST LEU D'ESSERENT, FRANCE.) SUBSEQUENTLY REPORTED "MISSING BELIEVED KILLED" (GERMAN INFORMATION)

NOW "PRESUMED DEAD" XXXX 8 JULY 44 FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES

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 27-FEB-45

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

W. M. Weldon 5/8

FOR CHIEF OF THE AIR STAFF

R.C.A.F. R217
30M-6-44 (4664)
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ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATES, OTTAWA

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NATIONAL REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE
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(A) *Report of Interviewing Officer—*

Type Good General appearance Neat

Suitability for (state in what capacity) Standard General Duties

Date 13/3/41 Signature Fernand L'Edoux Rank Cpl.

(B) *Report of Trade Test—*

Trade in which tested Nil

Result Nil

Trade qualifications other than above likely to lead to efficient employment in the R.C.A.F. Nil

Date 13/3/41 Signature Fernand L'Edoux Rank Cpl

(C) **DECLARATION MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION**

I, James Douglas BISHOP do solemnly declare that the foregoing particulars are true, and I hereby engage to serve on active service anywhere in Canada, and also beyond Canada and overseas, in the Royal Canadian Air Force for the duration of the present war, and for the period of demobilization thereafter, and in any event for a period of not less than one year, provided His Majesty should so long require my services.

Date May 14th, 1941 19 James Douglas Bishop
Signature of Recruit

(D) **OATH TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION**

I, James Douglas BISHOP do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

Date May 14th, 1941 19 James Douglas Bishop
Signature of Recruit

(E) **CERTIFICATE OF 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 P.Q. this 14th day of May 19 41

F/O
Signature of Officer

Rank

RCAF Recruiting Centre 3 Montreal
Unit

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Date 14-5-41
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CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Part 1. Information obtained from the applicant—

1. Age. 18 2. Have you ever suffered from any of the following defects in health?

(a) Rheumatism	no	(j) Nasal Trouble	no
(b) Tuberculosis	no	(k) Ear Disease	no
(c) Bronchitis or Asthma	no	(l) Eye Disease	no
(d) Heart Disease	no	(m) Epilepsy	no
(e) Kidney or Bladder Disease	no	(n) Nervous or Mental Disease	no
(f) Gastro-intestinal	no	(o) Syphilis	no
(g) Rupture	no	(p) Gonorrhoea	no
(h) Varicose Veins	no	(q) Bone Fracture	no
(i) Flat or Deformed Feet	no	(r) Other Disease or Defect	no

3. Have you ever worn glasses? ..... no

4. Have you had any illness for more than one week's duration. yes

5. I certify that I have revealed my full medical history and have not withheld any relevant information.

James Douglas Bishop.
Signature of Applicant

Examiner's Remarks *re* above measles, chickenpox, whooping cough - in childhood, no complications. Illness one week when working in dye factory - dere to dye - 5 years ago

Part 2. Information obtained by Medical Examination (Applicant must be stripped)—

1. Identification marks or scars (if operative obtain history) Cut scars rt foot

2. Height 5 feet 8½ inches. 3. Weight 131 pounds.

4. Complexion Med 5. Color of Eyes Blue Hair Brown

6. Development {Good / ~~Fair~~ / ~~Poor~~} 7. Chest Measurement—Full expiration 34 3/4 inches

Range of expansion 3 inches

8. Hearing—Right W.V. 20 Left W.V. 20 Tympana—Right n Left n

9. Vision—Without glasses—Right 20/25 With glasses—Right na

Left 20/20 Left na

10. Condition of mouth and teeth healthy - fit - no points.

11. Urine—Albumen neg Sugar neg

12. Abnormalities (Congenital and Pathological) found on Examination Left varicocoele - early.

Part 3. The Candidate has been examined in accordance with the pamphlet, "Physical Standards and Instructions for the Medical Examination of Recruits" and he is considered fit for Category **A 4 B**

Any special remarks of the Medical Officers 26-3-41 X-Ray #74216 Neg DH
13-5-41 - Recheck - slight systolic murmur at pulmonic area. Fit A+B Asst.

Part 2 Cont'.

13. Reflexes n
14. Heart n
15. Lungs n
16. Blood Pressure S. D. 120/65
17. Colour Vision N. Ishi.

Date 25-3-1941

Galbraith F/O
President

Member

Member

R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

AIR FORCE No. R.104578 POSTED TO No. 1 Manning Depot Toronto TRADE General Duties Std.

Gen. Duties

COMPLETE

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

(ATTESTATION PAPER)

16. 15-4-41 ... Initials

Date

(Pages one and two, only, are to be completed in Applicant's own Handwriting)

1. [redacted] name BISHOP Bishop FULL Christian Names JAMES DOUGLAS. James Douglas

2. Present Address Coaticook, Quebec Telephone 619 r 2

3. Permanent Address Coaticook, Quebec

4. Place of Birth Kinnear's Mills Citizenship Canadian

5. Date of Birth February 3, 1923 Married, Single, Widower, Separated, Divorced Single

6. Particulars of Children

Name	Date of birth	Name	Date of birth
N. A.			

7. Occupation Farming 8. Religion Church of England (State denomination)

9. Languages English Fluently (State proficiency)

10. Next of Kin (Full Name) Francis Joseph Bishop Relationship Foster Father

" Address Coaticook, P. Q.

11. Father (Full Name) Francis Joseph Bishop Birthplace Barton, P. Q.

Foster " Address Coaticook, P. Q. Citizenship Canadian

" Occupation Farming

12. Mother (Full Maiden Name) Eliza Jane Patterson Birthplace Inverness, P.Q.

" Address Coaticook, Quebec Citizenship Canadian

13. Details of any Naval, Military or Air Force Service:

Unit	Place	Rank	Trade	Date From	Date To	Reason for discharge
Sherbrooke Fusiliers Regt. C.A.S.F.	Sherbrooke, Quebec.	Private	signals	Aug 6. 1940	Sept 30.	under age

Mc 1940/12/31

14. Honours, Awards, Mentions Honourable Discharge

15. Are you now on any Naval, Military or Air Force Reserve? No

16. Have you previously made application to join the R.C.A.F.? No If so, where?

When? N. A. Result N. A.

17. Were you ever discharged from any branch of His Majesty's Forces as Medically Unfit? No

If so, state nature of disability N. A.

18. Have you ever been or are you now in receipt of a Disability Pension? No

If so, state nature of Disability N. A.

19. Have you ever been convicted of an indictable offence? No If so state nature N. A.

20. Are you in debt? No If so, state particulars N. A.

R.C.A.F. Records Office
Rec'd MAY 20 1941
O. A. C. B. C. I. B.
R. C. A. F. No. 1
S. L. P. A.

Inc. birth cert.

15-7-41

R.C.A.F. Form R. 100
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H.Q. 1062-3-83

21. Particulars of Education:

—	Name of school	Date From	Date To	Courses—Subjects, etc.
Primary Education—Public or Separate School	Barnston P.Q	1929	1936	General Study
High School—Collegiate Institute, etc.				
Technical School				
University or School other than above				
Correspondence Courses, etc.				

22. Particulars of all Civil Occupations (in full):

Employer and place	Duties, trades, positions	Date From	Date To	Reason for leaving
Eastern Textiles Ltd. Coaticook, P.Q.	Carding	1939	1939	No chance for advancement
F. J. Bishop Coaticook PQ	Farming	1936	1941	To join R.C.A.F.

23. Flying Experience (in Hours) Solo None Dual None Passenger 3 or 4 hrs.

24. Special Qualifications, Hobbies, etc., useful to the R.C.A.F. Tractor Work

25. Sports engaged in. State: extensively, moderately, occasionally Skiing, extensively

26. Air Force Duty you wish to enlist for Ground Duties.
~~Flying Duties~~.

If for Ground Duties, state Air Force trade in which you wish to enlist... General Duty.
~~If for Flying Duties, state preference as (a) Pilot; (b) Observer; (c) Air Gunner (d) Wireless Operator (Air Crew).~~
(Cross out words not applicable.)

27. Names of at least two persons who can give references as to character and ability.

Name	Address C.A.S.F.	Occupation
1st Lt. W. Humphrey	Sherbrooke Fusiliers Regt Sherbrooke, P.Q.	C.O. of Signal Platoon. H.Q. Co
Rev. W. H. Wallace	Coaticook, P.Q.	Minister to Coaticook Baptist Church

28. Other information that may have any bearing on this application
General Study in aeronautics.

29. Do you understand that vaccination, re-vaccination and inoculation are compulsory? Yes

I Hereby Certify that the foregoing information furnished by me is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Feb. 17 1941 Signature James Douglas Bishop

Sgt Bishop

SGT. BISHOP

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

Right Index Fingerprint

Name [illegible] James Douglas [illegible]

Rank [illegible]

Age [illegible] Height [illegible] Weight [illegible]

Hair [illegible] Eyes Blue Hair on face [illegible]

Marks, scars, etc. [illegible]

James Douglas Bishops (Signature of holder)

D McKenzie F/O (Signature of issuer)

Place [illegible] Date [illegible]

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THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Pastor
REV. W. J. MUMFORD, M.A., B D., S.T.D.
~~41 DELAWARE AVENUE~~
190 Rusholme Road.

West United Church

COLLEGE ST. AND MONTROSE AVE.

Phones
CHURCH : LOMBARD 0102
RES. : LOMBARD 6678

TORONTO, June 30, 1942. 193

To Whom It May Concern.

This is to certify that I have known Miss Alma Hurst for some time. She attended Sunday School faithfully over a period of years as a growing girl. I had lost sight of her for the last year or so.

She has developed into a young woman of very pleasing personality. She dresses modestly but attractively. She has not received a Collegiate Education; but appears to be quite intelligent and capable. At present she is working in a munition factory and I believe is giving satisfaction.

I have every reason to believe that she is a young woman of good character and that she would make a suitable wife for a young man serving his country.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Dr. W. J. Mumford.

Minister of West United Church.

General Duty Stat.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

RECORD OF SERVICE AIRMEN

J88538.

A.F. No.	Surname	Christian Names	Religion
~~R104598~~	Bishop	James Douglas	Church of England

Born 3/2/1923 Place Kinsead's Mills Country Canada Citizen of Canada Racial Origin Canadian

ENLISTMENT

Date 14/5/41

At Montreal

Term Duration

CIVIL EDUCATION

High School Entrance ✓ Jr. Mat. Sr. Mat.

Technical School Corres. Courses

University

PREVIOUS SERVICE

Sherbrooke Fusiliers

Aug 6 - Sept 30 - 1940

Lynchburg.

Rank	Date	Med. Cat.	Date
ac 2	14 5 41	A 4 B	13 5 41
(DRO 168) ac 1	14 8 41		
231 LAC	14 11 41		
T/SGT(PO)	9 10 42	DRO 240	
P/O 1092/44	6 7 44		

CIVIL OCCUPATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

Eastern Textiles Ltd Cone boy. 1939-1939

Farming 1939 - 1941

Still employed

COURSES AND TRADE TESTS

Trade	Grp.	%	PorF	Date Rem.	Trade	Grp.	%	PorF	Date Rem.
GD	S								
G.D. U/T. Air Gunner. Std				4 7 42					
Air Gnr Spec	DRO 240			9 10 42					

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY (M) S D

Wife	Maiden Name	Present Address (in pencil)
(DRO 260)	Alma Lillian Hunt,	St. Thomas, Ont

Children	Names	Date of Birth	Place of Birth

NAME(S) ADDRESS AND RELATIONSHIP OF PERSONS TO BE INFORMED OF CASUALTIES (in pencil)

Mrs J. D. Bishop wife / 243 Bloor St
Toronto Ont

LEAVE

From	To	Auth. and Description
28-8-41	28-9-41	DRO 171 ~~1st Day~~ (HL)
10-12-41	24-12-41	DRO 247 14 days.
Transportation Warrant 42 240 68 / 15-12-41		
7-1-42	12-2-42	DRO 4 Compassionate
4-5-42.	11-5-42	D.R.O. 162 Annual Leave (7 days).
Issued with	T.W. # C112	270.d/1-5-42 D.B.B. 116.
8-12-42	15-12-42 (7)	DRO 288 annual
8-1-43	13-1-43 (5)	DRO - 7 annual
1-7-43	15-7-43 (14)	" 157-43 "
15-8-43	29-8-43	DRO 198 Embark.

CHARACTER AND TRADE ASSM. HONOURS, AWARDS AND MENTIONS

Date	Character	Trade and Assm.	Honours and Awards	Signature

MOVEMENTS AND CASUALTIES

Authority	Unit from	Unit to	Date
Mo B 13.	R/C.	# 1 M.D.	
Reg 116 27/3/41	5th Fus.	Toronto. Ont	14/5/41
DRO 124-41	# 1 MD Toronto	# 1 SFTS Camp Borden	DR 0115/41 26-5-41.
(ERROR) ~~DRO 157~~	~~(AWL 24 hrs) 10-8-41 to 11-8-41~~		
DRO 157	(AWL 12 hrs) 0615 28-7-41 to 1815 28-7-41		
DRO 163	Forfeits Pay AWL	1 Day (Above)	
DRO 223	Attached	16 SFTS	21-10-41
DRO 252	Cases to be attached at "		12/12/41
DRO 157 S.O.S. # 15 F.T.S. to # 4 B&G School,		Fingal, Ont.	4-7-42.
DRO 202 DISCHARGED	STATION HOSPITAL.		23/8/42.
DRO 210 DISCHARGED	STATION HOSPITAL.		31-8-42.

Authority	Unit from	Unit to	Date
DRO 241 Admitted TTS Hosp.			8-10-42.
DRO 240 Graduates - Hospitalized at No. 4 B & G.			
DRO 240 Authorized to wear Gibraltar			9-10-42.
DRO 200 DISCHARGED T.T.S.	HOSPITAL		
DRO 252. Discharged from S.	Hospital	&	
DRO 198 S.O.S.	No 4 B&G	No 14	24-7-43
	Fingal	Depot Ha	

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1483 (BOMBER) GUNNERY FLIGHT - ASSESSMENT CHART.

Name W/O. BISHIP. Number R.104578. Parent Unit 1653.

Trained at 82 O.T.U. & No 4 A/Gn School Canada.

Age 22 Total flying hours 54 Total Ops. Hours -

Date In 30.1.44. Date Out 5.2.44.

Additional information M/U. Gunner here from Con.Unit for 7 days Course and Test

ASSESSMENT.

1. SHOOTING. Possible 50. Obtained 35

Remarks Range estimation good - good deflection - tends to shoot low on opening shots - steady aim - good breakaway.

2. GUNS AND TURRETS. Possible 50. Obtained 37.

Remarks Very good knowledge of turrets - fairly good knowledge of guns.

3. AIRCRAFT RECOGNITION. Possible 25. Obtained 1

Remarks Not tested.

4. AIRMANSHIP. 1

Remarks A/C Drill good - needs more turret experience - intercom voice good.

5. Total possible ~~125~~ 100 Total obtained 72.

FINAL ASSESSMENT. CAT. II.

For Squadron Leader, Commanding,
1483(Bomber)Gunnery Flight.

S.R. Hayward F/L

HISTORY SHEET

ABINITIO SCHOOL 4. COURSE. 35B.

Flying Times 16.35. Examination Results 62

Air Firing. No. of Rounds 2800 Cine Camera Exercises

No. of Exercises 12 No. of Films 2

Percentage of Hits 3 Assess. of Films Not known.

Air Gunner Refresher Course. Instruction turret. Minip. Canada.

Flying Times 3800. Examination Results

Air Firing. No. of Rounds Cine Camera Exercises

No. of Exercises No. of Films

Percentage of Hits Assess. of Films

Operational Training Unit. 82. COURSE. 6.

Flying Times 57.15. Examination Results

Air Firing. No. of Rounds Cine Camera Exercises.

No. of Exercises No. of Films

Percentage of Hits Assess. of Films

Conversion Unit. 1653 COURSE.

Flying Times Examination Results

Air Firing. No. of Rounds Cine Camera Exercises

No. of Exercises No. of Films

Percentage of Hits Assess. of Films

Training Flight.

Flying Times 7.50. Examination Results, see overleaf

Air Firing. No. of Rounds 800 Cine Camera Exercises.

No. of Exercises 1 No. of Films 10.

Percentage of Hits, see over. Assess. of Films, see over

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INTERVIEW REPORT

Appendix "D"

PA on personal files

1. SURNAME BISHOP LAC R104578

2. CHRISTIAN NAMES J.D.

3. APPLYING FOR ENLISTMENT AS Remuster Air Gunner

SELECTION BOARD

4. PERSONNEL OFFICER

Education IX Ontario. W.E.T.P. Course Passed

C.T. Score 33 Date 18-6-42 C.A.T. Date

ASSESSMENT: (Educational Standing: Ability to Learn: Personal Background

RECOMMENDED FOR Remuster Air Gunner Signed J.H. Yooom P/O

SUITABLE FOR COMMISSION

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5. MEDICAL OFFICER

Medical Category

ASSESSMENT: (Physical: Temperamental)

RECOMMENDED FOR

SUITABLE FOR COMMISSION Signed

Date

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6. INTERVIEWING OFFICER

ASSESSMENT: (General Fitness): Medium build - neat - clean - good appearance - confident - sincere - pleasant - employed on father's farm & also on construction work - engages in skiing & swimming extensively - was ski instructor for 2 winters - has done considerable amount of small & large game hunting - slow speech - stable organized - courteous - determined - average material.

RECOMMENDED FOR Air Gunner Signed N.J. Moran F/O

SUITABLE FOR COMMISSION Possibly Date 18-6-42

FOUND ACCEPTABLE FOR Remustering to Air Gunner

Date: 18-6-42.

(C.McNicoll)Sqdn.Ldr.,
Commanding Officer,
No.11 Recruiting Centre, RCAF,
Toronto, Ontario.

A.F.M.5
24-12-41

CERTIFIED TO BE A TRUE COPY OF THE ORIGINAL ON FILE

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The instructions regarding this form are contained in Chapter XIII, A.P. 1301 (War Manual Part II). R.A.F. Form 1580.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

AIRMAN'S/AIRWOMAN'S RECORD SHEET (Active Service).

Official No. CAN.R.104578 (J88238) Name BISHOP James Douglas Rank T/SGT. (P/O)
(In full in block capitals, surname first). (Or acting appointment).

R.A.F. Trade AIR GUNNER (Gr.2) Special Qualifications
(e.g., Gas Instructor, Fire Fighter, Boxing Instructor).

Date of Birth 3.2.23 Religion C.E Occupation in Civil Life Cone Boy 1939.

Last Enlisted 14.5.41. Current Engagement Farming 1939-41.

If a member of the Auxiliary Air Force D of W

If Reservist, which Class (" E," " F," V.R.) SR Whether Married, Single or Widower M

Name, address and relationship of legal next of kin (to be entered in pencil): Wife

Mrs J O Bishop, 1243 Bloor St, Toronto Ont

Name, address and relationship of person (or persons) to be informed of casualties (to be entered in pencil).
(If this person is the legal next of kin, it is only necessary to insert here " Next of Kin.")

N of K

Any alteration to above (e.g., Promotions) to be made by crossing out and writing above.

Section 1.—Movements and Casualties.

Unit FROM which.	Unit TO which.	Date of Effect.
4 B & G	No.1 Y Depot.	24.7.43
No.1 Y Depot.	3 PRC	13.9.43
	Emb.Halifax.	13.9.43
	U.K	19.9.43
(Int.C.126)	3 PRC	20.9.43
3 PRC	82 OTU	28.9.43
82 O.T.U	No.31 Base	30.11.43.
31 BASE	51 BASE	13.3.44.
51 Base	50 Ogden	11.4.44
RCAF U.K. N/E UNIT.		8.7.44
RCAF UK Hdl Dressing		9.7.44.
RCAF Dis Unit		8.7.44.
Discharged on a/p. to Commission		8.7.44
		P/01092/44
Blotting eli. returned to store a dead. meet in accordance with AMO A129/44 by Gutta F/LT Asst. Officer		

Section 2.—Promotions, Acting Appointments (Paid or Unpaid), Reductions, Remusterings.

* Authority.	Description.	Date of Effect.
	G.D. "Std" AC2	14.5.41
	" " AC1	14.8.41
	" " LAC	14.11.41
	u/t. Air Gunner "Std" LAC.	4.7.42
	Air Gunner Sp. T/Sgt.	9.10.42
	" " Gr.2. "	9.10.42
POR 19/44 (O)	PROMOTED W/O I.	9-4-44

Section 3.—Good Conduct Badges.

* Authority.	1st, 2nd, 3rd.	Awarded, Deprived, Restored.	Date of Effect.
RCAF GENERAL CONDUCT SHEET HAS BEEN RAISED IN CANADA.			

* The authority to be quoted will be the serial number of the relevant P.O.R.

(*11902—10349) Wt. 54527—5881 50M 4/43 T.S. 700

Section 4.—Character and Trade Proficiency.

(To be assessed on every occasion on which an airman or airwoman is struck off the strength of a unit, e.g., on posting; admission to hospital when posted to N.E. strength; death; etc.; also on 31st December each year.)

Rank.	Character.	Trade Classification.	Proficiency. A	Proficiency. B	Proficiency. C	Whether specially recommended, recommended, or not recommended for promotion or reclassification.	Date.	Signature and Rank of Commanding Officer.
T/Sgt	VG	A/G.	ON STRENGTH FOR TRAINING ONLY				30.11.43	F/L
T/Sgt.	V.G	A/G	—			"	31.12.43	G T Fowler S/L
T/Sgt.	VG	A/G	—			"	13.3.44	G T Fowler S/L
T/W/O I.	V.G	A/G.	SAT	SAT	—	NOT REC RECENTLY PROMOTED	8.7.44	R C Frogley W/Cdr

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

RECOMMENDATION FOR REMUSTERING TO AIRCREW

1. No. R-104578 2. L.A.C. (Present rank) Bishop (Name) J.D. (Initials)

3. Trade and Grouping. G General Duties (std) 4. Station or Unit. No 1 S.F.T.S.

5. Date of Enlistment. 14-5-41 6. Date of Birth. 3-2-23

7.

EDUCATION	FROM	TO	NAME OF SCHOOLS OR UNIVERSITY	DIPLOMAS OR STANDING (B.Sc. Sr.Matric. Jr.Matric.
High School	1935	1936	Coaticook High School, Que.	Ninth grade
University				

EQUIVALENT EDUCATION

8. FLYING EXPERIENCE

Details (Clubs, Place, Aircraft, etc.)	SOLO	DUAL	PASSENGER	TOTAL
No 1 S.F.T.S. Camp Borden			8 hrs.	8 hrs.
TOTAL HOURS Harvard Aircraft				

9. OTHER INFORMATION Previously served in N.P.A.M. Artillery Unit as a gun layer.

10. MEDICAL OFFICER

This Airman was medically examined on form R.C.A.F. M.2 on 15-6-42 (Date) and found to be Fit. (Fit or Unfit) for Aircrew duties, his category being A.B.-B.B.

Remarks of Medical Officer

Should be a good Air-Gunner

SIGNATURE. [signature] M.O. Date 15-6-42

11. Recommendation and remarks of Commanding Officer. a healthy type, very keen. Slow speaker probably nervous under interview. Strongly Recommended. for air Gunner.

Specially Recommended ~~PILOT OR OBSERVER~~

~~Recommended~~ ~~Wireless Operator~~ (Air Gunner)

(Strike out those not applicable)

Signature of Commanding Officer. [signature]

Para.11 must be completed and signed by Commanding Officer

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..... Selected	..... Initials	..... Date	Selected	..... Initials	..... Date

Sheet Destroyed, date.....
Date of last entry.....
Number of cases of drunkenness.....
Date of last instance of drunkenness.....

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

GENERAL CONDUCT SHEET

OFFICIAL No. ~~RC 104578~~ J 88538 NAME AND INITIALS BISHOP J.D. (IN BLOCK LETTERS) DATE OF ENLISTMENT 14/5/41

SHEET No. ONE (IN WORDS) SIGNATURE AND RANK OF C.O. [signature] FOR (G.N IRWIN./ W/C. DATE 15/5/41

UNIT AND PLACE	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness (in red)	OFFENCE	Names of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	Initials and Rank of Officer making entry and Remarks, with Date
No. 1 SFTS Camp Borden.	25-6-41	AC2		Did appear on parade at 0730 hrs. 25-6-41 in an untidy condition.	F/SgtFalls, A.E. #2036	3 days C.B.	26-6-41.	G.V.Priestly, S/L.	JDDC. F/O
No 1 S.F.T.S. Camp Borden.	1941 28 July	AC2		Absent without leave from 0615 hrs 28-7-41 to 1815 hrs 28-7-41 (Absent 12 hrs)	F/Sgt Falls A.E	3 days C.B.	30-7-41	F/O J.Spencer	M.J.B. F/L 15.8.41
				CERTIFIED NO FURTHER ENTRY	[signature]	F/LT. 82 O T.U., OSSINGTON		30.11.43	Forfeits one day's pay.
				Certified No further Entry	G.T. Fowler	S/Ldr. No. 1653 C.U. 13.3.44.			
				Certified No Entry	[signature]	F/L. HQ. 51 Base Swinderby.			11.4.44
				CERTIFIED NO FURTHER ENTRIES	H Green	F/LT. Adjutant, No. 50 Squadron			8-7-44
				To be carried over					

R.C.A.F. R. 71
50M—1-41 (8774)
H.Q. 1062—3-53

FORM 6

DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS—QUEBEC DEATH TRANSCRIPT

Do not write in this space 1

1. PLACE OF DEATH — Municipal county: OVERSEAS (FRANCE) | 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 | Tow[illegible]

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: BISHOP (Block letters)

Given names: JAMES DOUGLAS

Do not write in this space

4. RESIDENCE

Street: No:

Official name of civil municipality or township: Coaticook

Municipal county: Province: Quebec

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

9. If married give name of wife or husband of deceased: Hurst, Alma Lillian

10. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country): Quebec

11. DATE OF BIRTH: February (Month) 3rd (Day) 1923 (Year)

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

OCCUPATION

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

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

15. Date deceased last worked at this occupation: July 8/44

16. Total years spent in this occupation: Three

	17. NAME	18. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country)
FATHER	~~Foster~~ Bishop, Francis Joseph	Quebec
MOTHER (Maiden Name)	~~Foster~~ Patterson, Eliza Jane	Quebec

19. Place of burial, cremation or removal

20. Date of burial....19....

21. PLACE OF REGISTRATION OF THIS BURIAL

(a) Name of parish or church

(b) Civil municipality of

(c) Municipal county

(d) Date....19.... (Month) (Day) (Year)

CONFIDENTIAL MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

22. Date of death: July (Month) 8th (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) Previously reported missing after air operations, now

due to for official purposes, presumed dead.

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

(b)....

due to

(c)....

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

....

....

III If a communicable disease is mentioned on this certificate, give

(a) Date of appearance....19....

(b) Duration of disease....days

25. If a woman, was there a puerperal condition?....

26. Was there a surgical operation?....Date of....19....

State findings....Was there an autopsy?....

27. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following:—

Accident, suicide or homicide: Accident (State which) Date: July 8th 19 44

Manner of injury: Presumed killed during air operations (How sustained)

Nature of injury....

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

Signed....M.D.

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

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

For (R.C.A.F. Records Officer)

This signature authorizes the collector to accept this form as authentic.

29. Name of clergyman in charge of Register of Civil Status in which registration of this burial was made.

(Voir l'autre côté pour le français)

MJ

FORMULE 6

BUREAU FÉDÉRAL DE LA STATISTIQUE—COPIE DU BULLETIN DE DÉCÈS—QUÉBEC

N'écrivez pas dans cet espace

1. LIEU DU DÉCÈS

Comté municipal | Nom officiel de la municipalité civile ou du canton | *Apposer un X sur le mot qui s'applique à cette municipalité ou ce territoire* — *Cité* | *Ville* | *Village* | *Paroisse* | *Canton*

Rue | No. | Hôpital ou institution

2. SÉJOUR

(a) dans l'hôpital ou l'institution	*Années*	*Mois*	*Jours*	(b) dans la municipalité du décès	*Années*	*Mois*	*Jours*	(c) dans la province	*Années*	*Mois*	*Jours*	(d) au Canada (s'il s'agit d'un immigré)	*Années*	*Mois*	*Jours*

3. NOM DU DÉFUNT

Nom de famille.....
(*Lettres moulées*)
Noms de baptême ou prénoms.....

N'écrivez pas dans cet espace

4. RÉSIDENCE

Rue.....No.....
Nom officiel de la municipalité civile ou du canton.....
Comté municipal.....Province.....

5. SEXE	6. NATIONALITÉ (Citoyenneté)	7. ORIGINE RACIALE	8. Célibataire, marié, veuf ou divorcé (*Ecrire l'un de ces mots*)

9. Si le défunt était marié, nom de son conjoint

10. LIEU DE NAISSANCE (Province ou pays)

11. DATE DE NAISSANCE.....
(jour) (mois) (année)

12. ÂGE DU DÉFUNT	Années	Mois	Jours	Si âgé de moins d'un jour
				.....hrs. ou.....min.

OCCUPATION

13. Métier, profession ou occupation, ex. **tisserand, voiturier, employé de bureau,** etc.....

14. Genre d'industrie ou d'entreprise, tel que **filature de coton, industrie du bois, banque,** etc.....

15. Dernière date à laquelle le défunt vaquait à ce travail

16. Nombre d'années occupées dans cette profession

	17. NOM	18. LIEU DE NAISSANCE (Province ou pays)
PÈRE		
MÈRE (Nom de fille)		

19. Lieu de l'inhumation, de l'incinération ou destination du transport

20. Date de l'inhumation.....19.....

21. LIEU DE L'ENREGISTREMENT DE CETTE SÉPULTURE

(a) Nom de la paroisse ou église.....
(b) Municipalité civile de.....
(c) Comté municipal.....
(d) Date.....19.....
(jour) (mois) (année)

CERTIFICAT MÉDICAL CONFIDENTIEL DE DÉCÈS

22. Date du décès.....19.....
(jour) (mois) (année)

23. JE CERTIFIE PRÉSENTEMENT que j'ai donné mes soins au défunt depuis le .....19.....jusqu'au.....19.....

que je l'ai vu vivant pour la dernière fois le.....19.....

24. CAUSE DU DÉCÈS

I

Cause immédiate Mentionner la maladie, blessure ou complication, causant la mort, **non pas** son syndrome final, tel: syncope, asphyxie, asthénie, etc. (a).....
dû à

États morbides, s'il y en a, ayant produit la cause immédiate (Les indiquer dans l'ordre chronologique inverse de leur apparition). (b).....
dû à
(c).....

II

Autres conditions morbides (importantes seulement) ayant contribué au décès mais n'ayant aucune portée sur la cause immédiate.

III Si une maladie contagieuse est mentionnée à ce certificat, donner (a) Date d'éclosion.....19.....
(b) Durée de la maladie.....jours

25. S'il s'agit d'une femme, y avait-il état puerpéral?.....

26. Y a-t-il eu intervention chirurgicale?.....Date de l'opération.....19.....

Constatations.....Y a-t-il eu autopsie?.....

27. Dans les cas où le décès est attribuable à des causes extérieures (violence):—

Accident, suicide ou homicide.....Date.....19.....
(Spécifier)

Manière de la blessure.....
(Dans quelle circonstance)

Nature de la blessure.....

Indiquer si la blessure a été infligée **au lieu du travail, dans l'habitation ou dans un endroit public**.....

Signature.....M.D.

Adresse.....Date.....19.....

28. Signature de la personne qui remplit la formule (vicaire, coroner, autorité d'un hôpital, etc.)

.....
Cette signature autorise le collecteur à accepter la formule comme authentique.

29. Nom du ministre du culte gardien du registre de l'État civil où est inscrit l'acte de cette sépulture.

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(For English see other side)

File ~~R-22-4~~ / J8538 H.M.C.S. "York"
N. G. J 8538 F.D. 349. Toronto, Ont.
21224 Cpls
June 29 1945

JUN 29 1945

W.R.C.N.S.

JUN 23 AM 11 22

Dear Sirs,

My husband P/O. James Douglas Bishop was an Air Gunner in the R.C.A.F.

He was killed over France on July 8, 1944.

Would you please send me the papers you have to fill out so as I may apply for his gratuity.

C454

My husband joined the R.C.A.F. in May, 1941 and served here in Canada as an Instructor till Sept. 1943 and he then

JUN 23 1945

served overseas till the time
he was killed.

And also would you please
tell me where I would write
to so as I may get my Silver
Cross. as I have not received
it yet.

Thanking you very much
for your trouble.

Sincerely yours wife
Mrs Alma Lillian Bishop
H. M. C. S. "York."
Toronto,

M. 6647

My home address is And.
14 Fuller Ave,
Toronto, Ont

R.C.A.F. A-81
25M-12-44 (4876)
H.Q. 885-A81

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

NAVY ═══ ARMY ═══ AIR FORCE

STATEMENT OF WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

S.F. 4 — AIR

DECEASED MEMBER'S NAME: James D. (CHRISTIAN NAMES) Bishop (SURNAME)

REGISTER NO. 42468

PAYEE: Mrs. Alma L. Bishop,
ADDRESS: 14 Fuller Ave.,
Toronto, Ont.

FILE NO. 21224
DATE 9 July/45
SERVICE NO. J.88538
FINAL RANK OR RATING F/O
DATE OF DISCHARGE 8 July/44

DATE OF TERMINATION OF OVERSEAS SERVICE 8 July/44

		$	¢
A. TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE	NO. OF DAYS 1121/30 EQUAL TO 37 COMPLETE PERIODS AT $7.50	277.50	
B. QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE	NO. OF DAYS 300 LESS 11 INELIGIBLE DAYS, EQUAL TO 289 DAYS @ 25c. PER DAY	72.25	
C. SUPPLEMENT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE			
DAILY RATES AT DISCHARGE — PAY	$6.25		
SUBSISTENCE OR LODGING AND PROVISION ALLOWANCE	$1.70		
ADDITIONAL PAY	$		
	$		
	$		
DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE 1/30 OF $47.20	$1.57		
TOTAL	$9.52 ×7 = $ 66.64		
NO. OF DAYS 300/183	×$ 66.64	109.25	
D. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY		459.00	
E. DEDUCTIONS — OVERPAYMENT OF PAY AND ALLOWANCES	$		
DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE AND ASSIGNED PAY	$		
OTHER DEDUCTIONS	$		
F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE		459.00	

G. YOUR PORTION OF GRATUITY IS—

DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE TO YOU $47.20 OF $ 459.00 =$ 459.00
TOTAL DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE $ 47.20

R.C.A.F. JUL 23 1945
O.K. C.I.B.
R.C. N.I.
S.L. P.A.

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

PREPARED BY	CHECKED BY
LGS	JFM

TREASURY	
CHECKED BY	DATE
	17-7-45

SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE

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Treasury Office.
Air Force Services
OTTAWA. - CANADA.
Rec'd JUL 11 1945
P. & A. SECTION

DAPS

EVIDENCE OF MARRIAGE

AIR FORCE NUMBER R104578 NAME LAC Bishop, J. D.

Description of Document: MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE

Number: - Date: 31-10-42.

Issuing Authority: M. Bernard Johnson, Rector, Trinity Church, St. Thomas, Ont.

Husband (full name) JAMES DOUGLAS BISHOP

Wife (full name) ALMA LILLIAN HURST

Date of Marriage: 31-10-42.

Place of Marriage: Trinity Church, St. Thomas, Ont.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

Date: 2-11-42.

D A Lane

(D. A. Lane) Flight Lieutenant,
Adjutant, for Commanding Officer,
No. 4 Bombing & Gunnery School,
Fingal, Ontario.

A.F.M. 13.

R.C.A.F. Records Office
Rec'd NOV 6 1942
O. K. ..... C.I. .....
R. C. ..... N. I. .....
S. L. ..... P. A. .....

AIR FORCE No. ~~R104578~~

BISHOP, JAMES DOUGLAS

SURNAME — FULL CHRISTIAN NAMES

ENLISTMENT — RE-ENLISTMENT

PLACE Montreal, P.Q.

DATE 14-5-41

C.R. FILE NUMBER KSS

J.88538

OFFICER RECORD OF SERVICE AIRMEN

Comm. 6-7-44 13

R.C.A.F. FORM R44(B) 30M-3-41 (9782) H.Q. 1062-3-58

1. POSTING (INDICATE S.O.S. AND T.O.S.) Temporary Duty (In Red)

S.O.S. or T.O.S.	UNIT AND PLACE	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.
T.O.S.	1 M.D. Toronto	14 5 41	1 M.D. 115
S.O.S.	1 M.D. Toronto	26 5 41	1 M.D. 124
T.O.S.	1 S.F.T.S. Camp Borden	27 5 41	1SF102
SOS	1 S.F.T.S. Camp Borden	4 7 42	1SF157
TOS	4BGS Fingal	5 7 42	4BG162
SOS	4BGS Fingal Ont	29 8 43	4BGS198
T.O.S.	1 "Y" D. Halifax N.S.	30 8 43	1YD219
SOS	1Y Depot 3 P.R.C.	13 9 43	1Y232

Presumed Dead. 8 July 44. DC L950d/17 Feb 45.

WSG	COMPLETED	27 6 45	
	~~WSG~~	~~11 10 44~~	
	Missing	8 7 44	
	PC X 854 (9-7-44)		
	On BK PC X 915	28 8 44	

2. RECLASS'NS-PROMOTIONS-ETC.

RANK	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.
AC2	14 5 41	1 M.D. 115
AC1	1 8 41	1SF168
Sac	14 11 41	1SF231
6		
T/Sgt (pd)	9 10 42	4BG240 A/O
T/Flt Sgt pd.	9 4 43	GB781
T/WO 1 (pd)	9 10 43	GB781
P/O 6-7-44 (APR239/9-10-44)		GB1092

3. MEDICAL HISTORY

EXAMINATIONS (IN RED INK)

DATE	FORM	CATEGORY	REMARKS

HOSPITALIZATION (IN BLACK INK)

HOSPITAL QUARTERS	ADMITTED CONFINED	DISCHARGE RET'N DUTY	D.R.O.
13-5-41	R-100	A4B	
Stn Hosp	21-7-42	23.8.42	4BG173 202
Stn Hosp		31-8-42	4BG209
TTS Hosp	8-10-42	19-10-42	TTS244-256 4BG241-250

4. TRADE AND CHARACTER

TRADE	GROUP	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.
G. D.	Std	14 5 41	1 M.D. 115
930 S			
G.D. UK A.G.	S	4 7 42	1SF157
A G	SG	9 10 42	4BG240 A/O
Gen off. G.L.		6 7 44 (APR239/9-10-44)	

TRADE PROFICIENCY	CHARACTER ASSESSMENT	DATE OF R41

5. COURSES-TESTS-ETC.

SUBJECT	RESULT	DATE	AUTHORITY
Transfer 36B A.G.	Course		4BG210
Failed crse (medical reasons) Transferred to crse 36B			4BGS 228
Hospitalized to 4BGS Fingal			4BGS 240 A/O

6. LEAVE

FROM	TO	DAYS	REMARKS	D.R.O.
28-8-41	(amended) 28-9-41	1 mth	Harvest Leave	1SF173 1SF171
28-8-41	28-9-41	1 mth	Harvest L.H.P.	1SF173
	28-9-41		(Returned from Harvest L.H.P.)	1SF193
10-12-41	24-12-41	14		1SF247
7-1-42	12-1-42	5	Compassionate	1SF4
4-5-42	11-5-42	7		1SF102
8-12-42	15-12-42	7		4BG288
8-1-43	13-1-43	5		4BG7
1-7-43	15-7-43	14	Annual	4BG157
15-8-43	29-8-43	14	Emb.	4BGS198

R.C.A.F. OVERSEAS — ENLISTMENT MARTIAL STATUS — PRESENT MARTIAL STATUS — HIGH & TECH. SCHOOL EDUCATION — RELIGION — PRO. — SERV. — PROVINCE OF ENLISTMENT — DISCHARGE — AC

AIR FORCE No. ~~R104578~~ R

BISHOP, JAMES DOUGLAS
SURNAME — FULL CHRISTIAN NAMES

ENLISTMENT — RE-ENLISTMENT
PLACE Montreal, P.Q.
DATE 14-5-41

C.R. FILE NUMBER RSS

J.88538

OFFICER RECORD OF SERVICE AIRMEN

R.C.A.F. FORM R44(B)

Comm 6-7-44

7. BIRTH: DATE — PLACE — CITIZENSHIP 2
3-2-23 Kinread's Mills P.Q. British
FATHER (FULL NAME) Francis Joseph Bishop
BIRTHPLACE Barston, P.Q.
MOTHER (FULL MAIDEN NAME) Eliza Jane Patterson
BIRTHPLACE Inverness, P.Q.

8. EDUCATIONAL STANDING
HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE X. P. 2
JUNIOR MATRICULATION
SENIOR MATRICULATION
TECHNICAL SCHOOL
UNIVERSITY
CORRESPONDENCE COURSES
0

9. CIVIL OCCUPATIONS OR EXPERIENCE USEFUL TO R.C.A.F.
Worked in Textiles Mills - 1939
Farming - 5 yrs.
6000

10. PREVIOUS ARMY, NAVY OR AIR FORCE SERVICE
Sherbrooke Fusiliers Regt - Sherbrooke - Pte -
Signalman - 6-8-40 to 30-9-40
6

11. HONOURS-AWARDS, MENTIONS

	AUTHORITY	DATE
Air Gunner Badge	9-10-42	4BG240 A10
Op. Wings	AFRO 1085/45	

12. FLYING EXPERIENCE ON ENLISTMENT (HOURS)
SOLO — DUAL — PASSENGER 3 to 4 hrs.

13. RELIGION Church of England
3

14. LANGUAGES English
1

15. SPORTS Skiing

16. SINGLE-MARRIED-WIDOWER-SEPARATED-DIVORCED: single
WIFE (FULL MAIDEN NAME) Alma Lillian Hurst
PLACE OF MARRIAGE St Thomas, Ont — DATE 31-10-42
AUTHORITY (IF AFTER ENLISTMENT) 4BG 260, 261
1

17. MARRIED ESTABLISHMENT

REMARKS	RANK	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.

18. CHILDREN

CHRISTIAN NAMES	BIRTH DATE	D.R.O.	CHRISTIAN NAMES	BIRTH DATE	D.R.O.

19. NEXT OF KIN (ADDRESS AND D.R.O. IN PENCIL)
FULL NAME: Francis Joseph Bishop — RELATIONSHIP Foster-Father
ADDRESS: Coaticook, P.Q. — D.R.O.
FULL NAME: Mrs J. D. Bishop — RELATIONSHIP Wife
ADDRESS: 1243 Bloor St Toronto Ont — D.R.O. 4BG 71

20. PAY ENTRIES (OFFENCE FORFEITURES, STOPPAGES IN RED INK)

RATE CHANGES ETC.	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.	RATE CHANGES ETC.	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.
A.W.L. 12 hrs.	28 7 41	1SF157			
A.W.L.	28 7 41	1SF163			

21. ENGAGEMENTS

TERM	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.	TERM	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.
Duration	14 5 41				

22. TEMPORARY DUTY AND MISCELLANEOUS ENTRIES

FROM	TO	DATE	D.R.O.
Pub. qtrs and rations.		15-5-41	1MD.115
Attached to 16SF for Govt Ttrs rtns & discipline		21-10-41	16SF70
Ceases to be att. to 1SF on att. to 16SF for rtns & qtrs.		21-10-41	1SF223
Special leave	T/W 24068	11-12-41	1SF250
Ceases to be on att. duty from 1SF		10-12-41	16SF110
Ceases to occ. qtrs. rtns & disc		10-12-41	16SF110
Ceases to be attached to 16SF		12-12-41	1SF252
Special leave	T/W 24068	11-12-41	1SF31
Special leave	T/W 112270	1-5-42	1SF116

Date and Place of Signing R40

22.(A) ADDRESS PRIOR TO ENLISTMENT
Coaticook, P.Q.

26503

23. DOCUMENT CONTROL (INDICATE RECEIPT BY DATE) OHF

R60	R79	B465	X-RAY	AFM-13	IDN. CARD	
16-5-41 19-10-43	30.7.42	16-5-41			18-11-41	[illegible]

AIR FORCE No. J. 88538 ~~R 104578~~

BISHOP — SURNAME

JAMES DOUGLAS — FULL CHRISTIAN NAME

ENLISTMENT/APPOINTMENT
PLACE Montreal
DATE 14-5-41

RELIGION C of E

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

COMM. 6-7-44.

R.C.A.F. FORM R230
100M-3-43 (3137)
H.Q. 885-R-230

BIRTH DATE	PLACE	COUNTRY	CITIZENSHIP	RACIAL ORIGIN
3-2-23	Kinread's mills	Can.	Can.	Can.

CIVIL EDUCATION

PUBLIC SCHOOL	JUNIOR MATRICULATION
HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE ✓	SENIOR MATRICULATION
TECHNICAL SCHOOL	UNIVERSITY
CORR./BUSINESS COURSES	LANGUAGES SPOKEN

CIVIL OCCUPATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

Eastern textile Stat come boy 1939-39
Farming 1939-41

PREVIOUS SERVICE

Sherbrooke Fusiliers aug. 6 sept. 30-1940
Under age

PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY	PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY
13-5-41	AHB		

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY

SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWER, DIVORCED m
WIFE (FULL MAIDEN NAME) OR HUSBAND ALMA. LILLIAN. HURST.
PRESENT ADDRESS (IN PENCIL)
PLACE OF MARRIAGE ST. THOMAS. ONTARIO DATE 31-10-42
AUTHORITY (IF AFTER APPOINTMENT/ENLISTMENT)

CHILDREN

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

NAME(S), ADDRESS(ES), RELATIONSHIP OF PERSON(S) TO BE INFORMED OF CASUALTIES (IN PENCIL)
Mrs J. D. T. Bishop (wife)
1243 Bloor St.
Toronto Ont.

EMPLOYMENT AS INSTRUCTOR OFFICER AIRMAN/AIRWOMAN

TYPE	FROM	TO	TYPE	FROM	TO

OFFICERS

RANK, BRANCH AND CATEGORY	DATE	AUTH.	DUTIES PERFORMED DURING SERVICE, E.G. ADJ.
P/O SR SL. GUNNERY	6 7 44	O.O. 1092/44	

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

AIRMEN AND AIRWOMEN

RANK	DATE	AUTH.	TRADE	DATE	AUTH.
T/Sgt	9 10 42	DR0240	A-G SG	9 10 42	DR0240
T/F/Sgt	9 4 43	O/O 31.Bdd 281/43			
T/WO II	9 10 43	S/S 31.Bdd 281/43 10/44			
T/WO I	9 4 44	AL2 50 sgn 19/44			

OFFICERS, AIRMEN/AIRWOMEN

COURSE OR TRADE	GRP.	%	PF	DATE

ADVISE ENTRIES
UNIT RECORDS RETURNED
TO CANADA

AIR FORCE No. J·88538 ~~R104578~~

BISHOP — SURNAME

JAMES DOUGLAS — FULL CHRISTIAN NAME

ENLISTMENT/APPOINTMENT

PLACE MONTREAL

DATE 14.5.41

RELIGION C of E

R.C.A.F. FORM R230

TYPE OF LEAVE

FROM	TO	No. DAYS	DESCRIPTION	AUTH.
23.11.43.	30.11.43.	8.	A. Leave.	82.O.T.U. 20/43
30.11.43.	10.12.43	11.	Leave.	31. Base. 18/43.
22.12.43	30.12.43	7	P.L.	Stradishall 3/44
6.2.44.	11.2.44.	6.	Leave	31. Base 34/44
9.5.44.	15.5.44.	7	P/L.	50 Sqd 18/44
20.6.44	28.6.44	7	P.L.	50 Sqd 18/44

TYPE OF AIRCRAFT ON WHICH MOST PROFICIENT

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

SERVICE MACHINES FLOWN

CHARACTER AND TRADE ASSESSMENT

DATE	CHARACTER	TRADE ASSESSMENT

HONOURS, AWARDS AND MENTIONS

DATE	AWARD	AUTHORITY
9 10 43	A.G. Badge	DRO 240

POSTINGS, ATTACHMENTS & TEMPORARY DUTY

SOS TOS	FROM	TO	DATE	AUTHORITY
	16 SFTS	4 B&G	4 7 42	
	4 B&G	1 Y.D.	24 7 43	
SOS	1 Y Depot	3 PRC	13 9 43	DRO 233
	Emb. Halifax		18 9 43	
	Disemb. U.K.		19 9 43	
	3. P.R.C. Int 126		20 9 43	
S.O.S.	3.P.R.C. to 82.O.T.U.		28 9 43	3.PRC. 11/43 82.O.T.U. 11/43
TOS	31. Base from 82.O.T.U.		30 11 43	31. Base 17/43 82.O.T.U. 20/43
ATT. from	31. Base to Feltwell		10/21 12/1 ~~43~~	31. Base 21/43 Feltwell 31/44
ATT. ~~to~~	1483 (Bomber) Gerry Fl. from 1653 C.U.		29/10 1/2 44	1483 (Bomber) Gerry Fl. 7/44
SOS	31. Base to 51 Base		13 3 44	1483 (Bomber) 9/44 51. Base 18/44
Det	to 5. L.F.S. fr. 51 Base		13 3 44	31. Base 40/44 5. L.F.S. 9/44
TOS.	50 Sqd fr. 51. Base		11 4 44.	50 Sqd. 9/44 51 Base 19/44
F/B	Missing from 50 Sqd.		7/8 7 44	AFRO 1789/44 CR 510
	MISSING BELIEVED KILLED			CR 555 d 31/8/44
	PRESUMED DEAD		8 7 44	AFRO 423 CL 695

ALL OTHER CASUALTIES

CASUALTY AND DATE	AUTHORITY

ADVISE ENTRIES
UNIT RECORDS RETURNED
TO CANADA

Emb 13.9.43

SJ0885538 BISHOP JAMES D PO

1 NUMBER NAME 29 RANK

SERVICE AWARD CARD

R.C.A.F. FORM NO. R. 325

39-45 STAR	ATL. STAR	A/C EUR STAR	AFRICA STAR	PACIFIC STAR	BURMA STAR	ITALY STAR	FR. AND GER. STAR	DEFENCE MEDAL	GEN. SER. MEDAL	C.V.S.M.							
✓							✓	✓	✓	✓							AWARD
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																	RIBBON ISSUED
															20/6/45		MEDAL ISSUED

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PREFIX NUMBER NAME RANK CODE

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1538 — 7-1045

Mrs. Alma L. Bishop (Widow)
14 Fuller Ave.,
Toronto,
Ont.

July-45

MEMORIAL
DATE DESP.
REGN. NO. A 1260

18355

NAME BISHOP, James Douglas, FILE NO. ~~XXXXX~~ R104578

RANK ~~XXXXX~~ P/O ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ CATEGORY ~~XXXXXXX~~ PRES.DEAD REG. NO. ~~XXXXXXX~~ J88538

DATE OF DEATH: 8 July /44 MOTHER LIVING: NO WIFE: YES

MINISTERIAL CARD: 20-7-44 ROYAL MESSAGE: JUL 3 1945

MEMORIAL CROSS TO CHAPLAIN:

To Wife-
To Wife-12-3-45

DEL'D TO MOTHER:

DEL'D TO WIFE: JUN 29 1945

Mrs. J. D. Bishop,
~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~, 14 Fuller Avenue,
Toronto, Ontario.

COMMAND:

RELIGION:

mdb
jm

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CAN.J88538

COATICOOK, P.Q.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Married

EDUCATION
1928-36 - Barnston, P.Q. - Gen.

CIVIL EXPERIENCE
1939-39 - Eastern Textiles Ltd., Coaticook, P.Q. - Coming
1936-41 - F.J. Bishop, Coaticook, P.Q. - Farming

FLYING EXPERIENCE
Pass. 3 or 4 hrs.

OTHER INFORMATION
Fretsaw Work; a general study in aeronautics.

SPORTS
Skiing, ext.

Awarded Ops.Wings posthumously. AFRO #1085, d/ 29-6-45.

SERVICE EXPERIENCE
1940(Aug.6-Sep.30) - Sherbrooke Fusiliers Regt.
C.A.S.F. - Pte. - Signals
R.C.A.F. Date of Enlistment 14-5-41
R.C.A.F. Demustered from G.D. Std. to a/c

(GL) (G.O.) CFR BISHOP James Douglas (SR)

Birth Date	Age on Appointment	Date of Appointment
3-2-23	21	6-7-44

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POSTINGS AFRO #2231, d/13-10-44.

Rank	Date	Station	Date	Duty
P/O	6-7-44	Overseas		Gunnery Off.
		Missing	8-7-44	
		Presumed DEAD	8-7-44	Cas.List #950

CHARGES

R.C.A.F. R. 198B
20M—5-44 (4624)
H.Q. 885-R.-198B

J.88538.
P/O J.D.BISHOP.
R.C.A.F.
K/A
8.7.44

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BLA 278

COPY

AFW.3372

GRAVES REGISTRATION REPORT FORM

Serial No. 2811

Place of Burial : MESNIL MAUGER Communal Cemetery

Date 14.11.47

Department and Map Reference : SEINE INF. (B4/M53)
The following are buried here:-

Number	Rank	Name and Initials	CE No.	Date of Death	How Marked.	Plot Row Grave
1267017	SGT.	AUSTIN D. (R.A.F.)	F. 392	8.7.44.	CROSS	BRIT. ROW Grave 1
J.88538	P/O.	BISHOP J.D. (RCAF)	"	"	"	Grave 2
J.88421	P/O	HOPKINS F.R. (RCAF)	"	"	"	Grave 3
2205712	SGT.	HARPER R.N. (R.A.F.)	"	"	"	Grave 4
R.157271	W/O.2.	MOTRIUK S.A. (RCAF)	"	"	"	Grave 5
R.187486	F/SGT.	NOREN P.O.K. (RCAF)	"	"	"	Grave 6

This cancels all previous AFW.3372's issued for this crew, and is raised to correct discrepancies on existing crosses.

Investigating Officer: F/O G.V. SVEHLA.
G.C.V. No : 83
Auth : P.419877/44/S.14 CAS/405
Dated : 24.10.47

(Sgd.) ??
Squadron Leader, Commanding,
France Detachment M.R. & E.S.
ROYAL AIR FORCE

TO: D.D.G.R.E.
S.14 CAS
CAS (CAN)
R.A.A.F.
R.N.Z.A.F.
I.W.G.C.

B7 16 Mar/46.

Ger. 9234.

(7)

73, Oxford Street,
W.1.

17 December, 1945.

P.419877/44/P4.MR(2)

Officer in Charge,
Missing Research and Enquiry Service,
c/o British Army Staff,
PARIS, France.

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Casualty Enquiry No. ~~F~~ 392

Lancaster III J. PA.996 missing 7/8th July 1944 as a result of operations against ST. LEU D'ESSERENT.

Engine numbers:

Port Outer	13479/248475
Port Inner	12415/247411
Stbd Inner	14251/249427
Stbd Outer	14692/249688

2. CREW:

J.85994	P/O	A.F. Laidlaw	Pilot	Safe - U.K.
2205712	SGT	R.N. Harper	F/E	M.B.K.
R.166269	F/S	F.R. Hopkins	NAV	"
R.157271	W/O2	S.A. Motr~~a~~ik	B/A	"
1267017	SGT	D.D. Austin	W/AGH	"
R.104578	W/O2	J.D. Bishop	M.U.G.	"
R.187486	SGT	P.O.K. Noren	R/GNR	"

3. Information from I.R.C.C. states Sgt Austin, Motr~~a~~ik, Bishop, Harper, Hopkins and Noren were killed 8-7-44, and buried Cemetery, Mesnil-Mauger.

4. P/O Laidlaw reported he identified all his crew who had been killed and were buried at the Mesnil-Mauger Cemetery Par Saint Saire, Seine Inferieure.

5. Graves services in France made a search of the area Mesnil-Mauger 15 miles E.S.E. Caen, stating, "no aircraft crashed in the vicinity of the village in July 1944".

6. According to information given by a visitor to this Department recently the undermentioned Frenchman knows the location of the graves:

M. Charles Chevassus,
Mesnil Mauger,
Par Saint Saire,
Seine Inferieure,
France.

7. It would be appreciated if an investigation could be made to ascertain grave positions.

C. W. WRIGHT

for Director of Personal Services.

Copy to: R.C.A.F.
RAF. L.O. (ALGER)

RCAF

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MINUTE 1.

D.P.S.

1. No.50 Squadron reported that Lancaster aircraft, PA.996, with a crew of 7, failed to return from an operational attack on St. Leu D'Esserent, France. It left base at 22.05 hours on the 7th. July, 1944, after which no further news was received. P/O. F.R. Hopkins, P/O. J.D. Bishop, W/O2. S.A. Motriuk, and F/Sgt. P.O.K. Noren were members of this crew.

2. A telegram from the I.R.C.C. quoting German information states that W/O2. Motriuk, W/O2. Bishop, W/O2. Hopkins, and Sgt. Noren were killed on the 8th. July, 1944.

3. A further telegram from the same source states that they were buried in the Cemetery Mesnil Mauger, France. Their grave numbers and date of burial are not stated.

4. In view of the evidence received and the lapse of time, it is accordingly submitted that the death of CAN/J88421 P/O. F.R. HOPKINS, CAN/J88538 P/O. J.D. BISHOP, CAN/R157271 W/O2. S.A. MOTRIUK, and, CAN/R187486 F/SGT. P.O.K. NOREN, be presumed, for official purposes, to have occurred on the 8th. July, 1944.

5. The one remaining R.C.A.F. member of this crew, P/O. A.F. Laidlaw, is now safe, and the two remaining members of this crew were not R.C.A.F. personnel.

30/1/45. A Lucas L.A.C.

30/1/45. M. Cameron s/l.
for R.C.A.F. Casualties Officer.

MINUTE 2.

Para. 4. of Minute 1. approved.

J. S. HARRIS.
Wing Commander,
for Director of Personal Services.

16/2/45

ORIGINAL ON P4/CAS/CAN.
"RETURNS" VOL: 8 FOLIO: 46
1/2/45
4-17
D.O.D. Ltr & Ottawa 60B 2/2/45

No. 50 Squadron,
Royal Air Force,
Skellingthorpe,
Lincoln.

Reference:-
50S/643/355/P1.

8th, July, 1944.

Dear Mrs Bishop,

It is with deep regret that I have to confirm that your Husband, Warrant Officer James Douglas Bishop, has been reported missing from operations, carried out on the night of 7/8th, July, 1944.

He was the Air Gunner of a Lancaster aircraft which was detailed to attack targets at St.Leu D'Esserent, in France, and, unfortunately, nothing further has been heard of the aircraft since take-off. There is always the possibility that the crew were able to make a parachute landing, and your Husband may now be a prisoner of war, in which case, you will either hear from him direct, or through the Air Ministry, who will receive advice from the International Red Cross Committee. In either case, it will be some considerable time before any news is received; i.e. from two to three months.

Your Husband had completed twenty-six operational sorties and was a most experienced and efficient Air Gunner. During the period he was with this Unit, he made numerous friends, and his absence will be deeply felt by all.

With regard to his personal belongings, these are being collected and listed, and will be forwarded as soon as possible to the R.A.F. Central Depository Slough, Bucks, in accordance with regulations. You will receive a letter from that Unit in the near future, asking your wishes as to the disposal of these personal effects, and any enquiry concerning them should be addressed to the Officer Commanding, R.A.F. Central Depository.

May/...

15 JUL 1944

May I now express the sympathy which all of us feel with you in your great anxiety, and the hope that good news will soon be forthcoming.

Yours sincerely

Robert T. Frogley

Wing Commander.
(R.T.Frogley)

Mrs. J.D. Bishop,
1243 Bloor Street W.,
Toronto, Ontario, CANADA.

LETTER RECEIVED ..... 15.7 .....
ORIGINAL SENT ..... 18.5 .....
COPY TO OTTAWA ..... 24.7 .....
PHOTOS. SENT TO ..... N/A .....

Bishop J.D.

R-194 578 J88538

PA J88538 p/o

Flugzeugtyp : Lancaster

Staffelnummer: 50.Bo.Sq.

Abschußtag : 8. 7. 44

Abschußort : b. Mesnil-Manger

Beerdigt am :

Grablage : Friedhof Mesnil-Manger

Besatzungsmitglieder: s. Sgt. Austin D. + (USA)

S 9990/43 HGD. XII. 43

KE 9206

~~Gefangenenlager:~~ KE 9206

Gefang[illegible]-Nr.:

Staatsangehörigkeit: England

Nr. der Liste: 419877

Seite der Liste:

Name: Bishop

Beruf:

Religion:

Vornamen: J. D.

Dienstgrad: Flg.

Geburtstag u. Geburtsort:

Truppenteil: Masch. Lancaster

Komp. usw.

Matr. Nr. R 104578

Vorname des Vaters:

Ort und Tag der Gefangennahme oder Internierung:

Familienname der Mutter:

Verwundungen, Verletzungen oder Tod:

Name u. Anschrift der zu benachrichtigenden Person:

wann und von wo zugegangen:

Aufenthalt u. Veränderungen: Fl 8.7.44 2ter b. Mesnil-Manger

Grablage: Frdh. Mesnil-Manger

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em. S. D. Luft 2048/44 v. 178.44 V4a Ref IV 1 Totenliste Nr. 239
ifS " 106

HQ. J.88538

ESTATES BRANCH

OTTAWA, Ontario.
May 16th, 1946.

Mrs. J. D. Bishop,
14 Fuller Avenue,
Toronto, Ontario.

BISHOP, J.D. P/O (deceased)
J.88538, R.C.A.F.

Dear Mrs. Bishop:

A gold ring with a red stone, and an identification bracelet with a leather strap belonging to your husband have now arrived from Overseas and these contained in a parcel will go forward to you by registered mail within the next few days. These articles have been forwarded to this Branch from General Headquarters, Overseas, with no explanation given us as to where they were located, nor the reason for the delay in sending them.

We trust that they will reach you in good order and would appreciate your completing and returning to this Branch the enclosed receipt form when you have received them.

424.

Yours faithfully,

Director of Estates.

CYS:MV
Encl.

J.88538 (R - 4)

OTTAWA, Canada, 28th January, 1946.

Mrs. J. D. Bishop,
14 Fuller Avenue,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Mrs. Bishop:

A report has now been received from Overseas which confirms that your husband, Pilot Officer James Douglas Bishop, was buried in the cemetery at Mesnil Manger, which is located twenty-four miles north east of Rouen, France, as you were previously advised.

The reverent care of the burial places of all who served in the Forces of the British Empire is the task of the Imperial War Graves Commission. Already, eminent architects are at work planning the construction of beautiful cemeteries and each individual grave will be supported and sustained by the nations of the Empire. I hope it may be of some consolation to you to know that your gallant husband's grave is in sacred care and keeping.

May I again extend my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Yours sincerely,

R.C.A.F. Casualty Officer,
for Chief of the Air Staff.

LEO/AO

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

ESTATES BRANCH

OTTAWA, CANADA

Date July 22 1945

RECEIVED this date Treasury cheque for the sum of

Two hundred and twenty-three 23/100 Dollars ($223.23)

in connection with the estate of the below-named deceased,

J.88538 P/O J.D. Bishop

ESTATES BRANCH JUL 25 1945 H.Q. OTTAWA NATIONAL DEFENCE

№ 10451

Mrs Alma Lucien Bishop

Signature

FN.55014. PERSONAL EFFECTS OF CAN/R.104578 W/O.2. BISHOP, J.D.

1 Carton containing:-

1 Pr. Shoes (badly worn).
1 Box Oddments.
1 Pr. Bathing Trunks.
1 Pr. Woollen Gloves.
1 Pr. Kid Gloves.
1 Torch.
1 Pipe.
1 Steel Mirror in Case.
2 Toothbrushes.
1 Fountain Pen unserviceable.
1 Safety Razor in case.
1 Housewife (empty).
1 Elastic Belt.
1 Drawing Set.
1 Lighter.
1 Pr. Braces.
1 Cycle Lamp.
1 Pr. Spectacles in Case.
1 Skull Cap.
1 Bundle of Stationery.

1 Folder contg.:-
Portrait and Photos.
1 Bundle Booklets.
6 Books.
2 Note Books.
1 Wallet.
1 Purse.
1 Tie
1 W/O. Badge.
1 'AG' Brevet.
1 Pr. Brown Trousers.
2 Slipovers.
3 Shirts.
2 Shirts.
7 Collars.
3 Prs. Pants.
1 Slip Over.
2 Handkerchiefs.
16 Prs. of Socks.

Note:- Stamps to the value of 3/8d found among the personal effects have been credited to his service account.

Original Station inventory signed by ??? P/O undated
Effectschecked at Central Depository on 8.8.44.

R.C.A.F. G.64
H.Q. 885-G-64

Royal Canadian Air Force

CERTIFICATE OF PRESUMPTION OF DEATH

NO. 11326

MAR 8 H.Q. OTTAWA. NATIONAL DEFENCE

This is to Certify that

J.88530 PILOT OFFICER JAMES DOUGLAS BISHOP R.C.A.F.
(Number) (Rank) (Name in Full) (Unit)

has been officially reported as missing since the 9TH day

of JULY, 1944, and that, full inquiries having been made, no information has been received which would indicate that he may be still alive. For official purposes, therefore, he is presumed to have died on or since the above mentioned date.

Dated at Ottawa, Canada, this 20TH day of FEBRUARY 1945

(W.D. Low)
Wing Commander
Acting R.C.A.F. Records Officer.

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

R.C.A.F. R. 60
(REVISED 1-42)
40M—1-42 (1617)
H.Q. 1062-3-45

WILL

(a) Names in full to be written.

(1) (a) I, James Douglas Bishop of the City ~~Town~~ ~~Village~~ ~~Township~~ of Toronto in the County of ~~District~~ Province of Ontario (Civil Occupation) a member of the Royal Canadian Air Force, Number R.104578 do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made and declare this to be my LAST WILL.

(a) Insert "wife", "father", "mother", "friend", etc.
(b) Insert the name of beneficiar(y)(ies) in full.
(c) Insert the address(es) if known.
(d) Here state "all of my estate" or the particular articles or money intended to be given.
See reverse side for example.

(2) I GIVE, DEVISE AND BEQUEATH unto my

(a) wife
(b) Alma Lillian Bishop
(c) 1243 Bloor St. W. Toronto, Ont.
(d) My whole estate

Draw a diagonal line through Para. (3) if not applicable, i.e., if all Estate disposed of in Para. (2) above.

(3) All the remainder of my estate I give, devise and bequeath unto:

(a)
(b)
(c)

Name and address of Executor.

(4) I appoint Alma Lillian Bishop (Name) 1243 Bloor St. W. Toronto, Ont. (Address)

to be the ~~Executor~~ Executrix of this my Last Will.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 31st day of August 1943

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.

J. D. Bishop
(Signature of Testator)

First Witness sign here.

(5) Norman Smith
(Signature)
Saint John N.B.
(Permanent Home Address)
Clerk
(Occupation)

Second Witness sign here.

D. J. Fintea
(Signature)
Thessalon Ont
(Permanent Home Address)
Clerk
(Occupation)

(Witnesses are not to be beneficiaries.)

Rec'd OCT 19
O. K
R. C
S. L

(OVER)

NOTE

(1) Example: I, John Charles Brown, of the City of Ottawa, County of Carleton, Province of Ontario, Mechanic.

(2) If only one beneficiary is named, complete as follows: I give, devise and bequeath unto:

(a) my wife

(b) Mary Brown

(c) 26 Cherry Ave., Ottawa, Ont.

(d) all my estate

If more than one beneficiary, set out in clause 2 (d) what each is to receive, such as:

"my wife, Mary Brown, 26 Cherry Ave., Ottawa, Ont. **$100.00**
and my household goods and effects".
"my mother, Ethel Brown, 480 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont. **$100.00"**
"my friend, John Smith, 60 LaSalle St., Winnipeg, Man. **$100.00"**
and any personal gift, if desired.

If any specific gifts as above have been made, the testator should name in Clause 3 the person or persons to whom he desires to give the balance of his estate, such as "my wife, Mary Brown, 26 Cherry Avenue, Ottawa, Ontario, the balance of my estate", or "my mother, Ethel Brown, and my father, George Brown, of 480 Yonge Street, Toronto, Ontario, the balance of my estate in equal shares or in the event that one dies before the other, the balance to the survivor".

(3) Failure to appoint an executor or an executrix can only result in additional expense in the settlement of the estate in question. You are, therefore, strongly urged to make such an appointment. A beneficiary under the will may be appointed executor or executrix. It is recommended, however, that you avoid appointing as executor any person on or likely to be on Active Service.

(4) **Do not omit to date the will.** You are to sign the will with your usual signature in the presence of two witnesses, each of whom must immediately thereafter, and in your presence, sign his or her name and insert his or her address and occupation in the place provided. No person who receives any benefits under the will should act as witness. It is preferable, though not essential, that the witnesses be persons not on Active Service.

GENERAL

The laws of all the provinces of Canada, except one, provide that marriage subsequent to the date of the will revokes that will. Therefore, an officer or airman, immediately upon his marriage, should make a new will in order that, in the event of his death, his estate may be distributed in accordance with his wishes as set out in his will.

STATEMENT OF LOCATION OF WILL

I hereby certify that I have previously made a will, which is now located at.....

.....
(Name and address in full)

.....

.....
(Signature)

WILL

R.C.A.F. r.60

(1) I..BISHOP.....James..Douglas.....of the (City / Town / Village / Township)

of..Coaticook.....in the District of (County).....

Province of.....Quebec.....Farming.....
(Civil Occupation)

a member of the Royal Canadian Air Force, Number..R..104578..... Do hereby revoke all former Wills made by me and declare this to be my Last Will.

(2) I give, Devise and bequeath unto:-

My Sister Miss Hazel Rose Bishop

of Coaticook

Quebec

My whole estate

(3) I Give, Devise and Bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate, both real and personal, of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situated unto:-

(4) I appoint....My Sister Miss Hazel Rose Bishop of the above address.....
(Name) (Address)

....., to be the Executrix of this my Last Will

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this .....15.....day of

.....May.....19.41...

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 out names as witnesses.

James Douglas Bishop
(Signature of Testator)

(5) Signature..W. L. Hayman.....

Address .....No. 1 Manning Depot. R.C.A.F. Toronto.....

Occupation.....Clerk.....

Signature .....No. 1 Manning Depot. R.C.A.F. Toronto.....

Address .....Clerk.....

Occupation.....Clerk.....

R.C.A.F Records Office
Rec'd MAY 26 1941
O. K.....C.I.....
R. C.....N IL.....
S.L.....P .....

14-5-41

617 D P.F.W

To be made out in duplicate

R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

M.F.M. 5
200M—2-41 (9495-6)
H.Q. 1772-39-1651

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*) Both copies of the form are to be forwarded by the Officer Commanding the unit for each officer and other rank, to the Paymaster, or Officer acting as such. The latter will transmit one copy, through the District, Command, or Camp Paymaster, to the Officer i/c Records, N.D.H.Q., Ottawa. The other copy will be retained by the Paymaster of the unit, when transferred to another unit the copy retained by the Paymaster will be sent to the Paymaster of the individual's new unit.

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(1) Name of Officer or Other Rank BISHOP JAMES DOUGLAS
(Surname first—Christian names in full—Block capitals)

(2) Regimental or Official Number and Rank R.104578 AC.2 Standard

(3) Unit Royal Canadian Air Force

(4) Are you married? NO

(5) If married, state,

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

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

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

(7) Are you a widower? NO

(8) Have you any children? NO Number of boys N.A. Girls N.A.

Names and ages N.A.

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

Give particulars of Guardians to whom Dependents' Allowance should be paid—if authorized.

Name N.A.

Postal Address N.A.

R.C.A.F. Records
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R.C.A.F.
S.L.

[SEE OTHER SIDE]

(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 N.A.

(11) Is your father alive? yes

If so, state name and address, occupation Francis Joseph Bishop (Farming)

Coaticook, P.Q.

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

(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.

N.A.

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

(14) Is your mother alive? YES

If so, state name and address Eliza Jane ~~Patterson~~ (Bishop)

Coaticook, P.Q.

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

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

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? N.A.

(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 N.A.

Full Name N.A.

Postal Address N.A.

Amount contributed monthly during the past six months N.A

(18) Are you insured? NO

If so, in what Company? NA.

(Give number of policy)

Have you made arrangements for payment of your Insurance Premium? N.A.
If not, and it is a monthly premium, you may assign the amount in addition to any other assignment you wish to make, provided the total assignment is not in excess of the maximum monthly amount which may be assigned.

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

James Douglas Bishop
(Signature of officer or man)

Date May 14th, 1941

D. J. Armand P/O
for Officer Commanding

Date May 14th, 1941 R.C.A.F. Recruiting Centre Montreal P.Q.

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.

14 Fuller Ave.
Toronto, Ont.
Nov. 7/44.

ESTATES
BRANCH
NOV 8 1944
OTTAWA

Dear Sirs.

In answer to your letter regarding my husbands personal belongings, which you have my full permission to send them to my dad. who is stationed overseas.

Thank you very much for writing to me.

Sincerely yours
Mrs. Alma L. Bishop.

Bishop. J. D. P/O — R.104578

No. J. 88538 R.C.A.F.

C O P Y

2nd October, 1944.

Dear Sir,

On making enquiries about my son in law's personal effects at his station in Skellingthorpe, I was advised to write to you people.

As my daughter wrote to his Commanding Officer and asked him if they would send his personal effects to me for keeping, his name is:

R.104578 W/O Bishop, J.D.

We have been advised from Ottawa that he lost his life over Germany.

Yours truly,

(sgd.) R.72225 LAC Hurst, J.,
R.C.A.F. R. Depot,
Warrington.

14 Fuller Ave
Toronto, Ont.
June 1/45

J-885-38 R.C.N.R.
Sub. R.C.N.V.R. (W)

R·C·N·V·R

1945 JUN 4 AM 10:45

Dear Sirs,

I am writing to you to see if it would be at all possible for me to obtain my husbands operational tours for him. My husband was killed on a raid over France on July 8, 1944, he had 28 trips to his credit.

If you could furnish me with any information regarding the tour I would appreciate it very much.

I am in the W.R.C.N.S. stationed

in Toronto, But I would
rather you sent any mail
to my home address.
Thanking you very much
for your trouble.

Sincerely yours.
Mrs. James Douglas Bishop
14 Fuller Ave
Toronto.

P.O. James Douglas Bishop
J. 88538

OUR FILE 12-14-2(36B)

REF. YOUR 1022-B-5468 (AP3B1)

DATED Oct. 28th, 1942

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

DEC 22 AM 11 24

December 21st, 1942

RECEIVED DEC 22 1942 No. 5 TEMPORARY BUILDING MAIL ROOM

Director of Airmen Personnel Services,
OTTAWA,
Ontario.

R104578 - Sgt. Bishop, J.D. - Air Gunner Sp. Group

1. Re your above referenced letter, it is advised that the above mentioned airman has been medically boarded on December 20th, 1942 and his category is now A3B - Vision which makes this N.C.O. unfit for duties as Air Gunner and it is not considered that this airman is suitable for training as navigator.

2. May instructions be given, please, as to disposition of this N.C.O.

for G.P.W. Chalew. S/L
(D.D. Findlay) Wing Commander,
Commanding Officer,
No. 4 B. & G. School, Fingal, Ont.

R.C.A.F. G. 32C
500M-12-41 (1439)
H.Q. 1062-9-36

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY - PARTICULARS OF SERVICE

NUMBER	FINAL PAID RANK	GROUP	CHRISTIAN NAMES	SURNAME
J.885-38	P/O 6-7-44 (APR 231/9-10-44)(GB1092)	G.L.	James Douglas	Bishop

Reason for termination of service: P.D. 8-7-44 DCL 950 d/17-2-44.

TOTAL SERVICE:

T.O.S. 14-5-41 S.O.S. 8-7-44 1152 DAYS

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

TOTAL 1152 DAYS

LESS NON-QUALIFYING SERVICE:

From: L.W.P. 28-8-41 To: 27-9-41 31 DAYS

From: _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS

From: _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS 31

TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE 1121 DAYS

OVERSEAS SERVICE:

From: 13-9-43 To: 8-7-44 300 DAYS

From: _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS

From: _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS _____

TOTAL 300 DAYS

LESS NON-QUALIFYING SERVICE:

From: Nil To: _____ _____ DAYS

From: _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS

From: _____ To: _____ _____ DAYS _____

TOTAL QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE 300 DAYS

1764 / 1121 / 1464 / 300

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

J.R. Ferris d/k
R.C.A.F. RECORDS OFFICE
OTTAWA

COMPUTER'S INITIALS	
CHECKER'S INITIALS	
DATE 27-6-45	

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

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

STATEMENT OF WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

MEMBER'S NAME: JAMES D. BISHOP (Christian Names) (Surname)

PAYEE: MRS. ALMA L. BISHOP (Christian Names) (Surname)

ADDRESS: 14 FULLER AVE. TORONTO, ONT.

Register No. .....

File No. 21224

Date 9 July 45

Service No. J 88538

Final Rank or Rating P/O

Date of Discharge 8 July 44

Date of Termination of O/S service 8 July 44

	$	¢
A. TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE No. of days 1121/30 equal to 37 complete periods @ $7.50	277	50
B. QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE No. of days 300 less 11 ineligible days, equal to 289 days @ 25¢ per day	72	25
C. SUPPLEMENT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE Daily Rates at Discharge Pay .....$..6.25..... Subsistence or Lodging and Provision Allowance .....$..1.20..... Additional Pay ....$..... Dependents' Allowance 1/30 of $ 47.20 .....$..1.57..... TOTAL $ 9.52 x 7 = $ 66.64 No. of days 300/183 x $ 66.64	109	25
DD. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY	459	00
E. Deductions — Overpayment of — Pay and Allowances $ Dependents' Allowance $ and Assigned Pay Other deductions $		
F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE	459	00
G. YOUR PROPORTION: (D.A. in issue to you / Total D.A. in issue) = 47.20/47.20 of $459.00	459	00

PREPARED BY	CHECKED BY
L.G.S.	J.F.M.

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OTTAWA, Canada, 20th June, 1945.

R E G I S T E R E D

Mrs. J.D. Bishop,
14 Fuller Avenue,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Mrs. Bishop:-

I have the honour to forward herewith the Operational Wings and accompanying Certificate awarded your husband, Pilot Officer J.D. Bishop, for gallant service in action against the enemy.

May I extend my profound sympathy in your great loss.

Yours very sincerely,

(T.K. McDougall)
Group Captain,
for Chief of the Air Staff.

COM/MH

Enclosure No. ..... in R.C.A.F. M10

Serial No. ..... in A. & D. Book.

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE
CASE HISTORY SHEET

R.C.A.F. M.33
150M—4-42 (2038)
H.Q. 885-M-33

Hospital T.T.S. Station St Thomas

No. R.104578 Rank L-A-C. Surname Bishop Christian Names James Douglas

Unit R.C.A.F. Age 19 Branch or Trade AIR-GUNNER Total Service (mos.) 1.6 Days

Admitted ~~direct~~ (as transfer) from FLIGHT on 8-10-42

Discharged to duty (to a medical board) or (died) To Hospital on 19-10-42

Transferred to ..... on .....

FINAL DIAGNOSIS U.D.M.

COMPLAINT: First noted burning on urination about 5-10-42; Followed the next day by profuse urethral discharge

HISTORY: apparently was on a party, drinking considerably. Doesn't remember using Condom; no prophylactic treatment

PHYSICAL FINDINGS: Urethral discharge

RECORD OFFICE COPY ONLY

Provisional Diagnosis: U.D.M. M.O. Signature E. J. Ryan S/L

SYNOPSIS OF TREATMENT:

OPERATION (nature and date): .....

ANAESTHETIC AND METHOD OF ADMINISTRATION: .....

OTHER TREATMENT (especially any specific or special form): .....

CONDITION ON DISCHARGE (OR TRANSFER) Cured

(and disposal made of case) Duty. Kept under observation only.

Date 19-10-42 R. A. Graham F/L.

Medical Officer i/c case

NOTE: 1. In the event of an error or change in diagnosis, the disease or injury entered is to be crossed out in such a way as to remain legible, and the new disease or injury entered above it.
2. In the event of a new disease supervening, this is to be clearly set out in the clinical notes.
3. All diagnoses are to be in accordance with recognized medical nomenclature.
4. In the event of death, state the cause of death under "Condition on Discharge".

PROGRESS NOTES

ON ADMISSION: Temp. 98 Pulse 74 Resp. 18

DATE	CLINICAL NOTES
14-10-42	No evidence of discharge since admission. Prostatic massage negative. No discharge. Urine clear.
19-10-42	No discharge. Urine clear. Urinanalysis on 17 + 19/10/42 - negative. Discharge to own unit.

CONDITION ON DISCHARGE (OR TRANSFER) Good.
Discharge to own unit

Temp. 98 Pulse 70 Resp. 18

Date 19-10-42

E.J. Ryan S/L
Signature of Medical Officer