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MCMANUS
RUPERT GEORG

R 268539 4035

M. McManis, P. S.

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McMANUS R.G.

SJ095363 MCMANUS RUPERT G POB

1 NUMBER NAME 29 RANK

SERVICE AWARD CARD

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

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Mrs. Edna M. McManus (Widow)
4728 Rivard St.,
Montreal,
Que.

O.K.
16/1/50.

~~Mar 46.~~

MEMORIAL BAR
DATE DESP
REGN. NO 3151

NAME McMANUS, Rupert George, FILE NO. R268539

RANK P/O CATEGORY PRES?DEAD. REG. NO. J95363

DATE OF DEATH: 7 MARCH 45 MOTHER LIVING: YES WIFE: YES

MINISTERIAL CARD: 28-3-45 ROYAL MESSAGE:

MEMORIAL CROSS TO CHAPLAIN:

To Wife-

To Wife-7-12-45

DEL'D TO MOTHER:

DEL'D TO WIFE:

FEB 4 1946

FEB 3 1946

Mrs. R. G. McManus,
4728 Rivard Street,
Montreal, Quebec.

Mother-
Mrs. William McManus,
1654 Mount Royal Avenue East,
Montreal, Quebec.

COMMAND:

RELIGION:

MB

D-403 430 "B"

ATTESTATION

NON-PERMANENT ACTIVE MILITIA OF CANADA

UNIT 2ND REGIMENT 17TH D.Y.R.C. HUSSARS REGTL. No. M-255

1. Surname? (Block letters) McMANUS
2. Christian names? RUPERT, GEORGE
3. Present address? 4728 RIVARD ST.
   Phone No. LA 2009
4. Date of Birth?* Aug 5th 1907
5. British subject? Yes
6. Occupation? HEAD STARTER T. EATON CO
7. Religion? PROTESTANT
8. Next of Kin Wife
   Address 4728 Rivard
9. Relationship?
10. Previous Naval, Military or Air Force Service
    (Give particulars, qualifications, etc.)

York Rangers Cadets, Toronto.

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Height 5'6" Weight 154 lbs. Chest max 38 min 34

Descriptive marks Scar front rt. knee

I have examined the above named man in accordance with instructions laid down in Instructions for the R.C.A.M.C. and C.D.C. 1937 Appendix V and find him Fit Category A

Date AUG 8 - 1940 Signature [illegible] Maj.

DECLARATION TO BE MADE ON ATTESTATION

I, the undersigned Rupert George McManus do sincerely and solemnly declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above answers (made by me) to the foregoing questions are true; that I am willing to be attested for the term of three years or until legally discharged, and do understand the nature and terms of this engagement, that I will safeguard all clothing, arms and equipment issued to me and will return same when required, and that I will report any change in address of myself, or my next of kin to my Commanding Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN

I, Rupert George McManus do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

C E Coates — Rupert G McManus

Signature of Witness — Signature of Man

Dated this Aug 8th day of 1940 19 at Montreal

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 by law. The above questions 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 and replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath.

[illegible]

Signature of Magistrate, Justice of Peace, or Attesting Officer.

M.F.B. 235d

*To be shown day, month, year—Example:—25-8-39.

149267

Statement of Services

Promotions, Reductions, Transfers, Casualties, Annual Training, Qualification Certificates, etc.	Effective Date	Authority for Entry	Signatures of Officers Certifying Correctness of entries
Accepted for Service with effect from.....	8/8/40	R.O. 3. W.H.R.	..... Officer Commanding
.....			Unit.....
Attended Comp S.O.S. At Own Request	16/6/41	R.O. 32	N.A. Brady Sgt.
Medals and Decorations			

NOTE.—These entries are to be made from time to time as they occur and certified by the Officer making the entry.

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

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE SERVICE BOOK

INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFICERS AND AIRMEN

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

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

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

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

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

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Air Force No. ~~R268539~~ Surname McMANUS

Christian Names (in full) RUPERT GEORGE.

Date of Birth 5 Aug 1907 Religion U.C.

Date of Enlistment/~~Appointment~~ 11 Aug 43

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

Occupation in Civil Life Salesman

Signature of Holder R G McManus

Name and Address of Next-of-Kin

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

Mrs. R McManus.
4728 Rivard St.
Montreal, Que
(Wife

Certified Correct [illegible]

Date Place #1 Depot

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.(ep)	10-3-44	60A.	[illegible]

Rank	Date of Effect	Authority	Signature and Rank of Officer making Entry
Sgt.	10-3-44	60A	[illegible]
F/SGT	10.12.44	POR/91/44	[illegible] F/L
P/O	6.3.45	P/O 162/45	[illegible]

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	25 Apr 44	N. Young Sgt

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.#

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MEDICAL CLASSIFICATION

Date	Category	Medical Board or Medical Exam. (Form No.)	Unit	Initials of M.O.
28.2.44	A3B1	M.O.		M

BLOOD GROUP

Date	International	Initials of M.O.
	BLOOD GROUP O	

NIGHT VISUAL CAPACITY

Date	Score	Group	Initials of M.O.

IMMUNIZATION PROCEDURES
VACCINATION

Date	Result	Initials of M.O.
12-8-43	N.T.	M

Susceptibility Test	Date	Result	
Schick Test	12-8-43	Pos	M
Dick Test	12-8-43	neg	

PROTECTIVE INOCULATIONS*

Nature of Inoculation	Date	Dose	Initials of M.O.
DIPTOXI	19-8-43	1cc	M
" II	16-9-43	1cc	
T.A.B.T. I	12-8-43	1cc	
" II	2-9-43	1cc	
" III	27-9-43	1cc	
19 line neg	12-8-43	—	

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.

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: Mc MANUS. Rupert George (b) Reg'l. No. R166539
2. (a) Arm of service: RCAF (b) Unit: 1st M.D. Depot (c) Rank: Sgt. 2.
3. (a) Date of birth: 1907 (b) Have you any dependents? Yes (c) Place of residence at time of enlistment: Montreal
4. (a) Place of enlistment: Montreal (b) Date of enlistment: 11/8/42

Section B—EDUCATION AND TRAINING

5. (a) State age on finally leaving school: 14 (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.): 8 year
7. If you attended a university, give name of university and standing or degree secured: Nil
8. (a) Did you ever enter upon a trade apprenticeship? Yes (b) If so, for what occupation? Tool makers (c) Did you finish it? No (d) If you did not finish it, how long did you serve at it? 6 Mos.
9. (a) What languages do you speak fluently? English & French (b) What languages do you read well? English

Section C—EMPLOYMENT CONDITION AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT

10. (a) State whether you were WORKING or NOT WORKING at time of enlistment. (Enter here only "Working" or "Not Working," as case may be; particulars are asked for below): Working (b) At time of enlistment of what trade union or professional society were you a member?

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: Canadian Vickers Ltd Address: Contrecoeur
19. Nature of employer's business (for instance, "farmer," or "building contractor," or "boot factory," or "iron foundry," or "retail store," etc.): Aircraft. Dockyard
20. (a) Your specific occupation: Toolmakers helper (b) Number of years' experience at this occupation with any employer: 6 years
21. (a) Did your employer promise definitely to give you employment on discharge? no (b) Did your employer refuse to promise you employment on discharge? no (c) Do you wish to return to your former employment? yes

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?

R.C.A.F. Records Office
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Section F—PARTICULARS OF FARMING EXPERIENCE

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

Section G—MISCELLANEOUS

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

DATE 12/8/43 1943 SIGNATURE Rupert G McManus

CONFIDENTIAL 2

R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

R.C.A.F. M. 2
300M—4-41 (87)
H.Q. 1062-10-2

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

Medical Board held at Montreal Que *Date* August 4/43

FILE NUMBER R 268539

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Surname McManus *Chr. Names* RUPERT George

Nature of Commission M 2 *Date of Birth* Aug 5/07 *Married or Single* M

Branch General List *Hours Flown* 30 mins passenger

Address 4728 Rivard St., Montreal Que

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 Tonsilitis T & A at age of 14- No complications.
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 NO
Colour or Night Blindness NO

(viii) EAR TROUBLE, Earache or Discharge from Ears NO
Deafness, Noises in the Ears, or Dizziness NO
Frequent Colds in Head, Catarrh or Obstruction NO
Prolonged Hoarseness or Loss of Voice NO
Sea, Car or Train Sickness NO
Discomfort on Swings, Roundabouts, Switchbacks NO

(ix) OPERATIONS Setting of broken jaw Nov 29 9 weeks treatment- good recovery

(x) Any illness or Injury not mentioned above None

Education Grade VIII

Present Occupation Tool maker hlper Hobbies Reading

Previous Service 17th Duke of York(DYRNN) Reserve 1½ yrs.

Athletics Hunting, fishing, hockey, golf, swimming, baseball.

Habits—Smoking 15 cigs a day Alcohol Moderately

FAMILY HISTORY—Consumption No Diabetes No Haemophilia No
Nervous Ailments, Mental Trouble, or "Fits" No

Father Alive—Health Fair Dead—Cause N.A.

Mother Alive—Health Good Dead—Cause N.A.

Brothers (3) Alive—Health Good (0) Dead—Cause N.A.

Sisters (1) Alive—Health Good (1) Dead—Cause Pneumonia in 1920

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 accepted for Service, or if accepted, of being discharged or retired and forfeit any claim to gratuity or other award.

Date August 4/43 *Signature* Rupert G McManus *Witness* E J Lecavalier Pte

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GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL EXAMINATION

Impression given by *(a)* Physique Wiry *(b)* Mentality Average
Body Marks, Scars, Deformities Scar on right knee
Size of Thyroid Gland Normal
Surgical Abnormalities Cyst on left wrist . No pain or tenderness
Results of Wounds, Injuries, Operations N.A.

	Date Augu 4/43	Date	Date	Remarks on any Abnormalities Found
Height (ins.)	66			
Weight (lbs.)	146			Date
Chest Circumference (ins.)	36 39			
Body Build (lbs.)	- 1			
Leg Length (ins.)	39			
Pulse Rate — Sitting	84			
Pulse Rate — Standing 1st	/			
Pulse Rate — Standing 2nd	/			
Pulse Rate — After Exercise	/			
Pulse Rate — Time to Normal	/			
Arterial Walls	Soft			Date
Blood Pressure — Systolic	116			
Blood Pressure — Diastolic	80			
Room Temperature	/			
Heart — Size (in cms.)	N			
Heart — Sounds	N			
Heart — Rhythm	N			
Lungs — Inspection	N			
Lungs — Palpation	N			
Lungs — Percussion	N			
Lungs — Auscultation	N			
Lungs — Expiratory Force	N.A.			
Lungs — X-Ray	Neg			Date
Reflexes — Knee	N			
Reflexes — Ankle	N			
Reflexes — Triceps	N			
Reflexes — Abdominal	N			
Reflexes — Plantar	Flexor			
Cranial Nerves	N			
Balancing Rod	R. L. N.A.	R. L.	R. L.	
Self Balancing	R. L. N.A.	R. L.	R. L.	
Tremors — Fingers	S			Date
Tremors — Eyelids	S			
Abdomen — Liver	N			
Abdomen — Spleen	N			
Abdomen — Muscular Tone	N			
Urine — Albumen	Neg			
Urine — Sugar	Neg			
Initials of M.O.	E.V.L.			

40 mm. Hg. Test 70 secs 7 - 7 7 6 , 7 6 7 , 7 6 6 , 7 7 6 , 6 6 E.V.L. F/L.
Date
Date
Date
Date

Physcally fit E.VL. F/L.

GENERAL REMARKS BY THE MEDICAL OFFICER ON HIS IMPRESSIONS OF THE CANDIDATE

No. 13 Recruiting Centre

Fit ~~A1B~~
A3B (Turret)
A3B
~~A1B (Vision)~~

Date. ugust 4th/43

E.V.Lecavalier F/L. M.O.

No. 3 M.D.

A1B
~~A3B (T)~~
~~A1B~~
~~A3B (V)~~

Date: 16.8.43

Lt. R.C. M.O.

Good physical condition. Army experience, Slightly defective right visual acuity but does not preclude candidate from being air gunner, which is his choice. Fit turret category and navigator "B".

E.V. Lecavalier F/L.

J.C. Bélanger F/L.

No. 5 M.D.

~~A1B~~
A3B (T)
~~A3B~~
~~A3B (V)~~

Date: 16.8.43

Lt. R.C. M.O.

MEDICAL RECHECK

I certify upon my honor that I have suffered no illness or disability since my last medical examination for the RCAF.

B McManus
Rupert G. McManus (Signature)

Date 11 Aug 43

B Cole
(Witness)

OBSERVATIONS AND FINDINGS OF THE REVIEWING MEDICAL OFFICER

Date.....

[redacted]

Date: 27-11-43
Height: 67 1/2 Weight: 143
Vision: 20/20 20/20
C.V.; normal
[redacted] (C.P.T.)

Pre-Graduation Recheck

Date: Feb. 28.44
Height: 66 1/2 **Weight:** 140
Vision: 20/20 20/30 C.V.N (CPT)
Ears: N **Hearing:** N
Nose: Septum dev. to right **Sinuses:** N
M. O. #10 B. & G.

EYE EXAMINATION

History: None

Visual Acuity	R.20/ 25, c̄ x 2.50 = 20/100		
	L.20/ 20, c̄ =		
Colour Vision	Normal RCAF. Lantern		
~~Red, Green~~	M.R. Ortho		
Diaphragm Test (P.D. = 58mm)	crowding at 3		
Convergence	C. = 8 cms.		
	S. C. = 10 cms.		
Accommodation	R. 12		
	L. 12		
Cover Test	Normal Movement		
Fundi and Media	N		
Fields	N		
REMARKS:	R.E. not correctible		
	Fit $\frac{A}{a}$ 1 B A 3 B T()		
	Initials of M.O. E.V.L.	*Initials of M.O.*	*Initials of M.O.*
	Date Aug 4/43	*Date*	*Date*

EXAMINATION OF EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

History: T & A at age 14- No compliwations since

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	Patent	
	L. Ear	Patent	
Cochlear Apparatus	R. Ear	/	
	L. Ear	/	
Vestibular Apparatus	R. Ear	/	
	L. Ear	/	
Buccal Cavity		Healthy	
Teeth		Upper partial plate	
Gums		N	
Pharynx		N	
Nasopharynx		Not seen	
Nose		Clear airways	
Larynx		Not seen	
REMARKS:	Fit		
		Initials of M.O. E.V.L.	*Initials of M.O.*	*Initials of M.O.*
		Date Aug 4/43	*Date*	*Date*

FOR COMPLETION AND RETURN BY [redacted]

Form P. 64

Mrs. Rupert G. McManus
4728 Rivard St.
Montreal, Que.

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to:—

THE DIRECTOR OF ESTATES,
DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE,
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

and the following number quoted:—

H.Q. J.95368 FD 326

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

ESTATES BRANCH

OTTAWA, ONT.

January 2nd 194 6.

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

McMANUS, Rupert G. P/O

J.95363 R.C.A.F. O/S

ESTATES BRANCH JAN 17 1946 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.

GH: MV

Director of Estates.

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

ANSWER IN FULL ALL APPLICABLE QUESTIONS

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

Degrees of Relationship	RELATIVES required to be accounted for		INFORMANT'S STATEMENT: NAME IN FULL of any Relative, if any, in each degree specified	Age	ADDRESS IN FULL of each surviving Relative, opposite his or her name, and date of death of each deceased relative
1	Widow of the Deceased		Edna May. Mc Manus	37	4728 Renard St. Montreal
2	Children of the Deceased and dates of their Births		William Ronald Mc Manus May 22 - 1927 Montreal.	18	4728 Renard St Montreal
3	Father of the Deceased		William Mc Manus.	69?	Died June 22 - 43
4	Mother of the Deceased		Kate Mc Manus.	73	1654 Mt Royal ave. East.
5	Brothers of the Deceased	Full Blood	Lindsay Mc Manus	36	110 Kelly St.
			Howard Mc Manus.	48	1654 Mt Royal Est.
			Charlie Mc Manus.	45	3224 Yukon St Vancouver.
		Half Blood			
6	Sisters of the Deceased	Full Blood	Hazel Mc Manus.	42	1654 Mt Royal Est.
			Eileen M. Manus.	14	Died. in Toronto.
		Half Blood			

7	Names of brothers or sisters (whether of the full or the half blood) of the Deceased, *who are dead* and date of death of each.	Names and ages of their children (if any)	Address of their children

8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24

ANSWER FULLY EACH QUESTION ON THIS PAGE

PARTICULARS AS TO IDENTITY

8	Full names of the deceased.	Rupert George Mc Ivans
9	Date of his birth.	Aug. 5 - 1907
10	Place and date of his marriage.	Montreal Dec. 2 - 1926.
11	Place and date of his parents' marriage.	

PARTICULARS OF DOMICILE

12	Place where deceased was born.	Brownsburg. Que.
13	State, in order, the Province, State and/or County in which he resided before enlistment and the period of time in each.	(a) Montreal . 23 yrs (b) Toronto . 6 .. (c) (d) Brownsburg . 10 yrs .
14	Nature of employment before enlistment.	Vickers Tool makers assistant.
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.	Montreal

PARTICULARS OF ESTATE

17	Did the deceased leave a Will other than a Service Will? If in your custody, please forward. If not, can you state where it is?	no
18	If married, and domiciled in the Province of Quebec or in a State in the U.S.A. or in a Country under the laws of which there is community of property between spouses,—was there a marriage contract dealing with property?	no .
19	(a) Did he have a Bank, Post Office or other deposit account? (b) Give name and address of bank, etc., and the amount on deposit. (c) Do you wish it administered with the pay account? (d) If it is a joint account, state the survivor's name and relationship to the deceased.	no
20	Amount of War Savings Certificates purchased by the deceased and registered in his name. State where located.	no
21	(a) Amount of Victory Loan Bonds left by deceased. (b) State whether bearer or registered. (c) State in whose name they are registered. (d) During what loan were they purchased? (1st, 2nd, 3rd, etc.) (e) In whose possession, and address, are they?	no
22	If deceased had life insurance, name companies and amount payable under each policy and the person named as beneficiary therein.	no
23	Describe other assets, if any, and estimated value thereof. Use space on page 4 if necessary.	no .

OTHER PARTICULARS

24	Did the deceased after enlistment incur any debts for:— (a) His own separate board and lodging while on service. (b) Service clothing and equipment. An itemized account for each such debt should be attached hereto, and if same is correct you should mark the bill "approved" and sign same. If believed incorrect, give particulars.	no .

(Please Turn Over)

DECLARATION

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

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

*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.

Mrs Edna May M. Manus — Signature of Informant

4728 Renard St Montreal — Address

CERTIFICATE

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

See above. Mrs. Edna M. Mc Manus {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 Montreal this 14th day of January 1946

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

Albert Raymond Qualification Commissioner Superior Court

Address 4 Notre Dame St. E. Montreal

NOTE.—Before granting the above Certificate, care should be taken to see that the informant gives particulars concerning the death of any Relative stated by him or her to have died, and that the full name and address and age of each surviving Relative specified is stated in its proper place in the Statement opposite.

(If the deceased has no living relatives of the degrees shown on page 2, the names and addresses and relationship of other relatives should be set out below.)

USE SPACE BELOW FOR ANY ADDITIONAL REMARKS YOU MAY WISH TO MAKE

R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

AIR FORCE NO. R 268539 POSTED TO #5 M.D. Lachine, Que. TRADE Std. Aircrew

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

(ATTESTATION PAPER)

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

1. Surname McManus FULL Christian Names Rupert, GEORGE
2. Present Address 4728 Rivard St. Montreal, Que. Telephone
3. Permanent Address 4728 Rivard St, Montreal, Que.
4. Place of Birth Brownsburg, Que. Citizenship Canadian,
5. Date of Birth August 5th, 1907 / Married, Single, Widower, Separated, Divorced Married
6. Particulars of Children

Name	Date of birth	Name	Date of birth
William Ronald McManus	May 22, 1927		

7. Occupation Tool maker 8. Religion United Church (State denomination)
9. Languages Perfect English and French (State proficiency)
10. Next of Kin (Full Name) Mrs. R. McManus (Edna Perry) Relationship wife
    " Address 4728 Rivard St. Montreal, Que.
11. Father (Full Name) William McManus Birthplace Brownsburg, Que.
    " Address 1654 Mount Royal Ave. East, Mtl. Citizenship Canadian
    " Occupation Shipper
12. Mother (Full Maiden Name) Katherine MacAllaster Birthplace Brownsburg, Que.
    " Address 1654 Mount Royal Ave. East, Montreal Citizenship Canadian
13. Details of any Naval, Military or Air Force Service:

Unit	Place	Rank	Trade	Date From	Date To	Reason for discharge
(R) 17th Duke of York	Montreal	Private	----	1940	1941	lost interest
				17 months		

R.C.A.F. Records Office
Rec'd. AUG 14 1943
O.K. C.I.B.
R.C. N.I.
S.L. P.A.

14. Honours, Awards, Mentions NO
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? N.A.
    When? N.A. Result N.A.
17. Were you ever discharged from any branch of His Majesty's Forces as Medically Unfit? N.A.
    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.

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400M—6-40 (5739)
H.Q. 1062-3-83

681-241

21. Particulars of Education:

—	Name of school	Date From	Date To	Courses—Subjects, etc.
Primary Education—Public or Separate School	Bwg Public School	1913	1916	grammar school
	Ogden School, Tor.	1916	1918	" "
	McCaul School Tor.	1918	1921	" "
High School—Collegiate Institute, etc.				
Technical School				
University or School other than above				
Correspondence Courses, etc.	I.C.S. Course	1943	present (Feb.)	Mathematics Course

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

Employer and place	Duties, trades, positions	Date From	Date To	Reason for leaving
Gutta Percha Rubber Co. Toronto	Checker	1922	1924	lack of work
Capitol Theatre Montreal	Usher	1924	1926	for better position
Windsor Hotel "	Bell Boy Captain	1926	1929	" " "
T. Eaton Co. "	Elevator Insp.	1929	1937	" " "
Libby McNeil & Libby Co. Mtl.	Salesman	1937	1939	lack of work
T. Eaton Co. "	Elevator Insp.	1939	1943	for higher salary
Can. Vickers "	Tool Maker	1943	present	

23. Flying Experience (in Hours) Solo N.A. Dual N.A. Passenger 30 minutes

24. Special Qualifications, Hobbies, etc., useful to the R.C.A.F. English fluently, French fair, fair knowledge of mechanics.

25. Sports engaged in. State: extensively, moderately, occasionally hockey, swimming, baseball extensively and all others occasionally.

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 Std Aircrew (Air Gunner only)
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	Occupation
Mr. C. Lack,	5144 Mac Donald Ave. N.D.G.	Flourist
Mr. G. Carmichael	4818 Melrose Ave. N.D.G.	Mgr in T. Eaton Co.
Mrs. P. Lawlor	841 Champaneur St. Apt. 4 Outremont	Housewife
Mrs. P. McAineh	2208 Regent Ave.	"

28. Other information that may have any bearing on this application No

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 2nd August, 1943. 19 Signature Robert G McManus

DG.

87 St. Laur. St. Henri, Mtl.
73 Aug 15th 1941
NATIONAL REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE C/2
PRODUCED
4/5/43

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sworn d aug 11th 1943

(A) *Report of Interviewing Officer—*

Type.....General appearance.....

Suitability for (state in what capacity).....

Date.....Signature.....Rank.....

(B) *Report of Trade Test—*

Trade in which tested.....

Result.....

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

.....

Date.....Signature.....Rank.....

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

I, Rupert George MC MANUS 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 August 11th 1943 Rupert G McManus
Signature of Recruit

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

I, Rupert George McMANUS do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

Date August 11th 1943 Rupert G McManus
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 August 11th day of August 1943

R. J. Wilson
Signature of Officer

F/O
Rank

Montreal P2
No 13 R&P.
Unit

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CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Part 1. Information obtained from the applicant—

1. Age. 35 2. Have you ever suffered from any of the following defects in health?

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

Rupert McManus
Signature of Applicant

Examiner's Remarks *re* above

T & A at age 14- No co mplications.

Setting of broken jaw Nov'29- 9 weeks treatment- Good recovery

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

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

Scar on right knee

Cyst on left wrist-

2. Height 5 feet 6 inches. 3. Weight 146 pounds.

4. Complexion medium 5. Color of Eyes brown Hair brown

6. Development {Good / ~~Fair~~ / ~~Poor~~} 7. Chest Measurement—Full expiration 36 inches

Range of expansion 3 inches

8. Hearing—Right W.V. 20' Left W.V. 20' Tympana—Right Normal Left Normal

9. Vision—Without glasses—Right 20/25 With glasses—Right N.A.

Left 20/20 Left N.A.

10. Condition of mouth and teeth Healthy

11. Urine—Albumen Neg Sugar Neg

12. Abnormalities (Congenital and Pathological) found on Examination

None

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 1 B
A 3 B Turret
A 3 B
A 3 B ision

5 August/43 X-Ray 200181 negative JdB F/L

Any special remarks of the Medical Officers

Good physical condition- Army experience.

Slightly defective right visual acuity but does not preclude candidate from being air gunner, which is his choice. Fit turret category and navigator "B"

Part 2 Cont.

13. Reflexes N
14. Heart N
15. Lungs N
16. Blood Pressure S. D. 116-80
17. Colour Vision Normal Ishi RCAF

MEDICAL RECHECK

I certify upon my honor that I have (not) had illness or disability since my last medical examination for the RCAF.

Date Aug. H. Rupert McManus 19 43

(Signature)

Date

President — Member — Member

((Witness))

AIR FORCE No. ~~R.268559~~

MC MANUS, RUPERT GEORGE

SURNAME — FULL CHRISTIAN NAMES

ENLISTMENT — PLACE Montreal Que — DATE 11-8-43

RE-ENLISTMENT

R.C.A.F. R-44B (REVISED) 25M-10-42 (2834) H.Q. 885-R44B

Res SS

J95363

OFFICER RECORD OF SERVICE AIRMEN

Comm 13 6-3-45

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

S.O.S. OR T.O.S.	UNIT AND PLACE	EFFECTIVE			D.R.O.
	5MD 23-8a-005				
T.O.S.	5 M W Lachine	11	8	43	5MW191
S.O.S.	5 M W Lachine	3	10	43	5MW236
T.O.S.	23 Paed Toronto	4	10	43	23PaE97
S.O.S.	23 Pae Toronto	14	11	43	23Pae109
T.O.S.	#13 S.F.T.S. St Hubert	15	11	43	13SF274
S.O.S.	#13 SFTS. St. Hubert PQ	26	11	43	13SF284
T.O.S.	#10 B.G.S. sch. Mount Pleasant PEI	27	11	43	10BG104
S.O.S.	10 B.G. Mount Pleasant amended	24	3	44	10BG72B 10BG60A
	4 A.G.T.S. Valleyfield				
S.O.S.	10 B.G.S. Mt. Pleasant	24	3	44	10BG72B
T.O.S.	3 A.G.T.S. Three Rivers, Que	25	3	44	3AGT867
S.O.S.	3 A.G.T.S.	22	4	44	3AGT883
T.O.S.	1 Y Lachine	23	4	44	1Y98
S.O.S.	1 "Y" Depot Lachine #3 P. R.C.	3	5	44	1Y115
	Missing 8 Mar. 45. DCL971 d/14 Mar. 45.				
	Presumed dead 7 Mar. 45. DCL1174 d/22 Nov. 45.				
Disch	On Appoint to Comm	5	3	45	NEU143.
T.O.S.	On Appoint to Comm	6	3	45	NEU143.

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

S.O.S. OR T.O.S.	UNIT AND PLACE	EFFECTIVE			D.R.O.

LEAVE-TRANSPORTATION WARRANT

FROM	TO	DAYS	REMARKS (TYPE)	D.R.O.	T.W.D.R.O.
50 11-3-44	24-3-44	14	Embark	10BG60A	

TYPE OF SERVICE AIRCRAFT QUALIFIED TO FLY

TYPE	D.R.O.

QUARTERS-RATIONS-SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE

FROM	TO	D.R.O.

FLYING TIME

DATE	SINGLE ENGINE DAY	SINGLE ENGINE NIGHT	MULTI-ENGINED DAY	MULTI-ENGINED NIGHT	CREW DUTIES OBSERVER	CREW DUTIES GUNNER	CREW DUTIES OTHER	PASS.	TOTAL

R.C.A.F. OVERSEAS — ENLISTMENT MARITAL STATUS — PRESENT MARITAL STATUS — HIGH & TECH. SCHOOL EDUCATION — C. OF E. BAP. — U.C. PRES. — R.C. — HEB. — MTG. — OTHER PRO. — PREV. SERV. — RELIGION — PROVINCE OF ENLISTMENT — DISCHARGE — AC

AIR FORCE No. R261[illegible] / J 95363

MC MANUS, RUPERT GEORGE

SURNAME — FULL CHRISTIAN NAMES

OFFICER

RECORD OF SERVICE AIRMEN

ENLISTMENT — PLACE Montreal Que — DATE 11-8-43

RE-ENLISTMENT

Ro SS

Conn 6-3-45

BIRTH: DATE — PLACE — CITIZENSHIP

5-8-07 - Brownsburg Que - Br. 2

FATHER (FULL NAME) William Mc Manus

BIRTHPLACE Brownsburg Que

MOTHER (FULL MAIDEN NAME) Katherine Mae Allister

BIRTHPLACE Brownsburg Que

EDUCATIONAL STANDING

HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE 7 Que

JUNIOR MATRICULATION

SENIOR MATRICULATION

TECHNICAL SCHOOL

UNIVERSITY X

CORRESPONDENCE COURSES I C S Course Mathematics 1943

OTHER

CIVIL OCCUPATIONS OR EXPERIENCE USEFUL TO R.C.A.F.

Gutta Percha Rubber - Checker - 1922-24
Capitol Theatre - Usher 1924-26
Windsor Hotel Mtl - Bell Boy Captain - 1926-34
T. Eaton Co - Elevator Inspector - 1930-34
Libby McNeil - Salesman - 1934-39
T. Eaton - Elevator Inspector 1939-43
Can Vrekes - Tool Maker 3330 1943-43

PREVIOUS ARMY, NAVY OR AIR FORCE SERVICE

17 (R) Duke of Yorks Montreal Pte 1940-41

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HONOURS-AWARDS, MENTIONS	AUTHORITY	DATE
AG Badge	10 BG 60A	10-3-44

FLYING EXPERIENCE ON ENLISTMENT (HOURS)

SOLO — DUAL — PASSENGER 30 min

RELIGION R C 2

LANGUAGES English 1

SPORTS Hockey, swimming, baseball ext - all other sports (rec)

PERMANENT HOME ADDRESS PRIOR TO ENLISTMENT

4728 Ruard St, Montreal Que 2302

SINGLE-MARRIED-WIDOWER-SEPARATED-DIVORCED married

WIFE (FULL MAIDEN NAME)

PLACE OF MARRIAGE — DATE 2

AUTHORITY (IF AFTER ENLISTMENT)

MARRIED ESTABLISHMENT

REMARKS	RANK	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.

CHILDREN

CHRISTIAN NAMES	BIRTH DATE	D.R.O.	CHRISTIAN NAMES	BIRTH DATE	D.R.O.
William Ronald	22-5-27				

NEXT OF KIN (ADDRESS AND D.R.O. IN PENCIL)

FULL NAME: Mrs R. Mc Manus — RELATIONSHIP Wife

ADDRESS 4728 Ruard St, Montreal — D.R.O. Que

FULL NAME: — RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS — D.R.O.

PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF CASUALTY

FULL NAME: — RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS — D.R.O.

FULL NAME: — RELATIONSHIP

ADDRESS — D.R.O.

ENGAGEMENTS

TERM	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.	TERM	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.
Dur	11 8 43				

PAY ENTRIES (OFFENCE FORFEITURES, STOPPAGES IN RED INK)

RATE CHANGES, ETC.	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.	RATE CHANGES, ETC.	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.

RECLASS'NS-PROMOTIONS-ETC.

RANK	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.
a/c 2B	11 8 43	5 MD 191
L/A/C	31 1 44	10 BG 28
Sgt T/Rd	10 3 44	10 BG 60A
W/O 1 T/Rd	10 12 44	AFB 1293
		Grant Off. 30 5 44
P/O Conv.	6 3 45	GB 1625
		Can Rank P/Off 6 3 45
		APR 296 d/17-9-45
P/O 6-3-45 (APR 296 d/17-9-45)		

TRADE AND CHARACTER

TRADE	GROUP	EFFECTIVE	D.R.O.
a/c	S	11 8 43	5 MD 191
310-S			
AIC A.G.		19 8 43	5 MD 198
ac a/c 1/T/Sgt A.G.		10 3 44	10 BG 60A
		6 3 45	GB 1625
Can Rank P/Off	Ch	6 3 45	APR 296 d/17-9-45

TRADE PROFICIENCY	CHARACTER ASSESSMENT	DATE OF R41

MEDICAL HISTORY

EXAMINATIONS (IN RED INK)

DATE	FORM	CATEGORY	REMARKS

HOSPITALIZATION (IN BLACK INK)

HOSPITAL / QUARTERS	ADMITTED / CONFINED	DISCHARGED / RET'N DUTY	D.R.O.
4-8-43	R 1 CD	A1B-A3B / A3B-A3B	

COURSES-TESTS, ETC.

SUBJECT	RESULT	DATE	AUTHORITY
Gunfire 72	Pass	4 1	10 BG 14
Trans to Car 72			10 BG 18

DOCUMENT CONTROL

R60	R79	B465	X-RAY	AFM-13	IDN. CARD	O.H.F.	
							IX X

AIR FORCE No. R95363 R268539

SURNAME: McMANUS

FULL CHRISTIAN NAME: RUPERT GEORGE

R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

ENLISTMENT/APPOINTMENT — PLACE MONTREAL QUE — DATE AUG. 11-43

RELIGION: UNITED

R.C.A.F. FORM R230

TYPE OF LEAVE

FROM	TO	No. DAYS	DESCRIPTION	AUTH.
24-12-43	29-12-43	5	Xmas w/RA	DRO 122
16-3-44	24-3-44	14	Embarkation	DRO. 60a
24-5-44	31-5-44	4	Pmy leave	2 PREP(T) 126/44 2 HOTU
4-7-44	9-7-44	6	P/L.	64/44
23-7-44	28-7-44	6	P. Leave	24 OTU 71/44
22-9-44		13	P L.	24-OTU 88/44
2-2-45		9	P.L.	408 Sq. 14

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
10 3 44	Cat. "A" G	DRO. 60G. AFRO 1851/45

HONOURS, AWARDS AND MENTIONS

DATE	AWARD	AUTHORITY
10 3 44	Awarded Air Gunners Badge	DRO. 60a

POSTINGS, ATTACHMENTS & TEMPORARY DUTY

SOS TOS	FROM	TO	DATE	AUTHORITY
TOS	#13 A.E.C. C#5 MD	Mtl/Que LACHINE	11 8 43	DA 0# "
TOS	#0.5 M.U.	#0	11 8 43	191-43
SOS	5 M.U.	23 PAED	31 10 43	DRO 236/43
SOS	#23 PAED	#13 SFTS	14 11 43	" 109
TOS	#23 PAED	#13 SFTS	15 11 43	DRO 274
SOS	#13 SFTS	#10 B+G ST. HUBERT MOUNT PLEASANT	26 11 43	DRO 284
SOS	10 BGS	#2 AGTS Valley field	24 3 44	DRO. 60a
TOS			28 3 44	DRO 67
SOS	No. 2 A.G.T.S. #1	"Y" Flight	22 4 44	DRO 82
~	"Y" Flight	3 PRC	3 5 44	" 112
	Embs. Halifax		3 5 44	
	Disembs. UK		10 5 44	
	3 PRC	Lvc 224	11 5 44	
T.O.S	24 O.T.U. from 3 PRE		13 6 44	3 PRE(T) 140/44 24 OTU 60/44
S.O.S	24 OTU	to 61 Base	4 10 44	61 Base 405/44. 24 OTU 90/44
Att	Dalton		4/11 10/11 44	61 Base 405/44.
Att	1664 CU		5/11 11/12 44	61 Base 405/44. 76 BASE 534 1664 CU 122.
T.O.S.	408 Sqn	fr 76 BASE	11 12 44	76 BASE 534 1664 CU 122. 408 Sqn 87
F/B	MISSING		7 3 45	CL 715
TOS	NEU		8 3 45	NEU 55/45
SOS	UKNEU	to Comm(SR)	5 3 45	UKNEU 143/45.
TOS	UKNEU.		6 3 45	UKNEU 143/45.
	Now Presumed Dead		7. 3 45	R.CAJCR #0837
SOS	UKNEU	PDead	7 3 45	NEU 185/45

ADVISE ENTRIES
UNIT RECORDS RETURNED
TO CANADA

Embs. 3/5/44.

ALL OTHER CASUALTIES

CASUALTY AND DATE	AUTHORITY

AIR FORCE No. R268539 C.95363.

R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

SURNAME	FULL CHRISTIAN NAME	ENLISTMENT/~~APPOINTMENT~~	RELIGION
McMANUS	~~Rup~~ RUPERT GEORGE	PLACE MONTREAL, QUE DATE AUG. 11-43	UNITED

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

Comm. 6-March-45.

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

BIRTH DATE	PLACE	COUNTRY	CITIZENSHIP	RACIAL ORIGIN
5-8-07	BROWNSBURG, QUE	CANADA	CANADIAN	CANADIAN

CIVIL EDUCATION

PUBLIC SCHOOL	JUNIOR MATRICULATION
HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE X	SENIOR MATRICULATION
TECHNICAL SCHOOL	UNIVERSITY
CORR./BUSINESS COURSES	LANGUAGES SPOKEN ENGLISH + FRENCH

CIVIL OCCUPATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

CHECKER 1922-24	TOOLMAKER 1943
USHER 1924-26	
BELLBOY CAPTAIN 1926-29	
ELEVATOR INSP. 1930-37, 1939-43	
SALESMAN 1937-39	

PREVIOUS SERVICE

17TH DOFY MONTREAL PTE 1940-41

PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY	PLACE AND DATE OF MEDICAL	CATEGORY
MONTREAL 4-8-43	A1BA3BT A3BA3BV		

PARTICULARS OF FAMILY

SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWER, DIVORCED MARRIED
WIFE (FULL MAIDEN NAME) OR HUSBAND Edna Perry.
PRESENT ADDRESS (IN PENCIL) 4728 RIVARD ST. MONTREAL.
PLACE OF MARRIAGE Montreal Que. DATE 2/12/1926
AUTHORITY (IF AFTER APPOINTMENT/ENLISTMENT)

CHILDREN

NAMES	PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH	NAMES	PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH
William Ronald	22-5-27 (FORM 44B)		

NAME(S), ADDRESS(ES), RELATIONSHIP OF PERSON(S) TO BE INFORMED OF CASUALTIES (IN PENCIL)
Mrs. R McManus (Wife)
4728 Rivard St., Montreal, Que.

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 (R) S.S. G.L. GUNN. OFF.	6 3 45	O/O 1625/45	AFRO 1478/45

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

AIRMEN AND AIRWOMEN

RANK	DATE	AUTH.	TRADE	DATE	AUTH.
AC2	11 8 43		AIRCREW	11 8 43	
LAC	31 1 44	DRO 28	Aircrew		ORO
T/Sgt (P)	10 3 44	DRO 60a	A. G.	19 8 43	19 8 43
T/7/Sgt	10 12 44	O/O 1293/44	A G Sp Grp	10 3 44	DRO 60a

OFFICERS, AIRMEN/AIRWOMEN

COURSE OR TRADE	GRP.	%	PF	DATE
AIRCREW	S		P	
Rem. A.G.	Sp.		P.	10 3 44

ADVISE ENTRIES
UNIT RECORDS RETURNED
TO CANADA

The instructions regarding this form are contained in Section 56, A.P. 837 (Manual of Administration). **R.A.F. Form 1580.**

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

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

Official No. CAN.R~~268539~~ J 98363 Name MCMANUS, Rupert George

(In full block capitals, surname first).

Rank ~~T/SGT~~ P/O R.A.F. Trade and Group Air Gunner Grp.2 Medical Category

Last enlisted / enrolled 11.8.43 Current engagement D. of W. SR

(To state whether in R.A.F., Class "E" or "F" Reserve, R.A.F., R.A.F.V.R. or W.A.A.F.)

(Section I to be referred to when reckoning service for progressive pay, time re-classification, etc.)

Date of Birth 5.8.07 Whether married, single or widow(er) M

Occupation in civil life Checker 1922-24 ; Usher 1924-26; Bell Boy Captain 1926-29 Religion United

Special qualifications Elevator Insp.1930-37- 1939-43. Salesman 1937-39

(See K.R. and A.C.I. 2132 (16) (b)).

Description on entry :—Height ft. ins. Colour of eyes

Complexion Colour of hair Marks or scars

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

Mrs. K. McManus (wife) 4728 Rivard St. Montreal Que.

Name, address and relationship of person (or persons) to be informed of casualties in addition to next of kin (to be entered in pencil) :

Nok Kin

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

Section I.—Movements and Casualties.

Unit FROM which.	Unit TO which.	Date of Effect.	Whether specially Recommended (SR) Recommended (R) or not Rec'd (NR) for Promotion or Re-classification
3 A.G.T.S.	1 Y Depot	22.4.44	
1 Y Depot	U.K.	3.5.44	
	Emb.Halifax	3.5.44	
	Disemb.U.K.	10.5.44	
Int.C.224	3 RCAF PRC	11.5.44	
3 RCAF PRC	24 OTU	13.6.44	
24 OTU	61(RCAF) BASE	4.10.44	
76 Base	408 Sqdn R.C.A.F.	10/12/44	
408 Sqdn.	U.K.M.Unit	8.3.45	
Missing 7.3.45.			
Discharged ~~To~~ on appointment To Commission		5.3.45	

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

* Authority.	Description.	Date of Effect.
	Aircrew Std. AC2	11.8.43
	Air Gunner " AC2	19.8.43
	" " " LAC	31.1.44
	" " Spec. T/SGT	10.3.44
	Air Gunner Grp.2 T/SGT	10.3.44
P.O.R. 91/41	Promoted T. Flt Sgt	10.12.44

Section 4.—Character and Trade Proficiency.

(To be assessed on the occasions shown in A.M.O. "A" 1268/43.)

Rank	Character	Trade	Proficiency A.	Proficiency B.	Date.	Signature and Rank of Assessing Officer.	Rank	Character	Trade.	Proficiency A.	Proficiency B.	Date.	Signature and Rank of Assessing Officer.
F/Sgt.	V.G.	A/G.	Of strengthless		31.12.44	[illegible]							
F/Sgt	V.G.	A.G.	Sat	Sat	8.2.45	[illegible]							

Section 5.—Recommendations for *Trade and Air Crew Training, Special Recommendations for Reclassification (Aircraft Hands) and for promotion to Flight Sergeant or Warrant Officer (see A.M.O. A 676/42), Recommendations for Commissions, Results of Courses of Instruction (including Recruits Training) and Local Training (e.g., Anti-Gas, Ground Defence Training, etc.)

Authority and Date.	Nature.	Authority and Date.	Nature.

* Recommendations for Trade Training to be entered in pencil.

Section 6.—Decorations, Mentions, Special Commendations by A.O.sC., etc.

Authority and Date.	Nature.
10.3.44	Awarded Air Gunner Badge.

Aug. 5th, 1907

Applicant for AIRCREW (X) or for GROUND DUTY ( ) Date...Aug. 2nd, 1943.....

PERSONAL RECORD Enlistment Date..Aug. 11th, 1943.....

1. NAME....McMANUS.....Rupert George.....2. Air Force Number.R.268539.....
(Surname and Christian names in block letters)

3. EDUCATION: Highest standing attained, Province and course (e.g. XII Ont. Tech).
.....VIII. Que.....Dates of last school attended: From..1918....To..1921.

4. [redacted]EST, Form	Score	Date
(a) C.T. ...4	46	July 29th, 1943
(b) A.A.T.		
(c) [redacted]		
(d) [redacted]		
(e) M.A.T.		
(f) W.T.		
(g) M.T.		

(h) Compansating Factors (if any).....

(i) Suitable for AIRCREW (X)
GROUND DUTIES ( )
TRADE..Aircrew Std.....

DATE: Aug. 4th, 1943. Signature: J.L.P. Lambert, F.O.

5. CIVIL EXPERIENCE: (In chronological order by years, without intervals)

Employer	Business & Place	Details of Duties	From	To
Gutta Percha Rubber Co.	Toronto, Ont.	Checker	1922	1924
Capital Theatre	Montreal, P.Q.	Ussher	1924	1926
Windsor Hotel	"	Bell Boy Captain	1926	1929
T. Eaton Co.	"	Salesman Insp. Elv.	1930	1937
Libby McNeil & Libby Co.	"	Salesman	1937	1939
T. Eaton Co.	"	Inspector	1839	1943
Can. Vickers	"	Tool Maker	1943,	to date

6. Details of Service or Similar Training: (e.g. military, militia, COTC, cadets, etc)
.....17th Hussards.....

7. HOBBIES & SPORTS (a) In school years.....
(b) In civil life...Very active in sports.....

8. OTHER QUALIFICATIONS: (e.g. Languages, First Aid, Mechanics, Knowledge of Typing)
.....English fleuntly French fair. fair knowledge of mechanics.....

9. AGE.....35.....HEIGHT....66".....WEIGHT....143.....
Visual Acuity...20-20..20-25.....Colour Vision..N. Lantern...Medical Category...A3B(T)..
(Mark X as applicable) M.O.'s Assessment A3B

Fit-	~~A1B~~	( )
A3B	A3B(Turret)	(X)
	A2	(X)
	~~A3B(Vision)~~	( )
	Ground Duties	(X)
N[illegible]	not given	( )
	(State reason)	( )

Good physical condition, Army experiencee, ~~right~~ RIGHT eye slightly defective, wants Air Gunner, medically qualified for same. Turret & navigation "B" category.

Date: Aug. 4th, 1943. Signature: E. Lecavalier F.L.

10. INTERVIEWING OFFICER'S ASSESSMENT: Wife working, one boy 16 years of age also working. Been thinking of joining for last 3 years. Like the idea of flying. Not interested in ground crew. Feel he can see more action. Had this idea of joining in mind for sometime wife's father was killed in the last war had certain objections at first, now made up her mind. Knows that according to his age he can only be A.G.

RECOMMENDED FOR..Standard. Aircrew..~~Or~~. Airgunner M.10-13 Para. 5)
DATE.....Aug. 2nd. 1943.....SIGNATURE..A.L.L. Lapointe S.L.

This space for use of Selection Board at "M" Depot,

FOUND SUITABLE FOR. Standard. Aircrew.

Signature..J.R.O. Gibeault F.L.

SELECTED FOR

..... for O.C. No. 13 Recruiting Centre, R.C.A.F.
Signature..... Montreal, Quebec.
No. "M" Depot Selection Board..... Date: Aug. 10th, 1943.

Note: Information called for on the reverse side of this form is also to be provided when submitting applications under Manning Order M.10/25.

A.F.M.53 THIS IS A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY

R.C.A.F. Records
Rec'd. AUG 14 1943
R.C.A.F. Special Reserve
R.C.M.P. N.I.
P.A.
S.L.

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R.C.A.F. Special Reserve

R.C.A.F. M. 2
300M—4-41 (87)
H.Q. 1062-10-2

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

FILE NUMBER
R 268539

Medical Board held at Montreal Que *Date* August 4/43

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Surname McManus *Chr. Names* RUPERT George

Nature of Commission M 2 *Date of Birth* Aug. 5/07 *Married or Single* M

Branch General List *Hours Flown* 30 mins passenger

Address 4728 Rivard St., Montreal Que

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 Tonsilitis T & A at age of 14- No complications.
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 NO
Colour or Night Blindness NO

(viii) EAR TROUBLE, Earache or Discharge from Ears NO
Deafness, Noises in the Ears, or Dizziness NO
Frequent Colds in Head, Catarrh or Obstruction NO
Prolonged Hoarseness or Loss of Voice NO
Sea, Car or Train Sickness NO
Discomfort on Swings, Roundabouts, Switchbacks NO

(ix) OPERATIONS Setting of broken jaw Nov 29 9 weeks treatment- good recovery.

(x) Any illness or Injury not mentioned above None

Education Grade VIII

Present Occupation Tool maker hlper Hobbies Reading

Previous Service 17th Duke of York(DYRGN) Reserve 1½ yrs.

Athletics Hunting, fishing, hockey, golf, swimming, baseball.

Habits—Smoking 15 cigs a day Alcohol Moderately

FAMILY HISTORY—Consumption No Diabetes No Haemophilia No
Nervous Ailments, Mental Trouble, or "Fits" No

Father Alive—Health Fair Dead—Cause N.A.

Mother Alive—Health Good Dead—Cause N.A.

Brothers (3) Alive—Health Good (0) Dead—Cause N.A.

Sisters (1) Alive—Health Good (1) Dead—Cause Pneumonia in 1920

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 accepted for Service, or if accepted, of being discharged or retired and forfeit any claim to gratuity or other award.

Date August 4/43 *Signature* Rupert G McManus *Witness* E Greenwood Pte

GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL EXAMINATION

Impression given by *(a)* Physique Wiry *(b)* Mentality Average
Body Marks, Scars, Deformities Scar on right knee
Size of Thyroid Gland Normal
Surgical Abnormalities Cyst on left wrist No pain or tenderness
Results of Wounds, Injuries, Operations N.A.

	Date Agu 4/43	Date	Date	Remarks on any Abnormalities Found
Height (ins.)	66			
Weight (lbs.)	146			Date
Chest Circumference (ins.)	36 39			
Body Build (lbs.)	-1			
Leg Length (ins.)	39			
Pulse Rate — Sitting	84			
Pulse Rate — Standing 1st	/			
Pulse Rate — Standing 2nd	/			
Pulse Rate — After Exercise	/			
Pulse Rate — Time to Normal	/			
Arterial Walls	Soft			Date
Blood Pressure — Systolic	116			
Blood Pressure — Diastolic	80			
Room Temperature	/			
Heart — Size (in cms.)	N			
Heart — Sounds	N			
Heart — Rhythm	N			
Lungs — Inspection	N			
Lungs — Palpation	N			
Lungs — Percussion	N			
Lungs — Auscultation	N			
Lungs — Expiratory Force	N.A.			
Lungs — X-Ray	Neg			Date
Reflexes — Knee	N			
Reflexes — Ankle	N			
Reflexes — Triceps	N			
Reflexes — Abdominal	N			
Reflexes — Plantar	Flexor			
Cranial Nerves	N			
Balancing Rod	R. L. N.A.	R. L.	R. L.	
Self Balancing	R. L. N.A.	R. L.	R. L.	
Tremors — Fingers	S			Date
Tremors — Eyelids	S			
Abdomen — Liver	N			
Abdomen — Spleen	N			
Abdomen — Muscular Tone	N			
Urine — Albumen	Neg			
Urine — Sugar	Neg			
Initials of M.O.	E.V.L.			

40 mm. Hg. Test 70 secs 7 - 7 7 6 , 7 6 7 , 7 6 6 , 7 7 5 , 6 6 E.V.L. F/L.
Date
Date
Date
Date

Physcally fit E.VL. F/L.

EYE EXAMINATION

History	None		
Visual Acuity	R 20/25, c̄ = x 2.50 20/100		
	L 20/20, c̄ =		
Colour Vision	Normal RCAF. Lantern		
~~Red, Green~~	M.R. Ortho		
Diaphragm Test (P.D. = 58mm)	crowding at 3		
Convergence C. =	8 cms.		
Convergence S. C. =	10 cms.		
Accommodation R.	12		
Accommodation L.	12		
Cover Test	Normal Movement		
Fundi and Media	N		
Fields	N		
REMARKS:	R.E. not correctible Fit A 1 B A 3 B T()		
	Initials of M.O E.V.L.	*Initials of M.O*	*Initials of M.O*
	Date Aug 4/43	*Date*	*Date*

EXAMINATION OF EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

History	T & A at age 14- No complications since		
Hearing R. Ear	W.V. 20'		
Hearing L. Ear	W.V. 20'		
External Ear, Meatus Membranes R. Ear	N		
External Ear, Meatus Membranes L. Ear	N		
Middle Ear, Eustachian Tubes R. Ear	Patent		
Middle Ear, Eustachian Tubes L. Ear	Patent		
Cochlear Apparatus R. Ear	/		
Cochlear Apparatus L. Ear	/		
Vestibular Apparatus R. Ear	/		
Vestibular Apparatus L. Ear	/		
Buccal Cavity	Healthy		
Teeth	Upper partial plate		
Gums	N		
Pharynx	N		
Nasopharynx	Not seen		
Nose	Clear airways		
Larynx	Not seen		
REMARKS:	Fit		
	Initials of M.O E.V.L.	*Initials of M.O*	*Initials of M.O*
	Date Aug 4/43	*Date*	*Date*

GENERAL REMARKS BY THE MEDICAL OFFICER ON HIS IMPRESSIONS OF THE CANDIDATE

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No. 13 Recruiting Centre

Fit ~~A1B~~
A3B (Turret)
A3B
~~A3B (Vision)~~

Date: August 4th/43

E.V.Lecavalier F/L. M.O.

No. 5 M.D.

~~A1B~~
~~A3B (T)~~
A3B
~~A3B (V)~~

Good physical condition. Army experience, Slightly defective right visual acuity but does not preclude candidate from being air gunner, which is his choice. Fit turret category and navigator

Date: 16. Feb/43

E.V. Lecavalier F/L.
M.O.

J.P. Bilanger F/L.

No. 5 M.D.

~~A1B~~
A3B (T) AG only
~~A3B~~
~~A3B (V)~~

Date: 15.2.43

L.A.C. M.O.

MEDICAL RECHECK

I certify upon my honor that I have suffered no illness or disability since my last medical examination for the RCAF.

R McManus
(Signature) R McManus

Date 11 Aug/43

Black
(Witness)

OBSERVATIONS AND FINDINGS OF THE REVIEWING MEDICAL OFFICER

Date.....

[redacted]

Date: 27-11-43
Height: 67½ Weight: 143
Vision: 20/20 20/20
C.V; normal
(C.P.T.)

R.C.A.F. Med. Off.

Pre-Graduation Recheck

Date: Feb. 28.44
Height: 66½ Weight: 140
Vision: 20/20 20/30 C.U.N (CPT)
Ears: N Hearing: N
Nose: Septum due to right Sinuses: N
M. O. R.C.A.F. Med. Off. #10 B. & G.

A1B		N.V.C.	1/c
A3B	Turret	N.V.C.	8
A3B		N.V.C.	
A3B	Vision		
A3B	Radio		
Sig:			
Date			

N/C

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R. A. F. — TRAINING REPORT

AIR GUNNER Mid Upper

No. 24 OPERATIONAL TRAINING UNIT

1. Surname Mcjarvis Christian Names R. C.

2. Number R.260559 3. Rank Sgt. 4. Course No. 53

5. Posted from 3 P.R.U. 6. Date commenced Course 25/6/44 7. Date Course ended 20/9/44 8. Posted to Dalton 4/10/44

9. Ground Work		
Subject	Marks Allotted	Marks Obtained
(a) Aircraft Recognition, Range Estimation ...	200	200
(b) Guns	200	136
(c) Reporting, Fighting Control	200	120
(d) Sighting, including practices on G.T.S.T.	200	100
(e) Turrets : drill and components ...	200	140
Total	1,000	656
Per cent.		65.6

10. Air Work			
Subject		Day	Night
Cine-Camera Gun, exercises completed		14	-
Cine-Camera Gun, assessment		55	-
Air Firing Exercises completed	Air-to-Ground	3	3
	Air-to-Air ...	4	3
Per cent. hits, Air-to-Air ...		4.2	
Air Firing		Marks Allotted	Marks Obtained
		1,000	650

11. Equipment Used

Type of Aircraft	Type of Guns		Type of Turrets	
	In Air	On Ground	In Air	On Ground
Wellington	Browning .303	Browning .303 & .5	F.N.	F.N. F.N.

P.T.O.

	Day	Night	Total
12. Flying Experience at O.T.U. ...	62.30	36.00	97.30

	Exceptional	Good	Average	Poor
13. Ability as Fighting Controller...			X.	

14. Remarks :

Whether recommended for a commission Later perhaps

Whether recommnded for Gunnery Leaders Course " "

Mean marks in fighting were only just average. His flying training results were average throughout his course. He shows keenness, works well but is on the slow side. There is no fault to find with his discipline.

It is our opinion that this N.C.O. is an average type steady gunner and crew member.

C. E. Howarth F/O
for Chief Gunnery Leader.

Date 21/9/44

Signed H. H. J. Miller W/cmdr for C/Captain.
Officer Commanding

(*14487—13138) Wt. 10961—P46 10M 4/44 T.S. 700

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R.C.A.F. FORM 5035

R.C.A.F. TRAINING REPORT

WIRELESS OPERATOR (AIR GUNNER) AND AIR GUNNER

NO. 10 BOMBING AND GUNNERY SCHOOL

1. SURNAME... McMANUS ...CHRISTIAN NAMES... RUPERT GOERGE ...

2. NUMBER. R268539 ...3. RANK... LAC ... 4. COURSE NO... 72 ...

5. POSTED FROM... 13 S.F.T.S. St. Hubert ... 6. DATE COURSE COMMENCED 29-11-43 #71 12-1-44 #72 ... 7. DATE COURSE ENDED 10-3-44 ... 8. POSTED TO #4 A.G.T.S. Valleyfield ...

9. AIRCREW TRADE. Air Gunner Std. ... 10. HEIGHT... 66 ... 11. GIRTH... 36 ...

12. EQUIPMENT USED

TYPE OF AIRCRAFT	TYPE OF GUNS			TYPE OF TURRETS			
	IN AIR	ON GROUND	ROUNDS FIRED 25 YD.	IN AIR	ON GROUND	ROUNDS FIRED 200 YD.	HOURS TURRET MANIP.
BOLINGBROKE	BROWNING	BROWNING	1100	BRISTOL	BRISTOL		4Hrs 30Mins
					FRASER NASH		8 "
					BOULTON PAUL	1000	5 " 20 "

13. GROUND WORK

SUBJECT	MARKS ALLOTTED	MARKS OBTAINED
GUNS, PYROS. AND AMMO. (WRITTEN)	200	198
GUNS (PRACTICAL)	100	
SIGHTING (~~WRITTEN~~)oral	250	157
TURRETS (PRACTICAL)	200	143
A/C RECOGNITION	150	39(76)
SIGNALS	100	100
TOTAL	1000	637
PERCENTAGE		63.7

14. AIR WORK

FLYING EXPERIENCE		DAY	NIGHT
NUMBER HOURS FLOWN		12Hrs 45Mins	
NO. CINE EX. COMPLETED		3	
ROUNDS FIRED	AIR TO GROUND	300	
	AIR TO AIR	2400	
% HITS AIR TO AIR		4	

AIR FIRING MARK	MARKS ALLOTTED	MARKS OBTAINED
	1000	750

15. ASSESSMENT OF QUALITIES OF CHARACTER AND LEADERSHIP	MARKS ALLOTTED	MARKS OBTAINED
	100	47

16. DEGREE OF SUITABILITY FOR FURTHER TRAINING	0 NOT AT ALL SUITABLE	1 MODERATELY SUITABLE	2 DEFINITELY SUITABLE	3 EXTREMELY SUITABLE
AS A GUNNERY INSTRUCTOR	X			

(MARK "X" IN APPROPRIATE COLUMN)

17. REMARKS:- Has difficulty in grasping points but comes back till he has mastered these difficulties.

DATE:- 10-3-44

OFFICER COMMANDING
NO. 10 BOMBING & GUNNERY SCHOOL

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R.C.A.F. FORM 5003

R.C.A.F. TRAINING REPORT

PRE-AIRCREW EDUCATION

SCHOOL #23 PAED, Univ. of Toronto TYPE Aircrew (A.G.)

1. Surname McMANUS, Christian Names RUPERT GEORGE

2. Number R268539 3. Rank AC2 4. Course No. 39

5. Posted From #5 "M" Depot 6. Date Course Commenced 4/Oct/43 7. Date Course Ended 12/Nov/43 8. Posted To

9. Examination Results

Subject	Marks Allotted	Marks Obtained	Supplemental Examinations
(A) English	100	69	
(B) Science	100	NA	
(C) Mathematics	100	50	
(D) Aircraft Recognition	100	44	
(E) Signals	100	100	
Total	500	263	
Average	100	66	

10. Remarks: -

Date 12/Nov/43

Signed R.E. Kendall

Chief Instructor
or
Examining Officer

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R.C.A.F. SUSPENSION REPORT

AIR GUNNER

AT (Name of School)..10 B.G.S.. MOUNT PLEASANT, P.E.I.

1. SURNAME..McMANUS..... CHRISTIAN NAMES...RUPERT GEORGE.....

2. NUMBER..R268539.....3. RANK...AC2.....4. AGE(Last Birthday...36...

5. DATE OF ARRIVAL..27th Nov. 1943.....6. DATE OF SUSPENSION..12th Jan. 1944...

7. COURSE NUMBER: 71

8. CHIEF REASON FOR SUSPENSION		
REASON	MARK "X"	BRIEF PARTICULARS RELATING TO THE REASON OR REASONS SPECIFIED.
AIR SICKNESS		Completed 6 weeks training and failed in the following subject: Mathematics: 10/50 Total percent obtained: 54.84% Transfered to Course 72. AUTH: "AFAO A44/5 14(a)
OTHER MEDICAL		
DISCIPLINE		
PERSONAL REQUEST		
		If either of these is a chief reason for suspension, full particulars should be given on the appropriate Training Report Form.
FAILURE IN GROUND WORK	X	
FAILURE IN AIR FIRING		

9. COMMANDING OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION - regarding future employment:

R.C.A.F Records Office
Rec'd. JAN 27 1944
K. ..... G.I.B. .....
R.C. JB N.I. .....
S.L. ..... P.A. .....

DATE:-.Jan..12th.1944.

OFFICER COMMANDING
NO..10. BOMBING AND GUNNERY SCHOOL

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R.C.A.F. FORM 5000A

RECAPITULATION OF TRAINING AND PERSONAL ASSESSMENTS FOR COMMISSIONING PURPOSES

1. SURNAME ..... McMANUS ..... CHRISTIAN NAMES ..... RUPERT GEORGE .....

2. NUMBER ..... P268539 ..... RANK ..... LAC .....

	(1) % of Training Marks Attained Ground / Air	(2) Training Index	(3) Multiply by Weight Factor	(4) Final Training Index	(5) % of C&L Marks Attained	(6) Multiply by Weight Factor	(7) Final C&L Index	(8) Total Index
PILOTS								
ITS			2					
EFTS			2			2		
SFTS								
			TOTAL			TOTALS		
NAVIGATORS								
ITS			2					
AOS or AND			2			2		
			TOTAL			TOTALS		
NAVIGATORS "B"								
ITS			2					
B&G								
AOS or ANS			2			2		
			TOTAL			TOTALS		
NAVIGATORS "W"								
ITS								
W/S								
AOS or ANS								
			TOTAL			TOTALS		
AIR BOMBERS								
ITS			2					
B&G			2			2		
AOS or ANS								
			TOTAL			TOTALS		

(See reverse side)

	(1) % of Training Marks Attained Ground	Air	(2) Training Index	(3) Multiply by Weight Factor	(4) Final Training Index	(5) % of C&L Marks Attained	(6) Multiply by Weight Factor	(7) Final C&L Index	(8) Total Index
W.A.G.s				5			5		
W/S	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B&G	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
				TOTAL			TOTALS		
AIR GUNNERS									
B&G	63.7	75	138.7		138.7	47		47	185.7
				TOTAL	138.7		TOTALS	185.7	

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE OF FORM 5000A (RE/CAP SHEET)

Following instructions are issued for your guidance in completing this Form:

Column 1

(a) Enter % of ground marks attained.
(b) Enter % of air marks attained.

Column 2

Percentage of ground marks plus percentage of air marks.

Column 3

The weighting factor by which Column 2 is to be multiplied.

Column 4

Result of Column 2 multiplied by the weighting factor in Column 3. This figure to be entered under Column (g) of Class Report.

Column 5

Percentage of character and leadership marks attained.

Column 6

Weighting factor by which Column 5 is to be multiplied.

Column 7

Result of Column 5 multiplied by the weighting factor in Column 6. This figure to be entered under Column (i) of Class Report.

Column 8

Result of Column 4 added to Column 7. This figure to be entered under Column (j) of Class Report.

R.C.A.F. R. 45
90M—10-43 (3551)
H.Q. 885-R 45

ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE

Individual Record of Flying

RANK LAC NO. R268539 NAME McManus, R.G.

UNIT	PERIOD ENDING	SERIAL NO.	SINGLE-ENGINE AIRCRAFT												MULTI-ENGINE AIRCRAFT												CREW DUTIES				PASSENGER		TOTAL	
			DAY						NIGHT						DAY						NIGHT													
			1ST PILOT		2ND PILOT		DUAL		1ST PILOT		2ND PILOT		DUAL		1ST PILOT		2ND PILOT		DUAL		1ST PILOT		2ND PILOT		DUAL		OBSERVER		AIR GUNNER		OTHER			
			(A)		(B)		(C)		(D)		(E)		(F)		(G)		(H)		(J)		(K)		(L)		(M)		(N)		(O)		(P)		(Q)		(R)	
			Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins	Hrs	Mins
10 B&G	10-3-44																												12	45				12	45

CERTIFIED CORRECT
[signature]
COMMANDING OFFICER
10 B & G SCHOOL
MOUNT PLEASANT
P. E. I.

COPY FOR H.Q. OTTAWA

R268539 F/S W^c Manus R.G.

(NUMBER) (RANK) (NAME)

408/702/213/P.1

8th March, 1945.

Dear Mrs. McManus:

Before you receive this letter you will have had a telegram informing you that your husband, Flight Sergeant Rupert George McManus (R.268539) has been reported missing as a result of air operations.

At approximately 1843 hours on the night of 7th instant "George" and members of his crew took off from this aerodrome to carry out bombing operations over Hemmingstedt, Germany, but unfortunately failed to return. He and his crew were due back at approximately 0015 hours that night, but no news has been received from the aircraft since the time of take-off.

It is with regret that I have to write to you this date to convey to you the feelings of my entire Squadron. The loss of your husband and other members of the crew is greatly felt by everyone as he was very popular with the boys. "George" had 14 operational trips to his credit and a total of 92.45 hours over enemy territory, and proved himself to be a very capable Air Gunner.

There is always a possibility that your husband may be a prisoner of war, in which case you will hear from him direct or through Air Ministry, who will receive advice from the International Red Cross Society. To be a prisoner of war is not the happiest thought in one's mind, particularly for you who are so fond of your husband, but, on the other hand, I think you will

P.T.O.

Apr 12-45 GKB

12 MAR 1945

agree with me that it carries a certain gratifying thought in knowing that our loved ones are alive and well, and will some day return home safely.

Your husband's effects have been gathered together and forwarded to the Central Depository, Royal Air Force, where they will be held until further news is received, or, in any event, for a period of at least six months before being forwarded to you through the Administrator of Estates, Ottawa.

I do not wish to grieve you further in your deep anxiety, and trust that you will bear with us until such a time as definite information is received one way or the other concerning the welfare of your husband.

Air Ministry, Casualties Branch, will furnish you with any further news received regarding your husband.

May I offer my sincere sympathies as well as those of my officers and men in your anxiety.

Sincerely yours,

J. R. Sharp

(F.R. Sharp) Wing Commander,
Commanding,
No. 408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

Mrs. R. McManus,
4728 Rivard St.,
Montreal, Quebec,
Canada.

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R268539 (R-4)

R E G I S T E R E D

22 March/45

Mr. William McManus,
1654 Mount Royal Avenue East,
Montreal, Quebec.

Dear Mr. McManus:

It is with deep regret that I must inform you that I have been advised by the Casualties Officer that your son, Pilot Officer Rupbert George MaManus, is now for official purposes presumed to have died on Active Service Overseas on March 7th, 1945.

I realize that this letter will be a blow to the hopes you have entertained for so long, and in your added sorrow I offer you my deepest sympathy. May the same spirit which prompted your son to offer his life give you renewed courage.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) H. L. Campbell
(H.L. Campbell)
Air Vice-Marshal,
Air Member for Personnel.

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H/S. McManus R.G.

Copy to Ottawa 17/3/45

Ref: 40[redacted]02/213/P.1. No.408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron. P.43033. 6

CONFIDENTIAL. 9th March 1945.

Subject: HALIFAX VII NP.718 "B" MISSING FROM OPERATIONS NIGHT OF 7th MARCH 1945.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit the following report in amplification of my A.17 & A.18, with reference to the crew of the above mentioned aircraft of this Unit and which has been reported missing from operations over HEMMINGSTEDT, Germany, on the night of 7th March 1945.

At 18.43 hours on the 7th March 1945, the above mentioned aircraft piloted by J.92736 P/O.G.D.Daughters, took off from this aerodrome to carry out bombing operations over HEMMINGSTEDT, Germany. The aircraft was due to return to this aerodrome at 00.15 hours on 8th March 1945, but, unfortunately nothing further has been heard from any members of the crew since the time of take off.

All necessary action has been taken and next of kin residing in Great Britian have been advised.

The names of the members of the crew together with particulars of their trips and operational hours and points are as follows:

				OPERATIONAL. POINTS.	TRIPS.	HOURS.
J.92736. P/O. George David DAUGHTERS.	Pilot.	Kinnot.		56.	16.	105.45
R.195685. WO/2. PATTERSON Bernard Charles.	Nav.	Kinnot.		49.	14.	92.45
J.39940. F/O. Steve LASKO.	A/B.	Kinnot.		49.	14.	92.45
R.202416. F/S. ALLEN Alfred George.	WOP/AG.	Kinnot.		49.	14.	92.45
R1268539. F/S. McMANUS Rupert George.	A/G.	Kinnot.		49.	14.	92.45
R.191011. WO/2. HALED Nelson George.	A/G.	Kinnot.		84.	22.	133.45
R.189644. SGT. HUSPEKA Joseph.	F/E.	Kinnot.		49.	14.	92.45

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

(Sgd) J.R. SHARR. W/C.,

Wing Commander, Commanding,
No. 408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron.

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR COMPLETION BY R.C.A.F. PERSONNEL
EVADERS ESCAPERS OR PRISONERS OF WAR

NOTE

Please read the WHOLE questionaire before starting to write your answers.

Information given in this report will be passed on to the next-of-kin only at the discretion of the Casualty Branch. Nevertheless details of a very secret nature such as identity or exact location of aiders are not required, but only such general remarks which may enable the Casualty Branch to assess the probalbe fate of the other occupants.

In every case be careful, if the facts stated have been learnt, not by your own observation but through any other person, e.g., the enemy or inhabitants, to say so.

QUESTION 1.

Approximately where did your aircraft crash? (Give, if possible, the location in relation to the closest large town), also state date shot down.

HALIFAX.

About 4 mi. from HEIDE, North Germany.

QUESTION 2.

DID you bale out? Yes
iif so state:

(A) The number and if possible, the identity of any other occupants of the aircraft whom you knew to have baled out before you. Have you any evidence, direct or heresay, of what happened to them subsequently?

	TRADE	RANK & NAME		SERVICE	FATE
SAFE	F/S.	Patterson	- Nav.		Saw him at Stalah III, Nurnburg.
	F/S.	Huspeka	- Engineer.		Were together in German jail - Oberusal and Stalag III, Nurnburg.
		Hearsay -- have been repatriated to Canada.			

(b) The number and, if possible, identity of any other occupants whom you know to have still been in the aircraft when you left it. Give any details which may have a bearing on the probalbe fate of these men. For each of your remarks made in reply to this question, state the source of your information, i.e., that yourwere an eye-witness or give all known particulars of the person who gave you the information.

TRADE	RANK & NAME		SERVICE	FATE
Pilot	P/O.	Daughters	RCAF.	Fate unknown
A/G.	F/S.	McManus	"	" "
W/Op.	F/S.	Allen	"	" "
Spare Engineer		Name not known	"	" "

(FOR QUESTION 3 - PLEASE TURN OVER)

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QUESTION 3 [redacted] Have you any other information touching on what happened or what probably happened to the other occupants.

TRADE	RANK & NAME	SERVICE	FATE
			Probably went down with aircraft.

QUESTION 4 Have you information of any Royal Canadian Air Force or Royal Air Force personnel other than members of you own crew? The Casualty Branch is anxious to know details of any prisoners of war who have not come back. Please write down as many names as you can remember of those who have tried to escape or have died since the camps were evacuated, or whether shot, accidently killed. Any information of this nature which you can supply will help us to piece together details and eventually report to the next-of-kin, of those who have not come back.

F/O.	Sproule	All freed and on way to England.
F/O.	Moran	
F/O.	Mousseau	
F/O.	Daniel	

Your name in BLOCK CAPITALS LASKO, STEVE

RANK F/O.

SERVICE NO. J.39940

Unit at time of capture 408 Sqdn. Linton-on-Ouse.

Date of completion of this form May 12, 1945

This questionaire when completed is to be turned into the reception wing Adjutant for Forwarding:

CANADIAN CASUALTY BRANCH,
c/o Air Ministry,
73-77 Oxford Street,
London, W.L.

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From: A.M. S.14.Cas.
2, Seville Street, Knightsbridge, London, S.W.1.

To: O.C. No. 4 M.R. & E.U.
c/o 84 G.M.R.S., R.A.F. Wesendorf,
B.A.F.O., c/o B.A.O.R. 23.

Ref: P.430303/45/S.14.Cas.C.7

Date: 17 December, 1947

Kreis Norderdithmarschen

Thank you for your report Fox/1121/11/1/P;4 dated 31st July, 1947 which refers to Halifax NP.718 of No. 408 (R.C.A.F.) Squadron missing on 7th March, 1945 from operations against Hemmingstedt.

Crew:

J92736	Plt.Off.	Daughters, G.D.	Pilot	
R195685	W/O	Patterson, B.S.	Nav.	Safe
J39940	Fg.Off.	Lasko, S.	A/B	Safe
ga5213 ~~R202416~~	~~F/S~~ P/O	Allen, A.G.	Wop/AG	
ga5363 ~~R268539~~	~~F/S~~ P/O	McManus, R.E.	A/G	
R191011	W/O	Baird, N.G.	A/G	
R189644	Sgt	Huspeka, J.	F/E	Safe.

Our file confirms your report that this aircraft crashed Nordhastedt and that the case, has been the subject of a War Crime Investigation. No evidence has been found by J.A.G., of such a crime, and their conclusion was that the personnel who lost their lives were killed by the crash.

There are only four bodies to account for from this crash and it is agreed that the evidence is that all that could be recovered from the crash was buried and is now in the four graves at Kiel 11 to 14 Row B, Plot 1.

The exhumation report of Grave 11 shows that Daughters is the occupant and it is requested that the graves should be registered as below:-

Daughters	1	B	11	
Allen	1	B	12	
McManus)	1	B	13	Collective
Baird)	1	B	14	

Please raise Form 3372, when this case can be closed.

WJ. STURCH

S.14.(Cas.) C.5

POST PRESUMPTION MEMORANDUM NO. 774/48

FILE NUMBER P.430303/45 DATE 20.2.48

Relating to HALIFAX NP.718 Missing on 7/8.3.45

Crashed at NORDHASTEDT, GERMANY

NUMBER	RANK	NAME	BURIAL DETAILS	INFORMATION
			KIEL BRITISH CEMETERY	GERMANY
			Plot Row Grave	
J.92736	Plt.Off.	DAUGHTERS G.D.	1 B 11	This aircraft was shot down by a night fighter, three of the crew baling out before it crashed. The remaining four were killed and buried at the scene of the crash, later exhumed and re-buried in HEIDE NEW Cemetery. They have now been concentrated to KIEL BRITISH Cemetery as indicated. Case closed.
R.202416	Flt.Sgt.	ALLEN A.G.	1 B 12	
~~R.268539~~	~~Flt.Sgt.~~ P/O	McMANUS R.N.	Buried collectively Plot 1, Row B Graves 13 and 14.	
R.191011	W.O.	BAIRD N.G.		
R.195685	W.O.	PATTERSON B.S.	All safe.	
J.39940	Fg.Off.	LASKO S.		
R.189644	Sgt.	HUSPEKA J.		

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J95363(DPC)

OTTAWA, Canada, 3rd January, 1949.

Mr. W. McManus,
1654 Mount Royal Ave. E.,
Montreal, Quebec.

Dear Mr. McManus:

It is with regret that I must refer to the loss of your son, Pilot Officer Rupert George McManus, who lost his life on air operations against the enemy March 7, 1945. A communication has, however, been received from our Missing Research and Enquiry Service which states that the graves of your son and his crew were located in Nordhastedt Cemetery, four miles East South East of Heide. Heide is approximately forty-three miles West South West of Kiel, Germany. It was ascertained that the aircraft had crashed in a field near the village of Nordhastedt.

The crew have since been re-interred in Kiel Permanent British Military Cemetery, 1½ miles East of Kiel. Exhumation resulted in the identification of Pilot Officer Allen and Pilot Officer Daughters. Graves 13 and 14 in Row B, Plot 1 are being registered collectively with the names of your son and Warrant Officer Baird.

This is in accordance with the agreed policy of the Nations of the British Commonwealth that all British aircrew buried in Germany would be moved to British Military Cemeteries located in Germany, where the graves and cemetery will be cared for and maintained in perpetuity by the Imperial War Graves Commission (of which Canada is a member). The cemetery will be beautified by the planting of trees, shrubs and flowers, and the Commission will also erect a permanent headstone at your son's grave.

It is my earnest hope that you will be comforted with the knowledge that your son's resting place is known, and that it will be permanently maintained, and I would like to take this opportunity of expressing to you and the members of your family my deepest sympathy in the loss of your gallant son.

Yours sincerely,

(W.R. Gunn) W/C
R.C.A.F. Casualties Officer,
for Chief of the Air Staff.

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OFFICIAL ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE CASUALTY NOTIFICATION

NUMBER J95363 (~~R268539~~) RANK PILOT OFFICER UNIT 408 SQDN (OVERSEAS)

TRADE A/G (G.L.)

NAME MCMANUS, RUPERT GEORGE

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

PRESENT MARITAL STATUS MARRIED RELIGION UNITED CANADIAN YES

FRENCH CANADIAN OTHER

NEXT OF KIN MRS RUPERT GEORGE MCMANUS

RELATIONSHIP WIFE

ADDRESS 4728 RIVARD ST MONTREAL QUEBEC.

ESTATES BRANCH DEC 7 1945 H.Q. OTTAWA NATIONAL DEFENCE

FATHER'S NAME MR & MRS WILLIAM MCMANUS

ADDRESS 1654 MOUNT ROYAL AVE E LIVING ON ENLISTMENT YES

MOTHER'S NAME MONTREAL QUEBEC.

ADDRESS LIVING ON ENLISTMENT YES

ADDRESS AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT

MARITAL STATUS AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT

OCCUPATION

WAS MEMBER ATTACHED TO R.A.F. AT ANY TIME? YES/NO NOT KNOWN BEING OBTAINED

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

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

CASUALTY DETAILS:

AUTHORITY CAS. SIG. NO. AFHQ PRESUMPTION OF DEATH MEMO NO. 74----d---31-OCT-45

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED "MISSING" 7-MARCH-45 AFTER AIR OPERATIONS OVERSEAS (OVER HEMMINGSTEDT GERMANY)

NOW "PRESUMED DEAD" 7-MARCH-45 FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES.

ALL WILLS (1)

~~DATXWILX~~ ATTACHED TO NOTIFICATION TO A. OF E.? YES/~~NO~~

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

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

DATE 23-NOV-45

FOR CHIEF OF THE AIR STAFF

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

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ADMINISTRATOR OF ESTATES, OTTAWA

47284

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

Royal Canadian Air Force

CERTIFICATE OF PRESUMPTION OF DEATH

NO. 15031

This is to Certify that

J95363 PILOT OFFICER RUPERT GEORGE MCMANUS R.C.A.F.
(Number) (Rank) (Name in Full) (Unit)

has been officially reported as missing since the 7TH day

of MARCH, 1945, 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 23RD day of NOVEMBER 1945

(T.K. McDougall)
Group Captain
R.C.A.F. Records Officer.

Declaration on file changing his name from Rubert George McManus to Rupert George McManus.

FORM 6

DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS—QUEBEC DEATH TRANSCRIPT

Do not write in this space

1. PLACE OF DEATH

Municipal county: OVERSEAS (GERMANY) | Official name of civil municipality or township: | Place an X over the word which applies to this municipality or this territory: City | Town | Village | Parish | Township

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: MC MANUS (Block letters)

Given names: RUPERT GEORGE

Do not write in this space

4. RESIDENCE

Street: Rivard Street No. 4728

Official name of civil municipality or township: Montreal

Municipal county: Province: Quebec.

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

9. If married give name of wife or husband of deceased: Perry, Edna May

10. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country): Quebec

11. DATE OF BIRTH: August (Month) 5th (Day) 1907 (Year)

12. AGE OF DECEASED	Years	Months	Days	If less than one day old
	37			....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: March 7, 1945 | 16. Total years spent in this occupation: two

	17. NAME	18. BIRTHPLACE (Province or Country)
FATHER	McManus, William	Quebec
MOTHER (Maiden Name)	MacAllaster, Katherine	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: March (Month) 7th (Day) 19 45 (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 for official purposes presumed dead.

due to

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

(b)

due to

(c)

II

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

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

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

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

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

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

Accident, suicide or homicide: Accident (State which) Date: March 7th 19 45.

Manner of injury.... (How sustained)

Nature of injury: Presumed killed during air operations.

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)

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

R.C.A.F. R. 60
(Revised 1-42)
60M—10-42 (2842)
H.Q. 885-R-60

WILL

(a) Names in full to be written.

(1) (a) I, Rupert George McManus of the ~~City~~ Town / Village / Township of Montreal in the County of / District of ..... Province of Quebec Tool Maker (Civil Occupation)

a member of the Royal Canadian Air Force, Number R 268539 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) Edna McManus
(c) 4728 Rivard St. Montreal. Que.
(d) all of my 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 Edna McManus (Name) 4728 Rivard St Montreal Que. (Address)

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 12 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.

Rupert G. McManus (Signature of Testator)

First Witness sign here.

(5) Robert McAinsh (Signature)

2208 Regent Ave Montreal (Permanent Home Address)

Apprentice Machinist (Occupation)

Second Witness sign here.

(Signature)

4146 WELLINGTON ST. (Permanent Home Address)

LAUNDRY MAN (Occupation)

(Witnesses are not to be beneficiaries.)

R C
Rec'd AUG 13 1943
O. K ..... C I.B.
R. C ..... N. I. ..... Pb
S. L ..... P

Two witnesses must sign their names where indicated.

(OVER)

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

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE

NAVY ═══ ARMY ═══ AIR FORCE

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AIR

STATEMENT OF WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

DECEASED MEMBER'S NAME: Rupert (CHRISTIAN NAMES) G McManus (SURNAME)

REGISTER NO. D263-4
FILE NO. 28858

PAYEE: Mrs. Edna M McManus
ADDRESS: 4728 Rivard St.
Montreal, Que.

DATE 3 Apr/46
SERVICE NO. J95363
FINAL RANK OR RATING P/O
DATE OF DISCHARGE 7 Mar/45

DATE OF TERMINATION OF OVERSEAS SERVICE 7 Mar/45

		$	¢
A. TOTAL QUALIFYING SERVICE	NO. OF DAYS 575/30 EQUAL TO 19 COMPLETE PERIODS AT $7.50	142.50	
B. QUALIFYING OVERSEAS SERVICE	NO. OF DAYS 309 LESS 5 INELIGIBLE DAYS, EQUAL TO 304 DAYS @ 25c. PER DAY	76.00	
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 309/183	×$ 66.64	112.53	
D. WAR SERVICE GRATUITY		331.03	
E. DEDUCTIONS — OVERPAYMENT OF	PAY AND ALLOWANCES $		
	DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE AND ASSIGNED PAY $		
OTHER DEDUCTIONS	$		
F. TOTAL AMOUNT PAYABLE		331.03	

G. YOUR PORTION OF GRATUITY IS—

DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE TO YOU $ 47.20 OF $ 331.03 =$ 331.03
TOTAL DEPENDENTS' ALLOWANCE IN ISSUE $ 47.20

Records Office APR 11 1946 G.I.B. O.K. N.C. P.A. A.G. S.L.

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.

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Date April 4th/46

The Estates Branch has received the following personal effects of

NAME J.95363 P/O R.G. McMANUS

3	plastic cases (empty)	1	nail brush
1	pr. undershorts	1	bone case with metal lid
1	wine striped jersey	1	blue wool balaclava
1	pr. socks	1	brown leather folder
1	pr. brown leather gloves		snap shots
1	blue canvas haversack		photographs
1	photo of Sqaudron Crest(408)	2	rank crowns
1	portrait in folder	1	A.G. Brevet
1	shirt	1	Belgium coin
1	tie	7	snaps
1	pr. pyjamas	4	handkerchiefs
3	vests	1	pr. socks
letters			

Received the effects as listed

SIGNATURE Mrs. Edna M. McManus

DATE REC'D April 4th/46.

J95363(RO)

OTTAWA, Canada, 20th February, 1947.

R E G I S T E R E D

Mrs. Edna M. McManus,
4728 Rivard Street,
Montreal, Quebec.

Dear Mrs. McManus:

It is a privilege to have the opportunity of sending you the Operational Wings and Certificate in recognition of the gallant services rendered by your husband, Pilot Officer R.G. McManus.

I realize there is little which may be said or done to lessen your sorrow, but it is my hope that these "Wings", indicative of operations against the enemy, will be a treasured memento of a young life offered on the altar of freedom in defence of his Home and Country.

Yours very sincerely,

(W.A. Dicks)
Wing Commander
for Chief of the Air Staff.

F/O R.J. Rocheleau/AD

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OTTAWA, Canada, January 29th, 1946.

Mrs. Rupert G. McManus,
4728 Rivard St.,
Montreal, P.Q.

Dear Mrs. McManus;

I have the honour to forward, herewith, the Royal Canadian Air Force Officer's Commission Script for your husband, Pilot Officer Rupert G. McManus. This Script, which is being forwarded to you for safekeeping, represents the authority vested in Pilot Officer McManus, as well as the trust placed in him by His Majesty, The King.

Would you be good enough to sign and return the enclosed receipt as evidence that the script has been received by you in good condition.

Yours very truly,

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

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