OCCUPATIONAL HISTORY FORM

4-29 (A)

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 MINACO ERNEST Guiseppe (b) Reg'l. No. B-16460
2. (a) Arm of service Army (b) Unit 4th Div. C.A.C. Rifle (c) Rank Pte
3. (a) Date of birth 4 Apr 1923 (b) Have you any dependents? No (c) Place of residence at time of enlistment Richmond Hill Ont
4. (a) Place of enlistment Sept Ontario (b) Date of enlistment 28 June 1944

Section B—EDUCATION AND TRAINING

5. (a) State age on finally leaving school 15 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.) Two years Public - Grade 8
7. If you attended a university, give name of university and standing or degree secured NA
8. (a) Did you ever enter upon a trade apprenticeship? No (b) If so, for what occupation? NA (c) Did you finish it? NA (d) If you did not finish it, how long did you serve at it? NA
9. (a) What languages do you speak fluently? English - Some Italian (b) What languages do you read well? English - Some

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? None

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 Otis-Fenson Elevator Company Address Wingston Ontario
19. Nature of employer's business (for instance, "farmer", or "building contractor", or "boot factory", or "iron foundry", or "retail store", etc.) Iron work
20. (a) Your specific occupation Machine Operator (b) Number of years' experience at this occupation with any employer 1½ 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?

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? No (c) If so, in what kind of farming? NA
25. (a) Were you born on a farm? No (b) How many years' actual farming experience have you had? None (c) In what provinces did you have experience? NA

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.) NA
28. State any employment preference or ambition you may have, other than indicated elsewhere in this form Ambition to be a Machinist

DATE 27 March 1944 SIGNATURE Ernest Minaco

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This form will accompany the soldier's regimental documents at all times.

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
(Army)

C.I.C. (Rifle)
Arm or Corps

Trade (if Tradesman or Trade Trainee)

Work in Arm (if Non-Tradesman)

Personnel Selection Record

Regt. No.	Rank	Name (surname first)	A or R	Age	Med. Cat.
B/160460		MONACO, Ernest Guiseppe	A	18	

Main Language	Other Language(s)	Place (Unit) Interviewed	Date Interviewed
Italian	English	#2 D.D. Intl. Bldg., Toronto	27 Mar 44

II. Revised Examination "M"

#2 D.D. Intl. Bldg., 25 Mar 44, W.G. SMITH, Sgt.
Place Tested / Date Tested / By Whom

Total	Group	Subtests	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Subtotals	1-3	4-5	6-8	English or French
104	IV		17	13	14	18	10	7	4	21		44	28	32	English

Other Tests: Form B X153425 PULHEMS ✓
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III. Educational Background

Elementary school, Italy to age 9.
Grade VII, Ont., urban to age 15 - left voluntarily.

IV. Occupational Background

2½ yrs. - Factory laborer for 5 firms. Maximum pay $20. a wk.
6 mos. - Machine operator, Otis Fensom Elevator, Hamilton, Ont., 78¢ hr.

V. Military Background

2 yrs. ist Fld. Sqn. R.C.E. (R), Hamilton, Ont. - 2 camps.

VI. Other Personal History and Appraisal

Will be 19 years old 2 Sep 44.
Cleared by R.C.A.F. for Army purposes 27 Mar 44.
Monaco is a single youth of average build, (5'9"; 142 lbs.), who claims good health and has maximum Pulhems. He is fairly neat, matter of fact, unworried and co-operative in rather offhand fashion.

He was born in Italy and came to this country at age 9. He now speaks English with only a slight accent and claims he has no ties with th the old country. Youngest of 4 children, he is the only one left at home. A married brother and sister were left in Italy, he states, and another brother is in C.A. (A) o/s. Monaco was naturalized on his father's papers 1941.

He appears to be a stable, fairly sociable youth with normal, though unorganized interests, for his age. Personal habits and relations with his parents appear good. He seems to be an easy going youth without a great deal of ambition. Low average learning ability is indicated. With his previous reserve Army experience he should develop into an efficient soldier.

This man appears to fall within the class "Naturalized Canadian, formerly of enemy nationality." M.F.M. 238 initiated for D.I.O. as alien 27 Mar 44.

VII. Recommendations

B 160460

C.I.C.(Rifle).
Suitable for extended basic training.
Non-Sensitive Unit. Auth: H.Q.S. 23 F.D. 3 (Adm 1 (a)), d/30 Nov 43.

(Signed) C.N. Knight Lieut
Army Examiner

C.N. Knight, Lieut., for E.A. Macdonald, Major
m.c.

See reverse side for further information and follow-up

Interviewed on draft movement.
TOS this Centre 14 Apr. 44, Monaco has proven to be an average, well-adjusted soldier who required extended training in order to qualify in B.T. He has given no trouble and shows no physical handicaps and fairly good interest, Says he wants to be a driver but has very little experience and is of non-trades calibre.
Allocation to C.INF.C. confirmed.
No. 25 C.I.B.T.C. Simcoe, Ontario. 29 June 44. A.G. Lawrason Lt.
A.G.Lawrason. A.E.

B.160460 Pte. MONACO, E.
Routine follow-up at the completion of seventh week Advanced Inf. Training. Monaco is a sleepy individual who does not try and is always lagging back. Shows very little interest and may have to be held for further training.
Shows very little interest and may have to be held for further training.

A.29 C.I.C. T.C., Camp Ipperwash 15 Aug 44 Howard Small ..... Capt.
(Howard Small) Army Examiner

B.160460 Pte. MONACO E.

Examination of the foregoing and interview indicate suitability for o/s in C.I.C. (Operational) as non tradesman.

A.29 C.I.C.T.C., Camp Ipperwash. 19 Sep. 44. Howard Small Capt.
(H. Small) A.E.

Date of Int: 14.10.44 - 2C/R4. Birth: 2.9.25. Single. Enl. 28.3.44. - RCE - 1941 to 1944. (RF). Italian origin. Speaks Italian & English. No courses.
Suitable Inf. Bld. - G. D.

National Registration "Non Sensitive Appointee" 33854
E.D. 99 Elgin

NON-SENSITIVE UNIT

~~ORIGINAL~~ DUPLICATE ~~TRIPLICATE~~ { • Copy designation to be shown by striking out terms not applicable.

M.F.M. 2
(Combining M.F.M. 103)
750M—4-43 (9375) (786-828)
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Corps C. INF. C. RIFLES TRAING #2 Coy #2 District Depot CA(A) Recruit's Number B-160460

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Non Sensitive Unit

CANADIAN ARMY

ENROLMENT AND ATTESTATION PAPER

1. MONACO (Surname) Ernest ~~James~~ Guiseppe (Christian Names)
2. Present Address Box 143, Port Burwell, Ontario, Canada
3. (a) Date of birth 2nd September 1925
   (b) Place of birth Italy (Country) Udine (County or Province) Coseano (Town or Township)
4. (a) Place of birth of Father Italy (Country) Udine (County or Province) Coseano (Town or Township)
   (b) " " " " Mother Italy (Country) Udine (County or Province) Chiscarna (Town or Township)
5. Nationality Canada (Naturalized on Father's Paper)
   (To what country do you now owe allegiance) if naturalized give certif. no. date and place of issue. If not naturalized so state.
6. Religion (state denomination) Roman Catholic Church
7. Trade or calling (a) Machine Operator (a) Name and address of last employer: Otis-Fenson Elevator Company, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada
   (b) How long employed 12 years
9. Married, Widower or Single Single If married, how many children no
10. Name of Next-of-Kin Mrs. Adella MONACO 11. Relationship MOTHER
12. Address of Next-of-Kin Box 143, Port Burwell, Ontario, Canada
13. Previous Service (Navy, Army or Air Force) Units and dates 1st Fd. Sqns, R.C.E., 1941 to date, Pte., (RESERVE) Hamilton, Ontario
14. (a) Former war service no
    (b) In the armed forces of what country no
    (c) Dates of such Service no
15. Decorations and medals, if any no
16. I do solemnly declare that the above particulars are true Ernest Monaco.
    Signature of Recruit, or in the case of N.R.M.A. personnel who refuse to sign, signature of officer under Regn. 8 (d) (I) R.A.S.R. 1941

16a CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE ATTESTING OR ENROLLING OFFICER

The 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 above named 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,

at Toronto, Ontario, Canada this 28th day of March 19 44

{ Signature of Magistrate, Justice Attesting or Enrolling Officer.

{ #2 District Depot CA(A)FOR DRO Office or Rank and Unit or appointment.

ITEMS 17, 18 AND 19 WILL NOT BE COMPLETED UNLESS A MAN ENLISTS FOR GENERAL SERVICE ANYWHERE.

17. DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY MAN ON ATTESTATION

I, ~~Ernest~~ ~~Ernest~~ Guiseppe MONACO, hereby engage to serve in any Active Formation or Unit of the Canadian Army so long as an emergency, i.e., war, invasion, riot or insurrection, real or apprehended, exists, and for the period of demobilization after said emergency ceases to exist, and in any event for a period of not less than one year, provided His Majesty should so require my services.

Date 28th March 1944 Ernest Monaco
(Signature of Recruit)

18. OATH TO BE TAKEN BY MAN ON ATTESTATION

I, ~~Ernest~~ ~~Ernest~~ Guiseppe MONACO, do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

Witness (Name) (Rank) Ernest Monaco.
(Signature of Recruit)

19. The above named recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me.

at Toronto, Ontario, Canada this 28th day of March 19 44

(Signature of Magistrate, Justice or Attesting Officer.)

#2 District Depot CA(A)FOR DRO (Office or Rank and Unit or appointment)

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

O. M. T. COMPLETED

24th March 1944

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CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

20. Surname MONACO Christian Names ~~Ernest~~ Guiseppe

Reception Centre #2 DD CA(A) Military District #2 Date 24 March 44

The medical examination is divided into three parts. The history in Part 1, item 24, (a) to (z), is taken by a Medical Officer. Part II sections items 25, 26, 27 and 28 are filled in by the respective Specialist. Part III is completed by the President of the Board.

21. Age 18 Eyes (Colour) brown Hair brown Height 5-9 Weight 142

Identification marks and scars Birth mark left lower leg.

22. Urinalysis (a) Albumen ..... (b) Microscopic (if albumen positive) ..... (c) Sugar xxxg.

" recheck (a) " ..... (b) " " ..... (c) Blood sugar .....

23. X-Ray No. B 28372 Laboratory #2 DD CA(A) Report neg.

Part I. History

24. Have you now or did you ever have any of the following diseases?

(a) Eye trouble no

(b) Nose, throat, sinus or ear trouble

R o.d. 1.50

o.s. 1.50

Wax in ears.

24. (Cont'd)

(c) Any broken bones or other injuries no

Head injuries no

(d) Spinal trouble no

(e) Foot trouble no

(f) Operations no

(g) Ruptures no

(h) Kidney or bladder trouble no

(i) Gonorrhoea no

(j) Varicose veins no

(k) Haemorrhoids no

(l) Rheumatism or joint trouble no

Part II. Physical Examination

25. The Medical Officers will complete this part and indicate "negative" or describe positive findings.

Vision (without glasses) Rt. 20/80 Lt. 20/80

WBL 5322 (with glasses) Rt. 20/20 Lt. 20/20

Hearing (C.V.) Rt. 20 Lt. 20

Ears (Drums) Rt. neg Lt. neg

Nose -- Throat tonsils sligh

Sinuses neg.

Remarks and Diagnosis

Myopia o.u.

Septum rt. Passable.

Pulhems grading H 1 E 1

Don Strebig. R.C.A.M.C.

(Signature E.E.N.T. Specialist)

26. Cranium neg

Spine neg

Extremities neg

Hernia neg

Genito-Urinary neg

Rectum neg

Varicose Veins neg

Feet neg

Abdominal neg

Remarks and Diagnosis

Pulhems grading P 1 U 1 L 1

A.G. Smith Capt. R.C.A.M.C.

(Signature of Surgeon)

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

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION (cont'd.)

24. (Cont'd)
(m) Tuberculosis ..... no .....
(n) Bronchitis or other lung trouble ..... no .....
(o) Asthma or Hay Fever ..... no .....
(p) Heart Disease ..... no .....
(q) Rheumatic Fever ..... no .....
(r) Kidney Disease ..... no .....
(s) Stomach, Bowel or Rectal trouble ..... no .....
(t) Diabetes ..... no .....
(u) Goitre ..... no .....
(v) Syphilis ..... no .....
(w) Fits or fainting ..... no .....
(x) Nervous disorders ..... no .....
(y) Have you been in the Active Army in this war? ..... no .....
(z) Are you now or have you in the past received disability pension or compensation? ..... no .....

Ernest Monaco
(Signature of Recruit)

A.G. Smith Capt. R.C.A.M.C.
(Witnessed by)

27. Physique :
Good x Fair ..... Poor .....
Chest :
Full expansion 36½ Range of Expansion 2
Lungs : neg
Heart : B.P. Systolic neg Diastolic .....
Abdomen neg
Skin neg
Glandular Systems neg
Remarks and Diagnosis :

PULHEMS Grading P 1

A.G. Smith Capt. R.C.A.M.C.
(Signature of Physician)

28. Psychiatrist's Report Remarks and Diagnosis :

Pulhems grading M 2 S 1

A.G. Smith Capt. R.C.A.M.C.
(Signature of Psychiatrist)

Part III

29. Category (or profile) to be assigned.

Year of Birth	P	U	L	H	E	M	S
25	1	1	1	1	1	2	1

This category (or profile) is not to be changed. See note (c).

W.F. Sparks, Maj. R.C.A.M.C.
(President of the Board)

DATE TAKEN MAR 28 1944 — DATE RESULTS 6/4/44 Neg.
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30. (a) Vaccination — Inoculations Serodiagnostic tests to be initialled by M.O.

30. (b) Changes or confirmation in present category (or profile) to be signed by M.O. or President of Medical Board.

Date	Use one line and write plainly.	Date	P	U	L	H	E	M	S	Signature of M.O.
	S.P VACC.	15-6-44	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	
6/4/44.	T.A.B.T. 1	4-7-44	Pulhems Conf.							
5-5-44	T.A.B.T. 2	12 Sept 44	PULHEMS CONF.							
2-6-44	T.A.B.T. 3	21-6-44	PULHEMS CONF.							
	Typhus Vaccine 1 c.c.									
6/4/44.	1st.									
5-5-44	2nd.									
2-6-44	3rd.									
13-6-44	Typhus (N)									
12-9-44	TYPHUS 1cc.									

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NOTE : (a) Any corrections to entries made must be initialled by the officers making them.
(b) (i) Category (or profile) in Part III (29) is not to be changed after once assigned.
(ii) Subsequent changes in category (or profile) to be entered in Part III (30) (b).
(c) Officers making changes must enter their rank. Corrections ARE NOT to be written OVER original entry.

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Record of Service of MONACO (Surname) ~~Ernes~~ Ernest Guiseppe (Christian Name) Regimental Number ~~B-160460~~

QUALIFICATIONS

Military: nil

Business or Professional: nil

Trade or Civil: Machine Operator

Technical: ~~nil~~ nil

Languages: Furlan. English, Italian

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

High School or Collegiate: nil (years completed) — Graduation or Matriculation: Gr. 8 p.s. (specify)

*College: nil

*University: nil

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

All personnel whether G.S. (General Service) or N.R.M.A. will be taken on strength as private soldiers. Postings, appointments and promotions should be shown in the spaces below.

REPORT Date	REPORT From whom received	Record of Postings, Promotions, Reductions, Transfers, Casualties, Reports, etc. from and including date taken on strength.	Rank Shown	Effective Date	Unit	Place	AUTHORITY Part II D.O. No. Con. List, etc.	AUTHORITY Dated
		T.O.S. #2 DISTRICT DEPOT (AF)	Pte.	28Mar.44	#2 D.D	Toronto Canada	D.C.# 76	30 Mar.44
		Granted leave of absence by DRO.without pay and all,from 30Mar.44 to 5Apr.44.	"		"	"	D.O. 76	30 Mar.44.
		S.O.S. ON TRANSFER TO No 25 B. T. C. EFF.	"	13 APR, 44	"	"	D/O 86B	12 APR. 44
		T.O.S. No. 25 B.T.C. SIMCOE, ONT. ON TRANSFER FROM No 2. D. D. S.O.S ON TRANSFER TO A. 29 C.I.C.T.C,	PTE	APR 14 1944	#25(B)TC.	SIMCOE	D.O. [illegible]87	APR 14 1944
			PTE	3 JUL 1944	#25(B)TC.	SIMCOE	D.O. NO. 156	3 JUL 1944
		T O S from 25 B T C	"	4 Jul 44	A-29	Ipperwash	D O 197	4 Jul 44
		To receive $1.40 per diem	"	28 Jul 44	"	"	D.O.234	11 Aug 44
		Granted 14 days furlough to 6 Sep 44	"	24 Aug 44	"	"	D.O.247	26 Aug 44
		Granted 6 days Emb. leave with rat. allce. to 17 Sep 44	"	12 Sep 44	"	"	D.O. 257	15 Sep 44
		S.O.S. to 294A	"	2 Oct 44	"	"	D O 283	2 Oct 44
		Embarked in Canada		4 Oct44		Canada		
		TOS C.A. Overseas on tranfer		5 Oct44	2 CIRU	U.K.	248	14 Oct 44
		Disembarked in U.K.		11 Oct44	2 CIRU	U.K.	248	14 Oct 44
		Reported for duty		13 Oct44	2 CIRU	U.K.	248	14 Oct 44

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

Regimental No. B160460. Rank ..... Sheet No. .....

MFM 1 & 2a
40/P & S/119 (4398)

Name MONACO. C. G.

	Record of Promotions, Reductions, Transfers, Casualties, Reports, etc—	Rank Shown	Effective Date	Unit	Place	Authority DO Number	Authority Dated
	[illegible] SOS SOS [illegible] X4 2 LBRG.	[illegible]	2 [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1	[illegible]
	TOS						
[illegible]	Embarked at ..... on ..... 3 [illegible]	Pte		[illegible]	21 Agp.	68	15 [illegible]
	Disembarked at ..... on ..... 4 [illegible]						
SO [illegible]	SOS [illegible] (13 [illegible]) [illegible] A.T.S.H. [illegible]	Pte	7 [illegible]	[illegible]	21 Agp.	76	24 [illegible]
	[illegible] TOS [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]	Pte	8 [illegible]	A.T.S.H.	21 Agp.	59	2 Dec. [illegible]
C138	SOS SOS to X3 list a T S H of C	Pte	8 Jan 45	a T S H of C	21 a G	4	20 Jan 45
	TOS						
[illegible]	SOS SOS X4 to A.T.S.H.	[illegible]	30 Jan 45	X4 A.T.S.H.	21 Agp	10	2 Feb 45
[illegible]	TOS T.O. from X4 A.T.S.H.	[illegible]	31 Jan 45	A.T.S.H.	21 Agp	7	8 Feb 45
[illegible]	Killed			28 Feb 45			
	SOS. SOS. Deceased. Killed in action. Killed.	Pte.	28 Feb 45	Arg & Sutl. H.	C.L.A. 553.	11 Mar 45	
		Pte.	28 Feb 45	A.T.S.H.	21 agp.	15	16 Mar 45

Sheet No.....

POSTINGS FROM O/S CASUALTY LISTS

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

Regt'l No. B.160460 Rank Pte. Surname Monaco Christian Name Ernest G.

Unit	Hospt.	Admitted Day	Admitted Mo.	Admitted Year	Discharged Day	Discharged Mo.	Discharged Year	Hospt. Days	Disease or Injury	Remarks	Cas. List No.
Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders.									Killed 28/2/45.		A 553.

Records B3-49
H.Q. 1772-45-8
100M—7-46 (8202)

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4-29 **SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM**

M.F.M. 4 (Part I)
200M—4-43 (9533)
H.Q. 1772-29-1649

PART I (For all ranks)

Unit # 2 DD (AF) C.INF.C. (RIFLES) R WING # 2Coy Regimental Number B-160460
Btfd. "Z"

1. Surname MONACO
2. Christian Names Ernest Guiseppe
3. *Substantive Rank and Appointment
   *Acting Temporary or Local Rank Pte
   giving date 28-3-44
   *To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration.
4. Place of birth Coseano, Udine, Italy.
5. Date of birth as declared on attestation Sept. 2, 1925.
   (A)
6. Date of enlistment March 28, 1944.
7. Place of enlistment Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
8. Residence at time of enlistment Box 143, Port Burwell, Ontario, Canada.
9. (B) Special conditions (if any) of enlistment or rate of pay
10. (C) Any subsequent variations of conditions of service
11. Religion Roman Catholic
12. If married, state date
13. Trade on enlistment Machine Operator
14. Corps, trade and grade
15. (D) Qualifications
16. (E) Miscellaneous entries

(17) Regiment or Corps: C.INF.C. (RIFLES)
Unit (Battn., etc.)

(18) Medical

Category	Date	Authority
1111121	24.3.44	M.F.M.2
Pul Confirmed	21 Sep 44	Med Board

(19) Next of kin (entries to be made in pencil) Mother Mrs Adelfa Monaco Box 143 Port Burwell, Ont

(20) E
(21) E
(22) E

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

(a) Report: Date	(a) Report: From whom received	(b) Unit	(c) Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, &c., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, &c. Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, &c.) in accordance with para. 2 of Note to Table I of Appendix III of Field Service Regulations, Volume I	(d) Place of Casualty	(e) Date of Casualty	Army rank as at (e)	(g) Army Form or other authority for entry to be shown
		A29	D·R·P· 1-40	Can	28-7-44	Pte	234 11-8-44
		2 CIRU	Embarked in Canada	Canada	4 Oct 44		248 14 Oct 44
		2 CIRU	TOS C.A. Overseas on transfer	U.K.	5 Oct 44		248 14 Oct 44
		2 CIRU	Disembarked in U.K.	U.K.	11 Oct 44		248 14 Oct 44
		2 CIRU	Reported for duty	U.K.	13 Oct 44		248 14 Oct 44
		2 CIDB	SOS TO X-4 13BN 2 CBRG	U.K.	2Nov44		D.O.1 2 Nov 44
			Embarked 3 Nov 44 Disembarked	N.W.E.	4 Nov 44	Pte	68 NOV 1944
			and TOS X4 CIC (11 Bn) wef	N.W.E.	3 Nov 44	Pte	
	X4CIC	13Bn	SOS to A&SH of C	"	7 Nov 44	Pte	76 Nov 44
10NOV CR	A. & S. HIGHRS.		TOS from X-4 list	Sd	8NOV 1944	"	59 NOV 1944
15 Jan 45	HB	"	SOS to X-3 list A. & S. HIGHRS.	"	8 Jan 45	"	4 - JAN 1945
20 Jan 45	X-3	"	TOS from A & S. Highrs	"	9 Jan 45	"	6/45
	"	"	Posted to X4 (11 Bn)	"	14 Jan 45	"	7/45
11 Bn	X-4	"	SOS to A&SH of C	Fd.	30 Jan 45	"	10/45
31 Jan 45 CR	A. & S. HIGHRS.		TOS from X-4 list	"	30 Jan 45	"	7 - JAN 1945
12MAR45	HS	"	SOS deceased Killed in action	"	28FEB45	"	15 - MAR 45

M.F.M. 4(a) (Part II)
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SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

(PART II)

Regiment or Corps: Arg. + Sutth. Regimental Number: B160460

Substantive Rank: Pte. Surname: MONACO Christian Names: E G

Acting Temporary or Local Rank:
(To be entered in pencil to facilitate alteration)

(a) Report: Date	(a) Report: From whom received	(b) Unit	(c) Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, &c., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, &c. Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, &c.) in accordance with para. 2 of Note to Table 1 of Appendix III of Field Service Regulations, Volume I	(d) Place of Casualty	(e) Date of Casualty	(f) Army rank as at (e)	(g) Army Form or other authority for entry to be shown
13 Jan 45	3015-212		Adm. 2 C C C S	Fld.	8 Jan 45	Pte.	6120
15 Jan 45	" 213		Adm. 15 C F A	"	8 Jan 45	"	
20 Jan 45	" 218		Disch 2 C C C S	"	16 Jan 45	"	

HOSPITALIZATION ONLY

M.F.M. 5
300M—1-43 (7930)
H.Q. 1772-39-1651

4-29 AF

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

INSTRUCTIONS

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

(1) Name of Officer or Other Rank ~~BONACO~~ MONACO, Ernest Guiseppe
(Surname first—Christian names in full—Block capitals)

(2) Regimental or Official Number and Rank B 160460 PTE

(3) Unit #2DD(AF) C INF C (RIFLES) R WING #2 COY for Bfd Z

(4) Are you married? NO (5) If married, state,

(*a*) Full name of your wife THIS MAN

(*b*) Present postal address of wife BEING SINGLE

(6) If married, have you been regularly supporting your wife? If not—state reasons: QUESTIONS

5 to 9

(7) Are you a widower?

(8) Have you any children? Number of boys Girls
INCLUSIVE

Names and ages

ARE NOT

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

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

Name

Postal Address

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

If so, state her full name and postal address

NA
RECORDS M. D. 2

[SEE OTHER SIDE]

(11) Is your father alive? YES If so state name and address, occupation Mr. Luigi MONACO, Labourer Box 143, Port Burwell, Ontario, Canada.

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

(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 NA

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 Mrs. Adella MONACO, box 143, Port Burwell, Ontario, Canada.

(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 NA

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? NA

(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 NA

Full Name NA

Postal Address NA

Amount contributed monthly during the past six months NA

(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.

Date 28-3-44. L'Ernest Monaco
(Signature of officer or man)

Date 28-3-44 for Officer Commanding #2DD(AF)

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.)

405-M-45,839.

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RECORDS OFFICE OVERSEAS.

CANADIAN MILITARY HEADQUARTERS.

GRAVES REGISTRATION CARD.

P.A.

NAME MONACO, Ernest Guiseppe.

PLACE & DATE OF BIRTH Coscano, Udine, Italy. 2 Sep 1925.

RANK Pte.

REGTL NO. B-160460

UNIT Argyll & Sutherland Highrs. AEF.

NEXT OF KIN & ADDRESS Mother.
Mrs. Adella MONACO.
Box 143, Port Burwell. Ontario. Canada.

PARTICULARS OF HOSPITALISATION

DATE OF ADMISSION

NAME & LOCATION OF HOSPITAL

DIAGNOSIS

PARTICULARS OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH 28 Feb 45.

PLACE OF DEATH Germany

HRS

CAUSE OF DEATH KILLED.

PARTICULARS OF BURIAL.

DATE OF BURIAL 2 Mar 45

CEMETERY CALCAR Sh 4203 001457 Buried by side of road in Common Grave together with several Armd Corps men

PLOT NO 1 ROW NO 1 GRAVE NO 10

DEATH CERTIFICATE NO

DATE OF REGN OF DEATH CERT

RELIGION R.C.

DATE 31 Oct 45

(M.Bluteau) Captain,
for COLONEL,
O i/c Records,
CANADIAN MILITARY HEADQUARTERS,

Extracted from Burial Records,
RECORDS OFFICE OVERSEAS,
ACTON, LONDON W.3.

M.F.M. 268
50M-9-44 (5635)
H.Q. 1772-39-1990

CANADIAN PACIFIC
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FILE H.Q. 405-M-45,839

CASUALTY (REPORT DELIVERY) OTTAWA 11 MARCH 1945

TO:- MRS ADELLA MONACO
BOX 143
PORT BURWELL ONTARIO

63295

REGRET DEEPLY B160460 PRIVATE ERNEST GUISEPPE MONACO HAS BEEN OFFICIALLY REPORTED KILLED IN ACTION TWENTYEIGHTH FEBRUARY 1945 STOP YOU SHOULD RECEIVE FURTHER DETAILS BY MAIL DIRECT FROM THE UNIT IN THE THEATRE OF WAR STOP TO PREVENT POSSIBLE AID TO OUR ENEMIES DO NOT DIVULGE DATE OF CASUALTY OR NAME OF UNIT

PREPAID

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DIRECTOR OF RECORDS

28th March, 1945.

Mrs. Adella Monaco,
Box #143,
Fort Burwell, Ontario.

Dear Mrs. Monaco:

It was with deep regret that I learned of the death of your son, B160460 Private Ernest Guiseppe Monaco, who gave his life in the Service of his Country in the Western European Theatre of War on the 28th day of February, 1945.

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

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

We pay tribute to the sacrifice he so bravely made.

Yours sincerely,

A. E. WALFORD
Major-General
Adjutant-General

MAR 29 1945

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

/EMA

Mem. x. Mother
4-4-45

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FORM No. 1

Register No. C D 23550

Nominal Roll No. D 636

H.Q. File No. 405-M-45-539

To: P.M.G.

CANADIAN ARMY (ACTIVE)

Computation of Service

WAR SERVICE GRANT

Regt. No.	Rank when S.O.S.	Surname	Christian Name in Full
B-160460	PTE	MONACO	ERNEST-GUISEPPE

REASON FOR TERMINATION OF SERVICE:

1st Enlistment KILLED IN ACTION CARO ( )

2nd Enlistment CARO ( )

3rd Enlistment CARO ( )

Total Service

1ST ENLISTMENT	2ND ENLISTMENT	3RD ENLISTMENT
T.O.S. 28 Mar 44	T.O.S.	T.O.S.
S.O.S. 28 Feb 45 MD 9	S.O.S. MD	S.O.S. MD
Total Days 338	Total Days	Total Days

338 DAYS

Total Service

—	Total Service	Less Non-qualifying Service	Net Service
Western Hemisphere	191	7	184
Overseas Service	147	Nil	147
Totals	338	7	331
Add Non-qualifying Service			7
Total Service			338

EMBARKATION DETAILS:

1. Date S.O.S. Overseas 28 Feb 45

2. Date S.O.S. Overseas

REMARKS:

KILLED IN ACTION 28 Feb 45

Computer's Signature J.L. Thomas

Checker's Signature [illegible]

Date Computed 14 Jun 45

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

J.L. Rouillard Lt.
for C. L. LAURIN,
Colonel,
DIRECTOR OF RECORDS.

500M—11-44 (6012)
H.Q. 1772-45-8

Details of Non-Qualifying Service

Western Hemisphere—

Forfeits for	From	To	Effective Date	Days	Total
LWOP	30 Mar 44	5 Apr 44	30 Mar 44	7	7
				Total	7

Overseas: T.O.S. 5 Oct 44 T.O.S. .... T.O.S. ....

S.O.S. 28 Feb 45 S.O.S. .... S.O.S. ....

				Total	[signature]

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

WILL

M.F.M. 10
150M—10-43 (2314)
H.Q. 1772-39-1656

(1) I, Ernest Guiseppe MONACO (Name in Full), of the Village (City, Town, Village, Township)

Address in civil life.

of Port Burwell, in the County ~~District~~ of Elgin

Province of Ontario, machine operator (Civil Occupation)

Regimental No. B160460, Unit #2 DD(AF)INF(R) #2 Coy, do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made and declare this to be my LAST WILL.

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

(2) I GIVE, DEVISE AND BEQUEATH unto MY MOTHER, Adella MONACO, of Box 143, Port Burwell, Ontario, Canada, all my ESTATE----

Relationship, names and address of residuary beneficiaries.

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

(4) I appoint Mrs. Adella MONACO, Box 143, Port Burwell, Ont. Canada, (Name) (Address)

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 29 day of March 19 44

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.

Ernest Monaco (Signature of soldier)

First witness sign here.

(5) Signature

Civil Address 1870 Bloor St. West, Toronto, Ont. Canada,

Civil Occupation Clerk

Second witness sign here.

Signature Wm. N. Sutherland.

Civil Address 34 Glebeholme Blvd., Toronto, Ont. Canada,

Civil Occupation Clerk

(Witnesses are not to be beneficiaries.)

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NOTE

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

(1) Example: I, John Charles Jones, of the City of Marlowe, in the County of Carleton, Province of Ontario, Mechanic, Regimental No. 1234, Royal Blankshire Regiment.

(2) If only *one* beneficiary for all your estate, complete as example: "my wife, Mary Jones of 26 Cherry Ave., Ottawa, Ont., all my estate," in which event, strike out clause (3) entirely.

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

"my wife, Mary Jones, 26 Cherry Ave., Ottawa, Ont., $.....00, and my household goods and effects,"
"my brother, Thomas Jones, 80 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., $.....00,"
"my sister, Margaret Jones, 80 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., $.....00,"
"my friend, John Smith, 60 LaSalle St., Winnipeg, Man., $.....00,"

and any personal gift, if desired. Then complete clause (3) as to the balance of your estate.

(3) If balance of estate is to one person, complete as example: "my wife, Mary Jones, 26 Cherry Ave., Ottawa, Ont." Another example: "my father, Jack Jones, and mother, Jessie Jones, 80 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., equally," or as desired.

(4) Fill in name of Executor or Executrix, example: "John Doe, 24 Smith Street, Blankville, Ontario, Salesman," or, if Executrix, "Jane Doe" and address. A beneficiary under the Will may be appointed Executor or Executrix. It is preferable that the person appointed as Executor should not be on, or likely to be on, Active Service.

(5) The soldier will date the Will and sign same. Two witnesses must sign in the presence of the soldier, and each witness should fill in his or her full civil address and occupation. No one who is a beneficiary shall act as a witness. It is preferable, though not essential, that the witnesses be persons not on Active Service.

When completed, leave Will with Commanding Officer for transmission to the Records Office for safe custody.

GENERAL

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

D.R. 10

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DEPT RECORDS
JUN 15 1945
WILL SEC.
N.D. H.Q.

WILL RECEIVED IN
DOCUMENT SECTION
APR 15 1944
RECORD OFFICE
NAT. DEF. H.Q.

ESTATES
BRANCH
APR 7 194
H.Q.
OTTAWA
NATIONAL DEFENCE

Receipt is Acknowledged

APR 14 1944

(C. L. LAURIN) Colonel
Director of Records
for Adjutant-General.

H.Q. 405-M-45839 D.R. 2(D)

25th May, 1945.

Mrs. Adella Monaco,
Box #143,
Port Burwell, Ontario.

Dear Madam:

Information has now been received from the overseas military authorities that your son, B160460 Private Ernest Guiseppe Monaco, was buried with religious rites ih a temporary grave located at a point approximately four miles South of Calcar, Germany.

The grave will have been temporarily marked with a wooden cross for identification purposes and in due course the remains will be reverently exhumed and removed to a recognized military burial ground when the concentration of graves in the area takes place. On this being completed the new location will be advised to you, but for obvious reasons it will likely take approximately one year before this information is received.

Yours faithfully,

J. B. Radine

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

/EMA

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H.Q. 405-M-45,839
DR 2 (b)

11th April, 1945.

Mrs. J. Melchior,
Tillsonburg, Ontario.

Dear Mrs. Melchior:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated 5th April 1945. In reply, I feel you should be commended for your charitable endeavour towards the family of the late, B-160541 Private Ernest Guiseppe Monaco. However, according to our records on enlistment he stated that he spoke both English and Italian. Because of this, all correspondence to the next of kin has been despatched in the English language.

We would be only too glad to comply with your request, but we note that the action is completed in regard to the file of the above named soldier, therefore, we will have no further correspondence with the next of kin. To send out duplicate copies of our previous letters in Italian would not further the purpose, in our estimation.

I might add for your information that all remaining details regarding Private Monaco's regretted death will be contained in a letter direct from the Unit in the Theatre of War, and for obvious reasons it will undoubtedly be written in the English language.

It is regrettable we are unable to meet your request but in closing please extend our sincere and heartfelt sympathy to Mr. & Mrs. Monaco for their irreparable loss.

Yours truly,

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

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Director of Records.
A. G. Branch.
APR 9 1945
Nat. Defence Hqr
Ottawa - Canada.

Dillsonburg Ont
April 5 1945
405-M-45,859

Department of National Defence

Dear Sir.

Would I be presuming, to offer a suggestion? This came to my attention in the case of Pte. Ernest Giuseppi Monaco (his number Dbelieve B160460) of Port Burwell Ontario who was killed on Feb 28 1945. This boy was an Italian, and his parents who are unable to read English have had to have all communications read and translated for them which meant they could not possibly know what was in a letter until they found some one to explain it to them.

If people in their position could have at least one letter sent to them in their own language, it would be quite a comfort to them in their trouble

I remain

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Amelia Melchior

CAS. REGISTRY
APR 9 1945
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File No 405-11-45 839

REBURIAL

NO B-160460

RANK Private

NAME Monaco - C. G.

NAME OF CEMETERY Nijmegen Canadian Military Cemetery,

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

GRAVE LOCATION Grave 2 Row C Plot 24

AUTHORITY 54-27-88-2 Vol. 21

Reburial list.

File No. 405-M-45839

VERIFICATION FORM

WAR SERVICE MEDALS 1939-45

No. B 160460 Name Monaco, Ernest Giuseppe

Rank on Discharge Pte Date of Discharge 28-2-45

Authority for Discharge or Retirement Deceased

Served in:			Non-qualifying service
Canada	from 28-3-44	to 4-10-44	
	from	to	
United Kingdom	from 5-10-44	to 3-11-44	
	from	to	
Italy	from	to	
Northwest Europe	from 4-11-44	to 28-2-45	K/H.
	from	to	
	from	to	

Eligible for award of:

1939 - 45 Star OK

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~~Italy Star~~ ----------

France-Germany Star OK

Defence Medal NE

War Medal 1939-45 OK

Canadian Volunteer Service Medal with clasp OK

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K/H

Verified by Edna Lavine

Date OCT 15 1946

Carded OCT 15 1946

NO RIBBON DESPATCH

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