

Originated by Unit 14 Dec 44Date recommendation  
passed forward

2 Cdn Armd ..... Brigade ..... Division ..... 2 Cdn ..... Corps

Unit	Received	Passed
Brigade	17 Dec 44	19 Dec 44

Schedule No. .... Unit 6 Cdn Armd Regt  
(to be left blank) (1 Hussars) CAC

Division .....

Army No. and Rank ..... P-1109 Sergeant .....

Corps .....  
Army 20 DEC 1944 8 JAN 1945Name Louis GARIEPY  
(Christian names must be stated)Action for which commended  
(Date and place of action must be stated)Recommended  
byHonour  
or  
Reward(To be  
left blank)On 14 Aug 44, Sgt Gariepy was a Troop Sgt in "G" Squadron  
6 Cdn Armd Regt (1H).

On that day the squadron was ordered to proceed at full speed across the River LAIZON to the high ground overlooking FALAISE. The tanks were preceding the infantry and the Troop in which Sgt Gariepy was a crew commander was in the leading wave. Before crossing the river heavy anti-tank gun opposition was met but the troop, with Sgt Gariepy's tank playing a leading role, knocked out four 88 mm guns and continued across the river. His tank was hit, the guns and wireless put out of action and as a result, he lost contact with the rest of the troop. With no thought of retiring he stayed with his tank overnight in a town still occupied by the enemy and in the morning proceeded on his own to round up as many of the enemy as possible. With about three hundred prisoners finally in his hands he then marched them back into our lines and rejoined his squadron.

A great deal of the credit for the success of this engagement was due to the boldness, perseverance and unswerving determination of this NCO.

*White*  
(FR WHITE)  
Lt-Col,  
CO 6 Cdn  
Armd Regt  
*G. W. Robinson*  
(GW ROBINSON) A/Brig  
Comd 2 Cdn Armd Bde

CROIX DE  
GUERRE  
with  
Bronze  
Star

H. D. G. Crear, Gen.  
G.O.C.-in-C.  
First Canadian Army

P.T.O.

REGISTRATION IN THIS AREA

1941

UNIT NO. 100  
(1000000)

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Handwritten notes and stamps in the top left section, including a date stamp that appears to be '1941'.

Extensive handwritten text in the middle section, likely a report or log, containing various numbers and descriptions.

If a casualty as under, fill in date.

Nature of Casualty	Date
Killed in action	
Died of Wounds	
Died	
Missing	
Prisoner of War	