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CANADA

ATTESTATION FORM

FOR MEN OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

SURNAME LAPP OFFICIAL NO. V-30120

CHRISTIAN NAMES JOHN RAYMOND MARRIED, SINGLE or WIDOWER SINGLE

PERMANENT ADDRESS		RELIGION
<u>Gen. Del. P.O. COURTNEY, B.C.</u>		<u>Church of England</u>
DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
<u>24th OCTOBER, 1916.</u>	Town <u>VICTORIA</u> County Province <u>B.C.</u>	<u>(Father) GEORGE LAPP</u> <u>COURTNEY, B.C.</u>

PERSONAL DESCRIPTION ON ENROLMENT

HEIGHT	CHEST MEASUREMENT	HAIR	EYES	COM- PLEXION	WOUNDS, SCARS, MARKS
Fect. <u>5'</u>	Inflated <u>38"</u>	<u>FAIR</u>	<u>GREEN</u>	<u>FRESH</u>	<u>NIL.</u>
Inches <u>9"</u>	Deflated <u>35"</u>				
	Mean <u>36 1/2"</u>				
DATE OF ENROLMENT	RATING ENROLLING FOR	TRADE OR CALLING AND IN WHOSE EMPLOY			
<u>15th FEBRUARY, 1940.</u>	<u>Stoker 2/class</u> <u>R.C.N.V.R.</u>	<u>Laborer.</u> <u>Comox Logging</u>			

(B) DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT

I hereby declare as follows:—

- (1) That I am a British Subject domiciled in Canada.
- (2) That I am desirous of being enrolled as a member of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, and that I accept and agree to abide by the rules of the said Force.
- (3) That * (a) I have never served, and am not serving in any Naval, Military, Reserve, or Territorial Force.

* (b) I served in N11 for the period shown, and attach my record of service, in corroboration of this statement.

* Cross out Clause not applicable.

SERVED IN	RANK	FROM	TO
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- (c) I have never been rejected from any of His Majesty's Forces on account of unfitness.
- (4) That the particulars contained above are correct and true according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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(5) On being enrolled as a member of the Division of
Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, I undertake and bind myself:

(a) To serve from the date thereof for ~~three consecutive years~~ ^{Duration of Hostilities} being subject to the provisions of the
Naval Service Act, and of the Regulations made in pursuance thereof for the government of the Royal
Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, and to the customs and usages of His Majesty's Canadian Naval
Service.

(b) To report for active service if called upon in time of war or emergency, and, if called into active
service, to serve ashore or afloat as may be directed, according to where my services are required.

(c) To keep in good repair and condition the articles of uniform and any articles of outfit which may
be issued to me and to return them to the nearest Divisional Commanding Officer or to Training Head-
quarters prior to my discharge or when required so to do by any authorized person, or to pay compensation
for any loss or damage thereto other than fair wear and tear; and also not to wear such uniform or outfit
(which is and remains the property of the Crown) except when on naval duty.

Dated this 15th day of February, 1940.

Signature of applicant John Lapp

(C) CERTIFICATE OF DIVISIONAL COMMANDING OFFICER

I hereby certify that all the foregoing statements were made by the volunteer above named, in my
presence, and that he has made and signed the above declaration in my presence on this 15th
day of February, 1940

Sheep
Signature of Commanding Officer.

Lieutenant Commander, R.C.N.V.R.

(D) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I, JOHN RAYMOND LAPP do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly
declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Britannic Majesty, His heirs and successors
according to law.

Signature of Applicant John Lapp

Witness Sheep

Date 15/2/40. Rank Lieutenant Commander, R.C.N.V.R.

The Oath of Allegiance may be administered by a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service.

(E) CERTIFICATE OF DIVISIONAL COMMANDING OFFICER

JOHN RAYMOND LAPP having been duly enrolled to serve in the Royal
Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, I have caused his name and every prescribed particular to be
recorded in the Record Book of the Division of the R.C.N.V.R.

Sheep
Commanding Officer.
Lieutenant Commander, R.C.N.V.R.

NOTE.—This form when completed and when the particulars on it have been noted in the Divisional
Commanding Officer's Record Book, is to be forwarded to Headquarters, Ottawa, for custody.

The Certificate of medical examination, B-207, and certificates of previous service are to be sent to
Headquarters, Ottawa, with this form.

Certificates of previous service will be returned after they have been examined at Headquarters,
Ottawa.

SERVICE CERTIFICATE

N. V. No. 17

3M-9-37
N.S. 815-11-17

OF

Name in full John Raymond LAPP Company Naden

ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

I C. N.S. 23940

Training Headquarters

Esquimalt

Official Number

30120

Date of Birth

24 October 1916

Place of Birth

Victoria, B. C.

Usual Place of Residence

Richards Camp, Cadboro Bay B. C.

Trade brought up to

Laborer

Name and Address of next of Kin

(Wife) Ruby Elizabeth 112 Bannockburn Rd. Victoria, B. C.

Religious Denomination

Church of England

Can Swim

P.P.T. (Good) 28 Mch 40 ^{10/12/40} ~~W. J. P. Co~~

PARTICULARS OF SERVICE

DATE OF ACTUAL VOLUNTEERING	DATE OF ENROLMENT	PERIOD VOLUNTEERED FOR	RATING ON ENROLMENT	MEDALS, DECORATIONS, ETC.	
				DATE RECEIVED	NATURE OF DECORATION
		<u>15 Feb 40 Hostilities</u>	<u>Sto. 2/c.</u>		

PERSONAL DESCRIPTION

	HEIGHT		COMPLEXION	HAIR	EYES	MARKS, WOUNDS, SCARS
	FEET	INCHES				
On Entry	<u>5</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Fresh</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Green</u>	
On attaining 28 years						
Further Description if necessary						

Ledger 10/11/20
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ACTIVE SERVICE

SHIP'S NAME	LIST AND NO.	RATING	FROM	TO	CHARACTER	ABILITY	CAPTAIN'S SIGNATURE
"Naden"		Sto 2/c	15 Feb '40	16 Apr '40			
Naden (Malaspina)		Sto 2/c	17 Apr '40	15 Oct '40			
Naden		" "	16 Oct '40	31 Dec '40	V.G.	Sat.	
" "		" "	1 Jan '41	15 Feb '41			
" "		Sto. 1/c	16 Feb '41	31 Dec '41	V.G.	Sat.	
" "		" "	1 Jan '42	8 Feb '42			
Guiney (Simmons)		" "	9 Feb '42	28 Feb '42			
(") (")		A/Ldy. Sto (r)	17 Mar '42	13 Sep '42			
Stadacona (Simmons)		" "	4 Sep '42	31 Dec '42	V.G.	Sat.	
" " (")		" "	1 Jan '43	28 Feb '43			
" " " "		A/S.P.O. (r)	1 Mar '43	6 Aug '43			
Stadacona		" "	7 Aug '43	2 Nov '43			
Stadacona (Seymour)		" "	7 Nov '43	31 Dec '43	V.G.	Sat.	
Stadacona (Seymour)		" "	1 Jan '44	29 Feb '44	(2154)		
Stadacona (Seymour)		S.P.O. (r)	1 Mar '44	19 Feb '44			
Niobe (")		" "	20 Feb '44	29 Mar '44			
Stadacona (")		" "	30 Mar '44	31 Dec '44	V.G.	Sat.	
" " (")		" "	1 Jan '45	28 Feb '45	V.G.		
Niobe (")		" "	1 Mar '45	19 Mar '45	Reported "Missing"		
						PRESUMED DEAD.	
						6.7. NO'S. Sig. 2417518. 7 May '45	
						V.G.	SAT (500)

GOOD CONDUCT BADGES			SERVICE BADGES		SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT		TIME FORFEITED			
DATE	1st, 2nd, 3rd	GRANTED, DEPRIVED, RESTORED	DATE	NUMBER	FROM	TO	FROM	P.D.G. C.P. W.T.	DAYS	TO
15 Feb 43	1st	1001521 Granted								

V30120

OFFICIAL NUMBER

FILE NUMBER

113-I-399

OFFICIAL NUMBER

V30120

NAME LAPP (Surname) John Raymond (Given Names) DATE OF BIRTH 24th October, 1916
 PLACE OF BIRTH Victoria, B.C. OCCUPATION Labourer
 RELIGION C. of E. EDUCATION
 RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. Gen. Del. P.O. Town Courtney Province, etc. B.C.

ENGAGEMENTS				DESCRIPTION					PREVIOUS SERVICE			
Date (in figures)			Period	Height	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Marks or Scars	Served in	Rank or Rating	Dates	
Day	Month	Year									From	To
15	2	40	H.O.	5' 9	Fair	Hazel	Fresh					

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) Mr. H. H. H. H. H. NAME (in pencil) Mr. H. H. H. H. H.
 ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. 1122 Dalmeny Rd. (see file) Town Victoria Province, etc. B.C.

MEDALS, CLASPS, HURT CERTIFICATES, PRIZE MONEY				EXAMINATIONS, CERTIFICATES, ETC.							
Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			PARTICULARS
Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	
				14	11	41	Granted Aux. W/K Certificate				
				12	2	42	Qual. For Stoker Petty Officer				

BADGES, G.C. OR G.S.					BRIEF PARTICULARS OF WARRANT OR C.M. PUNISHMENTS AND C.P. CHARGES							
Date (in figures)			1st, 2nd or 3rd G.C. or G.S.	Granted Deprived Restored	SHIP OR ESTABLISHMENT	Wt. No.	Date (in figures)			BRIEF PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE	PUNISHMENT	
Day	Month	Year					Day	Month	Year			
15	2	43	1st G.C.B.	Granted								

FILM
NO. MAR 55 39-8
DATE

Date (in figures)			DAYS FORFEITED					
Day	Month	Year	Prison	Det'n	Cells	C. Power	W. Trial	In diff. Char.

SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT

From To



V30120 OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME LAPP John Raymond
(Surname) (Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER V30120

P.I.E

Ship or Establishment	Rating	From			Remarks	Character	Efficiency	Date			Non-Sub. Rating	Qualified			Re-Qualified		
		Day	Month	Year				Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
Naden	Sto. 2/c	15	2	40		V.G.	Supr.	31	12	40							
Malaspina	" "	17	4	40		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	41							
Naden	" II	16	9	40		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	42							
"	Sto. I	16	2	41		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	43							
Givenchy (Timmins)	"	9	2	42	# 21705	V.G.	Sat.	31	12	44							
"	A/Ldg. Sto.	1	3	42	Advanced. Memo 3/3/42.	V.G.	Sat.	18	3	45							
Stadacona	"	26	1	43	DRD H-348												
Timmins	"	20	1	43	DRD H-349												
"	A/Sto. P.O.	1	3	43	Rated. (249A, #29888)												
Stadacona	"	7	8	43	DRD H-3261												
Guysborough	"	3	11	43	DRD H-3090												
"	Stoker P.O.	1	3	44	CONFIRMED (249A, A2054)												
DISCHARGED	"	18	3	45	Missing per Casualty List.												

GENERAL REMARKS

AWARDED CANADIAN MEMORIAL CROSS to:
Wife: Mrs. Ruby E. Lapp,
c/o General Delivery,
BURFORD, Ontario.
June 5, 1945.

DATE OF BIRTH			PLACE BIRTH		CIVIL OCCU.		RELI.	ED.	PERM. RESIDENCE			PREV. ENL.	RANK OR RATE			
DY.	MO.	YR.	BIRTH	MAIN	SUB	GION			P.	CTY.	TOWN	SERV.	DIV.	A.	BR.	RANK
24	0	16	18	988	0	30	X		9	03	02	0	13	0	13	45
ENLIST. DATE			ACT. SERV. DATE			STR.	ACT. SERV. DATE			SHIP OR ESTAB.		RANK OR RATE				
DY.	MO.	YR.	DY.	MO.	YR.	CAT.	DY.	MO.	YR.		A.	BR.	RANK			
15	07	40	15	07	40						3290	1	15	92		
SENIORITY			STR.	NON-SUB		M	CODED			CHECKED						
DY.	MO.	YR.	CAT.	A	B	ST.										
01	03	43	13	00	00		2-5									

INFORMATION EXTRACTED FROM NAVAL SERVICE HEADQUARTERS' RECORDS

Six copies to be rendered to Naval Service Headquarters

REPORT OF THE DEATH OF AN OFFICER, MAN OR BOY

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~~XXXXXX~~ Naval Service Headquarters, Ottawa, Ontario.

Name..... **LAPP** **John Raymond**
 (Christian names in full)
 Rank or Rating..... **Stoker Petty Officer** Official No. **V-30120** Unit **FROM**
R.C.N.V.R.
 Place of Birth..... **Victoria, B.C.** Date of Birth..... **24 October, 1916**
 Occupation in Civil Life..... **Laborer** Religion..... **Church of England**
 Number of years service in the Navy (Long Service R.C.N., or mobilized service in case of R.C.N.
 (Temporary) or Reserve ratings)..... **from 15 February, 1940 to 18 March, 1945.**
 Date of Death..... **18 March, 1945.** Place of Death..... **At sea**
 Cause of Death..... **Missing, presumed dead. He was serving in H.M.C.S. "GUYSBOROUGH"**
 (If due to accident, violence, or enemy action, particulars to be stated briefly)
which was torpedoed and sunk by enemy action at sea.

Nearest known relative or friend. { Name **Mrs. Ruby E. Lapp** Relationship..... **Wife**
 Address..... **C/O General Delivery,**
Burford, Ontario.

Date on which the above was informed by ~~Ship~~ **Naval Service Headquarters: 21 March, 1945.**

Date on which death was registered with local Officials..... **---**

In the case of Imperial Service men, whether Active Service, Pensioner or Reserve, date on which the prescribed return was rendered to the Registrar General in London, Edinburgh or Dublin, according to Nationality..... **---**

If applicable { Place of Burial..... **No burial** Date of Burial.....
 Location, Number, etc., of grave.....
 Undertaker employed.....

Noted D.H. P. 30.4.45 E.L. *H.B. Money*
 The SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD
 Department of National Defence,
 Ottawa, Canada.
 (Commanding Officer)
 for SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.
 Date **Ottawa, Ont., 1 May, 1945.**

In all cases this Form is to be sent in addition to the Report by Telegraph required by the Regulations.

Distribution: File, Imp. W. G. Com., Dom. Stat., Register, Sec. C.P.C., Dir. of Records.

VERIFICATION FORM
 CAMPAIGN STARS, DEFENCE MEDAL, WAR MEDAL
 NAVAL GENERAL SERVICE MEDAL

NAME IN FULL LAPP John Raymond RANK/RATING S.P.O.

SHIP	SERVICE			AREA	QUALI	
	FROM	TO	DAYS		FROM	TO
	15-2-40					
Malaspina	17-4-40	15-10-40	182	W C		
Tennis	10-2-42	1-6-43	477	W.C. & at		
Guyborough	3-11-43	18-3-45	502	Fr. Gen.		
			18-3-45	Dis <u>Dead</u>		

VERIFIED BY W. G. H. H. H.

VERIFIED BY

VERIFICATION FORM

STARS, DEFENCE MEDAL, WAR MEDAL, C.V.S.M. and CLASP.
 NAVAL GENERAL SERVICE MEDAL (1915).

RANK/RATING *S.P.O.* OFF. NO. *✓ 30120* ADDRESS

AREA	QUALIFYING PERIODS IN DAYS						STARS MEDALS	✓ 1 2	ELIGIBLE FOR AWARDS OF
	FROM	TO	1939-45	ATLANTIC	DEFENCE	CLASP C.V.S.M.			
							1939-45	1	<i>3 star</i>
<i>W.C.</i>							ATLANTIC	1	<i>& clasp</i>
<i>W.C. & at</i>							FRANCE G.	2	
<i>Fr. Gen.</i>							AFRICA		
							PACIFIC		
<i>Head</i>							BURMA		
							ITALY		
							DEFENCE		
							C.V.S.M.	2	<i>& clasp</i>
							" CLASP		
							WAR 1945	1	<i>medal</i>
							WAR 1915		

VERIFIED BY *[Signature]*

VERIFIED BY DIR. OF PERSONNEL RECORDS.

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

RCNVR "GUYSBOROUGH" Jan./46

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS
PERSON

Lewis (Re-married)

ENTITLED TO Mrs. Ruby E. Lapp - Widow

ADDRESS: ~~1112 Balboral Road, Victoria, B.C.~~ 733 25th Ave. S. SEATTLE, Wash., U.S.A.
15-9-49

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW Mrs. R. E. Lapp

ADDRESS: c/o General Delivery
BURFORD, Ontario

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER

ADDRESS:

MEMORIAL BAR

(1)

DATE DESP

REGN. NO. ~~5-6-49~~ CANCELLED

(2)

5 June 1945

(3)

127-C.B.30

DECEASED 18 March 1945

AWARDS NAVY

D.D.

LAPP	John Raymond	V-30120	S.P.O.	FILE No.
SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS)	CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. No.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT

WAR SERVICE


BADGE

(CLASS)

No.

DATE DESPATCHED:

ADDRESS:

CAMPAIGN MEDALS	REGISTRATION NUMBER AND DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star	<p>1469</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> <p>03-08417 M</p>  <p>P</p> </div>
Atlantic Star & Clasp	
C.V.S.M. & Clasp	
War Medal	

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