

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE  
(Naval Service)

C.N.S. 2417  
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N.S. 815-9-2417

APPLICATION FOR ENTRY IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

*Victoria, B.C.*  
(Place)

*June 3, 1935*  
(Date)

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DEFENCE  
JUN 11 1935  
62-2142  
N.S. CANADA

The Naval Secretary,  
Department of National Defence,  
OTTAWA.

SIR:— I hereby make formal application for entry in the Royal Canadian Navy, under a seven years' continuous service engagement as a *Boy Seaman* (Insert rating chosen)

I certify that the following particulars are in my own handwriting and are true in every respect:

- Name (to be given in full in Block Letters) *Clifford Melvyn Logan* M 7915
- Date of Birth (Birth Certificate or sworn declaration by parent or guardian must be attached) *April 25, 1919*
- Place of Birth. Town *Victoria* Province *B.C.*
- Permanent Place of Residence. No. *1141* Street *Pier Street*  
Town *Victoria* Province *B.C.*
- Are you a British Subject? *Yes*
- How long have you resided in Canada? *16 years*
- What is your Mother Tongue? *English*
- What other language do you speak? *none*
- Are you of the White Race? *yes*
- Are you Single, Married or a Widower? *single*
- How far advanced educationally are you? *High School Entrance and partial term first year high school*  
(Certificates of School Authorities must be attached)
- What practical experience have you had?  
(Details and certificates from employers, trade credentials, etc., must be attached to substantiate employment reported.)  
*none*
- Do you belong to any Naval, Military, Air or Police Force? *no*
- If so, give details
- Have you ever served in such forces? *no*
- If so, give dates and details
- Have you ever been discharged from His Majesty's Forces as medically unfit? *no*
- Have you ever offered to serve in His Majesty's Forces and been rejected? *no*  
Why?
- Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence? *no*  
(Enclose two character references, one of which must confirm your answer to Question 19)
- What is your weight? *155 lbs* Height *5' 8 1/2"* Chest Measurement (Not inflated) *33 1/2"*
- Have you ever had fits? *no*
- Do you suffer from any deformity? *no*
- Have you suffered the loss of any fingers, toes, etc? *no*
- Do you suffer from any disease? *no*
- Do you wear glasses? *no*
- Are you subject to any disability which might cause your rejection?  
*no*
- Give details
- Are you willing to be vaccinated and inoculated as considered necessary by the appropriate authorities? *yes*

*George Fisher, O.B.P.C.* Signature of Witness. *C.M. Logan* Signature of Applicant.

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN OF CANDIDATES UNDER 21 YEARS OLD

I agree to refund to the Department of National Defence the expenses incurred by that Department for transportation to a Naval Base of the above applicant, should he, on arrival at such Base, fail to enrol for seven years' continuous Naval service for reasons which in the opinion of the Department are within his own control. Signed and Sealed at *Victoria B.C.*, this *3rd* day of *June*, 19*35* in the presence of

*George Fisher O.B.P.C.* Signature of Witness. *Mrs Emily Logan* Signature of Parent or Guardian.

CERTIFICATE TO BE SIGNED BY CANDIDATES OVER 21 YEARS OF AGE

I agree to refund to the Department of National Defence the expenses incurred by that Department for my transportation to a Naval Base, should I, on arrival at such Base, fail to enrol for seven years' continuous Naval service for reasons which in the opinion of the Department are within my own control.

Signed and Sealed at....., this.....day of....., 19....., in the presence of

..... Signature of Witness ..... Signature of Candidate.

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# CONSENT PAPER

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(This Paper is required in all cases where the Candidate is under the age of 18 years, in addition to the Certificate of Birth or Declaration.)

M 7996

Strike out "son" or "ward" as the case may be.

I hereby certify that my ~~son,\*~~ Clifford Melvyn Logan ~~ward~~ as my full consent (being himself willing) to enter the Naval Service of Canada for a period of seven years' continuous and general service, from the age of 18, in addition to whatever period may be necessary until he attains that age, agreeably to the King's Regulations.

He has not been in a Reformatory, nor has he been sentenced to imprisonment.

I declare that he has never had fits.

† No alteration or erasure is to be made in the date of birth given.

The date of the boy's birth is, † April 25<sup>th</sup> 1919

His Religious persuasion is, Protestant

Witness my hand at Victoria B.C.

3<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1935

†† Strike out "Parent's" or "Guardian's" as the case may be.

†† ~~Guardian's~~ Parent's Signature in full Emily Logan

‡ Must be signed by the Father, if alive, or satisfactory explanation made.

‡ ~~Guardian's~~ Parent's Address 1141 View St

In the case of a Guardian see other side.

Victoria B.C.

I, the above named Clifford M. Logan do consent to enter the Naval Service of Canada.

§ The Boy and Parent or Guardian must sign in the presence of the witness to their signatures.

§ Boy's signature in full Clifford Melvyn Logan

Signed by the said [ Here write boy's name ] Clifford Melvyn Logan

And [ Here write Parent or Guardian's name ] Emily Logan

In the presence of { George Fisher D.C. Ph. C.  
Witness to signature of Boy, and Parent or Guardian.  
1052 View St Victoria Address.

[OVER]

CERTIFICATE

§ Strike out "Parent" or "Guardian" as the case may be.

\*\* Strike out "he" or "she" according to sex of Parent or Guardian.

† The assertion of the boy himself should not be taken as sufficient warrant for this statement.

I certify that I am personally acquainted with this Boys § Parent, and Guardian, and am † aware\*\* ~~he~~ she has consented to the Boy's entry as above, and I believe the particulars

stated herein to be true.

.....Clergyman of the Parish.  
or *George Fisher* Resident Householder }  
*Chiropractor* Occupation. }  
*1052 View St Victoria* Address.  
*June 5<sup>th</sup>* 193*5*

Particulars to be stated, if possible, in the case of a Boy whose Father is dead

Date of the Father's death .....

Place of death.....

Signed .....Mother.

Particulars to be stated, if possible, in the case of a Boy whose Parents are both dead

Date of Father's death.....

Place of death.....

Date of Mother's death.....

Place of Mother's death.....

Signed .....Guardian.

**CONTINUOUS SERVICE ENGAGEMENT, OR RE-ENGAGEMENT**

To be forwarded to the Naval Secretary, Department of National Defence, with Form S. 59

CHRISTIAN AND SURNAME IN FULL <b>Clifford Melvin LOGAN.</b>		Mother, NEXT OF KIN Mrs. Emily LOGAN Name..... <b>1141 View St.</b> Address..... <b>VICTORIA, BC.</b>	PRESENT RATING <b>Boy Seaman</b>
DATE OF BIRTH* <b>25th April, 1919</b>	PLACE OF BIRTH† Town..... <b>VICTORIA,</b> County..... Province..... <b>BRITISH COLUMBIA.</b>		NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER <b>COMMANDER J.E.W. Oland.</b>

Personal Description at the Date of this Document

Height	Chest	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	WOUNDS, SCARS OR MARKS	Religious Denomination	TRADE OR OCCUPATION
<b>5' 9"</b>	<b>37. 34 35½</b>	<b>Brown.</b>	<b>Hazel.</b>	<b>Fresh.</b>	<b>N 1 1 .</b>	<b>Church of England.</b>	<b>Grocer's Clerk.</b>

Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement	<b>25th April, 1937</b>	Period of Engagement or Re-engagement	<b>SEVEN YEARS. C.S.</b>
Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage	<b>5th January, 1937</b>	Date of entering present ship	<b>5th January, 1937</b>

Particulars of former Continuous Service Engagements, if any; but, if none, and the person engaging has had previous Service, the date of his First Entry should be given. If the person has not previously served, write the words "First Entry" here.

**FIRST ENTRY.**

If an Engagement is ante-dated for any period, the man's services for such period should be forwarded in to office, with the Engagement, on Form S.-1243.

Declaration of Entry or Re-Entry from Shore for Continuous Service

The following questions are to be put by the Commanding Officer to the person about to engage for Continuous Service, whose answers are to be recorded hereon:—

- Are the particulars given above of your name and date and place of birth correct?..... **YES.**
- Are you a British subject? †..... **YES.**
- Nationality of parents—Father..... **British.** Mother..... **English.**
- Have you ever served in the Navy, Royal Fleet Reserve, Royal Naval Reserve, Army, Army Reserve, Marines, Militia, Volunteers (Naval or Military), Territorial Force, or in His Majesty's Indian or Colonial Military Forces, or in the R.C. Mounted Police? ‡..... **NO.**
- Do you now belong to the Militia, Volunteers (Naval or Military), Territorial Force or any Regiment or Corps in His Majesty's Army, or to any established Naval or Army Reserve Force, or to the R.C. Mounted Police? ‡..... **NO.**
- Have you ever been rejected as unfit for His Majesty's service, or discharged from it on that account? If so, state reason of rejection or discharge, and date..... **NO.**
- Have you ever been discharged from the Navy, Marines, Army or R.C. Mounted Police on account of misconduct?..... **NO.**
- Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated and inoculated?..... **YES.**
- Can you swim?..... **YES.**

\* When evidence of age is obtained on First Entry, it should be attached to this Form.  
† Foreigners are not to be entered. On the entry of a person born out of the British Empire, it should be ascertained that he is (and in the case of a boy, that his father is) a British Subject, and evidence of the fact should be attached to the "Entry Papers."  
‡ Particulars of service in the Army, Army Reserve, Naval Reserve, Marines, Militia, or H. M. Indian or Colonial Military Forces, or in the Merchant Service should be forwarded in to office with this Engagement. If a member of the Royal Fleet Reserve, the man's Registrar is to be immediately informed of his entry (Royal Fleet Reserve Instructions). If an R.N.R. man, state number of R.V. 2.

(OVER)

I—Declaration and Certificate for Men newly entered and Men who have been out of the Service since the expiration of their previous C. S. Engagement

I, ....., do solemnly declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the answers to the questions overleaf are true, and I do hereby agree to serve honestly and faithfully in the Naval Service of Canada\*..... from †..... 193....., provided my service should be so long required. And I do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty. As witness my hand this..... day of..... 193.....

Man's Signature in full

Witness to Signature.....

Attested before me this..... day of..... 193.....

} Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

Date..... 193.....

This is to certify that we have examined the person named on the other side hereof as to his fitness for the Naval Service of Canada, and we find as follows:—He is of perfectly sound and healthy constitution, free from all physical malformation, active and intelligent; and we consider him in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.

Commanding Officer

Medical Officer

II—Certificate and Declaration for Boys

Date 5th January, 1937..... 193.....

This is to certify that we have examined the boy named on the other side hereof as to his fitness for the Naval Service of Canada, and we find as follows:—He is a well grown, stout, intelligent lad, of perfectly sound and healthy constitution, and free from all physical malformation, and we consider him in all respects fit for His Majesty's Service.

The consent of his parents or guardian has been obtained in writing, and they are willing and desirous that the

boy should be entered for SEVEN - - - years' continuous and general service from the age of 18, in addition to whatever period may be necessary till he attains that age.

J.P. H. ... COMMANDER, R.C.N. Commanding Officer

Lieutenant Commander

S.L. Morgan ... Capt. R.C.A.M.C. Medical Officer

I declare that to the best of my knowledge or belief the answers to the questions on the other side of this form are true and that I am not indentured as an apprentice.

SEVEN

I am willing to enter and serve in the Naval Service of Canada for SEVEN years' continuous and general service from the age of 18, provided my service should be so long required, in addition to whatever period may be necessary till I attain that age. And I do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

Clifford Melvyn Logan Boy's Signature in full

Witness to Signature Master-at-Arms. ...

Attested before me this FIFTH day of JANUARY, 1937

Lieutenant-Commander, R.C.N. } Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

III—Re-engagement for Continuous Service

To be executed by men who have not been out of the Service since the expiration of their first engagement

The particulars indicated on the other side are also required when this Form is used.

I, ....., now serving as a.....

on board H.M.C.S....., who on the..... of..... 193.....

engaged to serve in the Naval Service of Canada for a period of §..... years, do hereby

engage to serve for a further period ||..... from ¶..... 193..... provided my services should be so long required.

Man's Signature in full

193.....

Witness,..... Commanding Officer

\* Insert "for the term of (number in words) years," or "to complete (number) years for pension," or "until I attain the age of years."

† Insert the date from which the engagement actually commences.

‡ The document conveying the consent to be attached to this paper. (N.B.—Not required in the case of youths over 17 years of age.)

§ To be written in words.

¶ Insert as follows:—"Of (number) years," or "to complete time for pension," or "until I attain the age of years," as the case may be.

¶ Insert the date of commencement of the re-engagement, which must either be coincident with, or (when the re-engagement is ante-dated) earlier than the date of execution.

If a copy of this Form is required, Form C.N.S. 1243 is to be used

The corner of this Certificate is to be cut off if the man is discharged with a "Bad" character or with disgrace, or if specially directed by the Department of National Defence (Naval Service). If the corner is cut off, the fact is to be noted in the Ledger.

## CERTIFICATE of the Service of

*Clifford Melvin LOGAN*

IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

Part Division <i>Esquimalt, Bc.</i>	Official Number <i>2817 78</i>
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Date of birth <i>25 April, 1919</i>	Nearest known Relative or Friend (To be noted in pencil)
Where born { Province <i>British Columbia</i> Town or county <i>Victoria</i>	Name: <i>Emily</i>
Trade brought up to <i>Grocer's clerk</i>	Relationship: <i>Mother</i>
Religious denomination <i>Church of England</i>	Address: <i>1141 View St</i> <i>Victoria, Bc</i>
Date passed swimming test <i>P.P.T. (Fair) 22 Apr 37 / Ch. Hand.</i>	
Man's signature on discharge to pension }	

**All Engagements, including N.C.S., to be noted in these Columns**

Date of actually volunteering	Commencement of time	Period volunteered for	Date of actually volunteering	Commencement of time	Period volunteered for
1. <i>5 Jan '37</i>	<i>25 Apr '37</i>	<i>Seven years</i>	5.		
2.			6.		
3.			7.		
4.			8.		

**Medals, Clasps, Etc.**

Date received or forfeited	Nature of decoration	Date received or forfeited	Nature of decoration

Description of Person	Stature			Colour of			Marks, Wounds and Scars
	Feet	In.	Chest, In.	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	
On entry as a boy.....	<i>5</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>37 34 35 1/2</i>	<i>Brown</i>	<i>Hazel</i>	<i>Fresh</i>	<i>Nil</i>
On advancement to man's rating or on entry under 28 years.....							
On re-entry for C.S. or for Non-C.S. after attaining 28 years.....							
Further description if necessary.....							









2817 OFFICIAL NUMBER FILE NUMBER 62-L.154 OFFICIAL NUMBER 2817  
 NAME LOGAN (Surname) Clifford Melvin (Given Names) DATE OF BIRTH 25th April, 1919.

PLACE OF BIRTH VICTORIA, B.C. OCCUPATION Grocer's Clerk.  
 RELIGION Church of England. EDUCATION In first Form High School  
 RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. 1141 View St. Town Victoria Province, etc. B.C.

ENGAGEMENTS			DESCRIPTION					PREVIOUS SERVICE			
Date (in figures)			Height	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Marks or Scars	Served in	Rank or Rating	Dates	
Day	Month	Year								From	To
5	1	37	5' 9"	Brown	Hazel	Fresh.					
25	4	37									

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) *Mother* NAME (in pencil) *Mrs. Emily Logan*  
 ADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. *1141 View Street* Town *Victoria* Province, etc. *B.C.*

MEDALS, CLASPS, HURT CERTIFICATES, PRIZE MONEY			EXAMINATIONS, CERTIFICATES, ETC.						
Date (in figures)			Date (in figures)			Date (in figures)			PARTICULARS
Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year	
			22	4	37	Passed P.P.T. (Good)			
			6	7	37	Passed Educ. Test Pt. I.			
			26	4	39	Passed for Idg. Smn. (S. 507).			

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		
25	4	40	1st	Granted.							

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

FILM NO. *W.S.G. 4532-3*  
 DATE

W.S.G. APPLICATION 590 RECEIVED

2817

OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME LOGAN  
(Surname)

Clifford Melvin  
(Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER

2817

Ship or Establishment	Rating	From			Remarks	Character	Efficiency	Date			Non-Sub. Rating	Qualified			Qualified		
		Day	Month	Year				Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
Naden	Boy	5	1	37		V.G.	Sat	25	4	37	S.G.	12	12	38			
"	Ord. Smn.	25	4	37		V.G.	Sat	31	12	37	Q.R.3	1	1	39			
Fraser	"	1	8	37		V.G.	Sat	31	12	38							
"	A.B.	25	7	38		V.G.	Sat	31	13	39							
Naden	"	27	10	38													
Fraser	"	1	1	39													
<u>Discharged</u>		<u>25</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>Dead-Killed in Action.</u>												

GENERAL REMARKS

16.4.41 - Canadian Memorial Cross issued to Mother:  
Mrs. Emily Logan,  
1141 View Street,  
VICTORIA, B.C.

30.8.40 - Canadian Pension Comm. awarded Mother Mrs. Emily Logan, pension at the rate of \$40.00 per month with effect from 1.7.40.

DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE	CIVIL	OCCU.	RELI.	ED	PERM. RESIDENCE	PREV. ENL.	RANK OR RATE ON ENLISTMENT				
BY   MO   YR	BIRTH	MAIN   SUB	GION	P.	CTV.	TOWN	SEV.	DIV.	A	BR	RANK	
25   4   19	18   6   60	0	30	29	05	10	0	13	0	68	96	
ENLIST. DATE	ACT. SERV. DATE	SHIP OR ESTAB.	RANK OR RATE		CODED		CHECKED					
BY   MO   YR	BY   MO   YR	TR.	ESTAB.	A	BR	RANK						
05   10   37	05   01   37		0253	0	08	94						
SENIORITY	STR.	NOT.	BY   MO   YR		SAT.		A		B		C	
BY   MO   YR			25	07	38	09	12	00	20	25	06	40

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REPORT OF THE DEATH OF AN OFFICER, MAN OR BOY

H.M.C.S. Stadaco na at Halifax, N.S.

NATIONAL DEFENCE 60  
N.S. 622154  
CANADA

Name LOGAN, Clifford Melvin  
(Christian names in full)

Rank of Rating A.B. Official No. 2817  
(If unknown, date of first entry)

Place of Birth Victoria, B.C. Date of Birth 25 April, 1919

Occupation in Civil Life Grocery Clerk 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) Three years and five months.

Date of Death 25th June, 1940. Place of Death At Sea.

Cause of Death Loss of H.M.C.S. "FRASER" by collision.  
(If due to accident, violence, or enemy action, particulars to be stated briefly)

Nearest known relative or friend { Name Emily Logan Relationship Mother  
Address 1141 View Street,  
Victoria, British Columbia.

Date on which the above was informed by Ship Informed by N.S.H.Q.

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.....

Place of Burial Not Known Date of Burial Not Known  
(if known) (if known)

Location, Number, etc., of grave.....  
(if known)

Undertaker employed.....  
(if any)

If borne for discipline only, date D.S.Q. or invalided.....

*J. P. Edward*  
Commanding Officer,  
COMMANDER R.C.N.  
30th June, 1940.

The NAVAL SECRETARY,  
Department of National Defence,  
Ottawa, Canada.

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

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DECEASED 25 June 1940

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS

NAVY

D.D.  
WAR SERVICE RECORDS

LOGAN	Clifford Melvin	N-2817	A.B.	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 AN DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star	1769
Atlantic Star	
C.V.S.M. & Clasp	
War Medal	

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

RCN

HMCS "FRASER" Mar. /41.

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS

PERSON

ENTITLED TO Mrs. Emily Logan - Mother

ADDRESS: ~~1141 View St.,~~ 1021 Cook St.  
Victoria, B.C.

(1)

*copy on file 14-12-49*

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW

ADDRESS:

**MEMORIAL BAR**

(2)

DATE DESP.....

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER

Mrs. E. Logan

ADDRESS: 1141 View Street  
VICTORIA, B.C.

(3)

16 April 1941

REGN. NO. *389*