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ATTESTATION FORM

FOR MEN OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

SURNAME CLEMO OFFICIAL NO. ✓30462

CHRISTIAN NAMES Frederick John Byron MARRIED, SINGLE OR WIDOWER Single.

PERMANENT ADDRESS	RELIGION
<u>Salt Spring Island, Ganges, B.C.</u>	<u>Church of England.</u>

DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
<u>7th September, 1922.</u>	Town <u>Victoria.</u> County Province <u>British Columbia</u>	<u>Miss Violet (Sister) 2691 Cooke Street, Victoria, B. C.</u>

PERSONAL DESCRIPTION ON ENROLMENT

HEIGHT	CHEST MEASUREMENT	HAIR	EYES	COM- PLEXION	WOUNDS, SCARS, MARKS
Fect. <u>5'</u>	Inflated <u>36 1/2"</u>	<u>Dark Brown.</u>	<u>Brown</u>	<u>Med.</u>	<u>Scar on left side of left hip.</u>
Inches <u>9"</u>	Deflated <u>34 1/2"</u>				
	Mean <u>35 1/2"</u>				

DATE OF ENROLMENT	RATING ENROLLING FOR	TRADE OR CALLING AND IN WHOSE EMPLOY
<u>23rd February, 1941.</u>	<u>Asst. Cook (S) R.C.N.V.R. (Temporary)</u>	<u>Cook, W.H. Bullock, Salt Spring Island, Ganges, B.C.</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 3rd Can. Scott. Regt. 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
<u>3rd Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment.</u>	<u>Private</u>	<u>16th Aug. 1940</u>	<u>23 February, 1941.</u>

(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.

Personnel Records Division	
1. Index Card	<u>Checked</u>
2. Non-Sup. Card	<u>Checked</u>
3. Status Card	<u>Checked</u>
4. Home Card	<u>Checked</u>
5. Pension Card	
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DATE	<u>12-3-41</u>

(5) On being enrolled as a member of the " NADEN " Division of the 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 Headquarters 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 25th day of February, 1941.

Signature of applicant *Fred B. Clemo*

(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 25th day of February, 1941.

John Wood
Lieutenant, R.C.N.V.R.
Signature of Commanding Officer.
RECRUITING OFFICER.

(D) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I, Frederick John Byron CLEMO 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 *Fred B. Clemo*

Witness *John Wood*

Date 25th February, 1941 Rank Lieutenant, 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

Frederick John Byron CLEMO 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 " NADEN " Division of the R.C.N.V.R.

John Wood
Lieut. R.C.N.V.R.
Commanding Officer.
Recruiting

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.

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DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE
(Naval Service)

C.N.S. 2417
10M-9-38
N.S. 815-9-2417

APPLICATION FOR ENTRY IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

62-2146
Victoria, B.C.
July 5th 1939

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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) FREDERICK JOHN BYRON CLEMO
- Date of Birth (Birth Certificate or sworn declaration by parent or guardian *must* be attached) Feb. 7th 1922
- Place of Birth. Town Victoria, Province British Columbia
- Permanent Place of Residence. No. 2691 Cook Street, B.C. Protestant Orphanage
Town Victoria, Province British Columbia
- Are you a British Subject? yes
- How long have you resided in Canada? 16 yrs.
- 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? G.P. VIII

(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.)
4 mos., House Boy for H. H. Bullock, Salt Spring Id.
- Do you belong to any Naval, Military, Air or Police Force? no.
- If so, give details not applicable
- Have you ever served in such forces? no.
- If so, give dates and details not applicable
- 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? not applicable

- 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? 133 1/2 lbs. Height 5 ft. 9 ins. Chest Measurement (Not inflated) 34"
- 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.

27. Give details none.
28. Are you willing to be vaccinated and inoculated as considered necessary by the appropriate authorities? yes.
George Carr Signature of Witness Frederick John Byron Clemo Signature of Applicant

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

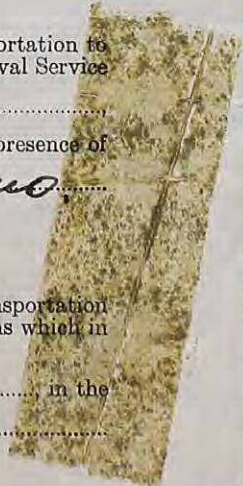
I agree to refund to the Department of National Defence the expenses incurred by that Department for transportation to a Naval Base of the above applicant, should he, on arrival at such Base, fail to enrol for seven years' continuous Naval Service for reasons which in the opinion of the Department are within his own control. Signed and Sealed at

this 5th day of July, 1939, in the presence of
George Carr Signature of Witness Frederick James Clemo 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



Approved: N.S. 62-C-486 7th April, 1941.

M. C. S.

"NADEN"

OFFICIAL No. IF KNOWN
Space to be left vacant
if not known

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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		NEXT OF KIN	PRESENT RATING
Frederick John Byron CLEMO		Miss Violet (Sister) Name: 2691 Cook St., Address: Victoria, B.C.	Ordinary Seaman. 38
DATE OF BIRTH*	PLACE OF BIRTH†		NAME, RANK AND STATION OF RECRUITING OFFICER
7th September, 1922.	Town: Victoria, County: Province: British Columbia.	(W.B. Holms.) COMMANDER. R.C.N. Barracks, Esquimalt, B.C.	

Personal Description at the Date of this Document

Height	Chest	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	WOUNDS, SCARS OR MARKS	Religious Denomination	TRADE OR OCCUPATION
5'9"	36 1/2 34 1/2 35 1/2	Brown	Brown	Dark	Nil.	Church of England	Cook.

Commencing date of Engagement or Re-engagement	27th March, 1941.	Period of Engagement or Re-engagement	Seven Years.
Date of actually volunteering to engage or re-engage	27th March, 1941.	Date of entering present ship	23rd February, 1941.

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... American..... Mother... Canadian (Welsh).....
- 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?..... R.C.N.V.R. 23rd February, 1941. to 26th March, 1941. also the 3rd Bat. Can. Scottish 16th Aug. 1940 to 23rd Feb. 1941.
- 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?..... R.C.N.V.R.
- 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.

Personnel Records Division.	
1. Noted in Records	✓
2. Index Card	✓
3. Non-Sub. Card	
4. Statistical Card	✓
5. Roneo Strip	✓
6. Pension Card	✓
7. Estimate Card	✓
8. E.M.M.	
DATE 1-5-41	

*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.

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C.N.S. 55

10M-3-40 (4252)
S. 815-9-55

O.H.F.

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

I, Frederick John Byron CLEMO, 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* for term of seven years from 27th March, 1941, 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 23rd day of April, 1941.

Frederick John Byron Clemo Man's Signature in full

Witness to Signature P. Had Writer.

Attested before me this 23rd day of April, 1941.

Signature of a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service

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

Date 23rd April, 1941.

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.

COMMANDER. Commanding Officer
SURG. COMMANDER. Medical Officer

II.—Certificate and Declaration for Boys

Date 19.....

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

Commanding Officer
Lieutenant
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.

I am willing to enter and serve in the Naval Service of Canada for..... 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.

Boy's Signature in full

Witness to Signature.....

Attested before me this..... day of..... 19.....

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..... 19.....

engaged to serve in the Naval Service of Canada for a period of §..... years, do hereby engage to serve for a further period**..... from††..... 19..... provided my services should be so long required.

Man's Signature in full

19.....

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 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.

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CONSENT PAPER

(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.)

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

I hereby certify that my ~~ward~~^{son,*} Frederick John Byron Clemo has 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. no

I declare that he has never had fits. no

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

The date of the boy's birth is Sept, 7th 1922

His Religious persuasion is Protestant

Witness my hand at Victoria B.C.

5th day of July 1939

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

Parent's Signature in full Frederick James Clemo

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

Parent's Address 474 Superior St. Victoria B.C.

In the case of a Guardian see other side.

I, the above named Frederick John Byron Clemo 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 Frederick John Byron Clemo

Signed by the said [Here write boy's name] Frederick John Byron Clemo

And [Here write Parent's or Guardian's name] Frederick James Clemo

In the presence of George Carr
Witness to signature of Boy, and Parent or Guardian.
506 Toronto St. 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 Boy's Parent, and am aware ~~she~~ ^{he} has consented to the Boy's entry as above, and I believe the particulars stated herein to be true. R.H.

.....Clergyman of the Parish.

or Reginald Hayward Resident Householder }
Ex-Mayor of Victoria B.C. }
Company Manager Occupation }

734 Broughton St, Victoria BC Address

July 7th 1939

I am also Secretary of B.C. Protestant Orphans Home at Victoria where I resided for about 7 years. R. Hayward

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

Date of 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.

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OFFICIAL NUMBER

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OFFICIAL NUMBER V30462

NAME CLEMO Frederick John Byran DATE OF BIRTH 7th, Sept. 1922
(Surname) (Given Names)PLACE OF BIRTH Victoria, B.C. OCCUPATION CookRELIGION C. of E. EDUCATIONRESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. Salt Spring Island Town Granges 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
23	2	41	Duration of Host.	5'9"	D. Brown	Brown	Med.	Scar on lt. side of left hip.	3rd Batt. of Can. Scottish Reg.	Pte.	16-8-	23-2-41

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) Sister NAME (in pencil) Miss Violet GrangesADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. 2491 Coaker St 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	
				6	3	41	Passed Prov. Test (Good)				

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		

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

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From _____ To _____



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OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME

GLEMO

Frederick John Byran
(Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER V30462

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Sh. 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
HMCS "NADEN"	Asst. Cook(S)	23	2	41	"Transferred to R.C.N. Memo 27-3-41 as Ord Smn."												
DISCHARGED	" " "	26	3	41													

GENERAL REMARKS

DATE OF BIRTH		PLACE		CIVIL		CIVIL		PERM RESIDENCE		PREV. ENL.		RANK OR RATE			
BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	
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BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	
23	02	21	23	02	41							9730	0	18	95
SENIORITY		SERV.		HON. SER.		M		CODED		CHECKED					
BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	BY	MO	YR	
23	02	41	09	00	00	31	26	03	41						

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NAME CLEMO (Surname) Frederick John Byron (Given Names) DATE OF BIRTH 7th September, 1922.PLACE OF BIRTH Victoria, B.C. OCCUPATION Cook.RELIGION Church of England. EDUCATION Grade 8.RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. _____ Town Ganges, Salt Spring Island 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
27	3	41	Seven Years.	5' 9"	Brown	Brown	Dark	Nil.	RCNVR. V30462	-	23/2/41	26/3/41.

NEXT OF KIN RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) 4 other NAME (in pencil) Mr. Frederick J. ClemoADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. 474 Superior Street 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	
				6	5	41	Passed P.P.T. (Good).				
				25	6	41	Qual. A/G - 2 days.				
				6	8	41	Passed P.S.T. (Good).				
				12	12	41	Marked "Tr".				

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		

FILM
NO. W.S.A. 4715-4
DATE

To count 32 days' RCNVR Active time
Towards G.C. Badges.

SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT	
From	To

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

O.H.F. Received.



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OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME CLEMO
(Surname)

Frederick John Byron
(Given Names)

OFFICIAL NUMBER 4216.

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	Ord. Smn.	27	3	41		V.G.	Sat.	31	12	41							
Stadacona	"	1	9	41		V.G.		13	9	42							
Ottawa	"	3	9	41													
"	A.B.	15	1	42													
<u>Discharged</u>	"	13	9	42	DEAD-Missing-Believed Killed in Action.												

GENERAL REMARKS

Memorial Cross issued to Mother:
Mrs. Frederick James Clemo,
C/o Mr. F.J. Clemo,
1729 Duchess Street,
Victoria, B.C.,
19.3.43.

DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE	CIVIL OCCU	QUALIFIED	FORM RESIDENCE	PREV. ENL.	RANK OR RATE
07 9 22 18	779	0	30	19 05 00	3 99	0 08 95
ENLIST. DATE	ACT. SERV. DATE	STR.	ACT. SERV. DATE	STR. CAT.	ESTAB.	ER. RANK
27 03 41	27 03 41				0350	0 08 94
SECURITY	STR.	NON-SUB	M			
15 01 42 09				20 13-09-42		

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

AWARDS

NAVY

D.D. WAR SERVICE RECORDS

CLEMO	Frederick John Byron	N-4216	A.B.	FILE No.
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SURNAME (IN BLOCK LETTERS)	CHRISTIAN NAMES	REG. No.	RANK ON DISCHARGE	C.A.S.F. UNIT
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WAR SERVICE

BADGE

(CLASS)	No.	DATE DESPATCHED:
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ADDRESS:

CAMPAIGN MEDALS	REGISTRATION NUMBER AN DATE DESPATCHED
1939-45 Star	
Atlantic Star	
C.V.S.M. & Clasp	
War Medal	
	2416

(THE REVERSE TO BE USED FOR ESTATE PURPOSES)

RCN Nov. 45 "OTTAWA"

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS
PERSON
ENTITLED TO Mr. Frederick J. Clemo - Father

ADDRESS: 474 Superior St.,
VICTORIA, B.C.

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS
WIDOW

ADDRESS:

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS
MOTHER Mrs. F.J. Clemo

ADDRESS: 1729 Duchess St., Victoria, B.C.

MEMORIAL BAR
(1) DATE DESP.....
REGN. NO. 377

(2)

(3) 19-3-43

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TRUE COPY OF

CERTIFICATE of the SERVICE of

Frederick John Byron CLEMO

I.C.N.S. 26617.
in the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve

Training Headquarters	R.C.N.V.R. Division	Official Number <i>V- 30462</i>
<i>Esquimalt</i>	<i>Haden</i>	"
		"

Date of Birth	<i>7th September, 1922</i>	Name and Address of Nearest Relative or Friend (in pencil)
Place of Birth	<i>Victoria, British Columbia</i>	<i>Violet</i>
Place of Residence	<i>Salt Spring Island, Ganges, B.C.</i>	<i>(sister)</i>
Trade brought up to	<i>book</i>	<i>2691 Cook St.</i>
Religion	<i>Church of England</i>	<i>Victoria, B.C.</i>
Can Swim:—P.P. <i>Boat</i> Date <i>6 March</i> 19 <i>41</i>	Signature	Rank
P.S.T. Date	19	Signature
		Rank

PARTICULARS OF SERVICE				MEDALS, DECORATIONS, etc.		
Date of Actual Volunteering	Date of Enrolment or re-enrolment	Period Volunteered for	Rating on Enrolment or Re-enrolment	Date of		Nature of Decoration
				Award	Presentation	
		<i>23 February 1941</i>	<i>hostilities act. bk (s)</i>			

PERSONAL DESCRIPTION								
	Height		Chest (mean)	Weight	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	MARKS, WOUNDS, SCARS
	Feet	Inches						
On Entry	<i>5</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>35½</i>		<i>Dark Brown</i>	<i>Brown</i>	<i>med.</i>	<i>Scar on left side of hip.</i>
On re-enrolment—6 years' Service								
On re-enrolment—12 years' Service								
Further Description if necessary								

TRANSFER BETWEEN DIVISIONS			TRANSFER—LISTS A AND B		
From	To	Date	List	Date	Authority

ATTESTATION

NON-PERMANENT ACTIVE MILITIA OF CANADA

NIT 3rd BN. THE CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGT. REGTL. No. V47943

Surname? (Block letters) CLEMO K499087
Christian names? FREDERICK JOHN BYRON
Present address? GANGES, B.C.
Phone No. 15F
Date of Birth? 7/9/22 5. British subject? YES
Occupation? COOK 7. Religion? PROTESTANT
Next of Kin F.J. CLEMO 9. Relationship? FATHER
Address VICTORIA, B.C.
Previous Naval, Military or Air Force Service
(Give particulars, qualifications, etc.)

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Height 5'10" Weight 140 Chest max. 36 min. 33

Descriptive marks

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

Date Aug 17/40 Signature J.A. Stewart

DECLARATION TO BE MADE ON ATTESTATION

I, the undersigned Frederick John Byron Clemo sincerely and solemnly declare to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above answers (made by me) to the foregoing questions 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 self, or my next of kin to my Commanding Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN

Frederick John Byron Clemo do sincerely promise and swear (solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

Signature of Witness James M. ... Signature of Man Frederick John Byron Clemo

Attested this 16 day of August 1940 at

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.

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..... ↓ posted to H & Coy.	16/8/40	P20# 21 19/5/40	<i>[Signature]</i> Officer Command Unit 3 rd Bu. B.S.R.
Heals Range Camp S.O.S. 24-2-41	8-9-40 24-2-41	P2039. 10-9-40 P2018. 26-2-41	
Medals and Decorations			

VERIFICATION FORM

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

GRADE/RATING *A.B.* OFF.NO. *N-4216* ADDRESS

GRADE/RATING	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>star</i>
							ATLANTIC	1	<i>star</i>
							FRANCE G.		
							AFRICA		
							PACIFIC		
							BURMA		
							ITALY		
							DEFENCE		
							C.V.S.M.	2	<i>clasp</i>
							" CLASP		
							WAR 1945	1	<i>medal</i>
							WAR 1915		

13.9.42

VERIFIED BY *R.S.*

APPROVED BY DIR. OF PERSONNEL RECORDS.



Department of National Defence

Naval Service

Ottawa, Canada

25th July, 1939.


Sir,-

With reference to your application to join the Royal Canadian Navy, I am directed to advise you that your name has been entered on the list of candidates for consideration in your turn when a vacancy occurs as a **Boy (Seaman Class)** after you attain the required age of seventeen years.

When your name is reached, instructions regarding your provisional medical examination will be forwarded to you. Pending receipt of these instructions you should keep the Department advised of any change of address.

The following credentials are returned herewith:- **Certificate of Registration of Birth; Statement of Education of Mr. R.H. McInnis, Principal, Oaklands School (Grade 8 completed), and Testimonials of Reverend J.B. Rowell and Chief Constable J.A. McLellan.**

Yours truly,


(~~J. O. B. LeBlanc~~),
Assistant Naval Secretary.

Mr. Fred J.B. Clemo,
2691 Cook Street,
B.C. Protestant Orphanage,
VICTORIA; B.C.

MMC/MR

N.S. 62-21-4"C"
F.D. 347

(NAVAL SERVICE)

August 14, 1940.

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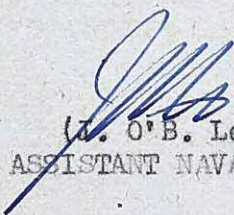
Sir:

With reference to your letter of 4th August, 1940, I am directed to inform you that on the 7th September, 1940, the date upon which you become 18 years of age, your name will be automatically transferred from the Boy (Seaman Class) Recruiting Roster to the Ordinary Seaman Recruiting Roster.

As requested, your name has also been placed on the Assistant Cook (S) Roster for consideration after you attain the required age of 18 years.

No definite promise can be given at this date as to when it will be possible to effect your entry in any capacity in the Royal Canadian Navy.

Yours truly,


(W. O. B. LeBlanc)
ASSISTANT NAVAL SECRETARY.

Mr. Frederick J. B. Clemo,
GANGES,
Salt Spring Island, B.C.



Department of National Defence

Ottawa, Canada

February 21, 1941

NAVAL SERVICE

PRELIMINARY MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Sir,—

I am directed to advise you that it is desired to ascertain your physical suitability for entry in the Royal Canadian Navy as an **Ordinary Seaman for duty at R.C.N. Barracks, Esquimalt, B. C.**

A Doctor in the vicinity of your home will be chosen by the Department to examine you. The Doctor will advise you, in due course, to report for examination.

The Doctor's fees will be paid by this Department but any other expenses incurred by you in connection with the examination will be paid by you.

The Doctor will forward your medical report to this Department and the question of your entry will then be further considered.

Should you be serving with C.A.S.F. on Active Service, you are NOT to report for medical examination. You are, however, to advise Naval Service Headquarters, Ottawa, immediately to that effect. If serving with Non-Permanent Militia Unit, not called up for Active Service, please advise Naval Service Headquarters, Ottawa, if you will be able to obtain discharge immediately should you be chosen for entry in the Royal Canadian Navy.

You should acknowledge this letter as soon as you receive instructions from the Doctor. The attached blank acknowledgment Form and addressed envelope should be used.

Yours truly,

(J. O'B. LeBLANC),
Assistant Naval Secretary.

Mr. Frederick J. B. Cleo,
Salt Spring Island,
CANADA, B. C.

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NAVAL MESSAGE

To: MR. FREDERICK JAMES CLEMO,
474 SUPERIOR ST.,
VICTORIA, B.C.

OFFICIAL COPY
From: NNSQ, OTTAWA

GNP
NPR
PDC
MINISTER

THE MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENCE FOR NAVAL
SERVICES DEEPLY REGRETS TO INFORM YOU THAT YOUR
SON, FREDERICK JOHN BYRON CLEMO, ABLE SEAMAN, ROYAL
CANADIAN NAVY, OFFICIAL NO. 4216, IS MISSING,
BELIEVED KILLED IN ACTION.

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(DELIVERY CONFIRMED)

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19th September, 1942. 46


Dear Sir:

It is with deep regret that I must confirm the telegram of the 18th September from the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services informing you that your son, Frederick John Byron Clemo, Able Seaman, O.N. 4216, R.C.N., is missing believed killed in action.

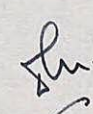
It is in the public interest that the name of his ship and the fact that she has been in action should not find its way to the enemy until such time as it is decided to publish the fact in a Naval Casualty List. It is therefore requested that this news, other than the fact that your son is missing, may be treated as confidential.

Please allow me to express sincere sympathy with you in your bereavement on behalf of the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services, Chief of the Naval Staff, and the officers and men of the Royal Canadian Navy, the high traditions of which your son has helped to maintain.

Yours sincerely,


Deputy Secretary, Naval Board.

Mr. Frederick James Clemo,
474 Superior St.,
VICTORIA, B.C.



MEMORANDUM TO D.N.I.


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V.C.N.S.

Frederick J. B. Clemo, ^{ON}~~AB~~. 4216 AB
Missing, presumed dead.

Lost while serving in H.M.C.S. "OTTAWA" which
was torpedoed and sunk at 0005Z/14th. September, 1942.

O t t a w a,
16th. February, 1943.
LLA/McF.


.....
A/Captain, R.C.N.,
DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS DIVISION.