# The United Empire Loyalists' **Association of Canada**

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### **CERTIFICATE APPLICATION**

BRANCH: \_\_\_\_\_\_Gov. Simcoe Branch\_\_\_\_\_

#### **BRANCH ADDRESS:**

#### **Applicant:**

Title	Mr.		
Name in full.	Lester, Edmund Harrison	Date	
Maiden Name		Phone	
Address		Postal Code	
E-Mail address		Occupation	
Place of Birth		Date	
Married at		Date	
Husband/Wife Full Name		Son or Dau of	
Occupation			
Place of Birth		Date	
Place of Burial		Date	
Children (Names in Full and Birth Dates)			

#### **Loyalist Ancestor Information**

Loyalist Ancestor	McDougall, John
Military Service	Conductor of Wagons
(Rank & Regt. If	
known)	
Where Settled	Digby/Annapolis, Nova Scotia, 1784
(date & Location)	York Mills, Upper Canada, 1796

	Applican	t Line of De	scent From a Loyalist Ancestor				
	Loyalist Ancestor		McDougall, John				
	Military Service (rank & Reg't if known)		Conductor of Wagons				
	Where Sett (date & Lo	led	Digby/Annapolis, Nova Scotia, 1784 York Mills, Upper Canada, 1796	Born (year)	Married (year)	Died (year)	
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2.	Parents	Father	Lester, Nathan Edmund	1909	1937	1970	
		Mother	Harrison, Rebecca Victoria	1917		2012	
3.	Grand Parents	Father	Harrison, Frederick Horace	1878	1907	1946	
		Mother	Huston, Elizabeth	1877		1975	
4.	1 <sup>st</sup> Great Grand	Father	Harrison, James	1824	1854	1910	
	Parents	Mother	Tracey, Victoria	1836		1878	
5.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Great Grand	Father	Harrison, Joseph	1778	1802	1850	
	Parents	Mother	McDougall, Mary	1780		1872	
6.	3 <sup>rd</sup> Great Grand	Father	McDougall, John				
	Parents 4 <sup>th</sup> Great	Mother	, Sarah				
7.	4 Great Grand Parents	Father Mother					
8.	5 <sup>th</sup> Great Grand	Father					
	Parents	Mother					
9.	6 <sup>th</sup> Great Grand Parents	Father					
		Mother					
10.	7 <sup>h</sup> Great Grand Parents	Father					
11.	8 <sup>th</sup> Great Grand	Mother Father					
	Parents	Mother					
12.	9 <sup>th</sup> Great Grand Parants	Father					
	Parents	Mother					
13.	10 <sup>h</sup> Great Grand	Father					
	Parents	Mother					

#### Parents

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Father	Lester, Nathan Edmund	Son of	Lester, Charles E. Sullivan, Blanche M.
Place of Birth	Colchester, Illinois	Date	30 Jul 1909
Married at	Wheaton, Illinois	Date	30 Nov 1937
Residence	Park Ridge, Illinois	Occupation	Accountant
Place of Burial	Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago, Illinois	Death Date & Place	4 Aug 1970 Park Ridge, Illinois
Mother	Harrison, Rebecca Victoria	Daughter of	Harrison, Frederick Huston, Elizabeth
Occupation	Secretary		
Place of Birth	Chicago, Illinois	Date	24 Aug 1917
Place of Burial	Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago, Illinois	Death Date & Place	12 Mar 2012 Tampa, Florida
Children and spouses			
if known			

#### Grandparents

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Father	Harrison, Frederick Horace	Son of	Harrison, James
			Tracey, Victoria
Place of	Rose Grove, Williams, Iowa	Date	1 Nov 1878
Birth			
Married	Mapleton, Iowa	Date	3 Sep 1907
at	-		
Residence	Aurora, Illinois	Occupation	Federal
			investigator
Place of	Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago, Illinois	Death Date	24 Apr 1946
Burial		& Place	Aurora, IL
Mother	Huston, Elizabeth	Daughter of	Huston, Frank
			De Bruin,
			Rebecca
Occupation	Department store clerk		
Place of	Newport, Kentucky	Date	29 Jul 1877
Birth			
Place of	Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago, IL	Death Date	21 Feb 1975
Burial		& Place	Aurora, IL
Children	Harrison, Rebecca Victoria, b. 24 Aug 1917; m. 3	80 Nov 1937 Nathan E	dmund Lester; d. 12
and spouses	Mar 2012		
if known			

## 1<sup>st</sup> Great Grandparents

	Father	Harrison, James	Son of	Harrison, Joseph McDougall, Mary
Place of Birth		York Mills, Ontario	Date	25 Aug 1824
	Married at	York Mills, Ontario	Date	1854
	Residence	Williams, IA	Occupation	Hotel Proprietor, Harrison House
	Place of Burial	Buckeye Cemetery, Hardin County, IA	Death Date & Place	9 Jan 1910 Mena, AR
	Mother	Tracey, Victoria	Daughter of	
	Occupation			
	Place of Birth	Canada	Date	1836
	Place of Burial	Buckeye Cemetery, Hardin County, IA	Death Date & Place	1878 Rose Grove, IA
a	Children and spouses f known	Harrison, Hernandez, b. ca. 1857; Harrison, Florence, b. ca. 185 Harrison, Leona, b. Oct 1863 or 1865, d. 1936; Harrison, Edith, 1905; Harrison, Alfred, b. ca. 1868; Harrison, Olive "Ollie" Mar 1950; Harrison, Frederick Horace, b. 1 Nov 1878, m. Elizabeth	b. ca. 1865, m ry, b. 5 Dec 1872, No	Tomlinson, d. 2 Sep ov 1873, or 1876, d.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Great Grandparents

Father	Harrison, Joseph	Son of	Harrison, Christopher Peddle, Priscilla
Place of	Probably New York	Date	ca. 1778 (per age
Birth			at death)
Married at	York, Ontario	Date	24 Apr 1802
Residence	York Mills, Ontario	Occupation	Farmer
Place of	St. John's Anglican Church Cemetery, Toronto,	Death Date	16 Aug 1850
Burial	Ontario	& Place	
Mother	other McDougall, Mary		McDougall, John
Occupation			
Place of	New York or Nova Scotia	Date	c. 1780 or 1784
Birth			
Place of	St. John's Anglican Church Cemetery, Toronto,	Death Date	3 Jun 1872
Burial	Ontario	& Place	York, Ontario
Children	Harrison, James, b. 25 Aug 1824, m. Victoria Tracey	v 1854, d. 9 Jan 19	910
and spouses	Other children named in Joseph Harrison's will: Joseph, George, John, William,		
if known	Christopher, Daniel, and Anne Harrison.		
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## 3<sup>rd</sup> Great Grandparents

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Father	McDougall, John	Son of	
Place of		Date	
Birth			
Married		Date	
at			
Residence	Digby/Annapolis, Nova Scotia and	Occupation	Tavernkeeper
	York Mills, Ontario		
Place of		Death Date	
Burial		& Place	
Mother	Sarah	Daughter of	
Occupation			
Place of		Date	
Birth			
Place of		Death Date	
Burial		& Place	
Children	McDougall, Mary, m. Joseph Harrison 24 Apr 1802;		
and spouses	McDougall, Ann, m. John Jaffray 27 Jul 1804;		
if known	McDougall, Dorothy, m. Jarrus Ashley 29 Dec 1807;		
	McDougall, John, m. Mary Porter 31 May 1816;		
	McDougall, Sarah, m. Leonard Ashley 7 Feb 1814;		
	McDougall, Hannah, m. John Holmes 25 Jan 1819;		
	McDougall, Daniel, m. Hannah Matthews, d. 1870; Held	en	

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PROOFS OF LINEAL DESCENT List your direct line of descent, beginning with yourself, one person in each generation to your Loyalist ancestor. Lineal descent is proved by the use of documents which state the relationship of two individuals to each other. The document must state the fact to be proved: e.g. "William, THE SON of Henry Smith ..."

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1. Applicant	Lester, Edmund Harrison
Proof	Birth Certificate
2. Parent	Harrison, Rebecca Victoria
Proof	Birth Certificate; Marriage Certificate to Nathan Edmund Lester
3. Grandparent	Harrison, Frederick Horace
Proof	Birth Certificate
4. 1 <sup>st</sup> Great	Harrison, James
Grandparent	
Proof	Will of Joseph Harrison, "York County, ON, Probate Records, 1811-1864," FHL microfilm #1312949 (mentions Joseph's wife, Mary, and son James); 1861 Census of Canada, Barrie, Simcoe County, Ontario, Canada. Library and Archives of Canada, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, Roll C-1072, p. 5, Ancestry.com (James Harrison household, including widow Mary Harrison).
5. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Great	McDougall, Mary
Grandparent	
Proof	Upper Canada Land Petitions (1763-1865), York, 1807, Vol. 226, Bundle H8, Petition 65, RG 1L3, Microfilm C-2046.
6. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Great Grandparent	McDougall, John
Proof	Upper Canada Land Petitions (1763-1865), York, 1796, Vol. 328, Bundle M2, Petition 123, RG 1L3, Microfilm C-2191; York, 1807, Vol. 333, Bundle 8, Petition 96, RG 1L3, Microfilm C-2195; U.E. List, p. 207, R.G. 1, L7, Vol. 52A.
7. 4 <sup>th</sup> Great	
Grandparent	
Proof	