

NAME: LEAN, Alexander

PARISH:

ENTERED SERVICE: 1791

DATES: b. ca. 1743
d. 1 April 1830

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*	Position	Office	HBCA Reference
1791-1792	Corresponding Secretary	London	A.1/51, fo. 86, 118d; A.5/3, fo. 54 ⁺
1792-1817	Secretary	London	A.1/51, fo. 86, 118d
1817, 31 December	retired owing to "advanced years and growing Infirmities"		A.1/51, fo. 86, 118d
1818, June	house supplied to Lean was given to the new Secretary, W.Smith		A.16/110, p. 23
1818-1830	Annuity paid		A.1/51, fo. 118d; A.16/110, p. 23
1830, 1 April	died at Charlotte St, Blackfriars Road, Surrey		A.44/2, p. 43; A.16/110, p. 61
1830, 21 April	will dated 27 February 1829 proved in Prerogative Court, Canterbury		A.44/2, p. 43 (copy on Search File)
1830-1831	widow, Elizabeth was paid various sums after his death		A.1/57, p. 21, 36, 178

*An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May

⁺ J[ohn] D[eseret] to Andrew Graham, Leith Walk, Edinburgh, dated Hudson's Bay House, London, 30 April 1791: "Mr. Alex^f Lean succeeds the late Mr. Thomas Hutchins as Correspondent Secretary agreeable to the List you had furnished Mr. McNab with. I paid him on the 24 March 1791 Viz for Bills 592.7.2 Balances 133.12.6 [Total] 725.19.8" (A.5/3, fo. 54)

Family:

Wife: Elizabeth

Sons: Charles

J.H.

A.44/2, p. 43

Alfred Plummer, *The Blanket Makers 1669-1969: a History of Charles Farley and Marriott Whitney Ltd.*, London: Kegan Paul 1969, p. 66

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