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MUSEUM.

Wahhoe. 31 Hinderton Road - Nelson - in Wirral
15-1.76 Merseyside

Dear Sir or Madam -

Now your Postal Strike is over - I feel
I must write and ask you for some information
last Summer - my son Jeremy MOULAND
was working at Come by Chance on a
Six month Oil Contract - he noticed in the
Telephone book a lot of MOULAND names
listed. Naturally over here in the U.K.
the Mouland family are most interested -
My husband sent some information about
his Branch of the family to our son -
who we understand dropped in the notes

to your Museum before
the U.K.

The Moulard family here wonder if
the Newfoundland Moulard's Ancestors
fled as Huguenots straight to that
Country or did they sail from England-
where so many Huguenots Landed - before
going their separate ways.

If it is not too much trouble we
would so much like a rough idea of
the family tree with names - from the
time of their Landing at Bona Vista.

It was such a pity my son was
not able to stay in Newfoundland
long enough - so he perhaps could have
become acquainted with some of the
Moulards listed in your telephone book.

Yours most sincerely

Barbara Moulard (Mrs).

MOULAND NAME FILE

Dear Jeremy Here as promised some dope about our ancestors. Suggest you go over to Bonavista and enquire who is the head of the bar and whom best to contact. Show them the letter. Our ancestors were Huguenots (French Protestants who were persecuted and fled to England and settled around Southampton in Hampshire)

I have two wills one 1804 of William Moulard the Elder of WOODGREEN (near CRANBORNE DORSET and Ringwood Hampshire. He died in January 1805. He was a CORDWAINER (a leather merchant)

He had a son Joseph (and a grandson William) also a son William and Matthew and Edward

Joseph Moulard made a will in 1837 and died in 1838 he lived at ALDER HOLT near Ringwood. He also was a cordwainer. He had sons James, Charles, John, ^{William} Isaac, ^{daughter} Mary. Grandchildren Charles and George. He had quite a lot of property mentioned in the will (I believe there is a Moulard Row at Alderholt)

My grandfather Frank Moulard was born about 1850 at Alderholt. My father William Edward his only son born about 1877 died 1950. Erith Kent, Nurseryman. Me Henry Frank only son born 1904

ERITH in Kent.

I believe my grandfather Frank had a brother who went to Canada, could this be one of the Newfoundland family? If you contacted one of the newspapers they would help you and be interested. You could phone them up. Anyway Bonavista would be best. Perhaps a Moulard would like to write to me. All the best will write you an ordinary letter later. Its lovely to get your letters. Yrs Dad.

(1975)
Copy of letter from Henry Frank Moulard to his son Jeremy while latter was at home by Chame Refinery. Original left at Bonavista Museum by Jeremy.