
 Appointments & Service

| Outfit Year* | Position | Post | District | HBCA Reference |
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| *An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May | | | | |
| 1873-1875 | Clerk | | York | B.235/g/1-2 |
| 1875-1879 | Clerk | Fort Simpson | Mackenzie River | B.235/g/3-5; D.38/26 fos.3d,6d,13 |
| 1879-1885 | Clerk and Trader | Dunvegan | Peace River | D.38/30 fo.1 |
| 1884-1885 | District Accountant | Lesser Slave Lake | Peace River | D.38/30 fo.2 |
| 1885, summer | Clerk in Charge | Smoky River | Peace River | D.38/30 fo.2d |
| 1887-1888 (Winter) | Clerk | Lesser Slave Lake | Peace River | D.38/30 fo.5.d |
| 1888-1889 | Accountant & Transport | Lesser Slave Lake | Peace River | D.38/30 fo.6 |
| 1889-1892 | Clerk | Dunvegan | Peace River | D.38/30 |
| 1897-1898 | Clerk in Charge | Fort Frances | | D.38/55 p.122 |
| 1898 | retired, Fort Frances turned into Saleshop 1 June 1898 | | | D.38/55 p.122 |
| 1899, April-Sept. | Superintendent of Transport for Treaty No. 8 | | | A.12/FT 243/1 folios 83-87; E.26/1 (Diary) |

1876 “[he] has about the greatest capacity for work of any I have seen in the North for some time and will no doubt make a first rate officer for the North. He feels rather sore about Mr Nason and others who have served a shorter time than he has getting a higher salary and I would be glad if you could allow him similar advantages otherwise he might leave and join any opposition who may come to the District.” (D.38/26 fo.6d)

1882 “He is active and intelligent with considerable experience in office work, and altho not always accurate, has improved latterly, and may be considered a fair accountant. He is deficient in tact and judgement as an Indian trader and post manager, but at all times very willing and zealous in the discharge of his duty. His conduct and behaviour I have always found irreproachable.” (D.38/30 fo. 1)

1885 “as District Accountant , has been attentive and careful. During the Transport Season he has had charge of Smoky River Depot where he has discharged his duties faithfully - For some time he acted as Indian Trader at Dunvegan, but being somewhat unpopular I considered it advisable to place that duty in the hands of another. He, however, as occasion requires, visits our Grand Prarie Outpost and is successful in collecting furs - His general character and conduct is good.” (D.38/30 fos.2-2d)

