

Appointments & Service

| Outfit Year (from 1 June to 31 May) | Position | Post | District | HBCA Reference |
|--|---|------------------|-----------------|---|
| 1838 | at Mr. James' school, to be sent to Peace River from Norway House | | | D.4/23,p.203 |
| 1838 - 1841 | Apprentice Postmaster | Dunvegan | Athabasca | B.239/k/2,pp.175,196 |
| 1841 - 1842 | Apprentice Clerk | Fort Chipewyan | Athabasca | B.239/k/2,p.218 |
| 1842 - 1843 | Apprentice Postmaster | Fort Chipewyan | Athabasca | B.239/k/2,p.248 |
| 1843 - 1844 | In charge | Great Slave Lake | Athabasca | B.239/k/2,p.270 |
| 1844 - 1852 ⁺ | In charge | Great Slave Lake | Mackenzie River | B.239/g/26;B.239/k/2,pp.319,349,383, 402,424,454,477;B.239/k/3,p.4 |
| 1852 - 1853 | retired from service but remained in the country | | | B.239/g/32 |
| 1853 - 1854 | In charge | Guard Post | Swan River | B.239/k/3,p.52 |
| 1854 - 1855 | In charge of district | Fort Ellice | Red River | B.239/k/3,p.78 |
| 1855 - 1858 | Chief Trader in charge of district | Pembina | Red River | B.239/k/3,pp.106,127,147 |
| 1858 - 1867 | Chief Trader in charge of district | Fort Alexander | Lac La Pluie | B.239/k/3,pp.170,190,210,230,252, 273,295,317,338 |
| 1867 - 1871 | Chief Factor in charge of district | Fort Chipewyan | Athabasca | B.239/k/3,pp.349,373,403,429 |
| 1872 - 1875 | Chief Factor in charge of district | Ile-à-la-Crosse | English River | B.235/k/1,fo.7d; B.89/b/4 |
| 1875 - 1877 | Inspecting Chief Factor in charge of district | Ile-à-la-Crosse | English River | A.5/49,fo.526-528;B.235/k/1,fo.7d,12 |
| 1877, 7 March | died | | | A.11/101, G.S. McTavish,14/3/1877 |

⁺ "...Mr. McMurray is a very efficient post manager and otherwise an intelligent man, I hope his claims, when his services have been of sufficiently long duration to entitle him to promotion, may meet with the attention they deserve. He is a half-breed it is true, but he is also a very interested servant for the Company" John Rae to G.Simpson, 23 April 1851 (E.15/8)

Father: Thomas McMurray.

Wife: (1) Annie Ballenden (d.1862)

(2) Harriet Inkster, married 13 July 1868

