

**NAME:** PRUDEN, John Peter

**PARISH:** Edmonton, Middlesex  
**ENTERED SERVICE:** 1791  
**ENGLAND**

**DATES:** 1788-28 May 1868

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*:	Position:	Post:	District:	HBCA Reference:
<i>*An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May</i>				
1791	Arrived in York Factory on the <u>Seahorse</u>			C.1/1054
1791-1794	Apprentice	York Factory	York	A.30/5,6
1795-1796	Apprentice	Carlton House	Saskatchewan	B.27/a/1; A.30/6
1796-1797	Apprentice/Writer	Buckingham H., Edmonton H.		B.24/a/3,4 ; B.60/a/1,2 ; A.30/7
1798	Writer	Buckingham H., Setting River Edmonton H.		B.196/a/1; B.60/a/4; A.30/8
1799		Bolsover House	English River	B.20/a/1
1800	Writer	Edmonton House	Saskatchewan	B.60/a/5; A.30/10
1801-1802		Inland	York	B.239/d/125
1803-1804	Trader	Inland	York	B.239/d/128
1805-1807	In Charge	Acton House	Saskatchewan	B.239/d/131; B.60/a/6
1808	Master and Trader	Edmonton	Saskatchewan	B.239/d/141
1808	To London on <u>King George</u>			C.1/420
1809	To York Factory on <u>King George</u>			C.1/421
1810-1814	In Charge	Carlton House	Saskatchewan	B.60/a/9-12
1814-1815	Master	Carlton House	Saskatchewan	A.30/14
1815-1816	Master and Trader	Carlton House	Saskatchewan	A.30/15
1817-1820	Master and Trader	Carlton House	Saskatchewan	A.16/39
1821	Chief Trader	Carlton House	Saskatchewan	
1822-1824	Chief Trader	Carlton House	Saskatchewan	B.239/g/2,3
1824	To London on <u>Prince of Wales</u>			C.1/804,805
1825	To York Factory on <u>Prince of Wales</u>			C.1/806-808
1825-1826	Chief Trader	Norway House	Norway House	B.239/k/1; D.4/12
1826-1836	Chief Trader	Carlton House	Saskatchewan	B.239/k/1,2
1836-1837	Chief Factor	Carlton House	Saskatchewan	B.239/g/16; D.4/22
1837	Retires			
1839	Appointed to Council of Assiniboia			Oliver, "The Canadian Northwest"

Journals kept by John Peter Pruden:

Bolsover House 1799-1800 (B.20/a/1)

Carlton House 1814-1816, 1818-1824, 1832-1833 (B.27/a/4,5,8-13,19)

Norway House 1825-1826 (B.154/a/11)

Will and Estate of John Peter Pruden (A.36/1b, A.36/2)

Entry in George Simpson's Character Book (A.34/2)



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See also:

Dictionary of Canadian Biography Volume IX

Pruden, Hal, The Prudens of Pehonanik – A Fur Trade Family, 1991

Oliver, E.H., The Canadian Northwest: Its Early Development and Legislative Records

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