

NAME: HOPE, John (IV)

PARISH: Native of Ruperts Land

ENTERED SERVICE: 1863

DATES:

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*:

Position:

Post:

District:

HBCA Reference:

**An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May*

John Hope, (IV)

John Hope, a native of Rupert's Land, joined the Hudson's Bay Company in 1863 as a steersman in the Mackenzie River District. He was promoted to interpreter in 1873. He was appointed interpreter at Hay River in the Mackenzie River District in 1874. Two years later he served as post master at Fort Simpson. In 1877 he was placed in charge of the winter fishery on Big Island (Great Slave Lake). He acted as post master at Fort Providence from 1879-1881, and once again spent the winter of 1881 at the fishery on Big Island. He was appointed post master at Fort Rae in 1882 and remained there until he retired from the Company as of June 1, 1884. (HBC Archives B.239/g/42, fo.121; B.235/g/1, fo.18d; B.235/k/1, fos.1d,20,30d,54d,80,90d; B.235/g/8, fo.68d)

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