

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*	Position	Post	District	HBCA Reference
<i>*An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May</i>				
1812-1814	Writer & Assistant	York Factory	York	A.30/12-13
1814-1815	Writer	Cumberland House	Winnipeg	A.30/14
1815-1816	Writer	Ile-a-la-Crosse		A.16/54, fo. 232
1816-1819	Writer	Great Slave Lake, Fort Wedderburn, Athabasca	York Factory	A.16/54, fo. 232
1819-1823	in charge	Fort Resolution	Great Slave Lake	B.239/k/1, p. 2, 14
1823-1824	furlough, home by <i>Prince of Wales</i>			B.239/k/1, p. 43; A.16/59, fo. 30
1824-1827	in charge of District	Fort Resolution	Great Slave Lake	B.239/k/1, p. 79, 114, 116, 165; A.16/5, fo. 89
1827-1830	in charge of District	Weymontachingue	St. Maurice	B.239/k/1, p. 206; B.134/c/4; B.134/g/6, 7
1830	retired			A.16/60; D.5/3, fos. 281-282
1860, 1 June	became Postmaster at Fort William (present-day Thunder Bay)			Corr., Bert Foster, 1985;
*1865, 6 April	died, buried in Riverside Cemetery, Thunder Bay			Corr., Bert Foster, 1987.

Journals kept by: Robert McVicar: Athabasca 1817-1818

Fort Resolution 1819-1827

(B.39/a/13)

(B.181/a/1-7)

Wife: Christina McBeath

Brother: Walter McVicar

*For photograph of monument erected in 1885, see Photo.Coll. 1987/381

References: E.E.Rich, *Journal of Occurrences in the Athabasca Department by George Simpson, 1820 and 1821, by George Simpson, 1820 and 1821, and Report*, London: Hudson's Bay Record Society, 1938, Volume I.
Dictionary of Canadian Biography Volume IX pages 532 and 533.

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