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Pre-1870 Microfilm Digitization Project and Land-related Records



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Scanning of the microfilm was outsourced to a local document imaging company

Scanning started in March 2018 and was completed in March 2019

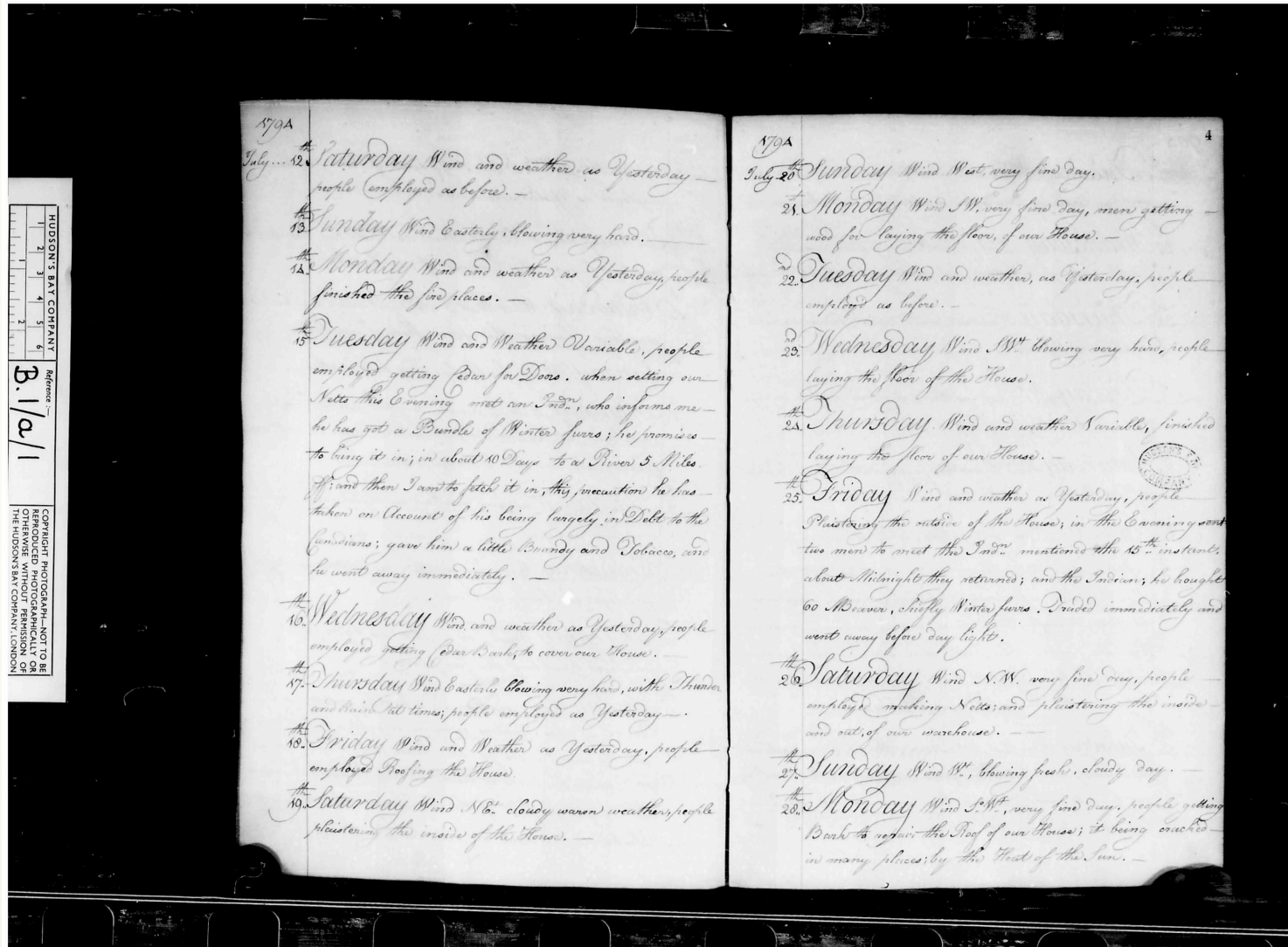
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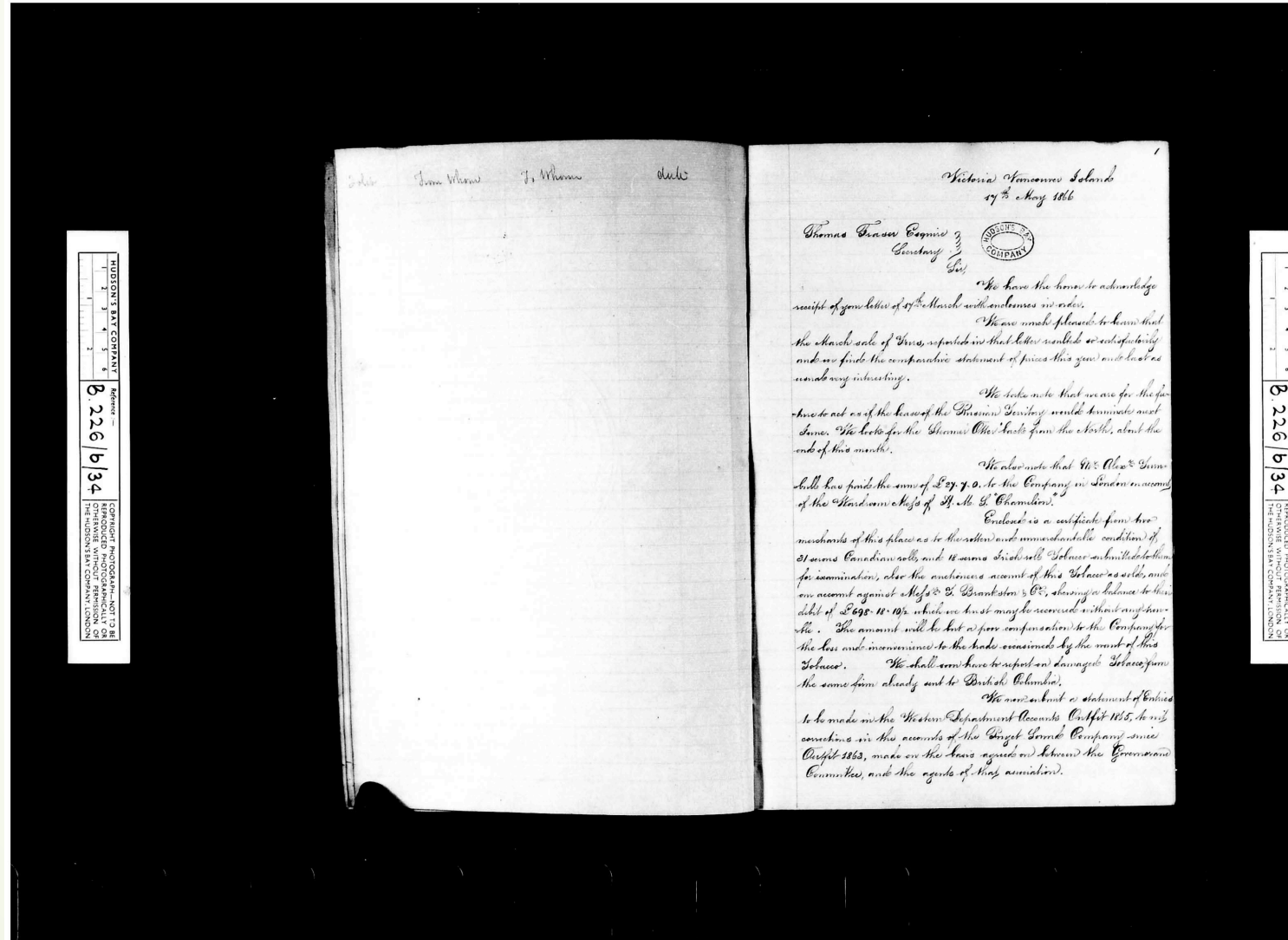
Access format – multi-page PDFs

Level of compression was considered in the process of converting the files, taking into account that the records are all pre-1870 and in various styles of cursive writing.

Abitibi post journal, 1794-1796



Fort Victoria correspondence book, 1866-1868



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Ile-a-la-Crosse general account book, 1828-1829

English River				District Accounts 1828/29			
Outfit Rec ^d				from Y ^e Store Continued			
Amounts Brought forward				Amounts Brought forward			
1 st Bd Marks 2021			200 15 3	40 Dg Muscov Lard Soap	4/	3 9	
12 Pound Stems	1/4	1 4		2 - " "	3/8	7 4	
30 Corduroy Sackets	7/	10 10		3 English Gaps Sythes	2/5	13 3	
1 Set of Pnyl Iron		2 2		1 Small Spent Garden Seeds		3	
4 Dg Cast-iron Knives	1/7	10 4		5 1/2 Simulation Shunting	1/10	9 2	
1/2 Spent Pen	1/10	2 9		20 Mus Cont. Stuffs Cotton Sacks	3/2	13 4	
2 - " "	8/	16		10 - " "	1/7	2 5 10	
4 - " "	3/4	1 7 9		16 1/2 White Musy Stems	1/4	1 12	
20 - " "	3/4	5 5 8		2 Stuffs Garden Sacks	2/11	5 10	
1 Paster Soap Saddle		1 5		1 Dg Iron's Iron Spoons		3	
6 Single Bd Irons 18 Musad	1/4	12		15 1/2 Irons Steel	1/4	13	
1 Stalk Lode 11 Sack		6 9		10 Dg Iron Steel	2/10	2 8	
3 Squares of Mustard	1/4	12		7 1/2 Blue Plane Stuffs	2/4	45 19 4	
4 1/2 Darning Needles	1/10	3 4		5 - Green	10/10	33 3 4	
1/2 - " "	1/4	3		3 - White	10/10	15 3	
6 Nettle or fastenings	3/4	9		4 - Com's 10 1/2 & 10 1/2 Blue	2/4	14 10	
1 Small Frying Pan		2 5		5 - Plane White	7/10	11 8 8	
2 Little Red Iron Cans 1 to 2	1/10	1 8 4		16 1/2 Sycron Tow	1/10	5 4	
2 - " "		1 8 4		6 - " "	2/10	1 8	
2 1/2 Black Pepper	1/8	1 4		12 - Coloured Stuffs	3/10	5 3	
1 - " "		3		6 1/2 Com's Blue Little Sycron	8/10	2 8	
1 Sack Plane Double Stem		5 7		3 - " "	8/10	1 5	
1 Dg Cont Iron Prongus		12		3 - " "		1 5	
2 Saps 1/2 of Pits	1/2	2 4		1 Iron Soap Sycron		12	
1 Iron Tow 1/2 2 1/2 ft		5 3		120 Com's 1 Sycron	1/7	9 10	
4 Spent Pencils				16 - " "	2/10	2 2 8	
1/2 Dg W. C. Razors	1/10	3 8		18 - " "		2 8	
2 Drafting Saws	3/10	4 6 3P P		2 1/2 1/2 Iron Sycron	3/4	8 4 178 4 1	
			239 5 3				417 7 4

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Thompson's River District report, 1827

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Reference: B97/e/1

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Reasons for the want of information, which the District has had since... not only separate this but the capital development of the year... also... when these two years they are encouraged to hunt... and from... because the 400... animals... had been... more than... been... in the District... since... first... -... family... they are not... adopted for the... but it is... that... no... present in... in... more... increase... the Pacific -

It concludes, in how ever come to the population; and... from the... taken to collect each... it is not... from the... One... of about... would it... in... than... small... -

Name of Village	Chief or principal men	Jan 12 1827			
		Men	Women	Boys	Girls
Pitcairne	Annable, Cousin	68	77	48	41
Albion	Opia, Wallack	27	23	19	26
St. John's Bay	Chapman, Alack	57	69	32	20
St. John's Bay	Steneverson	88	41	23	25
Do. at the Point	Calderhead	55	66	45	28
Do. at the Point	Nicolson ditto	68	72	34	44
St. John's Bay	St. John's	70	80	26	43
St. John's Bay	Ch. Co. guard				
St. John's Bay	St. John's	226	312	248	250
St. John's Bay	St. John's				
St. John's Bay	Ch. Co. guard	63	71	37	33
St. John's Bay	Ch. Co. guard	18	16	10	9
St. John's Bay	Ch. Co. guard	495	501	186	147
St. John's Bay	Ch. Co. guard				
St. John's Bay	Ch. Co. guard	26	46	29	22
St. John's Bay	Ch. Co. guard				
St. John's Bay	Ch. Co. guard	102	102	70	67

There may be some objection to the... here... in general... at the... all over the... the... of young... and... season... account for... of... - The... of... the... that... to the... the... on... the... being... to the... because... they are... of... which... being... they... to the... on... on the... after they are... to... from... and... together... - The... of... during the... they are... of... in... in... the... of the... with the... of... which... the... of... to... can also... to... on their... - The... with... in the... in the... of... they are... of... of what is... among... they have no... of... - Nothing... to... they... with... than that of... but... it is also... of... death... of... on the... a very... is... to the... the... of... and... when the... of... -

It is... in regard to... -



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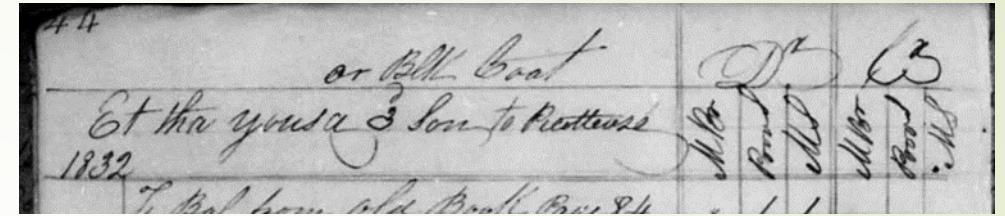
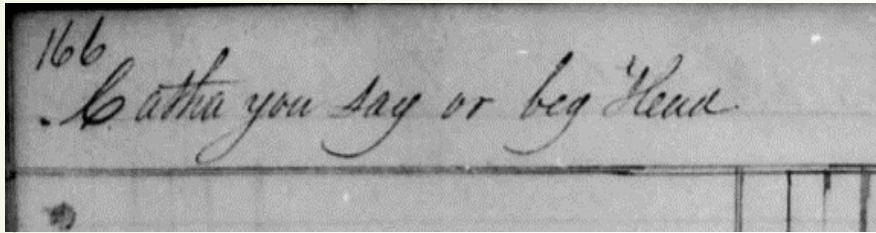
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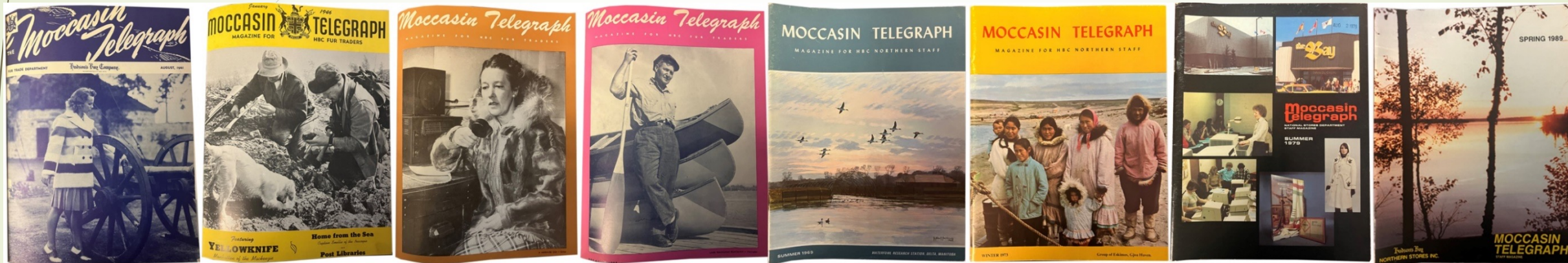
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Indexing Indigenous names in HBC account books



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3	Anesquapee			B.239/d/894	42d	83	1855-1856	York Factory account books
4	Apetagan			B.239/d/894		92	1855-1856	York Factory account books
5	Ben	Brother to Jolly Beggar		B.239/d/894	40d	79	1855-1856	York Factory account books
6	Benjamin	Wastesecout's 2nd Son		B.239/d/894	8d	11	1855-1856	York Factory account books
7	Cachenepennepew		or Tethten	B.239/d/894		10	1855-1856	York Factory account books
8	Cahekecapoo			B.239/d/894		32	1855-1856	York Factory account books
9	Cameenootagoshoo		Old Saunders	B.239/d/894	6d	7	1855-1856	York Factory account books
10	Chepan	Brother to Wappekeesick		B.239/d/894		30	1855-1856	York Factory account books
11	Davy	Mameenequenew's young son		B.239/d/894		24	1855-1856	York Factory account books
12	Dunning, Jack		or Blind Jack	B.239/d/894		59	1855-1856	York Factory account books
13	Eanawapeemaw		Old Joseph	B.239/d/894		6	1855-1856	York Factory account books
14	Eaquenape	Brother to Ouscan	again on 18d	B.239/d/894	12d	21	1855-1856	York Factory account books
15	Eggenekesquescum	Tookegee's Son		B.239/d/894		14	1855-1856	York Factory account books
16	Enaquapee	Oukiemawkesickwisum's 1st Son	or Brandy	B.239/d/894		12	1855-1856	York Factory account books
17	Frank	Weeky's Son		B.239/d/894	15d	27	1855-1856	York Factory account books
18	Grieve, William			B.239/d/894	49d	97	1855-1856	York Factory account books
19	Huggemawenescum		from Severn	B.239/d/894	55d	111	1855-1856	York Factory account books
20	Jacob	Wennask's 1st Son	again on 48	B.239/d/894	45d	89	1855-1856	York Factory account books
21	Jolly Beggar			B.239/d/894		40	1855-1856	York Factory account books
22	Joseph	Old Jacob's Boy		B.239/d/894		26	1855-1856	York Factory account books
23	Kasamoumass		from Severn	B.239/d/894		53	1855-1856	York Factory account books
24	Keammayweethoo		Died Fall 1856	B.239/d/894	10d	17	1855-1856	York Factory account books
25	Keetcheckaway	Weeky's Son		B.239/d/894	22d	41	1855-1856	York Factory account books
26	Keetchekeesick			B.239/d/894		36	1855-1856	York Factory account books
27	Kemetaway	William Grieve's Uncle		B.239/d/894	17	30	1855-1856	York Factory account books
28	Kenookeesequib	Oukiemawkesickwisum's 2nd Son		B.239/d/894	38d	75	1855-1856	York Factory account books
29	Kesheenanen		or Keshayenine	B.239/d/894		20	1855-1856	York Factory account books
30	Lamalice			B.239/d/894	15	26	1855-1856	York Factory account books
31	Maccause	Enaquapee's Brother		B.239/d/894		49	1855-1856	York Factory account books
32	Mameecootchin		or Dick, again on 56d	B.239/d/894	53d	107	1855-1856	York Factory account books
33	Mameenequenew		The Old Deer Hunter	B.239/d/894		24	1855-1856	York Factory account books
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36	Manukeesick	Whewthesis Son		B.239/d/894	46d	91	1855-1856	York Factory account books
37	Massan		the Guide	B.239/d/894	28d	55	1855-1856	York Factory account books
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39	Massayguan			B.239/d/894	43d	85	1855-1856	York Factory account books
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Moccasin Telegraph staff magazine, 1941-1990



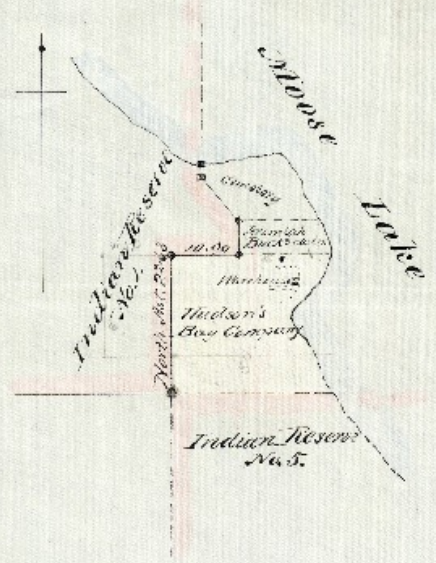
Includes Information about and references to Indigenous people and communities

A great source for finding references to events or happenings that might not otherwise be recorded in the records

The microfilm of the full run of the Moccasin Telegraph has been digitized and can be accessed through the Keystone Database

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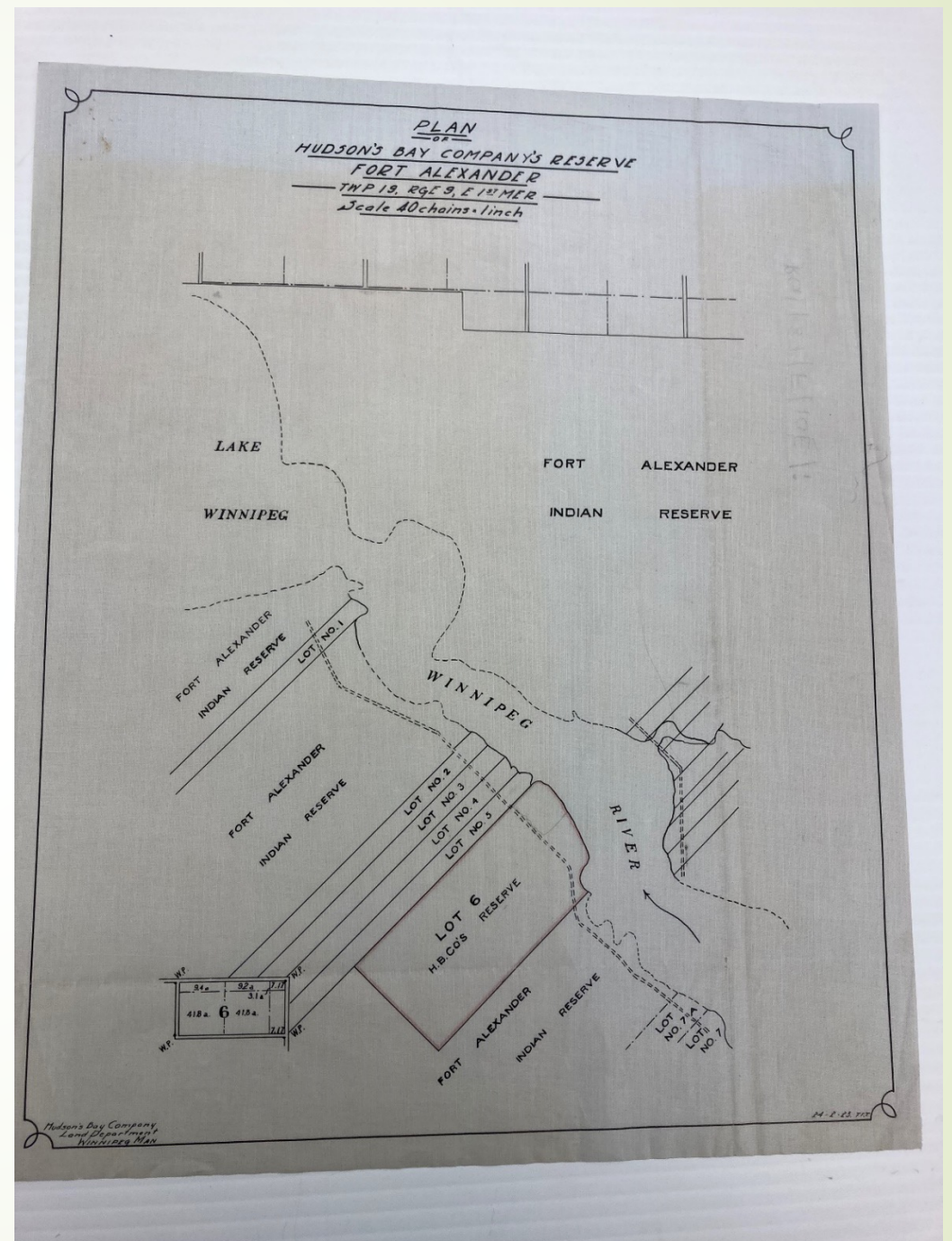
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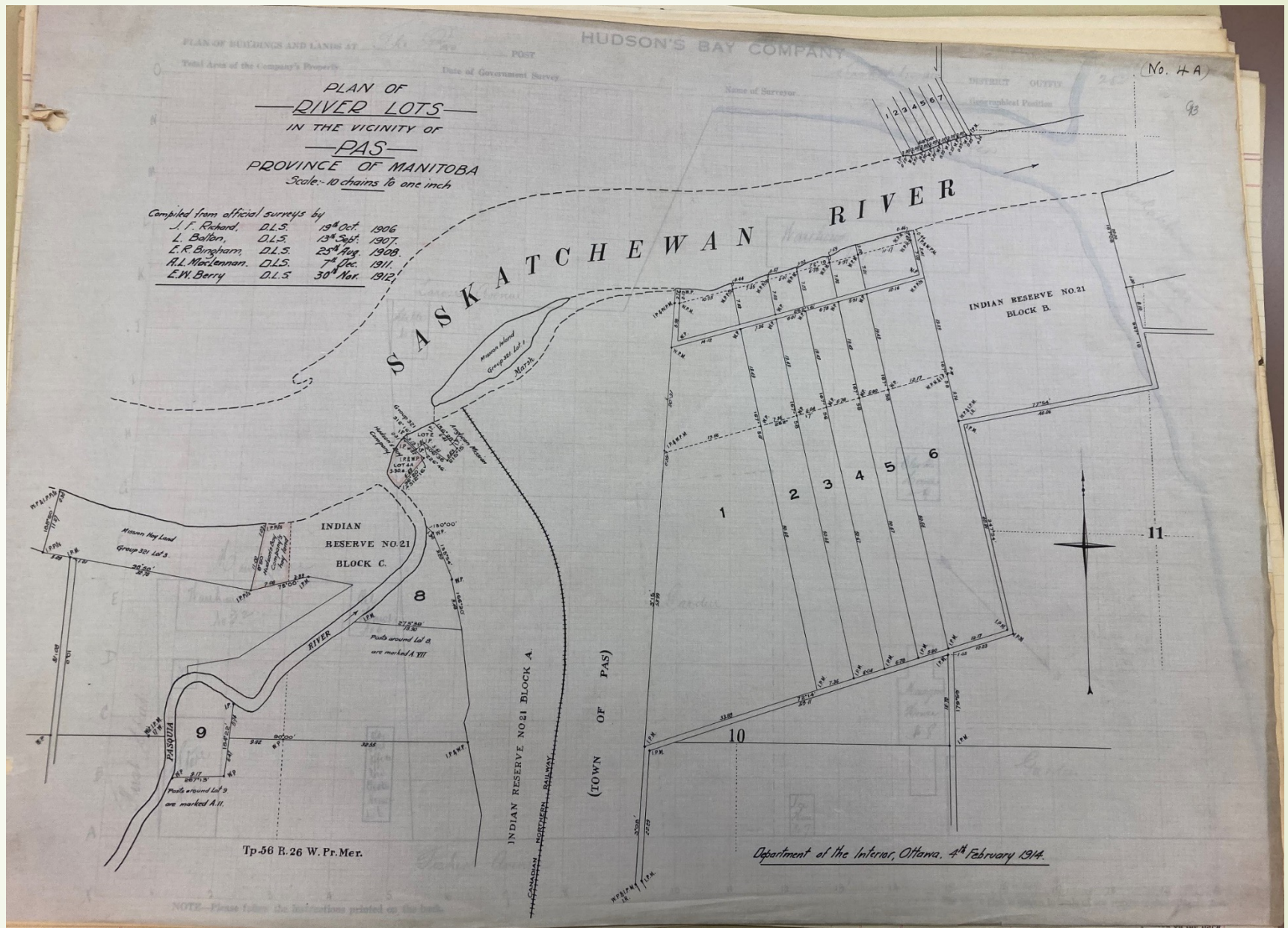


Tracing from the Plan of the Moose
Lake Reserves, showing the Hudson's
Bay Company's land at Moose Lake.
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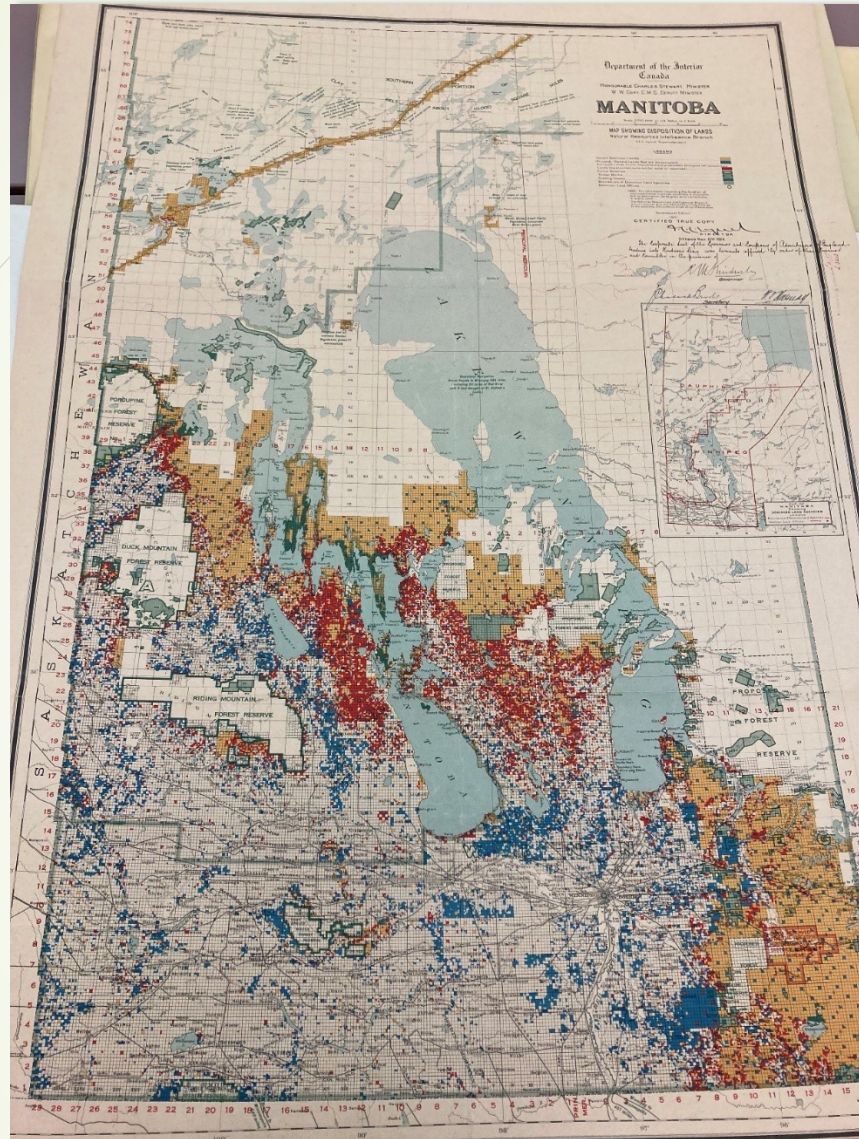
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HBCA RG1/87/F/10E/i "Plan of Hudson's Bay Company's Reserve Fort Alexander TWP. 19, RGE 9, E 1st Mer." 24 November 1923





HBCA G.7/6 (7) Plans and descriptions of closed posts, Saskatchewan District, The Pas, 1914.



HBCA G.4/140 "Manitoba. Map showing disposition of lands" 1921.

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HBCA RG1/86/15 Farm Land Advertisement, 1946

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No.	Approved	Appropriations	Type	Amount Auth'd	Total Cost
274/34	Jan./1944	New store and warehouse Dwelling 6,750.00 2,750.00	6S 12DB	12,500	16,700
278/13	Feb./1947	Warehouse Oil House and Pen 5,572. 445.	5W	6,017	4,740
525 527	July 5/62	Store 50 x 60 Cancelled. Replaced by App. #554.		39,850.	
554	19/4/63	Store 50 x 70		44,000.	49,402.
573	10/7/63 ?	Dwelling basement repairs and Plumbing Installation		2,000.	?

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Date	Abstract of Correspondence, Etc.	File or Ref.
June/42	Site subject to frost heaving. Warehouse #2 rebuilt from Northern Traders building with corrugated iron for use as flour store.	
1946.	Ice house built with suitable material available from the old store which was demolished.	
1942.	Portion of Lot 17, was rented to the Roman Catholic Mission for \$1.00 for three year period from 1940. The Mission was to have the option of purchasing this property at the expiration of the lease for the amount of \$1.00 plus expenses for the preparation of the transfer. In 1942 the Canadian Committee approved grant of land to the R.C. Mission.	
Nov./1945	Sale No. 10294 "M", Lot 2: Transferred to Anglican Mission 1.35 acres, Lot 2. No charge, but to be used for school purposes only.	Land Department files.
June/1955	Lot 2 made available to Department of Northern Affairs and National Resources by Bishop Marsh. Quit Claim Deed signed by H B C, as Land Titles Office objected to clause re property to be used for day school purposes only and not to be used for trading or commercial purposes.	Letters 29 & 30 2-4-50 (2)
Nov./56	Sale No. 10300N - Pt. Lot 5: To Department of Northern Affairs & National Resources strip to be used for road purposes 25' wide and 660' long for the price of \$1.00.	F.2-4-50
Dec./62	Transferred back to the Company. C.T. No. 2824. Land Dept. #10482.	L. 45 F. 2-4-50
Nov./62	Purchase: Road allowance 25' x 660': Piece of land formerly sold to Department Northern Affairs (Sale No. 10300N) transferred back to the Company for the sum of \$1.00. (Govt. Land Sale No. 1035 dated 5th November, 1962.	L. 43 F. 2-4-50.

HBCA RG7/7A/191 Fort McPherson, Building Division location files and general land records, 1942-1962



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