

NAME: THOMAS, William PARISH: London ENTERED SERVICE: 21 March 1797  
Hornsey, Middlesex

DATES: b. 1779 or 1780  
d. 27 Nov. 1818 (A.36/13)

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*	Position	Post	District	HBCA Reference
1797 - 1803	Writer	Albany	Albany	A.16/6, fo.105; A.16/7, fo. 3; A.30/7, fo.56d-57; A.30/8, fo.12d-13; A.30/9, Fo. 12d-13; A.30/10, fo. 12d-13; B.3/d/109, 110, 112
1803, 22 June-27 July	Writer	Osnaburgh House		A.16/7, fo.3; B.155/a/18
1803, 17 Aug.-1804, 27 May	Writer [in charge]	Lac Seul		A.16/7, fo.3; B.107/a/1
1804 - 1805	Writer [in charge]	Red Lake		A.16/7, fo.3; B.177/a/8
1805 - 1806	Writer [in charge]	Eagle Lake** (Albany River)	Albany	A.16/7, fo.3; B.3/d/117; B.57/a/1
1806 - 1807	Master	Thunder Lake		A.16/7, fo.3; B.3/d/119; B.217/a/1
1807 - 1809	Master	Sandy Narrows***		A.16/7, fo.64; B.3/d/122; B.193/a/1, 2
1809 - 1810	Master	Osnaburgh House		A.16/7, fo.64; B.3/d/125
1810 - 1813	District Master & Trader	Osnaburgh House	Osnaburgh	A.16/7, fo.64, 131; A.16/8, fo.7; A.30/11, fo.9d-10; B.3/d/127, 133, 136; B.155/a/22-25
1813 - 1814	Second at Albany & District Master		Osnaburgh	A.30/12, fo.7d-8; A.30/13, fo. 7d-8; B.3/d/139; B.155/a/26
1814 - 1815	Second at Albany & Chief of Albany Island		Attawapiskat Lake	A.30/14, fo.44d-45
1815 - 1816	Chief & Master	Martin Falls (Winter Residence)	[Albany Inland]	A.30/15, fo.9d-10; B.78/a/24
		Gloucester House (Summer Residence)	Albany Inland	
1816 - 1818	Chief	Gloucester House	Albany Inland	B.78/a/25, 26
1818, 4 September	home			A.16/8, fo. 164
1818, 27 November	died at Pentonville [co., London, U.K.]			A.36/13

\*\* also called Lake Sanderson (B.57/a/1)

\*\*\* also called Lake Saunders or Poplar River (B.193/a/1, 2)

See Search File: "Thomas, William"

Wife: Catherine Best (A.36/13, fo. 95-159; S. VanKirk, *Many Tender Ties*, p. 106)

Children: Richard, Charles, Elenor, Charlotte, Matilda, Catherine (A.36/13, fo. 95-159)

Nephew: William Thomas, son of Brother Frederick Thomas of London (A.44/2, p. 1)

