

**NAME:** PLAMONDON, Simon      **PARISH:** St. Francois  
(Also Plamondo, Plamondeau, Plomando)

**ENTERED SERVICE:** NWC: 1820      **DATES:** b.ca.1796-1802  
HBC: 1821 (on union)      d. 1900

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year\*      Position      Post      District      HBCA Reference

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

North West Company:

1820-1821      Middleman      Athabasca      F.4/40 p.62

Hudson's Bay Company:

1821 - 1823      Middleman      Athabasca      B.239/g/61, 62, 63; F.4/40,p.62  
1823 - 1824      Middleman      Western Caledonia      B.239/x/2 p.434  
1824      free at Montreal      F.4/40 p.62  
1824 - 1827      Middleman      Western Caledonia      B.239/g/4,65,66  
1827 - 1828      Middleman      Fort Colvile      Columbia      B.239/g/67  
1828 - 1835      Middleman      Columbia      B.239/g/68-74  
ca.1835 - 1865      farmer at Cowlitz      *Joint Commission*  
1846      Elected representative to the Oregon Provisional Legislature      Toledo, Lewis County plaque (see Search File)  
1847      Plamondon home used as Lewis County Court      Toledo, Lewis County plaque (see Search File)  
1854-1855      Plamondon provided supplies and protection to the Cowlitz Indians during a period of strained relations with the settlers      Toledo, Lewis County plaque (see Search File)  
1900      died 3 months before his 100th birthday      Toledo, Lewis County plaque (see Search File)

See also: Wallin, Deborah, *"A Very Pretty Man": The Life of Simon Plamondon* (M.A. Thesis, Western Washington University, Bellingham, Washington, 1987)  
James R. Gibson, *Farming the Frontier: The Agricultural Opening of the Oregon Country, 1786-1846*, Vancouver, BC: UBC Press, 1985, pp. 92, 121

*British and American Joint Commission on the Hudson's Bay & Puget Sound Agricultural Companies' Claims*, Washington: Philip and Solomons, 1865, Vol.2, pp.11-15

