

NAME: SPENCER, MILES

PARISH: Indian Country

ENTERED SERVICE: 1857

DATES: b. 11 June 1839
d. 4 January 1919

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*:

Position:

Post:

District:

HBCA Reference:

*An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May

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| 1857-1862 | Apprentice Clerk | | East Main | B.135/g/41-44 |
| 1862-1871 | Clerk | | East Main | B.135/g/45-53 |
| 1871-1876 | Clerk in charge | Rupert's House | Ruperts River | B.135/g/54-58;B.135/k/1,p.383 |
| 1876-1877 | Clerk in charge | | East Main | B.135/g/59 |
| 1877-1899 | Jr. Chief Trader | Fort George | East Main | B.135/g/60-74; D33/1-4 |
| 1919, 4 Jan. | Died a victim of the Spanish flu epidemic in Southampton, Ontario | | | Obituary (See Search File) |

Parents: John Hodges Spencer (1790-1881) and Ann Sinclair (ca. 1796-1861), daughter of William and Margaret (Nahoway) Sinclair

Wife: Edith McLaren. Named in will signed at Rupert's House, 1893 (A.36/12, fo.240-242)

Children: Daisy (m. Rev. W.G. Walton)

Stella (m. D.J. Gilmour)

Chrissie (m. M. Fields)

Edna (m. Gordon Lynch)

Winnie

Walter (had 3 wives and 18 children including Ray Spencer, featured in *The Fiddlers of James Bay*)

Cameron (Ronie)

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