NAME: WOOD, William PARISH: Edinburgh, SCOTLAND ENTERED SERVICE: 1 May 1839 at Lachine (A.32/59 fo. 186)

Appointments & Service

HBCA Reference: Outfit Year*: Position: Post: District: *An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May 1838, 10 November Applied and was accepted starting in June for a position A.5/12 p. 233 (his letter not traced) Informed to leave from Liverpool for Lachine via New York and to report to James Keith A.5/12 p. 255 1839, 23 February 1839, 11 March Reported that he was leaving by the packet ship *Sheridan* on 13 March A.10/8 fo. 98 Proceeded with Mr. Buchanan to LaChine, but arrived too late to accompany the brigade A.6/25 fo. 44 1839 to the Interior, and returned to England Embarked on the Columbia for Columbia Dept. with Forbes Barclay, Clerk & Surgeon 1839, 14 Sept.-1840 A.6/25 fo. 44 1840-1841 Apprentice Clerk for General Service Columbia A.32/59 fo. 186; B.239/g/79 1840-1841 App. Clerk disposable **Snake Party** Columbia B.239/g/80; B.239/k/2 pp. 207 Apprentice Clerk Sandwich Islands B.239/g/81; B.239/k/2 pp. 229 1841 Columbia 1841 Retired (no return ship indicated, not listed among "Freemen") B.239/g/82, 83 HBC assures payment to his father, William Wood of 9 Darnaway Street, Edinburgh, 1841, 22 Oct. who had forwarded a letter from his son dated Fort Vancouver A.5/13 p. 243 (son's letter not traced) 1839, Letter from William Wood, reporting his departure (A.10/8 fo. 98). 1839, 11 Sept. List of outfit purchased for William Wood, Apprentice (A.10/9 fo. 165). Letter from his father, William Wood, 9 Darnaway St, Edinburgh, forwarding a letter and a box containing a saddle, bridle, box of 1839, 9 Nov. mathematical instruments and a small book (A.10/9 fo. 268).

1840, 19 Feb. Letter from his father, same address, forwarding a letter (A.10/10 fo. 129).

1841, 25 July Letter from his father, Edinburgh, forwarding a letter and a box containing some articles of dress, some pamphlets, and some music

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