NAME: RANKIN, Colin    PARISH: Canada[New Brunswick]    ENTERED SERVICE: March 1848+    DATES: b.1827    d. 20 April 1921

**Appointments & Service**

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Wife: Rebecca at Quebec 1858

Children: 8 children ages 2 to 30 in 1891 census

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