**NAME:** SMITH, JOHN  
**PARISH:** Crosshouse  
**ENTERED SERVICE:** 1848  
**DATES:** b. 15 Feb. 1824  

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*Part of Muir’s gang of miners recruited in Scotland (HBRS XXXII Iviiin)*

**Parents:**  
James and Agnes (E.31/2/1 fos. 277-279)

**Wife:**  

**Child**  
one in Dec. 1848 (A.10/25 fo. 401)

1848, 6 Dec.  
John Smith to his parents dated Gravesend (A.10/25 fo. 517)

1850, 23 Oct.  
Undelivered letter from his parents dated Crosshouse (E.31/2/1 fos. 277-279).

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