

MS-0635
 Donald Ross
 Originals 1816-1876 87.5 cm
 Microfilm (neg.) 1816-1876 16mm 3 reels [A00831-A00833]

Donald Ross was a fur trader at Norway House.

The records consist of correspondence between Donald Ross and other Hudson's Bay Company officials and employees, private correspondence between Ross and members of his family, and a variety of other documents, including accounts, invoices, memoranda, marriage certificates, and trade reports. All items are letters inward to Donald Ross unless otherwise indicated in the finding aid. Also included are typewritten transcripts prepared by the BC Archives (BCA).

The records are arranged alphabetically by correspondent. Within each file, the material is arranged chronologically; undated material is placed at the beginning of the file. This arrangement is based on the same system as the Colonial Correspondence (GR-1372). Initially the letters were given an "H.B.Co." file (F) number and indexed as part of the index to GR-1372. Cards for a number of these letters are still to be found in this index and F numbers are visible in the upper right corner of some of the letters.

In 1930, the BCA purchased a large portion of the records from Mrs. George A. Graham (M. Ross), granddaughter, of Fort William, Ontario. Additional portions were purchased over the period 1942-1944 from Mrs. M.L. MacLeod of Vancouver, B.C., acting for her mother, Mrs. Bullock.

The collection was originally catalogued under the "Old MSS" classification system as A/E/R73.

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Box/Reel	File	Correspondent	Nature of material	Dates
1/A00831	1	Authors unidentified	1 letter to Mrs. Ross, 1 letter to "Ross" [both incomplete]	1862
1/A00831	2	Allan, George Traill, 1819?-	1 letter, 1 cover	1847
1/A00831	3	Allan, William	1 letter	1852
1/A00831	4	Anderson, David, 1814-1885, Bishop of Rupert's Land	10 letters	1849-1852
1/A00831	5	Anderson, James, 1812-1867	9 letters, includes 1 letter to Mrs. Ross, 1 cover	1850-1857
1/A00831	6	Ballenden, John, 1810?-1856	10 letters	1842-1850
1/A00831	7	Ballendine, John	2 letters	1850-1851
1/A00831	8	Barnston, George, 1800?-1882	8 letters, includes 1 letter to "Donald" (1859), 1 cover	1851-1859
1/A00831	9	Beioley, Joseph, 1785?-1859	1 letter, 1 cover	1840
1/A00831	10	Bell, John, 1799?-1868	14 letters	1846-1852
1/A00831	11	Bell, John	Typewritten transcripts of file 10	

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1/A00831	12	Black, John, 1817-1879	32 letters, includes copy of letter to James Hargrave	1847-1852
1/A00831	13	Black, John (Reverend)	1 letter	1852
1/A00831	14	Boucher, F.	1 letter	1851
1/A00831	15	Buchanan, A.W.	2 letters	1852
1/A00831	16	Budd, Henry, 1812?-1879	2 letters, 1 receipt	1850-1852
1/A00831	17	Bunn, John (Dr.), 1802-1861	Copy of letters (John Bunn to John Black, Black to Bunn, Bunn to A.E. Pelly), 1 cover, 2 items	1850-1851
1/A00831	18	Caldwell, Major William Bletterman, fl. 1848-1851	3 letters, 2 covers	1848-1851
1/A00831	19	Campbell, Colin, 1787-1853	6 letters, and copy of "Description of the Route to avoid Riviere and Portage La Loche" by C. Campbell, C.T. (in 1834)	1847-1852
1/A00831	20	Campbell, Robert, 1808-1894	2 letters and typewritten transcripts	1851
1/A00831	21	Charles, John, 1784?-fl.1859	3 letters, 2 covers	1850-1851
1/A00831	22	Christie, Alexander, 1792-1872	33 letters, includes 1 incomplete, 4 covers	1839-1852
1/A00831	23	Clare, James R.	3 letters	1850
1/A00831	24	Clouston, Edward	16 letters, includes copy of letters between E.C. and Clementina Oman, 1 memorandum, 4 receipts	1842-1852
1/A00831	25	Clouston, Robert, -1858	29 letters to D. Ross, copy of letter to Sir George Simpson, 1 undated envelope addressed to Mrs. C. McDermot, 4 covers, declaration of marriage between Jessie Ross and R. Clouston	1846-1849
1/A00831	26	Clouston, Robert	10 letters, 1 cover	1850-1853
1/A00831	27	Clouston, Robert,	Typewritten transcript of file 25	
1/A00831	28	Clouston, Robert	Typewritten transcript of file 26	
2/A00831	29	Clowes, R.	1 letter	1842
2/A00831	30	Coffin, James H.	1 letter	1849
2/A00831	31	Columbia Department	Returns, outfit 1841 and 1842	1841-1842
2/A00831	32	Columbia Department	Supplementary balance sheet, outfit 1842	1842
2/A00831	33	Columbia Department	Miscellaneous documents, 3 items	1843-1845
2/A00831	34	Colvile, Eden, 1819-1893	6 letters, 2 covers	1850-1851

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2/A00831	35	Cox, Abraham	1 letter	1851
2/A00831	36	Crofton, John Folliott, 1801-1885	Copy of letter to Alexander Christie	1847
2/A00831	37	Cummings, Robert, 1795-1863	15 letters	1850-1852
2/A00831	38	Deschambeault, George, 1801?-1870	3 letters	1847-1851
2/A00831	39	Douglas, Sir James, 1803-1877	5 letters, 2 covers	1844-1851
2/A00831	40	Ermatinger, Francis, 1798-1858	2 letters	1848-1851
2/A00831	41	Evans, James (Reverend), 1801-1846	6 letters	1844-1846
2/A00831	42	Evans, Mrs. Mary Blithe (Smith)	1 letter	1848
2/A00831	43	Finlayson, Duncan, 1796?-1862	17 letters, 2 covers	1845-1852
2/A00831	44	Finlayson, John H.	1 letter, 1 cover	1846-1849
2/A00831	45	Finlayson, Nicol, 1795?-1877	13 letters, 1 cover	1839-1852
2/A00831	46	Fisher, Alexander, 1783?-1847	3 letters	1839-1846
2/A00831	47	Fort Vancouver	Letterbook, with copies of entries by John McLoughlin, James Alexander Forbes, W.G. Rae, J.W. Smith, H.A.G. Lee, J.W. Garrison, Barton Lee, James Douglas, John Lee Lewes, George T. Allan, George Pelly	Apr 1845 - Sep 1845
2/A00831	48	Fraser, Thomas, -1849	1 letter	1840
2/A00831	49	Gladman, George, 1800-1863	Copies of letters to the Governors and Council of the Northern Department, copy of letter to Ross, letters to Ross, 5 letters [see also Grant, Richard]	1843-1846
2/A00831	50	Grant, Richard, 1794?-1862	Letter signed by George Gladman and Richard Grant	1839
2/A00831	51	Griffin, Charles John, -1874	1 letter	1851
2/A00831	52	Gunn, Donald, 1797-1878	Letter to Daniel Carry, clerk of the Crown and Peace	1876
2/A00831	53	Gunn, Morris	1 letter	[1846?]
2/A00831	54	Halcro, George	Bill to George Gladman	1843
2/A00831	55	Harding, Robert F., 1801-	1 letter	1846
2/A00831	56	Hargrave, James, 1798-1865	29 letters and copies of letters, 3 covers	1839-1849

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2/A00831	57	Hargrave, James	22 letters	1850-1851
2/A00831	58	Harriott, John Edward, 1797-1866	3 letters, copy of letter	1850-1851
2/A00831	59	Hawes, Benjamin	2 copies of letters to Sir John Pelly	1850
2/A00831	60	Herd, David (Capt.)	2 letters	1850-1851
2/A00831	61	Hopkins, Edward Martin	7 letters, includes 1 in duplicate to D. Ross, 4 letters to Mrs. Mary McBeath Ross	1843-1852, 1862-1870
2/A00831	62	Hudson's Bay Company, London	2 extracts from despatches to Sir George Simpson, copy of letter from Edmund Head to Colonial Office	1845-1863
2/A00831	63	Hudson's Bay Company, London	Expenditure at Fenchurch Street on account of the fur trade (1832, 1833, 1838, 1841), abstract of fur sales in London from 31st May 1847 to 31st May 1848, 2 items	1832-1848
2/A00831	64	Hunt, R. (Reverend)	2 letters, 1 cover	1850
2/A00831	65	Hunter, James (Reverend), 1817-1882	23 letters, includes 1 letter to Archdeacon Cowley (1871), 4 covers, 1 bill of cargo, 1 memo	1849-1852, 1871
2/A00831	66	Hunter, Mrs. Jean (Ross)	5 letters to Donald and Mrs. Ross, parents	1852-1853
2/A00831	67	Isbister, James	1 letter	1850
2/A00831	68	Isbister, John	16 letters, includes 1 incomplete, 1 cover	1841-1852
2/A00831	69	Jacobs, Peter, (Reverend)	1 letter	1845
2/A00831	70	Keith, George, 1785?-1859	2 letters, 1 cover	1845-1851
3/A00831	71	Keith, James, 1784-1851	2 letters	1845-1855
3/A00831	72	Kennicott, John A.	1 incomplete letter to B.R. Ross and Lady	[18-]
3/A00831	73	Kew, J.E.	Copy of letter to John Rowland	1864
3/A00831	74	King, Johnson G.	Original and copy of letter	1850
3/A00831	75	Lachine (Hudson's Bay Company's North American headquarters)	19 letters and 3 covers from Sir George Simpson, 1 memorandum	1828-1832
3/A00831	76	Lachine	18 letters and 5 covers from Simpson	1833-1836
3/A00831	77	Lachine	17 letters and 1 cover from Simpson	1837-1840
3/A00832	78	Lachine	20 letters and 1 cover from Simpson	1841-1843

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3/A00832	79	Lachine	20 letters from Simpson	1844-1845
3/A00832	80	Lachine	23 letters and 2 covers from Simpson, copy of letter to Simpson	1846-1847
3/A00832	81	Lachine	9 letters and 1 cover from Simpson	1848-1849
3/A00832	82	Lachine	9 letters and 1 cover from Simpson	1850-1852
3/A00832	83	Lacy, J.	1 bill	1830
3/A00832	84	Lafleche, Louis Francois Richer, 1818-1898	Original letter and translation	1847
3/A00832	85	Lane, William Fletcher, 1794?-	5 letters	1850
3/A00832	86	Lefroy, Sir John Henry, 1817-1890	1 letter and cover	1846
3/A00832	87	Lefroy, Sir John Henry	Statement of prices of goods supplied Mr. Lefroy, Royal Society account, and cover	1843
3/A00832	88	Lewes, John Lee, 1791-1872	7 letters, including 1 letter to Mrs. Ross from Mr. and Mrs. Lewes	1848-1852, 1866
3/A00832	89	Linklater, Magnus	1 letter	1850
3/A00832	90	Logan, N.	1 letter	1852
3/A00832	91	Logan, Robert, Jr., 1773?-1866	Copy of deposition regarding the deaths of Antoine Legros, John Bird, and Thomas Simpson	1840
3/A00832	92	Lowe, Thomas	1 letter	[1845?]
3/A00832	93	Macallum, John	2 letters	1847-1848
3/A00832	94	Macaulay, John	1 letter to Mrs. Ross	1861
3/A00832	95	McBeath, Adam, fl.1829-1887	7 letters	1849-1851
		McBeath, Chirsty	[See McVicar, Robert]	
3/A00832	96	McBeath, John	2 letters	1850
3/A00832	97	McBeath, Mary	1 letter, incomplete	[18-]
3/A00832	98	McBeath, Robert	10 letters	1850-1852
3/A00832	99	Macbeth [MacBeath], George	1 letter	1851
3/A00832	100	McDermot, Andrew, 1789-1881	Copies of 8 letters between Alexander Christie and McDermot	1845-1846
3/A00832	101	McDonald, Angus, - 1861	2 letters to James Hargrave	1849
3/A00832	102	McDonald, Archibald, 1790-1853	Original and typewritten transcript, 1 cover	1846
3/A00832	103	McDonald, Robert, 1829-1913	1 letter	1850

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3/A00832	104	Macdonald, Roderick	1 letter	1843
3/A00832	105	Macdonnell, Allan, 1778?-1859?	1 letter	1846
4/A00832	106	MacFarlane, Roderick	2 letters, includes 1 incomplete, to Mrs. Ross	1856-1857
4/A00832	107	McKenney, Mrs. and Miss	1 letter to Mrs. Ross	1861
4/A00832	108	McKenzie, Donald, 1783-1851	1 letter	1850
4/A00832	109	McKenzie, Hector	1 letter	1851
4/A00832	110	McKenzie, Jane	1 letter to Angelica	[18-]
4/A00832	111	Mackenzie, Roderick, Sr., 1772?-1859	12 letters	1850-1852
4/A00832	112	McKenzie, Roderick, Jr., fl.1818-1860	6 letters, 1 cover	1851-1852
4/A00832	113	McKenzie, Samuel	1 letter	1850
4/A00832	114	McKenzie, William	1 letter	1851
4/A00832	115	McLean, John, 1799- 1890	1 letter	1844
4/A00832	116	McLeod, John, 1788- 1849	1 letter	1848
4/A00832	117	McLeod, John M.	1 letter	1852
4/A00832	118	McLeod, Martin	Copy of a letter concerning the death of Mr. Thomas Simpson	1840
4/A00832	119	McLoughlin, John, 1784-1857	1 letter	1826
4/A00832	120	McPherson, Murdoch, 1796?-1863	9 letters, 1 cover	1839-1852
4/A00832	121	Mactavish, William, 1815-1870	14 letters	1847-1852
4/A00832	122	McVicar, Robert, 1794?-	4 letters, includes 1 letter to Mary Ross	1850-1852, 1860
4/A00832	123	McVicar, Robert	Copy of marriage certificate, Robert McVicar and Chirsty McBeath	1827
		Mamenanatum, Margaret	[See Misteagun, Thomas]	
4/A00832	124	Mason, William (Reverend)	41 letters	1846-1847
4/A00832	125	Mason, William (Reverend)	52 letters, includes 1 letter from Sophia Mason to Mrs. Ross, 1 cover	1848-1849
4/A00832	126	Mason, William (Reverend)	15 letters, 1 cover	1850-1852
4/A00832	127	Miles, Harriet	1 letter to Mrs. Ross	1852
4/A00832	128	Miles, Robert, Jr.	2 letters	1850
4/A00832	129	Miles, Robert Seaborn, 1795-1870	10 letters, 3 covers	1842-1852

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4/A00832	130	Missions - Red River Settlement	Miscellaneous material, 3 items	1844-1850
4/A00832	131	Misteagun, Thomas	Certificate of marriage between Misteagun and Margaret Mamenanatum	1842
4/A00832	132	Morison, Roderick	1 letter	1850
4/A00832	133	Murray, Alexander Hunter, 1818?-1874	5 letters and typewritten transcripts	1847-1851
4/A00832	134	Murray, Donald	Letter, 1 bill	1850-1851
4/A00832	135	Necaney, Richard	Certificate of marriage between Necaney and Anna Sapah	1845
4/A00832	136	Northern Department	Minutes of council and council memorandum, 2 items	1851-1852
4/A00832	137	Northern Department	Comparative statements of results of trade, profits, 9 items	1836-1846
4/A00832	138	Northern Department	Standing rules and regulations, 1 item	1843-1851
4/A00832	139	Northern Department	Miscellaneous material, 9 items [detailed item list follows]	1839-1860
4/A00832	140	Norway House	District returns, 1 item	1844
4/A00832	141	Norway House	Miscellaneous material, 25 items [detailed item list follows]	1832-1851
5/A00832	142	O'Brien, John	1 letter	1849
5/A00832	143	Ogden, Peter Skene, 1794-1854	Originals of 5 letters and typewritten transcripts, 2 covers	1840-1851
5/A00832	144	Ogden, Peter Skene	Notes on Western Caledonia, signed original in P.S.O.'s hand and typewritten transcript, reverse of page 1 contains copies of two letters by P.S.O., 1841	1842
5/A00832	145	Ogden, Peter Skene	Notes on Western Caledonia, appears to be a copy of file 144, cover says "By Mr. C.F. Ogden"	1842
5/A00832	146	Parker Field and Sons	1 letter	1849
5/A00832	147	Peers, August Richard, 1823?-1853	1 letter	1850
5/A00832	148	Pelly, Augustus Edward, 1821-fl.1854	2 letters	1850
5/A00832	149	Pelly, Albert and Company	3 letters	1847-1848
5/A00832	150	Pelly, Sir John Henry, 1777-1852	7 letters	1834-1846
5/A00832	151	Pelly, Sir John Henry	Copies (?) of unsigned letters to J.H. Pelly and George Simpson, abstract of articles of partnership, 3 items	1838

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5/A00832	152	Pelly, Simpson and Company	4 letters, 1 cover	1838-1841
5/A00832	153	Pither, R.	1 letter	1850
5/A00832	154	Provencher, Joseph Norbert, 1787-1853, Bishop of Juliopolis	1 letter	1846
5/A00832	155	Puget's Sound Agricultural Company	4 letters	1846-1850
5/A00832	156	Rae, John, 1813-1893	5 letters	1847-1850
5/A00832	157	Reid, Peter	1 letter to Edward Clouston	1848
5/A00832	158	Richardson, Sir John, 1787-1865	Copies of correspondence between Richardson and Alexander Christie, 1 item	1848
5/A00832	159	Robertson, Alexander	1 letter	1846
5/A00832	160	Robertson, Laurence	15 letters	1850-1851
5/A00832	161	Ross, Alexander, 1783-1856	Originals of 4 letters and typewritten transcripts	1847-1852
5/A00832	162	Ross, Allan	2 letters, includes 1 letter to Mrs. Ross	1851-1853
5/A00832	163	Ross, Annabella, 1830	2 letters, memorandum, receipt, envelope	1848-1852
5/A00832	164	Ross, Bernard Rogan, 1827-1874	5 letters includes 1 letter to "Curtis", 1 receipt	1847-1851, 1867, 1872
5/A00832	165	Ross, Bernard William	1 letter to "Mama"	1877
5/A00832	166	Ross, Charles, -1844	Cover only	1884
5/A00832	167	Ross, Mrs. Christiana	1 letter to "Papa", 1 letter to "Mama"	1852, 1869
5/A00832	168	Ross, Donald, 1797?-1852	Accounts, includes Miss Ross bills, receipts, 45 items	1816-1836
5/A00832	169	Ross, Donald	Accounts, 66 items	1837-1852
5/A00832	170	Ross, Donald	Commission as Chief Trader, 1 item	1829
5/A00832	171	Ross, Donald	Commission as Chief Factor, 1 item	1839
5/A00832	172	Ross, Donald	Contract with Hudson's Bay Company, 1 item	1816
5/A00832	173	Ross, Donald	Letterbook (carbon), 1 item	13 Oct 1832 - 14 Jan 1833
5/A00832	174	Ross, Donald	Letterbook (carbon), 1 item	9 Mar 1833 - 18 Dec 1833
5/A00833	175	Ross, Donald	Letterbook (carbon), 1 item	11 Jun 1833 - 12 1844
5/A00833	176	Ross, Donald	Copies of 29 letters outward, 4 covers, 1 undated fragment, 1 incomplete letter	1839-1846
6/A00833	177	Ross, Donald	Copies of 17 letters outward	1847
6/A00833	178	Ross, Donald	Copies of 19 letters outward	1848

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6/A00833	179	Ross, Donald	Copies of 14 letters outward, 3 covers	1849
6/A00833	180	Ross, Donald	Copies of 22 letters outward, 1 cover	1850-1852
6/A00833	181	Ross, Donald	Lists of subscribers, and correspondence concerning a presentation to be made to Sir George Simpson, 11 items, 1 cover	1839-1841
6/A00833	182	Ross, Donald	Correspondence concerning a presentation to be made to Sir George Simpson, 28 letters, 4 covers [detailed item list follows]	1839-1841
6/A00833	183	Ross, Donald	Invoices (13) of goods shipped for York Factory, Red River, etc., on account of Donald Ross or the Misses Ross	1832-1859
6/A00833	184	Ross, Donald	Miscellaneous lists (personal). 17 items	1827-1852
6/A00833	185	Ross, Donald	Miscellaneous papers. 43 items [detailed item list follows]	1820-1876
6/A00833	186	Ross, Donald	Transfers of consolidated L3 per cent, annuities, 4 items	1832-1837
6/A00833	187	Ross, Donald, Jr. - 1878	3 letters, includes 1 to Fanny	1850-1851, 1861
6/A00833	188	Ross, Frank	1 letter to Mrs. B.R. Ross, 1 envelope	1874
6/A00833	189	Ross, Fanny	1 letter to "Bella", 1 letter to "My dear sister"	[18-]
6/A00833	190	Ross, Jessy, 1825-1849	1 letter, 1 epitaph	1846-1851
		Ross, Jessy	[See also Clouston, Robert, file 25]	
6/A00833	191	Ross, Kenneth	1 letter, 1 cover	1850
6/A00833	192	Ross, Mary	2 letters to "Mama", 1 letter incomplete [addressee unknown]	1861-1864
6/A00833	193	Ross, Minna A.	3 letters	1872-1874
6/A00833	194	Ross, Robert	1 letter, 1 cover	1846
6/A00833	195	Ross, Roderick, 1834?-1909	6 letters to D. Ross, 3 letters to Mrs. Ross	1847-1852, 1859-1863
6/A00833	196	Rowand, John, 1787?-1854	8 letters	1844-1851
6/A00833	197	Rowand, John, Jr., 1812-1865	2 letters	1858-1862
6/A00833	198	Rundle, Robert Terrill (Reverend), 1811-1896	2 letters	1848
6/A00833	199	Sanderson, James	1 letter	1850
		Sapah, Anne	[See Necaney, Richard]	

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		Simpson, Sir George	[See Lachine, files 75-79]	
6/A00833	200	Simpson, Thomas, 1808-1840	21 letters, 3 covers	1831-1833
7/A00833	201	Simpson, Thomas	21 letters, 3 covers	1834-1836
7/A00833	202	Simpson, Thomas	18 letters, 1 cover	1837-1840
7/A00833	203	Simpson, Wemyss McKenzie, 1825-1894	1 letter	1846
7/A00833	204	Sinclair, James, 1807-1856	2 letters, includes 1 to Miss Ross	1848
7/A00833	205	Sinclair, Thomas	1 letter	1850
7/A00833	206	Siveright, John, 1779?-1856	1 letter	1840
7/A00833	207	Smith, Edward, -1849	2 letters, 1 cover	1845-1848
7/A00833	208	Smith, William, -1843	27 letters, 4 covers	1829-1842
7/A00833	209	Smith, William Gregory	18 letters	1843-1852
7/A00833	210	Smithurst, John (Reverend), 1807?-1867	11 letters	1844-1851
7/A00833	211	Southern Department	Abstract, fur trade returns, outfit 1843, 1 item	1844
7/A00833	212	Southern Department	Comparative statements of results of trade, outfits 1844-1846, 2 items	1845-1847
7/A00833	213	Southern Department	Scheme of appointments, outfit 1844	1844
7/A00833	214	Steinhauer, Henry Bird, 1804-1884	10 letters	1847-1851
7/A00833	215	Spencer, John, 1790-fl.1863	1 letter	1844
7/A00833	216	Sutherland, George	1 letter to Mrs. D. Ross (?)	1860
7/A00833	217	Sutherland, Robert, 1830-1907	1 letter to Mrs. D. Ross (?)	[1858?]
7/A00833	218	Taylor, Edward	2 letters	1840-1843
7/A00833	219	Thom, Adam, 1802-1890	3 letters, 1 cover	1850-1852
7/A00833	220	Thomas, Thomas	1 letter	1850
7/A00833	221	Todd, William, 1784?-1851	6 letters	1850-1851
7/A00833	222	Townsend, John	1 letter	1847
7/A00833	223	Turner, George	1 letter to Mrs. Ross	[18-]
7/A00833	224	Williams, Anne	1 letter	[18-]
7/A00833	225	Wills, J.M.	1 letter	1850
7/A00833	226	Work, John, ca.1792-1861	Originals of 5 letters, 3 covers, and typewritten transcripts of 2 letters	1847-1952

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7/A00833	227	York Factory	Memoranda concerning boats and crews for fall transport from York Factory to Red River, 2 items	1846

Item lists for files 139, 141, 182 and 185

Number	Subject	Dates
	File 139	
	List of commissioned officers, summer	1839
	Scheme of appointments, etc., outfit 1840-1841: Northern Department, Southern Department, Montreal Department	1840 -1841
	Copy of letters (2) from R. Mackenzie and Colin Campbell to the Chief Traders and Chief Factors, Northern Department	1845 -1846
	Memoranda of vacancies to be filled	1849
	Observations on the class of apprentice postmasters	1845
	Remarks on the reserve system, Northern Department	1845
	Appropriation and division of shares, fur trade, outfits 1851-[1856?]	
	Appropriation and division of shares, fur trade, outfits 1851-1858	
	Recapitulation of fur trade shares, outfits 1821-1851	
	File 141	
1	List of old chief traders and old clerks	
2	Observations regarding buffalo tongues	
3	An equation table shewing...the differences between mean and apparent time...	
4	Project of an expedition [sic] to shores of the Polar Sea....	
5	Memoranda for Mr. Cummings	
6	Concerning a post to serve in place of Windy Lake and the Grand Rapids	
7	Meteorological record Jan 1832 – Jan 1838	1832 - 1838
8	Norway House bell	
9	Portages by W. McKay	1841
10	Memoranda of the comparative value of the fur shipped from the Columbia and York Factory...outfits 1841 and 1842	
11	Norway House district, comparative view of population and surface	
12	Observations on the Oxford Establishment for 1845	
13	Rough sketch of the expenses of the Norway House mission from outfit 1840 to 1844...	
14-15	MacKenzie's River extension of trade	1845
16	Otter trade, Russian contract	1845
17	Goods in excess at Red River and notes thereon	1845
18	Memoranda on the fur trade accounts	

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19-21	Abstracts of the direction of the wind at Norway House	1841-1847
22	Winter Route from Sault St. Marys to Red River Settlement	
23	Concerning the establishment of mail service between Sault St. Marys [sic] and Red River Settlement	
24	"The armed mob, 327 guns!", Fort Garry	17 May 1849
25	Cumberland Station, packing account, Mr. Hunter's goods	
26	Packet list for Red River	
27	List of arrivals and departures at Norway House, summer	1851
28	A table to find the moon's age	
	File 182	
	Letters to Ross concerning a presentation to Sir George Simpson, arranged alphabetically by author. Letters written by more than one author or expressing the wishes of several individuals are arranged by the name of the first signatory and cross-references are provided.	
	Barnston, George	
	Beioley, Joseph	
	Blank, James	
	Cameron, Angus	
	Cameron, John D.	
	Campbell, Colin	
	Charles, John	
	Christie, Alexander	
	Connolly, William [see also Keith, James]	
	Cowie, R.	
	Cumming, Cuthbert [see also Keith, James]	
	Finlayson, Duncan	
	Gladman, George	
	Grant, Richard [see Gladman, George]	
	Keith, George	
	Keith, James	
	McDonald, Archibald	
	McDonnel, Allan	
	McLeod, John	
	McLoughlin, John	
	McNeill, William Henry	
	McTavish, John George	
	Miles, Robert	
	McMurray, Thomas	
	Nourse, William	
	Pambrun, Pierre Chrysologue	
	Pelly, J.H.	
	Rowand, John	
	Tod, John	
	Work, John	

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	File 185	
1-8	Signatures clipped from letters, and envelope. Signatures include: Bernard R. Ross, George (?), William Cockran, David L. Jones, Richard Hardisty, David Anderson, William Mason.	
9-10	Printed name cards, Donald Ross	
11	Tailor's directions for measuring men's clothing [printed]	
12	Terms of Miss Evershed's Boarding School, Elgin [printed]	
13	Terms of Miss Carnaby's Boarding School, Inverness [printed]	
14	Terms of Mrs. Renaud's Boarding School, Montreal [printed]	
15-16	Price lists of Mrs. M. Marshall, women' clothes, etc. [printed]	
17	Prescribing medicines	
18	Note concerning Mr. Cattin's book on American Indians	
19	Unidentified note	
20	Contract between Hudson's Bay Company and employee [printed form]	
21	Poem: The yellow haired laddie	
22	Contract between Hudson's Bay Company and Donald Ross	13 Jul 1820
23	Form of will, will of Johnathan Toughone	14 Feb 1829
24	Rough notes on Beren's River	6 Jan 1833
25	A parody of a couplet	16 Aug 1834
26	Life insurance premium	1836
27-30	Translation, Catholic Missionary Report	1839
31	Receipt issued to Edward Clouston	6 Nov 1839
32	Plan of the bombardment of St. Jean d'Acre, engraved	19 Jan 1841
33-34	Remarks on the Oregon Treaty	
35	Donald Ross gives William Gregory Smith power of attorney	8 Jun 1844
36	Note concerning General Dickson	20 May 1847
37	Donald Ross gives Duncan Finlayson power of attorney	25 Jun 1847
38	Extract from despatch	1848
39	Extract from Lamartine on Ossian	Apr 1849
40	Bill to Mrs. (?) Colvile for pianoforte and music	20 May 1851
41	Note concerning construction of log house	2 Mar 1852
42	List of contributors for prizes "for the diffusion and encouragement of Learning amongst the Natives"	1 Jul 1852
43	Pew rent, Mrs. Mary Ross	5 Jan 1955
44	Advertisement, J.C. and H.C. Burbank and Company	Sep 1860
45-46	Recipes	
47	Fragment from <i>Second Book of Reading Lessons</i>	
48	Envelope	