

**NAME:** HARPER, James

**PARISH:** Albany

**ENTERED SERVICE:** 1831

**DATES:** b. 1813

d. 8 April 1887

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*	Position	Post	District	HBCA Reference
1831-1841	Middleman**		Albany	B.135/g/14-24
1841-1844	Labourer		Albany	B.135/g/25-27
1844	Retired to Red River Settlement			B.135/g/28; PAM, RRC/1870

\*An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May

\*\*Middle position in a canoe.

Wife: Charlotte (Charlet) Turner (b. 1827, Rupert's Land), daughter of Joseph Turner (HBC)

SF: 'HARPER, James'; S.VanKirk, *Many Tender Ties* (Winnipeg, 1980), p. 115

Married James Harper, a la façon du pays (in the custom of the country) 21 June 1841 [at Martin Falls]

J.Brown, *Strangers in Blood*, Vancouver, 1980), p. 76  
PAM, MG7, B4-1, St. Andrews

Children: John James (bap. 28 March 1847)

Baptisms

William (bap. 2 September 1849)

PAM

1845-1859, 77, 210, 313, 413, 534, 708;

Emma (bap. 3 August 1851)

MG7, B4-1, St. Andrews Baptisms, 1859-1872,

Elizabeth (bap. 12 June 1853) (buried 27 Dec. 1854)

48, 177, 463, 709; St. Andrew's Burials: 1835-1870, 405, 713

Robert (bap. 10 July 1855)

St. Andrew's Burials, 1870-1884, 214, 366;

Joseph Richard (bap. 16 January 1858)

PAM, MG7, B15, St. Clement's 1867-1890, 201

Baptisms

Sarah [born 1859?] (bapt. 6 May 1860) (buried 25 March 1875)

Alex[ander] George [born 1860?] (bap 5 May 1862) (buried 28 January 1882)

Thomas, [born 1862?]

PAM, RRC/1870, p. 197, 621, 630, 631

Edward [born 1865 or 1866] (buried 15 July 1873?)

Andrew (bap.12 April 1866) (buried 26 May 1866, age 3 mos.)

Harriet Jane (bap. 26 March 1871)

David (bap. 19 July 1874)

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