

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*:	Position	Post	District	HBCA Reference
<i>*An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May</i>				
1836, 20 Feb.	Signed contract at Lachine, aged 17			B.239/u/1, #371
1836-1837	Middleman*		Norway House	B.239/g/16
1837-1838	Middleman	General Charges+	Columbia	B.239/g/17
1838-1841	Middleman	Fort Vancouver	Columbia	B.239/g/18-20
1841-1842	"Retired to Canada" 1841			B.239/g/21

*Middle position in canoe or boat. +Not yet assigned to a Post.

His account in the Columbia Servants Ledger records that he was paid a gratuity for acting as Church Clerk, 1839, and as Tinsmith, 1840 & 1841.

B.223/d/168b, p. 75

Warner & Munnick, *Catholic Church Records of the Pacific Northwest. Vancouver Volumes I and II and Stellamaris Mission* (French Prairie Press, 1972):

According to the biographical note on pages A-13 & A-14, Chamberlain did not retire to Canada but to French Prairie. His first wife was Julienne, the daughter of George Watièce, by whom he had five recorded children. His second wife was Louise Humpherville, by whom he had 11 children, born between 1851 and 1869.

The same volume lists the marriage of Adolphe and Julienne on 27 Dec. 1838 (she was baptized the same day, aged 18) and the baptisms of their children, Zoé (26 June 1839) and Joseph (4 Oct. 1840).

