

NAME: CRISP, William George

PARISH: Dawson, Yukon **ENTERED SERVICE:** 7 June 1926,

DATES: b. 3 October 1904
1 May 1931 d. 1985

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year Position: Post: District: HBCA Reference:

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

Hudson's Bay Company:

1926-1929 wireless operator *Baymaud* Western Arctic RG 3/41A/14

B.C. Packers:

1929-1931 bookkeeper & wireless operator at B.C. Packers plant, west coast of Vancouver Island E. 234/3

Hudson's Bay Company:

1931-1932 clerk Telegraph Creek Cassiar RG 3/41A/14

1932-1934 post manager Dease Lake British Columbia RG 3/41A/14

1934 clerk district office RG 3/41A/14

1934-1936 post manager Kitwanga RG 3/41A/14

1936-1937 post manager McLeod's Lake British Columbia RG 3/41A/14

1937-1940 post manager Telegraph Creek RG 3/41A/14

1940-1941 sick leave

1941 post manager Telegraph Creek RG 3/41A/14

1941 indefinite sick leave: diagnosed with multiple sclerosis, found unfit for strenuous duty RG 3/41A/14

1942 retired

1942 civilian wireless operator (temp.) RCAF headquarters, Victoria, BC

1944 clerical position legislative buildings, Victoria, BC

1950 began free-lance writing E. 234/1

1951-1967 wrote radio scripts for School broadcasts

Articles in *The Beaver*:

"The Casual Kogmoliks" Winter 1963: 50-53

"The Linguist" Winter 1958: 18-19

"North About" Spring 1958: 16-19

"Tahltan Bear Dog" Summer 1956: 38-42

"Amundson's Maud" Summer 1956: 43-47

"Telegraph Creek" March 1942: 12

"Telegraph Creek of the Cassiar" in *Making History - An Anthology of British Columbia* (ca. 1975)

See also HBCA E.234; E.141/5; F85

Unpublished articles:

"East to the North West Passage" n.d. (E.234/2, pp. 1-6)

"Housekeeping in the Arctic" n.d. (E.234/2, pp. 7-18)

"Meanderings of a Misfit" n.d. (E.234/3)

Other publications:

3 hardcover juvenile books (1950s)

20-30 newspaper articles in Victoria Daily Colonist Sunday supplement



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