

**UNIT NUMBER:****PRINCE OF WALES (I)****AREA OF SERVICE:** LONDON-HUDSON BAY (1793-1841)

MOOSE (1795-1799; 1801-1806; 1808-1812; 1820; 1828-1841)

YORK FACTORY (1793-1794; 1800; 1807; 1813-1819; 1821-1827)

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:****Construction:**

Designer and builder: Randall &amp; Brent (A.1/47 fo. 4-5, 9-10d)

**Dimensions:****Draft:**

Number of passengers: Number of crew: 36

Guns: 16 9 pounders (A.1/47, fo. 9)

Plans: C.7/126, fo. 7d Plan, 1813 for the accommodation of passengers C.7/126, fo. 12  
Plan, 1816 for license to take aboard 80 passengers

Power: Wind

**Registered:****Speed:**

Tonnage: 351 T registered (A.5/13, p. 308)

**HISTORY:**

- 1792-1793 Built for the Company (A.1/47, fos. 4-5, 9-10d)  
 1813-1814, 1819 Carried Red River Settlers (C.4/1)  
 1816-1817 Wintered at Charlton Island (C.4/1)  
 1821 Met with an accident in the ice on trip to York (C.1/794)  
 1826 Struck on rock & severely damaged in Hoy Sound (D.4/12 to J.G. McTavish, 27 September 1826)  
 1830-1831 Wintered at Charlton Island (C.4/1); Seamen used on *Beaver* for Ungava Expedition (B.135/k/1, p. 105)  
 1833-1834 Wintered at Charlton Island (C.4/1)  
 1842, 23 February Ordered to be advertised for sale (A.1/62, p. 176)  
 1844 Sold to John Chambers of Hull (A.1/63, p. 132, 136)  
 1844-1845 Owned by Abbey & Co., to Denmark Strait under W. Couldrey (Lloyd's Register)  
 1849-1850 Owned by Abbey & Co., to Denmark Strait under T. Lee, wrecked (Lloyd's Register)

**MASTERS:**

1793-1800	Henry Hanwell Sr., Master	C.1/736-750
1801	John Turner, Master	C.1/751-752
1802-1812	Henry Hanwell, Sr., Master	C.1/753-777
1813	John Turner, Master	C.1/778-780
1814-1817	Henry Hanwell, Sr., Master	C.1/781-786
1818-1827	John Davison, Master	C.1/787-814
1828-1834	Henry Hanwell, Jr., Master	C.1/815-826
1835	Robert Royal, Master	C.1/827-829
1836-1837	Henry Baker, Master	C.1/830-833
1838-1841	Robert Royal, Master	C.1/834-835; C.4/1.

**BIBLIOGRAPHY:****PHOTOGRAPHS AND DOCUMENTARY ART:** Photo. Collection 1987/363-P-34 (watercolour by Robert Hood, 1819-1821)**REFERENCES:**

C.1/736-835	Ships Logs	1793-1838
C.7/120-126, 133, 188	Miscellaneous	1803-1838
	Including Signals Book (Vol. 125)	1835
B.135/z/1	Miscellaneous Items, Packet Lists	ca. 1810
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**MICROFILM REELS:**

(2M66-2M84)  
 (2M138-2M139)  
 (2M150)