NAME: SKENE, Robert   **PARISH:** St. Jerome, Chicoutimi   **ENTERED SERVICE:** 1 June 1863   **DATES:** 2 July 1848-1909

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*:	Position:	Post:	District:	HBCA Reference:
An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May				
1863-1869	Runner	Saguenay	King's Posts	B.134/g/39-43; A.34/8, fo.22
1869-1871	Labourer		St. Maurice	B.134/g/44-45
1871-1874	Clerk		St. Maurice	B.134/g/46-48
1874-1877	Postmaster	Coocoocache	St. Maurice	B.134/g/49-52
1878, 27 March	"Deserted"			A.32/53, fo.250
1883-1889	Interpreter		St. Maurice	B.134/g/58-63
1889-1890	Postmaster	Kikendatch	St. Maurice	D.38/34, fo.1
1890-1898	Postmaster	Weymontachinque	St. Maurice	D.38/34, fo.2-18
1898-1904	Clerk	Abitibi	Temiscamingue	D.38/55, p.27
1904-1909	Clerk		St. Lawrence	D.33/6-8
1909	Died			D.33/8

He appears to have been a well regarded employee, garnering such comments as:

(1874) "A very steady & deserving young man, a capable officer & good Indian trader and merits promotion when the time comes."   D.38/6b, fo.169d.

(1897) " A through H B Man. Takes a great interest in the business connected with the post under his charge."   D.38/34, fo.16

(1898) "An efficient post manager, careful & economical. A good Indian trader, and well qualified for the purpose. Liked by the Indians…"   D.38/34, fo.18

Father: George Munro Skene [see Biog.]

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