UNIT NUMBER:

PAGWA

AREA OF SERVICE: PAGWA-PAGWACHUAN RIVER-KINOGAMI-ALBANY-JAMES BAY (1846-1851)

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:

Construction:

Designer and builder: Builder: Peterborough Canoe Company (Corr. Roger MacGregor, 21 June 1985).

Dimensions:

Draft:

Number of passengers: Number of crew:

Plans: Power: Registered: Speed: Tonnage:

HISTORY:

Built for the Hudson's Bay Company when it decided to operate its own scow brigade in the

Lake Huron and James Bay Disricts rather that pay Revillon Freres. Pagwa Transport operated

with a motor boat and eight to ten scows

(A.92/19/43 FT 3149; RG2/1/6, Minute No. 715).

1924, 6 June While "moored to the bank at English River on her return from Albany [she] caught fire and burned

to the water's edge, eventually sinking in midstream and becoming a total loss"

(A.92/19/6 FT 4059).

MASTERS:

None identified.

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