

**UNIT NUMBER:**

**MARY [IV]**

**AREA OF SERVICE: LONDON-HUDSON BAY**

Frigate

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:**

Construction:

Designer and builder: Taylor and Company, 1737, fitted by John Haycraft 1738.

Dimensions: 54' x 20' 6" x 9' 6"; height between decks 3'9"; depth in waist 1' 6" (A.1/122, fo. 242).

Draft:

Number of passengers: Number of crew:

Plans:

Power:

Registered:

Speed:

Tonnage: 120 tons.

**HISTORY:**

1737, 12 October Agreement noted to build a ship according to the dimensions of *Hudsons Bay* built 1722 (A.1/122, fo. 242).

1737, 2 November Captain William Coats was appointed to inspect the building (A.1/122, fo. 250).

1738, 27 January John Haycraft, Blockmaker, agreed to fit the new ship (A.1/24, fo. 42).

1738, 5 May Committee considered expenses of launching the ship (A.1/24, fo. 90).

1748 Damaged, Churchill River (B.42/a/32).

**MASTERS:**

1737-1746 William Coats A.1/24, fo. 90, notes in SF: "Ships - Miscellaneous"

**BIBLIOGRAPHY:**



**PHOTOGRAPHS AND DOCUMENTARY ART:**

**REFERENCES:**

A.1/24 fo. 42, 90

A.1/122 fo. 242, 250

B.42/a/32

See notes Search File:

Minute Book, 1701-1702

Minute Book, 1731-1734

Churchill post journal, 1748-1749

'Ships - Miscellaneous'

**MICROFILM REELS:**

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