

The Canadian Parliamentary Companion and Annual Register lists him as "Clerk of the Cheque, Ordnance Department." "Clerk of the Check" is an old military rank, one step below lieutenant and one above ensign.

His will is held at the National Archives: REYNOLDS Halifax Will of William Reynolds, Clerk of the Check of His Majesty's Ordnance Department for the Province of Nova Scotia of Halifax, Nova Scotia 28 August 1813 PROB 11/1547

His will was also recorded in England:

PCC Abstracts of Wills: Wills Proved at Prerogative Court of Canterbury 28th August 1813 About this dataset Source: UK Data Archive; LL ref: wills\_1810\_1819\_2532101\_223046

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Forename	William	Surname	Reynolds
Occupation	Clerk of the Check of His Majesty's Ordnance Department for the Province of Nova Scotia Parish, County Halifax , Nova Scotia		
Parish, County Halifax , Nova Scotia	Parish Name Halifax		
County, or Country	Nova Scotia	Date Proven	28 August 1813

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He is buried in The Olde Burying Ground in Halifax:

William Reynolds

Burial Date: 1812 | Stone ID: 577

Mapping ID 4C

Buried with him are:

Clement Mattack Reynolds

Burial Date: 1837 | Stone ID: 578

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George Munro Reynolds

Burial Date: 1833 | Stone ID: 578

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Mary Reynolds

Burial Date: 1833 | Stone ID: 578

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In 1821, Mary Reynolds, widow of William Reynolds, Clerk of the Cheque, Halifax, received a pension of 25 pounds (recorded in the Estimates and Accounts of the Ordnance Office).

He is mentioned several times in The Thirteenth Report of the Commissioners of Military Enquiry, The Master General and Board of Ordnance 1810-1811, and is also referred to as "keeper of the merchants gunpowder."