## Antoine « Karn-nar-dar » Heneault dit Enno dit Canada. (1832-1913)

Antoine was born in 1832, the son of Charles Heneault (1783-1850) and Marie Gray (1800-1868) who were married in 1817 in St. Boniface. Marie was the daughter of Thomas Gray from St. Regis Reservation and Marie Nippising dit Sawan.

Antoine married Olivine Catherine Davis (1832-1920) in 1851. Catherine was born in St. Boniface in 1832, the daughter of Jean Baptiste Davis and Josephte (Saulteaux). Josephte was Josephte Mijakammikijikok (Mezhekamakuikok) who was first married to fur trader Alexandre Wilkie. Catherine was the sister of Metis leader William "Kug-kay-dway-wash-kung" Davis (b. 1823). William was a counsellor for chiefs Little Shell II and III.<sup>1</sup> William was also a signatory to Riel's August 20, 1880 petition to Major General N.A. Miles requesting support for the Montana Half-Breeds.

Antoine Heneault was also a counselor for Chief Little Shell III. His sons Antoine Jr. and Alexandre<sup>2</sup> were two of the Metis who were involved in the 1878 Cypress Hills Petition for a reserve in Canada. Antoine died on November 29, 1913.



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Counselors for Little Shell III in the 1890s [These men also served as counselors for Little Shell II: Aysesense]. Sas Swaine Poitras (67); Kug-kay-dway-wash-kung, William Davis (70), Paydway-walsh-kum, Louis Lenoir; Boin-ence Davis (73); Kar-yence Delorme (50), a son of Auguhk-quay; Sharlo Bottineau (68); Ossaotit, Francois Desmarais (55); Tchee-kee-tarn Parisien (68); Batees-shish Valley (58), son of Norbace Valley; Ahkee-win-nini, Alex Jannott (58); Tcheer-kuhk, Joseph Desmarais (56); Bayriss, Corbet Grant (55); Karn-nar-dah, Antoine Heneult (59); and Jean Batees Gorin (Champagne, 57). <sup>2</sup> Both signed under the name "Canada".