

Pierre Henry (b. 1838)

Pierre was born on 1838 to Alexis Henry and Marie Lyonnaise Daunais¹ (b. 1819). Pierre married Caroline Beauchemin and had 9 children. Alexis Henry was born in 1812 to William Henry and Agathe Letendre. Marie was the daughter of Francois Lionais dit Delaunay and Louise (Chippewa/Saulteaux). Caroline Beauchemin was the daughter of Benjamin Beauchemin and Marie Parenteau. They had the following children:

- Tyannion, born 1862 at St. Norbert, died on the prairie in 1863.
- Joseph, born 1863 at St. norbert, died in 1865.
- Norbert, born 1866.
- Elizabeth, born 1869, married Maxime Poitras, the son of Ignace Poitras and Helene McGillis at Batoche.
- Anne, born 1874.
- Francois, born 1882 at Fish Creek, died in 1884.
- Hermanegilde, born 1884 at Fish Creek, died in January 1884.
- Marie Anne, born 1885 at Fish Creek.

Pierre's siblings were:

- Marie Henry, born 1833, married Louis Plante
- Alexis Jr. born 1837, married Marie Anne Beauchamp then Rosalie St. Denis.
- Marguerite, born 1841, died 1861.
- Angelique, born 1843, died March 1862.
- Matilde, born 1845, married Isidore Villeneuve.
- Maurice, born 1848, married Isabelle Vandal, then Blandine Ross.
- Euphrosine, born 1851, married Antoine Vandal.
- Veronique, born 1852, married Thomas Frobisher.
- Jerome, born 1856, married Marie Vermette.

Pierre and Marie appear in the 1881 Manitoba census:

Henry Pierre Male 58 1823 Manitoba Catholic Française (French)Française (French)
Cultivateur

Henry Caraline Female 42 1839 Manitoba Catholic Française (French)Française
(French)

Henry Norbert Male 15 1866 Manitoba Catholic

Henry Lisa Female 12 1869 Manitoba Catholic Française (French)Française (French)
Going To School

Henry Patrice Male 9 1872 Manitoba Catholic Française (French)Française (French)
Going To School

Henry Alexandre Male 4 1877 Manitoba Catholic Française (French)Française

¹ Alexis and Marie were enumerated in the Minnesota Territorial Census, at Pembina County in 1850 as family #146. Alexis and Marie were both first cousins to old louis Letendre.

(French)

Henry Jean Male 2 1879 Manitoba Catholic

The Pierre Henry family settled near Tourond's Coulee in 1882, his siblings settled in the same area:

Fish Creek, Saskatchewan, Pierre Henry entered River Lot 30 in Twp. 42 in 1882 and patented in 1891.

Maurice Henry entered River Lot 38 in 1882 and patented in 1903.

A Norbert Henry entered River Lot 27 in 1887 and patented in 1902.

A Jerome Henry entered River Lot 34 in 1886 and patented in 1905.

Pierre was a member of Louis Riel's Exovedate during the 1885 Resistance and was one of the fighters at Tourond's Coulee. He was later charged with treason felony and was sentenced to seven years imprisonment. His teenage son Patrice Henry (1871-1892) was also active in the Resistance in helping with the horses. Pierre's brother Maurice, married to Blandine Ross, was a member of Captain Jonas Moureau's company during the Resistance.

Pierre's brother Jerome Henry (b. 1856) was a member of the Muskeg Lake Band in 1884 (Band member #65). He was a teamster employed by General Middleton and acted as a spy for Gabriel Dumont. He was wounded during the fighting at Tourond's Coulee.

Pierre's sister Euphrosine (b. 1851) to Antoine Vandal Jr. dit "Matchas" who was a member of Captain James Short's Company during the 1885 Resistance.



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