## Pierre Richard (b. 1813)

Pierre was the son of Francois Richard and Marguerite (Saulteaux). Francois Richard (b. 1783) is listed on the 1840 census of Baie St. Paul Saulteaux Village on the Assiniboine River as no. 24, 60 years of age. He married Maguerite (Saulteaux) before 1802. He died in 1871 at St. Laurent. Marguerite the wife of Francois Richard, died August 24, 1858, around 70 years old, and is buried at St. Francois Xavier. His son Francois Richard Jr. (b. 1806) is listed as #22 on the Saulteaux Village census.

Pierre Richard, born May 30, 1813, married Isabelle Chartrand (b. 1826), the daughter of of Paul Joseph Chartrand and Louise Mazinakkamikak<sup>1</sup>. They were also residents of Baie St. Paul Saulteaux Village, where Paul Chartrand appears as no. 9 on the 1840 census.

Pierre and Isabelle are documented on the list of Hudson's Bay Company Servants and Free Traders at Fort Pelly, 1863-1864. Later they held Lot #18 at St. Laurent.

## Children of Pierre and Isabelle

- Antoine b. 1851
- Michel b. 1851
- Alexandre b. 1855
- Louise b. 1857
- Jean Baptiste b. 1859
- Marguerite b. 1861
- Moise b. 1866
- Flore b. 1869
- Charlotte

## Pierre Richard's siblings were:

- Francois Richard, b. 1836, married Isabelle Ledoux b. 1836.
- Isaic Richard, b. 1850, married Julie Boucher b. 1853.
- Louise Richard, born 1821, married Antoine Desjarlais born 1818<sup>2</sup>.
- Marguerite Richard, b. 1819, married James Monkman b. 1819.
- Mary Richard, b. 1820, married John Monkman.

## Scrip

Scrip affidavit for Richard, Moise; father: Pierre Richard (Métis); mother: Isabelle Richard (Métis); children: Moise, born: April 22, 1866; Flore, born: October 4, 1869; Marguerite, born: 1861; Jean Baptiste, born: 1859; wish to partake in allotment and distribution of land set apart for Métis children.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1 1</sup> Paul "Paulette" Joseph Chartrand born circa 1785 in Ile de Montréal, Québec, was married to Louise "Lizette" Jenwah'bik'ahbik or Mazinakkamikak (Saulteaux). Paul and Louise Chartrand are listed as Family #9 in the 1840 Census of Saulteaux Village.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Antoine was the son of François Desjarlais Sr. and Madeleine Roy. Antoine and Louise Richard appear as family # 4 on the 1840 Saulteaux Village census.

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