Cox House

Cox House (7348 Henderson Highway North, RM of St. Clements)

This area in the RM of St. Clements was used between 1840 and 1862 as a wood lot by retired HBC boatman and labourer John Cox (Scot) and his wife Nancy (Métis). In 1862, Cox gave his newly married son Robert Cox (Métis) the land here for a house and the Red River frame building that resulted was occupied by members of the Cox family until the mid-1970s. The building, a provincially designated historic site as of 1994, is undergoing renovations by its present owners.



Scrip affidavit for Cox, John; born: July 9, 1837; father: John Cox (Scot); mother: Nancy Cox (Métis); claim no.: 49; date of issue: May 1, 1876.

Scrip affidavit for Cox, William; born: October, 1851; father: John Cox (Scot); mother: Nancy Cox (Métis).

Scrip affidavit for Cox, Robert; born: November 16, 1836; father: John Cox (Scot); mother: Nancy Cox (Métis); claim no.: 51; date of issue: May 1, 1876.

Scrip affidavit for Mulvaney, Catherine; born: January 8, 1847; wife of William Mulvaney; father: John Cox (Scot); mother: Nancy Cox (Métis); claim no: 214; scrip no: 1593 to 1600; date of issue: May 1, 1876; amount: \$160.



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