

Trottier, Albert. (1860)

Albert was born at Fort Ellice in 1860, the son of Joseph Trottier and Therese Vallee *dite* Laplante. In 1878, Albert and other Métis buffalo hunters at Cypress Hills wrote a petition asking for a special Métis reserve of land. Albert was on the Treaty Pay list of Muskeg Lake Reserve in 1884. He was a member of Captain Philippe Gariépy's company, one of the 19 *dizaines* led by Gabriel Dumont during the 1885 Métis Resistance. His father Joseph Sr. and brothers Cuthbert and Joseph were also active in the Resistance

In 1886 he married Isabelle Cayen *dite* Boudreau at Duck Lake. Albert was the brother of Charles Jr. and Joseph Trottier. Albert's wife, Isabelle, was the daughter of Alexandre Cayen *dit* Boudreau also known as *Kee-too-way-how* (Sounding with Flying Wings) and Marie McGillis. She was a member of her father's band at Muskeg Lake. She was born in 1868 near Fort Carlton. She married Albert Trottier on October 18, 1886. Albert, her brother Vital and father Alexandre were both active in the 1885 Resistance.

Trottier, Albert; address: Batoche; born: 1863 near Fort Ellice; father: Joseph Trottier (Métis); mother: Therese Vallee (Métis); scrip for \$240.00; claim no. 1124.



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