

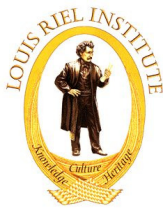
## **Reverend Charles C. Cook.** (1805-1869)

Charles Cook was born at Red River, the son of William Hemmings Cook and Mith-coo-coo-man-E'Squaw alias Aggathas alias Mary Cocking.

He married Mary-Ann Lyons (b: 1818) in Red River Settlement on March 5, 1836 in St Andrew's Parish Church. She was the daughter of John Lyons and Margaret Kipling. His second wife was Catherine Anderson (b. 1820). They married on March 13, 1844 in St Andrew's Church, Red River. She died in 1851 due to complications, following childbirth. She was the daughter of James Anderson and Mary-Suzette DeMoran (Saulteaux). He had a third marriage to Nancy (Saulteaux) in 1853.

Henry Budd mentions Charles Cook in his diary (pg. 64):

April 10, (1871) Monday. I prepared to go up to the Big-Eddy to administer private Communion to the sick man and family. Arriving at the Eddy I found that James Cook, brother to the sick man had made every thing ready for the Service. Poor Charles Cook looks exceedingly weak. Commencing the Service at once we solemnly approached the Table which was covered with a clean white Cloth, and I administered the holy Communion to the family. I stayed some time with Charles Cook endeavouring to encourage him to a patient endurance of the chastisements of the Lord, after which I had to return home to the Village.



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