

Bouvier, Antoine. (1828- 1866)

Antoine was the son of Jean-Baptiste Bouvier (French Canadian) and Marguerite Laurent (Métis). Antoine married Genevieve Breland, the daughter of Alexandre Breland and Emelie Wells on January 11, 1847 at St. François Xavier. Genevieve died on July 31, 1857 (age 26). They had four children:

- Casimir, born February 13, 1848 at St. François Xavier.
- Fortunat, born August 4, 1849, at St. François Xavier and died on October 15, 1865, age 16.
- Clemence, born June 12, 1851 at St. François Xavier. She married Jean-Baptiste Lafontaine.
- Antoine, born June 19, 1853 at St. François Xavier. He married Elise Laviolette. He died on 29 Mar 1925 at San Clara, Manitoba.

After the death of Genevieve, Antoine remarried to Madeleine Jeannotte, the daughter of François Jeannotte and Madeleine Falcon, on January 7, 1859 at St. François Xavier.

Antoine and Madeleine had the following children:

- Malina, born circa 1873.
- Madallaine, born circa 1879.

Family Scrip:

Scrip affidavit for Bouvier, Antoine; born: 1828; father: Baptiste Bouvier (French Canadian); mother: Marguerite Laurent (Métis); claim no: 1180; date of issue: Aug. 20, 1876, St. François Xavier.

DOMINION OF CANADA.) *Antoine Bouvier*
 PROVINCE OF MANITOBA,) of the Parish of *St. Joseph* in the County
 County of *Macquett* of *Macquett* in said Province, *farmer*
 Parish of *St. Joseph* make oath and say as follows :

1. I am a Half-breed head of a family resident in the Parish of *St. Joseph* in the said Province, on the 15th day of July, A.D. 1870, and consisting of myself ~~and~~ *wife and children* and I claim to be entitled as such head of family to receive a grant of one hundred and sixty acres of land or to receive Scrip for one hundred and sixty dollars pursuant to the Statute in that behalf.
2. I was born on or about the year *1841* of *July* in said Province. A.D. 18⁴¹
3. *Baptiste Bouvier*, a French Canadian, *was* my father; and his wife *Maguerite Laurent*, a *Half-breed*, *was* my mother.
4. I have not made or caused to be made any claim of land or Scrip other than the above in any other Parish in said Province, nor have I claimed or received, as an Indian, any annuities or moneys, from the Government of said Dominion.

Antoine Bouvier
mark

Sworn before me at the Parish and County aforesaid on the *6th* day of *October* A.D. 1875 having been first read over and explained in the *French* language to said deponent who seemed perfectly to understand the same and *appeared* *his* *mark* in my presence.

W. H. H. H.
 Commissioner.

Claim No. 1108 Scrip issued 20th Aug. 1876
2/3/86

Scrip affidavit for Bouvier, Madeleine; wife of Antoine Bouvier; born: July, 1841; father: Francois Jannot (Métis); mother: Madeleine Falcon (Métis); claim no: 1109; date of issue: Aug. 20, 1876.

DOMINION OF CANADA.)
 PROVINCE OF MANITOBA.)
 I, *Madeleine Bouvier*
 of the Parish of *St. Joseph* in the County
 of *Marquette* of *Manitoba* in said Province, wife of
 Parish of *St. Joseph* *Antoine Bouvier, farmer*
 make oath and say as follows :

1. I am a Half-breed head of a family resident in the Parish of *St. Joseph*
 in the said Province, on the 15th day of July, A.D. 1870, and consisting
 of myself and *husband*
 and I claim to be entitled as such head of family to receive a grant of one hundred and sixty acres
 of land or to receive Scrip for one hundred and sixty dollars pursuant to the Statute in that behalf.

2. I was born on or about the month day of *July* - A.D. 18 *71* in the
 Parish of *N.W. Territory* in said Province.

3. *François Jannet, a half breed, is* my father ;
 and *his wife Madeleine Salem, do, is* my mother.

I have not made or caused to be made any claim of land or Scrip other than the above in
 this or any other Parish in said Province, nor have I claimed or received, as an Indian, any
 annuity moneys, from the Government of said Dominion.

her
Madeleine Bouvier
mark

Sworn before me at the Parish and County aforesaid on the
5th day of *October* A.D. 1875 having
 been first read over and explained in the *French*
 language to said deponent who seemed perfectly to under
 stand the same and *affirmed*
made in my presence.

[Signature]
 Commissioner.

Claim No. 1109 Scrip issued 20th Aug. 1876
2/3/76
[Signature]



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