

Elzear Michel Bottineau. (1842-1920)

Elzear was born on August 25, 1842 at St. Boniface, the son of Joseph Charles Botineau and Angelique Cardinal. He married Isabelle St. Pierre (b. 1847), at Pembina in 1862. She was the daughter of Francois St. Pierre and Marie Laverdure. Elzear died at Willow Bunch on May 1, 1920.

They had the following children; all but one died in infancy or childhood

- Isabelle, born 1861 (Cypress Hills), died 1862.
- Francois, born 1866, married Marie Therese McGillis.
- Pierre, born 1877(Cypress Hills) died 1877.
- Jules, born 1876 (Cypress Hills) died 1877.
- Joseph, born 1880 (Wood Mountain)
- Alfred, born 1873 (Cypress Hills), died 1874 Wood Mountain.
- Jean Baptiste, born 1881 (Wood Mountain), died 1887.
- Antoine, born 1883 (Wood Mountain) died 1883.

His father, Joseph Charles Bottineau¹ was born at Red River in 1815.² He and Angelique Cardinal were enumerated at Pembina in the 1850 Census as family # 38: Joseph Beautinau age 30, hunter born Pembina; Angelic age 26 born Pembina; Mary age 16 born Pembina, Josette age 14 born Pembina, Angelic age 9 born Pembina, Joseph age 7 born Pembina, Elssier age 5 born Pembina, John age 4 born Pembina, Charles age 3 born Pembina, Josette Beautinau age 70 born Red River British.

Elzear's father, Joseph, received annuity payments as a member of Little Shell's Band in 1866 and as a member of Way ke ge ke zchick's Band in 1868 :

Beautinau, Joseph (1820) [1850 U.S.] RL

Bottineau, Joseph [*1866-8] P149.15b

Minnesota Territorial Census, Pembina County, 1850:38/38 born: Pembina occupation: hunter son of: ** and Beautinau, Josette (1780) born: Red River Br.

[1850: husband of: Beautinau, Angelic (1824) born: Pembina

[1850: father of: Beautinau, Mary (1834) born: Pembina

Beautinau, Josette (1836) born: Pembina

Beautinau, Joseph (1843) born: Pembina

Beautinau, Ression (1845) born: Pembina

Beautinau, John (1846) born: Pembina

Beautinau, Charles (1847) +

¹ He was the son of Charles Bottineau born 01 May 1776 in Berthier-en-Haut, Quebec, and Marguerite Techomehgood born 1780 in the Hair Hills. They were married on May 1, 1797 at Red River.

² Ancient Register of St. Boniface 1825-1834, pg. 76

M-78, Joseph Botineau, adult son of the late Charles Botineau and Marguerite Sauteuse, married Sep 17, 1832, Angelique Cardinal, minor daughter of Jacques Cardinal and Josephte Assiniboine, Present: Jacques Cardinal and Basile Belanger, F. Boucher priest.

Pembina Annuity Roll, Little Shell's Band, 1866:3/20

- 1 man, 1 woman \$ 5 paid

1867:200 - 1 man, 1 woman \$ 8 paid

Way ke ge ke zhick's Band, 1868:232

- 1 man, 1 woman, 1 child \$ 9 paid

September 20, 1867 recieved \$664.17 payment for 2800# Beef; 813.9 " Pemican; "Red Lake River Company," approved by J.B. Bassett, United States Indian Agent

1867: payment for 1400# Beef; 516 1/3 " Pemican, "Red Lake River Company," approved by J.B. Bassett, United States Indian Agent

Joseph received Scrip #10 under the Pembina and Red Lake Treaty:

Bottineau, Joseph [R.L. Scrip #10] Bottineau, Joseph (abt.1810) [VRA #6] ·
National Archives, RG 75, Entry 363

"List of Persons to Whom Scrip was Issued under Red Lake & Pembina
Treaties...Halfbreed

Scrip No. 10 issued November 18, 1872, under the authority of Secretarial Decision,
June 12, 1872, delivered November 18, 1872

[Virginia Rogers, Ah-Dick Songab Genealogy, #6]

son of: Bottineau, Charles [VRA] and Marguerite, a Sauteuse [VRA]

husband of: Cardinal, Angeliqne (abt.1815), daughter of Cardinal, Jacques and Josephte,
an Assiboine

date of marriage: September 17, 1832, at St. Boniface (Winnipeg), Canada

issue: Bottineau, Marie (abt.1834) [VRA #43] Bottineau, Josette (abt.1836) [VRA #44]

Bottineau, Angeliqne (abt.1841) [VRA #45] Bottineau, Joseph (abt.1843) [VRA #46]

Bottineau, Eleaor (Resion) (abt.1845) [VRA #47] Bottineau, John (abt.1846) [VRA #48]

Bottineau, Charles (abt.1847) [VRA #49] Bottineau, Jonas [VRA #50]

Scrip Applications:

RG15, Interior, Series D-II-8-b, Vol 1325, Reel C-14936

Bottineau, Elzear - Concerning his claim as head of famly - Address, Willow Bunch -
Born, St. Francois Xavier, 1848 - Father, Joseph Bottineau, (Métis) - Mother, Angeliqne
Cardinal, (Métis) - Married, 1861 at St. Joe to Isabelle Pierre - Children living, two
(names on declaration) - Children deceased, nine - Scrip for \$160 - Claim 1605.

RG15, Interior, Series D-II-8-c, Vol 1337, Reel C-14951

Bottineau, Elzear; heir of his deceased son, Alfred Bottineau; claim no. 34; born: Winter,
1873 at Cypress Hills; father: Elzear Bottineau (Métis & deponent); mother: Isabelle St.
Pierre (Métis); died: 1874 at Wood Mountain; scrip cert.: form F, no. 424.



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