Nöelie Palud-Pelletier. (b. 1928)

Nöelie is author of *Louis, Fils des Prairies*. (Winnipeg: Les Éditions des Plains, 1984) and its English version, *Louis: Son of the Prairie*. (Winnipeg: Pemmican Publications, 1990). The Manitoba Metis Federation library has an original copy of the manuscript of this translation of the 1984 book in French. This is a children's storybook of Riel's early years up to the age of fourteen, and it includes Riel's sister Sara and friends. Daily routines of Metis life, buffalo hunting and games are detailed. The Metis are portrayed in a very positive light. Nöelie was honoured with the title "Captain of the Buffalo Hunt" by MMF in 1980. She received *du prix Riel* (secture éducation) in 1990.



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