

Joseph Montreuille (Montreuil) Sr. (b. 1803)

Joseph was born at Pembina, Red River, the son of Pierre Montreuille (b. 1766). He married Isabelle Mi-ji-gi-si Bottineau¹, daughter of Pe-wah-ah-kum (O-kit-chi-ta) Chippewa and Margaret Ah-dick Songab, sometime before 1824. He was enumerated in the census in 1835 Red River Settlement. #377, Joseph Montrel, age __, Native, Catholic, 1 married man, 1 married woman, 2 sons (-16), 3 daughters (-15), 7 total inhabitants.

They were enumerated during the Pembina Census of 1850 as Family # 79. Joseph Montreau (Montreille), age 42, m, Hunter, b. Pembina; Isabella, age 33, b. Red River. Also in the family: Joseph Montreuille (26), Isabella Montreuille (25), Alexis Montreuille (21), Jean Baptiste Montreuille (18), Marguerite Montreuille (16), Marie Montreuille (15), Madeleine Montreuille (12), Francois Montreuille (8), Eleanor Montreuille (8), and Francoise Montreuille (5). 79, 79, Joseph, age 26, M, Hunter, b. Pembina; Isabella, age 25, F, b. Pembina; Alexis, age 21, M, Hunter, b. Red River Br.; John, age 18, M, Hunter, b. Pembina; Marguritte, age 16, F, b. Pembina; Mary, age 15, F, b. Pembina; Madelane, age 12, F, b. Pembina; Francois, age 8, M, b. Pembina; Alenor, age 8, F, b. Pembina; Francies, age 6, F, b. Pembina.

Children:

- Joseph; born circa 1824 Pembina County; married Marguerite Descoteaux, daughter of Pierre Descoteaux and Josephte Belgarde, 19 November 1855 Assumption, Pembina, Pembina County, Dakota Territory. Treaty: Montrieul, Joseph, Jr.: Pembina, Dak. Son of Joseph Montrieul, sr.; resided at Pembina and Grand Forks; a mixed-blood of Pembina and Superior bands; but for the last twenty years belonged to Pembina band; he is over forty years of age. (Per J. B. Bottineau). He received an annuity payment on 1 October 1868 Turtle Mountain, Dakota Territory, Joseph Montrille (x), 1 man, 1 woman, 4 children, 6 total, \$4.00 a share, \$24.00 paid. (1868 TM annuity). Joseph "Savage" Montreuille signed the Pembina and Red Lake Chippewa "Old Crossing Treaty" in 1863 as a warrior with Miscomuhquoh (Red Bear), a chief of the Pembina Chippewa Band. He was a well-known mail carrier on the Crow Wing Trail.
- Isabelle; born circa 1825 Pembina County; married Pierre Lefenanyway 3 March 1862 Assumption, Pembina, Pembina County, Dakota Territory. She received an annuity payment on 1 October 1868 Turtle Mountain, Dakota Territory, Isabelle Montrulle (x), 1 woman, 1 child, 2 total, \$4.00 a share, \$8.00 paid. (1868 TM annuity).
- Alexis; born 22 December 1831; baptized 15 January 1832 St. Boniface, Manitoba; married Margaret Delia (Adams) Adanis, daughter of Wa-kam-ma-na Sioux and A-pis-tin-nah (--?--), before 1859. He received an annuity payment on

¹ Superior Treaty: Montreiuile, Isabella: Section 28, Township 49N, Range 4W, Superior, Wis., Sept. 15, 1866. (page 252) (1863-4T.). Treaty: Montrieul, Isabella: Pembina, Dak. Wife of Joseph Montrail, Sr.; resided at Pembina, to my knowledge, over twenty years; a mixed-blood of Lake Superior and Pembina bands both; she is over sixty years of age. J. B. Bottineau

1 October 1868 Turtle Mountain, Dakota Territory, Alexis Montrulle (x), 1 man, 1 woman, 5 children, 7 total, \$4.00 a share, \$28.00 paid. (1868 TM annuity).

- Jean Baptiste; born circa 1832 Pembina County; married Catherine Marie Gosselin, daughter of Antoine Gosselin and Marie Roy, 16 January 1862 Assumption, Pembina, Pembina County, Dakota Territory; died 1868 Pembina, Pembina County, North Dakota. He was also known as Toto.
- Julie; born 29 October 1833 St. Boniface, Manitoba.
- Marguerite.
- Marie; born circa October 1830 Pembina County. She married Francois Lecuyer, son of Amable Lecuyer and Marie Saulteaux, before 1859. She had a scrip application: on 20 December 1875 Pembina, Pembina County, Dakota Territory,: Marie L'Ecuyer; Pembina; Pembina; US; formerly (Emerson); Ste.Agathe; Provencher; wife of Francois L'Ecuyer; HB Head: myself, husband and children; Born: Oct 1830; St.Boniface; Father: Joseph Montreuil (HB) [is]; Mother: Isabelle Botineau (HB) [is]; French.
- Madeleine; born circa 1838 Pembina County; married Francois Cloutier, son of Jean Baptiste Cloutier and Josephte Racette, 3 October 1860 Assumption, Pembina, Pembina County, Dakota Territory; died 16 May 1876 Pembina, Pembina County, Dakota Territory.
- Francois; born circa 1840 Pembina County; married Rosalie Vallee, daughter of Louis Vallee and Louise Durand, 6 August 1872 Assumption, Pembina, Pembina County, Dakota Territory. He received an annuity payment on 5 December 1870 Turtle Mountain, Dakota Territory, Francis Montreuille (x), 1 man, 4 children, 5 total, \$5.00 a share, \$25.00 paid. (1870 TM annuity).
- Francoise; born circa 1844 Pembina County; married Jean Chrysostome Boucher, son of Francois Boucher and Suzette Bruieller, 27 January 1868 Assumption, Pembina, Pembina County, Dakota Territory.

Metis Scrip:

MONTREAU [MONTREILLE], Joseph (1808) [1850 U.S.] P108.2

Montreuil, Joseph [1863 "Treaty"] P108.2

Montrille, Joseph [*1868] P108.2d

Minnesota Territorial Census, Pembina County, 1850:79/79 born: Pembina occupation: hunter

[1850: husband of: Montreau, Isabella (1817) born: Red River Br.

[1850: father of: Montreau, Joseph (1824) born: Red River Br. occupation: hunter

Montreau, Isabella (1825) +

Montreau, Alexis (1829) +

Montreau, John (1832) born: Red River Br. [occupation: hunter]

Montreau, Marguritte (1834) born: Pembina

Montreau, Mary (1835) born: Pembina

Montreau, Madelane (1838) born: Pembina

Montreau, Francois (1840) born: Pembina

Montreau, Alenor (1842) born: Pembina

Montreau, Francis (1844) born: Pembina

Pembina Annuity Roll, Mis co muh quah's Band, 1868:92

- 1 man, 1 woman, 4 children \$ 24 paid

October 2, 1863, "Old Crossing Treaty," "his x mark, Joseph Montreuil, Warrior of Pembina" #11

Montreau, Isabella (1825) [1850 U.S.] P108.3

Montrille, Isabelle [*1868] P108.3d

Minnesota Territorial Census, Pembina County, 1850:79/79 born: Pembina daughter of:

Montreau, Joseph (1808) and Montreau, Isabella (1817)

Pembina Annuity Roll, Mis co muh quah's Band, 1868:96

- * 1 woman, 1 child \$ 8 paid

Montreau, Alexis (1829) [1850 U.S.] P108.1

Montraille, Alexis [*1867] P108.1c

Montreille, Alexis [1868] P108.1d

Minnesota Territorial Census, Pembina County, 1850:79/79 born: Pembina [occupation: hunter] son of: Montreau, Joseph (1808) and Montreau, Isabella (1817)

Pembina Annuity Roll, Mis co muh quah's Band, 1867:24

- 1 man, 2 women, 3 children \$ 24 paid

1868:94 - 1 man, 1 woman, 5 children \$ 28 paid

Montreau, Mary (1835) [1850 U.S.] P108

Montrell, Maria [1864] P108

Minnesota Territorial Census, Pembina County, 1850:79/79 born: Pembina daughter of:

Montreau, Joseph (1808) and Montreau, Isabella (1817)

Pembina Annuity Roll, Mis ko muck wah's Band, 1864:108

- 1 man, 1 woman, 3 girls \$ 35 paid

Scrip for Joseph "Savage" Montrueille

Montreau [Montrueille], Joseph (1808) [1850 U.S.]

Montreuil, Joseph [1863 "Treaty"] .P108.2

Montrille, Joseph [*1868] .P108.2d

Montreil, Joseph [R.L. Scrip #75]

Montreil, Joseph Sav. [R.L. Scrip #314/heir]

[Minnesota Territorial Census, Pembina, 1850, family 79/79], born Pembina, occupation Hunter

[North Dakota Historical Society Collections V. I, p. 375], he was a

"Halfbreed mail carrier employed by Kittson in 1856" [after VRA #1]

October 2, 1863, "Old Crossing Treaty," "his x mark, Joseph Montreuil, Warrior of Pembina" #11

Pembina Annuity Roll, Mis co muh quah's Band, 1868:92

- 1 man, 1 woman, 4 children \$ 24 paid

National Archives, RG 75, Entry 363, "List of Persons to Whom Scrip was

Issued under Red Lake & Pembina Treaties...." Halfbreed Scrip No. 75

[checked] issued February 12, 1873, under the authority of Secretarial

Decision, June 12, 1872, delivered February 12, 1873; and Halfbreed

Scrip No. 314 issued January 19, 1874, under the authority of

Secretarial Decision, December 27, 1873, delivered January 19, 1874, to

Joseph Montreil, "heir of Alexander"]

husband of: Montreau, Isabella (1817), born Red River Br.

father of: Montrueille, Alexis (abt.1832) [VRA #17]

Montrueille, Joseph (abt.1824), aka Montreau, Joseph (1824), born Red River Br., occupation Hunter [VRA #15]

Montrueille, Isabella (abt.1825), aka Montreau, Isabella (1825), born Pembina [VRA #16]

Montrueille, Alexis (abt.1828), aka Montreau, Alexis (1829), born Pembina, [occupation Hunter], Annuity Payment Rolls, Pembina, 1867:

Alexis Montraille, 1 man, 2 women, 3 children, Miscomaquah's band

Montrueille, John Baptiste (abt.1832), aka Montreau, John Baptiste (Toto) (1832), born Red River Br., [occupation Hunter] [VRA #18]

Montrueille, Marguritte (abt.1834), aka Montreau, Marguritte (1834), born Pembina, Fond du Lac [VRA #19] Allotment: Margaret Martreille

Montrueille, Marie (abt.20) [VRA #20], aka Montreau, Mary (1835), born Pembina

Montrueille, Madeline (abt.1838), aka Montreau, Madelane (1838), born Pembina [VRA #21]

Montrueille, Francois (abt.1840), aka Montreau, Francois (1840), born Pembina [VRA #22]

Montreau, Alenor (1842), born Pembina

Montrueille, Frances (abt.1844), aka Montreau, Frances (1844), born

Pembina [VRA #23]

Montreuil, Delia (abt.1845) [VRA #24]



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