

Jean Baptiste Contre (fl.1817) and Lizette ? (fl.1817)¹

JEAN BAPTISTE CONTRE

BORN: ? (French Canadian)²

LIZETTE ?

BORN: ? (native)³

The child of Jean Baptiste Contre and Lizette ?

1. Genevieve Contre

Born: Feb. 1817 Rupert's Land⁴

Married: To Bonaventure St. Arnaud,⁵ born 1798 Lower Canada⁶

Children:

1. Marie St. Arnaud

Born: 1831 St. Norbert, Assiniboia⁷

Married: To Charles Dumas,⁸ born 1824 St. Boniface, Assiniboia and the metis son of Pierre Dumas (French Canadian) and Josephthe ? (native)⁹

¹Completed 6 Jan. 1998.

²National Archives of Canada (hereafter cited as NAC), Department of the Interior Affidavits 1870 to 1885, RG 15, microfilm reel C-14932 (Genevieve St. Arnaud).

³Ibid.

⁴Ibid.

⁵Ibid.

⁶D.N. Sprague and R.P. Frye, comps., The Genealogy of the First Metis Nation (Winnipeg: Pemmican Publications, 1983), table 1 no. 4579.

⁷NAC, reel C-14927 (Marie Dumas).

⁸Ibid.

⁹Ibid. (Charles Dumas).

2. Josephte St. Arnaud

Born: 4 Mar. 1834 Rupert's Land¹⁰

Married: To Solomon Venne,¹¹ born 12 Aug. 1837 St. Norbert, Assiniboia and the metis son of Pierre Venne (French Canadian) and Marie Charette (metis)¹²

Children:

1. Soloman Venne: born 21 Aug. 1857 St. Norbert, Assiniboia¹³

2. Josephte Venne: born 1858¹⁴

3. David Venne: born 1861¹⁵

4. Napoleon Venne: born 1864¹⁶

5. William Venne: born 1866¹⁷

6. Alexandre Venne: born 1867¹⁸

3. Charles St. Arnaud

Born: 25 Jan. 1840 St. Boniface, Assiniboia¹⁹

Married: To Genevieve Rainville, born Apr. 1843 St. Norbert, Assiniboia and the metis daughter of Francois Rainville (metis) and Marguerite Demers (metis)²⁰

Children:

1. Genevieve St. Arnaud: born 10 Dec. 1861 Red River Settlement, Assiniboia²¹

¹⁰Ibid., reel C-14934 (Josephte Venne).

¹¹Ibid.

¹²Ibid. (Solomon Venne).

¹³Ibid.

¹⁴Sprague and Frye, table 4 no. 5091.

¹⁵Ibid.

¹⁶Ibid.

¹⁷Ibid.

¹⁸Ibid.

¹⁹NAC, reel C-14932 (Charles St. Arnaud).

²⁰Ibid. (Genevieve St. Arnaud).

²¹NAC, Alphabetical index to affidavits 1870-1885, microfilm reel T-4687, and NAC, Kipling Collection, MG 25 G 62, Red River Genealogies, fol. 943.

2. Charles St. Arnaud: born 17 Oct. 1863 Red River Settlement, Assiniboia²²
3. George St. Arnaud: born 4 Oct. 1865 Red River Settlement, Assiniboia²³
4. Julie St. Arnaud: born 19 Aug. 1867 Red River Settlement, Assiniboia²⁴
5. Anne St. Arnaud: born 27 Dec. 1870 Red River Settlement, Assiniboia²⁵

4. Alexandre St. Arnaud

Born: 7 Feb. 1842 Mackenzie River, North West Territories²⁶

Married: To Philomene Ladouceur, born Feb. 1849 St. Vital, Assiniboia and the metis daughter of Augustin Ladouceur (metis) and Madeleine Lambert (metis)²⁷

5. Marguerite St. Arnaud

Born: 6 Apr. 1845 Mackenzie River, North West Territories²⁸

Married: To Jean Baptiste Laderoute,²⁹ born 1 Oct. 1837 St. Vital, Assiniboia and the metis daughter of Jean Baptiste Laderoute (metis) and Josette Larocque (metis)³⁰

6. Jean Baptiste St. Arnaud

Born: 22 Dec. 1847 St Boniface, Assiniboia³¹

Married: To Marguerite Laderoute, born 17 Sept. 1843 St. Boniface, Assiniboia and the metis daughter of Philibert Laderoute (metis) and Julie Lepine (metis)³²

²²Ibid, and NAC, reel T-4687.

²³Ibid., and NAC, Kipling Collection, fol. 943.

²⁴Ibid., and NAC, reel T-4687.

²⁵Ibid., and NAC, Kipling Collection, fol. 943.

²⁶NAC, reel C-14932 (Alexandre St. Arnaud).

²⁷Ibid. (Philomene St. Arnaud).

²⁸Ibid., reel C-14929 (Marguerite Laderoute).

²⁹Ibid.

³⁰Ibid. (Jean Baptiste Laderoute).

³¹Ibid., reel C-14932 (Jean Baptiste St. Arnaud).

³²Ibid. (Marguerite St. Arnaud).

7. Rosalie St. Arnaud

Born: 9 Sept. 1852 St. Norbert, Assiniboia³³

Married: To Antoine Marcellais,³⁴ born 1843 Lower Canada³⁵

³³Ibid., reel C-14930 (Rosalie Marcellin).

³⁴Ibid.

³⁵Sprague and Frye, table 1 no. 2721.