

**Francois Desmarais (1804-ca.1839) and
Harriet Spence (1815-1837) /
Mary Anderson (1819-ca.1839)¹**

FRANOCIS DESMARAIS

BORN: 1804 Rupert's Land²

MARRIED: To Harriet Spence³

A second time to Mary Anderson⁴

HARRIET SPENCE

BORN: 1815⁵

DIED: 1837⁶

MARY ANDERSON

BORN: 1819 Red River Settlement, Assiniboia⁷

**The child of Francois Desmarais and
Mary Anderson**

1. Elizabeth Desmarais

Born: 1839 Stone Fort [Lower Fort Garry], Assiniboia⁸

¹Completed 16 Feb. 1998.

²D.N. Sprague and R.P. Frye, comps., The Genealogy of the First Metis Nation (Winnipeg: Pemmican Publications, 1983), table 1 no. 1238.

³Ibid.

⁴Ibid.

⁵Ibid.

⁶Ibid.

⁷Ibid.

⁸National Archives of Canada, Department of the Interior Affidavits 1870 to 1885, RG 15, microfilm reel C-14932 (Elizabeth Piche).

Married: To Jean Baptiste Piche,⁹ born 1846 St. Francois Xavier, Assiniboia and the metis son of Louis Piche (metis) and Angelique Lepine (metis)¹⁰

⁹Ibid.

¹⁰Ibid. (Jean Baptiste Piche).