

SESSIONAL PAPER No. 18

Julien Desroches, ploughman, native of the parish of Carolle, bishopric of Avranches in Normandy, aged 35 years, he has been 21 years in the country. Married to Marie Arcenaud, native of l'Acadie, aged 27 years.

They have three sons :—

Julien, aged 7 years ;

Felix, aged 5 years ;

Joseph aged 2 years.

In live stock they have one ox, one cow, six wethers, ten ewes and one fowl.

They hold the land under a grant given by Messieurs Duchambon and Dubuisson, and homologated by Messieurs the Governor and the Intendant-Commissary of Ile Royale. On it they have made a clearing and sown four bushels of wheat and have fallow land for the sowing of twelve bushels.

Louis Desroches, fisherman and ploughman, native of the same place as his brother above described, aged 40 years. Married to Marguerite Arcenaud, native of l'Acadie, aged 40 years.

They have eight children, three sons and five daughters :—

Eustache, aged 16 years ;

Alexandre, aged 12 years ;

Joseph, aged 9 years ;

Rosalie, aged 20 years ;

Marie Joseph, aged 14 years ;

Marie Anne, aged 10 years ;

Henriette, aged 5 years ;

Anne, aged 2 years.

In live stock they have two oxen, one cow, one calf, two wethers, ten ewes and four pigs.

They hold their land under a grant from Messieurs Duchambon and Dubuisson, and homologated by Messieurs the Governor and Intendant-Commissary of Ile Royale, but from whom they have only a certificate.

On said land they have made a clearing and sown two bushels of wheat and have fallow land for the sowing of twenty-one bushels.

Jean Arcenaud, son of Jacques, native of l'Acadie, aged 23 years, ploughman, he has been eleven years in the country. Married to Magdelaine Boudrot, native of Port Toulouse, aged 25 years.

They have Joseph, their son, aged one year.

In live stock they have one ox, two cows, one wether, one ewe, two pigs, one sow.

They hold their land upon verbal permission from Monsieur de Bonnaventure. On it they have made a clearing in which they have sown six bushels of wheat, one half bushel of oats and one bushel of peas.

Alexis Dugats, smith and ploughman, native of l'Acadie, aged 45 years, he has been in the country one year. Married to Marie Bourg, native of l'Acadie, aged 42 years.

They have nine children, five sons and four daughters :—

Pierre, aged 20 years ;

Jean, aged 15 years ;

Mathurin, aged 12 years ;

Regis, aged 5 years ;

Cyprien, aged 3 years ;

Elizabeth, aged 18 years ;

Magdelaine, aged 14 years ;

Victoire, aged 10 years ;

Marie, aged one year.

In live stock they have four oxen, two cows, two calves, one heifer, one wether, one ewe and one pig.

They hold their land upon verbal permission from Monsieur de Bonnaventure, but have not made any clearing on it.