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The basis for this study on the origins of the first acadian families is from the rolls taken by Sieur Randing and sent to Bishop Colbert of Québec on 8 November 1671.

The original manuscript, produced by Geneviève Massignon in her thesis *Les Parlers Français d'Acadie* is on file at the National Archives of Paris.

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Jacob BOURGEOIS, Surgeon, 50; wife Jeanne TRAHAN 40; Children: two of them married: Jeanne 27, and Charles 25; then Germain 21, Marie 19, Guillaume 16, Marguerite 13, Francois 12, Anne 10, Marie 7, Jeanne 4; cattle 33, sheep 24.

Jehan GAUDET farmer 96, wife, Nicolle COLLESON 64; Child: Jehan 18, cattle 6, sheep 3.

Denis GAUDET, 46, wife, Martine GAUTHIER 62; Children (the first 2 married): Anne 25, Marie 21, Pierre 20, Pierre 17, Marie 14; cattle 9, sheep 13.

Roger KUESSY 25; wife, Marie POIRIER 22; Child: Marie 2; cattle 3, sheep 2.

Michel De FOREST 33, wife, Marie HEBERT 20: Children: Michel 4, Pierre 2, Rene 1; cattle 12, sheep 2.

Marie GAUDET, Widow of Étienne HEBERT, 38, Children (married): Marie 20, Marguerite 19; (not married): Emmanuel 17, Etienne 17, Jean 13, Françoise 10, Catherine 9, Martine 6, Michel 5, Antoine 1; cattle 4, sheep 5.

Antoine BABIN 45, wife, Marie MERCIER 25; Children: Marie 9, Charles 7, Vincent 5, Jeanne 3, Marguerite 1; cattle 6, sheep 8.

Olivier DAIGRE 28, wife, Marie GAUDET 20; Children: Jean 4, Jacques, 2, Bernard 1; cattle 6, sheep 6.

Antoine HEBERT, cooper, 50, wife Genevieve LEFRAND 58; Children: Jehan 22, Jehan 18, Catherine 15; cattle 18, sheep 7, 6 arpents in 2 places.

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Jehan BLANCHARD, 60, wife, Radegonde LAMBERT 42; Children (married): Martin 24, Madeline 28, Anne 26; (unmarried): Guillaume 21, Bernard 18, Marie 15; cattle 12, sheep 9.

Widow François GUDCIN (GUERIN), 26; Children: Anne 12, Marie 9, Frivoline 7, Huguetta 5, Francois 2; cattle 6, sheep 3, 6 arpents.

Michel DUPONT (DUPUIS), 37, wife Marie GAUTEROT 34; Children: Marie 14, Martin 6, Jeanne 4, Pierre 3; cattle 5, sheep 1, 6 arpents.

Claude TERRIAU 34, wife, Marie GAUTEROT 24; Children: Germain 9, Marie 6, Marguerite 4, Jean 1; cattle 13, sheep 3, 6 arpents Germain TERRIAU 25, wife, Andree BRUN 25; Child: Germain 2; cattle 5, sheep 2, 2 arpents.

Germain TERRIAU 25, wife Andrée BRUN 25; Child: Germain 2; 13 cattle and 3 sheep. Jean TERRIAU, 70, wife, Perrine RAU 60; Children (married): Claude 34, Jean 32, Bonaventure 30, Germain 25, Jeanne 27, Catherine 21; (not married): Pierre 16; cattle 6, sheep 1.

Francois SCAVOIS (SAVOYE), 50, wife, Catherine Le JEUNE 38; children: Francoise 18, Germain 16, Marie 14, Jeanne 13, Catherine 9, Francoise 8, Barabe 6, Andree 4, Marie 2; cattle 4.

Jehhan CORPORON, 25, wife Francoise SCAVOIS (SAVOIE) 18; Child: one daughter of 6 weeks not yet named; cattle 1, sheep 1.

Pierre MARTIN, 70, wife Catherine VIGNEAU 68; Children (married): Pierre 45, Marie 35, Marguerite 32, Andre 30; (not married): Mathier 35; cattle 7, sheep 8.

Francois PELERIN, 35, wife Andre MARTIN 30; Children: Hugette 5, Marie 2, infant girl 2 days; sheep 1.

Pierre MORIN, 37, wife Marie MARTIN 35; Children: Pierre 9, Louis 7, Antoine 5, Marie 3, Ann 10 months; cattle 3, sheep 4. Mathieu MARTIN, 35; Not married and weaver; cattle 4, sheep 3.

Mathieu MARTIN 35; 4 cattle and three sheep.

Vincent BRUN, 60, wife Renee BRODE 55; Children (married): Madeline 25, Andree 24, Francoise 18; (not married): Bastien 15, Marie 12; cattle 10, sheep 4.

Francois GAUTEROT, 58, wife Edmee Le JEUNE 47; Children (married): Marie 35, Charles 34, Marie 24, Rene 19, Marguerite 16; (not married): Jean 23, Francois 19, Claude 12, Charles 10, Jeanne 7, Germain 3; cattle 16, sheep 6.

Guillaume TRAHAN, 60, wife Madelaine BRUN 25; Children: Guillaume 4, Jehan-Charles 3, Alexandre 1; cattle 8, sheep 10. Pierre SIRE, gunsmith, 27, wife Marie BOURGEOIS 18; Child: Jean 3 months; cattle 11, sheep 6.

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Pierre SIRE 27, wife Marie BOURGEOIS 18; child: Jehan 3 months. 11 cattle and six sheep.

Pierre THIBEAUDEAU, 40, wife Jeanne TERRIAU 27; Children: Pierre 1, Marie 10, Marie 9, Marie 7, Anne Marie 6, Catherine 4; cattle 12, sheep 11.

Claude PETITPAS, 45, wife Catherine BAGARD 33; Children: Bernard 12, Claude 8, Jean 7, Jacques 5, Marguerite 10, Marie 2, Elisabeth 1; cattle 26, sheep 11.

Bernard BOUR, 23, wife Francoise BRUN 19; child: Marie; cattle 6, sheep 9.

Bonaventure TERRIAU, 27, wife Jeanne BOUDROT 26; child Marie 4; cattle 6, sheep 6.

Michel BOUDROT, 71, wife Michelle AUCOIN 53; Children (3 married): Francoise 29, Jeanne 25, Marguerite 20; (these not married): Charles 22, Marie 18, Jehan 16, Abraham 14, Michel 12, Olivier 10, Claude 8, Francois 5; cattle 5, sheep 12.

Pierre GUILBAULT, 32, wife Catherine TERRIAU 20; Child: Marguerite 2; cattle 6, sheep 5.

Jehan LaBATTE 33, wife, Renee GAUTHEROT 19; cattle 26, sheep 15.

Martin BLANCHARD 24, wife Francoise LeBLANC 18; cattle 5, sheep 2.

Jehan BOUR, 26, wife Marguerite MARTIN 27, children: Anne 3, Marguerite 1-1/2; cattle 3, sheep 5.

Antoine BOURC, 62, wife Antoinette LANDRY 53; Children (4 married): Marie 26, Francois 27, Jehan 24, Bernard 22; (not married) Martin 21, Jeanne 18, Renee 16, Huguette 14, Jeanne 12, Abraham 9, Marguerite 4; cattle 12, sheep 8.

Laurent GRANGE, 34, wife Marie LANDRY 24; Children: Marguerite 3, Pierre 9 months; cattle 5 sheep 6.

Perrinne LANDRY 60, widow of Jacques JOFFRIAU. No children.

Pierre DOUCET, bricklayer 50, wife Henriette PELTRET 31; Children: Anne 10, Toussaint 8, Jean 6, Pierre 4, and 1 daughter 3 months; cattle 7, sheep 6.

Francois BOUR 28, wife Marguerite BOUDROT 23; Children: Michel 5, Marie 3; cattle 15, sheep.

Marie SALÉ 61, widow of Jehan CLAUDE.

Germain DOUCET, 30, wife Marie LANDRY 24; Children: Charles 6, Bernard 4, Laurent 3; cattle 11, sheep 7.

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Francois GIROUARD, 50, wife Jeanne AUCOIN 40; Children (3 married): Jacob 23, Marie 20, Marie Magdeleine 17, (not married): Germain 14, Anne 12; cattle 16, sheep 12.

Jacques BELOU, cooper 30, wife Marie GIROUARD 20; Child: Marie 8 months; cattle 7, sheep 1.

Jacob GIROUARD 23, wife Marguerite GAUTROT; Child: Alexandre; cattle 7, sheep 3.

Pierre VINCENT, 40, wife Anne GAUDET 27; Children: Huguette 7, Thomas 6, Michel 3, Pierre 2; cattle 18, sheep 9.

Pierre MARTIN, 40, wife Anne OUESTNOROUEST 27; Children: Pierre 10, Rene 8, Andre 5, Jacques 2; cattle 11, sheep 9.

Vincent BROT, 40, wife Marie BOURC 26; Children: Marie 9, Antoine 5, Marguerite 3, Pierre 1; cattle 9, sheep 7.

Daniel LeBLANC, 45, wife Françoise GAUDET 48; Children (1 married): Françoise 18; (not married) Jacques 20, Etienne 15, Rene 14, Andre 12, Antoine 9, Pierre 7; cattle 17, sheep 26. Michel POIRIER 20, son of the deceased Jehan POIRIER; cattle 2 no sheep.

Barbe BAIOLET 63, widow of Savinien de COURPON; Children: 6 children in France and elsewhere and 2 daughters in this country. The two in this country are two married daughters Marie PESELET 26, Marianne LEFEBVRE 21; cattle 7, cow 1, sheep 5.

Antoine GOUGEON, 45, wife Jeanne CHEBRAT 45; Child: Huguette 14; cattle 20, sheep 17. Pierre COMMEAUX, cooper, 75, wife, Rose BAYOLS; Children (1 married): Etienne 21, (not married): Pierre 18, Françoise 15, Jehan 14, Pierre 13, Anthoine 10, Jeanne 9, Marie 7, Jehan 6; cattle 16, sheep 22.

Jean PITRE, edge tool maker, 35, wife Marie PESELET 26; Children: Marie 5, Catherine 3, Claude 9 months; cattle 1. Etienne COMMEAUX 21, wife Marie LEFEBVRE; Child: Catherine 3 weeks; cattle 7, sheep 7.

Estienne COMMEAUX, farmer, 21, wife Marie Anne LEFEBVRE 21; un child, Catherine 3 weeks; cattle 7, sheep 7.

Charles BOURGEOIS, 25, wife Anne DUGAST 17; Child: Marie 2; cattle 12, sheep 7.

Barnabe MARTIN, 35, wife Jeanne PELLETROT 27; Children: Marie 4, Rene 8 months; cattle 3, sheep 2.

Clement BERTRANT, carpenter 50, wife Huguette LAMBELOT 48; cattle 10, sheep 6.

Antoine BELLIVEAU, 50, wife Andree GUION 56; Children: Jean 19, Magdeleine 17; cattle 11, sheep 8.

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Rene LANDRY, 52, wife Perrine BOURC 45; Children (4 married): Henriette PELLETROT 30, Jeanne 28, Marie 25, Marie 23; (not married): Magdeleine 15, Pierre 13, Claude 8; cattle 10, sheep 6.

Thomas CORMIER, carpenter, 35, wife Madeline GIROUARD 17; Child: 1 daughter 2; cattle 7, sheep 7.

Rene RIMBAULT, 55, wife Anne-Marie 40; Children: Phillipe 16, Francois 15, Jeanne 11, Marie 10, Francoise 5; cattle 12, sheep 9.

Habrahan DUGAST, gunsmith, 55, wife Marie Judith DOUCET 46; Children: Claude 19,

Martin 15, Abraham 10, Marie 23, Anne 17, Margueritte 14, Magdeleine 7, Marie 5; cattle 19, sheep 3.

Michel RICHARD, 41, wife Madeleine BLANCHARD 28; Children Rene 14, Pierre 10, Martin 6, Alexandre 3, Catherine 8, Anne and Magdeleine 5 weeks; cattle 15, sheep 14.

Charles MELANSON, 28, wife Marie DUGAST 23; Children: Marie 7, Marguerite 5, Anne 3, Cecille 6 months; cattle 40, sheep 6. Pierre MELANCON, tailor - He refused to answer. (He had a wife and 7 children.)

Pierre MELANSON, would not give his age nor the number of animals. His wife asked if he was crazy to run through the streets for such information.

Estienne ROBICHAUT, farmer, did not want to see me. He came out and told his wife that he did not want to give account of his cattle nor land.

Pierre LANOUE, cooper, sent word that he was feeling fine and he did not want to give his age.