

NAME: LADEROUTE dit Seguin
Francois Xavier

PARISH: Sault St. Louis?
Montreal

ENTERED SERVICE: fl. 1824

DATES: 1800-1864

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*	Position	Post	District	HBCA Reference
1824	Trapper (Freeman?HBC)		Columbia	B.223d/105a Ledger book
1826	Possible trapper Traps belonging to S. Laderoute mentioned		Columbia	D.4/119
1835	Trapper (Freeman?HBC) Ledger suggests that he may have returned to Canada (1842) for a short time.		Columbia	B.223d/168b Ledger book
1840	Trapper/Settler		Columbia	B.223d/z/4

Reference to Francois Xavier Seguin dit Laderoute was located in the Columbia ledger books and as a post script in a letter from Peter Skene Ogden (D.4/119, fo. 34).

"Although land records show him settling on a claim near Fairfield in 1847, he was on the land much earlier, being one of those married by Jason Lee, the Methodist missionary, in 1838 and frequently mentioned by him. The marriage was later redone by the Catholic priest. Laderoute's wife was Julie Gervais, daughter of his neighbour Joseph Gervais. After Julie's death (July 9, 1845), he married Marie Ann Ouvrie in 1847. He had four recorded children by Julie and eleven by Marie Ann. Through various marriages, the Laderoute name became entwined with many original Prairie names - Gervais, Malouin, GrosLouis, Perrault, Lachapelle". (Catholic Church Records of the Pacific North West, St. Paul Annotations to Vols. I, II, III, p. 51).



A reference to Joseph P. Seguin dit Laderoute was located in the North West Company ledger (F.4/323) (1812). He apparently was stationed in the Red River area. No other reference is made to him. Frederick and Olivier Seguin dit Laderoute were both employed by the Hudson's Bay Company (See biog sheets). Both came from Sault St. Louis/Lachine area. Joseph may have been the father of Francois, Olivier and perhaps Frederick, based on the approximate birth dates.