

**Michel Calliou fonds**

1991.28.01

**Dates:** 1882 - 1906**Physical Description:** 5mm of textual records

**Biographical Sketch:** Michel Calliou was born in 1824. His father, Louis Calihue, worked for the Northwest Company at Fort Augustus and later for the Hudson's Bay Company at Fort Assiniboine and Fort Edmonton. His mother was Marie Patenaude. Michel was one of about fourteen children. Michel later married Marie Savard and the couple had ten children. From 1841 to 1873, Michel worked for the Hudson's Bay Company. In the 1850s, his family lived in Fort Edmonton and in 1860, they moved to Lac Ste Anne where he worked at a fishery on top of his work for the Hudson's Bay Company. In 1869, Marie Savard died and soon after, Michel remarried Philomene Collins. On September 18, 1878, Michel was appointed chief of the Michel Reserve and he signed Treaty #6; the Michel Reserve was surveyed in 1880. In 1911, Michel Calliou died and he was buried in the St. Albert cemetery.

**Custodial History:** The custodial history of the fonds is unknown. The material was donated by a descendant of Michel Calliou.

**Scope and Content:** Fonds consists of receipts from the Michel Reserve as well as correspondence.

**File-List**

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| 1991.28.01.01     | Correspondence, 1902<br>File consists of one letter sent to a doctor in Edmonton stating that the Beaver belong to the Michel band. |
| 1991.28.01.02-.07 | Receipts, 1882-1906<br>File consists of various receipts of Michel Calliou.   |