

NAME: Montigny, Narcisse

PARISH: Ste-Scholastique+

ENTERED SERVICE: 1833

DATES: c. 1815

Appointments & Service

Outfit Year*:	Position:	Post:	District:	HBCA Reference:
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*An Outfit year ran from 1 June to 31 May

1833-1834			Columbia	B.239/g/73
1834-1837	Middleman*		Columbia	B.239/g/74-76
1837-1839	Middleman	Southern Party	Columbia	B.239/g/77-78
1839-1840	Middleman	Snake [Country] Party	Columbia	B.239/g/79
1839	“Deserted June 1839”			B.239/g/79-80
1843-1845	Labourer		New Caledonia	B.239/g/83-84
1845-1846	Boute*	Thompson’s River	Columbia	B.239/g/85
1846-1847	Boute	Vancouver General Charges	Columbia	B.239/g/86
1847-1848	Boute	[Not indicated]	Columbia	B.239/g/87
1848-1849	Boute		New Caledonia	B.239/g/88
1848-1849	“Gone to Calefornia [sic]”			B.239/g/88

+ After 1843 he is described in the records as ‘Native’. His age, given as 20 in 1836/37 and as 32 in 1847/48, indicates that he was the same man who deserted in 1839.

*Middle position in canoe or boat; bote is steersman or bowsman

Note on family:

Source: Warner and Munnick, *Catholic Church Records of the Pacific Northwest, Vancouver I and II, and Stellamaris Mission*, French Prairie Press, St. Paul OR, 1972.

On 14 Dec. 1838, Edouard, aged 1 year and a half, the natural son of Narcisse Montigny, engagé, and of Susanne, Indian woman, was baptized at Fort Vancouver.

On 17 January 1843, at Fort Vancouver, Narcisse Montigny, Servant of the Company of the Hudson’s Bay, legitimate son of Ovide Montigny and of Josephte Fagnon living at the Ile Perrot, District of Montréal, was married to Bestsy Tchinouk, of the] tribe of Indians of the Grande Dalles. Their son, also called Narcisse, was born 8 August 1848 and baptized 13 August.

He was probably the son of Ovid Montigny [see Biog.]

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