



VIRTUAL GUIDED TOUR: JOSPEPH
DONDO (1893) / MARGUERITE
REBIFFE (1906) FAMILY
A First-generation Canadian saga

ABSTRACT

A tour of some of the points of special interest that relate to the lives lived and the resting places of this first-generation Canadian couple, descendants of French pioneers on the Canadian Prairie with background on their family heritage and information about their descendants.

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With a special focus on but not limited to the areas of the Rural Municipalities of Grey and Fisher Branch and the City of Winnipeg in Manitoba, CANADA

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Purpose, Sources, and Acknowledgements

This document has been prepared as a means of passing along to their living descendants, members of these families, and to their future descendant information about these members of the first generation of these two families of immigrants to live out their lives away from France. It leverages heavily:

- the family research done by the author, himself a descendant of a Rebiffe daughter and a Dondo son, in concert with other descendants on various branches of related family trees
- the souvenir album produced by Jacques Dondo (1896) and his wife Virginie (née Pattyn, 1900) and presented to the family at a celebration on June 29, 1980
- a Le Dévéhat family album produced in 2002 by the couple Rose (née Le Dévéhat, 1936) and her husband Adrien (1931) Kolly
- the book “Les familles de St-Claude Families 1892-2016“, produced by the St-Claude Historical Society
- the book “A Place of Our Own – A History of No Ordinary People“, produced by the Fisher Branch Historical Society
- several other books about Manitoba local histories
- available public records at the Library and Archives Canada website
(e.g., arrival manifests, censuses, homestead records, etc.)
- available public resources from the Manitoba Historical Society [MHS]
- available public resources via the Digital Collections of the University of Manitoba
- information available on the “Find a Grave” service
- various other internet services (for maps and other enriching content)

Links to many of these are provided in the “[Additional resources](#)” section below.

Please note: The author intends to continue his research efforts. As a result, more or different information could come to hand. Also, the currently living people mentioned in these stories will have changes in their lives of interest to the reader. For that reason, you are asked to check often that you have [the latest version of this document](#), which the author will update from time to time.

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Organization and Scope

To provide some focus in this journey, which could have been laid out in many ways, the material is organized in categories:

- [Homesteads \(and notable familial residences\)](#)
- [Personal Histories](#)
- [Their Legacy](#)
- [Their Family Histories](#)
- [Cemeteries and memorials](#)
- [Additional resources](#)

While the focus is without a doubt the area in and around Winnipeg, there is some attention paid to points of special interest that relate to the resting places of the parents and siblings of the key couple that brings these families together: Joseph Marie Dondo (1893) and Marguerite Élise Rebiffe (1906), their heritage and to the fact that significant information about their ancestors is also available and has been compiled by various family researchers.

Please note: For more details about the stories of their parents, their aunts, uncles, cousins, and some other relatives on their wider family trees, please see the very much related documents about their birth families:

- [Guillaume Dondo \(1864\) and his wife Marie Anne Dacquay \(1872\)](#) and
- [Gaston Joseph Louis Rebiffe \(1884\) and his wife Marguerite Le Dévéhat \(1882\)](#)

All of the information in this document that has a geographical nature has been captured at some level of detail in a [single custom map](#), available on the internet as a “My Maps” resource. It is intended as a visual guide to the proximity of the various locations mentioned below. In addition, more information and content are available directly in that resource as part of each “pin” for the locations described below.

The author has attempted to capture enough information here to provide a foundation for understanding the places that were vital parts of the lives of our shared ancestors. It in no way pretends to be an exhaustive account of their lives.

Links in this document take the reader to both specialized and public resources that are not captured well in this format without it becoming overwhelming. Of special note: the “virtual cemeteries” referenced below are maintained by the author and have a much greater scope than this pair of families and their descendants. He trusts they may give one a sense of the way the lives of our ancestors were connected that are otherwise not readily understood today.

As a way to encourage further exploration of the area and the families’ connections to it, the [“Additional Resources”](#) section lists but some of the great collections and services out there that provide more insight into the history these people lived and the ways they made us who we are today.

Left out of this document, are details about other families from the St-Claude and Notre-Dame-de-Lourdes areas (e.g., the Durand’s, the Philippe’s, the Magne’s, the Pachtet’s, as well as others) that had a significant influence on the couple’s lives; people who may have been related in ways we do not understand and who spent many days socializing as well as assisting with the business of working a farm in the early 20th century.

Also left out are details of the lives of their parents, siblings, and the other close relatives they would have known while growing up in St-Claude. Those stories are addressed in the document mentioned above that describes their birth families.

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Homesteads (and notable familial residences)

Both partners in this union were raised on homesteads in the St-Claude area. This document provides a location for them. While the Dondo parents retired to and died in St-Claude, The Rebiffe couple retired to and died in the Vancouver area.

Only the parents' residences that would have been home to the children themselves are identified in this work, though others do appear on the related map as a reference, since so many Dondo children also built their lives and raised their families in the "Lower Mainland" (BC) area and its adjacent islands. Their children knew their Rebiffe grandparents in ways that were impossible for the grandchildren raised in other parts of the country.

More details about the changes of address of the senior Rebiffe couple are available in [the related document found here](#). The reader is encouraged to review the very much related ["MyMaps" resource](#) for a visual presentation of these locations and some additional information.

Family Homesteads, etc.:

- Guillaume / Marie Anne Dondo Homesteads

The family had two. The first was abandoned after a storm blew the roof off the home during a storm in 1910. The second served as home to the growing family until all the children had left and started their own families and the senior couple retired to town. The only son to remain in the area and pursue the farming life was their oldest, Yves, but he never, as far as we can tell, established his family on either "original" homestead.

It would seem these parcels were purchased from the railroad company (CPR) or the Hudson's Bay Company. There are no records provincially or federally of a homestead being registered for this family.

- Gaston / Marguerite Rebiffe(é) Homesteads and residences

The family ALSO had two homesteads. It is entirely possible, but no documents exist to support this hypothesis, that the second homestead, occupied by the young family during the 1911 census, was the original homestead owned and operated by the Guillaume & Marie Anne Dondo family. This is the one they occupied and worked from that time, until the senior couple's retirement and eventual move to Maillardville, a French enclave in suburban Vancouver, to be with their eldest son Gaston, Jr.

They lived with him for several years. Marguerite died while her address was that of her son. Gaston, Sr then went to live for several years with their daughter Marie, before living out his final years in care.

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- [Saint-Claude](#)

This village that grew into a town was the centre of all the social and economic activity for the families, with additional influences from the neighbouring towns of Notre-Dame-de-Lourdes, Haywood, and others. Those influences can be seen in the family tree through the places of birth, mostly of spouses and later children.

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Joseph and Marguerite (née Rebiffe(é)) homes:

Following their elopement and marriage in Saint-Boniface, MB, in 1928, they had several family homes and residences:

- Fisher Branch, RM of Fisher Branch, MB

Their first home and the place of birth for the first seven of their nine children, they also interacted with members of another branch of the Dondo family tree as part of their daily lives. That story is told in more detail in the related document about their parents and birth families.

They lived right across from the town school. Every day, Marguerite would deal with a small invasion force of school children wanting to enjoy the smells of the 100 loaves of fresh-baked bread and other baked goods Marguerite produced each day in her home / bakery. Joseph had several roles that helped pay the bills. He was a butcher by trade and helped in the local butcher shop and slaughterhouse. He also acted as the local grain inspector, helped in the creamery and did general labour.

Their eldest daughter (the older twin!), Marie-Ange, wrote an entry excerpted with other material from [the local history book](#) that tells us about the family's time there and gives a synopsis of the children's lives up to about the time of the book's publication in 1982. By the time they moved to Winnipeg, the twins were about 12, so their childhoods and those of some of their younger siblings would have been largely about Fisher Branch.

Family lore tells us that Marguerite's brother André "Andy" Rebiffe(é) (1911) met his first wife Cora (née Vandersteen, 1911) in Fisher Branch, having been introduced by a distant cousin to Joseph, Jacques Dondo (son of Joseph Dondeau / o (1862)). Her brothers tell stories of André picking them up for "work parties". The town left a mark on the Dondo family!

- 349 York Avenue, Winnipeg, MB

Assumed to have been the family's first home in Winnipeg for the period from their arrival in 1941 until the aftermath of the couple's divorce in late 1947, this house, now demolished and replaced by office towers, was the first home for the two youngest members of the family: Helene and Irene.

During this time, Marguerite ran a property management business that included many rooming houses. An unfortunate fire in one of her buildings in early 1944 is part of her story and made the local papers.

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- Saint-Boniface Sanatorium, 440 River Road, Winnipeg, MB

Little is known to the author of Joseph's life after their divorce. Records indicate that he was a resident in this facility in 1953 and we know he died there in 1957. All the information available to us indicates he died of complications due to Tuberculosis, a condition the family now believes was brought on by his work in the war-time effort to produce munitions in the (now abandoned) ["cordite" plant](#) in Transcona, MB.

- 717 Rathgar Avenue, Winnipeg, MB

Marguerite established a new home for her now single-parent family at this address. Here the troop remained until each child set off to build their own lives. It is understood Marguerite moved out about the time Irene was married in 1962.

- Various addresses in and near Winnipeg's core

Marguerite had a succession of apartments that served as her home. Some were in proximity to family members, but in later years, she was essentially fending for herself right up to the time she moved into the Manitoba Housing facility at 185 Smith Street; her last residence.

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The homes and residences of the Joseph and Marie Dondo Children:

- Cecile Marguerite Marie "Cece" Dondo (1929-2018) and her husband Francis "Emmett" O'Neill (1926-1994)

Married in 1953, the couple lived their lives in Winnipeg at several addresses around the city. Most notably, they had apartments / condominiums in the Roslyn Road / Nassau Street North area, as well as a home in the Charleswood neighbourhood and, finally, a condominium in Saint-Norbert.

Some time after Emmett's death in 1994, Cece left the city to be closer to her twin sister, Marie-Ange, in the Vancouver area. There, she had a couple of addresses, the last of which was on the Lougheed Highway in the Maple Ridge District Municipality.

- Marie-Ange Josephine "Marie" Dondo (1929) and her husband Lyle Victor Thomson (1920-2002)

Their 1948 marriage in Burnaby, BC, signaled the beginning of another wave of spread of the Dondo family to the Canadian West Coast. Some of her Rebiffe uncles and aunts, as well as her grandparents Rebiffe were already present there. The couple had a long-time residence at 2230 Lorraine Avenue, which was the family home to their two boys. The couple were shrewd investors, buying land around them which they later subdivided.

- Paul Dondo (1930-1987)

Paul lived with the family until his intellectual challenges became too much for the remaining family members to handle and he was placed in [a specialized institution in Selkirk, MB](#), that serves the people of Manitoba to this day.

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- Henri Marie Ferdinand "Henry" "Hank" Dondo (1932-2012) and his wife Edith Christine (née Russin, 1932-2020)

Married in 1952 after meeting over the counter of her father's grocery store (ice cream and bananas were always in demand!), the couple lived their entire lives in Winnipeg. They moved a few times as their family grew to include all five (5) children, settling for many years on Dunrobin Avenue, which was the address most of the children considered to be their family home.

The younger siblings spent some years with their parents on Donalda Avenue, just a few blocks away, and the empty-nesters eventually set themselves up in an apartment complex not far away on Whellams Lane. That was the final residence for Hank before going into care. Edith stayed a few more years, then moved to a more supportive facility next to the same care home in which Henri had spent his final months. That same residence would eventually welcome her home, as well, for her final years.

- Albert Joseph Marie "Al" Dondo (1934-2008) and his wife Marlene Joanne Janette (née Murray, 1937-2018)

Albert left Winnipeg in 1950 for Vancouver at the young age of 16. He served for at least a year (1954-1955) aboard the American vessel the "Princess Patricia" as a "wiper". One of his fellow crewmen was James Murray, brother of his future wife, Marlene. The couple wed in 1957. They lived at several addresses in the Greater Vancouver area, including a time in East Vancouver next door to his aunt Marie Rebiffe (1913). The family's long-term "home" was in Aldergrove.

- Annette Dondo (1936) and her husband Origène "Gene" Morand (1930-1998)

Married in 1954, Annette established their home in Winnipeg and had a short succession of addresses before settling into their long-time residence on Lipton Street, which for many years included Gene's parents as members of the household. That was "home" to their three children. Some time after Gene's death in 1998, Annette moved into a housing cooperative on Sargent Avenue in which she has taken a continually active role.

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- Emile Joseph "Moe" Dondo (1939-2016) and his wife Aline Marie (née Larmand, 1941-2006)

Married in 1958, Moe and Aline lived for a time in Winnipeg. They had a short stay in Saskatoon, returned to Winnipeg, where they lived for another short time in the Transcona area. Then, the young couple left in about 1966 for Ontario. They had several addresses in places like London where they raised their children. They were then long-time residents of the Niagara Falls area.

- Helene Marie Dondo (1942) and her husband Alan Robert Wood (1942)

The couple wed in 1961. By 1965, they were living in an apartment on Sherbrook Street. They lived in other apartments for a few years after that. Alan was of an entrepreneurial bent which led him to take his young family to Dominion City in pursuit of the business opportunity that would pay off for the family and eliminate their money worries.

The couple divorced some years later. Alan left the city and has his new life based in British Columbia. Helen raised the children alone after that, but they were already in or near their teenage years. She maintained her residence in the south end of Winnipeg, close to her older sister Cece, who was remarkably close with the children, especially the two girls.

- Irene Marie Henriette Dondo (1943-2014) and her husband Harold Courtney Pilgrim (1939)

Irene married Harold in 1962 and was the last child to leave the family home on Rathgar. They initially lived in Winnipeg where Harold began his career with the railroad. All four of their children were born there. They had a series of addresses in Winnipeg and then, for a time, in Selkirk, MB. Shortly after the birth of their youngest child, the family left to follow Harold's career in Edmonton when the railroad shops and facilities were being closed in Winnipeg. The family considers this to be home, but the older children have fond memories and lasting friendships in Winnipeg.

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Personal Stories

To allow everyone reading this document to gain further insight into the information gathered by the author about the main players in these stories, the senior generations, the pioneers, he used the available feature in Ancestry to generate a "Life Story" for each of the following people and the files are available:

The author's tree includes information for each of the partners which has been captured in story form in the files available here:

- [Joseph Marie "Joe" Dondo \(1893-1957\)](#)
- [Marguerite Élise Rebiffe \(1906-1983\)](#)

The author is also providing insight into the list of facts and sources that he has collected that enable the telling of those stories. These documents provide that view:

- [Joseph Marie "Joe" Dondo \(1893 1957\)](#)
- [Marguerite Élise Rebiffe \(1906 1983\)](#)

The reader is welcome to take advantage of the information and to offer any suggestions for missing material or corrections. All help is welcome!

Also, of note: the author has extensive information about many people related to these key players by direct descendance and by marriage. Within reason... **questions and requests are welcome!**

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Their Legacy

As readers are aware, the story of this families is on-going. These people were the children of the generation of French settlers (mostly Breton's) who crossed the Atlantic to seek their fortune in the "New World". The stories of that earlier generation and those of their siblings is told in the document dedicated to the two founding couples that can be found as noted above.

One mark they have left, in most cases, is a memorial or grave marker in a cemetery. That has not always been the case and the locations of same have not all been found, but we can still create virtual memorials for them on services such as "Find a Grave". That allows us to visit them, to think about them, to honour their memory, to recognize the way they shaped our own lives, while seated in a favorite spot, with a favorite beverage at hand...

As places to start such a nostalgic voyage of remembrance, the reader might want to consider the memorials for [Joseph](#) and [Marguerite](#).

Please note: The documents referenced here are the results of the family history research of the author. For errors and omissions, he accepts full blame. He is also open to all help in making the material better. He trusts you will find the journey they invoke to be a pleasant one.

While these documents offer a "point in time" view of our shared family history, they need not be static. With help and further research, they can be updated. This document will always refer to the most recent version available, so come back often and, please, make suggestions that will keep them up to date.

Here is document that provides a simple list of descendants of this couple:

- [Joseph Marie Dondo \(1893\) and Marguerite Elise Rebiffe \(1906\)](#)

Here is related document that is another list. This one represents the known (or explicitly unknown!) resting places of those who have gone before us. As the reader will see, the lists go beyond the scope of the map offered in support of this document. There are graves and memorials in cemeteries beyond the locations that are the prime focus of this document, all marking the lives lived of our forebearers and worthy of our attention, at least, from time to time:

- [Joseph Marie Dondo \(1893\) and Marguerite Elise Rebiffe \(1906\)](#)

As an additional way of seeing the ways these people's legacies have grown, here are **Word Cloud** representations of the surnames of all the descendants in those lists:

- [Joseph Marie Dondo \(1893\) and Marguerite Elise Rebiffe \(1906\)](#)

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Snapshot images of ancestral family trees:

*(N.B. these are drawn from the author's Ancestry tree and offered as a reference;
The trees may change at any time when new information comes to hand,
so these snapshots may become obsolete or otherwise inaccurate)*

While this document has a specific focus on the family Marguerite and Joseph raised, the reader is invited to examine the material available in the document that discusses the legacy of their parents to get an appreciation for the wider connections that are part of this heritage in subtler ways.

First as images (with their birth families, ancestors, and descendants):

(N.B., Making wall-size posters from these will require some meticulous effort or the use of a printing service with specialized equipment)

[Joseph Marie "Joe" \(1893-1957\)](#)

His wife [Marguerite Élise \(née Rebiffe\(é\), 1906-1983\) Dondo](#)

Then, as documents, with a slightly different focus:

(N.B., Making wall-size posters from these will require some effort)

[Joseph Marie "Joe" \(1893-1957\) Dondo Family Tree \(showing his birth family and some of his heritage\)](#)

His wife [Marguerite Élise \(née Rebiffe\(é\), 1906-1983\) Dondo \(showing her birth family and some of her heritage\)](#)

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Their Family Histories

The author has had help from several cousins who conduct their own research. As a result, we now have extensive information about the heritage each partner in the couple discussed in this document and can identify some family relationships that may have been less than apparent to more recent generations. Those heritages of are now available to us to varying degrees.

The family tree the author maintains on the Ancestry service contains information that describes several generations along the paternal and maternal lines of each of them. Much of that information has been captured in documents like this one, that describes the families they came from and the depth of the heritage they brought with them to Canada. The reader is invited and encouraged to take advantage of those documents, as [noted above](#). They go into significant detail about the heritage each partner brought their new family.

Those documents provide a glimpse of the depth of the available information on the author's tree. It does not capture its entirety, but they should provide insight into what can be learned from the tree. IN addition, an examination of the document about their parents will highlight the family names that recur again and again in the migration records and the history of the area around St-Claude and Notre-Dame-de-Lourdes.

So many cousins... However, once the generation represented by Joseph and Marguerite had children, their unions introduced entire new chapters to the heritages of the subsequent generations.

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Cemeteries and Memorials

See the [“MyMaps” resource](#) for a visual presentation of these locations and further details.

Here, the scope of the list below reflects the main characters, Marguerite and Joseph with their children. To see the more comprehensive list for their siblings and those descendants, all their nieces and nephews, all the cousins to their children and the second cousins to their grandchildren, etc., the reader is referred to the document that discusses their parents.

Each link associated with the cemeteries in the list below is to the author's curated “virtual cemetery” for the yard in question. Each is meant to capture ALL the graves in the yard that are related to people in the author's extensive family tree.

While many names will be familiar, others may evoke a sense of wonder... wondering about just how the reader might be related to that person. While not everyone is closely related, they are on the author's tree for a reason and sometimes, that reason is both surprising and informative.

One thing the author has learned while compiling this information: We are ALL... cousins!

Author's note:

If any reader is aware of the details of the final disposition of the remains of anyone missing from these lists, please get in touch. I welcome all help in making these resources as complete and accurate as humanly possible.

Note: In direct reference to the above comments, the [“MyMaps” resource](#) includes pins for some cemeteries in the area that are not in these lists. This was done to suggest to the reader that there are more relatives buried in the area than appear on our direct lines of heritage... We owe... SO MUCH!

In Manitoba:

- [Glen Eden Cemetery, West St Paul](#)
Dondo, Rebiffe(é), Russin, and many others by marriage
- [Chapel Lawn Memorial Gardens, Winnipeg](#)
Dondo, Morand, O'Neill, and many others by marriage
- [Saint Claude Roman Catholic Cemetery, Saint-Claude](#)
Bar none, the single yard with the most memorials of interest to the descendants of the Dondo and Rebiffe families
Dondo and Rebiffe(é), of course, but also Dacquay, Le Dévéhat, Durand, Philippe, Delfosse, Goulet, Barfoot, Danais, Gagnon, Pachat, and many others by marriage

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Elsewhere in Canada, etc.:

- [Fairview Cemetery, Niagara Falls, ON](#)
Dondo and Larmand
- [Robinson Memorial Park, Coquitlam, BC](#)
Thomson, Vohanka, and many others by marriage
- [Ashes Scattered](#)
Dondo, Murray, and many others by marriage

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Additional Resources

A free and public website:

[This online resource](#) provides a way for anyone desiring a peek into the connections that make us all cousins to explore the full extent of the author's family tree.

The site gives access to the names and many facts about all the 17,900+ people for which he has information.

Feel free to explore! ESPECIALLY... the other lines of your own heritage that are not expressly discussed in the documents you will find there.

The author has worked to allow any living person on his tree to be able to show any living relative their (normally) 16 great-great-grandparents. In some cases, I have overachieved. In others, I have work left to do. I am hoping this will begin a collection of conversations that will help us ALL to understand the unexpected ways we are connected to people we may meet.

In addition, you will find there, links to "Virtual Guided Tours" for ancestors you may or may not share with the author.

Ancestry family trees:

(Ancestry account required)

(N.B., Viewing of some or all content may also require permission from the owner)

Of note: there are other family trees on Ancestry that provide in-depth information about other parts of the more distant relationships to other living relatives

[Rick Dondo \(1955\)'s main tree](#)

As of this writing, this tree contains information about more than 17,900 people, with more than 12,000 photos and images, more than 975 stories, and is supported by more than 34,000 records, with more than 51,400 unprocessed "discoveries" that could add depth to the stories these profiles tell about the people who went before us

N.B., The tree is "Public" on Ancestry and readily accessible; Ask if you want to see living people

[Dan Pilgrim \(1963\)'s main tree](#)

At this date: 520+ people; more than 50 photos; supported by more than 200 records

Public; Ask if you want to see living people

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Publicly Available Records of significance:

[The SS Vancouver](#)

[1905 Arrival record for Marie Anne Dondo \(1872\) and the children](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1906 Canada Census Items for Dondo's in the St-Claude area](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1906 Canada Census Items for Rebiffe's in the St-Claude area](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1911 Canada Census Items for Dondo's in the St-Claude area](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1911 Canada Census Items for Rebiffe's in the St-Claude area](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1916 Canada Census Items for Dondo's in the St-Claude area](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1916 Canada Census Items for Rebiffe's in the St-Claude area](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1921 Canada Census record for Guillaume Dondo \(1864\)](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1921 Canada Census Items for Rebiffe's in the St-Claude area](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1926 Canada Census record for Guillaume Dondo \(1864\)](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1926 Canada Census record for Yves Dondo \(1891\)](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1926 Canada Census Items for Rebiffe's in the St-Claude area](#) (Library and Archives Canada)

[1926 Canada Census form with the Guillaume Dondo \(1864\) and Gaston Rebiffe \(1884\) families](#)
(Library and Archives Canada)

Travel Manifest Details, etc.:

[Table with the names of the 63 people](#) who arrived on the Vancouver in Halifax, NS, on April 2, 1905,
bound for St-Claude

With an indication as to the person's presence on the author's family tree

While the individuals may not, in some cases, be on the tree, other members of that same
family may well be!

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Manitoba Local Histories:

“Les familles de St-Claude Families 1892-2016 “, produced by the St-Claude Historical Society

[“Hugging the Meridian - MacDonald -- A Manitoba Municipal History 1881-1981”](#)

[“A Place of Our Own – A History of No Ordinary People” \(Fisher Branch and surrounding towns\)](#)

[“Tiger Hills to the Assiniboine - History of Treherne and District”](#)

Many others via [the Digital Collections at the University of Manitoba](#)

Many others via [the Manitoba Historical Society](#)

Histories and references about Maillardville, BC:

[The archives of Maillardville](#) (in French, but even the images are of interest!)

(Library and Archives Canada)

[A short history of Maillardville](#) (with some interesting external links to other perspectives on the place)

(Wikipedia)

Family albums online (photo and otherwise):

- [The souvenir album produced by Jacques Dondo \(1896\) and his wife Virginie \(née Pattyn, 1900\) and presented to the family at a celebration on June 29, 1980](#)

[The Le Dévéhat family album produced in 2002](#)

At this time, there are no others to publish, but all offers will be gladly received, and this document will be updated.

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