

Ile-a-la-Crosse 1946

*Louisa Ratt's Story as told by her
Grandson Nickolas Ratt*



This picture was taken in 1946. I was not born as of yet. My parents spoke of the hard times. But I remember the one special day that my mother always talked about. That special day was July 1st, 1946 when there were six couples that got married. The couples were Mr. and Mrs. Vital Morin, Mr. and Mrs. Melchoir Bouvier and Mr. and Mrs. George Maurice who lives in Jans Bay and Mr. and Mrs. Frances Opikopew from Canoe Lake. There was also two other couples from La Loche. Ile a la Crosse was very small then, none of the house north of Chester Fried existed in 1946.