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Beginning in 1910, Louis Chabot's family was 3rd generation of Chabot to live on the land in rank 8 of St-Lazare-de-Bellechasse, since 1847. Darie Chabot occupied it from 1938. (Top photo: circa 1949). Today, his son Serge operates it. Below: the House today



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What does it mean to be a Chabot? Laurence says she is proud of her family name, proud of her origins, of the genes of her ancestors, of all the Chabots who came before her. She says: "I am proud to know that there is a part of who I am that comes from my father. My father is a role model. He is very hardworking and very disciplined, he is a very upright person who has his values in the right place. It is from him that I get my rigor, my perseverance. Also, he always really liked sports: hockey, baseball and he likes board games. When it's time, he's able to relax and have fun." According to Laurence, family does not stop at blood ties. For her, there are girls with whom she has played sports for years, without any blood connection, but whom she considers *sisters*. Belonging to the Chabot therefore has a meaning but it is not exclusively genetic.

**Maude** adds: "I know that there are many characteristics of my father which come from the Chabot and which I believe I have inherited: we are very Cartesian, we like things to be done well, we have a little on the perfectionist side, we want to learn more and be able to have an articulate discussion. We are a little stubborn, we like to have our opinions, then to discuss everything. There is also the desire for excellence".

Certainly, these two young Chabot are worthy members of the great Chabot family!



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