

1885



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Buffalo Hunt Facts

- ___ Buffalo hunting a traditional source of Metis income.
- ___ Buffalo meat dried, pounded and mixed with fat to make pemmican.
- ___ Metis developed laws for hunting to help save the disappearing buffalo.
- ___ The buffalo almost exterminated by the early 1880's.

North West Mounted Police Facts

- ___ N.W.M.P. founded in 1873.
- ___ N.W.M.P. arrest Gabriel Dumont in 1875 for following Metis laws of buffalo hunting.
- ___ N.W.M.P. spy on Metis and Indians in 1884 and send reports to Government of Canada.
- ___ N.W.M.P. Inspector Crozier goes to Duck Lake and starts first battle of 1885 Resistance.

Canadian Pacific Railway Facts

- ___ British Columbia joins Canada in 1871 on condition that railway be built from east to west coast.
- ___ The C.P.R. Charter is signed in 1880 and route through Prince Albert chosen.
- ___ Charter gives C.P.R. over 100 million dollars in cash, land and track.
- ___ C.P.R. completed in 1885.

1885 Resistance Facts

- ___ Lawrence Clarke starts resistance by telling Metis that government will attack them.
- ___ Three major battles fought at Duck Lake, Fish Creek and Batoche.
- ___ Louis Riel surrenders and is hanged on November 16, 1885.
- ___ Gabriel Dumont escapes to the U.S. and is pardoned upon which he returns to Saskatchewan.

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