### STUDENTS AS MASTER STORYTELLERS

# Exploring Heritage Inquiry with Social Studies Students

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### Afternoon Session

#### Students as Master Storytellers: Heritage Inquiry

This workshop examines the capacity of students to conduct meaningful historical and geographical research and share personal connections to story and place. Glen has been doing a variety of heritage inquiry projects with students for 20 years across multiple grades, and will share recent examples. These projects can take a day or a month and tap into the curricular competencies from the revised BC curriculum. The participant activity mirrors one of the activities open to students. Inquiry and assessment cycles will be discussed.

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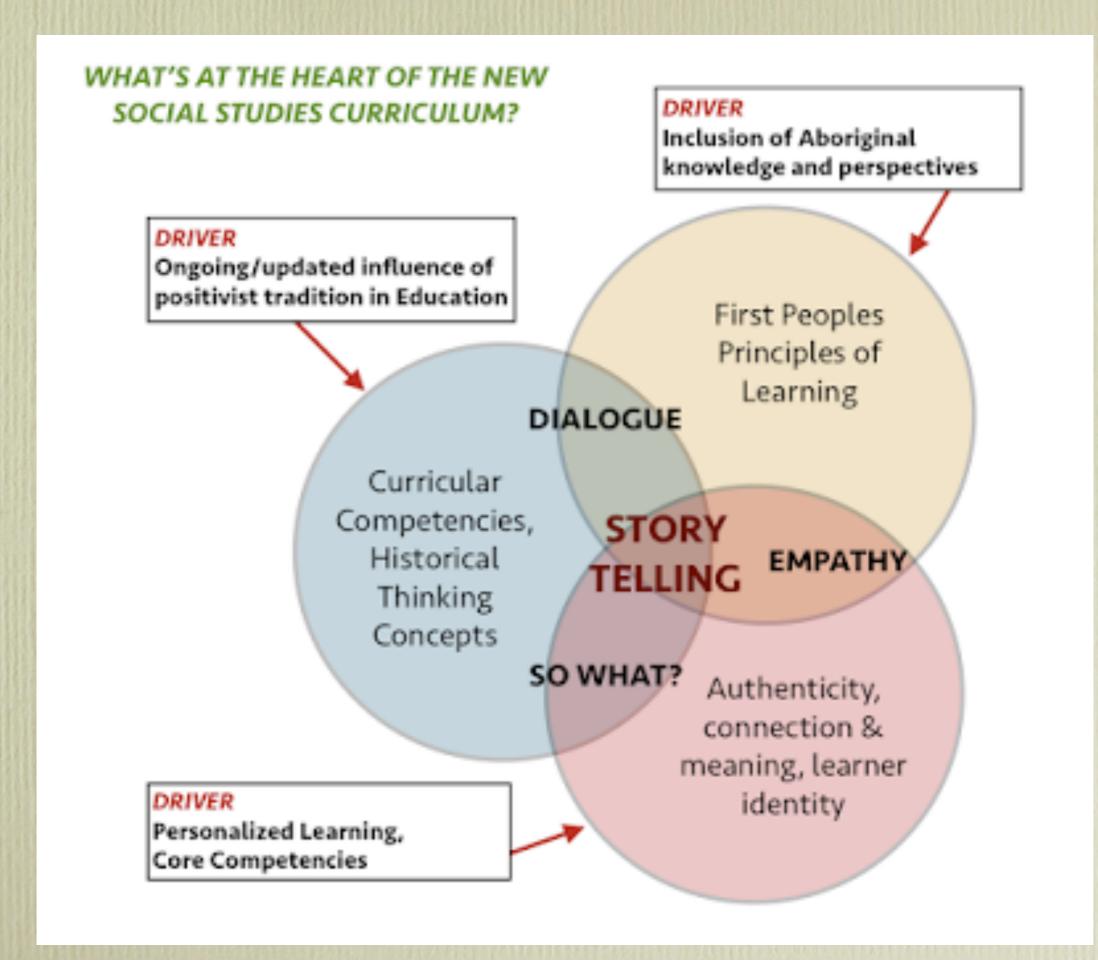
- welcome/introduction
- thoughts about heritage-based inquiry and projects in Social Studies
- students as expert storytellers examples
- workshop activity what's your story?
- open-ended problems: inquiry, PBL, technology, resources, competencies

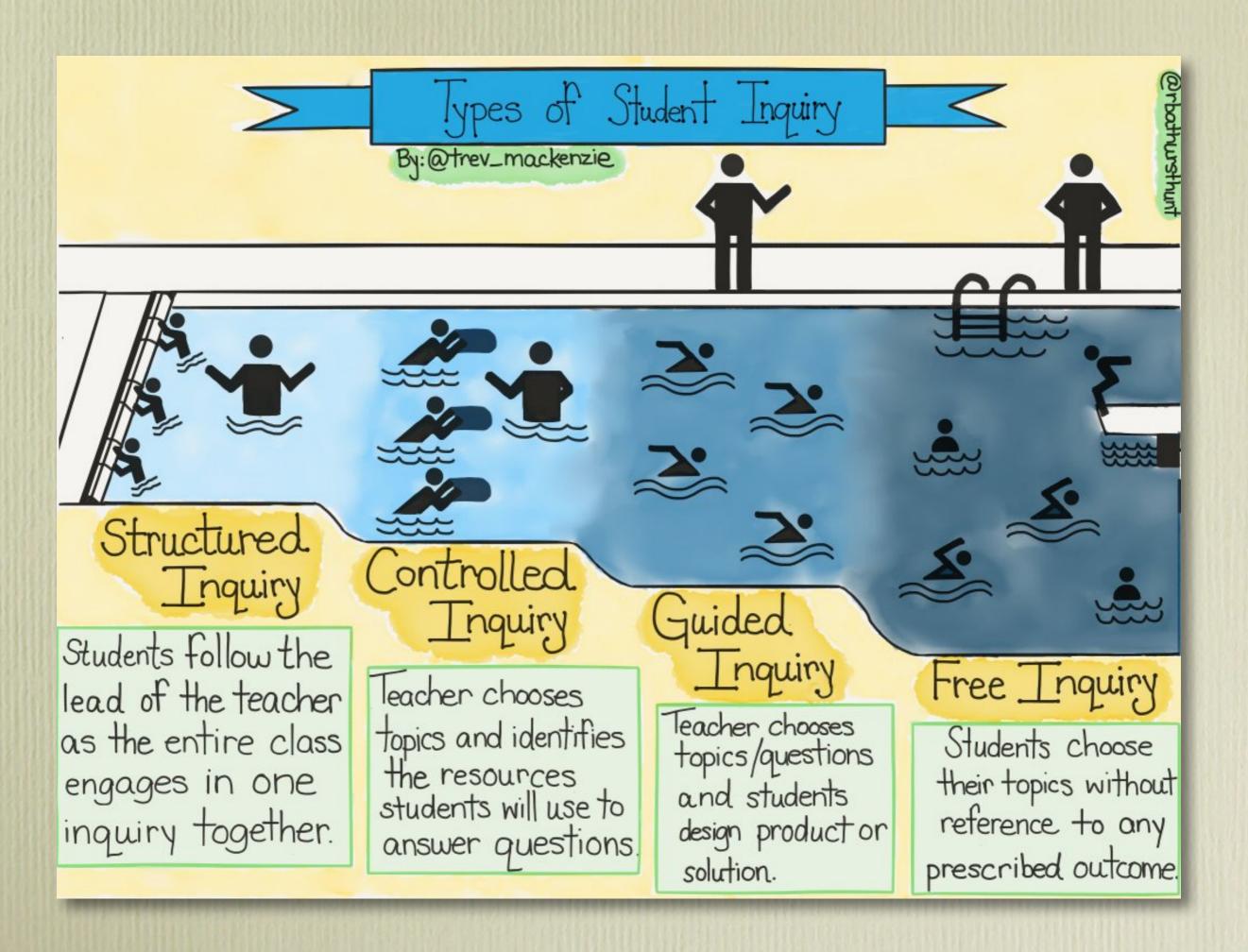
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## Who is this large bearded fellow?







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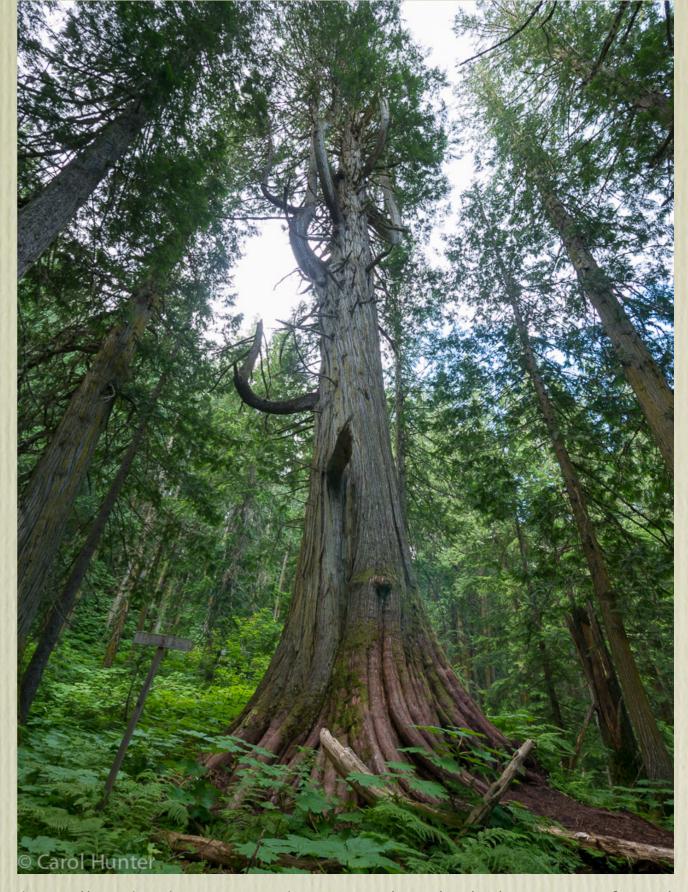
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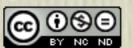
I can learn anything I want to.
When I'm frustrated, I persevere.
I want to challenge myself.
When I fail, I learn.
Tell me I try hard.
If you succeed, I'm inspired.
My effort and attitude determine everything.

I'm either good at it, or I'm not.
When I'm frustrated, I give up.
I don't like to be challenged.
When I fail, I'm no good.
Tell me I'm smart.
If you succeed, I feel threatened.
My abilities determine everything.

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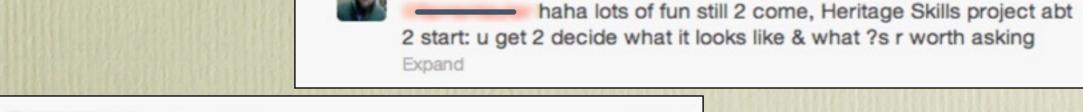




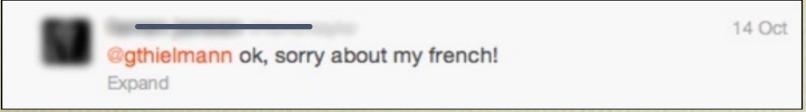


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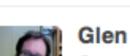
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## Engagement follows identity



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Canadian Currency Challenge

Laura Cole Middleton, Nova Scotia

Students employ Historical Thinking, research, and technology to investigate the Essential Question: Did the 20th Century Belong to Canada?



Did the 20th Century Belong to Canada?

Janet Ruest Chemainus, British Columbia

Students investigate the Essential Question (Did the 20th Century Belong to Canada?) and then prepare a digital report.

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Educating the Public on Aboriginal History

Peter Katsionis Burnaby, British Columbia

Students will analyze and reflect on Aboriginal law in Canada through a variety of media and methods.



Final Project: The Battle of Monte Cassino

Patrick Hrycak Owen Sound, Ontario

Let's apply historical thinking to the Battle of Monte Cassino.



From Headlines to Picket Lines

Luis Filipe Toronto, Ontario

Assessing the validity of historical sources as evidence of past events to help us build a richer understanding of the past.



From the Famine to the Fenians

Dan Conner Vancouver, British Columbia

This project investigates the relationship between the French and Irish Catholic communities of Montreal.

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Imperialism and
Aboriginal Identity
Jillian Cornock, Ryan Holly,
Dayna Hart
Kelowna, British Columbia

Students examine the impact of imperialism on Aboriginal identity through a series of station activities and reflections.



Introduction to Canadian Residential Schools

Jarrod Fuhr Calgary, Alberta

Challenging students to reconcile contradictory historical narratives through research.

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#### Reconciliation Project

Suzanne Williamson Lacombe, Alberta

Students explore Aboriginal history and Indian Residential Schools.



Spirit of '56: Evaluating Canada's Peacekeeping

Carrie Ann Taylor, Ted Meldrum, Adrian French Victoria, British Columbia

Spirit of '56 enables students to explore Canada's role as a global intermediary in the 20th century and assess our 'success' in this role.



Surviving Residential School

Lindsay Fichter Edmonton, Alberta

Students explore and understand how residential schools were a negative consequence of Canadian imperialism and ethnocentrism.



Writing a Better Textbook

Stefan Stipp Surrey, British Columbia

Applying a variety of skills students re-write a section of their textbook about Aboriginal Peoples.

## Preserving history one shoebox at a time at the Seaforth Armoury

Armoury staff perform 'rescue archaeology' on thousands of found artifacts

By David Horemans, CBC News Posted: Sep 24, 2016 1:00 PM PT | Last Updated: Sep 24, 2016 1:00 PM PT



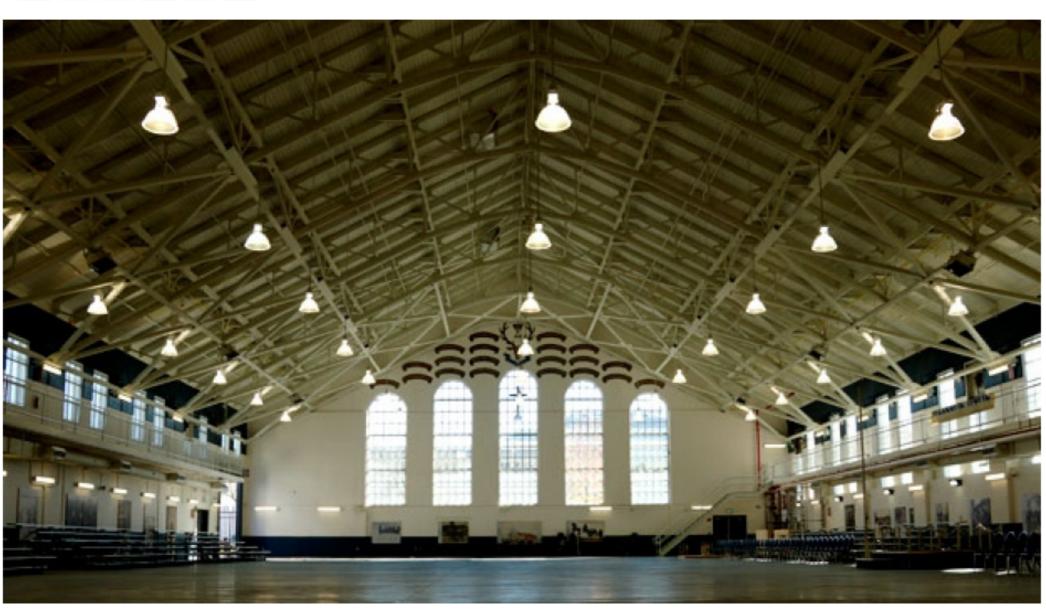












The Seaforth Armoury located in downtown Vancouver has just finished an intensive four-year renovation, including seismic upgrades.

The Canadian Forces will use the building as a point of refuge should there ever be a major disaster in the city.

The battalion is also working to transform the Canadian Highlanders' home into a living museum. Their goal is to connect newer soldiers to over 100 years of regiment history.

Before the armoury's renovation started, **Seaforth Highlanders Museum** staff and volunteers scoured the building for historic material squirrelled away by soldiers.

Archivists packed four truckloads of art, photos and artifacts for documentation. Many of the boxes found had never been opened before.

#### Thousand of boxes hidden everywhere

Curator Capt. Robert MacDonald oversees the preservation of artifacts. He calls it "rescue archaeology — a cross between *Hoarders* and the *Antiques Roadshow*."

The titles listed on thousands of shoe boxes, crates and even pizza boxes often don't match what is inside.



#### **Everyone's story counts**

Connecting soldiers, no matter rank, to artifacts is an important focus for the museum.

MacDonald says this tobacco tin was carried by a private during the Battle of Regina Trench. He says Private Lord was hit by two rounds from a machine gun but escaped injury thanks to his tin. Lord carried the tin until the end of the First World War as a lucky talisman and never smoked the tobacco inside.



#### History at every corner

The Seaforth Highlanders will be hanging their newest battle honour from Afghanistan during the reopening ceremony.

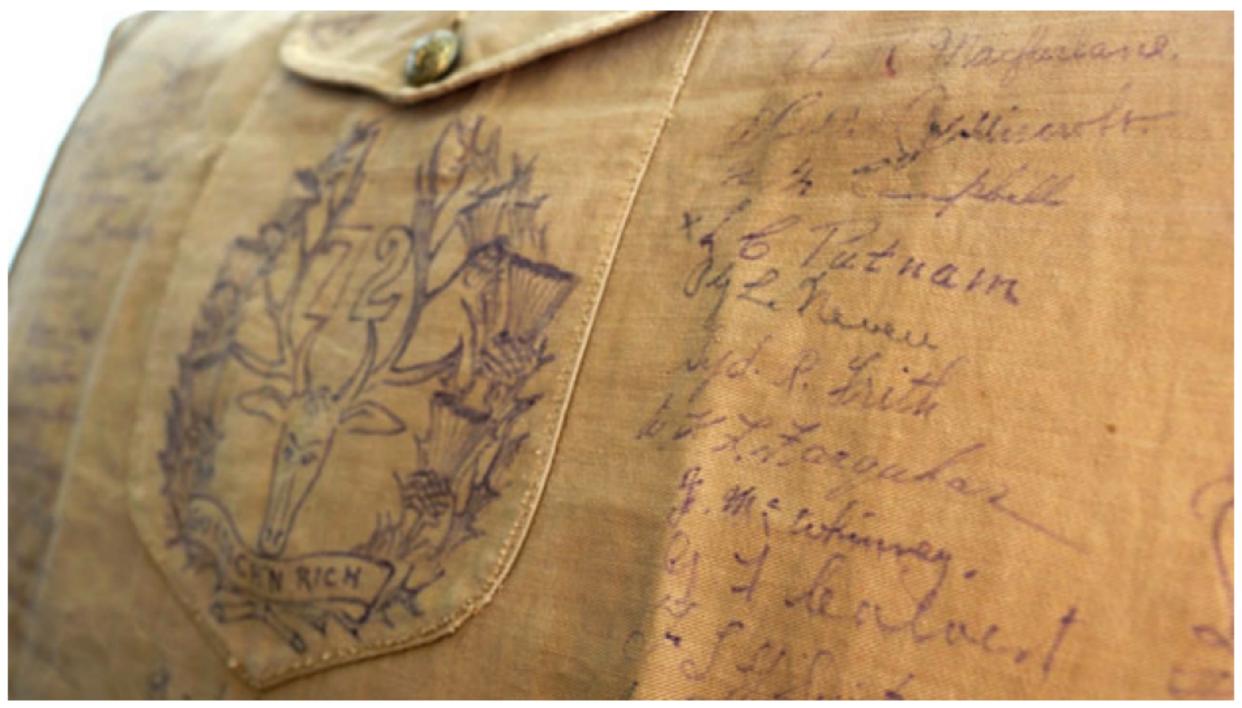
The museum's goal is to hang something from other famous battles like Ypres, Passchendaele and Ortona on every corner. MacDonald wants to "remind soldiers they are a part of history."



Not all regiment history is written on paper.

Newly discovered pieces help document the history of the regiment in ways military records cannot.

For example, the signatures of soldiers on this First World War kilt protector give archivists more information about units and the battles they fought in.



#### Mysteries and art abound

The armoury collection not only has military artifacts but also paintings, photos, sculptures, drawings and even furniture made by Canadian Highlanders.

Trench art created by soldiers waiting to go into battle is often unsigned. Macdonald says the archive team regularly asks members and families for help to give credit to soldiers who created the pieces.



#### **Exclusive rooms and artifacts**

The regiment's emblematic stag watches over the entrance to an area MacDonald calls "the most exclusive club in the world" — the Sergeant's Mess.

"The only way to enter here is through experience and merit," he said. The captain's father and grandfather also served with the Highlanders.



# Students as Expert Storytellers



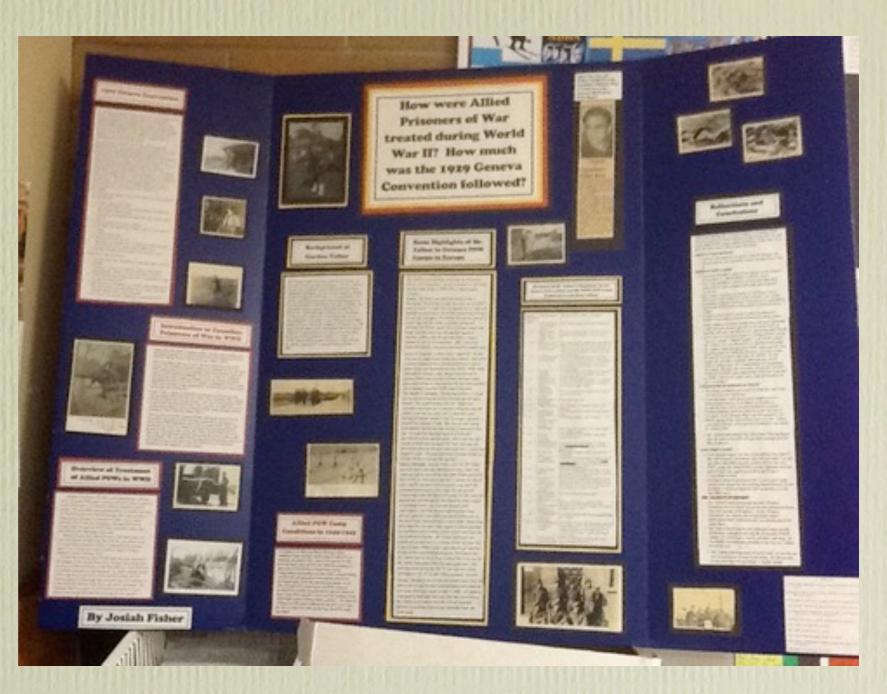




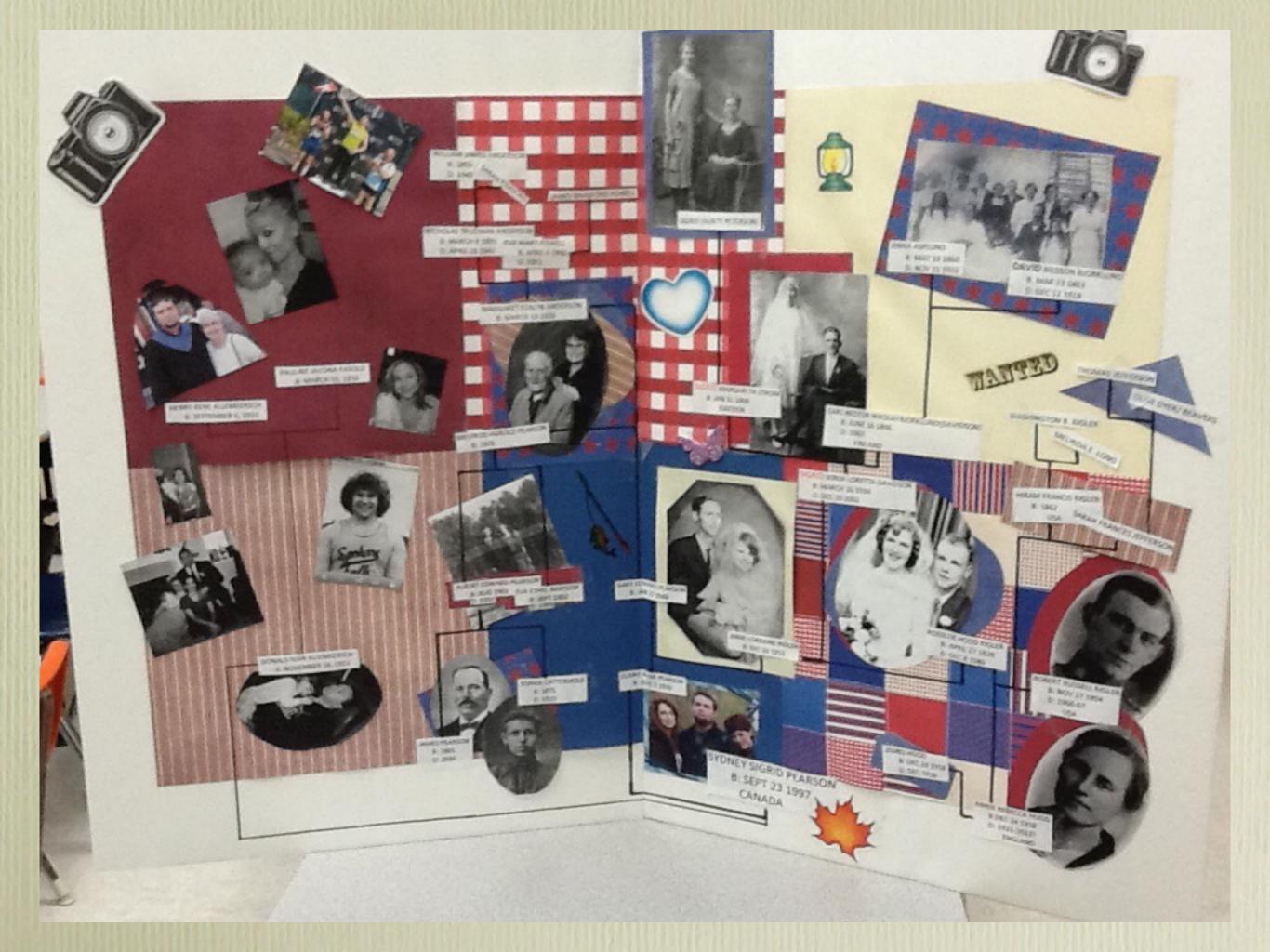














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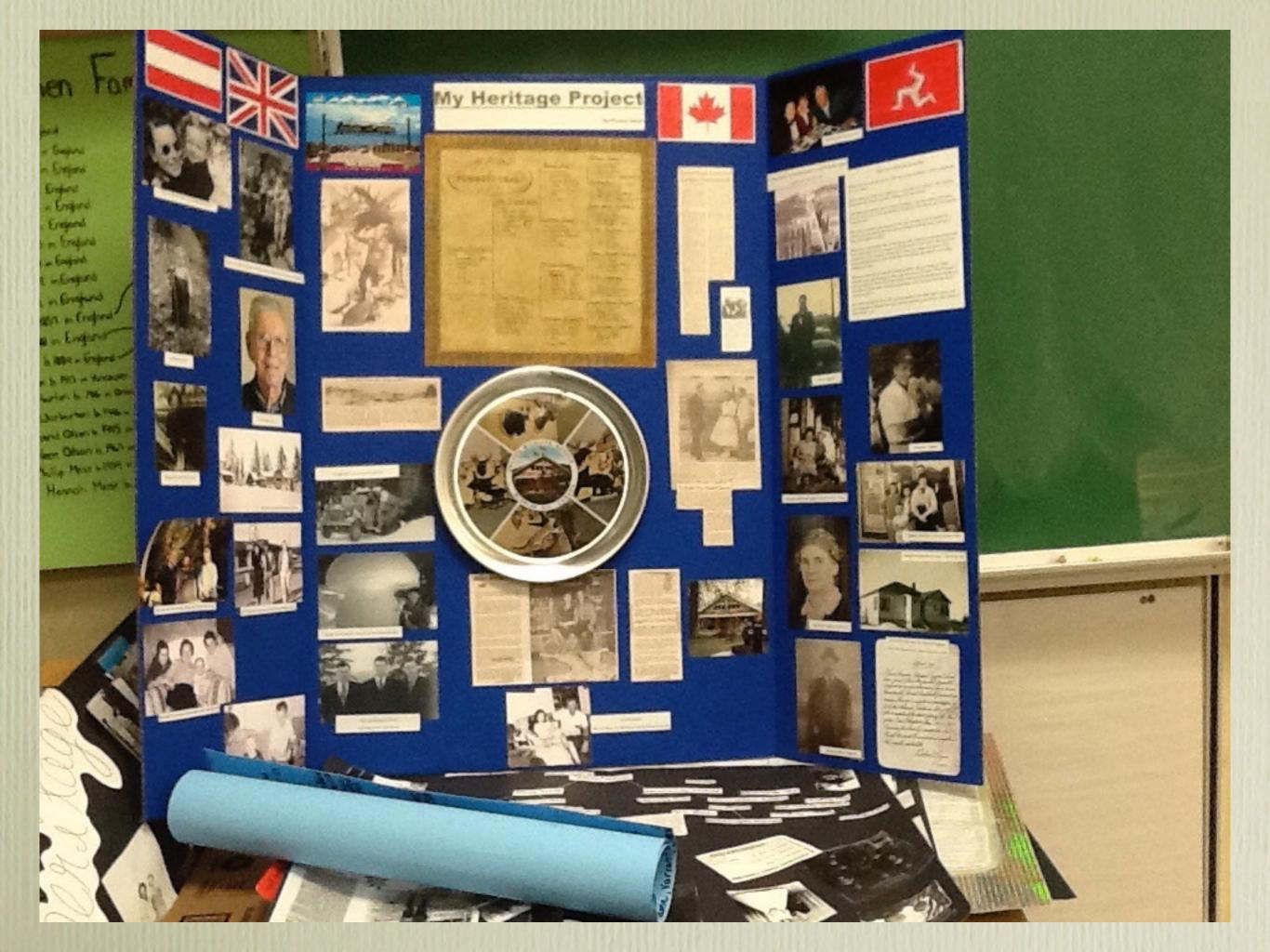
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The Métis Flag



#### Great-Grandfather

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man in that time he had gone to World War Z. He was a

spent some time being a big game hunter. In South Africa, I

imagine that would have been very cool. He also was a game

ranger at the time too. Roderick also spent his time being a land surveyor. My great-grandfather had done a lot with his life and filled it to the fullest in his 74 years. He was with my greatgrandmother most of this time, she didn't do anything or work she just followed, my great-grandpa around where ever he

grandfather that had done most with his life I think. My father

Everyone that could have had gone to school, and did

I would like to make my family out to be more than what it

MY HERITAGE CONNECTIONS

#### How we got our last

#### name

We had originally thought that we got the name Ward-Cox because the Ward's had married the Cox's but as it turns out according to the time line I have, it was my great-great-grandfather Thomas's. modile name was Ward and from then on for some odd reason it was witten into our last name Securing Ward-Cox around (1965-1978) the time he had lived.

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#### Interview

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1. Where were you born? And what was your house like?

I had leed in Merivalic, South Africa. My house was a ranch style house, right on

Congern Valley. We had a very nice place to live, with a 3 car garage, work shop

I scres of land, and only 30-40 kilometres from a wild life reserve. We also had a **swimming** 

good and a fish good, a bird every, chicken run, and many fruit trees. I was born in

2. Old you have TV? Radio?

didn't have a TV but I had a radio, my favorite channel, I remember, was Jungle

3. What did you do for fun?

r would go down into valley to hunt guives foul and rubbits. I would also go to the

play with the Zulu's, in the vades. Dur family was not ractit.

4. Where did your parents work?

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7. Was there anthing, and event or something even, that just stood out for you and you can still remember clearly?

1979, all New Zealand blacks in. South Africa, Spring Books nighty teams. And

Affica vs. England.

8. Is the anything passed down in the family?

My grandfather's world war 2 memorabilias.

9. Why did you, and your parents and brother and sister, come to Canada?

We came to Canada because of racial and political reasons, that I do not want.

because it was a very and even in my life, leaving my friends and family. We





Ron Perry Mullen:

Blom October 19th, 1908 at Grey Nurse hospital in Regina, Saskatchewan.

His TV, but Hockey Night in Canada was the only radio station he listened to when he was a tot. More would listen to "soaps."

Loved anything at liefs skating, hockey, baseball and golf were the main ones. When 12 joined air cadets. Also would go out to the coulee to shoot gophers and got 5

ners per sec.

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To make sure Pon could fulfill his dream of being a denties, dad sold his car to help pay furior. After Pon graduated and was after he bought his parents a new car. It is still in

Most toys wear running shoes and either years or nice trousers. Suits and tes to

Most kids had bikes but Ron got to drive around the town maintenance mans truck when he was 13 with his dad.

#### Wilbert Mullen and Florence Mae Perry.

Both from in Ordano, Florence in Norland and Wilburt in Lineay. Florence had taken a few running courses but stayed home like most women did after

Witterf originally farmed with his brothers but when farming was poor he worked in a General Motors plant.

Moved the tendy to small town Brock, Saskatchewan and Wilbert took the job as Town Clark, later he took the same job in Rosetown, Sit. As town Clerk, salary was very low and Florence had to teach kindergerden in the

Floreinze was a hard worker and up to any challenge.
Withen was only 13 when his died died and since he was the oldest he had to help his

As fown administrator he was also chief police and brought many improvements to Rosethern, (Cetting the streets paved and enouring that milk would be pasteurized.)





Elizabeth Blackburn:

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#### John Hiram Blackburn and Palma Gjertine Otson:

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Had 4 children 54 in 1909 Jan 3th their 4 year old son transic ded from encognishs before betty was sorm and 13 year old daughter Marian died on Chromises 1904 other being sick in hospital for a month with approphotic.

John was in the air force in both World War I and S. Later won the Topiny for the "Sect.

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One was trying, hardworking, a great cook, craftigensor and occurrence. One made the family dollner until they became teems and made cookies for people in

John sold the farm after the war (1945) and became a neuronce the underwriter and



Walter Joseph Franci:

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\*\*Noticed hand and built or engineering firm in Edmonton. Worked on Infrastructure in many towns in notition Abanta.

Maria Anna Uchatius:

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Elisabeth Maria Theresia Franci July 5th, 1953 Wiener Neustadt, Austria

Evian Mullen May 26, 1997 Prince George, BC

Jacob Mullen March 22, 1994 Prince George, BC

Ronald Perry Mullen October 19, 1928 Regina, Saskatchewan

Maria Anna Uchatius April 13, 1922 Atzenbrugg, Austria

Walter Josef Franci

October 18, 1922-August 26, 2002

Vienna, Austria

James John Perry Mullen July 19, 1963 Edmonton, Alberta

> **EXzabeth Blackburn** April 10, 1930 Vegreville, Alberta

Anton Uchatius January 11, 1904 Vienna Austria

August 22, 1896-1967 Abersdorf, Austria

February 27, 1876 Kuttenberg, Czech Republic

> Elisabath Kotro November 19, 1885 Tabor, Czech Republic

Wilbert Mullen June 3, 1894-1965 Linsey, Ontario

Florence Mae Perry August 4, 1899-1978 Nortand, Ontario

John Hiram Blackburn August 5, 1895-1965 Oxford Pennsylvania, USA

October 29, 1868-1965 Vebrer, North Dakota USA





My Gramma Betty telling a bit the Blackburn story.

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### My Gramma Betty telling a bit the Blackburn story:

Before my parents were married in 1917 they had both lived with their families and had learned a lot about farming. When they moved to the farm they had bought near Lavoy they had to clear more land and cultivate it. They hired help and worked long and hard cutting down brush and digging up stumps. They had to dig wells and used a windmill to pump the water into a tank for the animals to drink. They raised cattle pigs, and chickens. (mother took eggs, cream and butter she had churned into the general store in Lavoy to help pay for the groceries that Mr. Bricker (store owner) gave them on credit during the depression. Their life as farmers was very difficult-some years their crops (wheat, oats, barley) would be poor because of lack of rain, hail or early frost. Anything worth selling was taken to the grain elevator in Lavoy where it was shipped on by train. Whatever couldn't be sold Dad would use to feed the cattle he hoped to sell to the USA but when the US put a tariff on cattle that didn't work out. His debt increased to \$26,000 which was huge back in the 1930s during the depression. He started to sell life insurance to the farmers and gradually built his business. When he was discharged from the Air Force945 after WW 2 he sold the farm, did very well in his insurance business and finally paid off the debt. During the time he farmed he helped start the Wheat Pool (an organization to help farmers) and brought in telephone lines so the farmers could have phones.



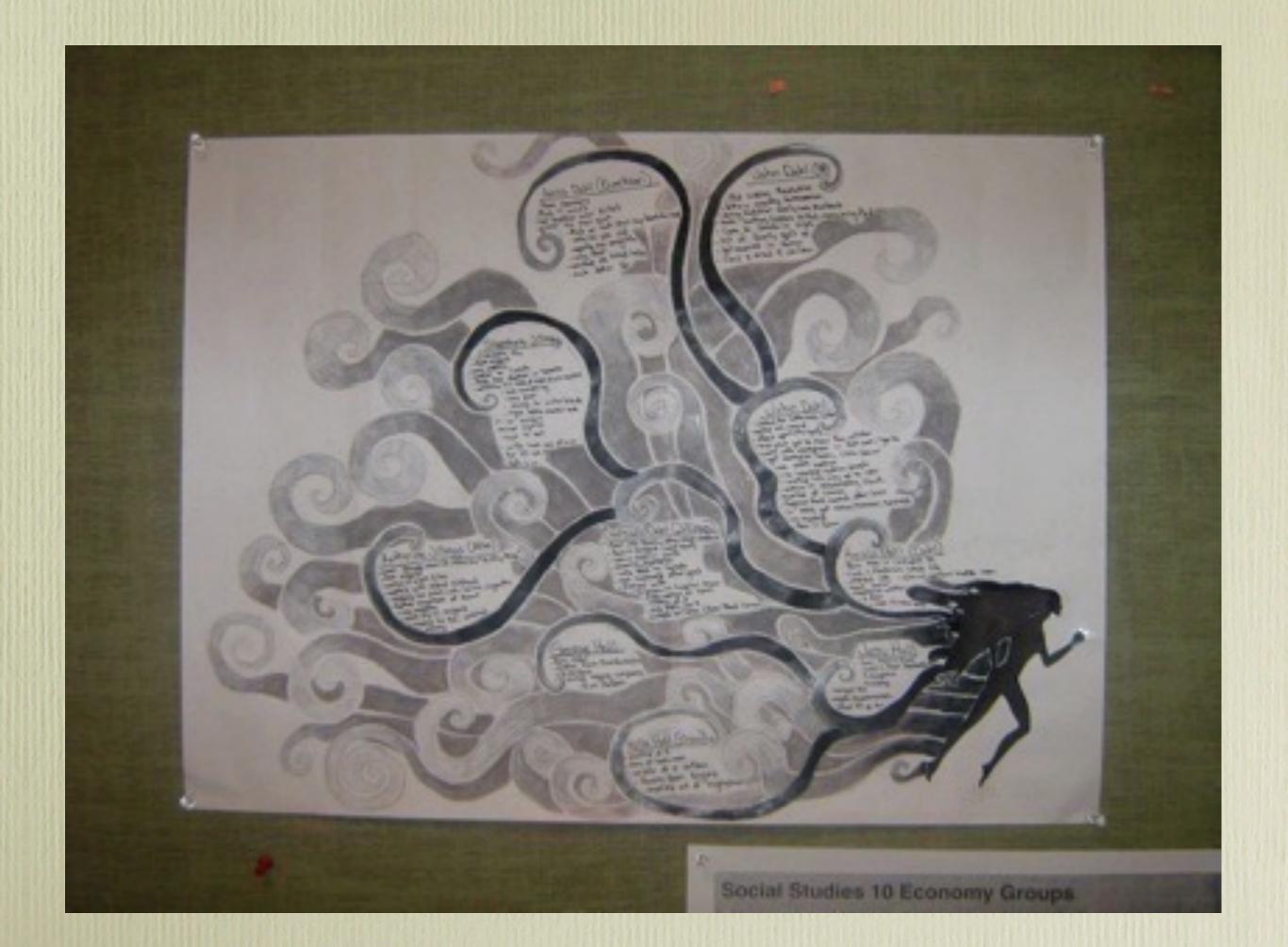
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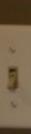
-Ice well: on the farm to help keep our food cool and keep from spoiling. Betty's Dad dug a deep hole (about 8 feet deep) in the ground and in the early spring he would go to a nearby lake and chop out lots of ice to put in the hole and cover it with sawdust. He built a trap door to cover the hole. Then Mother could keep milk, butter, some meat etc. in the Ice Well. For a treat in the summer he would chip ice and make ice cream.

### Funny Story:

-Gram's story:

When I was 5, after having had scarlet fever, I was kept in bed for a month, as the doctor wouldn't let me up until my temperature was normal. As the weather was getting bad, and my folks wanted to move into Lavoy for the winter, my Dad heated some large boulders and put them under a cot in the back of a wagon, which was pulled by a team of horses. I was bundled up, laid on the cot, and covered in blankets from head to toe. When a noise scared the horses they bolted, and the wagon box complete with cot and me was thrown into the snowy ditch. That night, when we got into town, my temperature was normal for the first time in a month!







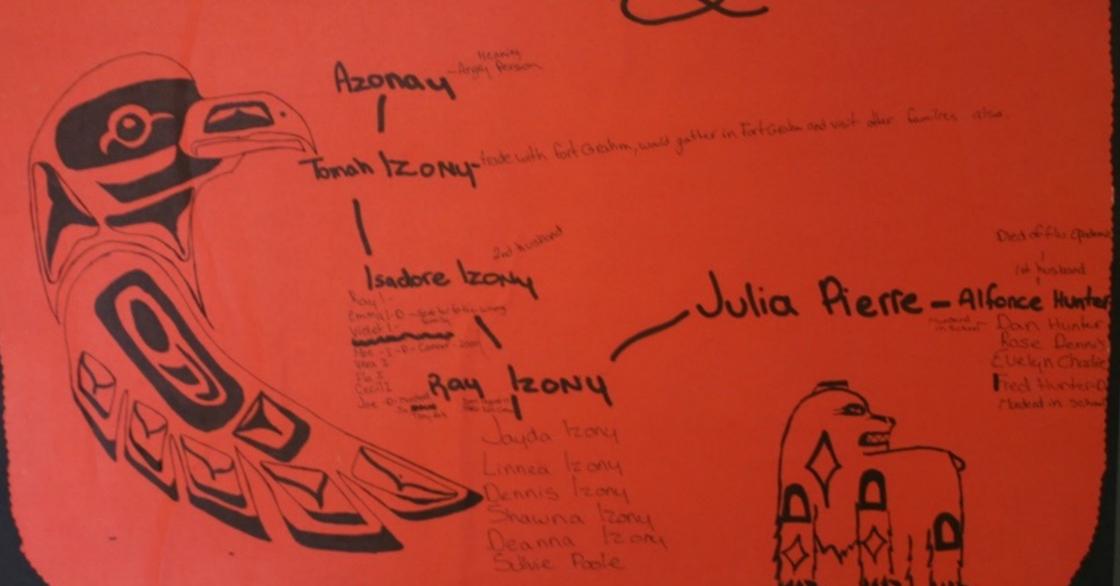


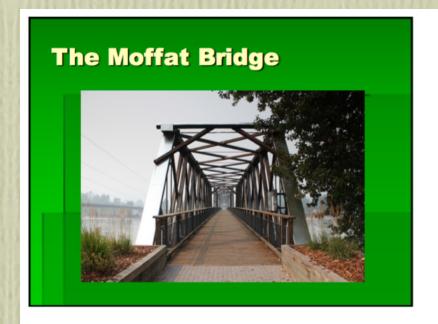


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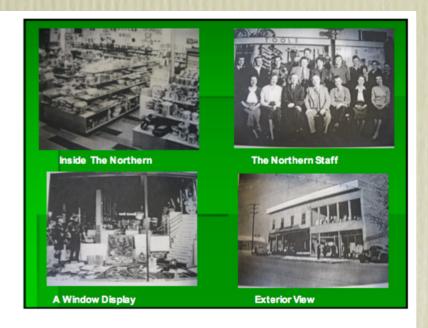
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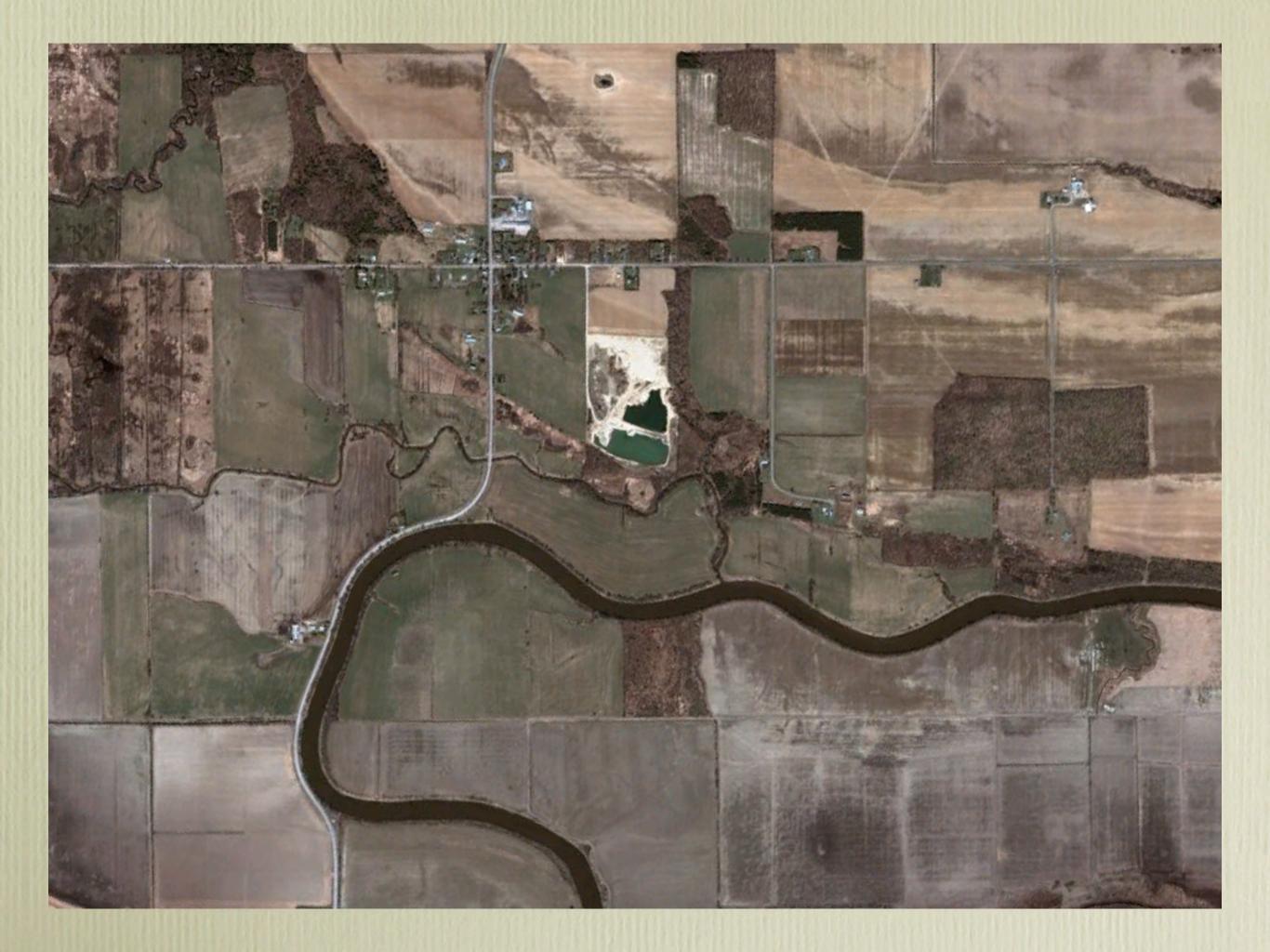






















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#### EDUCATION

#### TRANSPORTATION

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#### TECHNOLOGY

#### CLOTHING

#### HOUSING







#### Life After World War II









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#### FOOD



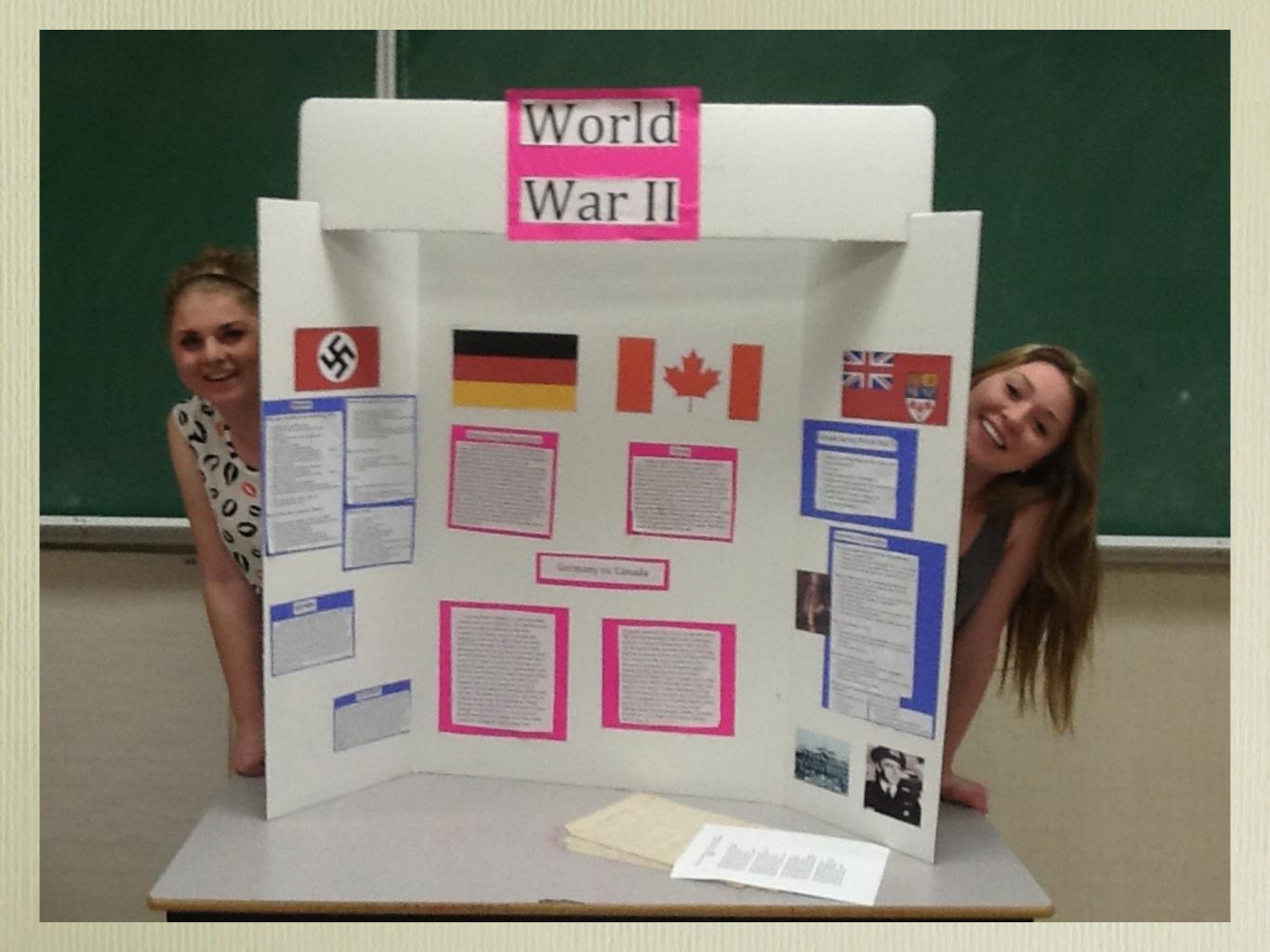
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## Activity

What's your story? Prompts to help get heritage inquiry started



### STUDENTS AS MASTER STORYTELLERS

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