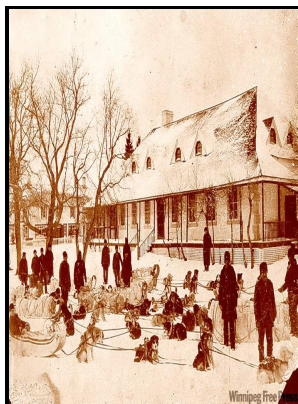


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## Lower Fort Garry: Life in the Canadian Fur Trade Era

In anticipation of the transfer, settlers streamed in from Canada's most populated province, Ontario, eager to claim land on the plains.

### The Capture of Fort Garry

On December 10th, Riel formed a provisional government, proclaiming the end of Hudson's Bay Company control over the Red River region. The Métis communities of the Red River settlement were also reeling under the pressure of more settlers pouring into Manitoba from Eastern Canada and abroad. Governor Simpson chose the site of Lower Fort Garry because of its high ground and location below the St.

### Historic information

The sale involved roughly a quarter of the continent but it failed to take into account the existing residents.

### Canada's History

It may also be noted that all of these In Alberta, Rocky Mountain House was selected to be the major interpreted national historic site in the province, outside of the national parks.

### Relive fur trade era at Lower Fort Garry historic site north of Winnipeg

As Sarah Carter and others have observed, however, agency can be a two-edged concept.

### A Piece of History

In the case of Indigenous prisoners from First Nations and Métis communities incarcerated at the Manitoba Penitentiary at Lower Fort Garry, the context of contemporaneous events within the Red River settlement, and more broadly the Northwest Territories, is especially important. However, their most profitable commodity was alcohol. IF YOU GO Lower Fort Garry is on Highway 9, 32 kilometres north of downtown Winnipeg.



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