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ABSTRACT

This is an annotated listing of selected print and nonprint resource materials for a basic elementary social studies program in Canada. The list is intended to aid school systems and their personnel in selecting learning materials for use with the Alberta social studies curriculum as set out in their program of studies. Most materials cited were published in the 1970s. Basic elementary programs, filmstrips, study prints, multimedia kits, booklets, and curriculum guides are included. Citations are arranged alphabetically by title within the following categories: Grade 1--Families; Grade 2--Neighbors; Grade 3--Comparing People's Communities; Grade 4--People in Alberta; Grade 5--People in Canada; and Grade 6--The Historical Roots of Man. (Author/RM)

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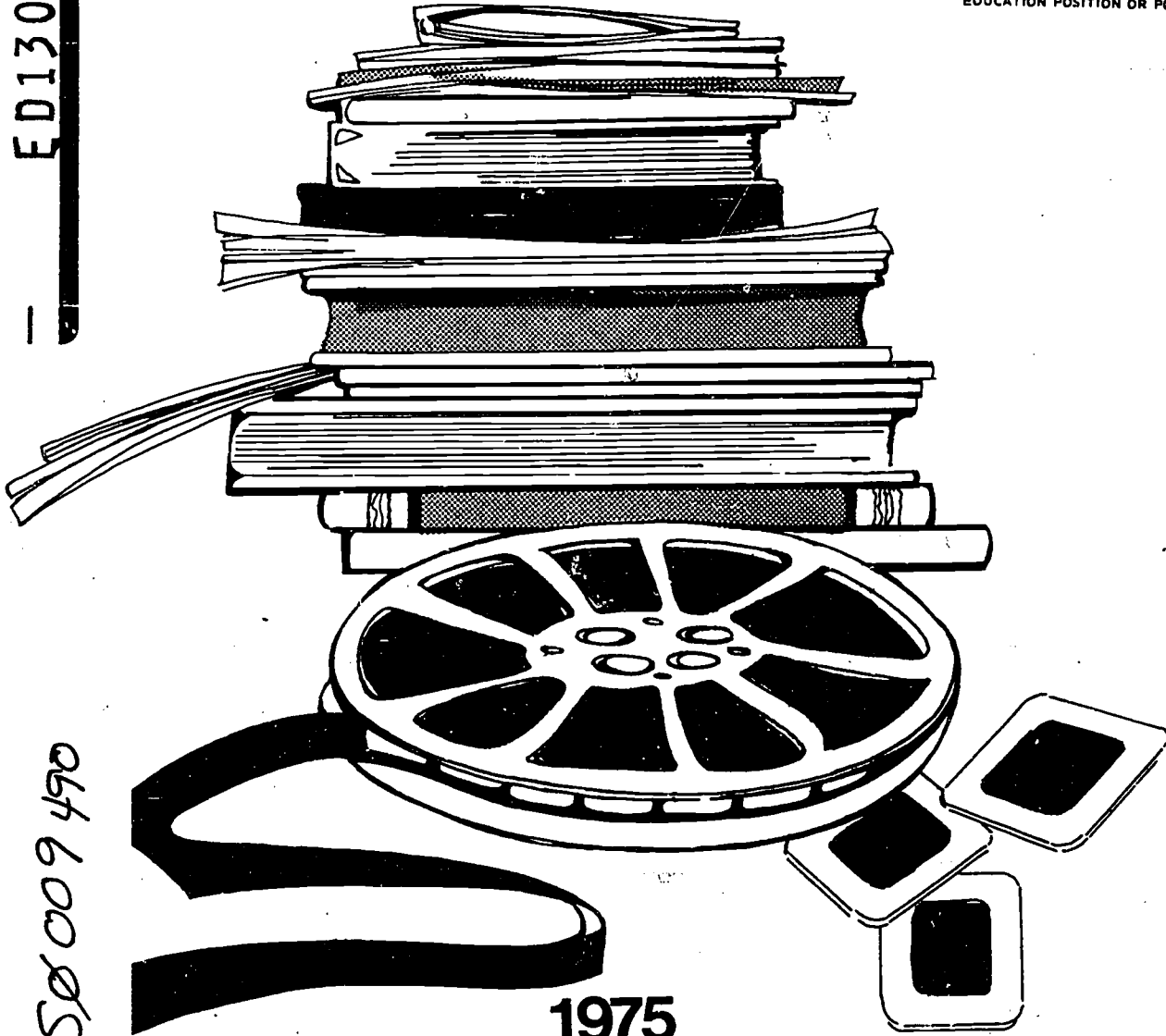
# RESOURCE MATERIALS

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## PREFACE

THIS PUBLICATION IS A SERVICE DOCUMENT AND IS NOT PRESCRIPTIVE.

It has been prepared to aid school systems and their personnel in selecting learning materials for use with the Alberta Social Studies Curriculum.

### RATIONALE AND GUIDELINES

1. The materials listed in this publication represent an arbitrary selection from a great quantity of Social Studies resources, much of which has a good deal of merit. Resource materials other than those identified in these lists may be used in accordance with policies of the local school system.
2. The materials listed in this publication have been selected as items that may be used with the Social Studies Curriculum as set out in the Programs of Studies. No attempt has been made to identify resource materials for use in the "up to one-third time" portion of the Social Studies Curriculum that may be developed locally by classroom teachers.
3. Prices quoted in this publication are not likely to represent current costs of the items listed. They have been included in order to provide information which could be useful to teachers and others concerned with budgetary allocations for resource materials.
4. Guidelines for selection used in compiling the materials listed include:
  - i. Canadian content, where feasible
  - ii. Currency of information
  - iii. Appropriate reading level
  - iv. Direct relationship to the content and philosophy of the Alberta Social Studies Program
  - v. Visually stimulating
  - vi. Highly selective: a basic list - not comprehensive
  - vii. Materials selected related to the prescribed portion of the Social Studies Program.
5. The School Book Branch of the Department of Education will carry a stock of most of the print materials included in this listing. Other items, including resource materials kits and multi-media items may be obtained from the School Book Branch on a special-order basis.

6. Some of the materials, for example, 16 mm. films, are available through the Audio Visual Services Branch of the Department of Education on a loan basis. Catalogues and descriptive material are available from the Audio Visual Services Branch.
7. As other resources are identified and evaluated, they will be listed in such publications as the Curriculum Newsletter.
8. Some of the material listed for a particular grade may be useful for other grade levels.

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## GRADE I - FAMILIES

Developing Understanding of Self and Others, (DUSO) Psycan Limited, 1973. \$146.00\*

Designed for primary children in all areas of achievement. To help children learn about their own and others' social-emotional behavior. No training is required by a teacher to use the kit effectively. Develops listening, inquiring and discussing skills. Includes discussion and role playing activity cards, posters, hand puppets and cassettes.

Exploring The Social Sciences, Van Nostrand, Reinhold Ltd., 1971

Soft cover booklets provide a simple format of photographs. Many questions are posed.

UNIT I - Living in America: \$ 1.75\*. Examines some of our basic needs and the roles played by others in satisfying our needs.

UNIT V - Living in Japan: \$ 1.75\*. Examines the way Japanese children live and the kinds of work adults do, both inside Tokyo and on the farm.

Families (From Our Working World Series) Senesh, Lawrence, Science Research Associates Inc., 1973. Student Text, \$4.20\*; Student Problem Book, \$1.30\*; Teacher's Resource Guide, \$8.10\*; Teacher's Problem Book, \$1.30\*.

Deals with a cluster of major concepts concerning family living. Case studies portray real people from various parts of the United States. Episodes concentrate upon feelings and thoughts, attitudes and values. The Teacher's Resource Guide provides an excellent source of ideas. Problem books permit students to interpret pictorial information. Stimulating photographs and art work.

The Family (Taba - Social Studies Curriculum) Addison-Wesley, 1969. Teacher's referer \$4.50\*

A Curriculum Guide which present the family as a basic social structure. Three units offer sequentially developed learning activities to aid students in the development of cognitive skills. Attitudes, feelings and values form a major emphasis of the curriculum. A valuable source of ideas.

\* Based on 1974 costs. Prices subject to change.

Families Around the World Smith, Prescott, Guinness, 1970. \$5.28\* Student.  
\$2.96\* Teacher.

A wealth of visual information that the child can use for making discoveries about himself and the world in which he lives. Small pictures of globes in the text locate the homeland of the children and families. Many questions encourage the student to explore concepts and examine his own values and attitudes.

Families Around the World Silver Burdett Company, 1966. 12 pictures to a set mounted on 6 - 19" x 23" sturdy cards, color, laminated. Living in Japan; Living in Kenya; Living in Mexico; Living in the United States.

Focuses on the culture, occupations and family relationships of different people today. A teacher's manual provides a picture text, background information, discussion questions and activities. Permits flexible use through primary grades.

Focus on Self Development (awareness) Science Research Associates Inc., 1970. \$132.55\*, 5 sound filmstrips, 4 recorded stories, 20 - two sided photo boards, pupil activity book, teacher's guide.

Develops understanding of self, of others, and of the environment and its effects. Use the materials in appropriate situations within an open climate. The guide provides an excellent source of ideas.

Home and Family, Edu-Media, filmstrips \$6.95\* each, set of 6 for \$39.00\* (25 frames each).

Canadian filmstrips, uncaptioned. The series examines a number of themes based on the home environment. A script is included with each filmstrip.

1. Protection and the Natural Environment - Looks at the many aspects of shelter with regard to protection from climatic changes.
2. Protection and the Human Environment - Looks at the many ways in which the home offers protection from the human environment.
3. Safety Education - Relates to objects and situations around the home when, if improperly handled can lead to accidents.
4. Relaxation - Illustrates a variety of forms of relaxation around the home.

\* Based on 1974 costs. Prices subject to change.



5. Transportation and Communication - Examines forms of communication and transportation around the home.

6. Occupations - Traces a typical day in the life of a family.

How Families Live Fitzhenry and Whiteside Ltd., 1972. \$74.00\* 87 study prints, 17" x 21". color, with teacher's manual. Concept A: Families Concept B: Families Serve Many Functions; Concept C: The Family Is A Network Of Relationships; Concept D: Families Change.

Portray Canadian family scenes along with family scenes from other cultures throughout the world. The title and a map show the picture's location on the reverse side. The teacher's manual provides background information for each picture and an excellent source of discussion questions and activities.

Man and His Families (From Man in a World of Change - Curriculum Project) Scholar's Choice, 1971. Student Text \$3.76\*, Teacher's Edition \$4.76\*.

Looks at the many roles of a family. Data bank sections provide basic information and opportunity for comparison and simple interpretations. Investigation sections emphasize opportunity to hypothesize and generalize. Color photographs and sketches appear throughout.

People in Families (Taba - Social Science Program) Addison-Wesley, 1972, Student Text \$3.40\*, Teacher's Edition \$4.40\*.

Includes photographs and narratives on the life-styles of eight families from around the world, including Hutterites, Kenyans, Mexicans, French.

Schools, Families, Neighborhoods Field Educational Publications, 1969. \$180.00\* Addison-Wesley Canada Ltd., 78 study prints (color), 3 sound filmstrips, 9 short strips, 4 wall charts, teacher's guide.

Comparitive multi-media study explores three aspects of life in India, Norway, Japan, Ghana, Mexico and U.S. Combines concepts from the 'Social Sciences' with inquiry processes. Four of the fifty-eight lessons provided in the teacher's guide and 8 of the study prints are based on U.S. holidays and should not be used unless reference is being made to holidays in other countries.

\* Based on 1974 costs. Prices subject to change.

Seasons: Fall and Winter

Seasons: Spring and Summer (no. 1051) \$8.95\* each; Instructo products Co., 1966. 4 basic background scenes: school, house, roadside stand, pond coverlets and additional pieces.

Extends background experience and enlarges previous understanding of the world around them. Many skills and attitudes can be developed in its use. Useful for manipulative activities. Appropriate coverlets can be used to change the season of each scene, extra pieces are provided for creative realistic scenes and situations.

Seasons: Study Print Books Milliken, Winter; Spring and Summer; Fall. \$3.95\* each

To encourage observation and concept building. Pictures are of a general nature and offer flexible use throughout the primary grades in a variety of curriculum areas. A brief guide to concept development is provided which asks many questions.

The Social Sciences: Concepts and Values Level Blue, Longman Canada, 1970. Student Text \$4.85\* Teacher's Guide \$9.70\*.

Encourages students to become aware of themselves, where they live, how people help, learning from others. Things we need and rules we make. Photographs and art work portraying children actually engaged in various activities provide settings or problem situations for use in the development of concepts and values.

Understanding Ourself and Others (study prints) McIntyre Educational Media 8 study prints, color.

Moods and Emotions Pictures children expressing feelings of love, joy, anger, frustration, compassion, sadness, thoughtfulness and loneliness. Designed questions and other activities provided for teacher on reverse side.

Values Series (study prints) Holt, Rinehart and Winston, 1972. 8 study prints to a set, color. \$12.00\* each.

My Class, My Family, My Friends, My Home, My School, People I Don't Know.

Presents a variety of problems common to young children. Problems of honesty, courage, self concept, and reactions with others. Designed questions offer guidance to the teacher.

\* Based on 1974 costs. Prices subject to change.

You and Your Family (Edu-Media) 1974. Student Text \$4.20\*, Teacher's Edition, \$6.95\*.

Introduces children to the world of living things, the world of individual people and to the idea of the family. Numerous color and black and white photographs. A simple text poses many questions.

The World of Me McGraw Hill, 1974. (From the Social and Environmental Studies Program). Part I, \$69.50\*; Part II, \$67.50\*. Multi-Media Kit, 60 study prints, color, 6 sound filmstrips.

An interdisciplinary, flexible program involving the child and his community in a variety of high interest inductive activities. Designed to flow from experiences at home and school out into the neighborhoods. Uses a conceptual approach. Relates to seasonal changes which children experience during the school year. Study prints use a variety of art styles. A resource book provides an excellent source of related activities. (Canadian)

\* Based on 1974 costs. Prices subject to change.

GRADE II - NEIGHBORS

Communities Around Us (Taba Social Studies Curriculum) Addison-Wesley, 1969.  
Teacher reference.

A Curriculum Guide presenting three types of communities in the United States: A Farming Community, A Commuting Community, and An Urban Community. Sequentially developed learning activities, emphasizing development of cognitive skills, attitudes, feelings and values. A valuable source of ideas.

Community Helpers (study prints) PSSP - 400, Society for Visual Education,  
SP-119, Police Department Helpers, Set \$48.00\*, Each \$8.00\*.  
SP-120, Fire Department Helpers;  
SP-121, Postal Helpers;  
SP-122, Dairy Helpers;  
SP-123, Supermarket Helpers;  
SP-124, Hospital Helpers.

Excellent quality photographs. Useful in studying community helpers. Supplementary questions and information are given on the reverse.

Exploring The Social Sciences Van Nostrand, Reinhold Ltd., 1971.

A Series of neighborhood studies. Soft cover booklet(s) providing a simple format using many photographs. Asks numerous questions and encourages students to discover their own neighborhood. Follow-up activities are suggested.

UNIT I - Neighbors and Neighborhood \$1.75\*. Examines how neighbors get along together and the work roles played in making goods and providing services.

UNIT II - Outside Your Neighborhood \$1.75\*. Examines how and why people move in and out of their neighborhood. Compares industrial, residential and central areas of a city.

UNIT IV - Buildings We See \$1.75\*. Examines how buildings fill different needs, and how their appearance reflects their use and the construction materials.

\* Based on 1974 costs. Prices subject to change.

UNIT V - Transportation and Communication \$1.75\*. Examines various kinds of transportation and many ways by which we communicate.

Families and Communities Fitzhenry and Whiteside Ltd., 1972. \$78.00\*.

93 study prints, 17" x 21". color - with Teacher's Manual. Concept A: Communities Are Social Units Which May Differ; Concept B: The Community Serves Many Functions; Concept C: The Community is a Network of Relationships; Concept D: Communities Change.

Portray community activities in the past, along with present day Canadian scenes and community scenes from other cultures throughout the world. The title and map location of the picture indicated on the reverse side. The Teacher's Manual provides background information for each picture and an excellent source of discussion questions and activities.

The First Things: Values Series (Sound Filmstrips) Longman, Canada Ltd.

The Trouble with Truth; What Do You Do About Rules?; You Promised!; But It Isn't Yours...; That's No Fair!; \$22.25\* Each.

Encourages children to think and develop their ability to reason more adequately about moral problems. Each unit contains two sound filmstrips based on two moral dilemmas. Both dilemmas leave moral choices up to the children in the class. An open climate for discussion is a requisite, for the program relies on the child's resources to generate his own solutions to moral problems. A discussion guide including the filmstrip script is provided in each unit.

Groups and Communities (Edu-Media) 1974. Student Text \$4.20\*; Teacher Edition \$6.95\*.

Introduces children to the individual and the world around him. Develops the concept of how people change the world. Introduces the idea that people have always lived in groups: in family, working and social groups. Numerous color and black and white photographs with a simple text that asks many questions. Useful for group work.

The Groups We Belong To McGraw Hill, 1973. Student Text \$5.25\*. Teacher's Edition \$6.75\*.

Examines groups and interaction, citizenship, roles and rules through and inquiry conceptual approach. Helps children understand themselves and others. Stimulating visual content.

How We Get Our Homes (Filmstrip) Society for Visual Education, Set \$22.60\*, Each \$6.25\*; 205-1 - Planning the Home; 205-2 - Building the Foundation; 205-3 - Building the Shell; 205-4 - Finishing the Home.

Provides an introduction to one of our basic needs. The development of shelter is traced step by step with captioned color photographs and artwork. Introductory frames define new words and state objectives.

In Your Community Series J.M. Dent and Sons, 1973.

Depicts the daily life and work of various community helpers. (Based on the Ontario scene). Uses the common experiences of children as a basis for exploration. Soft cover booklets with numerous black and white and color photographs.

1. The Policeman \$2.25\*. Constable Brown introduces himself and talks about some of the events in his daily life and work.
2. The Letter Carrier \$2.25\*. Two children tour the post office to see what happens to a letter after it is mailed and accompany the letter carrier on his rounds.
3. The Fire Fighter \$2.25\*. Members of a school class visit the local fire hall and learn about the many things the fire fighters do.

Man and His Communities (From Man in a World of Change - Curriculum Project) Scholar's Choice, 1971, Student Text \$4.20\*; Teacher Edition \$5.20\*.

Examines the many roles of a community. Compares the way pioneers provided for their needs with those of today. Data bank sections provide basic information and opportunity for comparison and simple interpretation. Investigation sections emphasize opportunity to hypothesize and generalize. Color photographs and sketches appear throughout. Useful for group work.

Maps Show The Earth (Multi-Media Kit) Nystrom, \$133.75\*, 10 large study prints, 3 sound filmstrips, 13 flash cards, large floor map, 30 copies of pupil workbook, teacher's guide, pressure sensitive labels.

Emphasis placed on map study and map making activities. Shows how natural and man-made features appearing on the surface of the earth can be represented on maps. Frequent use is made of aerial photographs. The large floor map enables students to recreate their own neighborhood or community.

Neighborhood and Community Series Edu-Media, filmstrips \$6.95\* each, set of 6 for \$39.00\*. (25 frames each.)

Canadian filmstrips, uncaptioned. This series extends many of the concepts developed in the 'Home and Family' series to that of the Neighborhood and Community. A script is included with each filmstrip.

1. Protection and the Natural Environment - Looks at many forms of protection within the environment. The sequence of frames moves from the neighborhood to the community.
2. Protection and the Human Environment - Examines ways of securing law and order within a large group of people.
3. Education and Safety - Examines the various forms of safety that a community provides and methods used to increase awareness to safety regulations.
4. Leisure and Relaxation - Examines ways of relaxing in the neighborhood.
5. Transportation and Communication - Examines forms of communication and transportation around the neighborhood.
6. Production and Services - Examines a variety of jobs carried out by citizens of the community.

Neighborhoods Series (6 sound filmstrips) Coronet Filmstrips, Neighborhoods of Many Kinds; Neighborhoods in the City; Neighborhoods in the Suburbs; Neighborhoods in Small Towns; Neighborhoods in the Country; Neighborhoods Change. \$52.00\*.

Offers a wide variety of experiences with many kinds of neighborhoods. Acquaints students with the way people live in different neighborhoods. Emphasizes the structure and function of each neighborhood and its interdependence with other neighborhoods.

Neighborhoods (From Our Working World Series) Senesh, Lawrence, Science Research Associates Inc., 1973. Student Text \$4.90\*; Student Problem Book \$1.30\*; Teacher's Resource Guide \$8.10\*; Teacher's Problem Book \$1.30\*.

Deals with a cluster of major concepts concerning neighborhoods. U.S. Case studies portray real people and their problems. Short stories emphasize the inner thoughts and feelings of the characters. The Teacher's Resource Guide provides an excellent source of ideas. Teachers should select activities most suitable. Problem books permit students to

interpret pictorial information. Stimulating photography and artwork.  
Useful for group work.

People In Action Shaftel and Shaftel. Holt Rinehart and Winston, 1970.  
\$11.55\* Each. Series of large, spiral bound durable black and white photographs: Guide for level A and one for levels B through E. Level A, 12 picture cards; Level B, 8 photo problems; Level C, 8 photo problems; Level D, 8 photo problems; Level E, 8 photo problems.

Excellent pictures chosen to stimulate verbal and action responses from children through the use of role playing and discussion. Permits flexible use through the primary grades.

People in Neighborhoods (Taba - Social Studies Program) Addison-Wesley, 1972,  
Student Text \$3.68\*, Teacher's Edition \$4.48\*.

Presents three common types of American neighborhoods: inter-city, residential and small town neighborhood in and near Chicago. Provides a model for an in-depth study of a local neighborhood and its relations to the greater community. Large type, colorful maps and illustrations. Useful for group work. Teacher's manual develops the learning activities in detail and provides opportunities for dealing with attitudes, feelings, and values.

Real People At Work Series (Edu-Media) 1974. \$1.75\* each.  
Police team, fire fighters, supermarket cashier, telephone repairman, carpenter, plumber. Other titles are available.

A number of actual case studies put together by the Educational Research Council of America. Each soft cover booklet contains 35 pages of black and white photographs. Simple text ranging in readability from low Grade 2 through high Grade 3.

The Social Sciences: Concepts and Values Level Red, Longmans Canada, 1970,  
Student Text \$5.20\*; Teacher's Guide \$9.70\*.

Encourages students to recognize how they learn from others, the influence of rules and laws and how they learn to behave as members of groups. Introduces six friends and their families from Greece, India, Ghana, Japan, Mexico and the United States. Color photographs portraying children engaged in various activities provide settings and problem situations for use in development of concepts and values.



Transportation (study print book) Miliken \$3.95\*, 8 study prints, 10" x 14", color.

To encourage observation and concept building. Pictures are of a general nature and offer flexible use throughout the primary grades in a variety of curriculum areas. A brief guide to concept development is provided which asks many questions.

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GRADE III - COMPARING PEOPLE'S COMMUNITIES

Around Our World: A Study of Communities, Massey, Ginn \$5.20\*, Teacher's Manual \$3.00\*, Work Book \$1.65\*.

Draws geographical concepts from the child's own community. Provides a series of studies reflecting a range of communities contrasting in climate and way of life to that in Canada. Sections of note include the desert, the Tundra and the mountainous coast of Norway. Numerous maps, charts, diagrams and illustrations. Includes questions and activities. A glossary and pronunciation aids included.

Canadian Community Studies Series J.M. Dent and Sons, 1973. \$1.85\* Each.

A series of soft cover booklets, color, fully illustrated, looking at various concepts in communities.

1. All Aboard Mouse Communities which specialize and become dependent on other communities.
2. A Ride for Samson Urbanization.
3. Hold a Shell to Your Ear Unspecialized communities.
4. One Cold Day Communities join together to form larger political units.
5. No Home for Sandy Through their interaction communities and environment change.

Communities At Home and Abroad Macmillan of Canada, 1970, Teacher's Guide \$6.90\*.

Deals with an investigation of communities. The local community serves as a basis for comparison with a slowly changing community of Australian Aborigines and a rapidly changing community of Alaskan Eskimos. Emphasis is placed on an understanding of the structure of social science. A combined teacher's manual is available for the 3 soft cover pupil texts. Each is vividly illustrated.

1. Our Community \$2.75\*. Examines the residential, commercial, recreational and rural areas of a community and the roles played by members of a community. Many questions encourage students to examine their own community. U.S. content is limited but where present, use to advantage by comparison with own community.

2. The Aborigines of Central Australia \$2.75\*. Examines the region where they live, their social relationships and the various roles played by each family member. Changes in their life-style are illustrated.
3. The Eskimos of Northern Alaska \$2.75\*. Examines the way in which the Eskimos learned to live on the Tundra and how their activities change with the changing seasons. By focusing on an Eskimo group living in Barrow today we can observe some of the changes in life-style that have occurred.

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Topographical maps and/or aerial photographs can be used effectively by Grade Three pupils during their study of their own community. For aerial photographs ask for stereoscopic coverage if required, and indicate the region to be shown - name of village, town, city or if rural area show township and range numbers and west of \_\_\_\_\_ meridian. These photographs cost 75 cents each with a purchase order; otherwise send \$1.00 each if ordered without a purchase order. The topographical maps are 30 cents for a single sheet and 60 cents for a double sheet if order is accompanied by a purchase order. Useful for other grade levels (Alberta and Canada Studies).

Eskimo Family Today Encyclopaedia Britannica \$.65\*. Spiral binding 8 1/2" x 11"

A 32 page book of color pictures showing Eskimo life on Baffin Island. Contains a minimum amount of introductory text. Allows children to write their own stories.

Eskimos of North America (A Multi-Media Learning Kit) Instructo, 1971.  
14 frame filmstrip, 16 spirit duplicating master, 2 color transparencies,  
Teacher's Guide \$7.65\*.

Examines the influence of geography and climate and how local conditions have influenced the way of satisfying basic needs. Includes figures and scenery for a hunting camp display, a food chart and crossword puzzle.

Everyone Lives in Communities Student Text \$6.65\*, Teacher's Guide \$7.80\*.  
Response Book \$1.60\*.

Sample studies of fifteen communities around the world - located in Switzerland, Finland, England, Chile, Tanzania, Thailand, Kuwait and Israel. A study on Bedouins is also included. Abundantly illustrated with photographs and maps. Provides a great deal of information.

Four Communities Around The World (Taba - Social Studies Curriculum Project) Addison-Wesley. Teacher reference unit \$4.50\*.

A Curriculum Guide examining four small communities: The Eskimo as a Hunter is contrasted to the Eskimo as a Producer, the Desert Nomad illustrates a herding society. The Thai Villager provides an example of an Asian Agrarian community, and an example of a sea-faring community is provided by a study of a village on the west coast of Norway. Each unit offers sequentially developed learning activities for development of cognitive skills with emphasis on attitudes, feelings and values.

Families Live Everywhere (From Ginn Social Science Series) Ginn, Students Edition \$4.85\*, Teacher's Edition \$6.00\*, Response Book \$1.60\*.

Reviews seven different family groups from around the world. Examines role specialization in families in our own and comparative societies. Concepts and generalizations are developed from the social sciences. Well illustrated, easy reading posing a number of questions.

The Hutterite Ways Rolf Seidal, The Production House, St. Albert, Sound filmstrip \$19.00\* - color, 30 frames, without captions. Booklet \$2.00\*.

A young member of a Hutterite Bruderhof describes his farm, his school activities and the work roles played by members of the colony. Presented in a soft cover, 26 page booklet, using a simple format of bold type and line drawings. The sound filmstrip relates directly to the booklet and indicates the way in which the group help each other and share what they have. A written script is provided.

Interaction of Communities Fitzhenry and Whiteside Ltd., \$89.00\*, 49 study prints, 17" x 21" color, with Teacher's Manual. Concept A: Communities Interact with Their Environment; Concept B: Communities Interact with Other Communities; Concept C: Urbanization.

A collection of cross cultural community pictures including many Canadian scenes. The reverse side provides additional black and white pictures, diagrams, some text, a vocabulary list and some suggested activities for the students. Offers flexible use throughout the

elementary grades.

Living in Norway (A Gage Picture Pack) Gage Educational Publishing Ltd., 1972. \$5.00\*, 48 black and white pictures, 11" x 8". A: Where Do The People Live; B: The Nature of the Land; C: Culture History and Recreation; D: Travel and Communication; E: Farming and Industry; F: Lumbering and Fishing.

Valuable when used in conjunction with the Living in a Norwegian Village booklet. A brief Teacher's Guide provides suggestions for using the photographs.

Man In His World Series, Fitzhenry and Whiteside Ltd. \$1.97\* Each. Teacher's Guide \$.90\*.

Develops student interest and involvement through sample studies, incorporating the inquiry approach, problem solving techniques and simple experiments. Basic narrative and information sections include graphs, statistics, diagrams, photographs and maps.

1. Nomadic Journey Examines how a desert environment influences man's whole life. Modern technology helps tap the resources of the North African desert.
2. Eskimo - Journey Through Time Emphasizes the survival and socialization of a nomadic community in Northern Quebec.
3. Rivervale Introduces students to a community study. Deals with the life around the child - home, friends and community helpers.

People of The Seal Encyclopedia Britannica \$19.90\*. 10 study prints, 16 1/2" x 21 1/2", color. Sturdy cards.

Provide a record of the traditional culture of the Netsilik Eskimo. They illustrate dramatically the relationships within families and among families, in a well defined community. Show the ways of survival in a harsh environment and an unspoiled culture of a primitive society. Background notes are provided on the reverse of each print.

People, Places, Products (From the Field Social Studies Program) Addison-Wesley Canada Ltd., 1970. Student Text \$4.60\*. Teacher's Edition \$4.60\*.

An inquiry conceptual program. Pictures serve as a basis, stimulating inquiry into fishing, grain farming, cattle raising, lumbering and cotton and garment producing communities. Cross cultural comparisons are used, each unit presents a comparison of two communities engaged in similar production activities. Many questions are asked via a simple text.

People In Communities (From the Tabla - Program in Social Science) Addison-Wesley Publishing Co., 1972. Student Text \$4.76\*, Teacher's Edition \$5.56\*.

In-depth studies of highly contrasting cultures. Focus on family groups. Each unit is built around a main idea, emphasizing a broad knowledge base. Develops attitudes, feelings and values. Available in hard cover edition or separate soft cover booklets. Well illustrated.

1. Bedouin of the Negev \$2.24\*. Deals with the community's dependence upon the desert and the changes the Bedouin have made in their life-style.
2. Yoruba of Ife Deals with the specialized skills and family organization supporting a traditional urban-agricultural community of Nigeria.
3. Thai of Bangkok \$2.24. Examines the customs of an urban community in Asia. Illustrates the inter-dependence between city and rural areas.
4. The Norwegians of Hemnesberget \$2.40\*. Examines the changes which have occurred in the small boat building and fishing community in northern Norway.
5. The People of Osaka Prefecture (not included in hard cover edition) \$2.24\*. Compares life in a crowded city and in a small town in Japan. The similarities with our own urban life forms a focal point for discussion of values and advantages of modern living.

Towns and Cities (Multi-Media Kit) Addison-Wesley Canada Ltd., 1971 \$104.00\*, 3 sound filmstrips, color; 8 shortstrips, 6 display prints, Teacher's Manual.

A multi-media program developed around the theme 'Cities are People'. Augments and enriches urban studies. Acquaints children with the advantages and problems of an urban environment. Incorporates concepts from the social sciences, and encourages development of attitudes. The shortstrips focus in some detail on a specific aspect of urban living. Display prints illustrate various forms of urban land use.

Unesco Geography Series (study prints) McIntyre Edu-Media 8 - 12" x 18"  
study prints, color \$9.95\* Each.

Japan, Nigeria, Switzerland Portray the characteristic features of various nations through people, places and activities. Background information on reverse side in addition to a general information pamphlet for each set.

World Community Studies (From the Gage Investigating Our World Program)  
Teacher's Guide \$.95\*.

Well illustrated booklets supplying a variety of valuable data. Encourages critical thinking and concept formation and provides experiences in decision making and valuing. Guide books for each study are available.

1. Then And Now In Frobisher Bay \$1.30\*. Examines the Eskimos' life today, contrasting it with their life as Nomads.
2. Safari To Serowe \$1.35\*. Examines how the struggle for survival on the drought-plagued plateau of Southern Africa evokes a different set of values to those of our affluent society.
3. Bern: City In The Mountains \$1.35\*. Examines the way in which the Swiss people have made wise use of their limited resources.
4. Living In A Norwegian Village \$1.35\*. Examines the intensive exploitation through agriculture, fishing and tourism.

GRADE IV - PEOPLE IN ALBERTAThe Alberta Government Travel Bureau.

Excellent source of inexpensive or free materials on Alberta. Examples of available materials are: Alberta At A Glance; Alberta Visitors' Guide. This regularly updated publication gives information on climate and features of Alberta parks, camp grounds and recreation facilities along with advertisements for various businesses catering to the tourist industry. Through The Years In The Province of Alberta; The Alberta Wildlife Foundation Presents: Points out examples of the ravaged environment as a result of man's attempts to subdue and control nature and shows how, if we want to maintain a land and life of good quality, we can work with nature rather than against her. Vacation Alberta: Talks about Alberta as a vacation land outlining history, festivals, outdoor fun, cultural programs, things to see and do, and how to get to various places. Historic Sites of Alberta by Dempsey, John A.: Gives location and brief description of some 220 historic sites which commemorate people, places and events. A short outline of the importance or contribution of each is given.

January 15, 1910 (Kit) Gage Educational Publishers, 1971, \$59.95\*.

This kit is a series of realistic experiences involving typical activities of a Canadian farm family during a winter day in 1910. Photographs and one LP recording, models and documents allow pupils to visualize and relive life as it was at the turn of the century. Simulation games and life-like episodes encourage pupils to think their way through problems and make their own decisions. This kit contains seven boxes of materials for pupil use and one teacher's kit. With some slight adaptations, the material in this kit could be used at the Grade 4 level for Life on a Farm in Alberta in 1910.

Australia And New Zealand Kemball Hall, O'Connor, Thomas, Ginn and Company, 1974, \$4.60\*.

Presents these countries in an inductive, interdisciplinary way. Case studies, newspaper excerpts, photos, maps and other graphic materials bring these countries alive and similarities to Canada and Canadian problems become apparent. Photos are of excellent quality and well captioned. All measurements given in both British and metric



units. Consists of 10 chapters, some presenting regional approach, while others are topically oriented. The regional Australian themes are concerned with the Center, the Tropical North and the areas surrounding the large cities. Topical Australian themes are concerned with the importance of water, sheep, minerals, industry and the dominance of Sydney. Topical New Zealand themes are the efficiency of the country's pastoral industry, the country's scenic wonders, and the Maori-White relations. Text contains an excellent topical and skills index. The activities, far too numerous to all be covered - will demand selectivity on the teacher's part. Extensive teacher's manual outlines objectives for each chapter and gives practical guidance and suggestions in developing the inquiry approach. It contains background information and the answers to all questions in the text exercises. The text is designed for Junior High, but with a Grade 5 - 7 reading level. It would make an excellent teacher or student resource.

Australia The Sunburnt Country (Man and Earth Program for Geography) Birchell, Gary/Forester, James, Fitzhenry & Whiteside Limited, \$3.36\*.

This book is divided into 5 main chapters which deal with the Aborigines of Australia and their history, the Riverina of New South Wales, the Sugar Coast of Queensland, from Gold to Nickel, and the Southern Metropolis of Sydney. The material is well illustrated with photos, drawings, maps and diagrams. Questions are asked throughout, with the stress on the development of geographical skills and concepts rather than on the acquisition of factual knowledge. Developed for Junior High students, this book is a good teacher resource as well as student book for the very best Grade 4 readers.

The Big Dam Country Bruce Ramsey and Dan Murray, Dan Murray Ltd., 1969, \$2.50\*.

A pictorial record of the development of the Peace River country from its discovery to the building of the Bennett Dam. Contains authentic reproductions of Alexander Mackenzie's and other explorers' journals. The entire book consists of reproductions of original documents, newspaper photographs and descriptive annotations in an effort to capture the spirit of the area both past and present. Reading level - upper elementary.

Buyers Beware (People In The City) Barbara Love, Gage Educational Publishing Ltd., 1972.

Examples of misleading advertising and sales pitches, suggestions to help get the best deal, and examples of organizations set up to help consumers. The American content is overshadowed by the importance of

the message. Easily handled by upper elementary. The material lends itself to extra development by both teacher and pupil. Because it is American some examples such as medical and hospital costs are not directly applicable, but the message is still clear.

Concepts And Enquiry Social Science Staff of Educational Research Council of America, Allyn & Bacon Inc., 1970 & after, \$2.50\* to \$3.00\*.

General Series Notes: Through the use of the inquiry approach, basic concepts of geography and economics are developed. Reviews general geography and the geography of the region in question. Gives excellent treatment to the subject matter proper. Makes excellent use of questioning strategies. Questions are generally rated as to their degree of difficulty (i.e. rote, thinking, and research). Many value-loaded areas besides an excellent historical and geographical treatment. Excellent as material for comparisons.

Series Titles: A Rural Community: Webster City, Iowa.

A Forest Products Community: Crossett, Arkansas.

Agriculture: Man And The Land Looks at agriculture in many lands with some references to past practices.

The Edson Grande Prairie Trail Mrs. Balbir Tawana & Dave Tawana, Alberta Teachers' Assoc., Barnett House, \$1.00\*.

This Grade 4 historical unit selects its content from the time when the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway decided to establish its divisional headquarters at Edson. It traces the development and decline of the Edson Trail as a main artery to the Peace River Country. Using the historical method the student investigates the growth of Edson between 1910 - 1915. He considers reasons for the establishment of the Edson Trail and evaluates its successes and failures, as well as examining the Trail's effects on settlement in the Peace River country. Problems of geography, economics and sociology are stressed with emphasis on the pioneer's ability to cope with the successes and failures of everyday life. The student is given the opportunity to read, interpret and evaluate historical documents including photographs, book excerpts and letters.

An Enquiry Into The Peace River Region by the Peace River Regional of the Social Studies Council ATA, Barnett House, \$1.00\*.

A look at education, travel, communications, health, occupations, clothing, housing and entertainment in the Peace River area since 1910. Use of the unit should be determined by the teacher, so no particular suggestions are included. The intention is that the materials be used in an inquiry approach, with the drawing of inferences from clues contained in the pictures and the texts a major aim.

The Frank Slide (Kit) Candian Social Sciences Services, \$25.00\*.

An authentic account of the disaster, dramatically told with maps and photographs. This kit contains 30 student booklets (source materials and exercises), a tape, transparency, and teacher's manual. It is intended to lead students to many interesting discoveries about the famous slide of 1903.

Gage World Community Study Gage Educational Publishing Ltd., 1970, Book \$1.55\*,  
Teacher's Guide \$.95\*.

General Series Note: The following titles from this series were judged to be worthwhile for making comparisons to Alberta centres. Some skills and concepts which are developed through these books are: using and understanding maps; using a variety of quoted evidence and pictures in order to draw conclusions; mathematics (numbers, distances, money, time, zones, altitudes, areas, population). The general approach is to give some item of information and to ask related questions. These books are well illustrated and enjoyable. Teacher's guides for each are available.

Series Titles: Down Under At Barwidgee: Douglas E. Long. Life on a large ranch in south-eastern Australia is presented through excerpts from many letters written to "Gregg" (in Ontario), by the Manager of the ranch, his children, and other people who lived there. The student will discover some aspects of the areas' geography and how it affects the life style on ranch, how the land and herds have been improved and how different aspects of the ranch operations are carried out. Will help the student discover how the people of Barwidgee used modern methods to make a better living. (Figures quoted are from 1966 or 1967).

Bern: City In The Mountains: Robert H. Field. The citizens of Bern are presented as a resourceful people who have achieved distinction and success through the wise use of limited resources.

Living In A Norwegian Village: David Cutzin

Home On The Range: Frank C. Hardwick. By following the activities of a ranch nurse (Canadian) on a modern sheep ranch (in Wyoming) and members of a real family on the ranch, the student is led to discover the answers and to form opinions on the following questions: What do sheep provide for mankind? Where do sheep thrive? What are sheep really like? Is life better on the open range than on a small farm? In Towns rather than Cities? The emphasis on on the effects that geographic conditions have upon the people on the ranch and their work, and how the challenges of the environment are met. As this is a real life situation where not only the good points but also some of the frustrations are presented, the student will become involved and will have to clarify his opinions on value questions such as: the relative importance of a close-knit family, the issue of wild-life conservation "when coyotes and rattle snakes can be a threat" the value to the child starting his own enterprise and assuming responsibilities, and the advantages and disadvantage of rural and urban living.

Ginn Sample Studies of Canada Ginn and Company, 1967. Teacher's Manual \$4.15\*. Single titles in packages of 5 per package \$5.00\*.

In-depth studies of relatively small but important samples of a larger geographic region or geographic topic. Each booklet with the help of the printed word, and the use of some of the geographer's tools (i.e., pictures, charts and maps) and with the use of questions and activities, can help the student to discover and understand certain concepts about the industry, resources and geography of the region under study. The overall presentation helps to bridge the gap between the book and the reality. Vocabulary can be easily handled by most Grade 4 students. The material is organized and presented in a manner that will make it difficult for the student to not get involved. Good teacher's manual available.

Series Titles: Wheat Farming by Wm. J. Russell.

An Oil Well by D.L. Massey. See also Canada This Land Of Ours in the Grade 5 section.

Graph And Picture Study Skills (Kit) S.R.A., \$150.10\*.

This kit is designed to help students read and interpret illustrative materials such as photographs, editorial cartoons, graphic data, charts, and diagrams which are common to texts, newspapers, and other media. Individual pupil booklets and a teacher's guide are included.

A Horse For Running Buffalo Van Nostrand Reinhold Ltd., \$3.95\*.

This book tells the story of Running Buffalo, a young Blackfoot boy. It is set in southern Alberta, about 150 years ago, and tells of the life-style and customs of the Blackfoot people at that time.

The Hutterite Ways Rolf C. Seidel, Production House, St. Albert, Sound Filmstrip. \$21.00\*, Booklet \$2.00\*.

This history and life-style of the Hutterites through the study of what goes on in a family living in the colony. A combination of large type and sketches provides an interesting learning experience. Booklet can be used as coloring book. The filmstrip with audio tape gives the students an insight of the history, religion and life-style of Alberta Hutterites.

Indians Of The Plains O.L. Davis Jr., Van Nostrand Reinhold Ltd., 1971, \$1.15\*.

An introduction to the Indians of the American Plains, their origins, life-style and some of the changes they have undergone since the coming of the white man. In spite of the focus being on the Indians of the United States, most of the information is transferable to Canada.

There are some interesting activities suggested, but, by itself, this book will probably not stimulate the child to further discovery. It could be useful primarily for an introductory lesson on Indians. The reading level is approximately Grades 3 and 4.

Indians N.W.T. (Dogrib Legends) Curriculum Division, Department of Education N.W.T., Virginia Football (J.A. MacDiarmid). Distributed by McGraw Hill. Series package containing the Teacher's Manual and one copy of each of the 6 Student's Books: \$21.65\* or Shrink Pack containing 5 copies of any series title: \$14.75\*, Teacher's Manual only: \$3.95\*.

General Series Note: Very simple short Dogrib legends, beautifully illustrated with native art. The value is specially in the teacher's manual which approaches each legend from an interdisciplinary point of view and offers suggestions for almost all subject areas. The legends were collected on tape and translated without alterations.

Titles In The Series: Peace Between the Tribes; How A Fox Saved The People; The Raven's Lesson; How The Fox Got His Crossed Legs; Woman And The Pups; Tsequa and The Chief's Son.

Also available from the same source are the "Tendi" and "Johnny" series which describe certain aspects of native life in the North-West Territories through the activities and actions of children. The reading level in these series is Grade 2 - 3. The teacher's guides give suggestions for related activities in social studies, language, arts, science, mathematics, art and music.

Kibbutz On The Negev (with Teacher's Guide) Doreen Jampolsky & Derald Willows, 1973, Gage Educational Publishing Ltd., Book \$1.55\*, Teacher's Guide \$.95\*. Package of 10 - \$14.10\*.

An objective presentation of the topic wherein it is left to the students to form their own opinions about what they read and observe. Examines a form of communal living that has had strong influence on Israel's development as a nation. As a topic for study it has significance in a world where patterns of family and group living are being subjected to analysis and change. This form of community life is not presented as a Utopian solution; however, through this study it is hoped that the student will discover how dedication to an ideal can give added meaning to life and contribute to the progress of any society. Useful as a comparison-type study, particularly for those studying a Hutterite colony. The material in the student's book represents a core of data for about 4 or 5 weeks' work.

Map And Globe Skills (Kit) S.R.A., \$150.10\*.

This kit is designed to help students develop skills essential to

the effective use of maps and globes, by understanding the significance of facts shown on maps and globes. Individual pupil booklets and a teacher's guide are included. Multi-graded.

Map Reading Milliken, \$6.95\*.

Australia: Designed to teach basic map reading skills, this volume contains 12 color transparencies and 28 spirit duplicating masters. Duplicating masters include maps and exercise sheets with short, informational readings written at a 4 - 6 Grade reading level on the following topics: A look at Australia, political divisions, climate, landforms, surface waters, plant life, artesian wells, sheep and wool areas, natural resources, agriculture, cities, the Great Barrier Reef, Tasmania and New Zealand. Teacher's guide included.

Mexico The Fideler Company - Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1963, \$5.00\*. Patricia Fent Ross.

This book contains a great deal of general information about the geography, history and culture of Mexico. The book has large print and vocabulary suitable for the average Grade 4 student.

People And Places In Canada Holt, Rinehart and Winston of Canada, 1968, Book \$1.15\*, Teacher's Guide \$1.75\*.

General Series Notes: Individual sample study books provide students with the opportunity to discover Canada from sea to sea. Through an in-depth study of a representative community chosen as an example of the character of a geographic region, these books aim to develop broad concepts about the country as a whole. Written in an easy informal style, including interviews, personal records and original photographs. Each study is built around authentic people and families typical of the inhabitants of the region. Questions, illustrations and projects will encourage the involvement of every student in the inquiry process. Skills in map reading and graphic and statistical analysis are developed.

Series Titles: Alberta Foothills (Revised) Gary de Leeuw - A ranch in south western Alberta. Topics range from the yearly round of activities to the economics of cattle production.

The Crowsnest Pass: A Coal Mining Valley - David Jones and Gilles Lemieux - The effects of mining and related industries on the families of the miners and the community as a whole.

Home Oil Calgary: Oil Exploration and Production - Edward Koch - Through a study of two families, one in Swan Hills and the other in Calgary, this study attempts to give a representative picture of the oil industry in Canada.

People In Canada, Australia, New Zealand (People In Change). D. Ian Allen, Addison-Wesley Publishing Co., 1973. \$2.36\*. Teacher's Guide \$.80\*.

Contains explanations of life in different communities, past and present, in each area listed in the title. Well illustrated. Has good glossary and index. A good teacher resource. Reading level - upper elementary.

People, Places, Products (Kit) Macmillan Company of Canada, \$94.00\*.

The complete kit contains 5 display prints, 5 filmstrips, 5 record albums, and a teacher's manual. This kit shows how man uses such natural resources as lumber and fish and how he produces others such as cotton, grain and cattle. It looks closely at the processes of production, distribution and consumption of goods to emphasize the interdependence of all people and to lead pupils to form a basic concern for ecology.

Alberta: Where The Mountains Meet The Plains Tomkins, Tomkins and Scarfe, from Regional Studies of Canada Gage, 1970, approximately \$1.50\*.

This booklet is not as attractive as those in certain other series, however, it gives a better overview of the whole province in question. Excellent use is made of questioning strategies. Could be useful for classroom instruction or individual study. Discusses a variety of agricultural practices in Alberta while helping the student to understand why one particular area might be more suitable than another for a certain practice. Then moves briefly into the pulp and paper industry before discussing at some length the importance and extent of oil production in Alberta. Also, Calgary and Edmonton are discussed, and we get a glimpse of Banff & Jasper and the beauty of the Rockies.

R.C.M.P. Centennial Series (3 Kits) Part 1 - The Whiskey Traders: Part 2 - The March West; Part 3 - Men in Scarlet. Canadian Social Sciences Services, \$45.00\*, \$45.00\*, \$50.00\*.

Each kit contains 30 or more student booklets, a teacher's guide, and instruction booklet, 1 or 2 tape recordings, maps, historical photos and documents. The kits use the inquiry method to lead students to generalize as to the need for law and order in the Canadian West, to review the reasons for the formation of the N.W.M.P., to better understand the difficulties establishing themselves in Western Canada and to question whether they were successful in carrying out duties assigned by the Federal Government. These kits are intended to help students understand the contributions the R.C.M.P. made to the development of Canada. The teacher's guide give detailed lesson plans suggesting ways to use the kits

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for inquiry activities and areas for value discussions.

"The Whiskey Traders" emphasizes the reasons for the formation of the N.W.M.P.; "The March West" emphasizes the formation of the force; "Men in Scarlet" emphasizes the establishment of the N.W.M.P. in Western Canada.

When Grandma And Grandpa Were Kids Neil Sutherland, 1970, Book \$1.55\*, Teacher's Guide \$.85\*, W.J. Gage Limited.

A typical day in the life of two children some 60 years ago. Using recollections, illustrations, catalogue pictures, photos, reprints of old text books, we see what life was like upon getting up in the morning, deciding what to wear, having breakfast, attending school, working and playing around the house, going on a shopping trip, and enjoying a special holiday. Fairly typical of life in or near a growing urban centre in an agricultural region.

World Discovery Program (Teacher's Manual only) Dr. Joseph Kirman, U. of A., J.M. Dent & Sons Canada Ltd., 1971, \$3.00\*.

This Teacher's Manual contains a good outline for a program of studies wherein Alberta would be compared to other countries. Unit lessons plans give outline for an analysis of the history, economy, and geography of Alberta in contrast to and comparison with Australia, Argentina, the U.S.S.R., Iran and Oklahoma.



GRADE V - PEOPLE IN CANADA

Arctic Islands Petroleum Exploration Rex Vogel, Canadian Social Science Services, 1972, \$10.00\*.

Simulation Game: For 4 to 35 players, in 4 to 6 teams. Length of play: 1 to 2 hours which can be broken down into 30 minute periods. Teams represent petroleum exploration company, while players represent the shareholders or executives of the same. The objective is to maximize profits. Decisions to be made are: what properties to take options on; what properties to drill on; whether to buy or rent drilling rigs; whether to work an established field or wildcat. The purpose of the game is to help students discover some of the problems facing companies searching for petroleum, specifically in the Canadian Arctic. The play itself emphasizes competition but with options for co-operation. Strategic thinking and decision making are involved, but chance is a factor. Players do not begin with equal resources. Winners are those individuals or companies that end up with more than they had to begin with. Could be useful at a time when there is so much interest in the Canadian Arctic's resources, and so much concern for the region's ecological balance. As this game stresses the profit motive, an attempt should be made to also expose students to a game where the ecosystem's preservation is the main concern. All materials in game are reusable.

Canada (Kit) National Geographic Society, \$81.00\*.

The complete kit contains 6 tapes and 6 filmstrips. It presents a historical and geographical study of the major regions of Canada (Atlantic, Quebec, Ontario, Prairie Provinces, the West, and the North). It outlines major industries, means of transportation, and contemporary problems.

Canada's Northland (Man on the Earth) Gunn, Angus M., Oxford University Press, 1974, \$1.95\*.

Describes the life of the Inuit, conditions in the far North and the effects of resource development on the land and the people. For purposes of comparisons, contains an interesting chapter on life in a large Russian city which is further to the north than Inuvik. Good use is made of illustrations and maps. The reading level is approximately Grade 7.

Canada: This Land Of Ours Wiley, Welsh, King, Thomas, Fryer & McLean, Ginn and Company, 1970, Book \$5.25\*, Teacher's Manual \$3.85\*.

The book divides Canada into 7 geographical regions. Concepts related to climate, vegetation, geology, economics and so forth, are spaced throughout the text and only introduced where particularly relevant rather than being repeated for all geographical regions. One will find an abundance of photos, drawings, diagrams, tables, newspaper clippings and maps to arouse curiosity. The skills and concepts are introduced in stages of increasing difficulty. There are more activities than could possibly be covered; teachers will have to be selective. The accompanying teacher's manual gives an introduction, the summary of objectives, a summary of contents, text development, answers to questions and explanations for each chapter. There is also a reference list of both print and non-print material and it gives practical suggestions for developing the inquiry approach. Teachers who wish to extend the use of the topical approach can use titles from the Ginn sample studies of Canada series. (Listed elsewhere in this section). These 24 page booklets each describe in depth an important Canadian industry or city.

Canada: "The True North Strong And Free" Moreland-Latchford Productions Ltd. Kit, \$75.00\*.

This kit contains 6 colored filmstrips without captions and 6 cassettes. The average playing time of the cassette is 16 minutes. The average number of frames in the filmstrip is 71. Covers the history, geography, people and the economy of (a) the Maritimes (b) Quebec (c) Ontario (d) the Prairies (e) B.C. (f) the North. The teacher's guide, which is very brief, lists the objectives for each filmstrip, its contents and points to discuss. Even though many of the concepts presented are at a Junior High level, the material can be used at the Upper Elementary level. As the teacher's guide is very brief, the material must be previewed so that the class can adequately be prepared. The material in this kit can be particularly useful as an introduction to a Canadian area under study or for individual instruction.

The Canadians Fitzhenry & Whiteside, 1974, \$1.75\* Each.

General Series Notes: A continuing series of biographies of lesser known Canadians who have made a significant contribution to our society in areas of politics, art, sports, business, science, human relations. Each chapter is followed by probing questions which will necessitate serious thought, further research and a clarification of values on the part of the student. Books are illustrated in an imaginative style with original photos, illustrations and documents. Reading level - Grade 7. Excellent for enrichment or for individual study.

Series Titles: (Others to follow)

Frederick Banting  
Alexander Graham Bell  
Charles Best  
Norman Bethune  
Billy Bishop  
Henri Bourassa  
Joseph Brant  
Emily Carr  
John Dafoe  
Timothy Eaton

Dan George  
Group of Seven  
Marion Hilliard  
Tom Longboat  
Samuel McLaughlin  
Marshall McLuhan  
Agnes McPhail  
Allan Napier MacNab  
Wm. Hamilton Merritt  
Wilder Penfield

Maurice Richard  
Egerton Ryerson  
Laura Secord  
Clifford Sifton  
Elizabeth Simcoe  
Joseph Smallwood  
Sam Steele  
Tecumseh  
David Thompson  
J.S. Woodsworth

The Canadian Flag Cinemedia, Encyclopaedia Britannica, \$39.00\*.

The package contains 3 filmstrips (without captions), 2 records and teaching notes. The sound filmstrips present the flags of Canada's past, how Canada got it's flag, and Canadian flags and how they are used. They follow the many stages and the controversy through which Canada passed in the selection of a distinct national flag. Also included is, Lester B. Pearson's historic 'Flag Speech'. Through the history of our flag, the student is confronted with the value question of, on the one hand, desiring to assert our individuality as a nation, while on the other hand, desiring to maintain our ties with the past.

Coniferous Forests and Temperate Grasslands of North America (Introducing Earth) L.F. Hobley, Macmillan & Co. Ltd.

Canadian emphasis very heavy. Looks at the Prairies, its agriculture industry, the coniferous forests, their extent, lumbering, the Maritime provinces, the North-West, the Pacific Coast, Mining and Fishing. Ample questions and suggested activities. Reading level - Grade 5. No Teacher's Guide available. All measurements in metric units.

Exploring Canada Through Maps (Kit) Oxford University Press, \$35.00\*.

This kit contains multiple copies of each of 52 skill cards, 20 slides, a teacher's hardbook and an answer guide. These are to be used in conjunction with a school atlas and together they will provide balanced studies in Canadian geography and history. The skill cards contain illustrations and interesting readings which are followed by activities and questions arranged in order of difficulty. The slide set is a selection of illustrations from the skill cards.

Ginn Sample Studies of Canada Ginn and Company, 1967. Teacher's Manual \$/ 5\*  
Single titles in packages of 5 per package \$5.00\*. Specimen set (1 of ch  
title plus Teacher's Manual \$23.15\*).

In-depth studies of relatively small but important samples of a larger geographic region or geographic topic. Each booklet with the help of the printed word, and the use of some of the geographer's tools (i.e. pictures, charts and maps) and with the use of questions and activities, can help the student to discover and understand certain concepts about the region under study. The overall presentation helps to bridge the gap between the book and the reality. Vocabulary can be easily handled by most Grade 4 students. The material is organized and presented in a manner that will make it difficult for the student to not get involved. Good teacher's manual available. (See also Canada, This Land Of Ours in this section).

Teacher's Manual / James A. Carroll  
A Forest Industry / Arthur J. Welsh  
Fruit Farming / Carleton MacNaughton  
The Nation's Capital / L.V. Creighton  
Mixed Farming / John Ryan  
Mining in the Shield / J. Douglas Yeo  
Market Gardening / P. Harper, W.D. Brown  
Making Pulp and Paper / H.J.B. Gough  
Tourism in Nova Scotia  
Iron Mining / R.C. Oulton  
Sardine Fishing and Canning / L.K. Ingersoll, L.R. Carson  
Salmon Fishing / Peter Harper, J. Burdikin  
Power at Niagara / James A. Carroll  
Port of Vancouver / P. Harper  
Port City / James H. Patrick  
Wheat Farming / Wm. J. Russell  
Aluminium and Power / P.G. Burpee  
An Arctic Settlement / K.F. Dudley  
An Oil Well / D.L. Massey  
Assembling Automobiles / Lorne R. Carson

Ginn Studies In Canadian History Ginn and Company, 1970. Each title available in packages (5 per package for \$5.50\*); Specimen Set (1 of each of 17 titles plus teacher's manual) \$21.85\*; Teacher's Manual separately \$4.15\*.

General Series Notes: Follows the Sample Studies approach, where individually important places, events, people or activities are set in context and studied in depth along with their causes and effects. The booklets are well illustrated with color photographs of artifacts, historical sites and paintings. Good use is made of documents and journals. Questions which will cause the pupil to think are included. Offers further suggestions and sources for research. Concentrates on the "less celebrated" eras and events in Canada's history..

Series Titles:

Caleb Seaman: A Loyalist - Mary Beacock Fryer  
The Voyageurs - R.J. Andrews  
Battle at Quebec: 1779 - R.J. Andrews  
The Fur Fort - R.J. Andrews  
Fort York - Donald Feather, George Waters  
Ellen Elliott: A Pioneer - Elizabeth Andrews  
Colonists at Port Royal - D.C. Smith  
Life at Red River: 1830 - 1860 - Wilson  
Hunters of the Plains: Assiniboine Indians - D.F. Symington  
Normads of the Shield: Ojibwa Indians - Emerson S. Coatsworth  
Treaties and Promises - Emerson S. Coatsworth  
The Timber Trade - Terrance J. Brennan  
Spy at Quebec: 1759 - R.J. Andrews  
Soldiers at Quebec: 1759 - R.J. Andrews  
The Seigneurie of Longueuil - D.C. Smith  
Seafaring Warriors of the West - D.F. Symington  
Shipbuilding in the Maritimes - Allaby  
Sainte-Marie - Among the Hurons - Hawkes  
The London and Port Stanley Railway: 1856 - Andreae  
Gold Rush in the Cariboo - Harper.

Gold Fever Trail: A Klondike Adventure, Monica Hughes, Le Bel Enterprises Ltd.  
 Edmonton, 1974. Approx. cost \$1.75\*.

A story approach to the study of the Klondike. Has illustrations and map of the Klondike region.

Growth Of A Nation (Canada History) Co-ordinating Editor/Daniel R. Birch,  
 Fitzhenry & Whiteside Ltd., 1974. \$2.00\* Each.

General Series Note: Books deal with the themes introduced in the Growth of a Nation picture set. These books are written in an informal but informative style giving all the back ground information for study print set. Both study prints and books can be used independently of each other. Books consist of original photos, illustrations, documents, easy-to-read-text and ample questions and suggested activities.

Series Titles:

1. The Fur Trade - Neering, Rosemary
2. The Gold Rush - Neering, Rosemary; California Gold Rush, method of mining, the rush in British Columbia and the trek to the Cariboo, the prospector's life, Barkerville, the effects of the Gold Rush on British Columbia.

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3. The N.W.M.P. - Neering, Rosemary: The situation in the North-west in 1873; Formation of the force: the trek westward; life in the early N.W.M.P. posts; Indian treaties: the North-West Rebellion; the north-west spread of the Force: its growth and progress.
4. The Settlement of the West - Neering, Rosemary: Contents of this book, for example, are Indians, Fur Traders and Metis; Lord Selkirk's Colony; the Hudson's Bay Company; the Homestead; the Railway; Growth in B.C.; Development of New Agricultural Practices; Immigration and Pioneer Experiences.
5. The Coming of the Railway - Neering, Rosemary.

Growth Of A Nation (Study Prints) Co-ordinating Editor/Daniel R. Birch, Fitzhenry & Whiteside Ltd., 1973, \$43.00\*.

Twenty-nine study prints follow the growth and completion of the Canadian nation with emphasis on the part played by the West. Starting with the earliest days of competition between English and French for furs (5 cards) the pictures illustrate the increasing tide of exploration and settlement, as explorers and trappers and first settlers (5 cards) are followed by the railway (4 cards), miners and police (3 cards) who are in turn followed by the homesteaders and farmers (6 cards). This set also contains 8 cards on the growth of British Columbia. The prints (approx. 15 x 20) are generally in color, with additional black and white pictures, readings and suggested activities on the reverse side. Set also includes a comprehensive teacher's manual.

A Guide To Understanding Canada (Geography of Canada) James Peters, Guinness Publishing Ltd.

This beautifully illustrated and well designed manual is intended to guide students in understanding the geography of Canada through their own discoveries. The problems in this book are designed to motivate the student to discover through research. The material has been graduated from simple to difficult. A skill building chapter on map reading is included to help students acquire and utilize the basic skills needed for broad understanding of maps. It is not intended that all the problems be answered in one year. A teacher's guide is also available. It outlines approaches for discussion and the solutions to the posed problems.

Jackdaw (Kits) \$3.40\*.

General Series Notes: A packaged kit of pertinent documents. There are authentic reproductions showing contemporary documents, maps, charts,

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engravings, prints, costumes, paintings, diaries, etc. Included, too are broadsheets which present interpretations and evaluations of the different phases of each event. The materials can be use in wall displays, introductions, discussion starters or class lectures.

For Grade 5 use:

Indians of Canada  
Cartier of St. Malo  
ChAMPLAIN  
The North-West Passage  
Push to the Pacific  
The Fur Trade

1837: Mackenzie  
Canada and the Civil War  
Confederation: 1867  
Royal Canadian Mounted Police  
Canada and the Great War

The Living Arctic (Kit) Canada, The Arctic) Encyclopaedia Britannica \$50.00\*.

This kit contains 5 filmstrips, a teacher's guide, overhead transparency, maps, booklets and documents, providing information on Canada's Arctic today and yesterday. The kit examines the physical setting, the Eskimo heritage, white men in the Arctic, patterns of life there, and the new North, as the Arctic undergoes its most intensive changes yet. The printed material in this kit is a mixture of seemingly unrelated items, with no clear indication of their intended use. However, the filmstrips (which have captions) are generally excellent.

Living In Canada (Canada-Geography & History) Cameron/Innis/Richards/Clarke, Irwin & Company Ltd., 1968, \$5.25\*.

The first 130 pages look at Canada's geography from regional point of view. What follows is the history of Canada from its discovery and its first inhabitants through to life in the mid 1800's. There are end of chapter reviews, problems and also suggested activities. This book, though it is unimaginative in its presentation, could be an excellent resource manual or teacher reference.

Longhouse to Blastfurnace (Canada, Hamilton, Ont., Past to Present), James Forrester, Gary Birchall, Douglas M. Gray: Fitzhenry & Whiteside Ltd., \$1.92\* (accompanying teacher's guide \$.80\*, accompanying filmstrip \$4.95\*)

Series Title: Man and His World; Sub-Title: The Growth of an Industry; Plots the development of Hamilton from the primeval forest to the modern city. Along the way, students will encounter a variety of topics. The clothing, food, agriculture, hunting and society of the Indians are explored. Early settlement of upper and lower Canada

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is a major topic of investigation. A third section deals with developments in transportation through advances in steel and rail. Information, questions and activities ranging through science, technology, geography, architecture, recreation, education and sociology are provided. The vocabulary is very simple and the book contains many questions and suggested activities.

Map And Globe Skills S.R.A., \$150.10\*.

This kit is designed to help students develop skills essential to the effective use of maps and globes, by understanding the significance of facts shown on maps and globes. Individual pupil booklets and a teacher's guide are included. Multi-graded.

Opening Of The Canadian West (Kit) See Hear Now - Library of Canadian History, Toronto, 1972, approx. cost \$48.00\*. 3 cassettes with filmstrips.

Filmstrips and tapes give a general overview of life in Western Canada from the explorers and fur traders to the present day.

The Opening Of The West (Study Prints) Encyclopaedia Britannica Pub. Ltd., \$14.90\*.

The Plains Indians; The West Coast Indians; Exploration and Expansion; The Fur Trade: Early Settlement: Immigration; Law and Order In The West; The Cariboo Gold Rush: Confederation Moves West; The Final Link.

Ten Canadian-produced Study Prints size 12 1/4" x 18" printed in color on heavy card and packaged in a clear vinyl envelope. On the reverse of each print are detailed explanations, maps and illustrations.

Operation Railroad (Kit) (Canada History, The C.P.R.) Canadian Social Sciences Services, \$55.00\*.

This kit contains 30 student booklets of source materials, documents, tapes, maps and a teacher's manual. It is intended to guide students in the use of primary sources and help them formulate hypotheses, carry out research and arrive at conclusions about the reasons for building of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The student materials contain information which is particularly relevant to students in Western Canada.



People And Places In Canada Holt, Rinehart and Winston of Canada, 1968,  
Book \$1.15\*, Teacher's Guide \$1.75\*.

General Series Notes: Series of individual sample study books, provides students with the opportunity to discover Canada from sea-to-sea. Through an in-depth study of a representative community chosen as an example of the character of a geographic region, these books aim to develop broad concepts about the country as a whole. Written in an easy informal style, including interviews, personal records and original photographs. Each study is built around authentic people and families typical of the inhabitants of the region. Questions, illustrations and projects will encourage the involvement of every student in the inquiry process. Skills in map reading and graphic and statistical analysis are developed.

Series Titles: Alberta Foothills (Revised) Gary de Leeuw. A ranch in south western Alberta, topics range from the yearly round of activities to the economics of cattle production.

The Crowsnest Pass: A Coal Mining Valley - David Jones and Gilles Lemieux. The effects of mining and related industries on the families of the miners and the community as a whole.

Ferryboats of British Columbia: Richard P.R. Porter and David Jones. The life and work of the ferryman, including such aspects as shift work and scheduling, and a general exploration of boats, shipping, and life at sea.

The Fisherman of Lunenburg: James H. Marsh. First hand reports of fishing industry and a ship building community.

Flin Flon: David Jones. A study of a northern mining community, including a discussion of the indian-metis population, and the importance of mining to the community.

Gold River: A Centre For Lumbering - Ronald C. Jones and Frank Waters. An exploration of logging and various forestry concerns including re-forestation and fire control.

Granby: A Manufacturing Centre - Jean Lavallee. The lay out of the town, its economic life and its influence on the surrounding countryside provide the focus of this study. The conflicts inherent in a growing urban centre in Quebec are explored.

Home Oil Calgary: Oil Exploration and Production - Edward Koch. Through a study of two families, one in Swan Hills and the other in Calgary, this study attempts to present a representative picture of the oil industry in Canada.

Kitchener: A Meat Packing Centre - Edward Koch. An intensive study of Kitchener's meat packing industry. Present some of the factors influencing the character and growth of the city itself and its position relative to economic growth in southern Ontario.

Manitoba Lowlands: A Mixed Farm - Gary de Leeuw. A study of a mixed farm near Steinbach Manitoba. Introduces topics such as crop rotation, mechanization, marketing of produce, geographic and climatic influences on farming.

Okanagan Valley: Life On An Orchard - Ronald J. Carswell. A fruit farm in Summerland. The farm, the family methods of fruit growing and harvesting with a comparison to other farms in Canada are the subjects treated.

Port Alberni: Pulp and Paper - R.D. Bramwell. A study of a family and their community, as well as an exploration of the pulp and paper industry.

Winnipeg: Gateway To The West - Edward Koch. A representative study of a large metropolis, including such aspects of urban communities as industry, population, transportation, growth and development, recreational facilities and urban planning.

Regional Studies Of Canada Gage, 1970, approx. \$1.50\*.

Series Notes: These booklets are not as attractive as those in certain other series, however, they give a better overview of the whole province in question. Excellent use is made of questioning strategies. Could be useful for classroom instruction or individual study.

Series Titles: Alberta: Where The Mountains Meet The Plains - Tomkins, Tomkins & Scarfe. Discusses a variety of agricultural practices in Alberta while helping the student to understand why one particular area might be more suitable than another for a certain practice. Then moves briefly into the pulp and paper industry before discussing at some length the importance and extent of oil production in Alberta. Also, Calgary and Edmonton are discussed, and get a glimpse of Banff and Jasper and the beauty of the Rockies. (More useful for Grade 4).

Southern Ontario - Workshop of the Nation.

Northern Ontario - Land of Buried Treasure.

Quebec - French-Canadian Homeland.

The Atlantic Provinces - Tidewater Lands.

Manitoba - Where East meets West.

Saskatchewan - Land of Far Horizons.

British Columbia - Mountain Wonderland.

North of Sixty - Canada's Advancing Frontier.

R.C.M.P. Centennial Series (3 Kits) Part 1, The Whiskey Traders; Part 2, The March West; Part 3, Men In Scarlet; Canadian Social Sciences Services, \$45.00\*, \$45.00\*, \$50.00\*.

Each kit contains 30 or more student booklets, a teacher's guide, and instruction booklet, 1 or 2 tape recordings, maps, historical photos and documents. The kits use the inquiry method to lead students to generalize as to the need for law and order in the Canadian West, to review the reasons for the formation of the N.W.M.P., to better understand the difficulties establishing themselves in Western Canada and to question whether they were successful in carrying out duties assigned by the federal government. These kits are intended to help students understand the contributions the R.C.M.P. made to the development of Canada. The teacher's guides give detailed lesson plans suggesting ways to use the kits for inquiry activities and areas for value discussions.

"The Whiskey Traders" emphasizes the reasons for the formation of the N.W.M.P.; "The March West" emphasizes the formation of the force. "Men In Scarlet" emphasizes the establishment of the N.W.M.P. in Western Canada.

Saskatchewan: A People And A Province W. Lowry R. Knight & Don C. Barnett, Fitzhenry & Whiteside, 1974, \$3.95\*.

Written by Saskatchewan educators for students at the Grade 4 level. Contains a description of Saskatchewan, a study of its people, its history, government and resources. Uses numerous questions and activities and a variety of approaches to the subject. A good mix of information and structure for a study unit.

Saskatchewan Sample Studies (Curriculum Resource Books Series) John Newton, Les Richards, McClelland & Stewart, 1971, \$2.50\*.

A geographical study designed to encourage the student to think for himself and to draw his own conclusions. Pictures, maps, charts and descriptions of landscapes will help him discover how agricultural and mineral resource development in Saskatchewan are influenced by natural settings, climate and other factors, and what men have done to overcome certain difficulties. Book has introductory chapter on map skills. Agricultural is studied through conditions and activities on an actual farm on the south Saskatchewan Plain. Section on mineral resource development looks at the petroleum, potash and uranium industries. Final chapters deal with Saskatoon and Regina and smaller urban centers. Contains many illustrations but lack of color reduces total impact. Contains large number of questions, some of a recall nature and some requiring additional research. Reading level would be for best upper elementary. Would make a good teacher resource book for unit on Saskatchewan.

Seeing Canada's West And North (Western Canada, History & Geography) Dr. W.C. Wonders (U. of A.), Coronet, 4 color filmstrips, 2 LP records, teacher's guide \$38.00\*, 4 color filmstrips, 4 cassettes, teacher's guide \$48.00\*. (Distributed by Social Studies School Service).

The diversity of Canada's western and northern provinces and territories is explored in a program of four color sound filmstrips. After an initial introduction to the land forms and resources of the area, the program investigates agriculture, fishing, industry, and commerce as they contribute to the complex society and economy of the region. A review of the history of Western Canada discusses the Hudson's Bay Company, the first explorers, the settlement of Manitoba's Red River Valley, the organization of the North West Mounted Police, and the many gold rushes. Teacher's guide summarizes each filmstrip and suggests possible classroom activities.

Studies In Canadian History - Gage, Book \$1.12\*, Teacher's Guide \$.50\*, package of 10 books plus teacher's guide \$10.00\*.

General Series Notes: The two books in this series are not text books. They are a combination of sourcebook and study guide for students to use as a tool to discover Canadian history just as historians do. The emphasis is on the development of certain concepts and skills rather than on the mastery of a body of factual content. More suited to better readers.

Series Titles: Early Days In Upper Canada: David W. Williams. Examines the "pioneer in the backwoods" stereotype image and then extends the student's awareness to the actual rapid change and growth in Upper Canada in the 1790 to 1840 period. The text pictures, illustrations and original documents in the study will reveal that by the 1830's, Upper Canada was rapidly becoming urbanized and that the pattern of rural settlement had already shifted from pioneer subsistence to fairly intensive commercial agriculture. The content areas are the Loyalists and European Immigrations, the patterns of rural and urban settlement and the resulting changes in the landscape. The child will have to weigh the advantages and disadvantage of immigration and also the advantages and disadvantages of settling in virgin territory.

Montreal 1850 - 1870: Provides materials for an in-depth study of urban Canadian life in the mid 19th century. Will help students acquire a better understanding of what the term "city" encompasses, of the work of the historian, of the kind of questions he asks and the skills he needs. Contains pictures, illustrations and original documents from which to draw information.

The Sudbury Region Richard P. Baine, Holt, Rinehart and Winston of Canada Ltd., 1969.

The City of Sudbury and Levack, a smaller mining town nearby, are the setting of this geographical study. The mining industry in these areas and a family living in each of the two places. Though the illustration in this book is enjoyable, the object, as stated in the introduction, is "to understand how important these metals (i.e. nickel) are in the lives of people who live in the region and how important they are to all Canadians". The child will also learn a lot about the mining industry and life in a smaller town. Many of the problems that are posed are very interesting. This book makes generous use of maps and questions.

When Grandma And Grandpa Were Kids (Canada History) Neil Sutherland, W.J. Gage Ltd., 1970, Book \$1.55\*, Teacher's Guide \$.85\*.

A typical day in the life of two children some sixty years ago.

Using recollections, illustrations, catalogue pictures, photos, reprints of old text books, we see what life was like upon getting up in the morning, deciding what to wear, having breakfast, attending school, working and playing around the house, going on a shopping trip, and enjoying a special holiday. Fairly typical of life in or near a growing urban centre in an agricultural region.

Communities In Action Unit 1 Discussion Pictures, J.M. Kirman, S.R.A. 15 photoboards and Teacher's Guide \$37.00\*.

Fifteen Picture Cards, 17" x 23" depict various aspects of community life in Canada today, and for contrast and comparison, Canada in the past and other lands. Manufacturing, trade, farming, education and fishing are portrayed. For each picture the teacher's guide provides additional topics for study, discussion questions and activities. A list of references, books, films, filmstrips, tapes and maps is provided to assist in related research.

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GRADE VI - THE HISTORICAL ROOTS OF MAN

Ancient American Indian Civilizations Encyclopaedia Britannica. 7 color filmstrips with captions \$42.00\*.

Compares the civilization of the Mayans, Incas and Aztecs up to the time of the Spanish conquest. The filmstrips include social and economic structures, agriculture and geography and achievements in art and science, as well as maps illustrating geographical location, principal cities and road systems.

Ancient Civilizations Instructo Corp., 1971, \$7.95\*.

General Series Notes: Each kit contains duplicating masters color transparencies, and 1 short color filmstrip with brief caption. Materials allow pupils to observe illustrations, interpret pictures, construct models and dioramas. Teacher's guide includes basic concepts, background information, questions and a suggested pupil reading list. For average Grade 6 readers.

Series Titles: Egypt: 14 Spirit masters, 3 transparencies, color filmstrip (10 frames) \$7.95\*. Explores the social structure, role of the Pharaoh, archeology, ancient writing, artists. Activities include making picture dictionary and model of pyramid.

Greece: 18 Spirit master, 2 transparencies, color filmstrip (10 frames) \$ 7.95\*. Explores land and climate, the Greek temple, Athens and Sparta, Gods and Goddesses. Alexander the Great. Activities include making diorama of Greek home.

Rome: 20 Spirit masters, 2 transparencies, color filmstrip (10 frames) \$ 7.95\*. Studies growth of Roman Empire. Pompeii, Roman home, Roman Senate, relief and political maps. Activities include puzzles, map making, Roman "domino game".

Ancient Egypt C.A. Burland, Bellhaven House Ltd. \$3.00\*.

By covering all aspects of daily life in Ancient Egypt, this book brings about a clear understanding of what the author considers to be one of the main reasons for the greatness of the Egyptian civilization: a united effort on the part of every person from Pharaoh to slave to live well. The book paints a pleasant picture of life in Ancient Egypt. Is a good easy to read general resource.

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Ancient Greece C.A. Burland, Bellhaven House Ltd., 1965, \$3.00\*.

A complete picture of life in Ancient Greece is drawn out as we read about the country and the people who inhabit it, their work, clothing, arts, religion, system of government, customs, education, science, sports, amusements, commerce, agriculture and many other aspects of the way of life in Ancient Greece. The presentation is unimaginative but its thoroughness and simplicity make it quite useful. Well indexed. Reading level - Grade 5.

Ancient Greece (Picture Set) Christobel M. Cordell, J. Weston Walsh, 1967, Portland Maine 04104. \$5.00\* per set.

Eighteen photos of statues, monuments or paintings of 11" x 14" sheets with one half of the space for the photo and one half for accompanying text. Picture set includes the public square in Ancient Greece, the Charioteer, a Victory in the Olympic games, a Greek warrior, the battle of Marathon, Persian invaders, the Acropolis of Athens, view of the Parthenon and others.

The Birth of Civilizations (The Story of Western Man) John Ricker & John Saywall Clarke, Irwin & Co. Ltd., 1973, \$1.25\*.

The first section outlines the history of the earth and the theories of its origins, and trace the arrival and development of man emphasizing the significance of the agricultural revolution. Attention is then focused on the evolution of the first civilizations in the near East, the reasons for their rise and fall, and their significance to Western civilization. This is followed by a study of the civilization that evolves in ancient China. Since two of the greatest ancient civilizations were the Chinese and the Egyptian they are singled out for a more thorough treatment. The chapter on China examines a river valley civilization through its government, society, religion and culture. The Egyptian civilization is portrayed through an extensive picture essay. Very well illustrated. Written at the Junior High level.

China Herold J. Wiens, The Fideler Company, Toronto, 1966, approx. cost \$5.00\*.

This book takes a problem solving approach to study of China past and present. Pictures, maps and diagrams throughout book (black and white only). Book is anti-Communist and pro-American.

Day Books Tyndall, \$5.95\*.

General Series Notes: Sets out to describe at first hand the daily lives of ordinary people - farmers, soldiers, traders, children and housewives. Illustrated in color and black and white. Reading level all Grade 6.

Series Titles: One Day In Roman Britain; One Day In Ancient Rome; One Day In Tutankhamen's Egypt; One Day In Ancient Greece.

Daily Life In Ancient Rome (Picture Set) Lee Agger, J. Weston Walsh, Portland Maine 04104. \$5.00\* per set.

Eighteen illustrations in two colors on 11" x 14" sheets with one half of the space for the illustration and one half for accompanying text. Picture set includes an example of a bakery, slavery, family gods, housing, clothing, jewelry, marriage, dining, military life, funerals, law and order, chariot racing and others.

The Egyptians Knew Tillie S. Pine & Joseph Levine, McGraw Hill, 1964, \$3.95\*.

Simple descriptions, including easy experiments, of the scientific knowledge of the ancient Egyptians and how it was used. The descriptions help us to know what they knew and the experiments help us to better understand.

Everyday Life Of The Aztec Warwick Bray, Putnam, 1969, \$4.95\*.

Detailed, objective information covering many areas of Aztec life. The thoroughly researched material is well organized, indexed and illustrated. A superior treatment of a fascinating people and civilization. Draws on both the archaeological evidence and the early documentary resources - especially the writings of the Spanish Conquerors. A picture of Aztec society embracing not only the ruling classes and officials of the city but also the merchants and the craftsmen, and the life of humble people, the peasants and the slaves. Descriptions of homes, family life, work, pastimes, religion and the fanatical dedication to warfare.

Exploring The Social Sciences O.L. Davis, Jr., Van Nostrand Reinhold Ltd., 1971, \$1.20\*.

General Series Notes: The civilization is studied through the

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eyes of a historian, a sociologist, an economist, a geographer, a philosopher and an archaeologist. Sprinkled with good photography and many questions. These books are excellent stimulators. Many suggested activities are open ended so that the students of different abilities can be accommodated. Reading level all Grade 6.  
Series Titles: Ancient Greece; Confucian China.

The First Book Of The Ancient Maya Barbara Beck, Franklin Watts, 1965, \$3.75\*.

Based on the study of ruins and on writings of historians and archeologists, this is an introduction to the social, artistic and religious life of the Mayans.

The First Book Of The Ancient Aztecs Barbara Beck, Franklin Watts, 1966, \$3.75\*.

Highlights the historical background, daily life, religious and social structure, and main achievements of the Aztec nation and explains its defeat by the Spaniards. Appropriate illustrations.

Greece The Greatness Of Man (The Story of Western Man) John Ricker and John Saywell, Clarke, Irwin & Company Ltd., 1973, \$2.25\*.

Provides a narrative of Greek history from its origins to the collapse of Alexander The Great's Empire. Attention is then turned to an in-depth study of fifth century Athens in order to examine more fully the economic, social and religious structure of the Athenian Empire at its height, to study in detail the world's first democracy, and to probe more deeply into the greatness of the Greek achievements in art and architecture, literature, philosophy and thought. Very well illustrated. Written at the Junior High level.

Greece And Roman Civilization Social Science Staff of the Educational Research Council of America. Allyn and Bacon Inc., 1973, \$2.90\*.

Through the use of the inquiry approach, basic concepts of geography and economics are developed. Reviews general geography, and the geography of the region in question. Gives excellent treatment to the subject matter. Makes excellent use of questioning strategies. Questions are generally rated as to their degree of difficulty (i.e. rote, thinking, and research). Comparisons are sometimes made to the U.S. system of Government and Courts but these are minimal (3 to 4 pages). Many value-loaded areas besides an excellent historical and geographical treatment. Well illustrated and with a good glossary.

History Of Man Series Milliken \$6.95\*.

General Series Notes: Each master book contains 12 full color transparencies which are perforated for easy removal. Also included are spirit duplicating masters of maps, identification quizzes, completion tests, games and general review materials for either testing or additional student exercises. Designed to portray the everyday lives and times of the people. Teacher's guide section contains concise background information, suggestions for further study and answer key.

Series Titles: Ancient Egypt: Includes Egypt and her empire. Great Pyramid, trade, Tutankhamen's treasure, dress, homes and gardens.

Greece: The Hellenic Age: Includes Greece, Sparta, Athens, Persian Wars, Greek architecture, Olympic games, Peloponnesian Wars.

Greece: The Hellenistic Age: Includes Alexander's conquest of the "World", mathematics, science, architecture, philosophers and orators.

Rome: Book I; Includes 6th Century map of Italy, Etruscan Heritage, Duel with Carthage, Republican Rome, Religion, Domestic Life, Forum, Roman Law and Julius Caesar.

Rome: Book II; Includes Augustus, Pax Romana, Emperors, Pleasures of the Area, Roman Art, Literature, Constantine the Great, Christianity Triumphs, Fall of Rome, and Barbarian Kingdoms.

How People Live In China Lyn Harrington, Benefic Press, Westchester Illinois, 1971. Approx. cost \$3.50\*.

This book uses a question - answer approach. Deals with China's past and present. Uses diagrams, graphs and maps (color and black and white). Summary of basic concepts at back.

The Incas Knew Tillie S. Pine & Joseph Levine, McGraw Hill, 1968, \$3.95\*.

The knowledge of the Incas about maps, dividing the year, keeping records, weaving cloth, working in metals, irrigating farms, and building bridges, roads and houses is compared with modern methods. Activities using the same principles the Incas used are also included.

Inca Peru C.A. Burland, Bellhaven House Ltd., 1962. \$3.00\*.

The daily life, the religion and the government form the nucleus of this book. The presentation is unimaginative but its thoroughness and simplicity make it quite useful. Well indexed. Reading level - Grade 5.

Indian Tribes (Latin America) Sonia Bleeker, William Morrow & Co., 1960 and after, \$4.55\*.

General Series Notes: Written in a straight forward and a serious style, but filled with many vivid details. Covers all aspects of the culture with thoroughness and clarity. Reading level - all Grade 6.  
Series Titles: The Aztec; The Inca; The Mayan.

Jackdaw (Kits) (History) \$3.40\*.

General Series Notes: An attempt to capture the essence of the historical event through a packaged kit of pertinent documents. There are authentic reproductions showing contemporary documents, maps, charts, engravings, prints, costumes, paintings, diaries, etc. Included, too are broadsheets which present interpretations and evaluations of the different phases of each event. The materials can be used in wall displays, introductions, discussion starters or class lectures.  
Series Titles: The Conquest of Mexico; China: Cultural Heritage; Tutankhamen and the Discovery of the Tomb.

Made In Ancient Egypt Christine Price, E.P. Dutton & Co. Inc., 1970, \$5.95\*.

A remarkable collection of photos and illustrations that bring history to light and make the reader that much more appreciative of the accomplishments of this civilization. The emphasis is on the total scope of ancient Egyptian history as told through its art and architecture.

Man In His World Fitzhenry & Whiteside, Book \$1.92\*, Teacher's Guide \$.80\*, Filmstrip \$5.95\*.

General Series Notes: Written by a team of Canadian authors. Based on the notion that in effective education the process of learning is more important than acquiring facts. The series should succeed in drawing out the student's interest and involvement. Appeal is made to his curiosity about life in the past. This is coupled with a strong human emphasis. Includes graphs, statistics, diagrams, photographs, maps and many suggested activities and questions. The authors use many methods to encourage learning: the enquiry approach; problem solving; simple experiments; DID YOU KNOW? Role playing and THINGS TO DO SECTION. The value of these books is not only in what they contain but in how they lead the student to discover even more. Books contain useful bibliographies.  
Series Titles: Kings of Peru: Forrester, Birchall, Parr & Williamson. An imaginative study of the Incan civilization, its agriculture, religious practices, government and conquest.

Mexico Emerges: Takes the student back to the ancient Mayan civilization and to the rich culture of the Aztecs. The authors show how Spanish domination, the struggle for independence in 1821, the war with the United States, and the revolution of 1910 are all part of the fibre of modern Mexico. The authors encourage students to act out scenes from history, research significant persons such as Montezuma and Cortez, interpret art and religious customs, and solve problems such as those faced by archaeologists.

Gifts Of The Nile: Flannigan, Gray, Hall & Hladun. Gifts Of The Nile centres on an ancient land, an unusual river, and an intriguing people, as seen through the eyes of a young Canadian girl. She explores the ruins of the past with her archaeologist father and learns to ask questions, gather evidence, formulate hypotheses, test these hypotheses and come up with generalizations about life in the past. As the student goes through The Gifts Of The Nile, he can develop the same thought processes with the help of information given in charts, diagrams, statistics and photographs.

The Greeks Struggle For Excellence: Ranges through a wide variety of topics: The Greek and his environment; agriculture; business; the government and laws of ancient Greece - how they work; city states; wars and battles; sculpture; pottery; music, literature; philosophy. The stories of Pericles, Cleisthenes, Phidias and Socrates come alive. The book is very well illustrated with maps, photos, charts and drawings.

China: James Forrester, 1972. The book uses simple pictures, diagrams, maps and charts to show life in China, past and present. It also includes a short play and diagrams of homes and villages in order to present the "human" aspect.

Indians Of The Plains This is another useful title in this series.

The Mayans Knew Tillie S. Pine & Joseph Levine, McGraw Hill, 1971, \$4.72\*.

This is an attractive picture book which covers things that the Mayans knew long ago which are done today. It includes directions for making up books using picture writings to tell a story.

The Pyramids John Weeks, MacMillan of Canada, 1971, \$1.95\*.

With accompanying pictures and diagrams we read about the land of the pyramids, their planning, the quarrying, cutting and transportation of the stone blocks, the building of the pyramid and the methods and skills of the workmen. Excellent treatment of the subject. High interest level. Reading level is for good Grade 6. A good reference or resource book. Not a questioning type book, but what it does it does very well. Very well illustrated.

Rome A State In Arms (The Story of Western Man) John Ricker and John Saywell, Clarke, Irwin & Company Ltd., 1973, \$2.25\*.

See annotations for Greece, The Greatness of Man and The Birth of Civilizations. This book follows the same approach and uses the same methods.

The Rise Of Civilization Encyclopaedia Britannica. Filmstrips

Detailed drawings relate the story of how men began living and working together in organized communities and how these evolved into the first great civilizations of Egypt, Mesopotamia, India and China. The clothing, architecture, art objects, tools and religious rites of each society are illustrated. 6 color filmstrips with captions \$36.00\*.

The Story Of Man's Past Walter E. Beevers & Eleanor R. Young, Ginn & Company, Text \$6.80\*, Workbook \$2.00\*, Teacher's Copy \$7.95\*, Teacher's Copy of Workbook \$2.00\*.

This book is designed to familiarize the student with a historical heritage and to help realize that: we have a debt to the past: that the discovery of farming and domestication of certain animals were great revolutions in man's history: that the first civilizations probably developed independently in Asia and Africa: that India and China contributed important discoveries, art, literature and knowledge to the whole world and that our debt to the Greeks and Roman immeasurable. Teacher's Guide is very thorough and also contains annotated version of student text. Also available is a student workbook designed to clarify and enrich the objectives of the text. It contains a variety of thinking and learning exercises devised so that students can work at them independently. Some suggested activities designed for students in United States are not applicable.