



HERITAGE EDUKIT

Hartney's Heritage in the Classroom

HARTNEY MAJOR MOMENTS

Teacher's Overview

Timelines are fun and effective ways to engage Grade 6 Social Studies students in an exploration of the history of their own community.

A Community Timeline helps students appreciate that the very place in which they live has its own important history, and key historical moments, and that it was also connected to larger historical events and themes.

The Major Moments project has been developed as a way to reinforce an understanding of a distinct local history and heritage. It is also developed so that some key pedagogical goals, as well as common historical assessment approaches, are explored and explained. As much as possible, all anticipated activity stages have been considered, and the range of necessary support materials have been developed.

The project has been designed to take one class period, with a default option noted below. At the same time, teachers are encouraged to review the material and devise their own approaches to the subject – there likely is enough material developed here for a variety of options.

Default Option

- The default approach for the project will have the teacher present to the class the Master List of Dates (usually 10-15 pages of dates and events/activities) via a computer and screen or Smartboard.
- The teacher will lead class discussion as they seek to eliminate those events and activities that do not seem to have major historical import.
- Some minor discussion and debate should attend each entry, although there will be many entries that are clearly of little significance. The Teacher's Master Highlighted List of Dates will provide guidance on likely results of this part of the activity. The Teacher's Master Edited List of Dates is the likely final edited version that will be generated.

- Some questions that will help focus discussions include:
- If there is time, it is recommended that the class undertake an additional assessment/winnowing exercise to get the list even further reduced. The Teacher's Master Top 10 Dates suggests the final outcome – the title Top 10 is only a handy title – the final list could be 12, 20, or whatever seems appropriate to the teacher.
- Any follow-up?

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Horses bought for war; Decline in farming
Sept – Home Guard formed in Hartney
Casualties listed in newspaper

1916

RR Perry bank manager – to 1938
Recruiting centre opened – details 222nd Battalion
June 7 – train to Camp Hughes
Battle of the Somme
Calls to conserve food
Crop \$ 2.40 – good prices

Women receive right to vote in an election

1917

Elevator became United Grain Growers

1918

November 11 - Great War (World War I) ends

Hartney in quarantine – flu epidemic

Parade + events

Victoria Chapter No. 5 of the Order of the Eastern Star formed

1919

29 May– Returned soldiers banquet – 500 people

May – June 1919 – Winnipeg General Strike

1920s

War memorials, tablets, etc.

Trucks replacing horses

Commercial travellers w/ cars more mobile

Decline in business, stores changing hands, closing

Decline in houses and business

Conversion of buildings to new auto, etc.

Tennis wanes as a sport; also cricket

1920

United farmers of MB – politics

Pool closed & normal trading returned – low prices

MB Pool, Elevators Association

1922

Lawyer Clyde McKenzie arrives

Home Economics name changed to Women's Institute

Festivals and choral drama

Radios arrive

Wm Robson as successful United Farmer candidate

Excelsior Rebekah Lodge No. formed in Hartney – 24 ladies and 9 men

1923

Hartney – Lauder Ag. Soc.

Riddell + Gordon arrive as doctors

Ag Display Building constructed

1924

Hartney Hotel renamed as Bell Hotel

Annie Playfair leaves Star

Poultry Producers formed

Ladies Auxillary of the Royal Canadian Legion Formed

1925

June– Church Union of Presbyterians and Methodists
Union Bank merged w/ Royal Bank

1926

Golf Club formed – land northwest of Town
Power Commission; Canadian Fair banks – Morse Co. installs power plant
Hartney Legion Branch No.26 formed
United Grain Growers 2 MB govt. Elevators
Hartney Golf Club formed

1927

Many radios in Hartney
Fred Brooks as first town electrician
Hartney Ladies Curling Club

1928

New United Church – Ralph Connor speaks
1 July /– memorials

1929

Consumer's Co-op Association set up in Hartney
MB Assoc of Poultry Producers had origins here
October 24 - Stock Market Crash and beginning of the Great Depression of the 1930s

1930

1930 / 31 – low rainfall
1930s Hartney Game and Fish Assoc

1931

Nov– airplane in Hartney

1932 / 1933 / 34

Drought, grasshoppers
Low snow

1935

Hartney players win “Free Press Shield” @ Provincial Music Festival
More grades for high school
District Chatauquas
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Nov – Drought Relief Program

1937

Better rain
Vote to approve liquor – operated by Shea's Brewery
March 6 - Hartney Horticultural Society formed

1939

September 1 - World War II begins
MB Power Commission purchases Hartney Light and Power
Nov - Hartney Willing Workers Society formed

1940

Aug /- all citizens registered to determine usefulness
End 1940 – 35 men enlisted
Irene Hill takes over Hill Store upon death of WHB Hill

1941

Dec 56 more-recruits - many to Air Force

1942

Sept /- Auxiliary airfield @ Hartney
Casualties noted in newspaper
May 1 9- Deleau Credit Union opens

1943

Wpg Grain Exchange suspends trading
Credit Union Federation of MB

1944

Summer rationing; reduced farm help
Combine threshers introduced

1945

Province introduces MB Power Commission Services electrical
Skating rink construction begins
August 15 - World War II ends

1946

Hartney Credit Union in Co-op offices

1947

Hartney Home Economics Club formed

1948

Hartney 4-H Club – Junior Seed Club and Home Economics Club
Skating rink finished
Electrical poles & cable in area – 107 farms served

1950

whole area covered / served – appliances
Hartney Figure Skating Club formed

1951

Hospital areas established – Hartney part of Souris. Hosp. Dist.

Hospital Aid – Hartney District Health auxiliary Assoc. meals on wheels

1952

Hartney Benevolent and Proelectric Order of Elks Lodge No. 357 established
Post Matrons Club of Victoria Chapter Order of the Eastern Star
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1953

Hospital Aid Society
Hartney Medical Nursing Unit Formed; 262 babies born here

1954

New School opens
March 6 - Hartney–Cameron Library
Cyril Moir assumes postmaster duties

1955

Fire equipment purchased

1956

Only 2 elevators left

1957

Gala events, concerts, dinners, museum displays ag fair, to honour 75th anniversary
Hartney (boys) rink wins Dan Davidson event

1958

School Divisions formed

1959

Golf Club land turned over to town

1960

Hartney Hammer and Hoe Club
Hartney 4-H Beef Club
Hartney Co-op team Provincial Boys Champions

1961

Vote approved for sewage system and waterworks
Hartney 4-H Garden Club

1962

Feb - Waterworks open

1963

Golf Club building constructed

1967

Cameron Lodge seniors Centre opens
Hart-Cam Medical Centre opens

1974

Hart-Cam Museum formed
Hart – Cam Community Club

1978

June - Museum officially opened
Hartney Art Club Oct 5

1980

March 14, Hartney – Cameron Airport and flying Club opens

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Highlighted List of Dates

The following master list of dates developed for Hartney and area is here highlighted with suggested major/pivotal dates in the community's history. Major eras are also noted here via headings: Fur Trade, Pioneer, Community Establishment, Consolidation etc.

It is expected that most students or student groups will highlight similar dates/events. At the same time, it would be interesting to compare selections and to discuss reasons for differences in selections.

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Horses bought for war; Decline in farming

Sept – Home Guard formed in Hartney

Casualties listed in newspaper

1916

RR Perry bank manager – to 1938

Recruiting centre opened – details 222nd Battalion

June 7 – train to Camp Hughes

Battle of the Somme

Calls to conserve food

Crop \$ 2.40 – good prices

Women receive right to vote in an election

1917

Elevator became United Grain Growers

1918

November 11 - Great War (World War I) ends

Hartney in quarantine – flu epidemic

Parade + events

Victoria Chapter No. 5 of the Order of the Eastern Star formed

1919

29 May– Returned soldiers banquet – 500 people

May – June – Winnipeg General Strike

1920s

War memorials, tablets, etc.

Trucks replacing horses

Commercial travellers w/ cars more mobile

Decline in business, stores changing hands, closing

Decline in houses and business

Conversion of buildings to new auto, etc.

Tennis wanes as a sport; also cricket

1920

United farmers of MB – politics

Pool closed & normal trading returned – low prices

MB Pool, Elevators Association

1922

Lawyer Clyde McKenzie arrives

Home Economics name changed to Women's Institute

Festivals and choral drama

Radios arrive

Wm Robson as successful United Farmer candidate

Excelsior Rebekah Lodge No. formed in Hartney – 24 ladies and 9 men

1923

Hartney – Lauder Ag. Soc.

Riddell + Gordon arrive as doctors

Ag Display Building constructed

1924

Hartney Hotel renamed as Bell Hotel

Annie Playfair leaves Star

Poultry Producers formed

Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion Formed

1925

June– Church Union of Presbyterians and Methodists

Union Bank merged w/ Royal Bank

1926

Golf Club formed – land northwest of Town

Power Commission; Canadian Fair banks – Morse Co. installs power plant

Hartney Legion Branch No.26 formed

United Grain Growers 2 MB govt. Elevators

Hartney Golf Club formed

1927

Many radios in Hartney

Fred Brooks as first town electrician

Hartney Ladies Curling Club

1928

New United Church – Ralph Connor speaks

1 July /– memorials

1929

Consumer's Co-op Association set up in Hartney

MB Assoc of Poultry Producers had origins here

October 24 - Stock Market Crash and beginning of the Great Depression of the 1930s

1930

1930 / 31 – low rainfall

1930s Hartney Game and Fish Assoc

1931

Nov– airplane in Hartney

1932 / 1933 / 34

Drought, grasshoppers

Low snow

1935

Hartney players win “Free Press Shield” @ Provincial Music Festival

More grades for high school

District Chatauquas

HC Batty assumes postmaster duties (till 1954)

1936

Nov – Drought Relief Program

1937

Better rain

Vote to approve liquor – operated by Shea's Brewery

March 6 - Hartney Horticultural Society formed

1939

September 1 - World War II begins
MB Power Commission purchases Hartney Light and Power
Nov - Hartney Willing Workers Society formed

1940

Aug /- all citizens registered to determine usefulness
End 1940 – 35 men enlisted
Irene Hill takes over Hill Store upon death of WHB Hill

1941

Dec - 56 more-recruits - many to Air Force

1942

Sept /- Auxiliary airfield @ Hartney
Casualties noted in newspaper
May 1 9- Deleau Credit Union opens

1943

Wpg Grain Exchange suspends trading
Credit Union Federation of MB

1944

Summer rationing; reduced farm help
Combine threshers introduced

1945

Province introduces MB Power Commission Services electrical
Skating rink construction begins
August 15 - World War II ends

POST WAR AND MODERN

1946

Hartney Credit Union in Co-op offices

1947

Hartney Home Economics Club formed

1948

Hartney 4-H Club – Junior Seed Club and Home Economics Club
Skating rink finished
Electrical poles & cable in area – 107 farms served

1950

whole area covered / served – appliances
Hartney Figure Skating Club formed

1951

Hospital areas established – Hartney part of Souris. Hosp. Dist.

Hospital Aid – Hartney District Health auxillary Assoc. meals on wheels

1952

Hartney Benevolent and Prolectric Order of Elks Lodge No. 357 established

Post Matrons Club of Victoria Chapter Order of the Eastern Star

Hartney Credit Union in town offices

1953

Hospital Aid Society

Hartney Medical Nursing Unit Formed; 262 babies born here

1954

New School opens

March 6 - Hartney-Cameron Library

Cyril Moir assumes postmaster duties

1955

Fire equipment purchased

1956

Only 2 elevators left

1957

Gala events, concerts, dinners, museum displays ag fair, to honour 75th anniversary

Hartney (boys) rink wins Dan Davidson event

1958

School Divisions formed

1959

Golf Club land turned over to town

1960

Hartney Hammer and Hoe Club

Hartney 4-H Beef Club

Hartney Co-op team Provincial Boys Champions

1961

Vote approved for sewage system and waterworks

Hartney 4-H Garden Club

1962

Feb - Waterworks open

1963

Golf Club building constructed

1967

Cameron Lodge seniors Centre opens

Hart-Cam Medical Centre opens

1974

Hart-Cam Museum formed

Hart – Cam Community Club

1978

June - Museum officially opened

Hartney Art Club Oct 5

1980

March 14, Hartney – Cameron Airport and flying Club opens

HARTNEY MAJOR MOMENTS

Teacher's Master: Edited List of Dates

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PIONEER

1881

June – John Fee and Samuel Long homestead – 1st at 35-5-23W

1883

First Presbyterian services from Mr. W. Rochester

COMMUNITY ESTABLISHMENT

1886

Mr. Dickson's General Store opens

1888

Joseph Young Hotel opens

Sept - Baptist congregation formed under Rev. J.H. Best

1889

Survey of town

Lake of the Woods grain elevator built – 30,000 bushel capacity

1st house – W.H. Hotham & Wife

Dr. Frank McEown arrives and drugstore opens

S.H. Dickson first postmaster

1890

Methodist church built

1892

Festus Chapin here with implements

Dr. Graham arrives

1st School in room over Chapin's implement dealer

Anglican congregation formed under Rev. Wm Butterworth

1893

Hothman & John Blair build livery stable

Isabey machine shop

Flour mill of Hammond & Leckie & merchant from Jackson City, Mich.

Hartney Star newspaper established- first issue of 600 copies

Baptist church built

Farmer's Institute in Hartney

1894

St. Andrew's Anglican Church built at a cost of \$1500

1st hockey game

First curling in Hartney

1895

April - big fire wiped out main business block

Harry Payne fires first load of local bricks

1896

AE Hill Store

CPR branch line through Hartney; Chas Redpath first agent

1897

New R.M. of Cameron formed

1898

Hartney are Provincial Lacrosse Champions

1900

Marg Woodhull 1st female graduate as pharmacist in Manitoba

Sash & Door – “Hartney Manufacture Co. – Alex Mains

Dec – Hartney District Businessman's Assoc formed. – to enhance urban needs versus farmer's needs

Stage coach between Hartney and Meglund – two days a week

Summer - Northern Pacific line reaches Hartney; first agent Mr. Donald

1901

Blacksmith Victor Duchesneau

1902

Permanent rink

INCORPORATION & CONSOLIDATION

1905

Mr. Woodhull as 1st mayor

Feb. 5 - Hartney incorporated

1906

Oct – Town Hall opens + many other uses

1908

Crawford with real 1st car – Ford

1908/10 – Movie Theatre

1910

Annie Playfair buys Star newspaper

Union Bank built

WARS, ROARING 20s AND DEPRESSION

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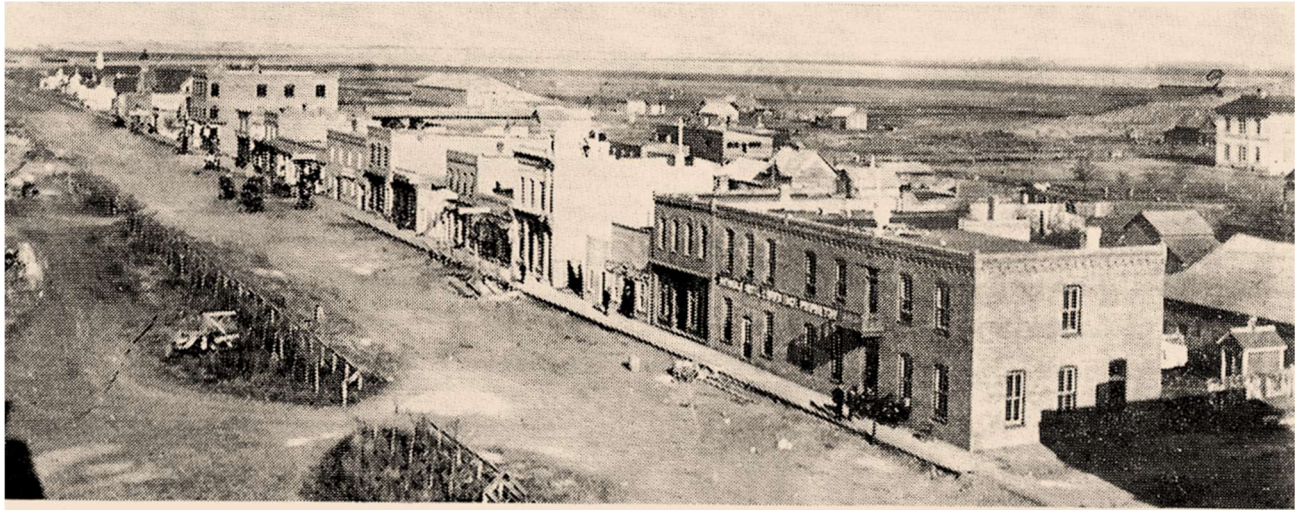
HARTNEY MAJOR MOMENTS

Teacher's Master:

Photo Cache



Pioneer Farming.



East Railway Street as seen in 1902.



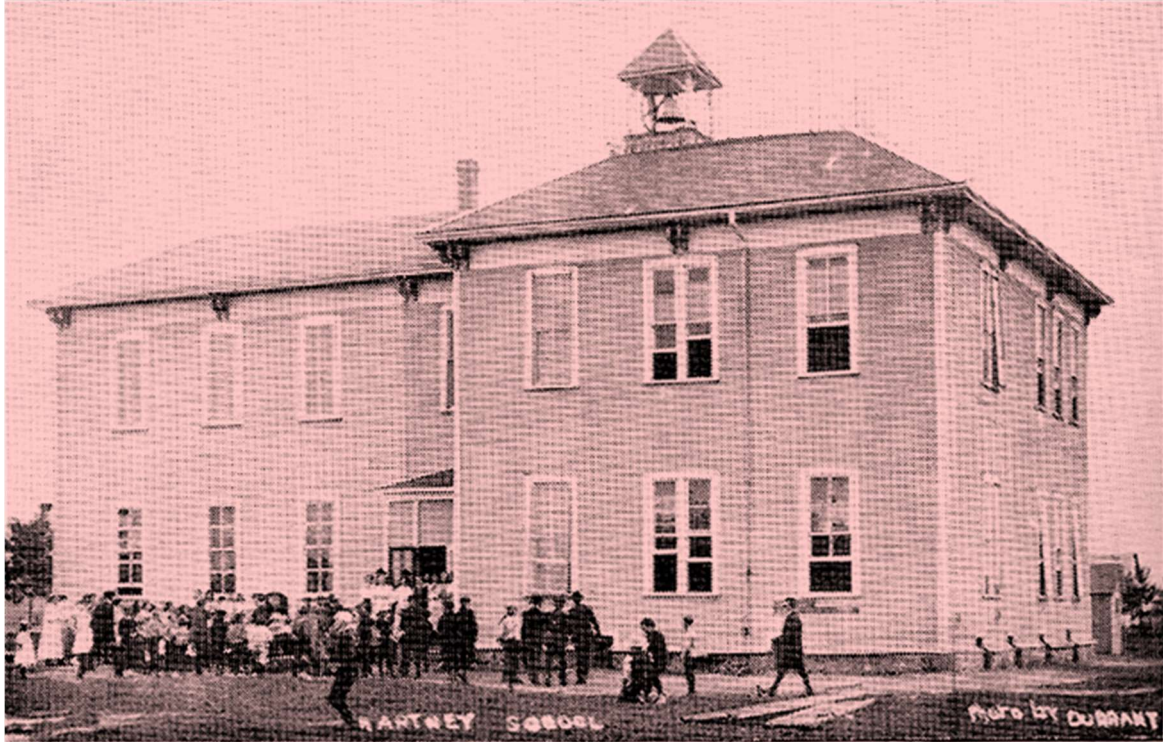
Main business block, East Railway Street. Note the car in the foreground – this is W.E., Crawford's – the first car in town in 1908.



CNR Station and Farmer's Grain Elevator, ca. 1900.



Town Hall, built in 1906.



Hartney School, built in 1892 and enlarged in 1896.



Hartney flour mill and elevators. Note the ox-drawn binder and hayrack made from poplar poles.



South block of East Railway looking north.



Baptist Church.



The Willard House, seen in 1908, was actually built in 1891 for William Hopkins.



Hartney Fair, in the summer of 1910. Note the variety of transportation devices – automobiles, buggies and wagons.



Hartney Platoon of the 222nd Battalion marching to the CPR stations in 1916 en route to Camp Hughes and Europe, to fight in the Great War (World War I).