

SASKATCHEWAN HISTORIC PLACES DISCOVERY HUNT

Please read the Instruction Manual and use the Canadian Register of Historic Places at <https://www.historicplaces.ca/en/rep-reg/search-recherche.aspx> to find the answers to these questions.

6. Meeting Community Needs – Western Saskatchewan

As the number of villages, towns and cities started to grow in Saskatchewan, so did the needs of those communities. To serve the various needs of residents, stores, offices, churches, fire halls, places of entertainment and other places were constructed. The stories of these communities are reflected in the historic places you will learn about when you answer the questions below. For this set of questions, all of these historic places are located in the western part of Saskatchewan (west of Highway 2).

	Question	Answer
1	Because brick and lumber were expensive, many settlers used fieldstones as a building material. What is made from fieldstones at the Blumenfeld Church near the Town of Leader? Keyword: Blumenfeld	
2	During the early 20 th century, Eaton's department stores provided a wide range of goods for Saskatchewan people. Built in 1928, The architecture of the Eaton's Store in Moose Jaw is based on its first store in what city? Keyword: Eaton	
3	The Lyric Theatre was opened in 1912 as an entertainment and cultural venue in the City of Swift Current. In addition to movies, name two other events that were held in the Lyric Theatre. Keyword: Lyric	
4	During the Spanish Flu epidemic of 1918, what was the Lyric Theatre in Swift Current used for? Keyword: Lyric	
5	Located in Dundurn, the architecture of the Old Bank Building represents a basic design that was often seen in western Canadian frontier bank branches in the early 1900s. What company built the Old Bank Building? Keyword: Dundurn	
6	Open from 1912-1973, the CN Station Building in the Town of Blaine Lake served as an important place for community members to receive news and goods from the rest of the world. How many different agents and their families lived in the CN Station Building? Keyword: Blaine	
7	Post office buildings often provided offices for other federal government facilities. Name two of the other facilities that had their offices in the Old Post Office in Lloydminster? Keyword: Lloydminster	
8	Maintaining law and order has always been an important need in Saskatchewan's communities. In the early 20 th century, court houses were built in several cities and towns to fill this need, including the town of Assiniboia. In what year was the Assiniboia Court House built? Keyword: Assiniboia	
9	The Assiniboia Court House, like other court houses in Saskatchewan were built of durable and impressive materials, such as brick and	

	stone. From what city did the brick on the Assiniboia court house come from? Keyword: Assiniboia	
10	What special feature is located in the basement of the Old Bank Building in the Town of Dundurn? Keyword: Dundurn	
11	Built in 1906, the Fire Hall is one of the oldest buildings in the Village of Mortlach west of Moose Jaw. What was the second floor of the fire hall used for? Keyword: Mortlach	
12	The Little Chief Service Station was built in 1928 to service the growing number of motor vehicles in Saskatoon. What oil company built the Little Chief Service Station? Keyword: Little	
13	The Shaunavon Hotel was built in 1915 and was one of the larger and more luxurious hotels in southern Saskatchewan at that time. In what year was an addition made to the hotel to make it larger? Keyword: Shaunavon	
14	The Edam Café, located about 60 Km northwest of North Battleford, was operated for several years by Chinese immigrant Charlie Chan. When it was still open as a café, did they serve ice cream? Keyword: Edam	
15	A school was often one of the first public buildings built in a community. Before the residents of the Town of Duck Lake built Victoria School out of brick, students went to school in what type of building? Keyword: Victoria	