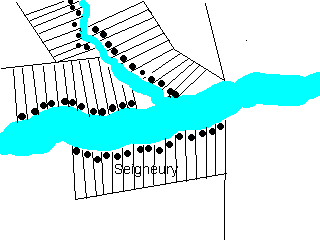
**Manitoba Becomes a Province - Notes on Ch. 2**

* *Do not write italicized text: italicized text is only for instruction*
* *review what the word “surveyor” means*
* *read page 22 together*
* Early Manitoba – How land was organized
  + *read the section titled “The Metis” on page 23*
  + Metis divided the land into long strips along rivers
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    - The Can. Government dividing land into large squares
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      * Metis thought their land being taken be people in East Canada
  + Americans wanted Can. prairie land
    - John A. McDonald wanted to settle and secure the land
      * convinced Hudson’s bay to sell “Rupert’s Land” to Canada
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      * wasn’t thinking about needs of Metis and First Nations
        + didn’t talk to them so surveyors were a big surprise/threat

led to conflict

* Arrival of the “King”
  + William McDougall – McDonald made him lieutenant Governor (“King of the West”)
    - work out of the Red River Settlement (RRS)
    - Metis there threatened him
  + Louis Riel forms the “Metis National Committee”
    - made demands to McDougall to preserve their rights
    - said he couldn’t come into RRS
      * McDougall went to Hudson’s bay
      * 50 Metis came and said ‘go away’
* Resistance – Metis and Anglophones fight over land
  + Riel’s men took over Upper Fort Garry (LFG)
    - guns there for them instead of for Eastern Can.’s
  + proclamation
    - invited Eng. and Fr. speakers to join together to defend
  + McDougall comes back to Canada
    - read’s proclamation of his own
      * ‘Rupert’s Land is now part of Can.’
      * It was a faked document
  + Colonel John Dennis
    - getting Anglophones to settle the land
  + John Schultz
    - wants to fight for the land too
    - Riel stops him (for now), arrests some of Schultz’ men and makes a provisional government
      * invites francophones and Anglophones
        + *read the list of rights on page 27*
* Confrontation
  + Shultz men in jail and Thomas Scott is making trouble
    - *read the ‘confrontation’ section on page 28*
  + Riel’s men convince him to hang Scott for treason
* A new province
  + John A MacDonald invites Riel’s government to talk
    - agree to make Manitoba
      * The Manitoba Act created on May 12, 1870
  + Meanwhile Schultz is stirring up trouble for Metis
    - MacDonald send 1100 troops to “help” Metis (not really)
      * Riel didn’t ran to U.S.
      * the troops looted and beat up metis along their way west
* After the resistance
  + Riel is a wanted man for Scott’s death but he is made an MP for MB
* way of life changes for metis
  + land survey and proof of ownership concerns