# Canada: A People’s History Index

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In The Shadow Of The Rockies 33:09-38:01  Thompson travels to the Rockies, Piegan & story of smallpox epidemic

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Looking at Stars 47:11-50:42  Thompson studies surveying, the key to map making; charts the North west

From Canada By Land 50:42-56:17  Alexander Mackenzie, 1793 overland journey

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The Columbia 1,01:11-1,12:22  Thompson goes deep into Rockies enroute to Pacific, Astor and Pacific Fur trade Co., Fort Astoria, Thompson reaches Pacific

The Selkirk Settlers 1,11:22-1,19:08  NW Co. overextended, Métis and buffalo, Lord Selkirk and settlers along the Red River

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