

The Emergent City: WINNIPEG TRIVIA!

1. When construction began on the new City Hall in 1875, City Council placed a *casket* (or tin box) of documents and artifacts in the cornerstone of the building. What event was declared to help mark the occasion?

2. Fire was a major problem in early Winnipeg. What material was used in most buildings?

3. Winnipeg's first Chief of Police had to resign because he failed to control the City's "houses of ill fame". What was the surname of the first chief of Police?

4. Many of Winnipeg's streets began as routes for Red River carts. One of the most important of these streets was

_____ Street.

5. As the city grew, Council had to find ways to cross the rivers. They had to build

_____ _____

6. City Council wanted Winnipeg to look attractive. The City decided to have boulevards on residential streets and plant rows of trees. Which tree did they choose?

7. City sidewalks were made from a special kind of pavement. What was it called?

8. The first big suburban park was opened in Winnipeg in 1909. What was it called?

_____ _____ Park.

9. Write down all of the letters in the boxes. What can you spell using these letters?
