**Life in British Canada**

Your task: Read page 14-29 and complete the following questions.

1. True or False: At the turn of the century, most Canadians lived in cities.
2. In the early 1900s, we saw the creation of **slums**. What were slums?
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was evident in many cities and resulted in poor quality of life and personal tragedies.
4. What were some of the technological advances during this period?
5. What did J.S. Woodsworth condemn?
6. Women began to organize to pressure governments to pass prohibition laws. What were **prohibition laws**?
7. Women also demanded **suffrage**? What does suffrage refer to?
8. True or False: The difficult conditions faced by many workers, both male and female, influenced the growth of labour organizations.
9. A) When did school become mandatory for children up to 14 years of age?

B) List three subjects that were offered in schools:

1. As winter approached, children anxiously waited for the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Catalogue to arrive.
2. In the summer, children played \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and participated in track and field and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
3. What was child labour like during the early 1900s?
4. Since the British conquest of Canada in 1760, Canada was seen as a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ member of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ imperial family.
5. How was the British empire like a family?
6. In 1896 Canadians had elected their first French-Canadian Prime Minister, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
7. True or False: Once Laurier was elected, he felt that the best way to guarantee French-Canadian rights was by keeping issues that could divide the nation to a minimum.
8. The discovery of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ quickly made Cape Town attractive territory.
9. Who were the **Boers**?
10. Why was there a conflict between the Boers and the British?
11. Did Laurier decide to support the British in their war against the Boers? Explain.
12. Who was victorious in the Boer war?
13. A) What was discovered in Alaska in the late 1890s?

B) What caused a conflict between the United States and Canada?

C) How did Britain respond to the conflict?

1. One of the benefits that members of the empire enjoyed was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ military assistance in case of external \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
2. In the early years of the twentieth century the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was designed and built as the most sophisticated battleship in the world.
3. Why did Laurier win so many elections?
4. Who eventually succeeded in replacing Laurier as Canada’s Prime Minister?