

# Exploring Our Great Country

A wide-angle photograph of a mountainous landscape. In the foreground, two hikers with large backpacks are walking on a dirt trail that winds through a lush green meadow. The hiker in front is wearing a red shirt and a blue backpack, while the second hiker is wearing a green shirt and a blue backpack. The trail leads down a slope towards a deep valley filled with dense evergreen forests. In the background, majestic mountains rise, some with patches of snow or light-colored rock. The sky is clear and bright. A semi-transparent grey banner is overlaid at the top of the image, containing the title text.

# Voyages From Montreal Alexander Mackenzie, 1801

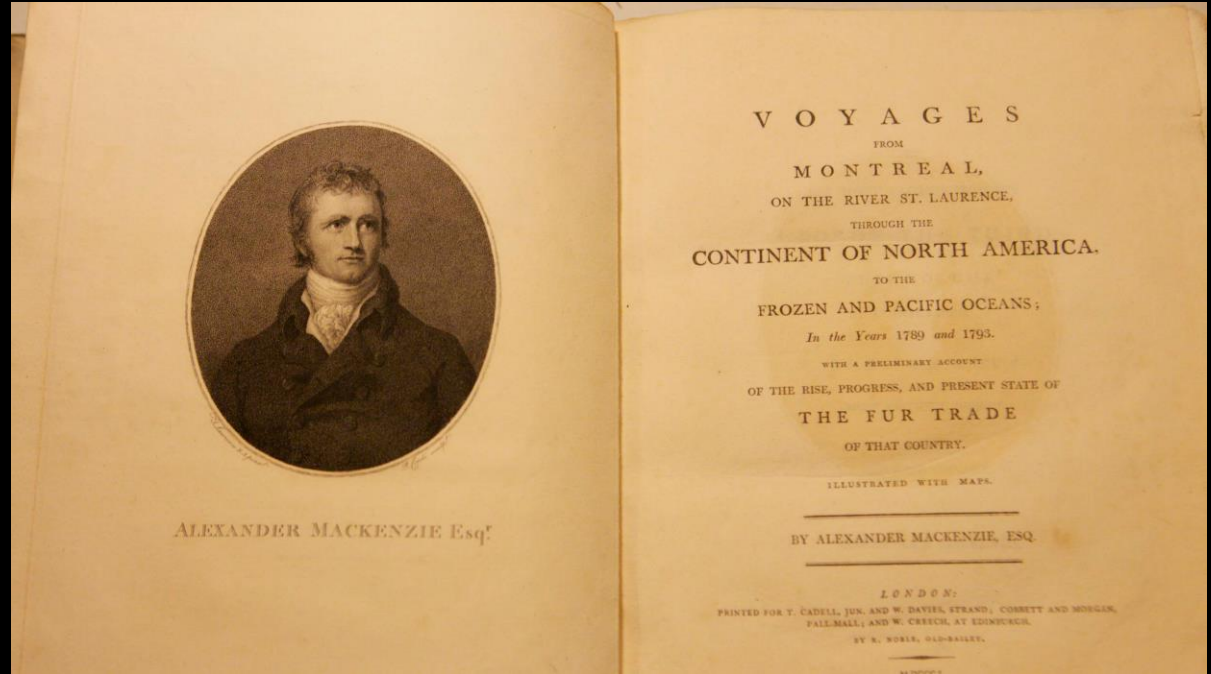
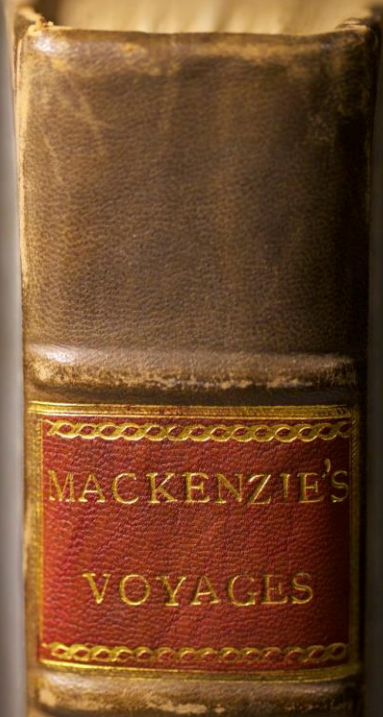


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A historical map of North America showing the route of James Mackenzie's expedition. The route starts in Montreal, Quebec, and travels westward through the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence River to Fort Chipewyan. From there, it continues north through the Athabasca River system to Inuvik in the Arctic. A red line indicates the return journey from Inuvik back to Fort Chipewyan. The map is overlaid with a semi-transparent orange box containing the title text.

**Inuvik**

# Mackenzie voyaged to the Arctic and Pacific Oceans

**Fort  
Chipewyan**

**Bella  
Coola**

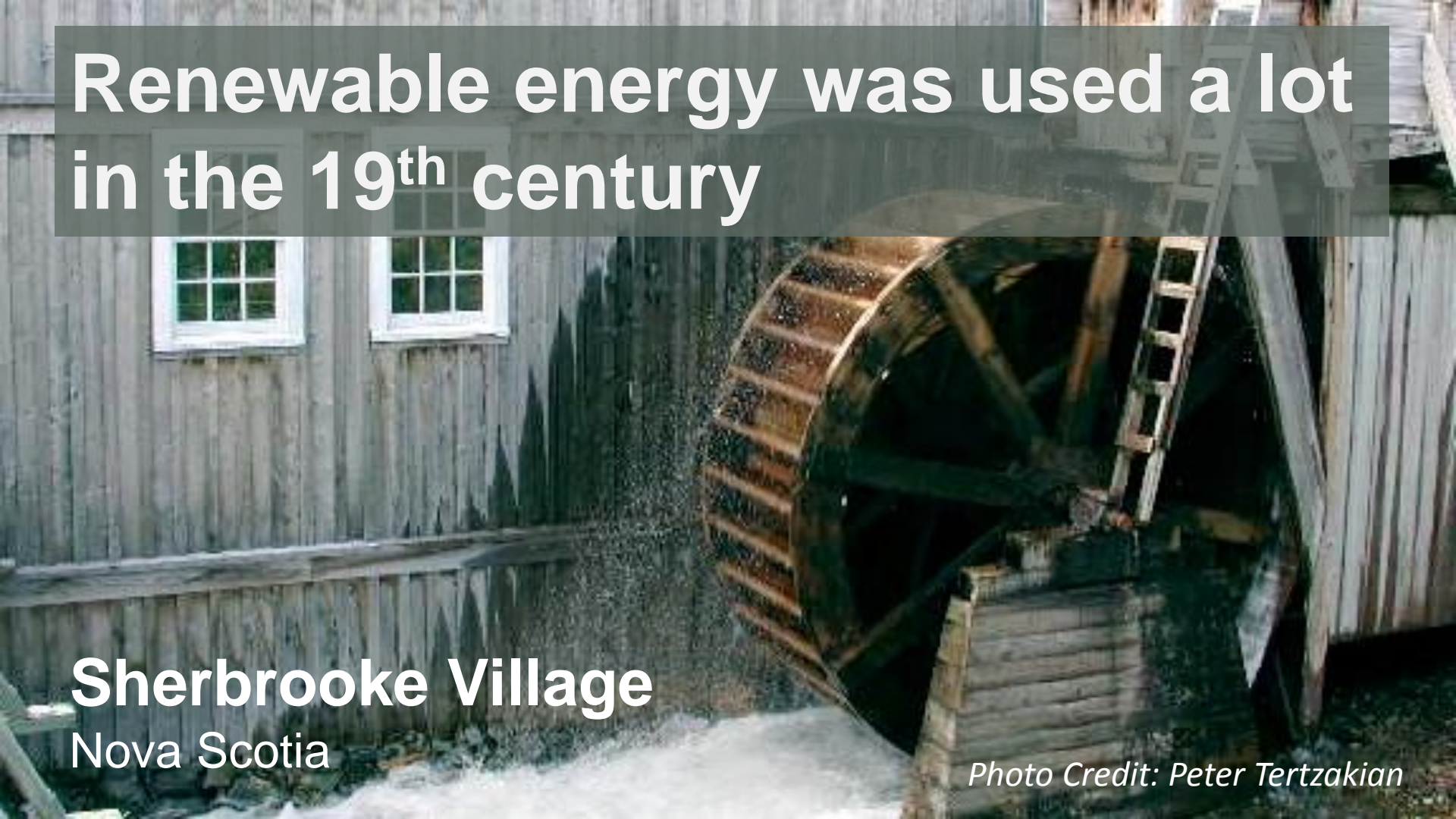
**Montreal**

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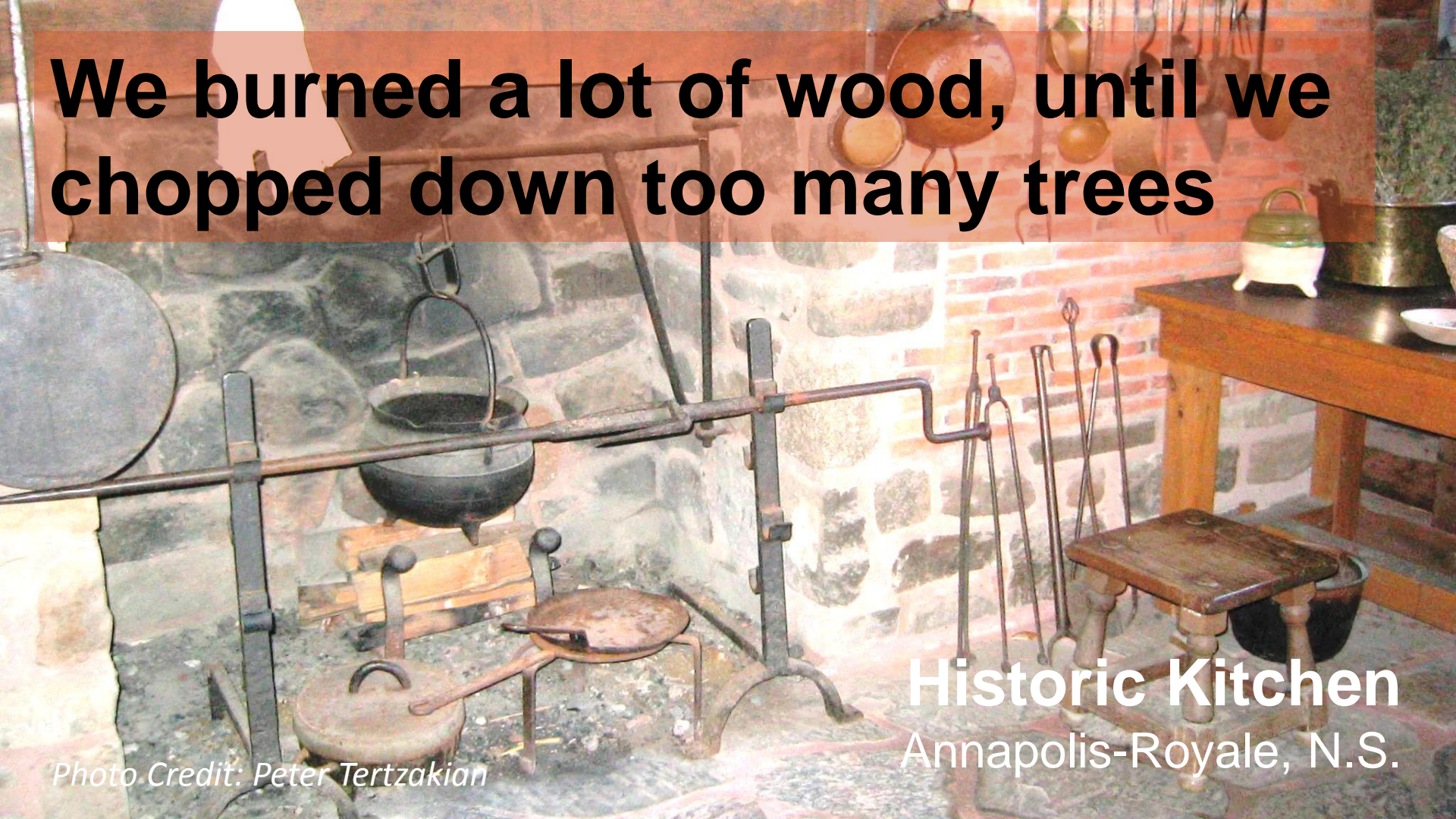
**Renewable energy was used a lot  
in the 19<sup>th</sup> century**

**Sherbrooke Village**  
Nova Scotia

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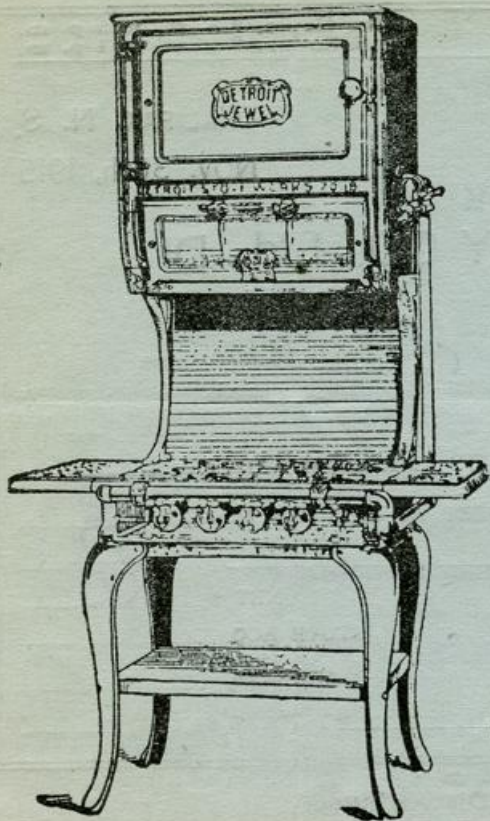


**We burned a lot of wood, until we  
chopped down too many trees**



**Historic Kitchen**  
Annapolis-Royale, N.S.

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# COOK WITH GAS

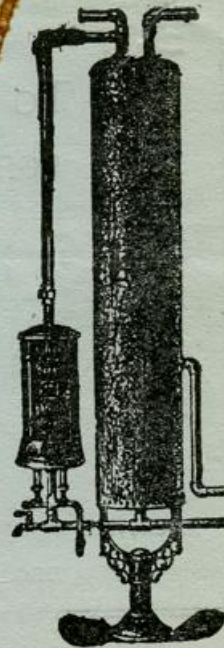
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Nov. 30th, 1915

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PRESENT THIS BILL  
WHEN MAKING PAYMENT

Gas heating and cooking  
changed the way we live

Photo Credit: Peter Tertzakian

Tallow candles  
gave us our light



180 The Little Minister  
coming to see her soon, perhaps on Monday.  
"I don't suppose you will be there on Monday,  
Mr. Dalrymple?"  
"I—I cannot say."  
"No, you will be too busy. Are you to take  
the tolly berries?"  
"Oh, if you don't want them—"  
"Give them to me," he said, and as he took  
them his hand shook.  
"I know why you are looking so troubled,"  
said the Egyptian, archly. "You think I am to  
ask you the colour of my eyes, and you have for-  
gotten again."  
"Make no pretence," she checked him.  
She came close to him until her face almost  
touched his.  
"Look hard at them," she said, solemnly,  
"and after this you may remember that they are  
black, black, black!"  
At each repetition of the word she shook her  
head in his face. She was adorable. Gavin's  
arms—but they met on nothing. She had run  
away.  
When the little minister had gone, a man came  
from behind a door and shook his fist in the  
direction taken by the gypsy. It was Rob Dow,  
black with passion.  
"It's the Egyptian!" he cried. "You limmer,  
as ye you that has got hand o' the minister?  
He pawned her, but she vanished as from  
Gavin is Windyghoul."

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"A common Egyptian!" he muttered, when  
he had to give up the search. "But take care,  
you little devil," he called aloud; "take care,  
I catch you playing pranks w' that man again,  
I'll wring your neck like a hen's!"

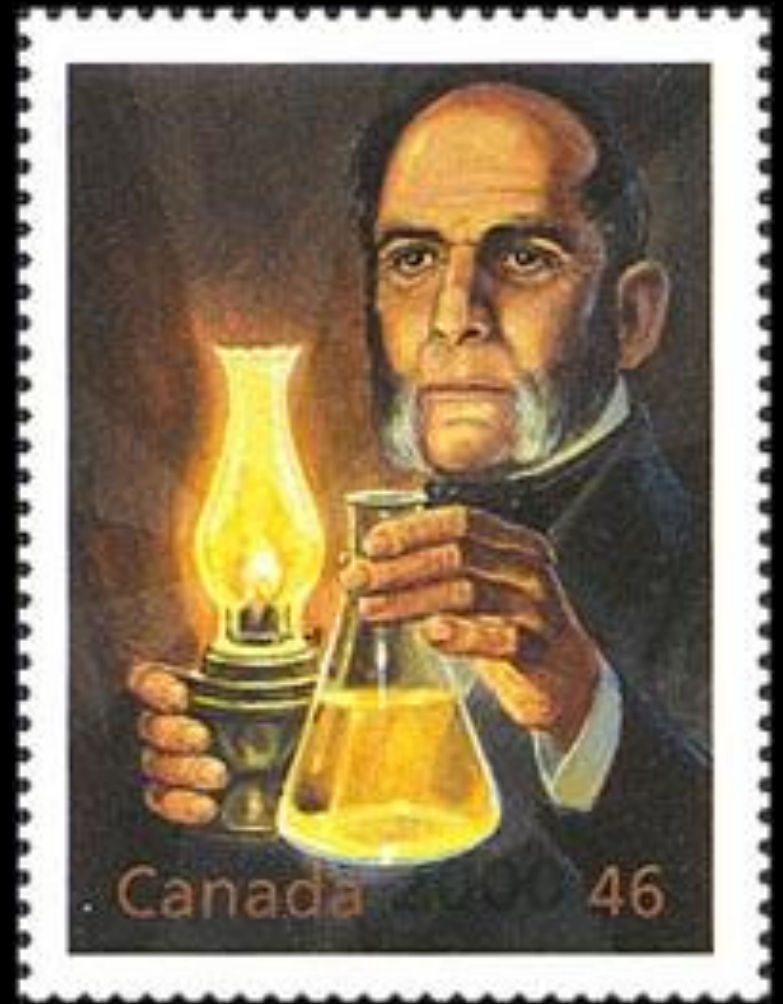
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A famous  
Canadian changed  
the way we see  
things.

**Abraham Gesner**  
The Inventor of Kerosene

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**Almost everyone transitioned  
away from wind, water and wood.**

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**...by doing so we lost touch with  
where we get our energy from.**

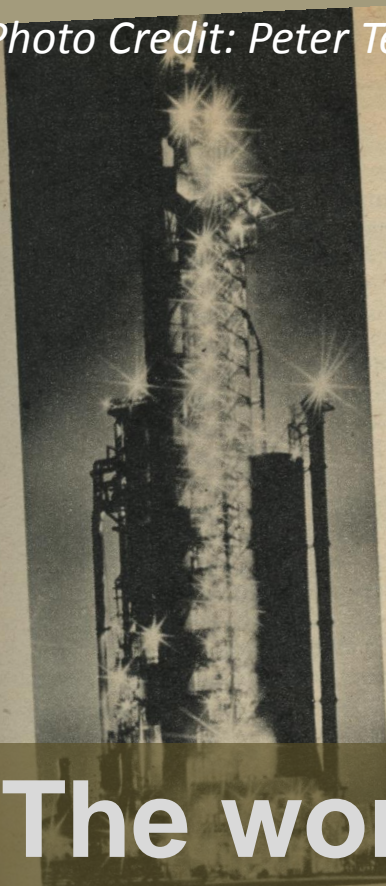
Then our neighbours to the south  
started to move around



1955

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Cracking plants go day and night  
to produce rich hydrocarbons.

Gold is where you find it and there's plenty of it in Canada's oil fields.

**MI**

SPECIAL FEATURES

Our lusty neighbor to the  
north offers the chance of a  
lifetime to men of vision

# You Can Strike It RICH In Canada

By Lester David

**T**HE small plane dipped gracefully from a cloudless sky and glided to a smooth landing. Out stepped three men who shaded their eyes against the setting sun as they stepped into a wild country that bordered the Canadian province of Manitoba. The road was a long trail. At its end lay fabulous riches—or heartbreaking disappointment. They would soon know.

The world began needing  
our energy resources

1955

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**We were fortunate to be endowed with vast resources**



**Furs are still a  
\$1 billion per  
year business**

*Photo Credit: Peter Tertzakian*

**Ontario was first to  
produce commercial  
quantities of oil in 1858**



OIL SCENE, OIL SPRINGS, ONT.

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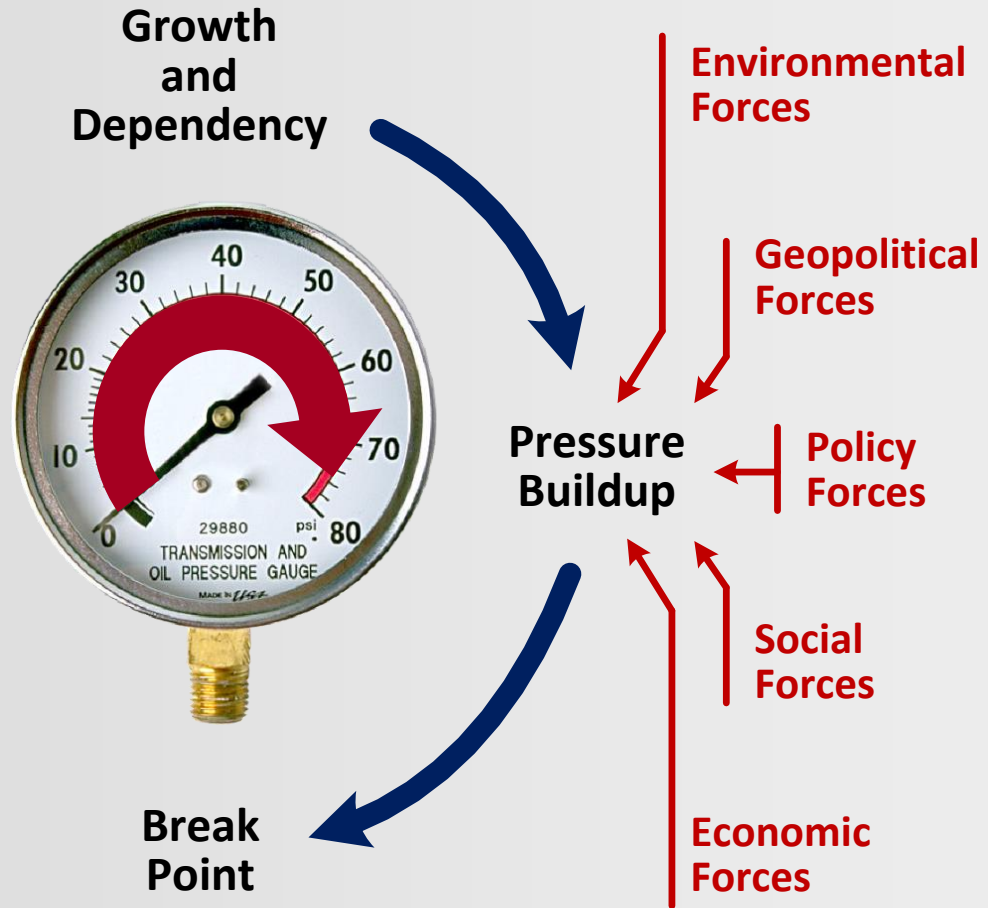
**Oil and gas is a \$100+ billion  
business across Canada**

**We want to transition our energy systems again**

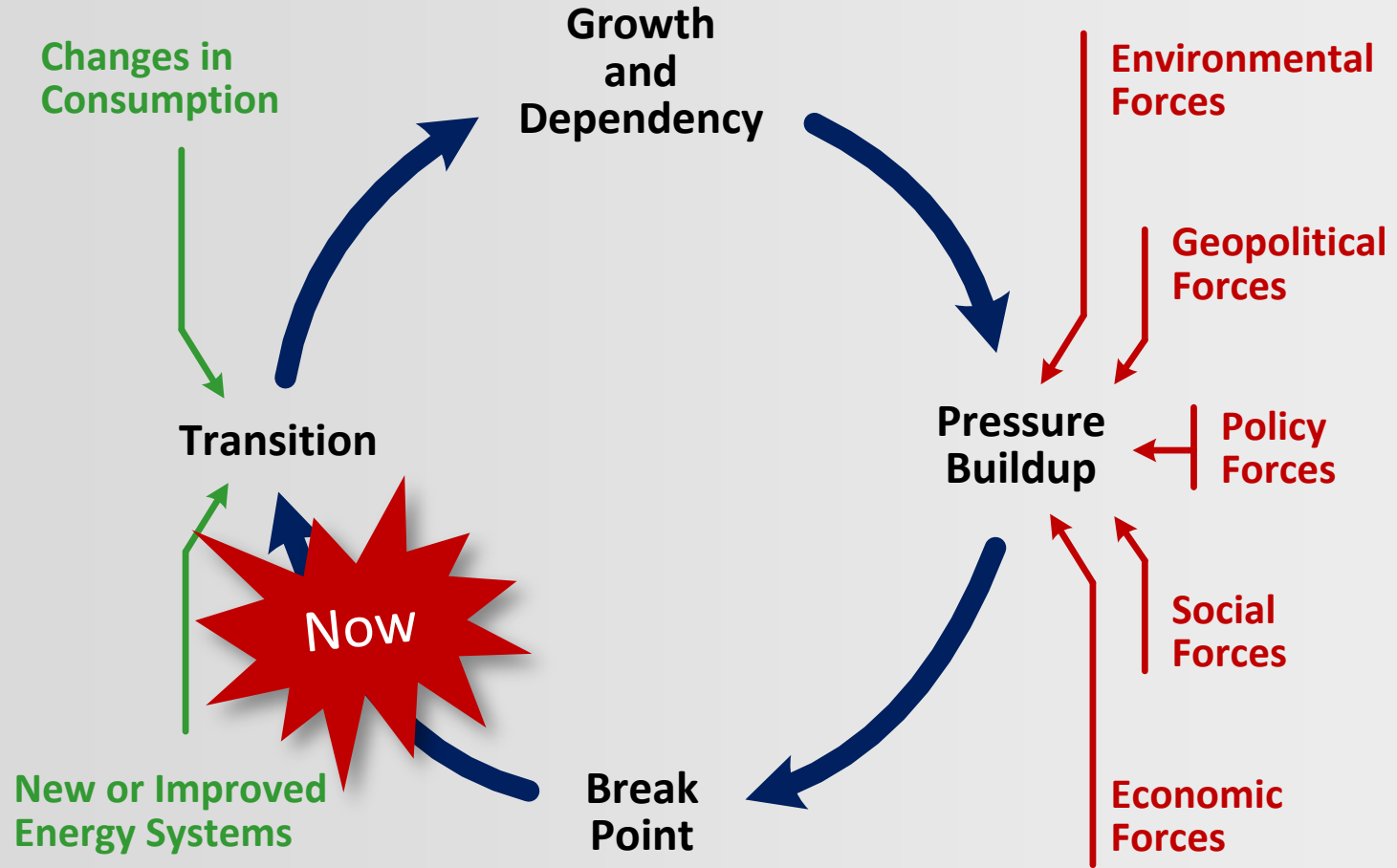


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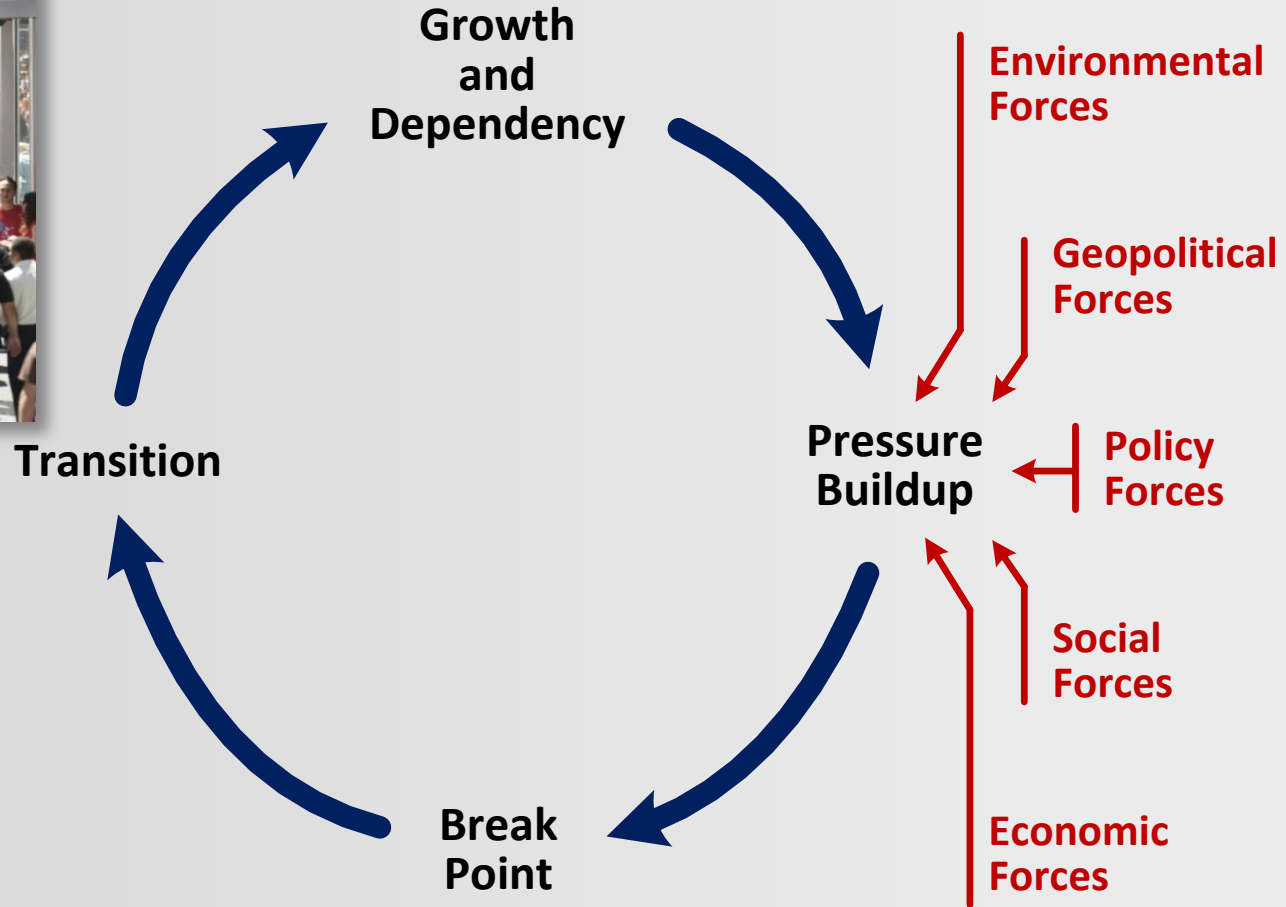
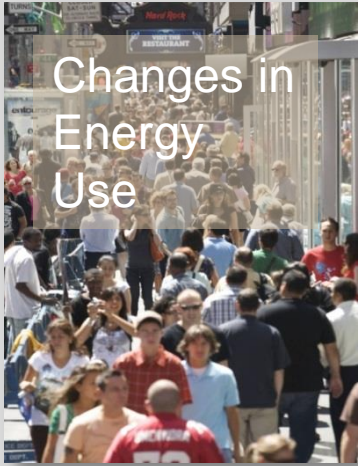
# There is a pattern to energy transitions



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**80% of GHG emissions are  
produced by consumers**

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**We can change out the  
devices we use**



**Greater efficiency is a  
necessary virtue**

**LOW POWER  
CONSUMPTION**

**LED BULB**



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**There are 1.3 BILLION petroleum vehicles in the world today**

**50 MILLION new vehicles are being added every year!**

**Changing out will take decades**

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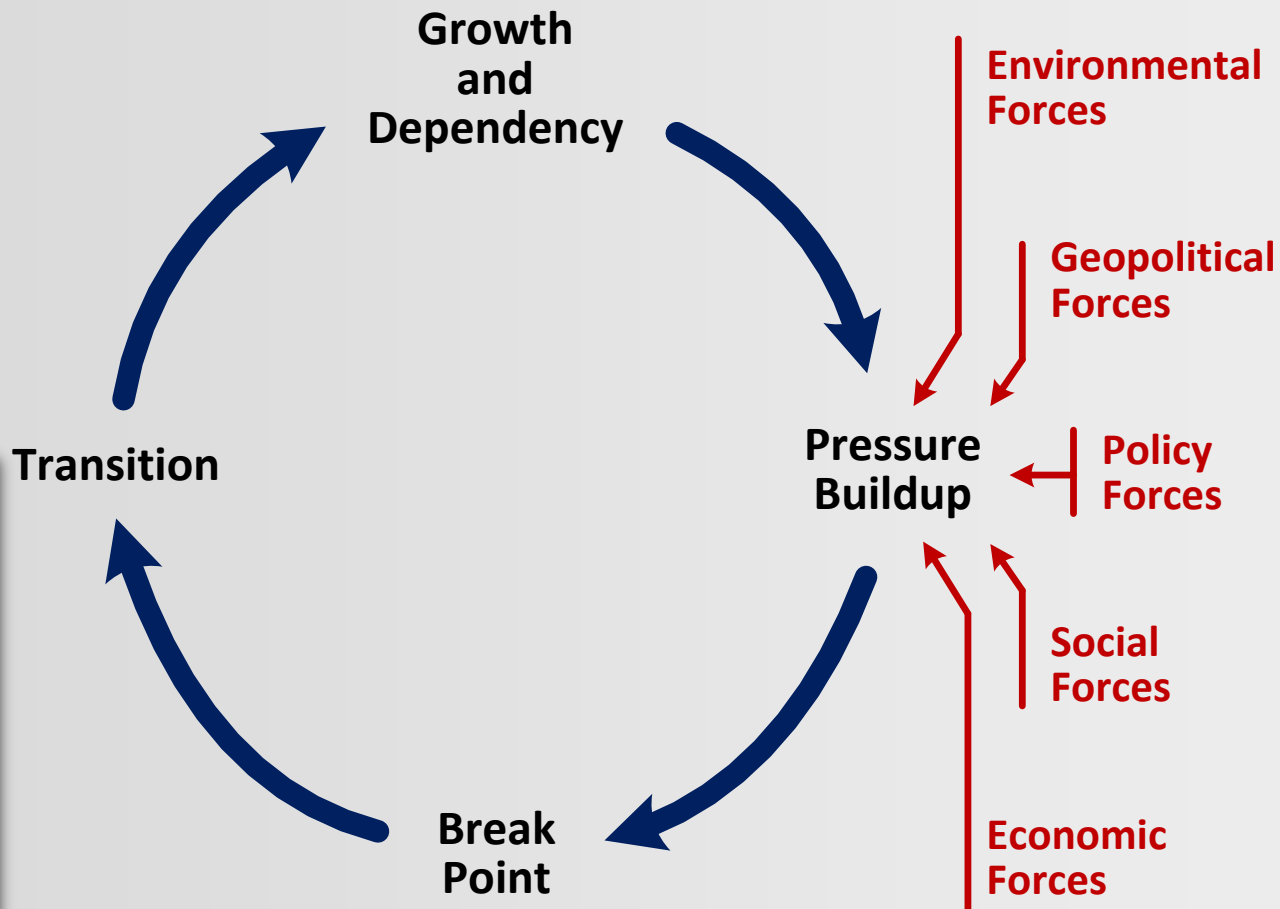
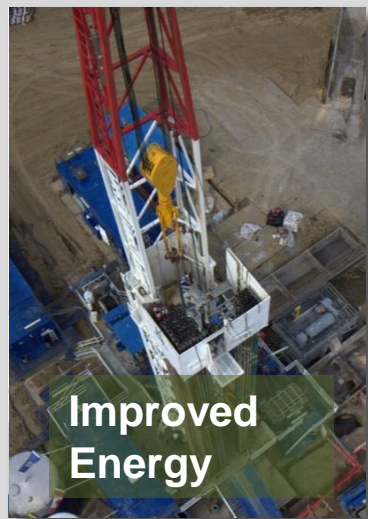
**Consumers are not changing: Over 60% now buy a pickup truck or SUV**

The worlds drains an Olympic sized pool of oil every 14 seconds!



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de Barcelona

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Poor safety is common in much of the developing world



*Photo Credit: Peter Tertzakian*



**Environmental and  
social scrutiny is not up  
to Canadian standards**

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**Would we accept this?**





**How about these  
practices?**

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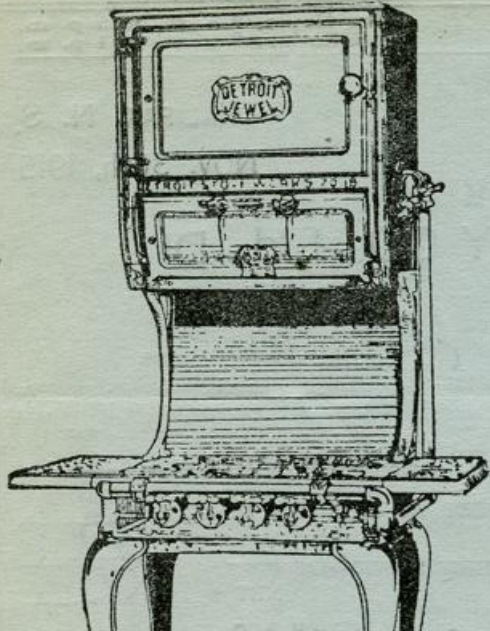


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**The world would be a much better place if it had more of Canada's energy and regulatory standards!**

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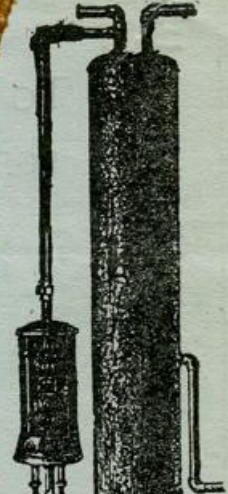
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**We have a long history of knowing  
how to deliver energy well**

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WAY

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**We excel in ALL energy resources!**

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**Canadian energy makes  
the world a better place!**

Alex MacKENZIE  
from Canada  
by land  
22<sup>d</sup> July 1793



*Photo Credit: Peter Tertzakian*

**First Nations  
have helped us  
to be leaders**

**Determination**  
K'san Village, BC

# Stained Glass Message

BC Legislature, Victoria

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WITHOUT ECONOMY  
NONE CAN BE RICH

WITH IT NONE  
CAN BE POOR

**We all need to work  
together to be prosperous**