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**Chapter 9, Lesson 1 Activity**

Securing the Land

Answer the following questions. Type your responses between the blue brackets provided.

1. What **three** actions did the Canadian government take to gain control of the land of the West?

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1. What was going on in Cypress Hills that earned it the name “Whoop-Up Country”?

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1. What were the tasks of the North West Mounted Police in Whoop-Up Country?

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**4.** What were the locations of the first three North West Mounted Police outposts?

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**5.** Identify some of the perspectives about the North West Mounted Police in the 1870s.

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