

The Big Book of Canadian Trivia

Test Your Knowledge columnists Mark Kearney and Randy Ray have wrapped up work on their ninth Canadian book, *The Big Book of Canadian Trivia*, which is now available in stores.

The latest Ray-Kearney effort is best described as a “greatest hits” book that contains the best Canadiana from their previous eight books, plus a considerable amount of new material. In one big book, readers will find all the trivia and facts about Canada they need to know. There are stories of important Canadian artifacts and history including what became of Canada’s World War II spy camp. All regions and provinces are covered, as well as important Canadian figures like John Molson, Elizabeth Arden and Russ Jackson. If that isn’t enough there will also be pieces explaining whatever happened to such Canadian icons as the last spike, labour leader Bob White, hockey tough guy Dave “The Hammer Schultz,” the first skidoo, swimmer Marilyn Bell and the first Tim Horton’s donut shop. Some items are “classics.” Others are little known facts. Approximately 25% of the material has never before appeared in print. This fascinating *Big Book* brings together for the first time in one package the most notable facts and trivia from the archives of the trivia guys’ collection.

The Big Book of Canadian Trivia is being published by The Dundurn Group of Toronto and will be available this spring at all major bookstores, as well as on the authors’ website. For more information about Ray and Kearney and their books, please visit: www.triviaguys.com

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