Session A-3: Across the Wide Missouri: Illinois & Early Exploration of the Trans-Mississippi West

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Franco-Spanish Rivalry

The Franco-Spanish War (1635–1659)
The Franco-Dutch War (1672–78),
The War of the Reunions (1683–84)
The Nine Years' War (1688–97)
The War of the Spanish Succession (1701–1714)
The War of the Quadruple Alliance (1718–1720)
Pueblo Revolt, 1680
The Voyageurs
The Sieur de La Salle
La Salle’s Fraud
Fort Saint Louis des Illinois, 1682
La Salle shipwrecked in Texas, 1686
Spain re-occupies New Mexico, 1693
The French Towns

OLD SAINT GENEVIEVE — SETTLED 1735
Cahokia: The Traders’ Town
Large Pirogue

PIROGUE
Early half 18th Century
Poled or Paddled with Sail support.
Portaging a Pirogue
Two-man Pirogue
War of the Quadruple Alliance, 1718-1720
Villasur Expedition, 1720
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The Alamo
The Mallet Brothers
Mallet Brothers’ Route
The Arkansas Post
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Frenchmen with Lewis and Clark

- Pierre Cruzatte, Kaskaskia
- Toussaint Charbonneau, lived with Hidatsa
- Jean Baptiste LePage, lived with Mandan
- Francois Labich, Kaskaskia
- Baptiste Deschamps, Kaskaskia
- Pierre Dorion, lived with Yankton Sioux
- George Drouillard, Fort Massac