

Section 2

The French and Indian War

Beginnings...

- ✦ Three times prior conflict had arisen
- ✦ Scuffles in the Ohio River Valley caused the start of the war



George Washington

- ✦ Promoted to colonel during this time (22 years old)
- ✦ Sent to warn the French to leave the Valley
- ✦ Dinwiddie (lieutenant) sent Washington and 150 men to build a fort

The Albany Congress

- Delegates from seven colonies met in Albany, New York

