



Timeline



Interesting Quote

Interesting Fact

Vocabulary Builder



Comprehension and Multiple Choice

(This section's questions correspond to the Guess or Mess episode. Play along!)

Circle the best answer or write the response on the line for each of the following questions.

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 - b. World War I
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 - b. Secretary of State
 - c. Secretary of Commerce

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8. How did Hoover respond to the Great Depression?
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Abraham Lincoln | Answer Key

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