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Digital Civilization Rises: The Altair 8800

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Six-Day War And How It Changed the Middle East Forever

Theodore Canter

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Discovery of the Smallpox Vaccine

Vihaan Deshpande

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Hela Cells- Immortal Contribution to Research

Hannah Paik

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The Discovery of Xrays: Wilhelm Roenten

Ahmed Mahmoud

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Rosalind Franklin's DNA Revelation: Unlocking Life's Blueprint

Gayatri Mashetty, Sumaydha Mudlapur

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The Manhattan Project: A Turning Point in the U.S. Nuclear Legacy

Ritvik Chadavada, Srihan Kongara, Rithvik Venkataramani

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The Salt March

Victoria Vicari, Mina Popescu, Elnora Sharp, Andressa (NP) Glodizinski

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The California Gold Rush of 1848: A Turning Point in History

Aradhya Shukla, Keya Shah, Ananya Singh

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Susan B. Anthony: The Activist who made a Turning Point in History

Sanvika Pasumarthi, Shriya Suresh, Neha Tadiparthi

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The Columbian Exchange: Benefits and Tragedies

Ashmi Gupta

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How the Atomic Bomb was a Turning Point in History

Mateo Gutierrez

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The California Gold Rush

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Henry Ford and the Model T

Sarvesh Satish, Arjun Namballa, Vibhav Mudunuri

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The Printing Press - The Invention That Printed Itself in History

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Apollo 13: A Successful Failure

Medha Kotti

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Trinity: Dawn of the Nuclear Age

Maitreya Rae

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The Rise and Fall of Berlin Wall

Namish Dour

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A New Expectation - Immigration Act of 1924

Madyson Porter, Lyla Monahan

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The Seneca Falls Convention

Natalie Salzberg, Adeline Burlingame

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The Native American Occupation of Alcatraz

Koyo Hedrick, Mykah Woolf

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The ENIAC: Setting Off the Computer Era

Jovia Low

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Innovations in Healthcare: The Evolution of Neonatal Incubators

Amritha Sivaprasath

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Sykes-Picot Agreement: The Lines That Fragmented The Middle East

Owen Lambert

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The Tale of the Tuskegee Airmen: Turning the Course of History in the War Against Racial Segregation

Gregory Rubio

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Vials of Hope, Vessels of Fear: How the Cutter Incident Revolutionized Vaccine Regulation

Kaser Winn, Naya Winn

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At the Crossroads: The Immigration and Nationality Act of 1965

Nora Yarlagadda, Nandika Tiwari

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Speed Dial: The Evolution of the Cell Phone

Ayaan Nair, Khang Dang, Jaden Chu, Jayden Luu

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The Opium War of 1839: A Shift in Power

Angelina Gan, Seraphina Gan

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"One of the Great Blights in American History": Japanese Internment Camps

Jayden Nguyen

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The Discovery of Anesthesia

Rishika Kongara

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Brown v. The Board of Education

Amelia Dizon

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Jesse Liang, Yichen Huang

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Where NASA Went Wrong - The Challenger Explosion

Mauli Singhai, Shailja Karnawat

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The Chernobyl Accident

Vivian Lang, Nicholas Demas

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Titanic

Mia Magana, Marie Jusseaume

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Leonardo da Vinci K-8 School

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Disneyland Magic

Tiffany Cheong

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Nicki Minaj: Pink Friday

Janya Sinha

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The Manhattan Project: The Atomic Bomb

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Frank Lloyd Wright: The Forefront of Modern Architecture

Mason Herr, Angela Cooc

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Delivering Dreams: The Pony Express

Kaylee Nagatani, Katelyn Nguyen

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The Transcontinental Railroad: Laying Down a New Foundation

Matthew Tong, Olivia Tong, Edison Lin, John Arnold

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Sabrina Briggs: Sacramento's First African American Female Lieutenant

Leena Kaina

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One Wrong Turn: Franz Ferdinand and the Adventure of Doom

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The Stock Market Crash of 1929

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Montgomery Bus Boycott

Lotte Hofmann

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How Silent Films Changed the World

Sofia Maltese

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The Transcontinental Railroad: A Key Event in U.S. History

Axel Canady

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The 1918 Influenza

Sierra Montoya, Yuritzi Montoya

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The San Francisco Earthquake of 1906

Aarav Loganathan, Kirubeal Wassihun

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The Start of a New Beginning: The 19th Amendment

Leila Cackovic, Bella Iyotte, Ivana Garfias

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The Jarvik 7: A Bridge to Hope

Yireh Annette Chavez

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Turning Points in Autonomy and Race: The Case of Henrietta Lacks

Katherine Carroll

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Declaration of Sentiments: Igniting Equality's Flame - Catalyst for the Women's Rights Movement

Sriram Shankara Narayanan, Srihari Shankara Narayanan

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The Nixon Shockwave: Turning the Tides of Global Economics and Foreign Relations

Jayana Nanayakkara, Aryan Nagpal, Rahul Puritipati

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Taiping Rebellion: Blood that Revolutionized China

Leo Luo, Sikai Lin

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The Advancement of Gunpowder in Warfare

Hunter Gonzalez, Audrey Xayrath, Ethan Chang

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