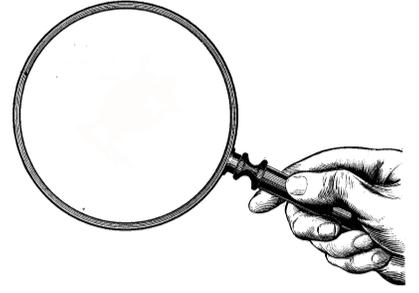


Come along! Let's go on a history hunt!



Mobile, Alabama's first city, is celebrating its 300th anniversary this year. It is home to Alabama's first fortifications, schools, churches, and cemeteries.



Mobile History Hunt

To find clues that will help you answer the questions below, look at the photographs on the web about Mobile: A Tricentennial City exhibit

Can you solve the mystery about the glass bottle shards on the wall of Fort Conde-Charlotte House?

Why do you think it was built in that manner? a.) _____

Name the first public school that was built in Mobile.

b.) _____ and the year it was built? c.) _____

What is the nickname of the church that sent "swarms" from its congregation?

d.) _____

Ellicott's Stone was the dividing line between what two places?

e.) _____ and f.) _____

What two languages are inscribed on the stone?

g.) _____ and h.) _____

As shown in the photograph of Ahavas Chesed Jewish Cemetery some members of the Jewish faith continue the custom of placing i.) _____ on the headstones.

Answers

a.) The broken glass would prevent prisoners from escaping. b.) Barton Academy c.) 1836 d.) The Beehive e.) United States f.) Spanish West Florida g.) English h.) Spanish i.) stones

Look for Clues in Curious Places!

Cemetery Word Match

Cemeteries can give many clues about how people lived. Search the photographs of Mobile's cemeteries. Draw a line from each word below to the word it matches.

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| Michael Krafft | Magnolia Cemetery |
| Yellow Fever | Mardi Gras |
| Named for a flower | Springhill Avenue Temple Jewish Cemetery |
| Mobile Cadets | Church Street Cemetery |
| Hebrew lettering | Magnolia Cemetery |

Symbol Search

Artists often use symbols in their paintings to convey a message. Symbols are pictures that have a special meaning to the viewer. John Augustus Walker used symbols in the murals he painted to tell the history of Mobile.

What do the following symbols mean in the Mardi Gras mural? Write down the meaning after each word.

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| a.) Felix _____ | b.) man with balloons _____ |
| c.) skeleton _____ | d.) cat* _____ |

Look at the photograph of the Education mural; write down the symbols for the following:

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| e.) geography _____ | f.) music _____ |
| g.) art _____ | h.) reading _____ |
| i.) youth _____ | j.) wisdom _____ |

Mobile is an important port city. In the photograph of the Progress and Transportation mural goods are being loaded onto a ship. What symbols show this takes place at the waterfront?

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| k.) _____ | l.) _____ |
| m.) _____ | n.) _____ |

*Infant Mystic is a group of people called a Krewe, that participates in Mardi Gras.

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| Symbol Search | a.) king | g.) paint brushes | Springhill Avenue Temple Jewish Cemetery | Hebrew lettering |
| | b.) folly | h.) harp (or lyre) | Church Street Cemetery | Mobile Cadets |
| | c.) death | i.) globe | Magnolia Cemetery | Named for a flower |
| | d.) Infant Mystics | j.) owl | Magnolia Cemetery | Yellow Fever |
| | e.) globe | k.) boat | Springhill Avenue Temple Jewish Cemetery | Michael Krafft |
| | f.) harp (or lyre) | l.) sea gulls | Church Street Cemetery | Cemetery Word Match |
| | g.) paint brushes | m.) steering wheel | Magnolia Cemetery | |
| | h.) harp (or lyre) | n.) dock | Magnolia Cemetery | |

Name That Person

Look at the photographs and Name That Person!

I was the Confederate commander of the CSS Alabama.

What is my name? a) _____

I designed the first submarine to sink a surface ship in warfare. What is my name?

b.) _____

We gained fame from an incident during the Creek Indian War. What are our

names? c.) _____ and d.) _____

The mansion I built is surrounded by stately oak trees.

What is my name? e.) _____

I marked the boundary between the United States and Spanish West Florida.

What is my name? f.) _____

Answers

a.) Raphael Semmes

d.) Jeremiah Austill

b.) Horace L. Hunley

e.) James Roper

c.) Sam Dale

f.) Andrew Ellilcott

