





Black History 104

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DIRECTIONS: Read each clue below. Each clue tells about a famous black American on the list at the bottom of the page. Use the list to connect to a short biography of each person. On the line next to each clue, write the name of the person to whom the clue refers.

| 1 | In 1870, this person was the first black to serve in the U.S. House of |
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| | Representatives. |
| 2 | _ This person, the child of former slaves, invented the ironing board, |
| | the lawn sprinkler, and many other useful things. |
| 3 | This person was one of the first people killed in the cause of |
| | American independence. |
| 4 | This civil rights advocate told her life story in the book A Colored |
| | Woman in a White World. |
| 5 | This person the 15th of 17 children born of former slaves grew |
| | up to become a college president. |
| 6 | This person, the child of ex-slaves, developed a hair product and |
| | died a millionaire. |
| 7 | Many consider this fur and grain trader to be the founder of the city of |
| | Chicago. |
| 8 | This former coal mine worker born to former slaves got a degree from |
| | Harvard University and started what is called today "Black History Month." |
| 9. | Many consider this doctor to be the originator of the Blood Bank |
| | concept. |
| 10. | This person, the child of a runaway slave, was a football All- |
| | American and a well-known actor and singer. |
| Crispus Attucks | http://search.eb.com/blackhistory/article-9011185 |
| Mary McLeod Bethune | http://search.eb.com/blackhistory/article-9078978 |
| Charles Drew | http://www.blackinventor.com/pages/charlesdrew.html |
| Jean-Baptist-Point DuSable | http://search.eb.com/blackhistory/article-9031305 |
| Elijah McCoy | http://www.infoplease.com/ipa/A0775694.html |
| Joseph Hayne Rainey | http://search.eb.com/blackhistory/article-9062498 |
| Paul Robeson | http://search.eb.com/blackhistory/article-9063903 |
| Mary Eliza Church Terrell | http://search.eb.com/blackhistory/article-9002972 |
| Madame C.J. Walker | http://www.lkwdpl.org/wihohio/walk-mad.htm |
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