

## Today in History Research

### American Memory & Me Birthday Project

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Event / Person Investigated: \_\_\_\_\_

Date in History: \_\_\_\_\_  
                                    month                                  day                                  year

What types of primary sources did you find? (Circle ALL that you found.)

Photo

Painting

Document

News article

Video file

Audio file

Poster

Sheet music

Map

Other? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe AT LEAST two interesting details that you discovered about one of the primary sources. Save the source to the computer.

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List 3-5 things that you learned about the person or event you investigated.

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Imagine you were present at this time. Describe how it felt to be there.

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Now write about this day in history, using the primary source you saved as the central theme. List what happened on this day in history and describe the featured person or event in at least five sentences with lots of detail.

- What title can you give this story?
- What is the featured date (month, day, year)?
- What happened on this day in history?
- Why is this event important?
- What else about this event / person is important and interesting?

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