

Lawrence History Timeline Webquest

Directions: Use the timeline from the Lawrence History Center to help you answer the questions below. The questions go in order of the timeline. Website: <http://www.lawrencehistorycenter.org/timeline>

1. The development of textile communities was powered by what?
2. Why did *Daniel Saunders* begin to purchase strips of land ?
3. Who formed the *Essex Company*?
4. List all investors in the Essex Company.
5. Who is Charles Storrow (Hint- Click the link to learn more about him)
6. From what two towns was Lawrence formed?
7. Describe the impact the Civil War on Lawrence ?
8. During the 1890's where did large numbers of people immigrants come from?
9. How was the rate of Typhoid reduced dramatically in 1892?
10. Read what happened in 1911 and 1912. Explain the cause and effect relationship between these two events.
11. Why do you think the rate of immigration to Lawrence slows between the years of 1914- 1930's ?
12. What happened in the 1940's and 50's that resulted in Lawrence natives leaving the city ?
13. What is the result of Urban renewal during the 1950's and 1970's?
14. When was the Lawrence History Center established ? What was its original name?