

Analyzing the Timeline: What Is The Full Story?

As you read through the timeline in the special section of *The New York Times*, answer the following questions and consider which parts of this timeline are new or surprising to you.

1. Where did the first ship carrying enslaved Africans to the U.S. arrive?	
2. What journey does the Middle Passage describe?	
3. How many people were transported through the Middle Passage?	
4. Of the 55 people who wrote the constitution, how many owned slaves?	
5. How did Mum Bett sue for her freedom?	
6. Who was Nat Turner?	
7. What was the "Gag Rule"?	
8. How many enslaved persons were living in the U.S. in 1860?	
9. How many black soldiers served in the Union Army?	

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10. What was the price for an 18-year-old girl in Savannah, GA., in 1863?	
11. What piece of legislation abolished slavery?	
12. Who was The Girl Redoshi?	
13. What was Brown V. Board of Education?	
14. When did Mississippi officially abolish slavery?	