

# Pickens County Museum History Mystery

Secondary Level - Quiz B



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3. What is the weapon of the Woodland and Mississippian Periods? \_\_\_\_\_.

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5. Where in South Carolina have petroglyphs been found? \_\_\_\_\_.

## Between 3 & 4) Historic Period

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2. Who was the first sheriff of the jail? \_\_\_\_\_
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1. When were the black and white striped uniforms discontinued? \_\_\_\_\_
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1. During what years did the war take place? \_\_\_\_\_
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3. What were the two armies called? \_\_\_\_\_

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1. What was the Reconstruction Period? \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. How long did it last? \_\_\_\_\_

**17) Reconstruction and the Railroad Town**

1. When was the first Pickens County courthouse built? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Name three Pickens County towns that developed because of the railroad?
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_
3. What was the “Doodle”? \_\_\_\_\_. How far did it run? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What was the town of Clemson first called? \_\_\_\_\_

**18) Milling**

1. Where would most of the regional grist mills get their energy? \_\_\_\_\_  
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1. What is a lumber mill? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Why does a crosscut saw have two handles? \_\_\_\_\_

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1. What was one of Thomas Green Clemson's major goals for Pickens County? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What was the name of his home? \_\_\_\_\_

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1. What is sharecropping? \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. What was the major product in Pickens County? \_\_\_\_\_

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1. Who Founded the first textile mill built in Pickens County? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What is another name for a textile Mill? \_\_\_\_\_

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1. Why was this rifle called "the gun that won the West"? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**28) and Early 20th Century**

1. If the military jacket of the American soldier in WWI is the size of an average-sized soldier, how much different was the size of this soldier from the size of soldiers you know today? \_\_\_\_\_
2. The off-white cotton dress shows that it was made during financial hard times from a material sack that held a common household product. What was the product? \_\_\_\_\_ Why are words printed on the dress? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Do your shoes look like the shoes you see in the display? \_\_\_\_\_  
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**29) Early 20<sup>th</sup> Century Kitchen**

1. Before washing machines, what did women use to help them clean the clothes of their family? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Tell how the Home Comfort stove worked. \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. How would the housewife control the temperature of this stove? \_\_\_\_\_
4. The shelves of the cabinet display cans and jars. Name some of the food products there that you also eat today.  
\_\_\_\_\_

**30) Churches and Religious Life**

1. Notice the hand fan with a picture of a church from 1905. Why would church members need a fan like this in the summer? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Find the name of the oldest church in Pickens County. \_\_\_\_\_
3. The doors in this exhibit came from which church in Pickens County? \_\_\_\_\_

**31) Schools**

1. All children had a lunch pail to carry their lunch to school. Why? \_\_\_\_\_
2. In what special ceremony was the white dress used? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What do you use instead of slate? \_\_\_\_\_

**32) Transportation**

1. The fender and wheel come from an early automobile. Which one? \_\_\_\_\_
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2. In which decade did an airplane first land in Pickens County? \_\_\_\_\_

**33) Tools and Technology**

1. Look at the Columbia Grafonola record player. To play the record, the person had to \_\_\_\_\_

2. At this time big screen TV's did not exist. How big is the screen of the Motorola Television? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Compare the Monroe Calculating Machine with your calculator. \_\_\_\_\_

4. Instead of movie reels, what do you have today? \_\_\_\_\_

**34) Post Office**

1. Name the first postmaster general appointed by the Continental Congress. \_\_\_\_\_

**35) Lakes and Mountains**

1. Lakes Keowee and Jocassee were created in the gigantic construction project called \_\_\_\_\_

**36) Medicine**

1. Cannon Memorial Hospital is named for \_\_\_\_\_

2. Look at the dentist's chair. How is it different from the chair your dentist uses for his patients? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Find the leg braces and crutches used by a child. Who was the child? \_\_\_\_\_

**37) World War II through Today's Military Conflicts**

1. Name two countries which were enemies of the United States during World War II. \_\_\_\_\_

2. Give the name of the first soldier from Pickens County to be killed in World War II and how he was killed. \_\_\_\_\_

3. Name the first casualty from Pickens County to die in the Vietnam War. \_\_\_\_\_

4. Who was the first woman from South Carolina to be killed in the War in Iraq? \_\_\_\_\_

5. What does "ration" mean? \_\_\_\_\_

**38) Medal of Honor Winners**

1. How many Congressional Medal of Honor recipients are there in Pickens County? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Write their names. \_\_\_\_\_

3. How did these men earn these Medals of Honor? \_\_\_\_\_

**39) All the News that's fit to print**

1. What was the first radio station founded in the Upstate of South Carolina? \_\_\_\_\_

**40) Music**

1. What is another name for the Resophonic guitar and where did it get its name? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name at least four musical instruments that you see in this display. \_\_\_\_\_

**41) Arts and Humanities**

1. Ben Robertson was a famous Pickens County journalist who died in an airplane crash in 1943. What is the name of his most famous book? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name the artist who painted the large picture of Hagood Mill. When did he paint it? \_\_\_\_\_

**42) Leisure Time**

1. Wooden seats and popcorn represent leisure time spent watching \_\_\_\_\_

2. The National Football Championship was won by Clemson University in what year? \_\_\_\_\_

**43) Toys**

1. Name three toys featured here. \_\_\_\_\_

**44) Mill Village Display**

1. Children in the mill village played with \_\_\_\_\_

2. Mills sponsored athletic teams. Which team sport is featured here? \_\_\_\_\_

**45) African American Quilt**

1. Ms. Anna Estella Willis of Central, South Carolina, made this beautiful quilt which she named \_\_\_\_\_

2. Two scenes depicted on this quilt are \_\_\_\_\_

**46) Publications**

1. In 1945, after a revered Democratic President died in Georgia, his body passed through Pickens County in a railroad car on the way back to Washington, D. C. Many thousands viewed the flag-draped casket as the railway car passed. Which president was this? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Three of the magazines displayed in this exhibit feature articles about the death of former President \_\_\_\_\_

I visited the Pickens County Museum on \_\_\_\_\_ (date). The building is located on Johnson Street in Pickens, South Carolina. It was built in 1902. It was built as a \_\_\_\_\_ Another name for a jail is \_\_\_\_\_

The downstairs part of the museum is about all kinds of history, but the museum also has several art galleries. My favorite part of the museum was Answers vary \_\_\_\_\_

On the back or on an additional piece of paper, write a paragraph about your visit to the Pickens County Museum.

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**Lobby Photo:** What is a monadnock? A mountain that stands alone or is isolated.

List two examples found in South Carolina. 1. Glassy Mountain 2. Table Rock.

## 1) Native American Display

1. What is the name of the lance thrower of the Archaic Period? Atlatl.
2. Describe how a fish dam was constructed in a river? Rocks laid across water creating partial dam, leaving "V" shape opening through which the water could flow. Fish would be pulled by the current through the opening and caught in a wooden gate or basket.
3. What is the weapon of the Woodland and Mississippian Periods? Bow and arrow.
4. Define *petroglyphs*. Carvings into the face of rocks.
5. Where in South Carolina have petroglyphs been found? Across the Piedmont and mountain regions of the state.

## Between 3 & 4) Historic Period

1. The Cherokee alphabet was devised by Sequoyah.
3. Read about the "Trail of Tears." Tell what is meant by this term. The route of the forced evacuation of the Cherokee from this region, so named because of so many died during the march west.

## 6) British Occupation

1. What was the purpose of Fort Prince George? To protect the Cherokee from the warring Creeks and other hostile tribes. It was later used as a trading post.

## 7) General Andrew Pickens

1. Pickens County is named in honor of this man. What made him such a special person? He was a Revolutionary War hero and early state and district leader.
2. The home of General Pickens was called "Hopewell". The hitching post from Hopewell in this exhibit was used for what? It is a post to which horses are tied (hitched) so they will not wander away.
3. General Andrew Pickens fought Indians. He also fought for independence from England in the Battle of Cowpens, or the Siege of Augusta. Other SC battles could be included but these are primary.

## 8) The 19<sup>th</sup> Century Pioneer Cabin

1. What kind of rug was in the cabin? Bear Skin.
2. For what was the spinning wheel used? To make thread or yarn which was then used to make cloth.

## 10) John Caldwell Calhoun

1. John C. Calhoun named his home FORT HILL. His daughter, Anna Maria, married Thomas Green Clemson. What university in Pickens County is named for Thomas Green Clemson? Clemson University.
2. Who owned the beautiful piano displayed in this exhibit? Originally John C. & Floride Calhoun. Aaron Boggs purchased the piano from their son for his daughter, Martha Cornelia, who passed it to her daughter Olive, who passed it to Olar T. Hinton, her nephew.

## 11) Before We Were Pickens County

1. When was the Pickens District made into a county? 1868.
2. How did Benjamin Hagood help the Confederate soldiers? He supplied many of them with clothes, guns and supplies
3. Name two 19th century plantations in our area? Ashtabula and Woodburn

## 12) South Carolina Cotton

1. When did cotton become a major crop in South Carolina? Second half of the 1700's
2. What is the purpose of the "cotton card"? Used to untangle, fluff and roll cotton fiber into loose coils for spinning.

## 13) The Pickens County Gaol

1. What is the modern spelling of "gaol"? J-A-I-L
2. Who was the first sheriff of the jail? James Henry Grace McDaniel
  - a. How did his wife and daughter die? Typhoid Fever (contracted from sewage seepage into well water)
  - b. Where did they die? In the apartment upstairs in the old Gaol
3. What is "moonshine"? Distilled spirits (whisky, liquor) made from corn
4. What are three other names for "moonshine"? White Lightning, Corn Squeezin's, Corn Whisky (other acceptable answers)

## 14) Old Jail Cell

1. When were the black and white striped uniforms discontinued? In the 1960's
  2. What do you think it would have been like to have been a prisoner in this cell? Open to interpretation
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## 15) The War Between the States

1. During what years did the war take place? 1861 – 1865
2. Name two rifles used during the War Between the States? Gwyn & Campbell Carbine and Harpers Ferry M1842 Smooth Bore Musket
3. What were the two armies called? Union and Confederate

## 16) Reconstruction

1. What was the Reconstruction Period? Period of years following the Civil War where plans were enacted to "reconstruct" the union. This was a period of recovery for the South
2. How long did it last? Technically, 1867 – 1877; however, Southern recovery continued through the latter half of the 1800's

## 17) Reconstruction and the Railroad Town

1. When was the first Pickens County courthouse built? 1869
2. Name three Pickens County towns that developed because of the railroad?
  - a. Easley, Liberty, Norris, Central, Calhoun (Clemson)
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_
3. What was the "Doodle"? Nickname for the Pickens Railroad locomotive. How far did it run? 9.6 miles / Easley to Pickens.
4. What was the town of Clemson first called? Calhoun

## 18) Milling

1. Where would most of the regional grist mills get their energy? They were water powered, but any number sources of power could be utilized for the same purpose

## 19) Logging

1. What is a lumber mill? Place where timber (logs) is sawed into lumber (building materials)
2. Why does a crosscut saw have two handles? It is a two-person tool

## 20) Thomas Green Clemson

1. What was one of Thomas Green Clemson's major goals for Pickens County? To create an "Higher Education Institution"
2. What was the name of his home? He lived in a variety of places, but had a home he called CANE BREAK and later he settled onto the Calhoun's FORT HILL estate

## 21) Farming

1. What is sharecropping? Land owner would let tenant (sharecropper) live in house on land in exchange for their providing labor to farm the land
2. What was the major product in Pickens County? Originally it was cotton, later corn and soybean became important

## 22) Textile Mills in Pickens County

1. Who Founded the first textile mill built in Pickens County? Col. D. K. Norris
  2. What is another name for a textile Mill? Cotton Mill
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  2. The off-white cotton dress shows that it was made during financial hard times from a material sack that held a common household product. What was the product? Sugar Why are words printed on the dress? Made from a Hershey's Sugar sack
  3. Do your shoes look like the shoes you see in the display? No. These shoes are very pointed, high top leather, lace up shoes more like boots.
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### 29) Early 20<sup>th</sup> Century Kitchen

1. Before washing machines, what did women use to help them clean the clothes of their family? Scrub Boards
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  4. The shelves of the cabinet display cans and jars. Name some of the food products there that you also eat today. Corn, peaches, peas, tomatoes, syrup, lemonade.
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### 30) Churches and Religious Life

1. Notice the hand fan with a picture of a church from 1905. Why would church members need a fan like this in the summer? Fans were used in hot weather because churches had no air conditioning.
2. Find the name of the oldest church in Pickens County. Bethlehem in 1780, one mile NW of Liberty.
3. The doors in this exhibit came from which church in Pickens County? McKinney Chapel (in Eastatoee Valley)

### 31) Schools

1. All children had a lunch pail to carry their lunch to school. Why? Schools had no cafeterias nor did they serve lunches.
2. In what special ceremony was the white dress used? Graduation. This one for the Easley High School 1916 graduation.
3. What do you use instead of slate? Answers vary; notebook paper, dry erase board, non-slate blackboard.

### 32) Transportation

1. The fender and wheel come from an early automobile. Which one? 1928 A-Model Ford
2. In which decade did an airplane first land in Pickens County? 1920's

### 33) Tools and Technology

1. Look at the Columbia Grafonola record player. To play the record, the person had to Hand crank the spring to play record
2. At this time big screen TV's did not exist. How big is the screen of the Motorola Television? Small; about 8 inches
3. Compare the Monroe Calculating Machine with your calculator. Large machine on which calculations were done with wheels and gears versus extremely small calculators of today
4. Instead of movie reels, what do you have today? DVD's (and sometimes VHS tapes)

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3. Find the leg braces and crutches used by a child. Who was the child? Dr. Reece Allgood

### 37) World War II through Today's Military Conflicts

1. Name two countries which were enemies of the United States during World War II. Germany and Japan
  2. Give the name of the first soldier from Pickens County to be killed in World War II and how he was killed. Garland Nations perished when the USS Arizona was sunk by the Japanese at Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941.
  3. Name the first casualty from Pickens County to die in the Vietnam War. Charles Johnson, Jr. died on March 30, 1966.
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4. Who was the first woman from South Carolina to be killed in the War in Iraq? Kimberly Hampton from Easley
5. What does "ration" mean? Limit; most often supplies such as food or gasoline

### 38) Medal of Honor Winners

1. How many Congressional Medal of Honor recipients are there in Pickens County? Four
2. Write their names. Furman L. Smith from Six Mile die January 17, 1945 (WWII); William A. McWhorter from Liberty died in September of 1945 (WWII); Charles H. Barker from Pickens dies October 27, 1950 (Korea); James D. Howe from Six Mile died Spetember 9, 1971 (Vietnam).
3. How did these men earn these Medals of Honor? Answers will vary, but each one showed extraordinary courage in defending his territory and protecting the lives of his fellow soldiers. In this act of courage, each one risked, and gave, his own life.

### 39) All the News that's fit to print

1. What was the first radio station founded in the Upstate of South Carolina? WCAC in Clemson

### 40) Music

1. What is another name for the Resophonic guitar and where did it get its name? Dobro got its name from the Dopera brothers who invented the instrument and then named their company "Dobro"
2. Name at least four musical instruments that you see in this display. Varied; accordion. Reophonic guitar or dobro, banjo, mandolin, dulcimer, fiddle or violin, ukelin

### 41) Arts and Humanities

1. Ben Robertson was a famous Pickens County journalist who died in an airplane crash in 1943. What is the name of his most famous book? Red Hills and Cotton (He also wrote I Saw England and Travelers Rest)
2. Name the artist who painted the large picture of Hagood Mill. When did he paint it? Glenn Cannon in 1934

### 42) Leisure Time

1. Wooden seats and popcorn represent leisure time spent watching MOVIES
2. The National Football Championship was won by Clemson University in what year? 1981

### 43) Toys

1. Name three toys featured here. Answers vary; Doll house, train set, paper dolls, dolls, baseball bat, Barbi Books, holster

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2. Mills sponsored athletic teams. Which team sport is featured here? Baseball

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