

What

Who

Historical Timeline

1844 – Morse's **telegraph** used for first time

1849, 50 – California **Gold Rush**, statehood

1861 - 65 – **U.S. Civil War**

1865 - 77 – **reconstruction of U.S.**

1865 – 13th Amendment (abolished slavery), Assassination of Abe Lincoln

1869 – **Suez Canal** opens,
Union Pacific Railroad completed.

1875 – *The Adventures*
of Tom Sawyer,
Bell invents
telephone.

1880 – Edison's
electric **light**

1886 – **Statue**
of Liberty

1896 – Marconi
invents the **radio**,
First modern **Olympic**
games (Athens, Greece)

1903 – 1st powered **flight**-Wright Bros.,
Ford Motor Co. founded

1904 – **Olympic games** in St. Louis, USA

1904 - 1914 – **Panama Canal** construction

1820 – 1913 – Harriet **Tubman**

1833 – 1897 – Johannes **Brahms**

1835 – 1910 – Samuel L. **Clemens** (Mark Twain)

1853 – 1890 – Vincent **van Gogh**

1863 – 1947 –

Henry **Ford**

1879 – 1955 –

Albert **Einstein**

1901 – 1966 –

Walt **Disney**

1902 – 1974 –

Charles **Lindbergh**



The Herring Net, 1885 (49).

Winslow Homer

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Summer Night, 1890 (54).

Winslow Homer

What do you remember?

1. Winslow Homer used what art mediums? _____
2. Homer was inspired to paint when he traveled to what places? _____
3. Homer was asked to illustrate scenes from the _____ war for Harper's Weekly.
4. Homer's favorite subjects? _____
5. What about his spiritual life? _____

Wall at Nassau -Bahamas, 1898 (62).



Canoe in the Rapids, 1897 (61).

Summer Night, 1890

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The West Wind, 1891