

Histories Mysteries Blizzard Bag Assignment Day #1

Directions: You need to answer the following set of questions. You may either print this page and answer directly or answer the questions on your own sheet of paper.

Background: The Death of Zachary Taylor

There have been individuals in our past that questioned the death of 12th President of the United States, Zachary Taylor. He was the second President to die while in office. His death was recorded as natural causes. I thought about placing his death on our list.

Assignment: You must summarize the details of the death of Zachary Taylor.

1. What was he doing the days before he died?
2. When did he die?
3. Describe how he died. (things like symptoms, length of time he was sick)
4. What was the cause of his death?
5. What/who started the idea that he was murdered?
6. How was he supposedly murdered?
7. When did they test his remains?
8. What did they find?

Histories Mysteries Blizzard Bag Assignment Day #2

Directions: You need to answer the following set of questions. You may either print this page and answer directly or answer the questions on your own sheet of paper.

Background: The mystery of the Grand Duchess Anastasia Romanov

For many years, people believed that the Grand Duchess Anastasia Romanov escaped the Bolsheviks.

Assignment:

1. Describe the story of the entire Romanov family.
 - a. What happened to them and why?
 - b. Describe how they were murdered.
2. Explain the mystery behind Anastasia.
 - a. Why did people think she escaped?
 - b. Did anyone come forward as her?
 - i. Explain how they were proven false.
3. Explain how this mystery was solved and when.

Histories Mysteries Blizzard Bag Assignment Day #3

Directions: You need to answer the following set of questions. You may either print this page and answer directly or answer the questions on your own sheet of paper.

Background: What Causes the "Sailing Stones" to move?

Assignment:

1. Describe what is so fascinating about these stones in Death Valley.
2. Who solved this mystery?
3. What exactly causes the Sailing Stones to move?