



Name: Amelia Earhart
Lifetime: 1897-1937

Best She was the first female
Known For: to fly nonstop over the Atlantic Ocean

Fun Fact: She was the 16th woman to receive a pilots license



Name: W.E.B. Dubois
Lifetime: 1868-1963

Best He helped to found the
Known For: National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP)

Fun Fact: He was the first African American to get a PhD from Harvard



Name: Robert Fulton
Lifetime: 1765-1815

Best He build the first
Known For: successful commercial steamboat - "North River Steamboat"

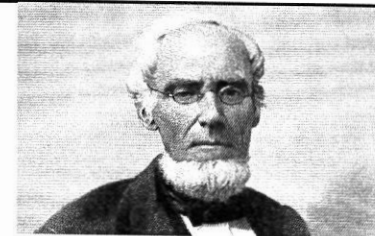
Fun Fact: He also designed and built the first practical submarine



Name: Richard King
Lifetime: 1824-1885

Best He was the founder of
Known For: the King Ranch - which is now the largest ranch in Texas

Fun Fact: He spent 18 years of his life operating steam boats in various rivers



Name: Gail Borden
Lifetime: 1801-1874

Best He invented sweetened
Known For: condensed milk

Fun Fact: He was a newspaper printer in Texas during the Texas Revolution



Name: Neil Armstrong
Lifetime: 1930-2012

Best First man to walk on the
Known For: moon

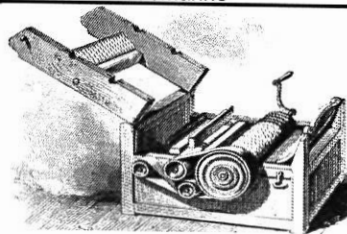
Fun Fact: He earned his pilot's license before his drivers license.



Name: Mary Kay Ash
Lifetime: 1918-2001

Best Founded the Mary Kay
Known For: Cosmetics company

Fun Fact: Over 100,000 Cadillacs have been painted pink for Mary Kay



Name: Eli Whitney
Lifetime: 1765-1825

Best He was the first to
Known For: patent a cotton gin

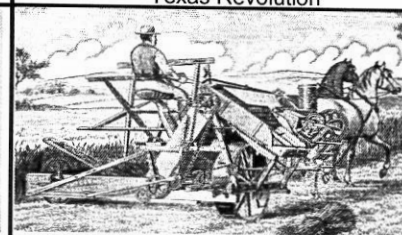
Fun Fact: He did not make much, if any money off of his invention



Name: Daniel Boone
Lifetime: 1734-1820

Best Exploration and
Known For: settlement in what is now Kentucky

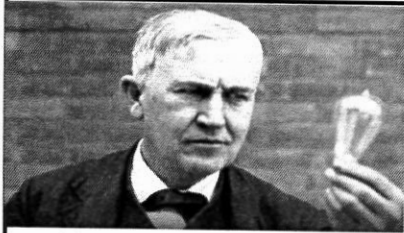
Fun Fact: Kentucky was originally part of Virginia



Name: Cyrus McCormick
Lifetime: 1809-1884

Best Developed and created
Known For: the mechanical reaper (a device to cut small grain crops)

Fun Fact: His reaper could cut six acres of oats in one afternoon



Name: Thomas Edison
Lifetime: 1847-1931

Best Invented the practical
Known For: electric light bulb

Fun Fact: He is described as America's greatest inventor



Name: Sojourner Truth
Lifetime: 1797-1883

Best "Ain't I a Woman" speech,
Known For: which demanded equal rights for woman and blacks

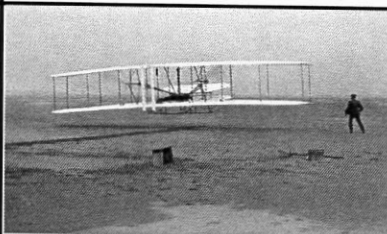
Fun Fact: Her first language was Dutch



Name: Clara Barton
Lifetime: 1821-1912

Best Founding the American
Known For: Red Cross

Fun Fact: She started the Office of Missing Soldiers after the US Civil War



Name: The Wright Brothers
Lifetime: 1871-1948

Best They completed the first
Known For: heavier-than-air airplane flight

Fun Fact: They were not allowed to fly at the same time, in case of an accident



Name: Alexander Graham Bell
Lifetime: 1847-1922

Best Invented the first
Known For: practical telephone

Fun Fact: He wanted the standard greeting to be "Ahoy-hoy" not "Hello"