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AMELIA WAS BORN IN ATCHISON, KANSAS, JULY 24, 1897.
FAIR PAIR

Match the words that rhyme. Next, write the first letter of each word in the pairs in the spaces below and discover some things Amelia found at the fair.

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1. cover, wore, bask, sever, lute, or, ore, ask, never, loot

2. mate, done, recite, right, you, glue, over, using, oozing, eight, none, rover

3. tile, name, greet, eight, rake, hearty, aim, site, date, nail, leak, steak, party, eat, ale, isle, tight, eke

4. heck, slick, jazz, click, cheese, these

5. answer, zero, corner, moor, era

ANSWERS ON PAGE 20
AMELIA AND HER FAMILY VISITED THE ST. LOUIS WORLD'S FAIR. SHE WAS FASCINATED BY THE MIDWAY AND THE WORLD'S LARGEST FERRIS WHEEL.
ANNA SEWELL'S BOOK BLACK BEAUTY MADE AN INDELIBLE IMPRESSION ON AMELIA'S YOUNG MIND. SHE WAS DISTURBED AND CONCERNED WHEN A NEIGHBOR CRUELLY WHIPPED HIS HORSE.
SEEK A WORD

Amelia loved animals, especially horses. This puzzle is about Amelia’s experiences with animals. Can you find the words? One has been done for you.

BOOKNEIGHTMOG
ALRPQMRSWOARORA
STALLAHAWELLUPN
KRECTNORHPMENOT
YAESKEINTIELUTRE
MISERBOPWORIRM
ULHORSEWPANCEO
YEOPACEANIMALCR
GEPECPINLURSRUBP
ORIDERSKYTROTIE
SADDLEOBAYOLTIL

Book  Bay
Mane  Neigh
Stall  Saddle
Pace  Prance
Shoe  Mount
Trot  Rider
Gee  Trail
Haw  Horse
Lope  Whip
Cart  Cruel
Walk  Black Beauty
Race  Animal
Canter

ANSWERS ON PAGE 20
BOOKS WERE ALWAYS IMPORTANT TO AMELIA. ONE OF HER FAVORITE PASTIMES WAS READING IN HER GRANDFATHER'S LIBRARY.
WORD FUN

Libraries are fascinating places. Add and subtract letters and discover some of the treasures to be found there.

   
   
3. ENCORE – ORE + YOUR – OUR + CLOSET – SET + PEDAL – AL + ARIAS – AR =
   
4. MARY – RY + GAGE – AGE + CRAZY – CRY + REFINES – REF =
   
5. FREED – REED + MUSIC – MUS + TOWN – OWN + LION – L =
   

ANSWERS ON PAGE 20
AMELIA GRADUATED FROM HYDE PARK HIGH SCHOOL IN CHICAGO IN 1916. THE CAPTION IN HER YEARBOOK READ: "THE GIRL IN BROWN WHO WALKS ALONE."

AMELIA AS A CHICAGO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT.
SCHOOL MAZE

Let's walk to school with Amelia. Can you follow her route? Remember to stop at the drugstore for paper, the library to return a book, and the shoe repair shop to leave your shoes. Good luck!

HOME

DRUGSTORE

LIBRARY

SHOE REPAIR

SCHOOL

ANSWER ON PAGE 20
WORLD WAR I WAS DECLARED DURING AMELIA'S FIRST SPRING AT OGONTZ. IN DECEMBER 1917, SHE DECIDED TO LEAVE SCHOOL AND WORK IN A MILITARY HOSPITAL IN TORONTO, CANADA. HER EMPATHY, WILLINGNESS TO LISTEN, AND CHEERFUL ATTITUDE BRIGHTENED THE LIVES OF THE WOUNDED MEN.
MATH FUN

Break the math code and learn the name of the serious illness that hospitalized Amelia.

\[ \text{N} = 7 - 2 \quad \text{E} = 4 \times 6 - 2 \]
\[ \text{U} = 7 + 5 \quad \text{M} = 30 - 17 \]
\[ \text{A} = 81 \div 9 \quad \text{I} = 5 \times 5 + 6 \]
\[ \text{O} = 8 \times 8 \quad \text{P} = 22 - 7 + 2 \]

\[ 17 \quad 5 \quad 22 \quad 12 \quad 13 \quad 64 \quad 5 \quad 31 \quad 9 \]

ANSWER ON PAGE 20
AMELIA SOLOED JUNE 1922 IN A KINNER AIRSTER.

NETA SNOOK, AMELIA'S FIRST FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR.

AMELIA'S LOCKHEED VEGA, THE "LITTLE RED BUS."

AMELIA, THE AVIATOR, IN CLASSIC BOOTS, LEATHER JACKET, AND HELMET WITH GOGGLES.
BREAK THE CODE

Break the code and discover in which state Amelia made her solo flight.

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AMELIA BECAME AN ENGLISH TEACHER OF FOREIGN-BORN STUDENTS AT DENISON HOUSE IN BOSTON. HER EAGERNESS TO TEACH AND HER PATIENT, LOVING ATTITUDE WON THE HEARTS OF THE CHILDREN AND THEIR PARENTS.

FREQUENTLY, SHE WOULD LET AS MANY AS TEN CHILDREN CLIMB IN AND OVER THE CAR WHILE SHE DROVE SLOWLY DOWN THE STREET SO THAT THE CHILDREN COULD WAVE TO THEIR FAMILIES GATHERED ON THE SIDEWALK.

AMELIA'S KISSEL AUTOMOBILE, THE "YELLOW PERIL."
MAKE NEW WORDS

Amelia was an English teacher at Boston's Denison House. How many words can you make from the words English teacher?

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AMELIA’S ROUTE ACROSS ATLANTIC—1932

1. NEW YORK ......................... 40.43N - 74.01W
2. ST. JOHN’S N.B. CANADA ......... 45.16N - 66.03W
3. HARBOUR GRACE, NEWFOUNDLAND 47.42N - 53.13W
4. LONDONDERRY, IRELAND .......... 55.00N - 07.19W

AMELIA IN HER LOCKHEED "VEGA"
INTERNATIONAL QUIZ

1. The Empire State Building, Rockefeller Center, Metropolitan Opera, and the United Nations are a few of the many things to be seen in this great city. Its name is __________ __________ __________.

2. Olives, oranges, lace, bullfights, and flamenco dancers are most often associated with this country. Its name is ____________.

3. Windsor Castle, Buckingham Palace, Westminster Abbey, and Big Ben are among the points of interest in this city. Its name is ____________.

4. Luxembourg Palace, the Arc de Triomphe, the Louvre, the Eiffel Tower, and Notre Dame Cathedral are found in this capital city. Its name is ____________.

5. I am a vast country composed of ten provinces, and I am a northern neighbor of the United States. I am ____________.

6. I am an island nation lying west of England, and I am slightly larger than West Virginia. Folk music, fine linen, tobacco, and alcohol are some of the products people associate with me. I am ____________.

7. Jungles, deserts, diamond mines, elephants, and great cities are all found on this continent. It is called ____________.

8. I am a Canadian island province often flown over by airlines flying from the United States to Europe. I am ____________.

9. Great Britain, Wales, and Ireland are often called the ____________ ____________. 

10. The North Sea, English Channel, Bay of Biscay, Mediterranean Sea, Pyrenees Mountains, Rhine River, and the Alps form my natural boundaries. I am ____________.

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FIRST AVIATRIX TO FLY FROM MEXICO CITY TO NEWARK, NJ - 1935

AMELIA'S ROUTE
MEXICO CITY TO NEWARK, NJ

1. MEXICO CITY ................. 19.24N - 99.09W
2. TAMPICO ....................... 22.13N - 97.51W
3. NEW ORLEANS ................. 29.58N - 90.07W
4. MOBILE ........................ 30.42N - 88.05W
5. ATLANTA ....................... 33.45N - 84.23W
6. WASH, DC ........................ 38.54N - 77.01W
7. NEWARK ........................ 40.44N - 74.10W

THE "LITTLE RED BUS" NR 965Y

"THANK YOU,
I WILL CONTINUE
TO NEWARK."

WASHINGTON:
"YOU HAD BETTER
LAND: FUEL LOW."

"EARTH OBSCURED,
HEAD WINDS
STRONG."

Gulf of Mexico

UNITED STATES

New York
Newark
Washington
Atlanta
New Orleans
Mobile
Tampico
Mexico City
CUBA

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TRAVELOGUE

Pack your bags; we're going on a trip! First, we must call the airline officer here in New York and make our __________. Next, we must pick up our __________, check our baggage, and present our tickets at the __________ gate to receive our __________ passes. We're on our way. Our first stop is __________, D.C., our nation's capital. We'll visit the __________ House, the __________ Monument, and the __________ Memorial. Then, back to the airport and we're off again. This time we are bound for Georgia's largest city, __________. Here we will visit famous __________ Mountain and __________ Flags over Georgia and go see the __________ play major league baseball. It's time to leave and we're off to the bayou state. Our next stop is __________, the home of Bourbon Street, jazz, and pralines. We'll visit the famous __________ Quarter and maybe we will get to see the __________ parade. It's time to move on again. Our destination is south of the border in __________. First, we'll land at a port city with many large oil refineries. This city is called __________, and many years ago __________ Indians lived here. Our next stop is __________, the capital of this Spanish-speaking country. This is a wonderful city and here we will visit the Shrine of G__________, the Desert of the __________, and C__________ Park. We must buy a __________ and a __________ and something made of leather to show our friends. It's time to board our plane and fly home. Let's take an air __________ from Newark to New York. Home at last; wasn't that great?

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ANSWERS TO ACTIVITIES

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3. boarding
4. boarding
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6. White
7. Washington
8. Lincoln
9. Atlanta
10. Stone
11. Six
12. Atlanta Braves
13. New Orleans
14. French
15. Mardi Gras
16. Mexico
17. Tampico
18. Aztec
19. Mexico City
20. Guadalupe
21. Lion
22. Chapultepec
23. sombrero
24. serape
25. taxi
AMELIA'S FLIGHT LOG

1. May 20, 1937—Oakland, California—Flight began. Approximately 27,000 miles for the flight.
2. May 21—Tucson, Arizona—Left engine caught fire after refueling. Blaze quickly extinguished, and only small repairs necessary.
4. May 23 to June 1—Miami, Florida—Final repairs and adjustments to Electra.
5. June 1—San Juan, Puerto Rico—First 1900 miles of flight and first stretch of ocean crossed.
8. June 4—Fortaleza, Brazil—Reached after flying over 950 miles of jungle and 380 miles of ocean.
9. June 5—Natal, Brazil—Electra loaded with 900 gallons of gasoline for 1900-mile leg over South Atlantic.
10. June 7—St. Louis, Senegal, French West Africa—Overnight.
10a. June 8—Dakar, Senegal—Two-day layover to rest and study weather conditions and maps.
12. June 11—Fort Lamy, Chad, French Equatorial Africa—1000 miles from Gao, Overnight.
15. Massawa, Eritrea.
16. Assab, Eritrea (Eritrea) —Two-day layover.
17. June 15—Karachi, India (Pakistan)—Two-day stop after Electra spanned two seas — the Red and Arabian—on 1950-mile flight from Assab. Mechanics from Imperial Airways and Royal Air Force instrument specialists put the plane back into top condition.
20. June 20—Rangoon.

AMELIA AND NAVIGATOR
FRED MOONAN

23. June 21 to June 27—Bandoeng, Java, Dutch East Indies—An American engineer specialist, F. O. Furman, and a crew of mechanics worked three days on Electra's engines. (On June 24, Amelia and Fred flew to Sumatra, but returned to Bandong because of engine and navigation-instrument difficulties. The repairs took two more days. There was no indication of the exact nature of the work of Furman, or of why he happened to be stationed at Bandoeng.)
24. June 27—Koepang, Island of Timor (Indonesia) —Overnight. After five-hour flight from Bandoeng.
25. June 28—Port Darwin, Australia—Two-day layover. (Parachutes were shipped back to States because they would be of no use on long over-the-water flights. No other reasons were given for the two-day stop at Darwin.)
26. June 30 and July 1—Lae, New Guinea—About 7000 miles remaining.
27. The next hop to Howland Island would be the most difficult: 2556 miles over open water.
COURAGE

Courage is the price which life exacts for granting peace.
The soul that knows it not, knows no release
From little things;

Knows not the livid loneliness of fear
Nor mountain heights, where bitter joy can hear
The sound of wings.

How can life grant us boon of living, compensate
For dull gray ugliness and pregnant hate
Unless we dare

The soul's dominion? Each time we make a choice we pay
With courage to behold resistless day
And count it fair.

Amelia Earhart