

**Michigan On The Move**  
**Level 8 Questions**

1. People bought Henry Ford's \_\_\_\_\_ because they thought it would be a successful company.

Answer: A

- a. stock
- b. furniture
- c. contracts
- d. parts

Refer to pages 14-17 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 2

2. Henry Ford wanted to make \_\_\_\_\_ that most people could afford.

Answer: C

- a. a factory
- b. a store
- c. an automobile
- d. a community

Refer to pages 14-17 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 2

3. Henry Ford lived on his family's farm in \_\_\_\_\_ where he had his first machine shop.

Answer: C

- a. Lansing
- b. Detroit
- c. Dearborn
- d. Flint

Refer to pages 14-17 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

4. Henry Ford raised money so he could start his own company by

Answer: D

- a. asking his friends for money.
- b. borrowing money from his parents.
- c. mortgaging his home.
- d. building two race cars.

Refer to pages 14-17 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

5. Why was it a better deal for the Dodge brothers to receive Ford Motor Company stock instead of money for the parts they made?

Answer: B

- a. The stock they received was worth less than the parts they made.
- b. The stock they received was worth more than the parts they made.
- c. Because they owned stock in Ford, the Dodge brothers got to run the company.
- d. The Dodge brothers became great friends of Henry Ford because they helped him.

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Topic: 1

6. Which of the following men invented the power lawnmower?

Answer: C

- a. William Durant
- b. Henry Ford
- c. Ransom E. Olds
- d. Dodge Brothers

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7. What effect did the Great Depression have on William Durant's career?

Answer: B

- a. He lost his job at Chevrolet.
- b. He no longer had the money to design and build new cars.
- c. All of the automobile companies went out of business.
- d. He was more successful than ever.

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Topic: 1

8. John and Horace Dodge were

Answer: D

- a. cousins.
- b. not related.
- c. father and son.
- d. brothers.

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Topic: 1

9. Who made the first car with interchangeable parts?

Answer: B

- a. Henry Ford
- b. Henry M. Leland
- c. Ransom E. Olds
- d. Walter P. Chrysler

Refer to page 10 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

10. In 1896, Charles King became the first Michigander to operate a gasoline-powered horseless carriage. How many cylinders did his vehicle have?

Answer: A

- a. four
- b. six
- c. eight
- d. two

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Topic: 1

11. It was Henry Ford's \_\_\_\_\_ to make cars affordable for the average working person.

Answer: A

- a. dream
- b. nightmare
- c. job description
- d. assembly line

Refer to pages 14-17 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 2

12. Henry Ford wanted to build an automobile that most people could

Answer: C

- a. rent.
- b. see.
- c. afford.
- d. make.

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13. \_\_\_\_\_ came to work at the automobile factories from many countries.

Answer: D

- a. Presidents
- b. Parts
- c. Vehicles
- d. Immigrants

Refer to pages 14-17 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 2

14. Henry Ford became a machinist's \_\_\_\_\_ at the age of sixteen.

Answer: C

- a. boss
- b. friend
- c. apprentice
- d. partner

Refer to pages 14-17 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES

Topic: 2

15. The first automobile that Ford built was a

Answer: D

- a. unicycle.
- b. tricycle.
- c. bicycle.
- d. quadricycle.

Refer to pages 14-17 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 2

16. John and Horace Dodge, Ransom E. Olds and Henry Ford all held the same job. What job was it?

Answer: B

- a. farmer
- b. machinist
- c. lumberyard worker
- d. salesperson

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Topic: 1

17. In what way were John and Horace Dodge, Ransom E. Olds, William Durant and Henry Ford the most alike?

Answer: C

- a. They were all born wealthy.
- b. Their companies went out of business at some point.
- c. They all had creative ideas and a determination to succeed in business.
- d. They all began by making carriages or carts.

Refer to pages 71-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

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18. Born in Massachusetts, as a young man \_\_\_\_\_ worked for his grandfather in a lumberyard.

Answer: B

- a. Henry Ford
- b. William Durant
- c. Ransom E. Olds
- d. Horace Dodge

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19. Henry Ford was Bill Ford's

Answer: B

- a. father.
- b. great-grandfather.
- c. brother.
- d. grandfather.

Refer to pages 23-24 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

20. How much money did Henry Ford pay the Dodge Brothers for their stock?

Answer: D

- a. \$18,000
- b. 2 million dollars
- c. 2 hundred thousand dollars
- d. 25 million dollars

Refer to pages 71-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

21. Between 1903 and 1908, Henry Ford produced 19 different vehicles, naming each of them

Answer: B

- a. for a famous person.
- b. for a letter of the alphabet.
- c. for a member of his family.
- d. for a friend.

Refer to pages 71-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

22. Because of this man's innovative ideas nearly half of all the cars in America were

Answer: B

- a. steam powered.
- b. Model T's.
- c. Chevrolets.
- d. Buicks.

Refer to pages 71-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

23. During World War I, Henry Ford was asked to make

Answer: D

- a. guns.
- b. tanks.
- c. airplanes.
- d. submarine chasers.

Refer to pages 20-32 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

24. Henry Ford reduced the price of his Model T by reducing

Answer: C

- a. the electricity needed.
- b. the salary of the workers.
- c. the time needed to produce a car.
- d. the cost of the parts.

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Topic: 1

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25. Henry Ford used soybeans to make

Answer: D

- a. steel.
- b. rubber.
- c. chrome.
- d. plastic auto parts.

Refer to pages 20-21 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

26. Leftover wood scraps were recycled by Ford to make

Answer: A

- a. charcoal briquettes.
- b. concrete for roads.
- c. toys for kids.
- d. doors for cars.

Refer to pages 20-21 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

27. Henry Ford solved some problems by

Answer: B

- a. converting.
- b. innovating.
- c. integrating.
- d. forgetting.

Refer to pages 20-21 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

28. Bill Ford is renewing the Ford Rouge Center by

Answer: A

- a. turning a brownfield into a greenfield area.
- b. moving to a new city.
- c. building more plants.
- d. selling the property.

Refer to pages 23-24 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

29. In 1910, \_\_\_\_\_ was fired from his job.

Answer: D

- a. Ransom E. Olds
- b. Benjamin Briscoe
- c. John Dodge
- d. William Durant

Refer to pages 71-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

30. Coldwater Road Cart Company was started by

Answer: D

- a. John Nash.
- b. Harry Briscoe.
- c. John Maxwell.
- d. William Durant.

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Topic: 1

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31. Walter P. Chrysler had a transportation background because he

Answer: C

- a. worked for a carriage company.
- b. directed traffic.
- c. worked for a railroad.
- d. bought a car.

Expanding general knowledge.

Topic: 1

32. Where did Charles King drive his four-cylinder, horseless carriage in 1896?

Answer: B

- a. across the state.
- b. on Woodward Avenue in Detroit.
- c. in Flint.
- d. at the State Fair Grounds.

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Topic: 1

33. In 1902, Henry Leland started

Answer: B

- a. Maxwell Car Company.
- b. Cadillac Motor Company.
- c. General Motors.
- d. Chrysler.

Refer to Michigan On the Move Student Page.

Topic: 1

34. After Ransom E. Olds moved to Detroit he manufactured \_\_\_\_\_ at the Olds Motor Works.

Answer: B

- a. rubber tires
- b. gasoline engines
- c. electric engines
- d. spark plugs

Refer to pages 72-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

35. Which one of Michigan's automotive giants had the idea for the V-8 engine?

Answer: D

- a. Charles King
- b. Walter P. Chrysler
- c. Bill Ford
- d. Henry Leland

Refer to pages 72-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

36. The most famous car Ransom E. Olds introduced was called

Answer: B

- a. Merry Oldsmobile.
- b. Curved Dash Runabout.
- c. Model F.
- d. Fisher.

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37. The Dodge Brothers made their cars on

Answer: C

- a. Henry Ford's assembly line.
- b. their conveyor.
- c. their assembly line.
- d. the ground with a tractor.

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Topic: 1

38. What three automobile companies are known as the "Big Three"?

Answer: B

- a. Cadillac, Buick and Escort
- b. GM, Ford and Chrysler
- c. Ford, Dodge and Lincoln
- d. King, Lincoln and Maxwell

Refer to Michigan On the Move Student Page.

Topic: 1

39. William Durant was fired as \_\_\_\_\_ of General Motors.

Answer: A

- a. president
- b. mechanic
- c. inventor
- d. engineer

Refer to pages 72-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

40. After William Durant left General Motors,

Answer: B

- a. he retired.
- b. he formed the Durant Motors.
- c. he left the country.
- d. he became a partner of Ransom E. Olds.

Refer to pages 72-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

41. Where did Henry Ford begin and end his career?

Answer: B

- a. New York
- b. Dearborn
- c. Flint
- d. Muskegon

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Topic: 1

42. Henry Ford learned how to operate and \_\_\_\_\_ in Detroit.

Answer: A

- a. repair steam engines
- b. build a light bulb
- c. repair locomotives
- d. repair electric engines

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43. To meet the demand for Model T's, Henry Ford

Answer: D

- a. rented another automobile factory.
- b. told people to take a number.
- c. put another assembly line next to the old one.
- d. built more factories.

Refer to pages 72-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

44. In 1908, Henry Ford was the chief engineer for the Detroit Edison Company. What was his salary?

Answer: D

- a. \$10,000
- b. \$5,000
- c. \$20,000
- d. \$1,000

Refer to pages 72-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

45. Before they started their own automobile company, John and Horace Dodge worked for

Answer: D

- a. Billy Durant.
- b. Detroit Edison.
- c. Michigan Tire Company.
- d. Ransom E. Olds.

Refer to pages 72-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

46. Walter P. Chrysler was trained as

Answer: B

- a. racing car driver.
- b. machinist and engineer.
- c. banker.
- d. none of the above.

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Topic: 1

47. Chrysler bought \_\_\_\_\_ in 1928.

Answer: B

- a. Chevrolet
- b. Dodge
- c. Leland Motors
- d. Cadillac

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Topic: 1

48. Henry Ford sold his first car called the Quadricycle for

Answer: B

- a. \$800.
- b. \$200.
- c. \$500.
- d. \$600.

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49. Cars could be built more quickly when Ford used the \_\_\_\_\_ in his factory.

Answer: B

- a. mass produced
- b. assembly line
- c. working line
- d. finish line

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Topic: 2

50. Henry Ford decided to pay workers \$5 a day because

Answer: D

- a. his cars were popular and he needed to make more to sell.
- b. he needed more workers to help make cars.
- c. he felt it was a fair wage.
- d. all of the above.

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51. Who made the chassis and most of the moving parts for the Model T's?

Answer: A

- a. Dodge Brothers
- b. Charles King
- c. William Durant
- d. Henry Ford

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Topic: 1

52. Who of the following was the first to export an automobile?

Answer: C

- a. Billy Durant
- b. Henry Ford
- c. Ransom E. Olds
- d. The Dodge Brothers

Refer to pages 71-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

53. Henry Ford was known as a "tinkerer," meaning he was always

Answer: C

- a. traveling to other countries.
- b. selling his ideas.
- c. trying new things out.
- d. working on cars.

Refer to pages 20-21 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 2

54. Henry Ford's idea of many people working on a moving belt, each doing a different job to build a cart is called

Answer: C

- a. inventing.
- b. recycling.
- c. an assembly line.
- d. vertical integration.

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Topic: 2

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55. Which of the following men worked for Thomas Edison?

Answer: A

- a. Henry Ford
- b. Horace Dodge
- c. Billy Durant
- d. John Dodge

Refer to pages 71-73 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 1

56. The first car factory was started by

Answer: C

- a. William C. Durant.
- b. Horace Dodge.
- c. Ransom E. Olds.
- d. Henry Ford.

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Topic: 1

57. Henry Ford knew that some of his workers could not afford cars. To help solve a problem he knew he had to make cars cost less money by

Answer: C

- a. making better horse carriages.
- b. using robots to build.
- c. using an assembly line to build cars faster.
- d. purchasing materials from other countries.

Refer to pages 20-21 CONNECT-IT(tm) ACTIVITIES.

Topic: 3