

Unsolved History: The Boston Massacre

Name _____

1. Who was Crispus Attucks?
2. What happened on March 5, 1770?
3. How many colonists died?
4. What did the colonists realize after the attacks on March 5th?
5. Why did the British put soldiers in Boston in 1768?
6. How accurate is the engraving by Paul Revere?
7. What is a "Brown Bess"?
8. What specific event caused the 1st British soldier to fire?
9. After the 1st shots, what did Capt Preston tell his men to do?
10. What were the results of the acoustic tests?
11. What did the investigators find in the rare books collection in the Boston Library?
12. What did the investigators find out about where the people were shot and fell?
13. Was Crispus Attucks the first patriot to fall?
14. Who do the investigators believe was the first to fall?
15. In the end, what was the legacy of the death of Crispus Attucks and the other patriots?