

PREPOSITIONS OF TIME

- COMPLETE THE TEXT ABOUT NORWAY WITH THE CORRECT PREPOSITIONS OF TIME.

(0) _____ 1814, NORWAY AND SWEDEN BECAME ONE COUNTRY, BUT THE NORWEGIAN PEOPLE WEREN'T HAPPY ABOUT THIS. THERE WERE MANY PROBLEMS AND FINALLY, (1) _____ MAY 17, 1814, A NEW CONSTITUTION WAS AGREED, WHICH WAS MUCH BETTER FOR NORWAY.

THEN (2) _____ THE 1890S, THERE WERE MORE PROBLEMS. (3) _____ THE BEGINNING OF THE 20TH CENTURY, IT WAS CLEAR THAT THE TWO COUNTRIES COULD NO LONGER STAY TOGETHER. (4) _____ THE WINTER OF 1904-05, MANY FAMOUS PEOPLE TALKED OF INDEPENDENCE FOR NORWAY. THE NORWEGIAN EXPLORER FRIDTJOF NANSEN WROTE A NUMBER OF ARTICLES ABOUT THIS. (5) _____ MARCH 25, 1905, ONE OF HIS ARTICLES WAS PRINTED IN THE BRITISH TIMES NEWSPAPER. IMPORTANT FRENCH AND GERMAN NEWSPAPERS PRINTED IT TOO.

(6) _____ JUNE 1905, THE NORWEGIAN PARLIAMENT SAID THAT NORWAY WAS NO LONGER PART OF SWEDEN. THE SWedes WERE ANGRY BUT DIDN'T WANT A WAR. THEY AGREED TO ASK THE NORWEGIAN PEOPLE TO DECIDE THEIR FUTURE. (7) _____ AUGUST 13, 1905, 368,208 NORWEGIANS VOTED FOR THE SEPARATION AND ONLY 184 AGAINST. WOMEN COULDN'T VOTE BUT ABOUT 250,000 OF THEM SIGNED A PIECE OF PAPER TO SAY 'YES' TO THE SEPARATION.

(8) _____ THE END OF OCTOBER 1905, NORWAY BECAME AN INDEPENDENT NATION.

