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The USA

PART 1: HISTORY

1773

Boston Tea Party

1775 - 1783

Declaration of Independence

1812 - 1814

War of Independence

War with Britain

Californian Gold Rush

Civil War between the North and South

First trans-continental railway

1876

US Army defeated in battle by Native Americans

Native Americans massacred at Wounded Knee

1920 - 1933

'Prohibition' - alcohol banned

Wall Street Crash - collapse of stock exchange

Two nuclear bombs dropped on Japan

President Kennedy assassinated

Martin Luther King, Jr, assassinated

First person on the moon

1973

Last US troops leave Vietnam

