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MISSISSIPPI'S TEDDY BEAR TIMELINE

Instructions: After reading the story "Mississippi's Teddy Bear" fill in the blank spaces on the timeline.

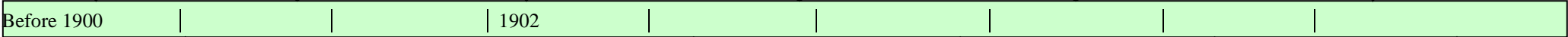


Mississippi is home to swamps, forests and many wild animals.

Bear hunting is a popular sport in Mississippi.

President Roosevelt comes to Mississippi to bear hunt. Holt Collier is his guide.

Mr. Michtom sees the cartoon. He asks Teddy Roosevelt if he can name his toy bears after him.



People begin to move to Mississippi. Forests and swamps are cleared. There is less habitat for animals.

Less habitat plus more bear hunting equals

That is why we call our stuffed bears "Teddy" bears!"