



Cotton Museum Scavenger Hunt

**Find the following answers by visiting the Cotton Museum!
Remember to check the video exhibits!**

1. Who was the "Maid of Cotton" in 1977? _____
2. What is the term for the handcuffs used on slaves who were being transported? _____
3. What type of TV screen uses a cotton byproduct? _____
4. How did Western Union revolutionize communications in 1861? _____
5. What is "gin" short for? _____
6. What percentage of mid-south cotton is genetically modified? _____
7. What year was the first Cotton Carnival? _____
8. What did Thomas Edison invent in 1888? _____
9. What was the world's first aerial crop-dusting company? _____
10. In what year was B.B. King born? _____
11. Where did the boll weevil come from? _____
12. What is pre-ginned cotton called (hasn't been through a picker yet)? _____
13. How many \$100 bills can be created from one bale of cotton? _____
14. Who invented the ticker tape machine? _____
15. What year did the Memphis Cotton Exchange move to this building (65 Union Ave.)? _____
16. What type of music developed from the African-American call and response style of singing hymns? _____
17. What is the name of this building? _____
18. How much does the average cotton bale weigh? _____
19. What part of the cotton plant is used to produce oil? _____
20. What is the neighborhood around the Cotton Museum called? _____

Answers

1. Ellen Clark
2. Manacles
3. LED screens
4. Transcontinental telegraph line
5. Engine
6. 97%
7. 1931
8. Victoria phonograph
9. Delta Airlines
10. 1925
11. Mexico
12. Raw cotton
13. 313,600
14. Thomas Edison
15. 1922
16. The Blues
17. Memphis Cotton Exchange Building
18. 500 pounds
19. Cottonseed
20. Cotton Row