

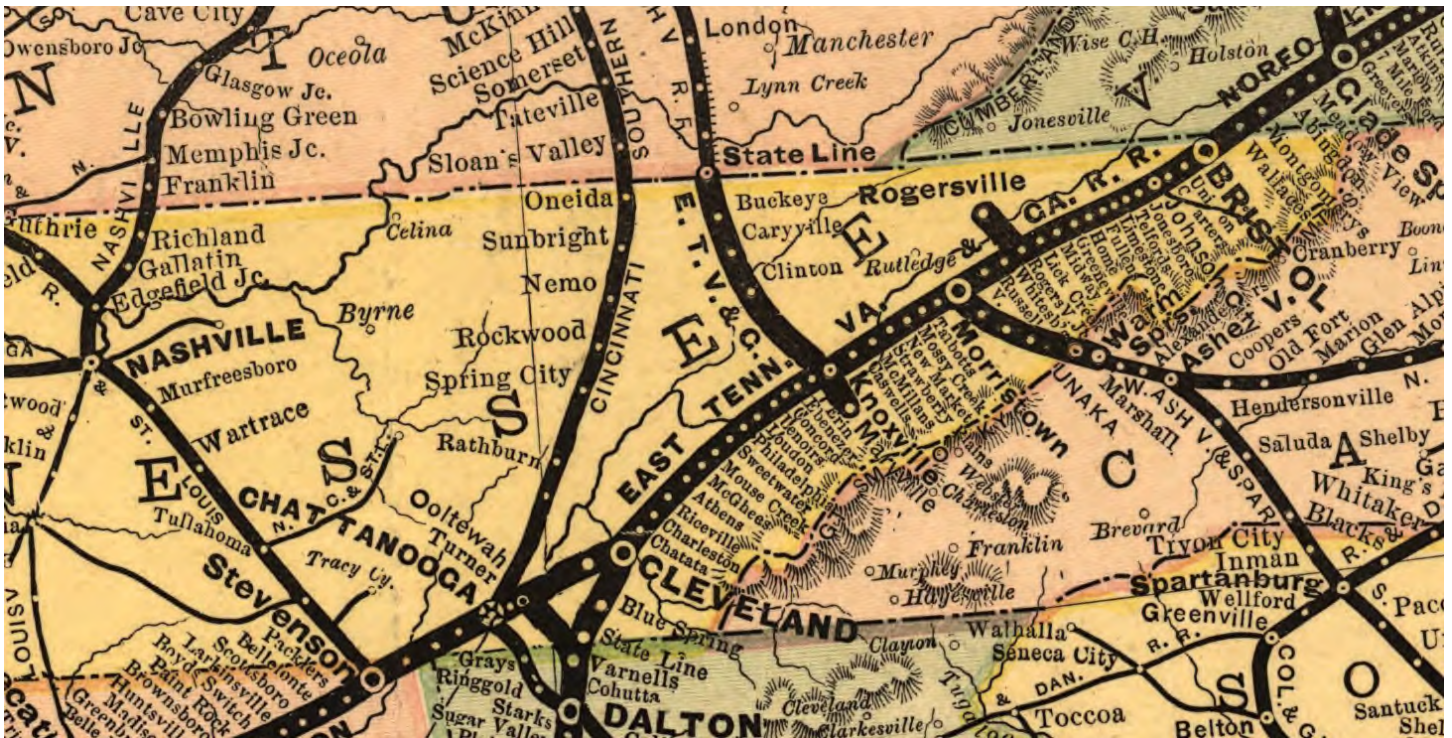


## Questions for “Railroads, Factories and Flour Mills: The Rise of Tennessee Cities”

1. About what year did railroads first come to Tennessee?
  - A) 1800
  - B) 1830
  - C) 1850
  - D) 1900
2. TRUE OR FALSE: Railroads were first brought to Tennessee primarily to get passengers from one place to another.
3. Match the Tennessee city with the city from another state to which it was first connected by railroad.

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| A) Nashville   | 1) Savannah, Georgia          |
| B) Knoxville   | 2) Louisville, Kentucky       |
| C) Chattanooga | 3) Charleston, South Carolina |
| D) Memphis     | 4) Norfolk, Virginia          |
4. In 1859, what product was most likely to be hauled on a railroad from Memphis to Charleston?
5. Based on the information given in this presentation, what is the main reason Shelbyville didn't grow as fast as Nashville after 1830?
  - A) Because Shelbyville didn't have good raw materials
  - B) Because the people in Bedford County didn't have a strong work ethic
  - C) Because Shelbyville didn't have Nashville's railroad connections
  - D) Because Shelbyville had too many natural disasters
6. Name two of the uses of cottonseed oil?
7. Why did Nashville once call itself Minneapolis of the South?
8. What are two nicknames associated with Knoxville?
9. What are three products associated with Chattanooga that are mentioned in this presentation?

For questions 10 through 12, use this 1882 map of the Virginia, Tennessee and Georgia Railroad.



10. If you left Cleveland on this railroad, intending to go to North Carolina, in what Tennessee town or city will you have to turn right?

- A) Morristown
- B) Knoxville
- C) Sweetwater

11. What small town in northeast Alabama was an important crossing on the railroad?

- A) Scottsboro
- B) Stevenson
- C) Huntsville

12. As it headed through northeast Tennessee, the Virginia, Tennessee and Georgia Railroad had a short branch line that led to what town?

- A) Morristown
- B) Bristol
- C) Rogersville