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Trails Trivia Teasers

1. Which way would you go to Union? how to? worn?

9. Why was the Missouri River called a trail 'jumping-off' point?

2. Which trail out of Kanesville/Council Bluffs was longest?

10. Name three different models of covered wagons.

3. Who was the highest ranking officer to travel up the Missouri River before 1850?

Answers:

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4. Which were the fastest ferry boats crossing the Missouri?

steam boats tobeknownscientificriver

5. What is the longest river in the United States?

6. How did most Indians see pioneer trails?

7. Which pioneer trail had no wagons on it?

8. Which Council Bluffs pioneer trail was used the longest?