



# BIG IDEAS ABOUT PENNSYLVANIA FOREST HISTORY

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1. About what percent of land in PA is forested? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How is this different from when the first Europeans arrived? \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. Why was early harvesting of wood for things like charcoal and ship masts devastating to the environment? \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. How were waterways important to the lumber industry? \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. How did logging railroads change the lumber industry? \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. How did a street in Williamsport get the term Millionaire's Row? \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. What was the name of the industry that used hemlock bark? \_\_\_\_\_
8. At the beginning of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, name some ways that prior lack of sustainable forest management practices lead to ecological disaster: \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. What were some ways the state and its residents responded to the disasterous conditions of PA forests? \_\_\_\_\_  
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10. Name some products made from PA forests: \_\_\_\_\_  
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11. What are some ways that Dr. Goddard thought about forests that were different from most prior thinking? \_\_\_\_\_  
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12. Why do so many people visit PA's forests? \_\_\_\_\_  
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13. Why do you think it's important that we have sustainable forestry management practices in PA? \_\_\_\_\_  
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