Worksheet 4: Which Happened First?

In each of the pairs of circles below, one circle has an event from a story in *Kansas Kaleidoscope*. The other circle has an event with a date. Color the circle that contains the event that happened first.

1. Lewis and Clark travel through Kansas on their way to the Pacific Ocean. 
   - Thomas Jefferson writes the Declaration of Independence in 1776.

2. Kansan Amelia Earhart becomes the first woman to fly a plane over the Atlantic Ocean in 1932. 
   - Wichita becomes known as the “Air Capital of the World.”

3. Henry Ford begins manufacturing his famous Model T automobile in 1908. 
   - Walter Chrysler begins his own automobile company.

4. The Pony Express began delivering mail between St. Joseph, Missouri, and Sacramento, California. 
   - The United States Postal Service developed postage stamps in 1847.

5. The Transcontinental Railroad, which spanned the distance between the Missouri River and the Pacific Coast, was completed in 1869. 
   - The Atchison, Topeka, and the Santa Fe Railroad reaches Santa Fe, New Mexico.