1752 – 1947

History of Electricity Timeline

Name _____ Date _____

Write each event beside its date, then add one detail about it. Check off each event in the box as you use it.

1752

1800

1820

1831

1879

1882

1888–95

1897

1947

Events

- ☐ Edison's Practical Light Bulb
- ☐ The War of Currents: AC Defeats DC
- ☐ Electromagnetism Discovered
- ☐ Transistor Invented
- ☐ First Commercial Power Grid
- ☐ Franklin's Lightning Experiment
- ☐ Discovery of the Electron
- ☐ Faraday Invents the Electric Generator
- ☐ Volta Invents the Battery