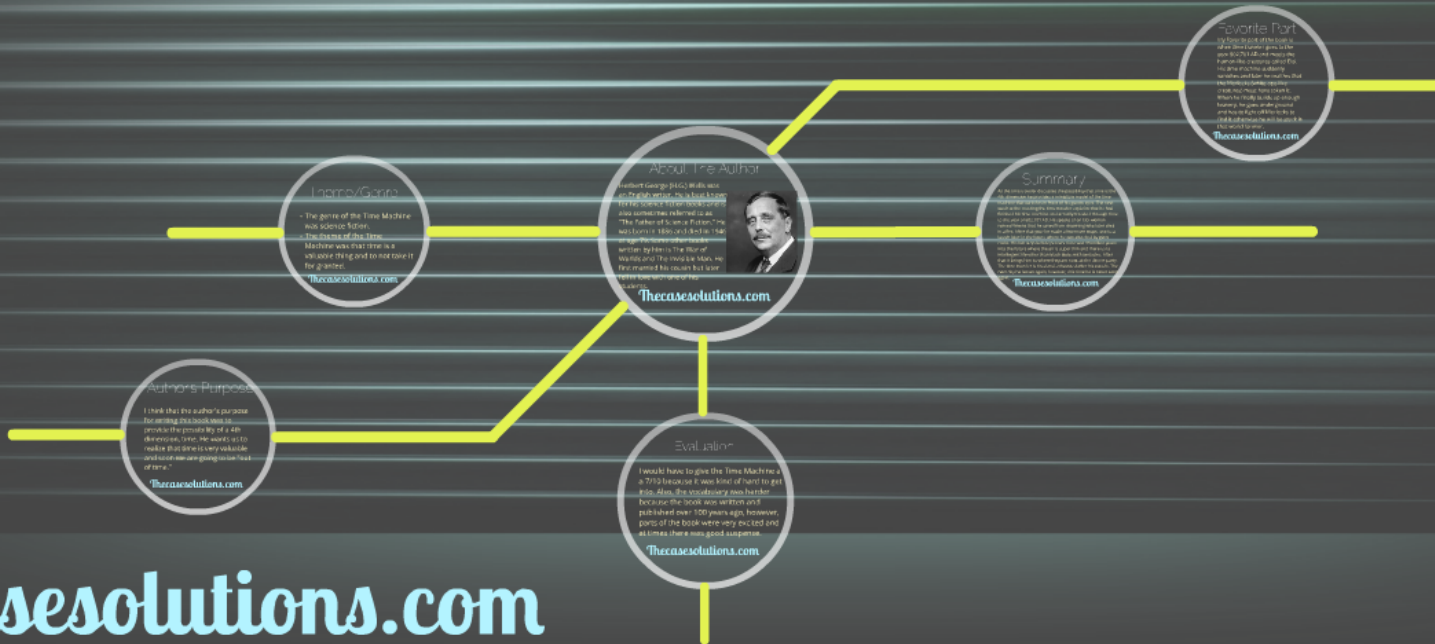
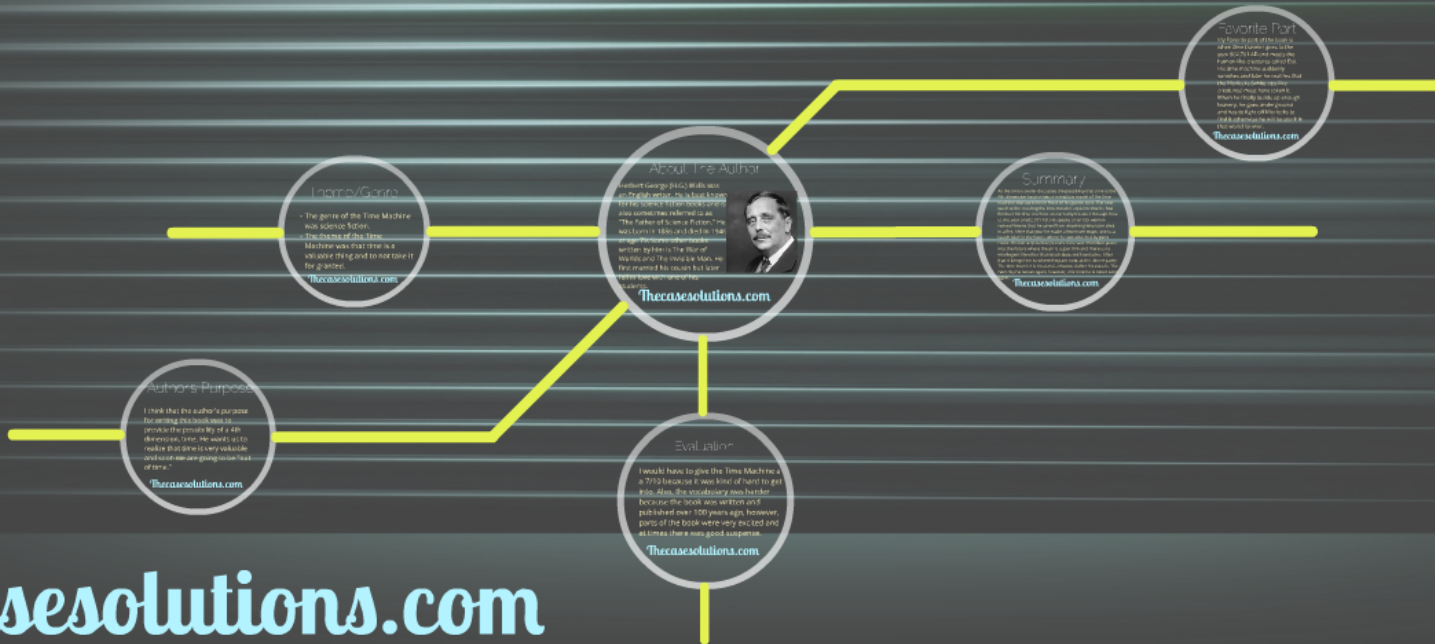


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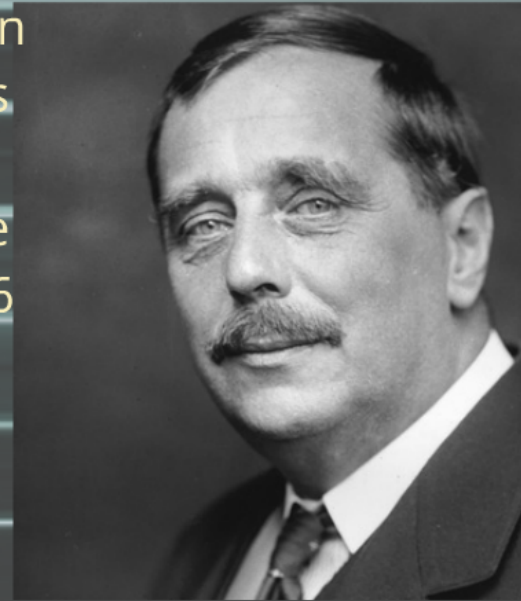
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About The Author

Herbert George (H.G.) Wells was an English writer. He is best known for his science fiction books and is also sometimes referred to as "The Father of Science Fiction." He was born in 1886 and died in 1946 at age 79. Some other books written by him is The War of Worlds and The Invisible Man. He first married his cousin but later fell in love with one of his students.



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Author's Purpose

I think that the author's purpose for writing this book was to provide the possibility of a 4th dimension, time. He wants us to realize that time is very valuable and soon we are going to be "out of time."

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Theme/Genre

- The genre of the Time Machine was science fiction.
- The theme of the Time Machine was that time is a valuable thing and to not take it for granted.

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Summary

As the time traveler discusses the possibility that time is the 4th dimension he provides a miniature model of the time machine that vanishes in front of his guests eyes. The next week at the meeting the time traveler explains that he had finished his time machine and actually traveled through time to the year of 802,701 AD. He speaks of an Eloi woman named Weena that he saved from drowning who later died in a fire. After that year he made a few more stops, one to a beach later in the future where he was attacked by giant crabs. His last stop before present time was 30 million years into the future where the air is super thin and there is no intelligent life other than black blobs with tentacles. After that it brings him to where they are now, at the dinner party. The time traveler is tired and exhausted after his travels. The next day he leaves again, however, this time he is never seen again.

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Favorite Part

My Favorite part of the book is when time traveler goes to the year 802,701 AD and meets the human-like creatures called Eloi. His time machine suddenly vanishes and later he realizes that the Morlocks (white ape-like creatures) must have taken it. When he finally builds up enough bravery, he goes underground and has to fight off Morlocks to find it otherwise he will be stuck in that world forever.

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Evaluation

I would have to give the Time Machine a 7/10 because it was kind of hard to get into. Also, the vocabulary was harder because the book was written and published over 100 years ago, however, parts of the book were very excited and at times there was good suspense.

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