According to the History Channel, what are the 9 theories about the disappearance of Amelia Earhart?

1. Amelia & Fred ran out of f\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and c\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ into the Pacific Ocean.
2. Amelia & Fred landed on G\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but died before they could be r\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
3. Amelia & Fred landed on S\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but was later e\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by the Japanese.
4. Amelia was supposed to s\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on Japan, but instead was c\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by them after crashing
5. Amelia returned to the USA under a new name of I\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ B\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
6. Some men thought she became a n\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on the island of G\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
7. Some people think she crashed on N\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ B\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Island.
8. Amelia was captured by the J\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and became a voice on the Japanese radio with the name of T\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ R\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
9. Amelia was captured by the J\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and traveled with an officer and little boy to E\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

According to The Daily Beast, there are other theories about her disappearance. They repeat some of those listed above, but list the ones that are different.

5. Amelia & Fred were a\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by aliens.

6. Fred was a d\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ who crashed the plane.

8. Amelia and Fred faked their death so they could e\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

4. Amelia & Fred died on N\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but her body was carried off by c\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

In 1998, NPR (a radio news station) wrote an article about what Gillespie found on Gardner Island (an old name for Nikumaroro Island). What did they find that they thought proved Amelia had been on the island?

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However, in 2012, NPR wrote another article about what Gillespie found in a photo taken near Gardner Island. In the photograph, what did they think they found that belonged to Amelia Earhart?

a piece of her \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

In June 2015, Gillespie is returning to Gardner Island and will use a robot to look at the ocean’s floor to see if the plane is there. ***Do you think the plane will be there***?

**Circle one**: Yes / No

Please write a paragraph that states what you think happened to Amelia & Fred and **WHY** you think this.

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