Build a Historical Causation Claim

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For each original evidence set, write a claim distinguishing a long-term cause, a short-term trigger, and one consequence.

Years of water scarcity; a sudden price increase; protests follow.

Answer: _____

Decades of migration; a new rail line; rapid city growth.

Answer: _____

Long political tension; a disputed election; a constitutional crisis.

Answer: _____

Industrial expansion; a factory disaster; new safety laws.

Answer: _____

Grown-up check: Claims must separate underlying conditions from an immediate catalyst and avoid treating one factor as the only cause.

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