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Fill in the missing words. Use the hints in brackets:

Bessie Coleman was the first _____ (dark colour) woman who became a _____ (person who sits in the cockpit). Bessie spent _____ much _____ of her _____ (time when she was a child) in the cotton _____ (another word for yards). In 1919 she heard about the new _____ (old description for airplanes) and wanted to become a pilot. She learned _____ (language spoken in France), went to _____ (capital of France) and finally received her _____ (valid everywhere) pilot's license. Bessie helped other _____ (people of her own origin) and earned her money by doing stunts with her _____ (short for aircraft). She died tragically in a plane _____ (another word for accident) and became a _____ (a brave and famous person) for other African Americans.

