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KUALA LUMPUR HISTORY



Kuala Lumpur today

Kuala Lumpur in the early 1900s



Since the early 19th Century, human settlements have been detected around the confluence of the Klang and Gombak Rivers. The first big group of settlers came to Kuala Lumpur in 1857 led by Raja Abdullah along with 87 Chinese miners to explore and open tin mines.

The discovery of tin accelerated the growth of the economy and the population. From a small village, it grew into a town.

