

## REGENTS REVIEW ASSIGNMENT #2 - PART I

Directions: Answer the following multiple choice questions by listing your answers on a piece of loose leaf paper. You must bring the list of your answers to class.

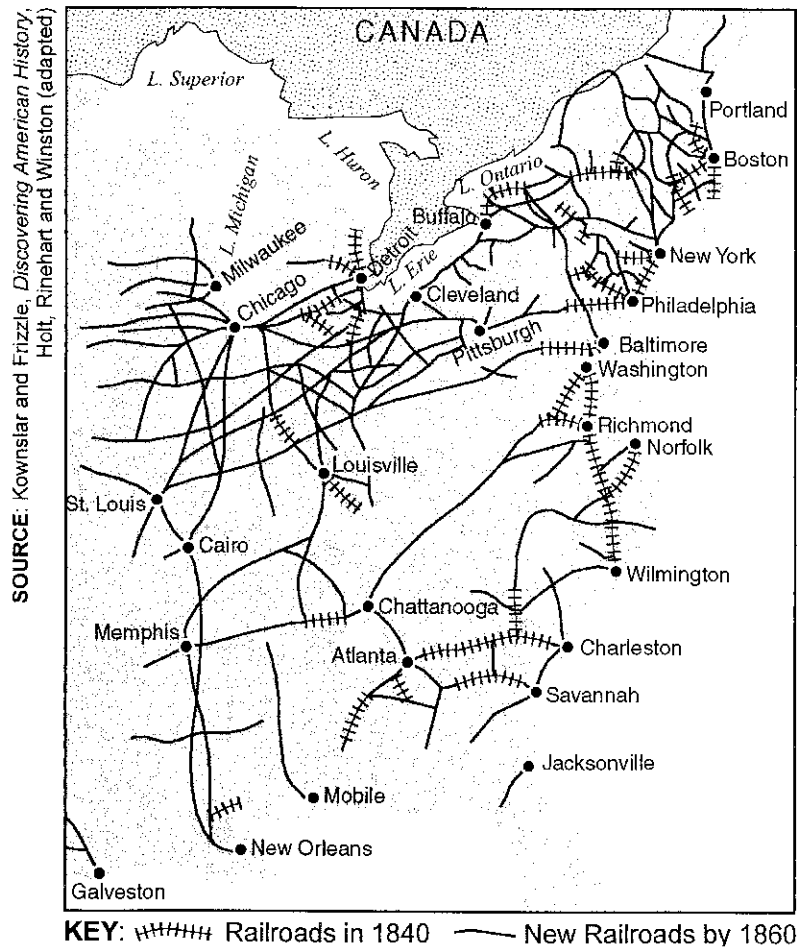
- 1) Which action during Washington's administration led to the Whiskey Rebellion in western Pennsylvania?
  - 1) creation of the Bank of the United States
  - 2) ban on slavery in the Northwest Territory
  - 3) passage of a new excise tax
  - 4) establishment of a presidential cabinet
- 2) Which one of the following actions did Alexander Hamilton support during the 1790s?
  - 1) creation of the national bank
  - 2) elimination of the whiskey tax
  - 3) restrictions on trade with England
  - 4) distribution of free land
- 3) Thomas Jefferson opposed Alexander Hamilton's plan to create a national bank primarily because the plan would
  - 1) promote the interests of farmers
  - 2) weaken the nation's currency
  - 3) increase the national debt
  - 4) depend on a loose interpretation of the Constitution
- 4) Which heading *best* completes the partial outline below?
 

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  - A. Political parties
  - B. Committee system in Congress
  - C. Judicial review
  - D. President's cabinet
  - 1) *Constitutional Amendments*
  - 2) *Checks and Balances*
  - 3) *Unwritten Constitution*
  - 4) *Electoral Process*
- 5) Which action is an example of the unwritten constitution?
  - 1) formation of the first cabinet by President George Washington
  - 2) admission of Vermont and Kentucky as states
  - 3) enforcement of the Alien and Sedition Acts by President John Adams
  - 4) declaration of war by Congress in 1812
- 6) Washington's Proclamation of Neutrality (1793), Jefferson's Embargo Act (1807), and the Monroe Doctrine (1823) were all efforts to
  - 1) directly support European revolutions
  - 2) aid Great Britain in its war against France
  - 3) promote military alliances
  - 4) avoid political conflicts with European nations
- 7) In his Farewell Address, President George Washington warned against establishing alliances with European countries because he was concerned primarily about
  - 1) French colonization of the Caribbean
  - 2) United States involvement in foreign wars
  - 3) restrictions on trade with Latin America
  - 4) protection of the western frontier
- 8) A major foreign policy success of President Thomas Jefferson's administration was the
  - 1) victory in the war of 1812
  - 2) passage of the Embargo Act
  - 3) purchase of the Louisiana Territory
  - 4) support for the Alien and Sedition Acts
- 9) A geographic and economic motivation for the Louisiana Purchase (1803) was the desire to
  - 1) control the port of New Orleans
  - 2) annex California
  - 3) secure land for the Erie Canal
  - 4) own all of the Great Lakes
- 10) The Louisiana Purchase initially presented a dilemma for President Thomas Jefferson because he believed it would
  - 1) lead to war with Great Britain
  - 2) violate his strict constructionist view of the Constitution
  - 3) force Native American Indians off their lands
  - 4) bankrupt the new nation
- 11) The major purpose of the Monroe Doctrine (1823) was to
  - 1) limit European influence in the Western Hemisphere
  - 2) guarantee democratic governments in Latin America
  - 3) secure new colonies in the Caribbean
  - 4) create a military alliance for the defense of North America
- 12) The Monroe Doctrine (1823) was issued primarily because President James Monroe
  - 1) opposed the revolutions taking place in South America
  - 2) needed to establish a foothold in Panama for a future canal
  - 3) wanted to warn European powers against intervention in Latin America
  - 4) believed the United States should pursue overseas colonies

- 13) President Andrew Jackson used the spoils system to
  - 1) veto bills he disliked
  - 2) move Native American Indians off their traditional lands
  - 3) enforce Supreme Court decisions
  - 4) provide jobs to political party supporters
- 14) Starting with the election of President Andrew Jackson (1828), voter participation increased due to the
  - 1) arrival of more immigrants from nations with democratic governments
  - 2) end of property requirements for voting by many states
  - 3) extension of suffrage to Native American Indians
  - 4) passage of an amendment ending religious qualifications for voting
- 15) President Andrew Jackson's policy toward Native American Indians was created to
  - 1) grant citizenship to Native American Indians
  - 2) encourage Native American Indians to become part of mainstream American society
  - 3) improve educational opportunities for Native American Indians
  - 4) force Native American Indians to move west of the Mississippi River
- 16) During the early 1800s, which one of the following factors contributed the *most* to the start of the Industrial Revolution in the United States?
  - 1) the availability of electricity
  - 2) the end of the slave labor system
  - 3) an abundance of natural resources
  - 4) a restriction on European immigration
- 17) The completion of the Erie Canal in the early 19th century aided the economic development of the United States by
  - 1) providing a shipping route for cotton from the South to Europe
  - 2) lowering the cost of shipping goods from the Midwest to the Atlantic coast
  - 3) supplying waterpower for running factories and mills
  - 4) supplying water for the irrigation of western farms
- 18) During the 19th century, the completion of the Erie Canal and the transcontinental railroads contributed to the industrial growth of the United States by
  - 1) connecting the United States to markets in Mexico and Canada
  - 2) protecting the United States from low-priced foreign imports
  - 3) encouraging subsistence farming
  - 4) making the movement of goods easier and cheaper

## Railroads in 1840 and 1860



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Based on the map, which of the following statements is a valid conclusion?

- 1) Port cities were not connected to railroads.
  - 2) Railroads were expanding more quickly in the North than in the South.
  - 3) Railroads were more expensive to build than canals.
  - 4) Most canals were abandoned before the Civil War.
- 20) Many of the decisions made by the Supreme Court while John Marshall was Chief Justice led directly to
- 1) a greater role for Congress in foreign policy
  - 2) an increase in the power of the federal government over the states
  - 3) a reduction of federal influence in economic affairs
  - 4) a limitation on slavery in the states
- 21) What was one outcome of the Supreme Court decision in *Marbury v. Madison* (1803)?
- 1) The principle of judicial review was established.
  - 2) A method to approve treaties was developed.
  - 3) Congress expanded its delegated powers.
  - 4) State governments could now determine the constitutionality of federal laws.
- 22) The Seneca Falls Convention of 1848 was primarily concerned with
- 1) promoting the settlement of western territories
  - 2) limiting immigration to the United States
  - 3) bringing about equal rights for women
  - 4) carrying out Reconstruction in the South
- 23) Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Lucretia Mott were *best* known for their struggle to
- 1) expose government corruption
  - 2) secure the right of women to vote
  - 3) form labor unions
  - 4) prohibit the manufacture and sale of alcohol

- 24) *Both* the Missouri Compromise of 1820 and the Compromise of 1850 settled conflicts between the North and the South over
- 1) presidential election results
  - 2) voting rights
  - 3) admission of states to the Union
  - 4) Supreme Court decisions
- 25) Before the Civil War, the principle of popular sovereignty was proposed as a means of
- 1) deciding the legalization of slavery in a new state
  - 2) permitting voters to nullify federal laws
  - 3) overturning unpopular decisions of the Supreme Court
  - 4) allowing states to secede from the Union
- 26) William Lloyd Garrison, Harriet Tubman, and Harriet Beecher Stowe are *best* known for their efforts to
- 1) create free public schools
  - 2) expand the rights of women
  - 3) begin the temperance movement
  - 4) oppose the practice of slavery
- 27) In which section of early 19th-century America was the plantation system an important feature?
- 1) New England
  - 2) the West
  - 3) the South
  - 4) the Middle Atlantic states
- 28) One reason the plantation system developed in the southeastern section of the United States was that
- 1) slavery was allowed only in this section of the country
  - 2) land was significantly cheaper in this section of the country
  - 3) this type of farming required cool, dry conditions
  - 4) the climate and topography supported crops that required a large labor supply

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**COLORED PEOPLE  
OF BOSTON, ONE & ALL**

You are hereby respectfully CAUTIONED and advised, to avoid conversing with the **Watchmen and Police Officers of Boston**

For since the recent ORDER OF THE MAYOR & ALDERMAN, they are empowered to act as **KIDNAPPERS**

AND

**Slave Catchers,**

And they have already been actually employed in **KIDNAPPING, CATCHING, AND KEEPING SLAVES**. Therefore, if you value your **LIBERTY**, and the *Welfare of the Fugitives among you*, slow them in every possible manner, as so many **HOUNDS** on the track of the most unfortunate of your race.

**Keep a Sharp Look Out for  
KIDNAPPERS, and have  
TOP EYE open.**

**APRIL 24, 1851.**

SOURCE: Library of Congress,  
*The American Time Capsule: Three Centuries of  
Broad­sides and Other Printed Ephemera*

The poster from the 1850s above appeared in response to the

- 1) issuance of the Emancipation Proclamation
- 2) start of the Civil War
- 3) enactment of the 13th Amendment
- 4) passage of the fugitive slave law

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"A house divided against itself cannot stand. I believe this government cannot endure permanently half slave and half free."

—Abraham Lincoln, 1858

According to this quotation, Abraham Lincoln believed that

- 1) to save the nation, the North should compromise with the South on slavery
- 2) sectional differences threatened to destroy the Union
- 3) the Southern states should be allowed to secede
- 4) slavery was immoral and should be abolished immediately