

# CHAPTER 7 & 8 – TEST

- 1) The importance of the Marbury vs. Madison case was that the Supreme Court could declare acts of Congress
  - A. Unanimous
  - B. Illegal
  - C. Unconstitutional
  - D. Criminal
  - E. Unlawful
  
- 2) The American System was designed to make the United States more self-sufficient economically. What were the three main elements of the American System?
  - A. To establish a protective tariff, create a national bank, and improve the country's transportation systems.
  - B. To improve the country's transportation systems, establish a protective tariff, and bring an end to slavery.
  - C. To create a national bank, bring an end to slavery, and improve the country's transportation systems.
  - D. To bring an end to slavery, create a national bank, and establish a protective tariff.
  - E. To improve the country's transportation system, create a foreign policy, and limit tariffs
  
- 3) Which statement BEST describes United States as a result of the Louisiana Purchase?
  - A. It increased its size significantly.
  - B. The country lost control of the Mississippi River.
  - C. It was successful in eliminating Britain as a threat.
  - D. It became more vulnerable to invaders.
  - E. It prevented nations from colonizing in America
  
- 4) According to the Monroe Doctrine, European countries were warned to NOT interfere with what part of the world?
  - A. Eastern Asia
  - B. Britain
  - C. Australia
  - D. North and South America
  - E. Mr. Allison's classroom
  
- 5) The United States acquired the Louisiana Territory \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. in 1783, at the conclusion of the Revolutionary War
  - B. in 1820, after the Missouri Compromise had become law
  - C. in 1803, during Thomas Jefferson's administration
  - D. in 1776, after the signing of the Declaration of Independence
  - E. in 1821, after Napoleon died
  
- 6) Which of the following events was **not** a cause of the War of 1812?
  - A. Seizure of American ships by the British
  - B. Impressment of American sailors
  - C. Britain never leaving American forts after the Revolutionary War
  - D. The burning of Washington, D.C.
  - E. Supplying Native Americans with weapons and supplies

- 7) Which action did President Thomas Jefferson take to acquire information about the country's physical landscapes during his administration?
- A. He built new canals in the Western United States
  - B. He sent Meriwether Lewis and William Clark on an expedition
  - C. He fortified the borders of Canada and the United States
  - D. He increased defense budget for the United States army
  - E. He built roads to increase trade throughout the U.S.
- 8) One reason why Henry Clay called for a system of canals under his proposal in the American System was that \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. It would lessen the travel time between the United States and Britain.
  - B. It would stimulate the nation's economy.
  - C. It would connect New York to California.
  - D. It would prevent foreign invaders from attacks.
  - E. It would limit the nation's economy
- 9) During the War of 1812, who was the general who led the U.S. to victory in the Battle of New Orleans?
- A. William H. Harrison
  - B. Robert Ross
  - C. Andrew Jackson
  - D. James Madison
  - E. Henry Clay
- 10) Which treaty was signed on December 24th, 1814, officially ending the War of 1812.
- A. Treaty of Washington
  - B. Treaty of Ghent
  - C. Treaty of Versailles
  - D. Treaty of Greenville
  - E. Treaty of Missouri
- 11) The American System was an economic plan designed by \_\_\_\_\_ in order to make the United States more financially self-sufficient.
- A. Thomas Jefferson
  - B. Andrew Jackson
  - C. Henry Clay
  - D. John Quincy Adams
  - E. James Monroe
- 12) The American System proposed using funds from \_\_\_\_\_ to improve roads and canals.
- A. Slavery
  - B. Protective tariffs
  - C. Exports
  - D. Private funding
  - E. Congress

- 13) The British practice of capturing American ships and forcing those Americans to serve in the British navy is called what?
- A. Intolerable Acts
  - B. Great Compromise
  - C. Missouri Compromise
  - D. Impressment
  - E. Embargo Act
- 14) In what region of America did Meriwether Lewis and William Clark end up in while exploring the land, plants, and animals of the Louisiana Purchase?
- A. Pacific Northwest
  - B. Great Plains
  - C. Atlantic Coast
  - D. The South
  - E. Mississippi River
- 15) What group included many young members of Congress who took the lead in calling for war with Great Britain in 1812?
- A. Federalists
  - B. War Hawks
  - C. Senate
  - D. Colonists
  - E. House of Representatives
- 16) What major battle in the War of 1812 inspired "The Star-Spangled Banner"?
- A. Battle of Lake Erie
  - B. Battle of New Orleans
  - C. Battle of Ghent
  - D. Battle of Fort McHenry
  - E. Battle of Trenton
- 17) Which President was in the White House during the War of 1812 and asked Congress to declare war on Great Britain?
- A. Andrew Jackson
  - B. John Adams
  - C. James Madison
  - D. Thomas Jefferson
  - E. Henry Clay
- 18) Dolly Madison refused to leave Washington D.C., until which very famous portrait was saved from being burned in the executive mansion after the British set the town on fire?
- A. picture of the Paul Revere on his ride through Massachusetts
  - B. picture of the Boston Massacre
  - C. picture of the signing of the Declaration of Independence
  - D. picture of George Washington
  - E. picture of the signing of the Preamble
- 19) The Missouri Compromise allowed which state to enter the Union as a slave state?
- A. Nebraska
  - B. Missouri
  - C. Maine
  - D. Kansas
  - E. Virginia

- 20) Before becoming President, Andrew Jackson was a hero at which battle during the War of 1812 (a battle that didn't even have to be fought because the peace treaty had been signed)?
- A. Battle of Trenton
  - B. Battle of Saratoga
  - C. Battle of New Orleans
  - D. Battle of Gettysburg
  - E. Battle of Fort McHenry
- 21) The Missouri Compromise allowed which state to enter the Union as a free state?
- A. Nebraska
  - B. Maine
  - C. Virginia
  - D. Kansas
  - E. Missouri
- 22) Which country did President Jefferson buy land from that expanded our country's borders?
- A. France
  - B. England
  - C. Germany
  - D. Mexico
  - E. Canada
- 23) Who wrote the "Star Spangled Banner?"
- A. Henry Clay
  - B. James Madison
  - C. Francis Scott Key
  - D. Steve Abolt
  - E. Ryan Allison
- 24) The Missouri Compromise included which condition?
- A. Forbidding European nations from colonizing in the Americas
  - B. Adding two slave states
  - C. Adding two free states
  - D. Improving roads and canals for trade
  - E. Forbidding slavery above the 36' 30" line
- 25) Created in 1823, which foreign policy prohibited European countries from colonizing in the western hemisphere?
- A. Missouri Compromise
  - B. Monroe Doctrine
  - C. American System
  - D. Treaty of Ghent
  - E. Louisiana Purchase
- 26) Which famous interpreter helped the Americans while exploring the Louisiana Territory?
- A. Pocahontas
  - B. Henry Clay
  - C. Albert Gallatin
  - D. Sacagawea
  - E. William Marbury

- 27) What did the people of Baltimore do to protect their city before the Battle of Fort McHenry?
- A. Elect Thomas Jefferson as President
  - B. Write the National Anthem
  - C. Sink their ships to form a barrier
  - D. Explore the newly expanded territory in the West
  - E. Vote on the issue of slavery
- 28) Which American politician from Kentucky created both the American System and the Missouri Compromise?
- A. Alexander Hamilton
  - B. James Madison
  - C. Aaron Burr
  - D. Thomas Jefferson
  - E. Henry Clay
- 29) Which time period between 1815-1825 included peace, pride, and progress in America?
- A. The Progressive Era
  - B. The Era of Good Feelings
  - C. The Nationalism Era
  - D. The Sectionalism Era
  - E. The Federalist Era
- 30) As part of the American System, which major construction project helped to make water transportation easier?
- A. Panama Canal
  - B. Pacific Canal
  - C. Erie Canal
  - D. Buffalo Canal
  - E. Mississippi Canal
- 31) As part of the American System, which major construction project helped to make road transportation easier?
- A. Erie Road
  - B. American Road
  - C. Missouri Road
  - D. Cumberland Road
  - E. Northwest Road
- 32) How did the Missouri Compromise satisfy both the North and the South?
- A. Helped to spread slavery
  - B. Helped to prevent slavery
  - C. Reinforced the power of the international government
  - D. Brought people together through the use of transportation
  - E. Kept the number of free states and slave states equal in the Senate
- 33) Which phrase is the most well-known from the War of 1812?
- A. "I'm telling **you** how the cabbage gets chewed." (This is the correct answer!)
  - B. "Fractions are our friends."
  - C. "Don't fire until you see the whites of their eyes."
  - D. "Dolly, quit scooping that ice cream."
  - E. Seriously. Why are you still reading this? We said choice 'A' was right!

