

**MR. SINGISER--US HISTORY--CHAPTER 2 STUDY GUIDE--FALL 2008****Multiple Choice**

*Identify the choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.*

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. What was the primary objective of the United States at the start of the War of 1812?  
a. conquering Britain  
b. conquering Mexico  
c. conquering Canada  
d. conquering France
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. A preference for native-born people and a desire to limit immigration was called  
a. nativism.  
b. prejudice.  
c. nationalism.  
d. the Monroe Doctrine.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The most divisive of all the reform movements that began in the early 1800s was the movement for the immediate end to slavery, or  
a. abolition.  
b. the gag rule.  
c. utopian societies.  
d. temperance.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. What state threatened to secede from the Union when Congress levied a new tariff that critics called the "Tariff of Abominations?"  
a. North Carolina  
b. South Carolina  
c. Georgia  
d. Virginia
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. To Northerners, one of the most objectionable components of the Compromise of 1850 was the  
a. Fugitive Slave Act.  
b. Underground Railroad.  
c. Wilmot Proviso.  
d. Free-Soil Party.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Who did many Southern newspapers and politicians blame for John Brown's raid?  
a. Know-Nothings  
b. Whigs  
c. Democrats  
d. Republicans
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. The Civil War was a turning point for what profession in the United States ?  
a. nursing  
b. teaching  
c. law  
d. engineering
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. What Union victory cut the Confederacy in two?  
a. Chancellorsville  
b. Vicksburg  
c. Fredericksburg  
d. Gettysburg

- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. What housed schools, hosted social events and political gatherings, and were the center of many African American communities?
- a. churches
  - b. government buildings
  - c. plantations
  - d. town halls
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. President Lincoln's plan for Reconstruction offered a general pardon to Southerners who took an oath of loyalty to the United States and accepted the Union's proclamation concerning
- a. prisons.
  - b. slavery.
  - c. elections.
  - d. food supplies.

**Completion**

*Complete each statement.*

11. The United States purchased the \_\_\_\_\_ Territory from France.
12. Following the bombardment of Fort McHenry, \_\_\_\_\_ wrote "The Star-Spangled Banner."
13. The idea that the nation was meant to spread all the way to the Pacific was known as \_\_\_\_\_.
14. Harriet Tubman was a famous conductor on the \_\_\_\_\_.
15. Stephen F. Austin helped settle Americans in the \_\_\_\_\_ territory.