US HISTORY

CHAPTER 9 READING

Directions: Use pages 166 – 187 in order to complete the following questions.

**Page 166 – 172:**

1. What was the Society of the Cincinnati?

2. How did primogeniture work?

3. Who founded the world’s first antislavery society?

4. What were some of the laws passed to inhibit freed blacks?

5. Why didn’t abolition go further?

6. What state for a time, allowed women to vote?

7. Explain what republican motherhood was?

8. What was a constitution in British tradition?

9. How was the American idea of a constitution different?

10. How many states moved their capitals westward? Why?

11. How was manufacturing given a boost by the war?

12. What did Britain flood the market with after the war?

13. What was America blessed with?

14. When was the Articles of Confederation adopted by Congress? Ratified by all 13 states?

15. Why did Maryland hold out on ratifying the Articles of Confederation?

16. What ordinance eventually settles the western land issue?

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17. What was the government like under the Articles of Confederation?

18. What were two handicaps of the Congress?

19. Why was the confederation an important step toward constitution?

20. Where did the money go from the sale of western lands?

21. How many residents did a territory need to become a state?

22. Why did the British want to remain friendly with the Indians?

23. What did Spain do to the Mississippi in 1784?

24. What instigated Shay’s rebellion?

25. Who was in favor of amending the Articles of Confederation?

26. What issue was the leading cause of the Constitutional Convention?

27. Which state he did not send anyone to the convention?

28. Who was unanimously elected chairman of the convention?

29. Who were some of the revolutionary leaders that did not come to the convention? Why?

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30. What problem did the Great Compromise solve?

31. How often has the House chosen the president?

32. Who opposed the end of the slave trade?

33. What was a safeguard against the mob that was placed in the Constitution?

34. How many states were needed to ratify the Constitution?

35. What were three problems anti-federalists had with the Constitution?