US HISTORY

CHAPTER 33 READING

**Directions: Use pages 753 – 759 in order to complete the following.**

1. What similar mistake did both Grant and Harding commit?

2. What were some of the progressive laws undone by the Supreme Court?

3. What provoked a two month strike of the railway workers?

4. What veteran organization was founded in 1919?

5. What did Congress promise to pay every veteran as a result of the Adjusted Compensation Act? Who tried to stop it?

6. Why was Russia invited to the Disarmament Conference in 1921-1922?

7. What country was known as the “sick man of the far east?”

8. What type of wars were allowed under the Kellogg-Briand Pact?

9. Why was it necessary for Europe to sell its goods to America? What was limiting that opportunity?

10. What was the Teapot Dome Scandal?

**Directions: Use pages 759 – 767 in order to complete the following.**

1. Who administered the oath of office to Calvin Coolidge upon Harding’s death?

2. Why were farm prices so high toward the end of World War I?

3. Why did the prices of farm goods plummet after the war?

4. Where did Senator LaFollette receive support in the 1924 election? (3 examples)

5. How did World War I change America’s economic fortunes?

6. What did the Dawes Plan of 1924 do?

7. Who were the candidates in the 1928 election? Who won?

8. What was the Hawley Smoot Tariff? Explain its effects.

**Directions: Use pages 767 - 776 in order to complete the following.**

1. When Hoover took over as President, what group seemed to be the only one suffering? Why?

2. What happened on “Black Tuesday?”

3. How many Americans were out of work by 1932?

4. What was lost as a result of bank closings?

5. What were three events that led to the Great Depression?

6. What was Hoover’s fear when it came to government handouts?

7. What was the biggest of Hoover’s government projects to get people back to work?

8. How did Hoover help Labor Unions?

9. Who were the members of the Bonus Army? What did they want? What happened to them?

10. Why was the League of Nations unable to stop the Japanese?