US HISTORY

CHAPTER 15.1 READING

**Directions: Use pages 488-494 in order to complete the following questions. (Worth 15 Points)**

**Americans Get a New Deal:**

1. Why did Hoover have very little chance of being re-elected?

2. What job did FDR have before being elected president?

3. Who made up President Roosevelt’s “Brain Trust?”

4. Where did the term New Deal come from?

5. Why did most Americans lose faith in the banking system?

6. What was discussed during the fireside chats?

7. How much of an individual’s money was protected by the government?

8. What amendment repealed prohibition?

**Helping the American People:**

9. What did the government pay farmers to do?

10. What did the TVA provide the Tennessee Valley?

11. Who was hired by the CCC? What did they accomplish?

12. What did the CCC hope to prevent?

13. How did the CWA help education?

**The New Deal Comes Under Attack:**

14. What policies did the following critics of the New Deal want?

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| Father Charles Coughlin |  |
| Dr. Francis Townsend |  |
| Huey Long |  |