2016-2017 8th Grade U.S. History Final Exam Review

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Part I: The Eras

Colonization	American Revolution	Constitution & Early Republic	Age of Jackson
Industrial Revolution	Reform	Civil War	Reconstruction

Place each of the following events, people, acts, etc. under the appropriate era in the above chart.

- 1. Intolerable Acts
- 2. Virginia Plan
- 3. Black Codes
- 4. 13th Amendment
- 5. Nullification Crisis
- 6. Erie Canal
- Lee's Surrender at Appomattox Court House
- 8. Shay's Rebellion
- 9. Urbanization
- 10. War of 1812
- 11. 1st Representative Government
- 12. The Factory System
- 13. Dawes Act
- 14. President Johnson's impeachment

- 15. Missouri Compromise
- 16. Marbury v. Madison
- 17. Dred Scott v. Sandford
- 18. Interchangeable Parts
- 19. Bill of Rights
- 20. Monroe Doctrine
- 21. Indian Removal Act
- 22. Hiram Rhodes Revels
- 23. President Abe Lincoln
- 24. Temperance Movement
- 25. Federalists vs. Democratic Republicans
- 26. Eli Whitney
- 27. Trail of Tears
- 28. Ulysses S. Grant

- 29. 1st Continental Congress
- 30. Great Compromise
- 31. The Democratic Party
- 32. Boston Tea Party
- 33. Separation of Powers
- 34. Kansas-Nebraska Act
- 35. Cotton Gin
- 36. The Articles of Confederation
- 37. House of Burgesses
- 38. British impressment of U.S. sailors
- 39. Popular sovereignty
- 40. French Revolution
- 41. Bessemer process
- 42. Louisiana Purchase

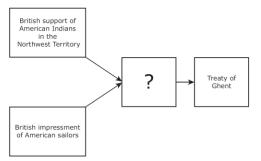
Part II: The Visuals

You will see the following charts and map on the final exam. Analyze them by answering the associated questions.

Rural Population of the United States			
Decade	Percentage		
1820	93%		
1830	91%		
1840	89%		
1850	85%		
1860	80%		
1870	74%		
1880	72%		
Source: U.S. Census Bureau			

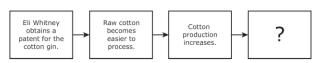
43. Define rural.

44. What happened to the population of the U.S.?



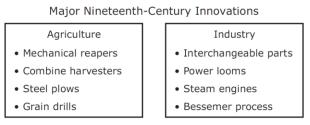
45. Define impressment.

46. What is the significance of the Treaty of Ghent?



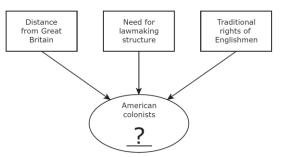
47. Who was Eli Whitney?

48. What was the Cotton Gin?



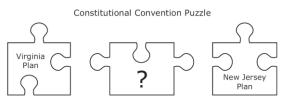
49. What do these innovations have in common?

50. Which one of these did Eli Whitney invent?



51. Name the two documents that gave English citizens their rights. **Hint: we copied ideas from both of them!**

52. What is the only **TYPE** of government we have ever had as Americans on this continent?



53. Which of these plans was supported by states with smaller populations?

54. Why?



- First Continental Congress convened
- Thomas Paine's Common Sense
 published

55. What caused Britain to pass the Intolerable (Coercive) Acts?

56. What did *Common Sense* persuade colonists to do?

A historian is writing an article for a history website. The article is divided into the following topics:

- The division of the South into military districts
- The impeachment of the president
- The ratification of the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments

57. What political group was against President Johnson?

58. Summarize the 14th and 15th amendments. **1 word each!**

1860 Census Results for Selected States

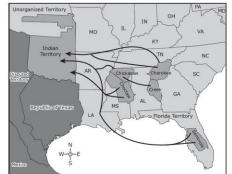
State	Total Population	Total Number of Slaves	Slaves as a Percentage of Population
Alabama	964,201	435,080	45%
Georgia	1,057,286	462,198	44%
Kentucky	1,155,084	225,483	20%
Maryland	687,049	87,189	13%
Mississippi	791,305	436,631	55%
Virginia	1,596,318	490,865	31%

59. What information does a census give you?

60. Are the states listed in the above census northern or southern?

61. How can you tell?





62. Who was POTUS during most of the 1830s?

63. What is this map showing you?

Part III: The Excerpts

You will see the following excerpts on the final exam. Analyze them by answering the associated questions.

Black Codes was a name given to laws passed by southern governments established during the presidency of Andrew Johnson. These laws imposed severe restrictions on freedmen, such as prohibiting their right to vote, forbidding them to sit on juries, and limiting their right to testify against white men. They were also forbidden from carrying weapons in public places and working in certain occupations.

> -National Archives and Records Administration, http://www.archives.gov (accessed July 14, 2010)

64. What are Black Codes?

The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.

-Tenth Amendment, U.S. Constitution

65. What is "the United States" referring to?

Tis our true policy to steer clear of $\underline{?}$ with any portion of the foreign World—So far, I mean, as we are now at liberty to do it. . . . But in my opinion, it is unnecessary and would be unwise to extend them.

-President George Washington's Farewell Address, 1796

66. Who is Washington speaking to?

Finally, in the summer of 1842, after seven years of desperate warfare, an agreement was reached with the few hundred remaining Seminoles, allowing them to live in southwest Florida.

-John and Mary Lou Missall, A Short History of the Seminole Wars, 2006

67. What is a Seminole?

All knew that this interest was, somehow, the cause of the war. To strengthen, perpetuate, and extend this interest, was the object for which the insurgents would rend the Union, even by war; while the government claimed no right to do more than to restrict the territorial enlargement of it.

-President Abraham Lincoln, second inaugural address, 1865

68. In the 3rd line, Lincoln uses the word "insurgents". Who is he talking about?

We have only to look about us in this great city, to observe the traces of the deadly influence of intemperance. Everywhere, we face crime, disease and death, all testify to the necessity of the prosecution of the cause, of steadfast and unwavering effort and prompt action to lead to complete success.

-Charles C. Burleigh, address to the Whole World's Temperance Convention, 1853

69. Who is Mr. Burleigh speaking to?

Part IV: The People

Summarize each of the following individuals' contribution to early United States history. **Keep your summaries concise!** [Example: George Washington – Commander of Cont. Army; 1st POTUS]

70. James Monroe	79. John Adams
71. Abraham Lincoln	80. Andrew Johnson
72. John Marshall	81. Thomas Paine
<i>73.</i> Robert E. Lee	82. Jefferson Davis
74. Ulysses S. Grant	83. John James Audubon
75. Thomas Jefferson	84. Susan B. Anthony
76. King George III	85. Hiram Rhodes Revels
77. James Madison	86. Andrew Jackson
78. Eli Whitney	87. Henry David Thoreau

Part V: Cause & Effect

Complete the following cause & effect relationships. Summarize, but be specific!

Cause	Effect
88.	The Trail of Tears
Lincoln elected president in 1860 despite not carrying any	89.
southern states.	
Eli Whitney's Cotton Gin makes cotton easier to process.	90.
Thomas Jefferson and Alexander Hamilton disagreed on	91.
political issues, including the nation's economy.	
92.	POTUS Monroe issued the Monroe Doctrine.
Anti-Federalists were afraid the federal government	93.
would violate their individual rights.	
94.	Industrialization and urbanization increased in the North.
95.	Henry Clay proposed the Missouri Compromise.
96.	African American men voted in the 1872 presidential
	election.
The War of 1812 caused a disruption in U.S. trade.	97.
98.	POTUS Madison declared war on Britain in 1812.
During Jackson's presidency, Southerners argued that the	99.
Tariff of Abominations was unconstitutional.	
Large states and small states argued over the number of	100.
representatives they would have in Congress.	
I completed this review, and I will study my folder and	101.
complete a STAAR practice test online.	