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OBJECTIVES & STUDY GUIDE ~ 100 POINTS

THE GROWTH OF AMERICAN SEAPOWER 1783-1860; 3.0

***THE CADET WILL BE EXPECTED TO DEMONSTRATE AN UNDERSTANDING OF MARITIME HISTORY**

OBJECTIVES:

3.0.1: Explain the reasons why the American economy suffered in 1783.

3.0.2: Explain the changes the U.S. Constitution caused in the American industry.

3.0.3: Cite the events surrounding the Navy Act of 1794.

3.0.4: Explain the events during the quasi-war between America and France (1798-1800).

3.0.5: Explain why America began a war with Tripoli and the Barbary Pirates, 1801-1805.

3.0.6: Explain how Commodore Preble gained respect in the Mediterranean.

3.0.7: Cite the events surrounding the capture and destruction of the USS Philadelphia.

3.0.8: Explain the events leading up to the treaty with Tripoli.

3.0.9: Cite the lessons America learned from the war with the Barbary States.

3.0.10: Explain the events that led America toward war with England.

3.0.11: Explain the events that surrounded the Chesapeake Affair.

3.0.12: Describe the events that led to the final moves toward war between the U.S. and Britain.

3.0.13: Describe the major sea battles between the American and the British forces during the War of 1812.

3.0.14: Cite other major sea battles that occurred during the War of 1812.

3.0.15: Cite major incidents where the British prevailed over America's sea vessels.

3.0.16: Explain the importance of the U. S. victory in Lake Erie and its effect on the Northwest Territory.

3.0.17: Cite the offensive maneuvers used by the British Navy during the War of 1812.

3.0.18: Describe the major events of the battle of New Orleans at the conclusion of the war.

3.0.19: Explain how sea power influenced the spread of Western Civilization and the formative years of the new American republic.

3.0.20: Explain the contribution the U.S. Navy made to the progress of world trade between 1815 and 1860.

3.0.21: Describe the rapid growth and subsequent decline of the American whaling industry.

3.0.22: Explain the rapid growth of the American shipbuilding industry.

3.0.23: Explain America's role in the slave trade.

3.0.24: Explain the events that led to the beginning of the Mexican war and the significance of the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo.

3.0.25: Describe the effects clipper ships had on trade with China.

3.0.26: Explain the purpose of Commodore Perry's mission to Japan.

STUDY GUIDE QUESTIONS:

1. WHAT OCCURRED IN THE UNITED STATES IN 1789 THAT ENABLED CONGRESS TO AUTHORIZE CONSTRUCTION OF A NAVY?

2. WHAT WERE THE NAMES OF THE FIRST THREE U.S. FRIGATES?

3. WHEN WAS THE NAVY DEPARTMENT ESTABLISHED BY CONGRESS?

4. WHO WAS THE U.S. NAVAL OFFICER WHO FOUGHT THE TWO MOST FAMOUS BATTLES OF THE QUASI-WAR WITH FRANCE?

5. WHAT WAS THE OUTCOME OF THE WAR?

6. WHY WAS JOHN ADAMS DEFEATED IN THE NEXT ELECTION?

7. HOW DID THE TERM “PREBLE’S BOYS COME INTO BEING?

8. WHO WAS THE HERO OF THE EXPLOIT?

9. WHAT WAS THE PHILADELPHIA INCIDENT?

10. HOW DID WILLIAM EATON FINALLY GET THE WAR AGAINST TRIPOLI TO END IN 1805?

11. WHAT PHRASE IN THE MARINE HYMM REFERS TO THIS OPERATION?

12. WHY WAS AMERICAN PUBLIC OPINION DIVIDED ON THE TRIPOLITAN TREATY?

13. WHAT WAS PRESIDENT JEFFERSON’S “GUNBOAT DIPLOMACY” AND HOW DID IT AFFECT U.S. NATIONAL INTERESTS?

14. WHAT ARE THE LESSONS OF THE WAR WITH TRPOLI CONCERNING NAVAL POWER?

15. WHAT CAUSED AMERICAN SENTIMENT TO TURN AGAINST THE BRITISH IN THE YEARS LEADING UP TO THE WAR OF 1812?

16. WHAT WAS THE CHESAPEAKE AFFAIR?

17. WHAT WAS THE U.S. NAVAL STRATEGY FOR THE WAR OF 1812?

18. WHAT NAVAL BATTLE FOUGHT IN AUGUST 1812 HELPED SAGGING U.S. SPIRITS?

19. WHO WAS THE U.S. NAVAL OFFICER INVOLVED?

20. WHAT FAMOUS NICKNAME WAS THE USS CONSTITUTION GIVEN BECAUSE OF THE BATTLE OF 1812?

21. WHAT FAMOUS BATTLE CRY WAS UTTERED BY CAPTAIN JAMES LAWRENCE IN THE BATTLE BETWEEN THE USS CHESAPEAKE AND HMS SHANNON?

22. WHAT WAS THE RESULT OF THE BRITISH BLOCKADE OF U.S. PORTS DURING THE WAR OF 1812?

23. WHAT WAS THE RESULT OF THE BATTLE OF LAKE ERIE?

24. WHAT FAMOUS SONG WAS WRITTEN DURING THE BRITISH ATTACK ON BALTIMORE IN 1814? WHO WROTE IT?

25. WHAT WAS THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE BATTLE OF LAKE CHAMPLAIN IN 1814?

26. WHEN AND WHERE WAS THE PEACE TREATY ENDING THE WAR SIGNED?

27. WHY WAS THE BATTLE OF NEW ORLEANS FOUGHT AFTER THE PEACE TREATY WAS SIGNED?

28. WHO WAS THE U.S. GENERAL WHO WON THE BATTLE?

29. WHAT BENEFIT DID THE U.S. GAIN FROM THE WAR OF 1812 AROUND THE WORLD?

30. WHAT TASK WAS OF PRIME IMPORTANCE TO THE U.S. NAVY FOLLOWING THE WAR OF 1812?

31. WHAT CAUSED THE WHALING INDUSTRY TO DECLINE IN THE YEARS BEFORE 1860?

32. WHAT WAS THE INFAMOUS TRIANGULAR TRADE CARRIED ON IN THE ATLANTIC FROM PRE-COLONIAL TIMES TO 1860? DESCRIBE THE ROUTE AND THE CARGOES CARRIED.

33. WHAT ACTION CAUSED THE UNITED STATES TO DECLARE WAR ON MEXICO IN 1846?

34. WHAT WAS THE “MANIFEST DESTINY” IN THE UNITED STATES IN THE MID-1800s?

35. WHAT HAPPENED TO CAUSE THE ERA OF THE CLIPPER SHIPS TO END?

36. WHAT WAS THE OUTCOME OF PERRY’S MISSION TO JAPAN IN 1853-1854?

EXTRA CREDIT ~ 50 POINTS

MANY OF THE MOST FAMOUS OF EARLY AMERICAN HEROES OF THE SEA LIVED AND BECAME FAMOUS DURING THE ERA OF THE GROWTH OF AMERICAN SEA POWER FROM 1783-1860. PICK SEVERAL OF THESE AND DESCRIBE THE CHARACTERISTICS THAT HAD IN COMMON IN A 500-WORD, FIVE PARAGRAPH SENTENCE STRUCTURE ESSAY.