1. The economic differences between commercial New England, the agricultural South, and the mixed Mid-Atlantic colonies can be attributed to

A) the geographic features of each region, such as available farmland and ports

- B) the type of charter—whether corporate, royal, or propriety—the colonies had
- C) the use of slaves instead of indentured servants as cheap labor
- D) the degree of social and economic stratification in each area's culture
- E) the character and backgrounds of the settlers who lived there
- 2. The first act of the British government that was met with resistance in all thirteen colonies was the
 - A) Stamp Act
 - B) Townshend Acts
 - C) Intolerable Acts
 - D) Quartering Act
 - E) Proclamation of 1763
- 3. Which of the following best describes the conglomerate of states under the Articles of Confederation?
 - A) "All for one, and one for all"
 - B) "A firm league of friendship"
 - C) "A House Divided"
 - D) "Federal Democratic Republic"
 - E) "E Pluribus Unum"
- 4. One of the differences between the Articles of Confederation and the Constitution was that
 - A) the Constitution increased the power of state governments
 - B) in response to the Federalists, the Constitution banned slavery throughout America
 - C) the Constitution gave the national government the power to collect taxes
 - D) the Constitution granted universal suffrage
 - E) The Constitution established a policy for the admission of new states

- 5. One main factor that led to the formation of the first two political parties in the United States in the 1790s was the conflict over the
 - A) the spread of slavery into the western territories
 - B) support for the French Revolution
 - C) the decision to move the capital of the United States to Washington D.C.
 - D) strict versus loose interpretation of the Constitution
 - E) the acceptance of Alexander Hamilton's economic plan
- 6. The decision in *Marbury v. Madison* did which of the following?
 - A) Declared the Alien and Sedition Acts illegal
 - B) Convicted Aaron Burr for treason
 - C) Demonstrated the superiority of the national government over the states
 - D) Gave the power of the veto to the President
 - E) Established the principle of judicial review
- 7. Andrew Jackson's frequent use of the veto resulted in which of the following?
 - A) The majority of Americans opposed Jackson and did not vote for his chosen candidate in the next election.
 - **B)** The office of the presidency became stronger relative to the legislature.
 - C) The Maysville Road bill was defeated.
 - D) Congress changed the number of votes needed to override a president's veto.
 - E) People felt that the executive branch was becoming too submissive.
- 8. What policy towards slaves was advocated by William Lloyd Garrison?
 - A) Releasing slaves and then sending them to a colony in Africa
 - B) Gradually releasing slaves by state as to not flood the market
 - C) Immediate abolition in every state and territory
 - D) Prevention of the spread of slavery towards the territories
 - E) Compensation to slave owners for loss of slaves

9. What factor was most responsible for the four-fold increase in slaves in the first half of the 19th century?

A) The cotton boom

- B) The Industrial revolution
- C) The expansion of the union
- D) The increase in immigration
- E) The increase in sectionalism
- 10. Harriet Tubman and Frederick Douglass were best known as
 - A) authors of some of the most influential antislavery works
 - B) leaders of black movements to relocate to Canada and Africa
 - C) the first black political figures after the end of the Civil War
 - D) important conductors on the Underground Railroad
 - E) escaped former slaves who became champions of abolition
- 11. Abraham Lincoln pushed the limits of the Constitution when he
 - A) passed the Conscription Act
 - B) suspended habeas corpus
 - C) asked George McClellan to resign
 - D) passed the Homestead Act
 - E) passed the National Banking Act
- 12. Andrew Johnson was chosen to be Abraham Lincoln's running mate in 1864 because
 - A) he supported all of Lincoln's policies
 - B) he was an abolitionist
 - C) he was a loyal Democrat from the South
 - D) he was from a state needed to win the election
 - E) he had the most experience of any candidate
- 13. All of the following were advantages the North had over the South at the outset of the Civil War EXCEPT
 - A) the North was vastly superior in industry and could create more war materials
 - B) the North had overwhelmingly more wealth
 - C) the North had a president with more military and political experience
 - D) the North had a far superior system of railroads
 - E) the North held control of the U.S. Navy and thus controlled the sea

- 14. The campaign at Vicksburg was important because it
 - A) gave the Union complete control of the Mississippi River
 - B) gave the Union control of New Orleans
 - C) began the philosophy of "total war"
 - D) was the bloodiest battle of the war
 - E) demonstrated why the South had fought better in the war
- 15. Lincoln's ten percent plan stipulated that
 - A) ten percent of Southerners must declare their loyalty to the Union in order to regain statehood
 - B) ten percent of Southerners would be allowed to vote
 - C) ten percent of slaves would be colonized in Africa
 - D) ten percent of Confederate money would be converted to American dollars
 - E) ten percent of the Southern army would join the American army
- 16. The direct reason for Andrew Johnson's impeachment was his
 - A) refusal to implement reconstruction
 - B) violation of a court order
 - C) dismissal of a Radical Republican cabinet member
 - D) enforcement of the Black Codes
 - E) support of political corruption at state and local levels
- 17. Shortly after the Civil War, most freedmen

A) became sharecroppers

- B) were denied citizenship
- C) left the South
- D) were given 40 acres of land
- E) moved to cities
- 18. The landmark Supreme Court Case *Plessy v. Ferguson* is renowned for the logic of
 - A) "separate but equal"
 - B) "with all deliberate speed"
 - C) "equal protection of the laws"
 - D) "undue burden"
 - E) "due process"

- 19. Reconstruction ended primarily because
 - A) the Radical Republicans lost power
 - B) the Southern radicals were too powerful to overcome
 - C) the Radical Republicans accomplished everything they wanted to accomplish
 - D) Southern blacks were powerful enough to stand on their own
 - E) the North lost interest due to other events

- 20. "Scalawags" were
 - A) recently freed blacks who supported Reconstruction policies
 - B) Northern democrats who thought radical Reconstruction policies were too harsh
 - C) Northerners who moved down South to participate in Reconstruction governments
 - D) Southerners who supported the Reconstruction regime
 - E) Southerners who moved West after their property was destroyed in the Civil War

Answer Key Unit 5 Quiz 2

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