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Changing Ways of Life

1. What does the 1920 census reveal about where people live in the United States?

How does this change the values and views of society?

2. How is life in the cities different than life in small towns?

3. What was the logic behind the Prohibition movement?

Does this law succeed in ending alcohol use in the U.S. ? Explain.

4. What is a speakeasy?

define: bootlegger

5. Why is prohibition linked to the rise of organized crime in the U.S.?

Do the American people support prohibition by the mid-1920s? Explain the division between rural and urban views on this topic.

6. What is religious fundementalism? Why do they reject Charles Darwin’s theory of evolution?

What is the issue at the base of the Scopes Trial? Why is it called “The Monkey Trial”?

What is Darrow’s question to William Jennings Bryan about the creation of the world? How is Bryan’s answer shocking for the crowd?

What is the outcome of the trial?