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Chapter 12 sec 1

Americans Struggle with Postwar Issues

1. Where is public opinion in the U.S. after WWI?

Define:

Nativism

isolationism

communism

2. What is the Red Scare? What is it that people are scared of?

3. A. Mitchell Palmer is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

J. Edgar Hoover is hired to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

define anarchist:

Were Palmer’s anti-communist activities supported by the public in the long run?

4. Why is the trial and execution of Sacco and Vanzetti so controversial? Was it a criminal or political trial? Explain:

5. How does the Klan expand its activities in this era?

6. What is the “quota system”? Why is it put in place at this particular time?

7. The Boston Police Strike, the Steel Mill Strike and the Coal Miner’s Strike are troubling to the public because:

What happens to the labor movement after WWI?