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Chapter 11 Section 2: A Republican Decade

**Read the text and answer the following questions.**

1.How did Warren G. Harding win the election in 1920?

2. Why was Czar Nicholas II of Russia overthrown in the Russian revolution?

3. Who were the “Reds” and the “Whites” who fought in the Russian Civil War and whom did we support?

4. Who won and what did the new nation become?

5. What were the four main ideas behind the Soviet Union’s ideology of communism?

6. What was the Red Scare in America and why did it happen?

7. How did the government react as the Red Scare got worse?

8. Who were “subversives” and what happened to them?

9. Many accused subversives were immigrants. What became of them?

10. Who were “Sacco and Vanzetti” and why was their case so controversial?

11. Who did many people believe were behind the many strikes that were occurring? Why?

12. Why was the Boston Police Strike held and how was it resolved?

13. What was America’s post-war foreign policy of isolationism?

14. How did disarmament attempt to prevent future wars?

15. What are quotas and what countries were they set low for? Why?

16. What happened to Harding’s administration just as he was enjoying strong popularity?

17. What “local” was sworn in and tried to restore dignity and prestige to the Presidency?

18. How did the economic policies of Coolidge and his successor, Herbert Hoover, lead to prosperity in the 1920s?