

Radio and Movies of the 1920s



1. What were “talkies?”
 - a. People who talk too much
 - b. Movies with sound
 - c. Little walkie talkies
2. “Wireless” was
 - a. The first affordable in home radio
 - b. Something an acrobat uses
 - c. Movies with sound
3. What impact did the mass media movies, radios, newspapers and magazines have on society in the 1920's?
 - a. The impact of mass media provides a common culture across the country.
 - b. It impacted the people who were rich.
 - c. Everybody but they mamma.
4. During the 1920s, people's lives changed because they began listening to the what?
 - a. Television
 - b. Radio
 - c. movies
5. Which is an accurate statement about American society during the 1920s?

- a. Achieving equal opportunity for minorities became a major social goal.
- b. Social attitudes were identical to those of earlier decades.
- c. The public expressed great interest in sports heroes and movie stars

6. Which aspect of life during the 1920s most likely caused the decade to be labeled the "Roaring Twenties"?

- a. territorial expansion
- b. social change
- c. political reform

7. A major reason for the emergence of a "consumer culture" in the 1920s was that:

- a. advertising and installment payments encouraged buying
- b. minimum-wage laws expanded buying power
- c. enforcement of antitrust laws resulted in higher prices

8. Mass media included which of the following?

- a. Newspaper
- b. Books
- c. Both a and b

9. Who invented the first wireless system?

- a. Guillermo Marconi
- b. Kari Myers
- c. Abraham Lincoln

10. Who was the first person to successfully transmit the first audio message over the radio?

- a. Reginald Fezidinen
- b. Harry Truman
- c. Booker T, Washington