

26 Multiple choice questions

Definition

This "dark horse" Democrat defeated Clay in the 1844 presidential election.

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- Andrew Jackson
- Martin Van Buren
- James K. Polk
- John C. Calhoun

Definition

Henry Clay's estate in Lexington, Kentucky, was known by this name.

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- Alabama
- Louisville
- Ashland
- Missouri Compromise

Definition

In 1826, Henry Clay survived a duel with this Virginia senator after being called a "blackleg."

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- James Monroe
- Theodore Frelinghuysen
- James Kent
- John Randolph

Definition

This political party, co-founded by Clay, opposed Jacksonian Democrats.

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- Federalist Party
- Republican Party
- Progressive Party
- Whig Party

Definition

Henry Clay lost the 1844 presidential election after writing this anti-Texas annexation letter.

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- Charlotte Dupuy
- Maysville Road
- Raleigh Letter
- Ashland

Definition

Henry Clay served as the U.S. ambassador to this European country after the War of 1812.

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- Denmark
- Hungary
- Belgium
- Germany

Definition

This 1820 agreement negotiated by Clay maintained the balance of free and slave states by admitting its namesake state as a slave state.

- Theodore Frelinghuysen**
- Embargo Act of 1807**
- Henry Clay**
- Missouri Compromise**

Definition

Clay's support helped elect this Massachusetts-born president in 1824.

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- Henry Clay**
- Martin Van Buren**
- James K. Polk**
- John Quincy Adams**

Definition

This early 1800s law opposed by Clay led to a duel with Humphrey Marshall.

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- Alien and Sedition Acts of 1798**
- Louisiana Purchase Treaty of 1803**
- Embargo Act of 1807**
- Tariff Act of 1812**

Definition

Henry Clay supported this U.S. treaty that officially ended the War of 1812.

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- Treaty of Greenville**
- Treaty of Ghent**
- Treaty of Versailles**
- Treaty of Paris**

Definition

Henry Clay was accused of striking this deal in the 1824 election, giving John Quincy Adams the presidency in exchange for becoming Secretary of State.

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- Great Triumvirate**
- Corrupt Bargain**
- Democratic Discussion**
- Missouri Compromise**

Definition

Clay's cousin, this anti-slavery newspaper editor and diplomat, killed Cyrus Turner in self-defense.

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- John Randolph**
- Raleigh Letter**
- Cassius Clay**
- Henry Clay**

Definition

This early American president vetoed Clay-supported spending for the Bonus Bill of 1817.

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- Benjamin Franklin**
- Henry Clay**
- John C. Calhoun**
- James Madison**

Definition

This enslaved woman from Clay's household sued for her freedom while living at Ashland.

- John C. Calhoun
- Henry Clay
- Charlotte Dupuy
- Cassius Clay

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Clay's compromise in 1850 included this controversial law requiring the return of escaped slaves.

- Fugitive Slave Act of 1850
- American System
- Treaty of Ghent
- John C. Calhoun

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This Kentucky politician was known as the 'Great Compromiser' for brokering sectional deals like the Missouri Compromise and Compromise of 1850.

- John C. Calhoun
- Daniel Webster
- Andrew Jackson
- Henry Clay

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This Whig vice-presidential nominee ran with Clay in the 1844 election.

- Theodore Frelinghuysen
- John C. Calhoun
- Jonathan Edwards
- Roger Williams

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Clay lost the 1832 election to Andrew Jackson while representing this political party.

- Whig Party
- Democratic Party
- Anti-masonic Party
- National Republican Party

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Henry Clay supported the construction of this controversial road project in Kentucky vetoed by Andrew Jackson.

- Specie Circular
- Louisiana Purchase
- Maysville Road
- Raleigh Letter

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This South Carolina senator opposed Clay during the Nullification Crisis.

- Daniel Webster
- Andrew Jackson
- Henry Clay
- John C. Calhoun

Definition

Henry Clay, Daniel Webster, and John C. Calhoun were collectively known by this term for their senatorial dominance.

- Fort McHenry
- Great Triumvirate
- Planter Aristocracy
- Whig Party

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While we're on people with this name, name this **chairman of the Carnegie Steel Company** who sent Pinkertons to put down the Homestead Strike, leading **Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman** to attempt to assassinate him.

- Henry Clay Frick
- Andrew Carnegie
- Frederick Winslow Taylor
- Cassius Clay

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This tariff dispute contributed to sectional tensions during Clay's congressional career.

- Missouri Compromise
- Revolutionary War
- Bank War
- Nullification Crisis

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Clay founded this society aimed at resettling freed African Americans in Africa. It employed naval officer Robert Stockton in Liberia.

- American Colonization Society
- Female Vigilant Society
- National Republican Party
- Great Triumvirate

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This economic plan proposed by Henry Clay promoted a national bank, protective tariffs, and internal improvements.

- Federal Banking System
- Factory System
- American System
- Parliamentary System

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This politician claimed he only regretted not shooting Henry Clay.

- Andrew Jackson
- Abraham Lincoln
- John C. Calhoun
- James K. Polk