

# War of 1812- Burning of Washington D.C

1. What happened in 1814?
  - a. The Americans defeated the British and won the war
  - b. The British defeated Napoleon, and became much more powerful directed on the U.S.
  - c. 200 American soldiers died
2. What did the defeat of Napoleon mean for the U.S.?
  - a. The Americans had to fight him next
  - b. The British won the war
  - c. The British had more soldiers, ships and troops to fight the U.S directly
3. What did the British decide to do with the extra support?
  - a. They made bombs and launched them at the Pentagon
  - b. They attacked the U.S. capital Washington D.C
  - c. They ambushed the U.S. at night in a sneak attack
4. What was the outcome of the attack?
  - a. All of D.C was burned to the ground
  - b. All American soldiers were killed
  - c. 1500 British soldiers died in the fire
5. What was First Lady Dolly Madison able to salvage from the white house?
  - a. Her vintage tea set and her bible
  - b. Her family documents, American flag, and her pet dog
  - c. Her pet parrot, declaration of independence, original portrait of George Washington, and top secret war plans
6. Who saved the painting of George Washington?
  - a. James Madison's wife
  - b. Queen Elizabeth
  - c. Thomas Jefferson's daughter
7. How many people lived in Boston in 1814?
  - a. 20,000 residents
  - b. 8,000 residents
  - c. 900 residents
8. How did First Lady Dolly Madison help save important pieces of American history?
  - a. She saved them in a box
  - b. She had saved them in a safe
  - c. She broke the frames and TOOK the paintings & documents with her
9. What important buildings and equipment in Washington were destroyed by the British?
  - a. senate house, the president's palace, and an extensive dockyard and arsenal
  - b. The Pentagon, The Oval Office, and Garden in front of the White House
  - c. Buckingham Palace, Madison Square Garden, and the fountain of Whitney
10. What did the British soldiers find in the dining parlor? What did they decide to do?
  - a. They found a black cat and saved it from the fire
  - b. They found 2 bottles of whiskey and they drank both bottles
  - c. They found food and they ate it
11. What was left of the Senate building, the president's house, and most of the military equipment in Washington after the burning?
  - a. The front gate, the brick columns, and the mailbox
  - b. They were all left in smoking ruins
  - c. The windows, The Oval Office, and 15 automatic rifles