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24 Multiple choice questions

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Who actually made the Louisiana Purchase?

- Napoleon Bonaparte
- James Madison
- John Adams
- Patrick Henry

Term 2 of 24

Which city was part of the Louisiana Purchase?

- Chicago
- New Orleans
- Baltimore
- Detroit

Term 3 of 24

WWho negotiated the Louisiana Purchase?

- James Monroe
- Martin Van Buren
- John C. Calhoun
- Daniel Webster

Term 4 of 24

Who was the leader of France at the time of the Louisiana Purchase?

- King Louis Xvi
- Napoleon Bonaparte
- Maximilien Robespierre
- Toussaint L'ouverture

Term 5 of 24

What does "purchase": mean?

- sell
- rent
- build
- buy

Term 6 of 24

At the time of the Louisiana Purchase, what was James Madison's title?

- Secretary of State
- Commandant of the Marine Corps
- Secretary of Treasury
- Secretary of the Navy

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Term 7 of 24

Why did Thomas Jefferson want to purchase Louisiana?

- He aimed to secure trade routes through the Rocky Mountains.
- He sought control over the Great Lakes for fishing.
- He wanted the US to be able to freely use the Mississippi River and the Port of New Orleans for shipping crops to market.
- He wanted to expand US territory for gold mining.

Term 8 of 24

Why was it difficult for Napoleon to keep the Louisiana Territory?

- France was focused on internal Conflicts
- France was allied with Spain
- France was at war with Britian
- France was at peace with Britain

Term 9 of 24

How did the Louisiana Puchase affect the people living in the territory?

- Native tribes wer displaced
- Farmers
- The land surrounding the Mississippi River
- The US expected to keep control of New Orleans and the Mississippi River

Term 10 of 24

The Louisiana Purchase ___ the size of America.

- tripled
- halved
- doubled
- quadrupled

Term 11 of 24

In what year did the Louisiana Purchase occur?

- 1799
- 1812
- 1820
- 1803

Term 12 of 24

Thomas Jefferson had to ask ____ to make the Louisiana Purchase.

- Benjamin Franklin
- Alexander Hamilton
- James Madison
- John Adams

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Before the Louisiana Purchase, which country controlled the port at New Orleans?

- Portugal
- France
- Belgium
- Spain

Term 14 of 24

How much did the US pay for the Louisiana Purchase?

- $20 million
- $10 million
- $25 million
- $15 million

Term 15 of 24

What did James Madison warn Napoleon about Spain's gift to the French?

- The US expected to keep control of New Orleans and the Mississippi River
- The US would seize Spanish colonies in the Americas
- Spain's gift would disrupt US trade with Britain
- France should not interfere with US territories

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What did the settlers mean when they sais they wanted to "compensate" the natives?

- trade them for labor
- ignore their needs
- give them something of value
- take away their resources

Term 17 of 24

Which area did James Monroe try to purchase from Napoleon?

- the land surrounding the Great Lakes
- the territory of Florida
- the land surrounding the Mississippi River
- the region of the Pacific Northwest

Term 18 of 24

Who used the Mississippi River to transport goods?

- traders
- immigrants
- bankers
- farmers

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Term 19 of 24

Who controlled the Mississippi River when the US was using it freely?

- Mexico
- Italy
- Spain
- The Netherlands

Term 20 of 24

James Monroe neede to persuade ___ to sell Louisiana to the US.

- King George III
- Napoleon Bonaparte
- Catherine The Great
- Thomas Jefferson

Term 21 of 24

Why did the US need new Orleans?

- the us expected to keep control of new orleans and the mississippi river
- france was at war with britian
- he wanted the us to be able to freely use the mississippi river and the port of new orleans for shipping crops to market.
- for storage and shipping

Term 22 of 24

What was the western boundary of the US before 1803?

- Mississippi River
- St. Lawrence River
- Louisiana Territory
- Colorado River

Term 23 of 24

_____ sold Louisiana to America

- Thomas Jefferson
- King Louis XVI
- George Washington
- Napolian Bonaparte

Term 24 of 24

_____ was sent to France to buy Louisiana for America.

- John Adams
- Alexander Hamilton
- Benjamin Franklin
- James Monroe

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