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“1920 - 1929 Boom to Bust” (The Century: America’s Time)

Video Questions

1. What was the name of the places people could go to buy illegal liquor during Prohibition?

1. The “modern age” was born in what American city?
2. The very names of streets in NYC have become synonymous with life in the 1920s.

A. represented the latest in entertainment.

B. represented the bustling new world of advertising.

C.  represented the country’s expanding economic endeavors.

1. Where was the “capital of Jazz” during the 1920s?
2. Who was the “New Negro”?
3. What was the “Other America” in the 1920s?
4. Name two new technologies that made life in the 1920s better.
5. What two things brought about the new consumer culture?
6. What item did Americans desire the most to buy?
7. What were more “daring” women of the day called?
8. How did rural areas view life in the big cities?
9. What did John T. Scopes do in Dayton, TN that got him into trouble?
   1. Who were the attorneys for the prosecution and the defense?
10. How many people belonged to the KKK in the 1920s?
    1. Approximately how many *reported* lynchings were there during the decade of the 1920s?
11. What sports did Americans like to watch during the 1920s?
    1. Who was the most famous sports hero of the 1920s?
12. Who was the first pilot to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean?
13. What was Admiral Byrd the first to do?
14. Who was President of the United States in 1929?
15. What happened to the stock market in October 1929?