**Chapter 15 Reading Guide (The New Deal) Name**

**Section 1- A New Deal Fights the Depression (pages 488-494)**

1. While FDR was elected in November 1932, he didn’t take office until \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_1933; this period between election day and inauguration day would be shortened with the passage of the

\_\_\_\_\_ Amend., ratified in 1933. Now a president is elected in November and is inaugurated the following January.

2. What was the “**Brain Trust**?” \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. What were the 3 goals of FDR’s New Deal?

a. R \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

b. E \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

c. F \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4. What 3 causes were of particular interest to **Eleanor Roosevelt**?

a. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

c. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

5. Specifically, what was the main topic & purpose of FDR’s first “**Fireside Chat**?”

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6. Name 2 provisions of the **FDIC**.

a. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

7. Congress created the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to keep people from manipulating or “rigging” the stock market.

8. Why did FDR push Congress to lift the ban on some alcoholic beverages?

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9. The **AAA** relied on the theory that a reduced \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ would boost prices.

10. What parts of the **AAA** upset many Americans? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

11. Name three benefits of the **TVA**.

a. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

c. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

12. Think: Why was $25 of the $30 monthly wage of each **CCC** worker sent home to their families? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

13. The aim of the **NIRA** was to: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

14. True or False FDR was eager to use deficit spending to end the economic crisis.

15. According to British economist, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, (name) a country should

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ its way out of a depression, even if the government has to go into \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

by deficit spending.

16. While liberals criticized the New Deal as not going far enough, conservatives felt the new deal was moving our economy toward S\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

17. In 1935-1936 the U.S. Supreme Court declared the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ &\_\_\_\_\_\_ programs unconstitutional.

18. FDR responded by proposing a court-reform bill that would allow him to add \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(number) new justices to the Supreme Court; critics called it the “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_bill.”

19. Think: FDR was attempting to make the Supreme Court more: conservative or liberal.

20. Over the next four years, FDR was able to shape the court because what happened?

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21. What did each of the following New Deal critics favor or propose?

a. Father Charles Coughlin: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

b. Dr. Francis Townsend:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

c. Huey Long: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_