

**Chapter 23**  
**THE GREAT**  
**DEPRESSION****Daily Quiz**  
**Section 3**

**MULTIPLE CHOICE (10 points each)** For each of the following, write the letter of the best choice in the space provided.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Herbert Hoover opposed direct federal relief for the needy because he
- believed that voluntary efforts could better serve people.
  - discouraged charity involvement.
  - opposed rugged individualism.
  - avored a big bureaucracy.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The Federal Farm Board was created
- through the Committee for Unemployment Relief.
  - to buy and sell surplus farm products.
  - by Franklin Delano Roosevelt.
  - to reduce farm product prices.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Treasury Secretary Andrew Mellon argued that
- the government should stimulate the economy in times of crisis.
  - the depression was the Republicans' fault.
  - direct federal relief was necessary.
  - a short depression would be good for the country.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The Reconstruction Finance Corporation did NOT provide aid to
- railroads.
  - insurance companies.
  - farmers.
  - banks.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Hoover's efforts to stop the depression
- ended the economy's downward trend.
  - failed to ease the crisis.
  - were supported by radical political parties.
  - won the confidence of voters.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Roosevelt's campaign promises called for all of the following EXCEPT
- direct federal relief.
  - a large public-works program.
  - an unregulated stock market.
  - a fairer distribution of wealth.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. The public became more restless
- as the depression worsened.
  - because Hoover mishandled the Bonus Army protest.
  - when confidence in Hoover declined.
  - for all of the above reasons.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Hoover supported the Home Loan Bank Act because the act would
- supply banks with money for low-interest mortgages.
  - encourage farmers to sell their land.
  - discourage construction of new homes.
  - give direct relief to farmers.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Unemployed Leagues that demanded work for the jobless were organized by
- the "Scottsboro Boys."
  - Eleanor Roosevelt.
  - the Bonus Army.
  - A. J. Muste.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Hoover lost the 1932 presidential election in part because voters
- blamed the Democratic Congress for failed economic policies.
  - were inspired by Roosevelt's dynamic personality.
  - opposed public-works measures.
  - did all of the above.