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U.S. economic expansion after World War II was encouraged by all of the following EXCEPT

- A) Office of Price Administration
- B) veteran's loans
- C) increased savings from the war years
- D) high demand for consumer goods
- E) increase in per capita income

President Truman's domestic policies included support for all of the following EXCEPT

- A) a full employment bill
- B) increase in the minimum wage
- C) national health care insurance
- D) desegregating the armed forces
- E) the Taft-Hartley Act

Which of the following was NOT a major issue between the Soviet Union and the United States in the postwar years 1945-1950

- A) establishment of Communist governments in Eastern Europe
- B) occupation zones in Japan
- C) access to Berlin
- D) Marshall Plan aid
- E) development and control of atomic weapons

"In these circumstances, it is clear that the main element of any United States policy toward the Soviet Union must be that of a long-term, patient, but firm and vigilant containment of Russian expansive tendencies. It is important to note, however, that

- A)** President Roosevelt's speech at the Yalta conference
- B)** Winston Churchill's "Iron Curtain" speech
- C)** George Marshall's introduction to his Marshall Plan
- D)** George Kennan's article, "The Sources of Soviet Conduct"
- E)** General MacArthur's letters to Congressman Joseph Martin

The primary purpose of the Marshall Plan was to

- A)** end the rift between the United States and the Soviet Union
- B)** establish a uniform world currency
- C)** aid the economic recovery of war-devastated Europe
- D)** set up a military alliance of anti-communist nations
- E)** hinder the economic recovery of nations under Soviet control

Which U.S. action is NOT correctly paired with an event in international politics?

- A) airlift-- Soviet blockade of Berlin
- B) troops sent to Korea-- Churchill's Iron Curtain speech
- C) Truman Doctrine -- civil war in Greece
- D) Marshall Plan -- growing popularity of communism in Western Europe
- E) development of hydrogen bomb--A-bomb tested in Soviet Union

Which of the following was NOT an issue during the Korean War?

- A) whether to expand the war by attacking China
- B) whether North Korea had committed aggression
- C) whether Congress should have declared war
- D) the removal of General Douglas MacArthur
- E) the policies of containment and "limited war"

Which of the following contributed the LEAST to the growth of the Red Scare in the 1950's?

- A) loss of atomic bomb secrets to the soviets
- B) Army-McCarthy hearings
- C) Alger Hiss case
- D) fall of China to the Communists
- E) investigation by the House Un-American Activities Committee

Which of the following BEST describes Truman's foreign policy from 1945 to 1952?

- A) reluctance to involve the United States in foreign conflicts
- B) willingness to negotiate differences with the Soviet Union
- C) aggressive use of US troops in Europe and Asia
- D) commitment to containing communist challenges
- E) extending foreign aid only with U.N. approval

A principle reason for the defeat of most Fair Deal programs was

- A) opposition by Republicans in Congress
- B) outbreak of the Second Red Scare
- C) McCarthy's accusations
- D) Truman's lack of experience in domestic policy
- E) Dewey's speeches in the election of 1948