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1. Which countries were involved in the 1812 war ?
  - a. Denmark
  - b. Great Britain
  - c. United States
  - d. Britain's Indian allies
2. What were the causes of the War of 1812
  - a. British attempts to restrict U.S. trade
  - b. the Royal Navy's impressment of American seamen
  - c. America's desire to expand its territory
  - d. All the points in a, b, and c.
3. Why did Great Britain attempt to prevent the U.S. from trading with France at the time ?
  - a. To weaken and conquer the U.S.A.
  - b. To cut off France's supply since both countries were at war
  - c. To prevent the U.S. from growing economically
4. What condition did Britain put in place in 1807 in order to prevent such trade ?
  - a. Britain passed the Orders in Council requiring neutral countries to obtain a license before trading with France or French colonies.
  - b. Britain ordered the arrest of the U.S. president at the time.
  - c. Britain encouraged piracy in order to prevent French and U.S. ships from leaving the harbours.
5. When did President Madison sign a declaration of war against Great Britain ?
  - a. July 12, 1816
  - b. June 18, 1812
  - c. August 10, 1818
6. When was Washington D.C. conquered by British Forces ?
  - a. August 24, 1814
  - b. July 18, 1814
  - c. August 9, 1818
7. Government buildings including the Capitol and the White House were burnt during the raid on Washington D.C.  
 True    False
8. The Treaty of \_\_\_\_\_ signed on December 24, 1814 led to the end of the War of 1812.
  - a. Rio
  - b. Versailles
  - c. Paris
  - d. Ghent
9. What major attack did British forces mount even after the signing of the treaty to end the war ?
  - a. Attack on New Orleans
  - b. Attack on Washington D.C.
  - c. Attack on Virginia
  - d. None
10. What did the U.S.A. achieve after the war ?





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