USHist. **Ch. 12 sec. 1-2 Textbook Questions** Name:

Read Ch. 12 sec. 1 and 2, then answer the questions that follow in the spaces provided.

1. What was the view of most of the American public towards the labor strikes after WWI?

2. What is **nativism**?

3. Define **isolationism:**

4. Define **communism**:

5. How many Americans joined the newly formed Communist Party in the United States?

6. Who are **anarchists**?

7. How successful were the Palmer Raids?

8. Why did many people feel **Sacco and Vanzetti** were found guilty in their trial?

9. After WWI, what happened to the need for unskilled labor in the US?

10. What groups of people were the KKK trying to drive out of the country?

11. What happened to the number of immigrants between 1919 and 1921?

12. What did the Emergency Quota Act of 1921 set up?

13. What county were immigrants prohibited to come from?

14. Using the chart on page 416, from which *two* countries did immigration actually *increase*?

15. What area of the world did the national origins quota system *not* apply to?

16. What happened to the police that went on strike during the Boston Police Strike in 1919?

17. What did the striking steel workers eventually gain from the steel companies?

18. What did the striking coal miners eventually gain from their strike in 1919?

19. What happened to union membership in the 1920s?

20. How was African American union membership compared to whites?

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21. According to President Harding, what did the public yearn for?

22. Why did conference delegates of the Washington Naval Conference cheer, weep, and throw their hats into the air?

23. What did the fifteen countries who signed the Kellogg-Briand Pact in 1928 agree to do?

24. What ways could Britain and France pay back the US for the money they borrowed?

25. Explain the Dawes Plan:

26. Who was President Harding’s secretary of commerce?

27. Explain the Teapot Dome scandal:

28. What did President Harding do on August 2, 1923?

29. Who was President Harding’s vice-president?

30. Who was elected president in 1924?