

# 1920's The Century: Boom to Bust

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Answer questions on a separate sheet of paper

1. What is New York City's "Great White Way" better known as?
2. What was the nickname given to the place where liquor was sold behind closed doors?
3. What type of building was the best example of the new form of nobility and allowed America to transition to an increasingly urban society?
4. What was the 1<sup>st</sup> year in the history of the U.S. that more people lived in urban centers than in country towns and villages?
5. What street in NY came to represent the decades expanding economic opportunities?
6. What % did the number of millionaires jump by in the 1920s?
7. How big did a boat have to be to be considered a yacht?
8. What was the name of the piano player that wrote Rhapsody in Blue and other anthems of the decade?
9. What part of New York was the capital of jazz music?
10. What was the name of the club where "Broadway, Hollywood, and Paris rubbed elbows?"
11. What was the section of New York set aside for new immigrants called?
12. What was the "other" America in the 1920s?
13. What technology lit up America in the 1920s?
14. What vehicle totally changed the kind of space we lived in and gave Americans a sense of freedom they never had before?
15. How much \$\$\$ was the government spending on the construction of highways, bridges, and tunnels by the mid 1920s?
16. Why was the woman scared to go through the Holland Tunnel?
17. What type of advertising began to pop up along roadways?
18. What new consumer concept began to allow people to buy all sorts of products now and pay for them later?
19. What new technology in sound took over America in the 1920s?
20. What did the 19<sup>th</sup> Amendment do?
21. What were the 2 nicknames for daring women in the 1920s?
22. What was the name of the defendant in the 1920s trial that pitted religious beliefs against modern science?
23. What group became popular due to increasing hatred towards people who were different?
24. How many people were members of this group in the 1920s?
25. What did a man and his family see across the street 3 nights after he refused to join this group?
26. How many people were lynched in the 1920s?
27. Where did 50,000 members of this group march in 1927?
28. What sports figure's name was known in more households than any other?
29. How much did it cost to go to a New York Yankees game back in the 1920s?
30. What pilot put aviation and himself on every front page in the world in 1927?
31. How long did his flight take?
32. Where did he land?
33. What occurred down Broadway to honor the pilot after returning to the U.S.?
34. What continent was the only one remaining for the airplane to conquer?
35. How many men went with Admiral Byrd on his expedition to this continent?
36. What was the name of the Jazz Song that described how most people felt about life in the 1920s?
37. Who was inaugurated President in 1929?
38. What began to happen to the stock market in October of 1929?
39. How much \$\$\$ (in paper value) vanished from the American economy on the day of the stock market crash (October 29, 1929)?
40. What did America face to start the new decade?