Mr. Madison's War





| President: | From: |
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| Vice-Pres: | Party: |
| Occupation: | Term: |

| Causes of the War of 1812 | |
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| British Impressment: Great Britain began a policy of, kidnapping American sailors and forcing them to serve on British ships. | |
| Attack on the <i>Chesapeake</i> : British warship, the, attacked the American vessel killing three Americans and wounding many others. Outraged Americans began | |
| Frontier Conflicts with Natives: American settlers continued to fight with Native American in the West. Powerful Shawnee, led by | e to vered on |
| "War Hawks": Young Republican-Democratic congressman from the South and West who aggressively advocated for the President to Led by Henry Clay (Kentucky) and John C. Calhoun (South Carolina), these advocates for war saw war with Britain as an opportunity to claim lands in southern Canada. | |
| Declaration of War: On June 1, 1812, <u>President James Madison</u> became the first President a from Congress. | dent to |
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| The British Navy forced over sailers to serve on British ships. | |
| 2. In June, 1814, the United States Congress declared | |
| 3. The prize Britain wanted was the city at the Mississippi River known as | |
| 4. British forces had over men. But the Americans has | |
| 5. According to one British Captain, the total losses of the British officers and soldiers at the Battle of Orleans was about | of New |
| 6. The War of 1812 made Andrew Jackson a national | |

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EVENTS OF THE WAR



Burning of the Capital



Battle of Fort McHenry



Treaty of Ghent



Battle of New Orleans

ESP Results of the War

ECONOMIC

The war spurred economic growth in America.

Moved America toward an industrial economy.

SOCIAL

"Era of Good Feelings" occurred as Americans experienced a period of unity and nationalism.

POLITICAL

The Federalist Party was severely damaged and seized to exist as a national political party.