

April 10-11, 1930

Friday, 1:45-3:15 P. M.

1. Why did Europeans leave their homes and come to the American wilderness to live?
2. a. Why did the Articles of Confederation fail?
b. What problems confronted the Constitutional convention when they met in Philadelphia in 1787?
3. What is a tariff? For what two purposes are tariffs levied in our country? What is the distinction, if any, between the terms "tariff" and "duty."
5. Why are the following battles considered important?
a. Concord and Lexington
b. Bunker Hill
c. Trenton
d. Saratoga
e. Yorktown
6. Write a short paragraph on the Declaration of Independence, using the following outline:—
(1) When adopted; (2) Where; (3) By whom written and signed.
7. Is it probable that West Virginia would have become a state without the Civil War? Explain your answer.
8. Explain the difference in the development of this country east of the Mississippi and that west of the Mississippi, considering the following phases of development;—area, population, large cities, number of railroads, and nature of products.
9. Mention at least three sources from which to get information about personal or events other than that given in your history textbook.
10. Give an account of one of the following:—
1. Early settlers in West Virginia
2. Blennerhassett Island
3. Battle of Point Pleasant
4. Salt Industry of West Virginia
5. The Mound Builders.