**APUSH CHAPTER 23 STUDY GUIDE**

**Monday**

1. Which nations were referred to as the Allies in World War I?
2. What forced President Woodrow Wilson out of his professed stance of true neutrality? To what degree was his decision based on economics?
3. Why did Germany rely on U-boats (submarines)? Why did it back off from the unrestricted use of U-boats early in the war?
4. Before 1917 how did Wilson balance the demands for preparedness and the cries for peace? What effect did his position have on the 1916 election?

**Tuesday**

1. What key events early in 1917 combined to finally bring the United States fully into World War I?
2. Describe the role of the War Industries Board (WIB) and the National War Labor Board. How successful were they? What implications did they have for the future of American politics?
3. What tactics did the Committee on Public Information employ to propagandize the American people into unquestioning support of the war effort?
4. In what ways did the government use the Sedition Act and related legislation to suppress criticism? Who suffered most?

**Wednesday**

1. Into what three major categories did the Fourteen Points fall?
2. What obstacles did Wilson face in getting the European leaders to accept his approach to peace? What domestic development weakened his position?
3. Despite President Wilson's disappointments at Versailles what was his most visible triumph?
4. Who were the main domestic opponents of American entry into the League of Nations? What were the two categories of opponents? How much of the blame for the treaty's defeat must be laid on Wilson himself?

**Friday**

1. What happened to the American economy in the postwar years? Why?
2. What inspired the labor unrest of 1919? What were the most important strikes? What did the wave of strikes reveal about the labor movement?
3. What led to the string of race riots during and shortly after the war? What were the riots like and where was the worst episode?
4. What inspired the Red Scare of 1919 to 1920? Was the threat real or imagined?

**Identifications:**

1. Lusitania
2. Zimmermann telegram
3. V. I. Lenin
4. Bolshevik Revolution
5. American Expeditionary Force
6. Liberty Bonds
7. Herbert Hoover
8. Bernard Baruch
9. Industrial Workers of the World
10. Red Scare
11. A. Mitchell Palmer
12. Sacco-Vanzetti case
13. "normalcy"