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Roaring 20s Study Guide

Vocabulary

Flappers

Bootleggers

G-men

Speakeasy

John T. Scopes

Charles Lindbergh

Nickelodeons

Spirit of St. Louis

The Jazz Singer

George & Ira Gershwin

Ernest Hemingway

Guided Questions

1. Why did they call the '20s the "Roaring 20s"? What did they do that was rebellious?
2. How did Prohibition affect alcohol consumption? To what problems did Prohibition lead?
3. How did law enforcement deal with bootleggers? How did they finally bring down Al Capone?
4. What was the Scopes Monkey Trial? How was it resolved?
5. How did people of the 1920s view Lindbergh?
6. What major technological innovation changed movies in this period? What city became synonymous with moviemaking in this period?
7. Name one author from this era and describe his/her work.