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Chapter 8: The Federalist Era – Section 1 (pages 252-259)

Content Vocabulary: Write the definition for the following words.

1. Precedent: _____

2. Cabinet: _____

3. National Debt: _____

4. Bond: _____

5. Unconstitutional: _____

6. Tariff: _____

7. What law established the federal court system? _____

8. Describe Hamilton's proposal for strengthening the economy:

a.

b.

9. Someone who is willing to invest in a risky venture on the chance of making a large profit is called a: _____

10. The member of Congress who led the opposition against Hamilton's plan:

11. Why was Madison (and others) against Hamilton's plan to repay bondholders in full?

12. Why did Hamilton want to repay the national and state debts?

13. Explain Hamilton's compromise:

a.

b.

14. The name Congress gave to the piece of land on which the federal capitol was to be built: _____

15. Where was the capitol moved to while the new "Federal City" was being built?

16. The bank created in 1791 to issue paper money, pay government bills, and make loans to farmers and businesses was called the _____

17. In the Constitution, how did Hamilton justify his starting his federal bank?

18. Congress tried to raise money by taxing. What 2 taxes were passed; who liked each; and to whom did each hurt?

a.

b.

19. List the 4 precedents (listed on pg. 253) that George Washington established for the presidency:

Fill in the chart on the 1st federal government:

Title	Person	Job
President:		
Vice- President		
Sec't. of State		
Sec't. of Treasury		
Sec't. of War		
Attorney General		
Postmaster General		
Chief Justice of Sup. Court		