

CHAPTER  
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**BUILDING VOCABULARY** *The New Deal*

**A. Multiple Choice** Circle the letter before the term or name that best completes the sentence.

1. The Glass-Steagall Act established the (a) Securities and Exchange Commission (b) Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (c) Civilian Conservation Corps.
2. The Civil Works Administration provided money to states to create jobs mainly in the construction of (a) schools and other community buildings (b) dams and roads (c) historic monuments.
3. The Works Progress Administration was headed by (a) Eleanor Roosevelt (b) Huey Long (c) Harry Hopkins.
4. Frances Perkins was the nation's first (a) female cabinet member (b) African-American cabinet member (c) African-American to perform at the Lincoln Memorial.
5. The novel that depicts the arduous journey of Oklahoma farmers fleeing the Dust Bowl is (a) *Native Son* (b) *The Disinherited* (c) *The Grapes of Wrath*.

**B. Matching** Match the description in the second column with the term or name in the first column. Write the appropriate letter next to the word.

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| _____ 1. Civilian Conservation Corps | a. Roosevelt's program to fight the Depression |
| _____ 2. Richard Wright              | b. measure that strengthened labor unions      |
| _____ 3. deficit spending            | c. famous Depression-era movie                 |
| _____ 4. New Deal                    | d. opponent of New Deal                        |
| _____ 5. <i>Gone With the Wind</i>   | e. brought power to an impoverished region     |
| _____ 6. Wagner Act                  | f. author of <i>Native Son</i>                 |
| _____ 7. Tennessee Valley Authority  | g. put millions of young men to work           |
| _____ 8. Huey Long                   | h. government spending that exceeds intake     |

**C. Writing** Write a paragraph about how the New Deal affected the nation's minorities. Use the following names and terms.

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