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Cold War Tensions Rise at Home (417 - 422)

Topic 8: Postwar America

Lesson 4: Cold War Fears at Home

Texts 1 - 3

All answers must be in complete sentences

1. Describe in detail what popular culture of the 1950s reflected.
2. What is the Red Scare? Why was the Red Scare of the 1940s and 1950s known as the Red Scare?
3. Do you think there was any truth to Howard McGrath's quote? Why or why not?
4. What happened to people who were thought to be involved in groups who were "totalitarian, fascist, or subversive organizations?"
5. What is the HUAC and what did it do?
6. Summarize what happened with the Hollywood Ten.
7. What happens if someone is "blacklisted"?
8. What were Julius and Ethel Rosenberg accused of?

9. Why did Julius and Ethel Rosenberg say they were being targeted?

10. What was the significance of the Verona Papers?

11. Summarize what Joseph McCarthy said in his speech in West Virginia.

12. Why do you think Senator McCarthy never produced his list?

13. What is McCarthyism?

14. What could happen if people were even accused by McCarthy?

15. Why did the televising of the Senate hearings help end McCarthyism?