

## MAKE-UP ASSIGNMENT: FOR CREDIT COPY ONTO YOUR OWN WORKSHEET

# The Roaring 20's Video Notes

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### PROHIBITION

1. After WWI, how did the American Public feel about involvement in foreign affairs?  
**THE WANTED ISOLATIONISM / DIDN'T WANT ANY INVOLVEMENT**
2. Which amendment started Prohibition? **18<sup>th</sup> AMENDMENT**
3. What were "speakeasies"? **ILLEGAL BARS THAT SOLD ALCOHOL**
4. In what year did prohibition start? **1920**
5. Why was a boiler room a good place to store illegal whiskey? **THE BOILER COULD BE USED TO DESTROY THE WHISKEY IF THERE WAS A RAID**
6. Who ran this bootlegging operation? **PROHIBITION ROSE**
7. How did she avoid police raids? **SHE PAID THEM OFF WITH BRIBES**
8. Why isn't there a lot of history or information about her? **BECAUSE SHE WAS NEVER CAUGHT/BUSTED/ARRESTED**

### MOB UNDERGROUND

9. What did Big Jim Colosimo do that caused a rift between him and his men Al Capone & Jimmy the Fox?  
**HE REFUSED TO ENTER THE BOOTLEGGING**
10. What were the Untouchables trying to do? **TAKE DOWN CAPONE**
11. The owner of the Green Mill was Capone's lieutenant Jack \_\_\_\_\_ **MACHINE GUN** \_\_\_\_\_ Mac McGurn.
12. What was Capone ultimately convicted of? **TAX EVASION**
13. What was Chicago's nickname during the 20's? **GANGLAND**
14. What happened to the Levee District's illegal network after Capone went to jail? **THEY WENT UNDER AND NEW LEGITIMATE BUISINESS BOARDED UP THE TUNNELS.**
15. Who built the underground railway? **CORRUPT POLITICIANS**
16. Why were they called the "Grey Wolves"? **BECAUSE THEY PREYED UPON A CITY THAT HAD BEEN BURNT DOWN IN A GREAT FIRE**
17. What store lies above the only access to the underground tunnels? **MACY'S DEPT STORE**
18. When did the city seal up this secret project? **1959**

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