Grab your notebooks and your workbooks!

- Do not make a mess and let them all just fall on the floor
- Get out your <u>GREEN</u>
   vocab sheets (we will be changing a few things)

21 Days Christmas!

### Monday - 12/4/17

Week 8/9 Vocab – Bill of Rights 2/Rule of Law Suffrage • Unenumerated Rights (Gov. Alive) When done with vocab start workbook • Appellate Court pages 161 - 168 • Ex Post Facto Law • Habeas Corpus (Gov. Alive) Chapter 6 – lessons •Public Good 1 & 2 •Precedent •Summary Judgement (look up) • Writ = an order given from a higher court to a lower court

Ben was prosecuted and convicted in state court for speaking out publicly against the governor. During his trial, he was denied the counsel of a lawyer. Two years later, the U.S. Supreme Court overturned his conviction, explaining that the state had not guaranteed Ben's constitutional rights. <u>Today you don't</u>

### Which amendments apply to this case?

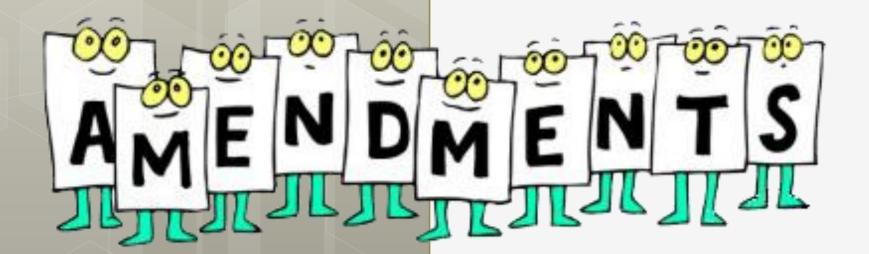
<u>Today you don't</u> <u>have to write this</u> <u>scenario</u>

- A. Amendment I (free speech) and Amendment VI (due process)
  B. Amendment I (free press) and Amendment IV (search and seizure)
  C. Amendment IX (unenumerated rights) and Amendment VI (due process)
- D. Amendment IX (unenumerated rights) and Amendment IV (search and seizure)





### Beyond the Bill of Rights Amendments 11 - 27



### Lets talk about these amendments...

### Amendments 11-27

- There are 17 other amendments not included in the Bill of Rights
- The rest of the amendments have been added from 1795-1992
- The most important of these amendments deal with civil rights and voting.

### Amendment II - 1795 State Lawsuits

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A state cannot be sued in federal court by one of its citizens, a citizen of another state, or by a foreign country







# Amendment 12 - 1804

### **Revised the Electoral College**

The electoral college will use separate ballots when voting for president and vicepresident





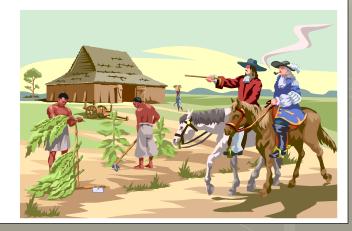
# Amendment 13 - 1865

### **Reconstruction Amendment**

### Outlaws the practice of slavery in the United States -Note: Guaranteed slaves freedom but not any rights







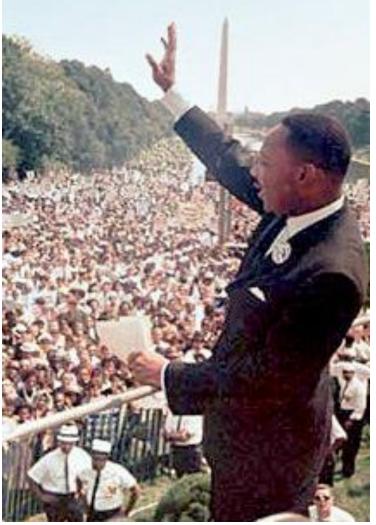
# Amendment 14 - 1868

### **Reconstruction Amendment**

### Granted full citizenship to African Americans

Protects citizens against unfair actions by state governments

Citizens have equal protection under the law



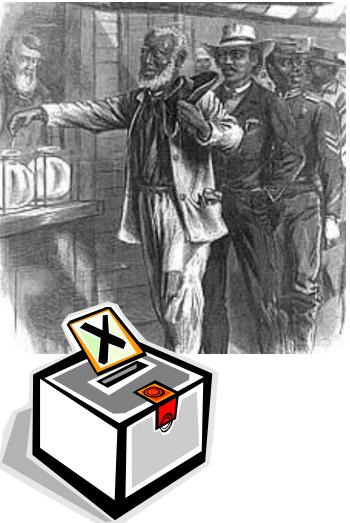
## Amendment 15 - 1870

**Reconstruction Amendment** 

No person shall be denied the right to vote because of race

# Black men granted the right to vote

Grandfather laws, poll taxes and voter test were still allowed



# Amendment 16 - 1913

### Progressive Era Amendment

Congress can enact and collect an income tax

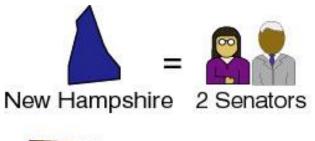




# Amendment 17 - 1913

### **Progressive Era Amendment**

Two senators from each state are now directly elected by the people

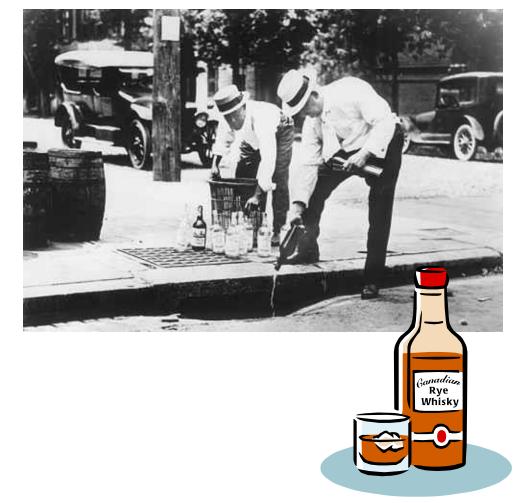




# Amendment 18 - 1919

Progressive Era Amendment

Prohibited the production, sale, carrying, and transportation of alcoholic beverages



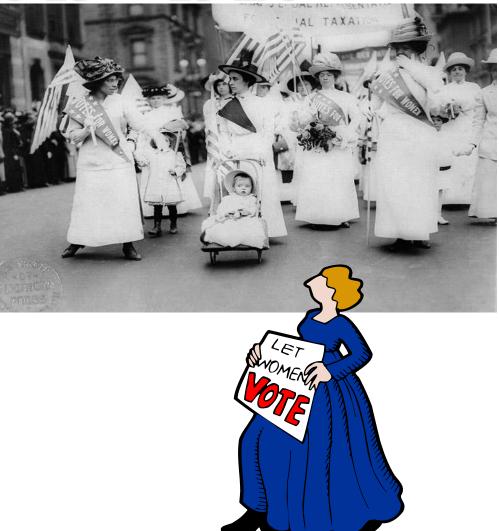
"Prohibition"

# Amendment 19 - 1920

Progressive Era Amendment

The right to vote cannot be denied because of gender

Women's Suffrage



# Amendment 20 - 1933

"Lame-Duck" Issues

Shortened time period between elections and assuming office

If president-elect dies before taking office, vice-president elect becomes president



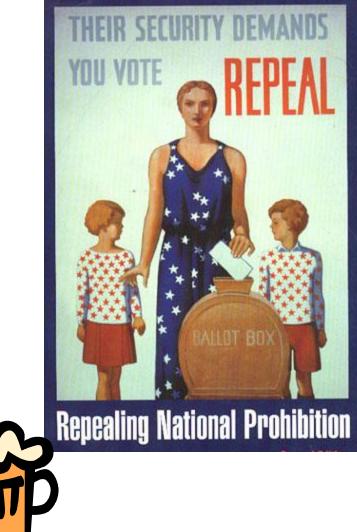
# Amendment 21 - 1933

### **Repeal of Prohibition**

### 18<sup>th</sup> Amendment is cancelled out and Prohibition ends

Prohibition only lasted for 14 years





Mark was arrested for a crime. The evidence against him has been presented to the grand jury, he was formally charged with a crime and the judge has informed him of the charges against him.

According to the 8<sup>th</sup> amendment, what should happen next? Today you d

A. Mark calls a witness to his defense
B. Mark questions the witnesses against him
C. The judge sets a reasonable bail
D. The judge sentences Mark with an appropriate punishment

<u>Today you don't</u> <u>have to write this</u> <u>scenario</u>

Wednesday - 12/6/17

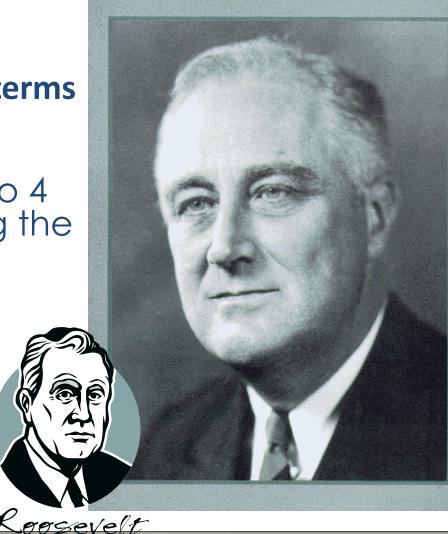
# Amendment 22 - 1951

## Presidential Term Limits

# Office of President limited to two terms or ten years

Result of FDR being elected to 4 terms (although he died during the  $4^{th}$ )



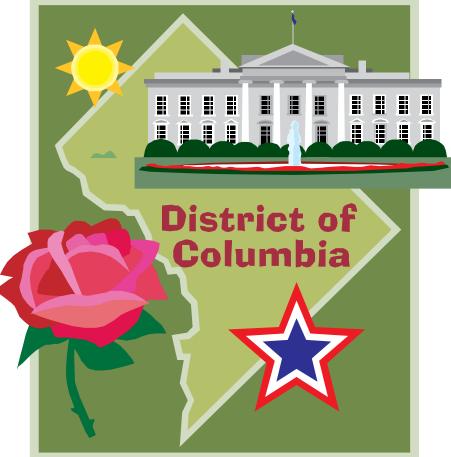


# Amendment 23 - 1961

### Voting in Washington, DC

Allows the citizens of Washington, D.C. to vote for president and vice president





# Amendment 24 - 1964

### **Voting Protection**

# Prohibits the use of poll taxes in federal elections

- A tax required to vote (predominantly in the South)
- Outlawed a method for trying to prevent blacks from voting (most blacks were below the poverty line)





# Amendment 25 - 1967

### **Presidential Succession**

If the president dies or cannot lead, the vicepresident takes office

If the vice-president dies or resigns, the president can appoint a replacement with Senate approval





## Amendment 26 - 1971

## Voting Age

No one over the age of eighteen can be denied the right to vote by virtue of age







## Amendment 27 - 1992

## **Congressional Pay**

Any pay raise Congress gives its members does not take effect until a general election has taken place and a new term begins.



Study for your amendment quiz!

You may use your devices to study quizlet!



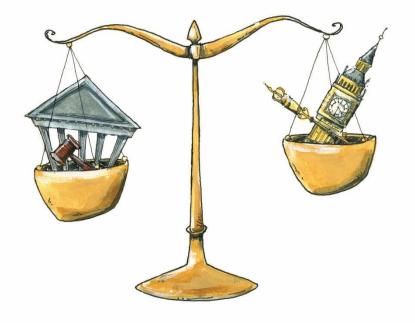
### Thursday - 12/7/17

Turn in your current events

Finish your amendment quiz! (12 minutes)

Prepare for your skit (given to you when you arrived) Friday - 12/8/17

## Rule of Law Skits



- You should each have a skit that was given to you when you arrived at class today
- Each skit has a part underlined/highlighted
  That is your part
- With your group practice your skit a couple times through
  - Remember to be loud and proud of your part
  - Good acting makes these more exciting and memorable!

• Wait for further instructions from Ms. Karg

## Skit #1 – Order and Security



#### SKIT #1: ORDER AND SECURITY

#### Causes

- 1. The victims knew the law enforcement was not effective.
- \_\_2. The police did not have procedures for dealing with crime.
- \_3. Criminals do not face any consequences.
- \_\_4. The police thought the local council was better than the court.

- A. People commit crimes knowing they will get away with it.
- B. They could not stop crime or keep order in society.
- C. They did not encourage people to use the courts.
- D. They did not feel **safe** on the streets and they worried about being out after dark.

## Skit #2 – Legitimacy



#### SKIT #2: LEGITIMACY

#### <u>Causes</u>

- 1. The laws in this country were borrowed from another country.
- \_\_\_2. Lawmakers only pass laws to help their friends.
- \_\_\_3. People are expected to follow the law even though it was sometimes impossible.

- A. The rest of the people the lawmakers represent have no **input** in the lawmaking process.
- B. The laws do not meet the needs of the people in this country, and people do not see them as worthy of following.
- C. Citizens do not **respect** the law because they don't see it as **fair** and reasonable.

## Skit #3 – Checks & Balances



#### SKIT #3: CHECKS AND BALANCES

#### <u>Causes</u>

- 1. The judicial branch is disorganized and doesn't have enough judges.
- \_\_2. Lawmakers are only interested in what they can get from the wealthy.
- \_\_3. The lawmakers do what the President wants them to.
- \_\_4. Judges are willing to take favors from lawmakers.

- A. It cannot function effectively
- B. The judicial system is not **independent** from the lawmaking branch.
- C. Power is not really **divided** between the legislative and executive branches.
- D. They do not care about the other **people** they represent.

## Skit #4 – Equal Application of the Law

#### NAME AND ADDRESS (SAME AND ADDRESS ADD



#### SKIT #4: EQUAL APPLICATION OF THE LAW

#### <u>Causes</u>

- 1. The judge saw the mayor as being too important to punish.
- \_\_\_2. The poor person was not able to influence the judge.
- \_\_3. The mayor knew he could control the judge.

- A. He did not think he needed to obey the law.
- B. In court, he was not treated the **same** as a rich or influential person would have been.
- C. He let the mayor be **above** the law.

## Skit #5 – Procedural Fairness



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#### <u>Causes</u>

- \_\_\_1. There were no **rules** for bringing prisoners to court quickly.
- \_\_2. The government did not have to follow set procedures.
- \_\_3. No law required that prisoners be told why they are being held.

- A. One prisoner didn't know why he was in jail.
- B. The prisoners had no idea how long they would be in jail.
- C. Every case proceeded differently, and the legal system was not **fair**.

## Skit #6 – Access to Justice



#### SKIT #6: ACCESS TO JUSTICE

#### <u>Causes</u>

- 1. Tamara and Angela did not have much education.
- \_\_2. The nearest court was too far away.
- \_3. The man who came to court had an easier time than Tamara did.
- \_4. Tamara was not able to file a case.

- A. She had no way to enforce her rights.
- B. Men had easier access to justice than women.
- C. They did not have the **knowledge** to understand the court system.
- D. No court was **available** where Tamara could seek justice.

