

AQA Britain Challenge & Transformation - Politics - 1851-1964

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| After the "Coupon Election" LG was left in charge of a Tory dominated coalition. How | 335 | 18. From 1943, polls consistently showed what percentage Labour lead over the Tories? | 10-20% |
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| many seats did the Tory's hold? 2. After the passing of the Equal Franchise Act 1928, how many million women outnumbered men on the electoral register? | 2 million | 19. Gladstone's conversion to | Home Rule |
| | | 20. Gladstonian Liberalism followed 3 key principles. What were they? | Peace, retrenchment, |
| 3. As a result of the Second Reform Act, how many MPs represented a population of under 10,000? | 1 | 21. Hodgkinson's Amendment proposed to abolish compounding. Who would this | reform All ratepayers |
| 4. By 1900, how many supporters of the LRC belonged to Unions? | 350,000 | enfranchise? | |
| 5. By 1918, women made up what percentage of voters? | 42% | 22. How many governments did Gladstone run? 23. How many Lords accepted the Parliament | 131 to 114 |
| 6. By 1929, what percentage of the Commons was made up by women? | 2.3% | Act 1911? (inc. those against) 24. How many million men & women were added to the electoral register as a result | 2 million men and 6 million women |
| 7. By 1934, the British Union of Fascists had reached how many thousand members? | 50,000 | of the Representation of the People Act 1918? | |
| 8. By 1945, how many posts in the war coalition did Labour hold showing they had | 27 | 25. How many more seats did Labour have against the Tories/Liberals in 1964? | 3 |
| a wide range of expertise? 9. By Nov. 1910, who promised to create new Liberal peers to get the Parliament Bill through the Lords? | George V | 26. How many PMs were there in the period 1851-1867? | 9 |
| | | 27. How many seats did Churchill hold onto after the 1945 election? | 197 |
| 10. By the 1850s what percentage of MPs had no connection to the aristocratic land owning classes? | 20-25% | 28. How many seats did Churchill win in 1951? | 321 |
| | | 29. How many seats did Labour have after the "Coupon Election"? | 61 |
| By the end of 1910, how many seats did Labour hold? | 42 | 30. How many seats did Labour hold in 1922 making them the main opposition? | 142 |
| 12. By what ratio did Labour MPs nearly outnumber Tory MPs? | 2:1 | 31. How many seats did Labour win at the 1945 election? | 393 |
| 13. By what year did Gladstone's power begin to decline? | 1886 | 32. How many seats did LG's Liberals hold after the "Coupon Election"? | 113 |
| 14. Defecting Liberals over Gladstone's policy of Home Rule were called what? | Liberal Unionists | 33. How many seats did the Tories hold in 1922? | 344 |
| 15. Derby's Ministry passed what influential Act in 1867? | Second Reform Act | 34 How many seats had the Tories been reduced to in the Jan. 1906 election? | 157 |
| 16. The effects of what Act were beginning to | 1867 Parliamentary Reform Act 1832 5 million | 35. Ideological tensions were rising between older laissez faire Liberals (Gladstone) and Liberals (such as J.Chamberlain) | Radical |
| be felt which was making the political system feel more democratic? | | 36. In 1903, what pact was made between the Liberals and LRC? | Lib-Lab Pact |
| 17. The Equal Franchise Act 1928 increased the total size of the electorate by how many million people? | | 37. In 1908, how many supporters of Labour belonged to Unions? | 1 million |
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| 38. In 1910, how many more seats did the Liberals have against the Tories? | 2 | 55. In what month/year was a Parliament Bill introduced to tackle the Lords? | March 1910 |
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| 39. In 1911, the Liberals introduced an annual payment of how much to MPs? | £400 | 56. In what month/year was the Parliament Act 1911 made into law? | August 1911 |
| 40. In 1915, what three main leaders made up the War Coalition? | Asquith, Lloyd George, Bonar-Law | 57. In what month/year was the Parliament Bill passed through the Commons? | May 1911 |
| | | 58. In what period did a Constitutional Crisis occur between the Commons and Lords? | 1909- 1911 |
| 41. In 1917, how many thousand tons worth of merchant ships did Britain lose to the Germans? | 500,000 | 59. In what period did Chamberlain serve as PM? | 1937- 40 |
| 42. In 1918, how many thousand tons worth of merchant ships did Britain lose to the | 200,000 | 60. In what period did Salisbury hold a second Tory ministry? | 1886- 1892 |
| Germans? 43. In 1960, what did Gaitskell promise to do? | fight and | 61. In what year did Asquith call a general election as a result of the Lords throwing out the People's Budget? | 1909 |
| | fight again to save the party we | 62. In what year did Baldwin get replaced by Neville Chamberlain as PM? | 1937 |
| 44. In the 1850s what organisations developed | love Model | 63. In what year did Balfour resign, meaning Liberal leader Campbell-Bannerman became PM? | 1905 |
| and lent invaluable support to the Liberals? | Craft Unions | 64. In what year did Britain carry out its first test of the atomic bomb? | 1952 |
| 45. In the 1918 Election, how much did the Labour vote increase by? | 400,000 to 2.4 million | 65. In what year did Disraeli hold a brief government after Derby retired? | 1868 |
| 46. In the Jan. 1906 election, how many seats did Labour gain? | 29 | 66. In what year did Edward VIII abdicate? | 1936 |
| 47. In the Jan. 1906 election, how many seats did | 400 | 67. In what year did Gaitskell suddenly die? | 1963 |
| the Liberals gain? | | 68. In what year did Garibaldi, hero of Italian unification, visit London? | |
| 48. In the period 1910-14, how many seats did Labour lose? | 4 | 69. In what year did Gladstone become leader of the Liberals? | 1866 |
| 49. In the period 1923-24, who held a brief Labour government with 191 seats and LG's Liberals? | Ramsay Macdonald | 70. In what year did Kier Hardie found the Independent Labour Party? | 1893 |
| 50. In the period 1924-29, how many seats did Baldwin's Tory government hold? | 419 | 71. In what year did leading trade union men in the London Trades Council meet and start to organise a campaign for political reform? | 1866 |
| 51. In the period 1934-35, how far did the BUF membership fall? | 50,000 to 5,000 | 72. In what year did Lloyd George's peace time coalition come to an end? | 1922 |
| 52. In what month/year did Asquith call a further election to get a mandate for reform of the Lords? (This was after the Budget was passed | December 1910 | 73. In what year did Oswald Mosley form the British Union of Fascists? | 1932 |
| earlier in the same year) 53. In what month/year did the Lords pass the | April 1910 | 74. In what year did Sidney & Beatrice Webb establish the Fabian Society? | 1884 |
| Budget? | April 1710 | 75. In what year did the Whigs, Liberals, Radicals & | 1859 |
| 54. In what month/year did the Second World War break out? | September 1939 | Peelites come together on an agreement to form a "stable government"? | |

| 76. In what year does Asquith ultimately lead a last proper Liberal government? | 1914 | 93. What Act was passed by Equal Franchise Act 1928 Baldwin's government which gave women the same voting | | |
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| 77. In what year was Asquith appointed leader of the Liberals? | 1908 | rights as men? | | |
| 78. In what year was Balfour appointed as PM by his Uncle? | 1902 | 94. What Act was passed which Incitement to Disaffection enabled the prosecution of political extremists? (inc. | | |
| 79. In what year was Lloyd George's War Coalition established? | 1916 | year) | | |
| 80. In what year was the Beveridge report published? | 1943 | 95. What Act was passed which enfranchised all men over 21 People Act 1918 and women over 30 who held | | |
| 81. In what year was the Communist Party of Great Britain (CPGB) formed? | 1920 | a strict property qualification? | | |
| 82. In what year was the Reform League established? | 1865 | 96. What Act was passed which Military Service Act 1916 initially introduced | Military Service Act 1916 | |
| 83. Labour only squeezed to victory with only how many seats in the 1964 election? | 317 | conscription to unmarried men (later extended) aged 18 to 41? | | |
| 84. The Labour victory was partly down to the electorate becomingby Tory scandals in the early 1960s. | disillusioned | 97. What Amendment did Hodgkinson's Amendment Disraeli accept to get the | | |
| 85. Most Cabinet positions within Lloyd George's coalition were held by | Tories | better of Gladstone to pass the Second Reform Act? | The Defendance 1047 | |
| 86. The Parliamentary Reform Act 1832 meant that growing centres of would be represented such as Leeds & Sheffield | population | 98. What controversial affair ultimately weakened the Macmillan government? (inc. year) The Profumo Affair 1963 | The Profumo Affair 1963 | |
| 87. Post-Parliament Act 1911, the HoL have no power to permanently finance bills | veto | 99. What Crisis ultimately Suez Crisis 1956 dominated Eden's | | |
| 88. The Second Reform Act also extended the franchise to those in the counties including shilling freeholders? | 40 | premiership? (inc. year) 100. What did Macmillan say in "most of our people have never had it so good" | | |
| 89. The Second Reform Act extended the franchise to male householders/lodgers (who | 21 | of living of the British people? | | |
| paid £10 annually in rent) aged over what? 90. There were strong over social reform within the Liberal party | divisions | Proposals to finance social reforms through direct taxation as well as income | | |
| 91. Through the Parliament Act 1911, the maximum term for a Parliament was reduced | 5 years | tax aimed at the more wealthy classes | | |
| from 7 years to how many years? | | 102. What event in April 1916 Easter Rising disrupted the War Coalition | | |
| 92. What Act did Campbell-Bannerman's government pass which declared that unions couldn't be sued for damages incurred during a strike? (inc. year) | Trade Disputes Act 1906 | while losing the Liberals the support of 80 Irish Nationalist MPs? | | |
| doing a strike: (inc. year) | | 103. What event occurred in the Wall Street Crash 1929 late 1920s which crippled economies across the world? (inc. year) | | |
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| 104. What fraction of the electorate voted in 1918? | 1/2 | 121. When did Frank Cousins become leader of the Transport & General Workers Union? | 1956 |
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| 105. What is meant by fabianism? | The belief in the gradual introduction and spread of socialism | 122. When did Labour splits in the party widen after a loss at the election? | 1959 |
| | | 123. When did Salisbury hold a brief first Tory Ministry? | 1885-1886 |
| 106. What judgement held that unions could be liable for loss of profits to employers that were caused by taking strike action? (inc. year) | Taff Vale judgement 1901 | 124. When did the "Coupon Election" take place? | 1918 |
| | | 125. When was Henry Campbell-Bannerman appointed Liberal leader? | 1898 |
| 107. What judgement made Labour's financial security go into disarray as it didn't allow | Osborne Judgement 1909 | 126. When was the Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament established? | 1958 |
| unions to use member subscriptions to support political parties? (1909) | | 127. When was the Labour Representation Committee formed? | 1900 |
| 108. What party won a landslide victory at the 1945 election? | Labour | 128. When was the LRC renamed the Labour party? | 1906 |
| 109. What party won the 1964 general election? | Labour | 129. Who became Labour PM in 1964? | Harold Wilson |
| 110. What percentage of the vote did Labour have in the "Coupon Election"? | 22% | 130. Who became Tory PM in 1959? | Harold Macmillan |
| III. What percentage of voters voted for the first time in 1945? | 20% | 131. Who continued in government after the resignation of Lloyd George's government? | Bonar-Law |
| 112. What system did Lloyd George implement (1917) to strengthen defensive measures of protecting allied merchant ships? | Convoy System | 132. Who did Eden lie to which tarnished his reputation? | House of Commons |
| | | 133. Who did John Profumo lie to which forced him to resign in disgrace? | Both Parliament |
| iii. What talented politician, who later went on to form the Tariff Reform League | Joseph Chamberlain | | and PM |
| on to form the Tariff Reform League (1903), left the Liberals because of Gladstone's Home Rule policy? | | 134. Who favoured a stronger social reform programme compared to Gladstone? | Joseph Chamberlain |
| 114. What two factions were formed as a result of the split within the Tories over | Peelites and Protectionists | 35. Who led a National Government from 1931- 35 despite Baldwin holding 473 seats? | Ramsay Macdonald |
| the repeal of the Corn Laws (1845)? | | 136. Who led a National Government in the | Stanley Baldwin |
| 115. What two sides emerged in the Labour party? | Gaitskellites and Bevanites | period 1935-37? 137. Who perceived the People's Budget as an | House of |
| 116. What was Britain recognised as by the | A A | attack on their landed wealth/privilege? | Lords |
| mid nineteenth century? | constitutional monarchy | 138. Who put forward the "People's budget" in 1909? | Lloyd George |
| 117. What was Labour's total vote in the 1951? | 14 million | 139. Who replaced Attlee as Labour leader in | Gaitskell |
| 118. What was Macmillan's nickname? | Supermac | 1955? | |
| What year marked the end of austerity and the start of a post-war boom? | 1951 | 140. Who replaced Bonar-Law in 1923? | Stanley Baldwin |
| 120. When did Britain test the hydrogen bomb? | 1957 | 141. Who replaced Gladstone in 1894? | Rosebery |
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| 142. Who resigned from the government in 1951 in protest against the introduction of prescription charges? | Aneurin Bevan |
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| 143. Who served as Tory PM in the period 1955-57? | Anthony Eden |
| 144. Who succeeded Lord Kitchener in becoming Secretary for War? | Lloyd George |
| 145. Who was the Labour PM in the period 1945-1951? | Clement Attlee |
| 146. Why did Asquith call an election in December 1909? | To set a mandate for the abolition of the Lord's power to veto finance bills |
| 147. Within the Liberal party, attitudes towards were split as much as Home Rule with some Liberals, led by Lord Rosebury, styling themselves as Liberal Imperialists | imperialism |
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