

# Times of Turmoil

## Radicalism:

1. Why did the Russian Revolution make many Americans nervous?
2. What are anarchists, and why did they contribute to fear in America after World War I?
3. What did the Palmer Raids do, and were they fair?
4. Why were Sacco and Vanzetti given the death sentence?

A. Seems silly? Do we have any fears in our society today that might seem silly in the future?



## Labor Unrest:

5. Why did American workers want wage increases after World War I was over?
6. Many people connected labor unions to communism. Why did this hurt labor unions?

B. Striking Okay? Do you think it is right for labor unions to use strikes to achieve their goals? Why or why not?

## Racial Unrest:

7. Why did more than 500,000 African Americans leave the South to move north during World War I?
8. Describe the race riot in Chicago in 1919.
9. What was the message of Marcus Garvey?

C. Race Relations: Do you think the issue of race relations is better, worse, or the same today as it was right after WWI? Why?

Summary: Based on the reading, list five adjectives that could best describe the US after World War One:

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