

★ **Guided Reading Activity 12-1**

**DIRECTIONS:** Recording Who, What, When, Where, Why, and How Read the section and answer the questions below. Refer to your textbook to write the answers.

1. Why was Winston Churchill not worried about America's ability to fight a global war?  
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2. Why did the industrial output of the United States during the war astound the rest of the world? \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. How did cost-plus contracts work? \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. What was the Reconstruction Finance Corporation (RFC)? \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. What industry was uniquely suited to the mass production of military equipment?  
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6. Who launched one of the most ambitious projects when he offered to create an assembly line for the enormous B-24 bomber? \_\_\_\_\_
7. How were Liberty ships better than other types of ships? \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. When did American opinions change about a peacetime draft? \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. What, despite its problems, helped to break down barriers between soldiers?  
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10. How was the U.S. military segregated at the beginning of the war? \_\_\_\_\_  
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11. What were the two goals of the National Urban League in 1941? \_\_\_\_\_  
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12. What was the Double V campaign? \_\_\_\_\_  
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13. How did President Roosevelt influence integration in the military? \_\_\_\_\_  
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14. Who was the highest-ranking African American officer in the U.S. Army?  
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15. Who was in charge of both the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps (WAAC) and later the Women's Army Corps (WAC)? \_\_\_\_\_