

# Chapter 15 – Section 4

The Struggle for Justice at Home

- 1. Describe 3 things about the economic situation of African Americans in the 1940's.
- 2. Why did race riots break out in big cities?
- 3. What hypocrisy did black GI's see?
- 4. What was FDR's attitude toward this racial inequality at home?

- 5. Who was A. Philip Randolph and what did he do?
- 6. Why were thousands of *braceros* (Spanish for “workers”) brought into the US from Mexico during the 1940’s?
- 7. What were *barrios*?
- 8. Who were *zoot-suiters* and what often happened to them? Why?

- 9. What were the *Zoot Suit Riots*? How did they end?
- 10. How did the war change the lives of many Native Americans?
- 11. What group living in America, who had already experienced prejudice, became hated after the war began? Why?
- 12. Who were *Nisei*?

- 13. What did President Roosevelt order to happen as a result of these fears and prejudices?
- 14. What were *internment camps*?
- 15. Besides being imprisoned for no real reason, what other negative effects did this have on Japanese Americans?
- 16. What were the internment camps like?

- 17. What happened when some Japanese Americans brought this to court?
- 18. What happened in 1988?
- 19. Despite this treatment what did many Japanese Americans do?