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Answers Two Questions (50pts. Each)

Chapter 34

1. Explain in what way (a) the fall of France, (b) Hitler's invasion of the Soviet Union, and (c) the attack on Pearl Harbor mark the most important turning points in American foreign policy between 1935 and 1942.
2. Explain in what way the Neutrality Acts of the 1930s “marked in effect an abandonment of the [United States'] traditional policy of freedom of the seas.”
3. Most Americans believed in 1940–41 that war, if it came, would come in the Atlantic with Hitler's Germany. Instead, it came in the Pacific with Japan. Why were Americans so surprised by the Japanese attack?

Answer Key

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.