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Use the vocabulary words and definitions below as a reference for this unit.

26th Amendment gave right to vote to 18-year-olds

Apollo 11 spacecraft that carried first American astronauts to the moon

détente (day tahnt) relaxation of conflict between United States and Soviet Union

Ervin Committee Congressional committee that conducted Watergate hearings

impeach to charge a high public official with a crime

Miranda v. Arizona (1966) Supreme Court ruling that an accused person has to be informed of the right to remain silent and to have a lawyer present during police questioning

Organization of Petroleum Exporting Nations (OPEC) group of major oil-exporting countries

Strategic Arms Limitation

Treaty (SALT) agreement between United States and Soviet Union to limit buildup of nuclear arms

Washington Post newspaper where the two reporters worked who exposed the Watergate break-ins

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Watergate Affair burglary of Democratic National Committee offices by agents working for the Committee to Reelect the President (Nixon)

Who's Who in America in Turmoil

Spiro T. Agnew	Hubert H. Humphrey
Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin, Jr.	Henry Kissinger
Neil Armstrong	Mao Zedong
Carl Bernstein	George McGovern
Leonid Brezhnev	Richard M. Nixon
Warren Burger	Ronald Reagan
James Earl "Jimmy" Carter, Jr.	Nelson A. Rockefeller
Michael Collins	Robert Woodward
Gerald R. Ford, Jr.	