America's Road to War

Use America: History of Our Nation pg. 805–806 to answer the following questions:

1. Following WWI, what kind of policy did the U.S. return to? Why?

2. What did the Neutrality Act of 1935 NOT allow the President to do?

3. How did the Good Neighbor Policy strengthen America's policy of isolationism?

Now use page 808 through 811 to answer the remainder of the questions:

4. What did President Roosevelt promise the nation when he was reelected to a third term in 1940?

5. What kind of compromise did Roosevelt originally make with Congress that allowed the U.S. to sell supplies to Britain, even though it violated the Neutrality Act?

6. What did the Lend-Lease Act allow the United States to do? When was it passed?

7. Describe two things that Roosevelt and Congress did in 1940 that helped build up the military to prepare for a possible entry into the war:
   1. 
   2. 

8. What were the goals that Roosevelt and Churchill outlined in the Atlantic Charter of 1941?

9. What did Roosevelt do in response to the Japanese invasion of Indochina in 1941?

10. What was one reason that the Japanese decided to wage war on the U.S.?

11. Fill in the blanks: Pearl Harbor was attacked on ____________________________
    Congress declared war on Japan on ____________________________
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