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Labor Day - Answer Key

Read each question and circle the correct answer.

1. According to the video, what forever changed the American economy in the early 1800s?

- A. An amendment to the Constitution
- C. The War of 1812
- B. The arrival of Asian immigrants
- ☒ D. The Industrial Revolution

2. Dangerous machinery in factories caused many workers to _____.

- A. get tired quickly
- C. work shorter hours
- ☒ B. get injured
- D. receive higher pay

3. Why did workers form unions?

- ☒ A. To advocate for better treatment
- C. To teach each other how to use equipment
- B. To celebrate their employers
- D. To run for government office

4. When was the first Labor Day parade?

- A. June 1, 1856
- ☒ C. September 5, 1882
- B. August 10, 1861
- D. October 15, 1912

5. When is Labor Day observed?

- A. The first Sunday of July
- C. The last Thursday of October
- ☒ B. The first Monday of September
- D. The second Wednesday of November