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# The Mexican Revolution - Answer Key

Read each question and circle the correct answer.

1. Porfirio Díaz was president of Mexico for almost { } years.

A. 10

☒ C. 30

B. 20

D. 40

2. Francisco Madero was a (an) { } who ran against Díaz in the 1910 presidential election.

☒ A. wealthy landowner

C. army general

B. poor peasant

D. foreign investor

3. Why didn't Madero win the presidency when he first ran against Díaz?

A. He became too ill to continue campaigning.

C. He was an unpopular candidate.

B. He voluntarily dropped out of the running.

☒ D. He was imprisoned before the election took place.

4. True or False: Madero called for revolution after he was released from jail.

☒ A. True

B. False

5. True or False: Madero was a universally popular president.

A. True

☒ B. False

6. While Madero was president, his general conspired with { } to overthrow him.

A. the Mexican peasants

C. Great Britain

☒ B. the United States

D. Venezuela

7. The Conventionistas' focus was land redistribution, while the Constitutionalistas' focus was reforming the {} system.

- ☒ A. political
- B. economic
- C. justice
- D. educational

8. True or False: After much fighting, the Constitutionalistas defeated the Conventionistas.

- ☒ A. True
- B. False

9. Who was president of Mexico when the Constitution of 1917 was passed?

- A. Díaz
- ☒ C. Carranza
- B. Huerta
- D. Obregón

10. When did the reforms in Mexico's 1917 Constitution start to take effect?

- A. 1917
- ☒ C. 1934
- B. 1920
- D. 2017