The War of 1812

1. The reason most often given for The War of 1812 was the British _______ of American sailors, whereby American sailors would be kidnapped and forced into British servitude. Another reason often given for the war was American’s crazy conspiratorial ________________. Another factor that figured into America’s decision to go to war was expansion into territory controlled by _______________________.

2. How did Tecumseh and his brother Tensk (aka The Prophet) differ in their reaction to American westward expansion?
   a. What was the American response to this criticism?
   b. It’s important to remember that The War of 1812, like the Seven Years War and the American Revolution, was also a war against _________________. And as in those other two wars, the Indians were the biggest _________________.

3. The War of 1812 was the first time the United States ________________________ on anybody.

4. What are three interesting facts you learned about The War of 1812 from Thought Bubble?
   a. 
   b. 
   c. 

5. The ________________________ ended the war. Neither the United States or Great Britain _________________________.

6. After 1812, the United States saw itself not just as an independent nation but as a big player on the ________________________.
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1. impressment; Anglophobia; Native Americans
2. The Prophet encouraged Indians to abandon the ways of the whites (primarily in the form of manufactured goods and alcohol) whereas Tecumseh was more militant
   a. William Henry Harrison destroyed the native settlement at Prophetstown in what would become known as the Battle of Tippecanoe
   b. Indians; losers
3. declared war
4. answers will vary
5. Treaty of Ghent; actually won
6. world stage