

Section 5 Guided Reading and Review



Changes in Europe (textbook pp. 410–415)

A. Main Ideas

Fill in the missing words or phrases in the outline of Section 5 below.

I. A Global Exchange

A. New foods

1. From the Americas to Europe: _____

2. From Europe, Asia, and Africa to the Americas: _____

B. New food crops contributed to 3. _____

C. Migration of people and ideas

D. Tragedy for 4. _____

II. A Commercial Revolution

A. Europe experiences 5. _____ due to population growth and 6. _____

B. Growth of capitalism

C. New business methods, such as the 7. _____

D. Bypassing the guilds

III. A New Economic Policy

A. Mercantilism holds that exports should 8. _____

B. Colonies exist for the benefit of the 9. _____

C. Increasing national wealth

IV. The Lives of Ordinary People

A. Peasants were still the majority; their lives 10. _____

B. Growing cities were home to great differences in wealth and power

C. Nuclear families were the norm

D. Women's chief roles were 11. _____

B. Reviewing Key Terms

Briefly define each of the following terms on the back of this sheet or on a separate sheet of paper.

12. inflation

15. joint stock company

13. capitalism

16. mercantilism

14. entrepreneur

17. tariff