

VI. THE EARLY REPUBLIC

1. What are the two major social classes of ancient Rome? What are the differences between them?
2. The Republic was led by two officials called _____.
3. How often were the consuls elected? How many served at a time?
4. What are the *fasces*? What are lictors?
5. Who elected the consuls?
6. Why were the consuls often dependent on the Senate?
7. What was a dictator in the Roman republic? How long could he serve?
8. The king's religious duties were given over to the _____.



3. What tribe held the city of Veii, which the Romans tried to destroy in 405 BC?
4. Who managed to breach the walls of Veii?
5. What was Camillus banished from Rome?
6. Who sacked the city of Rome in 390 BC? Name the tribe and their leader.
7. What famous saying is attributed to Brennus? Give the English and Latin.
8. Who rescued the Romans from Brennus?
9. Who alerted Marcus Manlius that the Gauls were trying to take the Capitoline?
10. Whom did the city of Tarentum hire to protect them in 282 BC?
11. What battle was the first "Pyrrhic victory"?

