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Multiple Choice Questions

Circle the correct answer.

1. What is a quilt pattern?
 - a. The design of the quilt
 - b. The design on the fabric
 - c. A pieced quilt
 - d. Calico

2. Why did the names for quilt patterns change?
 - a. Benjamin Franklin did experiments
 - b. Textile mills were built in New England
 - c. Railroads reached the Mississippi River
 - d. Pioneer families moved westward

3. Why was there a shortage of fabric in pioneer settlements?
 - a. Fabric was imported from England
 - b. It was difficult to transport fabric to pioneer settlements
 - c. Both a. and b.
 - d. None of the above

4. What major change allowed textile mills to develop in New England?
 - a. American Revolution
 - b. French Revolution
 - c. Industrial Revolution
 - d. None of the above

5. What advances allowed fabrics to finally reach pioneer settlements?
 - a. Railroads reached the Mississippi River
 - b. Steamboats traversed the Mississippi River
 - c. Both a. and b.
 - d. None of the above

6. When quilters could buy new fabric for quilts
 - a. They stopped using small pieces of fabric
 - b. They continued to use small pieces of fabric
 - c. They no longer made pieced quilts
 - d. None of the above