Name/Date: Social Studies 9 Unit 2 The British & North America 2B Britain in the 17th Century (1600s, eh!)

References: Cranny, M. (1998) <u>Crossroads: A Meeting of Nations</u>

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Questions from Crossroads, Chapter 2 (p. 19-35)

1. Define the following:

republic

constitutional monarchy

absolute monarchy

democracy

2. What was the Magna Carta? Who did it affect? How?

3. List some changes to England in the 17th century: consider population, classes, life for workers, life for the unemployed, diet, and religion

4. Why were the Puritans called dissenters? Whose teachings did they follow? Where did persecuted Puritans go?



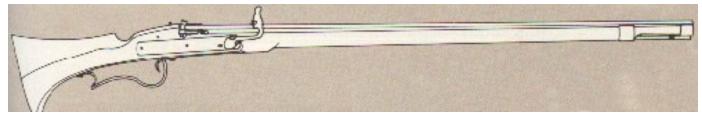
King James I of England

5. What did Puritans believe about women? Why were some women labeled as witches? How were they put on trial?

6. What was the "divine right of kings?" Which English kings believed in this idea?

7. Describe the reign (time in power) of Charles I. Mention lifestyle, problems with parliament, use of the Court of Star Chamber, and problems with the Scots

8. What was the Long Parliament? What were some of the results? How did Charles force parliament to supply an army?



18th century English flintlock musket -- what do you think were the limitations of this weapon?