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1. Describe the contribution of Rothschilds to development of bonds.
 2. Explain the financial reasons behind the South's defeat in the US Civil War.
 3. Explain the financial reasons for the defeat of the Axis in the World War.
 4. Explain the causes of Argentina's and Spain's poverty.
 5. List and describe each Dutch financial innovation.
 6. Explain John Law's contribution to the French Revolution.
 7. Explain the reasons for US's Great Depression.
 8. Explain the reasons for Enron's insolvency.
 9. Describe the effect of Hurricane Katrina on insurance.
 10. Explain the importance of Scottish Ministers' Widows Fund to insurance.
 11. Explain why Japan's Welfare System works.
 12. Describe Chile's reforms to its Welfare System.
 13. Describe different types of derivatives.
 14. Describe Roosevelt's New Deal and the reasons for US Race Riots.
 15. Describe the US Savings and Loan Crisis.
 16. Describe Grameen Bank's contribution to banking.
 17. Explain why colonial British investments in China were profitable.
 18. Explain the financial repercussions of Archduke Ferdinand's assassination.
 19. Describe and explain the positive and negative aspects of Bretton Woods.
 20. What is the Washington Consensus? What are its defects?
 21. Explain George Soros contribution to hedge funds.
 22. Describe and explain the failure of Black-Scholes Model.
 23. Explain China's contribution to the US subprime mortgage crisis.
 24. Explain the statistical foundations of insurance.
 25. Contrast Alan Greenspan's Dot Com Bubble collapse with Benjamin

Strong's Great Depression.

26. List and describe Cognitive Traps .

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