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**Korean War**

**-**began in 1950 when North Korea invaded South Korea

-Pres Truman sent in soldiers to contain communists

-General Macarthur fired by Truman

-ended in a stalemate

**Space Race**

-Russians put Sputnik into orbit

-emphasized math and science in schools

-put the first man on the moon

**Vietnam War**

-1st troops sent in 1961 by Pres Kennedy

-was politically controlled

-US public turned against the war

-1973 a peace agreement signed

-the Vietcong took over the whole country

**Discuss pros and cons of having a draft (pg 202)**