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BUILDING VOCABULARY *An Age of Limits*

A. Completion Select the term or name that best completes the sentence.

realpolitik
Rachel Carson
détente

Lois Gibbs
Gerald Ford
Watergate

Jimmy Carter
New Federalism
Saturday Night Massacre

1. President Nixon's plan of distributing a portion of federal power to state and local governments was known as _____.
2. According to the philosophy of _____, foreign policy should be based on consideration of power, not ideals or moral principles.
3. The rapid firing of the U.S. Attorney General and his deputy over the battle for Nixon's Watergate tapes was known as the _____.
4. Shortly after becoming president, _____ pardoned Richard Nixon for his role in the Watergate scandal.
5. With the publication of *Silent Spring*, marine biologist and author _____, helped Americans wake up to the harm they were inflicting on the environment.

B. Evaluating Write *T* in the blank if the statement is true. If the statement is false, write *F* in the blank and then write the corrected statement on the line below.

- _____ 1. The scandal known as Watergate centered on the Nixon administration's attempt to cover up a burglary of the Democratic National Committee headquarters.

- _____ 2. Stagflation was a combination of high inflation and decreased consumer spending.

- _____ 3. The Camp David Accords was a peace agreement forged between Israel and Syria.

- _____ 4. The Environmental Protection Agency is the federal government's main instrument for dealing with environmental issues.

- _____ 5. Under the SALT I Treaty, the United States and the Soviet Union agreed to destroy all of their intercontinental ballistic missiles and submarine-launched missiles.

C. Writing Write a paragraph describing the Nixon White House using the following terms.

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