Writing and Scoring Test Questions

Based on

Ohio's Academic Content Standards

Constructed Response Training Set 1

Grade 8

Social Studies

Item 10542

16. Write your response to question 16 in the space below.

The London Chronicle believes that the colonies should be taxed because they were originally created to be a convienience to England. To them money is their main convienience.

Samuel Adams believes that the government is taxing everything that the colonies have, without the colonies legal representation. This is giving them no benefit.

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The London Chronicle thinks that the colonies should be taxed because they are only there to benefit England so their interests aren't important. Samuel Adams does not think that the colonies' trade should be taxed. He thinks that putting tax on trade is like putting tax on their own land or anything else they own. If England's not going to put a tax on their other ~~possessions~~ then they shouldn't put a tax on trade.

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the British man thinks that the colonies should be taxed. and ~~the~~ Samuel Adams thinks that they shouldn't be taxed.

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The London paper says that Britain made the colonies to help Britain, so why should they have a say in what we do? And the American paper says, what's to stop Britain from taxing everything we own.

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The London Chronicles of 1764
saw taxing as something the parliment
could do without asking the Colonists
while Samuel Adams thought
that the colonists should at least
have a say and that the government
should have some legal representation before taxing them or else
the could tax everything for no reason

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In the London Chronicles it shows that the British think they can do what they please to America. The American colonies think that the British cannot do what it pleases to America. That's how they differ.

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The author of the London chronicle is for taxing the colonists. He says that the colonists are supposed to convenience them, and what they say does not matter. However, the quote from Samuel Adams says that he is against the taxing. Since they do not have a representative in Britain, they should not be taxed.

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Samuel Adams disagrees with the taxes, and thinks that they should have representation.

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In the London Chronicle, the say that they shall never get taxed and in Samuel Adams' quote, he is asking why should they get taxed.

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These two authors differ in opinions. Samuel Adams believes that if the Colonies are going to be taxed by Britan than they should have representation in Parliament while the author of the newspaper article thinks that the colonies are merely a support of Britan and they should not have any say in Parliament's decisions.