Social Studies 8
Chapter 8 – AK

Reading Social Studies
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1. This document details the cost of sending letters.
2. The main idea is the cost of sending letters. The supporting details include the prices which are determined by how far the letter needs to go.
3. The word packet in this context describes letters that are composed of four or more pieces of paper.
4. Answers will vary.

Section 1

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Page 269 - Analyzing Information

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Page 270 - Section Assessment

1.
    a. The Federalist candidates were John Adams and Charles C. Pinckney and the Democratic-Republican candidates were Thomas Jefferson and Aaron Burr.

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b. Jefferson's victory marked the first election in which one party replaced another in power in the United States.

2.

a. Jefferson made it clear that he supported the will of the majority and stressed the need for a limited government and protection of civil liberties.
b. Jefferson lowered military spending and reduced the size of the army and navy. Many domestic taxes, like the one on whiskey, were also eliminated. Jefferson kept the Bank of the United States.
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3.

a. John Marshal was a Federalist leader who served in the House of Representatives and as U.S. Secretary of State, he later became the Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court.
b. Judicial review is the Supreme Court's power to declare acts of Congress unconstitutional, and confirms the Supreme Court's power to check the power of the other branches of government.
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4. Student charts should be well conceived and should reflect a knowledge and appropriate application of the material in the reading.

Biography
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Answers will vary. Students should reference the material on page 271, and answers might suggest that he authored the Declaration of Independence, the Virginia Statute for Religious Freedom, and Founding Father of the University of Virginia.