

**U.S. HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT II  
HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS  
DUE FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2009**

**I. U.S. History and Government Reading**

You are responsible for Chapter 8 (pages 198-229) and Chapter 9 (pages 230-266) in *U.S. History and Government*. Make sure you have read. If you do not have a book, try to use your notes or the Internet – or see me!

**II. A New Industrial Age – Review**

Complete the exercises below using your textbook, class notes or the Internet. *Record your answers on a separate sheet of paper to turn in so that you can keep this sheet to study.*

Glossary		CHAPTER 14 A New Industrial Age	
<b>collective bargaining</b> Negotiations between labor and management	<b>leisure</b> Freedom from duties or responsibilities	<b>raw materials</b> Unprocessed natural products	
<b>corrupt</b> Immoral or dishonest	<b>merge</b> To join together	<b>robber baron</b> Industrial leader of great wealth	
<b>geologist</b> Someone who studies the origin, history, and structure of the earth	<b>monopoly</b> Complete control over an industry	<b>scheme</b> A plan, usually secret	
<b>kerosene</b> A thin oil used as a fuel	<b>preserve</b> To protect from injury	<b>sweatshop</b> A small factory with poor working conditions	

**AFTER YOU READ**

**Terms and Names**

- A. If the statement is true, write "true" on the line. If it is false, change the underlined word or words to make it true.**
- \_\_\_\_\_ The Bessemer process was a useful way of turning iron into steel.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Edwin L. Drake invented the telephone.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ The Interstate Commerce Act increased the federal government's power over the railroads.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ A business firm that controls all the competition in an industry holds a trust over the industry.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ In the late 1800s some unions looked to collective bargaining to reach agreements between workers and employers.

**B. Write the letter of the name or term that matches the description.**

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>a. Andrew Carnegie</b></li> <li><b>b. Knights of Labor</b></li> <li><b>c. <i>Munn v. Illinois</i></b></li> <li><b>d. Industrial Workers of the World</b></li> <li><b>e. Thomas Alva Edison</b></li> <li><b>f. Mary Harris Jones</b></li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>_____ <b>1.</b> Developed the light bulb and a research laboratory in Menlo Park, New Jersey</li> <li>_____ <b>2.</b> The court ruling that won states the right to regulate the railroads</li> <li>_____ <b>3.</b> Millionaire businessman who gained control of the steel industry</li> <li>_____ <b>4.</b> Union organized by a group of radical union members and socialists.</li> <li>_____ <b>5.</b> Activist who helped lead the United Mine Workers of America</li> </ul> |
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### III. Immigration and Urbanization

Complete the exercises below using your textbook, class notes or the Internet. *Record your answers on a separate sheet of paper to turn in so that you can keep this sheet to study.*

Glossary			CHAPTER 15 Immigration and Urbanization		
<b>annexed</b> Incorporated territory into an existing country	<b>immigrate</b> To enter and settle in a new country	<b>scarce</b> Not often seen or found			
<b>bribe</b> An illegal payment given for a favor	<b>kickback</b> An illegal payment	<b>turmoil</b> Extreme unrest and commotion			
<b>contagious</b> Spreading or tending to spread from one person to another	<b>persecution</b> The act of oppressing or treating badly	<b>unsanitary</b> Dirty, unhealthy			
<b>eligible</b> Qualified to do something	<b>prejudice</b> A judgment formed without knowledge of the facts				
<b>emigration</b> The act of leaving a country to settle in another	<b>salvation</b> Deliverance from evil, the act of being saved				

### AFTER YOU READ

#### Terms and Names

**A. Write the letter of the name or term that best answers the question.**

- a. Social Gospel movement
- b. Jane Addams
- c. "Boss" Tweed
- d. melting pot
- e. political machine
- f. patronage

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Which term refers to a mixture of different cultures living together?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Which term refers to a reform program that urged Christians to help improve the lives of the poor?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Who was the founder of Chicago's Hull House?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Who was one of the most powerful political bosses and the head of a New York City political machine?
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Which term refers to the giving of government jobs to people who had helped a candidate get elected?

**B. Write the name or term that best completes each sentence.**

- mass transit
- Ellis Island
- tenement
- Angel Island
- civil service
- nativism

- 1. Immigrants arriving on the East Coast in the late 1800s gained entry into the United States through \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. A \_\_\_\_\_ was a new type of multifamily urban dwelling.
- 3. A \_\_\_\_\_ job is one in government administration.
- 4. Many growing cities developed \_\_\_\_\_ systems to alleviate transportation challenges.
- 5. Favoritism toward native-born Americans is called \_\_\_\_\_.