#### Class Period

# U.S. HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS **DUE FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 2009**

# I. The Progressive Era

Use Chapter 10 in U.S. History and Government (pages 267-292) to help you with these exercises.

## Glossary antitrust Against monopolies arbitration Process of having a third party make a decision when two sides can't settle an argument

assembly line An efficient way of putting together a product in which each worker does a different specific task

boarders People who pay to live and eat at another person's house boycott Protest in which people refuse to buy a certain product commercial Aimed at making a

conservationist Person who favors using natural resources carefully

profit

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efficient Done with the least possible effort and expense

inequality Unfair difference in the way people are treated

integration Mixing racial groups journalist News writer

midterm The election halfway between two presidential elections

negotiate To try to reach an agreement by talking

party boss Person who controls a political party

piecework Work, such as sewing, that is paid for by the piece rather than by the hour

platform Official statement of political beliefs

profitable Earning a profit, for instance, selling something for more than it costs to make

regulate To set rules for

settlement house A center where poor people can get help

stenographer Office worker who takes notes in shorthand

tariff Tax charged on goods coming into the country

term Length of time an official is elected to serve

#### AFTER YOU READ

### Terms and Names

A. Write the letter of the c	noice that best completes the	sentence.
<b>1.</b> Recall is		
<ul> <li>a. a bill initiated by citizens.</li> </ul>		c. a vote to remove a public official.
<b>b.</b> a vote on an initiative.		d. a law making alcohol illegal.
2. Suffrage m	eans the	
<b>a.</b> separation of races.		c. illegal sale of alcohol.
<b>b.</b> denial of the right to vote.		<b>d.</b> right to vote.
<b>3.</b> The Clayto	n Antitrust Law	
<b>a.</b> stopped the sale of spoiled foods.		c. weakened monopolies.
<b>b.</b> created federal meat inspection.		d. preserved wilderness areas.
<b>4.</b> The Ninete	enth Amendment	
a. established the FTC.		c. made monopolies illegal.
<b>b.</b> recognized woman's suffrage.		<b>d.</b> decentralized private banking.
<b>B.</b> Write the letter of the n	ame or term that matches the	description.
a. NAACP	1. A cause taken	up by the Women's Christian Temperance Union
<b>b.</b> Bull Moose Party  2. An organization of African American women		
<b>c.</b> Payne-Aldrich Tariff  3. An organization		on started by prominent African-American and white
d. prohibition e. NACW	reformers to p	promote civil rights for African Americans
C. IANCAA	<b>4.</b> Weakened bill that got Taft in trouble with the progressives	
		Roosevelt who broke away from the Republican Party

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1. What were the four major goals of the progressive movement?	
2. Name two women's organizations and describe their mission.	
3. How did the novel <i>The Jungle</i> lead to changes in American laws governing meatpacking?	
4. Why was Roosevelt's handling of the 1902 coal strike important?	·
5. How did the Clayton Antitrust Act benefit labor?	

# **Thinking Critically**

Answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.

- 1. How did Theodore Roosevelt expand the role of the Federal government?
- 2. How might you characterize most African Americans' view of the progressive era? Why?

## II. Test on Tuesday

Make sure you have studied industrialism, immigration, and urbanization for a test on Wednesday.

## III. Andrew Carnegie Essay

If you did not complete the Andrew Carnegie essay in class, you must turn in your paper by Tuesday, March 10. Please let me know if you need additional help with this assignment.

# IV. U.S. History and Government Reading

You are responsible for Chapter 10 in *U.S. History and Government* (pages 267-292). Make sure you have read. If you do not have a book, let me know at your earliest convenience.