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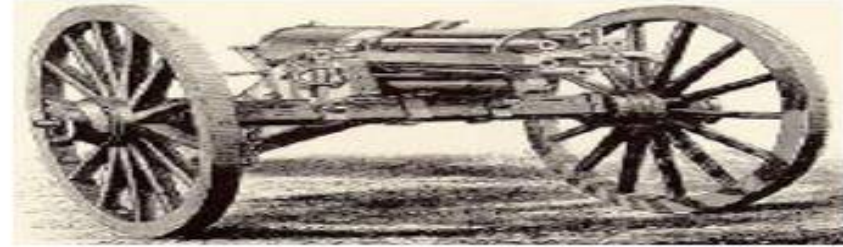


- The name given to the plains farmers who worked hard to bust up the regions tough





Wounded Knee



The last major incident on the Great Plains between the US Army and Native Americans. In 1890 150 Sioux natives were massacred by US troops along this Wounded Knee Creek.



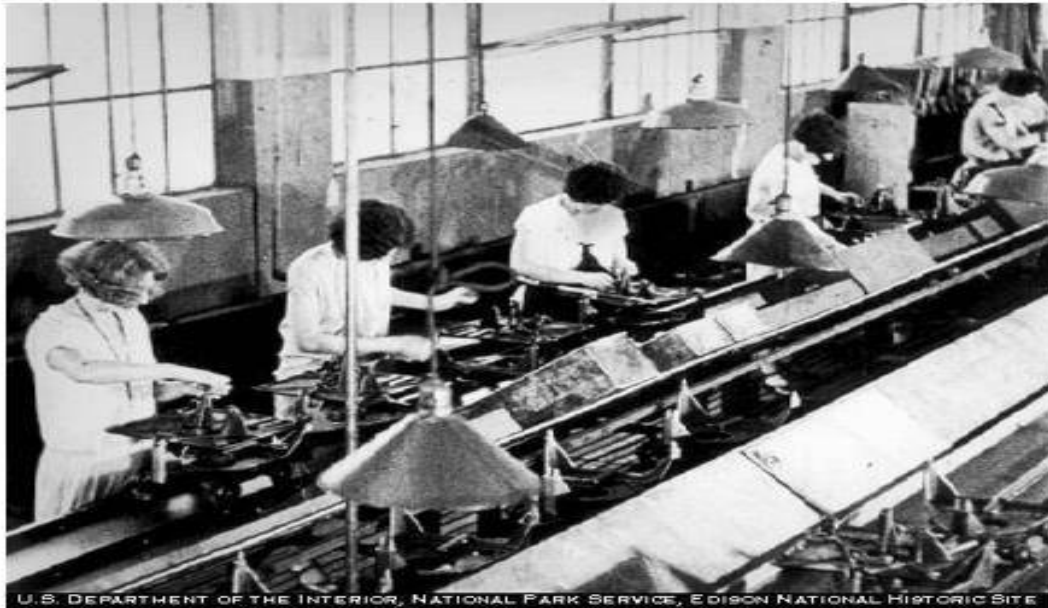
Artist Frederick Remington recreated the opening moments of the battle based on soldiers' recollections



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Assembly line

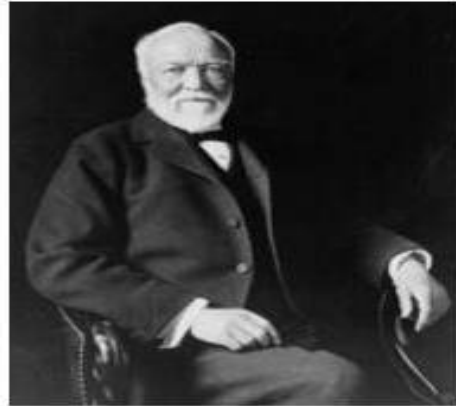
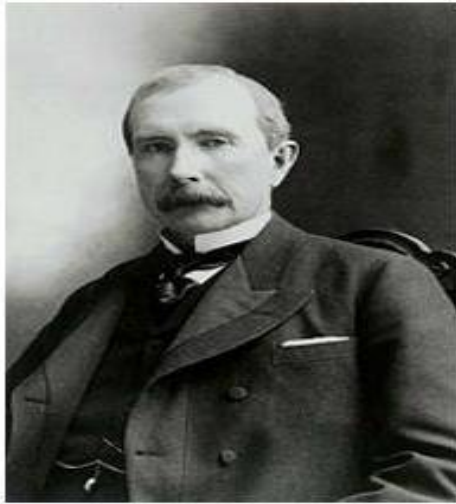
- A production system with machines and workers arranged so that each person performs an assigned task as the item passes by them.

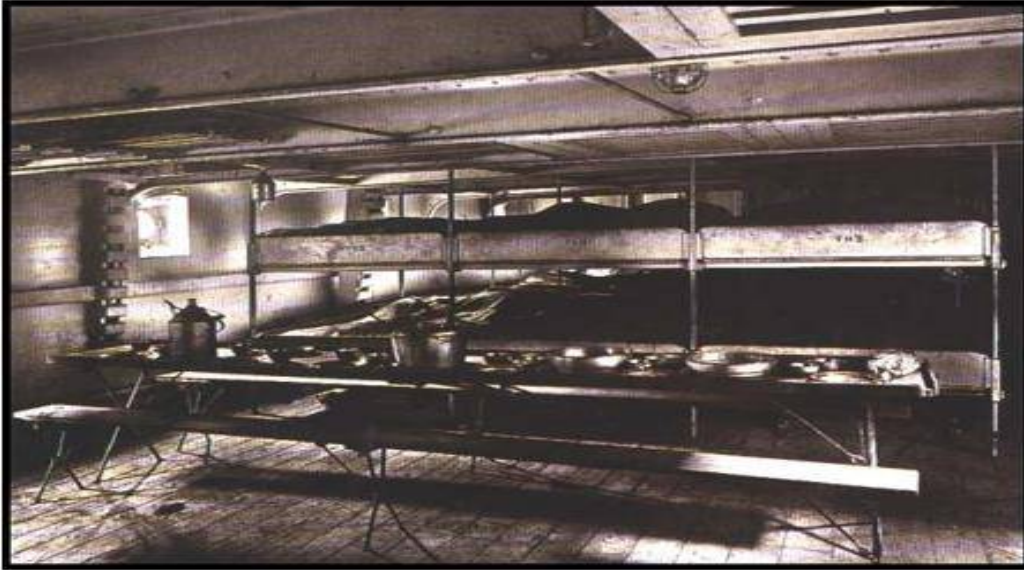


Philanthropy



Charitable acts or gifts of money to benefit a community. An example being libraries or community centers for kids.





***Steerage**

Steerage compartments were hot, cramped, and foul-smelling, but tickets were cheap!!!

Area on a ship where many poor immigrants traveled to America; was located at the bottom of the ship where the steering mechanisms were located



Cool Ellis Island Facts:

- was originally called "oyster Island"
- Island doubled in size due to land fill from the subway tunnels being built in Manhattan
- During World War I, Ellis Island was a hospital

Ellis Island

From Ellis Island, you would be able to see the Statue of Liberty. This is the inscription on the statue:

Give me your tired, your poor, Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free, The wretched refuse of your teeming shore. Send these, the homeless, tempest-tossed to me. I lift my lamp beside the golden door.



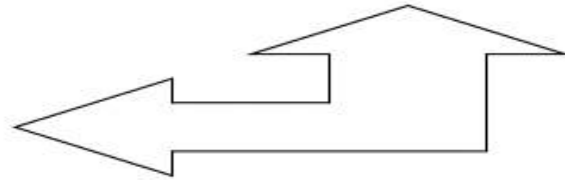
Center that processed close to 11 million immigrants from Europe between the years of 1892 and 1954

Assimilate

To absorb or adjust into the culture of a group or population.



*Once in America, New Immigrants had to assimilate by going to school and learning English



Chinese Exclusion Act

Racist!!!

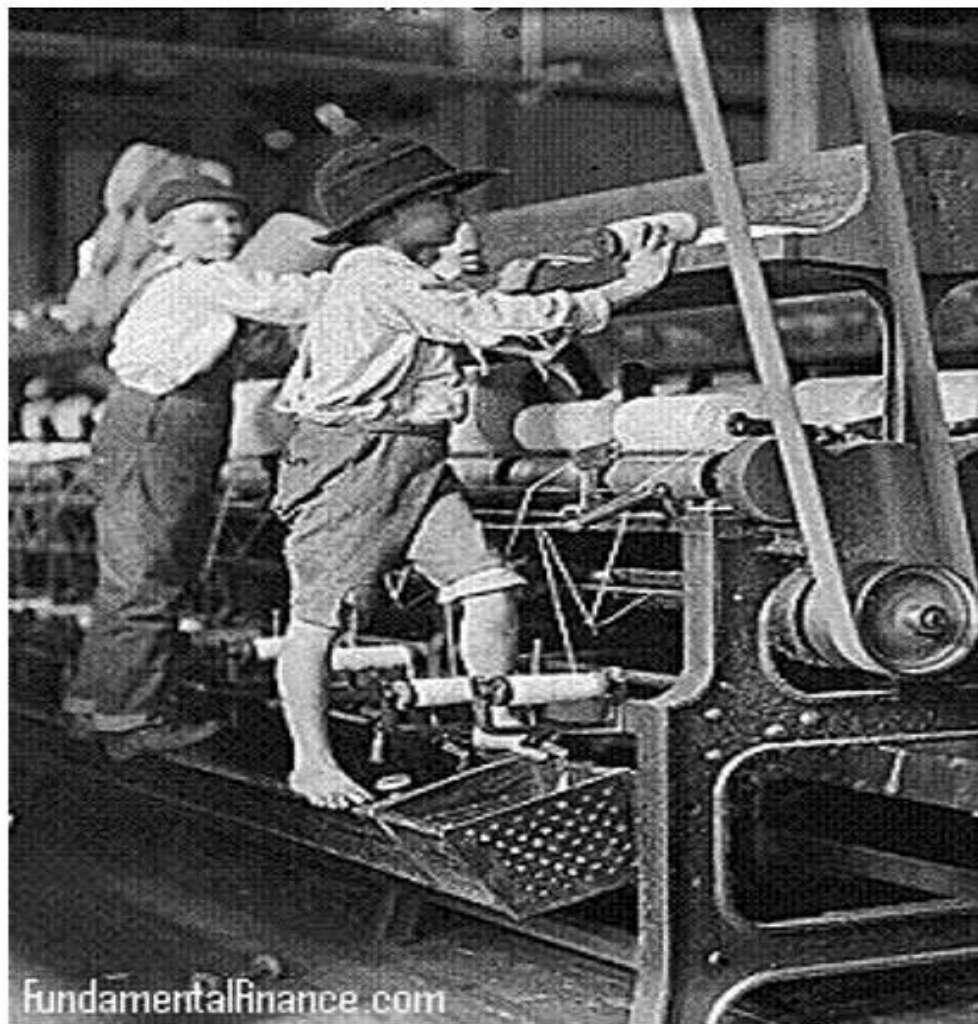


*The Chinese Exclusion Act stayed in place for over 60 years!!!

Law passed in 1882 that banned Chinese people from immigrating to the United States for 10 years.

Sweatshops

Hot, Stuffy, and dangerous workshops where workers prepare materials for very low wages.



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*Many of the workers in sweatshops were children who worked up to 12 hour days!!!

Poorly built, often overcrowded housing where many immigrants lived in the big cities, especially on the East Coast

* Tenements



Tenement Facts

- In 1900, half of the population of New York lived in tenements
- Tenements were often cramped, poorly lit, under ventilated, and usually were without indoor plumbing
- Analyze this picture and imagine the sights, sounds, and smells of living here!!!

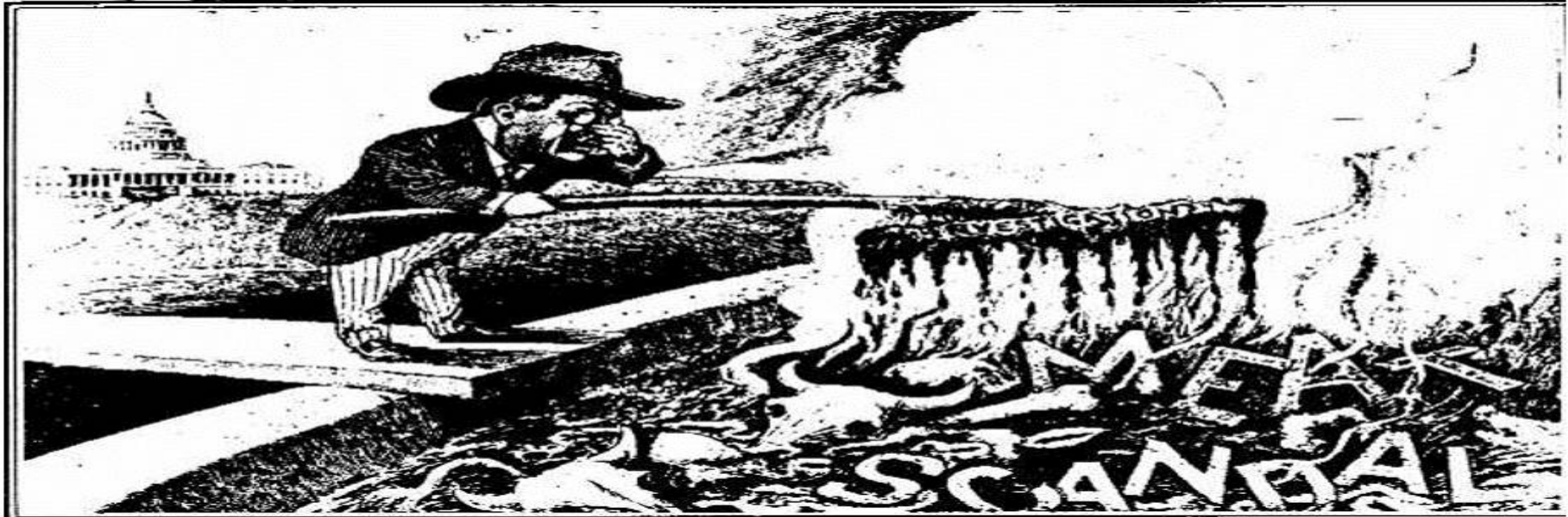
Suffragist/19th Amendment

- People who fought for suffrage, or the right to vote, for women during the late 1800's and early 1900's .
- Women earned the right to vote with the passing of the 19th Amendment



Pure Food and Drug Act

Law passed that PROHIBITED the sale of mislabeled or contaminated food and drugs





Conservation

Protection of nature and its resources.

Teddy Roosevelt was considered the first President to make this a priority



Yellowstone was the first National park, created in 1872

Booker T. Washington

An ex-slave, Washington believed African-Americans could end discrimination by improving their own lives through education and work



Du Bois thought African-Americans should directly protest and fight against discrimination



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