Gilded Age Part 1 Study Guide

As a result of this study of unit you should be able to do the following:

* Identify the factors that combined to make the United States a mature industrial society after the Civil War.
* Evaluate the effectiveness of the Gilded Age political system in meeting its goals.
* Explain how the economic development of the Gilded Age affected American freedom.
* Examine how reformers of the period approached the problems of an industrial society

The terms/topics/people below will help you address the above learning targets.

3-15th Amendments

Black Codes

Reconstruction - why was it considered radical? what did it actually look like?

Gilded Age - what does it mean

Robber Barons vs Captains of Industry

Gospel of Wealth

Creation and types of monopolies

Political Machines - pros and cons

Boss Tweed and Tammany Hall

Creation and power of the ICC

Munn v. Illinois and the Granger Laws

Social Darwinism

Liberty of Contract

Haymarket affair

Social Gospel

Utopian Books - purpose

Knights of Labor

American Federation of Labor

Homestead, Haymarket and Pullman Strikes - lasting impacts

Lochner v. New York

United States v. E.C. Knight Co.

Sherman Anti-Trust Act

Civil Service Act of 1883

Politics and Business relationships

Elk v. Wilkins

The Dawes Act

Assimilation of Native Americans

Economy of the West

Indian Citizenship

Chief Joseph

Life for farmers and Cowboys

Ghost Dance and Wounded Knee

Your test will mostly be short answers with a few m.c. and possible matching