

Review – Response to Big Business – 1870-1920

Knights of Labor, American Federation of Labor, collective bargaining, blacklisting, lock-out, Haymarket Incident, Homestead Strike, Pullman Strike, Socialist Party, Agrarian Revolt, Grange, Granger Laws, Interstate Commerce Act, Sherman Anti-Trust Act, Populist Party, Omaha Platform, Cross of Gold Speech, Progressives, Muckrakers, Jacob Riis, Upton Sinclair, Teddy Roosevelt, Anthracite Coal Strike, Northern Securities Case, Child Labor Act of 1916, Conservationism

1. Why did workers form national labor unions during the late 19th century?
2. Explain three differences between the American Federation of Labor and Knights of Labor?
3. What difficulties did unions face in trying to improve their conditions?
4. What problems did farmers face during the late 19th century? What proposals did they make to solve these problems?
5. What were the goals of the Populist party? How did they view government? Was the Populist Party a success or failure?
6. How were the Progressives similar to the Populists? How were they different?
7. How did the Progressives address the following issues: political corruption, trusts, workers rights, consumer protection, environmental protection?