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INDUSTRIALIZATION IDENTIFICATIONS

protective tariff	Andrew Carnegie	National Grange
feeder lines	corporation	Granger laws
Cornelius Vanderbilt	monopoly	<i>Munn v. Illinois</i>
New York Central	J. Pierpont Morgan	long-haul/short-haul inequity
Jay Gould	U.S. Steel	Interstate Commerce Act
James J. Hill	John D. Rockefeller	Sherman Anti-Trust Act
Great Northern	Standard Oil	<i>E.C. Knight</i>
capitalist (<i>n.</i>)	trust (<i>n.</i>)	National Labor Union
George Westinghouse	General Electric	Knights of Labor
air brake	department store	Terence V. Powderly
Western Union	John Wanamaker	Haymarket
Bessemer process	<i>laissez-faire</i>	American Federation of Labor
Mesabi	Social Darwinism	Samuel Gompers
Edwin L. Drake	autocracy	collective bargaining
refinery	Gospel of Wealth	productivity
Alexander Graham Bell	Henry George	Homestead strike
Menlo Park	<i>Progress and Poverty</i>	Henry Clay Frick
deflation	“unearned increment”	George Pullman
rebates	Edward Bellamy	company town
drawbacks	utopian	Pullman strike
"Morganization"	<i>Wealth Against Commonwealth</i>	Eugene V. Debs
		injunction

VOCABULARY

colossus	obsolescent	inordinately
euphemism	trustee	extortion
vagaries	dominance	disparity
consolidated (<i>v.</i>)	duplicity	copious
standardization	inevitable	anomaly
track gauge	eminently	precipitated
unassailable	stimulate	rudimentary

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GUIDE QUESTIONS - Transportation, Industry, and Labor

1. Why was the new, speedier form of transportation necessary as the nation grew?
2. How were the railroads an industry in itself?
3. What features of railroads had to be standardized, and why?
4. How did railroads assist in settling and populating the West?
5. In what industry did each of the following make his fortune?
A) Rockefeller B) J.P. Morgan C) Carnegie D) Bell E) Edison
6. What is a monopoly? What is the purpose of competition? How were shipping rates effected by a “short haul” vs. a “long haul?”
7. How did Andrew Carnegie manage to build his gigantic steel company?
8. What was the significance of Rockefeller’s Standard Oil Company?
9. Why was oil so very important?
10. How did the railroads assist Rockefeller in establishing his monopoly?
11. What was the significance of the Interstate Commerce Act of 1887?
12. What is the difference between interstate and intrastate commerce?
13. What industry did this Interstate Commerce Act attempt to regulate and why?
14. What was the purpose of the Sherman Anti-Trust Act?
15. What impact or effect would the above two acts have upon the concept of laissez-faire?
16. Why did labor (workers) attempt to organize? Be specific.
17. Of what significance were the Knights of Labor? Explain fully.
18. What caused the Knights of Labor to lose credibility?
19. Why was the American Federation of Labor successful?
20. Who is Samuel Gompers?
21. What was the most important “weapon” of the AFL and why?
22. How were wage earners influenced by the growing industrial tide?
23. In what ways did women benefit from the industrial revolution?