

Possible Topics:

<input type="checkbox"/> Tenements of NYC (approximately 1880-1910)
<input type="checkbox"/> Ellis Island
<input type="checkbox"/> Jacob Riis/"How the Other Half Lives - <i>photographer who exposed the poor in cities</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Muckrakers - <i>Purpose of muckraking with examples from the Gilded Age</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Nellie Bly - <i>muckraker for the mentally handicapped</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Ida Tarbell - <i>leading muckraker who exposed the corruption of Rockefeller's Standard Oil</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Lewis Hine - <i>photographer that exposed the horrors of child labor</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Triangle Shirtwaist Factory Fire
<input type="checkbox"/> Homestead Strike - <i>miserable workers at Carnegie's steel mill strike</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Pullman Strike - <i>Pullman Car workers strike against RR Car owner who employs them</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Samuel Gompers - <i>Founder of the American Federation of Labor Union</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters & Maids - <i>African American labor Union</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Women's Suffrage Movement
<input type="checkbox"/> Temperance Movement - <i>anti-alcohol fight that led to the Prohibition Amendment</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Thomas Edison - <i>Electric Lighting Systems*</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Alexander Graham Bell - <i>Telephone*</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Boss Tweed & Thomas Nast - <i>Cartoonist who took down the corrupt political leader</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Rockefeller - <i>And his monopoly on oil & Sherman Anti-Trust Act (challenging)</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Carnegie - <i>And his monopoly on steel (challenging)</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Vanderbilt - <i>And his monopoly on the railroad (challenging)</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Henry Ford - <i>Model T and the first large-scale use of the assembly line*</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Annie Malone - <i>St. Louis Cosmetics/Poro College</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Madame C.J. Walker - <i>St. Louis Hair Care</i>