

EXERCICES

Exercise 1. Look at the pictures.

a. Present what black people could and couldn't do during segregation in the US : write 2 sentences.



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Segregated Water Fountains", by Elliot Erwitt (1950)

b. Present what they would do : write 2 details.



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Exercise 2. “ Jim Crow” Laws

 The name « Jim Crow » is often used to describe the segregation laws. Jim Crow was a black character (a caricature of a silly and clumsy black slave) performed by a white actor called Thomas Rice. Those laws, that established « separate but equal » standard, were enforced by various American States from 1896 to 1964.



Look at the map and read the laws. Rephrase the laws using " HAD TO" and " BE



• **Interrmarriage:** "No person having one-eighth part or more of negro blood shall be permitted to marry any white person." *Missouri 1879*

• **Education:** White and colored persons shall not be taught in the same school. *West Virginia 1872*

• **Health:** An Alabama law prohibits white female nurses from caring for black male patients. *Alabama 1915*

ALLOWED".

a. HAD TO = In Missouri,

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BE ALLOWED TO

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b. HAD TO = In West Virginia,

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c. HAD TO = In Alabama,

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