

# The Gilded Age: Rise of Cities

## Fill-in-the-Blank / Multiple Choice

- Between 1830 and 1860 the urban population of the United States grew by over \_\_\_\_ %.
- Greater efficiency means \_\_\_\_\_ workers needed due to greater economic opportunities in \_\_\_\_\_.
- For the middle class, jobs and greater \_\_\_\_\_ opportunity were the most likely reasons to move to the city.
- For the poor and working class it was the availability of \_\_\_\_\_ industrial jobs that brought them to the city.
- 2 factors that contributed to city growth were \_\_\_\_\_ and rural to urban \_\_\_\_\_.
- The United States had a reputation for \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- PUSH FACTORS that pushed immigrants out of native lands to the United States were \_\_\_\_\_, lack of economic opportunity, ethnic conflict, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.
- PULL FACTORS that pulled immigrants out of their original homes to the United States were industries that needed \_\_\_\_\_, availability of \_\_\_\_\_.
- New groups usually congregated together and formed isolated \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- Politicians traded \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ for votes.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transportation allowed people to travel faster and farther than ever before.
- What became the face of the modern city due to it attracting people to a glamorous life?
  - The air plane
  - The Skyscraper
  - The Statue of Liberty
- How much of the growth in cities came from immigrants?
  - Over half
  - One third
  - 100 %
- Why did many people leave their farms and rural regions to move to larger cities?
  - Animal diseases killed the crops
  - Decreased opportunities due to increased mechanization of agriculture.
  - Transportation
- Who invented the skyscraper?
  - Albert Einstein
  - Thomas Edison
  - Louis Sullivan
- What was the name of the settlement house that provided services to newcomers, particularly women?
  - The Hull House
  - The Fuller House
  - Faith House
- Problems during this time included crime, filth (poor \_\_\_\_\_), \_\_\_\_\_, and slums.
- What was the name of the large room that immigration officials used to examine immigrants coming into the city?
  - The Great Hall
  - Carnegie Hall
  - The White House
- What is the academic term for immigrants who leave one place and travel to another place to live?
  - Walk and Run
  - Up and Down
  - Push and Pull