## WEEKLY QUIZ TODAY!!!

Skim through your notes as you come into class to prepare!

#### **TODAY'S OBJECTIVES**

□ I can explain how immigration into the U.S. affected industrialization.

□ I can describe urbanization problems.

□ I can explain how political bosses functioned.

# Urbanization and the Immigrants

# Immigration

Huge numbers of people were moving to the U.S.

- <u>Push factor</u>- something that makes someone want to leave their home
- <u>Pull factor</u>- something attractive that makes people want to come

Does the Neil Diamond song on your note sheet reference a pull factor or a push factor?

# Immigration

On your note sheet, brainstorm push and pull factors that would affect immigration to the U.S.

- Leaving famines, political oppression, segregation
- Coming for economic opportunity, religious freedom, etc.

## Immigration: From the Old World to New

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g2xEce5I1Yk&authuser=0

# Immigration: Arriving in New York City

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RAUP1Csp-hQ&authuser=0

# Immigration: Land of Opportunity

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4QEylEC8Oys&authuser=0

## Immigration: The Melting Pot

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yWYVpgOGxKM&t=192s&authuser=0

## Immigration: The Closing Door

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=53PLMQ9Bc08&authuser=0

## European Immigration

<u>Ellis Island</u>- Island in New York harbor where most immigrants were processed

• 12 million people between 1892 and 1954

Ethnic Cities - Cities or neighborhoods separated by ethnic group

- Spoke their native language, recreated their homeland (newspapers, architecture, etc.)
- Ex. "Little Italy," Jewish "Lower East Side," "Chinatown"

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## Asian Immigration

## Angel Island- West coast (California) Ellis Island

 The wait to see if you had been approved could take months

### **Mostly Japanese and Chinese**

- Japan had economic problems that caused many to leave
- The 1850 Taiping Rebellion forced many Chinese out
  - What did they do for work when they got here?

## Nativism

<u>Nativism</u>- hostility toward immigrants by native born people
Still an issue today (ex. Brexit, Trump)

Worried that they would change our religion (Protestant v. Catholic) and take our jobs

# Effects of Nativism

Violence

<u>Chinese Exclusion Act (1882)</u>- stopped Chinese immigration for 10 years, and stopped those in the country from becoming citizens. Made permanent in 1902, repealed in 1943.

October 1906- San Francisco made Asian students attend a "Oriental School"

<u>Gentleman's Agreement</u>- Theodore Roosevelt placed limits on Japanese immigration to get San Fran to stop segregating its schools.

# Urbanization

Urbanization - a population shift from rural to urban areas

Historical Thinking Focus: Causation

Big change in American society. What led to it? What came from it?

# Causes of Urbanization

Immigration

Settled near the immigration ports where work was available

Industrialization

Manufacturing jobs were in the cities, so you had to be close

Importance of Railroads

You wanted to be close to the railroad stations

*Effects* of Urbanization

<u>Tenement Housing</u>- Multifamily apartment buildings *stuffed* with boarders

**Political Machines** 

**Party Bosses** 

## **One-Room Tenement House**



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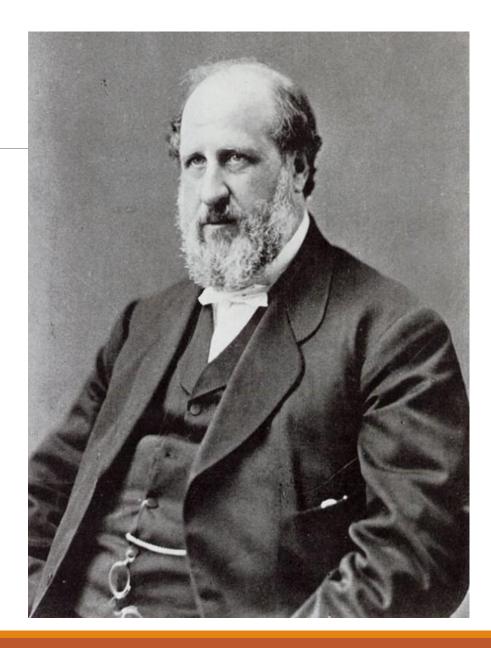
#### Party Bosses

A person who wields political power over a region or group of people

Dictates voting, political appointments, and has a ton of power

*They* think of themselves as PUBLIC SERVANTS

*Social Activists* think of them as CORRUPT and GREEDY



## Political Machines

Cities grew faster than the government

Informal political group takes control of the government

Fraud – they controlled the city's finances • Bribes/<u>Graft</u>

In exchange for votes, they promised

- Jobs Housing
- Food Heat
- Police Protection

#### Who did this appeal to?

## Political Bosses/Machines Documentary

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UwQpsiIRRK8