**Why did the Progressive Era begin?**

* A movement of reformers to address the social problems created by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and return order and stability

**What role did Industrialization play?**

* Industrialization created problems

- all powerful monopolies

- no government regulations

- horrible working conditions

- horrible living conditions

- overcrowded, crime, and disease infested cities

**Who led the Progressive Movement?**

**3 important groups of people**

#1 Political \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Governor of Wisconsin
  + Robert La Follette
* President
  + Teddy Roosevelt

**Robert La Follette**

* “Fighting Bob”
* Champions

- the first workers' compensation system

- railroad rate reform

- direct legislation  
 - municipal home rule

- open government

- the minimum wage

- non-partisan elections

- the open primary system

- direct election of U.S. Senators

- women's suffrage

- and progressive taxation

**#2 Muckrakers**

* Journalists who exposed social ills in the attempt to initiate \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Targeted

- corrupt business practices (monopolies)

- unsafe factory conditions

- violence against unions

- political machines and boss rule

- RR practices

**Some notable muckrakers**

* Ida Tarbell: The History of the Standard Oil Company
* Upton Sinclair: The Jungle
* Lincoln Steffens: The Shame of the Cities
* Jacob Riis: How The Other Half Lives

**#3 The People**

**Social Gospel**

* Moral sense of social \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Salvation Army example of fusion of religion and reform

**Settlement Houses**

* Middle class Americans “settling” the inner city and immigrants
* Staffed by college women (Eleanor Roosevelt)
* Forerunner to social work

**Hull House**

* 1889 Jane Addams
* Chicago
* Becomes the model
* Classes in English, health, crafts, music, drama, college extension classes for the ambitious, reading to illiterates. Social services for deserted women and widows were provided as well as furniture if possible. Sent nurses out to help the sick

**What type of Federal Reform was made?**

**16th amendment**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* The Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes on incomes, from whatever source derived, without apportionment among the several States, and without regard to any census or enumeration

**17th amendment**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* The Senate of the United States shall be composed of two Senators from each State, elected by the people thereof, for six years; and each Senator shall have one vote. The electors in each State shall have the qualifications requisite for electors of the most numerous branch of the State legislatures. When vacancies happen in the representation of any State in the Senate, the executive authority of each State shall issue writs of election to fill such vacancies: …

**18th amendment**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Section 1. After one year from the ratification of this article the manufacture, sale, or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited.

**19th amendment**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of sex. Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

**What type of state reform was made?**

**Initiative**

* The people propose and pass a law \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Referendum**

* allows legislatures to submit a law to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the people

**Recall**

* Allows the people to vote an official \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ office
* Give more power to the people on the *STATE LEVEL*