1. The Iron Colt Becomes an Iron Horse
   1. Describe the growth of Railroads
   2. How were transcontinental railroads constructed?
   3. What opportunities and problems arose from this?
2. Spanning the Continent with Rails
   1. ID the Union Pacific and Central Pacific Railroad Companies
   2. What did the government give them for their work?
   3. What was life like when constructing the rails?
   4. When did the railroad industry explode?
3. Binding the Country with Railroad Ties
   1. ID later railroad companies
   2. How were pioneer builders overoptimistic?
4. Railroad Consolidation and Mechanization
   1. How did Vanderbilt contribute to the railroad industry?
   2. What improvements were made to trains and tracks?
5. Revolution by Railways
   1. ID how railroads affected these areas:
      1. Agriculture
      2. Industry
      3. The Growth of cities
   2. How was a “raw new aristocracy” created
6. Wrongdoing in Railroading
   1. Discuss the various business practices that railroad barons used to make money.
7. Government Bridles the Iron Horse
   1. ID the Wabash Case
   2. ID the Interstate Commerce Act
   3. What were some of the shortcomings of this Act?
8. Miracles of Mechanization
   1. Why did America make such an industrial transformation?
   2. Highlight important inventors and inventions.
9. The Trust Titan Emerges
   1. How did these barons protect their wealth?
      1. Carnegie
      2. Rockefeller
      3. Morgan
10. The Supremacy of Steel
    1. ID the explosion of the steel industry
11. Carnegie and other Sultans of Steel
    1. Explain Carnegie’s ascension to wealth.
    2. Describe how Morgan’s business practices and how he came to own Carnegie’s company.
12. Rockefeller Grows and American Beauty Rose
    1. Explain the evolution of the oil Industry. Include competition from electricity and the ascendancy of the car.
    2. Describe Rockefeller and Standard Oil
    3. Describe other Trusts and barons

XIII. The Gospel of Wealth

a. How did philosophy and religion justify ruthless wealth making?

b. How were companies able to bend the law in their favor

XIV. The South in the Age of Industry

a. Identify why the South was left industrially behind.

XV. The Impact of the New Industrial Revolution on America

a. How were the lives of rural immigrants and women changed?

b. How was the American economy transformed?

XVI. In Unions There Is Strength

a. Explain the double standard of forming trusts and organizing unions.

b. How were companies able to defeat strikes and agitators?

XVII. Labor Limps Along

a. Why did the Civil War increase union membership?

b. ID the National Labor Union

c. ID the Knights of Labor

XVIII. Unhorsing the Knights of Labor

a. ID the Haymarket Bomb

b. Describe the fall of the Knights

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XIX. The AF of Al to the Fore

a. ID Samuel Gompers

b. ID the AFL

c. Explain the progress of Trade Unionism.