American History I Honors: 9 Week Quarterly Exam Study Guide

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Note: This exam will be comprised of chapters 28, 29, and 30 (Progressive Era/World War I).

**Progressive Era (Chapters 28&29):**

**General People:**

Theodore Roosevelt- President Outdoorsman, Republican, Progressivist, Square Deal, Environmentalist, Bull Moose (New Nationalism)

William Howard Taft- President, progressivist, Lawyer, Racist, Dollar Diplomacy (Using american funds to advance other countries)

Upton Sinclair- Author of the Jungle, portrayed lives of immigrants/meatpacking industry practices

Woodrow Wilson-Democrat, Gov. of NJ, New Freedom, Formed FED, FTC (Trustbuster

Eugene Debs- Socialist, IWW (wobblies), union supporter, later arrested

**General Topics:**

Open Door Policy- In reference to the open relationship with china of the united states, and

16th, 17th, 18th, 19th Amendments- 16 - Inc. tax, 17- DE of senators, 18- Prohibition, 19- Suffrage

Muller v. Oregon- Gave special protection to women because of physical disadvantage.

Roosevelt Corollary-US **will** interfere in disputes between European and Latin American countries

Panic of 1907-Series of banks going into bankruptcy, caused by Morgan

Elkins Act- Punished railroads who offered rebates

Hepburn Act- Let ICC set maximum railroad rates, no more free passes, bridges, terminals, ferries...

1912 Presidential Election- Wilson vs TR v Eugene Debs v Taft Wilson won

Federal Reserve System - US central bank that controlled currency (1913) Wilsons brainchild

Women’s Christian Temperance Union (WCTU)- Anti-Alcohol group pro-hibition

Anthracite coal strike 1902- Bigger wages, shorter workdays, and union recognition, Roosevelt threatened to operate mines with troops state v capital.

**Progressivism:**

Goals of the Progressives- Use gov as agency of welfare : Temperance, DE of senators, Suffrage, economic reform (unions)

Progressive Reformers- People who believe in continuing social advancement

Role of the Muckrakers- Made the public aware of anti-humanitarian atrocities

Political Progressivism - Reform movement by people

**World War I (Chapter 30):**

Central Powers- Germany, Astro-Hungry, Ottoman, and Bulgaria.

Allies- France, Britian, Russia, Serbia,Montenegro, Greece, Belgium, Italy, Romania, United States, Japan, Portugal, Siam, Brazil

Treaty of Versailles- Ended war between germany/allies, compromised on all of Wilson’s points except four  
Wilson’s Fourteen Points- A proposal to abolish secret treaties pleased liberals in all countries, Freedom of the Seas Appealed to the Germans as well as to Americans who distrusted British Sea Power, A Removal of economic barriers among nations had long been the goal of Liberal Internationalists everywhere, Reduction of armament burdens was gratifying to taxpayers in all countries, An adjustment of colonial claims in interests of both natives peoples and the colonizers was reassuring to anti-imperialists.--

America’s viewpoint prior to our involvement in the war-Isolationism, We’re separate from Europe