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**Question 1** 10 out of 10 points



Which statement about Frederick Jackson Turner's theory of the frontier is FALSE?

Selected



Answer:

Capitalism impeded the frontier because Indian lands were priced too high for "common men."

Answers:

a. "Rugged Individualism" on the frontier promoted democracy.

The frontier formed the exceptionalism of America's society and character.

- c. Taming the wilderness turned Europeans into Americans.
- d. The frontier helped shape America's character and institutions.

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**Question 2** 10 out of 10 points



From watching the film Ragtime, which statements are FALSE?

When Harry Thaw barged into the gentlemen's dinner party hosted by Stanford White, one of the guests was a prominent public official. That guest was Police Commissioner Rhinelander Waldo.

- The Thaw family lawyer told Evelyn Nesbit that she would receive one million dollars II. if she testified favorably in court.
- III. While Coalhouse Walker was playing the piano in the cinema, the newsreel reported that President Theodore Roosevelt had hosted a prominent African American citizen at the White House. Roosevelt's guest was George Washington Carver.
- IV. The neighborhood where Brother followed Evelyn could be accurately described as a Jewish ghetto.
- V. When the family found the baby in the vegetable garden, Mother was content to let Sarah go to jail, but it was Father who suggested that they keep Sarah and her baby in their home.
- VI. Tateh, (the street artist) became enraged when he learned that his wife was engaged in an extramarital relationship.
- VII. At dinner in the family's home, Father reported that his factory had the best quarter ever. He attributed those results principally to the line of clown costumes that Brother designed.
- VIII. When Brother followed Evelyn and traffic stopped in the middle of the street, Evelyn went to investigate. She saw that two automobiles had collided, and the drivers were exchanging driver licenses and insurance information.
- IX. While the family had dinner, Bridgit went to the vegetable garden and was shocked to see that Coalhouse Walker and Sarah were there talking.
- X. In court, Evelyn testified that Stanford White whipped her with a horse whip.

Selected Answer:

e. Only III, V, VII, VIII, IX are FALSE.

Answers:

- a Only I, II, VII, VIII, X are FALSE.
- b Only III, VI, VII, VIII, X are FALSE.
- c Only I, III, V, VII, IX are FALSE.
- d Only II, IV, V, VII, X are FALSE.
- 🗸 e. Only III, V, VII, VIII, IX are FALSE.

f Only II, III, V, VIII, IX are FALSE.

**Question 3** 10 out of 10 points

From watching the film Ragtime, which statements are TRUE?

- While Coalhouse Walker was playing the piano in the cinema, the newsreel reported that Harry Houdini was about to go on a nation-wide tour. Houdini was a famous song-and-dance man whose most memorable tune was "I Could Love A Million Girls."
- II. Harry Thaw had a meeting with Evelyn Nesbit and two gentlemen about getting a statue removed from atop Madison Square Garden. The two gentlemen were lawyers who promised to do everything they could within the realm of the law.

- III. While Coalhouse Walker was playing the piano in the cinema, the newsreel reported that a nude statue would be unveiled atop Madison Square Garden. Former chorus girl Evelyn Nesbit denied that she had posed for the statue.
- IV. While Coalhouse Walker was playing the piano in the cinema, the newsreel reported that Harry Thaw's mother had just returned from touring China, Japan, and the Philippines.
- At the gentlemen's dinner party hosted by Stanford White, the waitstaff who entered the dining room to serve the dessert were tuxedo-clad, African American, singing waiters.
- VI. A police inspector arrived at the family's home after the baby was found. The inspector's comments about the baby's mother indicated that he did not hold a high opinion of African Americans.
- VII. While Coalhouse Walker was playing the piano in the cinema, the newsreel reported that immigration was down to historic low levels.
- VIII. While Coalhouse Walker was playing the piano in the cinema, the newsreel reported that J.P. Morgan had purchased a Gutenberg Bible.
- IX. Harry Thaw had a meeting with Evelyn Nesbit and two gentlemen about getting a statue removed from atop Madison Square Garden. The two gentlemen were organized crime hit-men whom Thaw hired to assassinate Stanford White.
- X. When Harry Thaw's mother met with her lawyers and Evelyn Nesbit, she declared that her son was perfectly sane, contradicting Evelyn who said that Harry was crazy.

Selected Answer:

only II, III, VI, VIII, X are TRUE.

Answers:

- a Only I, III, VI, VIII, X are TRUE.
- only II, III, VI, VIII, X are TRUE.
  - c Only I, II, III, V, VIII are TRUE.
  - d Only II, III, V, IX, X are TRUE.
  - e Only II, III, IV, VII, IX are TRUE.
  - f Only I, III, IV, VII, X are TRUE.

**Question 4** 10 out of 10 points



Which statement is FALSE?

Selected

Answer:

In the election of 1892, not a single Populist candidate won in a local or national race.

Answers:

Coxey's Army (1894) marched on Washington to encourage creation of jobs in public construction projects and expansion of the money supply.

b.

Mary Lease was a populist speaker who challenged farmers to "Raise less corn and more hell!"



In the election of 1892, not a single Populist candidate won in a local or national race.

d.

When William McKinley ran for president in 1896, Cuba was a colony of Spain.

e The Interstate Commerce Act (1887) regulated railroads.

**Question 5** 10 out of 10 points

From watching the film Ragtime, which statements are FALSE?

- When Coalhouse Walker showed up at the family's home the second time, Mother showed him to the front room and invited him to wait there while she spoke with Sarah.
- When Brother asked Coalhouse Walker what kind of music he played, Coalhouse Walker said he played only classical music.
- The real reason the Emerald Isle Volunteer Fire Company's firemen blocked the street when Coalhouse Walker approached the firehouse in his Model T Ford was that they needed additional space to conduct preventive maintenance on their fire apparatus.
- IV. When Coalhouse Walker showed up at the family's home the first time, Father and Mother asked Sarah to speak with Coalhouse Walker, but she refused to come downstairs.
- V. Officer O'Donnell resolved the dispute between Coalhouse Walker and the firemen by ordering the fireman to remove the horse excrement (poop) from the car's seat.
- VI. The real reason the Emerald Isle Volunteer Fire Company's firemen blocked the street when Coalhouse Walker approached the firehouse in his Model T Ford was that they resented the fact that a man of color owned and operated his own automobile.
- Officer O'Donnell resolved the dispute between Coalhouse Walker and the firemen by arresting the firemen and their leader Willie for malicious mischief and vandalism.
- VIII. When Coalhouse Walker showed up at the family's home the first time, Father told him to wait at the back of the house.

Selected Answer:

only II, III, V, VII are FALSE.

Answers:

- a Only II, III, IV, V are FALSE.
- b Only II, IV, VI, VIII are FALSE.
- Only II, III, V, VII are FALSE.

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  - d Only IV, V, VII, VIII are FALSE.
  - e Only I, IV, V, VII are FALSE.

- f Only I, II, IV, V, are FALSE.
- a. Only III, VI, VII, VIII are FALSE.
- h. Only I, II, V, VI are FALSE.

**Question 6** 10 out of 10 points



From watching the film *Ragtime*, which statements are TRUE?

- Harry Thaw was tried for the murder of Stanford White. The jury found Thaw not guilty by reason of insanity.
- II. After Evelyn entered Tateh's vacant apartment, she was startled when Tateh's estranged wife showed up.
- III. The Emerald Isle Volunteer Fire Company which blocked Coalhouse Walker's automobile derived its name from a connection with Ireland or Irish heritage.
- IV. When Coalhouse Walker auditioned for a position with the Clef Club Band, he demonstrated his proficiency in playing the slide trombone.
- V. After Brother interrupted Evenly Nesbit while she was rehearsing in the dance studio, they argued, and Brother left angry.
- VI. When Evelyn returned to the neighborhood where she'd first met Tateh, she brought a dress, a pair of patent-leather shoes, and a dollhouse as gifts for Tateh's little girl.
- VII. While Coalhouse Walker was playing the piano in the cinema, the newsreel reported that the Ford Motor Company was using advanced assembly-line production methods to produce their automobiles.
- VIII. In Tateh's vacant apartment, Evelyn told Brother that he was scary, and she would never consent to let him accompany her anywhere, anytime.
  - The real reason the Emerald Isle Volunteer Fire Company's firemen blocked the street when Coalhouse Walker approached the firehouse in his Model T Ford was that they wanted to show Police Officer O'Donnell that they were not sleeping on the job.

Selected Answer:

only I, III, V, VII are TRUE.

Answers:

- a Only II, V, VII, IX are TRUE.
- b Only I, II, III, VII are TRUE.
- only I, III, V, VII are TRUE.
  - d Only III, V, VII, IX are TRUE.
  - Only I, III, IV, VIII are TRUE.
  - f Only III, V, VI, VIII are TRUE.
  - g. Only I, II, III, V are TRUE.
  - h Only II, III, V, VI are TRUE.

**Question 7** 10 out of 10 points



Which of the following statements about the U.S. West is FALSE?

Selected

**⊘** C.

Answer:

U.S. Gen. Philip Sheridan was a pro-Indian military officer who defended Indians against white settlers who coveted western lands and were willing to encroach on Indian land to get it.

Answers:

a.

Extended railroad construction in the West diminished buffalo herds which Indians relied on for food, clothing, and shelter.

The 1868 Treat of Laramie created the Great Sioux Reservation and promised Indians education and allotments of food and clothing.

🕜 C.

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d.

Three elements that contributed to western expansion were: the U.S. Government's liberal land distribution, the presence of pioneers and capitalists, and the ultimate defeat of Native Americans by the U.S. Army.

**Question 8** 10 out of 10 points



Which of the following about the West is TRUE?

Selected



Answer:

At the 1890 Wounded Knee Massacre, U.S. soldiers fired upon American Indian men, women, and children, killing 150-300 (estimated).

Answers:

The Dawes Act (1887) provided American Indians genuine financial stability and restoration of their tribal unity and traditional culture.

🕜 b.

At the 1890 Wounded Knee Massacre, U.S. soldiers fired upon American Indian men, women, and children, killing 150-300 (estimated).

When gold was found in the Black Hills, whites were unable to profit from the find because the region was Indian land.

d.

At the Battle of the Little Horn (1876), U.S. military forces wiped out the last remaining American Indian warriors on the northern plains.

**Question 9** 10 out of 10 points



Which statement is FALSE?

Selected

🕜 a.

Answer:

Theodore "Teddy" Roosevelt became president in 1901 following a highly successful 1900 presidential campaign in which he defeated William McKinley.

Answers:

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Theodore "Teddy" Roosevelt became president in 1901 following a highly successful 1900 presidential campaign in which he defeated William McKinley.

When he was a presidential candidate in 1896, William Jennings Bryan opposed the gold standard as a burden on the nation's producing farmers and laborers, a position he most famously stated in his "Cross of Gold" speech.

C.

Around the time of the Spanish-American war, "Yellow Journalism" was a phrase that connoted sensationalist newspaper reporting designed to influence the public and spur U.S. action.

d.

The U.S. justified its war against Spain because the latter nation was guilty of sinking the U.S.S. Maine in Havana harbor.

**Question 10** 10 out of 10 points



Which statement is FALSE?

Selected

Answer:

In the presidential election of 1896, William McKinley was the candidate of the Democratic Party and considered a "Silverite." His opponent, William Jennings Bryan, was the candidate of the Republican Party and considered a "Goldbug."

Answers:

The Populist Party's platform of 1892 included popular election of U.S. senators, 8-hour workday, and graduated income tax.

In the 1896 presidential election, William Jennings Bryan would likely earn the support of farmers and working people.

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d.

In the election of 1896, William Jennings Bryan earned the support of his own party as well as the support of the Populist Party.

e.

In the 1896 presidential election, William McKinley would likely support a tariff to protect U.S. manufacturers.

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