

## Recommended Text (optional):

- Eric Foner, *Give Me Liberty!*, 6<sup>th</sup> ed., vol. 2 (2019); ISBN 978-0-393-41810-1

## Weekly Class Schedule and Readings

Week 1 – Lecture (watch on your own time): Reconstruction<sup>1</sup>

Aug. 24 – INTRODUCTION ETC.

Aug. 26 – Read for class: Foner, *Voices*, #97, 98, 100, 102

Week 2 – Lecture (watch on your own time): The Gilded Age<sup>2</sup>

Aug. 31 – Review, enrichment, questions/discussion

Sep. 2 – Read for class: Foner, *Voices*, #104, 106, 108, 109

Week 3 – Lecture (watch on your own time): Freedom's Boundaries<sup>3</sup>

Sep. 7 – Review, enrichment, questions/discussion

Sep. 9 – Read for class: Foner, *Voices*, #111, 114, 116, 117

Week 4 – Lecture (watch on your own time): The Progressive Era<sup>4</sup>

Sep. 14 – Review, enrichment, questions/discussion

Sep. 16 – Read for class: Foner, *Voices*, #119, 121, 123, 124

Week 5 – Lecture (watch on your own time): World War I<sup>5</sup>

Sep. 21 – Review, enrichment, questions/discussion

Sep. 23 – Read for class: Foner, *Voices*, #127, 129, 130, 133

Week 6 – Lecture (watch on your own time): The 1920s<sup>6</sup>

Sep. 28 – **\*\* EXAM #1 (covers Week 2-5 material) \*\***

Sep. 30 – Read for class: Foner, *Voices*, #135, 136, 138, 140

Read: Sinclair, *The Flivver King* (whole book, in time for October 19 exam)

## Week 7

Oct. 5 – Lecture: Henry Ford and Abner Shutt: Wealth and Work in the Model-T Age

Oct. 7 – Film (TBA)

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<sup>1</sup> Optional supplementary reading this unit: Foner, *Give Me Liberty!* 548-587

<sup>2</sup> Optional supplementary reading this unit: Foner, *Give Me Liberty!* 590-637

<sup>3</sup> Optional supplementary reading this unit: Foner, *Give Me Liberty!* 638-679.

<sup>4</sup> Optional supplementary reading this unit: Foner, *Give Me Liberty!* 680-719.

<sup>5</sup> Optional supplementary reading this unit: Foner, *Give Me Liberty!* 720-763.

<sup>6</sup> Optional supplementary reading this unit: Foner, *Give Me Liberty!* 766-805.