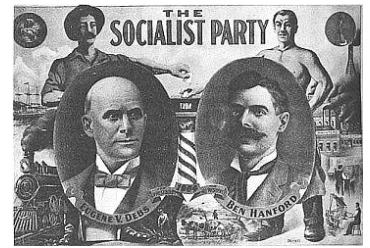


Chapter 21 Section 1

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Study Guide

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• **Answer the following questions.**

1. What did progressives claim about government and big business?
2. How did political machines operate in many cities?
3. Describe three ways in which corrupt politicians made money.
4. Describe how William M. Tweed ran New York City's political machine in the 1860s and 1870s.
5. What new form of city government was tried in Galveston, Texas? What event led to this change in Galveston?
6. What is the spoils system? What is its other name?
7. What did the 1883 Pendleton Act establish? What was its purpose?
8. How did the government use the Sherman Antitrust Act during the 1890s?

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9. Define: **oligopoly**

10. What did the 1887 Interstate Commerce Act require, and what did it set up?

11. Why did reformers want lower tariffs?

12. What do socialists believe?

13. Who founded the American Socialist Party? In what year? How many times did he run for president?

14. How were the views of progressives different from those of socialists?

15. According to progressives, what was society's duty? At whom were many progressive reforms aimed?

16. Define: **muckrakers**

17. What did Upton Sinclair describe in *The Jungle*? What laws were passed in response to this book?

18. Who introduced the "Wisconsin idea"? Describe its reform of the electoral system.

19. Define the three reforms of the Oregon System:

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20. How were U.S. senators elected before 1913? How did the 17th amendment change this?