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| IMMIGRATION |

**THE HISTORY OF U.S. IMMIGRATION**

1. **IMMIGRATION VOCABULARY**
   * Emigrate: to leave one country or region to settle in another
   * Immigrate: to come to a country of which one is not a native, usually for permanent residence.
   * Migrate: process of moving from one country, region, or place to another
2. **OLD IMMIGRANTS**
   * Came to U.S. *before the 1880s* from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     + Britain
     + Germany
     + Ireland
     + Scandinavia
   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   * Skilled workers
   * Protestants
   * Except Irish & Germans
3. **NEW IMMIGRANTS**
   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     + Czechs
     + Greeks
     + Hungarians
     + Italians
     + Poles
     + Russians
     + Slovaks
4. **WAVES OF IMMIGRATION: 37 Million**
   * 1820-1860
     + Germany (6 million)
     + Ireland (4.5 million)
     + Great Britain (4.2 million)
   * 1860-1890
     + Scandinavian nations (2.3 million)
   * 1890-1910
     + Austria-Hungary (4.2 million)
     + Italy (4.75 million)
     + Russia & Baltic (3.3 million)
5. **PUSH-PULL FACTORS**
   * Pull Factors
     + Freedom
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     + Abundant land
   * Push Factors
     + Population growth
     + Agricultural changes
     + Crop failures
     + Industrial Revolution
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
6. **WHY IMMIGRATE?**  
   1607-1830
   * Push factors:
     + Political Freedom
     + Religious Tolerance
     + Economic Opportunity
     + Refugees
     + Slavery
     + Family Reunification
7. **WHY IMMIGRATE?**

1830-1890

* + Pull Factors:
    - Land
    - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
    - *“streets paved with gold”*

1. **WHY IMMIGRATE?**

1890-1924

* + Jews for religious freedom
  + Italians/Asians for work
  + Russians to escape persecution
  + *“Land of opportunity”*

1. **ELLIS ISLAND**
   * European Immigrants
     + 5+ hours
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     + Government Inspector
     + proper documents
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     + ready for life in U.S.
2. **ANGEL ISLAND**
   * Asian immigrants
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     + Harsh questioning
     + Many interrogations
     + Terrible conditions
     + Chinese exclusion until 1943
3. **THE NATURALIZATION PROCESS**
   * 18 years old
   * Lawful residence
   * “Good moral character”
   * Understand some basic English
   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   * Oath of Allegiance
4. **CHOICE OF DESTINATION**
   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   * Sought particular type of work
   * Looking for heavy industry (Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Detroit, Chicago)
   * Looking for skilled occupations & agriculture (Texas & Midwest)
   * Farming (Upper Midwest)
5. **LIFE OF AN IMMIGRANT**
   * Most worked in low prestige occupations
   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   * Lived in shabbily built and overcrowded dwellings without heat, light, air or plumbing
   * Took 2-3 generations for children or grandchildren of immigrants to move up socioeconomic ladder and earn sufficient incomes

**PROBLEMS OF URBANIZATION**

1. **ATTRACTION OF THE CITIES**
   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   * Cheaper to live in cities
   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   * Social support for immigrants
   * Cultural opportunities
2. **URBAN PROBLEMS**
   * \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   * Problems developed as a result of population explosions in cities
3. **HOUSING**
   * Problems:
     + Live in outskirts; commute to work
     + Boardinghouses in cities
     + share bathrooms/kitchens
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   * Solution:
     + Row houses
     + Tenements
4. **TRANSPORTATION**
   * Problems:
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     + Walked, horse-drawn vehicles
   * Solution:
     + Cable car (1873) San Francisco
     + Subway (1897) Boston
5. **WATER**
   * Problems:
     + Bought from vendors
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
   * Solution:
     + Public Water
     + Cleveland, New York
       - 1850: public water
       - 1893: chlorination
       - 1908: filtration
6. **SANITATION**
   * Problems:
     + Horse manure
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     + No dependable trash removal (scavengers)
   * Solution:
     + Underground sewers (1900)
7. **FIRE**
   * Problems:
     + Limited water supply
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
     + Candles
     + Kerosene heaters
     + Volunteer firefighters
     + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
8. **CHICAGO FIRE 1871**
   * 29 hours
   * 300 dead
   * 100,000 homeless
   * 3 square miles destroyed
   * $200 million in damage
   * 17,500 building destroyed
9. **SAN FRANCISCO 1906**
   * Major earthquake (28 seconds)
   * 4 days of fires
   * 478 dead
   * 250,000 homeless
   * 5 square miles destroyed
   * $500 million in damage
   * 28,000 buildings destroyed
10. **FIRE** 
    * Solution:
      + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
      + 1900: in most cities
      + 1874: auto fire sprinkler
      + Use of brick, concrete, stone