**Progressive Era Webquest**

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Period:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Use the following website and answer the questions below: <http://teachers.henrico.k12.va.us/tucker/strusky_m/webquests/VUS8d_Progressives/front.html>

**Putting Government in the Hands of the People**

1. What were the accomplishments of the Progressive era at the local level of government?
2. What were the three accomplishments of the Progressives at the state level of government and how did they affect that level of government?
3. What were the three accomplishments of the Progressives in elections and why each was important?
4. What is the 17th Amendment?

**Economic Opportunity Through Government Regulation**

1. What were the muckrakers?
2. How did muckrakers affect child labor?
3. What were the four major unions described, who were their leaders (if listed), and who was included in the union?

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| **Union** | **Leader** | **Membership** |
| Knights of Labor |  |  |
|  | Samuel Gompers |  |
| American Railway Union |  |  |
|  | Pauline | Women in garment industry |

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Eugene V. Debs

Terrence Powderly all workers in the industry

American Federation of Labor skilled laborers

Skilled & unskilled laborers International Ladies’ Garment Workers Union

1. What two major changes happened in the workplace as a result of the Progressive movement?

8. Strike in Chicago, Illinois involving American Railway Union. Tied up

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Homestead Strike

Haymarket Strike

Pullman Strike

Railway traffic across the country. Government shut it down with an

injunction.

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9. Strike in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania involving steelworkers. Violence broke out between the strikers and the Pinkerton protection agency. State militia had to shut down the strike.

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10. Strike in Chicago, Illinois where the death of police breaks

reputation of Knights of Labor. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. What two major changes that happened in the workplace as a result of the Progressive movement?
2. What is a “Trust”?
3. What two anti-trust acts were passed?
4. What did each of the two anti-trust acts attempt to do?

**Social Reforms**

1. What did the 19th Amendment do?
2. Why was the NAACP necessary?

**The Progressive Presidents**

1. Which Progressive President pioneered the “Square Deal”?
2. Which Progressive President advocated for the “New Freedom”?