Reading Guide for Chapter 19

1. Why was little of the population increase in cities caused by natural growth? (549)
2. What two major forces reshaped American society between 1870 and 1920?(549)
3. What were the two symbols of America between 1870 and 1900?(550)
4. What was needed to produce skyscrapers? What was needed to produce suburbs?(550)
5. Who was Jacob Riis? (551)
6. Who said “Form follows function,”? What does this phrase refer to? (551)
7. What group of people took the place of the middle class as they moved to the suburbs? (551)
8. What is a “dumbbell tenement”? (551)
9. Describe cities in the 1890s. (552)
10. Who was Jacob Riis? (551)
11. Why did so many immigrants leave Europe during this time? (553)
12. Why did immigrants choose to come to America? (553)
13. Describe the shift in immigration that began in the 1880s. (554)
14. What was one of the major consequences of urban growth in the late 19th century? (556)
15. How were political bosses able to stay in power? (557)
16. Who was the most famous of the political bosses? (556)
17. What issues came to the forefront after the Civil War? (558)
18. Describe the Victorian code of morality. (559)
19. What led to the rise of spectator sports? (561)
20. How did Susan B. Anthony affect the changing views on women? (563)
21. Why was the South behind the North in the development of public education? (564)
22. Summarize the Supreme Court decision in “Plessy v. Ferguson”. (564)
23. Describe the ideas of Booker T. Washington. (566)
24. How did W.E.B. DuBois differ from Booker T. Washington? (566-567)
25. What is Social Darwinism? (567-68)
26. Describe the Social Gospel. (569)
27. Describe the ideas expressed in the following books:
    1. (Henry George) Progress and Poverty
    2. Ideas of Clarence Darrow
    3. (Edward Bellamy) Looking Backward
    4. Ideas of Walter Rauschenbusch
28. What was the purpose of the settlement houses? (572)
29. Who was the most famous of the settlement house founders? (573)
30. What was the name of her settlement house and where was it located? (573)