US HISTORY

CHAPTER 25 READING

**Directions: Use pages 557 – 589 in order to complete the following questions.**

**Pages 557 – 568:**

1. What invention allowed the skyscraper to become practical?

2. How did workers travel from the outskirts of cities?

3. What drew people from rural areas to cities?

4. According to the chart on 559, what year was the first time that more people lived in cities than in rural areas?

5. Why do you think movement to the cities started to level off after 1970?

6. List three of the problems faced by growing cities?

7. Why were they known as dumbbell tenements?

8. Until the 1880s, where were most immigrants from?

9. Where were the new immigrants from during the 1880s?

10. What fear did Americans have of the new immigrants?

11. What were three reasons why America was seen as a desirable place to move for Europeans?

12. How were the children of immigrants different from their parents?

13. How did a political machine boss get support?

14. Who was Jane Addams?

15. What did Hull House offer immigrants?

16. What change did settlement houses lobby for?

**Pages 568 – 577:**

17. Why were the new immigrants coming to America?

18. What were two things blamed on the new immigrants?

19. Why was organized labor against immigrants?

20. What were the leading nations of the new immigrants? (Chart)

21. Where did the salvation army come from?

22. What did evolution cast doubt upon?

23. What did cumpolsary education protect children from?

24. What did Booker T. Washington believe was the key to black civil rights?

25. How did W.E.B. DuBois differ from Booker T. Washington?

26. What act led to an increase in colleges in the South?

27. What words came from Louis Pasteur and Joseph Lister?

**Pages 577 - 589:**

28. Why did Lewis Wallace write Ben Hur?

29. Where did Walt Whitman get the influence to write, “O Captain! My Captain!”?

30. When were most of Emily Dickinson’s poems discovered?

31. What were two works by Mark Twain?

32. How were having more children viewed on the farm? In the city?

33. What part of the country extended equal suffrage first? (map)

34. What issue was Ida B. Wells concerned with?

35. What state is known as the “Equality State?” Why?

36. What was the goal of the Woman’s Christian Temperance Union?

37. How did Carrie Nation attempt to stop drinking in America?

38. What evolved into the music of ragtime, jazz, and blues?